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Meeting Notice

We are meeting at Golden Rule School for Dogs in Andover, NJ on Sunday, 2/13/05, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm for Grooming & Pampering our pups. Cost is \$10 per person. Any money collected over what we owe Golden Rule will be put into the club treasury. Cathy & Alida will pick up bagels, coffee, and juice for breakfast.

Please have dogs clean and bathed and bring the grooming supplies you normally use.

Directions to the training facility can be found here:
<http://www.geocities.com/goldenruledogs/rental.htm>
(at the bottom of page)

Congratulations Jagger & Joanne and Scott & Storm on your AKC Agility Ratings!

The Stock's worked very hard in 2004 in Agility with awesome results. Both Jagger & Storm made the AKC Top 100 Shetland Sheepdogs by MACH points for 2004. Jagger was listed 76th and Storm was 48th!



Storm #48



Jagger #76

Monthly Metro Herding

During the winter months I'm planning monthly, (mostly Sheltie), herding lessons up at Gene Sheninger's Wayside Farm Training Field. It's a chance for us and our dogs to socialize, as well as to learn from and encourage each other.

There's a new added attraction this winter of a campfire - - and s'mores! Happy Herding!

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February 5, 2005 Herding Party

We had a small but great group for our February herding party. Abbey, Rip & Chill, Helen, Flirt & Duffy & Karen, Cinder & Pierce attended. Our friends Laurence & Angel and Janet & Ross joined us. Cathy Caruso ordered (and delivered!) a picture perfect day for us - beautiful blue sky and warm temperatures.



Duffy patiently waits for his turn



Helen & Flirt



Abbey & Chill

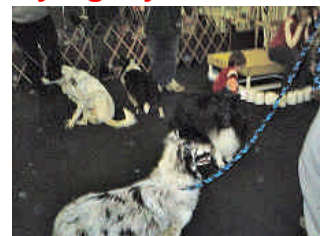


Look at that blue sky!

Photos from our January Agility Practice



Carlee enjoys the tunnel



The Youngsters at Play

From the Nursery!

Cathy and John Caruso's **Cassie**, had her pups on 2/3/05



Alida's pups are doing great. Litter of 7 is already 8 weeks old and **Brooke's** are 5 weeks old! Here are photos of **Courtney's** pups:

