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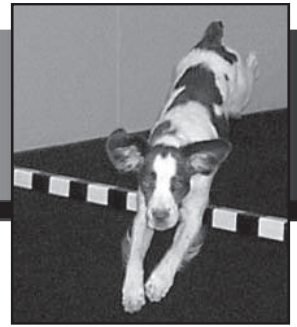
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# Versatile Brittanys in Action

By Carla Simon



## Top Agility Presents

During the Holiday Season, many families give presents to their dogs and lucky agility enthusiasts in their friends and family. Some of the best-selling gifts for agility enthusiasts might surprise you. Not into agility? Obedience, trick, nosework trainers will love these all-time favorite training recommendations too.

Over the years, many families have bought toy dog agility model figures, for children, for agility judges and teachers to show how courses are built, and for cake toppers. Breyer Animal Creations makes a small set with several moveable equipment pieces and a model dog.

When it comes to toys, the all-time favorite in our classes is food stuffable balls. If you're training in a barn where thrown food rewards will simply disappear in the sand, food balls can easily be thrown to reward at a distance, and the dog learns to use his paws to open it up and grab his own food reward from inside. Good quality jackpot balls are washable, but are never good for unsupervised play as they are not intended to withstand heavy chewing.

If you want to leave a toy to keep your heavy chewer occupied while you're away, the orange RealTree Squirrel Dude is a much better choice. Having said that, these squirrels dispense toys so slowly, they are not suitable for throwing your reward during training for food motivated dogs.

For people just starting out in training agility, the top 3 bestselling pieces of equipment are:

1. PVC folding ready jumps are ideal for throwing in your vehicle to practice at a nearby park or use for a club demonstration. They are light and fold up with the jump bar snapped on, forming one easily moveable piece. Most people wouldn't find it difficult to carry 4 jumps, especially with a ready jump bag or a hockey bag or a Christmas tree bag on wheels. For dogs under 12 months, train safely by leaving the jump bar on the ground, and raise it gradually once they're mature. If you have 1 jump, you can train many fundamental agility skills, such as distance. (See Susan Garrett's Success with 1 jump video). If you have 3 or 4 jumps, you can train jump grids and sequence commonly seen on course such as pinwheels, serpentine, pull-throughs, etc.
2. PVC jump start jumps are the most economical choice. They don't fold or snap together, so if you want to move them, you must disassemble and reassemble. This is a great choice for the budget conscious, but not suitable to classes or multiple dogs as jump heights do not come marked on the standard (although you can easily measure and write heights on with a sharpie marker.)
3. If you asked agility dogs, most would say that tunnels are their favorite piece of equipment. Play tunnels are a much lighter grade, and they incorporate material similar to a raincoat or umbrella. These are best used indoors, as they blow around in the wind if used outdoors. Having said that, many of my litters have learned the tunnel without assistance when it is placed in a hallway close to the whelping box. If your dog is shy about trying the tunnel, squish it up so it's only 1/4 of the length and it will be far easier to introduce. For advanced students, consider buying a competition tunnel with bags to practice distance sends, tunnel grabs and tunnel brake (see OneMindDogs.com for some pointers.) Now that tunnels come in competition diameter, small and large dog diameters, there is something for everyone.
4. Weaves take a long time to train, so for many agility competitors, if they have to choose 1 piece of equipment for home practice, weaves are an excellent choice. In my opinion, it's best to wait until a pup is at least 18 months old to really train the weaves, as the amount of bend it requires in their back is stressful for growing bodies.

And for those of you who are too mischievous to get presents from Santa, Boxing Day sales may offer considerable discounts on your favorite equipment.

In an upcoming issue, watch for the recipe for our favorite homemade gift: healthy, non-crumbling dog training biscuits that you can make at home, perfect for all kinds of training, but especially designed for nosework since they taste fabulous and don't crumble on the floor to distract the dogs.

We hope you enjoy your holiday and wish you all the best in the upcoming year!



# December 2016 AKC Agility Invitational for Brittanys

Qualifying Period Starting July 01, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016  
Events Processed Through Thursday, December 3, 2015

Rank	Name	Class	Formula Value
1	<u>GCH CH MACH3 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains RN MXC MJC XF T2B</u>	REG	1,197
2	<u>GCH CH MACH8 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice MXS3 MJG3 MXF T2B2</u>	REG	1,173
3	<u>CH MACH9 Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MXS3 MJS3 MXF TOX T2B</u>	REG	778
4	<u>CH MACH3 Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXB2 MJS2 MXF MFB TOX T2B2</u>	REG	724
5	<u>CH MACH Big Oaks Some Patience Required Of Mariad MXS MJS MXF T2B</u>	REG	698
6	<u>MACH Credit Kaze With A Perfect Diamond MXS MJG MXF MFB T2B2</u>	REG	682
7	<u>MACH10 Shiloh Of Agoura MXC3 MJC3</u>	REG	620
8	<u>MACH2 Cooper MXS MJB2 OF T2B</u>	REG	542
9	<u>Stonewalls Devine Fudge MX MXB MXJ MJB</u>	REG	531
10	<u>CH MACH6 Exebrit's Sunset Limited UD MXC2 MJG2 XF T2B</u>	REG	509
11	<u>CH Rustins Treasure Of The Sierras RN MX MXB MXJ MJG MXF T2B</u>	REG	430
12	<u>MACH Mariad's Covey Rise MXS MJS MXF T2B</u>	REG	320
13	<u>Frankie Bacalaito Coqui MX MXJ XF T2B CGC</u>	REG	296
14	<u>Credit Kaze Southern Crown Jewel AX AXJ</u>	REG	290
15	<u>Etendard Des Grands Lacs BN RE SH MX MXJ</u>	REG	280
16	<u>GCH CH Jambi's Miss Tootaloo MX MXB MXJ MJB</u>	REG	276
17	<u>Sigbrit's Nutmeg JH MX MXB MXJ MJB</u>	REG	246
18	<u>Hurricane Thats The Ticket MX MXB MXJ MJB CA</u>	REG	211
19	<u>GCH CH MACH Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RE MXG MJG MXF T2B</u>	REG	200
20	<u>Wild Mtn Thunderbird JH MX MXJ XF T2B CAA</u>	REG	191
21	<u>MACH Berry Buschman MXB MJB OF T2B CGC</u>	REG	186
22	<u>MACH Cimmaron Sasparilla Sara MXB MJS T2B</u>	REG	183
23	<u>CH MACH Cimmaron Made You Look Jack MXG MJS MXF T2B</u>	REG	179
24	<u>GCH CH Triumphant Absolute Liberty Of Kinship JHA MX MXB MXJ MJS OF T2B CGC</u>	REG	168
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IN AGILITY, OBEDIENCE AND CONFORMATION.*



**Year to Date AKC TopDogs<sup>sm</sup> in Agility PACH  
Competition for Brittanys  
Considering Events Held Between January 1, 2015 and Ending December 20, 2015  
But Limited To Events Processed Through Thursday, December 3, 2015  
Sorted by the Score (Double Q's x 10) + PACH points**

An AKC Top Dogs report ranks the top dogs in Agility events and is based on the total number of points dogs have earned from either the Regular or Preferred Master Standard & Jumpers With Weaves classes. Dogs must have competed and qualified in Regular or Preferred Master Standard & Jumpers With Weaves classes to be eligible to be included on these reports.

Report includes events processed through Thursday December 03, 2015.

Rank	Name	Sex	Points	Dbl Qs	Total Score
1	<u>MACH PACH Faison's One Moment In Thyme CD RA JH MXS MJS MXP3 MXPB MJP4 MJPB PAX XF XFP T2BP</u>	B	1,039	17	1,209
2	<u>MACH2 PACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN MXS MJG MXP5 MXPS MJP5 MJPS PAX XF</u>	B	587	10	687
3	<u>CH MACH PACH2 Brookwood's Mardi Gras UD RN JH MXG MJC MXP7 MXPG MJP8 MJPG PAX2 OF XFP</u>	B	440	14	580
4	<u>MACH Tressel MXB MJG MXP2 MJP3 MJPB XF T2B3 T2BP</u>	D	402	7	472
5	<u>MACH5 Mario's Demon In The Ruff MXS2 MJG2 MJP MXF MFS TOX T2B2</u>	B	374	5	424
6	<u>Farout Fields September Skye AX MXJ MXP MJP OF</u>	D	226	7	296
7	<u>CH MACH Millette's Don't Stop Believin' JH MXG MJS OF</u>	D	129	6	189
8	<u>Jj's Zeva MX MXJ MXP NF</u>	B	147	4	187
9	<u>PACH2 Katie Barnhart MX MXJ MXP6 MXPS MJP8 MJPG PAX2</u>	B	122	4	162
10	<u>MACH9 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH MXS3 MJS4 NAP NJP MXF T2B</u>	B	150	1	160
11	<u>Farout Fields Xorbitant Fancy CD RAE JH MX AXJ MXP NF OFP</u>	B	105	4	145
12	<u>CH Voyageur's Star Spangled Time RN NA OAJ AXP MJP</u>	D	82	4	122
13	<u>MACH Nipa's Showgun "Gunner" MXS MJS MXPB PAX OF</u>	D	71	3	101
14	<u>CH Melridge Hearts A Fire RN MX MXJ MJB CGC</u>	B	83	0	83
15	<u>PACH2 Cinnamon MXP11 MXPC MJP10 MJPC PAX2 OFP</u>	B	44	2	64
16	<u>Farout Fields Xtreme Ranger CDX RE JH MX MXJ MJP NF</u>	D	41	2	61
17	<u>Nellie AX MXJ NF CGC</u>	B	26	2	46
18	<u>CH MACH4 Top Shelf's Crown Royal JH MXG2 MJS2 MXF MFB TOX</u>	B	40	0	40
19	<u>GCH CH Millette's Sweet Memories BN JH AX AXJ NAP NJP NF</u>	B	35	0	35
20	<u>CH MACH2 Mariad Thats My Point Bigoak JH MXG MJC MXF T2B</u>	D	24	1	34
21	<u>CH Rainchaser's Kit And Kaboodle MX MXJ NAP NJP XF NFP T2B</u>	D	33	0	33
22	<u>Ammo's Lucky Streak AX MXJ OF</u>	D	24	0	24
23	<u>MACH PACH Voyageur's B.B. Beretta UD BN GN GO RA MXG MJG MXP5 MXPS MJP5 MJPS PAX MXF</u>	B	12	0	12
24	<u>Sweetwater's Twilight Miss Bella CD RN AX OAJ OF</u>	B	8	0	8
25	<u>MACH2 Cupid's Beau And Eros CD MXS MJC MXF T2B</u>	D	7	0	7



**Lifetime Points AKC TopDogs<sup>sm</sup> in Agility MACH Competition for Brittanys**  
**Considering All Dates of MACH Competition**  
**But Limited To Events Processed Through Thursday, December 3, 2015**  
**Sorted by the Score (Double Q's x 10) + MACH points**

Rank	Name	Sex	Total Points	Total Dbl Qs	Total Score
1	<u>MACH11 Julia Flying Cinnamon Girl UD RAE MXC3 MJC3 FTC1 MFC TOX T2B</u>	B	14,773	222	16,993
2	<u>MACH10 Shiloh Of Agoura MXC3 MJC3</u>	B	9,317	216	11,477
3	<u>GCH CH MACH8 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice MXS3 MJG3 MXF T2B2</u>	B	9,650	178	11,430
4	<u>MACH9 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH MXS3 MJS4 NAP NJP MXF T2B</u>	B	6,761	192	8,681
5	<u>CH MACH6 Exebrit's Sunset Limited UD MXC2 MJG2 XF T2B</u>	D	7,380	123	8,610
6	<u>CH MACH9 Chilcote's Great Idea Of Mariad MXS3 MJS3 MXF TOX T2B</u>	B	6,770	184	8,610
7	<u>CH MACH4 Top Shelf's Crown Royal JH MXG2 MJS2 MXF MFB TOX</u>	B	7,209	90	8,109
8	<u>MACH6 Timberlane's Treasured Time MXC2 MJB3</u>	B	5,646	125	6,896
9	<u>MACH5 Mario's Demon In The Ruff MXS2 MJG2 MJP MXF MFS TOX T2B2</u>	B	5,497	106	6,557
10	<u>MACH5 Burford's Bolt Across The Delta JH MXB2 MJS2 NAP OJP</u>	B	5,260	100	6,260
11	<u>MACH3 Chilcote's Elusive Flyby CDX RE MXC2 MJC2 MXF</u>	D	4,999	75	5,749
12	<u>CH MACH5 Chilcote Kaze-Kaoru CDX JH MXB2 MJC2 AXP MJP2 MXF</u>	B	4,662	100	5,662
13	<u>MACH5 Whistling Dixie Delight CD RE MXS2 MJG2 MXF TOX</u>	B	4,198	127	5,468
14	<u>CH MACH3 Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXB2 MJS2 MXF MFB TOX T2B2</u>	B	4,712	68	5,392
15	<u>GCH CH MACH3 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains RN MXC MJC XF T2B</u>	D	4,358	62	4,978
16	<u>MACH4 Calico Queen MXB2 MJS2</u>	B	3,051	89	3,941
17	<u>CH MACH3 Chilcote Kaze Kiri Hane JH MXB2 MJS2 NAP NJP XF</u>	B	3,132	60	3,732
18	<u>MACH3 Vanilla Mocha Chipper JH MXB3 MJG2 FTC1 MFC TOX</u>	D	2,256	135	3,606
19	<u>MACH2 PACH Cimmaron Sunrise Windsprite RN MXS MJG MXP5 MXPS MJP5 MJPS PAX XF</u>	B	2,769	45	3,219
20	<u>CH MACH3 Keili's Blazing Star CDX RA JH MXB2 MJB2 XF</u>	B	2,267	85	3,117
21	<u>MACH Credit Kaze With A Perfect Diamond MXS MJG MXF MFB T2B2</u>	B	2,796	32	3,116
22	<u>MACH3 Breeze MXS2 MJS2</u>	B	2,257	73	2,987
23	<u>MACH2 Peter Pan's Happy Thought MXG MJS NF</u>	D	2,309	55	2,859
24	<u>CH MACH Brookewood's Shooting Star UD RA JH MXS MJS</u>	B	2,369	32	2,689
25	<u>MACH2 Dusty The Brittany CDX JH MXG MJC</u>	D	1,945	74	2,685

**March 2016 AKC National Obedience Championship  
for Brittanys**

The AKC National Obedience Championship report lists the top dogs ranked in Obedience events and is based on the total number of OTCH (Obedience Trial Championship) points earned during the qualifying period for this national event.

This report includes the top 50 ranked dogs by breed.

Qualifying Period Starting December 01, 2014 and ending November 30, 2015

Events Processed Through Saturday, December 5, 2015

Rank	Name	OTCH Points
1	<u>OTCH Jayhawker's Lucky Jack UDX6 OM9</u>	27
2	<u>Farout Fields Noble Nellie Rose UD BN GN GO RA JHA</u>	4
3	<u>GCH CH MACH Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RE MXG MJG MXF T2B</u>	3



# ABC Welcomes New Members

## NOVEMBER 2015 New Members

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*Sandra Giebel*

*Hali Bednarz*

*Al Hirt*

*Jeff Minch*

*Bruce Robbins*

*Kim Williamson*

*Rachel Mackey*

*Jack Heaston*

*Beth Lacy*

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# National Amateur Gun Dog Championship

The 2015 National Amateur Gun Dog Championship had an entry of 30 dogs and the weather was great.

The judges for this year's National Amateur Championship were Karen Conroy from North Carolina and Sue Lehosky from Pennsylvania. One of our judges could not make it and Sue accepted her new role from reporter to Judge. Thank you Sue for stepping up and accepting the Judge's role. Both Karen and Sue have been in pointing breeds for many years with an array of knowledge in training and breeding.

Thank you to our sponsors Purina and Garmin/Tri-tronics. Purina feeds many of the competitors and provides financial support for the event along with a complimentary bag of dog food for each entry. The winners received Pro-Plan dog food, an electronic training collar and a silver belt buckle hand tooled and crafted from Montana Silversmith Company. There were trophies, plaques and a saddle bag (hand crafted by Kevin Parish, The Saddle Guy) awarded to the placing dogs.

Thanks to the Field Trial Chairman, John Perry and his wife Joanne for serving as the Field Trial Secretary and reporter (stepping in for Sue). Members of the Field Trial Committee were Cindy Cropek, Jim Hammett, Bill Gorman, Mike Blondin, Mike Poehler and John Kipp. John Kipp also served as the Stakes Manager and organized the Marshals, Deb Smeltz and Diana Kubitz getting up early to ensure the donuts and coffee made it on to the dog wagon. Thank you Will Langley for Marshalling. Thank you to all who volunteered for marshalling, Chuck Langstaff for the dog wagon, Jim Johnson (with your jazzy dancing moves), Deb Smeltz and Diana Kubitz for handling the Calcutta and auction, the bird planters and the many others who volunteered. The grounds looked beautiful, we appreciate the grounds committee for a job well done. Will and Kathy Langley of Bottom Creek Farm in Attica, MI, provided horses for all to enjoy the event. Thank you Julie Romence for taking pictures and to Lisa Pollock who continued to post the pictures and information on each day's running via Facebook for everyone to follow the event, even though she was traveling.

Saturday night was the welcome dinner catered by Olivera's followed by the Calcutta. Breakfasts and lunches were catered by Eileen Gust. Great big thank you to Eileen! Sunday's winner's dinner was provided by Dr. Roger McPherson and Ray Gorman. We all enjoyed pheasant and grouse casserole, venison enchiladas, moose chili, dilly beans and apple pie. If you missed it, it was absolutely delicious!

Thank you again to our sponsors, the competitors, the gallery that was shared by horses and personal assist devices, and to everyone who volunteered; we greatly appreciate all that you did to make the event successful and fun.



AKC winners Ron Gulembo w/DC High Points Summer Time. Sue Lehosky Judge, Karen Conroy Judge, Allison Riedl w/FC/AFC High Hopes Little Ann, Dan Riedl, John Perry, Joanne Perry w/ Hit's Showtime, Al Cropek, Cindy Cropek w/ 2xNGDC DC/AFC High Hopes Dark Nite.

## The winners:

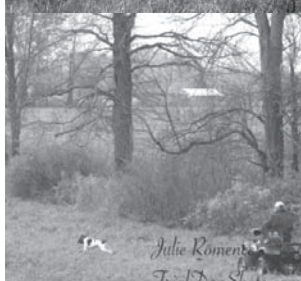
The Champion from brace 3, DC HighPoints Summer Time (Summer). FC Beaver's Straight Arrow Cutter (Cutter) – Richard Beaver & DC Highpoint's Summer Time (Summer) – Al Cropek. At 14 Cutter established point. Summer was also standing further up the treeline on the opposite side. The shot was fired for Cutter and Al also moved on with Summer. The dogs were looking very nice on the ground with a good pattern. Both dogs had a divided stop to flush at 38 and handled it nice. At 46 a divided find was called. At the flush, the bird flew over Cutter's head, which proved to be too much for Cutter as he went with the bird and Summer remained standing tall watching the bird take flight. Summer finished the course with a very nice run.

The runner-up champion came from brace 7, FC AFC High Hopes Little Ann (Annie). FC AFC High Hopes Little Ann (Annie) – Dan Riedl & FC AFC Blazin' Shadows Bama Jama (Jammie) – Roger Stowell. Annie scored at 5 minutes with a very nice find standing well off her birds. Jammie scored at 10 with a covey. At 13 point was called for Annie and Jammie was backing. Dan fired and all was looking good. Twenty-one minutes in and Dan signaled point for Annie and she was awarded her third find. At 42, find number 4 was called for Annie, her bird work looking nice. At 54 minutes Annie was standing again. Dan decided to relocate her and found a dead bird. At 59 Jammie scored a second find before time was called.

