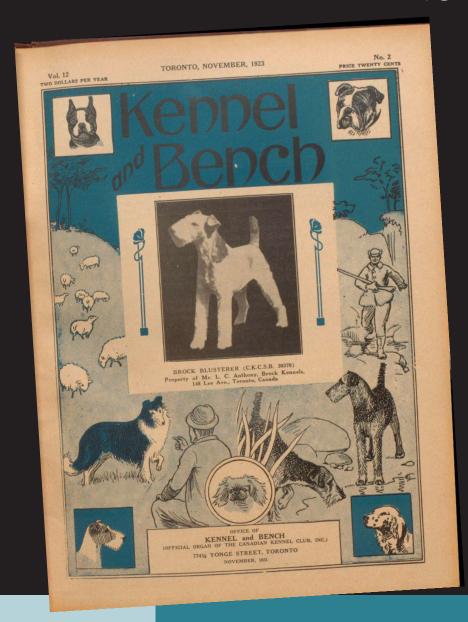


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ZONE 12 BY-ELECTION RESULTS

Dear Zone 12 members,

Thank you for taking the time to vote in the recent by-election. We appreciate your engagement and support.

We are pleased to announce the winner of the Zone 12 byelection is Tammy Luethje. Tammy comes from a long line of dog show enthusiasts; her grandmother showed dogs and her mother was a Life Member of CKC. Tammy began in the dog world at age 5 when she attended her first dog show with her mom.

Tammy is looking forward to giving back to the hobby that has given so much to herself and her family. CKC Zone Directors play an important role by representing the members in their territory. We look forward to working with Tammy to serve Zone 12.

Tammy will commence her new role immediately.

NOTICE OF UPCOMING REFERENDUM

As a CKC member, you will have the opportunity to have your say on a number of vital issues this November.

The Special Referendum will include:

- · A vote on proposed by-law amendments
- A vote on the next step for new breeds to be added to the CKC
- · A vote on the rules of eligibility for multiple breeds

We need your vote! These are important issues for the CKC, breed clubs, and members and exhibitors across Canada.

Breed clubs have worked hard to bring their breeds forward for CKC recognition, they need your help with the next step.

By-laws impact all members, vote to have your voice heard.

Voting will commence November 1st and run through to the end of November. More information will be shared as we get closer to the referendum, but please ensure your email address is up to date and accurate! We don't want anyone to miss the opportunity to vote. To update your email address, please log into your portal, click on "My Profile" then click on "Update Email Address".

If you require a printed copy of the information booklet, please let us know at voting@ckc.ca by October 15, 2022.

To read more about the upcoming referendum, review the last board meeting synopsis <u>here</u>. Stay tuned for further updates and information coming soon!

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB WELCOMES TRUPANION AS PET INSURANCE PARTNER

The Canadian Kennel Club is excited to announce we've partnered with Trupanion as our preferred pet insurance provider.

As your club, we are keeping current with strategic partnerships that support the mission, vision, and values of the Canadian Kennel Club. With a robust Breeder program, pet-passionate customer care agents, and support of canine events across Canada and the United States partnership with Trupanion was a natural fit.

About Trupanion:

Trupanion exists to inform and help responsible pet owners budget and care for their pets – for life. Whether you're a loving pet owner or a dedicated breeder, Trupanion is committed to providing the highest value in pet medical insurance so that you can focus on the health of your dogs.

The Trupanion plan is designed with pets in mind. Their plan covers 90% of actual veterinary costs for eligible claims, with no payout limits: covered pets receive unlimited payouts for life. With 24/7 customer care, Trupanion can also pay participating veterinarians directly at the time of checkout.

Completely free for breeders to join, the **Trupanion Breeder** Support Program includes:

- Go Home Day Offer. Breeders can send their litters home with a special Trupanion offer for 30 days of coverage with no upfront cost. This offer waives standard waiting periods for their buyers, so coverage goes into effect immediately once activated within the timeline.
- Free Informational Materials. Trupanion provides breeders with informational brochures they can include in their puppy packs.
- Dedicated Account Manager. Each breeder receives a dedicated account manager who serves as their Trupanion go-to.

