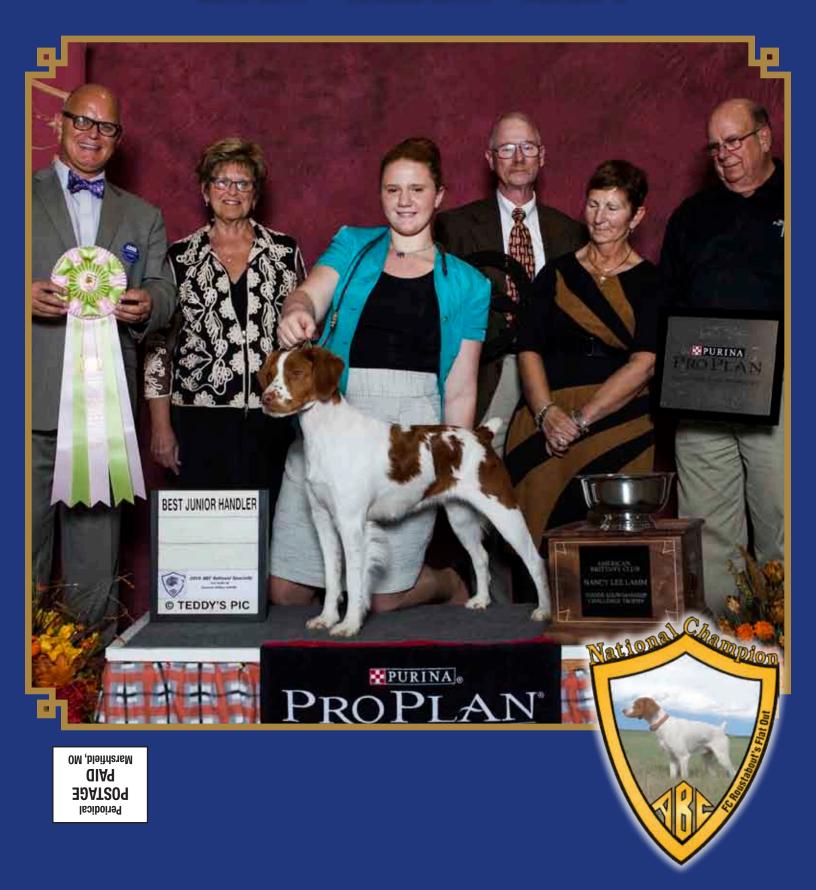


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**2017 EASTERN FURTURITY** 

March 24-25, 2017

The Kentucky Brittany Club endeavored to host the 2017 ABC Eastern Futurity, with the show held on the afternoon of Friday the 24th and the Field held on Saturday March 25th. The show was held at the Gold Star Kennel Facility in Cadiz, Ohio and the Field was run on the renowned grounds of the Mingo Sportsman's Club in Bloomingdale, Ohio. There was about a 20-minute distance between the two venues so it was easy to get to both places.

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The show ran very smoothly. Gold Star Kennel had the ring set up ready to go and there was plenty of grooming space for everyone to get ready. No one expected the temperature for the day to climb to nearly 75 degrees, but it was a lovely day for a dog show.

Judge Patricia Ann Flanagan took her time and gave each of the 33 exhibitors her full attention as she watched our breed from the center of the ring. Ms. Pat has been a long time professional handler in the Sporting Dog rings, is a well-known breeder of Golden Retrievers and Flat Coat Retrievers who flies under the flag of Traeloch Kennels. Although she was initially nervous about judging our Brittanys for the first time (and with such a nice respectable entry) she soon felt right at home as she set about finding the best dogs of the day. She was particular in her desire to find the dogs that physically met the written standard and exemplified the smooth, ground covering, effortless gait needed to do the job in the field. Ms. Pat made a point to make the trek back out to field trial grounds Saturday morning where she spent the day riding shotgun in the Polaris Ranger as she rode with Bill Haynes, our bird planter to learn all she could about our little dogs at work.

Friday night all enjoyed the hospitality of the Mingo Sportsman's Club as they prepared our banquet of BBQ steak and Chicken for us to enjoy. It was a full house and the meal was made complete by the presentation of the Camo Colored cake that celebrated our 2017 event. A huge thank you goes to this fine club for going above and beyond to make the participants of the ABC Eastern Futurity feel welcome during their stay in Ohio.

Thank you to Purina for once again generously sponsoring our event and to our field judges Chris Rider, Kent Patterson on the All Age Course and to Bill Monk and Justin Allen on the Gun Dog course for their time and attention to detail. Thank you to all of the Breeders and Participants for their support of this year's Eastern Region Futurity, we enjoyed hosting !!

Respectfully Submitted Brian Hendrickson, DVM Eastern Section Chairman

#### FUTURITY SHOW Judge: Ms. Patricia Ann Flanagan

#### **Junior Males**

1 - CH FUR STAR RENDEZVOUS WITH DESTINY, by GCH Premier's The Chosen One of Dream Hi x GCH Classics Cando Lady Isabelle RATN; o Charles R. & Deborah J. Walters, b Mary Wolnewitz

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- 2 IT'S 5 O'CLOCK SOMEWHERE, by GFC Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x FC/AFC Bark River Queen of Diamonds JH; o Rebecca Walters, b Jeffrey Stanton
- 3 STILLHUNTER'S BOILERMAKER, by DC/AFC Sgt's Smoky Mtn Moonshine x Stillhunter's When The Bell Stops; o/b Stephen Tubach & Sandra Sargent
- 4 HYBRITTIN'S COMEBACK KID; by CH Hybrittin's A Duie Pyle x GCH Hybrittin's After Midnight, o/b Art & Judy Cohen

#### **Intermediate Males**

- 1 HILL'S CATCH THE SPIRIT, by GCH Hill's Mid-night Express x Hill's Catch'n the Wind JH; o Elizabeth Smith, b Paul E. Hill & Dawn Hill
- 2 WILD MTN N LABYRINTH FOOTLOOSE AT TREASURE LAKE, by GCH Labyrinth N Illusion Slippery When Wet JH x Wild Mtn's Shake Ya Groove Thing; o Sarah Laux, b Helen Riggle & Karen Hanson
- 3 WILD MTN N LABYRINTH GOLDEN PRAIRIE DANCER, by GCH Labyrinth N Illusion Slippery When Wet JH x Wild Mtn's Shake Ya Groove Thing; o Michael Pinkosky & Helen Riggle, b Helen Riggle & Karen Hanson
- 4 CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW FLASHSTORM, by GCH Starlight Jumpin Jack Flash RN OA OAJ CGC x GCH Dogwood Hollow Little Surfer Girl; o/b Brooke Burlingame, Aaron Buringame Jr, Cheryl Mika, Geri Clements

#### Senior Males

- 1 WILD MTN ALL RISE, by FC Wild Mtn's All That x CH Wild Mtn's No Doubt; o Helen & Brian Riggle, b Helen Riggle & Frank Watters
- 2 CH STILLHUNTER'S RED SOLO CUP, by DC/AFC Sgt's Smoky Mtn Moonshine x Spring Hill's Paws-O-Glee; o Sandra Sargent & Stephen Tubach, b Suzan Lehosky & Joann Anders
- 3 BIRCH SPRING LH THUNDER CHIEF JH, by CH J&A's Magnificent Obsession of Acton JH x CH Birch Spring PC Lunar Eclipse JH; o/b Philip A. Thayer & Sherri C. Thayer

#### First Money Male CH FUR STAR RENDEZVOUS WITH DESTINY

#### Second Money Male WILD MTN ALL RISE

#### Third Money Male HILL'S CATCH THE SPIRIT

#### **Junior Females**

1 - CH HYBRITTIN'S FIFTH ELEMENT, by CH Hybrittin's A Duie Pyle x GCH Hybrittin's After Midnight, o/b Art & Judy Cohen



First Money Male FUR STAR RENDEZVOUS WITH DESTINY



Second Money Male WILD MTN ALL RISE

#### Intermediate Females

- DOGWOOD HOLLOW FLASHPOINT, by GCH Starlight Jumpin Jack Flash RN OA OAJ CGC x GCH Dogwood Hollow Little Surfer Girl; o Cheryl Mika, Geri Clements, Brooke Burlingame, b Brooke Burlingame, Aaron Buringame Jr, Cheryl Mika, Geri Clements
- 2 NMR LABYRINTH LATE NITE SUMMER SKYE, by GCH Labyrinth N Illusion Slippery When Wet JH x CH VEM Call Me Sassie Sue MH; o Vickie Manifold & Nickie Redick, b Karen Hanson & Nickie Redick
- 3 HILL'S A TOUCH OF CLASS, by GCH Hill's Mid-night Express x Hill's Catch'n the Wind JH; o/b Paul E. Hill & Dawn Hill
- 4 CH TURNING POINTS SHENANIGANS, by GCH/DC Masked Jack of Diamonds x CH Copley Wincrest Grand Theft Auto JH; o Julie Nelson, b Carol Forniciari

#### **Senior Females**

- 1 CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW I AM THE STORM, by CH Dogwood Hollow Legends of the Fall x GCH Dogwood Hollow Little Bit of Heaven; o Jennifer Burlingame, Aaron Burlingame, Jr., b Tim & Kathryn Durno, Geri Clements, Cheryl Mika
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#### First Money Female CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW I AM THE STORM

Second Money Female DOGWOOD HOLLOW FLASHPOINT



First Money Female DOGWOOD HOLLOW I AM THE STORM



Third Money Male HILL'S CATCH THE SPIRIT

#### Third Money Female NMR LABYRINTH LATE NITE SUMMER SKYE

Best in Futurity Show CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW I AM THE STORM

Best Opposite in Futurity Show CH FUR STAR RENDEZVOUS WITH DESTINY

#### Dual Award Winner WILD MTN ALL RISE



Second Money Female DOGWOOD HOLLOW FLASHPOINT



Third Money Female NMR LABYRINTH LATE NITE SUMMER SKYE

#### Futurity Field Gun Dog Stake

It was about 60 degrees and overcast as we gathered for the start of the 2017 eastern futurity gun dog competition on Saturday March 25. This was unseasonably warm for Ohio in late March and, as the temperature rose close to 70, it took its toll on some of the dogs' runs. Fortunately, there was cloud cover most of the day. Overall it was great weather for those of us in the saddle but not so much for the walking handlers and dogs.

