



# UNLEASHED

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## Next Meetings February 7, 2007

Time: 6:30 PM – Till we're done

Location: Bruno's Pizza

1774 E. Dublin Granville Rd (NW corner of Rt. 161 & Sharon Woods Blvd)

Columbus, OH 43229

They have a great Italian menu with all of your favorites and maybe some things that you have never had before, plus plenty of cold beverages.

I have contacted the IAMS Co to provide a speaker, but as of this time they haven't returned two phone messages.

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## \$ DUES \$

Dues & Business Card advertising dollars are due **NOW ! We have received 64% of the money due for 2007 so far.** Another \$430.00 is still payable.

Single Membership - \$30.00

Joint Membership - \$50.00

Business Card Ad - \$50.00 (This will get your business card advertised on the COLRC web site plus if you have a web site, it will link to your web site by clicking on the card. Give or mail your checks to Chris Bell or Steve LaVelle.

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## PREZ NOTES

It has been a busy month since our January meeting for the COLRC. A Board Meeting was held in January where several items of business were discussed. The first being the choice of Show Secretary for the Specialty. Additionally, judges were discussed for the 2008 show and letters of invitation will be going out soon to those choices.

Linda Bednarski and I met with the lady the Board chose to be the show secretary for our Specialty for 2007. Cynthia Wegner came highly recommended to the club and after meeting with her it was very easy to see why. She has been show secretary for some rather large shows in different parts of the country. She recently transferred to the Central Ohio area after living in Illinois. She lives in Powell and will be guiding us along the path to ensure success. Linda and I are in the process of providing the information required to her to meet the requirements for the premium list & catalog. Remember, this is a large step in the right direction toward the day that we will be able to have a stand alone show.

Linda Bednarski will present the names of the judges that will be asked to judge at our 2008 show at the February meeting. If you want a sneak peak at those names, visit our web site at [www.colrc.com](http://www.colrc.com) and click on the membership tab, and then click on the COLRC logo to view the posted copy of the Board Meeting minutes and all the regular meeting minutes as well. If you don't remember the user name & password, give me a call.

## **COLRC All-Breed OptiGen,**

### **CERF & Heart Clinic**

The clinic will be held on Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at Refugee Canyon West Boarding Kennel / Veterinary Clinic. Last year's clinic was a huge success and we are hoping for even better numbers this year. The flyer for the clinic can viewed on our web site by entering this address in your web browser.

[http://colrc.com/events\\_files/eyeclinic2007flier.pdf](http://colrc.com/events_files/eyeclinic2007flier.pdf)

I have also attached a pdf file to the newsletter to allow you to print the flier direct.

Help is still needed for the clinic, so be sure to give Jennifer a call and see what time she needs you and to set up your appointment.

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### **WEB SITE SURVEY**

I have created the survey for visitors to our web site to take on the homepage. It is a short 5 or 6 question survey with room for additional remarks to be made about the site regarding information posted or information visitors would like to see posted on the site. I ask members to check it out and give me suggestions to help improve this survey. We are trying to find out who is visiting the site, how they found it, and was the site helpful. It is a work in progress!

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## **LITTER BOX LISTINGS**

Chocoruas Riptide x  
CH Tullamores Pearl Alley  
Blacks & Yellows due 2/11/07  
Contact: Linda Bednarski 740-548-2475  
[linda@tullamorelabs.com](mailto:linda@tullamorelabs.com)

At this time, COLRC Unleashed! Does not require listing of CERF or OFA information for Litter Box Listings. All breeders are encouraged to have hips and eyes certified on all breeding stock and to provide this information in litter listings. COLRC Unleashed! does not represent any litter listing as meeting any type of breeder's code or standard. Ask the breeder when inquiring about dogs listed.

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### **OLDER DOGS**

Blacks & Choc, males & females  
from 1 1/2 to 6yrs old  
Contact: Bill or Rose Ash, 740-881-4326 or  
[ashway@columbus.rr.com](mailto:ashway@columbus.rr.com)

Yellow female, 7 yrs old  
Contact: Dennis/Jennifer, 740-828-2657 or  
[Labrador@clover.net](mailto:Labrador@clover.net)

Older Dogs Available  
Contact: Barb Scott (740) 967-6271 or  
(614) 562-8941  
[Lakecroftlabs@earthlink.net](mailto:Lakecroftlabs@earthlink.net)

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### **DOWN 'N BACKS**

CH Tullamores Topaz  
WB – Rubber City KC  
NEW CHAMPION !!!!  
Owner: Rich & Linda Bednarski

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### **REMINDER**

Payment and items for specialty class sponsorship are due by April 15<sup>th</sup> (tax day) to Jan E. (Remember, she can be like the IRS and will come and hunt you down like a dog.)

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## *General COLRC Information*

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The **UNLEASHED!** is a publication by and for the members of the **Central Ohio Labrador Retriever Club** and others interested in the betterment of the sport and advancement of cooperative communication within the fancy.

The articles and information contained in this publication have been deemed by the editor to be of interest to our readers but do not necessarily reflect the beliefs or the opinions of the editor or COLRC members. Reader input is actively solicited.

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**Meetings:** General meetings shall take place the first Wednesday of every month unless otherwise noted.

### **OFFICERS:**

President.....Stephen LaVelle (Term expires Dec 2007)  
Vice President.....Linda Bednarski (Term expires Dec 2007)  
Treasurer.....Chris Bell (Term expires Dec 2007)  
Secretary.....Joni Palumbo (Term expires Dec 2007)

### **COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS:**

Membership	Deborah Lewis
Newsletter	Stephen LaVelle and Christian DiSabato
Puppy Match	Lori Bentine & Christine Kofron for 2007
Show Chair	Linda Bednarski & Christian DiSabato for 2007
Eye Clinic	Jennifer Stotts & Linda Bednarski

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

Rose Ash (Term expires Dec 2007)  
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