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Issues and Opportunities, July, 2012

I had the opportunity to attend the ABC Summer Specialty in Orlando, Florida last month. The Mid-Florida Brittany Club did a wonderful job of organizing this event and the members are to be commended for their efforts. The conformation portion was preceded by an all-Brittany agility trial on Thursday. I admit to having seen an agility trial before, but cannot claim to understand everything that goes into these events. Thankfully, there were people who mentored me on the different levels of achievement being evaluated. I am still no expert, but I do have a better understanding now. Even a greenhorn like me, however, could see that the participants were all having a most enjoyable time. That statement applies to both the people and the dogs that competed.

I was particularly impressed by the enthusiasm the dogs showed while going through the obstacles. There were jumps, ramps, tunnels, something called an "A-frame", and a series of vertical poles through which the dog had to weave while going from one end to the other. The athleticism of these dogs was apparent as I watched them soar through the air or bend their bodies through the weave poles. In addition to athleticism, discipline and understanding commands were paramount to a successful attempt. Not every dog made it around successfully, but all seemed to have fun, even those who did not have a stellar performance. One participant told me he did this activity to keep his dog in shape for hunting season. I could certainly see this as being an excellent way to achieve that, for both the dog and the owner.

The conformation aspect of the Summer Specialty involved a supported Brittany entry on Friday at the Brevard Kennel Club's all breed show, the ABC Specialty on Saturday, and the Mid-Florida Brittany Club's Specialty on Sunday. Over the course of these three days, two dogs finished their championships and another picked up two major wins toward her championship. Several dogs acquired points toward their Grand Champion titles as well. The quality of the entries was good, but I was concerned about the number of entries. The ABC holds a Summer Specialty because members asked to have a show of a national caliber that rotates around the country each year. I understand this will mean that most entries are likely to come from the region surrounding the venue selected for a given year, but I would hope that people from other regions would also support this endeavor if it is to be considered a national event. There are many factors that determine which shows people will enter on any given weekend, such as distance and judicial preference. However, membership from other parts of the country needs to show clear support for the Summer Specialty if it is to continue as a national-caliber event.

A request was made to have an all-Brittany agility trial become a standing part of the Summer Specialty. After watching the trial at the 2012 event, I think that would be a good thing to do. We know change occurs in all organizations and adding activities that reflect the changing interests of the membership is an appropriate action. However, I pointed out that the President does not make policy; he or she only tries to execute the policies established by the Board of Directors. So making this a permanent part of the Summer Specialty will require more than just my support. Furthermore, there will have to be some level of commitment by that portion of the membership who is interested in this activity to organize and provide continuing support for it. Lacking such a commitment will doom any attempt to make this a reality. Anyone wishing to offer their services for this should feel free to contact me via email at President@TheAmericanBrittanyClub.org.

On a separate topic, there have been a few problems with the magazine covers on past issues this year. Please be aware that both the publisher and the magazine committee are aware of the problems and are working to correct them. Until and unless the root problems can be corrected, the magazines will be shipped inside a plastic cover so hopefully everything will arrive intact. We appreciate your understanding. If you received a damaged issue previously, please contact the publisher at the address given elsewhere in this magazine to request a replacement.

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By Rick Smith & Sharon Potter

The Figure Eight

B efore we tell you what a figure eight is, we're going to tell you what it is not. It is not a substitute for good training, and it's not a miracle cure-all. What the figure eight can do is assist you in taking the resistance away from your dog. This works in the kennel, in the field, on the chain, and any other time that a dog needs to maintain control of its emotions. If you think of the figure eight as a training aid, you will be able to use it successfully.

Resistance is defined as "to keep from giving in to." We like to alter that definition just a little when we apply it to dogs: Resistance is what happens when the dog has decided not to comply with what you expect it to do. Think of a teenager and the way they always seem to do the opposite of what you want, saying, "Whatever" all the time instead of giving you a real reply. A dog showing resistance is pretty much saying the same thing as the teenager.

When a dog is being resistant, there is a checklist of behaviors they go through while they're complaining. Of all the different things a dog will try, the last act before surrender and submission take place is barking. Resist the temptation to yell at the dog. Ignore the barking and whining – if you respond to it by using your voice or showing emotion, then your dog has won by being able to demand your attention. Don't let your dog train you to respond to its cues. This barking and whining is part of the learning process and will stop as soon as the dog realizes it does him no good.

The ideal way to get rid of the barking is to just let them bark until they quit, but in today's world, most of us have neighbors who have telephones. Rather than wait until the neighbors call the police, we prefer to stop the barking using a wonderful little training tool called a figure eight. This is not a bark collar, and should not be thought of as one. Rather, it takes the resistance and frustration away from a dog by taking the mouth away.

After demonstrating the figure eight at a seminar some time ago, Rick was told a story by a former FBI agent in attendance with his dog. The FBI man stated that when the bureau interrogates someone dangerous, they will often restrain them by tying their arms and legs to a chair. Rarely does this convince a person to submit and give in – what usually breaks them is when the interrogator tapes their mouth shut. As soon as the mouth is taken away, resistance crumbles. It is much the same for our dogs. When we take the mouth away, we take the resistance with it.

So what's a figure eight? It's a length of 3/16-inch diamond braid cord, 42 inches in length. The correct cord can be purchased at most any hardware store – ask for starter cord, for it's the same kind of cord used for pull-starting a small engine. This diamond braid cord has a slightly rough texture, making it easier for the dog to feel. When you cut the cord, be sure to use a match or lighter to seal off the ends so they won't fray.

Make a two-inch loop tied with a bowline knot at one end. Then tie a large loop using an overhand know farther up the rope, leaving about three inches of space between it and the bowline know. The large loop can be adjusted as needed to fit individual dogs.

To put this on the dog, slide the large loop over the muzzle, with the overhand knot sitting under the center of the lower jaw near the throat. This loop needs to be positioned all the way up the muzzle, close to where it meets the head. The loop should fit close to the corners of the lips and be adjusted snugly enough so that the dog can't open its mouth more than slightly but not so tight as to tie the mouth shut. The dog should still be able to pant and drink water. Once this is on the muzzle, be sure that the lips are not pinched in



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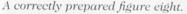
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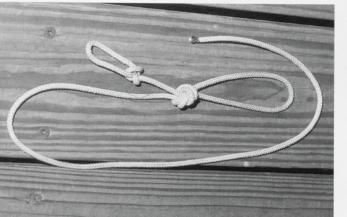
To tie the figure eight on, bring the bowline loop up around behind the dog's ear on one side, keeping it tight and right up behind the skull. With your other hand, take the free end and double it over so it forms a loop that will just reach the bowline end. Next, slip the loop into the bowline knot. Do not pull the free end all the way through.

Let go of the bowline end, and snug the other end up by pulling on the end of the loop where it goes through the bowline. Be sure this stays snug and right behind the skull. The loop you made with the free end should be about an inch or so in length where it passes through the bowline.

When this is pulled up tightly, use one hand to pinch it together to keep it tight. With the other hand, form another small loop with the excess of the free end; slipping it through the loop you're pinching shut. While holding the end of this second loop, push the balance of the other loop down toward the dog's neck, locking the knot snugly. Tuck the remainder of the free end under the collar so the dog is less likely to work the figure eight loose with its paws.

To release the knot, just take the free end from under the collar and pull. The whole thing will come untied, and then all you need





Place the loop over the muzzle of the dog, with the overhand knot underneath.



to do is slip it off the dog's muzzle. Properly adjusted, this allows the dog to drink and pant, without allowing an open mouth.

The best place to put the figure eight on a dog for the first time is on the stakeout chain. The dog is more confined and can't escape to the doghouse. Instead, the dog has little choice but to work things out, and it already knows what is expected while on the chain. Once a dog fully understands what the figure eight is for while on the chain, you can use it in the field if the dog wants to vocalize around birds, or in the house when

the dog is being rude and resistant. Always put it on when the dog is resisting, and remove it when the dog stops complaining. And obviously, retrieving while wearing a figure eight is not going to happen, so set up your training sessions accordingly.

When a dog has learned what the figure eight is for, it can be used in most any situation where



Note the placement of the knot and the figure eight made by the rope as it goes around the muzzle and behind the skull.



The quick release knot is tied by folding the free end of the rope over and inserting the short loop the folded half makes into the loop made by the bowline knot.



resistance is shown and compliance is required. Again, never leave a dog unattended while wearing a figure eight. This is not just about safety – if you aren't available to remove it when the dog complies, then it no longer acts a training aid because the dog doesn't learn how to get you to take the figure eight off.

The initial reaction of most dogs to the figure eight is to try their best to get rid of it. They will work at it with their paws, roll over on the ground and try to rub it off, and generally pout. Expect this and ignore it. You may need some practice to find just the right adjustment for the figure eight so it will stay on, as well as some practice tying the know.

When a dog barks with the figure eight on its muzzle, the texture of the diamond braid rope provides incentive for the dog to keep its mouth closed. It is mildly abrasive, but only if and when the dog chooses to fight it. This teaches the dog to make an appropriate choice by learning to turn off stimulation. As long as the mouth remains closed, there is no pressure. The dog learns that barking turns on the pressure, and stopping the bark turns it off.

While many dogs learn this very quickly and submit, there will be those that will choose to fight it. This can cause some swelling and/or abrasion across the dog's nose. If you observe this with your dog, please keep in mind that the dog is totally responsible for turning off the stimulation. It is completely the dog's choice – it can keep barking and be uncomfortable, or it can be quiet and comfortable. The best thing you can do is stay out of it altogether, and just observe. Do not deprive your dog of the consequences of its behavior. In some very rare cases, the dog may not give into this, and in this case, an electronic bark collar is recommended.

Never leave a figure eight on a dog when you are not going to be available to remove it. Part of the learning process consists of the dog figuring out how to turn off the pressure, so when the dog is quiet and not trying to bark or otherwise be resistant, you should take the figure eight off. At the first sign of wanting to resist again, put it back on. Calm and quiet takes it off, and noise puts it on. As you continue to repeat this process, your dog will understand that when it barks, it is asking you to put the figure eight on. Before long, the dog will see you pick up the cord and will stop before you even get close enough to put it on.

Taking the mouth away from the dog takes away the last remnant of resistance. This can be useful in numerous situations, and barking is not the only one. If you have a dog that spins in circles in the kennel (see our column "Kennel Manners" in a previous issue), often simply putting a figure eight on the dog will cause it to settle and relax.

Another good use for a figure eight is as a muzzle on a dog that acts aggressively around other dogs. It's hard to bite if your mouth won't open, and the aggression also comes with the consequence of the resulting discomfort from the figure eight rope. If you have two dogs that are trying to fight, put a figure eight on each of them and then put them together while you're there to supervise. Be certain that both dogs have already had the figure eight on and understand it before you try this. Again, it is a training aid, not a miracle cure for bad manners.

If you are consistent with the use of the figure eight, it will become a valuable training tool, and your dog will better understand that good manners are taken from the stakeout chain and carried into the field and bird work.



While holding the doubled over end snugly so it holds the rope tight against the back of the skull, form a second short, doubled over loop with the remaining free end.



Insert that doubled end through the loop you're holding, and then pull up on the newest loop (keep short) while pushing the other loop down toward the dog's neck. This will tighten the knot yet make it easy to remove by pulling on the tail end of the rope.



The finished quick-release knot.

Jim Chase, Jr. 1942-2012 *"gung ho field trial extrovert"*

As I crossed the Mississippi at Memphis it started to rain on that early March morning. It seemed as if it rained harder every time I crossed into the next state. By the time I turned off MO 5 onto Parks Creek Rd. it was 2 hours later than I had planned and it was still raining. "I can't believe that they'll be running tomorrow morning", I said to myself. But it was my first chance to watch my young dog, Tank, run in his first championship. I'd never been to Grovespring. Damn it was dark on this road....but there was light up ahead, it must be the clubhouse. I'll just check in and then go up to Lebanon and see if I could get a motel room. When I walked in, there was a bunch of people sitting around. I didn't know anyone. I introduced myself and asked one guy how to get back out on the highway and go north to Lebanon. "Well hell!, just go grab a bunk back there and stay here. That's what it's for!", one of the men sitting at the table shouted. "Oh, by the way, do you need a horse?" "No, I think AI has one for me". He stood up and told me that if I needed one to come see him in the morning. He left without saying anything more. I don't think I slept much that night, but was awakened by a commotion in the dinner hall the next morning. The same guy and several others were out there with cups of coffee and still wearing rain-slicked Helly-Hanson gear. They talked about what areas they had to cover with the quail they just put into carriers on the ATV's in the parking lot. I got a cup and sat there and listened. Later that morning, I saw the guy again and he was marshalling the brace of dogs handled by Chad Holman and Ed Tillson. The marshall was Jim Chase. Over the next 10 years or so, I was to learn much more about him and of course, Janet.

As you read this, much has been written to memorialize Jim's passing. Most of you have learned that he was a talented Railroad Engineer, born in Oklahoma who served in the Army Corps of Engineers. He suffered a stroke several years ago that everyone felt would keep him out of the Field Trial Sport. But the guy was tough as nails and fought back to do what he had a passion for-the Brittany. And you also found out that the passion didn't stop at the trial venue. His vision for a permanent repository for Brittany Field Trial History in Grand Junction was to become reality in February of this year. The official opening of the Sporting Dog Wing drew as big a smile from his face as I've ever seen. Rick Smith has paid well deserved honor and thanked his old friend for his service on the Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame and the Bird Dog Foundation. Those attending the wake in Red Bud, IL, represented the core of the Brittany Field Trial Community in the Central swath of the US. I thought, I've only been in this sport for 12 years and I know everybody here-most Jim and Janet had introduced me to. As David Smith and I drove down the Pin Oak lined lane to the house. kennels and barns. I caught sight of his trailer. He was so proud of that unit. He told me once that he wanted to make his travels all over the US to field trials as comfortable as he could. It was "home away from home" for he and Janet.

Opposite the trailer were the kennels. One lone male was standing there. I know that dogs don't have feelings, but I had to wonder if he knew that his master wasn't to return?

When I agreed to do this write up. I really didn't know much about Jim the Man, and there are so many other people that did. But I remember one strikingly impressive conversation I had with Jim several years ago. We were waiting around the clubhouse at Booneville during one of those god awful rain delays during the National Championship. All we had ever talked about before was, what else, but Brittanvs. He had a great understanding of the breed and it's history. And boy could he talk about his dogs! But this conversation was totally different. Whatever got us off track of field trials, I don't remember. But he talked for over an hour about a Fly Fishing trip to Argentina he and Janet had taken last year. The guy's other passion for beating the water with a fly rod, was something I grew up with in PA! We were connecting on a different level. He only stopped talking when Janet came over and pulled him away to go saddle up the horses for the afternoon braces-the rain had finally stopped.

I talked with more than a few of his friends about stories they could recount about Jim. But, there is not enough room for that here. I remembered that I read an article a number of years ago in the American Field's Christmas Issue. We are all exceedingly fortunate to have all the back issues of the Field and The American Brittany at the Bird Dog Museum. I drove over and found David Fletcher's article he wrote in 2004. In mind numbing detail, he related the story of Rimarda's Trademark to the reader. If you are a student of the breed, this will give you such a mind opening experience, I don't think I've ever read elsewhere about a foundation dog. But what comes across, even if David had not intended to highlight, was the key role Jim played developing one of the most significant dogs in our breed's improvement. From TM to Rimarda's Gambler, to Gambler's Ace in the Hole to newly crowned (and I'm sure a future HOF bet) DC Grand Junction Jake, and the connection to the Holman family, Jim (along with Janet's support), was single handedly responsible for keeping our breed one of the best in Field Trial History. As I read Fletcher's article (several times), what became clear as a morning on the Sand Hills, was that, as David wrote about Jim's decision to acquire TM, ".....proved to be the right thing for the dog."

Along with the title quote taken from the same David Fletcher article, these simple words, spoken about Jim Chase, tell each and every one of us what Jim was all about and how he shaped our breed, our sport, our organization to leave a legacy that challenges each one of us to keep vibrant and fun.

Ken Blackman May 31, 2012

Central New England Brittany Club Proudly Announces Our 2010 Dogs of the Year

Dual Dog of the Year 2010

CH AFC Swift River's Pivotal Moment - "Aja" owner: Jane Biork

Amateur Field Handler 2010

Jane Bjork





• Field Dog of the Year 2010 CH AFC Flashfire's Bang - A- Gong - "Tonka" owners: Jane Bjork, Dorothy Boyatzi, and Louis Boyatzi

Juvenile Field Dog of the Year 2010 >

Little Liberty Delight - "Libby" owner: Aaron Crown





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Agility Dog of the Year 2010

"Nate" - Nathan New Penny of Kinship MX, MXJ, OAP, MJP, NFP, OF, CGC owners: Kim & Dan Hatton

Show Dog of the Year 2010 >

GCH CH Triumphant's Saviour Machine - "Bowie" owners: Stephanie & Michelle Russell & Linda McCartney-Roy



2010 New Titles (underlined)

GCH CH Shady Brook's Measure for Measure – owner: Lisa Tailby GCH CH Triumphant's Savior Machine – owners: Stephanie & Michelle Russell & Linda McCartney-Roy CH Goldstar's Merlin Merlot – owner: Antony Shrimpton CH Shady Brook's Wish Upon a Star – owner: Joan Bevers CH Triumphant's Absolute Evel – owner: Peggy Aguiar CH Triumphant's Absolute Liberty of Kinship NA, NAJ - owner: Kim Hatton CH Triumphant's Absolutely G.Q. - owners: Linda McCartney-Roy & Helen Riggle CH Triumphant's Alabama Slammer – owners: Michelle Cole & Linda McCartney-Roy CH Triumphant's Everything Nice – owners: Pam Jackson & Linda McCartney-Roy RITTAN CH Triumphant's Indi-Go for Gold – owner: Stephanie & Michelle Russell CH Triumphant's Our Boy Scout – owner: Ed Birdsong, Nancy Clendenen & Linda McCartney-Roy AFC CH Flashfire's Bang-A-Gong – owners: Jane Bjork, Dorothy Boyatzi, and Louis Boyatzi Flashfire's My Fair Lady JH CD, SH - owner: Jill Talevi CH Mt's View Halftime Attraction RN, NA, NAJ, OF, OAP, OJP, OFP, XFP - owners: Mary Walker, Jennifer Siedlicki and Laura Walker Nathan New Penny of Kinship MX, MXJ, OAP, MJP, NFP, OF, CGC

CH Swift River's Believe I Can NA, NAJ, NF - owner: Patricia John

CH Swift River's Solo Attraction JH, RE, AX, AXJ, OAP, OJP, NF - owners: Patricia John and Frances Phillip

Special Recognition

CH Goldstar's Merlin Merlot (Reserve Winner's Dog & Best Puppy in Sweeps at ABC Summer Specialty) – owned by Antony Shrimpton and bred by Patricia John

Hill's Catch"N the Wind JH (4th place Eastern Futurity Gun Dog) – owned by Dawn & Paul Hill

GCH CH Shady Brook's Measure for Measure (2nd money bitch Eastern Futurity show) – owned by Lisa Tailby and bred by Joan Bevers

Top Dogs

Grand Championship Points for Brittanys/Breed Points

GCH CH Triumphant's Saviour Machine owned by Stephanie & Michelle Russell & Linda McCartney-Roy – #1 in New Hampshire, #7 nationally, #8 in breed points and #11 in all breed competition

GCH CH Shady Brook's Measure for Measure owned by Lisa Tailby - #1 in Maine

GCH CH Triumphant's Absolute Evel owned by Peqqy Aquiar – #4 in New Hampshire

CH Flashfire' Absolutely McDreamy owned by Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi, Jane Bjork – #1 in Massachusetts & #3 in New Hampshire

CH Hill's Morning Edition owned by Dawn & Paul Hill - #2 in Connecticut

CH Jmat's Find Just Keep Swimmin' owned by Debbie & David Latino – #3 in Massachusetts

CH Shady Brook's Wish Upon A Star owned by Joan Bevers - #5 in Massachusetts

CH Triumphant's Absolute' JH owned by Linda McCartney-Roy & Kristyn McCartney - #6 in New Hampshire

CH Triumphant's Absolut' On Ice owned by Linda McCartney-Roy & Kristyn McCartney – #2 in New Hampshire

CH Triumphant's Everything Nice JH owned by Pamela Jackson & Linda McCartney-Roy - #2 in Maine

CH Triumphant's Kajole Trumpeteer owned by Karen Leggett & Linda McCartney-Roy – #2 in MA & # 5 in NH

Agility – National Rankings for Brittanys

Flashfires Smokey Jo CDX, NA, NAJ, OAP, OJP owned by Richard Callahan – #2 Excellent A Preferred

- CH Mt's View Halftime Attraction RN, NA, NAJ, OF, OAP, OJP, XFP owned by Mary Walker, Jennifer Siedlicki and Laura Walker #10 **Excellent A Preferred and #7 Open Preferred**
- Nathan New Penny of Kinship MX, MXJ, OAP, MJP, NFP, OF, CGC owned by Dan Hatton #7 Excellent B Preferred, #7 Excellent A Preferred, #2 Open Preferred, #2 Novice Preferred

CH Triumphant Absolute Liberty of Kinship NA, NAJ owned by Kim Hatton – #5 Novice



ABC Michigan Classics/Championships Ionia, Michigan • April 2-5, 2012

April 2012, marked the thirty-fifth annual running of the Michigan Brittany Championship in Ionia, Michigan. We are extremely fortunate in Michigan to have some of the best grounds and the best people in the sport of field trialing supporting this great championship tradition.

We would like to thank our judges Jim Yates from Michigan and Tony Giovinale from Ohio who judged the Open All Age championship for which twenty-four Brittanys vied for the title. Noted German Shorthair competitor and respected judge, Jim Yates graciously agreed to serve as returning judge. We were also pleased to have long time Brittany owner Tony Giovinale in the judge's seat. Tony and his wife Jeanette have been busy with her boarding stable and Tony's construction work along with plans for their oldest daughter's wedding in July. It was great to reminisce about the

eighties at Killdeer Plaines when FC/AFC JJ's Jogger of St. James was a serious contender in the All Age stakes.

We would like to thank Purina and Ray Trimble, our Purina liaison, for their continued support of this sport and in particular this championship. We would not be successful without them.

Thank you to all the people who entered and helped at the trial. Wade Haines. Ron Gulembo. and John Cotton got up early every morning to plant birds on the championship course, and others filled in as bird planters throughout the day, and our Chairman, Kent Merryman. Dick Lipski organized and prepared a wonderful dinner on Tuesday aided by his assistant. Hap Harrison, for all to enjoy, Marv Jo and Ray Trimble celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary with a cake and margaritas. Ray surprised Mary Jo with a silver and turquoise necklace for their silver anniversary. The lunches were a combined effort of many, Sherri Merryman, Judy Robin,

two finds: one in Hires Field and on his second find was found standing at the top of the orchard. Two was credited with one find also in Hires Field and ran a good, consistent all-age race. Both dogs finished strong to the front.

Third place went to Big Prairies Holly Tara, owned by Norm Boetcher of Solomon, Kansas, handled by professional handler Kevin Stonehouse. Tarah showed great potential with exceptional ground speed and independence, although somewhat less consistent than the winner and runner-up.

Fourth place went to Popeye LaBelle, owned by George Kucsma and was handled by Wade Haines, both from Pataskala, OH. Popeye had a find in Hires Field. He started out strong, but finished more lateral than and not as forward as the other winners.



Jeanne Telfare, Ronnie Telfare holding Telfare's Pink Floyd, Judge Bill Klenner, Wade Haines holding Shamrocks Sirius II, Judge Donna Janulis, Kevin Stonehouse holding Big Prairies Holly Tarah, John Cotton, Ray Trimble holding Popeye LaBelle

Donna Janulis, Kathy Gulembo, Theda Langstaff, Allison Cotton and sister Colleen, even Kathy Byrne who sent soup, but couldn't attend. We also celebrated birthdays for John Cotton and Kevin Stonehouse with a cake at lunch supplied by Allison.

Open Derby Classic

The morning of Thursday, April 5, we woke up to cooler temperatures and a steady wind. We had 10 starters for this 45 minute Derby Classic.

Our judges were Donna Janulis from Manhattan, IL and Bill Klenner from Belleville, MI. Both of these judges are long time, respected, field trialers, and know what they like to see in derby potential. Quote from the judges, "we had a lot of really nice young dogs to look at with great potential for the future".

The winner and runner-up came out of the second brace of the morning. The winner was awarded to Telfare's Pink Floyd, owned by Ronnie and Jeanne Telfare of Wayland, MI, handled by Ronnie. Runner-up went to Shamrock's Sirius II, owned and handled by Wade Haines of Pataskala, OH. Both dogs broke away fast and to the front. Floyd was consistently forward with a far-reaching all-age race. Ronnie rode along singing and each time Floyd would appear to the front rimming the edges. Floyd was credited with

Open Derby Classic Open Derby 45min (10S) J: Donna Janulis & Bill Klenner

- 1 TELFARE'S PINK FLOYD (D), by FC Hap's Spice Rum Luke x Maximum's Lady Tara JH; o Jeanne & Ronald Telfare III, h Ronald Telfare
- 2 SHAMROCK'S SIRIUS II (D), by FC/AFC Shamrock's Sirius x Lucille La Belle; o/h Wade Haines
- 3 BIG PRAIRIES HOLLY TARAH (B), by FC/AFC Wimberley Jim Dandy x FC Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o Norm Boetcher, h Kevin Stonehouse
- 4 POPEYE LA BELLE (D), by FC/AFC Shamrock's Sirius x Lucille LaBelle; o George Kucsma, b Wade Haines

Amateur Walking Shooting Dog

The 2012 Michigan Brittany Championship began a new chapter by separating the Shooting Dog Championship into two different events. We added an Open Horseback handled Shooting Dog Championship, and changed the Open Walking Shooting Dog Championship into an Amateur Walking Shooting Dog Championship, creating two separate opportunities for Shooting Dog contestants to show their dogs. The Association decided



Susie McPhearson, Jill Schaefer, Roger McPherson w/ Sumac's Sky King, Judge: Paul Renius, Chuck Schaefer with Jazz's Sweetest Little Secret, Ron Auten, Fran Gorman, Bill Gorman with Cisco's Rocky, Judge: Jon Peck, Chris Sennot with Hi Steppin Suzie Q, Chuck Langstaff & GerilyIn Sennott

that the "walking" event was an important tradition which they wanted to uphold and continue. We appreciate the support we received from our participants and hoped they enjoyed the event.

We were pleased to have two very capable, experienced and positive individuals in the judicial saddle. Our returning judge from 2011 Jon Peck from Battle Creek, MI, and Paul Renius from Metamora, MI. Jon runs and breeds Vizslas. He has been around dogs and hunted all his life. He was introduced to Vizslas at 15 years of age and purchased his first Vizsla right after graduation from law school. Jon trains and handles his own dogs. His most successful dog is Cisco who has many notable accomplishments. Paul was introduced to this sport in 1989 by his GM co-worker Wayne Warners, and has been active in running and judging ever since. His first dog Freckles was a winner in this event in 1995. Paul is also an avid grouse hunter. Paul is also an avid grouse hunter.

An event cannot run smoothly without its workers. We appreciate Ron Auten and Chuck Langstaff for their efforts in running this stake, along with horses and transportation from our wrangler Will Langley.

The following is a short writeup from our judge Paul Renius. We appreciate his comments.

The ABC Amateur Walking Shooting Dog Classic began Monday, April 2, under clear skies and cool temperatures. There were 15 starters in this stake. Rocky (Cisco's Rocky, handled by Bill Gorman) did a very nice job in the very first brace with five finds and excellent bird work. After a very short discussion, the judges determined a Championship would be awarded to the winning

dog this year. The bar had been set. The second brace was exciting to watch. Beckham (Hap's Spice Rum Beckham handled by Hap Harrison) made a beautiful opening move. After some questionable bird work, Hap elected to pick Beckham up at 40 minutes. Teddy (Derailed, handled by Cindy Cropek) was also doing a nice job until a bird in the middle of the path at a cut in the tree line took him out. In the fourth brace Suzie (Hy Steppin Suzie Q, handled by Chris Sennot), handled her bird with class. She was very animated and consistent in her ground application. Her brace mate, "T" (FlashFire's Bang-A-Gong, handled by Jane Bjork) had a nice opening move, swapped ends and pointed on the next ridge. He looked great until he succumbed to temptation. Brace number five left everyone sitting tall in the saddle and raised the bar still higher. Sky (Sumac's Sky King, handled by Dr. Roger McPherson) was running big and to the front. He had three nice finds and honored his bracemate Duke (Greentowns Duke of Hampshire, handled by Arthur Hembrough) with exceptional class and without verbal command. He never faltered. Maggie (Hy Steppin Maggie, handled by Chris Sennot) ran in the fifth brace with Bear (Eibear of Auten, handled by Ronnie Telfare). She demonstrated why she's done so much winning throughout her career with her bird work, but the pace of the run at the peak of the day's heat took its toll. In the last Brace Karo (Jazz's Sweetest Little Secret) ran alone, handled by Chuck Schaefer. She did a tremendous job. Her second limb find (from the phrase "out on a limb") was over a covey. It was a fun day to be in the saddle watching nice dogs do what they were bred for. The Britts did themselves proud. Paul Renius

Amateur Walking Shooting Dog Championship Amateur Walking Gun Dog 1hr (15S) J: Jonathon Peck & Paul Renius

- 1 -FC/AFC Suemac's Sky King (D) by FC/AFC Coos Rylee x Suemac's Blazen Bibi; o Dr. Roger McPherson & Ray Gorman, h Dr. Roger McPherson
- 2 -NAGDC/FC/AFC JAZZ'S SWEETEST LITTLE SECRET (B), by FC/AFC T-Bone x FC/AFC Wrigley's First Dance; o Jane & Gil Hopper & Charles & Mary Jill Schaefer, h Charles Schaefer
- 3 -FC/AFC CISCO'S ROCKY (D), by FC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC/AFC Bebop Finegan's Holiday; o France M. Gorman, h Bill Gorman
- 4 -HY STEPPIN SUZEE "Q" (B), by DC/AFC Sweetwater Billy Tucker x FC/AFC Hy Steppin Maggie; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott

Open Shooting Dog Championship

The Open Shooting Dog Championship began Wednesday morning with Al VanWieren from Indiana and Kathy Gulembo from Michigan judging. It was the first year that Michigan Brittany Championship hosted a horseback Open Shooting Dog. The former walking Open Shooting Dog stake was changed to an Amateur. Al judged the all age championship last year and we were pleased he was available to judge the inaugural running of this horseback handled stake. We were also pleased to have Kathy Gulembo in the judge's seat. Kathy has been in field trialing for over 35 years. She and her husband Ron have produced at least four Dual champions and she has judged many hour stakes, regional trials and shows. Although there were twenty-five quality

contenders, the stake was punctuated with an unusual number of lost dogs and pickups. The championship was awarded to Whiz, Rocklan's Whizzle Stop, handled by professional handler Bob Burchett in the eighth brace. Whiz had a fast forward race with good range and pattern. He handled well and showed at the right spots hunting hard on the lines. Although he only had one find on the back side of the swamp, it was handled with superb style.

Maizey, ANJ's Amazing Grace, from the seventh brace, also handled by Bob earned the Runner Up title. With a good forward race covering not only the edges but also the fields, Maizey had a covey find in the orchard. She stopped and then reestablished point before the handler arrived. In the process one bird of the covey flushed before the handler was able to flush the remainder. Swinging back by the bottom of the hill along the lake, Maizey had a second find with perfect manners.

Lisa Pollack's Trace, Diamond Hill Dangerous Man, hunted nonstop in the fourth brace, but with shorter range than the winner and runner up to capture third place. His first of four finds were on the derby course where not many finds were produced, although that portion of the course was well planted. His remaining three finds in the orchard were handled with great style including the third which was a turkey, surprising both dog and handler.

Fourth place, again handled by Bob Burchett, was Carson, Touch of Bourbon Little Chug. Running in the fifth brace, his range was close to that of the third place dog, but his pattern was somewhat immature. He had one find on the Gun Dog course in the corner by the big hill just before the chute along the woods. His bird work was handled with style and manners.

Open Shooting Dog Championship Open Gun Dog 1hr (25S) J: Kathy Gulembo & Al VanWieren

- ROCKLAN'S WHIZZLE STOP (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x FC Sniksoh Corky; o John & Margilee Sauer, h Bob Burchett
- 2 ANJ'S AMAZING GRACE (B), by DC/AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin His Marc x CH Over Under Nevenes Showtime; o Mike & Stacy Poehler, h Bob Burchett
- 3 DC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN (D), by 2xNFC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Sunshines Shadow Shining; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 4 TOUCH OF BOURBON LITTLE CHUG (D), by DC/AFC Ru Jem's A Touch of Bourbon x FC Lost Creek Kate; o Tom Wonderling, h Bob Burchett

All Age Championship

The Open All Age championship began on Monday and the grounds were already green with vegetation due to the warm spring. Day one dawned cool but windy, and seven braces were run which turned out to be a good thing, since on day two we awoke to thunder and lightning which



Second find with perfect manners. Judge Tony Giovanale, Donna Janulis with Odyssey's Ace of Hearts, Wade Haines, Kent Merryman with Use Pollack's Trace, Diamond Hill Dangerous Windy Hill's Whirlwind, Sherri Merryman, Chad Holman w/ Trademark's Ice Man & Judge Jim Yates.

delayed the running until noon. In anticipation of a 10 am start, we broke out the cookies, then, with an eye on 11 am, we followed with pie, eventually serving lunch before any dogs were unleashed. The course was planted twice with quail, since we were sure that they had likely drowned by the time the weather cleared.

This year's winner was Odyssey's Ace of Hearts - Ace, handled by Chad Holman in the eighth brace. Breaking away from the club house, Ace made a huge opening cast with his first of five finds in the corner by the apple tree near the day parking lot. His second find was at the end of the tree line in Hires Field. Continuing to hug the edges with a true all age race, Ace's third find was down the hill by the Boy Scout Bridge. His fourth find was on the first line on the Derby Course. After his fifth find in the orchard, Ace showed a great finish to the front. The judges later shared that this was a true stand out performance with no holes.

Runner up was garnered by Black Creek Deacon "D" - who ran in the first brace. Starting at the club house, D went left at the top of the stone wall and was next found standing stylishly at the end of Hires Field. His second find was near the day parking lot with everything in order. Coming from the thick area to the west of the Boy Scout Bridge, D backed his brace mate, Whiz. Since Chad was ahead, Kent Merryman handled D when Whiz was relocated. His third and fourth finds were on the two tree lines on the derby course. Continuing forward he was next sighted on the levee on the road by the woods. At time he was found by the chute. Although not as wide a race as the winner and a slight hole in the middle coming from behind, his performance was right on the heels of the winner.

Tazz, Windy Hill Whirlwind, third place winner was braced with Champion Ace. With great first half race, Tazz's first find was also at the tree line in Hires Field. Continuing to the front his second bird was pointed in the corner by the day parking lot. Handler Kent Merryman whoaed Tazz to a back on Ace's third bird by the Boy Scout Bridge. Tazz was lost to left in the swamp by the gun dog parking lot and eventually finished lateral instead of to the front which paled in comparison to his bracemate.

Handled in the sixth brace by Chad Holman, Timmy, Trademark's Ice Man was awarded fourth place for his efforts. He started slow from the club house but gained momentum in the second half of the hour after the Boy Scout Bridge. Both of his finds were in the second half of the hour with one on the Derby course and the second in the Orchard, almost to the chute.

