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### AUGUST/SEPTEMBER CLUB EVENTS

Wednesday, August 9 <sup>th</sup> , 6:30 pm	Annual Picnic	Tait's Farm, Rt. 322, Boalsburg
Tuesday, September 19, 6:30 pm	Board Meeting	Comfort Suites
Tuesday, September 19, 7:45 pm	Annual Open House Meeting	Comfort Suites

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### PICNIC CHANGE!!!

**Please note, the August Meeting has been declared the NNKC Picnic!  
The date has changed to Wednesday August 9<sup>th</sup>! Sorry for the short notice!**

Nancy and John Tait have volunteered to have the picnic at their home. The picnic has been scheduled for Wednesday, August 9, starting at 6:30 pm. Club members should bring a covered dish, and the Club will provide hamburgers and hot dogs. We'll have an opportunity to tour the Tait Kennel. Tait Kennel is on rt 322 east of Boalsburg. If you need directions, contact Nancy (814-867-6768 or nkt1@lazerlink.com)

**September Open House Meeting:** Carol Nevins, founder of Pets Come First, is scheduled speak on the latest at the SPCA at the general meeting at 7:45. "Goodie bags" will be provided! This is our annual Open House meeting, so encourage anyone you know who might be interested in the club to come on out and see what it is all about!

**Mall Showcase of Dogs:** Sunday, October 15, 1 to 4 pm. We will once again be providing information to the public on dog ownership. Contact Bonnie K at 814-355-5259 if you would like to help out.

**Conformation, Rally, and Obedience Shows:** Early reports are that all went very well! Roberta has already received and email thank you note from exhibitor Virginia Barishek of Philadelphia that states, in part, "I was an exhibitor at Nita Nee's Obedience and Rally trials this year. It was my first time at your club's show, and probably won't be the last! Just wanted to let you know that my dogs (3 Kerry Blue Terriers) and I had a wonderful time, and we appreciated all the hard work that you and the other volunteers put into creating such a fun and welcoming event. One of my dogs finished his CD--he was a rescue adoption. My youngest dog made her debut in Rally Novice, and earned two legs--she is also a rescue adoption. And my oldest dog, who has his UD, earned his second RAE leg. Moreover, in Conformation, my friend's Flat-Coated Retriever went BOB both days. We had a very lucky weekend, and we're glad that we came to your wonderful shows." Virginia goes on to praise Roberta's "wicked good chocolate chip cookies". We know people don't come for the food, but what a nice touch! Congratulations to all who worked so hard!

**Brags:** Robert Horner's Isa got her first leg in agility Jumpers with Weaves leg at MNDTC's Trial on July 8. Allie Urbanski recently got her CGC, and Therapy dog certifications on her Champion Havanese, Salsa.

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