Though much of the grounds of the Mingo Sportsman's Club are hills with many steep rises and cliffs, the course set up for the foot handled gun dog futurity was generally just slightly rolling and, although not an easy walk, it was comfortable for the average foot handler. The grounds were beautifully prepared with wide grassy strips, wood and brushy edges and plenty of likely places where birds could be found by dogs that hunted intelligently and reached forward and to the edges.

The judges for the stake were Justin Allen and Bill Monk. When I spoke with them about what they were looking for in their placing dogs they talked about a forward consistent pattern, style and kind handling. The first-place dog, Spring Hill's Auld Lang Syne "Happy" exhibited all of the qualities mentioned by the judges. She was always forward during her race, was handled quietly by Steve Tubach and had three stylish finds. Happy made a wide cast around the far edge as we made the turn and continued along that edge to her first find, at 15. She again took the right edge, climbing the hill for another classy move. She slowed a little as time expired but remained forward continuing to hunt and was rewarded with finds at 25 and 28.

The second-place dog, Spring Hill's Fancy Wheels "Mags", ran in the very last brace of the day. I think she first got the judges looking when she hit point ahead at the top of the hill at 7 and maintained her beautiful, intense point until her handler, John Bell, reached her and began to flush. Though John produced only feathers Mags was now on a mission and began to hunt diligently. When she hit again, stylishly at 16 she was rewarded with a bird. At 18 her bracemate put up a bird and the chase was on with Mags retrieving the bird to hand. She showed well forward as time was called.

The third placed dog, Ajax Hurricanes Bird Finding Machine "Radar" handled by his owner Rich Jarosinski demonstrated that his name is appropriate. Radar showed his maturity by honoring his bracemate's point and then stylishly holding point on all of his finds. He was always forward but at a generally moderate range and handled kindly and quietly.

Ayerie's Paladin of Auten "Pike", the fourth placing dog was away quickly and both he and his handler set a blistering pace for the entire 30 minutes. Pike was always forward and hunting and rewarded with finds at 8, 10, 17 & 22 but was a little indecisive around a couple of his birds.

#### THE RUNNING

Brace 1 – Stillhunter's Boilermaker "Jamie", h Steve Tubach/Hill's a Touch of Class, h Dawn Hill. Jamie showed all that he is a bird dog with 4 finds including a couple that he had to dig into the course to find. His enthusiasm for birds made him get behind at times. Lexi worked for the entire time but generally at short range and wasn't able to locate any birds for her efforts.

Brace 2 – Ajax Hurricanes Bird Finding Machine "Radar", h Rich Jarosinski/Labyrinth NMR Sunshine & Summertime@WildMtn, JH "Demi", h Helen Riggle. Radar's run is described above. Demi cruised around the course at a moderate range, working hard, but carded only a non-productive.

Brace 3 – Wild Mtn N Labyrinth Shut Up and Dance "Sophie", h Andrew Starcevic/Sigbrit's Contessa del Prado "Tessa", h Les Casselberry. Tessa was away quickly and had all watching as she flew around the course. She was glimpsed by the gallery standing well ahead and was credited for a find and chase by the judges but her handler was never close enough to fire. She made a beautiful cast along the edge at the turn and continued to run hard. As time was running out she hit point ahead but her handler wasn't able to produce a bird. Sophie hunted in front of her handler for the entire brace and executed a perfect back on Tessa's non-productive at the end. She did not locate a bird.

Brace 4 – Spring Hill's Auld Lang Syne "Happy", h Steve Tubach/Woodland's High Anticipation At Stardust "Secret", h Karen Schramm. Happy's first place run is described above. Secret ran hard and had solid finds at 14 & 18 making this an enjoyable brace to watch. She had some trouble staying forward.

Brace 5 – Wild Mtn's Dark Legend "Newt", h Brian Riggle/J & A's Birch Spring Breaking New Ground, JH, h John Short. This was a pleasant brace to watch with both dogs working easily ahead of their handlers. It appeared that both would go birdless but the action got started in the last 5 minutes as they had a divided find at 25 with Newt displaying outstanding style and then backing Toph's find at 26 which was on feathers.

As it got closer to noon, the temperature rose and the sun peeked out of the clouds occasionally causing the conditions to effect some of the performances. It was hard to believe that 2 days before there was frost on the ground in the morning and temps were in the teens!

Brace 6 - It's 5 O'Clock Somewhere "Cooper", h Rebecca Walters/Boudreaux's Rebellious Little Pistol "Belle", h John Kozlowski. These two had a little trouble getting started but at 8 Belle had a non-productive which put a more spring in her stride. Cooper carded a striking find at 24 which reminded him why he was on the course and had him digging in and hunting wider and harder. Time was called with no additional bird contact.

Brace 7 – NMR labyrinth Late Nite Summer Skye "Skye", h Ed Manifold/Remchester's Taking Chances **"Chance", h Richard Edwards.** Both dogs were off quickly and diving into the course. Sadly for dog and owner/handler Chance went birdless and the heat took a toll toward the end of his run. Skye was found on point at 5 by her scout and then shot forward to another point at 8 where no bird was produced. She had us all tall in our saddles until we made the turn but then the heat would claim her as well.

Brace 8 – Wild Mtn N Labyrinth Golden Prairie Dancer "Yankee", h Helen Riggle/Ayerie's Paladin of Auten "Pike", h Raymond McVeigh. Pike's performance is described above. Yankee got off to a great start and had bird contact at 8 with a big chase. Both he and his handler had difficulty keeping pace with the hard driving Pike and he was leashed early.

Brace 9 – CH Stillhunter's Red Solo Cup "Brew", h Sandy Sargent/Sid's Wingman "Geno", h Steve Lauterbach. Brew showed he was hunting with stylish finds at 8 and 22 but seemed to be bothered by the heat and worked generally at close range. Sid was completely the opposite! He was away quickly and out of sight, checking in for a brief moment and then off again to be spotted as a dot on the far line. Sid was never seen to have bird contact and was leashed early by Steve when it was obvious that he was in the wrong stake.

Brace 10 – Cimarron Trails Accolade "Kate", h Richard Johnson/Rustys Rush To Flush "Rusty", h Troy Hoverter. Rusty hunted the course diligently and came in and pointed with Kate at 10. Kate then took off and made a wide sweep around the edge to a find at 19. After flushing her bird she chased deep into the course and resisted coming forward. She pointed again at 26 with no bird produced. Rusty scored another find at about 20 as I was behind with the other dog.

This reporter had to miss this brace due to another commitment. Thanks to Niki Redick for filling in in my absence.



#### **EASTERN FUTURITY GUN DOG WINNERS**

Back row: Steve Tubach, Judge Justin Allen, Ed Lehosky, Judge Bill Monk, John Bell, Jane Jarosinski, Front: Sandy Sargent, Sue Lehosky with Spring Hill's Auld Lang Syne, Joanne Bell with Spring Hill's Fancy Wheels, Richard Jarosinski with Ajax Hurricanes Bird Finding Machine, Raymond McVeigh with Ayerie's Paladin of Auten Brace 11 – Auten's Woodland Sage "Sage", h Ron Auten/ Birch Spring LH Thunder Chief, JH "Tyson", h Philip Thayer. Much like her brother Pike, who was the fourth placed dog, Sage dug into the course with determination and hit all the objectives maintaining her strong run throughout the brace. Sadly, she only scored a non- productive at 9 for all her efforts. Tyson worked the course at a close to moderate pace and was unable to locate any birds as well.

Brace 12 – Birch Spring LH Ziva Be Mine, JH "Ziva", h Philip Thayer/Spring Hill's Fancy Wheels "Mags", h John Bell – Mags run is described above. Ziva worked in tandem with Mags for a while and put up a bird at 18 that was chased by both dogs. After the turn she began to slow her pace and was leashed early by her handler.