Other dogs the judges made special mention of their performances during the announcement of placements were Sway, TM's Tennessee Twister handled by Lisa Pollack, Ray and Mary Jo Trimble's Ryder, Trucker's Wild Ride and Stubb, Briscoe's Mr. Stubb, and Jerry McGee's Chug, Ru Jem's a Touch of Bourbon, handled by Tommy Thomas while Jerry recovers from neck surgery.

All Age Championship Open All Age 1hr (24S) J: Jim Yates & Tony Giovinale

- 1 -ODYSSEY'S ACE OF HEARTS (D), by NFC/DC/ AFC Gambler's Ace in the Hole x DC Bet'N She'll Fly; o Ed & Donna Janulis, h Chad Holman
- 2 -BLACK CREEK DEACON (D), by FC Perfect Timing x Rebel Jac's Hankerin Jill; o Ron Harling, Jr., h Chad Holman
- 3-WINDY HILL WHIRLWIND (D), by FC Perfect Timing x Dexter's Dottie; o/h Kent Merryman
- 4 -TRADEMARK'S ICEMAN (D), by FC/AFC Rimarda's Trademark x FC Lane's End Bow-tie Annie; o Ed & Donna Janulis, h Chad Holman



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DUAL CHAMPION - BRED BY EXHIBITOR

- DC SHADOW'S TEQUILA TRYST (B) by NFC FC AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x DC AFC Jayhawker's Tequila With A Twist, o Jessica Carlson, b Jessica Carlson
- DC TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUT' ON ICE (D) by GCH CH Triumphant's Absolute' JH x Triumphant Aladdin's Love, o Linda R McCartney-Roy & Kristyn McCartney, b Robert E Hamel Jr. & Linda R McCartney-Roy

DUAL CHAMPION

- DC AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW (D) by Hula's Bulletproof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II, o Richard Beaver, b Rodd Richardson
- DC HAVAPAL'S REV ME UP REPEAT CD BN RE SH OA NAJ (D) by FC AFC Rj's Microtuck x Havapal's Renegade Mon Amie, o Mrs. Julie A Asmus, b Robert Kossel

CHAMPION

- CH BEAUPRE'S LEXINGTON JOY RIDE (B) by Havapal's Renegade Bon Henri x Brandy Nicole III JH, o Jeff Jarmuskiewicz, b Doug Beaupre & Sue Beaupre
- CH HIDDENCREEK'S LION OF JUDAH (D) by CH Mischiefloki Hiddencreek Gamin x Hiddencreek's Dawn Of Grace, o Barbara Brownridge & Anne Phillips, b Barbara Brownridge
- CH POWDER RIVER'S 4U2NV (B) by GCH CH Gourley's Dfl 99 Carat Diamond x CH Decan's Bombshell Of Breton, o George Stern, b Cheryl Krajcar
- CH RODEO'S RIDE 'EM COWGIRL (B) by CH Castle One In A Millennium JH x CH Rodeo's Ticket To Ride, o Karen Kendall & Sara Taylor, b Karen Kendall & Sara Taylor
- CH WHY NOT ONE MORE (D) by CH Why Not Sanbar Eve Of Madness x Why Not It's My Party, o Dianne Kroll, b Dianne Kroll

GRAND CHAMPION

GCH CH BBB'S FLASHLIGHT (B) by FC AFC Chubasco II x Spotlight II, o Dave Walker, b Dave Walker

FIELD CHAMPION – BRED BY EXHIBITOR

- FC HVK'S HIGH FLYING KYTE (B) by DC AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee-Do-Dah, o Daniel Doiron, b Paul R Doiron & Peggy J Doiron
- DC SHADOW'S TEQUILA TRYST (B) by NFC FC AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x DC AFC Jayhawker's Tequila With A Twist, o Jessica Carlson, b Jessica Carlson
- DC TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUT' ON ICE (D) by GCH CH Triumphant's Absolute' JH x Triumphant Aladdin's Love, o Linda R McCartney-Roy & Kristyn McCartney, b Robert E Hamel Jr. & Linda R McCartney-Roy

FIELD CHAMPION

- FC AFC ANJ'S AMAZING GRACE (B) by DC AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin' His Marc x CH Over Under Nevenes Showtime JH, o Alexa Poehler & Michael Poehler, b Eileen C Gust & Carlos Gust & Lexis Lawhorne
- DC AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW (D) by Hula's Bulletproof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II, o Richar Beaver, b Rodd Richardson
- FC BLAZING SCIP O'MOONSHINE (B) by NGDC FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x Timberline Scip-O'Dee-Do-Dah, o Linda McDonald, b Paul R Doiron & Peggy J Doiron
- DC HAVAPAL'S REV ME UP REPEAT CD BN RE SH OA NAJ (D) by FC AFC Rj's Microtuck x Havapal's Renegade Mon Amie, o Mrs. Julie A Asmus, b Robert Kossel
- FC P AND J'S RIM ROCK (D) by NGDC FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet, o Jim Hammett & Pattie Hammett, b Roger Borine & Debra Borine
- FC SHADY'S DESERT KNIGHT (D) by FC AFC Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose IV, o Rick Conner, b Norman C Ahl & Terry Ahl
- NAFC FC AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (D) by NGDC FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC AFC Stevix Bulletproof Jill, o Mr. Joe Gower, b Steve Cosgrave

AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION

- CH AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW (D) by Hula's Bulletproof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II, o Richard Beaver, o Rodd Richardson
- AFC HIT'S A ROCKY ROAD (D) by NGDC FC AFC Bucks Hit The Road Jack x Marjo's Hightest Bella JH, o Ralph Kiracofe & Judy Kiracofe, b Scott Dealaman & Marietta Dealaman
- FC AFC JAY HAWK'S OCTOBER SKYE (B) by FC Roustabout's Kid Parker x FC Jay Hawk's Georgia Girl, o Susan Januschka, b Paul Rosevear
- FC AFC MR P'S D EVIL DOG OF COOS JH (D) by FC AFC Sylvias Big Birthday Bash x Pixie X JH, o John D Poland & Rita M Poland, b Raymond Gorman
- FC AFC SUEMAC'S LIBERTY BELLE (B) by FC Suemac's Bodacious Pride x Suemac's Carolina Belle, o Roger McPherson & Sue G McPherson, b Roger McPherson & Sue G McPherson

COMPANION DOG

CH DIAMOND CREEK'S WHOA NELLIE CD RN (B) by CH N. Penn's Electric Magic CD RN JH NA NAJ CH Triumphant's Too Hot To Touch CD RN JH, o Amy Budke & David Budke, b Amy & David Budke

COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT

GOURLEY'S CANYON WILDFIRE CDX RN (D) by CH Castle One In A Millennium JH x CH Peachcreeks Burning Desire SH, o Nancy Cheche, b Christine Gourley

BEGINNER NOVICE

CAPRIOLE DES GRANDS LACS BN RN SH NA AXJ (B) by Arius De Saint Lubin x Patouche Victoria JH, o Denine Ackerbauer, b Stephen Hughes & Sherry Hughes

- MACH CASABERGEN'S VICTOR GENTRY BN RA MXF (D) o Sharon Miller & Larry Miller
- SHADY BROOK'S RIKKI TIKKI TAVI BN RN (D) by CH Shady Brook's Last Hurrah JH x CH Shady Brook's Blast From The Past JH, o Dona Campbell, b Joan Bevers
- CH SWIFT RIVER'S BELIEVE I CAN BN RN NA NAJ NJP NF NFP (B) by CH Jordean Believe It Or Not x CH Swift River's Solo Attraction BN RE JH AX AXJ OAP OJP NF, o Patricia John, b Frances N Phillips & Patricia John

RALLY NOVICE

CH RAO NOTHIN BUT BLUE SKIES CDX RN (D) by CH Jordean Up And At 'Em x CH Jordean Dream A Little Dream JH, o Teresa S Armstrong, b Becky Rao & Andrea Jordan Lane

RALLY ADVANCED

MACH CASABERGEN'S VICTOR GENTRY BN RA MXF (D) o Sharon Miller & Larry Miller

RALLY EXCELLENT

BRITTWOODS CADILLAC FLEETWOOD RE (D) by Hybrittin's Just Push Play x Brittwoods Sweet Madness, o Mary P Moscati, b Luann Fullwood

TRACKING DOG

DC HAVAPAL'S REV ME UP REPEAT VCD1 BN RE SH OA (D) by FC AFC Rj's Microtuck x Havapal's Renegade Mon Amie, o Mrs. Julie A Asmus, b Robert Kossel

JUNIOR HUNTER

- BEAUPRE'S KRIVER'S BELLE JH (B) by K Rivers Runs Like A Diesel x K River's Beans Blaze Kandy Korn JH, o Susan Marie Beaupre, b Mr. Alan W Ott
- BEAUPRE'S KRIVER'S TINKER JH (B) by K Rivers Runs Like A Diesel x K River's Beans Blaze Kandy Korn JH, o Douglas Edward Beaupre, b Mr. Alan W Ott
- CASTAWAY WILSON JH (D) by NFC NAFC FC AFC Just Call Me Roy x Shadows Freckled Sue, o Timothy Huglen, b J Eric Lowman
- COPPER'S 12 GAGE JH (D) by Copper The Bangor Bullet x Lady Of The Land, o Mr. Roy Dale Stockton, b Jocelyn Monique Jahnsen
- DB'S LORD TYPHON JH (D) by Ginger's Ty Can Fly x Db's Chief's Lady Gizmo SH, o Dale Hartner & Marian Hartner, b Dale Hartner & Marian Hartner
- CH DIAMOND CREEK'S WHOA NELLIE CD RN JH (B) by CH N. Penn's Electric Magic CD RN JH NA NAJ x CH Triumphant's Too Hot To Touch CD RN JH, o Amy Budke & David Budke, b Amy & David Budke
- FARLEY DE LA SAVANE ROUGE JH (D) by Big Boss Du Buisson De Choisel x Veres Du Buisson De Choisel, o Randy Meester & Mrs. Vicki M Meester, b R L Dalrymple
- GERSTDALE'S LAID-BACK JAKE JH (D) by CH Mich Mt The Suspense Is Over x CH Gerstdale's Money To Burn JH, o Donald Pfister Jr. & Annette Pfister, b Debbie Inferrera
- GIFFORD HITES MISSISSIPPI JH (D) by Bordet Hites Mississippi x Diva Hites Mississippi, o Randy Meester b Mr. Jeff E Hites
- CH GINJAC ILLUSION OF BROOKEWOOD JH (D) by GCH DC NAGDC AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Brookewood's Just An Illusion, o Gina & Jeffrey Currier, b Cynthia A Miller & Howard Huber III
- J & A'S SUPERIOR BRANDI JH (B) by CH Gibson JH x J & A's Dreams Come True of Acton, o James Turner & Lori Turner, b John Short Sr. & Ann H Short
- JASMINES BELLADONNA JH (B) by J&A's Apple Jack Of Acton JH x Belknap's Reason To Believe, o James Rollins & Lisa Rollins, b Thomas S Zuk & Kimberly D Zuk & Cynthia Zuk
- JD'S LACEY JANE JH (B) by Prince George Of Cedar Creek x Gregg's Sweet Sadie JH, o Josh Gregg, b Bruce Gregg
- JW'S LITTLE DANCING BREE JH (B) by FC AFC Kb's Shadow-Dancer x Trasa's Little Ann SH, o Trasa Shinpoch. b Trasa Noves
- KAIAH JH (B) by FC AFC Coos Rylee x FC AFC Suemac's Liberty Belle, o Brian Fradette, b Roger McPherson & Sue G Mcpherson
- CH MT VIEW'S CARLA'S LADY LOLA JH (B) by CH Mt View's Put'N On The Ritz MH x CH MT View's Touch By An Angel CD MH, o Nicholas Albano, b Mary Ann Breininger & Patricia A Ortelli
- FC AFC ROVANS ROCK RIDGE RT ASCEND JH (B) by FC AFC Rovans Dust Devil Dan Clark x Hits Rovan Twister, o Philip Bogdanovitch & Sarah Bogdanovitch, b Ronnie L Clark & B Ivan Clark Jr.
- CH SHADY BROOK'S LORD OF THE RING JH (D) by CH Swift River's Lord Benjamin JH x CH Shady Brook's Pride And Joy JH, o Joan Bevers & Paul Gardner, b Burl B Bevers & Joan Bevers
- SPIRITHILL'S LLD'S DELIGHT JH (D) by Duke Remington Hillside JH x Spirithill's Chance Taker JH, o Laura Davidson & Edith Davidson, b Edith Davidson & Russell A Davidson
- SPIRITHILL'S MYSTIC JEWEL JH (B) by NAFC FC AFC Maxwell's White Spirit x Spirithill's Mystic Magic JH, o Russell A Davidson & Edith Davidson, b Russell A Davidson & Edith Davidson
- SPIRITHILL'S MYSTIC WARRIOR JH (D) by NAFC FC AFC Maxwell's White Spirit x Spirithill's Mystic Magic JH, o Russell A Davidson & Edith Davidson, b Russell A Davidson & Edith Davidson
- SWEET SOPHIE'S CHOICE JH (B) by FC Ridge Runner Rocky x Randy's Spice Girl SH, o Randy Chamness & Ruth Chamness, b Randy Chamness & Ruth Chamness
- CH SWIFT RIVER'S NO MAN IS AN ISLAND JH (D) by CH Southgate Endor Mystic Shaman x Swift River's Flexible Flyer, o David W & Frances N Phillips, b David W & Frances N Phillips, Nancy Morabito, Karen Putnam
- CH TONÁN-GREYROCK DEFYING GRAVITY JH (D) by CH Southgate-Hope's Starry Night x CH Top Shelf's Katy Bar The Door, o Stephen Ryan & Andrea Ryan, b Nancy Morabito & Ken & Judy Grohbrugge
- GCH CH TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUTE EVEL JH (B) by GCH CH Triumphant's Absolute' JH x CH Chloe Jmat Butler's Find JH, o Mrs. Peggy Aguiar, b Linda R McCartney-Roy

WIL NORS PHILSON JH (D) by Wil Nors Dakota x Bardstown's Missouri Belle, o Bill Kunz, b David M Zevan & Rhonda Zevan

WILD MTN THUNDERBOLT JH (B) by CH AFC Requets Above And Beyond RN JH x Wild Mtn's Thunderstruck, o James A Degler, b Kristi Anglen & Carl Anglen & Helen Riggle & Brian D Riggle

WILD MTN'S MIDNIGHT RENDEZVOUS JH (B) by CH Triumphant's The Heat Is On JH x DC Wild Mtn's Lone Star Rendezvous, o Ms. Marcy A Beveridge, b Helen Riggle

WILMA BEAN JH (B) by Smoke's Powerstroke x Shadows Freckled Sue, o Timothy Huglen, b J Eric I owman

WOLRAM'S TURQUOISE RIDGE JOULE JH (B) by Wolram's Chukartown Ike x CH Wolram's Wish Upon A Star JH, o Suzanne A Marlow , b Suzanne A Marlow

WOLRAM'S WHAT WAS I THINKING JH (D) by CH Wolram's Riverboat Gambler JH x Wolram's Turquoise Ridge Joule JH. o Suzanne A Marlow, b Suzanne A Marlow

SENIOR HUNTER

JACKAMO SH (D) by FC Kid's Kid Lone River Moose x FC Sniksoh Sally, o Scott Wallar, b Philip Corlew & Louise Corlew

- MARSPORT BENLYDIA'S HURRICANE JESSIE SH (B) by CH Cimmaron's Set 'Em Up Joe CDX x CH Marsport Mustang Marki, o Benjamin Edinger & Lydia Edinger, b John Marsman & Christine Ward-Weher
- MARSPORT CAVALIER KASEY SH (D) by CH Cimmaron's Set 'Em Up Joe CDX x CH Marsport Mustang
- Marki, o Mr. Rick Stanfield, b John Marsman & Christine Ward-Weber NORTH PENN'S MR. ROBERTS SH (D) by CH Mt View's Shooting Star MH x CH Mt View At The Top MH, o Robert F Williams, b Robert F Williams
- PUTTIN THE HAMMER DOWN SH (D) by Eldred's Trigger x Sissys Something Special SH, o
- William Eppard & Cindy Eppard, b William Eppard & Cindy Eppard GCH CH RJ'S LADY GABRIELLE'S TRIPLE DELIGHT SH (D) by GCH CH Rj's Dickson Double Delight MH x CH RJ's Kiss Me Kate JH, o Robert & Barbara Christensen, b Joyce G & Robert Wire & Bob & Bobbie Christensen
- TIL'S SOUTHERN BELL SH (B) by NAGDC NGDC FC AFC Peter Gunn x Gambler's Blazin Chick, o Mr. Til Sandre, b Drew Carter & Jim Carter D.V.M.

MASTER HUNTER

BRETONS CRISSCROSS JOCKO MH (D) by FC AFC A Texas Crisscross x Bretons Mon Petit Sourire, o Louis Schmitz, b Gordon Theilen & Carolyn Theilen

MT VIEW'S PERFECT STORM MH (D) by CH Mt View's Shooting Star MH x CH Mt View's Lucky Number Seven MH, o Domenic & Dianne Serago, b Michelle Serago & Mary Ann Breininger & Patricia A Ortelli

NOVICE AGILITY

COOPER NA (D) o Amanda Mcgavin

- FAROUT FIELDS NONUKKI NUBI NA (D) by Farout Fields Zeus's Prophecy JH x Farout Fields Wiggy Bridget, o Craig John & Melissa John, b Jacqueline C Arnold & Rodger Rowles
- JASON'S LITTLE WHISKEY GIRL NA (B) by Earl's Speckled Sam x Earl's Britalu, o Mr. Jason J Crighton, b James Earl
- PETER PAN'S HAPPY THOUGHT NA NAJ NF (D) by Son Of A Gun Sage x Stonesriver Lily Of The Valley, o David Collins, b Charles Edward Fulton
- WILD WEST GAMBLE NA (D) by DC Jordean Tough Stuff MH x Lobo's Just In Time, o Sharon Kalionzes & William Kalonzes, b James Elgan & Diana Elgan

OPEN AGILITY

- BRITT SAMANTHA PAIGE MEANT TO BE CD OA NAJ (B) by Vick's Dandy Dukes Last Will x Prairie Belle Britt, o Mary Weiss, b Steven Martin & Hannah Martin
- FAROUT FIELDS XTREME RANGER CDX RE JH OA OAJ (D) by CH Fly'n-Hi's Iron Will CDX JH NA x Farout Fields Wiggy Bridget, o Edward A Keller, b Jacqueline C Arnold & Rodger Rowles
- CH RJ'S SYMPLY DIVINE RN JH OA 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
- RUSTINS TREASURE OF THE SIERRAS OA OAJ XF (B) by Cimmaron's Nightkap UDX OA AXJ x MACH3 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH XF, o Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling, b Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

AGILITY EXCELLENT

NELLIE AX AXJ (B) o Art Weisser & Colette Weisser

MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT

MARJO'S DEMON IN THE RUFF MX MXJ MXF (B) by FC AFC Marjo's Red Rum x Elyssa's Allie Baba, o Janice E Barkby, b Marsha Luisi

MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED 6

WINCHESTER MXP6 MJP6 PAX OFP (D) by CH Loki's Dance The Night Away x CH Willowick Atlantis Katie, o Lori Hugh & Jeffrey Hugh, b Catherine Fitzgerald

NOVICE AGILITY JUMPER

- CH GOLDSTAR'S HOT ATTRACTION NAJ (D) by GCH DC NAGDC AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Swift River's Believe I Can BN RN NA NAJ NJP NF NFP, o Mary & Zachary Walker, b Patricia John
- PETER PAN'S HAPPY THOUGHT NAJ NF (D) by Son Of A Gun Sage x Stonesriver Lily Of The Valley, o David Collins, b Charles Edward Fulton

OPEN AGILITY JUMPER

FAROUT FIELDS XTREME RANGER CDX RE JH OA OAJ (D) by CH Fly'n-Hi's Iron Will CDX JH NA x Farout Fields Wiggy Bridget, o Edward A Keller, b Jacqueline C Arnold & Rodger Rowles

OPEN AGILITY JUMPER

RUSTINS TREASURE OF THE SIERRAS NA OAJ XF (B) by Cimmaron's Nightkap UDX OA AXJ x MACH3 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH XF, o Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling, b Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER

GENERAL SAM THE SHAM HOUSTON RN AX AXJ NF (D) by Colonel Rocky x Chloe's Dreamin' Of Texas CDX, o Janice Crain, b Terry S Cocking

EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER PREFERRED

MACH2 CHILCOTE'S COMING UP ROSES CDX AJP XF (B) by CH Sigbrit's Compagnon CD MH x CH MACH5 Chilcote Kaze-Kaoru CDX JH AXP MJP2 MXF, o Maria T Sparkman & Charles L Sparkman, b Victoria Howell & Robert J Howell

MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER PREFERRED 6

WINCHESTER MXP5 MJP6 PAX OFP (D) by CH Loki's Dance The Night Away x CH Willowick Atlantis Katie, o Lori Hugh & Jeffrey Hugh, b Catherine Fitzgerald

MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER PREFERRED 10

PACH VANILLA HOT FUDGE DELIGHT MX MXJ MXP9 MJP10 PAX3 MXF (D) by Londeree's Chipper x Miss Seabucks Hot Fudge, o Kathy McNeal, b Elmo Londeree Jr.

AGILITY FAST NOVICE

PETER PAN'S HAPPY THOUGHT NAJ NF (D) by Son Of A Gun Sage x Stonesriver Lily Of The Valley, o David Collins, b Charles Edward Fulton

AGILITY FAST FYCELLENT

CH CIMMARON MADE YOU LOOK JACK MX MXJ XF (D) by CH Cimmaron Caughtcha Look'N CDX RAE x CH Cimmaron's Taylor Made CD MX MXJ MXF, o Carol Baron, b Christine Ward-Weber

MASTER AGILITY CHAMPION

CH MACH RUSTINS JEWELER'S APPRENTICE XF (B) by Cimmaron's Nightkap UDX OA AXJ x MACH3 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH XF, o Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling, b Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

MASTER AGILITY CHAMPION 3

CH MACH3 KEILI'S BLAZING STAR CDX RA JH XF (B) by DC AFC Highlanders Autumn Blaze x CH MACH Brookewood's Shooting Star UD RA JH, o E Susan Drazek, b E Susan Drazek

COURSING ABILITY

FAIRCHILD PUZZLE SADIE RN CA (B) by Dexter Bo Maverick Archer x Saddie B Kayla Archer, o Tammy Lynn Lorch, b Jennifer Archei

GROUP PLACEMENTS AND BEST IN SHOW

GCH CH BRITT'S RAMBLIN' THE PERFECT CUT (B), J Larson/K Schoppa

- 1 Best in Show Kern County Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. K W Clemons
- 4 Burbank Kennel Club, Mrs. J McGinnis
- 3 Lake Mathews Kennel Club, Inc., Mrs. S Dillin
- GCH CH CARROLLTON'S COUNT LANCELOT (D). L Martin/W Wijava/G Hartman
- 4 Lebanon County Kennel Club, Dr. K Anselm 3 Catoctin Kennel Club, M Faulkner

- 4 Wilmington Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. J E Noe
 GCH CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW TAP DANCER (D), C Callender/D Callender/G Clements
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- 3 Maury County Kennel Club of Tennessee, Mrs. A S Bolus
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- Birmingham Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. R R Hartinger
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- Best in Show Birmingham Kennel Club, Inc., Col. J B Purkhiser
- 3 Shreveport Kennel Club, Inc., D P Cline
- 2 Shreveport Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. R G Beauchamp
- 2 D'Arbonne Kennel Club, Mrs. G Geringer GCH CH GOURLEY'S DFL 99 CARAT DIAMOND (D), G Stern/C Gourley 4 - Kachina Kennel Club, Mr. K A Buxton
- 4 Angeles Canyon Dog Club, Mr. H Clark KIANA BIRTHDAY SURPRISE (D), L Hirashima

- Windward Hawaiian Dog Fanciers Association, Col. J B Purkhiser GCH CH MAGIC STORM OF THE CENTURY (D), D Tighe/N Otterson/B Hultgren
- 3 Western Pennsylvania Kennel Association, Inc., Ms. J S Brewster
- GCH CH MELRIDGE STIR N IT UP (D), D Bingham/F Bingham

North Arkansas Kennel Club, JE Gregory
 GCH CH MICH'S MT READY AIM FIRE (D), T Rickard/L Rickard/K Rickard/J Davies

- 2 Yosemite Kennel Club, A D Hussin
- Best in Show Yosemite Kennel Club, Mr. J R Cole 2
- Burbank Kennel Club, Dr. S Keating 2 - Walla Walla Kennel Club, Mrs. L K Davis
- 1 Walla Walla Kennel Club, Mr. L K Davis GCH CH MILLETTE'S SWEET MEMORIES NAP NJP (B), W Archinal
- 4 Rhode Island Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. N B Kenney GCH CH SHELTTANY'S AGAINST ALL ODDS (D), R Tomasi/H Glick/E Ewart
- 4 Palouse Hills Dog Fanciers, Inc., Mr. C E Trotter GCH CH STAR FLIGHT JUMPIN JACK FLASH RN OA OAJ (D), J Ceres
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- 3 Fond du Lac County Kennel Club, Mrs. D J Buxton GCH CH TRIO'S MR. ROCKTOBER (D), K Livingston/C Livingston

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4 - Grand Island Kennel Club, Mrs. R S Forsyth
4 - Grand Island Kennel Club, Mr. T Stacy

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Announcing the 2012 National Open Gun Dog Championship Judges



Gene Moseley, Jr.

I have been very active in the Gulf Coast German Shorthaired Club since the late '70s and have served as President, Vice President, Desnaking Chairman, On Point Editor & Board Member. In 2001, the Club awarded me an Honorary Life Member in recognition of outstanding contributions to the club. I am also a member of the German Shorthaired Pointer Club of America. I currently serve as South Central Board of Director for the GSPCA Parent Club. I have competed at AKC Field Trials, Regional NGSPA Field Trials and our National Championships for several years.

I have finished Fourteen (14) Field Champions / Amateur Field Champions. Five Field Champions and Five Amateur Field Champions are from our own breeding program 2001 & 2007 we had the Field Trial Producing Dam of the Year (FC/AFC Laski's Dandi Dixie Darling F-ROMXX) in the German Shorthaired Pointer Club of America. Dixie has produced Sixteen (16) FC/AFC Titles "with only two litters."

I have judged numerous AKC & American Field Trials including GSPCA Eastern Classic Gun Dog Championship (2001), German Shorthaired Pointer Club of America Gun Dog National Championship (2004, 2007), Weimaraner Club of America National Amateur Championship & Derby Classic (2004, 2009), Great Plains NGSPA Championship (2005), Canadian Kennel Club Pheasant Championship in Calgary, Canada (2006), NGSPA Quail Championship (2007, 2009, 2011), American Pointer Club of America Gun Dog National Championship (2007), German Wirehaired Pointer Club of America National Amateur Championship (2008), Irish Setter Club of America National Championship/Futurity (2008), AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championship (Non-Retrieving) (2009), Gordon Setter **Club of America National Championship** (2009), National German Shorthaired Pointer Association Shooting Dog National Championship (2010) and Vizsla Club of America National Field Championship (2010), NGSPA Region 7 Championship (2011).

I enjoy watching bird dogs from all pointing breeds and have a reputation of placing the best bird dog of the day no matter what color or breed. I look forward to sharing this time with you and your dogs and anticipate seeing some great dogs combined with great sportsmanship.



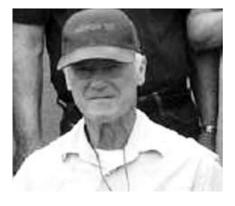
Jonathan Peck

Born and raised among the corn fields of Northern Illinois, I spent my formative years hunting pheasants with my father and the family German Shorthaired Pointers. After a break from bird dogs while attending college and then law school, I purchased my first Vizsla nearly ten years ago while living in Minnesota. I added a second Vizsla pup a year later and started field trialing, at the urging of a friend with whom I trained dogs, as a means of keeping my hunting dogs tuned up for the pheasant season. Although my first Vizsla was better suited for foot hunting, my second pup, Rio, was a natural field competitor and especially adept at a very young age. I shot pheasants over her in South Dakota before she was even six months old, and field trial success came early and often. She ultimately reached the #1 spot on the Vizsla Club of America's Puppy/Derby Top Ten in 2006. Needless to say, I was hooked. I added a third dog, a male named Cisco, shortly after Rio. He placed in the 2006 Midwest Vizsla Futurity, which had its largest entry in event history that year. I handled Cisco to six major gun dog wins at both horseback and walking trials, and against primarily all-breed competition, in route to finishing his AKC **Field Championship and Amateur Field** Championship titles in 2009. I added a onehour American Field Championship to Cisco's list of accomplishments last year, having won the 2011 Midwest Vizsla Shooting Dog Championship. I have a number of other dogs that have achieved success as young field trial competitors and are wonderful hunting companions, several of which I hope to see make the transition to gun dog in the very near future. My passion for bird dogs also extends to breeding. Dedicated to producing pups that are great companions in the home and field alike, I am proud of my small breeding program's success in such a short timeframe, having

produced several Top Ten Puppy/Derby dogs, including the #1 dog in 2008-09, and watching them transition into Gun Dog stakes.

Now living in Battle Creek, Michigan, where I moved to in 2007, I am active within my breed and the field trialing community. I serve as Vice President of the Vizsla Club of Michigan and Secretary for the Ionia Field Trial Grounds Association. I Chair and/or Secretary two AKC field trials each year, Co-Chair the Midwest Vizsla Shooting Dog Championship and serve on the Midwest Vizsla Futurity Committee. I have been judging field trials, both walking and horseback, AKC and American Field, since 2006 and I have judged the ABC's Michigan **Brittany Walking Shooting Dog** Championship for the past two years. I especially enjoy judging, not only because it allows me the chance to give back to the sport that has provided me with so much over the years, but also because it affords me the opportunity to watch great pointing dogs perform in the field.

I am honored to be asked to judge the ABC's National Gun Dog Championship this fall and look forward to doing so.



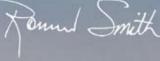
Jim Yates

My wife Kathleen and I have trialed for about 30 years. We started in German Wirehaired Pointers, then change to German Shorthaired Pointers. Over the years we have had several champions, including four National Championship winners.

I have judged numerous hour championships in several breeds, including the German Shorthair Nationals (6 times), National German Pointing Dog Championship (twice), and the Weirmaraner Nationals (twice). I'm honored to have been chosen again to judge your Brittany National Gun Dog Championship.

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National Open Gun Dog Championship

- OCTOBER 23, 2012 TO OCTOBER 27, 2012 -

Entry Fee: \$175.00

Judges: Gene Mosley, Hempstead, TX

Jim Yates—Pinckney, MI Jon Reporter: Helen Riggle

Jonathan Peck, Battle Creek, MI

National Amateur Gun Dog Championship - OCTOBER 28, 2012 TO CONCLUSION –

Entry Fee: \$175.00

Judges: Cynthia Findley, Ventura, IA

Dennis Sullivan, Grove, IL Reporter: Mike Poehler

Art Cohen—Glen Rock, PA

• Entries Close: Tuesday, October, 09, 7:00 P.M. (EST), Mail entries and checks to the Field Trial Secretary. Include telephone number and email address on your entry form so entries can be acknowledged. Contact the field trial secretary if your entries have not been acknowledged within a reasonable time after they were sent (before the drawing).

- Drawing: Thursday, October 11, at the American Kennel Club, P.O. Box 90051, Raleigh NC, 27675
- Running Order: will be available by Monday, October, 15 at 7:00 PM (EST) from the Field Trial Secretary.
- Wrangler: Contact Will Langley to reserve horses. (810) 724-3426 or (810) 338-8980 * E-Mail: will@bottomcreekfarm.com.
- Firearms: In both stakes, .32 caliber blanks or larger must be used and only manufactured solid barrel firearms, with blank shells or crimps, which prevent a projectile of any kind from leaving the barrel, permitted.
- Tracking/Garmin Collars: Permitted in accordance with AKC guidelines.
- Coggins Test: Verification required for all horses.
- Campsites & Stalls: Not available until MONDAY, October 22 after 12:00 pm with the exception of ABC Officers, Judges, FT Secretary, Stakes Managers and Hospitality Chair. Priority is given to the judges. Those not purchasing a State Park Sticker UPON ARRIVAL will be ticketed.

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For entries, qualifications and additional information:

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FC Traveler's New Twist - Carolyn and Jerry Cape

New Amateur Field Champions

CH AFC Loki's Blizzard of Mischief – L. McDonald, T. Avedissian & N. Schmeider CH AFC Remington's Rusty Ridge QTKT MH – Dale & Myra-Dawn Ellis

New American Field Champion

DC AFC AmFldCH Terra's Cabo Wabo - T. White & M. Horstmeyer

New Hunting Test Titled

TK's Good Golly Miss Molly JH - Carl & Dena Miller

Special Accomplishments

DC AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio – T. White & M. Horstmeyer ABC Chukar Championship - Runner Up 2009 American Brittany Club Dual Dog Award

FC AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale – Myra-Dawn Ellis Western Regional Shooting Dog Championship - 3rd place

DC AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition – T. White & M. Horstmeyer Best of Breed – Mount Bachelor KC

DC AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo – T. White & M. Horstmeyer ABC Chukar Championship - Winner

DC 2xAmFldCH Quail Rock Tough Enough – Ellen Weinfurtner Western Regional Shooting Dog Championship – Winner ABC Chukar Championship – 3rd place

Rocklan's Smart Alec Kid – C. Landerholm-Miller & R. Miller 1st Western Futurity All Age

CH Castle's Sleeping Beauty Zoei – Joe Ramondetta 13 Best of Breeds 49 Best of Opposite Sex 2 Group Placements

Show Dog



CH Castle's Sleeping Beauty Zoei Owner: Joe Ramondetta

Hunting Test Dog



Brigade's Oscar De La Britt Owners: Michael and Deborah Frane

Juvenile Field Dog



Finale's Flyin' Colors Owner: Myra-Dawn Ellis



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Special Accomplishments

DC AFC Emme's Cabo De Scipio - Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White Western Brittany Open All Age Championship - Winner Arizona Amateur All Age Championship - 4th

DC AFC AmFldCH Megasmoke Grand Finale - Myra-Dawn Ellis AKC Chukar Championship - Winner Western Regional Shooting Dog Championship - Runner Up Best of Breed - Bahia Sur Kennel Club of Chula Vista

DC AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition - Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White ABC Chukar Championship - Runner Up ABC OAA National Championship - 4th

FC Mikey's Spice Girl - Jerry & Carolyn Cape Western Regional Futurity - 1st place Gun Dog

DC AFC MTB Cabo Rita de Scipio - Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White Arizona Amateur All Age Championship - Runner Up Northwest Field Trial Council's All Age Dog of the year (all breed)

DC AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio - Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White Arizona Amateur All Age Championship - Winner ABC Chukar Championship - 4th ABC Amateur All Age National Championship - 3rd 2010 American Brittany Club Dual Dog Award

GCH CH Britt's Ramblin' Bourne Identity - Sue Richards, N. & J. Larson

#18 in AKC Brittany Breed totals
#13 in AKC Brittany All-Breed totals
20 Best of Breeds, 3 Best Opposite Sex,
8 Group Placements, including 3 Group 1's





DC AFC AmFldCH Megasmoke Grand Finale Owner: Myra-Dawn Ellis





Firestorm's Mega Chip of Smoke Owners: Kim & Mark Nunez





FC MB's Ruby Red Tequila Owners: Christine Landerholm-Miller & Bob Miller

Club Awards for 2010

New Dual & Show Champions

DC AFC MTB Cabo Rita de Scipio - Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White DC AFC AmFIdCH Megasmoke Grand Finale - Myra-Dawn Ellis

New Field Champions

FC MB's Make Mine a Double - Christine Landerholm-Miller & Bob Miller FC MB's Ruby Red Tequila - Christine Landerholm-Miller & Bob Miller FC Mikey's Spice Girl - Carolyn & Jerry Cape FC Paige VI - William Lim

New Amateur Field Champion

FC AFC Scipios Micro Twist - Ed & Linda Dixon

New American Field Champion

DC AFC AmFIdCH Megasmoke Grand Finale - Myra-Dawn Ellis

New Hunting Test Titled

Brigade's Oscar De La Britt SH - Michael & Deborah Frane CH Tru's Jump N For Joy SH - Michael & Deborah Frane

New Show Champions

CH Rocklan's Smart Alec Kid - Christine Landerholm-Miller & Bob Miller CH TK's Good Golly Miss Molly CD - Carl & Dena Miller CH Tru's Jump N For Joy SH - Michael & Deborah Frane

New Show Grand Champion

GCH CH Britt's Ramblin' Bourne Identity - Sue Richards, J. & N. Larson



DC AFC Emme's Cabo De Scipio Owners: Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White

Field Dog, All Age Dog & Amateur Handled Dog

Show Dog



GCH CH Britt's Ramblin' Bourne Identity Owner: Sue Richards

Hunting Test Dog



Brigade's Oscar De La Britt SH Owners: Michael & Deborah Frane





CH TK's Good Golly Miss Molly CD Owners: Dena & Carl Miller

Specialty Shows

HUDSON VALLEY Norwich, NY

Hudson Valley Brittany Club 28th & 29th Solo Specialty Shows, 4 May 2012.