From brace 14 for third place was FC AFC Hits Showtime (Brandy). Green Mountain Lucy (Lucy) – Mike Blondin & FC AFC Hit's Showtime (Brandy) – Joanne Perry. Point was called for Lucy at 4. Mike relocated Lucy, as the bird fluttered it proved to be too much temptation for her. Brandy was out to the front. At 12 point was called for Brandy and all was in order. Brandy worked the edges and treelines. The scout called point at 21 in the pines before the Boy Scout Bridge where Brandy was buried deep in a gully. Joanne flushed and fired with birds lifting and more birds walking around Brandy. As she collared Brandy, Joanne slipped getting out of the gully but continued moving Brandy on. Brandy proceeded to work the fields with a good pattern and forward race. At 48 Joanne watered Brandy and sent her on. Working forward at 57 Brandy hit point and was awarded a third find. Time was called as Brandy was released.







Awarded fourth place from brace 8 was 2x NGDC FC AFC High Hopes Dark Nite (Joe). NGDC FC AFC High Hope's Dark Nite (Joe) – Al Cropek & Hit's a Red Rock Girl! (Ruby) – Brent Rupnow. After chasing a coyote off the field we started the brace. Joe was really running and taking his edges. Ruby was working in close range. Al called point for Joe at 8 with everything in order. Then Joe was gone for a short time and showed up to the front. Ruby scored at 37 with a nice find and she continued to work at a short range. Brent decided to pick her up at 48. Joe was pointing nicely at 54 awarded another find. Al released Joe and time was called.

**Day 1 – Sunday, October 25, 2015**

**BRACE 1 AFC JALO'S ODOT (MR. O) – JIM HOUSE & NAGDC FC AFC SPRING HILL'S HOT WHEELS (WHEELS) – JOHN BELL.** Point was called for Mr. O at 5 with Wheels backing, this was a nice piece of bird work for Mr. O. At 8 John's scout pointed out Wheels standing; with birds flushed all was in order. Wheels had a nonproductive at 11. At 25, Wheels had a covey find and the birds landed to the front in the grass. Mr. O came back early. Wheels was awarded another covey find at 36 and finished out the course.

**BRACE 2 FC WRIGLEY'S BODEMEISTER (BODE) – BARRY STEINMETZ & NAGDC GAFD FC AFC SUEMAC'S SKY KING (SKY) – ROGER MCPHERSON.** Bode scored a find at 6 with Sky backing. Point was called for Sky at 40 with a covey find. As we crested Shangri-La, both dogs were standing in the distance. Bode was awarded the find and Sky with the back. This was an excellent demonstration of bird work and sportsmanship. Fifty-eight minutes in, Sky was standing. Roger relocated him and decided to move on. Time was called with both dogs finishing the brace.

**BRACE 4 ICEMAN'S WILD ONE (LOGAN) – ED JANULIS & NAGDC FC AFC ANJ'S AMAZING GRACE (MAISY) – MIKE POEHLER.** At 5 Logan scored with bird work. A couple minutes after being released, Logan thought he should bring Ed back dead birds. On another find at 17 Ed shot a little close to the judge's horse, but all was fine. Maisy had a nonproductive at 50, but moved nicely on the ground. This was Maisy's last showing at the Nationals. She sure has been fun to watch. Congratulations to Mike and Maisy on all of your accomplishments!

**BRACE 5 CAROLINA DOUBLE DOT (DOT DOT) – FRED STRAWSON & FC AFC JETER III (JETER) – MIKE BLONDIN.** Jeter made wide casts, where Dot Dot proved to be a closer ranging dog. At thirty minutes Jeter took a bird. Dot Dot continued hunting very nice, but went birdless.

**BRACE 6 FC ST. CLAIR'S PRINCE ROCCO VULCANO LEO (ROCCO) – JON ST. CLAIR & ICEMAN'S SMOOTH RIDE (LEXI) – ED JANULIS.** Point was called for Rocco at 23 with Lexi backing. This was a nonproductive, but Lexi laid down. On Rocco's next piece of bird work, he decided that he should go with the bird.

**Day 2 – Monday, October 26, 2015**

**BRACE 9 RUSTY NAIL OF COOS (RUSTY) – THOMAS WOOD & AFC KIP'S BAY ZAC'S-A-TAC'N ELLIE (ELLIE) – JOHN KIPP.** Point was called for Rusty at 8 with Ellie backing. With all in order, both dogs were moved on. Ellie was making some nice moves. Rusty was starting to look a bit tired. At 40, point was called for Rusty. Rusty took steps as the bird was flushed and John took it as a back for Ellie. Ellie was beginning to range in closer and at 45, John picked her up.

**BRACE 10 RYLEE'S ROLLING THUNDER OF COOS (THUNDER) – RAY GORMAN & ALDER ALL TUNDRA DEVIN TUKTU (TUCKER) – ROBERT PEURNER.** Tucker had point at 15, but decided to go with the bird. For Thunder also, the temptation of birds was too much for him that day.

**BRACE 11 AFC HY STEPPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING (LIBBY) – CHRIS SENNOTT & FC AFC JALO'S SPECK TACULAR (SPECK) – JIM HOUSE.** Two minutes in Libby was backing Speck. Point was called for Speck at 12 way across the field. This was a dead bird. At 42 Libby scored a find. Speck also scored a find at 45. Both dogs were forward at time.

**BRACE 12 FC JACK'S TOUGH ENOUGH (COREY) – MARCIA RUPNOW & MAGNUM HIGH VELOCITY (GAUGE) – VINCE ANDERSON.** At 3 Gauge was seen on point standing tall. After the shot all was in order. Both dogs were moving forward, hunting well. Corey established point at 17. Marcia relocated him then moved on. Gauge had gone to the front where Corey caught up to him and both dogs were working the edges. At 32 Gauge was found standing with a raccoon in the tree and Corey backing. Both handlers agreed to move on. Corey hit point hard off the edge of the path at 36 as Gauge backed. The bird lifted and dropped back in place. Both handlers moved well up the path to release their dogs. Both dogs were forward and finished the brace.

**Day 3 – Tuesday, October 27, 2015**

**BRACE 13 DC HIGH HOPES BIG GAMBLE (RILEY) – DAN RIEDL & CAROLINA CALL ME TIGER (TIGER) – FRED STRAWSON.** Both dogs took flight with the birds at 6 minutes.

**BRACE 15 AFC KIP'S BAY DARK N' STORMY MISS MADDIE (MADDIE) – JOHN KIPP & AFC BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS (DAISY) – JEFF STANTON.** In Shangri-La at 20, point was called for Daisy with all in order. We heard point again for Daisy, which was on the other side of the course at 30. Daisy handled everything very well. Maddie scored a find at 42 with all manners intact. At 45 Jeff's scout called point for what would become another encounter with the raccoon. Daisy was pointing, but Jeff pulled her out of the situation as there was a lot of noise between Daisy and the raccoon; however, Daisy looked and seemed to be just fine. John was ahead with Maddie. He had another find with Maddie at 51, which turned out to be a dead bird. Both dogs finished nicely going away.

**ABC National Amateur Gun Dog Championship  
Grand Amateur Limited Gun Dog 1hr(30S)**

**J: Sue Lehosky & Karen Conroy**

- 1 - DC HIPOINT'S SUMMER TIME (B), by NFC/DC/AFC Gambler's Ace in the Hole x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly by Nite; o Ron & Kathy Culemo, h Al Cropek
- 2 - FC/AFC HIGH HOPES LITTLE ANN (B), by DC/AFC Spring Hill's Trouble Free x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly by Nite; o Dan & Allison Riedl, h Dan Riedl
- 3 - FC/AFC HITS SHOWTIME (D), by NGDC/FC/AFC Buck's Hit the Road Jack x Marjo's Hightest Bella JH; o John & Joanne Perry, h John A. Perry
- 4 - NAGDC/FC/AFC HIGH HOPES DARK NITE (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Gambler's Ace in the Hole x NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly by Nite; o Cynthia & Albert Cropek, h Al Cropek



# Specialty Show

**MINNESOTA  
Lake Elmo, MN  
August 21, 2015**

We had a beautiful day for showing dogs and everyone made the most of their time in the ring. Our sweepstakes judge gave the nod to Sovereign's Royal Code for Best in Puppy Sweepstakes and Opposite went to Ch Liberty's Dixie Belle. From the Veteran Sweeps the nod went to Ch Bantam's Bravo Duffy with Opposite going to Ch Fancy's Midnight Spectacular.

In the regular classes Roy came from his sweepstakes win to go Winners Dog with Reserve going to Confetti's Casting Shadows at Bantam. The Winners Bitch Twoemz Kiss Me Deadly went on to garner Best of Winners. Reserve went to Sovereign's Chasing Dreams.

We had seven specials entered in Breed competition. Best of Breed went to Ch Bantam's Spittin' Image JH coming out of the field trial class, with Opposite going to Ch Trio's Sovereign Alleluia JH. Select Dog and Bitch were Ch Cimmaron's Prairie Fire Butch Cassidy and Ch Fancy's Midnight Spectacular (from Veteran class), and Best Puppy was Dr Jac's True Grits Missy O'Dee.

I would like to thank our judges who took the time to look at our fine entry, our ring stewards Dianne Pfilpsen and Shelly Wenberg who filled in at the last minute, Dawn Droel for searching out unique trophies, and Mary Tyson for coordinating the post judging Pot Luck. I know I'm forgetting someone, so a big thank you to all who helped and participated – hope you all had a good time. We look forward to seeing everyone next year.

## **SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Ms. Patricia Jung**

### **9-12 Month Puppy Dogs**

- 1 - SOVEREIGN'S ROYAL CODE, o Dawn & Joe Droel

### **12-18 Month Junior Dogs**

- 1 - BANTAM'S STRUTZ JH, o Mike Magnuson

### **6-9 Month Puppy Bitches**

- 1 - DR JAC'S TRUE GRITS MISSY O'DEE, o Jackie Swanson

### **12-18 Month Puppy Bitches**

- 1 - CH LIBERTY'S DIXIE BELLE, o Debbie & Tony Scaffidi

**Best in Sweepstakes  
SOVEREIGN'S ROYAL CODE**

**Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes  
CH LIBERTY'S DIXIE BELLE**

**VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES  
Judge: Ms. Patricia Jung**

### **7 Year and Older Veteran Dogs**

- 1 - CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY, o Diane & Bruce Hedstrom

### **7 Year and Older Veteran Bitches**

- 1 - CH FANCY'S MIDNIGHT SPECTACULAR, o Bonnie & Curt Brandon



**BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES  
CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY**

**Best in Veteran Sweepstakes  
CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY**

**Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes  
CH FANCY'S MIDNIGHT SPECTACULAR**

**REGULAR CLASSES  
JUDGE: Delores Burkholder**

### **12-18 Month Junior Dogs**

- 1 - REBELFLAME BANDIT, by CH Bantam's Bravo Duffy x CH Little Bitty Rebella Bullet SH; o William & Gloria Welp, b Mary Tyson  
2 - BANTAM'S STRUTZ JH, by CH Bantam's Spittin' Image JH x CH Bantam's Firecracker; o Mike Magnuson, b Diane Hedstrom

### **Bred-by-Exhibitor Dogs**

- 1 - SOVEREIGN'S ROYAL CODE, by CH Sovereign's Know The Code JH x Sovereign's Chasing Dream; o/b Dawn & Joe Droel

### **Open Dogs**

- 1 - CONFETTI'S CASTING SHADOWS AT BANTAM, by CH Bantam's Bravo Duffy x CH Jozan's Casting A Spell; o/b Diana Peterson  
2 - REPEAT'S LITTLE 501 BLUES JH, by GCH/DC/AFC Havapal's Revmeup Repeat OAJ NFG Nap x CH Dogwood Gilmore Girl; o Julie Asmus, b Todd Parmenter  
3 - NINE-ROCK-RANCH-DIEGO-MIGUAL, by CH Bantam Unleashed x Melridge Requet O.U. Ket-Chup; o Vickie Lee, b Jenny McClain  
4 - WARBONNET'S SHOOTING STAR, by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Warbonnet Golden Magpie JH; o William & Gloria Welp, b Todd Breitenfeldt

**Winners Dog  
SOVEREIGN'S ROYAL CODE**



**Reserve Winners Dog**  
**CONFETTI'S CASTING SHADOWS AT BANTAM**

**6-9 Month Puppy Bitches**

1 - DR JAC'S TRUE GRITS MISSY O'DEE, by True Grits Jesse James x True Grits O'Dee Destinee; o Jackie Swanson, b Tana Kradolfer

**Amateur Owner-Handler Bitches**

1 - DR JAC'S IT MUST HAVE BEEN THE ROSES, by CH Bantam's Bravo Duffy x Dr Jac's Bazooka Belle MH; o Jerome & Lois & Rachele Boettcher b Jackie & Hannah & Thomas & Dr. Eric Swanson

**Bred-by Exhibitor Bitches**

1 - TWOEMZ KISS ME DEADLY, by GCH/CH Sovereign's Chasing Legend's x GCH/CH Ginjac-Magic Me I'm The One BN RN JH; o/b Michele Martin

2 - SOVEREIGN'S CHASING DREAMS, by CH Alar's the Rocketeer CD SH x DC Sovereign Copley Kiss My Chips; o/b Dawn & Joe Droel

**American-Bred Bitches**

1 - GRANMARS SWEET DREAMS, CH Granmars Can Do Prince Drew x DC Granmars Classic Diamond Account; o Jackie & Dr. Eric Swanson, b Tim Foley & Patrick Brown

**Open Bitches**

1 - FAROUTFIELDS FOREVER FAITH, by GCH/CH Farout Fields Let Me At'Em JH x GCH/CH Farout Fields Tequila Sunrise JH; o Bonnie & Curt Brandon & Jackie Arnold, b Jackie Arnold

**Winners Bitch**  
**TWOEMZ KISS ME DEADLY**

**Reserve Winners Bitch**  
**SOVEREIGN'S CHASING DREAMS**

**Veteran Bitches**

1 - CH FANCY'S MIDNIGHT SPECTACULAR, by Ch Jordean Up All Night x CH Rainbow's Fancy Lady's Fortune MH; o/b Bonnie & Curt Brandon

**Field Trial Dogs**

1 - CH BANTAM'S SPITTIN' IMAGE JH, by CH Bantam Unleashed x CH Over Under's Killin' Time JH; o Diane & Bruce Hedstrom, b Eileen Gust

**Best of Breed**  
**CH BANTAM'S SPITTIN' IMAGE JH**, by CH Bantam Unleashed x CH Over Under's Killin' Time JH; o Diane & Bruce Hedstrom, b Eileen Gust

**Best of Winners**  
**TWOEMZ KISS ME DEADLY**

**Best of Opposite Sex**  
**CH TRIO'S SOVEREIGN ALLELUIA JH**, by GCH/CH Trio's Mr Rocktober x Ch Splash's Izzabelle JH; o Dawn & Joe Droel, b Kathy Hogan & Clint & Karen Livingston

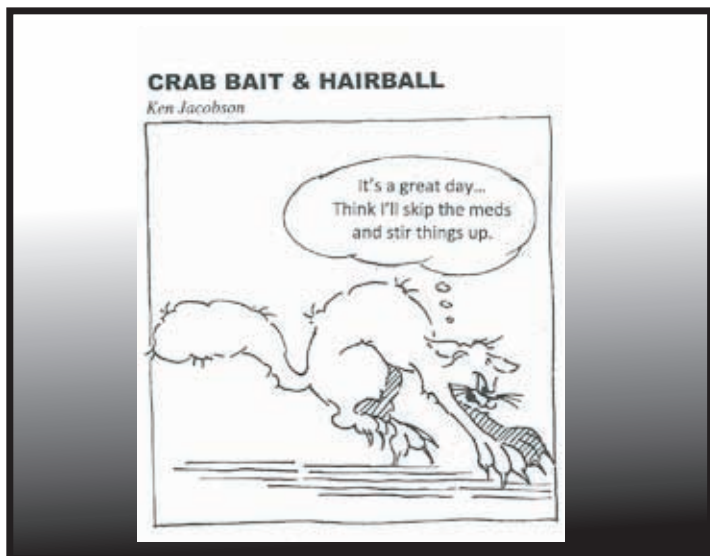
**Select Dog**  
**CH CIMMARON'S PRAIRIE FIRE BUTCH CASSIDY**


**Select Bitch**  
**CH FANCY'S MIDNIGHT SPECTACULAR**

**Best Puppy**  
**DR JAC'S TRUE GRITS MISSY O'DEE**



**BEST OF BREED**  
**CH BANTAM'S SPITTIN' IMAGE JH**



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# NEW ENGLAND GROUSE WOODCOCK CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP

The 34th running of the New England Grouse/Woodcock Championship was held September 26-27, 2015 at Kilkenny WMA, in the White Mountain National Forest, Berlin, New Hampshire. There were 16 dogs drawn for this event which was run over 4 separate courses. The judging duties were carried out by Mitch Swierczynski, Griswold, Ct. and George Habecker, Blakeslee, PA. Our association is grateful to PURINA for support again this year. The weather conditions were ideal with morning temperatures in the 30's and by late afternoon the 70's. Ray Gorman is the person who takes care of all the local details while Bill and Fran Gorman tend to the paperwork, business side of putting on a trial of this magnitude. These efforts are much appreciated. Dogs traveled from PA, NY, CT, VT, RI, NH and MA. with a group of trialers dedicated to the concept of challenging wild birds in the woods. This report is a compilation of information provided by the judges. We want to thank Nestle-Purina for their generous support of our trial.

## BRACE ONE: MOOSEHORN...

**CENTERVILLE'S MAD AFFAIR (MADDY) SARAH CONYNGHAM AND SPRING HILL'S CHICA DEL PRADO (CHICA) LES CASSELBERRY.** Maddy worked the cover hard and at 10 made game. However, the bird flushed wild and she was unrewarded. Chica had a bird at 16, was scouted for 10 minutes and found 35 yards off course standing a bird. She completed the course at a moderate range and a bit sticky at points.

**BRACE 2: AMMONOOSUC...KIP'S BAY DARK N' STORMY MISS MADDIE (MADDIE) JOHN KIPP AND MR. P'S LITTLE TWINK (LT) JOHN POLAND.** Maddie took off and was found at the river bottom at 15 standing a woodcock on the left side of the course. She also had a stop to flush on a woodcock later in the brace. LT bumped a brood of grouse at 35 and was leashed.

## BRACE 3: PANCAKE...

**CENTERVILLE'S DOT (DOT) SARAH CONYNGHAM AND JETER (JETER) MIKE BLONDIN.** Dot, last year's champion, had a nonproductive and both dogs hit the cover with eye-catching enthusiasm and energy. Jeter had no bird contact. The judges were left wanting bird work for these 2 dogs as a reward for their efforts.

**BRACE 4: GOLDEN ROD...CISCO'S ROCKY (ROCKY) BILL GORMAN AND MT. VIEW'S NIGHT AT THE COPA (MANDEE) DOMINIC SERAGO.** At the outset, the gallery heard a woodcock flush wild after the dogs and handlers had gone by. Mandee had an early nonproductive and Rocky honored. Dominic could not produce a bird. Rocky had no bird contact in his hour despite hunting hard. Mandee had a second non-productive, but was able to maintain the front.

**BRACE 5: MOOSEHORN...GLORY DAYS (DAISY) BILL GORMAN AND GREEN MOUNTAIN LOUIE GUNN (LOUIE) MIKE BLONDIN.** Daisy was just hitting her stride when she bumped a bird and was leashed. Louie was running well when his bell went silent. He had a bird pinned, but the handler did not think so. After a relocation, Louie bumped the bird.

