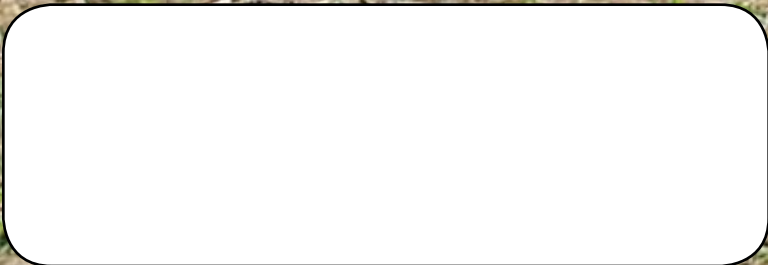


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"TAMMY"

Pg. 82

In 1975 Neal Foland and David Kenney placed an ad in the August issue of the American Brittany that invited the reader's "attention to a litter sired by Lecar's White Smoke out of a truly exceptional hunting bitch. The dam (Penny's Delight) has outstanding speed, range, and class, a lot of point, and is a natural retriever (the ad read). She personifies the very best in a Brittany shooting dog. Has also been used extensively to retrieve dove and is outstanding there. She combines Tex of Richmond, Ferdinand of Leeway, Rendezvous Elias, and Miller's Desert Dust bloodlines.

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One each of these pups went to hunters in Cincinnati and Paducah. Calvin Gillespie took one, one went to Bill Templeton in Pinckneyville, Illinois, Dave took a bitch (Summer Dawn), and he and Neal jointly kept the one they regarded as best of the litter. It became Dee's Summer Sunset, a tough minded female that ended a long field trial career with nearly 50 placements and the titles of field champion, amateur field champion, winner of the Mo-Kan Classic, and runner up in the Michigan championship.

The pup Calvin took he named Sacajawea Charbonneau, after the Indian woman who guided Lewis and Clark, and called Bonnie. She turned out to have more natural talent than did her sister Sue (Dee's Summer Sunset). Calvin used her as a gun dog and eventually bred her to Allair's Evereddy. Of that litter one female became Templeton's Beaucoup Nikki and another Minnehaha's Tammy. The story of how Tammy became a field trial winner follows.

## CINDERELLA REVISITED

"How Minnehaha's Tammy became a Field Trial Winner"

pgs. 84 & 86

Tammy was destined to be a gun dog. In her household that title meant the dog hunts at least three times a week for wild birds, and has two hundred or more killed over its points each season.

Bill and JoAnn Templeton had a Brit gun dog of that sort—Colonel George Rogers Clark, usually just called the Colonel. He was top dog around their house, with his own chair near the

fireplace for wet or cold evenings after the hunt. Colonel had been a littermate to Dave Kenney's Sue, so when Colonel met with an accident at seven, Bill called Dave. "Where can I get a puppy?" he asked.

Calvin has a litter out of Bonnie, by Evereddy," Dave told him. "Try one of those." Bonnie, was out of the same litter as Sue and Colonel, one sired by White Smoke out of Dee. Dee was good a gun dog, at 25 pounds, as one will ever see. So Bill and JoAnn went to Calvin and came home with a male puppy. Two weeks later it was killed in a kennel accident. Back they went.

"You kids have had tough luck," Calvin said. (Since we hope to have family readership we have cleaned up his language a little.) "Tell you what I'm gonna do. There are two females left—buy one and I'll give you the other." So they did and he did, and that is how Tammy and Nikki came to go home with the Templetons.

From her start in the field at three months Tammy was remarkable. She was bold and purposeful, and pointed birds as if it was her only mission in life. Both she and Nikki were nursed through an early bout with parvo.

The Templetons lived not far from Rend Lake, and Dave arranged for Dick Culbert to go hunting with Bill, when Dick was there for the national Brittany Championship stakes.

Dick shot a pheasant and some quail over Tammy's points when the dog was five months old. He offered to buy her then, but Bill knew a good one and declined. Dick went back to South Dakota with Tammy still on his mind.

Half a hunting season and a hundred birds later, Bill went to Kansas to hunt with Lyle Johnson. Tammy and Nikki went along, of course. Bill tried to shoot all the quail along Grouse Creed, and after three days Lyle was glad to see him go. But before Bill left, Lyle laid nine one hundred dollar bills on the kitchen table, one at a time. They would all be Bill's if only he would leave Tammy behind. Lyle, too, knew a good one when he saw it.

Bill said "no" again, but when he got back to Illinois he called Dave. "What should I do?" he asked.

"Let him have her," Dave said. "You've got another just as good for your purpose, and Tammy deserves the chance Dick and Lyle will give her." So Bill called Lyle and told him that for the nine bills and another day's hunt, title to Tammy would change hands. Bill and JoAnn drove to Kansas on icy January roads to take Tammy to Lyle. Bill had another go at the Flint Hills quail. When they left Tammy behind the next morning, JoAnn cried all the way out to the paved road.

The rest is field trial history. A puppy and derby standout, Tammy was a field champion at a tender age, and won second place in the national open championship at two-and-a-



half. Three years later she was named the National Open Champion. She bested big fields to win two U.S. Open Championships, back to back. Some where along the line, Bob Rankin acquired her from Dick and continued to campaign her, and to win with her, under Lyle's whistle.

Then it was Nikki that sat in the big chair near the Templeton's fireplace after a hard day's hunt. Bred once to Gun runner's Far Out and once to Franklin County Bandit, she produced some good gun dogs.

Dave Kenney was sitting in his big chair too, after a hard hunt, when he learned in 1987 that Tammy had just won the National Open Championship. He mused about the tangled web of circumstance that took her down that trail. Her great grandsire was the first Brittany he and Wanda owned, and together he and Neal Foland bred the two litters that produced her grand dam and dam.

With the feeling that when midnight came the whole unlikely tale would fade into nothing, he went off to bed and to sleep, to dream if he could about other dogs in other times that would run and hunt as well.

(Reprinted from the American Brittany, 1988)

(Mary Jo's notes: Once again in this article, David Kenney points out the advantage of teaching a dog to hunt in order to produce a great field trial prospect. I spoke with the Templeton's just before Christmas. Bill (David's Cousin Bill as we called him) had lost his last Brittany and for the first time had none to sit in the big chair by the fireplace. Neal Foland and David Kenney have remained close throughout the years. Calvin Gillespie and David's wife Wanda passed away several years ago. Calvin always reminded David that he Calvin was Tammy's breeder even if David did have all those ancestors he bred prior to Tammy's litter. I liked to remind them both that Evereddy was her sire and also sired NFC Franklin County Bandit. For the people of Southern Illinois, it was truly a family affair of which I was happy to share in the thrill of breeding great dogs and see people willing and able to allow them to show their full potential.





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*“To be enshrined in a Hall of Fame is the greatest achievement in field trial sports”*

## ***Nominations***

You are a member of the nominating committee and your support is needed. We want you to **nominate** those that you believe are Outstanding Brittanys and Distinguished Brittany people.

**Outstanding dogs** are recognized by their entire competitive career, field trial performance record (championship wins) and production record. They must be deceased at least one year prior to opening of nominations May 1. These are the same dogs you would like to find in the pedigree of that good pup you just bought!

**Distinguished people** have rendered exemplary service to the sport of field trialing both locally and nationally for a long period of time. These contributions may be as a judge, a breeder, a field trial official, a reporter, a patron or any combination thereof. The sport is better because of these people who are givers, not takers or self promoters.

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# AMERICAN BRITTANY CLUB/JIM HOLMAN CLASSIC

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The Illinois Brittany Club hosted the American Brittany Club/Jim Holman Classic at the Field Trial Sportsmen's Association Inc. grounds, Grovespring, MO on October 21-23, 2010. This replaced our regular fall trial which had been scheduled two weeks earlier at the Pyramid State Park grounds; near Pinckneyville, IL. With standing crops covering the field trial grounds at Pyramid, the field trial committee opted to make a last minute change in our plans rather than cancel the entire trial. Thanks to the Heart of Illinois Brittany Club, which cooperated with us in approving the one-hour open all age stake to be run in conflict with their fall trial and the Field Trial Sportsmen's Association which allowed us to use their grounds, we were able to run our one-hour open all age stake, which is the Jim Holman Classic. This was the 13th running of this event.

The change in location and dates also meant that we had to change judging assignments. We were fortunate to have Floyd Cagle and Fred Smith as judges; both have extensive judging experience and we appreciate their attentiveness to dogs and cordiality to the participants as well as their comments for this report. Floyd and Fred were accompanied by their wives, Donna Cagle and Jennifer Smith.

We wish to thank Pam Baird; Al Gorrow and Tommy Thomas for pitching in and helping us with bird planting and driving the dog wagon. Club members assisting with the trial wherever needed were Ed and Judy Graves, Ray and Mary Jo Trimble, Chad Holman, Ruth and Jerry McGee and Jim and Janet Chase. Thanks also go to Nestle-Purina for their continued and generous support.

Throughout most of the trial, the weather was warm and humid, particularly in the afternoon, making conditions difficult for those braces.

Ru-Jem' s A Touch of Bourbon was named the winner. Chug ran in the first brace on Day 3. His first find was at 23 in Davis Bottom, with a total of 4 finds. All his finds were on edges and to the front; he hunted the right places and was always found on point. He ran a strong hour with no let down at the end.

Runner-up was Black Creek Deacon. Dea had a strong performance, running edges and always to the front. He had a find at 8, all in good order. At 52, he pointed a pile of feathers where a hawk had just been seen leaving and at 58 had a non-productive. He finished strong, with a good all age race throughout the hour.

Third place went to Adios Shaq Attack. Shaq hunted a good race, always to the front with finds at 30 and 39.

Fourth place went to TJ's Prairie Blizzard. He ran a good, clean race with finds at 25 and 42; and a nonproductive at 50. He finished strong.

## Jim Holman Classic, Open All Age 1 Hr (37 starters)

J: Floyd cagle & Fred smith

1. DC/AFC RU-JEM'S A TOUCH OF BOURBON (D), by Bourbon XIII x Mokan Bimbo; o Ruth and Jerry McGee, h Jerry McGee.
2. BLACK CREEK DEACON (D), by Perfect Timing x Rebel Jac's Hankern Jill, o Ron Harling, Jr., h: Chad Holman.
3. ADIOS SHAQ ATTACK (D), by Diamond Hill Dan x Dungaravan's Topgun Jessie; o Bo and Renae Ackerman, h Tom Tracy.
4. FC/AFC T.J.'S PRAIRIE BLIZZARD (D), by Tequila's Joker x The Prairie Tornado; o Vicki Rankin, h Ed Tillson.



Front row: Jerry McGee with 1st Place, Ru-Jem's A Touch of Bourbon; Chad Holman with 2nd Place, Black Creek Deacon  
Second row: Ruth McGee, Judge Floyd Cagle, Donna Cagle, Judge Fred Smith



# 2010 ABC QUAIL CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP

BY JUDY GRAVES, REPORTER



**Back Row: Valerie Weaver; Albert Allen, judge; Judy Graves, reporter; Mike Martin, judge; Ruth McGee.**

**Front Row: Bob Burchett with Rocklan Whizzle Stop; Tom Tracy with Early Times; Tommy Thomas with Jayhawks Georgia Girl; and Jerry McGee with Ru-Jem's A Touch of Bourbon.**

The Greater St. Louis Brittany Club hosted the ABC Quail Classic/Championship this year at the Sportsman's Association field trial grounds in Grovespring, Mo., October 11-15, 2010. Sixty dogs were drawn with 58 coming to the line in this prestigious event. Several of the top ten dogs in the Purina Award running were entered for judges Albert Allen of Brooksville, FL and Mike Martin of Bella Vista, AR. Professionals Bob Burchett from Iowa, Tom Tracy from Virginia, Ed Tillson from New Mexico, Chad Holman & Al Gorrow from Illinois, Jim John from Kansas, and Justin Kalina from Nebraska participated along with amateurs Bill Hancock from Iowa, Joe Luisi from New Jersey, Al Norman from Washington, Leland Dye from Mississippi and Jerry McGee, Tommy Thomas, and Ray Trimble from Illinois. Visitors included Martin Haugestad from Norway as well as the respected pointer pro Andy Daugherty, his grandson Derrick Davis, and Scout, Terry Terrell.

and assure all have a great time. A special thanks to bird planters Warren Montgomery, Jerry McGee, Jim Chase, Tommy Thomas, Joe Luisi, and Al Gorrow. Jerry, Jim Chase, Ed Graves, and Ray Trimble did most of the course marshalling. Several people took turns driving the dog wagon (affectionately named the Rice Rocket): Janet Chase, Joe & Marsha Luisi, Pam Baird, Al Gorrow to name a few. A special thanks to Carol Montgomery for sending a wonderful dinner with Warren.

We also want to thank Nestle-Purina for providing monetary support as well as dog food to the winners. Tritronics provided a tracking collar to the winner. Without these corporate sponsors, success would be much harder to come by.

Birds were plentiful at this years running. The pre-release program was in top form as more than 20 huge coveys were moved on the three one hour courses used. This was supplemented by bird planting every morning. These grounds are tailored for field trials with several hayed fields, feed strips, and mowing. Morning temperatures ranged in the low 40's with afternoon high's in the 70's taking toll on a lot of the dogs. Dry conditions also made it tough in the p.m. as sometimes you could see dust trails coming from the dogs.

The winner & runner up came from the 1st brace and held their spots through all 30 braces. FC Rocklan's Whizzle Stop, white & orange 7 year old male owned by John & Margilee Sauer of Lyons, CO, handled by Bob Burchett was named Champion. Hailing from Clermont, GA, Bo & Renae Ackerman's FC/AFC Early Times, handled by Tom Tracy earned the runner up spot. Earl is an eight year old white & orange male who is in the hunt for the Purina All Age Dog of the Year award. Third place was Paul Rosevear's FC Jayhawks Georgia Girl who ran in the 30th brace, also handled by Tom Tracy. Fourth place went to Jerry & Ruth McGee's DC/AFC Ru-Jem's A Touch of Bourbon, (currently leading in the Purina point standings) who appeared in the 14th brace, handled by Jerry. A special judges' award of merit was given to Tommy Thomas for both his handling skills and Billy's performance in the 23rd brace. DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy went birdless as he was handled effortlessly by Tommy during the extreme heat.

Michele Weaver served breakfast and lunch each day in the clubhouse, and we thank her for her hard work and delicious food. (especially the pies!). In addition to her secretarial duties, Pam Baird, with the help of Janet Chase and Ruth McGee served dinner each night in the clubhouse for those staying at the grounds. The Greater St. Louis club is a small group, and other ABC members lend much help to make this trial run smoothly



**Martin Haugestad of Norway**

## The Running

### Brace 1: ROCKLAN'S WHIZZLE STOP/ Burchett - EARLY TIMES/Tracy

Both dogs broke away strong and to the front. At 7, Tracy's scout called point with a nice limb find to the left of course 1, after the first creek crossing. At 21, Earl was found standing as we approached the Davis Bottoms hay meadow on the right. Earl caught up with his bracemate, just as Burchett's scout called point at the far end of the Bottoms. As we proceeded to the top of the hill and through the creek, Earl was out of pocket, with Whiz taking the lines going forward in the island field. We topped horse killer hill at 42 still looking for Earl. Tracy gathered up Earl from the creek bed making a very nice cast, rimming the field. In the meantime, Whiz continued to the front and finished the hour in great form. His style on point and ease of handling made the difference between winner & runner-up.

### Brace 2: T.J'S PRAIRIE BLIZZARD/Tillson – ADIOS SHAQ ATTACK/Tracy

Coming off the Little Viney Loop hill, this brace broke away at 9:45. Shaq crashed on his 3rd find, with Blizzard carding a wild covey at 31 as he entered the bull pasture. He was lost in the woods and showed up with the gallery a couple of minutes before time.

### Brace 3: LOST CREEK TIMBER RIDGE/Tillson – CEDAR VALLEY BANDIT/ Tracy

Breakaway was from the twin barns heading to the area behind camp. Neither dog had his game plan going and both handlers elected to pick up as we rode by the camp gates.

### Brace 4: KINWASHKLY DAKOTA MOLESTER/John – WOLF RIVER'S WINNING TICKET/Gorow

The temperatures and humidity began to rise as the 1st brace after lunch was underway. Lester suffered two non productives and handler elected to pick up at the road into the Davis Bottoms. Cash backed Lester's 1st non productive after the creek crossing and then went on to have one of his own. Shots were fired in the Davis Bottoms as Cash carded a nice find in the tree line at 20. His 2nd find came at 51 as we approached horse killer hill. He finished the hour running a bit wide.

### Brace 5: JACK'S TEQUILA JAKE/John – SPECIAL EDITION/Kalina

As temperatures rose, Spec was not pleasing her handler and he elected to pick up at 17. Jake carded a find at 48 near the road of the bull pasture loop. Just a couple of minutes later, Jake pointed again. As the handler flushed a huge covey, unfortunately, Jake went with the birds.

### Brace 6: GUNRUNNER'S IMA HUNK/Hancock – ROUSTABOUT SNIKSOH SADIE/Tracy

Hancock lost his dog shortly after the breakaway and pulled the tracker out as we approached the back camp gates at 29. Sadie made some nice moves, but was picked up early as the heat took its toll.

### Brace 7: GRAND JUNCTION JAKE/Holman – BRITTMONT THE HAWK/ Gorow

With a 30 minute fog delay, Brace 7 broke away at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday morning. Jake started strong and carded two finds before the halfway mark. He disappeared for a short time and showed up just as we were entering the Davis Bottoms. Both dogs rimmed the Bottoms before Hogan took a leave of absence in the Island Field. The tracker was called for at 47. Jake continued strong up Horse Killer Hill. As we headed into the Little Viney Loop, Jake disappeared. He was found at the end of his 10 minute grace period and brought to the judges.

### Brace 8: MUSTANG SALLY VIII/Tracy – TRADEMARKS ICEMAN/Holman

Timmy ran at moderate range. At 9, point was called in Sycamore Valley. With an extensive relocation, no birds were produced. As we traveled through the chute towards the double barns, Sally was out of pocket & Tracy called for the tracker. Timmy carded a find along the fencerow into the Bull Pasture. A second non productive coming up the hill ended the hour.

### Brace 9: JOKER'S JACKPOT/John – CORREDOR DORADO/Tracy

At 11:05, both dogs broke away strong. Tracy called point at 3. Birds were in

the air and shots fired. All was in order as both dogs continued up the back hill towards the double barns. Jackpot established point past the barns when an armadillo got in the way. As the handler yelled at the armadillo, birds flew and the dog went with them. Dorado continued on course but slowed considerably at 45 as we made the swing onto course 1.

### Brace 10: T.J'S THUNDER/John – ACE'S DI/Holman

Despite the high temperatures, both dogs broke away strong at 1:45. Thunder established point at 9, just on the other side of the first creek crossing. Shots were fired and all was in order. Di went on and was seen under a covey at 29 after rimming the Davis Bottoms. At 37, Thunder scored a good covey find at the end of the island field. Before reaching Horse Killer Hill, Thunder had another huge covey on the right and handled them with style. Unfortunately, at 47, he ran out of gas navigating Horse Killer Hill and was picked up.

### Brace 11: JUSTAS WELL BE THE GUNNER/Kalina – OAK HILL'S TIME TO BURN/Holman

Temperatures were climbing as these two broke away at 2:45. Unfortunately, at 9 minutes, a huge covey lifted at the Little Viney Loop and both dogs were seen under them.

### Brace 12: KD'S SLIP AND SLIDE/Tillson – T&W DIAMOND JIM/Kalina

Splash was still recovering from a toe injury causing Jim to run as a bye. At 5, Jim had a nice piece of bird work, but the heat took its toll and handler elected to pick up at 20.

### Brace 13: SHADY WAY REDTAIL HAWK/John – MARJO'S RED RUM/Luisi

Wednesday started with cloudy skies and temperatures in the low 40's. Both dogs broke away on course one without the usual bird work seen in the last two days. We traveled through the Davis Bottoms and by the time we got to the island field, neither dog had been seen for a while. At 41, both handlers were given their trackers.

### Brace 14: RU-JEMS A TOUCH OF BOURBON/McGee – TRADEMARK'S ATM/Holman

Breakaway at the top of Apple Tree Hill afforded lots of running room for these two dogs. As we made it through the Little Viney Loop and up the hill, Chug was seen far to the left standing. A nice covey was



Jerry McGee flushes for Chug

produced and Chug was taken on. As we descended into the field, both dogs were out front. At 27, Chug established point on the left as we approached Sycamore Valley. No birds were produced on a relocation. Chug took the line to the left while Cash traveled through the valley on the right. Moving through the bull pasture, Chug established point at the end of the loop. Birds were produced and all was in order. Cash pointed a covey to the left as we proceeded out of the bull pasture. Both dogs finished the hour, but not with the "pop" the judges saw in the 1st brace.

### Brace 15: PRIMETIME OUTLAW JOHNNY/Kalina – WINDY HILL BEN/ Burchett

The last brace of the morning broke away at 10:55 a.m. Three minutes into the brace, Johnny pointed a huge covey near the double barns. The gallery agreed it was a Kodak moment as the birds lifted. All was in order and we took course three to the hills behind camp. Both dogs got lost and the brace ended at 45.

### Brace 16: RICOCHET CHANTILLY/Burchett – SPANKY'S LIL PILL BANDIT/ Hancock

With temperatures in the 60's & partly cloudy skies, this brace broke away



at 1:00 p.m. We approached the road crossing at 16 with no bird contact. Hancock pulled his tracker at 40 before approaching Horse Killer Hill. Neither dog had their A game today and the brace was over at 49.

**Brace 17:** ACE'S PATCHWORK/Holman – DAKOTA LUKE/Kalina  
Luke did not find the Missouri Ozark terrain to his liking and was picked up at 35. Patch stayed to the front, but was picked up at 57 with no bird work to his credit.

**Brace 18:** SANDY PINE'S CHASE THE WIND/Holman – BROADWAY JOE VI/Tracy

At 5, Chavey established point. However, he took several steps after the flush and was leashed. As we rounded the bend on the back course, Joe was seen under a covey, thus ending day 3.

**Brace 19:** SOVEREIGN'S GIT-R-DONE/ Tillson – TWO RIVER'S SKYHAWK/ John

Thursday morning brought chilly temperatures in the 30's with visible frost on the course. Skyhawk established point at the edge of the tree line before the 2nd creek crossing. She released herself and was picked up. Larry had difficulty staying to the front and was picked up at 26.

**Brace 20:** JAKE ACRES IN DISGUISH/Gorror – SHAMROCK'S SIRIUS/ Holman

Breakaway was at the beginning of the island field. Si kept to the front with Jake running wide to the left. As we approached the Little Viney Loop, Jake caught up with the gallery and proceeded over the hill. As the handlers came off the hill, birds were in the air to the right with Jake in pursuit. Si was standing tall as Chad fired his gun and took him on. At 31, Si was standing at the end of the field. Birds were flushed and all was in order. Si rimmed Sycamore Valley and was found standing by scout at the tree line crossing the course. He had a lapse in manners and was leashed.

**Brace 21:** LANES END FROZEN ASSET/Holman – RU-JEMS FISTFULL OF DOLLARS/McGee

Chad called point for Turk at 12 just as we crossed the road leading into the Bull Pasture. Nothing was produced. Turk got hung up in the woods and was picked up at 27. Dollar established point at 28 on the left side of the field leading to the double barns. After an extended flush, no birds were to be found. As we came down the hill towards camp, Dollar was not to be seen and Jerry called for the tracker.

**Brace 22:** THE CRASH SCENE/Tracy – RICO'S HI PROOF BOOTLEGGER/ Burchett

Although the temperatures were mild, the sun was strong and it was hot on the ground. Both dogs were suffering from the heat and dust. Tracy's dog had a nice covey find at the end of Davis Bottoms, but elected to pick up. Burchett ended his brace at 33.

**Brace 23:** HAVAPALS RENEGADE BILLY BOY/Thomas – HI POINT'S BETTIN HE'LL ROCK/Holman

Ozzie could not handle the heat and Chad picked him up at the bottom of the Little Viney Loop hill. Billy had his running shoes on and was always seen to the front, checking in with his handler after a few episodes of being out of pocket. Unfortunately, he went the hour birdless, finishing strong coming out of the bull pasture.

**Brace 24:** KINWASHKLY ROSCIUS ZOOMER/Norman – ODYSSEYS ACE OF HEARTS/Holman

As we broke away at the end of the bull pasture, Zoomer was last seen on the right. Ace proceeded on course 3 taking the hills in stride. He stayed down the hour with two nonproductives charged against him. Zoomer was found with the aid of the tracker back at the breakaway.

**Brace 25:** HI PROOF WHIZKI/Dye – DAKOTA ALLEYCAT/Tracy

Alleycat lasted 6 minutes as a bird popped on the left and he went with it. As we crossed the second creek crossing on course 1, Whizki had not been seen since the breakaway. At 21, the tracker was called for and we readied for the next brace at the Davis Bottoms.

**Brace 26:** BRISCO'S MR. STUB/Trimble – ROCKLAN'S KID ROWDY/ Burchett

Three minutes into the brace, Stub was found on point at the first tree line crossing. Shots were fired and Stub was sent on. Scout called point again at 8, as Stub stood tall on the edge of the bottoms to the right. As we reached the bottom of Horse Killer Hill, Rowdy had given his handler the slip and the tracker was pulled. Stub continued to run the course and was found on point at 42 at the bottom of the Little Viney Loop hill. Unfortunately, handler could not produce a bird. Stub was taken on and rewarded with a covey find at 57 just before entering the back field heading toward Sycamore Valley.

**Brace 27:** MOKAN DURAMAX/Gorror – UNCLE KRACKER/Tracy

Duramax was unavailable to run. Kracker started with a find just seconds into the brace. Shots were fired and all was in order. We proceeded down Sycamore Valley, through the chute to the double barn field into the Bull Pasture. Kracker stayed down by the road on our left, coming back to the course for a dip in the pond. He then established point, but birds could not be produced after an extended relocation. At 36, Tracy elected to pick up.

**Brace 28:** BLACK CREEK DEACON/Holman – STARLIGHT'S BLAZING SIRIUS/Thomas

Breakaway at 1:00, had both dogs charging course one. Dee had a find at the tree line just before the 2nd creek crossing. All was in order as Chad took Dee on. Si had left Dee on point and was ordered up for failing to back. Dee lost a lot of ground speed as we took the course to the Little Viney Loop and finished the hour with a non-productive.

**Brace 29:** CASTABRITT MICRO SAMMIE/Burchett – BLACK CREEK TIM/ Holman

With just a little over a minute into the brace, birds were in the air with Tim in pursuit. At 9, we approached Sycamore Valley with Sammie standing. Handler flushed a nice size covey with all in order. At 21, a covey got up and Sammie failed to stop.

**Brace 30:** JAYHAWK'S GEORGIA GIRL/Tracy – KISSTHIS/Gorror

As we entered the Bull Pasture, Smooch found a covey just off the path to the left. As the birds lifted, handler's gun misfired. Smooch held point until the last bird got up and then proceeded to chase. GiGi stayed to the front and took one of the fingers off to the left as we rode up the hill to the back side of course 3. Scout called point in the draw as we approached the top of the hill. Shots were fired at 36 and GiGi caught up with us down the path. She rimmed the back side and headed toward the double barns running hard. Handler let her take the woods on the left and she showed to the front at time.

### Open Limited All Age Quail Classic 1 Hour (58S)

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1. ROCKLAN WHIZZLE STOP (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x FC Sniksoh Corky; o John P. & Margilee Sauer, h Bob Burchett
2. EARLY TIMES (D), by Ortho Acres Booker-T x Windy Hill Sho-N-Tel; o Bo and Renae Ackerman, h Tom Tracy.
3. FC JAYHAWKS GEORGIA GIRL (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Leas Running Jayhawk x High-Scor Sally Rand; o Paul Rosevear, h Tom Tracy.
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# Acquiring the Brittany Cover Dog

By Dave Marshall

I have never claimed to be a Brittany breeder. However, in thirty years of working with the breed, I have seen many different blood lines that produce different styles of dogs. As I have stated in an earlier article, I believe one can get a good dog from many of our reputable breeders. However, finding the puppy we need to handle complex situations, and training programs necessary to make the best cover dog possible, should take a little planning.

In the beginning I just ran what dogs came to me. Frankly, I had no time to look at bloodlines. The individual was all I cared about, and whether he or she could win field trials, and/or hunt cover with efficiency. I would then transfer that information to an owner. He or she would then give me the go ahead to continue work, or send the dog home. Owners controlled all blood lines, and just gave me the privilege of working their dogs. I could give all dogs an objective look. In a few years I began to understand where these dogs came from. I adopted a saying when anyone would ask me about whom to breed to: You don't make chicken soup from chicken poop! Breed the best to the best and keep your fingers crossed. Herein is the definition of a problem. What is the best, and how do you find it?

What genetic traits do we need to develop the great Brittany cover dog? Pointing instinct, range, nose, speed mental toughness, stamina, and a body that will hold up to tough cover and training are the traits I look for. Remember, my selections of genetic traits are opinions developed by my training experience over the years. My methods of cross training and conditioning have a lot to do with the type dog I like. The genes I believe are necessary to make great dogs are in almost all our breeding. The amount and intensity of those traits are the important parts. To find the traits and the genes that produce them is a process of looking at the pedigrees of finished dogs with the characteristics we want, then breeding accordingly.

The keepers of our breed have done a noteworthy job preserving what it takes to make good dogs. The proof is in the amount of dual champions we have. The desire to hunt and pursue game, the ability smell and point birds, the brains to find them combined with the body to get them to where the game is: these traits define the creation of our bird dogs. The show ring and field trialing demonstrate these attributes.

In my opinion there is a lot of misinformation about what gene pools make good cover dogs or hunting dogs in general. Because I am trainer I believe all dogs need to be trained. When a customer arrives, and tells me he has a natural (a dog he believes does all things right without training) I usually respond by saying no, you have a problem waiting to happen. I want dogs that are mentally and physically tough so they can be trained and developed. More likely than not the natural is a soft dispositioned animal that could fall apart as he or she matures. I will protect myself by saying there are some that make it, but in thirty-five years I have not seen many.

I never breed gun dog to gun dog, thinking I will get a better gundog, or breed a soft dog to an average shooting dog, thinking I will develop something between the two. This form of breeding usually produces a watered down version of what we really need, sometimes useable, but again, watered down. I believe we need to breed to the hottest blood we

can find, and then pick our cover dogs as we start them. Mind you, I am looking for the best I can find, not average or just good. Hence the need for the horseback shooting dog and all age dog bloodlines, to produce the cover dog.

In the Brittany world, there are many great all age dogs being handled by amateurs. We have many good pros working to help, but more likely than not the amateur owner takes the reins eventually. At this time we have as many amateurs handling all age and horseback shooting dogs as do professionals. From what I see, these people breed most of their own dogs. Therefore we can say that at the top level of our breed, we have dogs that are biddable enough to be successfully handled by amateurs. These same people in general have produced more dual champions than any other breed. With these facts at our finger tips, we can produce top quality Brittany cover dogs using the best all age and shooting dog genes, keeping the bodies of our show dogs. Sounds easy! Now that we know where the genes and traits are, let me explain some of the more important traits, and how to put them together.



Pointing instinct. This behavior is a truly difficult trait to evaluate in adult dogs. After puppy hood there are many influences that effect personality and performance. Therefore knowing a dog's juvenile record can help you. In the last twenty years I have seen very few Brittanys with poor pointing instinct. I try to find a strong pointing dog or bitch in a pedigree.

Range, the distance a dog will travel to find birds. I believe in the modern day dog training world, long range is not an issue. The development of G.P.S. has made finding a dog on point or just moving very easy. This tool has changed our minds about range. We can find our dogs on point or otherwise anytime we want. I now look for a gene pool that will show me maximum range in any cover. As young dogs we let them go, discover themselves, and hunt to the full extent of their ability. I will get them to handle later. Usually all age breeding or shooting dog blood will get you this range.

Good nose. Does he have a good nose? How many times have you heard the question asked? To answer the nose question we must also consider the speed of the animal. The ability to smell game in the bird dog world has a lot to do with how fast the dog is moving. A dog with great speed and average nose will overrun its game. The dog with great nose and poor speed will not cover enough ground to find birds. I will clarify this statement by saying that I do not want to walk every foot of a cover I hunt. That is the dog's job. I also do not want to spend a lot of time to find a few birds. Dogs with good speed and great nose will save you lots of time and shoe leather. Breeding for these traits can be an individual needs problem. However for discussion of the development of great cover dogs, I will stick to genes which create a speedy dog with great nose. When trying to find these genes I look to dogs that have not only been trialed, but hunted, and especially on wild game of any kind. I need to know who finds what and how fast!

Trainability. This term I use to determine how mentally tough a dog is, or how bold he or she is. Over the years I have attached a few words

to things I have observed in the dog world. This word is one I use a lot. The bolder they are the better I like 'em. Strong headed, tough minded females are the best. When bred to a big willful male you get pups you can do almost anything with. Most of the problems we have in the training process are trying to work a soft dog. As trainers we do work with soft dogs. However it is much more complex job, and the finished product is difficult to guarantee. No one in any breed will tell you they have soft blood lines. The job of discovery is left up to us. Evaluation is ninety percent of a trainer's task, and after a while you get good at it. I sometimes let the field trial records guide me through this problem. If a dog wins a national championship, all age, gundog or shooting dog, you can almost bet he or she has gone through an extensive training program, with a pro or good amateur. The rigors of these programs should indicate that the dog has the mental toughness to survive and win. I use this information to consider whom I would use for breed stock. Remember this is just a guide line, and I try to use the tools that will help me determine the best blood to handle the training programs necessary to make great cover dogs.

A good body inside and out. A good cover dog needs one. The Brittany has more dual champions than any other breed. I personally

look for a pedigree with a smattering of duals in it. With a little research one can find out who they are and what they have done. I tend to lean to the high side of the wicket. I like big dogs, not oversize, but big. Given the same heart and drive a dog with a big strong body will last longer and out compete a little dog in the cover. There are exceptions to every rule, but I am speaking generally and looking toward developing the best I can find.

Finding good blood lines can be tricky in any breed. The American Brittany Club has made the task a little easier. The separation of futurities and championships into either all age, gun dog or shooting dog, foot or horseback trials gives us all a better look at performance, or efficiency levels from which we can choose our breeding. Remember it is the same dog, just more efficient at what they do than others at different performance standards. It is our job to pick what we need to create the animal best suited to do the job we want.

It is my opinion we can successfully breed and train great Brittany cover dogs for the hunting public and/or field trials. In the pointing dog world I feel the Brittany is the most versatile. As a cover dog competitor he can compete with any breed on the ground. So now that the breeding is done, let's start a puppy!

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# ABC NEW ENGLAND GUN DOG CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP



Flaherty Field Trial Area, East Windsor, CT



**Amateur Shooting Dog Winner - Cruise with Joe Sikorski & Claire Ricci, RU Pete with Ralph & Judy Kiracofe, 3rd place Brandy with Joanne & John Perry and 4th place Devil Dog with John Poland & Linda Wessels**

The New England Brittany Shooting Dog Championship was held at the Dr. John E. Flaherty Field Trial Area in East Windsor, CT on Sept 20 – 23, 2010. These grounds have been used by field trialers since the 1930's and have a rich history. The grounds are beautifully maintained by the state of Connecticut and due to some dry conditions over the summer, more mowing and grooming made the grounds even more suitable for running dogs. The weather conditions started out ideal but heated up during the week. Dry conditions did keep down the dreaded morning fog.

Many thanks go out to Purina Pro Plan who has been a strong dedicated sponsor of our sport for many years. The sponsorship that they provide, particularly to this Championship is very much recognized and appreciated by the Championship Association and all the participants.

We were privileged to have some outstanding judges for both championships and derby classic. Dave Marshall of Hope Valley, RI and Dennis Harkcom of Berkley, MA were in the saddle on Monday for the amateur. Judy & Ralph Kiracofe of Farmingdale, NJ judged the derby classic and Joe Wessling of Hanson, MA and Mike Ernest of Sterling CT were our judges for the open.

There were 13 starters for the amateur and 22 for the open. We also had some fine young derby dogs with 8 starters for the derby classic. It is always exciting to watch the young dogs work the course.

The amateur stake got off to a sunny, cool start on Monday with last year's third place dog taking the top spot. Hit's All Jack'd Up (Cruise) owned by Joe Sikorski & Claire Ricci and handled by Joe ran an outstanding race

and had several stylish finds. Runner up Hit's for Pete's Sake (Petey), owned by Ralph & Judy Kiracofe and handled by Judy ran a close second with a lot of style on his finds. Third place went to Hit's Showtime owned and handled by John Perry and fourth place to Mr P's Devil Dog of Coos owned and handled by John Poland.

On Tuesday we ran the derby classic. First place went to Primetime Tebow, owned by Kent Cantrell of Florida and run by Ben Lorenson. Runner up was Finn MacCuhul (Mac) owned by Bill Gorman and handled by Ben Lorenson. Both dogs had excellent bird work and runs which brought them to the top.

The open championship was run on Wednesday and Thursday with considerably higher temps. This year's winner is Hybrittan's BJ Betty owned by Art & Judy Cohen and handled by Kyle Merrill. Runner up Hit's for Pete's Sake was handled by Judy Kiracofe. Third place went to Sir Sunrise Winsalot owned by Dave Medford and handled by Ben Lorenson and fourth place was Blue Rock Diamond Girl owned and handled by John Perry. The judges also mentioned two other outstanding contenders as Harley, owned by Michele Sala and handled by Mike Roderka and Bammer owned by Sherry Hudson and handled by Ben Lorenson as dogs that pushed the winners.

Thanks go out to many people. The judges put some long hours in the saddle and we hope we showed them some great dogs. We appreciate all their efforts. We'd like to thank all the entrants, owners & handlers. Again thanks to Purina and the Connecticut DEP and Flaherty FTA. Special



**DERBY CLASSIC: Judges Judy & Ralph Kiracofe with winner Teebow and Ben Lorenson, RU Mac with Kyle Merrill and owners Fran & Bill Gorman**



**Standing Mike Ernest, judge, winner BJ Betty with Kyle Merrill, RU Petey with Ralph & Judy Kiracofe, Joe Wessling, judge.  
Front Row 3rd place Blue with Ben Lorenson and John Perry with Diamond**

thanks to Johnnie Poland who cooked our lunches and spent many hours in the saddle planting birds along with Mike Blondin. Dennis & I had the privilege of putting on a last year's winner's dinner with a fabulous Chinese feed. Leslie Hunt's help was invaluable this year, both picking up the birds and helping with dinners and last minute running around. Big thanks to Bob Fleury not only for running the championship but also for the time he put into the improvements at Flaherty. I'd also like to thank my husband, Dennis Harkcom for all his help and support and for putting up with me during the events.

**ABC New England  
Amateur Gun Dog Classic/Championship**

**Amateur Gun Dog (13S)  
J: Dave Marshall & Dennis Harkcom**

- 1 -FC HIT'S ALL JACK'D UP (D), by Buck's Hit the Road Jack x Marjo's Highest Bella; o Claire Ricci & Joe Sikorski, h Joe Sikorski
- 2 -NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S FOR PETE'S SAKE (D), by Hit's A Boy Named Sioux x Marjo's Spirit of Hybrittin; o Judy & Ralph Kiracofe, h Judy Kiracofe
- 3 -HIT'S SHOWTIME (B), by Buck's Hit the Road Jack x Marjo's Highest Bella; o/h John Perry
- 4 -MR. P'S DEVIL DOG OF COOS (D), by Pixie; o John & Rita Poland, h John Poland

**ABC New England  
Open Gun Dog Classic/Championship**

**Open Gun Dog (22S)  
J: Joseph Wessling & Michael Ernest**

- 1 -HYBRITTINS BJ BETTY (B), by Chubasco II x Reba Baloo By You; o Arthur & Judith Cohen, h Kyle Merrill
- 2 -NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S FOR PETE'S SAKE (D), by Hit's A Boy Named Sioux x Marjo's Spirit of Hybrittin; o Judy & Ralph Kiracofe, h Judy Kiracofe
- 3 -SIR SUNRISE WINSALOT (D), by Harlan County Cowboy x Shadys Blaze Of Glory; o David Medford, h Ben Lorenson
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# Muddy River

*By Kent D. Patterson*

The hammer came down one last time on the rusty “For Sale” sign. Bryant “BT” Davis stepped back and made sure it was straight, then turned and stared across the overgrown fields his mom and dad cultivated and cherished all their lives. Pride tastes bitter and dreams die hard when you’re the last to leave the family farm but he had no siblings, no spouse, no children, no nothing to keep him there for the few short months between the end of the spring trial season and the annual trip to the prairies. Between costs for training grounds, entry fees, diesel fuel, dog food, vet services, and motel bills, he figured there would be enough to get him through the end of the year. “Some long range plan”, he mumbled to himself. Walking up the gravel drive, he crossed the wooden bridge over White’s creek, the muddy water boiling from the overnight rains that fell across Webster county. Water frightened him since he never learned to swim, but as a child he’d spent hours fishing off the banks for mudcats that hit the chicken gizzards or worms he dropped into the dark black waters. The big Mississippi hardwood bottoms stretched for miles and provided the best playground a youngster could want as he “still hunted” squirrels in the early fall then turned his mixed bag of fice, terrier, and hounds loose in the dead of winter. No squirrel was safe when he loaded his Remington Nylon 22 and cut Ladybug, Big John and Stella away for an afternoon hunt. By the age of 16, he’d saved up enough money to buy a “jumpin” mule named Skeet from Mr. Sam Collier and thus began his love of horses. Skeet was meaner than 3 snakes with a kick that could knock a wad of Redman tobacco clean out of your mouth but he made it easier to keep up with the pack of dogs. When Big John hit a hot trail, that booming hound voice filled the bottom land. At age 45, those carefree youthful days were long gone and he was left sorting out an adult life. His dad had gotten by with a small cattle herd, a family vegetable garden and a local factory job until the lifelong diet of southern cooking took care of the coronary arteries. His mother, half Choctaw, was a beautiful homemaker who always made sure that BT minded his manners. She lasted only 2 years after his Dad, dying of a broken heart, as best he could tell. His touch for working animals was a DNA gift from her side of the family. Whenever he worked animals there were things he saw, felt, or anticipated that he had no explanation for. .... yet his response or action was natural and reflexive. But as with most, strength in one area meant weakness in another and for a man making his living working for the public, his people skills were marginal. He was continually mesmerized by those blessed with personality and a silver tongue that could charm the socks off the most hardened hearts.

The place sold much quicker than he expected as the yuppies out of Oxford were moving that way. He’d set the price at about double what he thought it was worth since his negotiating skills were based on trading horse and dog flesh. The young couple paid him the full asking price, so he put the proceeds with Bill Harrison, a high school friend that graduated with an accounting degree from Mississippi State and worked in a Memphis brokerage firm. Memphis Bill gave him a user ID and password to monitor his investment via the internet. BT smiled and thought, “Yeah right”, he didn’t know how to turn a computer on; much less navigate the world wide web. He figured the stock market was only marginally better than the casinos but the funds would be out of arm’s reach and less likely touched for one of the never ending list of “emergencies” that beset a dog trainer. He packed what he could and sold what he couldn’t, called Dan, and set a time to leave. They always

traveled at night to minimize the stress on the animals.

Dan Ross was one of the silver-tongued types; he couldn’t have been much more than 14 when BT first saw him at a field trial near Olo, Mississippi. His family lived on a little hardscrabble place down the road from the plantation of Dr. Wade Minor and anytime the big rigs started rolling in at the manor house, so did Dan. Like most 14 yr old country boys, he could ride the hair off anything with 4 legs and there was no shortage of rank horse stock being hauled around by trainers and owners alike. Dan broke many a horse over the trial week and scouted on a fee basis for anyone needing help. As a scout, he was fearless; there wasn’t any place he wouldn’t go, anything he wouldn’t do to get a dog around as his fee depended on having the dog in the end. He had all the necessary dog trainer skills. He could drive, ride, drink, lie, swear, all with a smile and every pro on the circuit had tried to get him to go down the road with them as their scout. BT and Dan had a connection. BT recognized Dan’s raw talent with animals, watched him charm the crowd like a veteran politician, yet his work ethic was rock solid. Conversely, Dan knew animals and he loved to scout BT’s dogs. They weren’t the run off and hide type. They hunted, with manners and style that would make the hair on the back of your neck stand up. He tried harder when he was scouting for BT. BT treated him like an adult, and always let him pose the dog for the American Field pictures. Dan liked being in the pictures; he had been a budding football star in high school before a career ending knee accident. Dan came by his people skills naturally; his dad had been a charmer and left town with one of the Armstrong girls. His mother had taken up with Bobby Medders and he wasn’t real fond of his type. After two years enough was enough, Dan left a note for his mom, hitchhiked to north Mississippi, knocked on BT’s door and asked for a full time scout job on the all age circuit.