We would like to express our sincere thanks to the members, exhibitors and helpers who participated in our shows. Having had some major health issues on more than this occasion, we were amazed how many of you, without hesitation, jumped in to ensure that we had another successful event. When you read the Objective and Purpose of the American Brittany Club, part of the meaning was well represented by all of you. "To promote cooperation and friendship among the breeders and owners of the Brittany".

It was a great turn out and nice to see all of our club members and exhibitors at our shows striving to show the judges the wonderful qualities of our breed. We were fortunate to have a four point major in bitches and three points in dogs. There was a lunch break between shows and a terrific raffle due to the generosity of our friends and club members.

The morning show started off with Sweepstakes, Judge Ms. Susan Griffiths. She did a terrific job with the young dogs selecting Junior Dog CH Triumphant's As Good As It Gets JH for Best in Sweeps and Junior Bitch, Omega's Em A Yankee Sweetheart for Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps. Then on to the seniors where Mrs. Griffiths selected CH Top Shelf's Simple Pleasures CDX/RN/SH/MX/MXJ/XF for Best in Veteran Sweeps and DC/AFC Flashfire's Bang-A-Gong for Best Opposite Sex in Veteran Sweeps.

On to the regular classes our judge Mr. Robert D. Ennis selected Pomogussett Boy Howdy for Winners Dog, finishing his Championship and Millette's Don't Stop Believin' as Reserve Winners Dog. Mr. Ennis went on to bitches to select Horizon's Graceous Light as Winners Bitch and Swift River's Sweet Deceit AX/AXJ as reserve winners bitch. Next, on to the Best of Breed competition, where Mr. Ennis had several outstanding dogs and bitches to choose from the specials class as well as the non regular classes. He selected GCH Southgate JJs Glorious Light for Best of Breed, Horizon's Graceous Light for Best of Winners and GCH Millette's Sweet Memories NAP/NJP as Best of Opposite Sex. Select Dog -CH Triumphant's As Good As It Gets JH, Select Bitch – CH Top Shelf's Simple Pleasures, CDX/RN/ SH/MX/MXJ/XF. Awards of Merit were earned by GCH Magic Storm of the Century, CH Triumphant's Centerfold JH. Then onto Best Puppy, Mr. Ennis selected R.J's Right on Cue.

The afternoon show started off with Sweepstakes. Judge Ms. Eileen Bailey's job was as tough to choose the winners as in the morning show selecting Junior Dog CH Triumphant's As Good As It Gets JH for Best in Sweeps and Junior Bitch Omega's Em A Yankee Sweetheart for Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps. Then on to the seniors where Ms. Bailey selected CH Top Shelf's Simple Pleasures CDX/RN/SH/MX/MXJ/XF for Best in Veteran Sweeps and DC/AFC Flashfire's Bang-A-Gong for Best Opposite Sex in Veteran Sweeps.

The regular classes were judged by Ms. Dyane M. Baldwin, who selected Shiloh Swift Rivers Victory for Winners Dog and Hill's Blazin' Travlin' Jacob as Reserve Winners Dog. Ms. Baldwin went on to bitches to select Horizon's Graceous Light Winners Bitch and Swift River's Good Victory Of Bretagne as reserve winners bitch. Next, the Best of Breed competition Ms. Baldwin had to once again choose from the several outstanding dogs and bitches, from in the specials class as well as the non regular classes. She selected GCH Millette's Sweet Memories for Best of Breed, Shiloh Swift Rivers Victory for Best of Winners and GCH Southgate JJs Glorious Light as Best of Opposite Sex. Select Dog went to DC/AFC Flashfire's Bang-A-Gong and Select Bitch went to CH Wild Mtns May Your Dreams Come True, Awards of Merit were earned by GCH Magic Storm Of The Century and CH Top Shelf's Simple Pleasures CDX/RN/SH/MX/MXJ/XF. Then on to

Best Puppy where Ms. Baldwin selected Shiloh Swift Rivers Victory as Best Puppy.

We want to THANK ALL OF YOU that participated not only with your numerous entries, but generous donations, hard work, and most of all your total support that made these specialties a huge success, since without all of you, there would not be a Hudson Valley Brittany Club! Tony & Nancy Morabito

A.M. SHOW

SWEEPSTAKES

Judge: Ms. Susan R. Griffiths

6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 SHILOH SWIFT RIVERS VICTORY; o Stephen & Andrea Ryan
- 2 MILLETTE'S MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE; o Bernard R. Lipinskas

9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - R.J.'S RIGHT ON CUE; o Larry & Terry Hilliard

12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 CH TRIUMPHANT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS JH; o Linda McCartney-Roy & Kristyn McCartney
- 2 HILL'S MID-NIGHT EXPRESS; o Paul E. & Dawn S. Hill
- 3 DIAMOND HILL STORM CAT; o Lisa & Paul Pollock

6-9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 HILLS-FLASHFIRES SPARKLIN' GEM; o Edie Davidson & Dawn Hill
- 2 SARADAC'S SMOKIN' BLANCA TATANKA SIGNAL; o Jane Bjork & Dorothy Boyztzi

12-18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 OMEGA'S EM A YANKEE SWEETHEART; o Donna Howe
- 2 DIAMOND HILL GONE WITH THE BREEZE; o Paul & Lisa Pollock

Best in Sweepstakes CH TRIUMPHANT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS JH

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes OMEGA'S EM A YANKEE SWEETHEART

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Judge: Ms. Susan R. Griffiths

7-9 Year Veteran Dogs

1 - CH FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG; o Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork

7-9 Year Veteran Bitches

- 1 CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF; o Wendy Archinal
- 2 DC WILD MTNS LONE STAR REENDEZVOUS; o Melody Rottmann & Helen Riggle

9 Year and Older Veteran Bitches

- 1 BRISTOLBAY K-T'S ONE SHOT DOT; o Kaitlyn & Kathryn Bristol
- 2 SHOW ME JASMINE "JAZZATAZZ"; o Joyce Golden

Best in Veteran Sweepstakes CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RH SH MX MXJ XF

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes CH FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG

REGULAR

Judge: Mr. Robert D. Ennis

6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 SHILOH SWIFT RIVERS VICTORY, by DC Jordean Tough Stuff MH x CH Swift River's Flashback'N Time JH: o Steven & Andrea Ryan, b Penny Peterson & Francis Phillips
- 2 MILLETTE'S MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE, by CH Mich Mt The Suspense Is Over x CH Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Bernard R. Lipinskas, b Michelle Millette & Arlene McCabe & Michelle Chaey

9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - R.J.'S RIGHT ON CUE, by GCH R.J.'s Sierra Edition MH x R.J.'s Sweet Serendipity MH; o Larry & Terry Hilliard, b Joyce & Robert Wire

12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 HILL'S MID-NIGHT EXPRESS, by CH Hill's Blazin' Jac x CH Hill's Morning Edition; o/b Paul E. & Dawn S. Hill
- 2 DIAMOND HILL STORM CAT, by FC/AFC Dakota Alley Cat x NAFC/DC/AFC TM's Tennessee

Twister; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, b Lisa Pollock & Brooke Caviness

Open Dogs

- 1 POMOGUSSET BOY HOWDY, by CH Triumphant's Victor Of Douron x CH Pomogussett Tupelo Honey; o/b Betsy Wallace
- 2 MILLETTE'S DON'T STOP BELIEVIN', by CH Castle's How Sweet It Is x CH Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Andrea Lee, b Michelle & Beverly Millette & Cathy Dugan
- 3 HOPE'S GREYROCK START YOUR ENGINES, by CH Tonan Hope's R U Kiddin Me x Greyrock's It Is What It Is; o Terry Hilliard & Doug Tighe, b Ken & Judy Grohbrugge
- 4 TONAN-MAGICBRIT DON'T COUNT ME OUT, by CH Southgate Endor Mystic Shaman x CH Magicbrit Lotties Dream; o Carol Parrella, b Nancy & Anthony Morabito

Winners Dog POMOGUSSETT BOY HOWDY

Reserve Winners Dog MILLETTE'S DON'T STOP BELIEVIN'

6-9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 HILLS-FLASHFIRES SPARKLIN' GEM, by CH Hill's Blazin' Jac x Flashfire's Absolute Animation; o Edie Davidson & Sawn Hill, b Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork
- 2 SARADAC'S SMOKIN' BLANCA TATANKA, by DC/ AFC FlashFire's Bang-A-Gong x CH Saradac's Paradox; o Jane Bjork & Dorothy Boyztzi, b Edward Kostka & Darlene Dow

12-18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 OMEGA'S EM A YANKEE SWEETHEART, by CH Omega's Red Granite JH x Omega's m A Yankee Sugah Baby JH; o/b Donna Howe
- 2 DIAMOND HILL GONE WITH THE BREEZE, by FC/ AFC Clyde's Micro Breeze x FC Diamond Hill She's Gone; o/b Paul & Lisa Pollock

Open Bitches

- 1 HORIZON'S GRACEOUS LIGHT, by CH Southgates JJ's Glorious Light x Horizons Much Ado About Nothing; o Patricia & Jeffrey Ellis, b Lisa Marie Tailby
- 2 SWIFT RIVER'S SWEET DECEIT AX AXJ, by DC Country Road's Rough Rider x CH Swift River's Hot Lil' Number JH; o Sharon Buehler, b David & Francis Phillips
- 3 GREYROCK'S FLAMIN' JILLIAN ON THE LINE, by GCH Tonan-Hope's R U Kiddin' Me x CH Greyrock's It Is What It Is; o Clare Rubin, b Judy & Ken Grohbrugge
- 4 KINWASHKLY STOLEN DIAMOND, by DC Kinwashkly's Mac Magoo F.D.J. x CH Kinwashkly's French Velour; o Darlene Dow & Edward Kostka, Jr., b Leslie Andreas

Winners Bitch HORIZON'S GRACEOUS LIGHT

Reserve Winners Bitch SWIFT RIVER'S SWEET DECEIT AX AXJ

Veteran Dogs

1 - DC/AFC FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG, by DC Highlander's Autumn Blaze x CH Flashfire's Woodland Flame CD JH; o/b Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork

Field Trial Dogs

1 - DC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN, by 2xNFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Sunshine's Shadow Shining; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, b Robert & Carole Krohn

Hunt Test Dogs

1 - CH TONAN-GREYROCK DEFYING GRAVITY JH, by CH Southgate-Hope's Starry Night x CH Topshelf's Katy Bar The Door; o Stephen & Andrea Ryan, b Nancy & Anthony Morabito

Veteran Bitches

- 1 CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF, by CH Swift River's First In Line CD RH MX MXJ NF OAP OJP x CH Jordean Aurand It's All About Me; o Wendy Archinal, b Wendy Archinal & Nancy Morabito
- 2 DC WILD MTNS LONE STAR REENDEZVOUS, by DC BDR's Zigman Floyd x BDR's Mysitc Sohfelia; o Melody Rottmann & Helen Riggle, b Brian Riggle
- 3 SHOW ME JASMINE "JAZZATAZZ", by Jordean Loki Show Me The Leader x Jordean Make You A Believer; o Joyce Golden, b Joy & Patrick Crisler
- 4 BRISTOLBAY K-T'S ONE SHOT DOT, by Lobo's Bymester Finnegan x Briston Bay Becky's Lil Lady; o Kaitlyn & Kathryn Briston, b Rebecca & Donald Bristol

Best of Breed

GCH SOUTHGATE JJ'S GLORIOUS LIGHT, by CH Jordean Mace Windu Of Aurand x CH Swift River's Wish On A Star UD; o Jeffrey & Patricia Ellis, b Karen & Alexander & T. & Lindsey Putnam & N. & A. Morabito

> Best of Winners HORIZON'S GRACEOUS LIGHT

Best Of Opposite Sex GCH MILLETTE'S SWEET MEMORIES NAP NJP

Select Dog CH TRIUMPHANT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS JH

Select Bitch CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF

> Awards of Merit GCH MAGIC STORM OF THE CENTURY CH TRIUMPHANT'S CENTERFOLD JH

> > Best Puppy R.J.'S RIGHT ON CUE

P.M. SHOW

SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Ms. Eileen Bailey

6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - SHILOH SWIFT RIVERS VICTORY; o Stephen & Andrea Ryan 2 - MILLETTE'S MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE; o Bernard R. Lipinskas

9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - R.J.'S RIGHT ON CUE; o Larry & Terry Hilliard

12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 CH TRIUMPHANT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS JH; o Linda McCartney-Roy & Kristyn McCartney
- 2 HILL'S MID-NIGHT EXPRESS; o Paul E. & Dawn S. Hill
- 3 DIAMOND HILL STORM CAT; o Lisa & Paul Pollock

6-9 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - HILLS-FLASHFIRES SPARKLIN' GEM; o Edie Davidson & Dawn Hill

12-18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 OMEGA'S EM A YANKEE SWEETHEART; o Donna Howe
- 2 DIAMOND HILL GONE WITH THE BREEZE; o Paul & Lisa Pollock

Best in Sweepstakes CH TRIUMPHANT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS JH

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes OMEGA'S EM A YANKEE SWEETHEART

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Ms. Eileen Bailey

7-9 Year Veteran Dogs

1 - CH FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG; o Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork

7-9 Year Veteran Bitches

- 1 CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF; o Wendy Archinal
- 2 DC WILD MTNS LONE STAR REENDEZVOUS; o Melody Rottmann & Helen Riggle

9 Year and Older Veteran Bitches

1 - SHOW ME JASMINE "JAZZATAZZ"; o Joyce Golden

Best in Veteran Sweepstakes CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF

Best Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes CH FLASHFIRES' BANG-A-GONG

REGULAR

Judge: Ms. Dyane M. Baldwin

6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 SHILOH SWIFT RIVERS VICTORY, by DC Jordean Tough Stuff MH x CH Swift River's Flashback 'N Time JH; o Stephen & Andrea Ryan, b Penny Peterson & Francis Phillips
- 2 MILLETTE'S MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE, by CH Mich Mt The Suspense Is Over x CH Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Bernard R. Lipinskas, b Michelle Millette & Arlene McCabe & Michelle Chaey

9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - R.J.'S RIGHT ON CUE, by GCH R.J.'s Sierra Edition MH x R.J.'s Sweet Serendipity MH; o Larry & Terry Hilliard, b Joyce & Robert Wire

12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 HILL'S MID-NIGHT EXPRESS, by CH Hill's Blazin' Jac x CH Hill's Morning Edition; o/b Paul E. & Dawn S. Hill
- 2 DIAMOND HILL STORM CAT, by FC/AFC Dakota Alley Cat x NAFC/DC/AFC TM's Tennessee Twister; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, b Lisa Pollock & Brooke Caviness

Open Dogs

- 1 HILL'S BLAZIN' TRAVLIN' JACOB, by CH Hill's Balzin Jac x Hill's Morning Edition; o Travis & Linda McNeil, b Paul E. & Dawn S. Hill
- 2 MILLETTE'S DON'T STOP BELIEVIN', by CH Castle's How Sweet It Is x CH Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Andrea Lee, b Michelle & Beverly Millette & Cathy Dugan
- 3 HOPE'S GREYROCK START YOUR ENGINES, by CH Tonan Hope's R U Kiddin Me x CH Greyrock's It Is What It Is; o Terry Hilliard & Doug Tighe, b Ken & Judy Grohbrugge
- 4 TONAN-MAGICBRIT DON'T COUNT ME OUT, by CH Southgate Endor Mystic Shaman x CH Magicbrit Lotties Dream; o Carol Parrella, b Nancy & Anthony Morabito

Winners Dog SHILOH SWIFT RIVERS VICTORY

Reserve Winners Dog HILL'S BLAZIN' TRAVLIN' JACOB

6-9 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - HILLS-FLASHFIRES SPARKLIN' GEM, by CH Hill's Blazin' Jac x Flashfire's Absolute Animation; o Edie Davidson & Dawn Hill, b Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork

12-18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 OMEGA'S EM A YANKEE SWEETHEART, by CH Omega's Red Granite JH x Omega's m A Yankee Sugah Baby JH; o/b Donna Howe
- 2 DIAMOND HILL GONE WITH THE BREEZE, by FC/ AFC Clyde's Micro Breeze x FC Diamond Hill She's Gone; o/b Paul & Lisa Pollock

Open Bitches

- 1 HORIZON'S GRACEOUS LIGHT, by CH Southgates JJ's Glorious Light x Horizons Much Ado About Nothing; o Patricia & Jeffrey Ellis, b Lisa Marie Tailby
- 2 SWIFT RIVER'S GOOD VICTORY OF BRETAGNE, by CH Southgate Endor Mystic Shaman x Swift River's Flexible Flyer; o lone & Charlie Kourides, b David & Frances Phillips & N. Morabito & K. Putnam
- 3 GREYROCK'S FLAMIN' JILLIAN ON THE LINE, by GCH Tonan-Hope's R U Kiddin' Me x CH Greyrock's It Is What It Is; o Clare Rubin, b Judy & Ken Grohbrugge
- 4 FC REIDYHILLS CISCO JANE, by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC Reidyhills Jessie Jane; o/b Henry Wierzbicki

Winners Bitch HORIZON'S GRACEOUS LIGHT

Reserve Winners Bitch SWIFT RIVER'S GOOD VICTORY OF BRETAGNE

Veteran Dogs

1 - DC/AFC FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG, by DC Highlander's Autumn Blaze x CH Flashfire's Woodland Flame CD JH; o/b Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork

Field Trial Dogs

1 - DC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN, by 2xNFC/FC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Sunshine's Shadow Shining; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, b Robert & Carole Krohn

Hunt Test Dogs

1 - CH TONAN-GREYROCK DEFYING GRAVITY JH, by CH Southgate-Hope's Starry Night x CH Topshelf's Katy Bar The Door; o Stephen & Andrea Ryan, b Nancy & Anthony Morabito

Veteran Bitches

- 1 CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF, by CH Swift River's First In Line CD RH MX MXJ NF OAP OJP x CH Jordean Aurand It's All About Me; o Wendy Archinal, b Wendy Archinal & Nancy Morabito
- 2 DC WILD MTNS LONE STAR REENDEZVOUS, by DC BDR's Zigman Floyd x BDR's Mystic Sohfelia; o Melody Rottamn & Helen Riggle, b Brian Riggle
- 3 SHOW ME JASMINE "JAZZATAZZ", by Jordean Loki Show Me The Leader x Jordean Make You A Believer; o Joyce Golden, b Joy & Patrick Crisler



Best of Breed GCH MILLETTE'S SWEET MEMORIES NAP NJP, by CH Castle's How Sweet It Is x CH Millette's Marilyn Merlot; o Wendy Archinal, b Michelle & Beverly Millette & Cathy Dugan

> Best of Winners SHILOH SWIFT RIVERS VICTORY

Best of Opposite Sex GCH SOUTHGATE JJ'S GLORIOUS LIGHT

Select Dog DC/AFC FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG

Select Bitch CH WILD MTNS MAY YOUR DREAMS COME TRUE

Awards of Merit GCH MAGIC STORM OF THE CENTURY CH TOP SHELF'S SIMPLE PLEASURES CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF

NORTHERN VIRGINIA Manassas, VA May 19, 2012

The Northern Virginia Brittany Club held their specialty show on May 19, 2012; a gorgeous, late spring morning awarding majors in both dogs and bitches. Once again we were at the Mattaponi Kennel Club All Breed Show at the Prince William County VA Fairgrounds, in a covered, open air structure with a large ring, seating, and companionable privacy. Trophies included beautiful, wooden boxes inlaid with a Brittany motif, handcrafted by Paul Drazek. husband of Past-President Sue Drazek. We were pleased to offer veteran and field trial classes. It is always a pleasure to see our dual dogs in action. Sweepstakes Judge Ms. Debra M. Rudert had seven puppies/juniors and two veterans to evaluate. Winning the Sweepstakes was Labyrinth A Wink And A Smile. The Veteran Sweepstakes was won by GCH Magic Read My Lips.

The Regular Classes were judged by Mrs. Barbara Dempsey Alderman. From the 20 entries she selected GCH Carrollton's Count Lancelot, Best of Breed. He went on to Group One. Winners Dog was Mt View's Ride-Em High Wyatt JH, finishing his championship title. Winners Bitch was Illusion N'Labyrinth Kiss This, litter mate of the Sweeps winner.

Many thanks to the judges, Paul Drazek for his craftsmanship, Sue Drazek, in absentia, for her excellent pre-show organization, Judi Parker for recordkeeping, Matt O'Donnell for set up and photography, and Barbara Bice for onsite coordination.

Congratulations and thanks to all the competitors. Without our competitors we wouldn't have a Specialty. Hope to see you all next year.

SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Ms. Debra M. Rudert

6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 LABYRINTH A WINK AND A SMILE; o Karen Hanson
- 2 K STAR SPEAK DE HAPPY CHARLIE; o Kathy Shannon

12-18 Month Junior Dogs

1 - MT VIEW'S RIDE-EM HIGH WYATT JH; o Charles & Sharon Soroka & M. A. Breininger & Patricia Ortelli

6-9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 ILLUSION N' LABYRINTH KISS THIS; o Abbie & Chuck Hanson & Karen Hanson
- 2 KSTAR FULL HD PIXEL FOR CANIPAT; o Kathy Shannon

9-12 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - HOPE'S GET A BIRD "LEAP OF FAITH"; o Laurie O'Donnell & Matthew O'Donnell

12-18 Month Junior Bitches

1 - ILLUSION N' GINJAC SMALL TOWN GIRL; o LuAnn Fullwood & Gina Currier



Best in Sweepstakes LABYRINTH A WINK AND A SMILE



Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes HOPE'S GET A BIRD "LEAP OF FAITH"

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Ms. Debra M. Rudert

7-10 Year Veteran Dogs

- 1 GCH MAGIC READ MY LIPS; o Karen Hanson & Nicole Otterson & Brian Hultgren
- 2 DC/AFC RJA'S PAWS-Z-TRAC; o Robert & Joann Anders



Best in Veteran Sweepstakes/ Select Dog GCH MAGIC READ MY LIPS

REGULAR

Judge: Mrs. Barbara Dempsey Alderman

6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

- LABYRINTH A WINK AND A SMILE, by GCH Magic Read My Lips x GCH Brownstones Gild The Lily; o Karen Hanson, b Alyssa Santiago & Dorothy Jackson & Karen Hanson
- 2 K STAR SPEAK DE HAPPY CHARLIE, by DU CH Delane Speak Of The Devil x CH Canipat Happy Belle De K Star JH; o/b Kathy Shannon

12-18 Month Junior Dogs

1 - MT VIEW'S RIDE-EM HIGH WYATT JH, by CH Mt View's Put'n On The Ritz MH x CH Mt View's Touch By An Angel CD MH; o Charles & Sharon Soroka & M. A. Breininger & Patricia Ortelli, b Mary Ann Breininger & Patricia Ortelli

Amateur Owner-Handler Dogs

1 - COUNTRY ROAD'S GUNSLINGER II, by CH Country Road's Night Rider x CH Country Road's Hunkydory; o Clara Breeding & Karen Stout & Karen Hanson, b Karen Stout

Open Dogs

- 1 CARROLLTON'S LET THE GOOD TIMES ROLL, by CH Prince Of Foxview x Carrollton's Patty O'Cork; o Lynda Martin & Gloria Hartman & Wenny Wijaya, b Lynda Martin & Elizabeth Goldstein
- 2 SHAMROCK'S CONSTANT AS THE NORTHERN STAR, by CH Fly'n Hi's Pheasant Tail x CH Shamrock's Nightly Performance; o Todd McClure, b Darlene & Leah VanHoeve & Brittany Rosener
- 3 HYBRITTIN'S VIRGINIA RAIDER, by DC/NAGDC/ AFC Triumphants To Hot To Handle JH x CH Hybrittin's Boy Toy; o Rebecca Walker & Philip Houston, b Art & Judy Cohen
- 4 POLO'S PIECE OF THE ROCK, by DC Polo's Rocky Renegade Storm x Polo's Pat. Pending O'Sebago; o Linda Ouellette, b Linda & Philip Ouellette

Winners Dog MT VIEW'S RIDE-EM HIGH WYATT JH

Reserve Winners Dog LABYRINTH A WINK AND A SMILE

6-9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 ILLUSION N' LABYRINTH KISS THIS, by GCH Magic Read My Lips x CH Brownstones Gild The Lily; o Abbie & Chuck & Karen Hanson, b Alyssa Santiago & Dorothy Jackson & Karen Hanson
- 2 KSTAR FULL HD PIXEL FOR CANIPAT, by DU CH Delane Speak Of The Devil x CH Canipat Happy Belle De K Star JH; o/b Kathy Shannon

9-12 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - HOPE'S GET A BIRD "LEAP OF FAITH", by CH Castle One In A Millennium JH x CH Triumphant's More Than A Memory; o Laurie & Matthew O'Donnell, b Douglas C. & Kim A. Tighe

12-18 Month Junior Bitches

1 - ILLUSION N' GINJAC SMALL TOWN GIRL, by DC/AFC Country Road Rough Rider x CH Ginjac Brookewood Sizzlin' Hot At Kabina; o LuAnn Fullwood & Gina Currier, b Gina Currier & Kaitlyn Sanchez & Abbie & Charles Hanson

Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitches

- 1 BROOKEWOOD'S SHAWNEE ROSE, by CH Brookewood's Power Play x GCH Brookewood N Ginjac Steaming Hot; o Cindy Miller & Karen Brown & LuAnn Fullwood, b Cindi Miller & Russ Walborn & Karen Brown
- 2 BRB RJK CALL POINT ANN-E TIME, by CH Sandbar's Call When Readi JH x CH RJK Highlanders Max-E-Hunter JH; o/b Jill & Richard Wilkinson

Open Bitches

1 - TEQUILA TEMPEST, by DC Almaden River Of Shadows x DC/AFC Tequila With A Twist; o/b Jessica Carlson



Winners Bitch ILLUSION N' LABYRINTH KISS THIS

Reserve Winners Bitch BROOKEWOOD'S SHAWNEE ROSE

7 Year and Over Veteran Dogs

1 - GCH MAGIC READ MY LIPS, by CH Sterling Oaks Sir Bently x CH Magic Saving All My Love JH; o Karen Hanson & Nicole Otterson & Brian Hultgren, b Nichole Otterson & Brian Hultgren & Mary Oldham

Field Trial Dogs

1 - BRB RKJ JIMMY'S ALL READI MADE HIS POINT, by CH Sanbar's Call When Readi JH x CH RJK Highlander's Max-E-Hunter JH; o/b Jill & Richard Wilkinson

Field Trial Bitches

1 - GCH K STAR CAN HOLLY SNO BEST JH, by CH Granmars-N-Kstar Can Drew JH x CH K Star Angelina Sno's Best SH; o/b Kathy Shannon



Best of Breed GCH CARROLLTON'S COUNT LANCELOT, by CH Chilcote's Credit To Ceasar JH x CH Chilcote's I Am Your Idea; o Lynda L. Martin & Wenny Wijaya & Gloria Hartman, b Shirley Chilcote

Best of Winners MT VIEW'S RIDE-EM HIGH WYATT JH

Best of Opposite Sex ILLUSION N' LABYRINTH KISS THIS

2012 Election of ABC Officers and Directors for terms beginning January 1, 2013 Call for Nominations







If you are interested in running for the Board of Directors of the American Brittany Club or know of someone who would be interested, now is the time to let that decision be known. Membership on the Board is open to those who are willing to give of themselves and their time for the betterment of the breed and the ABC. Any Full Active Member of a Regional Club who is in good standing with such Regional Club, the American Brittany Club, and National Kennel Clubs is eligible to serve as a Director. (Names may not be placed on the ballot unless the person agrees to run for office.) Director terms are 3 years. Officer terms are 2 years. If you have nominations, please contact the person listed below from your region as soon as possible. Nominations will close July 31, 2012, in order to prepare ballots for mailing.

The 2012 NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS WHOSE TERMS ARE EXPIRING

East Coast: Darlene Dow East Central: Tom Robin Central: Jim Brigham Midwest: **Bob Rankin** West Coast: John Henderson Officers: (Officers are elected by the Board of Directors, but you may suggest nominations to the committee.) Terms expiring: 1st Vice President: Tom White 3rd Vice President: Chris Ward-Weber Mary Jo Trimble Secretary:

Please give thought to the people who should be considered in your club or region and contact your regional director or committee member. Contact information for the Director on the committee can be found on the Secretaries' page of the magazine or on the ABC Website:

<u>http://clubs.akc.org/brit/officers.htm</u>. Please note: Nominations must be received by the ABC Secretary from the Committee no later than July 31, 2012. Policy requires that a minimum of two Director nominees be placed on the ballot for each region. Please get your suggestions to the committee as soon as possible as ballots need to go to the printers the first of August.

Mary Jo Trimble, Executive Secretary <u>Trimnatchbritts@midamer.net</u> 618-985-2336

SUBMISSION OF AGENDA ITEMS DEADLINE FOR AGENDA ITEMS: SEPTEMBER 15, 2012

All Agenda Items, officer and committee reports for the ABC Board Meeting to be conducted at the AA National Championships in Booneville, AR, must be submitted by **September 15, 2012,** to be included in the Agenda Book and put up for consideration at the meeting as per policy book stipulations. Early submission allows us to put the topics for consideration on the website and to get books to the Directors in time for meaningful input from the general membership. Action items submitted late and not in writing should not be considered as they are often not well thought out causing many problems after the fact. Reports that cannot be completed such as the Treasurer's Financial Statement and Futurity Stats, may be submitted by bringing 20 copies to the meeting, but any Action Items from any officer or director, committee chair, etc. should be submitted by the deadline

PLEASE NOTE POLICY FOR SUBMITTING AGENDA ITEMS:

Items must be from an ABC officer or Committee Chair, or from a Board Member or Regional Club which has first voted on the item by that club's members. Items from individual members should first be discussed with one or more of that person's Regional Directors before being submitted and will be supported by fifteen (15) different actual signatures of ABC members. Since agenda items need to be presented by someone to the Board, one of the regional directors shall present the Agenda Item to the Board of Directors. (1992) (2008)

Please include a copy of the current policy in the Policy Book along with suggested wording changes.

We have always published Officer and Committee Reports in the ABC Magazine. This can be a very difficult task to accomplish since most of the reports have to be retyped if sent as a .pdf file. Please help us by sending your Agenda Reports in a .doc or .rtf format by email to:

ABC Agenda Chairman Dee Hartnek DHartnek@gmail.com

It would also expedite matters if you would also CC to the following: Mary Jo Trimble: <u>trimnatchbritts@midamer.net</u> (for compiling list for ABC Website before meeting).

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Mary Jo Trimble ABC Executive Secretary

2012 National Gun Dog Championship Tentative Schedule

Monday, October 22nd

Afternoon Tour of the Grounds time tba Open Welcome Dinner and Calcutta 6:30 p.m. - Clubhouse - Ionia, MI - \$18 Catered by LampLight Grill prepay to Bobbie Sigmund--200 Culbreth Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27516-8301 sigbrit@juno.com

Tuesday, October 23rd

National Open Gun Dog Championship Begins Magnum's Masked Man Award Dinner - 6:30 Catered by Purina

Wednesday, October 24th

2011 Nat'l Open Gun Dog Championship Dinner Hosted by Joe Sikorski & Claire Ricci in honor of "Cruise"

Thursday, October 25th

6:30 Tri-Tronics Award Dinner at the Clubhouse Catered by China Star Restaurant Auction/Raffle to Follow

Friday. October 26th Free Night—no dinner at the clubhouse

Saturday, October 27th

Afternoon Tour of the Grounds time tba Welcome Dinner and Calcutta for the National Amateur Gun Dog Championship - \$15 Pig roast, chicken, ribs, salad, coleslaw, rolls, baked beans, desserts

Sunday, October 28th

Amateur Gun Dog Championship Begins 2011 Nat'l Amateur Gun Dog Championship Dinner Hosted by Gordon Foster in honor of "Buddy"

Monday, October 31st

Dinner at grounds \$15 Spaghetti, Garlic rolls, green beans, salad, deserts Meals not specifically listed will be catered by Kurt Pitsch Please sign up in the clubhouse on the sheets provided Times or prices not posted will be announced Please check the board daily for changes Breakfast & Lunch will be served daily. Breakfast 6:00 - 7:30 a.m.



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2012 ABC Central Futurity



Futurity Show, March 30, 2012

On Friday LaSalle hosted a specialty show before the Futurity show Friday evening. I would really like to thank all the people who came early to help set up the Godley Park District gym. Once again, because of hosting the futurity, we had help from many different clubs; whoever is there always pitches in. Thanks to Paula Blanco who did the catalogs for the show and the futurity and stewarded for us. Thanks to Marie Starsiak for borrowing the ring set up from her training club at no cost! I would especially like to thank the ladies that catered in a fabulous meal for all the show and futurity participants. Thanks to Aimee Schilling, Colleen Driscoll, Mary Selnes and Christine Walker. It was delicious and plentiful. The hour between the two events allowed for camaraderie and socializing. (And lots of grooming of course!) The Godley Park District is a great facility for such a small town and very convenient to the trial grounds.

The futurity show was judged by long time Irish setter breeder, Jan Ziech. Jan has shown Brittanys in the past and is committed to the dual concept. Her Irish are rated in conformation and compete in hunt tests. Teresa Richmond

Futurity Show Judge: Ms. Jan Ziech

Junior Males

- 1 LABYRINTH READ ALL ABOUT IT, by GCH Magic Read My Lips x CH Wincrest Copley Melody of Love; o/b Karen Hanson
- 2 BULLOCH'S SHAKE RATTLE AND ROLL, by FC/AFC Bullochs First in Line Alvin JH x Bulloch's Hy Steppin Sweetheart; o/b John & Terra Bulloch
- GARY'S BOURBON BUDDY COLONEL WELLER, by TNT's Sirius Medicine Man x TNT's Renegade Gal Pal; o W. Gary & Jennifer Robbins, b Tom Thomas
- 4 TNT'S SIRIUS RENEGADE BUDDY BOY, by TNT's Sirius Medicine Man x TNT's Renegade Gal Pal; o/b Tommy Thomas

Intermediate Males

- 1 VEM NMR LATE NITE STREETS OF LAREDO, by CH NMR Copley's Champatini SH x CH VEM Call Me Sassie Sue MH; o George & Vickie Manifold & Nickie & Marcus Redick, b Nickie Redick & George & Vickie Manifold
- 2 NMR ONE FOR THE ROAD, by CH NMR Copley's Champatini SH x CH VEM Call Me Sassie Sue MH; o Marcus & Nickie Redick & Herb Manifold, b Nickie Redick & George & Vickie Manifold
- 3 HYBRITTIN'S VIRGINIA RAIDER, by DC/AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Hybrittin's Boy Toy CGC; o Rebecca Walker & Philip Houston, b Art & Judy Cohen
- DOUBLE SHOT OF WHIZKI, by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Blaze'n Little Chick; o Ray & Mary Jo Trimble, b Ken Blackman

Senior Males

1 - CH HOPE GREYROCK START YOUR ENGINE, by CH Tonan-Hope's RU Kiddin' Me x CH Greyrock's It Is What It Is; o Terry Hilliard, b Ken Grohbrugge

First Money Male CH HOPE GREYROCK START YOUR ENGINE

Second Money Male LABYRINTH READ ALL ABOUT IT

Third Money Male VEM NMR LATE NITE STREETS OF LAREDO

Junior Females

1 - WINCREST LABYRINTH KISS MY LIPSTICK, by GCH Magic Read My Lips x CH Wincrest Copley Melody of Love; o Barbara & Tim Dayton & Karen Hanson & Robin Tomasi, b Karen Hanson

- 2 BIRCH SPRING PC LUNAR ECLIPSE, by DC/AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin' His Marc x KB Chieftan's Princess; o Philip Thayer, Jr. & Benjamin Thayer, b Kendall Brown
- 3 SIGBRIT'S NUTMEG NAJ, by CH Sigbrit's Catch Me Now JH x CH Sigbrit's Can't Miss Me JH; o Marcia Whitmore, b Bobbie L. Sigmund

Intermediate Females

- 1 HYBRITTIN'S AFTER MIDNIGHT, by DC/AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Hybrittin's Boy Toy CGC; o/b Art & Judy Cohen
- 2 NMR'S COPLEY BEE A MARTINI, by CH NMR Copley's Champatini SH x CH Vem Call Me Sassie Sue MH; b Nickie Redick & George & Vickie Manifold & Robin Tomasi
- 3 ILLUSION N GINJAC LIKE ICE AT LABYRINTH, by CH Brookewood's Power Play x CH Illusion's Gem of Brookewood JH; o Karen & Abbie Hanson, b Abbie Hanson
- NMR MY ONCE IN A LIFETIME CALL, by CH NMR Copley's Champatini SH x CH VEM Call Me Sassie Sue MH; o Nickie Redick & Brian & Ella Chew, b Nickie Redick & George & Vickie Manifold

Senior Females

1 - DIAMOND HILL WORK HARD PLAY HARDER, by DC/AFC Deuce Is On The Loose x FC Diamond Hill She's Gone; o/b Paul & Lisa Pollock

First Money Female HYBRITTIN'S AFTER MIDNIGHT

Second Money Female NMR'S COPLEY BEE A MARTINI

Third Money Female WINCREST LABYRINTH KISS MY LIPSTICK

> Best in Futurity HYBRITTIN'S AFTER MIDNIGHT

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Futurity CH HOPE GREYROCK START YOUR ENGINE

Dual BULLOCH'S SHAKE RATTLE AND ROLL

2012 ABC Central Gun Dog Futurity Hosted by the LaSalle Brittany Club at The Des Plaines Conservation Area near Wilmington, IL

The 2012 ABC Central Futurity Gun Dog Stake was hosted by the LaSalle Brittany Club at the Des Plaines Conservation Area near Wilmington, Illinois. We'd like to thank our sponsors Purina for their continued support and donation of food for all the entrants in both the field and show events. We really appreciate Purina Representative Terry Trzcinski who came out to spend time visiting, answering questions and encouraging the participants and hosts alike. Terry is a wealth of knowledge and always supportive in fostering the efforts of those new to the sport. He's also a great resource for those looking to improve the success of their dogs. Our judges were Chuck Schaefer and Sean Morgan who gave an attentive eye to dogs and handlers alike while evaluating the potential of current breeding programs. They both stated that there were many quality dogs to choose from and the competitive nature of the Central Region Gun Dog stakes wouldn't be waning anytime soon.

I'd like to thank everyone from the LaSalle Brittany Club who took the time to help in the running of this event. It's the unsung volunteers who make these trials the success that they are. Without risking missing anyone by listing names, thanks to each and everyone who gave of their time and talents by organizing and hosting the field events and the shows. You are all the salt of the earth and none of this would happen without everyone who pitched in, no matter how small or how big. We awoke to a beautifully sunny day with cool morning temperatures warming into the 50s in the afternoon and slightly overcast at times, keeping it a wonderful day for running dogs!

THE RUNNING:

BRACE 1 BULLOCH'S SHAKE RATTLE AND ROLL – BULLOCH / WILD MTN'S MIDNIGHT RENDEZVOUS – STOWELL. Elvis is a white and orange male and Josie is a liver and white female. Elvis had five finds with very nice style and intensity and held his first find until Tara walked a long way to almost flush for him. Josie had three finds and a very nice back. Her pattern was closer working and consistently busy, working the cover in front of her. She stretched nicely working deep into the woods on the southern end of the course. Elvis is a hard charging dog who worked at a really nice shooting dog range, he pleasingly covered the available objectives and lines of the course with good speed and stamina and consistency. Elvis really hunted hard and made some very impressive moves during his brace.

BRACE 2 NMR CALL ME SECOND IN COMMAND – REDICK / DAKOTA'S ROYAL FLUSH – RAKOCY. Top dog is Commander an orange & white male and Mia is a white & orange female. These dogs broke away with speed and power stretching forward into the opening field of the course. As we hit the backfield of the course, their patterns shortened some and became more of a hunting mode, quartering and thoroughly working the cover. Once we exited the backfield, Mia started to stretch out and hit the lines nicely. Both dogs finished their time working the clumps of trees and bushes of the orchard and had a divided find during the brace with each flash pointing their game.

BRACE 3 CH ILLUSION N GINJAC LIKE ICE AT LABYRINTH JH – HANSON / PALE "R"' SMOKIN' JOE BROWN – POEHLER. This brace broke away quickly. The top dog was an orange & white female and the bottom dog a liver & white male. Joe was convinced that his brace mate was "in love" and in a true male thinking pattern couldn't pick up the signals that she really wanted to rip his head off, much in the fashion of a Praying Mantis. Once his thinking was sufficiently adjusted, both dogs split up and made some nice moves; hitting edges and covering the objectives presented to them in a pleasing fashion. Top dog had a bird early in the corner of the back field and again with her brace mate in the orchard. Joe backed and had two finds, the first in the orchard deep in the bushes with his brace mate and again on his own, just before the end of the orchard near time. Both dogs pointed with style and have lots of ground speed, effortless gaits and pleasing top lines while running, making some really nice moves, just not with enough consistency to be in the placements.

BRACE 4 GARY'S BOURBON BUDDY COLONEL WELLER – ROBBINS / BULLOCH'S SWEETWATER RADER – FAVARO. These eager males break away and get to work with two different patterns of application. Buddy is orange & white and is closer working in range with application being forward and quartering in nature. Radar is a white & orange and has great speed and range with sweeping application working forward to the reaches of the course. Buddy had a very nice find with great style and intensity, to the point of being broke with his handler standing next to him until the bird flushed. Buddy picked up speed and range after his find; he worked forward at medium range for the remainder of the brace. Radar had two very nice finds with style and intensity while really stretching out and growing in range during the entire brace, leaving very few lines finished or objectives searched. Radar finished his time with a far reaching move towards the breakaway in the final field of the course and showed no let down in his speed or enthusiasm.

BRACE 5 VEM NMR LATE NITE STREETS OF LAREDO – REDICK / LOST-IN-VEGAS BEHR NAKED – RAKOCY TOP DOG, Larry is a white & liver male and Behr, the bottom dog is an orange & white male. Both of these dogs make a big opening move searching the Indian grass lines and show that they've both got the power and ground speed to take them to all the right places, but both exhibit patterns that seem unstructured and erratic at times. They work together and independently at times and have a true divided find in the southern end of the course each hitting their game hard on the same large clump of bushes. Both dogs took turns running the woods and edges of the fields and once they reached the orchard did a very nice job working all the available cover there. They finished their time with plenty of speed and drive left and made some very nice moves and big casts, just not always to the front; each showing great promise as they mature.

BRACE 6 WILD MTN'S CODE NAME UNO - KATZEL / BIRCH SPRING PC **LUNAR ECLIPSE – BURCHETT.** Top dog is Cody a white & orange male, handled by Trenton Katzel, a very talented young handler who exhibits an understanding of how to handle dogs that some adults could take lessons from. Bottom dog is Luna, a liver & white female from New Hampshire. Both of these dogs exhibit great interest in each other at the break away and first field, with Trenton taking charge of getting his dog to pay attention and move forward from the get-go. Bob Burchett later commented on just how good a young handler he is becoming. Once these dogs reach the back field they get to work and start hunting. Luna established point on the eastern edge of the back field and looked very stylish on point holding very steady. Cody comes in and throws a beautiful back making one of those moments that I really regret not carrying a camera for; both dogs holding their pose until Bob comes in and digs a tight sitting bird out. After this, the only bird contact of their brace, both dogs grow in their range and application hitting the objectives, woods and lines of the course, just not with enough consistency to break into the top four, but will be very competitive dogs as they mature.

BRACE 7 POPEYE LA BELLE - KUCSMA / TELFARE'S PINK FLOYD -TELFARE. Popeye, a liver & white male is the top dog, and Floyd, a white & orange male is the bottom dog. These dogs streaked from the breakaway flying forward and breaking right to hit the northern tree line running independently of each other from the start to the finish. Popeye and Floyd really reach wide and far to the front, hitting the orchard edge, working the intermediate grass lines and the tree lines. Into the back field they continue to reach and drive, covering the objectives with speed and forward patterns independent of each other with Popeye being rewarded his first find in the far southeastern corner of the field standing high and tight for a great while, off the line with great intensity waiting for his handler. This pair continues making nice moves the entire brace and are found deep in the cover of the orchard for Popeye's second find with Floyd backing. Popeye handled with ease and a minimal amount of effort, checking back with his handler at all the right times and responding effortlessly to all commands. He remained forward and fluid in his pattern and application, leaving few lines unfinished and rarely an objective searched. As time went on, Floyd became more of a handful, ignoring his handler at times and finished without a pointed bird; Floyd exhibited great promise and potential as he matures.

BRACE 8 CH LABYRINTH READ ALL ABOUT IT RN - HANSON / SIGBRIT'S RATTLE MY CAGE JH - SIGMUND. Both of these dogs are white & orange and both have a pleasing snap to their gait and good ground speed. Cage gets right to work and is wide and on the edges; forward in his application with News being a bit closer working and quartering in pattern at times. As we break into the back field, the reporter and gallery see Cage pointed at the end of the first line standing far at the end; far enough away to not be able to see a bird. Both dogs are busy working the cover and are mildly erratic at times in their application. As we break into the southern field of the course, News comes across a bird in the middle of the field and chases it to the edge where Cage comes in and points it. They both continue on to the orchard area and do a very nice job working the clumps of bushes and trees with little change in their speed and finish with plenty of snap to their run. News finishes his time without a pointed bird, stretching at times and making some nice moves especially in the later part of the brace. Cage finished with three finds, pointing with style and intensity with typical derby manners. He presented a consistent pattern that was forward on edges or working objectives the entire time, with minimal wasted motion and plenty of stamina exhibited over the entire brace.

In closing, I'd like to thank everyone who came and presented their dogs to our judges. It was a small stake, but had many quality performances for our judges to choose from and having watched them all, I'd say that the quality of dogs in the American Brittany Club is remaining strong, in spite of the financial struggles we're all experiencing trying to continue to participate in this great sport. I'd encourage everyone who ran a dog in this Futurity to continue to work with these dogs and help them reach their fullest potentials as they mature, as they will all be very competitive Gun Dogs when they're finally broke to wing and shot and are able to polish their handling and application as they grow. For those who are looking for a good hunting dog, look to the lines that are producing the consistent winners in Field Trials across the country; you'll see that they are the sires and dams of most of these dogs that participated in this and the other Futurities of the American Brittany Club, as we all work to keep this breed forever a Dual Dog. Mike Poehler

2012 ABC Central Gun Dog Gun Dog J: Chuck Schafer & Sean Morgan

- 1 POPEYE LA BELLE (D), by FC/AFC Shamrock's Sirius x Lucille La Belle; o/h George Kucsma
- 2 BULLOCH'S SWEETWATER RADAR (D), by DC/AFC Bullochs First IN Line Alvin x Bulloch's Hy Steppin Sweetheart; o /h Keith Favaro
- 3 SIGBRIT'S RATTLE MY CAGE JH (D), by DC Sigbrit's Catch Me Now JH x CH Sigbrit's Can't Miss Me JH; o/h Bobbie L. Sigmund
- BULLOCH'S SHAKE RATTLE & ROLL (D), by DC/AFC Bullochs First In Line Alvin JH x Bulloch's Hy Steppin Sweetheart; o John & Terra Bulloch, h Terra Bulloch

2012 ABC Central All Age Futurity March 29-30, 201 2

The 2012 Central All Age Futurity was hosted by the LaSalle Brittany Club, March 29th and 30th, 2012 at the Des Plaines Wildlife Area in Wilmington, IL. We had perfect weather for running this outstanding group of young dogs. Thanks to all the judges and people who took the time during the week to come out and help.

Purina representative, Terry Trzcinski, came out to support our event and was there to congratulate all the winners. Terry is always ready with valuable advice for performance dogs. We would like to thank Purina for their continued sponsorship and support with their quality foods.

The ILDR had done a burn on the grounds a few weeks before so we had wide open spaces (golf course) to watch the dogs run. This is the most quality burn I have seen there and seems to have greatly improved the grounds for future events.

I would like to thank Tom Thomas for planting birds on the all age side. I would like to thank Jay Walsh for planting all the braces of the Gun Dog. Thanks to Jim Winter for not losing any birds while stuffing bird bags and Linda Thomas making sure coffee was made and food was served. A big Thanks to Petra Steinmetz for bringing lunch for everyone there.

The five braces of the All Age had the honor of being judged by ABC president Ken Windom and long time trialer Stan Williamson.

First place honors were given to JJ's Alabaster Angel, owned by Joe Williams and Jenny Ro, handled by Joe Williams. Second place was Hi Proof Jack, owned and handled by Gene Salmons. Third place was Diamond Hill Work Hard Play Harder, owned by Lisa and Paul Pollock, handled by Lisa Pollock. Fourth place was Sigbrit Catcher's Lil' C JH, owned by Bobbie Sigmund & Trudy Piotrzkowski, handled by Bobbie Sigmund.

The running: conditions were dry, clear, and sunny. Temperatures in the upper 40s to low 50s.

BRACE 1 DIAMOND HILL WORK HARD PLAY HARDER, "GIN", LISA POLLOCK AND RU-JEM'S LAST PENNY, "PENNY", PAUL KATZEL. Both dogs broke strong up the right edge. The pair crossed to the left in front of the handlers as we headed up the north side. Gin was returned to the right side, as Penny continued to hunt along the left side. As we approached the east side, deer were seen leaving the area, but fortunately were not seen by the dogs. After we crossed the road, Gin took the lead and headed to the east side of the course. She showed herself well on some of the edges along the cornfields on the east side, while Penny dug in and hunted the heavier cover. At 26, as we headed back to camp, Gin swapped ends along the autumn olive edge. Penny came in for a very mannerly back. Both dogs were steady for the flush and shot. The two dogs finished the brace at a moderate distance, hunting to the front.

BRACE 2 HI PROOF JACK, "JACK", GENE SALMONS AND SUDDENLY I SEE, "MARTY", BOB BURCHETT. Marty broke forward, while Jack took the right edge for a while before showing in front of his handler. Both dogs hunted forward, Jack with a little more range. At 20, Jack was seen pointing along the cornfield edge on the east side. He was returned to the front and met up with Marty as the two cast toward home. Marty searched the autumn olive edge along the right side and pointed at 22, flushing attempts were non productive. Jack finished well to the front as time was called.

BRACE 3 TNT'S SIRIUS RENEGADE BUDDY BOY, "BUDDY", TOMMY THOMAS AND SIGBRIT CATCHER'S LIL C, "CHAMP", BOBBIE SIGMUND.

The two dogs broke strong on the right edge, and later crossed to the left edge as we headed along the north side. As we headed into the first cornfield, handlers turned their dogs toward the right edge. At 9, Champ had a find on the edge of the corn while Buddy headed further right. At 16, we headed for the road crossing. Both handlers said their dogs had pointed, but no birds were seen. Champ pointed again at 24 on one of the lines as we rode the east edge. Buddy made some nice moves on the right side. As Champ made it to the next bird location at 26, just before Buddy. After the find, both dogs hunted the left side to the finish.

BRACE 4 DOGWOOD'S BUCKMARK, "BUCK", GENE SALMONS AND DOUBLE SHOT OF WHIZKI, "DUB", RAY TRIMBLE. Both dogs headed toward the north side on breakaway. They dug in and hunted the edge well. Dub was sent to hunt the right side and established point as he reached the cross hedgerow. No bird was produced. Moving forward, Dub hunted the high grass on the right side of the cornfield. At 11, Dub had a woodcock find in the field as we pushed east. At 15, Buck had shortened considerably, and handler opted to pick him up. Dub finished the brace with less range, but hunted hard.

BRACE 5 SIGBRIT'S NUTMEG, "MEG", BOB WHITMORE AND JJ'S ALABASTER ANGEL, "ANGIE" JOE WILLIAMS. Both Dogs broke well. Angie made some big forward casts, and got a feel for the grounds. Meg hunted a little shorter, but stayed forward. At the cross hedgerow, point was called for Meg, but she gave chase before the judge could see her. At 9, Meg had a find along the right side of the cornfield; her chase took her further south, where she had another find. Meanwhile, Angie pressed forward with more wide ranging casts. Both dogs were gathered after the road crossing and sent on. Angie scored a nice find on one of the left edges on the east side. Meg shortened, but hunted all the likely bird spots. Angie was sent on from her find and caught the front for her finish. Lisa Pollock

2012 ABC All Age Futurity All Age (10S)

J: Ken Windom & Stan Williamson

- 1 JJ'S ALABASTER ANGEL (B), by Jericho's Call Back Jack x Lane's End Jess N Time; o Joe Williams & Jenny Ro, h Joe Williams
- 2 HI PROOF JACK (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Blaze'N Little Chick; o/h C. Eugene Salmons
- 3 DIAMOND HILL WORK HARD PLAY HARDER (B), by DC/AFC Deuce Is On The Loose x FC Diamond Hill She's Gone; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- SIGBRIT CATCHER'S LIL' C JH (D), by DC Sigbrit's Catch Me Now JH x CH Sigbrit's Can't Miss Me JH; o Bobbie L. Sigmund & Trudy Piotrzkowski, h Bobbie Sigmund

2012 CENTRAL FUTURITY Show Winners & Dual Dog



Best in Futurity Show

CH TRRIMPHANT'S MIAMI HEAT JH TNAGDC/DC/AFC TRUMPHANT'S TO HOT TO HANDLE L CH JORDEAN ALL THAT JAZZ

CH HYBRITTIN'S AFTER MIDNIGHT

- Doc Hourwood L CH HYBRITTIN'S BOY TOY CGC. CH HYBRITTIN'S MIRANDA MURPHY

Breeden'Owners: Art & Judy Cohen

Best of Opposite

CH HOPE GREYROCK START YOUR ENGINE Owners: Terry Hilliard and Doug Tighe Breeder: Ken Grohbrugge

FGCH TONAN HOPES'S R U KIDDING ME L CH JORDEAN AURAND IT'S ALL ABOUT ME

CH HOPE'S AUTUMN SNO STORM

CH BRITT HAVEN EVERYTHING'S JAKE LCH GREYROCK'S IT IS WHAT IT IS L CH TOP SHELP'S KATY BAR THE DOOR

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Dwners: Robin Tomasi and Barbara Dayton Reeders: Nickie Redick, George & Vickie Manifold



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Breeder/Owner Karen Hanson

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Jwners: Barbara & Tim Dayton, Robin Tomasi, and Karen Hanson reeders: Karen Hanson



Dual Dog BULLOCH'S SHAKE RATTLE AND ROLL Breeders/Owners: John & Terra Bulloch



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FC/AFC RIMARDA'S TRADEMARK
 FC/AFC SHAMROCK'S SIRIUS
 └ FC/AFC LANE'S END BOWTHE ANNIE

1st - Popeye La Belle

BUDDY LA BELLE
 LUCILLE LA BELLE
 WILDBERRY'S EXPERIMENT 626

Breeder/Owner: George Kucsma

□ DC HI POINT I BELIEVE I CAN FLY
□ FC/AFC BULLOCH'S FIRST IN LINE ALVIN

└ FLAT ROCK'S IRON BUTTERFLY

2ND - BULLOCH'S SWEETWATER RADAR

□ DC/AFC SWEETWATER BILLY TUCKER
□ BULLOCH'S HY STEPPIN SWEETWATER
□ FC/AFC HY STEPPIN MAGGIE SH

Owners: Keith Favoro

Breeder: John & Terra Bulloch

C HOPE'S BOUREE

□ DC SIGBRIT'S CATCH ME NOW JH

L CH SIGBRIT'S CHIENNE DE CHASSE JH

3rd - Sigbrit's Rattle My Cage

□ NGDC/DC HOPE'S DANDI DON □ CH SIGBRIT'S CAN'T MISS ME JH □ CH SIGBRIT'S CHIENNE DE CHASSE JH Breeder/Owner: Bobbie Sigmund

► DC HI POINT I BELIEVE I CAN FLY
► FC/AFC BULLOCH'S FIRST IN LINE ALVIN
► FLAT ROCK'S IRON BUTTERFLY

4TH - BULLOCH'S SHAKE RATTLE AND ROLL

DC/AFC SWEETWATER BILLY TUCKER
 BULLOCH'S HY STEPPIN SWEETWATER
 FC/AFC HY STEPPIN MAGGIE SH

Breeder/Owner: John & Terra Bulloch









2012 CENTRAL FUTURITY All Age Winners



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□ FC GUNRUNNER'S LADY'S MAN
□ JERICHOS CALL BACK JACK
□ DESSERT ROSE IV

lst - JJ's Alibaster Angel

□ FC/AFC THE TIME MACHINE
□ FC/AFC LANE'S END JESS IN TIME
□ FC/AFC LANE'S END BOWTIE ANNIE

Breeder: Cary Crum

Owners: Joe Williams and Jennifer Ro

□ DC/AFC THE WHIZ KID
 □ DC HI PROOF WHIZKI
 □ SPECTACLE ON ICE

2ND - HI PROOF JACK

□ NFC/FC BEANS BLAZE

BLAZE'N LITTLE CHICK

► FC/AFC Shady's Chick-N-LITTLE

Breeders: Ken Blackman

■ FC/AFC HIBRITTANYS MR ED OF HOPE

□ DC/AFC DEUCE IS ON THE LOOSE

L SUNSHINE ON A RAINY DAY

Owner: Eugene Salmons

3rd - DIAMOND HILL WORK HARD PLAY HARDER

┏ 2xNFC/FC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DAN

L FC DIAMOND HILL SHE'S GONE

L DEUCE'S BOMBAY SAPPHIRE

Breeders: Paul & Lisa Pollock

Owners: Paul & Lisa Pollock

□ DC HOPE'S BOUREE

□ DC SIGBRIT'S CATCH ME NOW JH

└── CH SIGBRIT'S CHIENNE DE CHASSE JH

4th - Sigbrit's Catcher's Lil C JH

□ NGDC/DC HOPE'S DANDI DON
□ CH SIGBRIT'S CAN'T MISS ME JH

└ CH SIGBRIT'S CHIENNE DE CHASSE JH

Breeder: Bobbie Sigmund

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Owners: Bobbie Sigmund and Trudy Piotrzkowski

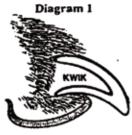
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CH Bay Arbor Dynamite

A cut here will cause bleeding and the nail <u>will still be too long</u>. TRIM HERE and the blood supply will begin to get shorter.

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The blood supply (KWIK) in a short nail.

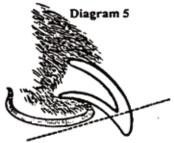


As the nail gets shorter so does the blood supply





Note how the blood supply gets longer as the nail grows.



Only when the nail is kept short can it be trimmed without bleeding. If the same cut had been made on the long nail in Diagram 2, it would caused bleeding. Diagram 3

If you clip or file a little off of a long nail every few days, the blood supply will continue to recede.



A properly trimmed nail



On Being a Good Leader

Your Brittany is more likely to respond to your directions if you are a good leader.

Many people don't realize their dog is bossing them around in everyday living. For example, suppose you're watching TV on the sofa. Your dog comes over, jumps onto you and pushes his nose at you to insist you pet him. That's bossy; your dog is demanding attention. Did you comply? If that's what your relationship looks like at home, when you compete with your dog, you may find the dog is more interested in running off and sniffing than listening to you. When the dog's the leader, he expects you to follow him.

In comparison, visualize yourself sitting on the couch with the dog lying quietly nearby. When you desire, you call your dog over and pet him. That's a situation when the human is leading rather than the dog. When you compete with that dog, he's more likely to follow you and your directions.

If you don't follow a leadership program, consider starting one. It can't hurt, and will probably be a pleasant surprise. The more you work on being a good leader, the better your relationship will be. This also has the happy side effect of improving performance in dogsports.

Dinner

Think about how you feed your dog. If your dog has free access to as much food as he wants, any time he wants, you are missing an opportunity to be a good leader. You're going to feed your Brittany anyway. Why not use the food as an opportunity to teach, instead of allowing your dog to practice bad behaviour?

Get the food bowl ready and ask your dog to lie down and stay. Once he's lying down, slowly put the bowl on the floor. If the dog gets up, you pick the bowl up. Slowly move the bowl towards the floor again. Repeat as many times as necessary. The only way your dog can get dinner is to stay until you say "ok, get it" to release him to the food.

LEADERSHIP GUIDELINES

Here are some ways to become a better leader:

- a) You can use food or toys to reward good behaviour, but eventually your dog should perform some behaviors just because you ask. For example, train the dog to focus attention on your face or ask for fetch. Try practicing once a day, when the dog wants something e.g. wants a toy or wants to go outside.
- b) Your dog should keep four paws on the floor at all times. Never pet your dog while he is jumping up.
- c) The dog should sleep on the floor or in a crate, not in your bed
- d) The leader goes through doorways and up stairways first, including when you take your dog outside for potty. Note that dams don't usually use their paws to control puppies. Normal canine behaviour is to use their body to create social pressure. So if your dog is trying to escape from the house, it's better to put your body in between the dog and the exit, rather than using your hands to stop the dog. Wait until the dog calms down, then release with "ok".
- e) Your dog should stay in the crate or car until released. Nothing in life is free. Even a 7 week old litter of puppies will sit once they learn that sitting is the only way he'll get out of his pen.
- f) Petting is initiated by the person, not demanded by the dog. Call

your dog to come over and sit before petting.

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- g) Toys and food belong to the human. The human can continue to hold the bone while the dog chews the other end, and take it away. (Ideally, when told to give it up or leave it, the dog should do so, but even if you say nothing, the leader can rely on using body language to control the resources.)
- h) You should eat before your dog. (If you share table food off your plate while you are eating or allow the dog to steel, he will assume he is either your equal or your better.)
- i) You should be the one to determine which strangers are welcome in your home and which are not. The dog shouldn't growl at humans.
- j) Dogs may lift their leg & urinate not only on objects, but on people who they don't consider to be dominant over them. (Male dogs are more likely to do this, but females can do it also. Spaying/neutering may decrease scent marking, mounting and displays of dominance.) Similarly, puppies/dogs of both sexes may mount a person's leg. (Urinating indoors or mounting a person is inappropriate, and a good leader watches carefully to prevent problems before the dog forms a habit of eliminating inside the house.)
- k) Spaying/neutering may prevent or
- The leader leads, the dog follows e.g. up the stairs, on walks. (One exception is when you send your dog ahead. Note if your Brittany darts outside and runs erratically without checking in with you, he is bossing you around.)
- m) Don't allow your dog to behave crazy before his walk. Ask your dog for any obedience behaviour he already knows (my favorite is get ready in heel position). When the dog performs the behaviour, open the door/gate/crate so the dog is rewarded with a run. If the dog doesn't perform the behaviour, simply wait. Note if you have multiple dogs, this is significantly more distracting when the other dogs are already running. But you can work up to it over time and you'll end up with a more solid behaviour under distracting conditions.
 n) The leader should be able to touch all parts of the dog's body,
- n) The leader should be able to touch all parts of the dog's body, including teeth brushing and nail clipping.
- o) The leader should be able to hold the puppy on his back for 30 seconds without a temper tantrum. If the dog has a tantrum, a good leader is careful to continue holding him until the tantrum is over and the puppy relaxes.
- p) The dog makes way for his leader. If the dog is waiting in the hallway as you walk by, the dog should move to allow you to pass. Shuffle your feet; your dog will move. (In comparison, if your dog is herding you to direct your path, the dog is leading you.)

Of course, a good leader ensures his dog has adequate daily exercise, so they'll be in a good mindset to train. Adequate exercise will help to control hyperactivity and undesirable behaviours such as barking, chewing and digging.

Hopefully this article inspires you to change one behaviour that will put you on the path to becoming a better leader. For more ideas, check out the book "How to be the Leader of the Pack... and Have Your Dog Love You For It!" by behaviourist Dr. Patricia B. McConnell PhD.

Obedience/Agility/Rally Brittany Highlights



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By Carla Simon

AGILITY (REGULAR)

The following AKC reports includes top Brittanys in Agility events in 2012, based on the total number of points dogs have earned from either the Regular or Preferred Excellent B Standard, and Jumpers With Weaves classes. Results are sorted by Points/Double Q's, from events up to May 26, 2012.

Photo: #1 Ranked "Saffire", MACH3 Rustins Valuable Treasure XF JH (owned by Owned by Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli), performing the tire jump

Rank	Name	Sex	Points	Dbl Qs	Score
1	MACH3 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH XF	В	764	22	984
2	MACH3 Shiloh Of Agoura	В	756	17	926
3	CH MACH Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice XF	В	782	14	922
4	CH MACH2 Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MXF	В	537	15	687
5	CH MACH Exebrit's Sunset Limited CDX NF	D	587	8	667
6	MACH2 Timberlane's Treasured Time	В	492	16	652
7	Faison's One Moment In Thyme CD RA JH MX MXJ OF	В	460	6	520
8	Marjo's Demon In The Ruff MX MXJ MXF	В	421	7	491
9	CH MACH3 Top Shelf's Crown Royal MXF TQX	В	372	7	442
10	MACH2 Vanilla Mocha Chipper JH MXF TQX	D	244	16	404
11	MACH2 Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN XF	В	283	7	353
12	CH MACH Brookewood's Mardi Gras CD JH NF	В	251	10	351
13	MACH10 Julia Flying Cinnamon Girl UD RAE MXF TQX	В	278	6	338
14	CH MACH3 Keili's Blazing Star CDX RA JH XF	В	201	8	281
15	MACH3 Chilcote's Elusive Flyby CDX RE MXF	D	236	2	256
16	GCH CH Brookewood's Just Too Hot CDX MX MXJ XF	D	208	2	228
17	Nipa's Showgun "Gunner" MX MXJ OF	D	125	5	175
18	Shiloh's Unstoppable Molly CDX RA MX MXJ	В	155	1	165
19	CH MACH2 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH XF	В	140	2	160
20	CH Illusion's Hot Topic JH MX MXJ XF	В	104	2	124
21	CH MACH2 Keili's Star Sapphire UDX OM1 RN JH	В	60	4	100
22	Magical Minded Mandy AX AXJ OF	В	86	1	96
23	Tressel AX MXJ NAP NJP XF	D	75	0	75
24	CH Top Shelf's Simple Pleasures CDX RN SH MX MXJ XF	В	67	0	67
25	Tonan's Remember The Time MX MXJ NF	D	60	0	60

AGILITY (PREFERRED)

The top Brittanys in Agility PACH Competition in 2012 (up to May 26, 2012)

Rank	Name	Sex	Points	Dbl Qs	Score
1	PACH Vanilla Hot Fudge Delight MX MXJ MXP10 MJP10 PAX3 MXF	D	194	18	374
2	Katie Barnhart MX MXJ AXP AJP	В	187	4	227
3	MACH Voyageur's B.B. Beretta CD BN GN RA MXP3 MJP3 PAX MXF	В	154	5	204
4	PACH Cinnamon MXP5 MJP4 PAX OFP	В	153	4	193
5	Winchester MXP6 MJP6 PAX OFP	D	103	6	163
6	Chardonnay MXP2 MJP2	В	81	4	121
7	Rusty Ridge Blonde On Blonde OA AXJ MXP2 MJP3 NF OFP	В	72	1	82
8	Nathan New Penny Of Kinship MX MXJ AXP MJP2 OF OFP	D	71	1	81
9	MACH2 Chilcote's Coming Up Roses CDX AJP XF	В	21	0	21

OBEDIENCE

The top Brittanys in Obedience Competition 2012 (Up to May 27, 2012)

Rani	Name	Owner	Points
1	CH OTCH Chilcote's Credit Check UDX14 OM9 JH AX AXJ	Kathleen A Sweet	29
2	OTCH Lane's End Fortune UDX9 OM9 AX AXJ	Kathleen A Sweet	10
3	Maxwell Of Auten UDX3 OM1 VER RE	Christopher R Haedt/Cheryl L Witte- Haedt	1
3	Jayhawker's Lucky Jack UDX2 OM3	Greg Hartlmeier	1

Share Your Obedience/Agility/Rally Stories

Do you have a great photo of your Brittany training for Obedience, Agility or Rally? Want to submit a photo, video or story? We need your help!

Please email webmaster@huntersheart.com your Brittany brags, stories and photos. We'd like to share the highlights in an upcoming issue.

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"A SOUTH DAKOTA PHEASANT HUNT" PG. 46-51



Leave your dogs in the truck tomorrow," Kim advised, as we sat in Kennebec's "cowboy bar" over the remains of a good steak dinner. "With so much game they'll just go crazy, and likely flush the birds far ahead. You'll do better without them." Since it was his ranch homeplace we were to hunt the following day we listened closely to his counsel.

Dick Culbert had arranged an opening weekend pheasant hunt for himself, Dick Jestran, Bill Templeton, and me at Kim Shade's ranch not far from Kennebec. We had checked in at Gerry's Motel late Friday afternoon, and Kim and his right-hand man, Dave Glass, had joined us after dinner for a visit and the making of plans for the next day's hunt.

The beer was cold and plentiful, and the girls leaning over the pool table pretty, so we lingered there while the hunting talk flowed. The South Dakota pheasant country on the night before the season opens is something like Christmas Eve.