To learn more about the Trupanion Breeder Support Program <u>click here</u> or call 833-757-2498.

Keep an eye on your inbox over the next few weeks as we release more information on how to join the Trupanion Breeder Program and help your puppy buyers access Go Home Offers from Trupanion!

REMINDER: CFIA ANNOUNCES NEW MEASURES THAT WILL PROHIBIT COMMERCIAL DOG IMPORTS FROM HIGH-RISK COUNTRIES FOR **CANINE RABIES**

As you may know, CFIA has announced that new commercial dog import measures will be implemented on September 28, 2022, to reduce the risk of introducing dog rabies (rabies caused by canine-variant viruses) into Canada. Although canine variants of the rabies virus are not present in Canada, there were two canine imports with rabies in the past year.

The new measures will prohibit the importation of commercial dogs (all ages) from countries considered high-risk for dog rabies. These measures will impact commercial dogs, including dogs for resale, adoption, fostering, breeding, show or exhibition, research, and other purposes. Import permits issued on or after June 28, 2022, will expire on September 27, 2022.

CDC implemented a temporary suspension of dogs entering the US from high-risk rabies countries in June 2021 and has since extended the suspension. CFIA will use the same <u>list of</u> countries considered high-risk for dog rabies as CDC.

The new rules regarding countries at high risk for rabies are not to be confused with the <u>restrictions implemented by CFIA</u> in May 2021, in which commercial dogs less than 8 months of age must meet new requirements such as a CFIA pre-approved quarantine facility (if importing by air) and a kennel of origin certificate. CKC recently provided an update on the May 2021 requirements for your review.

Although the upcoming measures related to commercial dog imports from rabies-positive countries will not impact the majority of CKC members who import dogs into Canada, we encourage you to review CFIA's industry update for further details.

DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE REPORT

The following report is of disciplinary action taken by the Discipline Committee at its meeting held on August 13 and 14, 2022. All penalties commenced as of September 22, 2022, unless otherwise stated.

Please note that subsequent infractions, not necessarily of the same offence, will carry penalties of increasing severity. Consequently, in those cases where an individual has been found guilty on a separate offence, the penalty will be more severe than for a first-time offender. The reference to the penalty continuing means that the penalty will continue until such time as the provisions of the Animal Pedigree Act, Club's By-laws, rules, regulations, policies or procedures have been satisfied.

Darlene Brown, NB, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 6 months Failed to provide a certificate of registration within

and continuing. 6 months of the date of sale. \$500.00

Tera Corrigan, ON, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 90 days Failed to provide a certificate of registration within

and continuing. 6 months of the date of sale. \$250.00

Sophia Cowie, AB, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 6 months Failed to provide a certificate of registration within

6 months of the date of sale. and continuing. \$500.00

Karen Cram, ON, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Dismissed Violations of the Conformation Show Rules and Regulations.

Élise Houle, QC, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Terminated membership Failed to abide by the Code of Ethics/Code of Practice for

for life. CKC Member Breeders.

> Acted or performed in a manner which may be deemed as contrary to the basic principles and Objects of the Club and/or in the best interests of the Club and its members.

Under Appeal

Chantale Hudon, QC, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 5 years Failed to provide a certificate of registration within

and continuing. 6 months of the date of sale.

Failed to properly identify dog. \$250.00

DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE REPORT

Lisa Lambert, AB, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Terminated membership

for 10 years.

Failed to abide by the Code of Practice for CKC

Member Breeders.

Engaged in the breeding and selling of non-purebred dogs. Acted or performed in a manner which may be deemed as contrary to the basic principles and Objects of the Club and/or in the best interests of the Club and its members.

\$250.00

Aphrodite Miniotis, ON, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Terminated membership

for 5 years.

Engaged in the breeding and selling of non-purebred dogs. Acted or performed in a manner which may be deemed as contrary to the basic principles and Objects of the Club and/or in the best interests of the Club and its members.