They stopped at “Snook’s” country store on the way out of town. The local gang was in their chairs under the front awning that ran the length of the building. He could tell they had been in a heated debate when they called him over. Their focus was on JW McMullen. JW was bush hogging the field across the road this particular afternoon and the gang was convinced that JW needed to be in a lower transmission gear and generating higher PTO rpm for the height of the grass being consumed. There was grave concern in the group that he was going to burn up a perfectly good tractor but no one had volunteered to walk across the highway with their collective wisdom. The gang tried to goad BT into going over and speaking with JW; he just shook his head, smiled and went on in to see Miss Sally. Dan topped off both diesel tanks as Miss Sally gathered their comfort food of southern fried chicken, deviled eggs, banana pudding, and sweet tea. It was the southern food that BT missed most when he went north and he savored every morsel while Dan drove the first shift. Miss Sally had given him a Realicious gallon jug of homemade sweet tea. He protected that jug of tea like it was a \$1000 bottle of wine. He couldn’t get anything nearly as good once north of the Tennessee line.

The trip was uneventful for the most part, the usual flat tire, brake controller and running light problems that plague anyone that has ever pulled a trailer down the road. They got into Isabel, SD at about 4 a.m. on the second day, put the horses in the corral, snapped the dogs to the trailer drops, and climbed back in the truck to sleep. They rolled out of the cab about 7a.m. and began the ritual of reclaiming the summer camp from all the critters that had taken up residence since their departure last



fall. It was somewhat like Mutual of Omaha's "Wild Kingdom" for the first few weeks as most of the inhabitants weren't ready to give up their lodging rights but with time BT and Dan got to sleep with both eyes closed. Dogs were chained to most anything considered immovable or non-digestible, with the single most important factor being whether or not the garden hose would reach the water buckets.

RL Miliken ran the local hardware store and he loved the annual influx of dog trainers. He sold more garden hoses in one month than he did over the remainder of the year. Something about dog trainers and hose pipe; they'd buy new hoses and enough splitters to challenge a hydraulic engineer, then spend the rest of the summer buying repair parts to keep them working. The prairie sun makes short work of hose pipe, not counting running over them with horses/ trucks, or pups chewing them in half. For RL, it was a garden hose summer bonanza. He'd also beefed up his nut, bolt, and chain inventory as conditioned dogs seem to be able to break most anything that tries to restrain them. Lastly, he would line the shelves with every fly and flea related product known to man. He had swatters, powders, sprays, bombs, liquids, and even candles for the romantics. He'd made arrangements to receive their dog food shipments or any thing else that got shipped up prior to camp and had his list of those that could run a tab and those that needed to be dealt with on a "cash-only" basis. BT had earned the right to have a tab and was on a first name basis with RL.

There was great optimism for the summer; the Dakota winter had been mild by local standards with a good carryover of birds from the prior year. Hatching conditions had been excellent through the spring. BT had the best string of dogs he'd brought north in some time, with a couple of 3 yr old littermate brothers going back to Builder's Addition showing the potential to be superdogs. Poncho and Cisco were all but identically marked pointer pups with a unique horseshoe shaped marking on their left side. They looked so much alike that BT had to see their gait to know the difference. BT had acquired the dogs in lieu of training fees from a hunter in Tennessee that didn't have the stomach or wallet for the field trial game. Both were gaited like gazelle's, had a mind for game, and enough natural come-back to finish with their handler. Cisco was the better of the two; he had more bottom and never toyed with off game. Poncho would ride a deer given the opportunity. Over the first two years of their lives both dogs rode in the truck, lived in the house and were never chained over summer camp. BT rarely knew where they were or what they were up to ...they were gone most of the day but by sundown they'd be at the backdoor looking for their evening meal. No one would ever steal them as they were skin and bones after a week in camp. They were the first two dogs that he'd let Dan work on his own so he took tremendous pride in watching their development. They were naturals, striking on game and wanting to point. His original intention was to sell them onto a plantation string but that notion had long since passed, these were going to be bonafide champions. A little smirk would come across his face whenever he thought about their unveiling.... the field trial world had never seen them and he wanted to keep it that way until a time and place of his choosing.

Jim "Curby" Dallas had the adjoining lease and trained for a wealthy Texan. One look at Curby's truck and trailer was all anyone needed to understand the nickname. His rig appeared to have rubbed, scrapped, hit, or rolled over every curb, fence post or mailbox between Dallas and Danabrog. His dogs were a hodge-podge of the "close but no cigar" variety, as they typically would crash at the most inopportune time ending any hope of being in the ribbons. While BT had never met the wealthy backer, he knew he had more money than God and his only reason for field trialing was to beat his Oklahoma nemesis,

Joe Don Lollar. It was a Hatfield vs. McCoy kinda sorta thing. Curby was under significant pressure every year to beat Joe Don's dogs. His pressure relief valve was a bottle of scotch. BT really didn't like to work dogs with Curby as he didn't have the best hand in the world and some of his string was known to fight. But occasionally, if he was working on a specific problem dog, he'd invite Curby over knowing his dogs would commit any of a multitude of sins...steal point, trail, etc. BT was working a Brittany for a lady out of Alabama. The dog was a nice enough little shooting dog, mannerly around its game but the dog would shut down in field trials whenever another handler would start hoopin' and hollerin'. As he pondered ways to help the dog, he thought of Curby. Curby was a natural at making noise, the only time there was any silence when he ran a dog was when he was sucking in air to start yelling again. So he'd called Curby to come over for the afternoon with a couple of dogs. Dan chained Poncho and Cisco to their barrels as they left with a brace of dogs. They weren't 20 minutes out of camp when a white speck was seen rimming the bluffs to the north. It wasn't the Brittany nor the mut Curby was handling. BT and Dan knew the gait. Cisco had gotten loose and was putting on a show. Cisco had gotten Curby's undivided attention as he went as quiet as a funeral parlor and his eyes lit up like a White House Christmas tree. Cisco stayed at great distance but checked in once where Curby could plainly see the horse-shoe mark on his side. Curby chattered on about the dog like a high school girl as they rode back to camp. BT either didn't reply or was intentionally vague with his answers.

It was 102 degrees a couple of days later when BT and Dan made a noontime hardware store run for the necessary steel to keep Cisco on his barrel. RL had everything they needed and Dan hit the drive thru at the Dairy Dip for a hamburger, fries and Coke. The high school Scandinavian beauty took the order with a smile. Dan flirted up his hair in the truck mirror when she went in the back to collect their order. Headed back to camp, the section road cleared a high bluff about 2 miles out from camp then dropped down along the muddy Grand River. As they reached the bluff, BT's heart jumped into his throat. A bright light was beaming from his camp two sections away. His initial reaction was fire but there was no smoke. Dan saw it at the same time and slammed on the brakes. Both squinted, cursed, stared and mumbled possibilities. They could not make heads nor tails of what it was; for all they knew it was a reflection off an alien spacecraft. The last two miles were covered at a high rate of speed with a contrail of dust that would have made the Cavalry proud. They skidded into camp, the dust cloud arriving a minute later. There on the tailgate of a chrome Ford F550 sat Curby and Texas moneybags himself, Waymore Johnson. It was a good thing they had sunglasses on as between the lights, aluminum flat bed, stainless headache rack, and chrome step rails, there was a real threat of retinal damage. Dan couldn't help but notice the similarity between Waymore and "Boss Hog" from "The Dukes of Hazard" TV show. In a white summer-cloth suit, he was rolling a big Cuban around in his mouth and obviously perturbed to be kept waiting on a hot day such as this.

Waymore Johnson got his money foothold in the Porta-Pot business. Every construction site and oil refinery in Texas had one or more of his blue condos on the premises. He parlayed that into ownership of the largest Ft. Worth Ford dealership. Dan had a weakness for big shiny trucks and liked Waymore's taste in vehicles. He walked around that truck time and again looking at everything that sparkled in the mid-day prairie sun. BT knew where the conversation was headed and it didn't take but a minute after the introductions before Waymore asked about the white dog with a horse-shoe mark on its side. He wanted to buy the dog. BT had somewhat expected this visit based on how quickly Curby

left camp earlier in the week but hadn't had time to sit down with Dan and work out a plan. In order to buy some time, he told Waymore they would stop by for dinner later that night as he and Dan needed to run a dog to Mobridge before the vet closed. One look at Waymore confirmed he was never too far from food. Dimensionally, he was about as round as he was tall, and BT knew there would be steaks and seafood on the menu tonight. Curby constantly bragged about the big meals when Waymore and his disciples came to the prairies. Poncho and Cisco were chained on opposite ends of the dog lot in order for Dan and BT to tell them apart. While Dan and BT were loading the dog crate for the vet trip, Curby led Waymore over to Poncho's barrel. Curby pointed out the unique marking on his left rib cage and assumed this was the dog he'd seen. BT couldn't hear the conversation but by Curby's exaggerated arm movement he was doing his best to help Waymore visualize the greatness of this dog. BT grinned and thought to himself, "This is going to be too easy". Dan had done the bulk of training on the dogs and BT decided to let him handle the negotiation. Truth be known, Dan could get more for the dog based on his silver tongue gene. As they drove, BT explained the plan and told Dan what he wanted out of the dog. Anything in excess of \$10K was going to be Dan's reward. Dan spent the remainder of the trip planning his strategy.

As expected, the T-bones, baked potatoes, salad, and jumbo shrimp were laid out in a manner that would have made a Shoney's buffet manager proud. The beer was on ice and the tops had been off for some time when BT and Dan strolled into the 4-room prairie house. Waymore was entertaining the group with some Texas size tales that always ended with him getting the better of some unsuspecting soul at the dealership in Ft. Worth and the entourage cackled and coughed with every punch line. BT and Dan hit the buffet hard and fast while the others were sticking to the liquid diet. BT had long since discovered that Curby's cooking skills were much better than his dog acumen.

To the west, there was a classic prairie sunset when Dan, Curby and Waymore walked outside to complete the deal. Dan preferred to negotiate standing up as it was easier to read the body language of the engaged party. He was glad Curby had chosen to participate as he would use him much like Waymore used wives vs. husbands on the car lot when it came time to close a deal. Early in the conversation, it was obvious that Curby had convinced Waymore the dog was the next coming of Muscle Shoals Jake and Red Water Rex all rolled into one. Dan shrugged his shoulders and informed them he was the dog's owner, a gift from BT based on the previous successful season. He matter-of-factly his way through the dog's attributes, age, dimension, biddability, style, etc. Curby was nodding, smiling, and jumping around like a kid on Christmas morning. The dog hadn't yet been registered with "The Field" but the papers and DNA kit were in the truck and could be sent at any time. There was no issue or concern in that regard. Waymore's eyes were gleaming as he started with the routine car salesman's tactic of de-valuing the product. Curby kicked gravel and looked at his shoe tops. Dan let him go on for some time and occasionally nodded in agreement. Waymore offered \$5K for the dog and really felt he was being generous as Curby had convinced him, he could work with the dog and have a creditable animal that might be competitive in a couple of years. Dan removed his cap, scratched his head, and rubbed his neck allowing for an extended time of silence. A pause so long, it appeared to make even Waymore a bit uncomfortable. At this point Dan began to weave his magic. This was his first dog, the one that slept with him, rode in the front seat of the truck, the one that was his best friend. He described his long-term goal of being a dog trainer and envisioned the dog as his ticket to the big time. He wasn't sure he really wanted to sell

him but did know that by hook or crook, he someday would campaign his own string of dogs. He'd seen enough of what was on the circuit to know this dog was the real deal and while he appreciated the offer, \$5K was significantly below the value of the animal. Matter-a-fact, he'd been offered \$15K last week by a fellow from Oklahoma that would leave the dog on the string. Curby froze and Waymore reached slowly for his Cuban. Pursing his lips and stuttering, he managed to ask "Wha...wha...what fellow from Oklahoma"? "Lollar", Dan replied, had a two-word first name like Lee Roy or John Ross, or something like that. At that moment, Waymore and Curby realized they'd brought knives to a gun fight.

BT sat in the truck watching the trio walk back in the house. Waymore shuffled to his bedroom, Curby grabbed the nearest bottle of scotch and Dan sauntered in last with hands in pocket. Right before he walked through the battered screen door, he turned and looked at BT with that "Grinch that Stole Christmas" smile. BT didn't plan to linger as the Texas entourage was deep into the liquor reserve. Waymore came out and began handing out Cubans to everyone. He shouted to get everyone's attention, raised his whiskey glass and toasted his newest field trial acquisition. A dog that would take team Waymore to the steps of the big house in Grand Junction, a dog that would make Joe Don Lollar want to go home and hide, a dog that would be on the string of Jim "Curby" Dallas and be registered as "The Oklahoma Intimidator". The posse erupted as Curby took a big hit of scotch. The PSI for the coming season just doubled. Waymore declared the dog's call name as "John". BT was puzzled by the call name. The connection with the registered name wasn't readily apparent so he assumed it was in honor of Waymore's original porta-potty business. Dan agreed to deliver the dog at noon the next day and both politely excused themselves as their prairie alarm was set for 4:30 a.m. They walked quietly to the truck where Dan counted out \$10,000 in cash on the hood of the truck. BT scooped it up and placed it in his special hiding place under the dash. He noticed Dan had money left over after counting out his cut. BT looked at Dan, grinned, and asked how much? "\$15 Thou" Dan replied. They both tried to contain the laughter. BT jumped in the cab, slammed the door and whispered, "Let's go celebrate". Dan leaned in the window with a smug face, dangled a key and said, "You go ahead, I'll be on your bumper in my new all-chrome F550!" He jumped back from the window and did his karaoke rendition of a Mr. Bo Jangles dance routine.

The next day at noon, Dan loaded Poncho aka "John" in the cab of his new truck. It was only fitting he got to ride up front. The partygoers were still sleeping off the previous night's celebration when Curby staggered through what was left of the screen door. He looked like he'd aged 5 years overnight. Dan provided a folder with all the necessary paperwork to register "The Oklahoma Intimidator" with the American Field. The next morning, Curby turned "John" loose in the north pasture. Waymore and the gang were treated to a 3 find, ground sizzling 90 minutes. Waymore was giddy with anticipation as he envisioned Joe Don Lollar's face at next month's Dakota Championship. Cell phones were ringing coast to coast as the boys drove Waymore back to Texas. Modesty wasn't exactly his strong suit. Since no one had ever seen this dog, the dog's greatness built with every passing mile as call after call got traction.

Joe Don Lollar was one of those rare amateur's that pro trainer's hated to see pull into a field trial parking lot. As a young and successful retired business owner, he knew what he was doing, had good dogs and worked hard. He didn't come to a field trial to leave and his only weakness was the ladies. He seemed to have a different traveling

companion every time BT saw him. He summered on a lease near Winner and came north for the early prairie championships. He didn't appear to be caught up in the ever building crescendo of rhetoric and rumor related to Waymore Johnson, but then again, he had been getting the better of that battle for the last 3 years. BT and Dan were an hour into their daily afternoon nap when the dog lot lit up. Dan could sleep through a train wreck so BT got up expecting to find a dog loose. To his surprise, Joe Don Lollar was sitting in one of the hard white plastic chairs underneath an old cottonwood that shaded the entire front yard. In typical fashion, Joe Don was all business. He'd heard of the previous week's sale to Waymore and wanted to know if the dog was as good as billed. "He was", BT replied. But I've got another one that is better. In honor of his masterful negotiation and sale, BT had allowed Dan to register Cisco with a name of his choosing. It came as no surprise when he chose "All Chrome". BT offered the dog to Joe Don with conditions, a hefty sales price and the dog stayed on his truck for 3 years with Dan as handler. He hated to admit it, but the dog performed better for Dan. A handshake agreement was struck, Joe Don wrote a check and headed back to Winner before Dan woke for afternoon chores. BT ran to town and mailed all his recent proceeds to Memphis Bill.

BT had come north with three non-dog related goals for the summer. He wanted to learn how to use a computer, learn how to swim, and learn enough Spanish to understand the breakaway conversation between Charley Beecham and his Mexican scout. He'd been braced with Charley on four different occasions and oddly enough, he and Dan had mysteriously lost their dog in each of those pairings. Charley and his scout could speak perfectly good English but, for whatever reasons, chose to converse in Spanish when running dogs. BT had been going to the Mobridge library every Wednesday afternoon for two months. The first day he walked into the library Widow Chamberlain, the head librarian, gave him the once over. She assumed he was lost. The nearest any dog trainer had ever been to her library was the package store two blocks away. He explained his goals and the teacher in her softened the engagement. She showed him around and suggested assistance from a lady recently hired to translate for the growing Mexican population in the area. He remembered the first time he saw Catalina Alvarez pushing a cart of books for filing. It was like a slow motion version of the Cindy Crawford Pepsi commercial. He was, in a word, mesmerized. Likewise, she was struck by his rugged appearance and surprised to find out he wasn't from south of the border. His mother's Choctaw heritage made him appear related. Catalina had his conversational Spanish in place quickly, she didn't bother with grammar. He listed every dog and field trial term and she provided the Spanish equivalent, if there was one. He memorized the list. She let him practice with other Mexican transients that were in the library every week. He saw different faces with every visit as there appeared to be an underground railroad between the Texas border and the prairie. People were coming and going at will.

His computer skills didn't develop as quick. He hadn't done well in his high school typing class so he was left doing the single finger dance. He'd kept the user id and password that Memphis Bill had given him and it was a "bell weather day" when he "Googled" the website, entered his authentication information, and up popped his account. At the time he gave Bill the proceeds from the farm sale, the broker had asked how aggressive he wanted to be with his money. BT didn't really understand most of the phone conversation but he ended the conversation with "Invest it like it was your own". Conservative or cautious were not terms that were in Memphis Bill's dictionary. In his book of investing there were only two types of risks. . .high and higher. In dog vernacular, Memphis Bill was all age! On his cubicle wall was a poster that read

"No pain, no gain". He spent most of his day buying IPO's, day trading and indulging in single stocks the research department suggested. Mutual funds, bonds or cash positions were for the weak at heart. What Bill had done with BT's nest egg had been either sheer genius or pure unadulterated luck. It didn't matter to BT, his money had quadrupled. He used his index finger to e-mail Bill. . . ."Shut down the risk factory and mail me a money order for the entire amount!" Every week as he drove to the Mobridge library, he would stare at the "For Sale" sign in front of the Jon Sullivan farm near Timber Lake. He would spend the remainder of the drive dreaming about the 4 sections of ground that was perfect for training an all age dog. He informed Memphis Bill that he planned to reverse the guilt of selling the family farm by buying one of his own.

His swimming skills never developed. The Prairie Schooner Motel Lodge was the only place that had a swimming pool. He'd worked out a deal with Mitesh Patel to allow for a weekly dip. There was no lifeguard or swimming instructor; he was on his own. The motel guests were always puzzled by the fellow with a farmer's tan that showed up weekly to float in the shallow end of the pool. Float was an apt description, he looked like a drowning rat trying to swim so he opted for buoyancy. If he could float, someone could rescue him if he ever got in trouble.

It had been raining for two days when BT made his weekly trek to the library. The fog clung to the ground like a winter overcoat. Widow Chamberlain was in her appointed place at the front desk as he entered. She had come to appreciate his effort much like a grade school teacher tolerated the struggles of remedial students trying to get to the next grade. He inquired about Catalina and was told she had resigned the prior Saturday, leaving for Mexico City. Catalina had mentioned her brother managed a 4 star hotel in Mexico City and he'd been trying to get her to come back and handle the event planning. Convention season was in full swing and the country's economy made it a great value for companies with robust travel budgets. BT turned and walked slowly out of the library, the rain mirrored his mood. He thought to himself, "She's living in a 4 star hotel and I'm living out of a 4 star horse trailer".

Dan began to worry when 8 p.m. had come and gone. BT had been late at times but he was always home before dark each Wednesday. BT didn't carry a cell phone and with all the rain, Dan envisioned his two wheel drive dually sitting on level ground unable to move on the slick prairie mud. The prairie roads turned into skating rinks when the rain came. Dan jumped in the all chrome, 4X4 edition and started his search. He took every shortcut he could remember between Mobridge and Isabel. By midnight he had run out of ideas and called the sheriff. The sheriff and deputy Mahar came out to the house to get a complete description. Dan didn't get much sleep.

By noon the next day, the wind and sun had the prairie trails passable. Deputy Mahar was on the section road that meanders along the Grand River when he noticed a place where the roadside prairie grass was lying over. Through the windshield he examined the road closer; he could see where the wheels left the road. He got out and walked to the roads edge; in the river below, the tailgate was the only thing left above the water line. He radioed dispatch, who contacted the sheriff and Dan. They arrived at about the same time. With such a steep bank, there would have been no chance of getting out of the truck before it hit the water. The truck was stuck in the river like a javelin thrown into soft ground. Jim Reynolds was headed over to tedder a half section of cut alfalfa, the 200 hp 4 wheel drive tractor was more than enough to pull the wedged truck from the river. The sheriff directed the effort. When the cab emerged from the murky depths there



wasn't much left of the interior. The swift river laden with sediment had sandblasted everything down to bare metal. The truck was towed to town as evidence.

The local fire and rescue squad searched downriver, even the mighty Missouri miles away. Various papers were all they found. The Blue Stem Funeral home was full of dog trainers and locals for the memorial service. Waymore and Joe Don put aside the building feud to eulogize their fallen friend. All of BT's owners were skeptical of Dan's ability to maintain the program but they were willing to give him a year to prove himself. Dan was thankful that BT had the wisdom to keep Cisco on the string with Joe Don as owner for 3 yrs. While there was nothing in writing, Joe Don was a man of his word and would abide by his agreement. The prairie championships were starting the next week and he needed to show well. In honor of his mentor and best friend, Dan returned to the accident location. He hammered a small white wooden cross where the wheels left the road.

Two weeks later, the fall trial season officially kicked off with the Dakota Championship. Curby loosed Poncho, aka John, in the 2nd brace of the 3rd day with Charley Beechum and Pete. Charley and his scout had the usual all Spanish discussion. Dan was close enough to hear the exchange and some of the words now made sense; BT had taught him the Spanish translation of "field trial terms" during their daily workouts. The Waymore Texas posse was in attendance and the summer long rumor about "The Oklahoma Intimidator" had drawn quite a gallery. "John" didn't disappoint; it was a strong, well-directed, 2-find hour. By far the best through the 3rd day of the trial. Cisco was up the next day as a bye dog in the last brace of the championship.

Since Dan, BT, Joe Don, and the American Field were the only ones who knew anything about a dog named "All Chrome" no one but the judges and reporter were at the breakaway when Dan put his whistle in his mouth, looked down at Joe Don and said "Let's show 'em something!" Those attending the event were busy packing up and pulling in all their camp belongings, interspersed with congratulations to Waymore and Curby as the parking lot celebration warmed up. Cisco blasted away to a bluff that was so far in the country, the distant objective looked as thin as moss on a rock. He spent the entire hour running the front-end with purpose and class. His dimension made him appear the size of a Bayer aspirin, except for the 5 times he majestically stood game. Dan knew the judges were enjoying the hour as they would, from time to time, shout and point the dog out. The hour finished near camp and Joe Don pulled Cisco up into the saddle for the ride to the trailer. BT's pact with Joe Don Lollar that day under the cottonwood had him on cloud nine. He looked skyward and reverently whispered "Thanks man".

An hour later the Field Trial chairman blew a whistle and all those that could walk stumbled over to the abandoned prairie house porch. Acknowledgements to the sponsors, handlers, owners, and judges were dispensed and the crowd grew quiet for the placements. Looking over the top of his reading glasses, the Field Trial chairman scanned the crowd and announced the Runner-up... "The Oklahoma Intimidator", handled by Curby Dallas for owner Waymore Johnson. You could have heard a pin drop. All the blood shot eyes were searching the horizon as they mentally mulled over the last 4 days brace by brace in order to figure out who in the world had won this thing. The speaker didn't give them time to figure it out...Champion to "All Chrome" handled by Dan Ross for owner, Joe Don Lollar. If there was any oxygen left in the parking lot, it was collectively gone at that moment. Waymore appeared to be somewhere between heaven and earth reaching for his chest. Curby was looking at the Dakota sky through the bottom of a

Johnny Walker Red bottle. Everyone else was reaching for their tattered brace sheets to see when this dog ran. The Mobridge Tribune always sent a summer intern out for the closing ceremonies, the request for pictures with all dignitaries went out.

If ever there was a prairie Kodak moment, it occurred at 3:42 pm on that Thursday as stamped by the internal timer of the digital camera. The picture clearly shows everyone looking at the intern as she said "Cheese" with the exception of Waymore Johnson and Curby Dallas. Both were staring down at the horseshoe shaped marking on the rib cages of both dogs with a look that is reminiscent of men undergoing a prostate exam. It was readily apparent that at that very moment, both men had their prairie epiphany.

From the penthouse suite of the Marquis Reforma Hotel in downtown Mexico City, Catalina Alvarez pulled up the Mobridge Tribune website. She missed the prairie town and used the internet to keep up with all that was happening. She monitored it daily. They'd recently covered everything from BT's accident to the high school volleyball matches. She poured a cup of coffee waiting for the web site to open. The Dakota Championship winners were on the front page and she spilled her coffee jumping and screaming like a school girl as the picture of Dan posing "All Chrome" filled up the laptop screen. She wiped the coffee from her skimpy nightgown and ran into the bedroom yelling...BT! BT! ... Wake up, Dan and Cisco won the Dakota Championship. Bryant "BT" Davis sat up on the edge of the satin-sheeted king size bed, wiped the sleep from his eyes and staggered to the desk. With a "bed head" hairdo, he put his nose within 6 inches of the screen and squinted at the picture. A slow, molasses smile came over his face as he viewed the "Kodak Moment". It told him everything he needed to know.

He took a sip of Catalina's coffee, grabbed her in his arms and once again, his wheels left the road.

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DC KINWASHKLY ROSCIUS ZOOMER (D) by FC/AFC The Time Machine x Kinwashkly Nutmeg; o Allen Norman, b Leslie A. Andreas

## **CHAMPION BRED-BY**

CH CEDARLANE'S IZZIBELLE (B) by Ch Cimmaron's Set 'Em Up Joe CDX x Ch Rhoill's Loose Canon; o Randall Miller & Reece Miller & Rhonda Battaglia, b Rhonda Battaglia & Randall Miller

## **CHAMPION**

CH FAROUT FIELD CON QUESO JH (B) by Ch Fly'n-Hi's Iron Will CDX JH NA x Farout Fields Wiggy Bridget; o Vikki Calvano, b Jacqueline C. Arnold & Rodger Rowles  
CH FAROUT FIELDS LET ME AT'EM JH (D) by DC/AFC Blueridge Major Adventure x Ch Farout Fields Tequila Sunrise JH; o/b Jacqueline C. Arnold  
CH MILLETTE'S SWEET MEMORIES (B) by Ch Castle's How Sweet It Is x Ch Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Wendy Archinal, b Michelle Millette & Cathy Dugan & Beverly Millette  
CH MILLETTE'S WONDER WOMAN (B) by Ch Castle's How Sweet It Is x Ch Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Beverly Millette & Michelle Millette, b Michelle Millette & Cathy Dugan & Beverly Millette  
CH MT VIEW'S SHAMUS MCLAINE JH (D) by Ch Mt View's Shooting Star MH x Ch Mt View's Luck Of The Draw MH; o James McLaine & Linda McLaine, b Mary Ann Breiningner & Roy Schaeffer & Patricia A. Ortelli  
CH ORY'S MARSHAL DILLON (D) by GCH CH Shelttany's Against All Odds x FC Alar's Tango Bar; o Joy Ory & Tim Ory, b Robin Tomasi & Katherine Thompson  
CH PARADISE'S ICHIGO HALF MASK (D) by Ch Gourley's One Hot Ticket JH x Ch Paradise's Northern Lights JH; o Mr. Jorge Medina & Ms. Darlene J. Hughes  
CH RIVAL SHAMROCK'S CHRISTMAS STAR (D) by GCH CH Dogwood Hollow Bengal Zero Zero x Ch Tonan Dream Of Me; o Daniel Babb & Warren Babb, b Valerie Dombrowski & Richard Dombrowski & Brittany Rosener & Megan Rosener  
CH SANBAR'S LEGENDARY EVENING (D) by DC Sanbar Castle Built On Legends JH x Ch Sanbar Mustang Evening Attire; o Carolyn West & Polly West & Robert West, b Polly West & Robert West  
CH STAR VUE PENNIES FROM HEAVEN (B) by GCH CH Sunquest Cimmaron Catch The Wind x Ch Millette's French Vanilla; o Warren Schmitt & Susan Schmitt, b Melissa Barwick & Kimberly Barwick & Dee Hartnek  
DC TIMBERLINE STRAIT TO THE POINT JH (D) by FC Making R-Point x Rainbow's Bijou Belle; o Andrea Christensen, b Kathy Hogan & Jerry Hogan  
CH WILLOWICK LIGHT BY FIRE (B) by Ch Castle One In A Millennium JH x GCH CH Willowick Taltean; o/b Catherine Fitzgerald

## **GRAND CHAMPION**

GCH CH CREDIT WHERE CREDIT IS DUE (D) by Ch Millette's Downtown Brown JH x Ch Zax Chilcote's Divine Credit; o Jessie Schulz & Shirley Chilcote, b Jessie Schulz & Shirley Chilcote & Beverly Scaggs  
GCH CH GAITWAY-SANDBAR SILVER SPOON (D) by Ch Sandbar's Casanova x Ch Gaitway To Infinity JH; o/b Leah Shirokoff  
GCH CH GRANMARS DIAMOND CASSIDY (B) by DC Classic's Can Do Andrew x Ch Chilcote Zax Diamond On Credit JH; o Jody Kirtley, b Tim Foley & Julianne Brown  
GCH CH SHAMROCK'S DASH OF TREASURE JH (D) by Ch Mustangs Leading Man At Treasure JH x Ch Klearly Rivals Red Sky At Nite; o Taylor Davis & Brittany Rosener, b Beth Rosener & Valerie S. Dombrowski & Brittany Rosener

## **NATIONAL FIELD CHAMPION**

NFC/DC/AFC RU-JEM'S A TOUCH OF BOURBON (D) by DC/AFC Bourbon XIII x FC Mo Kan Bimbo; o Ruth A. McGee, b Pam Baird

## **FIELD CHAMPION- BRED BY**

FC AMERICAN IDOL (B) by FC Dakotas Copper Nickel x K Tex In Your Dreams; o/b Ben Kuykendall  
FC CEDAR VALLEY BANDIT (D) by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x Flying Feather Cocobean; o/b David A. Webb  
FC DIAMOND HILL SHES GONE (B) by NFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Deuces Bombay Sapphire; o Paul Pollock & Lisa Pollock, b Cathleen Carlin & Lisa Pollock  
FC TLM FREQUENT FLYER (D) by FC/AFC Hillside Sweet Of' Bob x TLM Hardhearted Hannah; o Tom Milam & Linda Milam & Harian Gerardy, b Tom Milam & Linda Milam

## **FIELD CHAMPION**

FC GEORGAS TEXAS TWO STEP (B) by FC/AFC Dakota Alleycat x Jb's Georgian Amber Blaze; o Travis Tangen & Clayton Tangen, b James W. Berkowitz & Linda A. Berkowitz  
FC JOKER'S JACKPOT (D) by FC/AFC Smarteyes-Joker x S'No Fun Seahawk; o Steve Ralph, b Heidi A. Heap-Chester & G. Gregory Chester  
DC KINWASHKLY ROSCIUS ZOOMER (D) by FC/AFC The Time Machine x Kinwashkly Nutmeg; o Allen Norman, b Leslie A. Andreas  
FC TERRA DOT (B) by Windy Hill Bart x Pyck; o Jim Floyd & Meam Floyd, b Charles D. McBride II (This is a correction from the March 2011 issue.)

## **AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION**

FC/AFC DERAILED (D) by FC/AFC The Time Machine x NGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Tar's Dot Com; o/b Cynthia J. Crokek & Albert L. Crokek Jr.  
FC/AFC WINDY HILLS IKE (D) by Blaze County Pike x Pyck; o Delmar McCallister, b Charles D. McBride II

## **COMPANION DOG**

FAROUT FIELDS XORBITANT FANCY CD RAE JH (B) by Ch Fly'n-Hi's Iron Will CDX JH NA x Farout Fields Wiggy Bridget; o Christine S. Youngblood & Alan Youngblood, b Jacqueline C. Arnold & Rodger Rowles

## **OBEDIENCE MASTER 7**

CH OTCH CHILCOTE'S CREDIT CHECK UDX13 OM7 JH AX AXJ (D) by Ch S Chilcote Creditors Portfolio x Ch Chilcote Sandic By Design; o Kathleen A. Sweet, b Shirley Chilcote & Randy Long

## **BEGINNER NOVICE**

HONEYSUCKLE'S U LITL RASCAL UD BN VER RE NA OAJ (D) by Restless Wings Canyon Breeze x Ch Honeysuckle N Brookewood Sky AX AXJ; o Richard C. Garvin & Kathy N. Garvin, b Kathy N. Garvin

## **RALLY NOVICE**

CTOWN'S OWN WILD FLOWER RN (B) by Bebop Rocky Gambler Ctown x Ctown's Dream Maker; o E. Lynn Dunn & Seth Griffith, b Jeffrey Harrison  
DOGWOOD HOLLOW STRIKE THE GOLD RN (D) by GCH CH Granmars Cando Diamond Credit x Dogwood Hollow I Like Ike; o Helen Marie Capps, b Geri Clements & Gary Clements & Cheryl L. Mika  
FAROUT FIELDS VAISHALI RN (B) by Ch Fly'n-Hi's Iron Will CDX JH NA x Ch Farout Fields Apricot Deja Vue JH; o Christine Youngblood & Alan Youngblood, b Jacqueline C. Arnold & Rodger D. Rowles  
CH SUNQUEST SERIOUSLY SASSY RN JH (B) by Ch Sandbar's Casanova x DC Sunquest's Skooter Pie; o Jacqueline M. Nicol & Paul S. Jessen & Dee Hartnek & Hank Hartnek, b Linda Dee Hartnek & Henry G. Hartnek

## **RALLY ADVANCED**

J-K-J'S SWEET JOHNNIE SUNSHINE RA(D) by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x Ch Hybrittin Judy-Judy Swpatwot; o/b Judith J. Kostelac

## **JUNIOR HUNTER**

BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS JH (B) by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x Double Up's Trt Tori; o Jeffrey Stanton, b Scott Adams & Ann M. Adams  
CH CLASSIC'S CAN DO RUBY TUESDAY JH (B) by DC Classic's Can Do Andrew x Classics Abby Of Overbrook; o Jody Kirtley, b James Brown & Julianne Brown  
DRUMMING WOODS DEUCES TAKE EM JH (D) by Eschenholz D'Buck Kaiser Mack x Tolka-Belle J'Emma MH; o Edward Pontacoloni & Janice Pontacoloni, b Brent Catura  
FAROUT FIELDS LET THE GOOD TIMES ROLL JH (D) by DC/AFC Blueridge Major Adventure x Ch Farout Fields Tequila Sunrise JH; o Doug Holdener & Jacqueline C. Arnold & Amy Holdener, b Jacqueline C. Arnold  
HILL'S BLAZIN' TRAVLIN' JACOB JH (D) by Ch Hill's Blazin' Jac x Ch Hill's Morning Edition; o Travis McNeil & Linda McNeil, b Paul E. Hill & Dawn S. Hill  
LITTLE LIBERTY DELIGHT JH (B) by Capewind's Little Tucker Man x Capewind's Little Tildy; o Aaron R. Crown, b Shan Wessels

## **NOVICE AGILITY**

CHILCOTE KAZE'S RISING SUN NA NAJ (D) by Ch Chilcote's Credit To Ceasar JH x Ch MACH2 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH XF; o/b Robert J. Howell & Victoria Howell

## **NOVICE AGILITY PREFERRED**

SYDNEY ELISABETH LOOMIS NAP (B) o Annick Loomis

## **OPEN AGILITY**

CH RAINCHASER'S KIT AND KABOODLE OA NAJ NAP NJP NF NFP (D) by Ch Rainchasers Krimson Canyon RN MX MXJ NAP NF x Ch SMR Rincon Vista Duchess CD JH AX AXJ; o Kim Ramsey & Susan Hampton, b Susan Hampton & Kim Ramsey & Carlton L. Hampton  
SWIFT RIVER'S SWEET DECEIT OA NAJ (B) by DC Country Road's Rough Rider x Ch Swift River's Hot Lil' Number JH; o Sharon Buehler, b David W. Phillips & Frances N. Phillips

## **MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED**

CHARDONNAY MXP AJP (B) by Mavericks Broo x Hoffman's Sadie; o Diane Geving, b Deborah Hoffman  
CH WILLOGOLD'S RH MAGENTA MX MXJ MXP MJP OF (B) by Ch Jordan Up All Night x Ch Loki's Whirling Dervish; o Jim Tees & Kim Tees, b Valerie Hamilton & Joanne M. Overbaugh

## **MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED 4**

VANILLA HOT FUDGE DELIGHT MX MXJ MXP4 MJP5 PAX MXF (D) by Londeree's Chipper x Miss Seabucks Hot Fudge; o Kathy McNeal, b Elmo Londeree Jr.

## **NOVICE AGILITY JUMPER**

BENJAMIN BONAPARTE-MONKEY NAJ (D) by Mavericks Broo x Hoffman's Sadie; o Diane Geving & Glen Geving, b Deborah Hoffman  
CH ENCORE'S TRIUMPHANT VALEDICTORIAN NAJ (B) by Ch Magic Gettin' Jiggy With It JH x Ch Triumphant's Ivy League; o Melissa McCloskey & Cheryl McCloskey, b Linda R. McCartney-Roy  
CH HAVAPAL'S REV ME UP REPEAT RE JH NA NAJ (D) by FC/AFC Rj's Microtuck x Havapal's Renegade Mon Amie; o Mrs. Julie A. Asmus, b Robert Kossel

## **OPEN AGILITY JUMPER**

CH RJ'S SYMPLY DIVINE RN JH NA OAJ (B) by Ch RJ's Limited Edition SH x Ch Rj's The Divine Ms M JH; o Sandra Moruzzi & William Moruzzi, b Joyce G. Wire & Robert Wire

## **MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER PREFERRED**

NATHAN NEW PENNY OF KINSHIP MX MXJ OAP MJP OF NFP (D) by Crosswind Whitetail JH x Autumn Leaves III; o Daniel S. Hatton, b Judy Romanski  
CH WILLOGOLD'S RH MAGENTA MX MXJ AXP MJP OF (B) by Ch Jordan Up All Night x Ch Loki's Whirling Dervish; o Jim Tees & Kim Tees, b Valerie Hamilton & Joanne M. Overbaugh

## **AGILITY FAST OPEN**

FAISON'S ONE MOMENT IN THYME CD RA JH AX AXJ OF (B) by Faison's Buddy- About McQueen x Faison's Orange Lu Lu; o James M. Bryson & Donna C. Bryson, b Nancy W. Clendener

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**AGILITY FAST OPEN PREFERRED**

RUSTY RIDGE BLONDE ON BLONDE OA AXJ AXP AJP NF OFF (B) by DC/AFC Awards Rusty Ridge Jake MH x DC/AFC Rustyridge Bookers LST Fling; o Martha Francis, b Claude Kilpatrick & Jan Kilpatrick

**MASTER AGILITY CHAMPION**

CH MACH CHILCOTE'S GREAT IDEA OF MARIAD XF (B) by Ch Chilcote's Daring To Be Great x Ch Chilcote's I Am Your Idea; o Mariann Jackson & John R. Jackson, b Shirley Chilcote & Angel Rumbolo & Jessie Schulz

**MASTER AGILITY CHAMPION 2**

CH MACH2 TOP SHELFS CROWN ROYAL MXF (B) by Ch Swift River's First In Line CD RN MX MXJ OAP OJP NF x Ch Jordean Aurand It's-All-About-Me; o Andrea Oai Ming Lee, b Wendy A. Archinal & Nancy Morabito

**GROUP PLACEMENTS**

CH BRITT'S RAMBLIN' BOURNE IDENTITY (D) o S.Richards/N.Larson/J.Larson  
4 - San Luis Obispo KC, j Mrs. L.K. Davis

GCH CH. CARROLLTON'S COUNT LANCELOT (D) o L.Martin/W.Wijaya/G.Hartman  
1 - Kennel Club of Philadelphia Inc., j Dr. R.A. Indeglia

GCH CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW BENGAL ZERO ZERO (D) G. Clements/G. Clements/ C. Mika/R. Cornum  
3 - Decatur Alabama KC, j Mrs. W.G. Willhauk  
3 - Decatur Alabama KC, j Mr. W. Bergum  
4 - Huntsville KC, j Mrs. C.A. Beattie

GCH CH GOURLEY'S DFL 99 CARAT DIAMOND (D) G.Stern/C.Gourley  
2 - Windham County KC, Inc., j Mrs. J. McGinnis  
4 - Springfield KC, Inc., j Mrs. B.D. Alderman

GCH CH GRANMARS DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH (D) J. Kirtley/T. Foley  
2 - Tennessee Valley KC, j Mrs. K.C. Wilson  
4 - Oak Ridge KC, j Mrs. S. Dillin

GCH CH MAGIC READ MY LIPS (D) o K. Hanson/B. Hultgren/N. Otterson  
1 - Furniture City KC, Inc., j Mr. R.H. Menaker  
4 - Town & Country KC, Inc., j Mrs. K.C. Wilson

GCH CH MELRIDGE STIR N' IT UP (D) o D. Bingham/F.Bingham  
4 - Town & Country KC, Inc., j Mrs. L. Boutwell

GCH CH MICH'S MT READY AIM FIRE (D) o L. Rickard/J. Eiene/D. Peek/J.Davies  
4 - Umpqua KC, Inc., j Mr. R. Stein  
3 - San Joaquin KC, j Mrs. E.E. Berg

GCH CH SHELTTANY AGAINST ALL ODDS (D) o R.Tomasi, H. Glick, E. Ewart  
2 - Sandusky KC, j Mr. S. Keating  
3 - Lima KC, j Mr. W.J. Sommerfelt  
4 - Central Ohio KC, j Mrs. K.C. Wilson

GCH CH VEM COUNTRY MILE (D) G. Manifold/N. Redick/H. Manifold/ R.West  
3 - Whidbey Island KC, Inc., j Mrs. L. Canalizo

GCH CH WILLOWICK TALLTEAN (B) o C. Fitzgerald  
4 - Southern Colorado KC, Inc., j Mr. R.L. Byrd  
3 - Southern Colorado KC, Inc., j Mrs. S.B. Tietjan  
3 - Tuscon KC, j Mrs. M.L. Billings  
3 - Tuscon KC, j Ms. P.W. Laurans  
1 - Greater Sierra Vista KC, j Mr. M. Houston-McMillan

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Central New Mexico Brittany Club, j Dr. S. J. Kerr

ROBBY KEESLING  
Marion KC, Inc., j P. Chen

TAYLOR JORDAN DAVIS  
Decatur Alabama KC, j S. Reale

KIMBERLY BARWICK  
Tuscon KC, j Ms. T.L. Hundt  
American Brittany Club, j Mrs. N.D. Simmons

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# 2010 ABC GROUSE AND WOODCOCK CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP

OCTOBER 16-17, EAU CLAIRE COUNTY FOREST, WISCONSIN

*Reported by Jack Wichita*



The 2010 ABC Grouse and Woodcock Classic was run on October 16 and 17 and was met by cool gentle mornings and warm, sunny, breezy afternoons. Due to the warm, dry weather over the past several weeks and the breezy conditions scenting conditions were not optimal, though satisfactory.

The area experienced record breaking wet weather this summer and many of the courses had experienced dramatic flooding in mid summer. Evidence of flooding could be seen in the brush 6-8 feet above on many segments of the courses' trails. But due largely to the work of Rod Lein and the Chippewa Valley Pointing Dog Club, trails were beautifully cleared, marked and ready for trials this fall. The flooding did not seem to affect the courses or the bird counts in any significant way.

Birds were plentiful with opportunities for bird work on each of the courses and for each brace. In fact, only one brace failed to move both Grouse and Woodcock and in that brace 4 woodcock were moved. Overall, 68 birds were moved; 28 grouse and 40 woodcock.

One challenging aspect of the dry, breezy conditions was the difficulty in pinning grouse effectively. Particularly in the upland areas, windy, dry conditions and ankle deep, popcorn-dry leaves on the ground combined to make the grouse skittish. This was evidenced in a number of situations where dogs would be found on point in "grousey" locations, but no birds produced, followed by extended relocations, again with no birds. Clearly, the birds were running and/or flying at the noisy approach of the dogs and the field trial party. That being said, most braces had opportunities on both grouse and woodcock and a number of the dogs found, pointed and held grouse under these challenging conditions.

It was gratifying to see a number of old friends from around the country running, assisting, and observing the event. Traveling particularly long distances were Sarah Conyngham and Dave Marshall from New Jersey, Roger McPherson from Pennsylvania, Chuck Alff from Ohio, Jane and Gil Hopper from Michigan and Barry and Petra Steinmetz from Illinois. Some good friends of the Classic that were missed were Ray Gorman, Chuck & Theda Langstaff and Roger King.

In particular, thanks goes out to our judging panel and field trial committee for their efforts. Our experienced judging panel of Rod Lein and Bill Thompson were more than up to the task of closely observing and evaluating each dog while briskly walking each brace. Rod is from the Eau Claire area and has extensive experience judging all breed and Brittany Classic stakes. He also owns, trials, and hunts some of the best English Pointer cover dogs anywhere. Bill brings a wealth of Brittany judging, trialing and hunting experience to the assignment and an in depth knowledge of grouse and woodcock natural history and habitat. Additionally, Jim Brigham assembled a top notch team of Badger Brittany and other club members, including Bob Powell, Bill Zwettler, Rick Stuttgen, Larry Davidson, Chuck Alff, and Jack Wichita to ensure smooth running of the Classic.

We also want to thank the Eau Claire County Parks and Forestry Department for their support and permission to groom and use these excellent grounds. Native bird populations are critical to the success of this trial and the county does a fine job of managing the forest for grouse and woodcock with periodic cuttings that create a variety of early succession forest habitats. With its eight full hour courses, the Eau Claire County forest is widely recognized as one of the top cover dog venues in the country. All of us want to thank Nestle Purina for the supply of Pro Plan and monetary support. Also, Tri-Tronics continues to be a great friend to ABC events. It was great to award their generous donation of a Pro 500 G3 to the winner.

A brief history of the event starts with its initial running in 1954 and then somewhat sporadically until 1970, the ABC Grouse Classic was an important Gun dog event to the Brittany. However, from 1971 to 1985 the Classic lay fallow. Perhaps this was due to difficulties in naming a Classic winner with a bird as difficult to find (especially in low cycle years) and handle as ruffed grouse. Or possibly due it was due to the misunderstood notion that thick grouse cover was inappropriate for hard charging, wider ranging "prairie" type shooting and all age dogs. At any rate, the Badger and Minnesota Brittany clubs collaborated to petition ABC to revive the Grouse Classic as the Grouse and Woodcock Classic. Approval was received and the first running was in 1986 at the Mora, MN venue. Don Didcoct from the Badger Club led this effort. Don believed that gun dogs were not, and should not be treated as, second class citizens in an all age dominated trial world, but rather that the best gun dogs share the same qualities of speed, endurance, competitive desire, and intelligence as the top all age dogs. Moreover, these qualities should be fully apparent in grouse and woodcock dogs, as well. Since then, the Classic has been a going concern with the event alternating among Wisconsin, Michigan and New England locations.

A long tradition of the Wisconsin running of the Classic continues to be the post-trial "Grouse Camp"—a week of grouse and woodcock hunting in northern Wisconsin beginning at the conclusion of the trial. With our 28th consecutive year before us, trialers and hunters from Wisconsin, Minnesota, Ohio, Michigan, and West Virginia have come up for a week of quality grouse and woodcock hunting. Each year, many of the same old stories (now legends) are trotted out, retold with embellishments and added to the year's new stories, all becoming parts of the area's grouse hunting oral history. In that way the old dogs live on: Hominy Grits, Lost Lake Solo, Cinnabar's Roc, Powell's Molly, Stretch, Scooby Doo, Smokey, Rip and all the others. The event is topped off with an amazing game dinner and appropriate beverages.

## **The Running:**

**Brace 1:** BIRCH HILL'S LITTLE MAN (Man) Sarah Conyngham; COOS RILEE (Rylee) Roger McPherson. Gas Line Course

This course parallels the Eau Claire River featuring a number of small seeps and washes from the hill top to the river. These hold good grouse and woodcock cover and provide opportunities for productive large lateral casts. Cool weather prevailed as the brace broke away at 8:55. Both dogs took advantage of these objectives making long, lateral, searching casts with Rylee the wider of the two. As the dogs pushed the edges of the course, grouse flushed wild near the trail at 17 minutes and then at 22. The dogs continued to hunt both laterally and forward and were gathered up at 31, coming off a particularly long cast that brought Rylee up from behind. Moving forward with the dogs again charging the edges of the course, grouse were flushed near the trail at 35 and 38 near blow downs, with no dogs involved. The dogs continued apace with no evidence of tiring. At 53 minutes, a woodcock flushed wild near the trail as the handlers approached, again no dog involvement. At 9:55 time was called with neither dog having bird contact under judgment. A total of 4 grouse and 1 woodcock were moved.

**Brace 2:** TAZMANIAN DEVIL OF MAZO (Taz) Bill Zwettler; RU-GEM'S PRAIRIE WIN (Win) Gil Hopper. High Line Course.

This brace broke away at 10:05 off the road heading west and away from the river. The course starts up a small, sharp hill with the left side falling away to a brushy stream bottom and the right side rising to Classic upland forest habitat of mixed oak, young aspen as well as hazel brush

and prickly ash. Then the course merges into more wetland habitat with marshy areas dominated by tag alders and aspen. At 5 minutes, a clutch of 3 grouse were seen flushing out of the brush on the left side of the course as the handlers and judges approached. Closer inspection found Taz in the area, standing high and tight. Bill fired, led the dog out, and all was in order. The dogs continued digging into the cover, hunting hard, with Taz the wider. At 19, the field trial party walked up a woodcock near the path followed by a grouse less than a minute later. At 20, Taz, coming off of a cast from the left, crossed the path in front of the handlers and struck a solid point a few yards off the path. Bill flushed a grouse and Taz went with it for several steps, taking him out of contention. Alone now, Win continued to put down a credible race, hitting the right cover and making several strong lateral and forward casts while handling kindly. Wild flushing grouse were observed at both 25 and 37 with no dog involvement. The brace concluded at 11:05 with Win having no bird work under judgment. A total of 7 grouse and 2 woodcock were observed. The day was warming up, becoming breezy and scenting conditions deteriorating.

**Brace 3:** DANNY'S BOY (Danny) Sarah Conyngham; SUEMAC'S BLAZIN BIBI (Bea) Roger McPherson. Crash Course.

The brace broke away at 11:25. The course parallels the river on the left and starts out west through a brushy area and then down a long, steep embankment across the creek and then back up. Then the course winds through uplands of aspen and oak and hazel brush, falling toward the river on the left and rising to the upland hardwoods on the right.

But at least for the first 35 minutes or so, the river is well within a strong dog's reach. Both dogs hit the cover hard and made it through the creek bottom and embankments without incident. At about 12, however, Bea came off of a long cast to the right and headed up the path in front of the field trial party. There she surprised a grouse in the middle of the trail and both were off like a shot. Bea was leashed post haste. The Crash Course lived up to its name. At 13 Danny was found on point, but no bird was flushed and the dog was relocated but no bird produced. Danny continued to push the edges of the course and when his bell could no longer be heard at 20, a scout was sent out to look for the dog. As it turned out, Danny had gone into the river for a drink and a swim, but due to the high, steep banks, could not get back out. Scout Larry Davidson was able to just reach Danny and pull him out by the collar. Refreshed, Danny hit the course hard, pointing deep in the cover at the course edges at 29, 34, and 37. No birds could be produced on the points or relocations despite Danny's positive attitude. As one participant noted, with the dry leaves, it was like approaching the birds walking on four inches of potato chips. Undeterred, Danny pushed the edges and was finally rewarded with a nice woodcock find at 48. Sarah flushed and fired, Danny stood, and all was in order. The handler and judges lost track of Danny's bell at about 53 and sent the last remaining scout (yours truly) toward the river to find him. About 150 yards out Danny was found proudly standing and point called. After a long trip in, Sarah flushed a well located woodcock, fired and collared Danny out—all in order. Danny finished going away. Danny ran an exciting hour, albeit marred by four non-productives, likely on spooky grouse. A total of 1 grouse and 4 woodcock were observed.

At 12:30 we broke for a lunch of brats, beans, salads and drinks at the monument boat landing. We resumed running at 1:15.

**Brace 4:** BISCUIT'S ECKO OF DREAMS (Ecko) Tom Jagielski; JAZZ'S SWEETEST LITTLE SECRET (Karo) Gil Hopper. Davidson Culvert Course.

The brace broke away at 1:15, heading east on the Culvert course. This course closely parallels the river, which is on the right, for about 15 minutes and then turns to the north along a stream edge and opens into a broad basin of hardwoods and brush. Early in the brace, the course goes through the "bowl", a once locally famous woodcock haunt where, when the flights were in, moving 40 birds an hour was not unusual. The bowl has since grown up, and is no longer a prime woodcock habitat; but what a place to start a puppy back when!! The dogs broke away with aggressive casts, Karo left toward the bowl and Ecko to the right toward the river. Both worked the extreme edges of the course and negotiated the tricky twists

and turns through the early segments of the course, generally staying lateral or forward with Ecko slightly wider. But no birds were seen until 21 when a grouse flushed wild and 24 when a woodcock was walked up near the path. At 25 Karo's bell stopped about 40 yards off the path to the left on a small brushy bank. The handler and judges found her quickly, but not as quickly as Echo, who apparently felt this was an opportunity to intimately acquaint himself with his first grouse (this was his first grouse trial). As Karo pointed with great intensity, Echo blasted by, taking out the grouse and chasing with enthusiasm. Karo never lost her intensity throughout the incident. Gil fired, collared the dog out and moved on as Echo was leashed. Good work by Karo under extreme pressure. Karo really put on her running shoes at this point, digging into the deepest covers on the course. At 41 a woodcock was seen in the air, but apparently with no dog involvement. At 43 her bell could no longer be heard and the field trial party headed toward the river, where she was last heard. After an extended search the scout found her pointing from below a small ridge into a brushy area above, perhaps 200 yards off the trail. As Gil began the flushing effort, a grouse boiled out of the brush and Karo maintained her tall, confident stance with the shot. Back on the course, soon after she was released, she again pointed at 49, about 40 yards off the path. Gil flushed a well located woodcock with everything in order. Point was again called at 55, but no bird was produced and Gil chose not to engage in an extended relocation effort. The brace concluded with Karo going away. This brace demonstrated excellent ground races by both dogs and perhaps the find of the stake with Karo's find at 45. Three grouse and 3 woodcock were observed during the brace.

**Brace 5:** CLARION'S XIA (Xia) Sarah Conyngham; SUEMAC'S SKY KING (Sky) Roger McPherson. Horseshoe Creek Course.

This brace broke away at 2:53 on the only course on the south side of the river. This course forms a loop initially heading east along the hard wood ridge above the river, turning north toward the river and finally through the flood plain paralleling the river going west. Mature hard woods, tag alder bottoms, lots of blow downs, and brushy thickets of hazel brush and prickly ash throughout characterize the cover on this course. The dogs started out well, hitting appropriate objectives with Sky the wider. Both had occasional difficulty finding the front certainly in part due to the winding and looping nature of the course. At 25 Xia was rewarded with a point, but as Sarah flushed the bird, Xia felt that a retrieve was in order and chased. With Xia leashed, all eyes were on Sky as he made a number of prodigious casts, often finding the edges of the course. A grouse was flushed near the path at 34 with no dog involvement. Just as hope for Sky finding a bird began to wane, at 57 he hit a very solid point down a small wash about 30 yards off the path to the right facing into a brushy edge. Roger flushed a woodcock, all in order. As Roger collared Sky back to the path, three grouse roared out from a blow down about half way between the location of the point and the path. A few yards later, again moving back to the path, we flushed a solo woodcock whose nerves finally got the best of him. Back on course, Roger released Sky at 59, preparing to leash him for the walk back. However at 59:45, Sky's bell stopped at the top of the hill. As we approached, a grouse flushed out with Sky continuing to stand tall for the shot. This ended the brace with 6 grouse and 3 woodcock moved.

**Brace 6:** POWELL'S MR. BO JANGLES (Bo) Bob Powell; WRIGLEY'S FIRST DANCE (Jazz) Gil Hopper. County H Course.

The dogs broke away at 4:22, the last brace of the day. The H course begins in the ridges overlooking the river and heads south toward the river paralleling County Highway H and then west, along the river through the brushy bottom lands and then finally back up to the ridge top through the pines. Brushy bottoms punctuated by occasional tag alder stands and mature timber stands at the higher levels characterize this course. The dogs both engaged the cover, with Jazz the wider and faster and Bo doing a workman like job for Bob, bespeaking his long career as personal hunting dog first and a trial competitor second. At 14 a woodcock flushed wild off the trail with no dog involvement. By the halfway point we were beginning

to wonder where the birds were, but at that point a turkey flushed on the left side of the course, followed a minute later by a point by Jazz at 29. Gil flushed a woodcock out of the brush with Jazz standing solidly for both the flush and the shot. At 33 a woodcock was seen in the air with Jazz found standing in the vicinity. Gil fired a shot and a stop to flush was credited. Both dogs continued hunting credibly, working the cover and making some long casts toward the pine ridge to the right. Jazz was again found standing after a woodcock was seen in the air and again credited with a stop to flush. The brace ended at 5:23 with a point and 2 stop to flushes for Jazz and no bird work under observation for Bo. A total of 4 woodcock were moved during the brace. A ten minute somewhat wet walk ensued to find our way back to the trucks.



**Gil Hopper moving Jazz after find**

**Brace 7:** CENTERVILLE'S WHIM (Whim) Sarah Conyngham; SUEMAC'S LIBERTY BELLE (Libby) Roger McPherson. Stokely Diablo Jake Course.

This course, named after the famous English Setter, begins with a drop down to a broad, damp basin near the river where dogs and handlers are required to cross a small wet area before the break away. The course then tracks to the west paralleling the river, though the river does not come into play. The bird cover is largely comprised of lowland woods and brush covered flat areas punctuated with brushy draws, tag alders and small marshes. As the dogs broke away at 7:53, a grouse flushed wild at 1 with no dog involvement, but presaging a bird filled brace. With the breakaway, the dogs rocketed to the front, making wide, searching casts and pressing the handlers to keep up. Whim was rewarded at 6 with a find well off the trail, a woodcock was flushed, Sarah fired—all in order. With the handlers separated at this point, Sarah released Whim and within a minute or so was rewarded with another point. As Sarah began her flushing attempt, Whim jumped in to help and, though no bird was produced, Sarah decided to put the leash on Whim. Roger and Libby continued forward at a rapid pace with Libby seeming to get stronger as the brace progressed. At 15 Libby's bell went silent and she was soon found standing tall in the hazel brush. A woodcock was produced—all in order. Libby continued at a hot pace, coursing the distant edges of the cover often just at the outer edge of bell range. At 34 we could no longer hear the bell and judges, handler and reporter began a long walk to the right in search of the dog. She was found in deep cover, again standing tall. As Roger approached, 2 woodcock flushed, Roger fired, Libby stood—all in order for an excellent find. At 37 the party flushed a woodcock off the trail, no dog involvement. The large number of birds seen thus far suggested that the woodcock

migratory flights were in. At 41 Libby was again found pointing, this time just off the path. After a vigorous flushing attempt and relocation effort, an unproductive was taken and Libby moved on, continuing her consistently strong, forward race. She seemed to attack all the appropriate cover and was again rewarded at 48 with a find deep in the course. Two woodcock were flushed and all was in order. At 51 Libby's bell yet again went silent and the trial party pushed into the thickets to find her. She was found standing high and tight and as Roger approached, two woodcock flushed and as he fired, two grouse left the area as well, then another woodcock. All was in order. Libby, still fired up from the last find, made a beautiful, long cast along a swamp edge rimmed with tag alders. At about 150 yards out, at 57, she struck another solid point deep in the tags and hazel brush. Roger flushed 2 well located woodcock from in front of the dog, fired, all in order. As we returned to the path 5 more woodcock were flushed by the field trial party. At 59 Libby was released and then immediately leashed as a memorable brace ended. The bird total for this brace was 19 woodcock and 3 grouse—a high for the trail.

**Brace 8:** JACK STICH (Jack) Rick Stuttgen; BIRCH HILL'S HOBBO (Hobo) Sarah Conyngham. Gas Line Course.

The Gas Line course was described in the account of the first brace. The dogs broke away at 9:34 both hitting the cover hard with Jack somewhat wider and forward. After 30 minutes despite hitting the cover hard and executing long, searching casts to the edges of the course, no bird contact was made under judgment. One problem was keeping track of Jack. His bell was often difficult to hear due to its small size. But despite this handicap, handler and dog had a good rapport and negotiated the difficult terrain effectively. Finally at 35 Hobo stopped, but then decided to move on. At 37 he again stopped and point was called. During the flushing attempt, the dog loosened up and Hobo was sent forward on a relocation. Ultimately, no bird was produced and Hobo was sent on. At 48, a grouse flushed wild. At 52 after coming off of a long lateral cast to the left, Jack charged forward and pointed a few yards off the trail. As Rick approached a woodcock flushed, Rick fired, Jack continued standing stylishly and Rick collared him away—all in order. The trial party's spirits were buoyed by finally seeing some positive results from these dogs' solid efforts. Hobo had his chance at 57 when he pointed a woodcock. As Sarah approached Hobo decided to help himself and chased out the bird with abandon. With Hobo leashed, Jack finished the last few minutes of the brace going away. The judges seemed particularly impressed with Jack's race—wide, lateral and forward—and always seen leaving from and heading toward good bird cover. A total of 1 grouse and 2 woodcock were encountered during this brace.

**Brace 9:** CJB'S ONE TOO MANY (Tooey) Jim Brigham; WRIGLEY'S REWED-UP CUB (Turbo) Gil Hopper. High Line Course.

The High Line course was described in the account of the second brace. The brace broke away at 10:54, heading up the hill with both dogs hitting the cover, Tooey typically working the stream bottom to the left and Turbo more interested in the upland on the right with Turbo the wider. Though somewhat more restricted in range than the earlier braces, both dogs hit the appropriate cover, hunting it thoroughly. At 3, a grouse flushed wild off of the path at the approach of the field trial party.. Again at 9, a wild flushing grouse lifted from the left. At 10, another grouse flushed, this time Turbo was found standing in the vicinity. Gil fired a shot and the Turbo was credited with a stop to flush. The dogs continued up the course, hunting hard and forward at moderate range. At 31, Turbo briefly made game and subsequently took out a woodcock. He was leashed immediately. Two minutes later, at 33, a woodcock flushed near the path with Tooey showing too much interest and taking too many steps in the bird's direction. Jim leashed Tooey. A total of 3 grouse and 2 woodcock were moved during this brace. That concluded the 2010 running of the ABC Grouse and Woodcock Classic. The field trial party returned to the Cheney Road Bridge to hear the decisions of the judges.





Left to right standing: Jim Brigham, Jack Witchita –reporter, Bill Thomson – judge, Rod Lein – Judge, Gil Hopper With Champion Jazz's Sweetest Little Secret, Roger McPherson With Runner-Up FC Suemac's Liberty Belle, Rick Stuttgen with 3rd place Jack Stitch, Jared Stuttgen, Sarah Conyngham with 4th place Suemac's Sky King

**American Brittany Club Grouse and Woodcock Classic  
Judges: Rod Lein and Bill Thompson**

1. JAZZ'S SWEETEST LITTLE SECRET, by FC/AFC T-Bone x FC/AFC Wrigley's First Dance; owner Jane and Gil Hopper and Charles and Mary Jill; handler Gil Hopper.
2. FC SUEMAC'S LIBERTY BELLE, by FC Suemac's Bodacious Pride x Suemac's Carolina Belle; owner Roger and Susie McPherson; handler Roger McPherson
3. JACK STITCH, by Powell's Bo Jangles x FC/AFC Zwettler's Good Golly Miss Molly; owner Rick Stuttgen; Handler Rick Stuttgen.
4. SUEMAC'S SKY KING, by FC/AFC Coos Rylee x Suemac's Brazen BiBi; owner Roger McPherson and Ray Gorman; handler Roger McPherson.

## SHOWCASE

### DC CAST-A-BRITT RIP II

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*Dam: Cast-A-Britt Platinum Mollie*



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# AMERICAN BRITTANY CLUB GUN DOG CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP UNION COUNTY BIRD DOG RANCH, THAYER, IOWA



October 4-6, 2010

Reporter: Ken Windom

The 2010 running of the ABC Gun Dog Classic/Championship was won by Cedar Valley Bandit, a five year old male owned by David Webb of Valencia, PA and handled by Tom Tracy, Jr. of Chase City, VA. Bandit ran in the first brace on Tuesday and put down an aggressive, forward race punctuated with 5 nicely spaced finds. Second place was garnered by FC Chesterfield's Molly, a five year old female owned by Bo and Renae Ackerman of Clermont, GA and also handled by Tom Tracy, Jr. Molly, who ran in the last brace of the stake, pushed the winner hard, also exhibiting a strong forward race with 5 finds. Diamond Hill She's Gone, a five year old female owned by Paul and Lisa Pollock and handled by Lisa, was close behind the top two dogs. She ran in the fourth brace on Monday and showed a strong forward race and handled kindly. She carded 2 quality finds. Fourth place went to FC/AFC Covey Rise's Rambo JR, an eight year old male owned by Chuck and Jill Schaefer and handled by Chuck. JR's 3 finds were culminated by an incredible relocation of at least 150 yards through heavy cover to pin a sizeable covey for Chuck.

Judges for this event were Dr. Brian Hendrickson, DVM from Bidwell, OH and Ed Tillson, from Albuquerque, NM. Both these gentlemen are well known to the Brittany field trial community. Brian is an experienced amateur and past chairman of the ABC National Gun Dog Championship. Ed is a very successful professional trainer and handler who has amassed a long list of impressive wins in regional and hour stakes. Both these men gave each dog careful consideration while maintaining judicial control over the running of the stake.

We want to thank our sponsors, Purina and Tri-Tronics, for their continued generous support of this and other ABC events. Their contributions of merchandise and financial support are greatly appreciated by organizers and participants alike. The American Brittany Club is indeed fortunate to have such generous sponsors.

Many people are responsible for the success of an endeavor such as this. In addition to the members of the Iowa Brittany Club who organized the event, we would like to thank Mickey Condon, Jill Schaefer and Jane Hopper for dog wagon duty and acting as road crossing guards, to Jill for managing the meals and coffee break supplies, to Jerry McGee for marshaling, and everyone else who helped to pitch in and make this event run so smoothly.

The weather conditions during the running of this event were ideal for field trials. Mornings were frosty, afternoons were sunny, and the skies were absolutely clear. A slight wind aided scenting conditions. Given the record rainfall in Iowa earlier this year, the dry weather was a welcomed change.

**Brace 1: MO KAN DURAMAX – Gorrow; WW'S MILLION DOLLAR MOLLEE – Wice.** The first brace broke away at 8:05 on a beautiful, clear, frosty October morning.

Both dogs were a little short going through the keyhole, but picked up afterwards with Max running a little bigger. Both dogs headed toward the Church Corner where Mollee developed some handling difficulties, but Burton got her to come around. Both dogs were lateral going along the south end of the course. Al called point for Max at 24 on the north side of the Hedge Row. Meanwhile, Mollee approached along the south side and pointed. Al asked Max to relocate, but was unable to produce a bird so elected to go on. Burton continued his flushing attempt for several minutes, but was also unable to produce a bird. Dogs crossed over to North Course

at 30. Max was found on point at 45 near the feeder on south end of the Hedge Apple Orchard, with Mollee backing. A bird was produced with all in order. The dogs moved on through the Orchard across the Double Crossing. Mollee was out of pocket for a time. Meanwhile, Max was found on point at 56 by the Hedge Feeder. Birds were flushed with all in order. Mollee returned from her excursion at 58. Both dogs finished the hour at the Old Barn site.

**Brace 2: WOLF RIVER'S WINNING TICKET – Gorrow; RC'S RUFF RANGER – Richter.** The second brace broke away at the Old Barn Site at 9:15. Both dogs were found standing under a big tree along the ridge on the north side of the Alfalfa Field. Birds were produced with all in order. Dogs continued past the pond and around the normal gun dog breakaway and over to the west field. Dogs were found standing separately at 13 near the feeder on the ridge south of the Alfalfa Field. Rob asked Ruff to relocate but was unable to produce a bird and elected to continue on. Meanwhile, Al was able to flush a bird for Cash. Dogs continued down the hill through the west crossing and back into the Orchard. Ruff was found standing high on both ends at the south exit from the Orchard. Cash approached and was whoaed to a back. Rob's initial flushing attempt was unsuccessful so he asked Ruff to relocate. As Al collared Cash to move on, Ruff suffered a style faux pas and Rob elected to pick him up. Cash continued south past camp and crossed over on to the South Course at 31. Al called point for Cash in the Hedge Row at 36. A bird was produced with all in order. Cash was sent on and disappeared in the cover. Scout found him on point at 40 in the plum thicket at the north end of the big ditch. Handler pointed out a running bird to Judge Tillson in the heavy cover. Judge instructed handler to fire and take the dog on. Cash was found on point along feed strip east of the Rock Crossing at 50 and birds were produced with all in order. The hour ended by the gate on the far south side of the course.

**Brace 3: DAKOTA GUN RUNNER'S BUCKSHOT – Tracy; LE GRAND TANK DU FAYETTE – Gorrow.** Dogs were released at 10:40 from the south end of the course and headed north. Both dogs were found standing at 2 along the north end of the ditch in the Church Corner. Unfortunately, both dogs released themselves during the flushing attempt and were up.

**Brace 4: RICO'S HI-PROOF BOOTLEGGER – Burchett; DIAMOND HILL SHE'S GONE – Pollock.** The first brace of the afternoon broke away behind camp at 1:05 PM. Both dogs were away to the front heading toward the Hedge Apple Orchard. At 4, Mason delivered a bird to his handler, ending his hour. Cleo continued through the Orchard and into the field north of the Double Crossing, and on past the Old Barn. She entered the Alfalfa Field and made a very good move rimming the edge before pointing a bird at 22 among the round hay bales at the west end of the field. Cleo maintained perfect manners as Lisa flushed and fired. Cleo made a nice move in the field south of the Alfalfa Field and on through the Orchard. She pointed again at 34 at the south end of the Orchard but no bird was produced so she was sent on. She ran at moderate range through the field north of camp, but made a really nice move down the dogleg just before she crossed onto the South Course, where she proceeded to the Hedge Row and pointed at 54. A bird was produced with all in order. Cleo finished her hour just north of the pond.

**Brace 5:** GEORGIA'S TEXAS TWO STEP – Tracy; COVEY RISE'S RAMBO JR – Schaefer. This brace broke away at the gate on the south side of the course, headed west. Scout called point for Georgia at the north end of the feed strip on the hill west of the pond. Two birds were produced and Georgia turned to mark the flight, but also moved forward one or two steps. After a brief discussion with Judge Hendrickson, Tommy elected to pick up. Meanwhile, JR continued across the south end of the course, past the rock crossing and then north to the second finger where he was found pointing at 12. Chuck attempted to flush in the heavy cover and asked JR to relocate several times before Judge Tillson saw the bird running through the vines and heavy weeds. Chuck fired and sent JR on. He pointed again on the north side of the Hedge Row at 16. A bird was produced with all in order. JR crossed onto the North Course at 25 and proceeded at good range toward the Orchard. At 33, JR stopped near the deer stand in the Orchard. Chuck attempted to flush, then elected to move on, commenting that many dogs had indicated game in this area during the weekend trial preceding this event, but no birds were ever produced. JR dug in to the cover north of the Double Crossing and was out of pocket for several minutes before emerging from one of the fingers. He proceeded to the Old Barn and pointed at 49 along the edge of a strip of Canary grass. Chuck's initial flushing attempt was unsuccessful, so he asked JR to relocate. An extensive relocation then followed, with JR finally pinning a large covey fully 150 yards from where he initially stopped. The birds were produced with all in order. JR finished his hour on the east end of the Alfalfa Field.

**Brace 6:** ROCKLAN'S WIZZLE STOP – Burchett; BARNEY'S HI PROOF RONRICO – Schaefer. The last brace of the day was turned loose at 3:30 from the normal breakaway point on the west side of the North Course. Whiz pointed at 8 near the feeder at the south end of the Orchard. A protracted flushing attempt, along with several relocations did not result in a bird, so Bob elected to move on. Whiz made some nice moves along the feed strips in the field north of Camp and along the dogleg before catching the front at 19 as the dogs crossed onto the South Course. Whiz pointed along the lower terrace south of the Hedge Row at 24. Bob attempted an extensive flushing attempt, complete with multiple relocations, but was unable to produce a bird for Whiz and elected to pick up. Meanwhile, Rico traversed the fields southwest of the Hedge Row and headed east past the rock crossing. He made some good moves along the downwind side of the south feed strips, but his hour ended early when a bird popped at 49 and he went with it.

**Brace 7:** JAZZ'S SWEETEST LITTLE SECRET – Hopper; CEDAR VALLEY BANDIT – Tracy. The weather was frosty and clear as the first brace of the second day broke away from the hill on the South Course at 8:10. Bandit had on his running shoes today and quickly disappeared from view as we headed toward the Hedge Row. He was found by the scout at 8, buried in the heavy cover at the west end of the Hedge Row. A covey was produced with all in order. Karo had gone on and made a good move along the west side of the course toward the Church Corner. Bandit scored again at 11 on his way to the front, this time at the terrace feeder. Tommy produced a bird, fired, and sent Bandit on, catching the front at 15. Both dogs proceeded around the south side of the course, past the rock crossing, then northward where Bandit had his third find at 19 by the finger feeder. The dogs continued north and crossed the road together at 30. Karo made a big lateral move down the dogleg while Tommy and Bandit headed forward. Bandit took the west edge of the field between camp and the Orchard and disappeared in the Red Cedar Forest before reappearing at the Orchard. At 45, Tommy rode up a covey that flew over Karo's head. She stopped and Gil fired, then sent her on. At 49, Bandit was found pointing in heavy cover along the feed strip southeast of the Old Barn. A bird was produced with all in order. Bandit scored his fifth find at 54 at the Old Barn site, then finished his hour in the Alfalfa Field. Karo finished the hour with no other bird contact.

**Brace 8:** DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN – Pollock; SNIKSOH SALLY – Burchett. The dogs broke away at 9:20 from west end of North Course, heading southeast. Sally made a big move along a feed strip and down the hill where she rimmed the bottom. Trace took a few minutes to get lined out, then rimmed the fence line along the north and east of the field. Both dogs entered the Orchard, and Sally pointed at 10 by the orchard feeder. A bird was produced following a relocation. Sally caught the front and both dogs made for the dogleg, with Sally taking it almost to the end. Trace crossed to the south course at 21 while Bob was collecting Sally. Trace proceeded to the Hedge Row and pointed at 27. A bird was produced with all in order. Trace pointed again at 31 near the finger feeder. Lisa and Judge Hendrickson went into the heavy cover and a bird was spotted so Lisa fired and collared Trace out. Meanwhile, Sally caught the front and moved ahead, establishing point at 34 along a feed strip about 30 yards past the rock crossing. Trace came up along the west edge of the field on a trajectory that would have taken him past the rock crossing and directly toward Sally. Lisa gathered him up and took him through the rock crossing while Bob was attempting to flush for Sally. Bob's initial attempt was unsuccessful, so Sally was asked to relocate. The bird flushed as Bob moved back, with Sally stopping at the flush. Trace scored a find at 38 along the feed strip east of the rock crossing. Both dogs rimmed the south edge of the field, then headed north. Trace returned and made a nice move along the south feed strip. Sally, meanwhile, proceeded to the pond and made a good move along the dam on her way to the Church Corner. Sally pointed at 45 at the Church Corner feeder. Meanwhile, Trace was making game in the feed strip when a small covey lifted. Lisa fired and collared Trace out, but elected to pick up after a brief discussion with Judge Tillson. Bob was unable to produce a bird for Sally and elected to take a non-production. Sally moved on to the terrace feeder and pointed at 50. No bird was produced on the initial attempt and she was asked to relocate. Unfortunately, Sally bumped a bird during this effort, ending a strong bid for a placement.

**Brace 9:** AUGUSTUS OF TIGER – Tracy; W-HAVEN MOOSE AND DIXIE'S KIM – Burchett. Gus and Kim were loosed at the Keyhole at 10:38 heading north. Both dogs ran at moderate range onto the North Course, through the Orchard, and past the Double Crossing. Gus' bid ended at 22 when he had more fun with birds than is permissible. Kim had a non-production southeast of the Old Barn. She continued into the Alfalfa Field, but her run was not competitive on this day and Bob elected to pick up at 30.

**Brace 10:** CORREDOR DORADO – Tracy; UPLAND ACRES OVERLAND XPRESS – Burchett. The brace broke away at 1:40 on the south course and the dogs headed due south. Scout called point for Dexter at 5 at the far south end of the first field. A large covey was produced with all in order. Zip pointed along the east end of the feed strip south of the Hedge Row at 10. A long relocation effort was required before a covey was produced at the far west end of the feed strip. Zip pointed again at 15 at the terrace feeder, but took too many steps at the flush, ending his hour early. Dexter continued around the course and made a very nice move along the edge of the west field when he started making game at 25. Two birds flushed and he suffered a lapse in manners, ending his bid early.

**Brace 11:** MARJO'S HERE FOR THE PARTY – Luisi; JAYHAWKER'S RUNNIN' DOWN A DREAM – Burchett. Gretchen and Tilly broke away from the Keyhole at 2:15 headed north. Both dogs exhibited nice forward races as they crossed over to the North Course, Gretchen being the wider of the two. Tilly had a stop-to-flush at 18 on birds that had congregated in a mowed strip near the finger feeder past the Double Crossing. Gretchen had a covey find at 20 near the hedge feeder. She had a stop-to-flush at 24 along the feed strip southeast of the Old Barn Site. Tilly crossed into the Alfalfa Field and took the south edge around, coming to a point at 28 near the feeder at the west end. A bird was produced with all in order.



**Front Row: Tom Tracy, Jr. with Cedar Valley Bandit, Jerry McGee with FC Chesterfield's Molly, Lisa Pollock with Diamond Hill She's Gone, Chuck Schaefer with FC/AFC Covey Rise's Rambo JR.  
Back Row: Bruce Heiter, Judge Ed Tillson, Judge Brian Hendrickson, Ken Windom, Tommy Thomas, Val Weaver, Jill Schaefer.**

Both dogs were found standing at 32 in the feed strip south of the Alfalfa Field. A covey was flushed, both handlers fired, and the dogs were sent on. Tilly suffered a non-production in the soybean strip south of the Orchard at 42. Gretchen's race picked up after the Orchard, rimming the edges of the field then making a big move down the dogleg before crossing onto the South Course at 50. The temperature was rising, and both handlers elected to water their dogs in the tub by the road. Both dogs picked up the pace afterwards as they headed south toward the Hedge Row, although Gretchen maintained the pace better during the last 10 minutes. Gretchen pointed at the terrace feeder at 58. A bird was produced with all in order as time was called.

**Brace 12:** CSB JL SULLIVAN – Burchett; THE ACE OF SPADE – McGee. Sully and Spade broke away from the rock crossing on the south end of the course at 3:30. Spade started making game at 2 on the south end of the feed strip west of the pond, but a covey erupted around him and he was not able to stop in time. Sully continued around the course, but his race was not challenging the top dogs so Bob elected to pick up at 18 as we crossed the road.

**Brace 13:** GIT-R-DUN – Heiter; RUFFWOOD'S OWN AGENDA – Burchett. Wiz and Gen were turned loose at 8:05 under cool and clear conditions. Both dogs went through the Keyhole and Wiz disappeared to the west. Bob called point for Gen at the Terrace Feeder at 5. A bird was produced with all in order. Meanwhile, scout found Wiz standing in heavy cover in the Hedge Row. Bruce flushed a covey and send Wiz on. He proceeded to the terrace where Gen had her find and a bird flushed in front of him. He went with the bird, putting an early end to his bid. Gen continued to the Church Corner and was making a good move across the south end of the field when a bird popped at 10, causing her to change direction 180-degrees and give chase.

**Brace 14:** WRIGLEY'S REVVED UP CUB – Hopper; CHESTERFIELD'S MOLLY – Tracy. The final brace was loosed from the south end at 8:35 headed west. Molly scored her first find at 11 in the feed strip south of the Hedge

Row, then made a sweeping cast to the right in the next field. The dogs crossed onto the North Course at 18. Turbo scored a find at the feeder on the south end of the Orchard at 25. Molly pointed at 28 in the weeds along the north edge of the Orchard with Turbo backing. A bird was produced with good manners exhibited by both dogs. Molly scored again at 34 on a large covey in the feed strip along the ridge north of the Double Crossing. She was credited with a stop-to-flush at 36 in the feed strip southeast of the Old Barn. After entering the Alfalfa Field, Molly rimmed the entire south side and spun to a hard point at 43 near the feeder on the west end. Birds were flushed, a shot was fired, and she was sent on. Turbo pointed at 46 on the north side of the Alfalfa Field but no bird was produced. Molly went on an extended excursion of the countryside for several minutes before returning at 52. Meanwhile, Turbo had an unfortunate encounter with a covey and was picked up. Molly finished her hour just as we approached Camp from the north.

**ABC Gun Dog Classic/Championship  
Union County Ranch, Thayer, IA  
October 4-6, 2010**

**J: Ed Tillson and Brian Hendrickson  
28 Starters, 1 hour heats**

- 1st – CEDAR VALLEY BANDIT (D) by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x Flying Feathers Coco Bean; o David Wells, h Tom Tracy, Jr.
- 2nd – FC CHESTERFIELD'S MOLLY (B) by FC/AFC Lightning's Bismark x Hi-Scor Sally Rand; o Bo and Renae Ackerman, h Tom Tracy, Jr.
- 3rd – DIAMOND HILL SHE'S GONE (B) by NFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Dueces Bombay Sapphire; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 4th – FC/AFC COVEY RISE'S RAMBO JR (D) by FC/AFC Strong's Rum Runner Barney x CH Covey Rise's Precious Moment; o Chuck & Jill Schaefer, h Chuck Schaefer



# AMERICAN BRITTANY CLUB TARHEEL

## OPEN LIMITED GUN DOG CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP



Hosted by The Southeastern Brittany Club

February 23-25, 2010

by Yvonne McKeag



The 2010 American Brittany Club Open Limited Gun Dog Classic hosted by the Southeastern Brittany Club was held on February 23-25th. In the saddle this year was Steve Browder and Dick Bembenek. Dick stepped in at the last minute when Matt Basilone was unable to fulfill his obligation.

Trial chairpersons Ronnie and Ivan Clark put on a first class trial this year with the help of club secretary Linda Ouellette, who manned the kitchen feeding those who needed breakfast and had lunch ready every day. She also cooked the main portion of the potluck dinner Monday night and lent a hand for planting birds. Tuesday Sebatsion and Marlene Ventura put on a dinner in honor of Diamond Hill Dancer, last year's winner, that had everyone eating a little more than we should have. Wednesday's dinner was provided by Ralph and Judy Kiracofe and was a wonderful venison roast. Sitting in the saddle to plant birds was Joe Luisi, Ivan Clark, Ralph Kiracofe and Martha Greenlee, the club President.

As always the biggest thank you goes to our sponsor Purina for without their generous support it is difficult to hold such a wonderful trial including supplying food to all the winners.

The winner set the standard early when she ran in the second brace. This female was classy on the ground and worked well with her handler. This year's winner is Hybrittins BJ Betty handled by Kyle Merrill and owned by Art Cohen. Her brace mate was Rovans Dust Devil Dan handled by Ivan Clark. The call of "Dog standing" was heard before the first pond. Betty was standing a bird with Dan backing. Point was then called for Dan in the Cedar Island to the left of the course. Betty also scored a find on the opposite side of the Island on another bird. Both dogs had excellent manners and were sent on. Again at the Log Cabin point was called for both dogs with all in order. Point was called for Betty on the left before the cedar rows with Dan backing. Only feathers were found during the flushing attempt. Betty went on to score one additional find behind the Silo again with Dan backing and all in order. Betty went on to have a strong finish on the river bottom to end her hour.

This year's second place dog ran in the eleventh brace. Marjo's Here for the Party, handled by Joe Luisi and owned by Joe and Marsha Luisi. Her brace mate was Roustabout Sniksoh Sadie handled by Tommy Tracy, Jr. Both of these dogs moved well on the ground. Party Gretchen scored a stylish find before the pond with all in order. Point was called again on the cedar island showing style and excellent manners. Sadie scored a stylish find at the log cabin and Party Gretchen came in to back her with all in order. Sadie had one additional find that upon flush she marked her bird with a step. Party then scored her final find just before the cedar row with all in order. They went on to finish strong on the river bottom.

Taking third place honors was Cedar Valley Bandit handled by Tom Tracy, Jr. and owned by David Webb. He ran in the sixth brace and was braced with Boots Chip of Conjouror Bay. Chip was found standing before the pond and Bandit came in and backed, but before point could be called, Chip relocated himself and still looked hesitant and handlers sent both dogs on. Bandit then scored a find to the left of the Cedar Island in heavy cover. At the same time Chip scored a find on the opposite side of the Cedar Island with all in order. Bandit then made a nice move rimming the green field before heading to the Log Cabin. Point was then called for Bandit on the left side before the cedar row with all in order. Chip scored a find at the bottom of the cedar row. He was relocated and a dead bird was found so was sent on. Only a few feet away he pointed again, he was relocated and still didn't look right and handler elected to pick him up. Bandit went on to

score another find behind the Silo with all in order. He had a strong finish in the river bottom.

Taking fourth place was Hits For Pete's Sake handled by Judy Kiracofe and owned by Judy and Ralph Kiracofe. His brace mate was Savannahs Hot Shot (Merrill) Pete scored first before the pond, it required a relocation to pin the running bird with all in order. Next to score was Hot Shot on the Cedar Island with all in order. Pete's next stylish find was buried in the briars at the Log Cabin with all in order. Heading for the cedar rows point was again called for Pete, who showed stylish manners with all in order. Both dogs finished in the river bottom.

The judges complimented all four winners and strongly felt all four would be capable of going on to the National Championship and win. Everyone is already anticipating next year's winner's dinner to see if Art Cohen can out do Sebastian and Marlene's dinner this year, as the winner's dinner is the social highlight of the trial.

### THE RUNNING

The day started cool but warmed to a very pleasant afternoon. In the first brace was PINEY RUN HANK (Lorenson) and UNCLE KRACKER (Tracy). Both dogs scored their first find at the Log Cabin. They were on separate birds. Kracker's handler elected to pick him up as he had not been running a consistent race. Hank showed manners on his bird and was sent on. He went on to have another stylish find on the left before the cedar row. It was a running bird and took several relocations before the bird was spotted. His last find came behind the Silo at time with all in order.

The second brace was ROVANS DUST DEVIL DAN (Clark) and HYBRITTINGS BJ BETTY (Merrill). This brace was described earlier.

The third brace was PETER GUNN (Carter) and ROVANS HURRICANE HANNAH (Clark) Point was called for Hannah at the Cedar Island who had good manners until the handler was returning to her dog and her excitement got her and she was up. Peter was running a snappy ground race with an excellent rapport with his handler. He scored a find at the cedar island with all in order. Then went on to score a second stylish find going to the Log Cabin but did mark his bird. His third find came before the cedar row with all in order. The last find was intense behind the silo and when the bird was flushed over his head he marked again with a small step.

The first brace after lunch was the fourth brace with HITS FOR PETE'S SAKE (Kiracofe) and SAVANNAHS HOT SHOT (Merrill). This brace was reported earlier.

The fifth brace was DIAMOND REO (Borgman) and DIAMOND HILL DANCER (Hester). Point was called for both dogs before the pond with a small amount of confusion as to which dog was which. When all was said and done Reo was found to have feathers and a bird was produced for Dancer, with all in order. They then went on to have a divide find on the left before the cedar row. Both dogs were sent on and Dancer slammed into point 50 feet later. A poor flying bird was flushed over his head and the temptation was too much and he jumped ending a repeat win. Reo went on to score a find behind the silo with all in order. He finished his hour on the river bottom.

The last brace of the day was BOOTS CHIP OF CONJOUROR BAY (Kiracofe) and CEDAR VALLEY BANDIT (Tracy). This brace was previously reported.

Wednesday morning was warm but cloudy and temperatures fell throughout the day as it began to drizzle off and on and then rain for a short

time after lunch.

The seventh brace was CHESTERFIELD'S MOLLY (Tracy) and HITS SHOWTIME (Perry). Molly scored a stylish find before the pond with all in order. Point was called for Showtime at the Log Cabin where her brace mate put the pressure on her when she failed to honor her point. Molly was picked up and Showtime's manners were perfect for flush and shot. Showtime was not putting down the ground performance for a Championship and she was up after the bear trap.

The eighth brace was ROVANS TAILWIND TOMMY (Clark) and ONE OFF MOJITO MIKE (Merrill). First to score was Tommy on the left edge before the pond, with Mike backing. Only feathers were found and both dogs were sent on. Both dogs were found standing on opposite sides of the big cedar island. Both dogs were relocated and Tommy pinned the running bird and all was in order. Mike was unable to re-connect and was sent on. Tommy's next find was at the Log Cabin to the left in the thick hedgerow, and Mike came into back. After a flushing attempt he was relocated and Mike was taken on. Tommy again pointed further down on the hedgerow. After another long flushing attempt handler elected to pick up. Mike went on to have a find before the cedar rows with all in order and then was lost for a time coming out of the bear trap. His last find came behind the silo with all in order.

The ninth brace was CONJOUROR BAY'S WESTERN BOOTS (Kiracofe) and HARRISES WMF DOUBLE PRINCESS LIEA (Merrill). Boots scored first before the first pond with Liea backing. All was in order. Liea had a find at the Cedar Island, and went on to score another find at the Log cabin and Boots came in to honor his brace mate with all in order. They each scored a find before the cedar rows with all in order. Coming out of the bear trap the judges let them know their performances were not going to change the outcome of the trial and they elected to pick up.

The rain was steady but light for the afternoon braces. The tenth brace was run after lunch with GLADE RUN NUTMEG (Tracy) and JUST A PUFF OF SMOKE (Lorenson). Nutmeg made some nice casts before having a problem across from the cedar row with a bird lifting ending her bid for the title. Smoke scored a nice find at the Log Cabin then suffered an extended absence.

The eleventh brace was MARJO'S HERE FOR THE PARTY (Luisi) and ROUSTABOUT SNIKSOH SADIE (Tracy). This brace was described earlier.

The twelfth brace was RIMARDA'S REBEL JAKE (Lorenson) and BLUE ROCK DIAMOND GIRL (Perry). Both dogs were found standing before the first pond and only feathers were found so both dogs were sent on. Jake then scored a find at the Log Cabin. Girl came in and failed to honor her

brace mate. On this day, Jake was not putting down a championship performance and was up shortly after.

Thursday was cold dry and breezy. The Thirteenth brace was the first brace to the line with COVEYRISE THIS BUDZ 4U (Conover) and BRITT HAVEN'S BLAZE OF GLORY (Pillion). Glory was running a very wide race and required scouting to keep on course. Point was called for Glory before the first pond, after a flushing attempt she was relocated and a dead bird was found. Bud was running a little hard of hearing but was found standing to the right of the Cedar Island. After a flushing attempt he was relocated with all in order. Both dogs were found standing by the Log Cabin on separate birds and in short order both were flushed with all in order. Bud scored an additional find on the left of the cedar row. Glory came in for a back. After a flushing attempt Bud was relocated and Glory was sent on. Bud pinned the running birds with all in order. At the bear trap the judges called the brace.

The fourteenth brace was HOPE'S CAROLINA SUNSHINE (Roth) and COOS RIGLEE (Merrill). Both dogs were moving nice on the ground and were found standing on two different cedar islands. Both dogs were relocated with Sunny locating the covey, with all in order. Riglee never reestablished point and with the other birds landing near his handler took him on. Coming to the cedar row both dogs were found standing across from each other on a divided find. When birds were flushed Sunny was lost to temptation and was up. Riglee went on but was last seen coming out of the bear trap heading to the silo and was not found before his time was up.

In the final brace was COVEYRISE FLY BOY (Conover) as a bye. Boy was found standing with style before the pond but again with a relocation, all that was found was feathers. He was sent on to have point called to the far right of the cedar islands. He was relocated and all that could be found were feathers and his handler elected to pick him up.

#### **Tarheel Open Limited Gun Dog Classic 1hr(29S)**

- 1 - FC/AFC HYBRITTINS BJ BETTY (B), by FC/AFC Chubasco II x FC/AFC Reba Baloo By You; o Art & Judy Cohen, h Kyle Merrill
- 2 - FC MARJO'S HERE FOR THE PARTY (B), by Hit's A Boy Named Sioux x FC/AFC Marjo's Spirit Of Hybrittin; o Marsha Luisi, h Joe Luisi
- 3 - CEDAR VALLEY BANDIT (D), by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x Flying Feather Coco Bean; o David Webb, h Tom Tracy, Jr.
- 4 - NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S FOR PETE'S SAKE (D), by Hit's A Boy Named Sioux x FC/AFC Marjo's Spirit Of Hybrittin; o Judy & Ralph Kiracofe, h Judy Kiracofe



**(Left to right: Kyle Merrill, Bennie Lorenson with FC/AFC HYBRITTINS BJ BETTY, Marsha Luisi with FC MARJO'S HERE FOR THE PARTY, Steve Browder a judge, Ronnie Clark, Tommy Tracy, Jr. with CEDAR VALLEY BANDIT, Raustin Tracy, Carla Tracy, Judy Kiracofe with NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S FOR PETE'S SAKE. Back Row Dick Bembenek, judge, Ivan Clark, Joe Luisi, and Ralph Kiracofe.)**



# AKC'S Canine Good Citizen® (CGC) Program

The AKC's Canine Good Citizen® (CGC) Program started in 1989. The CGC Program is designed to reward dogs who have good manners at home and in the community. The Canine Good Citizen Program is a two-part program that stresses responsible pet ownership for owners and basic good manners for dogs. All dogs who pass the 10-step CGC test may receive a certificate from the American Kennel Club.

Many dog owners choose Canine Good Citizen training as the first step in training their dogs. The Canine Good Citizen Program lays the foundation for other AKC activities such as obedience, agility, tracking, and performance event. As you work with your dog to teach the CGC skills, you'll discover the many benefits and joys of training your dog. Training will enhance the bond between you and your dog. Dogs who have a solid obedience education are a joy to live with—they respond well to household routines, have good manners in the presence of people and other dogs, and they fully enjoy the company of the owner who took the time to provide training, intellectual stimulation, and a high quality life. We sincerely hope that CGC will be only a beginning for you and your dog and that after passing the CGC test, you'll continue training in obedience, agility, tracking, or performance events.

AKC's Canine Good Citizen® (CGC) Program is one of the most rapidly growing programs in the American Kennel Club. There are many exciting applications of this wonderful, entry level that go beyond the testing and certifying of dogs.

A number of specialty (one breed only) clubs give the CGC at their annual national dog show. Dog clubs have discovered that the CGC is an event that allows everyone to go home a winner. Veterinarians have recognized the benefits of well-trained dogs and there are some CGC programs in place in veterinary hospitals. State legislatures began recognizing the CGC program as a means of advocating responsible dog ownership and 34 states now have Canine Good Citizen resolutions.

When the CGC Program started, certificates were handwritten and issued by the evaluator at the CGC test. As a result of on-going requests from many participants and

evaluators, in April 2001, the AKC began issuing the certificates.

At the CGC test, owners should be given 2 parts of a three-part test form. On the form, owners are instructed to send in one copy of the test form with the recording fee of \$8.00 to receive the certificate. Owners may choose to not purchase a certificate and to use the copy of their test results as proof of passing the CGC test. Certificates take 4-6 weeks for processing and printing. The high-quality certificate has the same format as other AKC certificates and the CGC logo is embossed in gold at the bottom. The new official CGC certificate is very attractive and is suitable for framing.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE CERTIFICATE, THE OWNER MUST SEND THE PAPERWORK TO REQUEST THE CERTIFICATE TO AKC WITHIN 2 YEARS OF THE CGC TEST DATE. AFTER THAT TIME, THE DOG WILL NEED TO BE RETESTED.**

**THIS DOES NOT MEAN CGC CERTIFICATES EXPIRE EVERY 2 YEARS.** At this time, there is no expiration on CGC certificates, however, because behavior can change over time, we encourage owners to have their dogs retested every few years. When the CGC award is used as one of the requirements for therapy dog work, admission to a dog park, insurance, etc. these agencies will most often require that the dog will have passed the CGC test within the last 2 years.

## Therapy Dogs

Many dog owners complete CGC training and testing as a prerequisite to therapy dog certification. While the AKC does not certify therapy dogs, we are very proud that so many CGC dogs and their owners volunteer their time to improve the lives of other people. There are national therapy dog groups (and in some cities local groups) that certify therapy dogs. Therapy Dogs International (TDI) uses the AKC Canine Good Citizen test as a key component of its therapy dog assessment. TDI can be reached at [www.tdi-dog.org](http://www.tdi-dog.org)

For more information on these programs visit the American Kennel Club website.



# ABC NEW ENGLAND GROUSE AND WOODCOCK CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP



Coos County NH, September 10, 2010

The American Brittany Club's New England Grouse & Woodcock Classic continued its annual renewal in the White Mountains of New Hampshire on September 10th this year. Secretary Ray Gorman is instrumental in maintaining this annual event and is thanked by all. The hour walking courses through the Hemlock and softwood forest were cleaned up by many including Ray this past summer. The drier-than-usual summer had the courses in great shape. These grounds will also be used by many later in October to host the grand National Grouse Championships, which are heavily attended by many enthusiasts from throughout the country. This is a bit early for the trial to be held and the cover was thick indeed, making it at times hard to find a dog standing. Scouts on foot, who could cover the thick country were in demand by handlers.

The trial was supported by Purina again this year. All of the Brittany participants appreciated their effort and generous gifts. This grouse trial was held during a weekday and it appeared to have an effect on the participant level, so it was decided to fit the trial into a one day event. Our judges for the event had both judged and participated in the trial in previous years. Joseph Wessling from Hanson, MA has had multiple titled Brittanys, it was good to see Joe in the field once more. Lloyd Murray from Stark, NH and the Setter world came over again to judge our short-tailed dogs. All appreciated their efforts and thoughtful attention. This trial would not also happen without the efforts of a few volunteers. David Hayes and Dr. Roger McPherson from NNEBC came up along with your fellow scribe to help keep things in order. Keeping vehicles relocated from course beginning to their endings off the Loop road is no small job. Several other companions to participants also helped move vehicles throughout the WMNF road system. All met at the old guard shack lot at seven AM sharp to start this trial off. We then headed out on the thirteen mile Loop Road towards the famous Ammoonusuc course. We had seven one hour walking braces to get in, plus the derby stake of four braces, so the work was cut out for all. Everyone gave their best efforts and sportsmanship was shown throughout the event. The temperature for the day was a nice cool fifty degrees with over-cast skies. There was a chill in the air as the caravan arrived and dogs were belled for the start of the classic

**1st Brace-Ammoonusuc Course. WHIM-Conyngham and PENNY-Gorman.** 7:55 am Dogs broke loose from the breakaway with excitement and a small gallery headed downhill towards the Ammoonusuc river valley below. The dogs both broke right and left down the old skidder road trail with a nice cast to the left by Whim, who pushed forward within bell range. Penny drove off towards the valley and Gorman gathered her up after a minute or so. She came back into bell range and pushed the right side with some nice casts through the five minute mark. Course around five minutes starts to come into view of old clear cut toward the left with a small creek running on course's right side. Whim was boldly making nice casts in-out and across the course always to the front. Penny keep right digging down the little creek bottom with its Poplar and Fern understory. Both dogs kept out front nicely showing only on occasion. Handlers sung to the dogs heading down the course, but never aggressively. At seven, Grouse up just to front of the judges, who marked them for scribe. At the same time bells became silent just off course. Conyngham called point along with Gorman. Lloyd motioned for Conyngham to move in and try to flush. Grouse after Grouse exploded in front for all to see. Judges ordered both to fire and handlers did. All in order for both dogs and they were moved down the course. A divided find was carded. The excitement level picked up the pace and the dogs pushed the limits of bell range with Whim seeming to have a more extreme race. Whim made a run to the left and bell stopped at seventeen working our way laterally across ridge top below cut off. Judge and Conyngham move off course, around forty yards dog found standing. Two Grouse up and shot fired, all in order for Whim. Conyngham had to sing hard to the dog at the twenty minute mark as Gorman took

point. At the river bottom along the bank of the Ammoonusuc River Whim went hard left into the alders at thirty minutes. Point called and Wessling and Conyngham with scribe in tow went into the bottom alder thicket along the river. Whim was found standing and a Woodcock was produced, dog fired over, all in order. Penny, with Gorman singing was well out front at this time down course near the old beaver hole swamp. At thirty-two Penny was found standing by Gorman in the alders 20 yards in on the right. Woodcock produced, Gorman fired, all in order. Penny moved forward up course. At thirty-three Penny again was found standing a bird. Gorman flushed with Lloyd watching, Woodcock came out nicely over course. All was in order for Penny after the shot by Gorman. Meanwhile, Whim and Conyngham working from behind caught up to Gorman in the beaver hole area. Working along bank both dogs showed enthusiastic casts. Up of the bottom lands and heading up hill we worked our way through the second old clear cut. At forty-five Whim was still pushing for all she had through the thick cover. At fifty-three minutes Whim slams into a solid point just off the course at edge of old cut off. Whim's style here was picturesque, just what you want to see.

The birds were pinned in the edge Poplar stand. Conyngham goes in and Grouse after Crouse come up. Five birds counted. Conyngham fires, and all in order for Whim. Whim moved forward up the skidder path towards the ridge top. There is a little buzz in the gallery after this find.

Penny still making nice casts along with Whim up to the top as time is called. First brace of classic is over with multiple finds.

**2nd Brace Moosehorn-LIBBY-McPherson and JASPER-Conyngham** 9:15 am. Dogs broken away by handlers down the old skidder road into the depth of the clear cuts that line out Moosehorn. Libby and Jasper making straightaway drives, with Libby working the cover to the right side of course. At sharp left turn at seven top edge of old cut over Jasper continue straight downhill. Libby gathered by McPherson and head into first cut over. Conyngham sings hard to Jasper and scout continues to try and maintain bell. Jasper is gone for a few minutes but gathered up at twelve. McPherson moves down along edge of cut as the course works downhill with cut on right and a little creek bottom on left. Just off course Grouse up at thirteen with Jasper pull a stop to flush. Judge orders to fire over Jasper and he maintains. At fifteen Libby works right side near along little creek bottom with plenty of alders. Jasper pulls another stop to flush just off course and Conyngham fires. Dog moved forward at seventeen. Meantime Libby is on the right during this and second grouse up near by. Libby is being looked for by McPherson. Judge in tow they go off about twenty yards and find Libby standing. Libby's point produces a third grouse and she is fired over, all in order. Both dogs moved on down course across creek crossing and along ridge. Dogs working nicely out front, towards the second swamp area located to right of little of the trail hugging a high spot. At twenty nine minutes point is called by McPherson on right side. Libby located in around thirty five yards. Two grouse up and all is in order for Libby. At the same time Jasper is found standing close by. Woodcock up and dog fired over. All in order here also. Both dogs moved forward up course. We hit the corner of the pine clear cut far end of course at forty. Both dogs working nicely, with Libby digging in all the right areas. Jasper also showing his style forward and to the front. We climb the hill (Mtn) back out of the bottom lands for the next twenty, going by several nice sections with no further bird work. Time is called with Libby pushing the edges off the skidder road to the bells extreme. Dogs gathered and we hike six minutes out to Loop Road.

**3rd Brace-Lonesome Ridge-RILEY-Gorman and LITTLE MAN-Conyngham** 11:14. We take an extended ride over to the Ridge for the third brace. Dogs broke loose with enthusiasm. There were a few spectators in the gallery for this trip down and through towards the river. At fifteen Riley was really working the limits of bell range and Gorman was singing to him



all the way along the course. Little Man showing some nice application through the poplar stands. Little Man's style was a bit off from his usually forward race that we know back here in the east. Riley was full of himself today and Gorman was trying for all he could to keep him on course. At the Blondin corner where overgrown skidder roads intersect here at twenty-six Riley made an extended cast that had Gorman singing hard. Riley was finally gathered up and gallery moved toward half way mark. Conyngham continued to keep Little Man forward throughout the course. Little Man handled nicely during the later trip on the ridge above the Ammoonusuc River, but to no avail. No birds produced on this course today.

**4th Brace Goldenrod Extension. SKY-McPherson and JESSE-Sinclair** 12:42 pm. Nice over grown clear cut here we run dogs along then reach into logging roads through out the ridge tops. Dogs bread down the course off the left of clear cut overgrowth. The area is very wet and many get hung up, including the dogs. We finally clear the hell-hole area and move forward down the back side of clear cut. Both dogs working with nicely making casts far into the forested areas. A new extension has been put in this summer by work crew to lengthen the usual Derby course. Sky here is reaching with a lot of enthusiasm as is his norm. McPherson singing to maintain with dog. Jesse a little more handy to his handler, but still making nice moves. We head deep into the woods at seventeen and Jesse found on point by Sinclair. Sinclair attempts flush but nothing is produced and a U.P is carded. At this time several heard a grouse lift way off to the left of the dog. No bird was ever seen though. This new section has a lot of Beech in this area and the understory is more open. With sky making some nice casts off to the left, McPherson looses the bell. Scout is called and the search finds Sky standing by McPherson. McPherson can not produce a bird here either and a U.P. is carded. Dogs move on throughout the course with both handlers singing. We finally loop back towards the big cut off at fifty two and climb out towards the vehicles. No bird work carded at time.

**5th Brace-Pancake BEA-McPherson-ABBY-Black.** 2:30 pm. After a little stoppage to gather dogs up from various vehicles we gather at the skidder road head of Pancake. Dogs broke away nicely with Bea taking the point. We climb into the cut off at seven minutes and the cover improves to a black birch thorn area with plenty for the grouse to eat. Bea makes a little better use of the cover here trying to dig out a Woodcock or Grouse. Black gathers up Abby as she does a nice reach into the black birch island at thirteen. Moose sign is every where here in this cut off. Course comes across on old skidder road into a wet area. At seventeen Bea hits a quick point just off course in front of gallery. Woodcock is up and McPherson fires. Judge cards a find for Bea. Abby works handily for Black in this area as we make our way toward the swamp crossing. Bea continues to push bell range. We cross swamp water area at twenty three with all getting wet. Abby makes nice cast to right again and ;Black has to pull her towards the course as we make a left turn. At fifty five we hit the logging road leading out to the vehicles. This is a nice walking area much better then the back forty. Bea is reaching with McPherson looking to pull a Grouse out of the ridge top. Black continues to have Abby forward. At fifty eight Bea's bell goes silent. We find Bea standing upon the right ridge and climb up. McPherson can not produce bird. Bea is releases but never establishes point again as time is called.

**6th Brace-Ammoonusuc-MOCHA-Conyngham and LILLY-Gorman.** 4:32. Back to the famous course for an evening run over. It is anticipated some bird work should be had as we had some fun earlier as mentioned. The shadows are lengthening now in the valley. Both dogs breakaway. Mocha and Lilly working somewhat handier then expected. They start to make nice reaching casts as we hit the ten minute mark along the left is the over grown clear cut. Many birds are produced here, but nothing on this trip. We hit the river bottom at twenty-seven with no birds produced. Penny makes cast to right for Gorman and bell cannot be found. Penny cannot be located by scout for extended time. It is thought she may have slipped forward as Mocha is not ahead. Gorman elects to move forward to try and locate dog. We race to front and Mocha is working solo for Conyngham. Gorman is now singing hard for Lilly and after extended time she appears on course moving forward. It is felt by

all she was standing back in the beaver hole area. Now the fun begins, at forty-five with Lilly in twenty yards Woodcock comes up over course. Then Mocha, just off to the left along river produces a stop to flush on another Woodcock. Conyngham fires and dog is sent on. Lilly is just off the course on the right as Grouse after Grouse are lifting from the shot of Conyngham. Scribe counts eight separate birds. Lilly is in where birds are lifting. She cannot maintain and she is finally collared by Gorman. Mocha is working still down as point is called by Conyngham at fifty-two. Nothing produced and Mocha is moved forward, a bird was heard lifting in the vicinity of Mocha by gallery, but not seen by anyone. Mocha with Conyngham moves up course. We cross beaver dam and head up hill into clear cut. Time is called at clear cut and we make a short cut up through to Loop road.

**7th Brace-Ammoonusuc Extension to Moosehorn. PIXIE-GORMAN and DUKE-Hembrough.** 6:06 pm. Old Derby course towards the Moosehorn clear-cut area. Shadows are lengthening; dogs broke away with enthusiasm down the skidder road that runs horizontal to Loop Road. Duke is making some lengthy casts to the right side of course. Pixie is working handy for Gorman during this time. At fifteen Gorman elects to pick up Pixie as she is not herself today. Duke continues to work the woods nicely for Hembrough as he sings to his dog. Over grown cut off does not produce for Duke and dog moves off in a big cast into the forest at twenty-two minutes. Bell is found again at twenty-five and then dog is heard from at twenty-seven. Duke hurts his foot at roughly thirty minutes coming out of the forest downhill onto course and Hembrough elects to pick him up. This ends the Classic at 6:36 pm.

Anticipation of placements was discussed by many as we all head to the old guard shack with the light fading.

- Placements announced:  
 1st place-Whim-Conyngham  
 2nd place-Libby-McPherson  
 3rd place-Penny-Gorman  
 4th place-Jasper-Conyngham

***New England Brittany Grouse and Woodcock Championship  
 Open Gun Dog 1hr (14S)***

***J: Lloyd B. Murray & Joseph Wessling***

- 1 - CENTERVILLE WHIM (B), by Casyles Bozo x Casyle's Tina; o David Marshall, h Sarah Cunningham
- 2 - FC SUEMAC'S LIBERTY BELLE (B), by FC Suemac's Bodacious Pride x Suemac's Carolina Belle; o Roger & Sue McPherson, h Roger McPherson
- 3 - PENELOPE OF COOS (B), by FC/AFC Coos Rylee x Suemac's Blazen Bibi; o Raymond Gorman & Roger McPherson, h Ray Gorman
- 4 - CASCO BAY JASPER (D), by Crosswinds Buddy O'Buck x Ray's New Sensation of Coos; o Peter J. Mazzaglia, h Sarah Cunningham



**Back row: Judges Joe Wessling and Lloyd Murray  
 Front Row: Sara Cunningham with champion Centerville Whim, Judge Murray's daughter, Roger McPherson with runner-up champion Sumac's Liberty Belle, Ray Gorman with Penelope of Coos, and Art Hembrough with Casco Bay Jasper**

# Just An Old Brittany Bird Dog

by Joe Gower

Scarlet, a grey faced old Brittany sat peering out the front windshield through the portion of the glass cleared by the wipers and pouring rain that wasn't otherwise smeared with desert mud. The heater was blowing, and the steam rising from her soft curly hair held the odor of wet dog as though it belonged there; a quick glance around the interior of the old Suburban made it clear that the smell wasn't intruding on anything. It resembled a bit of a rolling shack, with an ice chest, guns, jacks, chains, shovels, a few extra clothes and a communal sleeping bag for dog and man. It was handy for chukar hunting, a rolling camp that was always convenient.

By most standards it had been a miserable day; wind, rain and sleet that lacked the civility and functionality of snow in 4x4 travel, had saturated the desert floor and its accompanying slopes and made the mundane act of driving an aerobic exercise. On numerous occasions the engine whined with RPM's and spinning tires threw mud at distances that would have been more than impressive to an observer but it was patently inefficient for forward motion. This didn't account for the moments that the tires might catch and launch the vehicle forward, up and over a randomly placed lava rock only to slam down, the force generally serving to rearrange the contents of the rolling shack, including its living occupants. Still, Scarlett sat peering intently at the grey sage hill-sides, disengaged with the lack of comfort, clearly interested only in a destination that would put her back on the hunt.

Her first run of the day had begun a few hours earlier, an hour or so after daybreak in the desert. We had rolled out of the shack together, with relatively dry clothes and fur and began a hike up a long and winding rocky ridge. Her movements were quick and notably efficient if you knew what you were looking at. She used the wind as she moved upward, always forward, rolling from side to side where the ridge was broadest at the bottom and flashing from side to side as the ridge narrowed near the rim rocks at the top. The dry warmth of the sleeping bag was long since gone, but the familiarity of being wet had not yet settled in when Scarlet hit her first point in a rolling cheat grass covered saddle just before the ridge peak.

It is during the trek to a dog pointing a covey of wild Chukars that the desert steals your heart. It is a walk of trust, tenacity, and hope. For most, the climb will be more than they thought they were capable of; and when you do make it, a dog that holds the birds solid as you catch your breath and move in for the shot becomes priceless. After the first covey, all things seem possible. My wool glove wiped the rain drops from the face of the Garmin as I checked the distance to the dog, first 250 yards, then 200, 160, 120, and at 80 she is in sight. Her nose is held high as she looks right into the rim rock; her stub tail is stiff as she waits patiently for the flush and shot she has worked so hard for. Only her flaring nostrils and soft brown eyes move as she tracks the gun in front of her. In just a few steps beyond her the covey lifts, they are trapped against the base of the rim rock and roll to either side, in this instance indecision reigns supreme and in an opportu-

nity for a few, a single shot drops a lone chukar. She breaks at the fall and is quickly on the downed bird.

Scarlet fusses only a moment with the flapping bird on the ground before securing it and then returns happily back up the slope to deliver the goods. She drops the bird into the wool glove extended to her, the grey feathers are mostly dry and in sharp contrast to the wet dog and the wet man. As always, she waits for the bird to be put in the pouch, takes one last sniff at it standing on her hind legs, and then moves on up the ridge.

For a moment, the weather had been an afterthought, but at the top of the ridge the cold wind and blowing sleet is a brutal reminder. Scarlet is harder to see now, the ridge is a series of peaks and valleys that she disappears busily in and out of, the stinging weather makes it hard to lift your face up, and much of the tracking is done by watching the wet Garmin screen. Her casts are concentrated on the lee side of the rim rock out of the wind and I wonder if it is experience or just a desire to stay out of the weather. The ridge begins to turn back and round out in a large irregular bowl that travels back down near where we began. Scarlet follows a drainage down on the far side, in sight now, and easy to see as she slams hard on point, her body contorted in a "U" with her nose and head turning slowly to a stop facing back up the ridge.



The walk is not so far, but the icy shale is of poor footing, each step is measured, and the evidence of treachery in previous treks is seen clearly in the nicked bluing and dented stock of the Benelli 20 bore auto. On the far side of the bowl the wind blows steadily downward, Scarlet is waiting locked intently; muscles quivering, with a nose full of scent from a covey of birds that are clearly close. This time, I don't make it to the front, walking up beside the pointing dog sends a covey up and out. Hastily, three shots are thrown behind the birds heading down and to the right, the covey sails untouched out of sight over the ridge. Scarlet has taken only a nervous single step, and is once again taut, there is no time to reload when half a dozen birds or more get up and turn down hill, with two remaining shots (Nevada doesn't require a plug) a chukar falls on each and bounces on the steep slope. Scarlet retrieves the first bird quickly and then disappears. The Garmin receiver shows her 200 yards away and after a moments absence she reappears with a cripple. Her muzzle that looked so gray, is white when held in contrast to the darker bird but her soft brown eyes sparkle, I pat her head and try not to think about her getting old.

Back down the slope near the truck a single was pointed and cleanly missed twice, begrudgingly Scarlet was returned to the Suburban. After a shared late breakfast of smoked oysters from the can, some crackers, and coffee from a hand press, the sloppy commute began. Another gray sage basin trimmed with red rim rock awaited us, Scarlet focused intently on which one it might be, my heart tells me she hoped it was the nearest one. I was content to wrestle the weather and the soupy desert floor for control of the Suburban. I had Scarlet to myself, I could see the old girls soul, and it always helps me look for mine.

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# Obedience, Agility & Rally

## OBEDIENCE – NOVEMBER 2010

### November 5

#### Oak Ridge Kennel Club

Obedience Open A *Mr. G Feathers* (14t)

1 Mt View Shangrila CD JH OA AXJ, *J Erickson*..... 195.5

### November 6

#### Birmingham Obedience Training Club, Inc.

Obedience Open A *Ms. L F Eggers* (6t)

2 Molecules In Motion CD GN RA, *L Powell/T Powell*..... 185.5

#### Companion Dog Training Club of Flint, Inc.

Obedience Open B *Mr. S G Pool* (24t)

2 OTCH Lane's End Fortune UDX7 OM6 AX AXJ, *K Sweet*..... 197.5

Obedience Utility B *Mrs. J Pool* (26t)

OTCH Lane's End Fortune UDX7 OM6 AX AXJ, *K Sweet*..... 190.5

#### Lake Eustis Kennel Club, Inc.

Obedience Novice A *Mr. R R Withers* (2t)

1 Farout Fields Xorbitant Fancy RAE JH, *C Youngblood/A Youngblood*..... 194.0

#### Napa Valley Dog Training Club

Obedience Novice B *Mr. K L Blanchard* (11t)

1 Gerstdale's Frito Bandito RN, *H Tucker/D Inferrera*..... 196.0

#### Napa Valley Dog Training Club

Obedience Novice B *Mrs. L B Delinger* (11t)

3 Gerstdale's Frito Bandito RN, *H Tucker/D Inferrera* ..... 192.0

#### Tennessee Valley Kennel Club

Obedience Open A *Mr. D W Haddock* (13t)

1 Mt View Shangrila CD JH OA AXJ, *J Erickson*..... 185.0

#### Timber Ridge Obedience Club of Central Wisconsin

Obedience Open B *Mr. N X Aguirre* (7t)

3 Jayhawker's Lucky Jack UD, *G Hartlmeier* ..... 195.0

#### Tri-State Kennel Club, Inc.

Obedience Novice B *Mr. J J Ham* (8t)

Blueridge Sinfull Delight CD, *J CORLEY/D Downing*..... 191.0

### November 7

#### Companion Dog Training Club of Flint, Inc.

Obedience Open B *Mrs. J Pool* (25t)

2 CH OTCH Chilcote's Credit Check UDX13 OM6 JH AX AXJ, *K Sweet*..... 197.0

Obedience Utility B *Mr. S G Pool* (25t)

4 CH OTCH Chilcote's Credit Check UDX13 OM6 JH AX AXJ, *K Sweet*..... 195.5

OTCH Lane's End Fortune UDX7 OM6 AX AXJ, *K Sweet*..... 193.0

#### Glenbard All Breed Obedience Club

Obedience Open A *Mrs. D E Miller* (22t)

4 CH Dogwood Hollow C Me Fly CD RAE JH OA AXJ NAP NJP NF, *M Starsiak* ..... 190.0

#### Lake Eustis Kennel Club, Inc.

Obedience Novice A *Mr. J Kern* (1t)

1 Farout Fields Xorbitant Fancy CD RAE JH, *C Youngblood/A Youngblood* ..... 186.5

### November 13

#### D'Arbonne Kennel Club

Obedience Beginner Novice B *Mrs. N D Simmons* (9t)

4 Razin-A-Ruckus Bring On The Akshun RN, *P Orms/B Orms*..... 191.5

#### Kalamazoo Kennel Club, Inc.

Obedience Open B *Mrs. L C Botko* (18t)

Maxwell Of Auten UDX2 OM1 VER RE, *C Haedt/C Witte-Haedt* ..... 192.0

### November 14

#### D'Arbonne Kennel Club

Obedience Beginner Novice B *Ms. S D Crossman* (7t)

3 Razin-A-Ruckus Bring On The Akshun RN, *P Orms/B Orms*..... 190.5

### November 20

#### Greater Ocala Dog Club, Inc.

Obedience Novice A A P Kincaid (2t)

1 Farout Fields Xorbitant Fancy CD RAE JH, *C Youngblood/A Youngblood* ..... 187.5

#### Westmoreland County Obedience Training Club

Obedience Beginner Novice B *Mrs. T A Woodrow* (17t)

1 Honeysuckle's U Liti Rascal UD VER RE NA OAJ, *R Garvin/K Garvin*..... 197.0

### November 21

#### Westmoreland County Obedience Training Club

Obedience Beginner Novice B *Mr. T A Walsheky* (22t)

2 Honeysuckle's U Liti Rascal UD BN VER RE NA OAJ, *R Garvin/K Garvin* ..... 198.5

### November 26

#### American Brittany Club, Inc.

Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Classes

Open B, Jayhawker's Lucky Jack UD, *G Hartlmeier* ..... 195.0

Obedience Open B *Mrs. N D Simmons* (5t)

1 Jayhawker's Lucky Jack UD, *G Hartlmeier* ..... 195.0

2 Ashley's Sassy Lil Gabrielle CDX GN RA OAP NJP NFP, *D Stover/C Crosley* ..... 186.0

3 Tikalis Risa CDX OA NAJ, *R Robinson*..... 175.5

Obedience Utility B *Mrs. N D Simmons* (3t)

1 CH MACH Keili's Star Sapphire UD RN JH, *E Drazek* ..... 182.0

### November 29

#### National Capital Kennel Club, Inc.

Obedience Novice B *Mr. D A Levinson* (20t)

Ivy Hill Mcgowan, *A Yellott* ..... 180.0

Obedience Versatility *Mr. D A Levinson* (8t)

CH MACH Keili's Dixie Christmas UD RN JH AXP OJP, *L Osmansky/S Osmansky*..... 182.5

## AGILITY – NOVEMBER 2010

### November 5

#### Claron Canine Obedience Club

Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *P Nettles* (29t) 57 Seconds, 161 Yards

Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, *S Miller/L Miller* ..... 100 51.60

Ag FAST Excel B (20 INCHES), *P Nettles* (10t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards

3 Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, *S Miller/L Miller*..... 69 30.98

#### Show Me Agility Club of Central Missouri

Ag Excel A (20 INCHES), *B Kelly* (6t) 62 Seconds, 178 Yards

1 Cimmaron Made You Look Jack OA OAJ, *C Baron*..... 100 55.80

Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *B Kelly* (3t) 44 Seconds, 147 Yards

3 Cimmaron Miss Molly Golightly CDX RE AXP AJP, *C Baron*..... 100 37.25

### November 6

#### Central Virginia Agility Club

Ag Excel A (20 INCHES), *P R Sturtz* (8t) 64 Seconds, 183 Yards

2 N-Vee's Point Of No Return CD RE OA OAJ, *M Sweeney/I Sweeney*..... 100 49.86

Ag JWW Excel A (20 INCHES), *P R Sturtz* (7t) 41 Seconds, 154 Yards

2 N-Vee's Point Of No Return CD RE OA OAJ, *M Sweeney/I Sweeney* ..... 100 34.12

#### Claron Canine Obedience Club

Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), *P Nettles* (36t) 39 Seconds, 146 Yards

Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, *S Miller/L Miller*..... 100 31.23

CH Brookewood's Mardi Gras CD JH MX MXJ NF, *S Osmansky/L Osmansky* ..... 100 34.86

Ag JWW Excel A Pref (16 INCHES), *P Nettles* (1t) 44 Seconds, 146 Yards

1 CH MACH Keili's Dixie Christmas UD RN JH AXP OJP, *L Osmansky/S Osmansky* ..... 100 34.33

#### Flatirons Kennel Club

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *K L Holm* (37t) 69 Seconds, 182 Yards

CH Klear-Ly Wanted MX MXJ OF, *C Tschirgi* ..... 100 45.73

Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *K L Holm* (8t) 70 Seconds, 187 Yards

Winchester MXP2 MJ3 NFP, *L Hugh/J Hugh* ..... 100 60.45

#### Kennel Club of Palm Springs, Inc.

Ag Novice Pref (16 INCHES), *L L Herring* (2t) 74 Seconds, 145 Yards

1 Sydney Elisabeth Loomis, *A Loomis* ..... 100 55.17

#### Little Rock Dog Training Club, Inc.

Ag JWW Novice A (20 INCHES), *R Crane* (6t) 35 Seconds, 106 Yards

Maggie Mae Brown RAE, *E Brown*..... 90 32.10

#### Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association

Ag FAST Novice A (20 INCHES), *L Sage* (2t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards

1 Saljaxx Little Red Menace Mimi, *E Wells/M Forman*..... 62 39.78

#### Schenectady Dog Training Club, Inc.

Ag Open (20 INCHES), *D A Hunt* (9t) 70 Seconds, 172 Yards

Swift River's Sweet Deceit NA NAJ, *S Buehler*..... 95 59.67

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *D A Hunt* (18t) 70 Seconds, 184 Yards

2 CH MACH Top Shelf's Crown Royal MXF, *A Lee*..... 100 43.06

#### Show Me Agility Club of Central Missouri

Ag Excel A (16 INCHES), *B Kelly* (4t) 64 Seconds, 168 Yards

1 CH Melridge Hearts A Fire OA AXJ, *J Huelsmeyer* ..... 100 54.78

Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *B Kelly* (4t) 44 Seconds, 146 Yards

3 Cimmaron Miss Molly Golightly CDX RE AXP AJP, *C Baron* ..... 100 37.80



**Tibetan Terrier Club of America, Inc.**

Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *A Riba* (14t) 42 Seconds, 148 Yards  
 MACH Rustins Valuable Treasure JH OF, *C Driscoll/A Schilling* ..... 100 31.41

**November 7****Baytown Kennel Club, Inc.**

Ag JWW Excel B (24 INCHES), *J Meyer* (17t) 45 Seconds, 161 Yards  
 3 Faison's One Moment In Thyme CD RA JH AX AXJ NF, *J Bryson/D Bryson* ..... 100 27.64  
 Ag FAST Open (24 INCHES), *J Meyer* (3t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards  
 1 Faison's One Moment In Thyme CD RA JH AX AXJ NF, *J Bryson/D Bryson* ..... 74 30.89

**Clarion Canine Obedience Club**

Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *P Nettles* (2t) 68 Seconds, 180 Yards  
 1 CH MACH Keili's Dixie Christmas UD RN JH AXP OJP, *L Osmansky/S Osmansky*..... 100 62.49

**Flatirons Kennel Club**

Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *Mr. K Harold* (9t) 62 Seconds, 160 Yards  
 Winchester MXP2 MJP3 NFP, *L Hugh/J Hugh* ..... 100 58.35  
 Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *K L Holm* (8t) 45 Seconds, 150 Yards  
 3 Cinnamon MXP2 MJP2 NFP, *L Hugh/J Hugh*..... 100 43.18

**Kennel Club of Palm Springs, Inc.**

Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *D Gomer* (49t) 63 Seconds, 181 Yards  
 CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, *J Hunt* ..... 100 40.23

**Little Rock Dog Training Club, Inc.**

Ag JWW Novice A (20 INCHES), *R Crane* (5t) 37 Seconds, 111 Yards  
 3 Maggie Mae Brown RAE, *E Brown*..... 100 35.10

**Schenectady Dog Training Club, Inc.**

Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *DA Hunt* (19t) 41 Seconds, 144 Yards  
 3 CH MACH Top Shelf's Crown Royal MXF, *A Lee*..... 100 25.50

**Show Me Agility Club of Central Missouri**

Ag Excel A (16 INCHES), *B Kelly* (5t) 66 Seconds, 174 Yards  
 1 CH Melridge Hearts A Fire OA AXJ, *J Huelsmeyer* ..... 100 55.24  
 Ag Excel A (20 INCHES), *B Kelly* (8t) 62 Seconds, 177 Yards  
 1 Cimmaron Made You Look Jack OA OAJ, *C Baron* ..... 100 53.17  
 Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *B Kelly* (4t) 42 Seconds, 140 Yards  
 3 Cimmaron Miss Molly Golightly CDX RE AXP AJP, *C Baron*..... 100 41.18

**November 12****Admiral Perry Obedience Training Club**

Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), *T Elger* (27t) 39 Seconds, 146 Yards  
 Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, *S Miller/L Miller* ..... 100 34.05

**Dog Training Club of Tampa**

Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *M Fletcher* (21t) 39 Seconds, 136 Yards  
 CH MACH2 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH XF, *R Howell/V Howell* ..... 100 33.57

**Newnan Kennel Club**

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *P C Liu* (27t) 69 Seconds, 182 Yards  
 CH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 100 52.09  
 Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *P C Liu* (35t) 65 Seconds, 186 Yards  
 4 MACH2 Chilcote's Elusive Flyby CDX RE XF, *K Delucas* ..... 100 46.61  
 Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *H E Etzel* (28t) 47 Seconds, 165 Yards  
 CH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 100 34.37  
 Ag FAST Excel B (16 INCHES), *H E Etzel* (4t) 35 Seconds, 0 Yards  
 3 CH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 68 29.64  
 Ag FAST Excel B (20 INCHES), *H E Etzel* (7t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards  
 2 CH Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 68 31.79

**Queen City Dog Training Club, Inc.**

Ag Excel B Pref (12 INCHES), *Mrs. D VanHousen* (4t) 70 Seconds, 172 Yards  
 1 MACH Voyageur's B.B. Beretta BN RN AXP AJP MXF, *P Steele-Scott/D Scott*..... 100 62.55  
 Ag JWW Novice B (20 INCHES), *Mr. K S VanHousen* (5t) 36 Seconds, 108 Yards  
 2 Shakespeare's Conundrum, *E Behnke*..... 100 27.80  
 Ag JWW Excel B Pref (12 INCHES), *Mr. K S VanHousen* (5t) 48 Seconds, 149 Yards  
 3 MACH Voyageur's B.B. Beretta BN RN AXP AJP MXF, *P Steele-Scott/D Scott* ..... 100 37.21

**St. Paul Dog Training Club**

Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *J C Roberts* (1t) 46 Seconds, 155 Yards  
 1 Chardonnay AXP AJP, *D Geving* ..... 100 39.18

**Superstition Kennel Club, Inc.**

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *D J Nauer* (15t) 67 Seconds, 177 Yards  
 MACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF, *L Shubitz* ..... 100 44.70  
 Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *Mrs. L M Rieves* (18t) 44 Seconds, 153 Yards  
 MACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF, *L Shubitz* ..... 100 30.18

**November 13****Admiral Perry Obedience Training Club**

Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *T Elger* (38t) 65 Seconds, 185 Yards  
 Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, *S Miller/L Miller* ..... 100 57.72

**American Bullmastiff Association, Inc.**

Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *L L Herring* (5t) 50 Seconds, 168 Yards

2 CH Willogold's RH Magenta MX MXJ AXP AJP OF, *J Tees/K Tees*..... 100 38.29

**Capital City Cocker Club, Inc.**

Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *C Dewey* (40t) 66 Seconds, 189 Yards  
 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, *K McNeal*..... 100 54.07  
 Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *C Dewey* (4t) 71 Seconds, 189 Yards  
 3 Vanilla Hot Fudge Delight MX MXJ MXP3 MJP5 PAX MXF, *K McNeal* ..... 100 55.47  
 Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), *Mrs. C S Tilly* (39t) 45 Seconds, 168 Yards  
 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, *K McNeal* ..... 100 37.26

**Dog Training Club of Tampa Inc**

Ag Novice B (20 INCHES), *J Case* (9t) 66 Seconds, 138 Yards  
 Chilcote Kaze's Rising Sun NAJ, *R Howell/V Howell* ..... 85 64.22  
 Ag JWW Open Pref (12 INCHES), *M Fletcher* (1t) 47 Seconds, 138 Yards  
 1 CH Chilcote's One More Than You JH MX MXJ NAP NJP OF, *V Howell/R Howell*..... 100 29.36  
 Ag FAST Excel B (16 INCHES), *T Brown* (9t) 35 Seconds, 0 Yards  
 2 CH MACH2 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH XF, *R Howell/V Howell* ..... 73 31.36  
 Ag FAST Novice Pref (12 INCHES), *M Fletcher* (1t) 38 Seconds, 0 Yards  
 1 CH Chilcote's One More Than You JH MX MXJ NAP NJP OF, *V Howell/R Howell*..... 69 31.98

**Newnan Kennel Club**

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *H E Etzel* (29t) 70 Seconds, 186 Yards  
 CH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 100 52.01  
 Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *H E Etzel* (43t) 68 Seconds, 194 Yards  
 CH Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson* ..... 100 50.05  
 MACH2 Chilcote's Elusive Flyby CDX RE XF, *K Delucas* ..... 100 52.98  
 Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *P C Liu* (32t) 43 Seconds, 152 Yards  
 CH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson* ..... 100 35.37  
 Ag FAST Excel B (16 INCHES), *P C Liu* (6t) 35 Seconds, 0 Yards  
 2 CH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 63 38.58  
 Ag FAST Excel B (20 INCHES), *P C Liu* (8t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards  
 1 CH Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson* ..... 72 23.50

**Nor-Cal Golden Retriever Club**

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *K A Bradley* (24t) 66 Seconds, 173 Yards  
 3 Shiloh's Unstoppable Molly CDX RA AX AXJ, *J Tarby/L Tarby*..... 100 43.67

**Orange Coast Rhodesian Ridgeback Club**

Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *D Wheeler* (29t) 65 Seconds, 185 Yards  
 1 CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, *J Hunt* ..... 100 39.66  
 Katie Barnhart MX MXJ, *F Barnhart*..... 100 52.44  
 Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), *D Wheeler* (29t) 40 Seconds, 151 Yards  
 Katie Barnhart MX MXJ, *F Barnhart*..... 100 33.68

**St. Paul Dog Training Club**

Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), *J C Roberts* (2t) 48 Seconds, 160 Yards  
 1 Chardonnay AXP AJP, *D Geving* ..... 100 40.36

**Superstition Kennel Club, Inc.**

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *Mrs. L M Rieves* (18t) 65 Seconds, 172 Yards  
 3 MACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF, *L Shubitz* ..... 100 44.26  
 Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *D J Nauer* (21t) 41 Seconds, 144 Yards  
 MACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF, *L Shubitz* ..... 100 27.23

**Tri-County Agility Club of Missouri**

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *C Boudrot* (22t) 64 Seconds, 169 Yards  
 Timberlane's Treasured Time MX MXJ, *B Whitmore/M Whitmore* ..... 100 47.12

**November 14****Admiral Perry Obedience Training Club**

Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), *T Elger* (35t) 42 Seconds, 156 Yards  
 Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, *S Miller/L Miller* ..... 100 34.79

**Agility Ability Club of Illinois**

Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *K Guerra* (18t) 42 Seconds, 146 Yards  
 3 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice OA AXJ OF, *A Schilling/C Driscoll* ..... 100 29.56  
 MACH Rustins Valuable Treasure JH OF, *C Driscoll/A Schilling*..... 100 32.64

**Dog Training Club of Tampa Inc**

Ag Novice B (20 INCHES), *M Fletcher* (6t) 67 Seconds, 139 Yards  
 2 Chilcote Kaze's Rising Sun NAJ, *R Howell/V Howell* ..... 100 54.41  
 Ag JWW Open Pref (12 INCHES), *J Case* (1t) 42 Seconds, 120 Yards  
 1 CH Chilcote's One More Than You JH MX MXJ NAP NJP OF, *V Howell/R Howell*..... 95 32.06

**Newnan Kennel Club**

Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), *P C Liu* (45t) 66 Seconds, 188 Yards  
 CH Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson* ..... 100 51.15  
 MACH2 Chilcote's Elusive Flyby CDX RE XF, *K Delucas* ..... 100 57.12  
 Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *H E Etzel* (31t) 43 Seconds, 150 Yards  
 CH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 100 32.27  
 Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), *H E Etzel* (46t) 41 Seconds, 155 Yards  
 MACH2 Chilcote's Elusive Flyby CDX RE XF, *K Delucas* ..... 100 27.76  
 CH Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MX MXJ XF, *M Jackson/J Jackson*..... 100 32.15

**Nor-Cal Golden Retriever Club**

Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), *K L Holm* (23t) 68 Seconds, 180 Yards  
 Shiloh's Unstoppable Molly CDX RA AX AXJ, *J Tarby/L Tarby*..... 100 49.27  
 Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), *K A Bradley* (27t) 40 Seconds, 140 Yards

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| Shiloh's Unstoppable Molly CDX RA AX AXJ, <i>J Tarby/L Tarby</i> .....                | 100 31.72 | Ag FAST Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>S Gichner</i> (7t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards                 |           |
|   |           | 4 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                            | 73 29.02  |
| <b>Orange Coast Rhodesian Ridgeback Club</b>  |           |  |           |
| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>D Wheeler</i> (29t) 62 Seconds, 178 Yards                  |           | <b>Saguaro Scramblers Agility Club</b>   |           |
| 2 CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, <i>J Hunt</i> .....                         | 100 39.86 | Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>C Bowers</i> (10t) 47 Seconds, 164 Yards                |           |
| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>D Wheeler</i> (29t) 38 Seconds, 142 Yards              |           | 3 MACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF, <i>L Shubitz</i> .....                       | 100 30.55 |
| 3 CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, <i>J Hunt</i> .....                         | 100 23.28 |  |           |
| <b>Queen City Dog Training Club, Inc.</b>   |           |  |           |
| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>Mr. K S VanHousen</i> (23t) 42 Seconds, 156 Yards      |           | <b>Samoyed Club of Los Angeles</b>   |           |
| Tressel OA AXJ NAP NJP XF, <i>E Behnke</i> .....                                      | 100 32.97 | Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>J Willmore</i> (34t) 48 Seconds, 180 Yards              |           |
| Ag JWW Excel B Pref (12 INCHES), <i>Mr. K S VanHousen</i> (4t) 48 Seconds, 151 Yards  |           | 4 MACH Shiloh Of Agoura , <i>L Wilk</i> .....  | 100 32.81 |
| 3 MACH Voyageur's B.B. Beretta BN RN AXP AJP MXF, <i>P Steele-Scott/D Scott</i> ..... | 100 38.60 |  |           |
| <b>St. Paul Dog Training Club</b>   |           |  |           |
| Ag Novice A (20 INCHES), <i>J C Roberts</i> (1t) 73 Seconds, 153 Yards                |           | <b>November 21</b>   |           |
| 1 Benjamin Bonaparte-Monkey, <i>D Geving/G Geving</i> .....                           | 95 47.02  | <b>Fayetteville Kennel Club, Inc.</b>  |           |
| Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>J C Roberts</i> (2t) 66 Seconds, 174 Yards            |           | Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>D Mosher</i> (34t) 61 Seconds, 160 Yards                    |           |
| 1 Chardonnay AXP AJP, <i>D Geving</i> .....   | 100 54.97 | 2 MACH8 Julia Flying Cinnamon Girl UD RAE MXF TQX, <i>D Banks</i> .....                | 100 38.64 |
| Ag JWW Novice A (20 INCHES), <i>J C Roberts</i> (1t) 36 Seconds, 108 Yards            |           | Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>T Slattery</i> (36t) 45 Seconds, 157 Yards              |           |
| 1 Benjamin Bonaparte-Monkey, <i>D Geving/G Geving</i> .....                           | 100 24.79 | MACH8 Julia Flying Cinnamon Girl UD RAE MXF TQX, <i>D Banks</i> .....                  | 100 30.35 |
| Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>J C Roberts</i> (2t) 46 Seconds, 155 Yards        |           |  |           |
| 1 Chardonnay AXP AJP, <i>D Geving</i> .....   | 100 37.31 |  |           |
| <b>Superstition Kennel Club, Inc.</b>   |           |  |           |
| Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>D J Nauer</i> (17t) 70 Seconds, 184 Yards                  |           | <b>Fort Bend Kennel Club, Inc.</b>   |           |
| 4 MACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF, <i>L Shubitz</i> .....                      | 100 41.83 | Ag Excel B (24 INCHES), <i>A R Arthur</i> (20t) 66 Seconds, 176 Yards                  |           |
| Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>Mrs. L M Rieves</i> (18t) 43 Seconds, 149 Yards        |           | 2 Faison's One Moment In Thyme CD RA JH AX AXJ OF, <i>J Bryson/D Bryson</i> .....      | 100 42.29 |
| 4 MACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF, <i>L Shubitz</i> .....                      | 100 29.96 | Ag JWW Excel B (24 INCHES), <i>C Josling</i> (19t) 43 Seconds, 153 Yards               |           |
|   |           | 3 Faison's One Moment In Thyme CD RA JH AX AXJ OF, <i>J Bryson/D Bryson</i> .....      | 100 32.60 |
| <b>Timber Ridge Obedience Club of Central Wisconsin</b>                               |           |  |           |
| Ag JWW Novice B (20 INCHES), <i>K A Blakely</i> (3t) 39 Seconds, 117 Yards            |           | <b>Middlesex County Kennel Club</b>  |           |
| 2 CH Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat RE JH NA, <i>J Asmus</i> .....                        | 94 40.22  | Ag Open (16 INCHES), <i>K L Fairchild</i> (2t) 71 Seconds, 165 Yards                   |           |
|   |           | 1 CH Triumphant Absolute Liberty Of Kinship NA NAJ, <i>K Hatton</i> .....              | 100 41.04 |
|   |           | Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>K L Fairchild</i> (1t) 71 Seconds, 190 Yards           |           |
|   |           | 1 Rusty Ridge Blonde On Blonde OA AXJ AXP AJP NF NFP, <i>M Francis</i> .....           | 100 47.48 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>K L Fairchild</i> (2t) 50 Seconds, 170 Yards       |           |
|   |           | 1 Nathan New Penny Of Kinship MX MXJ OAP AJP OF NFP, <i>D Hatton</i> .....             | 100 36.49 |
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|   |           | <b>Mile High Agility Club of Boulder</b>   |           |
|   |           | Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>S W Stock</i> (24t) 61 Seconds, 159 Yards                   |           |
|   |           | CH Klear-Ly Wanted MX MXJ OF, <i>C Tschirgi</i> .....                                  | 100 43.28 |
|   |           | Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>S W Stock</i> (6t) 63 Seconds, 164 Yards               |           |
|   |           | 3 Winchester MXP2 MJP3 NFP, <i>L Hugh/J Hugh</i> .....                                 | 100 59.31 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>S W Stock</i> (6t) 46 Seconds, 155 Yards           |           |
|   |           | Winchester MXP2 MJP3 NFP, <i>L Hugh/J Hugh</i> .....                                   | 100 44.00 |
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|   |           | <b>Mountaineer Kennel Club, Inc.</b>   |           |
|   |           | Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>S Gichner</i> (37t) 65 Seconds, 187 Yards                   |           |
|   |           | CH MACH Keili's Blazing Star CDX RA JH OF, <i>E Drazek</i> .....                       | 100 53.04 |
|   |           | MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                              | 100 56.70 |
|   |           | CH Brookewood's Mardi Gras CD JH MX MXJ NF, <i>S Osmansky/L Osmansky</i> .....         | 100 65.47 |
|   |           | Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>S Gichner</i> (4t) 70 Seconds, 187 Yards               |           |
|   |           | 2 CH MACH Keili's Dixie Christmas UD RN JH AXP OJP, <i>L Osmansky/S Osmansky</i> ..... | 100 62.22 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>J L Budzynski</i> (39t) 40 Seconds, 150 Yards           |           |
|   |           | CH MACH Keili's Blazing Star CDX RA JH OF, <i>E Drazek</i> .....                       | 100 35.68 |
|   |           | CH Brookewood's Mardi Gras CD JH MX MXJ NF, <i>S Osmansky/L Osmansky</i> .....         | 100 35.74 |
|   |           | MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                              | 100 37.57 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>J L Budzynski</i> (4t) 45 Seconds, 150 Yards       |           |
|   |           | 2 Nellie AX MXJ AXP AJP, <i>S Crighton</i> .....                                       | 100 34.60 |
|   |           | Ag FAST Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>J L Budzynski</i> (7t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards             |           |
|   |           | MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                              | 62 37.12  |
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|   |           | <b>Muscatine Agility Club of Iowa</b>  |           |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>J Munger</i> (19t) 39 Seconds, 136 Yards                |           |
|   |           | Timberlane's Treasured Time MX MXJ, <i>B Whitmore/M Whitmore</i> .....                 | 100 35.03 |
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|   |           | <b>November 26</b>   |           |
|   |           | <b>Huntsville Obedience Training Club</b>  |           |
|   |           | Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>J B Mohr</i> (29t) 67 Seconds, 176 Yards                    |           |
|   |           | CH MACH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad XF, <i>M Jackson/J Jackson</i> .....           | 100 52.95 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>R Crane</i> (32t) 42 Seconds, 148 Yards                 |           |
|   |           | CH MACH Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad XF, <i>M Jackson/J Jackson</i> .....           | 100 37.97 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R Crane</i> (38t) 41 Seconds, 152 Yards                 |           |
|   |           | CH Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MX MXJ XF, <i>M Jackson/J Jackson</i> .....         | 100 35.41 |
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|   |           | <b>Iliana Collie Fanciers</b>  |           |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>Mr. D Butcher</i> (36t) 44 Seconds, 154 Yards           |           |
|   |           | 4 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice OA AXJ OF, <i>A Schilling/C Driscoll</i> .....          | 100 28.01 |
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|   |           | <b>Leap Agility Club of Central Massachusetts</b>                                      |           |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>B Diaz</i> (49t) 41 Seconds, 144 Yards                  |           |
|   |           | CH MACH2 Top Shelf's Crown Royal MXF, <i>A Lee</i> .....                               | 100 26.97 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>B Diaz</i> (16t) 44 Seconds, 148 Yards             |           |
|   |           | 3 Rusty Ridge Blonde On Blonde OA AXJ AXP AJP NF NFP, <i>M Francis</i> .....           | 100 32.32 |
|   |           | Ag FAST Open Pref (16 INCHES), <i>J Senger</i> (2t) 35 Seconds, 0 Yards                |           |
|   |           | 1 Rusty Ridge Blonde On Blonde OA AXJ AXP AJP NF NFP, <i>M Francis</i> .....           | 66 25.00  |
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|   |           | <b>Southwestern Rottweiler Club of San Diego</b>                                       |           |
|   |           | Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>M Upshaw</i> (26t) 66 Seconds, 189 Yards                    |           |
|   |           | 1 CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, <i>J Hunt</i> .....                          | 100 39.96 |
|   |           | Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>M Upshaw</i> (29t) 40 Seconds, 150 Yards                |           |
|   |           | 3 CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, <i>J Hunt</i> .....                          | 100 26.22 |

**Tamarack Lake Agility Club**

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| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>J Ipser</i> (30t) 61 Seconds, 173 Yards      |           |
| Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, <i>S Miller/L Miller</i> ..... | 100 54.80 |

**Tampa Bay Agility Club**

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|---|----------|
| Ag Novice B (20 INCHES), <i>Mrs. J Valloze</i> (6t) 65 Seconds, 134 Yards |          |
| 3 Chilcote Kaze's Rising Sun NA NAJ, <i>R Howell/V Howell</i> .....       | 90 56.23 |

**November 27****Agility Club of Chatham, Virginia**

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| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (3t) 68 Seconds, 195 Yards          |           |
| 3 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                      | 100 65.18 |
| Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (2t) 73 Seconds, 195 Yards     |           |
| 1 Vanilla Hot Fudge Delight MX MXJ MXP4 MJP5 PAX MXF, <i>K McNeal</i> .....      | 100 60.57 |
| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (4t) 43 Seconds, 161 Yards      |           |
| 3 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                      | 100 33.02 |
| Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (2t) 48 Seconds, 161 Yards |           |
| 1 Vanilla Hot Fudge Delight MX MXJ MXP4 MJP5 PAX MXF, <i>K McNeal</i> .....      | 100 34.28 |
| Ag FAST Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (1t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards       |           |
| 1 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                      | 70 30.08  |

**Illiana Collie Fanciers**

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| Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>A Narel</i> (41t) 39 Seconds, 135 Yards |           |
| Timberlane's Treasured Time MX MXJ, <i>B Whitmore/M Whitmore</i> ..... | 100 30.92 |

**Keystone English Springer Spaniel Club**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>Mr. D C Warren</i> (75t) 63 Seconds, 181 Yards |           |
| MACH2 Twenty Pines Jets Star OF, <i>C Stiles/C Stiles</i> .....           | 100 49.40 |
| Ag FAST Excel A (20 INCHES), <i>K Verrelli</i> (8t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards   |           |
| 2 MACH2 Twenty Pines Jets Star OF, <i>C Stiles/C Stiles</i> .....         | 67 29.18  |

**Leap Agility Club of Central Massachusetts**

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Ag JWW Novice A (20 INCHES), <i>L Potts</i> (5t) 38 Seconds, 114 Yards       |           |
| 1 CH Encore's Triumphant Valedictorian, <i>M McCloskey/C McCloskey</i> ..... | 100 26.78 |
| Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>J Senger</i> (12t) 45 Seconds, 150 Yards |           |
| 1 Rusty Ridge Blonde On Blonde OA AXJ AXP AJP NF OFP, <i>M Francis</i> ..... | 100 31.43 |
| 3 Nathan New Penny Of Kinship MX MXJ OAP AJP OF NFP, <i>D Hatton</i> .....   | 100 33.79 |

**Orange Coast Rhodesian Ridgeback Club**

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>B M Lewis</i> (26t) 62 Seconds, 177 Yards     |           |
| 4 MACH Shiloh Of Agoura, <i>L Wilk</i> .....                             | 100 38.79 |
| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>B M Lewis</i> (26t) 44 Seconds, 166 Yards |           |
| 4 MACH Shiloh Of Agoura, <i>L Wilk</i> .....                             | 100 28.53 |

**Rio Grande Obedience Dog Club, Inc.**

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|---|----------|
| Ag Open (20 INCHES), <i>C L Evans</i> (6t) 62 Seconds, 151 Yards                          |          |
| 4 CH Rainchaser's Kit And Kaboodle NA NAJ NAP NJP NF NFP, <i>K Ramsey/S Hampton</i> ..... | 95 52.73 |

**Sacramento Dog Training Club**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>C Macklin</i> (25t) 68 Seconds, 179 Yards      |           |
| Shiloh's Unstoppable Molly CDX RA AX AXJ, <i>J Tarby/L Tarby</i> .....    | 100 46.13 |
| Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>A R Arthur</i> (27t) 40 Seconds, 140 Yards |           |
| 4 Shiloh's Unstoppable Molly CDX RA AX AXJ, <i>J Tarby/L Tarby</i> .....  | 100 29.15 |

**Southwestern Rottweiler Club of San Diego**

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|---|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>M Upshaw</i> (29t) 65 Seconds, 186 Yards |           |
| 2 CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, <i>J Hunt</i> .....       | 100 40.76 |

**Tamarack Lake Agility Club**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>J Ipser</i> (33t) 63 Seconds, 179 Yards      |           |
| Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, <i>S Miller/L Miller</i> ..... | 100 52.24 |

**Twin Cities Obedience Training Club, Inc.**

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>L N Purdy</i> (1t) 66 Seconds, 175 Yards |           |
| 1 Chardonnay AXP AJP, <i>D Geving</i> .....                              | 100 52.27 |
| Ag JWW Novice A (20 INCHES), <i>L N Purdy</i> (1t) 39 Seconds, 116 Yards |           |
| 1 Benjamin Bonaparte-Monkey, <i>D Geving/G Geving</i> .....              | 95 35.15  |

**Upper Suncoast Dog Training Club**

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|--|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>Mrs. J Valloze</i> (17t) 67 Seconds, 178 Yards              |           |
| CH MACH2 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH XF, <i>R Howell/V Howell</i> .....                 | 100 56.64 |
| Ag Open Pref (12 INCHES), <i>Mrs. J Valloze</i> (1t) 74 Seconds, 160 Yards             |           |
| 1 CH Chilcote's One More Than You JH MX MXJ NAP NJP OF, <i>V Howell/R Howell</i> ..... | 95 52.02  |
| Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>Mrs. J Valloze</i> (19t) 41 Seconds, 145 Yards          |           |
| CH MACH2 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH XF, <i>R Howell/V Howell</i> .....                 | 100 30.89 |

**November 28****Agility Club of Chatham, Virginia**

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|---|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (3t) 68 Seconds, 195 Yards     |           |
| 2 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                 | 100 55.04 |
| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (4t) 46 Seconds, 173 Yards |           |
| 3 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                 | 100 40.02 |
| Ag FAST Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R G Kripaitis</i> (1t) 32 Seconds, 0 Yards  |           |
| 1 MACH Vanilla Mocha Chipper MXF TQX, <i>K McNeal</i> .....                 | 63 21.95  |

**Gateway Agility Club of Suburban St. Louis**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Ag JWW Excel A (20 INCHES), <i>Mr. K Harold</i> (12t) 37 Seconds, 138 Yards |           |
| 3 Cimmaron Made You Look Jack OA OAJ, <i>C Baron</i> .....                  | 100 30.41 |

**Huntsville Obedience Training Club**

|  |           |
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| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>R Crane</i> (38t) 42 Seconds, 159 Yards         |           |
| CH Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MX MXJ XF, <i>M Jackson/J Jackson</i> ..... | 100 34.86 |

**Illiana Collie Fanciers**

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|--|-----------|
| Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>A Narel</i> (32t) 65 Seconds, 171 Yards           |           |
| Timberlane's Treasured Time MX MXJ, <i>B Whitmore/M Whitmore</i> .....       | 100 45.85 |
| Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>Mr. D Butcher</i> (35t) 44 Seconds, 155 Yards |           |
| Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice OA AXJ OF, <i>A Schilling/C Driscoll</i> .....  | 100 28.94 |
| MACH Rustins Valuable Treasure JH OF, <i>C Driscoll/A Schilling</i> .....    | 100 33.18 |

**Rio Grande Obedience Dog Club, Inc.**

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Ag Open (20 INCHES), <i>C L Evans</i> (6t) 65 Seconds, 160 Yards                          |          |
| 3 CH Rainchaser's Kit And Kaboodle NA NAJ NAP NJP NF NFP, <i>K Ramsey/S Hampton</i> ..... | 90 57.87 |
| Ag JWW Open (20 INCHES), <i>C L Evans</i> (7t) 42 Seconds, 148 Yards                      |          |
| 3 CH Rainchaser's Kit And Kaboodle NA NAJ NAP NJP NF NFP, <i>K Ramsey/S Hampton</i> ..... | 95 36.13 |

**Sacramento Dog Training Club**

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>C Macklin</i> (26t) 43 Seconds, 152 Yards |           |
| 3 Shiloh's Unstoppable Molly CDX RA AX AXJ, <i>J Tarby/L Tarby</i> ..... | 100 31.05 |

**Southwestern Rottweiler Club of San Diego**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>M Upshaw</i> (30t) 39 Seconds, 147 Yards |           |
| CH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX MX MXJ, <i>J Hunt</i> .....             | 100 25.07 |

**Talcott Mountain Agility Club**

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| Ag Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>S Shelt</i> (53t) 70 Seconds, 185 Yards             |           |
| CH MACH2 Top Shelf's Crown Royal MXF, <i>A Lee</i> .....                       | 100 48.41 |
| Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>K Ingraham</i> (12t) 43 Seconds, 144 Yards |           |
| 2 Nathan New Penny Of Kinship MX MXJ OAP AJP OF NFP, <i>D Hatton</i> .....     | 100 32.26 |

**Tamarack Lake Agility Club**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Ag JWW Excel B (20 INCHES), <i>J Ipser</i> (37t) 37 Seconds, 139 Yards  |           |
| Casabergen's Victor Gentry RN MX MXJ XF, <i>S Miller/L Miller</i> ..... | 100 32.27 |

**Twin Cities Obedience Training Club, Inc.**

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|--|-----------|
| Ag JWW Novice A (20 INCHES), <i>L N Purdy</i> (1t) 39 Seconds, 118 Yards |           |
| 1 Benjamin Bonaparte-Monkey, <i>D Geving/G Geving</i> .....              | 100 33.68 |

**Upper Suncoast Dog Training Club**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Ag JWW Excel B (16 INCHES), <i>Mrs. J Valloze</i> (17t) 45 Seconds, 159 Yards |           |
| CH MACH2 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH XF, <i>R Howell/V Howell</i> .....        | 100 32.87 |

**November 29****Talcott Mountain Agility Club**

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|---|-----------|
| Ag Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>K Ingraham</i> (6t) 64 Seconds, 168 Yards     |           |
| 1 Rusty Ridge Blonde On Blonde OA AXJ AXP AJP NF OFP, <i>M Francis</i> .....  | 100 42.82 |
| Ag JWW Excel B Pref (16 INCHES), <i>K Ingraham</i> (5t) 44 Seconds, 146 Yards |           |
| 1 Rusty Ridge Blonde On Blonde OA AXJ AXP AJP NF OFP, <i>M Francis</i> .....  | 100 31.47 |

**RALLY – NOVEMBER 2010****November 5****Bloomington Obedience Training Club**

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|---|----|
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. L C Botko</i> (11t)                          |    |
| 2 Sovereign's Frozen Rock Solid CD JH, <i>A Pluth/D Pluth</i> ..... | 98 |

**November 6****Back Mountain Kennel Club, Inc.**

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| Rally Advanced A <i>J Nocilly</i> (21t)                    |    |
| J-K-J's Sweet Johnnie Sunshine RN, <i>J Kostelac</i> ..... | 84 |

**Bloomington Obedience Training Club**

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|---|----|
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. R Bizer</i> (11t)                          |    |
| Sovereign's Frozen Rock Solid CD JH, <i>A Pluth/D Pluth</i> ..... | 94 |

**Lake Eustis Kennel Club, Inc.**

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| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. A Brisendine</i> (5t)                     |    |
| 4 Farout Fields Vaishali, <i>C Youngblood/A Youngblood</i> ..... | 82 |

**Napa Valley Dog Training Club**

|  |    |
|--|----|
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. C S Wray</i> (17t)            |    |
| Dogwood Hollow Strike The Gold, <i>H Capps</i> ..... | 92 |

**Napa Valley Dog Training Club**

|  |    |
|--|----|
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. B Moore</i> (15t)             |    |
| Dogwood Hollow Strike The Gold, <i>H Capps</i> ..... | 82 |

**Old Pueblo Dog Training Club, Inc.**

|   |    |
|---|----|
| Rally Novice A <i>Mrs. S D Hodgens-Wood</i> (11t)                                 |    |
| CH Sunquest Seriously Sassy JH, <i>J Nicol/P Jessen/D Hartnek/H Hartnek</i> ..... | 78 |

**Tri-State Kennel Club, Inc.**

|   |    |
|---|----|
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. N D Simmons</i> (12t)                  |    |
| Blueridge Sinfull Delight CD, <i>J CORLEY/D Downing</i> ..... | 75 |

# The Achievement of True Performance

By Lynn Worth Smith • Vizsla Club of America

The word “performance” has many different meanings to many people. Let’s forget the drama side of performance and turn to the side of: execution, carrying out, accomplishment, attainment, achievement...the work in functioning to a crowning finish.

A working dog needs to be bred for stamina and an innate willingness to do the necessary jobs it is needed for. Consider the history of working canines from ancient falconry to World War I messengers to today’s search and rescue, seeing eye, bomb and drug detection, guarding and Transportation Security Authority assistants. Aside from these types of well-known canine assistance, there are many other things these special animals can do: Dogs for the Deaf has professionally trained many dogs and provided, at no cost to the hearing impaired, a companion to alert them to sounds; Peanut Dogs are trained to save the lives of people with food allergies. They learn to sniff, detect, and then spin around to signal owners to steer clear of dangerous items; Gabriel’s Angels - these special dogs work with abused children. This organization believes that the bond between a therapy dog and a child is strong enough to break the cycle of violence ([www.GabrielsAngels.org](http://www.GabrielsAngels.org)); Puppies Behind Bars – convicted felons in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut train service dogs for wounded veterans who have returned from Iraq and Afghanistan (they teach 82 commands that can help veterans missing limbs or needing wheelchairs); Reading Education Assistance Dogs (READ) created by Intermountain Therapy Animals uses registered therapy dogs to help children build self-assurance through reading. They work in libraries, elementary schools and bookstores – READ focuses on young children, encouraging them to read aloud and build self-confidence.

We can only tell how strong performance traits are by seeing dogs work in Performance Events. A handsome dog without the natural ability for which many breeds are bred is missing a very important factor that needs to be emphasized. How can we breed for natural ability unless we can test it, compete for the best, encourage dog fanciers to get involved, and offer Performance Events to participate in?

For those of us with working dogs, performance is as important as conformation – maybe even more so. Natural ability has as much genetic punch as good looks. I’ve seen “bird dogs” turn away from birds with no interest and walk off. Check the pedigrees – generally, you will find no strong indication of breeding for natural ability.

So – what’s the answer? Aside from committing to breed for natural ability, support for proving natural ability in Performance Events is needed. The American Kennel Club needs to invest as much time, energy, and monetary support into Performance as Conformation. In order to fight legislation that would compromise training and work with dogs, Performance needs to be emphasized in every way possible.

Performance, as well as Conformation, needs young people. Performance activities and events that would attract youth must be created.

So – let’s get started on bolstering and subsidizing what exists, and creating what’s needed to move to a crowing and champion finish for The American Kennel Club.

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| <b>November 7</b>  |    |
| <b>Back Mountain Kennel Club, Inc.</b>   |    |
| Rally Excellent A <i>J Nocilly</i> (4t)  |    |
| 1 Redwing Holiday Baron Charlie Brown RA, <i>J Pryor</i> .....                       | 90 |
| <b>Lake Eustis Kennel Club, Inc.</b>   |    |
| Rally Novice B <i>Mr. R R Withers</i> (5t)   |    |
| 4 Farout Fields Vaishali, <i>C Youngblood/A Youngblood</i> .....                     | 95 |
| Rally Advanced B <i>Mr. R R Withers</i> (4t)   |    |
| 4 Farout Fields Xtreme Ranger CDX RE JH NAJ, <i>E Keller</i> .....                   | 90 |
| Rally Excellent B <i>Mr. R R Withers</i> (8t)  |    |
| 2 Farout Fields Xtreme Ranger CDX RE JH NAJ, <i>E Keller</i> .....                   | 97 |
| <b>Old Pueblo Dog Training Club, Inc.</b>  |    |
| Rally Novice A <i>Mr. R P Wood</i> (10t)   |    |
| CH Sunquest Seriously Sassy JH, <i>J Nicol/P Jessen/D Hartnek/H Hartnek</i> .....    | 87 |
| <b>Vallejo Dog Training Club, Inc.</b>   |    |
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. C S Wray</i> (11t)  |    |
| Dogwood Hollow Strike The Gold, <i>H Capps</i> .....                                 | 84 |
| <b>Vallejo Dog Training Club, Inc.</b>   |    |
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. L Cox</i> (19t)   |    |
| Dogwood Hollow Strike The Gold, <i>H Capps</i> .....                                 | 83 |
| <b>November 10</b>   |    |
| <b>Talbot Kennel Club</b>  |    |
| Rally Advanced A <i>Mr. B L Roland</i> (5t)  |    |
| 3 J-K-J's Sweet Johnnie Sunshine RN, <i>J Kostelac</i> .....                         | 90 |
| <b>November 11</b>   |    |
| <b>Talbot Kennel Club</b>  |    |
| Rally Advanced A <i>Mr. B L Roland</i> (7t)  |    |
| 4 J-K-J's Sweet Johnnie Sunshine RN, <i>J Kostelac</i> .....                         | 90 |
| <b>November 13</b>   |    |
| <b>Salisbury Maryland Kennel Club</b>  |    |
| Rally Excellent A <i>Mr. K A Buxton</i> (5t)   |    |
| 3 J-K-J's Sweet Johnnie Sunshine RA, <i>J Kostelac</i> .....                         | 79 |
| <b>November 14</b>   |    |
| <b>D'Arbonne Kennel Club</b>   |    |
| Rally Advanced A <i>Mr. A R Cherubini</i> (2t)                                       |    |
| 2 Razin-A-Ruckus Bring On The Akshun RN, <i>P Orms/B Orms</i> .....                  | 81 |
| <b>November 20</b>   |    |
| <b>Greater Monroe Kennel Club</b>  |    |
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. L C Botko</i> (20t)   |    |
| Abby Queen Of Hearts, <i>W Odell</i> .....   | 70 |
| <b>Tucson Kennel Club</b>  |    |
| Rally Novice A <i>Mrs. C Mett</i> (10t)  |    |
| CH Sunquest Seriously Sassy RN JH, <i>J Nicol/P Jessen/D Hartnek/H Hartnek</i> ..... | 87 |
| <b>November 21</b>   |    |
| <b>Greater Ocala Dog Club, Inc.</b>  |    |
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. D Cohen</i> (8t)  |    |
| Farout Fields Vaishali, <i>C Youngblood/A Youngblood</i> .....                       | 94 |
| Rally Advanced B <i>Mrs. D Cohen</i> (9t)  |    |
| 1 Farout Fields Xtreme Ranger CDX RE JH NAJ, <i>E Keller</i> .....                   | 99 |
| Rally Excellent B <i>Mrs. D Cohen</i> (12t)  |    |
| 1 Farout Fields Xtreme Ranger CDX RE JH NAJ, <i>E Keller</i> .....                   | 99 |
| <b>Greater Sierra Vista Kennel Club</b>  |    |
| Rally Novice A <i>Mr. F Buroff</i> (11t)   |    |
| CH Sunquest Seriously Sassy RN JH, <i>J Nicol/P Jessen/D Hartnek/H Hartnek</i> ..... | 77 |
| <b>November 26</b>   |    |
| <b>American Brittany Club, Inc.</b>  |    |
| Rally Novice B <i>Mrs. N D Simmons</i> (2t)  |    |
| 1 GCH CH Shamrock's Dash Of Treasure JH, <i>T Davis/B Rosener</i> .....              | 88 |
| Rally Advanced B <i>Mrs. N D Simmons</i> (2t)  |    |
| 1 CH Magic Story Of The Century RE, <i>M Martin/N Otterson</i> .....                 | 84 |
| 2 Kylee's Angel CD RAE NA, <i>M Martin</i> .....                                     | 72 |
| Rally Excellent B <i>Mrs. N D Simmons</i> (2t)                                       |    |
| 1 Kylee's Angel CD RAE NA, <i>M Martin</i> .....                                     | 83 |
| 2 CH Magic Story Of The Century RE, <i>M Martin/N Otterson</i> .....                 | 75 |
| <b>Windham County Kennel Club, Inc.</b>  |    |
| CTown's Own Wild Flower, <i>E Dunn/S Griffith</i> .....                              | 87 |
| <b>November 27</b>   |    |
| <b>South Windsor Kennel Club</b>   |    |
| Rally Novice A <i>Ms. Moffa</i> (23t)  |    |
| CTown's Own Wild Flower, <i>E Dunn/S Griffith</i> .....                              | 88 |
| Rally Advanced B <i>Ms. Moffa</i> (23t)  |    |
| Britt Haven's The Perfect Gift RE, <i>R Marchese</i> .....                           | 98 |
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| Britt Haven's The Perfect Gift RE, <i>R Marchese</i> .....                           | 80 |



# 2010 ABC Hall of Fame Recipient

## Bob Fleury

In 2010, one person was elected to the ABC Hall of Fame for People. That person was Bob Fleury. Bob currently resides in Connecticut. He has been a member of ABC since the early 1970's and has been a Life Member of ABC since 1995. He served nine years as a Director for the East Coast region. He also served on the first Policy Book revision committee as well as on the Nominating Committee. He has been field trial reporter many times. He is a regular contributor of articles on bird dogs to the American Field and other publications. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame. Bob recently took over the Magazine Committee, a job he is well suited for having served 12 years as chairman of the Magazine Committee during five editor changes.

Not only has Bob been very active with ABC but he has also been active in his local north-east area particularly the Flaherty Trial Club Association. Bob served on their Board for 30 years and was instrumental in creating a yearbook program, now in its 20th year, which is a major fund raising source. He also was involved with the planning and construction of the Flaherty clubhouse addition as well as planning and construction of the new Flaherty bird building.

Bob served three years on the Connecticut Governor's Citizen Advisory Council representing the state's bird dog clubs. He also served for on the committee planning and running the Purina Top Shooting Dog Awards Program the two years

it was held in the New England area. He was an influential member of the group that established the wild bird courses and the field trial and dog training areas at Arcadia, Rhode Island. Bob was also a founding member of the New England Brittany Championship Association.



While doing all of this, Bob found time to judge and run his Brittanys. He judged National Championship stakes for Brittanys, Vizslas, German Shorthairs and Weimaraners, some of them multiple times. It seemed he judged virtually every major Pointer and Setter Championship in the New England area. Bob bred, raised, trained and competed with his Brittanys for 35 years. During that time, his dogs won 35 Field Championships and received over 700 field trial placements.

Because of all of his dedication to Brittanys and bird dogs in general, Bob received numerous awards including the Gaines Sportsmanship Award (1994), Life Membership in ABC (1995), Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame (2000), Leadership Award – Association of New England Field Trials Clubs (2004) and the Life Patron Award – National Bird Dog Association (2009).

Bob can now add being inducted into the American Brittany Club's Fame of Fame for People to his long list of accomplishments.

Well done and well deserved Bob.

# NEW ENGLAND DERBY CLASSIC

The New England Brittany Classic Open Derby Stake was held in conjunction with the New England Brittany Open Limited Gun Dog Stake at the famous Kilkenny WMA in Coos County NH. The Derby stake got under way around 1 pm in the afternoon on Friday September 10, 2010. The Derby Classic drew three braces for six promising prospects. Our judges for the event came from the Setter ranks this year and are members of the Northern New England Bird Dog Club based out of Groveton NH. Thom Richardson from Whitefield NH and Robert Lang out of Canterbury NH came up to watch our Brittans run the Silent Hollow course. Judges commented that the quality of the Derby dogs was pleasing to watch.

The New England Brittany Championship Association would like to thank Purina for sponsoring the Derby Classic and the winners were appreciative of the generous gifts of forty-two lb bags of Purina dog food. The weather was overcast with cool temperatures in the Sixty's. This is the earliest in the fall the Classic has run for various reasons. The grounds were thick with foliage. The leaves made conditions tough at times on all the competitors to keep in touch with the dogs. Kilkenny can wear a dog and handler out in thirty minutes as the terrain is very uneven. A strong dog is required to run these grouse woods with the heavy growth. Cover dogs have to show some Moxie to win up here in the North Country. All these young Brittans seemed up to the challenge.

Thanks to all the participants and judges who made the classic a memorable one.

## **Brace 1: ROSIE-Cunnygham and THUNDER-Gorman.**

Both dogs broke to the front with great excitement as the brace headed down hill on the old skidder road into the hollow. Thunder broke front and showed some experience in the grouse woods. The base of the hollow gets into some heavy cover but Thunder proceeded through with energy. Rosie continued forward with a somewhat shorter race at times. This bottom land has some nice Alder thickets and Goldenrod through the first 10 minutes. At the seven-minute mark, Thunder came through to the side and a quick point produced a Woodcock flushing near the course. Gorman fired and Thunder continued forward. Thunder put down an adequate race throughout the course and popped out front at several intervals. Rosie proceeded at a more cautious pace and during the final minute on the return back on the far side of the cut off produced a flash point on another Woodcock. Rosie's enthusiasm definitely increased as time was called.

## **Brace 2: ROCK-Gorman and GRETA-Cunnygham.**

Greta handled kindly out though the breakaway and down into the hollow. Cunningham sang occasionally urging Greta to the front. Rock handled with a bit more attention and Gorman had the dog reaching at times into the thick stuff. At the ten-minute mark, Greta produced a Woodcock and the judge had Cunningham fire.

Greta showed some nice enthusiasm at this point and made a few more aggressive casts. Rock was requiring some singing to by Gorman to keep him in the game. The Course loops around and starts back towards the breakaway at Thirteen minutes. Both dogs worked the cover in the bottom land making some decent casts all the while listening to their handlers. The handlers then proceeded up course and started to climb into the Hemlocks and older cut off forest. Both dogs continued casting near

their handlers.

At the thirty minute mark Rock pulled a stop-to-flush as four young grouse exploded to the dog's front. Everyone enjoyed the sight of these young birds coming up in front to the young dog. This was a nice way to finish the brace.

## **Brace 3: ANNIE-Sinclair and K-McPhearson.**

This was to me the most entertaining brace of the Classic as both these dogs showed maturity beyond their years according to the judges. (K) had a great big run with Roger really working to keep this dog in the hollow as they headed down the old Skidder road into the bowl. Sinclair's dog showed an extremely fluid gait and hit the cover with enthusiasm. Judges appreciated the effort both dogs applied to the cover, which was being run over a third time. There was no bird work provided by these two dogs, yet their efforts were extreme. After some discussion by the judges it was decided a call back would be issued.

Quail were released in the small training field just off the WMA. Richardson and Lang brought back the two dogs out of Brace 3 to see if they could produce bird work. Annie showed style that the judges really appreciated. K had nice acceptable style also.

Arthur Hembrough

Placements.

1st: Annie-Sinclair

2nd: K-McPherson

Honorable Mention: Thunder-Gorman



**Judges Bob Lang & Thom Richardson  
Breanna Sinclair (little girl), winner Leonard Sinclair, runner-up  
Roger McPherson,  
Honorable mention Ray Gorman**



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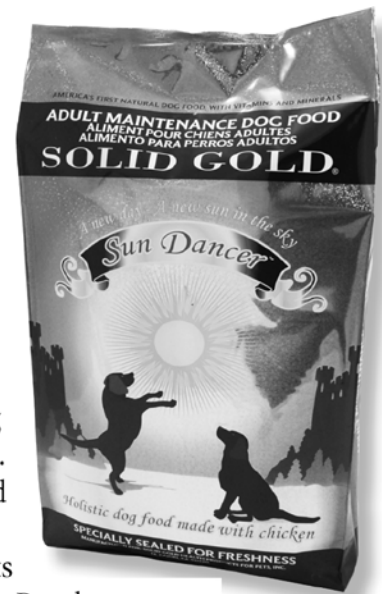
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# Field Trials

## East Coast

### **ANTHRACITE** **Freeland Kennel Club** **Weatherly, PA** **November 13-14, 2010**

#### **Open Puppy (8S)**

**J: Jim Zaktansky & Jeanne Rosowski**

- 1 - GREEN MOUNTAIN GRETA (B), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Smoke's Lightning Feather; o Mike & Deb Blondin, h Mike Blondin
- 2 - RYLEE'S ROLLING THUNDER OF COOS (D), by FC/AFC Coos Rylee x FC Suemac's Liberty Belle; o Ray Gorman & Peter Mazzaglia, h Ray Gorman
- 3 - SPRING HILL'S CHICA DEL PRADO (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x CH Spring Hills Midnight Fame; o Les & Donna Casselberry, h Les Casselberry
- 4 - KINWASHLY GINJAC FT BARBIE (B), by NAFC/DC/AFC Triumphant To Hot To Handle x Kinwashley French Valore; o Jeff & Gina Currier, h Jeff Currier (Withheld by AKC)

#### **Open Derby (6S)**

**J: Shan Wessels & Joseph Sikorski**

- 1 - GREEN MOUNTAIN LUCY (B), by FC Suemac's Bodacious Pride x Suemac's Blazin Bibi; o Mike & Deb Blondin, h Mike Blondin
- 2 - SPRING HILL'S CHICA DEL PRADO (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x CH Spring Hills Midnight Fame; o Les & Donna Casselberry, h Les Casselberry
- 3 - BOUDREAUX'S MICRO BULLET (B), by Saradac's Micro Blast x FC/AFC Boudreau's Hi Caliber Bullet; o/h Darlene Dow
- 4 - MURPHY OF BRITT HAVEN (D), by Britt Haven's Triton x CH Britt Haven Tira's Masu; o/h Jeff Semanchek

#### **Amateur Gun Dog (16S)**

**J: Shan Wessels & Mike Blandin**

- 1 - FC DERAILED (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x NGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Tar's Dot Com; o Cynthia & Al Cropek, h Cynthia Cropek
- 2 - ALLMAC'S BROWNIE II (D), by FC/AFC RJA's Paws-Z-Trac x Allmac's Sparkle of Piney Run; o John & Carol McMurray, h John McMurray
- 3 - PENELOPE OF COOS (B), by FC/AFC Coos Rylee x Suemac's Blazin Bibi; o Ray Gorman & Roger McPherson, h Ray Gorman
- 4 - DC/AFC GINJAC'S HEATIN IT UP (D), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Triumphant's To Hot to Handle x CH Brownstone's Sadie; o/h Jeff Currier

#### **Open Gun Dog (27S)**

**J: Jeanne Rozowski & Debra Zaktansky**

- 1 - FC KILLDEE'S ANTICIPATION (B), by FC Chikamin's Double Trouble x Killdee's SoSueMe; o Janet Garrell, h Jeff Currier
- 2 - FC DERAILED (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x NGDC/FC/AFC Hi Hopes Tar's Dot Com; o Cynthia & Al Cropek, h Cynthia Cropek
- 3 - DC/AFC SCIROCCO DEL PRADO (D), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x CH Sargent's Diamond in the Ruff; o Les & Donna Casselberry & Sandra Sargent, h Les Casselberry
- 4 - JJ'S SPECIAL EDITION (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x FC JJ's Sweet Cinnamon Sue MH; o/h John Chokran



**FC/AFC LITTLE ROCK IT MAN**

#### **Open Limited Gun Dog (15S)**

**J: Jim Zaktansky & Mike Blondin**

- 1 - DC/AFC GINJAC'S HEATIN IT UP (D), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Triumphant's To Hot to Handle x CH Brownstone's Sadie; o/h Jeff Currier
- 2 - FC/AFC LITTLE ROCK IT MAN (D), by CH Triumphant Victor of D x CR's Misty Mountain; o/h Shan Wessels
- 3 - CH JD'S FEARLESS PRINCESS (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x CH Brittwoods Smoking Gun; o Jeff Currier & D. Martirone, h Jeff Currier
- 4 - FC DERAILED (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x NGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Tar's Dot Com; o Cynthia & Al Cropek, h Cynthia Cropek

### **TARHEEL**

**Strawson Farm**  
**Cassville, NC**

**November 13-14, 2010**

#### **Amateur Walking Puppy (8S)**

**J: Judy Tighe & Bruce Conover**

- 1 - STONEWALLS HIGH HOPES (B), by Cross Creek Southern General x Donmar Secret Storm; o James Harrison, h Bobbie Sigmund

- 2 - RUFFON'S RED RIVER LUCY (B), GSP
- 3 - COPLEY REDWING BITE MY CHIPS (B), by CH Castle One In A Millenium JH x DC Sovereign Copley Kiss My Chips; o/h Tobi Adams
- 4 - BRB RJK CALL POINT ANN-E TIME (B), by CH Sanbars Call When Readi x CH RJK Highlanders Max-E-Hunter JH; o Jill & Richard Wilkinson, h Richard Wilkinson

#### **Open Walking Puppy (6S)**

**J: Don Augustine & Bobbie Sigmund**

- 1 - Withheld
- 2 - HI-SCOR ROUGE D RUFFIAN (B), by Hi Scor Jack D Ruffian x Hi Scor Pegs Pick; o Richard & Peggy Davis, h William Green
- 3 - RUFFON'S RED RIVER LUCY (B), GSP
- 4 - FIRST VIRGINIANS CHIEF POWHATAN (D), by CH Sanbars Call When Readi x CH RJK Highlanders Maxi-E-Hunter; o/h Zac Walker

#### **Amateur Walking Derby (6S)**

**J: Marvin Roth x Bruce Conover**

- 1 - POLO'S RIDER ON THE STORM (D), by Polo's Piece of the Rock x Polos Ace of Hope; Linda & Phillip Ouellette, h Linda Ouellette
- 2 - K STAR CAN HOLLY SNO BEST (B), by Gramars-N-KStar Can Drew x K Star Angelina Sno's Best; o/h Kathy Shannon
- 3 - HOPES DANNY BOY OF TRANQUIL ACRES (D), by NGDC/DC/AFC Hopes Dandi Don x Hopes Silver Lining; o Lee & Lynn Holbrook, h Lee Holbrook
- 4 - Withheld

#### **Open Walking Derby (4S)**

**J: Tom Tighe & Bobbie L. Sigmund**

- 1 - COVEYRISE MY GAL SAL (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x DC BBB's Flashy Rose; o/h Bruce & Karen Conover
- 2 - HOPES DANNY BOY OF TRANQUIL ACERS, by NGDC/DC/AFC Hopes Dandi Don x Hopes Silver Lining; o Lee & Lynn Holbrook, h Lee Holbrook
- 3 - RED RIVER'S GEORGIA PRINCESS (B), P
- 4 - POLOS RIDER ON THE STORM (D), by Polo's Piece of the Rock x Polo's Ace of Hope; o Linda & Phillip Ouellete, h Linda Ouellette

#### **Amateur Walking Gun Dog (21S)**

**J: Gerald Lloyd & Brittany Lloyd**

- 1 - CISCO'S ROCKY (D), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC/AFC Bebop Finnegan's Holiday; o/h Frances M. Gorman
- 2 - FC HOPES CAROLINA SUNSHINE (D), by FC/AFC Sigbrits-Hopes Qtrback Sneak x CH Hopes Card Trick; o William Applegate, h Marvin Roth
- 3 - ROSIE THE TERROR (B), by DC Havapal's



Renegade Billy Boy x FC W-Haven Moose & Dixie's Kim; o/h Mario Maiale  
 4 -WINGFIELD'S SOUTHERN COMFORT (D), GSP



**CH SIGBRITS CATCH ME NOW**

**Open Walking Gun Dog (19S)**

**J: Hans Borgman & Lee Holbrook**

- 1 -CH SIGBRITS CATCH ME NOW (D), by DC Hopes Bouree x CH Sigbrit's Chienne De Chasse; o/h Bobbie L. Sigmund
- 2 -BRITTHAVEN TEMPTRESS OF TERROR (B), by CH Triumphant's Torrid Beat JH x Britt Haven's Reign of Terror; o/h Mario Maiale
- 3 -BASS MOUNTAIN RISKY BUSINESS (B), by FC/AFC Carolina Ranger II x FC Carolina Blue; o/h Fred M. Strawson
- 4 -FC HI-TAIL'S SHADOW MAN (D), by CH Kodee of Kennah Manor JH x Spring Hill's Mystic Echo; o Donald & Marilyn Augustine, h Jessica Hlebak & Donald Augustine

**RAPPAHANNOCK  
 Phelps NMA  
 Sumerouck, VA  
 December 4-5, 2010**

**Open Puppy (7S)**

**J: John Perry & Joann Perry**

- 1 -MARJO'S MAGIC BULLET OF HOPE (D), by DC Hope's Bouree x Marjo's Alakazam; o Judith & Thomas Tighe, h Tom Tighe
- 2 -DIAMOND HILL WORK HARD PLAY HARDER (B), by DC/AFC Deuce Is On The Loose x FC Diamond Hill She's Gone; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 3 -MELTO'S STONEWALL JAKS'SON (D), VIZ
- 4 -MEGHAGIAN TJ & SF LINDSAY (B), VIZ

**Open Derby (9S)**

**J: John Perry & Joann Perry**

- 1 -SPRING HILL'S RIQUEZA DEL PRADO (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x CH Spring Hills Midnight Fame; o Steve Tubach & Sandra Sargent
- 2 -HILL'S ALL BUSINESS JAXSON (D), by FC/AFC Tee-Bone x FC/AFC Chiefs Nubbin's My Lil Lady; o/h Mike Hill
- 3 -RICOCHET'S LUCY ON THE LOOSE (B), VIZ
- 4 -RISING STAR'S AGHAMORA (B), P



**FC/AFC COVEYRISE THIS BUDZ 4U**

**Amateur Gun Dog (15S)**

**J: Al Lucas & John Kline**

- 1 -FC/AFC COVEYRISE THIS BUDZ 4U (D), by DC/AFC RJA's Zac-A-Tac Allmac x Norma Jean; o Bruce & Karen Conover, h Bruce Conover
- 2 -FC DIAMOND HILL SHE'S GONE (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Deuces Bombay Sapphire; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 3 -FC/AFC DIAMOND REO (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x NGDC/FC/AFC Coppertops Alderwitch; o/h Hans W. Borgman
- 4 -DC/AFC SGT'S SMOKY MTN MOONSHINE (D), by DC/AFC Cisco Del Prado x CH Sargent's Diamond in the Ruff; o Steve Tubach & Sandra Sargent

**Open Gun Dog (18S)**

**J: John Kline & Robert Tschida**

- 1 -FC/AFC COVEYRISE THIS BUDZ 4U (D), by DC/AFC RJA's Zac-A-Tac Allmac x Norma Jean; o Bruce & Karen Conover, h Bruce Conover
- 2 -GET 2THE FRONT (B), by NGDC/FC/AFC Hits For Pete's Sake x Hits A Girl Hannah; o Joanne & John Perry, h Joanne Perry
- 3 -SAWMILL RICOCHET SOUTHBOUND (B), VIZ
- 4 -HIT'S SHOWTIME (B), by NGDC/FC/AFC Bucks Hit the Road Jack x Marjo's Highest Bella JH; o John & Joanne Perry, h John Perry



**DIAMOND HILL DEUCES GONE WILD**

**Open All Age (8S)**

**J: Stephen Tubach & Sandra Sargent**

- 1 -DIAMOND HILL DEUCES GONE WILD (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Deuces Bombay Sapphire; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock

2 -BLUE'S TOMOKA BELLE (B), ES  
 3-4 -Withheld

**TIDEWATER  
 Dick Cross WMA  
 Boydton, VA  
 December 11-12, 2010**

Tidewater Brittany Club hosted their Fall Walking Field Trial December 11/12 at the Dick Cross WMA, VA. Weather was cool, breezy, and wet more than dry. A lot of new handlers, including Junior Handler John West who placed with his dog Lacy (Londeree's Diamond Hill Lacy) in both Derby stakes, enjoyed the attention of the judges over the weekend. We want to thank everyone who participated with their dogs, everyone who helped bird plant, and anyone who helped in any other way to make our trial such a success. We especially wish to thank Yvonne McKeag, who stepped up to help our recovering Ed Rudzinski, keeping our bellies full with some delicious food throughout the entire weekend. THANKS BUNCHES YVONNE.

Tidewater Brittany Club would like to congratulate Richard Christopher whose dog Grit Nitro Smoke, finished his Amateur Field Championship by winning the Amateur Gun Dog Stake. We also want to congratulate LuAnn Fullwood for winning the Open Gun Dog Stake with her Britwoods Smoking Gun, which not only finished her dog's Field Championship, but also makes Lizze a DUAL Champion. Winning the Amateur Puppy, Open Puppy, and Placing in the Open Derby was Ace's Jackpot Cody handled by Joe Hudgins. Kathy Shannon's K Star Can Holly Sno Best won the Amateur Derby stake. And Hope's Danny Boy of Tranquil Acers won the Open Derby handled by his owner Lee Holbrook. Congrats to all the winning and placing dogs.  
 Bobbie L. Sigmund

**Amateur Puppy (2S)**

**J: Kathy Shannon & Richard Christopher**

- 1 -ACE'S JACKPOT CODY (B), by Lone Star's Ace x Lone Star's Paige; o/h Joe Hudgins
- 2 -FIRST VIRGINIANS CHIEF POWHATAN (D), by CH Sanbar's Call When Readi JH x CH RJK Highlanders Max-E-Hunter JH; o Zac & Denise Walker, h Zac Walker
- 3-4 -Withheld

**Open Puppy (8S)**

**J: Lee Holbrook & Marvin Roth**

- 1 -ACE'S JACKPOT CODY (B), by Lone Star's Ace x Lone Star's Paige; o/h Joe Hudgins
- 2 -FIRST VIRGINIANS CHIEF POWHATAN (D), by CH Sanbar's Call When Readi JH x CH RJK Highlanders Max-E-Hunter, JH; o Zac & Denise Walker, h Zac Walker
- 3 -STONEWALL'S HIGH HOPES (B), by CH Crosscreek Southern General x Donmar Secret Storm; o James Harrison, h Tobie Adams

- 4 -BRB RJK CALL POINT ANN-E TIME (B), by CH Sanbar's Call When Readi JH x CH RKJ Highlanders Max-E-Hunter JH; o Jill & Richard Wilkinson, h Richard Wilkinson

**Amateur Derby (6S)**

**J: Richard Christopher & Marvin Roth**

- 1 -K STAR CAN HOLLY SNO BEST (B), by CH Granmars-N-KStar Can Drew JH x CH K Star Angelina Sno's Best JH; o/h Kathy Shannon  
 2 -LONDEREE'S DIAMOND HILL LACY (B), by Londeree's Diamond Hill Dan x Harbrook's Apple Scout; o Thomas W. West, h John W. West IV  
 3 -POLO'S RIDER ON THE STORM (D), by Polo's Piece of the Rock x Polo's Ace of Hope; o/h Linda Ouellette  
 4 -COPLEY REDWING BITE MY CHIPS (F), by CH Castle One In A Millennium x DC Sovereign Copley Kiss My Chips; o Todie Adams, h Bobbie L. Sigmund

**Open Derby (6S)**

**J: Marvin Roth & Tom Tighe**

- 1 -HOPES DANNY BOY OF TRANQUIL ACERS (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Hope's Dandi Don x Hope's Silver Lining; o Lee Holbrook  
 2 -LONDEREE'S DIAMOND HILL LACY (B), by Londeree's Diamond Hill Dan x Harbrook's Apple Scout; o Thomas W. West, h John W. West IV  
 3 -ACE'S JACKPOT CODY (B), by Lone Star's Ace x Lone Star's Paige; o/h Joe N. Hudgins  
 4 -POLO'S RIDER ON THE STORM (D), by Polo's Piece of the Rock x Polo's Ace of Hope; o/h Linda Ouellette



**BRITWOODS DOUBLE JEOPARDY**

**Amateur Gun Dog (14S)**

**J: Tom Tracy & Hans Borgmann**

- 1 -FC GRIT NITRO SMOKE (D), by Grit Nitro BJ x Smashing Sara; o/h Richard Christopher  
 2 -POLO'S DUSTY VALENTINE (B), by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x TJ's Dusty Rose; o/h Linda Ouellette  
 3 -BRITWOODS DOUBLE JEOPARDY (B), by Pistol V x Shotgun; o/h LuAnn Fullwood  
 4 -CH SIGBRIT'S CATCH ME NOW (D), by DC Hope's Bouree x CH Sigbrit's Chienne De Chasse JH; o/h Bobbie L. Sigmund



**CH BRITWOODS SMOKING GUN**

**Open Gun Dog (14S)**

**J: Gerald Lloyd & Ray Rinker**

- 1 -CH BRITWOODS SMOKING GUN (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Walker's Gunner x DC Brittwoods Sienna Spice; o/h LuAnn Fullwood  
 2 -BRITWOODS DOUBLE JEOPARDY (B), by Pistol V x Shotgun; o/h LuAnn Fullwood  
 3 -ROSIE THE TERROR (B), by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x FC W-Haven Moose and Dixie's Kim; o/h Mario Maiale  
 4 -Withheld

**TARHEEL**

**Hoffman, NC  
 January 5-9, 2011**

Tarheel Brittany Club held its Winter Horseback Field Trial at Hoffman on Jan 5-9, 2011. The Open Gun Dog HOUR stake, which ran on Wednesday and Thursday, had Just a Puff of Smoke handled by Ben Lorenson named as the winner. Hope's Carolina Sunshine, handled by Marvin Roth and owned by Bill Applegate, earned the second placement. Savannah's Hot Shot also handled by Ben Lorenson, was third, with Marjo's Here For the Party as fourth handled by owner Joe Luisi. Open All Age placements had first and second withheld, still The Crash Scene placed third being handled by Tom Tracy, and Mr. B's Butch, handled by owner Hans Borgmann earned the fourth. Open Derby placements are as follows: first was Suemac's Coos Kaos handled by owner Dr. Roger McPherson. Second was owner-handled Roy's Spirit Hunter by Dennis Harkcom. Roy's Ruff Around the Edges handled by Ben Lorenson was third, and Hope's Buffalo Jack placed fourth with owner Tom Tighe as the handler. Marjo's Magic Trick won the Open Puppy handled by owner Marsha Luisi. Second was Bullet's Carolina Blu handled by Richard Christopher but owned by Nolan Huffman. Piney Run Chalk was third and fourth Keystone's Back to the Future both handled and owned by Martha Greenlee. To finish the weekend, Am Gun Dog stake had limited birdwork with a storm coming in but the judges wanted to recognize not only the winning dog Grit Nitro Charlie handled by owner Richard Christopher, but others as well. Hybrittin's BJ Betty ran one of the best races

of the stake, with Grit Nitro Smoke, Dealer's Lucky Clover, and Marjo's Here for the Party right behind with good races of their own. And Suemac's Liberty Belle, also owned by Dr. Roger McPherson, was touted as seeing why she is already a field champion. Tarheel Brittany Club chairman, Richard Christopher, would thank everyone who entered and helped in any way during the trial.

Bobbie L. Sigmund.

**Open Puppy (4S)**

**J: Don Augustine & Linda Ouellette**

- 1 -MARJO'S MAGIC TRICK (B), by DC Hope's Bouree x Marjo's Alakazam; o/h Marsha & Joe Luisi  
 2 -BULLET'S CAROLINA BLU (D), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Vanpo's Ky Queen; o Nolan Huffman, h Richard Christopher  
 3 -PINEY RUN CHALK (D), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x Covergirl; o/h Martha Greenlee  
 4 -KEYSTONE'S BACK TO THE FUTURE (D), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x Covergirl; o Ken Cherry, h Martha Greenlee

**Open Derby (11S)**

**J: Art Cohen & Marvin Roth**

- 1 -SUEMAC'S COOS KAOS (B), by FC Suemac's Bodacious Pride x Suemac's Blazin Bibi; o Roger & Susie McPherson, h Roger McPherson  
 2 -ROY'S SPIRIT HUNTER (D), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o Lynda Zartarian, h Dennis Harkcom  
 3 -ROY'S RUFF AROUND THE EDGES (D), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call me Roy x DC BBB's Flashy Rose JH; o Sheri Hudson, h Ben Lorenson  
 4 -HOPE'S BUFFALO JACK (D), by NGDC/DC/AFC Hope's Dandi Don x Hope's Silver Lining; o Judith Tighe, h Tom Tighe

**Amateur Gun Dog (26S)**

**J: Tom Tracy & Thomas Thomas**

- 1 -AFC GRIT NITRO CHARLIE (D), by Beeline Bullets Bravado x AFC Kay Ban Sassy; o/h Richard Christopher  
 2-4 -Withheld

**Open Gun Dog 1hr (26S)**

**J: Billy Fogg & Fred Potts**

- 1 -JUST A PUFF OF SMOKE (B), by FC Keystone's Double Shot x Savannahs Vamp Hannah; o Tom Ettinger, h Ben Lorenson  
 2 -HOPE'S CAROLINA SUNSHINE (D), by FC/AFC Sigbrit-Hope's Qtrback Sneak x CH Hope's Card Trick; o William Applegate, h Marvin Roth  
 3 -FC SAVANNAHS HOT SHOT (B), by FC Keystone's Double Shot x Savannahs Vamp Hannah; o Bob & Sheri Hudson, h Ben Lorenson  
 4 -FC MARJO'S HERE FOR THE PARTY (B), by Hits A Boy Named Sioux x FC/AFC Marjo's Spirit of Hybrittin; o/h Marsha Luisi

**Open All Age (23S)**

**J: Art Cohen & Marvin Roth**

- 1-2 - Withheld
- 3 -THE CRASH SCENE (D), by Rockland Red River Runner x Walker's Flash Dancer; o Paul Rosevear, h Tom Tracy Jr.
- 4 -MR. B'S BUTCH II (D), by FC Diamond Reo x Smashing Sarah; o/h Hans Borgmann

**EAST CENTRAL**

**GEORGIA**

**Coney Lake Plantation  
Leesburg, GA  
November 20-21, 2010**

**Open Puppy (5S)**

**J: Jamie Fountain & Wayne James**

- 1 -PURSUIT'S TIMBER MIST (B), by CH Wildthings Tobias Braveheart x Aapricot's Cocoa Haze; o Jay & Jean Hallaron, h Jay Hallaron
- 2 -GUNNY SMOKE (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 3 -LIKE A FLASH (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Hotroddin Grace Under Fire; o Drew Carter, h Jim Carter
- 4 -GUNN'S-A-BLAZ'N (B), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DVM

**Open Derby (5S)**

**J: Rob Donahue & Joyce Roberts**

- 1 -ROY'S RUFF AROUND THE EDGES (D), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x DC BBB's Flashy Rose; o Sheri Hudson, h Ben Lorenson
- 2 -PURSUIT'S FLASHY CHICK (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x DC BBB's Flashy Rose; o Jay & Jean Hallaron, h Ray Dohse
- 3 -SLING BLADE'S TRADE (B), by Beeline Bullet's Bravado x Shadows Freckled Sue; o Jim Carter DVM & Drew Carter, h Jim Carter DVM
- 4 -Withheld



**AMMO'S SOME LIKE IT HOT**

**Amateur Gun Dog (13S)**

**J: Jay Hallaron & Jamie Fountain**

- 1 -FC WINDY HILLS IKE (D), by Blaze County

- Pike x Pyck; o/h Delmar McCallister
- 2 -DB COOPER (D), by FC/AFC Cooper's Ozark Traveler x White Lightning XV; o Vic Williams & Joyce Roberts, h Vic Williams
- 3 -AMMO'S SOME LIKE IT HOT (B), by CH Millette's Let the Games Begin x DC Ammo's Gone With The Wind; o Sandra & Gary Leavens, h Sandra Leavens
- 4 -DICK TRACY III (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Walker's Gunner x AFC Bullett's Renegade Miss Megan; o/h Jim Carter DVM



**FC/AFC HYBRITTIN'S BJ BETTY**



**NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC PETER GUNN**

**Open Gun Dog (24S)**

**J: Jay Hallaron & Vic Williams**

- 1 -FC/AFC HYBRITTIN'S BJ BETTY (B), by FC/AFC Chubasco II x FC/AFC Reba Baloo By You; o Aurthur & Judith Cohen, h Kyle Merrill
- 2 -STAR'S DIXIE PEARL (B), by Keystone White Label x Dixie Blazing Star; o Mike Bennetch, h Kyle Merrill
- 3 -NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC PETER GUNN (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Walkers Gunner x AFC Bullet's Renegade Miss Megan; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 4 -HARRISES WMF DOUBLE PRINCESS LEIA (B), by FC Chikamins Double Trouble x Harrises Sweet Catalpa Sally; o Steven Harris, h Kyle Merrill

**Open All Age (8S)**

**J: Dave Medford & Wayne James**

- 1 -FC ESHOD'S REVOLUTION (D), GSP
- 2 -PINEY RUN HANK (D), by FC Piney Run Art x Piney Run Tango; o Rob Donahue, h Ben Lorenson
- 3 -DEALER'S LUCKY CLOVER (B), by FC Julry's Gem Dealer x Air Mika; o/h Sheri Hudson
- 4 -Withheld

**GEORGIA  
Battleground Plantation  
Wrightsville, GA  
December 10-12, 2010**

**Amateur Walking Puppy (6S)**

**J: Jamie Fountain & Mark Johnson**

- 1 -GUNN'S-A-BLAZ'N (B), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 2 -LIKE A FLASH (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Hotroddin Grace Under Fire; o Drew Carter, h Jim Carter DVM
- 3 -BARBEN'S DIZZY MISS LIZZY (B), VIZ
- 4 -GUNN SMOKE (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DVM

**Open Walking Puppy (7S)**

**J: Jamie Fountain & Mark Johnson**

- 1 -GUNN'S-A-BLAZ'N (B), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 2 -GUNN SMOKE (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 3 -UP N' ADAM'S NATHAN HALE (D), GSP
- 4 -BARBEN'S BEAUJOLAIS JH (B), VIZ

**Amateur Walking Derby (8S)**

**J: Jamie Fountain & Dave Medford**

- 1 -PURSUITS FLASHY CHICK (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x DC BBB's Flashy Rose; o Jay & Jean Hallaron, h Jay Hallaron
- 2 -GUNN SMOKE (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DMV
- 3 -WINCHESTER'S LAST LOAD (B), by NGDC/DC/AFC Winchester of Hanging Jaze x AFC Bullett's Renegade Miss Megan; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 4 -BARBEN'S DIZZY MISS LIZZY (B), VIZ

**Open Walking Derby (8S)**

**J: Sheri Hudson & Kyle Merrill**

- 1 -GUNN SMOKE (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 2 -SNIPS SUGAR COOKIE (B), GWP
- 3 -SAGINAW REDNECK COWBOY (D), VIZ
- 4 -PURSUIT'S FLASHY CHICK (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x DC BBB's Flashy Rose; o Jay & Jean Hallaron, h Ray Dohse

**Amateur Walking Gun Dog (10S)**

**J: Ben Lorenson & Dave Medford**

- 1 -CH CAST-A-BRITT RIP II (D), by FC/AFC RJ's Microtuck x Cast A Britt Platinum Mollie; o/h Delmar McCallister
- 2 -LOCKNLODE BLACK BITTY (B), P
- 3 -DC AMMO'S GONE WITH THE WIND (B), by DC/AFC Masked Shoshoni War Chief x Donmar's Majestic Misty Morning; o/h Sandra & Gary Leavens
- 4 -BARBEN'S RIO CARNAVAL JH (B), VIZ



### Open Walking Gun Dog (9S)

**J: Trish Burdin & Jay Hallaron**

- 1 -AFC BULLET'S RENEGADE MISS MEGAN (B), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Keith's Renegade Ginger; o/h Jim Carter DVM
- 2 -SAGINAW CYA REBA (B), VIZ
- 3 -SNIPS COWBOY WAY (D), GSP
- 4 -Withheld

### Open Limited Gun Dog (30S)

**J: Jim Carter & Trish Burdin**

- 1 -STAR'S DIXIE PEARL (B), by FC Keystones White Label x Dixie Blazing Star; o Mike Bennetch, h Kyle Merrill
- 2 -FC/AFC COOS RIGLEE (D), by FC/AFC TBF's Hotroddin Howser x Pheasant Ridge Sidney; o Tom Ettinger, h Kyle Merrill
- 3 -FC ESHOD'S ARKANSAS LADY (B), GSP
- 4 -ONE OFF MOJITO MIKE (D), by FC Keystone's Double Shot x Savannah's Vamp Hannah; o Patti Hunt, h Kyle Merrill

### Open All Age (13S)

**J: Mark Johnson & Sandra Leavens**

- 1 -PINEY RUN HANK (D), by FC Piney Run Art x Piney Run Tango; o Rob Donahue, h Ben Lorenson
- 2 -HOTRODDIN GRACE UNDER FIRE (B), by FC/AFC TBF's Hotroddin Howser x Kirby Mtn Adeline; o Drew Carter, h Ben Lorenson
- 3 -PHOENIX LI'L LUCY (B), by FC Shady's Beans Blaze Phoenix x Bull Creeks Shady Mae; o Jay & Jean Hallaron, h Jamie Fountain
- 4 -FC SAVANNAH'S HOT SHOT (B), by FC Keystone's Double Shot x Savannahs Vamp Hannah; o Bob & Sheri D. Hudson, h Ben Lorenson

## GEORGIA

### Waynesboro, GA

January 29-February 1, 2011

### Open Puppy (7S)

**J: Jay Hallaron & Lynda Zartarian**

- 1 -GUNN'S-A-BLAZ'N (B), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter, DVM
- 2 -GUNN SMOKE (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim Carter, DVM
- 3 -EMMA TAYSHON (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x Drew's Favorite Ginger Snap; o Drew Carter, h Jim Carter DVM
- 4 -ROUSTABOUT'S WHITE KNIGHT (D), by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x FC Jay Hawk's Georgia Girl; o Paul Rosevear, h Tommy Tracy

### Open Derby (14S)

**J: Bo Ackerman & Kent Patterson**

- 1 -ROY'S SPIRIT HUNTER (D), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o Lynda Zartarian, h Kyle Merrell
- 2 -ONE OFF CHAMPAGNE CHARLEE (D), by FC/AFC Coos Riglee x Cornwall's Addison; o/h Patti Hunt
- 3 -GUNN SMOKE (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o/h Jim

Carter, DVM

- 4 -ZACK'S BULLET IN THE 'BORO BETSY (B), by Bullett's Gambler's Buckeye x Tejas Iron's Brandy; o/h Mary Morgan

### Amateur Gun Dog (26S)

**J: Brian Hendrickson & Bill Haynes**

- 1 -NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC PETER GUNN (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Walkers Gunner x AFC Bullet's Renegade Miss Megan; o/h Jim Carter, DVM
- 2 -GRIT NITRO CHARLIE (D), by Beeline Bullet's Bravado x Kay Ban Sassy; o/h Richard Christopher
- 3 -NOBLE ENDEAVOR (D), by FC Noble Neighbor x Rosie's Blazing Star; o/h Rob Donahue
- 4 -DC BBB'S FLASHY ROSE JH (B), by DC Chick's Blaze'n Sawtooth Sam x CH BBB's Flashlight; o Jay & Jean Hallaron, h Jay Hallaron

### Open Gun Dog 1hr (21S)

**J: Richard Christopher & Ron Lambert**

- 1 -AUGUSTUS OF TIGER (D), by FC/AFC Dakota Alleycat x JB's Georgian Amber Blaze; o Bo & Renae Ackerman, h Tommy Tracy
- 2 -STAR'S DIXIE PEARL (B), by FC Keystones White Label x Dixie Blazing Star; o Mike Bennetch, h Kyle Merrill
- 3 -FC SIR SUNRISE WINSALOT (D), by FC/AFC Harlan County Cowboy x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o David Medford, h Ben Lorenson
- 4 -NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC PETER GUNN (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Walkers Gunner x AFC Bullet's Renegade Miss Megan; o/h Jim Carter, DVM

### Amateur All Age (13S)

**J: Jamie Fountain & Dave Medford**

- 1 -FC/AFC EARLY TIMES (D), by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x Windy Hill Sho-N-Tel; o Bo & Renae Ackerman, h Bo Ackerman
- 2 -NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC PETER GUNN (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Walkers Gunner x AFC Bullet's Renegade Miss Megan; o/h Jim Carter, DVM
- 3-4 -Withheld



FC/AFC MAXWELL'S GUNSMOKE

### Open All Age 1hr (22S)

**J: Marvin Roth & Dennis Harkcom**

- 1 -FC/AFC MAXWELL'S GUNSMOKE (D), by Maxwell's Farm Boy x Cheyenne VI; o/h Kent Patterson
- 2 -FC PINEY RUN HANK (D), by FC Piney Run Art x Piney Run Tango; o Rob Donahue, h Ben Lorenson
- 3 -FC ROUSTABOUT'S SNIKSOH SADIE (B), by

FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x FC Sniksoh Ima Pepper; o Paul Rosevear, h Tommy Tracy

- 4 -FC SAVANNAHS HOT SHOT (B), by FC Keystone's Double Shot x Savannahs Vamp Hannah; o Bob & Sheri Hudson, h Ben Lorenson

## CENTRAL

### VOLUNTEER

Collierville, TN

November 4-7, 2010

### Open Puppy (6S)

**J: Ed Graves & Judy Graves**

- 1 -WOLF RIVER'S TERRIBLE TUG (D), by FC Le Grand Tank du Fayette x Blaze'n Little Chick; o Ken Blackman, h Al Gorrow
- 2 -TNT'S SIRIUS MO-MENTUM (B), by DC/AFC Starlight's Blazing Sirius x Deuces Five O'Clock Somewhere; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 3 -TNT'S SIRIUS MEDICINE MAN (D), by DC/AFC Starlight's Blazing Sirius x Deuce's Five O'Clock Somewhere; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 4 -Withheld

### Open Derby (8S)

**J: Judy Graves & Ed Graves**

- 1 -SHOT OF WHIZKI (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Alliwannado; o/h Gerald Collins
- 2 -WOLF RIVER'S SOUR MASH (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Wilco's Miss Emma; o Ken Blackman, h Al Gorrow
- 3 -CEDAR VALLEY SPIDER (D), by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x Flying Feather Cocobean; o David Webb, h Tom Tracy Jr.
- 4 -FREE STATE CHANCE (D), by FC Jake Acres In Disguish x FC Material Girl; o/h Jerry Lindsey

### Open Gun Dog (15S)

**J: Liz Pruette & Dale Pool**

- 1 -GEORGIA'S TEXAS TWO STEP (B), by FC/AFC Dakota Alleycat x JB's Georgian Amber Blaze; o Travis & Clayton Tangen, h Tom Tracy Jr.
- 2 -SHAMBO'S VIGOROUS ANA (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x Barnum's Dream Josephine Brown; o Sam Morris & Burl Hicks, h Al Gorrow
- 3 -DAKOTA GUN RUNNER'S BUCKSHOT (D), by FC/AFC Dakota Alleycat x JB's Georgian Amber Blaze; o Jim Beakowitz, h Tom Tracy Jr.
- 4 -Withheld



DC/AFC STARLIGHT'S BLAZING SIRUS





**FC/AFC BRISCO'S MR. STUB**

**Region 6 AAA Championship**

**Amateur All Age 1 hr (15S)**

**J: Jim DeMarco & Edmond James  
Championship not awarded. Stake  
Reverted to a regular AA stake**

- 1 -FC/AFC MAXWELL'S GUNSMOKE (D), by Maxwell's Farm Boy x Cheyenne VI; o/h Kent Patterson
- 2 -DC/AFC STARLIGHT'S BLAZING SIRUS (D), by FC Ridge Runner Rocky x CH Starlight's Alpha Zeta; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 3 -FC/AFC BRISCO'S MR. STUB (D), by FC/AFC Brisco Buddy Boy x FC Sting; o Ray & Mary Jo Trimble, h Ray Trimble
- 4 -DC/AFC RU-JEM'S A TOUCH OF BOURBON (D), by DC/AFC Bourbon XIII x FC Mo Kan Bimbo; o Jerry & Ruth McGee, h Jerry McGee

**Open All Age (20S)**

**J: Jerry McGee & Ray Trimble**

- 1 -FC JAKE ACRES IN DISGUISH (D), by FC Ortho Acres Goldberg x Judy in Disguish; o Rick & Nan Crites, h Al Gorrow
- 2 -FC MUSTANG SALLY VIII (B), by FC/AFC TBF's Fistfull of Aces x NGDC/FC/AFC Coppertop's Alderwitch; o Hans Borgmann, h Tom Tracy Jr.
- 3 -DC/AFC STARLIGHT'S BLAING SIRIUS (D), by FC Ridge Runner Rocky x CH Starlight's Alpha Zeta; o/h Thom Thomas
- 4 -FC LE GRAND TANK DU FAYETTE (D), by Toujours Fid'Ele Nat Cheval x Peaches Des Orfever; o Ken & Sue Blackman, h Tom Tracy Jr.

**CENTRAL ARKANSAS  
Camp Robinson WMA  
Conway, Arkansas  
January 26-30, 2011**

**Open Puppy (8S)**

**J: Ed Graves & Judy Graves**

- 1 -RU-JEM'S LAST PENNY (B), by FC Trademark's ATM x Red Bud Zipper; o Ruth & Jerry McGee, h Jerry McGee
- 2 -KOKOMO JOSEY JOE (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Blaze'N Little Chick; o/h Jerry Collins
- 3 -WHIZKI PETE (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x

FC/AFC Special Edition; o Charlie Baglan, h Richard Wylie  
4 -WOLF RIVER'S TERRIBLE TUG (D), by FC Le Grand Tank Du Fayette x Blaze'N Little Chick; o Ken Blackman, h Al Gorrow

**Open Derby (6S)**

**J: Judy T. Graves & Edward V. Graves**

- 1 -FREE STATE CHANCE (D), by FC Jake Acres in Disguish x FC Material Girl; o/h Jerry Lindsey
- 2 -SHARP DRESSED MAN (D), by FC Jake Acres in Disguish x FC Material Girl; o Pam Baird, h Al Gorrow
- 3 -WOLF RIVER'S TERRIBLE TUG (D), by FC Le Grande Tank Du Fayette x Blaze' N Little Chick; o Ken Blackman, h Al Gorrow
- 4 -WHIZKI PETE (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x FC/AFC Special Edition; o Charlie Baglan, h Richard Wylie



**CH SANBAR CROSS CREEK REPETE CALL**

**Open Gun Dog (13S)**

**J: Ray Trimble & Jerry McGee**

- 1 -CH SANBAR CROSS CREEK REPETE CALL (D), by Pal's Southern Yankee x Crosscreek Gatling Gun Girl; o Barbara & Wayne Pepin, h Chad Holman
- 2 -Withheld
- 3 -ICEMAN'S SMOOTH RIDE (B), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x Rebel Jac's Hankern Jill; o Ed & Donna Janulis, h Chad Holman
- 4 -ICEMAN'S WILDONE (D), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x Rebel Jac's Hankern Jill; o Ed & Donna Janulis, h Chad Holman



**FC/AFC TRADEMARK ICEMAN**



**FC TRADEMARK'S ATM**

**Open All Age (22S)**

**J: Stan Williamson & Rhett Burns**

- 1 -FC/AFC TRADEMARK ICEMAN (D), by FC/AFC Rimarda's Trademark x FC Lane's End Bowtie Annie; o Ed & Donna Janulis, h Chad Holman
- 2 -AFC RU-JEM'S FIST FULL OF DOLLARS (D), by FC Trademark's ATM x Red Bud Zipper; o Ruth & Jerry McGee, h Jerry McGee
- 3 -FC BLACK CREEK DEACON (D), by FC Perfect Timing x Rebel Jac's Hankern Jill; o Ron Harling Jr., h Chad Holman
- 4 -FC TRADEMARK'S ATM (D), by FC/AFC Rimarda's Trademark x FC Lane's End Bowtie Annie; o James & Janet Chase, h Chad Holman

**LASALLE  
Des Plaines Wildlife Area  
Joliet, IL  
January 29-30, 2011**

**Open Walking Puppy (7S)**

**J: Donna Janulis & Larry Bates**

- 1 -DOGWOOD'S BUCKMARK (D), by DC Shadow Attack x CH Dogwood's Gilmore Girl; o/h Todd Parmenter
- 2 -CRESCENT CITY GIRL (B), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Barry & Petra Steinmetz, h Barry Steinmetz
- 3 -STARLIGHT'S WHERE THERE'S A WILL (D), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Rebecca Walters & Teresa Richmond, h Rebecca Walters
- 4 -HY STEPPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING (B), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Vanpo's Ky Queen; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott

**Open Walking Derby (4S)**

**J: Harold Heather & Steve McClure**

- 1 -BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS (B), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x Double Ups TNT Tori; o/h Jeff Stanton
- 2 -GAMBLER'S HI PROOF BILLY BUSTER (D), by Gambler's Trademark Ace High x Georgia's Hi Proof Rico's Lady, o/h William D. Darmon
- 3 -STARLIGHT'S HEART OF CUPERTINO (D), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o/h John, Sharon & Travis Brauer
- 4 -Withheld



**FC/AFC HY STEPPIN MAGGIE**



**DC/AFC WRIGLEY'S CHIP MAKIN' HIS MARC**



**DC/AFC SWEETWATER BILLY TUCKER**

**Amateur Gun Dog (20S)**

**J: Harold Heather & Kevin Remmers**

- 1 -CH BISCUIT'S ALL ABOUT ME (D), by CH It's Great To Be Me x CH Biscuit's Sundancer's Dream Rose; o Debra M. Connell, h Tom Jagielski
- 2 -FC/AFC HY STEPPIN MAGGIE (B), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Hammering Hank's Rebel Belle; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 3 -DC/AFC WRIGLEY'S CHIP MAKIN' HIS MARC (D), by FC/AFC Renegade's Regal Wrigley JH x Chief's Misipi Nivashi Nummi; o Mike & Stacy Poehler, h Mike Poehler
- 4 -DC/AFC SWEETWATER BILLY TUCKER (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Gambler's Ace In The Hole x Angels Lucky Star Shine; o Laurence & Susan Bates, h Larry Bates

**Open Walking Gun Dog (23S)**

**J: James Mills & Bill Padavano**

- 1 -DC/AFC SWEETWATER BILLY TUCKER (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Gambler's Ace In The Hole x Angels Lucky Star Shine; o Laurence & Susan Bates, h Larry Bates
- 2 -CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW RAY OF HOPE (D), by CH Dogwood Hollow Hammerin' Hank x CH Dogwood Hollow C'l'm Daddysgirl; O Thomas & Joneen, h Jean Webb

- 3 -CH GRANMARS CAN DO PRINCE DREW (D), by DC Classic's Can Do Andrew x CH Chilcote Zax Diamond on Credit; o Tim Foley
- 4 -JER & AMES SWEETWATER EXPRESS (D), by DC/AFC Sweetwater Billy Tucker x CH Suzannah's Queen Fiona of Nevene; Dennis & Pat & Amy Sullivan, h Dennis Sullivan

**MIDWEST**

**TEXAS COASTAL**

**Boyd Ranch**

**Wortham, Texas**

**November 5-7, 2010**

Our fall trial was held on grounds close to Mexia, TX, leased by the Four Corners Assn. for trials and training. We thank this group of people for providing trial grounds to local clubs. The weather cooperated, no flood!, with cool temps in the mornings but the grounds were dry as a result of the drought much of Texas has suffered this year. Birds were plentiful however, maybe too plentiful for some competitors!

The entry was small and we are thankful that pros Vic Carrington and David Downing supported our trial as well as our amateur friends. We missed Tom Longfellow who was suffering with cracked ribs due to a horse mishap the weekend before. Allen Norman from Washington state did a swing thru Texas on his way to the national championship and attended with his string of very competitive dogs. Several other amateurs competed as well with other pointing breeds.

All placements were well received and we sincerely thank our judges E. J. Hall, Kim Ochoa, Ben Kuykendall and Charlie Collier. Ben & Carolyn's female, American Idol won the Open Gun Dog and is now a Field Champion. Congratulations, Kelly!

Club members pitched in and helped where needed: Larry and Patricia Mankin cooked soup, prepared and served the meals and, with Steve Hintzel, helped where needed. Sue & Bobby Armstrong brought home baked brownies for dessert and were thrilled that their dog Willie won the Open All Age.

A huge "Thank You" to all who attended and helped up on the trial: we hope to see you again in January.

**Amateur Gun Dog (13S)**

**J: Ben Kuykendall & Charlie Collier**

- 1 -SPARE TIME'S PAT HAND (D), GSP
- 2 -CH ZAKARAANY FIRECRACKER (D), VIZ
- 3 -SPARE TIME'S CINNAMON GIRL (B), GSP
- 4 -WOODSONG'S MEDICINE MAN (D), by FC/AFC TJ's Apache x DC KK Majorette's Coquina; o J. C. & Ninan Woodall, h J. C. Woodall

**Open Gun Dog (16S)**

**J: E. J. Hall & Kim Ochoa Hall**

- 1 -AMERICAN IDOL (B), by FC Dakota's Copper Nickel x K Tex In Your Dreams; o/h Ben

Kuykendall

- 2 -J&M JAX TRUE SPIRIT (D), by DC J And M Ace High Jax & J And M Pete's Turnin' Trix; o Jim & Mary Crawford, h Jim Crawford
- 3 -SOUTHERN BREEZE (B), by FC Dakota's Copper Nickel x Southern Star; o Ben & Carolyn Kuykendall, h Ben Kuykendall
- 4 -ME AND YOU ALONE MAVERICK (B), by Texas Skeeter x Milligan's Ozark Sally; o Mitsue Nakamura, h Vic Carrington



**J&M JAX SUGAR BABE**

**Amateur All Age (8S)**

**J: E. J. Hall & Kim Ochoa Hall**

- 1 -J&M JAX SUGAR BABE (B), by DC Ajax Or Better x CH J&M Blazen Dixie Chik; o Jim & Mary Crawford, h Jim Crawford
- 2 -DAKOTAS GONE WITH THE WIND (B), by FC Dakota's Copper Nickel x Highpoints Wicked Wanda; o Ben & Carolyn Kuykendall, h Ben Kuykendall
- 3 -AMERICAN IDOL (B), by Dakota's Copper Nickel x K-TEX In Your Dreams; o/h Ben Kuykendall
- 4 -J&M JAX TRUE SPIRIT (D), by DC J And M Ace High Jax x J And M Pete's Turnin' Trix; o Jim & Mary Crawford, h Jim Crawford

**Open All Age (14S)**

**J: E. J. Hall & Kim Ochoa Hall**

- 1 -FC LAFAYETTE KINMONT WILLIE (D), by DC Lafayette Border Baron x Flat Rock's Barbie; o Bobby & Sue Armstrong, h Vic Carrington
- 2 -ME AND YOU ALONE MAVERICK (B), by Texas Skeeter x Milligan's Ozarks Sally; o Mitsue Nakamura, h Vic Carrington
- 3 -FC BELLE'S BEAU MAX (D), by Windy Hill Bert x Wilco's Bodock Belle; o Gary Nelson, h Vic Carrington
- 4 -CHICK'S SON OF THE SOUTH (D), by DC Ajax or Better x CH J&M Blazen Dixie Chik; o Larry & Patricia Mankin, h Vic Carrington

**MIDWEST**

**Oliver Ranch**

**Eureka, KS**

**November 6-9, 2010**

**Open Puppy (9S)**

**J: Skip Wonnell & Rob Myers**

- 1 -ALAR'S IROC Z (B), by DC Almaden's River of Shadows x DC Sovereign Copley Kiss My



- Chips; o Jessica Carlson, h Ed Tillson
- 2 -WAKTA (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o/h Terry Gowin
  - 3 -TLM BARTENDER'S BUDDY (D), by DC/AFC Starlight's Blazing Sirius x Dueces Five O'Clock Somewhere; o Linda & Tom Milam, h Tom Milam
  - 4 -COPLEY'S WINCREST DIRTY MARTINI (B), by DC Almaden's River Of Shadows x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Robin Tomasi x Ed Tillson



**WAKTA**

**Open Derby (18S)**

**J: Robbie Myers & Skip Wonnell**

- 1 -MISS ABBY MEADOWS (B), by FC Wimberley Jimdandy x FC Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o Joe & Rose Marie Marlatt, h Kevin Stonehouse
- 2 -WAKTA (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy; x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o/h Terry Gowin
- 3 -ST CLAIR'S PRINCE ROCCO VULCANO LEO (D), by SLW Prince Duke Jr x Misty Morning XXIII; o Jon St. Clair, h Scott Johnson
- 4 -SUNNYVALE FLINT HILLS FLYER (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x Wild Mtn's Hot Chocolate Xpress; o John & Paula Henderson, h Ed Tillson



**FC/AFC UPLAND ACRES OVERLAND EXPRESS**



**FC SNIKSOH SALLY**

**Open Gun Dog (28S)**

**J: Wes Felt & Bill Hancock**

- 1 -FC/AFC UPLAND ACRES OVERLAND EXPRESS (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x DC/AFC Upland Acres Blazing Star; o Tom & Gretchen Burroughs, h Bob Burchett
- 2 -FC SNIKSOH SALLY (B), by Sniksoh Little Rascal x Sniksoh Next Gen; o Philip Corlew, h Bob Burchett
- 3 -DC MASKED JACK OF DIAMONDS (D), by CH Jayhawkers Masked Bandit x Reddevil's Lucky Diamond At FF; o Rod & Carol Maves, h Ed Tillson
- 4 -DB'S BLAZIN SHADOW (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x FC/AFC The Prairie Tornado; o/h David Byers

**Amateur All Age (22S)**

**J: J. P. Cleland & Skip Wonnell**

- 1 -CROSSLAND'S CHARLIE (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x Jaybirds Dot Com; o/h William A. Hancock
- 2 -BBD'S CA-CHING (D), by FC/AFC Bada Bing x Diamond Hill's Magical Mollie; o/h Robbie Myers
- 3-4 -Withheld

**MIDWEST HOUR OPEN ALL AGE**

By Nick Blasi

The Midwest Brittany Club concluded its fall hour open all age stake on November 7th. It was held on one of the most beautiful grounds in the country, The Oliver Ranch southeast of Eureka KS. These grounds provide a true test for All Age caliber dogs. We would like to deeply thank Mary Lynn and Bill Oliver for use of their grounds and continued support of the Midwest Brittany Club. We would also like to thank Purina for sponsoring our trial and providing bags of feed to our winners! The trial ran

smoothly with everyone helping out. It would not have been without the help of David Byers, Leona Brinkmeyer, Robbie Myers, Bill Hancock, JP Cleland, Skip Wonnell, Larry Hagedorn, Terry Gowin, Herb Rea, Francis Classen, Scott Johnson, Mike Lager and Matt Kitchen. I would also like to thank the pros who attended; Scott Johnson, Ed Tillson, Bob Burchett, Justin Kalina, and Jim John. A special thanks go to the judges, Mike Martin from Arkansas and Brooks Carmichael from Nebraska, who gave all of the dogs their full attention.

**The Winners**

This year's Winner came out of brace 13, the last brace on Saturday. TLM Frequent Flyer, a 3 year old O/W male owned and handled by Tom Milam (Co-owned by Harlan Gerardy) ran a forward and big race with a nice find to seal first place. A great victory for a young dog!

The runner up, Joker's Jackpot, ran on the first day in the first brace after lunch. A 3yr old W/O male owned by Steve Ralph and campaigned by Jim John. This young dog is becoming a very consistent competitor this fall. He ran a big consistent race with a nice find.

The third place dog is no stranger to the podium. FC/AFC TJ's Prairie Blizzard ran in the first brace on Sunday. The 7 year old is owned by Vicki Rankin and handled by Ed Tillson. He ran a big forward race with a covey find.

The fourth place dog was braced with the RU making for an exciting brace. Reigning NFC Primetime Outlaw Johnny is owned and handled by Herb Rea. He was wide, big and had a well located find.



Left to Right: Tom Milam with the winner, Jack, Harlan Gerrardy, Brooks Carmichael Judge, Jim John with Jack, Sarah and Cannon John, Mike Martin Judge, Jessica Carlson with Blizzard, Ed Tillson, Larry Hagedorn with Cash

**Open All-Age 1 hr. (32S)**

**J: Mike Martin & Brook Carmichael**

- 1 -TLM FREQUENT FLYER (D), by FC/AFC Hillside Sweet Ol' Bob x TLM Hardhearted Hannah; o Linda & Tom Milam, h Tom Milam
- 2 -JOKER'S JACKPOT (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes Joker x S'No Fun Sea Hawk; o Steve Ralph, h Jim John
- 3 -FC/AFC TJ'S PRAIRIE BLIZZARD (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Tequila's Joker x FC/AFC The Prairie Tornado; o Vicki Rankin, h Ed Tillson
- 4 -NFC/FCPRIMETIME OUTLAW JOHNNY (D), by Double O's Rocky x Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o/h Herb Rea

**BLUEBONNET  
Hubbard, TX**

**November 12-14, 2010**

**Open Derby (8S)**

**J: Harold Davis & Rusty Calhoun**

- 1 -WIMBERLEY ROWDY BO-DANDY (D), by FC Wimberley Jimdandy x FC Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o Ginger & John Gay, h Scott Johnson
- 2 -MAXIMUS WILDE BERRY NATAL (D), VIZ
- 3 -CAMPBELLS RAZZ-MA-TAZZ (D), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC/AFC Breton's Truckee River Gold; o/h Franklin E. Campbell
- 4 -COPLEY'S WATCH TIME FLY (B), by FC Timberline Strait to the Point x CH Blayre's One Moment In Time; o Haley Glick, h Scott Johnson

**Amateur Gun Dog (13S)**

**J: David Downing & Frank Campbell**

- 1 -KINWASHKLY ROSCIUS ROSE (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Lea's Running Jayhawk x CH Kinwashkly Lucky Star; o Allen Norman & Sydney Sutkus, h Allen G. Norman



**SIR ROSCIUS RALPH OF GASCONY MH**

- 2 -SOUTHERN BREEZE (B), by FC Dakotas Copper Nickel x Southern Star; o/h Ben Kuykendall
- 3 -NFC/FC BROWNHAVEN BURNING BRIGHT (D), IS
- 4 -SIR ROSCIUS RALPH OF GASCONY MH (D), by Sir Ziggy of Kent x Foxhill's Sara Andrea; o/h Allen G. Norman

**Open Gun Dog (26S)**

**J: David Downing & Frank Campbell**

- 1 -FREE FLIGHTS MOON STRUCK (B), GSP
- 2 -NFC/FC BROWNHAVEN BURNING BRIGHT (D), IS
- 3 -SHAMBO'S MIDNIGHT SHADOW (B), by R And R Midnight Madness x Tejas Dark Shadow Jenny; o Mace McCain, h Vic Carrington
- 4 -FC TERRA DOT (B), by Windy Hill Bart x Pyck; o Jim & Mean Floyd, h Scott Johnson

**Amateur All Age (13S)**

**J: Ronnie Sale & J. C. Woodall**

- 1 -FC/AFC CHIEF'S NUBBIN'S LIL LADY (B), by Chief's Nubbin Ridge Runner x Chief's Shott O'Nolans N Dot; o Matt Kitchen, h Franklin E. Campbell
- 2-4 -Withheld

**Open All Age (21S)**

**J: Harold Davis & Rusty Calhoun**

- 1 -CH KINWASHKLY ROSCIUS ZOOMER (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x Can Ch Kinwashkly Nutmeg; o/h Allen G. Norman
- 2 -DC T'KALIS FEEL THE WIND (B), by DC Hi Point I Believe I Can Fly x CH T'Kalis By Golly Ms Molly; o William Lim, h David Downing
- 3 -FC BOUDREAUX'S POKI JJ JOHNSON (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Lea's Running Jayhawk x FC/AFC Poki-Dot; o Darlene Dow, h Scott Johnson
- 4 -ME AND YOU ALONE MAVERICK (B), by Texas Skeeter x Milligan's Ozark Sall; o Mitsue Nakamura, h Vic Carrington

**INDIAN NATIONS**

**Martens Ranch  
Pierce, OK**

**December 4, 2010**

**Open Puppy (5S)**

**J: Ed Peace & Terry Gowan**

- 1 -HUNTMASTER'S INDULGENCE (B), ES
- 2 -HUNTMASTER'S LACY MEADOW (B), ES
- 3 -TRASA'S LITTLE SKY DANCER (B), by FC KB's Shadow-Dancer x Trasa's Little Ann SH; o/h Trasa Shinpoch
- 4 -HUNTMASTER'S RAFF (D), ES

**Amateur Derby (4S)**

**J: Tom Pollan & John Tiller**

- 1 -OCAJE (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o/h Terry Gowin
- 2 -WAKTA (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o/h Terry Gowin
- 3 -B.A.R.'S LUKE JH (D), GSP
- 4 -Withheld

**Open Derby (5S)**

**J: Tom Pollan & John Tiller**

- 1 -OCAJE (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o/h Terry Gowin
- 2 -WAKTA (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o/h Terry Gowin
- 3 -B.A.R.'S REX JH (D), GSP
- 4 -TRASA'S LITTLE SKY DANCER (B), by FC KB's Shadow-Dancer x Trasa's Little Ann SH; o/h Trasa Shinpoch

**Amateur Gun Dog (4S)**

**J: Ed Peace & Terry Gowan**

- 1 -ICT KS SLICK AIR (D), GSP
- 2-4 -Withheld

**Open Gun Dog (4S)**

**J: Ed Peace & Tom Pollan**

- 1-4 -Withheld

**FORT WORTH**

**Boyd Ranch  
Wortham, TX**

**January 21-23, 2011**

The Forth Worth Brittany Club held their Spring Trial January 21-23, 2011. The trial was run on the Boyd Ranch near Wortham, Texas. A big thank you goes out to our four very fine judges that joined us to watch over the trial. J.C. Woodall, Dale Barker, Ed Cowling and Wesley Felt spent their weekend looking at the fine dogs in the six events.

Well-known Texas Professional Vic Carrington handled FC BELLE'S BEAU MAX in the Open All Age. The owner of this fine dog is Gary Nelson from Granbury, Texas. FC BLUERIDGE GROUNDS KEEPER handled by another well-known Texas Professional David Downing won the Open Gun Dog. Tina Travis from Florence, Texas owns this fine dog.

The Amateur AI Age winner DAKOTAS GONE WITH THE WIND owned and was handled by his owner Ben Kuykendall. The Amateur Gun Dog winner MOLLY'S HOLIDAY MICRO MAGGIE handled by her owner Molly Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyd, of the Boyd Ranch, were at attendance at our Saturday night cookout to celebrate the weekend of fun and fine dogs. The participants were treated with smoke chicken and all the fixins. You could not carry out a field trial without the volunteer that came to help. Thank you to Carolyn and Mary for your hard work and goodies to share at lunch. Thank you to Ben for pitching in as our Bird Planter. We will see you all in the fall. Wesley Felt

**Open Derby (4S)**

**J: J. C. Woodall & Wesley Felt**

- 1-4 -Withheld



### Amateur Gun Dog (13S)

**J: Dale Barker & Wesley Felt**

- 1 -MOLLY'S HOLLIDAY MICRO MAGGIE (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Free Boy x FC Sniksoh Sweet Hershey Kiss; o/h Molly Ward
- 2 -HIGHPOINT BLAZIN' LAMONT (D), by NFC/FC Beans Blaze x Hello Dolly DeLamont; o Bunny Brown, h Ben Kuykendall
- 3 -FC GUNSMOKE DUST A FLYIN (D), GS
- 4 -Withheld

### Open Gun Dog (13S)

**J: J. C. Woodall & Wesley Felt**

- 1 -FC BLUERIDGE GROUNDS KEEPER (D), by DC/AFC Blueridge Major Adventure x KK Millenia JH; o Tina Travis, h David Downing
- 2 -SOUTHERN BREEZE (B), by FC Dakotas Copper Nickel x Southern Star; o/h Ben Kuykendall
- 3 -HIGHPOINT BLAZIN' LAMONT (D), by NFC/FC Beans Blaze x Hello Dolly Delamont; o Bunny Brown, h Ben Kuykendall
- 4 -FC BELLE'S BEAU MAX (D), by Windy Hill Bert x Wilco's Bodock Belle; o Gary Nelson, h Vic Carrington

### Amateur All Age (13S)

**J: Wesley Felt & Ed Cowling**

- 1 -DAKOTAS GONE WITH THE WIND (B), by FC Dakotas Copper Nickel x Highpoints Wicked Wanda; o Ben & Carolyn Kuykendall, h Ben Kuykendall
- 2 -FC/AFC BROWNHAVEN STEEL MAGNOLIA (B), IS
- 3 -SOUTHERN BREEZE (B), by FC Dakotas Copper Nickel x Southern Star; o/h Ben Kuykendall
- 4 -TLM FREQUENT FLYER (D), by FC/AFC Hillside Sweet Ol' Bob x TLM Hardhearted Hannah; o/h Harlan Gerardy

### Open All Age (14S)

**J: J. C. Woodall & Wesley Felt**

- 1 -FC BELLE'S BEAU MAX (D), by Windy Hill Bert x Wilco's Bodock Belle; o Gary Nelson, h Vic Carrington
- 2 -FC TLM FREQUENT FLYER (D), by FC/AFC Hillside Sweet Ol' Bob x TLM Hardhearted Hannah; o/h Harlan Gerardy
- 3 -J&M JAX SUGAR BABE (B), by DC Ajax Or Better x CH J&M Blazen Dixie Chik; o James R. & Mary G. Crawford, h James Crawford
- 4 -FC LAFAYETTE KINMONT WILLIE CDX (D), by DC LaFayette Border Baron UDX2 MH x Flat Rock's Barbie JH; o Sue & Bobby Armstrong, h Vic Carrington

## CENTRAL NEW MEXICO Bernardo, NM January 28, 2011

### Amateur Walking Puppy (8S)

**J: Vicki Northington & Terry L. Chandler**

- 1 -ALAR'S RED TEQUILA RIVER (D), by DC

Almaden's River of Shadows x WR Tequila Tiger Lily; o/h Jessica Carlson

- 2 -FIRESTARTER'S CLEAR WINTER NIGHT (B), by FC Timberline Strait to the Point x FC Windtuck Winter Jazz; o/h Andi Christiansen
- 3 -COPLEY WINCREST DIRTY MARTINI (B), by DC Almaden's River of Shadow x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Robin Tomasi, h Jessica Carlson
- 4 -SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY (D), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Windtuck's Sweet Liberty; o/h Jeff Hoskins

### Open Puppy (9S)

**J: John Tunberg & John Vince**

- 1 -PLATTE VALLEY'S GEM OF THE PLAINS (B), GSP
- 2 -LIGHTEM UP LUKES FIRECRACKER JESSIE (B), by FC Light-Em Up Luke x Rainbow's Lady Abigail; o Dwight & Danie Meckfessel, h Ben Garcia
- 3 -COPLEY WINCREST DIRTY MARTINI (B), by DC Almaden's River of Shadow x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Robin Tomasi, h Ed Tillson
- 4 -RAISE THE BAR (D), by CH Shelttany Against All Odds x FC Alar's Tango Bar; o Katherine Thompson, h Ed Tillson

### Amateur Walking Derby (8S)

**J: Jeff Hoskins & Corey A. Ling**

- 1 -MASONRIDGE'S SUNDANCE (D), by Zigman Floyd's Doc Holiday x Flying J's Annie Oakley; o/h Guy Shelander
- 2 -FIRESTARTER'S CROSSED THE LINE (D), by FC Making R-Point x Windtuck's Enough Said; o/h Andy Christiansen
- 3 -SWENSON'S ALREADY GOT EM CLYDE (D), GSP
- 4 -BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by CH Trugritz Briers Gift x Big Sky Brandy II; o/h Richard A. Beaver



**REDROCK'S SIESMIC SNIKSOH**

### Open Derby (9S)

**J: Corey A. Ling x John Vince**

- 1 -REDROCK'S SIESMIC SNIKSOH (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x AFC Double T Belle; o/h Gordon Foster
- 2 -MASONRIDGE'S ETTA PLACE (B), by FC Kolicko's Cuervo Joker x Doc Holiday's Katie

Elder; o/h Guy Shelander

- 3 -PLATTE VALLEY'S GEM OF THE PLAINS (B), GSP
- 4 -BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by CH Trugritz Briers Gift x Big Sky Brandy II; o/h Richard A. Beaver



**FC FOSTER'S BUDDY II**

### Amateur Gun Dog (18S)

**J: Terry L. Chandler Sr. & Jeff Hoskins**

- 1 -BUCK'S FANCY WHITE TRASH (D), GSP
- 2 -I'M MADDIE (B), GSP
- 3 -FC FOSTER'S BUDDY II (D), by FC Roustabout's Kid Parker x Roustabout's Sniksoh Sadie; o/h Gordon Foster
- 4 -Withheld



**CH ALMADEN'S LONE SHADOW DANCER**

### Open Gun Dog (26S)

**J: John Vince & John Tunberg**

- 1 -CH ALMADEN'S LONE SHADOW DANCER (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x CH Almaden's Lone River Romance; o F. G. & Sherry Larsen, h Ed Tillson
- 2 -SNIKSOH SUPER SNOOPER (B) by FC/AFC Sniksoh Free Boy x FC/AFC Sniksoh Sweet Hershey's Kiss; o/h Jeff Hoskins
- 3 -GAMBLER'S CHARLEY PARKHURST (B), by NFC/DC/AFC Gamblers Ace in the Hole x Sandy Pines Fleeting Snow JH; o/h Guy Shelander
- 4 -I'M MADDIE (B), GSP

### Open All Age (13S)

**J: Terry L. Chandler Sr. & Vicki Northington**

- 1 -FC/AFC TJ'S PRAIRIE BLIZZARD (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Tequila's Joker x FC/AFC The Prairie

Tornado; o Vicki Rankin, h Ed Tillson  
2-4 -Withheld

**TEXAS COASTAL  
Boyd Ranch  
Wortham, TX  
January 28-30, 2011**

Our spring trial was held on grounds close to Mexia, TX, leased by the Four Corners Assn. for trials and training. We thank this group of people for providing trial grounds to local clubs. The weather was great, no flood or freezing water this year, with cool temps in the mornings, warming up in the afternoons. Birds were plentiful however, maybe too plentiful for some competitors!

The entry of 77 dogs was a welcome increase over last fall. Pros Vic Carrington and David Downing from Texas came as well as Trena Cardwell from Washington state with her large string of dogs. Cindy Findley from Iowa drove down again to attend some Texas trials and helped with judging. We also welcomed our long time amateur friends from Texas.

All placements were well received and we sincerely thank our judges Keith Hickam, Cindy Findley, Tom Longfellow, Dave Jones, Rusty Calhoun, and Jim Crawford.

Club members pitched in and helped where needed: Larry and Patricia Mankin cooked soup and, with Carolyn Kuykendall's help, prepared and served meals. Robert Power helped where needed and everyone always enjoys the home baked brownies that Sue & Bobby Armstrong bring.

A huge "Thank You" to all who attended and helped put on the trial; we hope to see you again in November.

**Open Puppy (11S)**

**J: Jim Crawford & Cindy Findley**

- 1 - HUNTMASER'S LACY MEADOW (B), ES
- 2 - MVR CHK MERRY MACFARLANE (B), GS
- 3 - CHUKARHILL BUD (D), GSP
- 4 - MVR CHK MATILDA MACFARLANE (B), GS

**Open Derby (9S)**

**J: Jim Crawford & Cindy Findley**

- 1 - TOMAR'S GLENHAVEN MIRAGE (D), ES
- 2 - MEMORIAL RITE OF SPRING BRIGHT STAR (B), IS
- 3 - HUNTMORE'S WILD LILLIES OF THE FIELD (B), VIZ
- 4 - HUNTMASER'S INDULGENCE (B), ES

**Amateur Gun Dog (9S)**

**J: Dave Jones & Rusty Calhoun**

- 1 - FC GUNSMOKE DUST A FLYIN (D), GS
- 2 - CHUKARHILL SHARP DRESSED MAN (D), GS
- 3 - SOUTHERN BREEZE (B), by FC Dakota's Copper Nickel x Southern Star; o/h Ben Kuykendall
- 4 - CH TARTANA POLLYANNA (B), GS

**Open Gun Dog (19S)**

**J: Tom Longfellow & Dave Jones**

- 1 - FC SHADOWFAX FRASER MACFARLANE (D), GS
- 2 - CH TARTANA POLLYANNA (B), GS
- 3 - PARR'S TUCKER (D), ES
- 4 - SOUTHERN BREEZE (B), by FC Dakota's Copper Nickel x Southern Star; o/h Ben Kuykendall

**Amateur All Age (13S)**

**J: Keith Hickam & Rusty Calhoun**

- 1 - DAKOTAS GONE WITH THE WIND (B), by FC Dakotas Copper Nickel x Highpoints Wicked Wanda; o Ben & Carolyn Kuykendall, h Ben Kuykendall
- 2 - DC RUSTY RIDGE LUCKY STRIKE (D), by DC/AFC Awards Rusty Ridge Jake x Rustyridge Booker Last Fling; o Claude & Jan Kilpatrick, h Claude Kilpatrick
- 3 - Withheld
- 4 - FC AMERICAN IDOL (B), by FC Dakotas Copper Nickel x K Tex In Your Dreams; o/h Ben Kuykendall

**Open All Age (15S)**

**J: Keith Hickam & Cindy Findley**

- 1 - TLM CO PILOT (D), by AFC Wintuck Rocket's Red Glare x TLM Hardhearted Hannah; o/h Harlan Gerardy
- 2 - Withheld
- 3 - CH J&M BLAZEN DIXIE CHIK (B), by NFC/FC Beans Blaze x FC/AFC Shady's Chik-N-Little; o Jim & Mary Crawford, h Jim Crawford
- 4 - Withheld

**WEST COAST**

**OREGON**

**Boyce Corral  
Madras, OR  
May 15-16, 2010**



**Open Derby Winners: Left to Right, Connie Strom with Wind Mtn's Ironman, Judge Jim House, Reggie Medford, Rick Axtell with Zips Bounty Hunter**



**Open All Age Winners: Left to right, David Kirk with Red Sky Riley, Judge Larry Sandusky, Roger Borine with AFC Hideaway Hank, Judge John Sullivan**

**Open Puppy (5S)**

**J: Leslie Like & Dave Porter**

- 1 - KIGER HILLS CRUZEN DAISY JANE (B), by FC/AFC Cruz Control x AFC Rose A Fire; o/h Mark & Connie Shearman
- 2 - WIND MTN'S OVER THE RAINBOW (B), by Tequila's Maximum Velocity x CH Three B's Goddess of Love JH; o/h Wayne Newell
- 3 - KIGER HILLS CRUZEN LUKE (D), by FC/AFC Cruz Control x AFC Rose A Fire; o/h Mark & Connie Shearman
- 4 - KIGERHILL DARK STAR RISING (B), by FC/AFC Cruz Control x AFC Rose A Fire; o/h Mike Lince & Sandra Riley-Lince

**Open Derby (8S)**

**J: Jim House**

- 1 - WIND MTN'S IRONMAN (D), by FC/AFC Clyde's MicroBreeze x CH Three B's Goddess of Love JH; o/h Connie Strom
- 2 - Withheld
- 3 - ZIP'S BOUNTY HUNTER (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o/h Rick Axtell
- 4 - Withheld

**Amateur Gun Dog (18S)**

**J: Rick Axtell & Joe Bevier**

- 1 - FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK ZEB MH (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x Cheyenne's Serenade Sparkle; o/h Joe Waitman
- 2 - NAGDC/FC/AFC SADDLES REDNECK REBA (B), GSP
- 3 - FC/AFC IN IT FOR THE FUN MH (D), by CH RJ's River's Bend MH x Miss Fontenella Big Cheese MH; o/h Wayne Hale
- 4 - BANDIT'S CINDERELLA MAN (D), by Jayhawker's Masked Bandit x Timberline's Tri N Catch Me; o/h Victor Retherford



**Amateur Gun Dog Winners:** From left to right, Joe Waitman with FC/AFC Cedar Creek Zeb MH, John Sullivan with NAGDC/FC/AFC Saddles Redneck Reba, Judge Joe Bevier, Wayne Hale with FC/AFC In It For The Fun MH, Victor Retherford with Bandits Cinderella Man.



**Open Puppy Winners:** Left to Right, Connie Shearman with Kiger Hills Cruzen Daisy Jane, Judge Leslie Like, Wayne Newell with Wind Mtn's Over The Rainbow, Mark Shearman with Kiger Hills Cruzen Luke, Mike Lince with Kigerhill Dark Star Rising

**Open Gun Dog (15S)**

**J: David Kirk & Marilynne Little**

- 1 -FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK ZEB MH (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x Cheyenne's Serenade Sparkle; o/h Joe Waitman
- 2 -ROSE A FIRE (B), by FC/AFC Lobo's Legend x FC Dogwood's Gem Nichole; o/h Mark & Connie Shearman
- 3 -BANDIT'S CINDERELLA MAN (D), by Jayhawker's Masked Bandit x Timberline's Tri N Catch Me; o/h Victor Retherford
- 4 -DC/AFC ZIPPITY-DO-DOT (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Leas Running Jay Hawk x FC/AFC Poki-Dot; o/h Patti Van De Coevering DVM

**Amateur All Age (8S)**

**J: Dennis Leis & John Henderson**

- 1 -AFC CEDAR CREEK SURGEON (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h Joe Waitman
- 2 -BLACKSMITH'S DAUGHTER (B), ES
- 3 -RED SKY RILEY (D), by Jalo's Intern x Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h David Kirk
- 4 -Withheld

**Open All Age (5S)**

**J: Larry Sandusky & John Sullivan**

- 1 -RED SKY RILEY (D), by Jalo's Intern x Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h David Kirk
- 2 -AFC HIDEAWAY HANK (D), by FC/AFC Jalo's PH D MH x Hideaway Cedaridge Lucy; o/h Roger & Debra Borine
- 3-4 -Withheld

**SAN DIEGO  
Sportsman's Ridge Hunt Club  
Aguanga, CA  
November 6-7, 2010**

First I would like to thank our judges, Sabrina Arney and Edward Mayhew; our field trial committee and a special thanks to our hosts at the Sportsman's Ridge Hunt Club.

**Open Walking Puppy (8S)**

**J: Sabrina Arney & Edward Mayhew**

- 1 -SHILOH'S SWIFT KISS A TAQ (B), by DC

Redlines Tequila Moon x CH Swift River's Flashback 'N Time; o Deborah & Michael Frane, h Mike Frane

- 2 -BK'S MUDBONE SCHEHERAZADE (B), VIZ
- 3 -SHILOH'S LIGHT MY FIRE (D), by DC Redline's Smokin Gun x CH Shiloh's Tru Believer JH; o/h Emily Fisk
- 4 -MELTO'S LILLY ROSE (B), VIZ



**SHILOH'S SWIFT KISS A TAQ**

**Open Walking Derby (17S)**

**J: Sabrina Arney & Edward Mayhew**

- 1 -FIRESTORM'S MEGA CHIP OF SMOKE (D), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x CH Millette's Miss Can't B Wrong; o Mark & Kim Nunez, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -MUDBONE RUGER DOS (D), VIZ
- 3 -SHADY'S STRAIGHT SHOT OF WHIZKI (B), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Marilynne & Clem Little, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -VON SHOUGH'S CHUBASCO THE RAGING STORM (D), GSP



**SMOKIN GRAND FINALE**



**BRIGADE'S OSCAR DE LA BRITT SH**



### Amateur Walking Gun Dog (14S)

**J: Sabrina Arney & Edward Mayhew**

- 1 -SMOKIN GRAND FINALE (D), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x CH Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o/h Mark Ambre
- 2 -BRIGADE'S OSCAR DE LA BRITT SH (D), by FC/AFC Burford's Booked First Class x Maison De Chasse Magnifique; o/h Michael Frane
- 3 -PIKE'S RACER REX (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dees Blazing Shane x Timberline Scip-O'Dee-Do-Dah; o/h Blair Pike
- 4 -CH TK'S GOOD GOLLY MISS MOLLY JH CD (B), by CH Millette's Major League of TKs x CH Dancing Across the Sky; o Carl & Dena Miller, h Carl Miller



**CH BRIGADE'S HI HOPES ROCKET JH**

### Open Walking Gun Dog (15S)

**J: Sabrina Arney & Edward Mayhew**

- 1 -FINALE'S FLYIN' COLORS (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x CH Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -SMOKIN GRAND FINALE (D), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x CH Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o Mark Ambre, h Paul Doiron
- 3 -BLAZING SCIP O'MOONSHINE (B), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x Timberline Scip-O'Dee-Do-Dah; o Linda McDonald, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -CH BRIGADE'S HI HOPES ROCKET JH (D), by FC/AFC Burford's Booked First Class x Maison De Chasse Magnifique; Michael & Deborah Frane, h Mike Frane

**SAHUARO  
Sonoita, AZ  
January 8, 2011**

### Open Puppy (8S)

**J: Ron Yospur & Joe Gundy**

- 1 -ROSIE'S LITTLE RASCAL (D), by FC Gunrunner's Lady Man x Desert Rose IV; o/h Norm Ahl
- 2 -LUTIE'S LEGACY (D), by FC Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose IV; o/h Norm Ahl
- 3 -JERICHO'S JESS BACK N BLACK (B), by Jerichos Call Back Jack x FC/AFC Lane's End Jess N Time; o Cary Crum, h Wayne Down
- 4 -COPLY WINCREST DIRTY MARTINI (B), by DC

Almaden's River of Shadows x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Robin Tomasi, h Ed Tillson

### Open Derby (9S)

**J: Michael McGah & Lee Holsinger**

- 1 -PJ'S SHADOW CHASER (B), by FC Kolicko's Cuervo Joker x Shumway Hoppin Molly; o Jason & Pamela Chavez, h Jason Chavez
- 2 -LAMBACH'S SON OF SCOUT (D), by FC/AFC Lambach's Scout x Longwell's Sadie; o/h Kevin Rogers
- 3 -SHADY'S STRAIGHT SHOT OF WHIZKI (B), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Marilynne & Clem Little, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -TLM BARTENDER'S BUDDY (D), by DC/AFC Starlight's Blazing Sirius x Deuces Five O'Clock Somewhere; o/h Linda & Tom Milam

### Amateur Gun Dog (18S)

**J: Michael McGah & Lee Holsinger**

- 1 -FC TETON'S MILLION DOLLAR BABY (B), GSP
- 2 -FC PRAIRIE WIND'S TETON SAGE (B), GSP
- 3 -FC/AFC GUNRUNNER'S LADY'S MAN (D), by Shotshell's Flyer x FC Gunrunner's Whetstone Lady; o/h Norm Ahl
- 4 -TRAMP'S FRECKLED FANCY (D), by Vivian's Sir Peyton x Vivian's Lady Margaret; o Kevin Rogers & Richard Doiron, h Kevin Rogers

### Open Gun Dog (22S)

**J: Lyle Christiansen & Joseph Gundy**

- 1 -TRAMP'S FRECKLED FANCY (D), by Vivian's Sir Peyton x Vivian's Lady Margaret; o Kevin Rogers & Richard Doiron, h Kevin Rogers
- 2 -BE LINE'S QUEEN (B), by Vivian's Sir Peyton x Vivian's Lady Margaret; o/h Kevin Rogers
- 3 -CH ALAR'S SKY DANCER (B), by FC KB's Shadow Dancer x CH Sovereign Alar Skyrocket JH; o Ann Farinas & G. Schanzenbacher & J. Carlson, h Ed Tillson
- 4 -HVK'S HIGH FLYING KYTE (B), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee Do-Dah; o Daniel Doiron, h Paul Doiron

### Amateur All Age (20S)

**J: Wayne Down & Dave Higgins**

- 1 -DC/AFC TERRA'S CABO WABO (D), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x DC/AFC Traveler's Reign of Terra; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 2 -DC/AFC MTB EMME'S CABO DE SCIPIO (D), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 3 -DC/AFC MEGASMOKE LIMITED EDITION (D), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x NFC/DC/AFC Microchips of Nutmeg; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 4 -FC/AFC TJ'S PRAIRIE BLIZZARD (D), by NFC/

DC/AFC Tequila's Joker x FC/AFC The Prairie Tornado; o Vicki Rankin, h Jessica Carlson



**MVP REDLINE'S HIGH OCTANE JH**



**FC MB'S MAKE MINE A DOUBLE**



**FC MB'S RUBY RED TEQUILA**

### Open All Age (29S)

**J: Ron Yospur & Tom Pescod**

- 1 -MVP REDLINE'S HIGH OCTANE JH (D), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x FC Shiloh's Whoa Nellie MH; o Karen Nelson, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -FC MB'S MAKE MINE A DOUBLE (D), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee Do-Dah; o Christine & Robert Miller, h Paul Doiron
- 3 -FC MB'S RUBY RED TEQUILA (B), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee Do-Dah; o Christine & Robert Miller, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -FC BLUEWATER SHADY PETE (D), by Shady's Model T x FC/AFC Shady's Chik N Little; o Jacob Lees, h Wayne Down



**GREATER PHOENIX  
Sonoita, AZ  
January 11-15, 2011**

**Amateur Walking Puppy (4S)**

**J: John Cross & Dave Hayes**

- 1 -FOXGLOVES OUTLAW JOSIE WALES (D), GSP
- 2 -COPLEY WINCREST DIRTY MARTINI (B), by DC Almaden's River Of Shadows x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Robin Tomasi & Barbara Dayton, h Jessica Carlson
- 3 -THUNDER POINT'S MILLENNIUM MAGIC (D), by CH Shelttany's Millennium Thunder x Thunder Point's Absolute Dream; o Anthony & Lonnie De Gregorio x Tony De Gregorio
- 4 -DOC'S GUNNER BEAR (D), by Zigman Floyd's Doc Holliday x Doc Holiday's Katie Elder; o Donald & Lupe Holler, h Don Holler

**Open Puppy (8S)**

**J: Pam Chavez & Jason Chavez**

- 1 -ROSETTA STONE (B), by FC Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose IV; o/h Norman Ahl
- 2 -MEGASMOKE MOON CHIP (D), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x DC/AFC Kismet; o Linda Langford, h Paul Doiron
- 3 -ROSIE'S LITTLE RASCAL (B), by FC Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose IV; o/h Norman Ahl
- 4 -COPLEY WINCREST DIRTY MARTINI (B), by DC Almaden's River of Shadows x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Robin Tomasi & Barbara Dayton, h Ed Tillson

**Amateur Walking Derby (7S)**

**J: John Cross & Dave Hayes**

- 1 -BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by CH Trugritz Briers Gift x Big Sky Brandy II; o Richard & Amanda Beaver, h Richard Beaver
- 2 -MASONRIDGE'S ETTA PLACE (B), by FC Kolicko's Cuervo Joker x Doc Holliday's Katie Elder; o Guy & Claudia Shelander, h Guy Shelander
- 3 -ROGERS ROCKIN RUSTY (D), GSP
- 4 -SUNQUEST WIND DANCER OF STARVUE (B), by CH Sunquest Cimmaron Catch the Wind x CH Millette's French Vanilla; o Hank & Dee Hartnek, h Hank Hartnek

**Open Derby (10S)**

**J: Norm Ahl & Dave Hayes**

- 1 -LAMBACH'S SON OF SCOUT (D), by FC/AFC Lambach's Scout MH x Longwell's Sadie; o/h Kevin Rogers
- 2 -TLM BARTENDER'S BUDDY (D), by DC/AFC Starlight's Blazing Sirius x Dueces Five O'clock Somewhere; o/h Tom Milam
- 3 -REDLINES RUBY SON OF A GUN (D), by DC Redlines Smokin Gun x Renegade's Perfect Ruby; o Duane & Sheri Harder, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -TAILHOOK (D), by DC/AFC Starlight's Blazing Sirius x Deuces Five O'clock Somewhere; o/h Harlan Gerardy



**FC/AFC CACTUS MAXIMUS**

**Amateur Gun Dog (18S)**

**J: Wayne Down & Blair Holzer**

- 1 -FC/AFC GUNRUNNER'S LADY'S MAN (D), by Shotshell's Flyer x FC Gunrunner's Whetstone Lady; o/h Norman Ahl
- 2 -ELIZABETH'S QUEEN COMMANDO (B), by Vivians Sir Peyton x Vivian's Lady Margaret; o Kevin Rogers & Richard Doiron, h Kevin Rogers
- 3 -FC/AFC CACTUS MAXIMUS (D), by AFC Hanging Jaze Giant Killer x Kolicko's Mighty Misty; o/h David Kirk
- 4 -MEGABUCK'S HELL ON WHEELS (D), by AFC Cheyenne Joker's Star-Buck x FC/AFC Cheyenne Little Meg'a; o/h John Cross

**Open Gun Dog (19S)**

**J: Stephanie Casdorff & T. W. Besenick**

- 1 -FINALE'S FLYIN' COLORS (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x CH Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -SMOKIN GRAND FINALE (D), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x CH Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o Mark Ambre, h Paul Doiron
- 3 -CH ALMADEN'S LONE SHADOW DANCER (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x CH Almaden's Lone River Romance; o F. G. & Sherry Larsen, h Ed Tillson
- 4 -HVK'S HIGH FLYING KYTE (B), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee-Do-Dah; o Daniel Doiron, h Paul Doiron



**FC BUCKAROO'S CANDY DEE-LITE**

**Open Limited Gun Dog (14S)**

**J: Pam Chavez & John Cross**

- 1 -FC BUCKAROO'S CANDY DEE-LITE (B), by FC Sam-Dee's Buckaroo x FC Repeat's San-Dee;

- o Jerry & Barbara Rosenberg, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -DC MASKED JACK OF DIAMONDS (D), by CH Jayhawker's Masked Bandit x Reddevil's Lucky Diamond At FF; o Rod & Carol Maves, h Ed Tillson
- 3 -CH ALAR'S SKY DANCER (B), by FC KB's Shadow-Dancer x CH Sovereign Alar Skyrocket JH; o Ann Farinas & J. Carlson & G. Schanzenbacher, h Ed Tillson
- 4 -TRUE GRIT'S HEY SAILOR (D), by Hula's Bulletproof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II; o Sandra Becker, h Wayne Down

**Open All Age (28S)**

**J: Dave Garrett & Charlie Rose**

- 1 -DC/AFC TERRA'S CABO WABO (D), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x DC/AFC Travelers Reign of Terra; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 2 -DC/AFC MTB CABO RITA DE SCIPIO (B), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 3 -FC MB'S RUBY RED TEQUILA (B), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee Do-Dah; o Christine Landerholm-Miller & Robert Miller, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -FC RED SKY RILEY (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h David Kirk



**DC/AFC MEGASMOKE GRAND FINALE**

**Open Limited All Age (27S)**

**J: Terry Chandler & Lee Holsinger**

- 1 -DC/AFC MEGASMOKE GRAND FINALE (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x NFC/DC/AFC Microchips Of Nutmeg; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -DC/AFC MTB CABO RITA DE SCIPIO (B), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Tom White & M. Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 3 -NAFC/FC/AFC MAXWELL'S BLEW BY YOU II (D), by Maxwell's Maxamillion x Cheyenne VI; o/h Terry Maxwell
- 4 -DC/AFC MEGASMOKE LIMITED EDITION (D), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x NFC/DC/AFC Microchips of Nutmeg; o M. Horstmeyer & Tom White, h Tom White

**SAN DIEGO**  
**Camp H**  
**California City, CA**  
**January 22-23, 2011**

**Amateur Walking Puppy (7S)**

**J: David Bills & Carl Rabb**

- 1 -KIMBER ULTRA CARRY JH (B), GSP
- 2 -SHILOH'S SWIFT KISS A TAQ (B), by DC Redlines Tequila Moon x CH Swift Rivers Flashback N Time; o Deborah & Michael Frane, h Mike Frane
- 3 -SHILOH'S REASON TO BELIEVE (B), by DC Redlines Smokin Gun x CH Shiloh's Tru Believer; o P. Peterson & P. P. Echavavaria, h Skip Bickett
- 4 -MELTO'S LILLY ROSE (B), VIZ

**Open Puppy (4S)**

**J: Ellis Herz & Ed Mayhew**

- 1 -MEGASMOKE MOON CHIP (D), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x DC/AFC Kismet; o Linda Langford, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -JERICHO'S JESS BACK N BLACK (B), by Jerichos Call Back Jack x FC/AFC Lane's End Jess N Time; o Cary Crum, h Wayne Down
- 3 -SHILOH 'N SWIFT RIVER'S IT'S ABOUT TIME (D), by DC Redlines Tequila Moon x CH Swift River's Flashback N Time; o P. J. Peterson & F. N. Phillips, h Mike Frane
- 4 -SHILOH'S REASON TO BELIEVE (B), by DC Redline's Smokin Gun x CH Shiloh's True Believer; P. J. Peterson & P. Echavarría, h Skip Bickett