It was Kim's firm opinion that we would have a more successful hunt without the help of the three Brittanys Bill and I had brought with us. I had with me the veterans Tom Wolfe, now coming ten years of age, and Summer Dawn, a year younger, sister to Dee's Summer Sunset of field trial reputation. Bill had brought the youngster Nikki, a daughter of Allair's Evereddy out of Sacajawea Charbonneau, herself a sister to Dawn and Sunset. Nikki was a litter mate to Dick Culbert's exciting derby winner (and later national champion) Minnehaha's Tammy.

We thought perhaps Kim was right, that our dogs, schooled on quail as they were, were too close up to field trial stock to prove useful before the gun in search of wild pheasant

Hunting begins at noon in South Dakota. Eleven o'clock Saturday found us parked before the ranch house, laying out a tailgate lunch in the tradition of other autumn Saturdays in other settings.

We put away ham and cheese sandwiches, tangy dill pickles, and a pack of crisp Hydrox cookies, all washed down with milk and orange juice. Juicy Jonathan apples went into our pockets for later munching.

At high noon five of us—Kim had been obliged to work a cattle sale—took to a foxtail field near the ranch house. In spite of the fact that we had no dogs running ahead, hen pheasants began to rise well to the front. We knew the cocks were nearby, but skulking away through the cover while the hens flew.

Finally, in a small marshy swale, we happened upon a dozen roosters. Three fell, two killed cleanly, while a third legged it into a fence row. As we searched for it another cock rose and was taken. Since we were near the house, Bill was sent for Nikki, so that she might search out the injured bird.

Almost at once she had it pointed in heavy cover. Without her the bird would surely have been lost. Encouraged, we sent her on the line the birds had taken. Minutes later she retrieved a colorful cock from a heavy fallen tree top. The next hour's hunting yielded another halfdozen birds. Working under control, Nikki had pointed most of them.

Heavy cover tired the young dog, and at 2 O'clock we returned to the ranch house, cleaned birds, snacked a bit, and resumed the hunt, this time with Tom Wolfe down before the guns. No one was heard to observe that we would do better without a dog.

Working maturely, Tom pointed birds, handled runners, hunted the dead effectively, and retrieved tenderly to hand. Dawn was hunted the last 40 minutes. By 4 O'clock we had limited out and were again cleaning birds while we discussed the hunt. been soaped and soaked, and an early dinner put away.

When we arrived at the ranch on Sunday morning our party had grown to 12! Dick Culbert's partner Don Davis was there, and Kim's cousin Ken and four other friends. During another great tailgate lunch, Kim was heard to say he "hoped we would work the dogs today."

Tom was down first and in two hours of hard hunting helped us bag a score of birds. Without his good nose at least half-a-dozen surely would have been lost. He was especially impressive with fast effective retrieves.

After a tired Tom was put up, an hour's hunt with Dawn and Nikki add another ten roosters. For one Bill and Nikki had to wade the White River, braving "rattle snake bluff" in order to complete the retrieve.

All through the afternoon birds had been taken from grain field heavy hedgerows, thickets, and the cottonwood grove along the river. The hunt ended with close to a limit of birds taken by a dozen hunters.

On Sunday evening Kim and his wife Diane and their wellbehaved kids Cary, Travis, and Audra, and Dave Glass, all joined us for dinner at Gerry's Restaurant. Before we dined we all held hands around the table while five-year old Travis returned thanks. With a good hunt behind us and good friends all around, we felt that we were truly blessed.

On Monday morning we again made the half-hour drive to the ranch through a splendid landscape, colorful in fields of green winter wheat, golden milo stubble and multi-hued grass lands. Treeless, it stretched the eye endlessly to the horizon. It was a never-ending delight, with wildlife continuously in view—pheasants, larks, mourning doves, white tailed deer, hawks, and a huge prairie dog town, filled with chattering rodents.

Kim and his family had left early that morning for a bull sale in Oregon, so when noon came our hunting party numbered six, including Glenn Hutchinson, owner of the ranch, who had come for a hunt and a business visit.

Already the birds were more wary and found less in open cover. A first round with Tom yielded half-a-dozen. Then it was Nikki's turn, and she demonstrated how well the lessons of the hunt had been learned. Bird after bird was nicely handled, pointed, and retrieved to hand. Soon we had near a limit and made our way back to the ranch house.

While our friends cleaned the birds, Dawn and I made on last swing around the foxtail field and along the river. The birds were deep in cover and not until we reached the hearvy grasses on its bank did Dawn make game. A huge rooster flared up from the reeds, cackling as he went. The gun caught and passed him, spoke, and down he came with a thump! at the river's edge.

Dawn was on him in a moment and bore him proudly to me, and we stood there together for a time looking out over the river, savoring the ending of a splendid hunt.

`Bill and I agree during the long drive home, that once again we had been reminded of something that we had learned long ago—that there is no substitute for a bird dog in a bird hunt. One will find more birds, bring more down, put more in the bag, and have a lot more pleasure with a good dog as a partner in the hunt. Our Brittanys and the other pointing breeds can do the job in any kind of setting.

(Reprinted from the American Brittany, June, 1984)

Bedtime came early that night, after tired and aching muscles had



Safe Travels by Jessica Hlebak

Traveling can be stressful for anyone, especially your horse. Just like people, some horses travel very well and others not so much. Here are some tips to help your horses travels stay relaxed and worry free!

Pack ahead



When traveling with horses I usually end up packing more for them than for myself! Packing everything ahead of time will ensure that your horse has everything that he/

she needs when you arrive at your destination.

Be sure to pack buckets for your horse as they are not typically provided at most equine facilities or field trial grounds. I recommend taking two five-gallon buckets, one for feed and one for water. For watering your horse while in transit, I find that an 8 quart bucket is a great size. Most horses will not drink a lot of water while being hauled so this size bucket works great as it is much easier to handle.

The most important item to pack ahead of time is your horses normal feed and hay for the entire trip. Changing feed while traveling is unhealthy for your horse and could easily cause colic as their digestive tracts are very sensitive. Measure out the exact amount of feed and hay that you will need for the entire trip to ensure that you will not run out and have to switch feeds as this could be very detrimental to your horse.

Plan Ahead

Having a well laid out travel plan will make your trip run smoother and allow for trouble free traveling along your route. Plan to stop at large truck stops for fuel as these easily accommodate horse trailers. When traveling with horses, plan to stop and water them every 3-4 hours. If your driving time is going to be over 12 hours, it would be wise to plan

to have an overnight stop during your trip. Standing in the trailer and balancing is tough on a horses legs, muscles and minds. There are several networks of stables that are available for overnight stops throughout the country. A good overnight rest would



be beneficial to both you and your horse on a long trip!

Vehicle Maintenance

Give your truck and trailer a good "once over" before any trip. Check tires for correct air pressure and any signs of dry rot. Go over the trailer flooring and check for any weaknesses. Also, be sure to have a spare tire of the appropriate rating on your trailer and truck. Being stuck on the side of the road is bad enough without a trailer full of horses to worry about. There are also businesses that now offer roadside services for trucks and trailers. These are typically membership based services that can come in very handy when you are in unfamiliar territory with a truck or trailer emergency.

Dress your horse appropriately



Safety should be your number one concern when hauling your horse. Having the appropriate "clothing" on him can help eliminate the risk of injury. Head bumpers will cover and protect your horse's poll and forehead if they have a tendency to toss their heads or get cut/scraped

in the trailer. Leg wraps or shipping boots are the most important item that you can put on your horse to protect them in the trailer. If you choose to use either, be sure to learn the correct way to apply them to your horse's legs so as to not cause any damage.



Taking a few simple steps to plan your trip ahead of time can help to guarantee a safe and worry free trip. This will ensure that your horse will arrive fresh and ready to work for you when you make it to your destination.

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2011 ABC HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE 6X NATIONAL NSTRA CHAMPION NOLAN'S LAST BULLET 1994--2008

Nolan's Last Bullet, call name Buddy, was bred by, and came to me from my late friend and mentor Mr. Dennis Brooks. There is no doubt the guidance and overall bird dog knowledge of Mr. Brooks helped Buddy and me to become a formidable team. That being said, I can honestly say that I probably learned as much from Buddy as he ever learned from me. Buddy amazed me on a daily basis with his personality and intelligence so please excuse my telling of his accomplishments as a man with a heart full of pride and not as arrogant or boastful.

Buddy's long and storied career resulted from somewhat of a perfect storm of conditions. I was young, unmarried, worked four ten hour days a week, had support from my family and relatively little to spend my money on other than traveling the country running my dog in trials. From there, Buddy did the rest. His style, speed, and range were formidable but his ability to adjust to conditions and outright bird sense were by far the biggest weapons in his arsenal. He used those abilities to capture or co-hold all of the significant NSTRA field trial records. He still holds the records for the most championships (32), most national placements (13), most National Top Performance Award single season points (102), and co-holds the records of most National Championships (6), and most National Top Performance Award wins (3). All of these records were previously held by either English Pointers or Setters! Along the way he added (2) Quail Unlimited National Championships and (5) NSTRA Regional Championships. He always seemed to rise to the occasion and I won't go so far to say that he struck fear in those long tails but he sure made them scratch their heads more than once. Buddy's entire career was competing against a competition field made up of 80 per cent Pointers and Setters.

A brief history and background on the National Shoot to Retrieve field trial association (NSTRA) I feel is necessary to shed some light on Buddy's abilities and accomplishments. NSTRA, founded in 1968, is a field trial association open to all pointing breeds. The association place

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an emphasis on bird finding ability and a premium on style, both pointing and retrieving to hand. The majority of dogs competing in NSTRA are English Pointers and Setters, with Brittanys and Shorthairs making up about twenty percent of the average entry. Championships are reached by obtaining points in weekend competitions with first place garnering 3 points, second 2 points and third 1 point. A championship requires 18 points with at least 9 points coming from 1st place points. Weekend trials are 30 minute braces. The National and Regional Championships are run employing 30 minute braces over consecutive days and culminating with a grueling final day for the winner and runnerup. On the final day the top two finishers will run 3 qualifying heats and finish with an hour brace for a total of two and a half hours on the ground in open competition. Endurance is a must and there is absolutely no substitute for "heart"!

> The true test of a legacy is measured by what you leave behind and Buddy is holding his own in this category. In the 28 years leading up to Buddy arriving on the NSTRA scene there had been 3 Brittany National Champions with a total of four championships. He has to date produced six NSTRA National Champions, from 5 different females, with seven Championships between them. The fact that he and his direct offspring have accounted for 13 National Championships since, is one accomplishment I am very proud of. He also has 4 additional progeny with NSTRA national placements and has sired 38 NSTRA Champions. His production record has not been limited to NSTRA. He has produced AKC Field and Amateur Field Champions also a couple of Show Champions. At the ABC national level he has sired FC/AFC Hy Steppin Maggie SH, the 2008

runner-up ABC National Amateur Gun Dog Champion as well as FC Boudreaux's Hi-Caliber Bullet the fourth place in that Championship. His prepotency has carried beyond the first generation as well as he is the grand-sire of NOGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn and also the 2011 NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid and it is they who shall bear his flag into the future.

Nolan Huffman

Hunt Tests

IOWA Steelclay Shooting Sports, LLC Eddyville, IA April 21-22, 2012

The Iowa Brittany Club's AKC Spring 2012 Hunt Test was held on April 21st and 22nd at the Steelclay Shooting Sports, LLC facility near Eddyville, Iowa, with the weather cooperating well. We hosted old friends returning from our previous events as well as participants new to our venue. Brittanys, Vizslas, German Shorthairs, German Wirehairs, and Griffons participated, with Kendall Brown, Randy Caldwell, Kirk Gunter and Steve Ries judging the performances.

A special thank you to our hosts, Larry and Lisa Dunn, owners of the Steelclay Shooting Sports facility for both their generous hospitality and active participation in our events. Their grounds and clubhouse set the perfect stage for our venue, and the viewing stand overlooking the backfield and bird field is always a big plus for our participants and guests! A big thank you as well to the lowa Brittany Club Hunt Test Committee, judges, volunteers and of course participants who make this a fun and successful event. Planning for this fall is already in the works! Roger Stowell

Hunt Test Chariman

April 21, 2012 Junior Hunter (15S) J: Kendall Brown & Randy Caldwell BLAZIN SHADOW'S BAMA JAMA JH; o Roger Stowell COCO LEO ST. CLAIR JH; o Jon St. Clair WILD MTN'S MIDNIGHT RENDEZVOUS; o Marcy Beveridge

Senior Hunter (2S) J: Kendall Brown & Randy Caldwell CH AMMO'S HIGH TIDE; o Angela Thompson

Master Hunter (1S) J: Kendall Brown & Randy Caldwell No Qualifiers

April 22, 2012 Junior Hunter (17S) J: Kirk Gunter & Steve Ries COCO LEO ST. CLAIR JH; o Jon St. Clair KB CHIEFTANS PRINCESS; o Kendall Brown BLAZIN SHADOW'S BAM A JAMA JH; o Roger Stowell

> Senior Hunter (2S) J: Kirk Gunter & Steve Ries No Qualifiers

> Master Hunter (3S) J: Kirk Gunter & Steve Ries No Brittany Qualifiers

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA Kick Back Ranch Penn Valley, CA April 21-22, 2012

April 21, 2012 Junior Hunter (6S) J: Anne Boyd & Alan Brann

WOLRAM'S WHAT WAS I THINKING; o Suzanne Marlow

Senior Hunter (10S) J: Anne Boyd & Alan Brann No Brittany Qualifiers

Master Hunter (10S) J: Anne Boyd & Alan Brann DC/AFC BRETON'S TRUCKEE RIVER GOLD; o Gordon Theilen, DVM & Christine Zink BRETON'S CRISSCROSS JOCKO; o Louis Schmitz

April 22, 2012 Junior Hunter (6S) J: Jan Schmoldt & Linda Azevedo WOLRAM'S WHAT WAS I THINKING; o Suzanne Marlow

Senior Hunter (9S) J: Jan Schmoldt & Linda Azevedo HI PROOF BRANDY MIST; o Jim Murphy

Master Hunter (10S) J: Jan Schmoldt & Linda Azevedo DC/AFC BRETON'S TRUCKEE RIVER GOLD; o Gordon Theilen, DVM & Christine Zink BRETON'S CRISCROSS JOCKO; o Louis Schmitz

> SOUTHERN KANSAS Crampton Farm Yoder, KS April 28, 2012

Junior Hunter (13S) J: Taylor Smith & Marnie Selstedt DIAMOND CREEK'S WHOA NELLIE; o Amy & David Budke FAIRVIEW HIGHPLAINS CHARLEY; o Carl Hamm

> Senior Hunter (6S) J: Taylor Smith & Marnie Selstedt No Brittany Qualifiers

Master Hunter (8S) J: Taylor Smith & Marnie Selstedt No Brittany Qualifiers

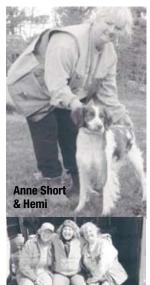
CENTRAL MAINE Kennebunk, ME

April 28-29, 2012

On April 28th & 29th, 2012, sunny yet windy and chilly temperatures greeted members, friends and dogs at the Central Main Brittany Club's recent Hunt Test held at the Kennebunk Maine Wildlife Management Area. This is believed to have been the first one since 1994. The weather could have been better but it also could have been worse. On Saturday it was challenging for both dogs and handlers due to the unusually strong, heavy, and brisk winds. Even so, many dogs qualified on the first day including the Spinone who earned his 4th and final set of qualifying scores for his new AKC Junior Hunter title. On Sunday the winds died down a little bit which did help the overall scenting conditions. Each day was full with dogs running on two courses. Testing began by 8 a.m. and lasted well into the afternoon winding down about 2 p.m. Hunt Test Secretary John Short had his horse trailer set up to serve us as an impromptu 'office' where judges worked with the hunt test committee helping with the paperwork. His pickup truck also doubled as a 'dog wagon', transporting senior dogs to and from their course. New members helped out in many ways including Bob Poulin serving as Official Gunner along with member Tom Zuk. Recently gualified to judge Juniors, member Sam Jackson had his first judging assignment which was with member Steve Belletti. Newest members Lisa and Larry Ketner helped with cooking and bird planting respectively. Members Julie Harris, Ann Short, and committee chair Pamela Jackson did their best to keep the paperwork under control among many other things. Pointing breeds represented at various testing levels included of course a majority of Brittanys, a Spinone, a Wire Haired Pointing Griffon, five English Setters, one Gordon Setter, and a German Shorthair Pointer. Some folks stopped by just to see what a hunt test was like. Others had heard about the CMBC tests word of mouth through concerted efforts to spread throughout Maine and New England. One family drove from Connecticut with three Brittanys just to support the club. There were entries from other regional Brittany clubs as well as folks who had participated with CMBC's two public pointing dog trainings held in the past year or so. In addition to several club members pitching in and helping out folks from other dog clubs stepped up to the plate to help which was greatly appreciated. There were many newcomers to the world of AKC Hunt Tests who really did quite well with their dogs, some of which were as young as nine months of age - and gualified! We had great judges who also helped the committee with paperwork - new to all of us. As CMBC has been fostering a positive relationship with the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife representatives from the state were on hand as well. In addition to the Spinone finishing his JH title, two of the Brittanys finished as well.

It would be impossible to name each individual person who contributed to the success of this hunt test. Surely someone would be left out. Suffice to





say that everyone who pitched in one way or another was greatlyappreciated. value is Much placed on the willingness to come along and help out wherever help is needed, especially when they are not even testing dog. Anyone а who has put on a dog related event knows there is a lot of work that goes on before, during, afterwards. and you Thank to the entire hunt test committee, judges, the the gunners, those who participated, and to those members and

CME Club Members J. Harris, P. Jackson, A Short

friends who helped out as needed. Congratulations to each qualifier and we do hope to see you again in the fall. A special note of congratulations to Matt Tinker, Jim & Lori Turner, and Jim & Lisa Rollins for their newly titled Junior Hunter dogs! Respectfully submitted,

John & Ann Short, Julie Harris, Sam & Pamela Jackson, Tom Zuk, Stephen Stepanian CMBC 2012 Spring Hunt Test Committee

April 28, 2012 Junior Hunter A (11S) J: George Dube & Thomas A. Dwyer TESSIE REDD YANKEE JH; o Steven Belleti CALI; o Bill Janelle BELKNAP'S REASON TO BELIEVE; o Thomas S. & Kimberly D. & Cynthia Zuk J&A'S INTREPID BENEDICT OF DEER COVE; o Wayne C. & Parbara A. Richards J&A'S SUPERIOR JESSIE; o James & Lori Turner SETTERHEAVEN LUCKY PENNY; o Malcolm E. Parsons, Jr.

Junior Hunter B (6S) J: William M. Fralick & Mark K. Gallagher J&A SUPERIOR BRANDI; o James Turner HUNTER'S BUDDY III; o Brian Drelick CH GIBSON JH CGC; o Robert & Pamela Jackson J&A SISTERS OF THE HEART; o Julie M. Harris & Ann H. Short

Senior Hunter (8S) J: Brian P. Drelick & Aaron Crown J&A KEEPER OF THE STARS; o John & Ann H Short

> Master Hunter (1S) J: Brian P. Drelick & Aaron Crown No Qualifiers

April 29, 2012 Junior Hunter (16S) J: Steven Belletti & Robert Jackson

MERRYMETTINGS BRANDY; o Walter Longley BELKNAP'S REASON TO BELIEVE; o Thomas & Kim & Cynthia Zuk LEON POND'S WILSON AZOO; o Brett & Jessica Carlson JASMINES BELLADONNA; o James & Lisa Rollins J&A'S SUPERIOR NOVA; o James & Lori Turner J&A'S SUPERIOR BRANDI; o James & Lori Turner J&A'S SISTERS OF THE HEART; o Julie Harris & Ann Short J&A'S MAGNIFICENT OBSESSION OF ACTON; o John & Ann Short, Sr. MERRYMETTINGS HUNTER; o Walter Longley J&A'S SUPERIOR JESSIE; o James & Lori Turner

Senior Hunter (10S) J: Philip Thayer, Jr. & L. B. Gagnon J&A'S HIGH CALIBER HARRIS SPECIAL JH; o James G. & Julie M. Harris DC/AFC FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG; o Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork

> Master Hunter (1S) J: L. B. Gagnon & Philip Thayer No Qualifiers

GREATER INDIANAPOLIS Farmland Conservation Club Farmland, IN April 28-29, 2012

With 40 dogs to run, an hour delay for a thunder storm pushed us into the evening on Saturday. The evening was finished with a wonderful dinner provided by the GIBC. Thanks go out to Sandy Mewbourn, Carol Rich, Lola Bisner and Sheila Becker for all the work in the kitchen. Thanks also to Sandy and Carol for running the kitchen on Sunday. The weather on Sunday however couldn't have been much better. With cool temperatures and overcast skies with a light breeze, we finished with a very successful hunt test.

Thanks go out to our judges for a job well done. Thank you to Eddie Manifold, Mark Holzinger and Nickie Redick for providing the horses. Thanks to our gunners; Jeff parks, Rob Rich (he only missed the first one) and Herbie Manifold. Thanks to our bird planters Ken Mewbourn, Marc Redick, Ken Plummer and Kyle Becker. Thanks also to Tim Piotrzkowski for manning the brace sign and getting the score sheets from the judges.

I know he wouldn't want me to say, but thank you Eddie Manifold for all the behind the scenes work as Chairman. Brent Becker Secretary

April 28, 2012 Junior Hunter (17S) J: Jeffrey L. Gilchrist & Patricia L. Rundell

NMR COPLEY BEE A MARTINI; o Robin Tomasi & Barb & Tim Dayton NMR CALL ME SECOND IN COMMAND; o Nickie & Marcus Redick & George & Vickie Manifold JD'S LACEY JANE; o Josh Gregg

Senior Hunter (16S) J: Mark S. Holzinger & Deborah Frindlund Lynn VEM'S CLOSE CALL JASMINE; o Sheila & Brent Becker RIO CORRIENTE; o Matthew R. Beach PUTTIN THE HAMMER DOWN; o William & Cindy Eppard CH MARSPORT HERE'S JOHNNY JH; o Linda Allen MARSPORT BENLYDIA'S HURRICANE JESSIE; o Benjamin & Lydia Edinger

Master Hunter (6S) J: Mark S. Holzinger & Deborah Fridlund Lynn No Brittany Qualifiers

April 29, 2012 Junior Hunter (13S) J: Mark S. Holzinger & Deborah Fridlund Lynn NMR CALL ME SECOND IN COMMAND; o Nickie & Marcus Redick & George & Vickie Manifold NMR COPLEY BEE A MARTINI; o Robin Tomasi & Barbara & Tim Dayton

Senior Hunter (14S) J: Jeffrey L. Gilchrist & Patricia L. Rundell MARSPORT CAVALIER KASEY; o Rick Stanfield VEM'S CLOSE CALL JASMINE; o Sheila & Brent Becker KING FARMS WHAT ABOUT ME; o Bill & Cindy Eppard

Master Hunter (8S) J: Jeffrey L. Gilchrist & Patricia L. Rundell No Brittany Qualifiers

BUCKEYE

Circleville, OH May 12-13, 2012

May 12, 2012 Junior Hunter (13S) J: Robert Webb & Frank Watters MOUNTAINEER RUEBEN JAMES; o George Simons MOUNTAINEER BIRDFINDER RASCAL; o George Simons GROUSETANGLE LOBO'S WINGMAN; o Jim Hamer

> Senior Hunter (16S) J: Robert Webb & Frank Waters RIO CORRIENTE; o Matthew Beach

Master Hunter (4S) J: Robert Webb & Frank Watters No Qualifiers

May 13, 2012 Junior Hunter (10S) J: Dennis Henry & Cassie Allen GROUSETANGLE LOBO'S WINGMAN; o Jim Hamer LUCILLE LA BELLE; o George Kucsma

> Senior Hunter (12S) J: Dennis Henry & Cassie Allen MIAMI SUNRISE; o Ryan Thayer

Master Hunter (4S) J: Cassie Allen & Dennis Henry No Qualifiers

Field Trials

East Coast

NORTH JERSEY Medford, NJ April 4-8, 2012

Amateur Walking Puppy (4S) J: Ed Kerr & Judy Kiracofe

- 1 -MARJO'S PARTY LIKE A ROCKSTAR (B), by FC/ AFC Marjo's Red Rum x FC/AFC Marjo's Here for the Party; o/h Anne Marie Martucci
- 2 -ROXIE ROCKS (B), by Clyde's Micro-Breeze x Six Ridge Marmalade; o/h Joseph Mazza
- 3 -LOUIS THE SUN KING, (D), by Clyde's Micro-Breeze x Six Ridge Marmalade; o/h John Scarangello
- 4 -WOODLAND'S FORREST FIRE (D), by Britt Haven's Blaze of Glory x Hope's Dream Weaver; o John & Karen Schramm, h John Schramm

Open Puppy (10S) J: Mary Allen & Judy Kiracofe 1 -EIGHTY EIGHT'S WILDEYED KONA (B), EP

- 2 -BRAVEHEART'S SLICK CHICK (B), GSP
- 3 -LIL AND MIKE'S SOPHIE TUCKER (B), by Clydes
- Micro-Breeze x Rose and Dan's Diamond Lil; o/h Ed & Ellen Kerr
- 4 -GINJAC N ILLUSION ANYWAY YOU WANT IT (D), by Country Road's Rough Rider x GinJac Brookwood Sizzlin' Hot at Kabina; o Jeff & Gina Currier, h Jeff Currier

Open Derby (7S) J: Ralph Kiracofe & Joe Sikorski

- 1 -LIL AND MIKE'S WHOA NELLIE (B), by Clyde's Micro Breeze x Rose and Dan's Diamond Lil; o Edward & Ellen Kerr, h Edward Kerr
- 2 -YEACOMICO DANCING DELIGHT (B), VIZ 3-4 -Withheld



BRITWOODS DOUBLE JEOPARDY

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (14S) J: Joe Sikorski & Ed Kerr

- 1 -WYNFIELDS WINDSWEPT JERZ DEVIL (B), GSP
- 2 -BROAD RUN'S BLAZING DELIGHT (B), VIZ
- 3 -FC/AFC COVEYRISE FLYBOY (D), by RJA's Zac-A-Tac Allmac x Norma Jean; o Brian Grady, h Bruce R. Conover
- 4 -BRITWOODS DOUBLE JEOPARDY (B), by Pistol V x Shotgun; o/h LuAnn Fullwood

Open Gun Dog (24S) J: Mary Allen & Mike Penn

- 1 -DC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN (D), by 2xNFC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Sunshine's Shadow Shining; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 2 -RAVENWOOD'S WITCHY WOMEN (B), GSP
- 3 -AFC MORNINGSIDE BEAU FORTUNE (D), by Shiloh's Blazin Tri'd N Tru x Speargrass Kate; o/h Gary Guz
- 4 -FC KILLDEE'S ANTICIPATION (B), by FC Chikamin's Double Trouble x Killdee's Sosueme; o Janet Garrell & Jeff Currier, h Jeff Currier



NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S FOR PETE'S SAKE



DC/AFC BOURBON'S STRAIGHT UP

Amateur Limited Gun Dog (25S) J: Dave McKay & Sherry Ebert

- 1 -NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S FOR PETE'S SAKE (D), by Hits a Boy Named Sioux x Marjo's Spirit of Hybrittin; o Judy & Ralph Kiracofe, h Judy Kiracofe
- 2 -HIT'S A ROCKY ROAD (D), by Buck's Hit the Road Jack x Marjo's Hightest Bella; o Judy & Ralph Kiracofe, h Ralph Kiracofe
- 3 -MARJO'S CRUZAN ROVAN (B), by Marjo's Red Rum x Rovan's Hurrican Hannah; o Marsha Luisi, h Joe Luisi
- 4 -DC/AFC BOURBON'S STRAIGHT UP (D), by Bourbon's XIII x Tall Pines Little Libby; o/h Dan Rein

Amateur All Age (8S) J: Ralph Kiracofe & Jeff Currier

- 1 -BROAD RUN'S BLAZING DELIGHT (B), VIZ
- 2 -DIAMOND HILL RECKLESSS ENDEAVOUR (D), by Diamond Hill Dan x Deuces Bombay Sapphire; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 3 -FC LIMITED EDITION III (D), by Quail Ridge

Bandit x Quail Ridge Gladys; o/h Lou Palazzolo 4 -Withheld



FC MUSTANG SALLY VIII

Open All Age (14S) J: Mike Penn & Joe Sikorski

- 1-2 -Withheld
- 3 -WOODLAND'S MONEY PIT (B), by Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x W-Haven Moose and Dixie's Kim; o/h Karen Pillion-Schramm
- 4 -FC MUSTANG SALLY VIII (B), by TBF's Fistful of Aces x Coppertop's Alderwitch; o/h Hans Borgman

2012 Delaware Valley Champagne Memorial Shooting Dog Classic

Wednesday, April 4, 2012 at 8:00 A.M. the Classic began. We had 25 dogs to run. We completed six braces on Wednesday and seven braces on Thursday. The weather was to be great through the weekend. The first day went well followed by a good dinner sponsored by Loyall Dog Food. Thursday was another beautiful day. This night was the winner's dinner from last year, Marjo's Here for the Party, Joe and Marsha Luisi. Anne Marie Luisi was a great help in putting this together with her decorative skills. It was a great lasagna dinner. There were both meat and veggie lasagna with all the fixings. Friday was the beginning of the weekend trial followed by the Classic's placements and party. Everyone had a great time with good friends and food. The blue grass band was spectacular. There was lots of dancing and a fun time was had by all. A special and big thank you to our sponsors Loyall Dog Food and Nutrena Feed, Water and Wings and Longview Kennels. Thank you to everyone for helping to put on a very successful trial.

The Winners

1st place came from the brace 2 – Hope's Carolina Sunshine:

Hope's Carolina Sunshine (Sonny) – Handled by Marvin Roth and Marjo's Here for the Party (Gretchen) – Handled by Joe Luisi

The brace broke away at 8:40. Sonny and Gretchen were on the move. At eight minutes point was called for Sony on the outside of the wet field. Bird lifted and all was in order. Gretchen was not in sight yet. At 15 minutes Sonny scored a 2nd



Left to right: Judge Mike Mullineaux, William Applegate, Judy Kiracofe, Judge Sherry Ebert, Marvin Roth, Ronnie Clark, Ivan Clark, John Perry, Joanne Perry, Karen Schramm, Lou Palazzolo

nice find and Gretchen was spotted on the move. Both dogs were forward and hunting. Sonny had a 3rd find at the Island 40 minutes into the brace. The dogs continued in a good forward manner. Point was called at the cross-tree line by the wet field. Sonny had his 4th find. Moving on through the orchard, both dogs had a find. The dogs were released and time was called.

2nd place came from brace 8 – Rovan's Hurricane Hannah

Hit's Showtime (Brandy) – Handled by John Perry and Rovan's Hurricane Hannah (Hannah) – Handled by Ronnie Clark

Both dogs were running hard and forward. Hannah scored her first find at the wet field. With everything in order and a stylish find, Hannah was moved on. Point was called for Brandy and Hannah in the woods by the gate. Each dog had their own bird. Shots were fired and both dogs were on the move again. Both finished forward and hunting.

3rd place came from brace 11 – Blue Rock's Diamond Girl

Blue Rock's Diamond Girl (Diamond) – Handled by John Perry and Hit's for Pete Sake (Petey) – Handled by Judy Kiracofe

The dogs broke away well forward. At 13 minutes point was called for both dogs in the wet field. Diamond's handler flushed the birds and she was moved on. Petey was relocated and he had an unproductive. Diamond took the left side towards Jake's cut and established a hard point. The handler could not produce the bird and took it as an unproductive. Diamond took to the front and continued forward. Petey had a 2nd unproductive.

4th place came from brace 5 – Woodland's Money Pit

Mustang Sally (Sally) – Handled by Hans Borgman and Woodland's Money Pit (Chloe) – Karen Schramm

At 3:20 we broke away. Chloe and Sally were moving and not looking back. Out front Sally's

handler was seen collaring her. At 20 minutes Chloe had a find in the woods by the gate. Chloe was moving forward and handling kindly. Chloe scored a 2nd find at the cross-hedge row by jakes Cut. With nice style all was in order. Chloe ended with a nice run.

The rest of the running Wednesday, April 4 1st brace: Saving Private Ryan (Ryan) – Handled by Ed Kerr and Britt Haven's Blaze of

Glory (Blaze) – Handled by John Schramm Both dogs broke away well. Before we went over the bridge, Blaze had an unproductive on the right side that proved to be a cat. Ryan continued over the bridge towards the wet field. At 20 minutes, point was called for Blaze in the woods by the gate. After his relocation, Blaze chased and was up. Ryan continued forward with a good pace. At 25 minutes he was in the Cow field and was going with the birds.

3rd brace: Hit's a Rocky Road (Rocky) – Handled by Ralph Kiracofe and Mr. B's Butch (Butch) – Handled by Hans Borgman

These dogs had a strong breakaway. At eight minutes point was called for Rocky with Butch backing. With everything in order, the dogs were released. Rocky had his 2nd find at the Island and Butch was going wide in the next field. Rocky had an unproductive that proved to be a squirrel out by the power lines. At 44 Butch had a 2nd find at the cross-tree line and was mannerly.

4th brace: Covey Rise This Budz 4U (Bud) – Handled by Bruce Conover and Kildee's Anticipation (Annie) – Handled by John Perry

Annie and Bud broke away nicely and handled kindly. Point was called for Annie at 20 minutes in the wet field and Bud was backing. With all in order, both dogs were moved on. Bud had an encounter and was up. Annie handled very kindly and her 2nd find was at the woods by the gate. She made a nice move in the airport field on the left side and at the Island was her 3rd find. All was in order, she was released and time was called.

6th brace: Diamond Rio (Beau) – Handled by Hans Borgman and Covey Rise Fly Boy (Jet) – Handled by Bruce Conover

Beau and Jet both scored with their first find in the wet field at 15 minutes. Both dogs moved forward with a pleasing run. At 25 minutes point was called for Jet in the woods by the gate. Jet had an unproductive at 35 minutes. Beau had her 2nd find at the Island and Jet was backing. At 45 minutes point was called for Beau and Jet was backing in fashion. On the relocation, Jet was moved on. This was an unproductive for Beau. Both dogs finished.

Day 2, 7th brace: Marjo's Irish Legend (Katie) – Handled by Judy Kiracofe and Jack's Tough Enough (Corey) – Handled by Brent Rupnow

8:07 was the breakaway. Both dogs broke away with style. At 17 point was called for Katie with Corey backing at the wet field. The birds took flight and all was in order; both dogs were very mannerly and were moved on. At 26 Corey was standing on the edge of the woods after the gate. As Brent dismounted Corey was relocating himself and was up. Katie was on the other side of the woods going with a bird.

9th brace: Rovan's Tailwind Tommy (Tommy) – Handled by Ivan Clark and Scirocco Del Prado (Ricco) – Handled by Les Casselberry

These two dogs were strong runners. Tommy's 1st find was in the wet field at 10 minutes. Ricco had a find at 12 minutes in the orchard. Both dogs handled their bird work well. Tommy scored his 2nd find at 40 minutes at the Island. Ricco was rimming the next field over. Both dogs were running down the tree line going away when time was called.

10th brace: Brigadoon's Luck of the Draw (Luke) – Handled by Paul Snyder and Limited Edition III (Sam) – Handled by Lou Palazzolo The dogs were gone from the start. Luke had a find in the wet field and Sam was backing. Luke's second find was a dead bird. Out to the Foundation,

through the Cow field and into the Airport field both dogs were forward and Luke had his own agenda. At the Island Paul's horse stumbled and Paul was off and called it a day. Sam finished running he course.