**BRACE 6: AMMONOOSUC...CENTERVILLE'S SONNY (SONNY) SARAH CONYNGHAM AND GREENTOWN'S DUKE OF HAMPSHIRE (DUKE) ART HEMBROUGH.** Sonny is a young, strong dog who shows a lot of promise. He hit the cover nicely, but at 35 on the river bottom

when he pointed a woodcock, he went with the flush. Duke was strong from start to finish. At 9 the bell was lost, and the scout found Duke standing a woodcock. Again the bell went silent, this time at 35, Duke was scouted and found standing 300 feet off course. Art flushed the woodcock and all was in order. Duke finished well ahead.

**BRACE 7: PANCAKE...MT. VIEW'S BJ MAJOR WILKES (WILLIE) LES CASSELBERRY AND KIP'S BAY ZAC'S-A-TAC'N ELLIE (ELLIE) JOHN KIPP.** At 15, Willie pointed a woodcock on the right side of the course. Willie's race in the middle of the brace was at the moderate range; his last 20 minutes were much stronger. Ellie had no bird contact but definitely worked the course hard.

## BRACE 8: GOLDEN ROD...BIRCH HILL'S LITTLE MAN (MAN) SARAH



**Front row: Jane Bjork with Greentown's Duke of Hampshire, Les casselberry with Mt. View's BJ Major Wilkes, John Kipp with Kip's Bay Dark N' Stormy Miss Maddis, Dominic Serago with Spring Hill's Chica del Prado.**  
**Back Row: Judge Mitch Swierczynski, Art Hembrough, Judge George Habecker.**

**CONYNGHAM AND THE HOLIDAY KID (KID) FRAN GORMAN.** Man ran the course hard and fast. He did not have any bird contact. Kid pointed a woodcock at 7 and as she completed the course, her range shortened.

## ABC New England Grouse/Woodcock Classic Grand Open Limited Gun Dog 1hr(16S) J: George Habecker & Mitch Swierczynski

- 1 - GREENTOWN'S DUKE OF HAMPSHIRE (D), by Greentown's Sir Launcelot x Greentown's Lady Guenever; o/h Arthur Hembrough
- 2 - MT. VIEW'S BJ MAJOR WILKES (D), by DC/AFC Scirocco del Prado x CH Mt View's Carla's Lady Lola; o Bob Samer, M.A. Breininger & Pat Ortelli, h Leslie Casselberry
- 3 - AFC KIP'S BAY DARK N' STORMY ISS MADDIE (B), by FC/AFC Coos Riglee x AFC Kip's Bay Zac's-A-Tac'N Ellie; o John & Travis Kipp, h John Kipp
- 4 - SPRING HILL'S CHICA DEL PRADO (B), by DC/AFC Cisco Kid del Prado x CH Springhill's Midnight Fame; o Leslie & Donna Casselberry, h Leslie Casselberry

New England Brittany Derby







Front row: George Habecker with Coos Triple Six, Jane Bjork with Jaci's I Want Proof.  
Back row: Judge Ray Gorman, Art Hembrough.

### Classic

The event was run concurrently with the Grouse/Woodcock Championship. Our judges were Mike Blondin, Barre, VT. and Ray Gorman, Colebrook, NH. The five young dogs competed on the Beaver Pond course in the 30-minute stake.

#### **BRACE 1: COOS TRIPLE SIX (BOOMER) GEORGE HABECKER AND CENTERVILLE'S PLUM NELLY (NELLY) SARAH CONYNGHAM.**

Boomer broke away with enthusiasm and covered the ground well. His finish was very strong. Nellie worked more closely and kept busy throughout the brace.

**BRACE 2: JACI'S I WANT PROOF (PROOF) ART HEMBROUGH AND JACI'S PURE PRAIRIE LEAGUE (3 MILE) JANE BJORK.** Proof glided through the cover and showed lots of experience in the woods. 3 Mile ran a strong race with good application. These 2 dogs challenged the first place dog but Boomer's stronger finish was the difference.

**BRACE 3: TRIUMPHANTS LADY ISABELLE (BELLE) JOANN WOOD.** This young dog ran well, but her lack of experience in the woods showed.

**Winner...** COOS TRIPLE SIX, unreg. Brittany male, by Rylee's Rolling Thunder of Coos-Ruby Mountain of Coos, owner/handler George W. Habecker.

**Runner-up...** Jaci's I Want Proof, 1662379, Brittany female, by Saradac's Micro Blast-Saradac's Smokin' Blanca Tatanka, owners Jane Bjork and Arthur Hembrough, handler Arthur Hembrough.

### ABC New England Derby Classic Derby (5S)

#### **J: Mike Blondin & Ray Gorman**

- 1 - COOS TRIPLE SIX (D), by Rylee's Rolling Thunder of Coos x Ruby Mountain of Coos; o/h George W. Habecker
- 2 - JACI'S I WANT PROOF (B), by Saradac's Micro Blast x Saradac's Smokin' Blanca Tatanka; o Jane Bjork & Art Hembrough, h Arthur Hembrough

## 2015 ABC QUAIL CLASSIC/CHAMPIONSHIP

By: Phil Corlew & Ray Trimble with assistance from the judges and their notes

The running of the AKC Quail Classic/Championship was held October 12-18 at the Sportsmen's Club Grounds near Grovespring MO, hosted by the Greater St Louis Brittany Club during mostly warm Fall days and crisp nights. Temperatures became slightly cooler late in the week but remained warm enough to affect the performance of a number of dogs. The Fall colors had begun to develop and intensified slowly as the week progressed. The peak of color awaits the first hard freeze. Pros and Amateurs from a number of states brought out their best for judges Howard Burbach and George Hill to evaluate. These highly experienced and personable bird dog men chose the following from the 68 dogs which went to the line:

The Champion: SS RIG'S COLORADO GUN RUNNER (Gun Runner), handled by Tom Milam for owner Steve Scudder, running out of the 8th brace, had a strong race, intelligent in application, on the edges, always to the front. Gun Runner had a find by the sycamore coming into Sycamore Bottom on the second course and a stop to flush at 59, capping off a strong finish.

The Runner-up: THE ACE OF SPADE (Spade), handled by owner Dave Capstick. Spade had a well-handled find in cover in Breakaway Bottom below Daugherty's house, and an intense, searching run with a strong finish.

Both winner and runner-up were amateur handled.

Third place went to BLACK CREEK DEACON (Dee) handled by Chad Holman for owner Ron Harling. Dee had a find at 16 and became

stronger as he ran. He shortened slightly near the end.

Fourth place was STONEY HILL'S PRINCESS FIONA, (Fiona) handled by Bob Burchett for owners Phil and Louise Corlew. Fiona had an excellent run and a great move in Sycamore Bottom. She found a huge covey of about 50 birds in the Bull Pasture at 50 and handled them well. She slowed slightly near the end.

We are very grateful to our sponsors PURINA and GARMIN-TRITRONICS for their support of this event and others. This trial is a way station toward the PURINA AWARD in addition to the product furnished to the participants. GARMIN-TRITRONICS donated one of their top of the line collars to the winner. This level of sponsorship is vital to our sport and we are grateful for it.

In addition to long hours in the saddle, Judge Howard Burbach, who had judged for the St Louis club's 2014 fall trial, presented Trial Chairman Tim Self a beautiful framed collage of photos taken by Howard's wife at that trial. This was presented at the Tuesday dinner and fish fry catered by Michelle Weaver with assistance of her husband Clifford and daughter Valerie Burchett.

Many thanks to club members Tim Self, trial chairman, (who as usual worked like a trooper) to make this event a success, to Dave Capstick, Al Gorrow, and new St Louis members Bob and Valerie Burchett. Valerie and her mother Michelle Weaver provided a breakfast daily in addition to helping with the fish fry. Clifford Weaver presided over the fish frying.





#### **THE RUNNING:**

**MONDAY OCT 12TH**

**BRACE 1: WIMBERLY ROWDY BO-DANDY (Rowdy-Johnson) and SUMMERTIME BUDDY'S BANDIT (Bandit-John)** started the trial in breakaway bottom. Bandit committed an indiscretion and was up before the road crossing. Rowdy bumped a bird shortly after the road crossing and was up.

**BRACE 2: OCAJE (Grace-Gowin)** as a BYE broke away in Davis Bottom and at 10 was on point with no bird produced; relocated, she bumped the bird and was up.

**BRACE 3: TRACE OF BOURBON LITTLE CHUG (Carson-Burchett) and MK'S MAGNIFICENT BANDIDO (Chico-Johnson)** broke away in Island Field. Chico was erratic and not pleasing handler and was up early. Carson showed good birdwork on a find at 52 and had another find at time. Run was forward but at less distance from handler than a winning all age race.

**BRACE 4: HOPE'S CHIEF OF CROSS CREEK (Chief-Burchett) and JOKER'S JACKPOT (Jack-John)** started after lunch in Breakaway Bottom. Both dogs stayed down the full hour but had no bird contact.

**BRACE 5: FIRESTARTERS CROSSED THE LINE (Tye-Tillson) and CAPTAIN FINN (Finn-Burchett)** broke away at the end of Little Vine hill and headed into Sycamore bottom. Tye had a NP in a large motte in the first Bull Pasture, and a second coming out of the last Bull Pasture and was up. Finn had a find in the tree line at the bottom of the hill west of the south corral at 23, all in order, another at 40 and an NP at 50. Finn was in contention for a while, but his run was not as good as later dogs.

**BRACE 6: KOKOMO JERSEY JOE (Josie-Gorrow) and WARBONNET'S ORION IN THE BIG SKY (Rye-Tillson)** broke away near the end of the Clubhouse Loop. Handler elected to pick Josie up at 30. Rye, at 32, had a find near the road by the corral. Rye's race did not challenge the winners.

**TUESDAY OCT 13TH**

**BRACE 7: ROUX BEE (Tillson) and SPARKY'S PRAIRIE WIND GYPSY (Gypsy-John)** were away at 8:00. GYPSY had a find at 05 in Breakaway Bottom, all in order. Rou Bee had no bird contact. The brace ended near the foot of Little Vine Hill.

**BRACE 8: SHADY'S DESERT KNIGHT (Knight-Johnson) and SS**

**RIG'S COLORADO GUN RUNNER (Gunrunner-Milam)** left up Little Vine Hill at 9:14. Knight had a nonproductive at 45 near the lake by the blue house and another at 50 and was up. Gunrunner ran a strong forward race, had a find by the sycamore tree in the bottom at 14 and a stop to flush at 59. His performance earned him the Championship.

**BRACE 9: HAL J'S SMARTEYES JOKERS-EZ ACE (Ace-John) and SNIKSOH LITTLE DIAMOND (Kate-Burchett)** broke away at 10:39 from the bottom of the hill between the twin barns and Clubhouse Loop. Kate had 4 finds, but did not run the all age race needed to be competitive in this stake. Ace got lost before the road crossing and handler requested the locator.

**BRACE 10: TLM FREQUENT FLIER (Jack-Milam) and KINWASHKLY TEMPO (Tempo-Tillson):** Jack started a bit slow and had a NP at 06. At 16 he was found standing, but unsure. On relocation he had a good find on birds running 20 yards ahead. His race was not measuring up and handler elected pickup at 24. Tempo was not running an all age race and was picked up at 55.

**BRACE 11: McCHESNEY'S I'VE GOT MY MOJO WORKING (Mojo-John) and STONEY HILL'S PRINCESS FIONA (Fiona-Burchett)** broke away at Little Vine Hill. Mojo had no birds and handler requested the locator in the Bull Pasture. Fiona showed a strong forward run and scored on a huge covey at 50 in the last Bull Pasture. She slowed somewhat the last few minutes. Her performance earned Fiona 4th place.

**BRACE 12: J&M JAX SUGAR BABE (Sugar-Johnson) and RJ'S SADDLE RUNNER (Runner-Tillson)** broke away from the bottom of the hill between Twin Barns and Clubhouse Loop. Sugar had a find at 04, another at 16, but lost intensity. She had a nonproductive at 21. Handler elected pickup at 24. Runner had a find at 13 with good intensity, and but he slowed and the run lost intensity.

**WEDNESDAY OCT. 14TH**

**BRACE 13: THE ACE OF SPADE (Spade--Capstick) and TURNINGPT'S LANDSLIDE (Mack- Johnson)** were off at 8:00 and Spade scored quickly in Breakaway Bottom past the first creek crossing, and later had a stop to flush. He had a strong forward run and all this was enough to earn him Runner-up honors. Mack did not have a competitive performance.

**BRACE 14: TEQUILA SCORCHER (Lincoln-Tillson) and GR'S BOOKIN' AND COOKIN' (Race-Gorrow)** broke away at Little Vine



Hill. Lincoln slowed and handler elected to pick up at 47. Race was up at the Twin Barns, as he was not pleasing his handler.

**BRACE 15: RICO'S HIGH PROOF BOOTLEGGERS (Mason-Burchett) and DAKOTA'S GUNRUNNERS BUCKSHOT (Buck-Tracy):** Breakaway was from the entry to the Bull Pastures. Mason bumped a bird on relocation. Buck turned into the back gate to camp, found the surroundings too tantalizing to leave, and was picked up.

**BRACE 16: GLADE RUN IRISH (Irish-Tracy) and JJ'S LEVI THE LIONHEART (Levi-Williams):** Irish had a find in the tree line across from the double gate in Breakaway bottom and later a nonproductive on Horsekiller Hill, with a good run. Levi had no bird contact but ran well.

**BRACE 17: KINWASHKLY FAT BASTARD (Fatz-Tracy) and JJ'S ALABASTER ANGEL "ANGIE" (Angie-Williams)** broke away up Little Vine Hill, Angie carded a find at 48 near the Blue House, a nonproductive at 52 in the first Bull Pasture and another find into the Bull Pasture at 56 in a tree-lined ditch. Run was fair. Handler picked up Fatz at 35.

**BRACE 18: TNT'S BLAZING SHOSHONI SHAKE&BAKE (Bubba-Thomas) and MAXWELL'S LEGAL TENDER (Faith-Rogers):** Breakaway was in the Bull Pasture. Faith was up at 32 and Thomas called for the locator at 52. Neither dog had bird contact.

#### THURSDAY OCT 15TH

**BRACE 19: ROUSTABOUT'S WHITE KNIGHT (Knight-Tracy) and KJ'S IRISH WHISKEY (Mickey-Burchett):** Knight started well, but shortened and started came from behind several time. Owner elected to pick up at 29. Mickey got lost and handler asked for the locator at 25.

**BRACE 20: TNT'S SIRIUS RENEGADE BUDDY BOY (Buddy-Thomas) and CRESCENT CITY GIRL (Nola-Burchett):** Buddy was off to a good start, but slowed at 25 and handler elected pickup at 30. Nola bumped a bird and chased at 30.

**BRACE 21: TRAMPS FRECKLED FANCY (Tramp-Rogers) and CEDAR VALLEY SPIDER (Spider-Tracy):** Tramp was not showing an all age race. He had a find at 20 and finished the hour. Spider started strong, but shortened late, with a find at 52.

**BRACE 22: RU-JEM'S "LAST" PENNY (Penny-McGee) and SNIKSOH SALLY (Sally-Burchett):** Penny carded a find at 21 and another at 27 but shortened at the end from the heat. Sally had her usual fast start, but slowed at 15 as she wilted in the heat. She was up at 27.

**BRACE 23: UNCLE KRACKER (Kracker-Tracy) and MAXWELL'S ENCORE (Rogers)** Kracker started steady, opened up but slowed later. He had finds at 40 and 50, with relocation at 53. Mick was affected by the heat and sought shade in Sycamore Bottom, was watered and continued but did not show much run in the heat.

**BRACE 24: MAXWELL'S QUICKSILVER (Chick-Rogers) and LETS GET-R-DONE NELLY (Neil-Burchett):** Chick bumped a bird at 11, chased, and was up. Nell's handler elected to pick up shortly after as she was not competitive.



(Runner Up & 4th place dog pictured, others not available for the photo)  
Dave Capstick with The Ace Of Spade, Judge Howard Burbach, Tim Self, Judge George Hill,  
Val Burchett with Stony Hills Princess Fiona, Bob Burchett

#### FRIDAY OCT 16th

**BRACE 25: ROUSTABOUT'S FLAT OUT (Hank-McGee) and MAXWELL'S SMOKING LJZ (Smokey-Rogers):** Hank started well enough but was out of pocket at 08. Owner called for the locator at 11 by the cemetery. Smokey did not run an all age race. He had a find at 06 but committed an indiscretion and was up.

**BRACE 26: BLACK CREEK DEACON (Dee-Holman) and JAGOUR'S BUZZIN BAYOU (Skeeter-Tracy)** Deacon's race is described elsewhere; he was the 3rd place dog. Skeeter shortened and his run became erratic and owner elected to pick up at 28.

**BRACE 27: CROSS CREEK ANGUS EARLY CHRISTMAS (Gus-Holman) and SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY (Willy-Burchett):** Gus had a good start and a find at 23. He was not competitive and handler elected pickup at 23 Willy had an NP at 14, was lost and handler called for the locator at 35

**BRACE 28: BLACK CREEK BLAZE (Blaze-Holman) and CEDAR VALLEY FLY BY (Fly By-Tracy):** Blaze had a good start but then came from behind. He had a find at 27 and another at 43 but had shortened up, and did not have an exemplary finish. Flyby had a find at 03 near the breakaway with all in order and another at 23 plus a stop to flush at 40. The judges felt he did not show the power needed for an all age championship.

**BRACE 29: BRENDI BROOKS COWBOY UP (Brendi-Tracy) and ALLEYCAT'S DROUGHT (Drought-Williamson):** Brendi was not beating the leaders and handler elected pickup at 27. Drought did not break to the front. He had a knock and chase at 26 and was up.

**BRACE 30: LANE'S END D MARQUE (Marqui-Holman) and TLM TALL TALE (Tim-Tracy):** Marqui had a knock and chase at 11. Tim never excelled in run or birdwork. He had a find with relocation at 21, another find at 24, and finally 28 with loss of intensity and was picked up by handler at 31.

#### SATURDAY OCT 17th

**BRACE 31: CHANCEY'S FROZEN ASSET (Maggie-Alexander) and WILD MTN HEAD EM UP AND MOVE EM OUT (Rowdy-Burchett):** Maggie slowed and was up at 30 without bird contact. Rowdy also shortened up and was picked up shortly after Maggie; neither dog had birdwork.

**BRACE 32: JAC'S OVER ACES (Dan-Holman) and LOST CREEK A SHOT OF BOURBON (Bourbon-Tracy):** Dan committed an indiscretion on point at 10 and was up. Bourbon showed a promising start, but soon shortened and owner elected pickup at 17.

**BRACE 33: JJ'S TAZMANIAN DEVIL (Taz-Williams) and**

**PERFECT BY NATURE (Nate-Tracy):** Taz was out of pocket and handler called for the locator at 20. Nate was lost from breakaway and the locator was out at 10.

**BRACE 34: GEORGIA'S TEXAS TWO STEP (Georgia-Tracy) and KJ'S DARLIN' DARCY (Darcy-Burchett):** Georgia showed an acceptable race and had an NP at 10, a find at 20 but this lacked intensity. Handler elected pickup at 23. Darcy had a knock and chase at 10 and was up.

**BRACE 35: WHIZKI STING (Holly-Holman)** Running as a bye, Holly showed a steady shooting dog pace, with good application. She had a find, but was not challenging the leaders and handler elected to pick up at 50.

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Grand Open Limited All Age 1hr(68S)  
J: Howard Burbach & George Hill**

1 - SS RIG'S COLORADO GUNRUNNER (D), by FC Eleets Colorado Blue x Gunrunner's Diamond Forever; o Steve Sevdder, h Tom Milam

2 - GFC/FC/AFCTHE ACE OF SPADE (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Farther Out Ace x Gizmo's Child Gone Wild; o Dave Capstick & Tim Self, h Dave Capstick

3 - GFC/FC/AFC BLACK CREEK DEACON (D), by FC Perfect Timing x Rebel Jac's Hankern Jill; o Ron Harling, Jr., h Chad Holman

4 - FC STONEY HILLS PRINCESS FIONA (B), by FC Rocklans Whizzle Stop x Cast-A-Britt Micro Sammie; o Phil Corlew, h Bob Burchett



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## HUNT TESTS

**OZARK  
Joplin, MO  
October 24-25, 2015**

**October 24, 2015  
Junior Hunter (8S)**

J: Barbara Chapman & Stephen Buford  
No Brittany Qualifiers

**Senior Hunter (2S)**

J: Barbara Chapman & Stephen Buford  
No Brittany Qualifiers

**October 25, 2015**

**Junior Hunter (6S)**

J: Stephen Buford & Mark Smith  
No Brittany Qualifiers

**Senior Hunter (2S)**

J: Dale Daniels & Mark Smith  
No Qualifiers

**SOUTHERN KANSAS  
Crampton Farm  
Yoder, KS  
October 24-25, 2015**

**October 24, 2015**

**Junior Hunter (13S)**

J: Terrie Yordy & Scott D. Roke  
DIAMOND CREEK'S PRAIRIE, o Amy & David Budke  
JR'S COOL HAND LUKE, o Matt Harris  
SPIRIT'S FRECKLED SHADOW, o Norma Stringer

**Senior Hunter (8S)**

J: Terrie Yordy & Scott D. Roke  
No Qualifiers

**Master Hunter (7S)**

J: Terrie Yordy & Scott D. Roke  
No Brittany Qualifiers

**October 25, 2015**

**Junior Hunter (13S)**

J: Marnie Selstedt & Tresha Moorberg  
DIAMOND CREEK'S PRAIRIE ROSE, o Amy & David Budke  
HERMON'S KATIE BE GOOD, o Michael Hermon  
JR'S COOL HAND LUKE, o Matt Harris  
SPIRIT'S FRECKLED SHADOW, o Norma Stringer

**Senior Hunter (7S)**

J: Marnie Selstedt & Tresha Moorberg  
No Brittany Qualifiers

**Master Hunter (6S)**

J: Marnie Selstedt & Tresha Moorberg  
No Qualifiers



# Junior Handler Wins Best Owner Handled in Show Award at Furniture City Kennel Club

by Peggy Wier

Paige Giebel started competing in conformation dog showing when she was 8 years old.

Paige started showing Boston Terriers in Junior Showmanship and learned the basics with her Boston Terrier named Melanie. While at the shows, Paige had an interest in getting a dog she could run around the ring. She loved watching dogs that moved beautifully. Her grandparents, Albert and Gloria Stellweg, were looking for a medium sized sporting dog for Paige to start showing in breed and the Junior rings. The grandparents did lots of research and talked to many breeders about different breeds. Paige, Gloria and Albert all decided a Brittany would be the right fit for them. Next, they began the hunt for the perfect puppy for their granddaughter. Albert and Gloria contacted Julie and Mike Lee from Brigadiers Brittans and found they were expecting a litter of beautiful puppies in the fall, from their GCH CH Shamrock Rivals Bolt Out of the Blue "Molly" owned by Julie and Mike Lee and sire CH Dualan Marsport Supercharger "Diesel" owned by Herbert and Donna Harrison. On October 24, 2013 Brigadiers Molly's Little Dolly "Dolly" made her grand arrival and Paige couldn't be happier. Paige told her mom "That puppy is going to get me to the group ring". That was this little girls dream.

Once Paige got her new puppy, she had her work cut out for her. Dolly was full of life and a very spirited young puppy that sometimes didn't know the meaning of obedience. Paige never gave up and was determined to make Dolly the show dog she knew she could be. Paige set up her backyard as a show ring using regulation show mats so Dolly would get use to the texture on her paws and measured it out to the size of the ring so she could practice the right speed around the ring. Paige worked with Dolly every night after school. It didn't matter what the weather. Some nights it was freezing cold but she continued to train and practice. Once Paige and Dolly started to get in the groove of showing, they were mentored by Gina Currier and the Rosener family on grooming and show tips to bring out the true beauty of this lovely bitch. Dolly and Paige began to understand each other and have an amazing bond. To see them together you can understand how much they truly love one another.



All of their hard work has paid off. Dolly and Paige have accomplished many goals. This was the first dog Paige showed to receive its Championship and her first dog to win a group placement. Paige has also trained her to compete in Dock Diving and has earned a Dock Junior title. She and Dolly also enjoy Lure Coursing and have earned the Coursing Ability title.

They have proven to be very competitive in the Junior Showmanship ring by finishing 2015 as a Master Junior Handler. Their biggest moment came on November 7, 2015 when this team proved that hard work and dedication pays off. At the Furniture City Kennel Club show in Winston Salem, NC, Paige and Dolly were awarded Best Owner Handled in Show by judge Ms Joann N. Paulk. At 12 years of age, Paige is one of the youngest Brittany handlers to accomplish this and Dolly is only the 5th Brittany to be awarded this honor. Paige's grandparents, Albert and Gloria Stellweg, and her parents Fred and Sandy Giebel are so proud of this young lady. Her passion for the sport and her ability to believe in a beautiful Brittany with a fun loving attitude is what makes this team so special. Paige and CH Brigadiers Molly's Little Dolly CA DJ Dolly are just getting warmed up, they are looking forward to 2016.



# Action at AKC

Action at AKC January 2016 by Jeri K Conklin

## AKC Results from March 2015

### OPEN BARN HUNT

SIGBRIT OLLIE CD RE JH RATO (D) by DC Hope's Bouree x CH Sigbrit's Chienne De Chasse JH, o Thomas J Mauter, b Bobbie L Sigmund & Michael A Sigmund

## AKC Results from June 2015

### NOVICE BARN HUNT

GCH CH CLASSICS CAN DO LADY ISABELLE RATN (B) by DC Classic's Can Do Andrew x CH Wincrest Copley Melody Of Love JH, o Mary Wolnewitz, b Jim Brown & Julie Brown & Robin Tomasi & Barbara Dayton

## AKC Results from July 2015

### CANINE GOOD CITIZEN

CHECKERS XVII CGC (B) by CH Copley's Gunnery Sergeant JH x GCH CH Gerstdale's Take The Money N'Run JH, o Mrs. Hayley Salus, b Debbie Inferrera

## AKC Results from September 2015

### DOCK JUNIOR

CH BRIGADIERS MOLLY'S LITTLE DOLLY CA DJ (B) by CH Dualan Marsport Supercharger x GCH CH Shamrock Rivals Bolt Out Of The Blue, o Albert Stellwag & Paige Giebel & Gloria Stellwag, b Mike Lee & Phil Booth & Julie Lee & Amy Booth

### NOVICE BARN HUNT

SIGBRIT OLLIE CD RE JH RATN (D) by DC Hope's Bouree x CH Sigbrit's Chienne De Chasse JH, o Thomas J Mauter, b Bobbie L Sigmund & Michael A Sigmund

### CHAMPION – (BRED BY EXHIBITOR)

CH SOVEREIGN'S ROYAL CODE (D) by CH Sovereign's Know The Code JH x Sovereign's Chasing Dreams, o Dawn Droel & Joe Droel, b Dawn Droel & Joe Droel

### CHAMPION

CH BROOKWOOD'S STARLITE STARBRITE (B) by CH Brookwood's Power Play THD x GCH CH Brookwood N Ginjac Steaming Hot, o Tiffany and Tom Bass & Cynthia Ann Miller, b Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn

CH IMAGINE A LITTLE SOUTH OF HEAVEN (D) by GCH CH Mich's Mt Wolverine x CH Magic Mirror Read My Lips, o Steven Barsuglia & Laura Arcado, b Laura Jean Arcado & David Michael Arcado Jr. & Kelton Michael Arcado

CH JACKSON'S PLAY IT AGAIN, SAM JH (D) by CH Gibson JH x CH Triumphant's Everything Nice JH, o Pamela A Jackson & Robert S Jackson, b Pamela A Jackson & Robert S Jackson

CH KNOLLBROOK'S IRISH LACE (B) by CH Knollbrook's Wicked Winnings x Knollbrooks I Emma Roan, o Mrs. Renata L Stewart & Donna M Johnson, b Mrs. Renata L Stewart & Donna M Johnson

CH KNOLLBROOK'S SHAKEN NOT STIRRED (D) by CH Knollbrook's Wicked Winnings x Molly Brown, o Lisa Loeffler & Mrs. Renata L Stewart, b Mrs. Renata L Stewart & Trevor Feldman

CH SANBAR'S ENCHANTED RIVER (B) by DC Copley's Red River x CH Sanbar's Evening Shades, o Robert West & Polly West & Carolyn A West, b Robert West & Polly West & Carolyn A West

CH SANDRIDGE SUGAR AND SPICE (B) by CH Hope's Ranger Rick x GCH CH Cross Creek Winter Lilly, o Reva Dickson & Nicholas Pietrzak, b Reva Dickson & James Smith & SANDRA SMITH

CH TWILIGHT VALOR GREAT SOUTHERN ESCAPE (D) by CH Carrollton's Southern Country Boy x CH Chilcote's You Are My Gem, o Angel Rumbalo & PAM SCHOLEY & Renee Rosamilia, b Angel Rumbolo

CH WILD MTN'S STORM WARNING (D) by DC Wild Mtn's Shake Ya Tailfeather x CH Wild Mtn's Lil Piece Of My Heart, o Helen Riggie & Mr. Andre Coulombe, b Helen Riggie & Jessica Arent

CH WOLRAM'S A LABYRINTH TWIST OF FATE JH (B) by GCH CH Magic Read My Lips x GCH CH Illusion N Ginjac Like Ice At Labyrinth JH, o Suzanne Marlow, b Karen Hanson & Abbie Hanson

### GRAND CHAMPION

GCH CH CREDIT KAZE I APPRECIATE THAT (D) by GCH CH Credit Where Credit Is Due x CH MACH3 Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXB2 MJS2 MXF MFB TQX T2B2, o Jessie Schulz & Victoria Howell & Shirley Chilcote, b Robert J Howell & Victoria Howell

GCH CH ROCKWELL'S ZOEY JH (B) by GCH CH Shelttany's Against All Odds x GCH CH Rockwell's Rainy Day Melody, o Carlie Lasse, b Kellie S Rockwell & Steven Rockwell

### FIELD CHAMPION – (BRED BY EXHIBITOR)

FC GLADE RUN IRISH (D) by FC Ortho Acres Booker T x Flying Feather Cocobean, o David A Webb, b David A Webb

FC MARJO'S MAGIC BULLET OF HOPE (D) by DC Hope's Bouree x Marjo's Alakazam, o Judith Tighe & Marsha Luisi, b Marsha Luisi & Joseph Luisi

### FIELD CHAMPION

FC AFC GUN RUNNER'S GOTTA LOTTA MO (D) by NFC FC AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x Tj's Prairie Starr, o Kevin Stonehouse, b STEVEN RALPH

FC JJ'S ALABASTER ANGEL (ANGIE) (B) by Jerichos Call Back Jack x FC AFC Lane's End Jess N Time, o Joseph B Williams & Jennifer Ro, b Cary Crum

FC KWK WINDSWEPT GUINEVERE OF CAMELOT JH (B) by Pake's Hunter x Windswept Rosebud, o Jeri Kay Conklin, b Tim Sorey

FC WILD MTN'S ALL THAT (D) by NFC FC AFC Shambo's Dark Shadow x Wild Mtn's Hot Chocolate Xpress, o Helen Riggie & Brian D Riggie, b Michael Boydston & Susan Boydston

DC GFC RICO'S HI PROOF BOOTLEGGERS (D) by DC Barney's Hi-Proof Ronrico JH x FC Jay Hawk's Georgia Girl, o Charles Schaefer & Mary Jill R Schaefer, b Paul Rosevear

GFC FC AFC THE ACE OF SPADE (D) by NFC FC AFC Farther Out Ace x Gizmo's Child Gone Wild, o Dave Capstick, b Edward C Disher

### AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION – (BRED BY EXHIBITOR)

AFC CAROLINA DOUBLE DOT (B) by FC AFC Carolina Ranger II x FC Carolina Blue, o Fred Strawson, b Fred Strawson

### AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION

FC AFC COLBYS HOBO RUN (D) by Birch Hill's Hobo x Centerville's Whim, o Paul Arcand & Corinne Walsh, b David Marshall

FC AFC QUAIL ROCK TOO TOUGH (D) by NAFC FC AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Wishful Thinking, o ELLEN LYNN WEINFURTNER, b Peggy Doiron & Paul Doiron

### NATIONAL GUN DOG CHAMPION

DC NGDC GFC HOPE'S CHIEF OF CROSSCREEK (D) by CH Hope's Ranger Rick x Sanbar Crosscreek Play By Play, o Barbara J Pepin D.V.M. & Polly West & Bob West & Wayne C Pegin, b Judith Tighe

### NATIONAL AMATEUR GUN DOG CHAMPION

DC NAGDC AFC HIPOINT'S SUMMER TIME (B) by NFC DC AFC Gamblers Ace In The Hole x NAGDC FC AFC High Hopes Fly By Nite, o Ron Gulembo & Kathy Gulembo, b Cynthia Cropek & Albert L Cropek Jr.

### COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT

CARROLLTON'S RAY OF SUNSHINE CDX BN PCD RAE CAA RATN CGC (B) by CH Prince Of Foxview x Carrollton's Patty O' Cork, o Dorothy Peruzzi, b Lynda L Martin & Elizabeth Goldstein



## UTILITY DOG

CH CIMMARON CAUGHTCHA LOOK'N UD RAE (D) by CH Rolyart's White Russian x Cimmaron's Absolut Lee Gypsy, o Vernon Witzka & KRISTINA WITZKA & Darlene Witzka, b Christine Ward-Weber

## BEGINNER NOVICE

KEILI'S GOLDSTAR KIR ROYALE BN RA (B) by GCH CH MACH Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RE MXG MJG MXF T2B x CH Swift River's Believe I Can BN RAE JH NA NAJ NAP NJP NF OFF CA, o E Susan Drazek, b Patricia John & E Susan Drazek

TWOEMZ A GIRL LIKE ME BN (B) by GCH CH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x GCH CH Ginjac-Magic Me I'M The One BN RN JH, o Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn, b Michele C Martin

## RALLY NOVICE

HOPE'S COUSIN VINNIE RN NFP CGC (D) by CH Castle One In A Millennium JH x CH Triumphant's More Than A Memory, o Barbara Taibi & John Taibi, b Douglas Tighe & Kim A Tighe

SANDBAR'S ONE TO N-VEE RN CGC (B) by CH Gaitway Caruso Di Sandbar x Sandbar's Endless Summer, o Michelle Gamblin, b Sandra A Weddell-Jaqua

TWOEMZ A GIRL LIKE ME BN RN (B) by GCH CH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x GCH CH Ginjac-Magic Me I'M The One BN RN JH, o Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn, b Michele C Martin

## RALLY ADVANCED

GCH CH SUNQUEST CIMMARON CATCH THE WIND BN RA MH RATO CGC (D) by CH Cimmaron's Set 'Em Up Joe CDX x CH Marsport Mustang Marki JH, o Linda Dee Hartnek & Hank Hartnek, b John W Marsman

## RALLY EXCELLENT

CH BROOKWOOD KROWN ROYAL CD BN RE CGC (D) by CH Brookewood's Power Play THD x GCH CH Brookewood N Ginjac Steaming Hot, o Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn, b Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn

GCH CH SUNQUEST CIMMARON CATCH THE WIND BN RE MH RATO CGC (D) by CH Cimmaron's Set 'Em Up Joe CDX x CH Marsport Mustang Marki JH, o Linda Dee Hartnek & Hank Hartnek, b John W Marsman

GCH CH SUNQUEST WIND DANCER OF STARVUE BN RE RATN CGCA (B) by GCH CH Sunquest Cimmaron Catch The Wind BN RE MH RATO CGC x CH Millette's French Vanilla, o Linda Dee Hartnek & Hank Hartnek, b Melissa Barwick & Linda Dee Hartnek & Kimberly Barwick

## RALLY ADVANCED EXCELLENT

CH SUNQUEST SERIOUSLY SASSY BN RAE JH (B) by CH Sandbar's Casanova x DC Sunquest's Skooter Pie, o Jacqueline M Nicol & Poul S Jessen, b Linda Dee Hartnek & Henry G Hartnek

## JUNIOR HUNTER

BLUE CHIP PLUMMER REMINGTON JH CGCA (D) by Blue Chip Cowboy x Blue Chip Melanie, o Theresa Plummer, b Jay Parrish

CH BRIGADIER'S MAJOR IMPACT ON SHAMROCK JH (D) by CH Millette's Fire When Ready x GCH CH Shamrock Rivals Bolt Out Of The Blue, o David Mims Price, b Mike Lee & Brittany Rosener & Megan Rosener & Olivia Rosener & Julie Lee

CH BRIGADIER'S TRIUMPHANT UNDER FIRE JH (D) by CH Millette's Fire When Ready x GCH CH Shamrock Rivals Bolt Out Of The Blue, o Mike Lee & Susan Markley, b Mike Lee & Brittany Rosener & Megan Rosener & Olivia Rosener & Julie Lee

CH BRIGADIERS DUAL LANES MEDAL OF HONOR JH (D) by CH Dualan Marsport Supercharger x GCH CH Shamrock Rivals Bolt Out Of The Blue, o Herb & Donna Harrison USAF (Ret.) & Mike & Julie Lee USAF (Ret.), b Mike Lee & Phil Booth & Julie Lee & Amy Booth

CASTLE'S SWIFT PRINCESS JH (B) by CH Castle's A Shot Of Laughter x CH Wind Mtn's Pennies From Heaven, o Darrin Finn & Michael Fierro, b Michael Fierro & Carol Manchester

DAVE'S NEMONSTER OF NORTH FLORIDA JH (D) by Biebel's Huckleberry Huck x Biebel's Buddy Molly, o Mr. Edward Dryden, b Harold Biebel

DESEEKER'S TOTALLY BROKE JH (B) by FC AFC Shale Valley's Myla Tech x Bourbon's Lucky Penny MH, o Douglas Sieckmeyer, b Douglas L Sieckmeyer

DIAMOND CREEK'S PRAIRIE ROSE JH (B) by CH Diamond Creek's Guns N'

Roses CD BN RN JH CGC x Diamond Creek's Prairie Fire RN JH, o David Budke & Amy Budke, b David Budke & Amy Budke

DOUBLE O'S RAZMATAZ JH (B) by FC Double O's Wizard x Cracker Jack Scrambler, o Roger A Obrecht, b Todd Parmenter

FAROUT FIELDS ELIMINATOR JH CGC (D) by CH Cimmaron's Jack's Tennessee Whiskey x GCH CH Farout Fields Tequila Sunrise JH NAJ, o John Unkefer & Jackie Arnold, b Jacqueline C Arnold

GCH CH GET A BIRD ALL IN ONE MIRACLE JH (B) by GCH DC NAGDC AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Diamond Hill Get A Bird Dixie JH, o Matthew O'Donnell & Laurie O'Donnell, b Matthew O'Donnell & Laurie O'Donnell

HERMONS KATIE BE GOOD JH (B) by Ace Du Hunrunr x Reba Du Purepoint, o Michel Hermon, b Wade Vermeer

JASPER AURELIUS JH (D) by Copernicus Sahara x Lady Ginger Sahara, o Theresa M Sommerauer & Eduard Sommerauer, b Robbie Schmidt & Terri Schmidt

KEILI'S GOLDSTAR KIR ROYALE BN RA JH (B) by GCH CH MACH Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RE MXG MJG MXF T2B x CH Swift River's Believe I Can BN RAE JH NA NAJ NAP NJP NF OFF CA, o E Susan Drazek, b Patricia John & E Susan Drazek

