



# Admiral Perry Obedience Training Club, Inc.

## NEWSLETTER

November 2012

APOTC website [www.apotcerie.org](http://www.apotcerie.org).

Regular club meetings are the second Tuesday of the month at 7 PM at the Emmanuel Presbyterian Church, 3520 Perry Street, Erie, PA

### Club Officers:

President:	Lee-Ann Czytuck
Vice-President:	Melanie Shufran
Treasurer:	Ann Gehrlein
Recording Secretary:	Betsy Olson
Corresponding Secretary:	Janet Norman
Board of Directors:	Trish Clark
	Mary Alice Piotrowski
	Jim Kwiatkowski
	Jodie Casillo
	Marilyn Flower
	Sandy Globa

### *Club News*

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, November 13, 2012, at 7 PM at the Emmanuel Presbyterian Church. A Trial Committee meeting is tentatively set for Saturday, December 1, 2012, at 10 AM, at Ann Gehrlein's home.

The Babies and Dogs program will be held at UPMC Hamot on the third Tuesday of February, 2013. The Babies & Dogs program has a PowerPoint presentation which focuses on ideas and safety issues on how to introduce the baby and plan ahead for all the changes that will occur when bringing the baby home. It is done with our dogs in attendance as well. Please contact Sandy Globa if you wish to participate.

Club dues for 2012 are overdue! Dues are \$10 individual and \$15 family membership. Please see Ann Gehrlein to square away your dues right away.

Please contact Lee-Ann Czytuck ASAP if you'd be interested in working on the newsletter each month. A new newsletter person is needed.

The APOTC obedience classes are held at Emmanuel Presbyterian Church. The Fall session is under way. The Winter session will start January 17, 2013, followed by the Spring session on March 28, 2013.

As the year ends, start thinking about the titles you and your dogs(s) have earned this year and be ready to fill out the annual titles form. A copy may be found at the end of this newsletter. Please return it to Mary Alice Piotrowski by December 21, 2012.

### *Upcoming Events*

Come and show and work at the APOTC Agility Trials in Edinboro, PA, at Countryside Agility on November 9, 10, and 11, 2012. All hands on deck would be appreciated.

The APOTC Annual Awards Dinner is set for Tuesday, January 15, 2013, with drinks at 6:00 PM and dinner at 6:30 PM at the Erie Yacht Club. There will be a \$10.00 gift exchange for those who would like to participate.

Visit the All Breed Training Club of Akron's website [www.abtca.org](http://www.abtca.org) for the 2012 run-thru schedule for obedience, rally, beginner novice, agility and conformation held August through December. Also, the ABTCA is holding a Chiropractic Clinic with Dr. Rebbecca Ault after the agility run-thru on the following dates: November 27 and December 18, 2012. Cost is \$55 per dog. Contact Ruth Drew at [rdrew2@hotmail.com](mailto:rdrew2@hotmail.com) for more information.

IF YOU HAVE EARNED TITLES THIS YEAR, PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO MARY ALICE BY 12/21/12. YOU CAN MAIL OR EMAIL

Mary Alice Piotrowski  
860 East Street, Waterford, Pa. 16441  
Or [thepioz@verizon.net](mailto:thepioz@verizon.net)

## **APOTC**

### **2012 Titles Earned by Members in Good Standing\***

Member's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## **OBEDIENCE**

NAME registry (AKC, UKC, CKC, etc.) title earned and **date completed**.  
If you wish to compete for the **traveling trophy, submit scores** and the **3 trial dates**.

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## **AGILITY**

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## **OTHER**

List all other performance or conformation titles, with registry and date.

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\*A member in good standing is defined as a member who has (1) paid their dues; (2) attended a majority of the monthly meetings; and (3) served as an instructor for our public classes or worked the trial.