12th brace: Hit's All Jack'd Up (Cruise) – Handled by Joe Sikorski and Marjo's Cruzan Rovan (Cruzan) – Handled by Joe Luisi

This brace proved to be a challenge with both handlers named Joe and the dogs' names Cruise and Cruzan. Both dogs were forward. Cruise had an unproductive at the wet field. His 2nd find was at the wood by the gate with all in order. Cruzan had her 1st find in the Cow field. Both dogs were to the front and rimming the fields. Cruzan was ordered up when she brought her handler a bird. Out to the orchard went Cruise where he scored his next find and time was called.

13th brace: Sigbrit's the Diamonds in Me (Diamond) – Handled by Ed Kerr

Diamond broke away and handled nicely. She established point on the backside of the orchard at 25 minutes where her handler chose to pick her up.



HOPE'S CAROLINE SUNSHINE

Open Limited Gun Dog 1hr (25S) J: Mike Mullineaux & Sherry Ebert

- 1 -HOPE'S CAROLINE SUNSHINE (D), by Sigbret-Hopes Quaterback Sneak x Hopes Card Trick; o William Applegate, h Marvin Roth
- 2 -ROVAN'S HURRICAN HANNAH (B), by Just Call Me Roy x Rovans Roxy Red Englehardt; o/h Ronnie Clark
- 3 -BLUE ROCK'S DIAMOND GIRL (B), by Lightining's Tazmanian Devil x Bourbon Brook's Abby Cadabra; o/h John A. Perry
- 4 -WOODLAND'S MONEY PIT (B), by Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x W-Haven Moose and Dixie's Kim; o/h Karen Schramm

DEL-VAL English Setter Club Medford, NJ April 28-29, 2012

Open Puppy (7S) J: Frank Boccanfuso & Joe Sikorski 1 -HELLO LUCY (B), GSP 2 -LIL AND MIKE'S SOPHIE TUCKER (B), by FC/ AFC Clyde's Micro-Breeze x Rose and Dan's Diamond Lil; o Edward & Ellen Kerr, h Ed Kerr

- 3 -MARJO'S PARTY LIKE A ROCKSTAR (B), by FC/ AFC Marjo's Red Rum x FC/AFC Marjo's Here for the Party; o/h Anne Marie Martucci
- 4 -SCOUT'S POINT'EM OUT (D), by Jogger's Reserve x Six Ridge Marmalade; o/h Troy Hoverter

Open Derby (8S) J: Joe Sikorski & Marvin Roth

- LIL AND MIKE'S SOPHIE TUCKER (B), by FC/AFC Clyde's Micro Breeze; o Edward & Ellen Kerr
- 2 -SOS'S PRINCESS MIABELLA (B), GSP
- 3 -BOUDREAUX'S DAKOTA PLUM NUTS (D), by FC/AFC Kinwashkly Dakota Molester x FC/AFC Beaudreaux's Hi-Caliber Bullet; o Darlene Dow & Ed Kostka, h Darlene Dow
- 4 -Withheld

Amateur Gun Dog (21S) J: Jim D'Amico & Dan Rein

- 1 -FC/AFC HOPES CAROLINA SUNSHINE (D), by Sigbret-Hopes Quarterback Sneak x CH Hopes Card Trick; o William Applegate, h Marvin Roth
- 2 -NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S FOR PETE'S SAKE (D), by Hits A Boy Named Sioux x FC/AFC Marjo's Spirit of Hybrittin; o Judy & Ralph Kiracofe, h Judy Kiracofe
- 3 -WOODLAND'S MONEY PIT (B), by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x FC W-Haven Moose And Dixie's Kim; o/h Karen Pillion-Schram
- 4 -BYE-BYE RACHEL (B), GSP

Open Gun Dog (17S) J: Jerry Albanese & Brian Maloney

- 1 -WOODLAND'S MONEY PIT (B), by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x FC W-Haven Moose and Dixie's Kim; o/h Karen Pillion-Schramm
- 2 -NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S ALL JACK'D UP (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Buck's Hit the Road Jack x Marjo's Hightest Bella; o Claire Ricci & Joe Sikorski, h Joe Sikorski
- 3 -MARJO'S CRUZAN ROVAN (B), by FC/AFC Marjo's Red Rum x FC Rovan's Hurricane Hannah; o/h Marsha Luisi
- 4 -BUCK'S YANKEE BOY (D), by FC/AFC Buck's Amigo Red x Marjo's Angelfire; o Frank & Carole Buccanfuso, h Frank Boccanfuso



FC DIAMOND HILL DEUCES GONE WILD

Amateur All Age (14S) J: Judy Kiracofe & Dan Rein 1 -LIMITED EDITION III (D), by Quail Ridge Bandit

x Quail Ridge Bandit; o Louis Palazzolo, h Lou Palazzolo

- 2 -MARJO'S JOHNNIE WALKER (D), by FC/AFC Marjo's Red Rum x Marjo's Fly Honey Bella; o/h Marsha Luisi
- 3 -DC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN (D), by 2xNFC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Sunshines Shadow Shining; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 4 -FC DIAMOND HILL DEUCES GONE WILD (D), by 2xNFC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Deuces Bombay Sapphaire; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock

Open All Age (9S) J: Jerry Albanese & Marvin Roth

- 1 -NGDC/FC/AFC HITS ALL JACK'D UP (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Bucks Hit the Road Jack x Marjos Hightest Bella; o Claire Ricci & Joseph Sikorski, h Joe Sikorski
- 2 -DIAMOND HILL RECKLESS ENDEAVOR (D), by 2xNFC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Deuces Bombay Sapphire; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 3 -NFC/NAFC/FC/AFC MILOMAX ROY (D), GS
- 4 -Withheld

HUDSON VALLEY Lost Pond Oxford, NY May 5-6, 2012

Amateur Puppy (9S) J: Shan Wessels & Bill Gorman

- -GREEN MOUNTAIN SHOT GUNN LIZY (B), by NAGDC/NGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Smoke's Lightening Feather; o Mike & Deb Blondin, h Mike Blondin
- 2 -REIDYHILLS WHISTLING DIXIE (B), by NGDCH/ FC/AFC Hit's All Jack'd Up x Marjos Alakazum; o/h Henry Wierzbicki
- 3 -SARADAC'S DIRTY DEALER (D), by CH Saradac's Red Hot Rascal x Dreamy Kelly Girl; o Darlene Dow & Edward Kostka, Jr., h Darlene Dow
- 4 -CORBRITTS ROCKIN 'DA BOONDOCKS (D), by DC/AFC This Gamber's Flyn x Sarseans Rockin' Z Nite Away MH: o Daniel & Donna Cordero, h Daniel Cordero

Open Puppy (8S) J: Thomas George & Bill Gorman

- 1 -GREEN MOUNTAIN SHOT GUNN LIZY (B), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Smoke's Lightening Feather; o Mike & Deb Blondin, h Mike Blondin
- 2 -LUCY OF HUNTER RIDGE (B), VIZ
- 3 -REIDYHILLS WHISTLING DIXIE (B), by NGDC/FC/ AFC Hit's All Jack'd Up x Marjos Alakazam; o/h Henry Wiezbicki
- 4 -CLEARIDGE'S INDEPENDENT BEN (D), VIZ

Amateur Walking Derby (6S) J: Leslie Hunt & Bill Gorman

- 1 -AMMOS' PLAY IT PRETTY (B), by CH Ammos' One Man Band x Ammo's Wild Honey; o Jane Bjork & Sandra Leavens, h Jane Bjork
- 2 -LITTLE BOOGIE WOOGIE BOY (D), by FC/AFC Little Rock It Man x Capewind's Little Tildy; o/h Shan Wessels
- 3 -STEINHOFF'S HERE WE GO AGAIN JH (D), GSP
- 4 -Withheld

Open Derby (5S) J: Lisa Pollock & Leslie Hunt

- 1 -BLACK CREEK HAMMERIN JACKIE (B), by NFC Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x Rimarda's Dixie Darlin; o/h Ronald W. Harling, Jr.
- 2 -BOUDREAUX'S GLORY-QUAIL-A-LOO-YA (B), by Sabre's Shake It Up x Boudreaux's Billie Button; o Darlene Dow & Edward Kostka, Jr., h Darlene Dow
- 3 -SADDLE'S LEVI VON GREIF (D), GSP
- 4 -Withheld

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (21S) J: Michael Blondin & Dr. William Orlando

- 1 -DC/AFC DIAMOND HILLL DANGEROUS MAN (D), by 2xNFC/AFC Diamond Hill Dan x Sunshines Shadow Shining; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 2 -FC/AFC THE HOLIDAY KID (B), by FC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC/AFC Bebop Finnegan's Holiday; o/h Frances Gorman
- 3 -MR. P'S TWINKIE JH (D), by FC/AFC Ray's Pride of Coos x J and R's Sara Lee; o John & Rita Poland, h John Poland
- 4 -SPRING HILL'S CHICA DEL PRADO (B), by DC/ AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x CH Spring Hills Midnight Flame; o Leslie & Donna Casselberry, h Leslie Casselberry

Open Gun Dog (15S) J: Ed Kerr & Paul Pollock

- 1 -ROSIE THE TERROR (B), by DC Havapals Renegade Billy Boy x FC W-Haven Moose and Dixie's Kim; o/h Mario Maiale
- 2 -AFC SMOKIN HOT MOCHA (B), by Ortho Acres Bubba Holly x Birch Hills Simple Choice; o/h Henry Wierzbicki
- 3 CH UP N ADAM'S CHEROKEE SPIRIT (B), GSP
- 4 -COLBYS HOBO RUN (D), by Birch Hill Hobo x Centervilles Whim; o Paul Arcand & Corinne Walsh, h Paul Arcand

Amateur Limited Gun Dog (18S) J: Tony Smid & Les Casselberry

- 1 -FC/AFC JETER III (D), by FC Coos Rylee x Kirby Mountain Maggie JH; o/h Mike Blondin
- 2 -FC KILLDEE'S ANTICIPATION (B), by FC Chikamin's Double Trouble x Killdee's Sosueme; o Janet Garrell & Jeff Currier, h Janet Garrell
- 3 -DC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN (D), by 2xNFC Diamond Hill Dan x Sunshines Shadow Shining; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 4 -BRIGADOON'S RUNAROUND SIOUX (B), by NGDC/FC/AFC Hits For Pete Sake x FC Brigadoon's Sizzlin Sade; o Paul & Virginia Snyder, h Jeff Currier



FC REIDYHILLS CISCO JANE



DC/AFC SCIROCCO DEL PRADO Open Limited Gun Dog (18S) J: Tony Smid & Ed Kerr

- 1 -WOODLAND'S MONEY PIT (B), by DC Havapl's Renegade Billy Boy x FC W-Haven Moose and Dixie's Kim; o/h Karen Pillion Schram
- 2 -FC REIDYHILLS CISCO JANE (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Delprado x FC/AFC Reidyhill's Jessie Jane; o/h Henry Wierzbicki
- 3 -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
- 4 -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 & Sandy Sargent, h Les Casselberry



BLACK CREEK TIM

Open All Age (13S) J: Tony Smid & Lisa Pollock

- 1 -BLACK CREEK TIM (D), by FC Trademark's lceman x Rebel Jac's Hankern Jill; o/h Ronald W. Harling, Jr.
- 2 -FC REIDYHILLS CISCO JANE (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC/AFC Reidyhill's Jessie Jane o/h Henry Wierzbicki
- 3 -SIGBRITS THE DIAMONDS IN ME (B), by FC Linvel's Ace of Diamonds x Deuces Five O'clock Somewhere; o Edward & Ellen Kerr, h Edward Kerr
- 4 -CH UP N' ADAMS CHEROKEE SPRIT (B), GSP

EASTERN NEW ENGLAND Crane Wildlife Mgmt Area Falmouth, MA May 12-13, 2012

Amateur Walking Puppy (5S) J: Lynda Zartarian & Dennis Harkcom 1 -SIPPEWISSET'S ABSOLUTE NOLA (B), by CH Triumphant Absolute's x CH Nichewaug's Absoute's Little Miss Leanaban; o/h Devin Schwartz 2 -CAPE EAST'S PARTY GIRL MIMOSA, VIZ

- 3 -SIPPEWISSETT'S ABSOLUTE WHAT'S UP DAWKINS (D), by CH Triumphant's Absolute x CH Nichewaug's Absolute Little Miss Leanaban; o/h Jared Schwartz
- 4 -HILLTOP'S OCT THUNDER, GWP

Open Puppy (8S) J: Lynda Zartarian & Mike Blondin

- 1 -BEBOP CAB CALLOWAY (D), by CH Bebop Hoagy Carmichael x Bebop Tin Pan Alley; o/h Dr. Leslie Jane Hunt
- 2 -SIPPEWISETT'S ABSOLUTE NOLA (B), by GCH Triumphant's Absoulte x Nichewaug Absolute's Little Miss Leanaban; o/h Devin Schwartz
- 3 -BIRCH HILL'S BO JANGLES (D), by Birch Hill's Hobo x Belle of Swansea; o/h Robert Fleury
- 4 -BEBOP AC COBRA (D), by CH Bebop Hoagy Carmichael x Bebop Tin Pan Alley; o Dr. Leslie Jane Hunt, h Janet Garrell

Amateur Derby (6S) J: Lynda Zartarian & Dennis Harkcom

- REIDYHILLS WHISTLING DIXIE (B), by NGDCH/ FC/AFC Hit's All Jack'd Up x Marjo's Alakazam; o Henry Wierzbicki, h Darren Kiley
- 2 -AMMO'S PLAY IT PRETTY (B), by CH Ammo's One Man Band x Ammo's Wild Honey; o Jane Bjork & Sandra Leavens, h Jane Bjork
- 3 -CAPEWIND'S PERFECT TEN (B), by Capewind's Cutting Edge x Capewind's Muddy Waters; o/h Tania Lewandowski
- 4 -GREEN MOUNTAIN SHOT GUNN LIZY (B), by NAGDC/NDGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Smoke's Lighting Feather; o/h Mike & Deb Blondin

Open Derby (5S) J: Bill Gorman & Michelle Sala

- 1 -ACE'S GRAND SLAM II (D), by FC/AFC Diamond Rio x FC Mustang Sally VII; o Lynda Zartarian, h Dennis Harkcom
- 2 -BEBOP HARRY JAMES (D), by CH Bebop Hoagy Carmichael x Bebop Tin Pan Alley; o/h Dr. Leslie Jane Hunt
- 3 -AMMO'S PLAY IT PRETTY, (B) by CH Ammo's One Man Band x Ammo's Wild Honey; o Jane Bjork & Sandra Leavens, h Jane Bjork
- 4 -CAPEWIND'S PERFECT TEN (B), by Capewind's Cutting Edge x Capewind's Muddy Waters; o/h Tania Lewandowski



DC/AFC FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG

Amateur Gun Dog (16S) J: Lynda Zartarian & Dennis Harkcom 1 -DC/AFC FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG (D), by DC Highlander's Autumn Blaze x CH Flashfire's

- Woodland Flame; o Dorothy & Louis Boyatzi & Jane Bjork, h Jane Bjork
- 2 -FC/AFC MR P'S D EVIL DOG OF COOS JH (D), by FC/AFC Sylvia's Big Birthday Bash x Pixie X JH; o John & Rita Poland, h John Poland
- 3 -FC/AFC CISCO'S ROCKY (D), by FC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC/AFC Bebop's Finnegan's Holiday: o Frances Gorman, h Bill Gorman
- 4 -FC/AFC CASCO BAY JASPER (D), by Crosswind's Buddy O Buck x Ray's New Sensation of Coos; o/h Peter Mazzaglia



FC/AFC CISCO'S ROCKY

Open Gun Dog (21S) J: Dennis Harkcom & Michelle Sala

- 1 -FC/AFC CISCO'S ROCKY (D), by FC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC/AFC Bebop Finnegan's Holiday; o Frances Gorman, h Bill Gorman
- 2 -FC/AFC MR P'S D EVIL DOG OF COOS JH (D), by FC/AFC Sylvia's Big Birthday Bash x Pixie X JH; o John & Rita Poland, h John Poland
- 3 -CENTERVILLE'S AWSUM BILL, P
- 4 -COLBYS HOBO RUN (D), by Birch Hill's Hobo x Centerville's Whim; o Paul Arcand, h Sarah Conynghan



CH TONAN'S ALWAYS TIME FOR ME

Open Limited Gun Dog (6S) J: Mike Blondin & Bill Gorman

- 1 -AFC SUNSHINE'S SEY HEY KID (D), by FC/AFC Carolina Ranger II x Sunshine's Morning Star; o Kenneth R. Mercer, h Kenneth Mercer
- 2 -FC BEBOP HEART AND SOUL (D), by CH Bebop Hoagy Carmichael x DC/AFC Bebop Nawlin's Jazz; o/h Dr. Leslie Jane Hunt
- 3 -FC KILLDEE'S ANTICIPATION (B), by FC Chikamin's Double Trouble x Killdee's Sosueme; o Janet Garrell & Jeff Currier, h Janet Garrell
- 4 -CH TONAN'S ALWAYS TIME FOR ME (B), by CH Jordean One Last Time x CH Jordean-Aurand It's-All-About-Me; o Janet Garrell & Anthony & Nancy Morabito, h Janet Garrell

Walking Hunting Dog (9S) J: Janet Garrell & Martin Garrell

- 1 -LOCGR'S INEVITABLE (B), by Locar's Unchained Melodee x Leah's Running Jayhawk; o Patricia & Loyd Carney, h Pat Carney
- 2 -LOLA (B); o/h Bud Bearse
- 3 -TESS OF RED SOX NATION; o/h Matt Cannon
- 4 -KIRBY MOUNTAIN MAGGIE II JH (B); o Mike Blondin, h Deb Blondin

ANTHRACITE Freeland Kennel Club Grounds Weatherly, PA May 19-20, 2012

Open Puppy (6S)

- J: Robert Ernigo, h Albert L. Cropek, Jr. 1 -REIDYHILLS WHISTLING DIXIE (B), by NGDCH/ FC/AFC Hit's All Jack'd UP x Marjo's Alakazam; o/h Henry Wierzbicki
- 2 -CELTICS FIREBRAND (D), IS
- 3 -HORIZON'S A KNIGHT TO REMEMBER (D), by CH Triumphant Victor of Doiron x GCH Shady Brooks Measure by Measure; o Lisa Tailby & Shan Wessel, h Shan Wessel
- 4 -PALMETTO POINTE'S AUTUMNS' BLAZING STAR; o/h Tom Bass

Open Derby (9S) J: Shan Wessels & Henry Wierzbicki

- 1 -HIGH HOPES GLORY FLY'N (B), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x NAGDC/FC High Hopes Fly by Nite; o Cynthia & Al Cropek, h Al Cropek
- 2 -POISON OAK (D), by FC Hi Proof Bootlegger x FC/AFC Poison Ivy III; o Jamie Wilkinson, h Jeff Currier
- 3 -SUS'S PRINCESS MIABELLA (B), GSP
- 4 -PINE GROVE'S ROCKNROLLA (B), by FC Hi Proof Bootlegger x FC/AFC Poison Ivy III; o/h Steve Brandt



FC/AFC LITTLE ROCK IT MAN

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (17S) J: Robert Ernigo & Darlene Dow

- 1 -FC REIDYHILL'S CISCO JANE (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid del Prado x FC/AFC Reidyhill Jessie Jane; o/h Henry Wierzbicki
- 2 -FC/AFC LITTLE ROCK IT MAN (D), by CH Triumphant Victor of Dorion x CR's Misty Mountain; o/h Shan Wessel
- 3-4 -Withheld

Open Gun Dog (23S) J: George Habecker Clyde R. Daubert

- 1 -HIT'S ONĚ MORE FOR THE ROAD CD RE (D), by NGDC/FC Hit's For Pete Sake x Hit's A Girl; o Claire Ricci & Joe Skiorski, h Joe Sikorski
- 2 -COLBY'S HOBO RUN (D), by Birch Hill's Hobo x Centerville's Whim; o Paul Arcand, h Sarah Conyngham
- 3 -FC REIDYHILLS CISCO JANE (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid del Prado x FC/AFC Reidy Hills Jessie Jane; o/h Henry Wierzbicki
- 4 -FC/AFC LITTLE ROCK IT MAN (D), by CH Triumphant Victor of Doiron x CR's Misty Mountain; o/h Shan Wessel

Open Limited Gun Dog (13S) J: Albert L. Cropek, JR. & Henry Wierzbicki

- DC/AFC THIS GAMBLER'S FLY'N (D), by NFC/ DC/AFC Gambler's Ace In Hole x DC/AFC Bet'N She'll Fly JH: o Jeanne Rosowski & Debbie Zoloansky, h Jeanne Rozowski
- 2 -FC/AFC CISCO'S ROCKY (D), by FC/AFC Cisco Kid del Prado x FC/AFC Bebop Finnegan Holiday; o/h Frances Gorman
- 3 -DC JD'S FEARLESS PRINCESS (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid del Prado x DC Brithaven Smokin Gun; o Jeff Currier & Joe Martirone, h Jeff Currier
- 4 -AFC JJ'S SPECIAL EDITION (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x FC JJ's Sweet Sue MH; o/h John Chokran

NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND Franklin Falls Flood Control Area Hill, NH May 19-20, 2012

The Northern New England Brittany Club held its annual spring trial under very warm and sunny skies on May 19th and 20th in Hill, NH. The entries seemed a bit down as has been the case in this region with the economic times. Although numbers were a bit down there was some nice performances seen by the judges and gallery. As noted the weather was a bit to cooperative with the temperatures averaging in the mid to upper 80s both Saturday and Sunday. Your scribe would like to mention the efforts of John and Rita Poland for being Secretary and Chairman of this trial. Without them being the lynchpin this trial would not have taken place. Others who kicked in during times of need were David and Joan Hayes, Frank and Donna Pride, Mike and Debbie Blondin, Lenny and Gail Sinclair, Bryan Clark, Dan Godbout, Steve Belletti and Susan Gregory; all their efforts were appreciated. NNEBC also appreciated the U.S. Army Corps for doing some trimming to make passage through the bottomland easier. Our Judges came from this region and many were fanciers of German Shorthair Pointers. These folks continually help out and we thank them again kindly. Kim Eaton, Mike Ernest, Allen Welch, Jeff Gray and Maria Battaglia all have some very nice Continental Breed Champions and take a careful look over the dogs with a positive attitude. Other judges NNEBC would like to thank are Lynda Zartarian, Dennis Harkcom, Mike Blondin, Jane Bjork, Ray Gorman and Art Hembrough.

The heat did not dampen the dogs enthusiasm and a few performances were noteworthy. Gestalt (GSP) owner/handler Kim Eatson took top honors in OGD, with a nice forward race and some quality bird work on the North Course; Mr. P's Twinkie owner/hander John Poland (Britt) took second. Duke (Britt) Art Hembrough took third, and Lilly Ray Gorman took fourth. OLGD was run during the heat of the day and again several nice performances were seen. All dogs placed showed nice forward races with bird finding skills tested with the heat. Jeter (Britt) took the blue Mike Blondin o/h; Tonka (Britt) took second Jane Bjork o/h, Duke (Britt) Art Hembrough o/h took third. Amateur Gun Dog stake ran on the south course Sunday morning with some nice performances noted by the judges. This course is a bit tighter and more typical of New England Grouse cover. We had one Woodcock find on this course coming in the second brace. Jeter here again took the blue handled by Ray Gorman. Benson (Britt) took second handled by Lenny Sinclair. Annie (Britt) took third again handled by Lenny Sinclair. Tina (Britt) took fourth handled by Ken Mercer. This was Tina's first adult placement and she shows a promising future for Ken. Other notes taken by your scribe provided by the Judges showed a promising future to Yazzie, a Derby dog coming from Lynda Zartarian/Dennis Harkcom. Open Puppy had a keen battle for the blue where with 2nd brace featuring Lizzy (Britt) and Effie (Britt) raced it out and having one find on Sunday morning. Lizzy came home 1st out of Mike & Debbie Blondin's string. Effie took the red owned by Jane Biork. Your scribe walked this brace and enjoyed every minute. NNEBC holds a Walking Hunting Dog Stake run at the end of each day. These are enjoyed by all and show the metal of young and old dogs alike. Many showing the drive it takes to be a true bird dog. This year's winners were Happy (Britt) – M. Howe and Whitey (Britt) – J. Hayes. If your scribe missed thanking someone above I am sorry. Without all your help the trial would not be a success. NNEBC hopes to see everyone again next year in NH. Thanks for your entries and support. Arthur Hembrough

Amateur Puppy (2S) J: Kim Eaton & Michael Blondin 1 -WEST RIDGE SADIE (B), ES

- 2 BUCKS SCRAMBLER SACHEM SCOUT (D),
- by Bucks Parker Of Pine Bush x Bucks Jen of Jansen; o Stephen Ponha & Lorri Genhes

Open Puppy (6S) J: Lynda Zartarian & Kim Eaton

- 1 -GREEN MTN SHOT GUNN LIZY (B), by NAGDC/ NGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gun x Smoke's Lighting Feather; o Mike & Deb Blondin
- 2 -SARADAC'S SMOKIN BLANCA TATANKA (B), by DC/AFC FlashFire's Bang-A-Gong x CH Saradac's Paradoz; o Jane Bjork & Dob Boyatzi, h Jane Bjork
- 3 -WEST RIDGE SADIE (B), by Long Gone Boston x Long Gone Brie; o/h Allen Lacko
- 4 -BEBOP HARRY JAMES (D), by CH BeBop Hoagy Carmichael x BeBop Tin Pan Alley; o Dr. Leslie Jane Hunt

Amateur Derby (7S) J: Kim Eaton & Lynda Zartarian

- 1 -JASMINES BELLADONNA JH (B), by J & A's Apple Jack of Auten x Bel Knap's Reason to Believe; o James & Lisa Rollins
- 2 -WEST RIDGE SADIE (B), ES
- 3 -BIRCH SPRING PC LUNAR ECLIPSE (B), by DC/ AFC Wrigley's Chip's Makin His Mark x KB Chieftans Princess; o Philip & Benjamin Thayer
- 4 -GREEN MTN SHOT GUNN LIZY (B), by NAGDC/ NGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Smoke's Lightning Feather, o Mike & Deb Blondin

Open Derby (8S) J: Dr. Leslie Hunt & Mike Blondin

- 1 -WEST RIDGE SADIE (B), ES
- 2 -PRIDE & JOY'S JESSIE 11 (B), by Mr. Ceasar & Miss Hope; o Donman Frank Pride
- 3 -ACE'S GRAND SLAM II (D), by FC/AFC Diamond Reo x FC Mustang Sally VII; o Lynda Zartarian
- 4 -CAPEWIND'S PERFECT TEN (B), by Capewinds Cutting Edge x Capewind Muddy Waters; o Tania Lewandowski

Amateur Gun Dog (12S) J: Dennis Harkcom & Mike Ernest

- 1 -FC/AFC JETER III (D), by FC Coos Rylee x Kirby Mtn Maggie JH; o Mike Blondin
- 2 -BREE'S BENSEN OF SUEMAC (D), by FC/AFC Coos Rylee x FC Suemac's Liberty Belle; o Leonard & Gail Sinclair
- 3 -BREES ANNIE OF COOS (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/ AFC Just Call Me Roy x Daisy Mae of Coos; o Leonard & Gail Sinclair
- 4 -SUNSHINES TENACIOUS (B), by FC/AFC Carolina Ranger II x Sunshines Morning Star; o Ken Mercer

Open Gun Dog (17S) J: Jeff Gray & Allen Welch

- 1 -CHOCOLATE COFFEE'S MOJO GESTALT JH (D), GSP
- 2 -MR P'S TWINKIE JH (D), by FC/AFC Ray's Pride of Coos x J & R's Sara Lee; o John & Rita Poland, h John
- 3 -GREENTOWN'S DUKE OF HAMPSHIRE (D), by Greentowns Sir Lancelo x Greentowns Lady Guenever; o/h Arthur Hembrough
- 4 -AFC COOS TIGER LILY (B), by FC Suemac's Bodacious Pride x Running Rhonda of Coos; o/h Ray Gorman

Open Limited Gun Dog (6S) J: Kim Eaton & Allen Welch

- 1 -FC/AFC JETER III (D), by FC Coos Rylee x Kirby Mtn Maggie JH; o/h Mike Blondin
- 2 -DC/AFC FLASHFIRE'S BANG-A-GONG (D), by DC Highlanders Autumn Blaze x CH Flashfire's Woodland Flame CD JH; o Dot & Lou Boyatzi & Jane Bjork, h Jane Bjork
- 3 -GREENTOWN'S DUKE OF HAMPSHIRE (D), by Greentown's Sir Lancelot x Greentowns Lady Guenever; o Art Hembrough
- 4 -Withheld

Open All Age (4S) J: Michelle Sala & Dr. Leslie Hunt

1-2 -Withheld

3 -CHOCOLATE COFFEE'S GESTALT JH (D), GSP 4 -Withheld

Amateur Walking Hunting Dog (14S) May 19, 2012

- J: Maria Gatlaglia & Ray Gorman
- 1 -CH OMEGA'S RED GRANITE JH (D), by CH Triumphant Miami Heat SH x Omega's October Gypsy; o Donna & Michael Howe, h Michael Howe
- 2 -TESSIE REDD YANKEE JH (B), by Yankee Special K JH x Omega's Red Flannel JH: o Steve Bulletlin
- 3 -LOCAN'S INEVITABLE (B), by NAF/FC/AFC Lea's Running JayHawk x FC/AFC Locar's Unchained Melodee; o Patricia & Loyd Carney
- 4 -KIRBY MOUNTAIN MAGGIE II (B), by Blazin Jake of Coos x Stubby's Lucky Penny of Coos; o/h Mike Blondin

Amateur Walking Hunting Dog (10S) J: Art Hembrough & Jane Bjork

- 1 -COOS MISTER WHITE (D), by Crosswind Buddy O Buck x Ray's New Sensation of Coos; o David & Joan Hayes, h Joan Hayes
- 2 -LUSHA, ES
- 3 -MR P'S LITTLE DEBBIE JH (B), by FC/AFC Ray's Pride of Coos x J & R's Sara Lee; o John & Rita Poland, h Rita Poland
- 4 -LIZZY, ES



KENTUCKY Polk, PA April 21-22, 2012

Open Puppy (6S) J: Bill Burger & Larry McDonald

- 1 -SHAMROCK'S LUCKY CHARM (B), by FC/AFC Shamrock's Sirius x Rebel Jac's Ginger; o Chuck & Theda Langstaff, h Chuck Langstaff
- 2 -BRENDI BROOKS SOUTHERN COMFORT (B), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Sandbank Rose; o Bill & Bev Haynes, h Bev Haynes
- 3 -BRENDI BROOK'S COWBOY CASANOVA (D), by FC Broadway Joe x Brendi Brook's Cowgirl Up; o Beverly Haynes, h Bill Haynes
- 4 -TRADEWIND MATRIX OF WRIGLEY (B), by FC/ AFC Renegade's Regal Wrigley JH x NAGDC/ FC/AFC Jazz's Sweetest Little Secret; o/h Steve Rollyson

Open Derby (10S) J: Albert Cropek & Bill Burger

- 1 -WILD MTN THUNDERBOLT JH (B), by CH/AFC Requet's Above & Beyond x Wild Mountain's Thunderstruck; o Jim Degler, h Brian Riggle
- 2 -ACE'S JACKPOT CODY (B), by Lone Star's Ace x Lone Star's Paige; o Joe Hudgins, h Jean Webb
- 3 -GIG'EM AGGIES REVEILLE (D), by NFC/FC Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x Rimardas Dixie Darlin; o/h Ed Kennah
- 4 -TRADWIND BOOMER (D), by Tradewind Deputy x Sam's Suzy Too; o/h Steve Rollyson

Amateur Gun Dog (8S) J: Albert Cropek & Bill Haynes

- 1 -SPRING HILL'S HIGH PERFORMACE (D), by DC/ AFC Spring Hill's Trouble Free x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly By Nite; o Ed & Suzan Lehosky, h Sue Lehosky
- 2 -PECOS BILL (D), by Buckeye Cowboy x Klickitat Country Twister; o/h Brian Hendrickson
- 3-4 -Withheld

Open Gun Dog (25S) J: Bill Haynes & Chuck Langstaff

- 1 -FC/AFC DERAILED (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x NGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Tar's Dot Com; o Cynthia & Albert Cropek, h Al Cropek
- 2 -SPRING HILL'S HIGH PERFORMANCE (D), by DC/ AFC Spring Hills Trouble Free x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly By Nite; o Ed & Suzan Lehosky, h Sue Lehoskv
- 3-BUCKEYE COWBOY (D), by Harlan County Cowboy x Shady's Blaze of Glory; o Delmar McCallister, h Jimmy Johnson
- 4-PECOS BILL (D), by Buckeye Cowboy x Klickitat County Twister; o/h William & Brian Hendrickson

Open All Age (16S) J: Brian Hendrickson & Chuck Langstaff

- 1 -CH TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUTE' ON ICE (D), by CH Triumphants Absolute JH x Triumphant's Alladin's Love: o Linda McCartnev Rov. h Brian Riggle
- 2 LAPAT'S ROCKY (D), by FC/AFC RJ's Microtuck x Shady's Blaze Of Glory; o/h Larry McDonald
- 3-BUCKEYE COWBOY (D), by Harlan County Cowboy; o Delmar McCallister, h Jimmy Johnson
- 4 CH GRANMARS-N-KSTAR CAN DREW JH (D), by DC Classic's Can Do Andrew x DC Chilcote Jax Diamond On Credit JH; o Kathy Shannon, h Jean Webb

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Amateur Walking Puppy (14S) J: Cindy Stahle & Suzan Lehosky

- 1-ICEMAN'S VAPOR TRAIL (D), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly by Nig; o Steve & Mary Lauterbach, h Steve Lauterbach
- 2 -SIGBRIT'S SHE'S A LADY (B), by CH Sigbrit's Catchers In the Rye JH x CH Sigbrits Chocolate Kiss; o/h Bobbie Sigmond
- 3 -HIGH HOPES GLORY FLY'N (B), by FC/AFC Trademarks Iceman x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hope Fly by Nig; o Cynthia & Albert L. Cropek, Jr., h Albert L. Cropek, Jr.
- 4 GUNNEM DOWN JAGER BOMB (D), GSP

Open Walking Puppy (12S) J: Suzan Lehosky & Joe Houbach

- 1 GUNNEM DOWN JAGER BOMB (D), GSP
- 2 -ALDER GT LUCIFER (B), by DC Delane Speak of the Devil x Grousetangle KK Contessa JH; o Dan & Allison Riedl, h Dan Riedl

3 -BARONESS ZOIE (B), GSP

4 -LYNNHILL SWEET BISCUIT (D), ES

Amateur Walking Derby (17S) J: Joe Haubach & Bruce Shaffer

- 1 -WILD MTN THUNDERBOLT (B), by CH/AFC Requet's Above and Beyond RN JH x Wild Mtn's Thunderstruck; o/h Jim Degler
- 2 GUNNEN DOWN HANNA BONANZA, GSP
- 3 -HIGH HOPES GLORY FLY'N (B), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly by Nite; o Cynthia & Albert L. Cropek Jr., h Albert L. Cropek, Jr.
- 4 -SIGBRIT'S CATCHERS LIL C JH (D), by DC Sigbrit's Catch Me Now JH x CH Sigbrits Can't Miss Me; o Bobbie L. Sigmund & Trudy Piotrzkowski, h Bobbie Sigmund