CH KINSHIP'S TRIUMPHANT PURSUIT JH CGC (D) by GCH CH Triumphant's The Heat Is On JH x GCH CH Triumphant Absolute Liberty Of Kinship JHA MX MXB MXJ MJS OF T2B CGC, o Kimberly Hatton, b Kimberly Hatton

LUKE DUKE JULSTROM JH (D) by Madison's Farm Runnin' Rascal x Madison Of Madison Farm Two, o Mr. Thoams A Julstrom, b Kathy Anne Wilson

MEMPHIS VALENTINE JH (D) by Broken Wing's Non-Typical x Spicy Aberlour, o Steven F Martinez, b Mr. David M Adams

GCH CH MILLETTE'S SWEET MEMORIES BN JH AX AXJ NAP NJP NF (B) by CH Castle's How Sweet It Is x CH Millette's Marilyn Merlot, o Wendy Archinal, b Michelle Millette & Cathy Dugan & Beverly Millette

MOONBABE-SOBRIQUET; ECCENTRIC.ICONIC JH CGC (B) by CH Dualan Marsport Supercharger x GCH CH Dual Lanes Spring Breeze Of Big Oaks, o Dimi Morse & Gary Morse, b Donna Harrison & Herbert Harrison

MT VIEW'S PRINCESS ABIGAIL JH (B) by GCH CH Sigbrit's Rattle My Cage JH x GCH CH Mt View's Royal Standard MH, o Edward R Dillon Jr., b Mary A Breininger & Roy Schaeffer & Patricia A Orтели & David Hendricks

QUAIL RIDGE'S INDY JH (D) by Bob's Tread Tracker x Windswept Ridge's Shamrock, o Brady Reynolds, b ROBERT W. HARDIN

SADIE RUCKUS X RENEGADE JH (B) by CH Tnt's Sirius Renegade Buddy Boy x GCH DC GFC AFC Tnt's Raise'N A Ruckus, o Robert Rzepiela & Kim Rzepiela, b Tommy Thomas & LINDA THOMAS

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CH TOP SHELF'S JOYFUL LEE JH OA OAJ NF (B) by CH Jordean Up All Night x GCH CH Millette's Sweet Memories BN JH AX AXJ NAP NJP NF, o Andrea Lee, b Wendy A Archinal & Gail Schmieder & Jennifer Krieger

## JUNIOR HUNTER ADVANCED

GCH CH TRIUMPHANT ABSOLUTE LIBERTY OF KINSHIP JHA MX MXB MXJ MJB OF T2B CGC (B) by GCH DC Triumphant's Absolut' On Ice x CH Encore's Absolutely Triumphant, o Kimberly Hatton, b Linda R McCartney-Roy & Linda Sawyer

## MASTER HUNTER

AJAX JAROS JOSEY WALES MH (D) by DC AFC Ajax Frequent Flyer x Eagle Hitch Ice Kate, o Richard Jarosinski & Jane Jarosinski, b Steven Rhoads

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SCOTT'S MR.MORNING OTIS MHA CGC (D) by Jaros Jagers Joe MH x Hickoryrun Highbrow Gabriela MH, o Scott Janowski & Mary Susan Janowski, b John E Sorensen & Lorrie J Sorensen

## NOVICE AGILITY

MAPLE BROOK AVIATOR RED NA (B) by CH Omega's Red Granite JH x GCH CH Triumphant's Absolute Evel JH, o Lynn Marie Carlo, b Mrs. Peggy Aguiar

### **OPEN AGILITY**

DOGWOOD HOLLOW'S APPLE PIE OA NAJ (B) by GCH CH Dogwood Hollow Just Imagine x CH Dogwood Hollow Deal Or No Deal, o Kim P Tees & James P Tees, b Geri O Clements & Cheryl Mika & Gary Clements  
MAYHEM'S JADE BE NIMBLE OA OAJ CGC (B), o Gabrielle De Benedictis  
MISS MILEY RAE SMITH OA OAJ NF (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith  
CH TOP SHELF'S HAS TO BE MAGIC OA NAJ NAP NJP (D) by CH Jordean Up All Night x GCH CH Millette's Sweet Memories BN JH AX AXJ NAP NJP NF, o Ms. Sharon Anne Buehler, b Wendy A Archinal & Gail Schmieder & Jennifer Krieger  
VICTORY'S PRECIOUS PROMISE OA NAJ (B) by Thunderwing Woodrow x Thunder Wing Hannah, o Mr. Michael Dennis Spryn & Mrs. Roberta Jean Spryn, b James M Schreiber

### **AGILITY EXCELLENT**

GCH CH COPLEY'S LAST CALL MARTINI AX OAJ CGC (B) by DC Almaden's River Of Shadows x CH Copley's Millennium Martini, o Kay Tordoff, b Robin Tomasi & Jaime Eiene & Barbara Dayton  
GALEJADE DE ACRES VENTEUSES CD AX OAJ (B) by Grand Garcon Des Windy Acres x Gypsy Madam De La Foret, o LYNN VAN VLEET, b Mr. Philip E Rogers & Mrs. Walda E Rogers

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ETENDARD DES GRANDS LACS BN RE SH MX MXJ (D) by Arius De Saint Lubin x Patouche Victoria JH, o Denine Ackerbauer, b Stephen Hughes & Sherry Hughes

### **MASTER BRONZE AGILITY**

STONEWALLS DEVINE FUDGE MX MXB MXJ MJB (B) by Redwing Rough & Rowdy x Stonewalls Choccolotta Coda, o Kathy McNeal, b James Robert Harrison

### **MASTER CENTURY AGILITY**

GCH CH MACH2 CREDIT KAZE'S CAPITAL GAINS RN MXC MJC XF T2B (D) by GCH CH Credit Where Credit Is Due x CH MACH3 Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXB2 MJS2 MXF MFB TQX T2B2, o Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling, b Robert J Howell & Victoria Howell

### **MASTER SILVER AGILITY 3**

GCH CH MACH8 RUSTINS JEWELER'S APPRENTICE MXS3 MJS3 MXF T2B2 (B) by Cimmaron's Nightkap UDX OA AXJ x MACH9 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH MXS3 MJS4 NAP NJP MXF T2B, o Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling, b Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

### **MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED**

FAROUT FIELDS XORBITANT FANCY CD RAE JH MX AXJ MXP NF OFF (B) by CH Fly'n-Hi's Iron Will CDX JH NA x Farout Fields Wiggy Bridget, o Christine S Youngblood & Alan Youngblood, b Jacqueline C Arnold & Rodger Rowles  
JJ'S ZEVA MX MXJ MXP NF (B) by Brody's Roger Dodger x Smith's Daisy, o Sandy Crighton & Jeff Crighton, b Ernest Rider & Carol Rider

### **NOVICE AGILITY JUMPER**

MAPLE BROOK AVIATOR RED NA NAJ (B) by CH Omega's Red Granite JH x GCH CH Triumphant's Absolute Evel JH, o Lynn Marie Carlo, b Mrs. Peggy Aguiar  
MARIAD'S FLYING REDHEAD NAJ (B) by Windswept Ridge's Gunsmoke x Windswept Ridge's Shamrock, o Mariann Jackson & John R Jackson, b Gary Ramsey D.V.M.

### **OPEN AGILITY JUMPER**

CREDIT KAZE'S ROCK N REIGN NA OAJ CGC (D) by GCH CH Chilcote's Credit Genius x MACH Credit Kaze With A Perfect Diamond MXS MJG MXF MFB T2B2, o CHRISTINE HARRISON & Steven Harrison, b Victoria MacVicar & Jessie Schulz & Robert Howell  
MAYHEM'S JADE BE NIMBLE OA OAJ CGC (B), o Gabrielle De Benedictis

### **EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER**

MISS MILEY RAE SMITH OA AXJ OF (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith  
TOP SHELF'S JOYFUL LEE JH OA AXJ NF (B) by CH Jordean Up All Night x GCH CH Millette's Sweet Memories BN JH AX AXJ NAP NJP NF, o Andrea Lee, b Wendy A Archinal & Gail Schmieder & Jennifer Krieger

### **MASTER SILVER JUMPER**

CH MACH BIG OAKS SOME PATIENCE REQUIRED OF MARIAD MXB MJS MXF T2B (B) by DC AFC Grand Junction Jake x CH Big Oaks Oh Yes She Can, o Mariann Jackson & John Jackson, b Louise M Brown & Barbara D Brannan  
GCH CH TRIUMPHANT ABSOLUTE LIBERTY OF KINSHIP JHA MX MXB MXJ MJS OF T2B CGC (B) by GCH DC Triumphant's Absolut' On Ice x CH Encore's Absolutely Triumphant, o Kimberly Hatton, b Linda R McCartney-Roy & Linda Sawyer

### **MASTER GOLD JUMPER**

FAST EDDIE MX MXB MXJ MJG T2B (D), o Mj Turner

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GCH CH MACH8 RUSTINS JEWELER'S APPRENTICE MXS3 MJG3 MXF T2B2 (B) by Cimmaron's Nightkap UDX OA AXJ x MACH9 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH MXS3 MJS4 NAP NJP MXF T2B, o Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling, b Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

### **AGILITY FAST OPEN**

MISS MILEY RAE SMITH OA OAJ OF (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith  
SWIFT RIVER'S SWEET DECEIT MX MXB MXJ MJB OF (B) by DC Country Road's Rough Rider x CH Swift River's Hot Lil' Number JH, o Sharon Buehler, b David W Phillips & Frances N Phillips

### **AGILITY FAST OPEN PREFERRED**

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

### **MASTER AGILITY CHAMPION**

MACH FAST EDDIE MXB MJG T2B (D), o Mj Turner

### **CANINE GOOD CITIZEN**

CH COPLEY PRESTIGE TIME TO FLY CGC (B) by GCH DC Masked Jack Of Diamonds x GCH CH Copley's Watch Time Fly CGC, o Haley Glick & John Patrick Rountree, b Haley Glick & Robin Tomasi & John Patrick Rountree  
HIS LADY'S TIPPING POINT CGC (B) by Mr. Copper Belt x Britt's Gold Canyon, o Jake R Fausett, b Mrs. Ann m Kennedy  
CH SARADAC'S LOCKED N LOADED CGC (B) by Blazin Tactical Weapon x CH Saradac's Sweet Pea, o Janice Hightower & Linda McCartney-Roy, b Edward Kostka Jr. & Darlene A Dow  
SUNQUEST'S ALL RILED UP CGC (B) by GCH CH RJ's Sierra Edition MH x GCH CH Sunquest Wind Dancer Of Starvue BN RE RATN CGCA, o Linda Dee Hartnek & Hank Hartnek, b Linda Dee Hartnek & Hank Hartnek  
CH SUNQUEST'S WHITE DIAMONDS JH CGC (B) by GCH CH RJ's Sierra Edition MH x GCH CH Sunquest Wind Dancer Of Starvue BN RE RATN CGCA, o Carol B Calahan, b Linda Dee Hartnek & Hank Hartnek

### **CANINE GOOD CITIZEN URBAN**

DAISEE MAE GARTH THEREYAGO MORRIS RN CGCA CGCU (B) by Sr. Samson Nazirite x Beau Kadeaux Sandee Regard, o Janet Morris, b Mr. Kerney J Sonnier  
TAFEEELICIOUS GARTH HEREWEGO MORRIS RN CGCA CGCU (B) by Sr. Samson Nazirite x Beau Kadeaux Sandee Regard, o Janet Morris, b Mr. Kerney J Sonnier


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GCH CH BIG OAKS MAMMA MIA'S STAR SOPHIA (B), B Brannan  
3 - Concho Kennel Club, Inc., J E Gregory  
GHC CH BRIGADIER'S LIGHTNING STRIKES TWICE (B), M Lee  
2 - Palisades Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. D L Kittridge  
4 - Ramapo Kennel Club, Mr. D Richards  
2 - Ramapo Kennel Club, Mr. N B Kenney  
CH BRIGADIER'S MOLLY'S LITTLE DOLLY CA (B), A Stellwag/G Stellwag/P Giebel  
4 - Hanover Kennel Club, Dr. M J Woods  
GCH CH DREAM HI'S DON'T HATE THE PLAYER HATE THE GAME (D), T Rickard/L Rickard  
2 - Sierra-Tuolumne Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. J G Pepper  
1 - Sierra-Tuolumne Kennel Club, Inc. Mr. J E Noe



4 - Skyline Dog Fanciers of San Mateo County, Miss S M Lex  
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 4 - Del Valle Dog Club of Livermore, Dr. A C Santos MD  
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 BIS/1 - Rapid City Kennel Club, Inc., Mrs. G Geringer  
 BIS/1 - Rapid City Kennel Club, Inc., Mrs. A D Hearn  
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 3 - Buckhorn Valley Kennel Club, Inc. M Faulkner  
 RBIS/1 - Tri-State Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. R Paust  
 GCH CH RIVERMIST BROXDEN MAKE MYNAH DOUBLE JH (D), A Godfroid/A Booth/E Edgerton  
 3 - Marion Kennel Club, Inc. Mr. J M Watson  
 GCH CH SANBAR'S RIDE THE WINDS (D), R West/P West/C West  
 2 - Donner Trail Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. A Berrios  
 2 - Vancouver Kennel Club, Mr. L J Libeu  
 3 - Vancouver Kennel Club, Mr. A Berrios  
 GCH CH COPLEY CAN DO MAGNUM OPUS GRAND SAM RE (D), E Weeks  
 4 - Mesilla Valley Kennel Club, Inc. Mr. G Bernard  
 GCH CH LABYRINTH N ILLUSION SLIPPERY WHEN WET JH (D), Karen Hanson  
 4 - Hanover Kennel Club, Dr. S D Herman  
 GCH CH STAR FLIGHT FRANKLY MY DEAR RN CGC (D), J Ceres  
 4 - Stone City Kennel Club, A D Hussin  
 GCH CH LABYRINTH NMR CHAMPAGNE DELIGHT (D), C Lawrence/M Lawrence /Karen Hanson  
 4 - Augusta Kennel Club, Inc., Ms. N Riggsbee  
 CH CARROLLTON'S JAMAICAN RED STRIPE (D), L Martin/G Hartman/W Wyaya/J Eiene  
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 GCH CH COPLEY CAN DO MAGNUM OPUS GRAND SAM RE (D), E Weeks  
 OHG1 - Mesilla Valley Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. G Bernard  
 OHG4 - Valencia Valley Kennel Club of New Mexico, Mr. R L Robinson  
 GCH CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW BENGAL ZERO ZERO (D), J Burlingame/G Clements/A Burlingame  
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 OHG3 - Saline County Kennel Club of Arkansas, Mrs. K Kahn  
 OHG3 - Saline County Kennel Club of Arkansas, Mr. B Meyer  
 GCH CH HALFMOON TO INFINITY & BEYOND! (D), E Weeks  
 OHG3 - Mesilla Valley Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. K W Clemons  
 OHG2 - Valencia Valley Kennel Club of New Mexico, R F Saldana  
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 OHG1 - Stephenville Kennel Club of Texas, Ms. L Robey  
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 OHG3 - Cen-Tex Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. H Clark  
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 OHG3 - Tyler Texas Kennel Club - Ms. G Kerr  
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# The Brittany Bites Recipe Collection

By Sheila Cordner



*Here are our monthly recipes tried by you, our Brittany enthusiasts.*

Please e-mail your recipes to Sheila Cordner at [sheilaskitchencorner@gmail.com](mailto:sheilaskitchencorner@gmail.com). along with your submission please include your name and club affiliation. Sheila Cordner belongs to the Southern New England Brittany Club and is known for her culinary talents.

## PHEASANT CASSEROLE

4 pheasant breasts  
4 slices ham  
4 - 6 slices Swiss cheese  
1 can cream of mushroom soup  
1/2 can water  
2 cups stuffing mix  
1 stick butter, melted

Put the breasts in a greased 9x13 baking dish. In a bowl, mix together the soup and the water.

Place the ham and cheese on the pheasant breasts. Pour the soup over the breasts and cover with the stuffing mix. Pour the melted butter over the top of the stuffing mix.

Bake for 1 hour at 350 degrees.



## CREAMY PHEASANT

6 pheasant breast fillets  
1/2 cup flour  
1/2 cup milk or cream  
salt & pepper to taste  
1/4 cup crisco or vegetable oil (less if you like)  
1 sm. can cream of chicken or mushroom soup (gravy lovers double this)

Combine flour, salt, & pepper. Coat breasts with flour mixture. Brown floured fillets in heated crisco until golden on both sides. Place fillets in greased baking dish in single layer. Combine soup & milk to pour over browned fillets.

Bake covered 2 hours at 325°F.

*Serve with mashed potatoes, and you'll have enough gravy to use on potatoes.*

Happy  
New Year!



## RECIPE REQUEST

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# OTIS' STORY

By: Susan Janowski

My name is Otis. They call me “O”, “O Man”, and Mr. “O” for short. If you want to be formal about it, my official name is Scott’s Mr. Morning Otis MHA, CGC.

I was named after my Dad. He is a morning person like me. My Mom HATES mornings! Dad annoys my Mom with a silly song to wake her up and when he does she grumbles. I was a birthday present for my Dad because he always wanted a bird dog like me. I did lots of things with Dad; but I spent most of my time with my Mom. She took me to school to learn to be a “Good Citizen”, the park to run, and almost never left me home alone. Mom and I became a team because we are a bonded pair. I loved her and she loved me.

When I was a young dog, I went to a big field with a man who brought me birds to teach me how to hunt. Not like a regular bird dog, but like a good field dog. Yes, there is a difference. With all of those birds, he became my fast friend. When I started I thought, really? Me? He wanted to teach ME how to hunt? Heck. I know how to hunt! I have been hunting since I was a puppy! I know that I find those birds in the grass or hedgerow and grab ‘em and shake ‘em up, right? I carry them around a while and drop them where ever I like, then I go do it all over again! Wheeeee!

Well, I found out pretty quick that wasn’t the case at all.

The very first time we were “training” this guy put a big clunky collar with a box on me really tight. He put my collar with a bell on too. Then he wrapped a rope around me and tied it. So here I am running through the field dragging along a long rope with a box around my neck! Pretty silly if you ask me!

The man hid a quail from me, but I found it out there pretty quick. I pointed and I reached down and grabbed it! I was just about to run off with my prize when all of a sudden that box buzzed! THEN, I felt a big ZAP! Wowie, that smarts!!! I dropped that bird really fast. I guess I wasn’t supposed to do that. I yip, yip, yip really loud and ran between Mom’s legs. I looked as if to say “What was THAT all about?” That is how all this Hunting Test stuff started.

Mom & I went out to that field lots and lots more times in spring and summer and we worked really hard. I got buzzed and zapped a few more times until I figured out not to grab the birds. I figured out pretty quick that when she said WHOA I had to stop. I learned that I had to come back around to her when she called me and I learned that I had to stand there and wait until

that darned bird flew away before I could chase it! I thought the whole idea was to get the bird, but Mom seemed pretty happy when I did it her way.

Fall came along and I knew just by the smells in the air that it was time to hunt birds! One day, Mom told me we were going to take a Hunt Test! I didn’t know what that was, but if it involved birds, I was all for it! My first Hunt Test was in a place called Upstate, New York, on a high open field at Darien Lake State Park. There were lots of people and all kinds of other dogs. I knew something good was coming, but I wasn’t sure what it was. I could smell those birds and I wanted them! It was cold and drizzled rain all day but I didn’t care. All I could think was “Let’s get to this hunting thing, now!”

When it was our turn to do this “test” thing, Mom put on my bell collar, but she didn’t put that box thing collar that zaps me on that day. We walked down a long road to the bottom of the hill, and I smelled birds all the way. There was another dog that was going to do the “test” too. I didn’t want that GSP to get any of MY birds! I was woo, woo, wooing which meant “Come on, let’s go!”