#### Gun Dog Futurity (24S)

#### Judges: Bill Monk, Justin Allen

- 1 SPRING HILL'S AULD LANG SYNE, by DC/AFC Sgt's Smoky Mtn Moonshine x Spring Hill's Paws-O-Glee; o Suzan & Edward Lehosky, h Steve Tubach
- 2 SPRING HILL'S FANCY WHEELS, by NAGDC/FC/AFC Spring Hill's Hot Wheels x FC/AFC High Hopes Fly'n Fancy Free; o Suzan & Edward Lehosky & John & JoAnne Bell, h John Bell
- 3 AJAX HURRICANES BIRD FINDING MACHINE, by Ajax Jaros Josey Wales, SH x CH Hurricane Little Feat; o Richard & Jane Jarosinski, h Richard Jarosinski
- 4 AYERIE'S PALADIN OF AUTEN, by DC/NGDC/AFC High Hopes Dark Nite x CH Autens Super Nova of Grousehaven; o Raymond & Kimberlee McVeigh, h Raymond McVeigh

#### All Age Stake Reported by Lisa Pollock & Helen Riggle

Brace 1 CH Turning Points Shenanigans (Shandi) - Claypool and Wild Mtn All Rise (Honor)-Riggle. Both dogs broke away eagerly casting forward with gusto. While Honor (Touch)- Mc Gee /Bye. Touch ran alone. "Touch" broke from the far end and broke off the left hillside. When he was summoned to the front he quickly showed and cast down the right side of the hill for all to see. He worked his way back up the hill and had a find at 5. He showed great style and manners as the designated flusher worked the bird and fired. He was sent forward again and made the turn down to the pond. He hunted the feed strips well as we headed toward the black hole. As we crossed toward the pond, Touch had another stellar find. Sent on, he finished the brace at a moderate range.

**Brace 3: Diamond Hill Traveling Doc (Doc)-Pollock and Wild Mtn Rough Cut (Rocky) -Newhouse.** Both dogs broke strongly to the right side. Halfway up the hill Rocky showed and crossed in front of the handlers. Doc was pointed out heading for the cat tail pond before the road. As we crossed the road both dogs dropped off the right edge and were making game. Both pointed but no birds were produced. Doc cut loose and headed up the hill toward the power towers. Rocky went left around the hill. Doc came down from the second tower and headed over the hill to the front of the course. Rocky continued on course at a moderate range while Doc was out of pocket until we reached the pond. Doc was gathered as he tried to forge his own course to the west. Both dogs were turned back toward the east and ended with good stamina, but no birds.

#### All Age Futurity (5S)

#### Judges: Chris Rider & Kent Patterson

- 1 CH TURNING POINTS SHENANIGANS, by GCH/DC Masked Jack of Diamonds x CH Copley Wincrest Grand Theft Auto JH; o Julie Nelson, h Julie Nelson
- 2 DIAMOND HILL TRAVELING DOC, by FC Sam-Dee's Traveler x DC Mikey's Spice Girl; o Lisa & Paul Pollock
- 3 WILD MTN ALL RISE, by FC Wild Mtn's All That x CH Wild Mtn's No Doubt; o Helen & Brian Riggle, h Brian Riggle
- RU-JEM'S GRAND TOUCH BOURBON, by GFC Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x FC/AFC Bark River Queen of Diamonds JH; o Jerry McGee, h Jerry McGee

maintained a forward race with moderate range, Shandi looped wide, finding birds that were too far out of sight to be in actual judgement. After her shenanigans in the thick of the cat tails, she was hacked back into handle and then both dogs would be credited with individual finds on the farther edge of the pond. Both dogs finished their brace going away strong.

Brace 2: Ru-Jem's Grand Touch Bourbon



EASTERN FUTURITY ALL AGE WINNERS Back row: Mark Claypool, Judge Chris Rider, and Paul Pollock Front: Julie Nelson with Turning Points Shenanigans, Lisa Pollock with Diamond Hill Traveling Doc, Brian Riggle with Wild Mtn All Rise, and Rebecca Walters with Ru-Jem's Grand Touch Bourbon



# Specialty Shows



#### NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND Acton, MA March 18, 2017

PRO PLAN

#### 1st Show SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Dr. Joan Eversole

#### 9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 BIRCH SPRING DARK SIDE OF THE MOON, o Philip A. & Sherri C. Thayer, Jr.
- 2 TONAN-RAO JUST BECAUSE IT'S CLEAR CUT, o Patricia & Craig Johnston & Nancy Morabito

#### 12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 TRIUMPHANT'S FIREFLY WHITE RUSSIAN, o Linda McCartney-Roy & Leslie A. Stalker
- 2 MAPLE BROOK'S THE FLYING DUTCHMAN, o Kimberly Gustenhoven & Peggy Augiar

#### 12 -18 Month Junior Bitches

1 - MAPLE BROOK'S HIDDEN TREASURE CGC, o Peggy Aguiar

#### Best in Sweepstakes TRIUMPHANT'S FIREFLY WHITE RUSSIAN

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes MAPLE BROOK'S HIDDEN TREASURE CGC

#### **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

Judge: Dr. Joan Eversole

#### 7-9 Year Veteran Bitches

1 - GCHB TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUTE EVEL JH CGC, o Peggy Aguiar

#### Best in Veteran Sweepstakes GCHB TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUTE EVEL JH CGC

#### REGULAR CLASSES Judge: Ms. Olga K. Evelyn

#### 9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 TONAN-RAO JUST BECAUSE IT'S CLEAR CUT, by CH Bent Oak's Just Because JH x CH Magicbrit-Tonan Moonlight Sonata; o Patricia & Craig Johnston & Nancy Morabito, b Nancy & Anthony Morabito & Becky Rao
- BIRCH SPRING DARK SIDE OF THE MOON, by CH J&A's Magnificent Obsession Of Acton JH x CH Birch Spring PC Lunar Eclipse; o Philip A. & Sherri C. Thayer, Jr., h Philip A. Thayer, Jr. & Benjamin R. Thayer

#### 12-18 Month Junior Dogs

1 - TRIUMPHANT'S FIREFLY WHITE RUSSIAN, by CH Triumphant's Absolutely GQ JH x Kabina's Double Shot Of Expresso; o Linda McCartney-Roy & Leslie A. Stalker, b L. & G. Stalker Downing & N. Crandall

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2 - MAPLE BROOK'S THE LFYING DUTCHMAN, by DC/AFC Ginjac's Heatin It Up x GCH Triumphant's Absolute Evel JH; o Kimberly Gustenhoven & Peggy Aguiar, b Peggy Aguiar

#### **Bred-By-Exhibitor Dogs**

1 - J&A'S HEART OF SEUMAS JH, by CH J&A's High Caliber Harris Special SH x GCH J&A;s Sisters Of The Heart JH; o/b Julie Harris & John Short

#### **Open Dogs**

- 1 SIGBRIT'S TRIED AND TRUE, by GCH Labyrinth N Illusion Slippery When Wet x Kinwashkly Ginjac FT Barbie JH; o Helen & Simon Marchesseault, b Jeffrey A. Currier & Bobbie L. Sigmund
- 2 TRIUMPHANT'S RAISE YOUR GLASS, by DC/GCH Triumphant's Absolut' On Ice x GCH Dual Lane's Absolutely Dual Oaks; o Linda McCartney-Roy x C. Robinson & D. Harrison
- 3 HILL'S CATCH THE SPIRIT, by GCH Hill's Mid-Night Express x Hill's Catch'n The Wind JH; o Elizabeth Smith, b Paul & Dawn Hill
- J&A'S HIGH CALIBER SHAMROCK SPECIAL JH, by CH J&A's High Caliber Harris Special SH x GCH J&A's Sisters Of The Heart JH; o Roger & Marilyn Gilman, b Julie M. Harris & Ann H. Short

#### Winners Dog TONAN-RAO JUST BECAUSE ITS CLEAR CUT

#### Reserve Winners Dog SIGBRIT'S TRIED AND TRUE

#### **Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches**

- 1 MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE POWER OF PERSUASION, by CH Hope's Autumn Sno-Storm x CH Magicbrit Lotties Dream; o Nancy & Anthony Morabito & Douglas Tighe & Peter Marsh, b Nancy & Anthony Morabito & Douglas Tighe & Peter Marsh
- 2 MAPLE BROOK'S HIDDEN TRESURE CGC, by DC/AFC Ginjac's Heatin It Up x GCHB Triumphant's Absolute Evel JH CGC; o/b Peggy Aguiar

#### **Open Bitches**

- 1 HOPE'S IF NOT NOW, WHEN?, by GCH Tonan-Magicbrit In The Leather x CH Hope's I Can't Drive 55; o Cynthia Short & Michael McGuire, b Douglas Tighe
- 2 GET A BIRD'S A LIL SOUTHERN COMFORT, by GCH Tonan-Hope's R U Kiddin' Me x GCH Hope's Get A Bird "Leap Of Faith" JH; o Karen Thomas, b Laurie & Matthew O'Donnell

- 3 HILL'S A TOUCH OF CLASS, by GCH Hill's Mid-Night Express x Hill's catch 'N The Wind JH; o/b Paul E. & Dawn S. Hill
- 4 DOGWOOD HOLLOW SUNSHINE FROM ABOVE, by CH Dogwood Hollow Legends Of The Fall x CH Dogwood Hollow A Little Bit Of Heaven; o Karen Loring & Kathryn Durno, b Timothy & Kathryn Durno & Geri Clements & Cheryl Mika

#### Winners Bitch MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE POWER OF PERSUASION

Reserve Winners Bitch HOPE'S IF NOT NOW, WHEN?

Best of Breed

GCH/CH HOPE'S EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT UD, by GCH Tonan-Hope's RU Kiddin' Me x CH Triumphant's More Than A Memory; o Nancy Hewitt & Douglas Tighe, b Douglas & Kim Tighe

#### Best of Opposite Sex

CH SWIFT RIVER'S GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY, by CH Tonan-Greylock Defying Gravity x Swift Rivers The Great Escape; o Joyce Golden, b David & Francis Philips

> Best of Winners MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE POWER OF PERSUASION

Select Dog GCHP/CH TRIUMPHAT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS

Select Bitch GCHS/CH WINDFALLS I PUT U UNDER MY LUV SPELL

Owner-Handled Best of Breed GCHB/CH MAPLE BROOK'S GREAT BALLS OF FIRE JHA CGC

Awards of Merit TONAN-RAO JUST BECAUSE IT'S CLEAR CUT CH HORIZON'S PRINCE CHARMING GCHB/CH MAPLE BROOK'S GREAT BALLS OF FIRE JHA CGC

## 2nd Show

SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Mr. Jeffrey Langevin

#### 9-12 Month Puppy dogs

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- 1 MAPLE BROOK'S THE FLYING DUTCHMAN, o Kimberly Gustenhoven & Peggy Aguiar
- 2 TRIUMPHANT'S FIREFLY WHITE RUSSIAN, o Linda McCartney-Roy & Leslie A. Stalker

#### 12-18 Month Junior Bitches

1 - MAPLE BROOK'S HIDDEN TREASURE, o Peggy Aguiar

#### Best in Sweepstakes MAPLE BROOK'S THE FLYING DUTCHMAN

#### Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes MAPLE BROOK'S HIDDEN TREASURE

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Judge: Mr. Jeffrey Langevin

#### 7-9 Year Veteran Bitches

1 - GCHB TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUTE EVEL JHCGC, o Peggy Aguiar

#### Best in Veteran Sweepstakes GCHB TRIUMPHANTS ABSOLUTE EVEL JH

#### REGULAR CLASSES

Judge: Ms. Marla J. Doheny

#### 6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - KENDER MILLSTONE IT HAD TO BE YOU, by GCBG MACH2 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RE MXG MJC MXF T2B2 x CH Horizon's Finding Neverland; o Linda Taylor Knight & M. Nancy Cooney, b Jason P. Scholten

#### 9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - BIRCH SPRING DARK SIDE OF THE MOON, by CH J&A's Magnificent Obsession Of Acton JH x CH Birch Spring PC Lunar Eclipse JH; o Philip A. & Sherri C. Thayer, Jr., b Philip A. Thayer, Jr. & Benjamin R. Thayer

#### 12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 MAPLE BROOK'S THE FLYING DUTCHMAN, by DC/AFC Ginjac's Heatin It Up x GCH Triumphant's Absolute Evel JH; o Kimberly Gustenhoven & Peggy Aguiar, b Peggy Aguiar
- 2 TRIUMPHANT'S FIREFLY WHITE RUSSIAN, by CH Triumphants Absolutely GQ JH x Kabina's Double Shot Of Expresso; o Linda McCartney-Roy & Leslie A. Stalker, b L. & G. Stalker Downing & N. Crandall

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Dogs

1 - J&A'S HEART OF SEUMAS JH, by CH J&A's High Caliber Harris Special SH x GCH J&A's Sisters Of The Heart JH; o/b Julie Harris & John Short

#### **Open Dogs**

- 1 HILL'S CATCH THE SPIRIT, by GCH Hill's Mid-Night Express x Hill's Catch'n The Wind JH; o Elizabeth Smith, b Paul & Dawn Hill
- 2 J&A'S HIGH CALIBER SHAMROCK SPECIAL JH, by CH J&A's High Caliber Harris Special SH x GCH J&A's Sisters Of The Heart JH; o Roger & Marilyn Gilman, b Julie M. Harris & Ann H. Short
- 3 SHADY BROOK'S A STAR IS BORN CGC, by GCH/DC Triumphant's Asolut' On Ice x GCH Shady Brook's Wish Upon A Star; o Dona Campbell, b Joan Bevers
- 4 TRIUMPHANT'S RAISE YOUR GLASS, by DC/GCH Triumphant's Absolut' On Ice x GCH Dual Lane's Absolutely Dual Oaks; o Linda McCartney-Roy, b C. Robinson & D. Harrison

#### Winners Dog HILL'S CATCH THE SPIRIT

#### Reserve Winners Dog KENDER MILLSTONE IT HAD TO BE YOU

#### **Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches**

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#### **Open Bitches**

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- 2 DOGWOOD HOLLOW SUNSHINE FROM ABOVE, by CH Dogwood Hollow Legends Of The Fall x CH Dogwood Hollow A Little Bit Of Heaven; o Karen Loring & Kathryn Durno, b Timothy & Kathryn Durno & Geri Clements & Cheryl Mika
- 3 BIRCH SPRING LH ZIVA BE MINE JH, by CH J&A's Magnificent Obsession Of Acton JH x CH Birch Spring PC Lunar Eclispe JH; o Philip A & Sherri C. Thayer, Jr., b Philip A. Thayer, Jr. & Benjamin Thayer
- 4 TRIUMPHANT STRAIGHT UP @ BLACKDIAMOND, by GCH/DC Triumphant's Absolut' On Ice x CH Triumphant's Hot Too Molly; o Lorrie Blockler, b Linda McCartney-Roy

#### Winners Bitch HILL'S A TOUCH OF CLASS

#### Reserve Winners Bitch DOGWOOD HOLLOW SUNSHINE FROM ABOVE

#### **Best of Breed**

GCH/CH HOPE'S EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT UD, by GCH Tonan-Hope's RU Kiddin' Me x CH Triumphant's More Than A Memory; o Nancy Hewitt & Douglas Tighe, b Douglas & Kim Tighe

#### **Best of Opposite Sex**

GCHS/CH WINDFALLS I PUT U UNDER MY LUV SPELL, by CH Kiana's Windfall All Fired Up x Windfall's In D'Nic Of Time; o Jacqui & Ben Campbell, b Carla L. Cavaco

> Best of Winners HILL'S CATCH THE SPIRIT

Select Dog GCHP/CH TRIUMPHANT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS

> Select Bitch CH SIPPEWISSETT'S STELLA CRUISE

Owner-Handled Best of Breed GCHB MAPLE BROOK'S GREAT BALLS OF FIRE JHA CGC

#### Awards of Merit GCH/CH HILL'S MID-NIGHT EXPRESS MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE POWER OF PERSUASION GCHB/CH MAPLE BROOK'S GREAT BALLS OF FIRE JHA CGC

#### SWEEPSTAKES

#### Judge: Mr. Bob Burchett

#### 6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 CIMMARON'S PRAIRIE FIRE HIGH PLAINS DRIFTER, o Roger A. Ricker
- 2 TNT'S COUNTRY ROAD RUNNER, o Tom Thomas

#### 9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 MAGNUM BIRCH SPRING FLY ME TO THE MOON, o Lisen McCoy & Lyla True
- 2 KOUNTRY BOY'S MR. BIG, o Kevin Stonehouse

#### 12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY SPEED, o Joe & Dawn Droel & Jessica Carlson
- 2 SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY DISCIPLE, o Dawn & Joe Droel
- 3 HYBRITTEN'S COMEBACK KID, o Art & Judy Cohen
- 4 IT'S 5 O'CLOCK SOMEWHERE, o Rebecca Walters

#### 9-12 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 NORTHERN STAR'S GUNPOWDER & LACE, o Lisa & Brad Hedstrom
- 2 DIAMOND HILL SARADAC'S TANQUERAY, o Darlene Dow
- 3 DR JAC'S ANNA B ROSE TESSA RAE O'DEE, o Jackie & Hannah Swanson & Greg Massoglia

#### 12-18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 OVER UNDER'S KICK IT OUT, o Eileen Gust
- 2 FIREFLY'S CHOCOLATE CHAITINI, o Leslie Ann & Gregory Stalker & N. Crandall & L. McCartney-Roy

#### Best in Sweepstakes SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY SPEED

#### Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes OVER UNDER'S KICK IT OUT

#### VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES J: M. Bob Burchett

10 Year and Older Veteran Dogs

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

#### Best in Veteran Sweepstakes CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY SH

#### **REGULAR CLASSES**

J: Ms. Mareth Kipp

#### 6-9 Month Puppy Dogs

 CIMMARON'S PRAIRIE FIRE HIGH PLAINS DRIFTER, by CH Ridona-Kobrae Radio Flyer CD RE JH x GCH/CH Cimmaron's Bourbon Street Charlee; o Roger A. Ricker, b Christine Ward-Weber 2 - TNT'S COUNTRY ROAD RUNNER, by Country Road's Firecracker x CH TNT's Gal Pal; o/b Tommy Thomas