Open Walking Derby (8S) J: Bobbie Sigmund & Joe Haugbach

- 1 -HIGH HOPES GLORY FLY'N (B), by FC/AFC Trademarks Iceman x NAGDC/AFC High Fly By N; o Cynthia & Albert Cropek, h Albert L. Cropek, Jr. 2 -BARONESS ZOIE, GSP
- 3 -WILD MTN'S WHEN YOU'RE HOT YOU'RE HOT! (D), by CH Triumphants' x DC Wild Mtn's Lone Star Rendezvous; o Helen Riggle & Samantha Stahle, h Brian Riggle
- 4 -LYNNHILL SWEET BISCUIT (D), ES

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (19S) J: Cindy Stahle & Bruce Shaffer

- 1-FC SUEMAC'S LIBERTY BELLE (B), by FC Suemac's Bodacious Pride x S; o Roger & Susie McPherson, h Dr. Roger McPherson
- 2 -DC/AFC SPRING HILL PANCHO DEL PRADO (D); o Steve & Mary Lauterbach, h Steve Lauterbach
- 3 -CH TRIAD'S UPWIND PRATON TORPEDO SH, VI7
- 4 -CH ZODIAKS DESPERAD FROM EAGLE RIDGE RDX (D), GSP

Open Walking Gun Dog (22S) J: Bobbie Sigmund & Dan Riedl

- 1 -FC/AFC MR. P'S D EVIL DOG OF COOS JH (D), by FC/AFC Sylvia's Big Birthday Bash x Pixie X JH; o John & Rita Poland, h John Poland
- 2 -CAROLINA RED (D), by FC/AFC Carolina Ranger x FC Carolina Blue; o/h James Winnen
- 3 -DC/AFC SPRING HILL PANCHO DEL PRADO (D), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado x FC/AFC Shad's Song of Spring Hill; o Steve & Mary Lauterbach, h Steve Lauterbach
- 4 -MILLERS MISCHIEVOUS MAEBYN VD HIMMEL JH (B), GSP

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Open Puppy (12S) J: Dennis McClary & Roger McPherson

- 1 -JESSIES MATERIAL GIRL (B), by Joggers Reserve x Six Ridge Marmalade; o/h Dan Rein
- 2 -ALDER GT LUCIFER (B), by Delane Speak of the Devil x Groustangle KK Contessa; o Dan & Allison Riedl, h Dan Riedl

- 3 -ALDER HOLY TERROR (D), by Delane Speak of the Devil x Grousetangle KK Contessa; o James Riedl, h Dan Riedl
- 4 -PALS SHOOT THE BREEZE (D), by Clyde's Micro Breeze x Rose and Dan's Diamond Lil; o/h Lou Palazzolo

Open Derby (13S) J: Dan Rein & Roger McPherson

- 1 -SCOUTS POINT'EM OUT (D), by Joggers Reserve x Six Ridge Marmalade; o/h Troy Hoverter
- 2 SIGBRIT CATCHER'S LIL C (D), by Sigbrits Catch Me Now x Sigbrits Can't Miss Me; o Bobbie Sigmund & Trudy Piotrzkowski, h Bobbie Siamund
- 3 -ALDER HOLY TERROR (D), by Delane Speak of the Devil x Grousetangle KK Contessa; o James Riedl, h Dan Riedl
- 4 -LIBERTY-COPLEY MORE MIMOSA? (B), by Copley's Looks Good on Paper x Copley's Millenium Martini; o Emily Fuzette, h Jimmy Johnson



DC SIGBRITS CATCH ME NOW JH

Amateur Gun Dog (13S) J: Lou Palazzolo & Steve Boyer

- 1 -DC/AFC SPRING HILL PANCHO DEL PRADO (D), by Cisco Kid Del Prado x Shads Song of Spring Hill; o Steve & Mary Lauterbach, h Steve Lauterbach
- 2 -FC ROCKHARDS WALKING AND THE MOON (B), by Cast A Britt Noble Jake x Cast A Britt Breeze; o/h Delmar McCallister
- 3 -DC/AFC BOURBON'S STRAIGHT UP (D), by Bourbon XIII x Tall Pine's Little Libby; o/h Dan Rein
- 4 -DC SIGBRITS CATCH ME NOW JH (D), by Hopes Bouree x Sigbrits Chrinne De Chasse; o/h **Bobbie Sigmund**

Open Gun Dog (19S) J: Steve Boyer & Dennis McClary

- 1 -DC/AFC SPRING HILL PANCHO DEL PRADO (D), by Cisco Kid Del Prado x Shads Song of Spring Hill; o Steve & Mary Lauterbach, h Steve Lauterbach
- 2-DC/AFC BOURBON'S STRAIGHT UP (D), by Bourbon XIII x Tall Pines Little Libby; o/h Dan Rein
- 3 -HIGH HOPE'S FLYIN FULL THROTTLE (D), by Spring Hills Trouble Free x High Hopes Fly by Nite; o Carl & Kristi Anglen, h Jimmy Johnson
- 4 -DC SIGBRITS CATCH ME NOW JH (D), by Hopes Bouree x Sigbrits Chienne De Chasse; o/h **Bobbie Sigmund**



FC/AFC KODACHROME

Open All Age (14S) J: Tony Giovinale & Dan Rein

- 1 -FC/AFC KODACHROME (D), by Carolina Ranger II x White Diamond; o Bill & Kip Tate, h Jim Winnen
- 2 -ALLMAC'S PEEPING TOM (D), by Allmac's Amos x Allmacs Sparkle of Piney Run; o John & Carol McMurray, h John McMurray
- 3 -CANADA CREEK'S ROCKY ROAD (D), by Renegades Remington x Attaboys Sweet Taffy; o Steve & Sue Vernon, h Jimmy Johnson
- 4 -FC MAXIMUM OVERDRIVE II (D), by Joggers Reserve x Six Ridge Marmalade; o/h Troy Hoverter

MICHIGAN SAGINAW VALLEY Ionia, MI May 16-20, 2012

Open Puppy (7S) J: Tim Robin & Chuck Schafer

- 1 -COTTEN'S SUNSET SUE (B), by Knine's Blazin Dreams JH x Knine's Coyote Ugly; o John & Allison Cotten, h John Cotten
- 2 -BISCUIT'S BUDDHA BANSHEE (D), by DC/AFC Biscuit Ecko Of Dreams JH x CH Jagoub's

Zydekoko; o Tom & Debra Jagielski, h Tom Jagielski

- 3 -MIKE'S JACOB 'JAKE' JANIUS (D), by Hap's Spice Rum Luke x Dixie Dallas Star; o Martin C. Manges, Jr., h Martin Manges
- 4 -BISCUIT'S ME WEARING THE PANTS (D), by DC/ AFC Biscuit's Ecko of Dreams x CH Jacoub's Zydekoko; o Tom & Debra Jagielski, h Tom Jagielski

Open Derby (7S) J: Steve Lauterbach & Steve Tubach

- 1 -SIGBRIT CATCHER'S LIL C JH (D), by DC Sigbrit's Catch Me Now JH x CH Sigbrit's Can't Miss Me JH; o Bobbie Sigmund & Trudy Piotrzkowski, h Tim Piotrzkowski
- 2 -WINDY HILL'S PINK DIAMOND (B), by FC/AFC Grand Junction Jake x Black Creek's Saving Grace; o/h Kent Merryman
- 3 -WINDY HILL'S MAXXED OUT (D), by FC/AFC Grand Junction Jake x Black Creek's Saving Grace; o/h Kent Merryman
- 4 -LIBERTIE-COPLEY MORE MIMOSA? (B), by CH Copley's Looks Good on Paper x CH Captex's One in a Milenium JH; o Emily Fuzette, h Jim Johnson



RENCROFT'S DETROIT RASCAL Amateur Walking Gun Dog (19S) J: Steve Lauterbach & Steve Tubach

- 1 -DC/AFC WRIGLEYS REVVED UP CUB (D), by FC/ AFC Renegade's Regal Wrigley x Chief's Misipi Nivashi Nummi JH: o Petra & Barry Steinmetz, h Barry Steinmetz
- 2 -RENCROFT'S DETROIT RASCAL (D), by FC Rencrofts Little Buckaroo MH x Detroit's Thunderbolt PP Star Kak MH; o W. Burton & Michelle McCandless, h W. Burton McCandless
- 3 -AUTEN'S ALIGANY DICE (B), by Gambler's Ace In the Hole x Auten's Megnetic Field; o/h Michael Siegel
- 4 -DC LANE'S END FROZEN ASSET (D), by FC/AFC Rimarda's Trademark x FC Lane's End Bow Tie Annie; o Tom & Judy Robin, h Tom Robin



CH/AFC AUTEN'S RANGER RUDY RJLJ

Open Walking Gun Dog (18S) J: Sue Daum & Chuck Schaefer

- 1 -HY STEPPIN SUZEE "Q" (B), by DC/AFC Sweetwater Billy Tucker x FC/AFC Hy Steppin Maggie SH; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 2 -CH/AFC AUTEN'S RANGER RUDY RJLJ (D), by Auten's Rudy Ranger x RJLJ's Magie May; o Ron & Carol Auten, h Ron Auten
- 3 -TNT'S RAISE'N A RUCKUS (B), by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x Bourbon's Lucky Penny MH; o/h Tom Thomas
- 4 -RUFFWOOD'S ALGONQUIN INDIGO (D), by Ruffwood's Rustic Hunter x Ruffwood's Skyfireefield Fun; o George Harrison, h Jim Johnson

Amateur All Age (20S) J: Bill Klammer & Bill Branhem

1 -LANE'S END DYNA'S MARQUISE (B), by NFC/ FC Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x FC Ajax Diamond Dyna-Mite; o Tom & Judy Robin, h Tom robin

- 2 -DC LANE'S END FROZEN ASSET (D), by FC/AFC Rimarda's Trademark x FC Lane's End Bow-Tie Annie; o Tom & Judy Robin, h Tom Robin
- 3 -HAP'S SPICE RUM BECKHAM (D), by FC Hap's Spice Rum Luke x Boone County Whiskey; o Earl Harrison, h Kent Merryman
- 4 -WINDY HILLS LADY'S MAN (D), by NFC/FC Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x FC Ajax Diamond Dyna-Mite; o/h Kent Merryman



HAP'S SPICE RUM BECKHAM

Open All Age (18S) J: Bill Brenham & John Hall

- 1 -WINDY HILLS LADYS MAN (D), by NFC/FC Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x FC Ajax Diamond Dyna-Mite; o/h Kent Merryman
- 2 -HAP'S SPICE RUM BECKHAM (D), by FC Hap's Spice Rum Luke x Boon County Whiskey; o Earl Harrison, h Kent Merryman
- 3 -COTTEN'S WING AND A PRAYER (B), by Wimberly Jim Dandy x Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o/h John Cotten
- 4 -CH/AFC AUTEN'S RANGER RUDY RJLJ (D), by Auten's Rudy Ranger x RJLJ's Maggie May; o/h Ron & Carol Auten, h Ron Auten

2012 Region IV Amateur All Age Championship Ionia Field Trial Grounds Ionia, MI May 17-18, 2012

The Region IV Amateur All Age championship was held in Ionia, MI on May 17 & 18, in conjunction with the Michigan Saginaw Valley Brittany Club's regional weekend trial. This is the 11th consecutive year we have held this championship on the spectacular grounds in Ionia. Many man/woman hours were spent this winter and early spring trimming trees, making repairs to the grounds, and it showed. The Ionia grounds committee is now being chaired by Ron Gulembo, he and his team are making great strides in working with the state, getting projects completed, getting more people involved in "sweat equity", and taking more pride in general for our home grounds. They are the envy of the field trial world.

This championship is extremely grateful for the continued support provided by Purina. Purina provides a number of excellent products and we as field trialers are pleased to support them as they support us.

As in every year, this championship is put on by a seasoned group. Thank you to our chairman and bird planter Kent Merryman. Thanks to Ron Gulembo, Tom Robin & Tommy Thomas also for the



Kent Merryman w/ Sly, Judge Jack Potter, Sherri Merryman w/Tazz, Judge Duane Yoder, Ron Gulembo w/ Beckham, Jerry McGee W/Chug and Tommy Thomas

early morning bird planting. Jane Hopper was on dog wagon and lunch run duty, and Kathy Gulembo & Judy Robin were hard at work in the kitchen on Friday. I apologize if I missed anyone, but thanks to everyone who lent a helping hand.

Thursday evening, our championship cookout was orchestrated by Dick Lipski, serving big juicy hamburgers and homemade potato salad. It was delicious! Thank you Dick!

This year, we were privileged to have two outstanding judges for the stake. Mr. Duane Yoder of St. Clair, MI, and Mr. Jack Potter of White Could, MI. Both of these gentlemen are familiar figures in Ionia. They have judged many field trials and championships and are very generous with their time and willingness to give back to this sport we all enjoy.

If you're not happy with the weather in Michigan, just wait an hour and it will change. This was the case for our running. On Thursday morning, we started out with frost on the grounds, and by the end of running on Friday afternoon it was 85 degrees. Go figure.

Following is an overview of the placed dogs, but we also want to thank all our participants for supporting this amateur championship. Without the support and workforce of the amateur field trailer, none of the weekend field trials and big championships would be possible.

The Championship was awarded to Windy Hill's Lady's Man. (4th Brace) Sly is a three year old owned and handled by Kent Merryman. Sly broke away from the Big Oak with a wide opening cast to the right. Sly had a fast and forward race through the orchard, through the derby course, and toward the boy scout bridge. When we arrived at the half-hour portion of course one, Sly was nowhere to be found. After a few moments the judge pointed out Sly on the far tree line, heading west, going towards the old barn. We found him forward again in Hires field and found him forward again, standing, at 55 minutes in the tree line by the orchard. A bird was finally produced after relocation. All in order, Sly finished going away, to the front.

The 3rd brace of the day produced the Runner-Up and the 4th place dog. The Runner-Up was awarded to Windy Hill Whirlwind - Tazz. 4th placed was given to Ru-Jem's a Touch of Bourbon - Chug. Tazz is owned and handled by Kent Merryman. Chug, as we all know is owned and handled by Jerry McGee. It was great to see Jerry in the saddle again after his surgery and recuperation. Tazz and Chug broke away from the clubhouse. Both Tazz and Chug were found on point in the line by the ponds. No bird was produced. Both dogs were taken on. Again, both dogs were found standing in the line by the orchard. Shots fired, all in order. We continued on toward the boy scout bridge, around Cardiac Hill and onto the derby course. Chug was found standing in the first line on the derby course. Tazz swung wide to the south and was found standing on the second tree line on the derby course. Both dogs had bird work and we continued on towards the creek crossing. Chug was forward going through the orchard, going along Riverside Drive and finished. After the creek crossing, Tazz took a wide swing to the south, took the edge of the swamp, and was found to the front, past the chute. Time was called.

Third place was awarded to Hap's Spice Rum Beckham (1st Brace). Beckham is owned by Hap Harrison, and handled by Kent Merryman. Becks broke away from the clubhouse. He had a find in the grass right before the ponds. All in order. Broke him away again and found him a few moments later backing his brace mate, Karo. We continued on, Becks was found standing in the tree line by the orchard. Becks got hung up a bit making the turn from course one towards the boy scout bridge. We got him back and continued on. Had a nice forward race towards Cardiac Hill, across the creek crossing, and toward the gun dog course, but slowed a bit toward the end of the hour.



NFC/DC/AFC RUJEM'S A TOUCH OF BOURBON

Amateur Limited All Age 1hr (18S) J: Duane Yoder & John Potter

- 1 -WINDY HILL'S LADY'S MAN (D), by NFC/FC Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x FC Ajax Diamond Dyna-Mite; o/h Kent Merryman
- 2 -FC WINDY HILL WHIRLWIND (D), by FC Perfect Timing x Dexters Dottie; o/h Kent Merryman
- 3 -HAP'S SPICE RUM BECKHAM (D), by FC Hap's Spice Rum Luke x Boone County Whiskey; o Earl Harrison, h Kent Merryman
- 4 -NFC/DC/AFC RUJEM'S A TOUCH OF BOURBON (D), by DC/AFC Bourbon XIII x FC Mokan Bimbo; o Ruth & Jerry McGee, h Jerry McGee



CENTRAL

HAWKEYE Union County Ranch Thayer, IA _{April} 28-29, 2012

Open Puppy (16S) J: Robbie Myers & Gordon Foster

- 1 -GIT-R-DUN GUS (D), by FC/AFC Git-R-Dun x Boda's Diamond Allie; o/h Bruce Heiter
- 2 -ROUSTABOUT'S FLAT OUT (D), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Decan's Blazin Bye; o Paul Rosevear, h Bob Burchett
- 3 -ROOSTER RIDGE KID'S PRAIRIE ROSE (B), by FC/ AFC Shady's Count Kid x Diamond Hill's Magical Mollie; o/h Bill Cockrum
- 4 -BULLETT'S SWEET JESSIE GUN (B), by NAGD/ NGD/FC/AFC Peter Gun x Smoke's Shooting Star; o Lisa & Brad Hedstrom, h Kevin Stonehouse

Open Derby (16S) J: Jeff Hoskins & Gordon Foster

- 1 -COCO DOT (B), by FC Wimberley Jim Dandy x DC Sovereign Copley Kis My Chips; o Jim & Meam Floyd, h Scott Johnson
- 2 -MR. SKYHÁWK (D), by Mr. Ceasar x Mis Hope; o Rosco Staton, h Jim John
- 3 -TELTEX JAYHAWK (D), by FC Wimberley Jim Dandy x FC Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o Rich & Janice Conner, h Scott Johnson
- 4 -BURCH SPRING PC LUNAR ELIPSE (B), by DC/AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin His Marc x KB Chieftans Princess; o Phillip & Sherri Thayer, h Bob Burchett



JOKER'S TRAIL BLAZIN BUD-DEE



DIAMOND HILL'S MAGICAL MOLLIE



MCCHESNEY'S TEQUILA RIVER

Amateur Gun Dog (20S) J: Jeff Hoskins & Kevin Stonehouse

- 1 -KINWASHKLY RUSTY RILEY (D), by DC The Whiz Kid x DC Kinwashkly Sunshine Girl; o/h Ken Seivert
- 2 -JOKER'S TRAIL BLAZIN BUD-DEE (D), by FC/ AFC Smarteye Joker x S'No Fun Sea Hawk; o/h Susan Januschka
- 3 -DIAMOND HILL'S MAGICAL MOLLIE (B), by FC/ AFC Diamond Hill Dan x FC Bouncin Betty; o/h Bill Cockrum
- 4 -MCCHESNEY'S TEQUILA RIVER (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes Joker x FC/AFC Allied's Miss Molly; o John Chesney & Connie McAffery, h John Chesney



DC MASKED JACK OF DIAMONDS



FC SNIKSOH SALLY

Open Gun Dog (43S) J: Robbie Myers & Kendal Brown

- 1 -DC/AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW (D), by Hula's Bulletproof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II: o Richard Beaver, h Ed Tillson
- 2 -DC MASKED JACK OF DIAMONDS (D), by CH Jayhawker's Masked Bandit x Reddevil's Lucky Diamond at FF; o Rod & Carol Maves & R. Tomasi, h Ed Tillson

- 3 -MCCHESNEY'S TEQUILA RIVER (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes Joker x FC/AFC Allied's Miss Molly; o John Chejne & Connie McCaffrey, h Jim John
- 4 -FC SNIKSOH SALLY (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Sniksoh Next Gen; o Phil & Louise Corlew, h Bob Burchett

Amateur All Age (20S) J: Kevin Stonehouse & Charles Schaefer

- 1 -DC/AFC KINWASHKLY DAKOTA MOLESTER (D), by FC/AFC Blaze Dakota Trucker x Kinwashkly Crash Test Dummy; o/h Ken Seivert
- 2 -GUN RUNNER'S GOTTA LOTTA MO (D), by Shambo's Dark Shadow x TJ's Prairie Starr; o/h William Hancock
- 3 -FC JOKER'S JACKPOT (D), by FC/AFC Smarteye's Joker x S'No Fun Sea Hawk; o/h Steve Ralph
- 4 -FC SNIKSOH SUPER SNOOPER (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Free Boy x FC/AFC Sniksoh Sweet Hershey Kiss; o/h Jeff Hoskins



FC WOLF RIVER'S WINNING TICKET

Open All Age (43S) J: Richard Brewington & Ken Windom

- 1 -FC KINWASHKLY DIRTY NED PEPPER (D), by FTCH/CH Kinwashkly Mac Magoo FDJ x Kinwashkly French Velour; o Vern & Kevin Brunon, h Scott Johnson
- 2 -FC SHADY'S DESERT KNIGHT (D), by Gunnrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose; o Rick & Janice Conner, h Scott Johnson
- 3 -WIMBERLY ROWDY BO-DANDY (D), by FC Wimberley Jimdandy x FC Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o Ginger & John Gay, h Scott Johnson
- 4 -FC WOLF RIVER'S WINNING TICKET (D), by In the Nick of Time x Wilco's Miss Emma; o Ken Blackman & Leland Dye, h Tom Tracy

ST CROIX VALLEY Crow Hassan Park Reserve Rogers, MN May 4-6, 2012

The SCVBC Spring Trial was held at the Crow Hassan Park in Rogers, MN May 4-6. The weather conditions varied over the weekend starting with sun and a little rain on Friday to cloudy and rainy conditions the rest of the weekend. A thunderstorm passing through held us up for about an hour on Saturday. The sun came out for a beautiful afternoon on Sunday, but that was after we had brought 114 starters to the line.

NutriSource Premium Pet Foods sponsors our

event and provides dog food for the winners and monies for advertising our event. With sincere appreciation we want to thank them for their support. With their help our event is one that continues to run the maximum number of dogs over a three day weekend. We would like to thank our Professionals that support our Trial too. Bob Burchett and Matt Eder have always brought dogs out to run and this year Tom Hagan joined them with some very competitive dogs.

Every year we can count on Steve Ralph's work as the Chairman to make our event run smoothly. His efforts and attention to detail make my job as the Secretary easier. Our President Bret Lindback and Director Sue Janushcka are here form the beginning to the very end of Trial planting birds, Marshalling and doing anything to help things along. John Lindback runs our dog wagon every year and what a good job he does getting the right dogs to the line, filling bird bags and doing anything else that is required. Other members helped out too. John Chejne, Jackie Swanson and Chuck Vein chipped in as needed. Eileen Gust helps us every year in some way or another. I had decided that I could cook for the masses for the weekend and be the Field Trial Secretary. With hindsight, it was a little too much but I got through it. Sue Januschka brought out a wonderful cake to celebrate our recent Field Champions. Dogs owned by Sue, Bret Lindback, and Steve Ralph. Thanks to everyone for making our Trial a premier event.

We'd like to thank our Judges who spent some serious time in the saddle, sometimes dodging the raindrops and lightning bolts. We had some long days in the field. Bill Cockrum, Dan Erickson, Bruce Hieter, Bret Lindback, Mark Ritter, Michael Rodeghiero and Dan Voss did a great job with the dogs and the handlers. The SCVBC appreciates your willingness to attend our event.

The Crow Hasson Park that we use for our grounds offers rolling hills, tree lines, woods, dry and wet ponds, hedgerows and some open running ground for our dogs. Trials are held here for seven consecutive weekends to the ending the last weekend of May. I invite you to check them out and enjoy our Club's event next year. David Carlson

Field Trial Secretary

Open Puppy (14S) J: Bret Lindback & Mark Ritter

- 1 -OVER UNDER'S PRIME TIME (B), by CH Bantom's Unleashed x CH Over Under's Killin Time; o Eileen Gust, h Carlos Gusto
- 2 -LET'S GIT-R-DONE NELLIE (B), by FC/AFC Shady's Count Kid x Diamond Hill's Magical Mollie; o/h Bill Cockrum
- 3 -WILMA BEAN JH (B), by Smoke's Power Stroke x Shadows Freckled Sue; o Tim Hugten, h Tom Hagan
- 4 -DR JAC'S REDNECK RAMPAGE O'DEE (D), by Dr Jac's Tru Gritz Master Yoda O'Dee JH x Dr Jac's Bazooka Belle MH; o Jackie & Dr. Eric Swanson, h Jackie Swanson

Open Derby (19S) J: Bill Cockrum & Bruce Heiter

1 -ESSER'S WILLIAM V. GRIEF (D), GSP

- 2 -CHUKARHILL RIMROCK EIGER (D), ES
- 3 -HANSON FIRST SARGENT (D), ES
- 4 -ZUMBRO'S DOMINO OF CROW CREEK (D), GSP



FC/AFC ANJ'S AMAZING GRACE

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (11S) J: Bred Lindback & Mike Rodeghiero

- FC/AFC ANJ'S AMAZING GRACE (B), by DC/AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin' His Mark x CH Over Under Nevenes Showtime JH: o/h Mike Poehler
- 2 -DIAMOND HILL'S MAGICAL MOLLIE (B), by FC/ AFC Diamond Hill Dan x FC Bouncin Betty; o/h Bill Cockrum
- 3 -ESSERGRIEFS'S BELLA LUNA (B), GSP
- 4 -COUNTRYSIDE NERGDS EMMA (B), GSP



FC/AFC UPLAND ACRES OVERLAND XPRESS

Open Gun Dog (26S) J: Don Voss & Dan Erickson

- FC/AFC ANJ'S AMAZING GRACE (B), by DC/ AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin' His Marc x CH Over Under Nevenes Showtime JH; o Mike Poehler, h Bob Burchett
- 2 -FC/AFC UPLAND ACRES OVERLAND XPRESS (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x DC/AFC Upland Acres Baling Star; o Tom & Gretchen Burroughs, h Bob Burchett
- 3 -RAKS CROW CREEK LUCY (B), GSP
- 4 -NORTHERN SLOPES CHUCK (D), ES
- Open Limited Gun Dog (17S)

J: Bruce Heiter & Dan Voss

- SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY (D), by FC/AFC Snikoh Little Rascal x Windtuck's Sweet Liberty; o Jeff Hoskins, h Bob Burchett
- 2 -FC/AFC UPLAND ACRES OVERLAND XPRESS (D), by FC/AFC The Time Machine x DC/AFC Upland Acres Bazing Star; o G. Tom & Gretchen Burroughs, h Bob Burchett
- 3 -FC SNIKSOH SALLY (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Sniksoh Next Gen; o Philip & Louise Corlew, h Bob Burchett

4 -2XNAFC/FC/AFC CHUKARHILL RIMROCK RIDGE (D), ES



DC LOST CREEK TIMBER RIDGE

Open All Age (21S) J: Bill Crockrum & Dan Erickson

- 1 -FC CHUKERHILL BUCK NEKKID (D), GS
- 2 -DC LOST CREEK TIMBER RIDGE (D), by Muddy's River Flash Rio x S'no Fun Phoenix; o George & Cindy McCann, h Gorge McCann
- 3 -COLD CREEK JAKE (D), GSP
- 4 -SANDY RIVER COVEY (D), ES

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Open Puppy (12S)

J: Susan Januschka & Dan Voss

- 1 -REMCHESTER'S RARING TO GO (D), by Remchester's Magnum Gunner x Remchester's Shadows Smok-N-Mirrors; o Steve Jager, h Matt Eder
- 2 -STRAY VOLTAGE (D), GS
- 3 -KARO N WRIGLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT (D), by FC/AFC Renegade's Regal Wrigley x NAGDC/ FC/AFC Jazz's Sweetest Little Secret; o Gil and Jane Hopper, h Bob Burchett
- 4 -LOST CREEK TIMBER LINE (D), by DC Lost Creek Timber Ridge x DC Alar's Skye Dance; o/h George & Cindy McCann

Open Derby (14S) J: Bill Cockrum & Bruce Heiter

- 1 -ZUMBOO'S DOMINO OF CROW CREEK (D), GSP
- 2 -HANSONS FIRST SARGENT (D), ES
- 3 -CROW CREEK LADY BELLE LEGACY (B), GSP
- 4 U R MY SUNSHINE (B), ES



CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY

Amateur Gun Dog (10S) J: Tommy Thomas & Bruce Heiter

- 1 -T.J. SCOOBY SIERRA'S ZOEY (B), by FC/AFC Scooby-Dooby Doo x FC/AFC Scooby's Sierra Mist; o/h Tom H. Wonderling
- 2 -MCCHESNEYS TEQUILA RIVER (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes Joker x FC/FC Allieds Miss Molly; o John Chejne & Connie Mccaffrey
- 3 -KINWASHKLY RUSTY RILEY (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x DC/AFC Kinwashkly Sunshine Girl; o Ken Sievert
- 4 -CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY (D), by CH Bantam's Shadow Image x Two River's White Smoke; o Diane Hedstrom

Open Gun Dog (30S) J: Bill Cockrum & Brett Lindback

1 -BACKWOODS OH YEAH (D), P

- 2 -HAGAN'S BUSTER BROWN (D), GSP
- 3 -DR JACKS TRUGRITZ MASTER YODA O'DEE JH (D), by DC/AFC MC Brett Jaret O'Dee x Trugritz Sagacious Brier; o Thomas & Jackie Swanson, h Matt Eder
- 4 -RICOCHET'S CHANTILLY (B), by The Rock II x Dakota Splash; o/h Julie Nelson



FC/AFC GIT-R-DUN



DC RICO'S HI-PROOF BOOTLEGGER

Open Limited Gun Dog (22S) J: Tommy Thomas & Steve Ralph

- 1 -FC/AFC GIT-R-DUN (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x FC/AFC Allieds Micro Maggie; o/h Bruce Heiter
- 2 -DC RICO'S HI-PROOF BOOTLEGGER (D), by DC Barney's HI Proof Ron Rico x FC Jay Hawk's Georgia Girl; o Chuck & Jill Schaeffer, h Burchett
- 3 -FC/NFC/2XNAFC COBB'S GOLDEN KERNAL (D), GS
- 4 -MCCHESNEYS TEQUILA RIVER (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes Joker x FC/AFC Allieds Miss Molly; o/h John Chejne & Connie McCaffrey



LOST CREEK CAST A SHADOW

Open All Age (21S) J: Bruce Heiter & Justin Martin 1 -FC SANDY RIVER COVEY (D), ES

- 2 -SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY (D), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Windtuck's Sweet Liberty; o Chuck & Jill Schaeffer, h Bob Burchett
- 3 -FC COLD CREEK JAKE (D), GSP
- 4 -LOST CREEK CAST A SHADOW (D), by NFC/ FC/AFC Shambos Dark Shadow x Fridas Masterpiece; o/h George McCann

MIDWEST

MO-VALLEY Branched Oak Dog Trial Area Raymond, NE April 20-25, 2012

Open Puppy (5S) J: Nick Blasi & Mike Lager

- 1 -DAKOTA OUTLAW (D), by FC/AFC Dakota Alleycat x NAFC/DC/AFC TM's Tennessee Twister; o Steve Ralph, h Jim John
- 2 -POWDER RIVER'S WHIZ BANG BOOM (D), by DC/ AFC The Whiz Kid x DC BBB's Flashy Rose; o Cheryl Krajcar & David Downy, h David Downy
- 3 -MOMMA-B'S-SMARTEYES-JOKER (B), by FC Joker's Jackpot x Dakota Sky; o Larry Falmon, h Jim John
- 4 -DR JAC'S MISS MAGGIE O'DEE (B), by Dr. Jac's Trugritz Master Yoda O'Dee x Dr Jac's Bazooka Belle; o Carson Petty, h David Downey

Open Derby (12S) J: Nick Blasi & Mike Lager

- 1 -COCO DOT (B), by Wimberley Jim Dandy x Sovereign Copley Kis My Chips; o Jim & Meam Floyd, h Scott Johnson
- 2 -ROUSTABOUT'S FLAT OUT (D), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Decan's Blazin Bye; o Paul Rosevear, h Bob Burchett
- 3 -MR. SKYHAWK (D), by Mr. Ceasar x Mrs. Hope; o Rosco Staton, h Jim John
- 4 -SUDDENLY I SEE (B), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Blaze'N Little Chick; o Pam Baird, h Tom Tracy

Amateur Gun Dog (14S) J: Terry Gowin & Kevin Stonehouse

1 -FC WW'S MILLION DOLLAR MOLLEE (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Aux-Arc's Mark HOF x FC/AFC The Far Side's Kid Amee; o Sharon Wice, h Burton Wice

- 2 -STONEY HILL'S JAZZY-A-BELLE (B), GSP Cheyenne; o Kick Loftin, h Larry Loftin
- 3 -CH AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW (D), by Hula's Bulletproof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II; o Richard Beaver, h Jessica Carlson
- 4 -REDROCK'S SIESMIC SNIKSOH (B), by Sniksoh Little Rascal x Double T. Belle; o/h Gordon Foster



SHADOWS IN A TWIST

Open Gun Dog (43S) J: Bret Lindback & Steve Ralph

- 1 -CH AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW (D), by Hula's Bulletproof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy; o Richard Beaver, h Ed Tillson
- 2 -RICOCHET'S CHANTILLY (B), by FC/AFC The Rock II x Dakota Splash; o Julie Nelson, h Kevin Stonehouse
- 3 -SHADOWS IN A TWIST (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x DC/AFC Tequila With a Twist; o Jessica Carlson, h Ed Tillson
- 4 -TEE'S HURRICANE (D), by Tee-Bone x Tsunami; o Joyce Miley, h Scott Johnson



FC HAL-JS SMARTEYES JOKERS EZ ACE

Amateur All Age (13S) J: Terry Gowin & Kevin Stonehouse

- 1 -GUN RUNNER'S GOTTA LOTTA MO (D), by Shambo's Dark Shadow x TJ's Prairie Steve; o/h William Hancock
- 2 -DC/AFC STARLIGHT'S BLAZIN SIRIUS (D), by FC Ridge Runner Rocky x CH Starlight's Alpha Zeta; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 3 -FC HAL-JS SMARTEYES JOKERS EZ ACE (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes John x Allied's Sassy Sadie II; o/h Harold Revoir
- 4 -ROCKLAN'S WHIZZLE STOP (D), by DC/AFC The Whiz Kid x FC Sniksoh Corky; o John & Margilee Sauer, h Tommy Thomas



ROCKLAN'S MISTY'S ALLIE-T-BEAR



DC/AFC TJ'S PRAIRIE BLIZZARD

Open All Age (46S) J: Jim Douglass & Mike Lager

- 1 -FC OZ II (D), by FC/AFC Tee-Bone x FC Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o John & Allison Cotten, h Kevin Stonehouse
- 2 -ROCKLAN'S MISTY'S ALLIE-T-BEAR (B), by FC/ AFC Tee-Bone x FC Microchip's Sugar Mist; o John & Margilee Sauer, h Bob Burchett
- 3 -DC/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
- 4 -FC WOLF RIVER'S WINNING TICKET (D), by In the Nick of Time x Wilco's Miss Emma; o Ken Blackman & Leland Dye, h Tom Tracy

Mid-America Brittany Championship Branched Oak Lake Field Trial Area Raymond, NE April 23-25, 2012

As some are just beginning their spring trial season, many in the Midwest are winding down as we reach the end of April and the last All Age Brittany Championship of the midwestern spring circuit. The Mid-America Brittany Championship is the last event of two weeks of competition at the Branched Oak Lake Field Trial grounds, and it seems there is always a surprise of some sort in store for us. This year spring sprung early in the Midwest and the landscape abounded wit green grass, flowering plants-and ticks. We seemed to jump abruptly from spring to summer as the sun came out in full force for the second and third days of this Championship, the temperatures climbing over 90 degrees late on Tuesday afternoon. Dogs, horses, and people alike were challenged; water and sunscreen were a must-not something you usually have to say in April!