The minute mom took my leash off and said “Hunt ‘em up”, I forgot everything I had ever learned. I knew I didn’t have that zapper collar on so off I went! I ran straight up that hill and all around but didn’t listen to mom at all. She called and called me me, but I was having so much fun I just kept on running! I found some birds, but I didn’t bother to point them. Some flew right up and I ran after them until they went into the woods. I grabbed one and carried it around proudly for a while. Mom tried to take it from me, but I wasn’t giving it up! The judge people finally said time was up, and we had to leave the field. I really didn’t want to go and continued to run around. Mom looked sad and a little bit annoyed when she finally caught me and put my leash on. She didn’t say anything to me at all. She wouldn’t even look at me! She never yelled at me, she just sighed and petted my head and told me we’d try again tomorrow. I felt really bad that I didn’t listen.

The next day we were up really early and headed to the field. It wasn’t as cold and the sun was out. When we got there we had to wait a little while for our turn and I was just as excited as the day before, but I remembered that I needed to listen to mom because she really wanted a pretty orange ribbon for me. Before we went in the field she said “Please behave Otis!” That trainer guy came and gave me a pep talk and a scolding too, so I knew I had to do better.

I still woo woo wooed, but today I was ready! Mom unclipped my leash at the bottom of the hill and once again said “Hunt ‘em up Otis!” I ran out in that field and I actually pointed birds!

I waited until they flew away before I chased them, and when mom yelled for me to come around I turned and headed her way! She looked pretty pleased and had a big smile on her face. Dad was pretty happy too, and even that trainer guy came and scratched my chin and told me I was a good boy! I found 3 birds that day and I pointed all of them! Mom told me how proud she was of me and that we would get a really pretty orange ribbon. I did that get that ribbon, it was the first of many, and mom & I were hooked!

Otis went on to get his Junior Hunter Title, then his Senior and finally his Master in November 2012.

In April last year he developed a large tumor on his belly that continued to grow and need to be removed. It was a very scary time for all of us. Fortunately the tumor although large was benign. After seeing the angry incisions and many, many stitches I never thought he’d hunt again. The surgery took him out of the field for almost a year.

We started training slowly again, a little run here and there. Otis was back on his game quickly and I could see that he really wanted to be in the field.

I almost gave up on his MHA after that surgery, but the drive and will of this old dog convinced me that we needed to finish what we started. We needed to get that last title. Otis wanted to do it!

When we started this many years ago we never tried to set any records, we just wanted a fun day out in the field together. The thrill of seeing my dog enjoy himself so much was enough, pass or fail. We weren’t doing it for breeding purposes either. Otis had Prostatitis as a young dog and we neutered him for his

health. There would be no puppies for this Champion.

The day after we finished his MHA title, I was chatting with a friend about his last “Q” run. He asked me how old “O” was. He said “I bet he’s the oldest Brittany to get that title, you should check with AKC records and see.”

When Otis garnered his title he had lived through 137 moons. In human terms, when he reached the age of 10 years, 6 months and 17 days, he became the Oldest Brittany on record to achieve the title of Master Hunter Advanced. He may be old, but to me he will be forever young.

Some day another dog might beat this record, but for now, it’s ours and I could not be prouder of my boy Otis.



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# Field Trials

## EAST COAST

### NORTH JERSEY

Medford, NJ

October 30-November 1, 2015

#### Open Derby (7S)

**J: Dayna Rusciano & Anthony Rusciano**

- 1 - DIAMOND HILL SON SHINE AND WHISKEY (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Jake's Son of A Gun Runner x Diamond Hill Get A Bird Dixie JH; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 2 - RED WING MIDNIGHT MEMORIES AT CIDER CREEK (D), VIZ
- 3 - SKYJACK REGARDLESS (D), GSP
- 4 - WOODLAND'S FORCE OF NATURE (D), by CH TNT's Sirius Renegade Buddy Boy x GCH/DC/GFC/AFC TNT's Raise'n A Ruckus; o Karen & John Schramm & Tommy Thomas, h Karen Schramm

#### Amateur Walking Gun Dog (14S)

**J: Lisa Pollock & E Kerr**

- 1 - ALITTLE HANKY PANKY (D), by Treadway's Little Smoke x Sandy Treadway; o Sally & Donn Eck, h Sally Eck
- 2 - MARJO'S SAM I AM (D), by Marjos Red Rum x Elyssa's Allie Baba; o/h Mark Dreyfus
- 3 - HIT'S A RED ROCK GIRL! (B), by NGDC/FC/AFC Hit's for Pete's Sake x Hits a Girl Hannah; o Marcia & Brent Rupnow, h Brent Rupnow
- 4 - GUNS N ROSES JH (B), by Treadway's Little Smoke x Sandy Treadway; o Sally & Donn Eck, h Sally Eck



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#### Open Gun Dog (16S)

**J: Ed Kostka, Jr., h Russ Bigus**

- 1 - FC QUAIL POINT WEST WIND PANDORA (B), GSP
- 2 - DIAMOND HILL WORK HARD PLAY HARDER (B), by Deuce Is On The Loose x Diamond Hill She's Gone; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, h Lisa Pollock

- 3 - HIT'S INIT TOO WINIT (B), by NGDC/FC/AFC Hit's for Pete's Sake x Marjo's Cruzan Rovani; o Judith & Ralph Kiracofe, h Judith Kiracofe
- 4 - WINDSORS FIELD HARVESTER JH (B), ES

#### Amateur Limited Gun Dog (13S)

**J: Ed Kerr & Joe Sikorski**

- 1 - FC QUAIL POINT WEST WIND PANDORA (B), GSP
- 2 - FC/AFC HIT'S SHOWTIME (B), by Buck's Hit the Road Jack x Marjo's Hightest Bella; o Joanne & John A. Perry, h John A. Perry
- 3 - HIT'S A RED ROCK GIRL! (B), by NGDC/FC/AFC Hit's for Pete's Sake x Hits a Girl Hannah; o Marcia & Brent Rupnow, h Brent Rupnow
- 4 - CH DIAMOND HILL STORM CAT (D), by Dakota Alleycat x Tennessee Twister; o Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock



HIT'S ALL JACK'D UP

#### Amateur All Age (9S)

**J: Dayna Rusciano & Anthony Rusciano**

- 1 - FC/AFC MARJO'S LEFTOVER (B), by Marjo's Red Rum x Elyssa's Allie Baba; o/h Danielle Perry
- 2 - FC HELLO LUCY (B), GSP
- 3 - KINWASHKLY STOLEN DIAMOND (B), by Kinwashkly's Mac Magoo x Kinwashkly's French Velour; o Darlene Dow & Ed Kostka & Paul & Lisa Pollock, h Lisa Pollock
- 4 - NGDC/FC/AFC HIT'S ALL JACK'D UP (D), by Buck's Hit the Road Jack x Marjos Hightest Bella; o Joe Sikorski & Claire Ricci; o Joe Sikorski

#### Open All Age (9S)

**J: Brent Rupnow & Joanne Perry**

- 1 - FC HELLO LUCY (B), GSP
- 2-4 -Withheld



## CENTRAL

### LASALLE

Joliet, IL

October 17-18, 2015

#### Amateur Walking Puppy (7S)

**J: Paul Kuipers & Mike Mickoff**

- 1 - P J WILDFIRE SPORT (D), GSP
- 2 - P J WILDFIRE LITTLE LEXI JH (B), GSP
- 3 - P.J. WILDFIRE BLUE (D), GSP
- 4 - LONE CREEK GIT R DONE (B), GSP

#### Amateur Walking Derby (20S)

**J: Laurence R. Bates & Barry Steinmetz**

- 1 - P J WILDFIRE LITTLE LEXI JH (B), GSP
- 2 - GUNDOG VIZSLAS BLUE BOY (D), VIZ
- 3 - SPARKLING JEM (B), VIZ
- 4 - HI-WEYER ENTERTAINER (B), VIZ

#### Open Derby (15S)

**J: Julie Nelson & Mike Mikoff**

- 1 - P J WILDFIRE LITTLE LEXI JH (B), GSP
- 2 - STARLIGHT'S MERCURY OUT RYDER (D), by DC/AFC Timber Line Strait To The Point x FC Ruby Ridge's Million Dollar Babe; o/h Teresa Richmond
- 3 - STARLIGHT'S DASH OF BRILLANCE (B), by DC/GCH Starlights Billion Times Brighter x Attitude's Second Scenario; o Teresa Richmond & John & Collen Walsh, h Teresa Richmond
- 4 - MAN O WAR (D), VIZ

#### Amateur Gun Dog (13S)

**J: Barry Steinmetz & Tim Cummings**

- 1 - FC/AFC SWEETWATER MURPH'S A GAMBLER (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Gambler's Ace In The Hole x Auten's Meg-Netic Field; o Laurence R. & Susan C. Bates, h Larry Bates
- 2 - CALL ME REDDI OR NOT (B), by NFC/2xNAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x BBB's Flashy Rose; o/h Al Regelbrugge
- 3 - ICEMAN'S SMOOTH RIDE (B), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x Rebel Jac's Hankern Jill; o Donna & Ed Janulis, h Ed Janulis
- 4 - BROOKS' BLAZN' STAR (B), by High Point Blazin Lamont x Iron Mike's Brandee Jill; o Mark & Blaine Brooks, h Mark Brooks

#### Open Gun Dog (15S)

**J: Bill Elliot & Mike Mikoff**

- 1-4 -Withheld

**HEART OF ILLINOIS**  
**Jim Edgar Panther Creek SFWA**  
**Chandlerville, IL**  
**October 24-25, 2015**

**Open Puppy (6S)**

**J: Ray Trimble & Sean Morgan**

- 1 - P.F. INDY BLAZE (D), VIZ
- 2 - MEYER'S BELLA (B), VIZ
- 3 - STARLIGHT'S MERCURY OUT RYDER (D), by DC/AFC Timberline Strait to the Point x FC Rubyridge's Million Dollar Babe; o/h Teresa Richmond
- 4 - NEVENE'S SALMON P CHASE (D), by FC/AFC Shale Valleys Myla Tech x Dogwoods Zip & Rip; o C. Eugene Salmons, h Gene Salmons

**Open Derby (13S)**

**J: Dave Johnson & Julie Nelson**

- 1 - DURITE'S INDIANA JONES (B), VIZ
- 2 - ON THE TARGET TANGO (D), VIZ
- 3 - AGAINST THE WIND'S 3 HOUR TOUR (B), VIZ
- 4 - WILL HILL'S ROCKY (D), by Rip It Good x Cracker Jack Scrambler; o/h Sean Morgan

**Open Gun Dog (10S)**

**J: Ray Trimble & Sean Morgan**

- 1 - CH STARLIGHT'S CLOUDED TITAN (D), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o/h Teresa Richmond
- 2 - RINGO RASCAL (D), by Ru Jem's Fist Full of Dollars x Dogwood's Gilmore Girl; o/h Rodger Fiorito
- 3 - CH AMMOS THE SHOW THAT NEVER ENDS (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Ru-Jems A Touch of Bourbon x CH Ammos Nearly Wild Rose JH; o/h Julie Nelson
- 4 - DURITE'S COVEY RISE (D), by FC Durite's Hoosier Daddy x NFC/FC Durite's Jet City Woman; o Roger Acuff & Billy Ring, h Carrie Syczylo

**Amateur Limited Gun Dog (6S)**

**J: Dave Johnson & Todd Parmenter**

- 1 - CH STARLIGHT'S CLOUDED TITAN (D), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o/h Teresa Richmond
- 2-3 -Withheld
- 4 - RINGO RASCAL (D), by Ru Jem's Fist Full of Dollars x Dogwood's Gilmore Girl; o/h Rodger Fiorito

**Amateur All Age (5S)**

**J: Dave Johnson & Julie Nelson**

- 1-4 -Withheld

**Open All Age (7S)**

**J: Alan Wyatt & Jay Walsh**

- 1-4 -Withheld

**ILLINOIS**  
**Pyramid State Park**  
**Pickneyville, IL**

**October 29-November 1, 2015**

After having to cancel the spring trial due to snow & ice, we were blessed with terrific weather to run the fall trial. We had a little fog delay on Sunday and just a brief shower on Saturday, but the rest of the time the weather was perfect for running dogs. For the first time, we ran the Lee Holman Classic on Thursday & Friday rather than our normal Monday & Tuesday. This seemed to work out better for all participants.

We had a good turnout, with all stakes having enough starters to make them a qualifying event for the 2016 ABC Nationals.

We welcomed newcomer John McPeak who came away with his first blue ribbon in the derby stake. McPeak's BB Gun Dog did an outstanding job running off horseback for the first time ever. Tommy Thomas took home enough plates to stock his new trailer. Of special note, Dave Capstick & Tim Self's Ace of Spade won the Holman Classic which put him over the top for this year's Purina All Age Dog of the Year. Congratulations to all our winners.

Considering the tremendous growing season this year, the courses were in tip top shape. Thanks to Ed Graves & Jim Lawless for spending 6 days mowing with Cha Hill's crew at Pyramid. We also christened the permanent toilet facility added this summer with funds from the Jim & Janet Estate. We are looking forward to parking lot improvements along with a new headquarters building to replace the aging office trailer.

Once again, we wish to thank Purina for its continued support of our hour classic. Without their help, we would not be able to put on this class event. Terry Trzcinski was on hand to congratulate the winners. He was also pleased to see that each and every handler in the event fed Purina dog food.

**Open Derby (9S)**

**J: Dave Capstick & Jack Alexander**

- 1 - MCPEAK'S BB GUN DOG JH (B), by Quail Ridge's Duke x HQ's Wild Irish Roan; o/h John McPeak
- 2 - WILL HILL'S ROCKY (D), by Rip It Good x Cracker Jack Scrambler; o/h Sean Morgan
- 3 - GEORGIA WHITE LIGHTING (D), by NFC/GFC/

AFC Uncle Kracker x FC Georgia's Texas Two Step; o Jim Berowitz, h Tom Tracy

- 4 - WW'S LIL' MISS NELLE (B), by Wil Nors Philson x Double O's Go Girl; o Sarah Wice, h Burton Wice



**BISCUIT'S ME WEARING THE PANTS**

**Open Gun Dog (13S)**

**J: Kent Patterson & Rob Donahue**

- 1 - GCH/DC/GFC/AFC TNT'S RAISE'N A RUCKUS (B), by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x Bourbon's Lucky Penny MH; o Tommy & Linda Thomas, h Tommy Thomas
- 2 - BISCUIT'S ME WEARING THE PANTS (D), by DC/AFC Biscuits Ecko of Dreams JH x CH Jagoub's Zydekoko; o Thomas Jagielski & Debra Connell, h Tom Tracy
- 3 - TNT'S BLAZING SHOSHONI SHAKE N' BAKE (D), by DC Havapal's Renegade Bily Boy x CH Country Road's Hunky Dory; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 4 - RINGO'S RASCAL (D), by Ru Jem's Fist Full of Dollars x Dogwoods Gilmore Girl; o/h Rodger Fiorito

**Amateur All Age (18S)**

**J: Donna Janulis & Ed Janulis**

- 1 - GLADE RUN IRISH (D), by Ortho Acres Booker T x Flying Feathers Coco Bean; o David Webb, h Tommy Thomas
- 2 - JJ'S DIABLO WITH RUSTY TEARS (B), by JJ's Tasmanian Devil x JJ's Alabaster Angel; o/h Joe Williams
- 3 - CH TNT'S SIRIUS RENEGADE BUDDY BOY (D), by TNT's Sirius Medicine Man x TNT's Renegade Gal Pal; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 4 - FC CHANCEY'S FROZEN ASSET (B), by Chancy Jack Pot Lotto x KT's Arctic Warrior Princess; o Crystal & Jack Alexander, h Jack Alexander

**Open All Age (22S)**

**J: Roger Fiorito & Jeff Marshal**

- 1 - JJ'S ALABASTER ANGEL (ANGIE) (B), by Jericho's Call Back Jack x Lane's End Jess N Time; o Joe Williams & Jenny Ro, h Joe Williams
- 2 - SHAMROCKS SIRIUS II (D), by FC/AFC Shamrock's Sirius x Lucille La Belle; o/h Wade Haines



- 3 - CH CROSSCREEK ARGUS' EARLY CHRISTMAS JH (D), by CH Hopes Ranger Rick x CH Sanbar Crosscreek Early Cal; o Donovan Markienwicz, h Chad Holman
- 4 - SERENDIPITY'S TOP PRIORITY (D), by CH Serendipity's Hearts R Wild x GCH/CH Starlight's Tawny Tara; o Elaines & Heather Kuipers & Teresa Richmond, h Paul Kuipers



Front Row: Tim Self with the Ace of Spade; Jack Alexander with Chance's Frozen Asset; Tom Tracy with Brendi Brooks Cowboy Up, Wade Haines with Shamrock's Sirius II

Back Row: Dave Capstick, John Burkhart, Judge, Ed Graves, Terry Trzcinski, Ed Janulis, Donna Janulis, Ray Trimble, Shaun Morgan, Judge.