#### 9-12 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 MAGNUM BIRCH SPRING FLY ME TO THE MOON, by CH J & A's Magnificent Obsession of Acton JH x CH Birch Spring Lunar Eclipse JH; o Lisen McCoy & Lyla True, b Philip A. Thayer, Jr. & Benjamin R. Thayer
- 2 KOUNTRY BOY'S MR. BIG, by AFC Boney Bud x Kountry Boy's Tumbleweed; o Kevin Stonehouse, b Lisa Stonehouse & Alison Evans

#### 12-18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 ITS 5 0'CLOCK SOMEWHERE, by GCH/FC Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x FC/AFC Bark River Queen of Diamonds JH; o Rebecca Walters, b Jeff Stanton
- 2 TRIUMPHANT'S FIREFLY WHITE RUSSIAN, by CH Triumphant's Absolutely G.Q. JH x Kabina's Double Shot of Expresso; o Linda McCartney-Roy & Leslie Ann Stalker

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

- 1 SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY DISCIPLE, by GCHS Sovereign's Chasing Legends x GCHS Trio's Sovereign Alleluia JH; o/b Dawn & Joe Droel
- 2 SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY SPEED, by GCHS Sovereign's Chasing Legends x CH Tequila's Red Corvette JH; o Joe & Dawn Droel & Jessica Carlson, b Dawn Droel & Jessica Carlson
- 3 AUTUMNGLOW THAT OLD BLACK MAGIC, by CH Autumn Glow Right Man For The Job x CH Labyrinth Tiny Bubbles; o Maurya Ord, b Maurya Ord & Karen Hanson
- 4 WILD MTN N LABYRINTH GOLDEN PRAIRIE DANCER, by GCHS/CH Labyrinth N Illusion Slippery When Wet JH x Wild Mtn's Shake Ya Grove Thing; o Michael Pinosky, Jr. & Helen Riggle, b Helen Riggle & Karen Hanson

#### **Open Dogs**

- 1 CONFETTI'S CASTING SHADOWS AT BANTAM, by CH Bantam's Bravo Duffy SH x CH Jozan's Casting A Spell; o/b Diana Peterson
- 2 STARLIGHT'S CALLISTO MOON, by NFC/FC/AFC Roustabout's Flat Out x GCH Starlight Lola Borealis; o Teresa Richmond & Alida Swat, b Luane Tondola & Mike Cypser
- 3 TRIUMPHANT'S I'M A BELIEVER, by CH Triumphant's Absolutely G.Q. JH x GCH Triumphant's Centerfold JH; o/b Linda McCartney-Roy & Kristyn E. McCartney
- 4 SOVEREIGN'S CU LATER COPPER, by GCH/CH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x CH Tequila's Red Corvette JH; o Doug & Christine Ziegler, b Jessica Carlson & Dawn Droel

#### Winners Dog SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY DISCIPLE

#### Reserve Winners Dog MAGNUM BIRCH SPRING FLY ME TO THE MOON

#### 9-12 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - NORTHERN STAR'S GUNPOWDER & LACE, by GCH/CH Bantam's Spittin' Image JH x Northern Star's Diamonds & Lace; o/b Lisa & Brad Hedstrom

- 2 DIAMOND HILL SARADAC'S TANQUERAY, by CH Saradac's Micro Blast x Diamond Hill Work Hard Play Harder; o Darlene Dow, b Lisa & Paul Pollock
- 3 DR JAC'S ANNA B ROSE TESSA RAE O'DEE, by CH Dr Jac's Redneck Rampage O'Dee JH x Anna B Rose Silver Dollar Queen; o Jackie & Hannah Swanson & Greg Massoglia, b Greg & Tate & Debbie & Robert Massoglia
- 4 STELLAR FIFTY ONE, by NAFC/DCAFC Renegade's Kansas Kid x AFC Kid's Little Ann; o Barry & Petra Steinmetz, b Bruce Heiter

#### **Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches**

- 1 AUTUMNGLOW XX'S AND 00'S, by CH Autumn Glow Right Man For The Job x CH Labyrinth Tiny Bubbles; o Maurya Ord, b Maurya Ord & Karen Hanson
- 2 OVER UNDER'S KICK IT OUT, by FC Legacy's Bandit x CH Over Under's Killin' Time JH; o/b Eileen Gust
- 3 FIREFLY'S CHOCOLATE CHAITINI, by CH Triumphant's Absolutely GQ JH x Kabina's Double Shot Expresso; o Leslie Ann & Gregory Stalker & N. Crandall & L. McCartney-Roy, b Leslie Ann & Gregory Stalker & N. Crandall & D. Downing

#### **Open Bitches**

- 1 POWDER RIVER'S BOILING POINT, by DCH Sunnyvale Point of Interest x GCH Powder River's Angel's Wings; o Linda McCartney-Roy & Cheryl Krajar, b Cheryl Krajar
- 2 SKF MISS CHEAP BOURBON WHISKEY, by FC/AFC Firestarter's Crossed The Line x SKF Little Miss Beretta JH; o Steven & Kelly Foster & Herbert Rea, b Steven Foster
- 3 FC CRESCENT CITY GIRL, by DC/NAGDC/AFC Clydes Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Petra & Barry Steinmetz, b Teresa Richmond
- 4 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

#### Winners Bitch POWDER RIVER'S BOILING POINT

#### Reserve Winners Bitch SKF MISS CHEAP BOURBON WHISKEY

#### NON REGULAR CLASSES J: Ms. Mareth Kipp

#### **Field Trial Dogs**

- 1 GCH WILD MTN'S STORM WARNING, by DC Wild Mtn's Shake Ya Tailfeather x CH Wild Mtn's Lil Piece of My Heart; o Helen Riggle & Andre Coulombe, b Helen Riggle & Jessica Arent
- 2 GCH/DC/AFC DIAMOND HILL DANGEROUS MAN, by NAFC/ DC/AFC TM's Tennessee Twister; o Lisa & Paul Pollock, b Lisa Pollock & M. Brooke Caviness
- 3 GCH/DC RICOCHET GUNSMOKE MR DILLON, by DC Ricochet Hemi Baracuda JH x Sunshine On My Shoulder; o Mickey & Judy Condron, b Carole Krohn

#### **Field Trial Bitches**

1 - GFC/GCH/DC/AFC TNT'S RAISE 'N A RUCKUS, by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x Bourbon's Lucky Penny MH; o Tom Thomas b Doug Seickmeyer  2 - CH WINDTUCK MILLETTE DORA EXPLORER, by GCH Milletts's On Target x Windtuck's Full of Grace; o Leslee Jane Masolotte & Michelle Millette, b Phillip Roland Steiner

#### **Veteran Dogs**

1 - CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY SH, byCH Bantam's Shadow Image x Two Rivers White Smoke; o Diane & Bruce Hedstrom, b Heidi Heap Chester



Best of Breed MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE LIGHTING THIEF

#### **Best of Breed**

GCH/CH MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE LIGHTING THIEF, by CH Hope's Autumn Sno Storm x CH Magicbrit Lottie's Dream; o R. Patrick & Joy Crisler, b Nancy & Tony Morabito & Doug Tighe & Peter Marsh

Best of Opposite Sex CH TURNING POINTS SHENANIGANS, by GCH/DC Masked Jack of Diamonds x CH Copley Wincrest Grand Theft Auto JH o Julie Nelson, b Carol Forniciari

> Best of Winners POWDER RIVER'S BOILING POINT

Select Dog GCH/CH RIVER MIST BROXDEN SOVEREIGN MVP

Select Bitch CH TRIUMPHANT'S ABSOLUTELY STIRRED UP

Awards of Merit GCH/CH TRIUMPHANT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS JH CH BANTAM'S BRAVO DUFFY SH

Best Owner-Handler GCH/CH MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE LIGHTING THIEF

> Best Bred-by-Exhibitor SOVEREIGNS LEGENDARY DISCIPLE

#### Best Puppy NORTHERN STAR'S GUNPOWER & LACE

#### JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP J: Ms. Mareth Kipp

#### **Open Intermediate**

1 - HANNAH SWANSON, with Dr Jac's True Grits Miss O'Dee, by True Grits Jesse James x True Grits O'Dee Destinee; o Jackie Swanson, b Tana Kradolfter

> Best Junior Handler HANNAH SWANSON



## Versatile Brittanys in Action

By Carla Simon



#### **Overfacing - Recognizing Overwhelming Stress and Impossible Challenges**



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Have you ever been jostled by a black Friday crowd trying to get inside the store, where overexcited adults aren't thinking straight? Or maybe you've been so nervous about speaking in public that you couldn't focus? At one agility competition, the judge was counting down the time my dog needed to stay in position on the table, and I was eliminated for cuing my dog to move on before the count was finished. Spectators made me feel nervous and running pumped up my adrenaline so high I couldn't even count. When I was that overwhelmed, what was it like for my dog? Stress can impair focus, perceptions and skills, for both humans and canines.