\$250.00

Vicky Paquin-Simoneau, QC, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Suspended 1 year Failed to provide DNA parentage testing.

and continuing. Acted or performed in a manner which may be deemed

as contrary to the basic principles and Objects of the Club and/or in the best interests of the Club and its members.

\$150.00

Michel Servent, ON, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 6 months Failed to provide a certificate of registration within

6 months of the date of sale. and continuing.

> Failed to properly identify dog. \$500.00

Michel Servent, ON, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 1 year Failed to provide a certificate of registration within

and continuing. 6 months of the date of sale.

> Failed to properly identify dog. \$500.00

Michel Servent, ON, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Failed to provide a certificate of registration within Deprived 1 year

6 months of the date of sale. and continuing. \$500.00

Anne Starr, BC, Member

(Complainant - CKC)

Terminated membership Engaged in the breeding and selling of non-purebred dogs.

for 5 years. Acted or performed in a manner which may be deemed as contrary to the basic principles and Objects of the Club

and/or in the best interests of the Club and its members.

\$250.00

DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE REPORT

Maegan Strom, BC, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 10 years. Falsified or altered a certificate of registration.

> Issued a document in respect of a dog that was likely to deceive the public into believing that the certificate of registration is registered under the authority of the Act.

\$500.00

Jasmine Testolini, Portugal, Non-Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Deprived 90 days. Failed to provide a certificate of registration within

6 months of the date of sale.

Failed to properly identify dog. \$250.00

Paul Tremblay, SK, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Terminated membership Failed to abide by the Code of Ethics.

for 10 years. Acted or performed in a manner which may be deemed

as contrary to the basic principles and Objects of the Club and/or in the best interests of the Club and its members.

\$250.00

Angelika (Wall) Khamlichi, MB, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Terminated membership Engaged in the breeding and selling of non-purebred dogs.

for 5 years. Acted or performed in a manner which may be deemed

as contrary to the basic principles and Objects of the Club and/or in the best interests of the Club and its members.

\$250.00

Theresa Weber, United States, Member

(Complainant – CKC)

Warned. Violation of the Conformation Show Rules and Regulations.



CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB MISSION STATEMENT

Who We Are

The Canadian Kennel Club (CKC) is the primary registry body for purebred dogs in Canada and currently recognizes 187 breeds. As a non-profit organization, the CKC is dedicated to encouraging, guiding, and advancing the interests of purebred dogs and their responsible owners and breeders in Canada and promoting the knowledge and understanding of the benefits which dogs can bring to Canadian society.

The CKC is incorporated under Animal Pedigree Act, a federal statute under the auspices of the Ministry of Agriculture. The organization includes approximately 20,000 individual members and over 700 breed clubs across Canada. The Club registers purebred dogs, regulates dog shows and performance events, and speaks out on major issues concerning dog ownership and the health & welfare of dogs across Canada.

Mission

As the prime registry of purebred dogs in Canada, our purpose is to serve our members and the public with education, support, guidance and sanctioning of events for all their canine endeavours. Our goal is the preservation of purebred dogs and the health, well-being and enjoyment of all dogs.

Vision

The CKC with its members, will be the definitive authority in Canada for purebred dogs, and an advocate for all dogs, setting the standard for the preservation of breeds and continuous improvement of health, wellbeing and enjoyment of purebred dogs.

Values

Passion: We are dedicated to purebred dogs with the belief in the value of dogs as an integral part of our lives, our society and the contributions dogs brings to our humanity.

Preservation: We are committed to the preservation of breed characteristics while producing healthy well-socialized dogs, with a commitment to continuous improvement and well-being of purebred dogs.

Knowledge: We educate and expand public awareness of the contribution purebred dogs bring to society. This includes the vast array of activities and opportunities for purebred dog enthusiasts... as well as a commitment to the principles of responsible breeding practices and responsible dog ownership.

Commitment: We protect and enhance the interests of our members, breeders, associated clubs and the public, supporting them with openness, honesty and compassion.

Integrity: We uphold the integrity of our registry, the high standards of governance and management of the Canadian Kennel Club.

AN INFORMATION SUPPLEMENT FROM THE CKC

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