## **General Meeting**

## Wachusett Kennel Club, Inc.

## Wednesday, October 17, 2012

The Old Mill

Route 2A, Westminster, MA 978-874-5941 www.1761oldmill.com

6:00 p.m. - Board of Directors Meeting

6:30 p.m. - Cash bar available

7:00 p.m. - Dinner

7:45 p.m. - Annual Meeting/Election of Officers & Board of Directors

8:00 p.m. - Presentation by Darlene Arden - Aging Gracefully

Presentation will discuss how to recognize signs of aging, what to expect, what may not be age but illness. She will also share suggestions for how to deal with loss of sight and hearing as well as how to make your home more comfortable for your aging dog, both indoors and out.

About the Presenter: Darlene Arden is an Award-Winning writer and Author of more than half a dozen books and countless magazine articles. A Certified Animal Behavior Consultant, she has spoken at veterinary conferences as well as for groups including pet sitters, groomers, pet therapy volunteers, libraries, and dog clubs. A member of various organizations including the World Dog Press Association and Boston Authors, her goal is to make life better for dogs and their owners and to improve the human-animal bond.

## Menu: Buffet Dinner

Clam Chowder, Cold Salads, Potato of the Day, Vegetable of the Day, Dinner Rolls and Old Mill Baked Pecan Rolls, Corn Fritters with Maple Syrup, Baked Stuffed Chicken with Cranberry and Walnuts topped with Apple Maple Glaze, Baked Ziti with Garlic Bread, Baked Haddock with Crumb topping, Apple Crisp with Whipped Cream, Coffee and Tea

No charge for members, \$25.00 for non-members Reservations required for Members and Non-Members

MEMBERS: Members coming for the free dinner and speaker presentation are expected to show the courtesy to stay through the program. Last year, we had a very embarrassing departure of nearly half of our members who left after eating and before the speaker started her talk--this reflects very badly on the club and is very inconsiderate of the speaker.

Also remember to check in with Terry on arrival and pay for your guest's dinner prior to dinner. Cancellations must be received by 9 October or you are responsible for the cost of your meal. Thanks!

**Directions From Route 2 Westbound:** Take exit 25. Turn left onto Rt 2A Eastbound. The Old Mill is about one-half mile on the right.

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Please return the form below to Terry E. Sadler, 8 Deborah Lane, Sterling, MA 01564 or email (no reply/confirming emails will be sent) with "WKC Dinner" in the subject line to STERBORDER@aol.com RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9th.	
	Yes, I will be attending the October 17, 2012 Wachusett Kennel Club Annual meeting.
Name:	
Guest (if any): _	