#### What is Overfacing?

Overfacing is a related phenomenon, which occurs when human gives the dog a challenge that far surpasses his abilities. For example, if a dog doesn't understand how to perform each agility obstacle in practice, then competing without rewards on 20 pieces of unfamiliar equipment at a park he's never seen before may be an impossible challenge. As shown in the photos, overfaced dogs may look confused, uncomfortable, or shut down. Some dogs "stress up", acting so high they zoom around off leash at full speed, ignoring their handlers. Some dogs simply quit or try to leave.

While some dogs only lack a required skill, many dogs are overfaced by overwhelming stress in distracting new environments. For example, just because your dog weaves at home doesn't mean he can weave after days travelling to a high-profile competition in a new place with unfamiliar equipment. While he was comfortable weaving at home, all of a sudden, he's faced with a loud, busy, distracting new barn with hundreds of strangers, barking dogs, and strange looking weaves. He'll probably be over aroused, and maybe even overwhelmed, unable to think or perform at optimum levels, unless you've gradually increased proficiency and distractions, generalizing to numerous environments.

### **Recognizing Canine Stress**

So how do you recognize when your dog is overfaced? Begin by noticing signs that your dog is stressed. When your dog is stressed, it's better to address the stress level before you offer complicated challenges. Common signs of stress in dogs include:

- Increased rate of breathing (more than 30 breaths/minute)
- Displacement behaviors e.g. licking unrelated to grooming, scratching when not itchy, yawning when not tired
- Avoidance, hiding, freezing, lying down to show belly
- Lifting a front paw (unrelated to pointing birds)
- Refusing rewards
- Failure to acknowledge handler
- Failure to respond to learned cues
- Decreased performance (once physical problems are ruled out)

#### **Rapid Breathing**

One of the best indicators of canine stress and discomfort in new environments is changes of breathing rate. Count the dog's chest movements for 10 seconds, then multiply by 6 to get the breaths per minute. When resting, the average takes about 24 breaths per minute. So, dogs with more than 30-40 breaths/minute are probably displaying a physiological reaction to stress (or illness).

I recently visited a service dog trainer in California training her puppy for public access, by bringing the pup on public transit. While the dog's breathing rate was 20 breaths/minute in her car, it doubled to 40 at the airport. She moved further away and allowed the dog some time to get used to the new environment. Within 10 minutes, his breathing rate returned to normal, she praised and went for a run at their favorite beach.

#### Acclimatization to the Environment

A surefire way to identify stress is to go to a new environment, do nothing and say nothing, and time the delay before your dog acknowledges you. The longer the delay before acknowledging you, the more distracted the dog is in that environment.

When taking your dog to a new venue, arrive as early as you can. Take time to walk around so your dog can get used to the sights, sounds, and smells. When you are calm, your dog is more likely to be calm. Do not rush. Wait to enter the building until your dog is ready. If your dog is stressed, move away from distractors as far as necessary to get comfortable. Your dog may need multiple trips to visit that environment before you can enter. Similarly, once you get inside, the dog may be comfortable with you at his side, with his crate covered, as far away from competing dogs as possible. Avoid setting up at ringside if your dog is obviously stressed, barking uncontrollably, panting or trying to leave. Adjust the difficulty until your dog can succeed. Once your dog is comfortable in the environment, warmup by asking the dog to perform an easy behavior or trick he enjoys. Then ask for one appropriate challenge. Stop when your dog succeeds in an environment that's difficult to him, and praise for overcoming a difficult challenge.

#### Failure to Take Treats

Whenever you're asking yourself "why isn't my dog doing what he should?", think instead how you can be more rewarding. If the dog is over aroused, but falls short of being overwhelmed, you may be able to save the performance by offering higher value food rewards. If your dog usually works for dry dog food at home, you may need roast beef to succeed in competition. Having said that, if the dog is truly overwhelmed, he may not take any food at all.

Every nosework class, we begin with a taste test before we start training. If a dog takes the food reward, we can proceed to training. But if the dog can't focus and does not take the food, we need to find a higher value reward that will motivate that dog on that day in that environment. If we can't find a suitable reward, we can try later again in the same class, when he's had a chance to get used to his environment. Some dogs need to observe multiple classes before they're comfortable, and some reactive dogs might learn better at private lessons than in distracting group classes.

### Take Your Skills on the Road

In agility, rally, barn hunt, nosework, or whatever the dogsport, if you're unprepared for the environmental stress and distractions, you won't really get the chance to show off your skills. Instead of being surprised and failing in distracting competitive conditions, it's better to prepare by strategically failing more at home. Once you've taught a skill and the dog is performing it confidently, ask for that skill in every room of the house. Next, ask for it in your yard, during the quietist time of day. Don't teach anything new, and relax your expectations so you can reward small successes. Then gradually increase the difficulty. Next try training on your sidewalk or in the alley behind your house. And finally, go to a nearby park at a busy time of day to practice.

#### Microchallenges

You may be surprised how much you need to break down skills into microchallenges in order for the dog to succeed. For example, some agility dogs are unable to perform obstacles if crumpled pieces of paper are on the floor. Others may find it challenging to ignore a plastic bag tied to a stick, moving in the wind. Experiment to learn your dog's zone of comfort and gradually expand it as appropriate. If you're having trouble, get help from an experienced trainer who's demonstrated success with dogs similar to yours.

In summary, avoid overfacing your dog by expecting new behaviors in novel environments where the dog is demonstrating rapid breathing, refusing treats, and signs of stress. In addition to training dogsports skills, take the time to ensure your dog is comfortable in novel environments with increasing distractions. Also, when your dog isn't doing what he should, consider how you can be more rewarding. When you manage your dog's stress, you're more likely to build confidence and have fun showing off your skills.



## Southern Open Brittany Shooting Dog Classic

The Southern Showdown

By Charles K. Cantrell, DVM







Front Row, L-R: Kyle Merrill with Waypoint Chancey Big White Cooper, Ben Lorensen with Piney Run Lily, Kent Patterson with Thomas Dixie Back Row, L-R: Kent Cantrell, Beth Brown, judge, and Rick Smith, judge

The third renewal of the Southern Open Brittany Shooting Dog Classic commenced on February 1, 2017 at Larron and Laura Copeland's beautiful Showtime Plantation in Bronwood, GA. Larron Copeland is an avid field trial competitor in the all age venue and we are grateful that he opens his grounds to allow us to run a guality Brittany shooting dog stake. The grounds consist of three one hour courses that include piney woods along with large fields. For a dog to look good on these grounds it must stretch out and make some distant casts while staving in connection with its handler, while at the same time seeking out wild and pre-released quail. It is becoming more difficult to find grounds that provide a true test of a dog's natural ability to find wild birds as the grounds at Showtime Plantation. Along with thanking Larron and Laura Copeland, we would also like to extend our thanks to their son Colt for marshalling and dog wagon driver Easton Oliver. They tripped to town early every morning so the participants would have hot biscuits and sausage after the first brace, a new addition to this trial that was much appreciated. A big applause to Greg Blair with Purina for organizing the shipment of Pro Plan dog food for the winners at such short notice and dealing with the lack of proficiency in planning by the field trial chairman/reporter. Purina continues to be a huge supporter of our sport and we should reciprocate by feeding their product as they are on the forefront of nutritional research. Lunches for the trial were provided by Wavne's

restaurant, located in Dawson, GA, with exceptional southern cooking.

We were delighted and honored to have two very experienced judges in Rick Smith and Beth Brown, DVM. Rick Smith is a well-known dog trainer, in the past was active in field trialing brittanys, and now enjoys teaching training techniques in his seminars throughout the Country. Many of us have used training techniques developed by Rick and his father, Delmar Smith. Rick came to our trial immediately after instructing a retrieving seminar with mostly Labradors. Beth is an active competitor from South Florida with pointer all age and shooting dogs with many notable placements that include championships. She is an active member of the Associated Field Trial Clubs of Florida that holds field trials at the Cecil Webb Management Area in Punta Gorda, FL. Petie Brown, Beth's sister, joined Beth on the trip and the two of them made an awesome dinner the third night of the trial. Although from different segments of the bird dog world, the two judges got along great and were very attentive during the entire running.

#### The Running:

The winner of this even was Waypoint Chancey Big White Cooper, owned by Vic and Joyce Williams and handled by Kyle Merrill. Big White, and brace mate Stuart (Pollack), were released on course three in the afternoon. Big White disappeared to the front and was seen running the left edge of the first big field into the planted pines. He was then gathered and handled nicely thru the pines, across the road and to the Lindsey pond. From the Lindsey pond he handled the next two fields in fine shooting dog fashion, running the edges with rapid ground speed. His first and only find was at 20 in a thick fence row, to the front in between two fields, with the birds pinned in a thicket. He stood with a high head and tail set and had impeccable manners while Merrill flushed. His ground speed and range stayed consistent throughout the hour with a strong finish at the end blazing thru the last field and into the planted pines, like adding ice cream to your already favorite chocolate cake dessert. Stuart ran a moderate shooting dog race, with unfortunately no bird work, and was picked up at 56.