**Amateur Walking Derby (15S)**

**J: David Bills & Ed Dixon**

- 1 -KIMBER ULTRA CARRY JH (B), GSP
- 2 -BRETON'S SAM I AM (D), by FC Breton's Soleil de Midi x French Roast Pepper; o Gordon Theilen, h Christine Zink
- 3 -K NINE'S BLAZIN DREAMS (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Maxwell's Blew By You II x K-Nines Peek-A-Boo; o Arlette Hennessey, h Ed Mayhew
- 4 -MILLETTE'S WONDER BOY (D), by CH Castle's How Sweet It Is x CH Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Patty MacLeod & Ted Foster, h Ted Foster

**Open Derby (7S)**

**J: Karla Weber & Ed Mayhew**

- 1 -MTB SCIPIO'S HOT SHOT OF WHIZKI (B), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x DC/AFC T.J.'s Single Shot of Scipio; o T. White & M. Horstmeyer, h T. White
- 2 -BRETON'S TRUCKEE RIVER CABO GOLD (B), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC Breton's Truckee River Gold; o Christine & Tim Zink, h Christine Zink
- 3 -SHADY'S STRAIGHT SHOT OF WHIZKI (B), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x DC/AFC T.J.'s Single Shot of Scipio; o M. L. & Clem Little, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -BRETON'S SAM I AM (D), by FC Breton's Soleil De Midi x French Roast Pepper; o Gordon Theilen, h Kyle Tetlow



**DC BRETON'S TRUCKEE RIVER GOLD**

**Amateur Gun Dog (20S)**

**J: Karla Weber & Louis D'Alessandro**

- 1 -SMOKIN GRAND FINALE (D), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x CH Midas Blazin Amber Skies; o/h Mark Ambre
- 2 -FC/AFC CACTUS MAXIMUS (D), by AFC Hanging Jazz Giant Killer x Kolicko's Mighty Misty; o/h David Kirk
- 3 -DC BRETON'S TRUCKEE RIVER GOLD (B), by FC/AFC Hi-Scor Jac D Ruffian x DC/AFC Chickamin's Tub O'Gold; o G. Theilen & C. Zink, h Christine Zink
- 4 -DC SANBAR CASTLE BUILT ON LEGENDS (D), by CH Millettes Fire When Ready x CH Castle's Sweet Scarlet; o R. D. & C. & P. West



**CH MIDAS BLAZIN' AMBER SKIES**

**Open Gun Dog (34S)**

**J: Bill Landress & Carl Babb**

- 1 -FC FINALE'S FLYIN' COLORS (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x CH Midas Blazin Amber Skies; o M. D. Ellis, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -SCIPIOS MICRO TWIST (D), by FC Sam-Dee's Traveler x FC/AFC Redlines Tequila Twist; o E. & L. Dixon, h Ed Dixon
- 3 -CH MIDAS BLAZIN' AMBER SKIES (B), by FC/AFC Lobo's Rebel Dogg x Klick Tat's Night Train; o/h Joe Gower
- 4 -GRANMARS ONE ROUGH DIAMOND (B), by CH Delane One Rough Ride x DC Granmars Classic Diamond Account; o E. D. Price, h Paul Doiron

**Amateur All Age (10S)**

**J: Ellis Herz & Louis D'Alessandro**

- 1 -KIGER HILLS LOUEE (D), by FC/AFC Cruz Control x Sidney Kiger Vonspeebles; o Ed & Linda Dixon, h Ed Dixon

- 2 -FC RED SKY RILEY (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h David Kirk

3-4 -Withheld



**BRETON'S GOLD RUN RUFFIAN**

**Open All Age (20S)**

**J: Ellis Herz & Wayne Hale**

- 1 -FC MVP REDLINE HIGH OCTANE (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x FC Shiloh's Whoa Nellie; o Karen Nelson, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -BRETON'S GOLD RUN RUFFIAN (D), by FC/AFC Hi-Score Jac D Ruffian x DC/AFC Chickamin's Tub O'Gold; o Gordon Theilen, h Scott Azevedo
- 3 -DC/AFC TERRA'S CABO WABO (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x DC/AFC Travelers Reign of Terra; o Tom White & M. Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 4 -DC/AFC MEGASMOKE GRAND FINALE (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x NFC/DC/AFC Microchips of Nutmeg; o M. D. Ellis, h Paul Dorion

**CALIFORNIA**  
**Camp H**  
**California City, CA**  
**January 28-30, 2011**

**Open Puppy (12S)**

**J: Bill Landress & Sabrina Arney**

- 1 -ROSETTA STONE (B), by FC Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose IV; o Norm & Terry Ahl, h Norm Ahl
- 2 -LUTIE'S LEGACY (D), by FC Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose IV; o Norm & Terry Ahl, h Norm Ahl
- 3 -JERICHO'S JESS BACK IN BLACK (B), by Jericho's Call Back Jack x FC/AFC Lane's End Jess N Time; o Cary Crum, h Wayne Down
- 4 -MUDBONE & FIRESTORM'S CICATRIZ (D), VIZ

**Open Derby (15S)**

**J: Roger Borine & Bill Tanner**

- 1 -PRAIRIE WIND'S SPECKLE ME BLUE (D), GSP
- 2 -PRAIRIE WIND'S LUNATIC FRINGE (B), GSP
- 3 -BRETON'S GOLDEN HEART OF PEPPER-SUN (B), by FC Breton's Soleil De Midi x French Roast Pepper JH; o James Cullor, h Scott Azevedo

4 -WIND MTNS OVER THE RAINBOW (B), by Tequila's Maximum Velocity x CH Three B's Goddess of Love JH; o Wayne & Sandi Newell, h Wayne Newell

#### Amateur Gun Dog (26S)

**J: Linda Azevedo & Bill Tanner**

- 1 -MV'S SAWYER'S WILD CHILD (B), GSP
- 2 -SCIPIO'S MICRO TWIST (D), by FC Sam Dee's Traveler x FC Redline's Tequila Twist; o Ed & Linda Dixon, h Ed Dixon
- 3 -DC BRETON'S TRUCKEE RIVER GOLD (B), by FC/AFC Hi-Scor Jac D Ruffian x FC/AFC Chickamin's Tub O'Gold; o Gordon Theilen & Christine Zink, h Christine Zink
- 4 -FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK ZEB MH (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x Cheyenne Serenade Sparkle; o/h Joe Waitman

#### Open Gun Dog (51S)

**J: Casper Pigman & Don Dalton**

- 1 -FC BOOKER ALL OR NOTHING (B), GSP
- 2 -VOLTA HOWLIN RIDGE ZIN, GSP
- 3 -CH MIDAS BLAZIN AMBER SKIES (B), by FC/AFC Lobo's Rebel Dogg x Klick Tat's Night Train; o/h Joe Gower
- 4 -FC BUCKAROO'S CANDY DEE-LITE (B), by FC

Sam-Dee's Buckaroo x FC Repeat's San-Dee; o Jerry & Barbara Rosenberg, h Paul Doiron

#### Amateur All Age (13S)

**J: Gregg Knight & Pierre Urrutia**

- 1 -AFC CEDAR CREEK SURGEON (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h Joe Waitman
- 2 -FC RED SKY RILEY (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h David Kirk
- 3 -FC/AFC GOULD'S GRB'S MIA DOLCE VITA (B), WEIM
- 4 -Withheld



CH ROCKLAN'S SMART ALEC KID

#### Open All Age (28S)

**J: Michael Vaz & Bill Landress**

- 1 -FC MVP REDLINE'S HIGH OCTANE JH (D), by DC/AFCRedline's Tequila Smoker x FC Shiloh's Whoa Nellie MH; o Karen Nelsen, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -CH ROCKLAN'S SMART ALEC KID (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x FC Sniksoh Corky; o Christine Landerholm-Miller & Robert Miller, h Paul Doiron
- 3 -DC/AFC MTB CABO RITA DE SCIPIO (B), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 4 -MTB CAN AM FORMULA FUN (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x Kinwashky Lucky Star; o Tom White & Margaret Hortmeyer, h Tom White



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## Hunt Tests

### CALIFORNIA

**Sportsman Ridge Hunt Club  
Aguanga, CA  
February 12-13, 2011**

**February 12, 2011**

**Junior Hunter (13S)**

**J: John Pace & Louis D'Alessandro**

**KNINE'S READY TO RUN, o David Linzmeier**  
CIMMARON'S LASSO THE MOON, o Leslie  
Chuchoff

CH LONE OAK'S REDLINE PRIDE, o Beverly &  
Ron Bemis

SHILOH'S LIGHT MY FIRE, o Emily Fisk  
TRU'S REDD BARON OF WILLOWICK, o Marc &  
Vicki Ritner

ENGLOW'S SUNDANCE SIOUX, o Steve &  
Linda England

**Senior Hunter (4S)**

**J: John Pace & Louis D'Alessandro**

DEEK CREEK DALLAS, o George & Annamarie  
Lopez

**Master Hunter (10S)**

**J: John Pace & Louis D'Alessandro**

KEELEY'S RED BULLET FOXY, o George &  
Annamarie Lopez  
PRESCOTTS OUTLAW RED, o Angel Lopez

**February 13, 2011**

**Junior Hunter (11S)**

**J: Sabrina Arney & Mike Eisen**

FLY STELLA BY STARLIGHT, o John & Michelle  
Corcaran

CH LONE OAK'S REDLINE PRIDE, o Beverly &  
Ron Bemis

TRU'S REDD BARON OF WILLOWICK, o Marc &  
Vicki Ritner

KNINE'S BLAZIN DREAMS, o Arlette  
Hennessey

SHILOH'S LIGHT MY FIRE, o Emily Fisk

**Senior Hunter (4S)**

**J: Sabrina Arney & Mike Eisen**

No Qualifiers

**Master Hunter (6S)**

**J: Sabrina Arney & Mike Eisen**

KEELEY'S RED BULLET FOXY, o George &  
Annamarie Lopez

CH BRIGADE'S H HOPES ROCKET JH, o  
Michael & Deborah Frane

### SAN DIEGO

**Aguanga, CA**

**February 12, 13, 2011**

**February 12, 2011**

**Junior Hunter (11S)**

**J: Pennie Peterson & Carl D. Babb**

KNINE'S READY TO RUN, o David Linzmeier  
TRU'S REDD BARON OF WILLOWICK, o Marc &  
Vicki Ritner

SHILOH'S LIGHT MY FIRE, o Emily Fisk  
KNINE'S BLAZIN DREAMS, o Arlette

Hennessey

**Senior Hunter (4S)**

**J: Pennie Peterson & Carl D. Babb**

No Brittany Qualifiers

**Master Hunter (9S)**

**J: Pennie Peterson & Carl Babb**

RESCOTTS OUTLAW RED, o AngEL Lopez  
KEELEY'S RED BULLET ROXY, o George & Ann

**February 13, 2011**

**Junior Hunter (10S)**

**J: Kenneth D. Scruggs & Colleen M. Scruggs**

SHILOH'S LIGHT MY FIRE, o Emily Fisk  
FLY STELLA BY STARLIGHT, o John & Michelle  
Corcaran

KNINE'S BLAZIN DREAMS, o Arlette Hennessey  
TRU'S REDD BARON OF WILLOWICK, o Marc &  
Vicki Ritner

CIMMARON'S LASSO THE MOON, o Leslie  
Chuchoff

CH LONE OAK'S REDLINE PRIDE, o Beverly &  
Ron Bemis

**Senior Hunter (4S)**

**J: Kenneth D. Scruggs & Colleen M. Scruggs**

DEEK CREEK DALLAS, o George & Annamarie  
Lopez

**Master Hunter (6S)**

**J: Kenneth D. Scruggs & Colleen M. Scruggs**

BRIGADE'S OSCAR DE LA BRITT JH, o Michael  
& Deborah Frane

# WESTERN REGION SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Boyce Corral on the USFS Crooked River National Grassland

Madras, OR, September 5,6, 2010

Judges: Marilyn Little, Enumclaw, WA June McConnell, Meridian, ID

Scribe/Recorder: Roger Borine

Hosted by the Oregon Brittany Club



The Crooked River National Grasslands, USFS is the host of our trial grounds. It is gentle to steep rangelands consisting of bunchgrasses, sagebrush and juniper trees. To the west are the Cascade Mountains that are extinct volcanoes. Six snow-capped peaks, Mt Hood, Mt Jefferson, Mt Washington, North Sister, Middle Sister, and South Sister all exceeding 10,000 feet in elevation are visible while riding all courses on the grounds. Below timber line the fir and pine forests extend eastward and become the High Desert of Oregon that is a sagebrush sea mixed with farm and ranchlands. It is here our beautiful trial grounds are located.

Judges June McConnell and Marilyn Little were welcomed by all. Both have a long history of raising, training, handling, and judging pointing dogs. They are always hoping and pulling for the dogs and are greatly disappointed when things go haywire. Both were a joy to have judging our dogs.

The Running: (cool and clear Central Oregon morning, with a hint of fall in the air)

**Brace 1**— ZIPPITY-DO-DOT (Zip) handled by owner Patti Van De Coevering

QUAIL ROCK TOUGH ENOUGH (King) handled by Paul Doiron

Zip and King were off to a good start and out front several hundred yards. King was found standing in the bitterbrush along the fenceline at 6 minutes. Paul worked the bird and moved King on. Zip was found down course at 8 minutes below Chukar hill. All was in order. Both made the corner at Chukar Hill with good handling. King had two back-to-back finds midway on the course. He finished strong with a good solid big gun dog performance. Zip had a find just below Juniper Hill and then as she approached the water barrel had another find next to the tub and underneath a juniper. Patty worked the bird and released Zip to a strong finish with a beautiful cast below Powerline Hill.

**Brace 2**— HERE WE GO AGAIN (JD) handled by owner Wayne Hale  
SAN-DEE'S BLAZING SHANE (Shane) handled by Paul Doiron

The gallery was well attended and also graced by a few late sleepers, not to be named. Both JD and Shane were off to the front with a great start. JD passed over the rock knobs to the east and moved to the front. Shane was seen heading to the fenceline and towards Chukar Hill. Both handlers worked to get around the corner at Chukar Hill. Dogs were in and out of the water barrel at 20 minutes and across the road, thru the gate and up the draw. They both skirted the ridge to the north and then hit the sage pockets showing great experience. Shane went up and over Juniper Hill with JD hitting the mid slope. Shane was seen on the flat moving to the front and down the draw. JD was going away below the powerlines at time. Even with a nice cool breeze the birds eluded both dogs for this entire hour.

**Brace 3**— RUBYRIDGE'S MEGADOT (Dot) handled by owner Larry Sandusky

TUCALOTA'S ABBY (Abby) handled by owner Ed Mayhew

Both dogs broke away to the front with lots of

speed with Abby moving to the west and Dot to the east. Dot worked her way to the side in the big sage flat while Abby passed below Chukar Hill. Both enjoyed the water and then headed east with Abby to the north and Dot to the south. Dot looked great as she moved across the big basin to the south. Abby came across the flat and headed up the hill to the second water barrel and then off up powerline ridge. After watering at Juniper Hill Abby headed west to the draw and was found standing at 50 minutes. The bird was difficult to locate but Ed finally found him hunkered in the rocks and got it moving. With some tricky foot work he got the bird in the air. Temperatures were getting warm and scenting conditions seemed to degrade as the end of the hour approached. Both finished strong and going away as time was called.

**Brace 4**— JAB'S BIG WHEELS (Wheels) handled by owner Jim House  
CEDAR CREEK ZEB (Zeb) handled by owner Joe Waitman

First brace after lunch had Wheels and Zeb racing to the front. As we got to the knob both Zeb and Wheels were found standing. It was determined to be a divided find. Bird was worked and off they went. Wheels rounded the corner at Chukar Hill and had a find before the water barrel. Zeb watered, crossed the road heading east. He was found standing in the bitterbrush on the ridge. Joe worked the bird with great expertise and skill. The way both dogs covered the course showed their experience. After going over Juniper Hill and heading west Jim called point on the ridge above the draw and Joe called point on the rock know near the powerline. Wheels had a small covey and then finished at time going up the final hill. Zeb had a nice find in the rocks and the finished going away at time.

**Brace 5**— BANDIT'S CINDERELLA MAN (Jake) handled by owner Vic Retherford  
EMME'S CABO DE SCIPIO (Cabo) handled by owner Tom White

At breakaway Jake went left and the Cabo right only to converge with both out and away to the front. Stretching out and passing the small rockpile Jake passed over the ridge heading for the fenceline and Chukar



**1st Place** – FC/AFC/CH Rose A Fire, handler Mark Shearman, owner Mark & Connie Shearman

**Judges in back** – June McConnell & Marilynne Little

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**3rd Place** – DC/CH Quail Rock Tough Enough, scout Peggy Doiron (handler Paul Doiron, owner Ellen Weinfurter)

**4th Place** – FC Cedar Creek Surgeon, handler/owner Joe Waitman



hill. Cabo went out of touch at 13 and was found on a ridge above the second water barrel at 30. Jake crossed the road heading north to the big ridge and had a nice find near the upper edge. Vic produced a bird, not without gallery coaching however. Jake moved to the east, found the second water barrel making some good moves below where Cabo was found by Scout Margaret. Tom's stealthy flushing ability was not surpassed by the birds desire to run. Jake made a good move over Juniper Hill and finished the hour with a fine performance. Cabo moved to the front and had a find at 54 on the ridge above the finish. All was well and finished going away.

**Brace 6**—CEDAR CREEK SURGEON (Cutter) handled by owner Joe Waltman ROSE A FIRE (Rose) handled by owner Mark Shearman

Cutter and Rose put down a run at breakaway that made all sit up in the saddle. They moved across to the sides and front always on the edge. Both moved to the left and part ways up Chukar Hill. As they hit the water barrels no time was wasted and they were off to the front. Both headed up Juniper Hill and Cutter was found standing. While Joe was working the bird Mark's scout called point with Rose standing down the ridge a couple hundred yards away. Rose maintained fine style and intensity while enduring Mark's several trips around a juniper to get the bird in the air. Rose moved to the right then swung to the left working the ridge near Cutter and had another nice find with great style. At time, both dogs were going away up on the high ridge.

**Brace 7**-IN IT FOR THE FUN (Dude) handled by owner Wayne Hale HIDEAWAY'S OUTBACK JACK (Jack) handled by owner Roger Borine

Both Dude and Jack were off to the front with gusto. Dude made a big sweep to the right. Jack moved to the right then crossing to the front and over the rock pile and disappeared. He reappeared near the fenceline and then crossed the rock face on Chukar Hill. After the water barrel and crossing the road Dude had a nice find with Jack coming around to honor. Both dogs had a good run with a nice move over Juniper Hill. At time Jack only had an honor for his efforts. Just before time Dude had a nice find at the final rocky knob and a nice finish.

**Brace 8** - MB'S RUBY RED TEQUILA (Ruby) handled by Paul Doiron TUCALOTA'S RUNNING REVA (Reva) handled by owner Ed Mayhew

Ruby and Reva headed up course and covered the ground with little going unnoticed. Both were showing well past the rock pile and up through the bitterbrush and across the sage flat. After making the corner at Chukar Hill they found the water barrel and moved on. Reva made a big cast over the ridge and across the basin. Ruby took the draw to the left and ran the ridge. Both dogs located the water barrel below Juniper hill. Not wanting to be last, both took off out of the barrel around and up the hill. Both dogs finished strong having completed a very consistent and fun run to watch even though both were birdless.

**Brace 9**—HVK'S HIGH FLYING KYTE (Kyte) handled by Paul Doiron BROWN'S BBJ (BJ) handled by owner Jim House

Kyte and BJ were off to the races, moving well and keeping in contact with the handlers. At 6 BJ had a nice find at the rockpile to the east. Jim worked the bird with great expertise and a burst of speed to get the bird in the air; a gallery pleaser. BJ was off to the north disappearing below Chukar Hill to be found in the water barrel then across the road up the ridge. Kyte moved north along the fence line and below Chukar Hill. Paul chose to give Kyte a ride back to camp today. BJ had a covey find on Juniper Hill and finished on powerline ridge at time.

**Brace 10**—SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (Sonny) handled by owner Joe Gower

MEGASMOKE GRAND FINALE (AI) handled by Paul Doiron

Sonny and AI were off showing some good moves and headed towards the small rock pile then crossing to the fenceline and going north to Chukar Hill. Sonny made a very nice move up Chukar Hill. He had a nice find in the rocks but an indiscretion in behavior earned him a ride to camp. AI had a find in the bitterbrush near the fenceline. He moved forward to the water barrel then crossed the road and on the big ridge to the north. As he moved

across the flat he had a nice find enjoyed by all. Paul had the moves of a sprinter to get the bird in the air, followed by gallery applause. As AI was on powerline ridge he stopped below the horizon. After Paul dismounted and approached he produced a herd of antelope, he didn't get them in the air, but chased them over the hill. Paul released AI who headed to water and Juniper Hill. As AI moved over the hill and disappeared we were treated with the antelope herd circling the hill with AI in tow!! Following the roundup all was in order and AI finished a nice strong run.

**Brace 11** - TERRA'S CABO WABO (Sammy) handled by owner Tom White MB'S MAKE MINE A DOUBLE (Mac) handled by Paul Doiron

Both Tom and Paul released their dogs for the last brace of the championship. Sam was off to the west making a large cast towards the fenceline. He was found at 8 minutes with a covey find on the ridge in the bitterbrush by premier Scout Margaret. Mac was off to the east and then back west over near the small rock pile. Mac continued with his search with excellent range and speed. Sammy crossed the dreaded sage flat up Chukar Hill, to the water barrel and across the road, up the long ridge to the north with Tom in tow. Mac continued running in a nice gun dog fashion; big, always to the front, covering the terrain consistently and expertly; rarely a whistle from Paul. At Juniper Hill he disappeared only to be found standing a 49. Sammy was found at 45, but after a hard look by Tom could not produce a bird. Both dogs had a strong finish.

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4th- FC/AFC Cedar Creek Surgeon Owner/Handler: Joe Waltman



Correction:

On page 27 of the January issue, the Open Gun Dog stake in the Idaho Field Trial should have read as follows:

### Open Gun Dog (25S)

#### J: Bryan Hogan & Steve Ball

- 1 - PAIGE VI (B), by FC KB's Shadow Dancer x Trasa's Little Ann JH; o William Lim, h Paul Doiron
- 2 - MIKEY' S SPICE GIRL (B), by DC/AFC Clyde's Micro Breeze x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Jerry & Carolyn Cape, h Paul Doiron
- 3 - FC/AFC WILDROSE HEMLOCK HEIDI (B), GSP
- 4 - DC/AFC RUBYRIDGE'S MEGADOT (B), by AFC/CH PJs Whirling Red Taz x DC/AFC Rubyridge's Meg Will Do CDX MH MX MXJ; o/h Larry Sandusky

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**NATIONAL OPEN ALL AGE CHAMPIONS**

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| 2010 | DC/AFC Ru-Jem's A Touch Of Bourbon |
| 2009 | Primetime Outlaw Johnny            |
| 2008 | FC Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy    |
| 2007 | FC/AFC Lane's End We-BE Clean      |
| 2006 | DC/AFC Shady's Tia Maria           |
| 2005 | NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy       |
| 2004 | NFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan        |
| 2003 | FC/AFC Farther Out Ace             |
| 2002 | DC/AFC Microchips of Nutmeg        |
| 2001 | FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow        |
| 2000 | FC Diamond Hill Dan                |
| 1999 | FC/AFC Lobo's Kikkikat County Line |
| 1998 | DC/AFC Gambler's Ace In The Hole   |
| 1997 | FC Tequila's Joker                 |
| 1996 | FC Rebel Jac's Hammering Hank      |
| 1995 | Rambling Rose VIII                 |
| 1994 | FC Microdot                        |

**NATIONAL AMATEUR ALL AGE CHAMPIONS**

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| 2010 | NAFC/FC/AFC Maxwell's Blew By You II  |
| 2009 | FC/AFC TM's Tennessee Twister         |
| 2008 | FC Maxwell's Blew by You II           |
| 2007 | FC/AFC Maxwell's White Spirit         |
| 2006 | NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy      |
| 2005 | Tequila Jack II                       |
| 2004 | FC Just Call Me Roy                   |
| 2003 | FC/AFC Pride And Joy's Bunch of Annie |
| 2002 | FC/AFC Pistol Pack 'N Walker          |
| 2001 | FC/AFC Lea's Running Jayhawk          |
| 2000 | FC Piney Run Sam                      |
| 1999 | Hanging Jaze Hardtack Mack            |
| 1998 | FC Rebel's Tough Is Tyrone            |
| 1997 | FC Walker's Gunner                    |
| 1996 | FC Allmac's Dark Smoke Di-Na-Mo       |

**NATIONAL OPEN GUN DOG CHAMPIONS**

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| 2010 | FC/AFC Celebrations Two Of Hearts |
| 2009 | NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn           |
| 2008 | FC BJ's Blaz'n Daisy              |
| 2007 | Hit's for Pete's Sake             |
| 2006 | FC/AFC High Hopes Tar's Dot Com   |

**NATIONAL AMATEUR GUN DOG CHAMPIONS**

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| 2010 | FC/AFC Jazz's Sweetest Little Secret     |
| 2009 | FC/AFC Peter Gunn                        |
| 2008 | DC/AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle, JH |

**NATIONAL SPECIALTY BEST OF BREEDS**

|      |                                       |
|------|---------------------------------------|
| 2010 | GCH Willowick Talltean                |
| 2009 | DC Country Road's Rough Rider         |
| 2008 | DC/AFC Jayhawker Tequila With A Twist |
| 2007 | CH Sanbar's Call When Readi           |
| 2006 | CH Magic Major Player JH              |
| 2005 | CH Jordean Your Wildest Dreams        |
| 2004 | CH Jordean Your Wildest Dreams        |
| 2003 | CH Sanbar's Curtain Call              |
| 2002 | CH Jordean A Night To Remember        |
| 2001 | CH Magic Sir-ly You Jest              |
| 2000 | CH Magic Sir-ly You Jest              |
| 1999 | CH Jordean Up All Night               |
| 1998 | CH Jordean All Kiddin' Aside          |
| 1997 | CH Jordean I Kid You Not              |
| 1996 | CH N-Vee's Touch of Romance           |
| 1995 | CH Jordean All Kiddin' Aside          |
| 1994 | CH Jordean All Kiddin' Aside          |
| 1993 | CH Chesabrit's Code of The West       |
| 1992 | CH Jordean All Kiddin' Aside          |
| 1991 | CH Jordean All Kiddin' Aside          |
| 1990 | CH Chesabrit's Code of The West       |
| 1989 | CH Hope's Gunsmoke Blue               |

**NATIONAL HIGH IN TRIAL WINNERS**

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| 2010 | Jayhawker's Lucky Jack UD                         |
| 2009 | CH Rao Nothin But Blue Skies                      |
| 2008 | OTCH Lane's End Fortune, UDX, AX, AXJ             |
| 2007 | Lane's End Fortune, UDX, AX, AXJ                  |
| 2006 | CH/OTCH Chilcote's Credit Check, UDX, AX, AXJ, JH |
| 2005 | DC Lafayette Border Baron, UDX2, MH               |
| 2004 | CH/OTCH Chilcote's Credit Check, UDX, AX, AXJ, JH |
| 2003 | CH Lafayette Border Baron, UD, JH                 |
| 2002 | CH Chilcote's Credit Check, CD, JH, NA, NAJ       |
| 2001 | Voyageur's Brtpatch Rifleman, CD, JH, NA          |

**W.E. STEVENSON SR. MEMORIAL NATIONAL DUAL AWARD WINNERS**

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| 2010 | DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio       |
| 2009 | DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio       |
| 2008 | CH Shadow Attack                        |
| 2007 | DC/AFC Jayhawker Tequila With A Twist   |
| 2006 | DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo                |
| 2005 | CH Jayhawker Tequila With A Twist       |
| 1998 | NAGDC/DC/AFC Winchester of Hanging Jaze |
| 1997 | FC/AFC Tequila's Joker                  |
| 1996 | DC/AFC Masked Shoshoni War Chief        |
| 1994 | DC/AFC RC's Sundancer                   |
| 1993 | DC/AFC Ojibwa's DLD Bandit              |
| 1991 | DC/AFC Bi-Mar Cinnabar Cindy            |

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| 1993 | FC Highbrow's Red                    |
| 1992 | FC/AFC Aux Arc's Mark                |
| 1991 | FC/AFC Hi Proof Rum Runner           |
| 1990 | FC/AFC Bernie of The Briarpatch      |
| 1989 | FC Rimarda's Gambler                 |
| 1988 | FC Country Cousin's Lone River       |
| 1987 | FC Minnehaha's Tammy                 |
| 1986 | DC Markar's Jac's A Dan D            |
| 1985 | FC Franklin County Bandit            |
| 1984 | FC Brought-Mar's Jazz DeCampo        |
| 1983 | FC Beans Blaze                       |
| 1982 | FC/AFC Jumpin' Jack Flash II         |
| 1981 | DC Tomar's Ban-Dee Sam               |
| 1980 | DC/AFC Cinnabar's Ami Roc de'Edwards |
| 1979 | Way Kan Feelin' Free                 |
| 1978 | DC/AFC Perry's Rustic Prince         |
| 1977 | FC Casey's Chikamin                  |
| 1976 | FC Senator TJ                        |

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| 1995 | FC Jim De Bob's Sparks A Dan D    |
| 1994 | FC Magnum's Lit'l Buzzsaw         |
| 1993 | DC/AFC Ojibwa's DLD Bandit        |
| 1992 | DC/AFC Renegade's Kansas Kid      |
| 1991 | FC/AFC Jake's Son of a Gun Runner |
| 1990 | FC/AFC Sir Duke Mustachio         |
| 1989 | FC/AFC Amigo of Aztlan            |
| 1988 | DC/AFC Lobo's Cotton Candy        |
| 1987 | FC/AFC Scott's Gingerbread Lady   |
| 1986 | Crab Orchard Jet                  |
| 1985 | DC Bandee-Britts Red Jinx         |
| 1984 | FC Jaron's Brittany               |
| 1983 | DC Krissy's Captain Kay-Cee       |
| 1982 | FC/AFC Gun-Runner's Far Out       |
| 1981 | DC/AFC Hi-Spirit Buck             |
| 1980 | FC/AFC RJ's Brandy Sniffer        |

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| 2005 | FC/AFC Bucks Hit The Road Jack          |
| 2004 | FC Last Dixie Chick                     |
| 2003 | FC/AFC Baby Jane's BB                   |
| 2002 | FC Coppertop's Alderwitch               |
| 2001 | FC/AFC Keystone's Part of The Plan      |
| 2000 | CH Hope's Dandi Don                     |
| 1999 | NAGDC/DC/AFC Winchester of Hanging Jaze |

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| 2007 | NAGDC/FC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble |
| 2006 | FC/AFC High Hope's Fly by Nite      |
| 2005 | FC Clyde's Double Trouble           |
| 2004 | NAGDC/DC/AFC Calistar Del Prado     |

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| 1988 | CH Jen-Mars Carosel Jolly Jester           |
| 1987 | CH Prince Valiant's Spring A' Rival CDX/TD |
| 1986 | CH Woodstock's Lady Valentine              |
| 1985 | CH Le Duc Cimmaron Storm Cloud             |
| 1984 | CH Twin Oaks Vantage Point                 |
| 1983 | CH Dee's Picante Pepper of JB              |
| 1982 | CH Do-Well's JB Jason                      |
| 1981 | CH Do-Well's JB Jason                      |
| 1980 | CH Greenfield Le Duc De Cannelle           |
| 1979 | FC Hi Ace                                  |
| 1978 | CH Jacque's Prince Valiant                 |
| 1977 | CH Romar's Sweet Whiskey Man               |
| 1976 | CH Jacque's Prince Valiant                 |
| 1975 | CH Greenfield's Mister Mark                |
| 1974 | DC Suzabob's Hedgerow Happy                |
| 1973 | CH Credence Skoshi                         |
| 1972 | Mechant of Breton's Lightning              |
| 1971 | CH Sequani's Dana MacDuff                  |
| 1970 | DC Pacolet Cheyenne Sam                    |
| 1969 | DC Suzabob's Hedgerow Happy                |
| 1968 | CH Bonnie Kay's Duke of Sequani            |
| 1967 | Elcon's Shotgun Smoke                      |
| 1966 | CH Sam's Son Buckshot CD                   |

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| 2000 | Voyageur's Brtpatch Rifleman, CD, JH |
| 1999 | Dusty The Brittany, CD, AX, AXJ      |
| 1998 | Jozan's Mystic Mirage, CDX           |
| 1997 | CH Chilcote's Credit Earned, UD, TDX |
| 1996 | CH Barkalarm Bonfire D'Labrinth, CDX |
| 1995 | Chilcote's Credit Earned, TD         |
| 1994 | Lafayette Britannia Rose             |
| 1993 | Little Egypt Catapult Cathy, CDX, SH |
| 1992 | Little Egypt Catapult Cathy, CDX, SH |
| 1991 | K I X Rebel Riot, UD                 |
| 1990 | CH Lafayette Texas Trooper, UDT      |

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| 1989 | DC Royal Britt Starbuck of Auten     |
| 1988 | DC/AFC Lobo's Cotton Candy           |
| 1986 | DC Renegade's Kansas Kid             |
| 1981 | DC Tomar's Ban-Dee Sam               |
| 1980 | DC/AFC Cinnabar's Ami Roc de'Edwards |
| 1979 | DC Pepper's Prince                   |
| 1978 | DC Perry's Rustic Prince             |
| 1977 | DC Rockbrooks Andy O'Dee             |
| 1976 | DC Perry's Rustic Prince             |
| 1975 | NAFC/DC/AFC Hello Dolly Miss Kaer    |
| 1974 | NFC/DC/AFC Ban-Dee                   |
| 1972 | FC Brandy's Bullet                   |
| 1971 | DC Char-Lee O'Dee                    |
| 1970 | DC Char-Lee O'Dee                    |

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| 1975 | DC/AFC Chipp Britt Jill     |
| 1974 | NFC/DC/AFC Ban-Dee          |
| 1973 | FC Ban-Dee                  |
| 1972 | Kipp's Trooper Rochambeau   |
| 1971 | DC Pacolet Cheyenne Sam     |
| 1970 | FC Augustus of Rivers       |
| 1969 | Way Kan Fritts              |
| 1968 | FC Goldtone's Duke          |
| 1967 | DC Colorado's Yankee Timber |
| 1966 | Bazooka's Brandy            |
| 1965 | FC Rendezvous Skipper       |
| 1964 | FC Shenango Valley Dingo    |
| 1963 | FC Crab Orchard Duke        |
| 1962 | Miller's Desert Dust        |
| 1961 | FC Yankee Boy's Tommy       |
| 1960 | FC Holiday Britt            |
| 1959 | NFC/DC Towsey               |
| 1958 | FC Hello's Yankee Timber    |

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| 1979 | FC The Real Thing                 |
| 1978 | DC Hi-Spirit Buck                 |
| 1977 | FC Cindy's Chief Tomahawk         |
| 1976 | DC Perry's Rustic Prince          |
| 1975 | NAFC/DC/AFC Hello Dolly Miss Kaer |
| 1974 | FC Hello Dolly Miss Kaer          |
| 1973 | FC Brandy's Bullet                |
| 1972 | FC Colorado's Jumping Gypsy       |
| 1971 | DC Char-Lee O'Dee                 |
| 1970 | NAGDC/DC/AFC Gringo de Britt      |
| 1969 | FC Gringo de Britt                |
| 1968 | FC Holliday Britts Ed             |
| 1967 | FC Little Rapa Luke               |
| 1966 | FC Towsey's Bub                   |

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| 1998 | FC Sadie Fair Lady                  |
| 1997 | NGDC/FC/AFC JDZ Roc's Ardent Boomer |
| 1996 | FC/AFC JDZ Roc's Ardent Boomer      |
| 1995 | FC Winchester of Hanging Jaze       |
| 1994 | FC Hybrittin's Hot Pursuit          |
| 1993 | FC/AFC Echo Valley Painted Lady     |
| 1992 | FC/AFC Jade's Dirty Dick            |

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| 2003 | DC/AFC Calistar Del Prado |
| 2002 | Little Guy Levi           |

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| 1965 | CH Sam's Son Buckshot CD       |
| 1964 | CH Chief of Appanoose          |
| 1963 | CH Juchoir's Tuffy             |
| 1962 | CH Juchoir's Tuffy             |
| 1961 | CH Bonnie Kay's Ricki's Image  |
| 1960 | CH Bonnie Kay's Ricki's Image  |
| 1959 | CH Bonnie Kay's Ricki's Image  |
| 1958 | DC Dingo's Little Mike         |
| 1957 | CH Harvre des Bois Henri       |
| 1956 | CH Avono Corky                 |
| 1955 | CH Tigre Par Le Tigre L'Argoat |
| 1954 | CH Do-Car's Flashy Showman     |
| 1953 | CH Avono Corky                 |
| 1952 | CH Amos of Edough              |
| 1951 | CH Bucaneer de Klemantor       |
| 1950 | CH Bucaneer de Klemantor       |
| 1949 | Tudor de Roc Hellou            |
| 1948 | CH Avono Happy                 |
| 1947 | Retta of Avono                 |
| 1946 | CH Avono Happy                 |
| 1945 | CH Patrice de Sharvogue        |
| 1944 | CH Patrice de Sharvogue        |
| 1943 | Patrice de Sharvogue           |

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| 1989 | Little Egypt Catapult Cathy              |
| 1988 | CH Prince Valiant's Spring A' Rival, UDT |
| 1987 | Lafayette Texas Trooper                  |
| 1986 | CH/OTCH/AFC Lafayette King Trooper, UDT  |
| 1985 | CH/OTCH/AFC Lafayette King Trooper, UDT  |
| 1984 | CH/OTCH/AFC Lafayette King Trooper       |
| 1983 | OTCH Lafayette King Trooper              |
| 1982 | Dark Sky, CD                             |
| 1981 | CH/OTCH Turner's Crossroad Samantha      |

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| 1969                               | FC Gringo de Brit       |
| 1966                               | DC Holley Haven Casey   |
| 1964                               | DC Tigar's Jocko        |
| 1963                               | Towsey's Bub            |
| <b>NATIONAL DUAL AWARD WINNERS</b> |                         |
| 1961                               | DC Dingo's Little Mike  |
| 1960                               | DC Penny's Happy Pepi   |
| 1959                               | DC Dingo's Little Mike  |
| 1958                               | DC Dingo's Little Mike  |
| 1957                               | FC Towsey               |
| 1956                               | DC Holley Haven Duchess |
| 1949                               | Allamuchy Valley Uno    |
| 1947                               | Allamuchy Valley Addie  |
| 1943                               | CH Aotrou Mac Eodaidh   |

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| 1957 | DC Towsey |
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**WINNERS ABC OPEN ALL AGE**

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| 1956 | Jeffrey of Argard      |
| 1955 | Towsey                 |
| 1954 | FC Miste de Klemantor  |
| 1953 | Tennessee Luke         |
| 1952 | DC Pontac's Dingo      |
| 1951 | FC Pontac's Dingo      |
| 1950 | Butch's Lad            |
| 1949 | Jersey Jeff            |
| 1948 | Bonaire Bob            |
| 1947 | Allamuchy Valley Addie |
| 1946 | Tess of Chippewa       |
| 1945 | Britt of Bellows Falls |
| 1944 | Tess of Chippewa       |
| 1943 | Aotrou Mac Eodaidh     |

**WINNERS ABC AMATEUR ALL AGE**

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| 1965 | FC Rendezvous Skipper         |
| 1964 | FC Tiger's Jocko              |
| 1963 | FC Fopper of Siouxland        |
| 1962 | Ferris's Cannonball of Leeway |
| 1961 | FC Jeff of Minnehaha          |
| 1960 | FC Gladwin Smokey             |
| 1959 | DC Belloak's King             |
| 1958 | FC Ferdinand of Leeway        |
| 1957 | DC Saxon of Fredan            |
| 1956 | FC Ferdinand of Leeway        |
| 1955 | Holley Haven Dan              |
| 1954 | DC Holley Haven Duchess       |
| 1953 | FC Belloak's Ginger           |
| 1952 | Dominio de Klemantor          |
| 1951 | Int. CH Diane de Beauch UD    |

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| 1991 | NGDC/FC/AFC Magnum's Masked Man        |
| 1990 | FC Magnum's Masked Man                 |
| 1989 | FC/AFC Perpetuators Misty Skye         |
| 1988 | NGDC/FC/AFC Jessen's Lit'l Dab of Dude |
| 1987 | FC/AFC Jessen's Lit'l Dab of Dude      |
| 1986 | DC Bernie V CD                         |
| 1985 | FC/AFC Stedi's Bombin Banjo            |

*Titles shown are those held at the time of the win.*



# American Brittany Club Futurities

## CONDITIONS AND RULES



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- American Brittany Futurities shall be open to every purebred Brittany bitch and her progeny whelped during the calendar year of January 1 - December 31 and whose litters have been enrolled with The American Brittany Club.
- Bitch must be owned or leased by an American Brittany club member.
- All dams nominated and all sires bred to must be registered or eligible for registration.
- Nominations of dams must be made within 30 days after the bitches have whelped.** A sum of \$30.00 must be paid at this time. This payment will entitle each puppy of this particular litter to be entered in the ABC Futurities (Field and/or Bench) after the dog has been properly registered in a recognized stud book.

- Late litter nominations will be accepted with the following current fee schedule:** Late fees are: \$30.00 for 31-60 days, \$60.00 for 61-90 days, and \$100.00 for any nomination received more than 90 days after whelping. No nominations will be accepted past 180 days of whelping. Additional late fees may be imposed from time to time by the ABC Board of Directors. The postmark will determine the fee for late nominations.
- Dogs will be eligible to run in the designated futurity to be held in the Spring of the second year following the year of whelping.
- A final nomination fee will be due by September 15th of the year following whelping. Entry fees will be paid by the owner of the puppy for each Sectional Futurity field or bench event the dog enters.

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For all purebred Brittany bitches whelping a litter on January 1 thru December 31st, 2011, who are owned or leased by a member of The American Brittany Club.  
Nomination must be made within 30 days of whelping or subject to a late penalty fees • **NOMINATING FEE: \$30.00**  
**PURSE: 2/3 to Owner of Winner, 1/3 to Breeder of Winner**

|  |                     |
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| NAME OF BITCH<br><i>(must be owned by ABC member)</i>        |                     |
| BITCH'S AKC and/or<br>FDSB No.                               | Her Sire<br>Her Dam |
| DOG BRED TO<br><i>(not necessarily owned by club member)</i> |                     |
| His Registration No.   | His Sire<br>His Dam |

Whelping Date \_\_\_\_\_ Number of living males: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of living females: \_\_\_\_\_

**Place mailing label here for address and proof of Membership.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Club Affiliation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone and/or FAX #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Make all checks payable to: AMERICAN BRITTANY CLUB. Checks MUST be for FUTURITY FEE ONLY. DO NOT** include payment for other items. Send Futurity Nominations to: *Judy Robin, American Brittany Club, 6800 Park Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48103-9511 • Phone 734-426-2508 • e-mail: robintj2@gmail.com.*



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The Club is composed of many Regional Clubs located from coast to coast. Most hold a licensed AKC field trial for championship points in the spring and fall seasons. Many hold a specialty (conformation) show and hunting tests. The Regional Clubs hold meetings to discuss mutual problems, fun trials, training sessions and other events of interest to their members.

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This application is for: *(please check one)*     Gift Membership     New Applicant     Membership Renewal     Associate Membership

**Please choose from one of the following:**

This is a Gift Membership for: **(Please type or print)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

- This application is to apply for active membership in the \_\_\_\_\_ Regional Brittany Club, entitling me to receive all communications, hold office and vote in the Regional Club as well as the American Brittany Club. (See Club Secretaries/Directors listings in the magazine or on our website at <http://clubs.akc.org/brit/>)
- This application is to belong to a Regional Club as well as the American Brittany Club, but I do not know the nearest club, please assign a club based on the address below.
- This application is to be a Member-at-Large of the American Brittany Club.

**Please type, print or put your mailing label below:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**Interests, please check all that apply:**     Field Trials     Conformation     Hunt Tests     Hunting     Obedience     Agility     Other \_\_\_\_\_

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Dam: DC Bet'n She'll Fly

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**Chad Holman**

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