**Open Puppy (11S)**

**J: Ron Clark & Butch Roberts**

- 1 - JOKER'S LUCY U GOT SUM SPLAIN'N 2 DO (B), by Jokers Jackpot x Sniksoh Sweetness; o Susan Januschka, h Jim John
- 2 - MUD ON THE TIRES (B), by Hoochie Coochie Man x Tequila Twister; o Jessica Carlson, h Ed Tillson
- 3 - SHADY WAY'S JOKER'S HILL COUNTRY EXPRESS (D), by Joker's Jackpot x Sniksoh Sweetness; o Bret Lindback, h Jim John

4 - BUCK O ROUX (D), by FC/AFC Jo-Lockapex Dark Roux Gumbo x Kountry Boy's Tumbleweed; o/h David Lincoln

- Sniksoh Little Rascal x Double T Belle; o/h Dave Lincoln
- 4 - SANDMAN (D), by Joker's Jackpot x Patch O Tee; o/h David Lincoln



**REDROCK'S SIESMIC SNIKSOH**

**Open All Age (34S)**

**J: Robert Rankin & Tom Milam**

- 1 - NAFC/FC/AFC WIMBERLEY ROWDY BO DANDY (D), by Wimberley Jimdandy x Countess Mon Petit Whiz; o Ginger & John Gay, h Scott Johnson
- 2 - FC MK'S MAGNIFICENT BANDITO (D), by Tee Bone x Chief's Nubbins My Lil' Lady; o Bill Oliver, h Scott Johnson
- 3 - Withheld
- 4 - KANZA SLIM (D), by Tee Bone x Microbreeze; o/h Mike Lager

**Open Derby (18S)**

**J: David Vogelsang & Kevin Temple**

- 1 - TJ'S GREATEST JOY (B), by Shadow Attack x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o Joe Cummings & Scott Kohler, h Ed Tillson

- 2 - CH SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY RIDE JH (B), by Sovereign's Chasing Legends x Tequila's Red Corvette; o Dawn & Joe Droel & J. Carlson, h Ed Tillson
- 3-4 - Withheld

**Lee Holman Classic**

**Grand Open Limited All Age 1hr (24S)**

**J: John Burkhart & Sean Morgan**

- 1 - FC/AFC THE ACE OF SPADE (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Farther Out Ace x Gizmo's Child Gone Wild; o Dave Capstick & Tim Self, h Dave Capstick
- 2 - FC CHAUNCEY'S FROZEN ASSET (B), by Chancy Jackpot Lotto x KT's Arctic Warrior Princess; o Crystal & Jack Alexander, h Tom Tracy
- 3 - BRENDI BROOKS COWBOY UP (D), by Broadway Joe x Brendi Brooks Cowgirl Up; o Bob Travis, h Tom Tracy
- 4 - SHAMROCKS SIRIUS II (D), by FC/AFC Shamrock's Sirius x Lucille La Belle; o/h Wade V. Haines

**Open Gun Dog (25S)**

**J: Ron Clark & Butch Roberts**

- 1 - FC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by Trugritz Briers Gift x Big Sky Brandy II; o/h Richard Beaver Amanda
- 2 - FC/AFC QUAIL ROCK TOO TOUGH (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Wishful Thinking; o Ellen Weinfurter, h Tom White
- 3 - SHOT OF WHIZKI (D), by Hi Proof Whizki x Alliwannado; o Pam Baird, h Jim John
- 4 - CH SHILOH'S PREMIERE LADY DUAL OAKS (B), by Redline's Smokin Gun x Shiloh's Tru Believer; o Chris & Leslie Robinson, h Scott Johnson

**Amateur All Age (20S)**

**J: David Vogelsang & Kevin Temple**

- 1 - KINWASHKLY TEMPO (D), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x Kinwashky French Velour; o Joyce Miley & Leslie Andreas, h Bob Rankin
- 2 - NAFC/FC/AFC TLM FREQUENT FLYER (D), by Hillside's Sweet Ol' Bob x TLM Hard Hearted Hannah; o Harland Gerandy & Linda & Tom Milam
- 3 - FC REDROCK'S SIESMIC SNIKSOH (B), by

**NORTHERN COLORADO**

**Rudy Budin Ranch**

**Stoenham, CO**

**October 31-November 1, 2015**

**Open Puppy (4S)**

**J: Kevin Wade & Mike Patrick**

- 1 - FOXRUN'S WOODS MASTER (D), ES
- 2 - FIRESTARTER'S PICK UP LINE (B), by FC/AFC FireStarter's Crossed the Line x SKF Little Miss Beretta; o/h Andi Christensen
- 3 - KEG CREEK SECOND EDITION (D) GSP
- 4 - DAN-DE LIKE RED ON A ROSE (B), by FC/AFC Light-Em Up Luke JH x Dan-De Katy Bar the Door JH; o Daniel & Denise Collins, h Dan Collins

**Open Derby (10S)**

**J: Mike Patrick & Allen Davis**

- 1 - LIBERTY'S WILD AND FREE (D), P
- 2 - HIGH PLAINS RAMBLIN GAMBLIN MAN (D), GSP
- 3 - WORTH THE WAIT (B), P
- 4 - Withheld

**MIDWEST**

**SOONER**

**Lake Murray Field Trial Grounds  
Ardmore, OK**

**October 30-November 1, 2015**

### Amateur Gun Dog (8S)

**J: Allen Davis & Ketih Bryant**

- 1 - LEAVE-EM IN THE DUST GUS (D), by FC Light-Em Up Luke x FC Windtuck Winter Jazz o Dave & Liz Klein, h Dave Klein
- 2 - AFC CUTTIN WILD'S SPACE COWGIRL (B), GSP
- 3 - FC SNIKSOH SUPER SNOOPER (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Free Boy x FC Sniksoh Sweet Hershey Kiss; o/h Jeff Hoskins
- 4 - FC/AFC GABBE'S HIGH PLAINS ONCE IN A BLUE MOON (D), GSP



LEAVE-EM IN THE DUST GUS

### Open Gun Dog (8S)

**J: Jim Adrian & Andi Christensen**

- 1 - AFC CUTTIN WILD'S SPACE COWGIRL (B), GSP
- 2 - FC/AFC GABBE'S HIGH PLAINS ONCE IN A BLUE MOON (D), GSP
- 3 - LEAVE-EM IN THE DUST GUS (D), by FC Light-Em Up Luke x FC Windtuck Winter Jazz; o Dave & Liz Klein, h Dave Klein
- 4 - Withheld

**MIDWEST  
Oliver Ranch  
Eureka, KA**

**November 5-8, 2015**

### Open Puppy (12S)

**J: Cindy Findley & Jim Baker**

- 1 - JOKER'S LUCY U GOT SUM SPLAIN'N 2 DO (B), by FC/AFC Joker's Jackpot x Sniksoh Sweetness; o Susan Januschka, h Jim John
- 2 - SHADY WAY'S JOKER'S HILL COUNTRY EXPRESS (D), by FC/AFC Joker's Jackpot x Sniksoh Sweetness; o Bret Lindback, h Jim John
- 3 - RAJIN'S RENEGADE (B), by FC/AFC BBD's Ca-Ching x BNJ's Dirty Dozen Dixie; o Brittany Dowse, h Robbie Myers
- 4 - BUCK O ROUX (D), by FC/AFC Jo-Lockapex Dark Roux Gumbo x Kountry Boy's Tumbleweed; o/h David Lincoln

### Open Derby (27S)

**J: Cindy Findley & Jim Baker**

- 1 - HIDEAWAY'S SHORT SKIRT (B), by FC/AFC Light-Em Up Luke x Windtuck's Say'N Like It Is; o Ben Garcia, h Ed Tillson
- 2 - KBK'S BOUNTY HUNTER (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Primetime Outlaw Johnny x MK's My Lil Ammo; o/h Kevin Stonehouse
- 3 - CH SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY RIDE JH (B), by GCH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x CH Tequila's Red Corvette JH; o Dawn & Joe Droel & Jessica Carlson, h Ed Tillson
- 4 - STRAIGHT ARROW REVELIE'S HEART (B), by DC/AFC Beaver's Straight Arrow x Deseeker Lone River Revenue; o Richard A. & Mary Amanda Beaver, h Richard A. Beaver

### Amateur Gun Dog (16S)

**J: Mike Lager & Kevin Stonehouse**

- 1 - TRASA'S LITTLE SKY DANCER (B), by KB's Shadow Dancer x Trasa's Little Ann; o Brain & Trasa Shinpoch, h Trasa Shinpoch
- 2 - TJ'S LIBERTY BELL (B), by FC Lobo's Blazin Bandit x Allied's Daisy Bell; o/h Bruce Heiter
- 3 - CHUKARHILL RIMROCK EIGER (D), ES
- 4 - MK'S MY LIL AMMO (B), by Sniksoh Free Boy x Chief's Nubbin's My Lil Lady; o/h Nick Blasi

### Open Gun Dog (36S)

**J: Mike Lager & Kevin Stonehouse**

- 1 - FC SNIKSOH LITTLE DIAMOND (B), by FC/AFC Shady's Count Kid x Diamond Hills Magical Molly; o Tom Wonderling, h Bob Burchett
- 2 - CH TURNING PTS LANDSLIDE (D), by DC/AFC Ricochet Maggie's Jac JH x Ammo's The Show That Never Ends; o Julie Nelson, h Scott Johnson
- 3 - MK'S MY LIL AMMO (B), by Sniksoh Free Boy x Chief's Nubbin's My Lil Lady; o/h Nick Blasi
- 4 - SHOT OF WHIZKI (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Alliwonado; o Pam Baird, h Jim John

### Amateur All Age (20S)

**J: Scott Johnson & Kevin Stonehouse**

- 1 - NFC/FC SPARKY'S PRAIRIE WIND GYPSY (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Jim De Bob's Sparks A Dan D x Two Rivers Skyhawk; o Barry Koepke & Karen Fujikawa, h Barry Koepke
- 2 - CARPE DIEM (D), by FC Jo-Lockapex Dark Roux Gumbo x Tick Time; o/h David A. Lincoln
- 3 - MCCHESENEY'S I GOT MY MOJO WORKING (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Ru-Jem's A Touch Of Bourbon x FC Lost Creek Kate; o John Chejne & Connie McCaffrey, h John Chejne
- 4 - FC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by CH Truegritz Briers Gift x Big Sky Brandy II; o Richard A. & Amanda Beaver, h Richard A. Beaver



SPARKY'S PRAIRIE WIND GYPSY



MCCHESENEY'S I GOT MY MOJO WORKING

### Open All Age 1hr (35S)

**J: Larry Meeks & Gailen Cooper**

- 1 - NFC/FC SPARKY'S PRAIRIE WIND GYPSY (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Jim De Bob's Sparks A Dan D x Two Rivers Skyhawk; o Barry Koepke & Karen Fujikawa, h Jim John
- 2 - DC WARBONNET'S ORION IN THE BIG SKY JH (D), by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Warbonnet Golden Magpie JH; o Todd & Sarl Breitenfeldt & Melody Edwards, h Ed Tillson
- 3 - FC CRESCENT CITY GIRL (B), by NAGDC/AFC Clydes Double Trouble x CH Starlights Zeta Tauri; o Barry & Petra Steinmetz, h Bob Burchett
- 4 - FC/AFC JOKER'S JACKPOT (D), by FC/AFC Smarteyes-Joker x S'No Fun Sea Hawk; o Steve Ralph, h Jim John



JOKER'S JACKPOT



## MONTANA Merja Farms Sun River, MT August 28-30, 2015

This year we had a huge problem with rattlesnakes. We have been using this same trial ground for several years and at most have seen zero to two or three rattlers during our trial. However, this year we saw multiple rattlers on the gun dog course and several on the all age course. One Brittany was bitten while competing. Fortunately we had a veterinarian on site with antivenin and the dog recovered and was doing well by the next day. Also on the last day of the trial a horse was bitten within the camp area. The horse has also recovered. We do not know why there were so many snakes this year.

We have not had time to address this problem; however, we will discuss several options: 1) the land owner and our club may seek a snake eradication program, 2) we may ask to move the trial date to late in September or October when the snakes should be down for the season, or 3) we may seek a new trial ground in an area with fewer snakes (if we can find one). We are also open to other suggestions/ideas if you have any.

### Open Puppy (14S)

#### J: Kim Williamson & Conrad Kradolfer

- 1 - MASONRIDGE, AJAX ICED LIBERTY (B), by FC/AFC Ajax VII x Ajax Darcy Dark Side; o Guy & Claudia Shelander, h Ed Tillson
- 2 - RUSSELL'S SHOTS FIRED, IS
- 3 - JERICHO'S JESS A BLAZEN TYPHOON (D), by Bluewater Typhoon Time x Jerichos Jess Back in Black; o Candy Crum & Patrick Jacobs, h Wayne Down
- 4 - SUMMIT THE GRAND (D), by Twenty Grand Pete x Freckles Pretty Girl; o Kaitlin Hasler, h Jason Staley

### Open Derby (17S)

#### J: Heather Gast & Robert Myers

- 1 - TJ'S GREATEST JOY (B), by DC Shadow Attack x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o Joe Cummings & Scott Kohler, h Ed Tillson
- 2 - JERICHO'S JESS A BLAZEN TYPHOON (D), by Bluewater Typhoon Time x Jerichos Jess Back n Black; o Candy Crum & Patrick C. Jacob, h Wayne Down
- 3 - TRYST'N RED PEPPER (D), by DC Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper x DC/AFC Shadows Tequila Tryst; o Jessica Carlson, h Ed Tillson

- 4 - HIDEAWAY'S SHORT SKIRT (B), by FC/AFC Lighten up Luke x Wintuck Sayn Like it is; o Ben Garcia, h Ed Tillson

### Amateur Gun Dog (20S)

#### J: Leslie Like & Ken Barber

- 1 - ALDER'S SOPHIE BROOK (B), by DC Delane Speak of the Devil x FC/AFC High Hope's Little Ann; o/h Dan Campbell
- 2 - BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by CH Truegritz Briers Gift x Big Sky Brandy II; o Richard & Amanda Beaver, h Richard Beaver
- 3 - NAFC/FC WEST WEIM GET YOUR GUN MS OAKLEY (B), WEIM
- 4 - SANDMAN (D), by FC/AFC Jokers Jackpot x Patch o Tee; o/h Dave Lincoln

### Open Gun Dog (33S)

#### J: Leslie Like & A Jackson

- 1 - DUNFUR'S ALL IN (B), GSP
- 2 - DC/AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW (D), by Hula's Bullet Proof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II; o/h Richard Beaver
- 3 - ALDER'S SOPHIE BROOK (B), by DC Delane Speak Of The Devil x FC/AFC High Hopes Little Ann; o/h Dan Campbell
- 4 - DUNFUR'S HIGH DESERT HOYT (D), GSP

### Open Limited Gun Dog (32S)

#### J: Heather Gast & Adrian Jackson

- 1 - GFC/FC TRINITY'S HIGH PLANS DRIFTER (D), ES
- 2 - BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by CH Truegritz Brier's Gift x Big Sky Brandy II; o Richard & Amanda Beaver, h Richard Beaver
- 3 - FC RADBACH'S HIGH RANSOM, (D), GSP
- 4 - DUNFURS SCABROCK DOT (B), GSP

### Amateur All Age (21S)

#### J: Wayne Down & Tom Doherty

- 1 - FC DUNFUR'S BILLY VOLTAIRE (D), GSP
- 2 - TRUE GRIT'S HEY SAILOR (D), by Hula's Bullet Prof Rustler x Big Sky Brandy II; o Sandy Becker, h Richard Beaver
- 3 - FC STALEY'S ORANGE OUTLAW MR. COOPER (D), by Oberon's Fairy King x Titania Fairy Queen; o/h Daniel Campbell
- 4 - TEQUILA SCORCHER (D), by DC Almaden's River Of Shadows x DC/AFC Tequilla With A Twist; o Charles Crain, h Jessica Carlson

### Open All Age (17S)

#### J: Robert Myers & Steve Short

- 1 - KINWASHKLY TEMPO (D), by FC/AFC Trademarks Ice Man x DC/AFC Kinwashkly French Velour; o Leslie Andreas & Joyce Miley, h Ed Tillson
- 2 - CH BANDIT'S MR. TWISTER (D), by DC/AFC Bandits Cinderella Man x Tequilla Twister; o/h Victor Retherford

- 3 - FC STALEYS ORANGE OUTLAW MR. COOPER (D), by Oberon Fairy's King x Titania Fairy's Queen; o Dan Campbell, h Jason Staley
- 4 - FELTER'S REV'N LOBO, by Felter's Last Lobo x Midas' Little Rebel; o Dan Felter, h Jason Staley

## WHID ISLE and INLAND EMPIRE Sept. 12-14, 2015 and Sept. 15-17, 2015

The Whid Isle Brittany Club and the Inland Empire Brittany Club held their Fall 2015 field trials together again at the Goose Butte BLM Area near Ritzville, Washington. We had participants from Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana, and California with most people staying on the grounds to take the opportunity to compete in the three field trials (Washington B.C. was the following weekend) that were held there over a nine-day period. Our entries were larger than normal with approximately 120 starters in each field trial and this resulted in either four or five point majors for all adult stakes.

The fall weather was typical for the area with hot, dry conditions and lots and lots of dust! The scenting conditions were generally good and we had plenty of bird work so the judges had numerous dogs to choose from for placements. Special recognition goes to Quail Rock Too Tough owned by Ellen Weinfurter who won both the Open Gun Dog and the Amateur Gun Dog stakes (both 5 point majors) at the IEBC trial. Duke was handled by Paul Doiron in the OGD and by Phillip Emery in the AGD. Also, congratulations to amateur handlers Tom White, Joe Waitman, Vic Retherford, Patti Van De Coevering, and Team Palmer (Cal, Irene & Mike) whose dogs took multiple adult placements during the week!

We want to thank all of our judges for their attentiveness and perseverance, especially in the very large Gun Dog stakes at both field trials. They did a great job and their placements were well received. Additionally, we want to thank pros Paul & Peggy Doiron, Wayne Down, and Jason & Cortnee Staley 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 Trudy Richmond (who was FT Secretary and chef for both events), Scott Robertson, Margaret Horstmeyer, and Patti Hammett for their assistance in making these events successful. Everything went smoothly as usual, the food was fantastic and everyone had 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 work. We couldn't have done it without you!

We look forward to seeing everyone again in the Spring!

John Henderson  
WIBC & IEBC Field Trial Chairman

*Editors Note: This report was not received prior to the results of the Whid Isle and Inland Empire field trials in the November 2015 issue.*

## **CALIFORNIA Spanish Ranch New Cuyama, CA October 23-25, 2015**

The California Brittany Club held their fall field trial at the historic Spanish Ranch in New Cuyama, CA. Dan and Pam Doiron have once again graciously allowed the club to use their beautiful ranch for our trial. We run a single course up and down Kelly Canyon, through the oak trees and chaparral. The canyon sides range up to give the dogs the opportunity to show themselves on the hills. A road meanders up the canyon, so participants and visitors can ride the dog wagon and observe the action.

The ranch has a lovely cabana and kitchen that host the meals and gatherings... luxury for west coast field trials! This year all of the meals were catered by Ray Solander who served up delicious meals all through the event. Saturday night was the annual Happy Hour to celebrate our club's dogs. We celebrated FC AmFldCH Quail Rock Too Tough, owned by Ellen Weinfurter and FC Spice's Whiz Kid, owned by Jerry and Carolyn Cape. Both dogs are trained and handled by Paul and Peggy Doiron.

Judges Ellis Herz, Bill Landress, Joe Gower, Wayne Hale, Tom White, Ed Dixon and Joe Waitman spent long hours in the saddle to judge our dogs through the warm Indian summer days.

Ed Dixon, Paul Doiron, Dan Doiron, Bill Landress, Tom White, Joe Gower and Wayne Hale planted birds and drove the dog wagon. Dan Doiron's son, A.J. did an excellent job driving the dog wagon, as well.

Paul Doiron chaired another great trial, assisted ably by secretary, Myra-Dawn Ellis. Peggy Doiron was constantly in motion

keeping track of all of the details. It was a great trial, with great food and time together with good friends, old and new, and our wonderful Brittanyans.

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

#### **J: Joe Waitman & Ed Dixon**

- 1 - SPANISH CORRAL'S COOPER'S HAWK (D), by FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Stevix Bulletproof Annie; o Cary & Nancy Jellison, h Joe Gower
- 2 - SONNY'S HOT SUMMER BREEZE (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish corral's Sundance Kid x FC Blew By Yet?; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Doiron
- 3 - KNINE FINALE'S WAY TO GO (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Grand Finale x FC K Nine's on the Loose; o/h Linda McDonald
- 4 - COPELY'S PURSUIT OF LIBERTY (D), by GCH/CH Sheltanny's Against All Odds x CH Copley Wincrest Grand Theft Auto JH; o Carla Kleist, h Paul Doiron

### **Open Derby (8S)**

#### **J: Tom White & Ed Dixon**

- 1 - SR'S BLEW BY TYPHOON (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC/Blew By Yet?; o Daniel Doiron, h Paul Doiron
- 2 - ASPEN'S BOOTLEGGIN LOGAN (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Hideaway's Whisky Girl; o/h Phillip Emery
- 3 - JERICHO'S JESS A BLAZEN TYPHOON (D), by Bluewater Typoon Time x Jericho's Jess Back N Black; o Candy Crum & Patrick Jacobs, h Wayne Down
- 4 - CH CAMELOT'S LABYRINTH N ILLUSION MAGIE (B), by GCH/CH Magic Read My Lips x GCH/CH Illusion N Ginjac Like Ice At Labyrinth JH; o Jeri K. Conklin, h Jeri Conklin

### **Amateur Gun Dog (13S)**

#### **J: Joe Gower & Ellis Herz**

- 1 - FC QUAIL ROCK TOO TOUGH (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Wishful Thinking; o Ellen Weinfurter, h Phillip Emery
- 2 - FC KIGER HILLS LOUEE (D), by FC/AFC Cruz Control x Sidney Kiger Vonspeebles; o Ed & Linda Dixon, h Ed Dixon
- 3 - FCAFC CEDAR CREEK HAWKEYE (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o/h Joe Waitman
- 4 - DC/AFC IN IT FOR THE FUN MH (D), by CH RJ's River's Bend MH x Miss Fontenella Big Cheese MH; o/h Wayne Hale

### **Open Gun Dog (26S)**

#### **J: Joe Gower & Wayne Hale**

- 1 - FC QUAIL ROCK TOO TOUGH (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Wishful Thinking; o Ellen Weinfurter, h Paul Doiron
- 2 - KWK WINDSWEPT GUINEVERE OF CAMELOT JH (B), by Pake's Hunter x Windswept Rosebud; o Jeri Kay Conklin, h Paul Doiron
- 3 - TRELEY'S BLUEWATER WHITECAP (D), by FC Bluewater Shady Pete x Bluewater Coral; o Richard & Louise Vitallero, h Wayne Down
- 4 - FC SPICE'S WHIZ KID (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Mikey's Spice Girl; o Jerry & Carolyn Cape, h Paul Doiron

### **Open All Age (13S)**

#### **J: Ellis Herz & Bill Landress**

- 1 - NAFC/DC/AFC MTB CABO RITA DE SCIPIO (B), by DC/AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC/AFC T.J.'s Single Shot of Scipio; o Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White; o Tom White
- 2 - FC/AFC MTB CAN AM FORMULA FUN (B), by DC/AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x CH Kinwashkly Lucky Star; o Margaret Horstmeyer & Tom White, h Tom White
- 3 - FC K NINE'S ON THE LOOSE (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Maxwell's Blew By You II x K Nine's Guns & Roses; o Linda McDonald, h Paul Doiron
- 4 - FC MVP REDLINE'S HIGH OCTANE JH (D), by DC/AFC Redlines Tequila Smoker x FC Shiloh's Whoa Nellie MH; o Karen Nelsen, h Paul Doiron



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# TRAININ' DOGS

with Rick Smith

## SOCIALIZATION, NOT INDULGENCE

Have you ever noticed the way some dogs just seem to stay more focused on their job without getting distracted? While other dogs may be running around and checking everything out, these bird dogs are all business and looking for birds. What's the difference between the serious dog that does its job and the playful dog exploring everything? Factors such as genetics and training affect behavior, but the foundation of good training and a great dog is socialization.