The second-place dog was Piney Run Lilly (Lorenson), owned by Martha Greenlee, ran on course one along with Runnin On Faith (Cantrell). This was the first afternoon course and on this day the temperature was hot – approaching 80 degrees. The dogs were launched and Lilly immediately took off flying like she meant business. Lilly is a mostly white, very athletic female that seemed to handle the heat just fine. When entering the first large field on course one, Lilly was seen ripping the edge on the far side shooting toward the planted pines. She was gathered and sent across the next field streaming down the fence line heading toward the woods. At 15 she was found standing on point by scout Kyle Merrill and Lorenson proceeded to flush a nice covey. She stood with nice style on her game and manners were flawless. She was found standing again at 30 but no game was produced. She continued to run a strong shooting dog race while using up more course than any other dog on course one. Faith ran a moderate shooting dog race and could not produce game.

In third position was a heavily ticked orange and white female, Thomas's Dixie (Lorenson), owned by Ken Cherry and braced with Lucy (Blondin). Dixie is another athletic female that ran hard, just did not have quite the range of the first two placed dogs. She ran on course three with a fast and consistently forward pace. Her only find was at 13 by the Lindsey pond in a thicket that made flushing for Lorenson difficult. Her style on point was high and pleasing to the eye and she finished the hour with a nice cast at the end. Lucy was pleasing to watch on the ground and stayed down to finish her bid with no bird work.

The directors of the Southern Open Brittany Championship series extend their appreciation to the participants that supported this event. Every year we see some new faces that contribute to the success and enjoyment of this shooting dog classic. We hope to see you and more new faces next year; after all, where's a better place to run dogs in February than the piney woods of South Georgia.

#### Southern Open Brittany Open Limited Gun Dog Classic Grand Open Limited Gun Dog 1hr(31S) J: Rick Smith & Beth Brown

1 - WAYPOINT CHANCEY BIG WHITE COOPER (D), by DB Coooper x Waypoint Chance's Jesse; o Joyce Roberts & Vic Williams, h Kyle Merrill

2 - NGDC PINEY RUN LILY (B), by NFC/FC Piney Run Art x Maxwell's Southern Hospitality; o Martha H. Greenlee, h Ben Lorenson

3 - THOMAS DIXIE (B), by Mr Hires x FC Star's Dixie Pearl; o J. Thomas, h Ben Lorenson

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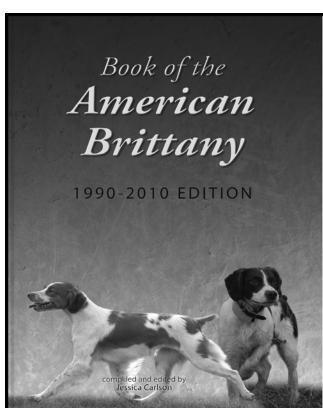
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# 2017 American Brittany Club Chukar Classic/Championship





L to R (Back Row): Dan Campbell, T.W. "Nick" Besenick (Judge), Willie J Stevens, Jr. (Judge), Peggy Doiron Jan & Claude Kilpatrick – L to R (Front Row): Jason Staley with FC Staley's Orange Outlaw Mr. Cooper; Joe Gower with NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid; Paul Doiron with FC Rusty Ridge Where U Been; Layne Peterson with Janee's I'll Make You Famous.

The 2017 American Brittany Club Chukar Classic/ Championship was held February 2-3, 2017 at Camp H, California City, CA. The Classic/Championship was hosted by the California Brittany Club.

No event can be successful without our sponsors, Purina Dog Food and Garmin Tri-Tronics. Purina's support with large bags of Pro Plan Sport was greatly appreciated by all. The Garmin GSP Collar was not received in time for the event, however, it is being sent to the winner as we write.

Many thanks to our judges for this year's event – T.W. "Nick" Besenick from Sonoita, Arizona and Willie J Steven, Jr. from Sparks, Nevada. Both were happy to escape their cold/wintery weather for our beautiful high desert warmer temperatures, albeit, we could have done without all the wind. Both Nick and Willie were in the saddle at day break and after a long day, stopped before sun down, having to finish the next day.

Volunteers – without our volunteers, this event never could have been successful. The course was laid out with the help of Tom White. Kurt Conklin, Ed Moody, Arlette Hennessey & Steve Crabb kept the course planted with chukar. Arlette also was responsible for the brace by brace reporting below. Many thanks to Deborah Frane for the beautiful etched glassware we used as gifts, the Echavarrias for getting it safely to Camp H, and David Ford for his photographs. dog named 2017 American Brittany Club Chukar Classic/ Championship was FC STALEY'S ORANGE OUTLAW MR. COOPER ("Cooper"). "Cooper" is a male, owned by Dan Campbell and handled by Jason Staley. "Cooper" ran in the 4th brace on Thursday morning (February 2). Dan scouted "Cooper" and was present to receive the trophies and ribbons. The Runner-Up Champion was a male, NAFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID ("Sonny"), owned by Joe Gower and handled by Paul Doiron. "Sonny" ran in brace 7 on Friday morning (February 3).

The third place was awarded to FC RUSTY RIDGE WHERE U BEEN ("Been"), owned by Claude and Jan Kilpatrick, handled by Paul Doiron. "Been" ran in brace 5 on Thursday. Fourth place was awarded to JANEE'S I'LL MAKE YOU FAMOUS ("Kid"), owned by Layne Peterson and handled by Jason Staley. "Kid" ran in brace 8 on Friday morning.

We began the Chukar Classic/Championship on time 7:30 am Thursday. The temperature was a chilly 32 degrees. The afternoon temperatures rose to the 50s. We had a slight overcast both days with a few minutes of sprinkles on Friday. We had plenty of chukar on course.

#### The Championship Running:

BRACE 1: SR'S BLEW BY TYPHOON (TY) – DOIRON and SHADY'S BLUEWATER REPETE (REPETE) – DOWN. Ty was

We had sixteen dogs entered. The Champion

out of pocket at 3 minutes. Repete made his own course and his handler elected to pick up at 10 minutes.

BRACE 2: DC MIKEY'S SPICE GIRL (SPICE) – DOIRON and MAGIC CARPET RIDE (MAVERICK) – HALE. Spice was picked up at 10 minutes and Maverick was lost at breakaway.

BRACE 3: FC MAXWELL'S PRICKLY PETE (PETEY) – DOIRON and DC/AFC MTB SCIPIO'S HOT SHOT OF WHIZKI (CALI) – WHITE. Both dogs had nice breakaway. Petey had a find at 26 minutes with good style on point. Cali had a nonproductive at 13 minutes and went back on point at the top of the ridge with a find at 40 minutes. Cali exhibited excellent style on all her points. Both dogs shared a divided find at 38 minutes and Cali finished with a nice point at 58 minutes.

BRACE 4: FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SONNY PATCH (PATCH) – DOIRON and FC STALEY'S ORANGE OUTLAW MR. COOPER (COOPER) – STALEY. Patch had a find at 50 minutes after a powerful run. Cooper was in and out of sight after a fast breakaway and found standing with a stylish point out at the end of one of the ridges with a limb find (A limb find is when a dog has made a cast a long way on a ridge or some type of objective which pulls them to look and then is found on a bird) at 45 minutes. Cooper was relocated as the bird had run by the time handler and judge could make it up the ridge. At 54 minutes Cooper was found again pointing with nice style. Judge Besenick commented that both handler and dog worked as a team (as if in a 'waltz') and Cooper had a powerful and consistent run throughout the brace.

**BRACE 5: FC RUSTY RIDGE WHERE U BEEN (BEEN)** – **DOIRON and HIGH LONESOME SAGE (SAGE)** – **HAMMETT**. Been had a find at 46 minutes exhibiting excellent style – a promising young dog. Sage went on his first bird at 35 minutes, moved on flush and was picked up.

BRACE 6: BLEW ME AWAY (BUD) – DOIRON and TRELEY'S BLUEWATER WHITE CAP (CAP) – DOWN. Both dogs were off and away. Bud picked up at 18 minutes, Cap picked up at 20 minutes.

BRACE 7: NAFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (SONNY) – DOIRON and FC ALDER'S SPOHIE BROOK (SOPHIE) – STALEY. Sonny was found on point at 20 minutes. At 40 minutes both dogs had a divided find, both exhibiting excellent style. At 52 minutes Sonny had a nice find. Sonny exhibited an excellent running style with high nose and tail. Sophie had another point at 55 minutes and went out of sight and pocket soon after.

BRACE 8: JANEE'S I'LL MAKE YOU FAMOUS (KID) – STALEY and HIDEAWAY'S GHOST RIDER (RIDER) – HALE. Both dogs started off the line, Rider to the left, Kid to the right. Rider was seen to be standing soon after up a draw. Before the handler and judge could get to him, he and the chukar came out of the draw together. Kid had a find at 30 minutes and was relocated up the hill – all in order with a successful flush. Kid pointed again at 40 minutes and 42 minutes, exhibiting excellent style both times. Kid had a 2 chukar point at 52 minutes and a stop to flush at 55 minutes.

