

YGRC Fall Health Clinics Sunday November 13, 2016

in conjunction with the FDKC all breed dog show at the Holiday Inn Boxboro, 242 Adams Pl, Boxboro, MA 01719

Forms And Info at <u>www.YankeeGRC.org</u>

DEADLINE FOR APPOINTMENTS: Wednesday, November 9, 2016 Appointments must be requested by US Mail. Please allow for US mail delivery time!

TESTS INCLUDE:

- OFA HIPS AND ELBOWS: Kathy Sneider, DVM
- EYE EXAMS: Ruth Marrion, DVM, DACVO, PhD
- HEART EXAMS: Josh Gidlewski, DVM, DACIM
- MICROCHIPS, SNAP, OPTIGEN 20/20 BLOOD DRAW

ALL BREEDS WELCOME. Bitches in season may attend.

Walk-ins will be accepted if schedule allows.

NOTE: If you plan to register results with OFA, bring AKC registration with you to the clinic, and REQUEST PERMANENT ID VERIFICATION

Payment & Refunds: All appointments require advance payment by check or money order. Fees will be refunded ONLY if appt is canceled IN WRITING by Nov. 10, 2016.

Contact Randy at <u>alexhills2@verizon.net</u> or 508-277-6999

Confirmation of your appointment time will be e-mailed to you by Friday, 11/11/16. Driving directions will be included. See appointment form for further information.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

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OFA HIP, ELBOW & PATELLA CLINIC

Dr. Kathy Sneider, VMD

Fees: Hips \$165, Elbows \$185, H/E \$325, Patellas \$50, Sedation, if necessary, \$25 **PRE-REGISTRATION STRONGLY SUGGESTED.**

Complete form below. You will be contacted to set up an appointment time. A limited number of appointments will be available. Walk-ins will be accepted if time allows.

Please complete OFA forms prior to Clinic. Bring a check or credit card for OFA fees. Download here: http://www.ofa.org/pdf/hdedapp_bw.pdf http://www.ofa.org/pdf/plapp_bw.pdf

EYE CLINIC

EXAMINATIONS by *Ruth Marrion, DVM, DACVO, PhD*

Fees: Yankee Members - \$30 per dog; Non-members & Subscribers - \$35 per dog.

OFA Forms will be available at the Clinic. OFA submission fees are not included. Senior dogs will be charged an examination fee, but OFA submission is free. Details at www.offa.com

Note: Each examination takes approximately 5 minutes.

Eye drops to dilate the pupils and aid in examination must be administered 20 minutes prior to the examination.

Please arrive half an hour prior to your dog's eye appointment, to allow for check-in and eye drops. Late arrivals will be seen as the schedule allows.

Cardiac Screening Clinic

Examinations by Cardiologist Dr. Josh Gidlewski, DVM, DACVIM

Fees: Yankee Golden Retriever Club Members - \$40; Non-members and subscribers - \$45

General Information: Each examination will take approximately 5 minutes. If an echocardiogram is indicated, the Cardiologist will attempt to do the study immediately following the initial exam. *An additional fee of \$210 cash is charged for an echo, payable directly to vet.*

AKC & OFA:

OFA forms will be available at the Clinic, or may be downloaded and completed ahead of time. <u>http://www.ofa.org/pdf/cardapp_bw.pdf</u>

PLEASE NOTE: OFA does not require permanent ID to issue a certification. However, OFA numbers will indicate whether the dog was permanently identified at the time of examination, by use of -PI and -NOPI.

AKC DOES require the dog to be permanently identified, by tattoo or microchip, in order to include OFA info in their database.

Ask to Verify Permanent ID if you plan to register the dog's results with AKC!

OPTIGEN 20/20 CANINE GENETIC TESTING CLINIC (20 samples submitted = 20% discount. Tell your friends!)

ALL BREEDS WELCOME \$10 fee per blood draw

You must pre-register and pre-pay at <u>www.optigen.com</u> Available tests listed on optigen's website

Optigen forms must be brought to the clinic Dogs must have verified permanent ID.

A clinic discount code will be provided by Optigen, and must be used to register online.

Microchip Clinic

Clinic rate \$35 (compare at >\$50) Includes Pre-registered* AKC Reunite ISO Microchip *Owner is responsible for submitting AKC Reunite registration forms

Proof of ownership required prior to insertion of chip. Dogs requiring permanent ID for OFA will be microchipped prior to exam.

We will have a limited number of microchips available at the clinic. Please plan accordingly.

SNAP 4Dx Plus - \$35 Tests for Heartworm, Lyme, Erlichia and Anaplasmosis RESULTS AVAILABLE ON-SITE

Appointment Times:

When requesting a preferred appointment time, please remember that staying exactly on time is sometimes difficult. Every attempt will be made to take you as close as possible to your scheduled appointment time. Dogs attending multiple clinics might not have consecutive appointments.

DOGS WITH FDKC RING TIMES WILL BE ACOMMODATED! Late arrivals will be seen if and when the schedule allows.

YGRC 2016 Fall Clinic Appointment Request Form

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YGRC Fall Health Clinics, Sunday November 13, 2016 Deadline for appointments is Wed., November 9. Please allow ample time for US Mail delivery!

- Appointment requests must be accompanied by payment in full.
- Please write checks to Yankee Golden Retriever Club or YGRC.
- Returned checks are subject to a bank service charge.
- Refunds given only if appointment is canceled **in writing** by 11/10/16.

Appointment times will be confirmed via e-mail, text or phone by November 10th. Please wait until Saturday, November 12th before contacting us about appointments.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! PLEASE HELP IF YOU CAN.

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