A well-socialized dog has already seen enough of the world to be nonchalant about most things; less socialized dogs need to satisfy their curiosity about anything new or different before settling down and doing their job. It's not unlike turning an eight-year-old child loose in the toy section at Wal-Mart around Christmas: There are too many new things to look at, touch, check out, and play with; focusing on just one toy is not going to last more than a few seconds.

The less socialized dog's Wal-Mart is the woods and fields, and the toys are things like mice, rabbits, deer droppings, and mud puddles. The well-socialized dog, on the other hand, has been through the toy section so many times that it knows everything there by heart; and when it's turned loose, it ignores the stuff it doesn't want and goes straight for what it does want: birds.

Socialization is an ongoing process. A puppy needs a great deal of it to start with, from the time its eyes are open at the breeder's to after the new owner brings it home. The period

***Kids and dogs just go together, and it's a great way to socialize a puppy.***

from two weeks to four months or so is critical in a dog's development. The more activity, exposure, and variety it gets, the more confident and secure the pup will be. And the process is never really completed; it may tone down a bit, but a well-socialized dog will continue to be exposed to many things all through life. It's a mistake to stop adding experiences at any given age because you think the dog is too old to socialize.

A well socialized puppy is much easier to train. The dog's main has been constantly stimulated with new sights and sounds and smells, along with positive experiences. This gives a pup a sense of security and boldness, as well as more confidence, with make the dog learn more readily because it looks forward to new experiences. It is not fearful of different places or objects because it has learned to look at the world as one big adventure.

What does socialization include? Before we get too far into that, we'd like to point out that it's not something you do with pup a time or two and figure that's good enough. Repeated exposures to all sorts of things make a dog secure and confident around whatever situation you're working on.

Rick Smith has spent a lifetime breeding, training, and handling National Championship bird dogs. His highly popular training seminars teach the "Silent Command System" to dog owners world-wide. During hunting season, Rick can be found on the Mariposa Ranch in south Texas.

Sharon Potter has a strong background in animal behavior, and has been training both horses and dogs for many years, with several National titles to her credit. She is an avid hunter and archer, and in her spare time is working on the first of a series of books on bird dog training with Rick Smith.



Socialization includes but is not limited to riding in a vehicle; being in a crate; meeting and behaving around other dogs (best to wait until the full series of puppy vaccinations is complete before starting this one!), animals, and different people, including children of all ages; long walks in the woods and fields to explore; scenting birds and butterflies and grasshoppers, etc.; walking on a lead and being calm whenever someone pets it; being exposed to different kinds of livestock; and standing still to be handled and touched all over. A dog that has done all this on a regular basis from puppyhood on will be a confident, well-adjusted dog throughout its life.



Socialization is not about indulging a dog's bad behavior, however. Setting boundaries from the start is very effective in helping a puppy grow into a well-adjusted, confident adult. For example, when meeting people, allowing a puppy to jump up is not good socialization, while a puppy learning to stand quietly for petting is. Puppies want to be touched and petted, and they quickly learn stand still if that behavior earns them a person's touch. It's just as easy to allow the bad behavior, and then you've got a rude puppy with poor social skills.

What about an older dog that hasn't been handled or socialized? There will be more work involved with handling this type of dog due to the fact that patterns of fear or suspicion may have already been established. While patience and a calm handler can help an unsocialized dog, that dog will never reach the same confidence level it would have had it been given the right opportunities as a puppy. Those doesn't mean it won't be a good dog, but it has lost some of its potential, and that can never be regained.

We see far too many dogs that are raised in chainlink kennels, totally unsocialized, never seeing much of the world until it's time to hunt. These dogs are the ones that tend to run off when they're turned loose, cower when someone new approaches them, and are more likely to be aggressive around other dogs. They may have very little respect for or contact with their owners, and this can lead to poor manners. As a result, these dogs usually aren't very fun to be around, which in turn means they don't get to hunt much. Ultimately, the owner should accept responsibility for having created this mess, but the dogs are often the ones with the blame.

Even more than the kennel-raised dogs, we see dogs that are allowed to run the household and that have very little structure or boundaries imposed upon them. These dogs run the show, demanding attention and receiving it. They get what they want because they have their owners wrapped around their paws: They sleep where they want to on the owner's bed; push people aside in order to run through doorways; steal food from the kitchen counter; and hunt as they choose but do it for themselves rather than for their owners. These dogs are often more difficult to train because they already have a pretty good idea of how the human-canine relationship works – and it isn't with a human in charge.



***A belly rub can be a good thing, as long as it is offered by the human rather than demanded by the dog.***

These are the dogs that sulk and pout and complain when formal training starts; they want to debate every step you take in training and resist changing their behavior patterns. Once again, proper socialization would have helped a great deal.

Good socialization helps a dog absorb training better because it has learned that new things are fun. The dog looks forward to riding in a vehicle because an adventure is sure to happen and there will be exciting things to do. When the vehicle stops and the crate door is opened, the well-socialized and trained dog waits to be invited out and then looks forward to being with its owner, other dogs, and other people. This also leads to a more confident dog that will adapt to different terrain and cover much more readily – a big benefit if you're planning a trip to the Kansas plains and your dog is used to the Main grouse woods. While the unsocialized dog is tentative and wary, the confident and well-socialized dog will quickly figure out how to find birds in this new landscape. That in turn gives you better odds of getting shooting opportunities.

There is a first time for every experience, and the more first times your dog can have, the better dog it will be. Don't stop at just the first time – make a point of having a second time and a third time and a fiftieth time. Teach your dog good manners, set behavioral boundaries that allow your dog to be a productive pack member, and follow up on the basic social skills learned as a puppy by continuing to take your dog to new places and experience new things. We all want that one dog that gets you invited on hunting trips because it's a pleasure to be around and a good bird dog besides. Socialization will give you that brag dog.

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# None Held Back and Other Bird Dog Stories

## Part Five -Dusk

By Tom Word

Most days, Oscar would have begun his walk at nine; today he started earlier. It was the same walk he ade every morning, except Sundays and except the mornings years ago when he had been in Canada or away on the field-trial circuit.

The walk was a mile each way, over the lane connecting his house to the county road. Midway stood the mailbox, the motive for his walk. The walk was his greatest pleasure now. He did not mind the slow pace his years imposed, for it gave him time to take in al the walk offered to his senses, different in each season, different in color and smell, in light and shadow and sound.

On the porch he picked up his walking stick. Clutching the rail, he eased down the steps, bringing both feet together cautiously on each tread. Then he walked to the puppy lot and opened the gate.

The eight, four males, four females, white with liver about the head, raced through the opening, nipping one another's tails, bumping, rolling in the low grass. Passing their mother's kennel run, they stopped to sniff. He pushed the pus gently away with his stick and went in the run to check on her. Her udder had gone down nicely; no mastitis knots. He stroked her shoulder, spoke her name. She pushed against his hand, wanting to go out the gate, but when he said softly, "Get back," she entered her box and lay down, her head on her paws, and gazed out at her pups.

The pups were ten weeks old now; it was past time for them to go. Normally he would have advertised them at birth, and at seven weeks, delivered them to new owners. Somehow he could not bring himself to advertise this litter, until now. This was the reason for today's early departure to the mailbox. His shirt pocket held an envelope, stamped but unsealed, addressed to the American Field. It contained a classified ad, printed in his squiggly hand:

For Sale

Litter of Eight Pointer Pups

By Fast Delivery ex Oscar's Girl

Whelped 2/15/56

None Held Back

As he rounded the house and headed for the mailbox, the pups spread out before him, their tails flipping with each wobbly stride. It was too early to tell about their gaits, but the tails were good—set high, not too long, active. Their gaits should be good too, for no pointer in his memory carried himself so well as Fast Delivery, and his Girl moved light and fluid, like all her ancestors in the ten generations he had trained.

On each side of the lane stood ancient cedars, bare of limbs to head height, above that green, laden this year with clumps of

azure berries. His father had planted them. He treasured them for themselves, for the songbirds they sheltered and the bats that darted from their limbs at dusk in acrobatic pursuit of mosquitos.

Ditches drained the lane, dug by slaves his father had said. Sandy fields stretched from both sides of the lane to meet pinewoods, fields he'd watched erupt in green each spring for eighty years, in tobacco, wheat, oats, corn, clover, or, in the fallow years, ragweed.



Honeysuckle grew upon the ditch banks, soon to flower and yield his favorite smell. The neighbor who rented the fields wanted to poison the honeysuckle, but he forbade it. He insisted, too, on twenty-foot fallow strips around the fields as he had in all the years he farmed the place himself.

The pups struggled through the ragweed and lespedeza of the fallow strips. One made it to the ankle-high green of the wheat beyond and scampered along the edge. This brought a smile from Oscar; the edge-running instinct was as natural as breathing in the pointer put, bred right.

Ahead of all the pups scampered a female, smaller than the rest, a little liver flecking on her ears. She bounced along, then stopped suddenly; her tail stiffened; she raised her chin, her left front paw. She pounced, and a butterfly lifted; she whirled and watched it float away. The other pups were around her now, bounding through the wheat; a cloud of yellow rose—a colony of butterflies, taking wing from a muddy resting place.

Now a male pup, the largest, with a solid liver head, moved out ahead, then stopped abruptly; a field lark lifted; the pup barked and chased.

He called, and the eight scampered back to circle him, looking up into his eyes. He leaned on the head of his walking stick and talked to them as if they were children. When he walked on, they scurried off in all directions, then oriented themselves to his course and got ahead. He had taught them to stay to the front by taking them one at a time into the open field, turning as the put in its play changed direction, keeping the pup always in front of him. It was a simple lesson, easily taught, and yet so often neglected by those who bought his pups.

A blur crossed the lane and entered a box nailed to a cedar. A bluebird or a wren or a sparrow? He stopped opposite the box and waited; soon another blur left the box, and he made out a bluish tint; although his cataract-dimmed eyes missed the red of the breast beneath the blue winds.

Suddenly the pups were gathered in the lane before him, circling. A terrapin, unafraid, its neck outstretched. A pup put a paw

on its shell, and it drew its head inside. Another put its nose under the corner of the shell, flipped it on its back and barked with pride. He knelt stiffly, picked up the terrapin and carried it to the roadside so it would not be run over. The pups moved on.

He saw ahead a limb in the lane. The pups approached, and it moved; not a limb, a black snake. It slithered into the honeysuckle and was gone. The pups followed, but soon lost its scent. Half-way to the mailbox he paused to grasp a bamboo pole he kept leaning against a cedar, a handkerchief on four feet of string tied to its end. Stepping into the fallow edge, he called to the pups and cast the handkerchief. The little female saw it first and pointed. Then all eight were pointing the handkerchief or backing one another. The little female moved as if to catch the handkerchief, and he swung it away. She chased a few steps, locked up again, and the other pups followed suit.

He returned the pole to its resting place against the cedar and resumed his walk. Two blurs lifted from weeds beside the lane and flew across. He called the pups and waked them to the spot from which the blurs had lifted. They sniffed about under his feet, their tails whipping merrily. He crossed the lane, following the blurs' flight route. The pups ran before him. The little female reacted to the scent where the blurs had landed. Suddenly, a wounded quail flopped in front of her. She chased, and the other pups chased her; the quail rose and flew swiftly back across the lane. The old broken-wing trick; a mighty early hatch, or maybe she's just practicing, he thought.

Now the little female stalked something in the honeysuckle, lifting one front paw, holding it, putting it down, the lifting the other, her tail rigid, her nose outstretched. The other pups, attracted from across the lane eased up behind her. What could it be? Just as Oscar reached her side, a frog catapulted from beneath her nose and landed three feet ahead. She did not chase; watching it land, she crept up again, calm as a cat. Another hop, and the frog disappeared into a puddle in the ditch. She tilted her head puzzlement, wagged her tail, circled the puddle and struck out in search of her next amusement.

He returned to walk in the lane; the pups ran out and back like Yo-Yo's on strings, the little female and the big male always venturing farthest.

The big male stopped in the fallow edge; a little statute. Oscar poked his walking stick in the weeds before its nose, and out jumped a rabbit; the pup bounded after it, baring. Soon all eight were in pursuit across the green wheat; the rabbit escaped into the woods, and the pups returned to pay their respects, nipping at his trouser cuffs. Then once more they scattered ahead like bees in search of blossoms.

Finally he reached the mailbox. He did not place his envelope inside and trip the flag, as he had planned. Instead, he would wait until the carrier arrived, hand over his letter personally, and take back whatever mail the carrier might have for him—a letter from his daughter he hoped, junk mail more likely. He'd known the carrier, Bill Brogan, all the young man's life, watched him grow up on a farm three miles up the road. He'd introduced Bill to hunting and bird dogs, and Bill had worked for him part time through high school, gone to Canada with him two summers.

A couple of times a week, Bill brought his mail to the house. He suspected that his daughter had asked Bill to keep an eye on him. No matter, he was always glad to see Bill, catch up on all the goings-on in the neighborhood (like all rural mail carriers Bill was a ready source of news on game, livestock, crops, neighborhood feuds and romances).

He put up the mailbox flag to be sure Bill would stop, then walked back up the lane, calling the pups to him, counting to be sure none tarried near the county road. He took a seat on the sawed-off stump of a storm-downed cedar. The pups circled, nipped at his shoestrings, climbed into his lap. He stroked them, talking softly. Their round war bodies were silk to his gnarled hands. The little female jumped in his lap and licked his face. He lifted her for a careful inspection.

What shall we call you? (He made it a rule not to name pups

destined to leave the farm, but he was sure this pup would be a good one...if given half a chance. Yes, he would break his rule and name this one. If her buyer didn't like the name he could change it, but the lucky one who picked this pup would get her with a name.)

"Let's see...Ann...Bet...Bess...Dolly...Dot...Fly...Girl (he thought about this one a long time, for it was the pup's mother's name, and the mother carried the blood of all the great dogs of his long career) Joy...Judy...Joan...Joanne...Kit...Lady...Lou...Lil...Mary...Molly...Nan...Pat...Queen...Ruth...Sue...Sal." Each name evoked a memory.

He heard gravel under tires and turned on the stump to see the slowing white pickup. Bill Brogan saw him sitting on the stump, and walked toward him.

"Morning, Mr. Oscar. My, these pups are growin'!" The pups attacked Bill's shoelaces, and he knelt to pet them.

"Which on you like best?"

"I'm partial to this little female and the big male. I'm trying to think of a name for her."

Bill Scratched the little female behind the ears. She licked his hand, gazed unafraid into his eyes.

"Why don't you name her Tess," Bill Said.

The two men's eyes met. The old man's eyes began to moisten, but Bill did not look away. The old a blinked to clear his eyes before full tears could form.

"I never named on Tess. Afraid I'd slip up and yell 'shut up, Tess'—and then I'd be in big trouble." Tess was the name of Oscar's wife of sixty years, dead now as many days as the pups were old, for they had been whelped on the day she died.

"Got to get down the road now," Bill said. "When I finish the route, I'll stop back by if you can spare me a cup of coffee. You got outgoing mail for me—I saw you had the flag up, but there's nothing in the box?"

Oscar remembered the letter in his pocket. He hesitated.

"Yes...I'll give it to you when you come to the house."

"See you in an hour," Bill said as he walked back to his mail truck.

The old man called the pups and started back to the house. His pace was faster, his gait less feeble, or so it seemed to him. Soon the pups were secure in the lot, and he was in the kitchen, putting out the mugs, cream and sugar. Then he sat at the kitchen table, removed the envelope from his pocket, laboriously erased the last line from the ad, and changed "eight" to "six."

Bill entered through the back porch without knocking. As they sipped their coffee, the old man said,

"Take the big male pup home with you. His name's Oscar."

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Jan 9-12	ABC Illinois Brittany CI/Ch (OAA, AAA, OD) (Pyramid State Park, Pinckneyville, IL)				
Jan 12-17	Western Brittany Open All-Age Ch - Greater Phoenix (Las Cienegas Resource Area, Sonita, AZ)				
Jan 16-17	Mid-Florida(12-17)* Southeastern(14-17)*			Alamo(15) Texas Coastal(18-20)	Gr. Phoenix(12-17)
Jan 19-21	ABC Chukar Classic (Las Cienegas NCA, Sonoita, AZ) - Host: Grand Canyon				
Jan 18-19	ABC Futurity (Eastern Region) - Host club: Mid-Florida Field: Jan. 18, Perry Plantation, Gainesville, Florida Show: Jan. 19, Perry Plantation, Gainesville, Florida				
Jan 23-24		Georgia(23-27)**	LaSalle(w)	Ft. Worth(22)	Grand Canyon(22)
Jan 23-27	Southern Open Brittany Ch & Region III AAA Ch - Georgia (DiLane Plantation, Waynesboro, GA)				
Jan 28-31	Region 8 AAA Ch (Dub Emde Challenge) - Northern Oklahoma (Lake Murray FTA, Ardmore, OK)				
Jan 30-31			Gr. St. Louis(27-5)**	Cent. New Mexico(29) No. Oklahoma(28-31)	California(29)*
Feb 4-11	Texas Open Brittany Ch & Derby CI - Lone Star (Lake Murray FTA, Ardmore, OK)				
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Feb 13-14			So. Illinois(13-17)	Bluebonnet(13-17)** Neosho Valley*cx	
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Feb 20-21	Tidewater(19)		Illinois(18-21)	West Texas(18)	Cent. California
Feb 23-Mar 4	ABC Prairie State CI/Ch (GOLAA, GALAA, GOLGD, OD) (Sportsman's Assoc. Grounds, Grovespring, MO)				
Feb 27-28			Gr. St. Louis(w)	Sooner(26)	Golden Empire
Feb 29-Mar 6	US Open Brittany Ch & Victoire Nationale Derby Ch (Lake Murray FTA, Ardmore, OK)				
Mar 5-6		Music City	Heart of Illinois(w)		
Mar 12-13	Susquehanna(11) No. Virginia(15-16)	Buckeye	Iowa(w)	Skyline(10-13) Indian Nations(11)	
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Mar 26-27	S. New England	Kentucky*cx	LaSalle	Midwest(25)	No. California(25)
Mar 29-31	Region 2 Brittany Champagne Memorial Shooting Dog Ch/CI - North Jersey (English Setter Club, Medford, NJ)				
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