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### MARCH/APRIL CLUB EVENTS

Tuesday, March 20, 6:30 pm	<b>Board Meeting</b>	Comfort Suites
Tuesday, March 20, 7:45	<b>Regular Meeting with program: Agility 101</b>	Comfort Suites
Saturday, March 24, 1 to 4 pm	<b>Showcase of Dogs</b>	Nittany Mall
Tuesday, April 17, 6:30 pm	<b>Annual Awards Banquet</b>	Damon's
Sunday, April 29, all day	<b>Annual Match</b>	Grange Fairgrounds

**Programs:** Our February program was "Rally 101 and Obedience 101" Roberta Horner started the program with an introduction to Rally, demonstrating a number of exercises with her Siberian Husky, Isa. For the obedience portion of the program, Bonnie, with her Sheltie, Dinah, and Allie, with her Bichon, Annie, demonstrated a number of the obedience exercises. Helen Smith, and Pat Welser also contributed to the panel discussion. The program included information about titles, the obstacles and exercises that can be included, and how to get started. There was also information about what it takes to hold Rally and Obedience events and volunteer jobs needed. The March program is "Agility 101" come hear all about this exciting sport!

**Mall Demo.** The NNKC Showcase of Dogs is scheduled for **Saturday, March 24th** from **1 to 4 pm** at the Nittany Mall (in front of Penney's). Enter by Garfield's. We hope to see you there!! This is a great opportunity to introduce people to the various breeds and give them a chance to see and touch the dogs. If you are unable to be there for the entire time, that's okay -- come for an hour or two. Please let Vicki (359-4245) know if you will be attending, and what dog(s) -- breed(s) -- you'll be bringing. We will need help afterward taking down the ring and getting items back to Stow-away. Bring a chair and a grooming table (if applicable), plus water and treats for your dog, cleanup bags as well as a display, and breed information to distribute if you'd like.

**Awards Banquet:** Set for April 17<sup>th</sup> at Damon's. Please RSVP to Bonnie K, and send award forms to the Club's PO Box (Nita-Nee Kennel Club, P.O. Box 5129, Pleasant Gap, PA 16823). Please see the awards form from the previous newsletter and submit it by March 20<sup>th</sup>!

**Nominations:** There were no nominations from the floor in February so this slate will be voted on in March at the general meeting. Elected officers and board members begin serving in April.

**Tidbits:** Show dates next year. York has dropped out and will no longer be having shows. So, in 2008, we are planning to have our conformation shows on Saturday and Sunday. Obedience and Rally will still be held on Friday and Saturday.

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