The 39 contenders for this stake were under

the watchful eyes of Howard Burbach of Pleasant Hill, MO and Bruce Bryant of Silver City, IA. You don't get much past this pair, and Burbach showed us why as he mounted his horse backwards at the breakaway – no need for eyes in the back of his head!

There was little room for doubt that FC Joker's Jackpot would be named Champion after his performance in the second brace of day three. A month shy of his 5th birthday, Jack has been a successful youngster for owner Steve Ralph and handler Jim John, and is only now coming into his prime. It was something of a bittersweet victory for Steve, as his young female Sky topped the field in this stake last year, and tragically died just a short time later. Jim John also guided Jack's sire, FC/ AFC Smarteyes-Joker and grandsire NFC/DC/AFC Tequila's Joker to this same Championship title in 2007 and 1994 respectively.

It takes more than a little work to put on a successful trial, and so thanks goes to Bill & Julie Cockrum for taking the reins for the Missouri Valley Brittany Club to host this Championship and keep everything running smoothly; to all those who helped with bird planting; our dog wagon driver, provider of hay, and keeper of the corner stool at the Ding-A-Ling, John Savicky; to our cooks in the clubhouse for providing not only great food but even VERY appreciated ice cream; and of course to our sponsor, Purina for their welcome contribution and great products.

Day one of the Championship dawned cool and clear with dew on the ground and clear blue skies above; temperatures topping out in the high 60s, with light breezes making it a fine day for all.

Brace 1. Wimberley Jimdandy (Johnson) & Early Times (Tracy) wasted no time heading away from camp and rimming the left edge of the first field to the keyhole. Dandy didn't make it through the keyhole, and as the front party began heading up the first hill, point was called by Dandy's scout on the other side of the creek. Johnson and judge rode back and crossed the wooden bridge to Dandy's find. Earl continued well, cruising the edges and staying forward, but when he reached the back end of the All Age course he crossed the road into the CRP, failing to return in time and the tracking device was called for. Dandy meantime had a second find at a long treeline while catching the front, but then had a long absence as we left the regular All Age course. When we returned to the breakaway field, the cry of point was heard again, this time from the hedgerow at the top of the first hill. We rode to find Dandy standing with another single and a third find was recorded. After crossing the wooden bridge to the Gun Dog course, Dandy disappeared from sight once more and was not returned to judgement.

Brace 2. Uncle Kracker (Tracy) & Shadow's Tequila Tryst (Tillson) broke away from the fish camp, both showing early speed and working well through the latter part of the Gun Dog course, across the concrete bridge and up the first All Age hill to our right. Kracker was spotted standing at the hedgerow where Dandy's last find had been; Tristyn disappearing over the hilltop, soon to be found on point by her scout. She carded an excellent find and was taken on while Karcker was relocated quite some distance and ended up pointing at the corner of the perpendicular hedgerows atop the hill, scoring a find there. Kracker had three more finds with a strong forward race, but lost contact with his handler before time and was not found within the grace period. Tristyn suffered a few miscalculations in her application on the back end of the All Age course, and a nonproductive on the hedgerow near the parking lot, but finished in a pleasing manner, seen taking the left edge of the breakaway field to the front at time.

Brace 3. Ocaje (Gowin) & TJ's Prairie Blizzard (Tillson) were released from the wooden bridge heading towards the Gun Dog course. The younger "Grace" was the speedier of the pair but occasionally misapplied her enthusiasm, ending her bid before crossing the concrete bridge. The veteran Blizzard began his hour with a find at the first crossing, a single sitting out in the short grass. Released, he began rimming the outer edges of the fields, going everywhere he should and showing when needed, just occasionally distracted form his clear intention to find birds. He crossed the concrete bridge alone, making good work of the All Age breakaway field and first hill, and was seen working up to the corner of the hedgerows at the top of hill, disappearing into the brush and was found on point for a second score. With occasional disagreement between himself and his handler as to where he should go on the latter half of the All Age course. Blizzard finished at the back end after we turned away from the pines.

Brace 4. Wolf River's Winning Ticket (Tracy) & Shady Way's Red Tail Hawk (John) left the hill above the parking lot, heading back towards camp. "Cash" seemed to think the absence of his usual handler signaled a vacation day for him; he was leased at 20 before the wooden bridge. "Beau" with Jim John was out of pocket early and often. He made some promising moves while in contact with his handler, but finished his hour without a find. We headed back to camp for lunch after a long morning.

Brace 5. Hal-Js Smarteyes-Joker's EZ Ace (John) & Broadway Joe VI (Tracy) were released from camp that afternoon. Joe was the farther reaching and more mature of the pair, but after completing the All Age course and coming back to the breakaway field to head for the wooden bridge, he slowed and called it a day. Ace was fast on the ground but often erratic in his pattern, having to be called off backwards moves more than once. He had a stylish find near the west fenceline on the All Age course, and a non-productive in the first Gun Dog field. He finished going up the ditch from the fish camp.

Brace 6. Oz II (Stonehouse) & Wayside's Blueridge Runner (Downing) turned loose at the hitching post and were both soon out of sight to the left. Blue returned first, while Oz took quite a bit longer and as a result was left a distance behind for the remainder. Blue stayed forward for his hour, making some long casts directly ahead and occasionally coming back to check if his handler was still following. Although his pace slackened somewhat in the latter part of the hour, he began to find more objectives and was rewarded with a find just before time at the start of the Gun Dog course. Oz had a find and non-productive before



Front Row: Steve Ralph with Joker's Jackpot, Jim John, David Downing with Wayside's Blueridge Runner, Judge Bruce Bryant, Ed Tillson with TJ's Prairie Blizzard, Judge Howard Burbach, Scott Johnson with Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper

reaching the back end of the All Age course where he disappeared into the CRP, not to return in time.

Brace 7. Blueridge Hunter Gonna Fly (Downing) & Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper (Johnson) headed down the Gun Dog course, both working well with early speed. Hunter suffered two non-productives on the All Age course to end his day at about 50. Ned was impressive in his early application and was well rewarded with one of the most exciting finds of the stakes; having been out of sight after going through the keyhole on the All Age course, he was spotted on point well to the front by his judge, standing at a corner of the plowed field on the lake edge. We rode the distance and a small covey was flushed with Ned's manners in order. Ned became a bit bullish during the late part of his hour, but finished still going forward.

The morning of day two began clear and warm, with temperatures and humidity in the 60s. The temperatures began to rise early, though thankfully the humidity dropped at the same rate.

Brace 8. Sparky's Prairie Wind Gypsy (John) & Starlight's Blazing Sirius (Thomas) were both fast off the breakaway, zooming through the breakaway field and out of sight through the keyhole. One dog was spotted at some distance once afterwards, but it was too far away to tell which and neither dog returned to judgement. The brace was called off at 15.

Brace 9. Mr. Magic II (John) & Tequila's Barbed Wire (Tillson) were unleashed at the parking lot to continue on the All Age course. "Mac" was in and out of pocket for 20 or 30 minutes before the string finally broke and the tracking device was employed. "Trouble" with Tillson was more compliant and forward, having a pleasing ground performance throughout her time down. Her scout called point in the ditch above the fish camp, but Trouble had a breach of manners to end her hour just two minutes early.

Brace 10. TLM Co-Pilot (Johnson) &

Jagoub's Buzz'n Bayou (Tracy) were quickly away from the hitching post and out of sight to our left. After a few minutes point was called for Co-Pilot and we rode back to find him standing, while "Skeeter" was seen in the same area and gathered to go forward. Co-Pilot carded a find but was lost shortly after being turned loose again. Skeeter continued with long strides across the concrete bridge and onto the All Age course, where he had a stylish find at the middle grove of trees before having an indiscretion at the fenceline to end his day.

Brace 11. Shadow Attack (Tillson) & Gun Runner's Gotta Lotta Mo (Hankcock), Tack not up to par today and retired early. "T" with Hancock made some good moves but became less productive as we came back towards camp from the Gun Dog course, and we headed in for a welcome break.

Brace 12. Shady's Desert Knight (Johnson) & JJ's Tasmanian Devil (Tillson) were released from camp after lunch, with temperatures in the 80s and climbing. Both dogs started with terrific ground speed and seemed determined to out-do each other. With Knight out of sight at the top of the first hill, Taz was seen heading back and stopping along the hedgerow; closer investigation showed Knight pointing into the brush, and a stylish find was recorded with Taz honoring nicely. Released, both dogs went through the rocky crossing and across to the hedgerow above the parking lot; and shortly we had a second highly styled find for Knight with Taz honoring. Both dogs continued well but Knight was out of pocket as we headed back towards camp and suffered an extended absence. Taz finished his hour well despite the heat, but was unable to connect with birds.

Brace 13. Rocklan's Whizzle Stop (Burchett) & Ru-Jem's A Touch of Bourbon (Thomas) broke away from the hitching post. "Chug" with Thomas was less than impressed with the conditions and was relieved of duty before the concrete bridge. Whiz made a good effort but his point near the back end of the All Age course only produced a rabbit.

Brace 14. Crescent City Girl (Burchett) & Ugh Stumblin' From the Shadows (Tillson) left the fish camp with "Nola" showing terrific early speed while "Bubba's" casts were long and generally well directed. Nola suffered an indiscretion at the second pond, where Bubba showed good manners honoring. He continued a good attempt in the heat, but as we neared camp Tillson decided he wasn't changing placements and we all headed for the shade and air conditioning. High for the afternoon was noted at 92 degrees.

Wednesday morning began clear and warm in the low 60s. Another hot one was in store for us.

Brace 15. GR's Bookin N Cookin (Hancock) & Jayhawk's Georgia Girl (Tracy) were first up, and after a good start Gigi was seen pointing near the lakeside, but no birds could be produced. She continued with a mostly forward race and pointed in a likely spot near time, but no birds were seen. "Race" with Hancock had a nice find at the bottom of the long treeline on the All Age course, but was picked up after a long absence.

Brace 16. Cedar Valley Bandit (Tracy) & Joker's Jackpot (John), two big white dogs broke away with speed from the hitching post, heading left and meeting us back at the first pond dam. Bandit carded a fid at six in a small bunch of bushes, mannerly through the flush and shot. He made some strong forward casts but sometimes lost focus and had to be encouraged on before he headed out again. Jack was the wider and more forward of the pair, often spotted well to the front after being out of sight. His first find was at the low end of the hedgerow on the first All Age hill, and after continuing on his scout called point on the right hedgerow as we headed up from the parking lot. Other dogs had been past this spot before and some after, but Jack was the only dog to point here, and he was mannerly as the bird ran in front

of him. Only occasionally hung up, Jack completed a strong hour even as the temperatures began to rise, and at the end of his hour it was clear who was the "one to beat".

Brace 17. The Crash Scene (Tracv) & Powder River's Nobody But Me (Downing) brokeaway in the second Gun Dog field. Crash knew how to beat the heat, and opted to stay in the second pond, "Blake" made an admirable effort given the conditions, working well throughout his hour but was without a find.

Brace 18. Windy Hill Ben (Burchett) ran alone as his bracemate was scratched. He suffered an indiscretion at the lost pond on that all Age course and was up early, giving us a short ride to camp.

Brace 19. Carolina Seabiscuit (Johnson) & Rocklan's Misty's Allie-T-Bear (Burchett) were the first up after lunch, two well matched white dogs that showed great speed and independence. With the temperature at 85 and rising during their hour, both dogs made excellent efforts, Allie particularly impressing the judges with her wide search of the course. Biscuit pointed above the fish camp at 50 and a duck rose as Johnson approached to flush. Johnson hoped to fire and call it a pheasant; your reporter figures lots of people like to eat duck; but the judge was looking for quail, so no luck for Biscuit. Allie was found pointing not far away from there at time, but no birds could be produced.

Brace 20. Georgia's Texas Two Step (Tracy) & Jacks Tequila Jake (John), a pair of roans left from the hitching post. Now 90 degrees, Georgia ran at moderate range with a few bigger casts but could not connect with game to show her owner, who was out from Atlanta to watch her performance today. Jake was fast on the ground and challenged the outer limits of the course. He was out of sight at the concrete bridge, eventually to be found pointing, but no birds could be produced. Pointing again in olive trees on the All Age course, a turkey was seen leaving the area. Jake was still going and out of sight at the end of his hour, gathered in time but without a find to his credit. We returned to camp to cool off and await placements



DC WAYSIDE'S BLUERIDGE RUNNER

Open Limited All Age 1hr (40S) J: Bruce Bupont & Howard Burbeck

- 1-FC JOKER'S JACKPOT (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes-Joker x S'No Fun Sea Hawk; o Steve Ralph, h Jim John
- 2 -DC WAYSIDE'S BLUERIDGE RUNNER (D), by DC/ AFC Blueridge Marjo Adventure x DC T'Kalis

Feel the Wind; o Thomas Longfellow, h David Downing

- 3 -DC/AFC T.J.'S PRAIRIE BLIZZARD (D), by NFC/ DC/AFC Tequila's Joker x FC/AFC The Prairie Tornado: o Vicki Rankin. h Ed Tillson
- 4 -FC KINWASHKLY DIRTY NED PEPPER (D), by Kinwashkly Mac Magoo x Kinwashkly French Velour; o Vern & Kim Brunen, Scott Johnson





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SKYLINE **SportHaven** Bennett. CO May 12-13, 2012

Amateur Walking Puppy (6S) J: John Morland & Gary Metzler

- 1 -ISKOTE ANIMIKEE(D), IS
- 2 -FIRESTARTER'S COUNTRY GIRL (B), by DC Timberline Strait to the Point JH x FC Windtuck Winter Jazz JH; o Andrea Christensen, h Andi Christensen
- 3 -LUCKY'S BRAND CHARLEY (D), GSP
- 4 -BRANDY'S LUCKY SALLY (B), GSP

Open Walking Puppy (10S) J: Eric Cook & Garv Metzler

- 1-SNIKSOH SPANK'S HANK (D), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Decan's Blazin Bye; o Jeff & Liz Hoskins, h Jeff Hoskins
- 2 -HIDEAWAY'S HARD ON (D), GS
- 3 MONEY MAKIN A BUCK (D), GSP
- 4 -FREE STATE'S JOSEPHINE (B), GS

Amateur Walking Derby (6S) J: Corev Ling & Steve Bailev

- 1 -LAMPE'S CHIP DOUGLAS (D), P
- 2 -DAN-DE KATEY BAR THE DOOR (B), by BBB's Lucky Strike x Spanky's Little Rascal My Pink Missy JH; o Daniel & Denise Collins, h Jeff Hoskins
- 3 IRONWIRE ALLMAN BROTHERS (D), GWP
- 4 -LUCKY'S BRAND CHARLEY (D), GSP

Open Walking Derby (16S) J: Corey Ling & Steve Bailey

- 1 -LAMPE'S CHIP DOUGLAS (D), P
- 2 -TABLE MOUNTAIN PRAIRIE JET (B), ES
- 3 -ZM D'S HIGHWAY STREEKER (D). ES
- 4 -DAN-DE KATEY BAR THE DOOR (B), by BBB's Lucky Strike x Spanky's Little Rascal My Pick Missy JH; o Daniel & Denise Collins, h Steve Chang

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (18S) J: Matt Clyker & Chris Corliss

1 -NFC/DC JB'S ASKER BOUT BIRDS (B), VIZ 2 -FC MACHONE'S WHITE LIGHTENIN' (D), P

- 3 -DASH AWAY (D), P
- 4 -CH BOULDER'S BOLDER AMANTE SH (B), VIZ

Open Walking Gun Dog (20S) J: Eric Cook & Lenny Morales

- 1 -NFC/FC JB'S ASKER BOUT BIRDS (B), VIZ
- 2 -POPPYHILLS MARTINI WITH A TWIST (D), VIZ
- 3 -FIRESTARTER'S CROSSED THE LINE (D), by FC Making R-Point x FC Windtuck's Enough Said: o Andi Christensen, h Ben Garcia
- 4 -HIDEAWAY'S WESTERN WONDER (D), ES

Amateur Walking Limited Gun Dog (18S) J: Lenny Morales & Gary Metzler

- 1 DASH AWAY (D), P
- 2 -FC MACHONE'S WHITE LIGHTENIN' (D), P
- 3 -NFC/DC JB'S ASKER BOUT BIRDS (B), VIZ
- 4 -CH BOULDER'S N FUSION'S POWER TRI (B), VIZ



INLAND EMPIRE Goose Butte BLM Area Ritzville, WA April 17-18, 2012

The Whid Isle Brittany Club and the Inland Empire Brittany Club held their Spring 2012 field trials together at the Goose Butte BLM Area near Ritzville, Washington. We had participants from Washington, Idaho, Oregon, California, and Montana with most people staying on the grounds to take the opportunity to compete in three field trials (Washington B.C. was the following weekend) that were held there over a nine day period. We had a good number of entries at both events with majors in all adult stakes except for one and two points in all of the juvenile stakes.

After a very wet winter in the Northwest, the spring weather we enjoyed was a welcome relief with temperatures reaching the low 70s during the day, lots of sunshine and light to moderate winds. While it got warm on the ground for the dogs, we had plenty of birdwork and the judges had numerous dogs to choose from for placements. Special recognition goes to 2011 NAFC Spanish Corrals Sundance Kid (owned by Joe Gower), HVK's High Flying Kyte (owned by Daniel Doiron) and Blazing Scip O'Moonshine (owned by Linda McDonald) who all finished their Field Championships under the guidance of Paul Doiron and scout Peggy Doiron.

We want to thank all of our judges for their attentiveness and perserverance. They did a great job and their placements were well received. Additionally, we want to thank pros Paul & Peggy Doiron and Wayne Down for bringing their strings up to Washington and supporting both of these events. They drive a long way to participate at our field trials in the Northwest and provide us with numerous entries that helps make these events financially viable. We would also like to recognize all of the hard work of the WIBC/IEBC members,

especially Kim McDonald, Char Benedict and Pam Henderson who organized and put on these two events. Everything went smoothly as usual, the food was fantastic and everyone had a great time! Finally, a big "thank-you" to all of the participants who so willingly pitched in with bird planting, water transport and all of the other jobs that are necessary to make a field trial successful. We couldn't have done it without you!

We look forward to seeing everyone again in the Fall!

John Henderson

WIBC & IEBC Field Trial Chairman

Open Puppy (10S) J: Jim Hammett & Joe Waitman

1 -RUBY RIDGE'S MILLION DOLLAR BABE (B); o Jan Hammer, h Larry Sandusky

- 2 -COPLEY'S CHUKAR KILLER (B), by Masked Jack of Diamonds x Copley's Millennium Martini; o Darin Larvik, h Vic Retherford
- 3 -HIDEAWAY'S OWYHEE TRACE (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine
- 4 -JALO'S MINK SHAWL (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Brown's B.B.J. MH x Jalos' Redneck Girl; o/h Jim House

Open Derby (8S) J: Joe Waitman & Dr. Ray Calkins

- 1 -HIDEAWAY'S WHITE SMOKE (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine
- 2 -LEONA VALLEY'S ANNIE GET YOUR GUN (B), by AFC Highpoint Blazin' Lamont x Highpoint's Miss Tejas; o George & Alice Benoit, h Paul Dorion
- 3 -K NINE'S REDROCK SNIPER (B), by NAFC/FC/ AFC Maxwell's Blew By You x K-Nine's Guns & Roses; o Tom A. Temple, h Paul Dorion
- 4 -COPLEY'S RED RIVER (D), by CH Copely's Looks Good on Paper x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Mary Brown & Rashelle, h Paul Dorion



P AND J'S RIM ROCK

Amateur Gun Dog (21S) J: Wayne Down & David Kirk

- 1 -P AND J'S RIM ROCK (D), by NFC San-Dee's Balzin' Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Jim & Pattie Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 2 -HIDEAWAY'S OUTBACK JACK (D), by NGDC/ FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine

- 3 -FC RADBACH'S FORWARD MOTION (D), GSP
- 4 -DC/AFC RUBYRIDGE'S MEGADOT (B), by CH/ AFC PJs Whirling Red Taz x DC/AFC Ruby Ridge's Meg Will Do UDX OM MH MX MXJ; o Larry Sandusky



HIDEAWAY'S OUTBACK JACK

Open Gun Dog (21S) J: Tom White & Ray Calkins

- 1 -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 Dorion
- 2 -FC/AFC BROWN'S BBJ MH (D), by NFC/ FC Bean's Blaze x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o Jim & Sunny House, h Jim House
- 3 -FC HVK'S HIGH FLYING KYTE (B), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-0'Dee-Do-Dah; o Daniel Dorion, h Paul Dorion
- 4 -DC FINALE'S FLYING COLORS (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Dorion

Amateur All Age (16S) J: Jim Hammett & Roger Borine

- 1 -FC DUNFUR'S TULE MOON (B), GSP
- 2 -FC/AFC RED SKY RILEY (D), by Jalo's Intern x Jalos' Running Josephine; o/h David Kirk
- 3 JAKE'S HONKY TONK HANK (D), GSP
- 4 -MTB CAN AM FORMULA FUN (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x CH Kinwashkly Lucky Star; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White



DC/AFC TERRAS CABO WABO

Open All Age (14S) J: Rout Showalter & Larry Sandusky

- 1 -NAFC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dees Blazing Shane x FC/ AFC Stevix Bulletproof Jill; o Joe Gower, h Paul Dorion
- 2 -DC/AFC TERRAS CABO WABO (D), by DC/AFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x DC/AFC Traveler's

Reign of Terra; o Tom & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White

- 3 -FC MIKEY'S SPICE GIRL (B), by DC/AFC Clyde's Micro-Breeze x DC/AFC TJ's Single Shot of Scipio; o Jerry A. & Carolyn Cape, h Paul Dorion
- 4 -DC MB's MAKE MINE A DOUBLE (D), by DC/ AFC/2xAmFC Redline's Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-0 Dee Do Dah; o Christine Landerholm Miller, h Paul Dorion



FC MIKEY'S SPICE GIRL

WASHINGTON BLM Goose Butte Mgmt Unit Ritzville, WA April 21-22, 2012

Open Puppy (9S) J: Dan Green & Jim Hammett

- 1 -RUBYRIDGE'S MILLION DOLLAR BABE (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x DC/AFC Rubyridge's Megadot; o Jim Hammer, h Larry Sandusky
- 2 -HIDEAWAY'S OWYHEE TRACE (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine
- 3 -JALO'S MINK SHAWL (B), by NFC/FC/AFC Brown's B.B.J. MH x Jalos' Redneck Girl; o/h Jim House
- 4 -COPLEY'S CHUKAR KILLER (B), by Masked Jack of Diamonds x Copley's Millennium Martini; o Darin Larvik, h Vic Retherford

Open Derby (10S) J: Dan Green & Dennis Leis

- 1 -K NINE'S REDROCK SNIPER (B), by NAFC/FC/ AFC Maxwell's Blew By You x K Nine's Guns & Roses; o Tom Temple, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -SHADY'S BLUEWATER REPETE (D), by FC Bluewater Shady Pete x Treley's Bluewater Brook; o Marilynne & Clem Little & Windy Schmidt, h Wayne Down
- 3 -COPLEY'S RED RIVER (D), by CH Copley's Looks Good on Paper x CH Copley's Millennium Martini; o Mary Brown & Rashelle Sytsma, h Paul Dorion
- 4 -Withheld

Amateur Gun Dog (15S) J: Wayne Down & Heinz Ahlman

1 -BANDIT'S CINDERELLA MAN (D), by Jayhawker's Masked Bandit x Timberline's Tri N Catch Me; o/h Victor Retherford

- 2 -CH SCHONHUND OUT OF THE SHADOWS (D), by DC Almeden's River of Shadows x CH Gourley's Maximum Bet JH; o lan & Tammy Robertson, h lan Robertson
- 3 -FC D.J.F'S MICRO BLAZIN BIXBY (B), by Goodrich's Micro Dreamer x DJF's Bailey's Irish Cream; o Jim & Pattie Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 4 -HIDEAWAY'S WHISKEY GIRL (B), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess bet; o Roger & Debra Boring, h Roger Rorine



FC/AFC JALO'S BIG WHEELS MH

Open Gun Dog (20S) J: David Kirk & Heinz Ahlman

- 1 -P AND J'S RIM ROCK (D), by NFC San-Dee's Blazin Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Jim & Patti Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 2 -FC SELDOM SEEN SLIM (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-0'Dee-Do'Dah; o Bill & Cindy Leffingwell, h Paul Doiron
- 3 -CH SANBAR'S LEGENDARY EVENING (D), by DC Sanbar Built on Legends JH x CH Sanbac Mustang Evening Attire; o Carolyn & Robert & Polly West, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -FC/AFC JALO'S BIG WHEELS MH (D), by NFC/ FC Beans Blaze x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o Jim & Sunny House, h Jim House

Amateur All Age (13S) J: Wayne Down & Jim Hammett

- 1 -MTB CAN AM FORMULA FUN, by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limtied Edition x CH Kinwashkly Lucky Star; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 2 -FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK SURGEON, by NGDC/ FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h Joe Waitman
- 3 -FC/AFC JALO'S BIG WHEELS MH (D), by NFC/FC Beans Blaze x FC/FC Jalo's Running Josephine; o Jim & Sunny House, h Jim House
- 4 -Whithheld

Open All Age (13S) J: Roger Borine & Larry Sandusky

- 1 -DC/AFC TERRAS CABO WABO (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x DC/AFC Travelers Reign of Terra; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 2 -FC MVP REDLINES HIGH OCTAINE JH (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x FC Shiloh's Whoa Nellie MH; o Karen Nelson, h Paul Doiron

- 3 -NAFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC/AFC Stevix Bulletproof Jill; o Joe Gower, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -DC/AFC MEGASMOKE GRAND FINALE, by DC/ AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x NFC/DC/AFC Micro Chips of Nutmeg; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Doiron



NAFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID



DC/AFC MEGASMOKE GRAND FINALE

IDAHO Marsing, ID April 28-30, 2012

Open Puppy (11S) J: Ron Dunagan & Joe Waitman

- 1 -JALO'S MINK SHAWL (B), by AFC/FC/AFC Brown's B.B.J. MH x Jalo's Redneck Girl; o/h Jim House
- 2 -HIDEWAY'S OWYHEE TRACE (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine
- 3 -GOLDEN WEST ZIP CODY (D), GSP
- 4 -SHANE'S BLAZING ROUGH RIDER (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Jerry Rosenberg & Barbara Baker-Rosenberg, h Paul Doiron

Open Derby (9S) J: Jim House & Dean Crabbs

- 1 -GOLDEN WEST ZIP CODY (D), GSP
- 2 -RUBYRIDGE'S MILLION DOLLAR BABE (B), by Megasmoke Limited Edition x Rubyridge's Megdadot; o Jan Hamner, h Larry Sandusky
- 3 -LEONA VALLEY'S ANNIE GET YOUR GUN JH (B), by HighPoint Blazin' Lamont x High Points Miss Tejax; o George & Alice Benoit, h Paul Doiron 4 -Withheld

Amateur Gun Dog (20S) J: Steve Reynolds & Wayne Down

- 1 -AFC BLACKSMITH'S DAUGHTER (B), ES
- 2 -FC/AFC BROWNS BBJ MH (D), by Beans Blaze x Jalos Running Josephine; o Jim & Sunny House, h Jim House
- 3 -FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK ZEB MH (D), by Jalo's Inten x Cheyenne's Serenade Sparkle; o/h Joe Waitman
- 4 -MOONSHINE NEL (B), by San-Dee's Blazing Shane x Zippity Do Dot; o/h Larry Sandusky

Open Gun Dog (29S) J: John Henderson & Jon Young

- 1 -FC SELDOM SEEN SLIM (D), by Redline's Tequila Smoker xTimberline's Scip-O-Dee Do Dah; o Bill & Cindy Leffingwell, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -OVER UNDER'S BODACIOUS TOO (D), by Shiloh's Blazin Tried n Tru x Over Under's Nation Wide Open; o Janet Fullwood, h Wayne Down
- 3 -FC HVK'S HIGH FLYING KYTE (B), by Redline's Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip 0 Dee Do Dah; o Daniel Doiron, h Paul Doiron
- 4 -FC/AFC BROWN'S BBJ MH (D), by Beans Blaze x Jalos Running Josephine; o Jim & Sunny House, h Jim House

Amateur All Age (13S) J: Jim Hammett, h Jim House

- 1 -RIO'S RISING RENEGADE (D), GSP
- 2 -FC/AFC RED SKY RILEY (D), by Jalo's Intern x Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h David Kirk
- 3 -NAFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (D), by San-Dees Blazing Shane x Stevix Bulletproof Jill; o/h Joe Gower
- 4 -BANDIT'S CINDERELLA MAN (D), by Jay Hawker's Masked Bandit x Timberline's Tri N Catch Me; o Victor Retherford, h Vic Retherford

Open All Age (26S) J: J: June McConnell, h Roger Borine

- FC MVP REDLINES HIGH OCTANE JH (D), by DC/ AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x Shiloh's Whoa Nellie; o Karen Nelson, h Paul Doiron
- 2 -SAY HEY'S GEORGIA PEACH (B), GSP
- 3 -FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK SURGEON (D), by Jalo's Intern x Jalos Running Josephine; o/h Joe Waitman
- 4 -BANDIT'S CINDERELLA MAN (D), by Jayhawkers Masked Bandit x Timberlin's Tri N Catch Me; o/h Vic Retherford

OREGON

Boyce Corral Madras, OR May 12-13, 2012

Open Puppy (12S) J: Wayne Yamashita & Dennis Leis

- 1 -JT'S CONSIDER ME GONE (B), GSP
- 2 -HIDEAWAY'S OWYHEE TRACE (D), by NGDC/FC
- San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine
- 3 -JALO'S CHARLES WOODRUFF (D), by FC/AFC Brown's BBJ MH x Jalo's Redneck Girl; o Erin Kirkwood & Ellen Osoinach, h Erin Kirkwood
- 4 -CAYUSE CALAMITY CATE JH (B), by Pake's Hunter s Windswept Rosebud; o/h Corrie Thorne Hadley

Amateur Walking Derby (8S) J: Wayne Yamashita & Dennis Leis

- 1 -HIDEAWAY'S OWYHEE TRACE (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine
- 2-4 -Withheld

Open Walking Derby (11S) J: Wayne Yamashita & Dennis Leis

- 1 -LACEY MTN'S B CAMPBELL LITTLE JESTER JH (D), by GCH Copley Can Do Magnum Gran Opus Sam x Bar's Miss Lacey Girl; o Bea & Jacqui Campbell. h Chris Tewes
- 2 -HIGHLONESOME GUNNY (B), by NGDC/NAGDC Peter Gun x Smoke's Shooting Star; o Jim & Pattie Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 3 -WIND MTN'S HONKY TONK GIRL (B), by CH Wind Mtn's Show Me The Money JH x CH Win Mtn's Cat Woman; o Connie Strom & Sharon Schafer, h Connie Strom
- 4 -HIDEAWAY'S OWYHEE TRACE (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Roger & Debra Borine, h Roger Borine

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (18S) J: John Sullivan & Chris Tewes

- 1 -DALE VON CHEHALEM MTN MH RDX (D), GSP
- 2 -CH DUAL SHOT'S BEHIND BARD (D), GWP



DC/AFC ZIPPITY-DO-DOT

- 3 -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
- 4 -FC D.J.F'S MICRO BLAZIN BIXBY (B), by Goodrich's Micro Dreamer x DJF's Bailey's Irish Cream; o Jim & Pattie Hammett, h Jim Hammett

Open Walking Gun Dog (17S) J: H. N. Engel, DVM & Joe Pioulx

- 1 -FC/AFC WILDROSE HEMLOCK HEIDI (B), GSP
- 2 -DC/AFC ZIPPITY DO-DOT (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Lea's Running Jay Hawk x FC/AFC Poki Dot; o/h Pattie Van De Coevering

3 -CH DUAL SHOT'S BEHIND BARD (D), GWP

4 -FC/AFC BROWN'S B.B.J. MH (D), by NFC/ FC Bean's Blaze x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h Jim House

Open Walking Limited Gun Dog (13S) J: Rick Axtell & Patti Van De Coevering

- 1 -FC/AFC BROWN'S B.B.J. MH (D), by NFC/ FC Bean's Blaze x FC/AFC Jalo's Running Josephine; o/h Jim House
- 2 -FC/AFC WIRESWEST RADICAL GIRL MH (B), GWP
- 3 -FC/AFC WILDROSE HEMLOCK HEIDI (B), GSP
- 4 -FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK ZEB MH (D), by NGDC/ FC/AFC Jalo's Intern x Cheyenne's Serenade Sparkle; o/h Joe Waitman



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2012 EMAIL MOTION

ABC BOARD OF DIRECTORS

MOTION (3) TO ESTABLISH DNA REQUIREMENTS FOR ABC NATIONAL EVENTS

Due to the November 1st date being after the Gun Dog Nationals start, the makers of the motion have withdrawn DNA Motion 2 and asked that it be replaced with the following motion. Mary Jo Trimble, Ex. Sec.

MOTION BY: Lisa Pollock, East Coast Director

SECONDED BY: Mary Karbiner, Midwest Director

MOTION MADE & SECONDED: May 30, 2012

DISCUSSION FOR 7 DAYS: May 30 - June 5, 2012

VOTES ACCEPTED FOR 5 DAYS: June 6 - 10, 2012

I move that effective January 1, 2013: All dogs entered in any of the following American Brittany Club Sponsored Events must have a DNA profile on record with the AKC. The AKC DNA number must be included on all entry forms.

1. All American Brittany Club National Championship field events; NFC, NAFC, NGDC, and NAGDC and

2. The American Brittany Club National Specialty Show, with the exception of dogs registered with an ILP/PAL number, and dogs under the age of 2 years at the start of the event.

This is the first phase of DNA Policy that the American Brittany Club Board of Directors endorse in an effort to keep our Breed purebred. Further steps will be outlined by a future committee. These future steps may include permanent identification through microchip, or tattoo, and DNA testing on all sires and dams.

Rational: Due to the out cries from the General membership asking for the ABC to set up a DNA testing policy, this will be our start. If this proposal passes the ABC Board, the President will form a committee to implement further regulations to insure that our Breed remain purebred. Similar DNA requirements are already approved by the AKC and in place for the Gordon Setter Club of America, The Vizsla Club of America, and The German Shorthair Pointer Club of America.

Motion Passed: 14 yes votes, 0 no votes, 1 abstained (Gorman) Respectfully submitted: Mary Jo Trimble, Ex. Sec.

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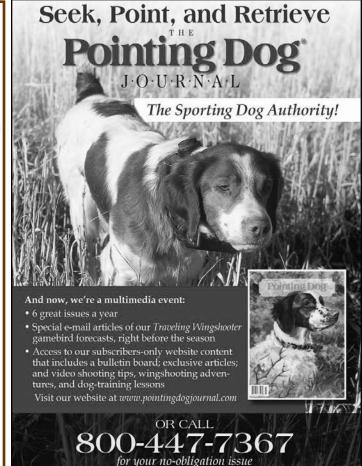
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- ND RULES y purebred Brittany bitch and her • Late litter nomination
- American Brittany Futurities shall be open to every purebred Brittany bitch and her progeny whelped during the calendar year of January 1 - December 31 and whose litters have been 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 litter nominations will be accepted as late as 180 days from whelping. In addition to the Nomination fee of \$30.00 the late fees are \$30.00 for 31-60 days, \$60.00 for 61-90 days, and \$100.00 for 91-180 days. Nominations after 180 days will be at the discretion of the Futurity Committee. The ABC Board of Directors may impose additional late fees from time to time. The postmark will determine the fee for late nominations.

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NAME OF BITC	t d by ABC member)		
BITCH'S AKC a	nd/or Her Sire		
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	His Dam		
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