#### 2017 ABC Chukar Classic/Championship Open Limited All-Age 1hr (16S)

#### J: T.W. "Nick" Besenick & Willie J Stevens, Jr.

1 - FC STALEY'S ORANGE OUTLAW MR. COOPER (D), by Oberon Fairy's King x Titania's Fairy Queen; o D Campbell, h Jason Staley

2 - NAFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (D), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC/AFC Stevix Bulletproof Jill; o Joe Gower, h Paul Doiron

3 - FC RUSTY RIDGE WHERE U BEEN (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Blew By Yet?; o Claude & Jan Kilpatrick, h Paul Doiron

4 - JANEE'S I'LL MAKE YOU FAMOUS (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Maxwell's Blew By You II x Decan's Uncontained Blaze; o Layne & Diane Peterson, h Jason Staley

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## HUNT TESTS

OZARK Joplin, MO March 25-26, 2017

March 25, 2017 Junior Hunter (7S) J: Barbara Chapman & Stephen Buford No Brittany Qualifiers

Senior Hunter (3S) J: Barbara Chapman & Stephen Buford No Brittany Qualifiers

Master Hunter (5S) J: Barbara Chapman & Stephen Buford No Brittany Qualifiers

March 26, 2017 Junior Hunter (8S) J: Mark Smith & Stephen Buford No Brittany Qualifiers

Senior Hunter (3S) J: Mark Smith & Stephen Buford No Brittany Qualifiers

Master Hunter (5S) J: Mark Smith & Stephen Buford

> IOWA Van Polen Farms Oskaloosa, IA April 1-2, 2017

April 1, 2017 Junior Hunter (17S) J: Kendall Brown & Ken Loth DAN DE DIAMOND LIL, o Mark Waeker GINGERSNAP ON FIRE, o Laura Leonard PBF'S TURN-N-BACK PAGES OF TIME, o Mary Garr

Senior Hunter (9S) J: Kendall Brown & Ken Loth CH AMMO'S HIGH TIDE, o Angela Thompson

Master Hunter (9S) J: Kendall Brown & Ken Loth GRACIE HITES MISSISSIPPI, o Randy Meester

April 2, 2017 Junior Hunter (12S) J: Ken Loth & Gene Larsen GINGERSNAP ON FIRE, o Laura Leonard

Senior Hunter (8S) J: Ken Loth & Gene Larsen BLAZIN SHADOW'S BAMA JAMA JH, o Roger Stowell

Master Hunter (10S) J: Ken Loth & Gene Larsen No Brittany Qualifiers NORTHERN VIRGINIA Dillwyn, VA April 1-2, 2017

April 1, 2017 AM Test Junior Hunter (8S) J: Ross Adams & Melissa Siegmund No Brittany Qualifiers

Senior Hunter (6S) J: Mick Vollmer & Melissa Siegmund No Brittany Qualifiers

Master Hunter (13S) J: Pat Hudson & Melissa Thomas No Brittany Qualifiers

PM Test Junior Hunter (6S) J: Mick Vollmer & Melissa Siegmund No Brittany Qualifiers

Senior Hunter (6S) J: Pat Hudson & Ross Adams No Brittany Qualifiers

Master Hunter (12S) J: Melissa Thomas & Ross Adams No Brittany Qualifiers

April 2, 2017 AM Test Junior Hunter (10S) J: Joe Petroski & Mick Vollmer BRB RKJ JIMMMY'S ALREADI MADE HIS POINT, o Jill & Richard Wilkinson CARLY'S ALREADI MAX-E MUM UPLAND, o J. & R. Wilkihson & Gina Currier MAXWELL "BLAX" BLACKMON, o Phyllis Conley

Senior Hunter (8S) J: Ross Adams & Melissa Siegmund

Master Hunter (15S) J: Melissa Thomas & Tom Thosp No Brittany Qualifers

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Senior Hunter (6S) J: Melissa Thomas & Melissa Siegmund GRANMARS-N-KSTAR CAN DREW; O Kathy Shannon

Master Hunter (10S) J: Tom Thorp & Melissa Siegmund CANIPAT HAPPY BELLE DE KSTAR, o Kathy Shannon BRIGADIER'S TRIUMPHNAT UNDER FIRE, o Mike Lee & Susan Markley

Schedule of Points for AKC Showing Effective: May 17, 2017 For complete Conformation Championship requirements see Chapter 16 of the *Rules Applying to Dog Shows* 

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## Action at AKC

June 2017 by Jeri K Conklin

#### **AKC Results for March 2017**

#### **DUAL CHAMPION**

DC AFC TNT'S BLAZING SHOSHONI SHAKE N' BAKE (D) by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x CH Country Road's Hunkydory, o Tommy Thomas, b Tommy Thomas

#### CHAMPION - bred by exhibitor

- CH BRB PHEE-B'S MAGIC POINT (B) by GCH CH BRB RKJ JIMMY'S ALL READI MADE HIS POINT x CH Ginjac The Magic Touch, o Mrs. Jill R Wilkinson & Mr. Richard Kenneth Wilkinson & Ms. Gina Currier, b Jill Wilkinson & Gina Currier & Richard Wilkinson & Autumn Burkholder
- CH CLASSIC'S CAN DO HI DILEMMA (B) by GCHB CH Premier's The Chosen One Of Dream Hi x GCH CH Classics Can Do Lady Isabelle RATO, o Mary Wolnewitz, b Mary Wolnewitz

#### CHAMPION

CH CALIAH CASCADAS DE LA PRINCESS LEIA OF ALDERAN (B) by DC Copley's Red River x CH Shiloh's Babbling Brook JH, o Rick Herrera & Hillary A Herrera & Olivia Herrera, b Mary Brown & Shellie Sytsma

- CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW SERENITY'S FLASH THE STARS AND BARS (D) by GCHP CH Star Flight Jumpin Jack Flash RN AX AXJ CGC x GCHB CH Dogwood Hollow Little Surfer Girl, o William Scanlon, b Geri O Clements & Cheryl Mika & Jennifer Burlingame & Aaron Burlingame Jr.
- CH FYREBYRD'S DRAFT NIGHT SURPRISE (D) by GCHS CH Sunquest Star Vue's Special Edition x CH Willowick N Zaffres Settin Fire To The Reign, o Robyn Taliaferro, b Kellie L Miller & Sara Taylor
- CH GERSTDALE'S CAPITAL GAINS BN JH (D) by CH Copley's Gunnery Sergeant JH x GCH CH Gerstdale's Take The Money N'Run JH, o Harriet V Tucker & Debbie Inferrera, b Debbie Inferrera
- CH GET A DIRTY BIRD'S SISTERS OF THE HEART (B) by GCH CH Tonan-Hope's R U Kiddin' Me x GCH CH Hope's Get A Bird Leap Of Faith" JH NA NAJ NF",
- o Nan G Crites & Rick Crites & Erin Bolin, b Laurie O'Donnell & Matthew O'Donnell
- CH KEILI'S BLUE SAPPHIRE HOT RUSH MAVERICK (D) by GCHG CH MACH2 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXC MJB2 MXF T2B2 x CH Credit's My Heart Skips A Beat, o Cathie R Graham, b Patricia Rosado & E Susan Drazek & Elizabeth Cruz
- CH KINWASHKLY KING LOUIE (D) by FC Mvp Redline's High Octane JH x Kinwashkly Brightest Star, o Diane Vater & Chuck Cooper, b Leslie A Andreas
- CH KSTAR SPEAK DE COTTON CANDY JH (B) by DC Delane Speak Of The Devil x CH Canipat Happy Belle De K Star SH, o Mary Kathy Shannon, b Mary Kathy Shannon
- CH MÁGICBRIT TONAN HOPE POWER OF PERSUASION (B) by CH Hopes Autumn Sno Storm x CH Magicbrit Lotties Dream, o Nancy Morabito & Douglas Tighe & Peter Marsh & Anthony Morabito, b Nancy Morabito & Douglas Tighe & Peter Marsh & Anthony Morabito

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#### **GRAND CHAMPION**

GCH CH COUNTRY ROAD'S IT'S ALL ABOUT ME (B) by DC Country Road's Boilermaker x Vem's Close Call Jasmine SH, o Elaine Bartlett, b Sheila Becker & Brent Becker

GCH CH GO NORTH MEGADETH (B) by DC Lost Creek Timber Ridge x CH Wyngold's Formal Colors, o Judy Brown & Elaine Bartlett, b Elaine Bartlett

GCH CH KEILI'S GOLDSTAR KIR ROYALE CD BN RAE JH AX AXJ XF (B) by GCHG CH MACH2 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXC MJB2 MXF T2B2 x CH Swift River's Believe I Can PCD BN RAE2 JH NA NAJ OAP OJP NF OFP CA, o E Susan Drazek, b Patricia John & E Susan Drazek

GCH CH MAGICBRIT TONAN HOPE LIGHTING THIEF (D) by CH Hopes Autumn Sno Storm x CH Magicbrit Lotties Dream, o R Patrick Crisler & Joy Crisler, b Nancy Morabito & Douglas Tighe & Peter Marsh & Anthony Morabito

GCH CH MY TREY'S PRINCE OF NORWAY STKS (D) by GCH CH My Triple Credit Stks JH CA x GCH CH My Dual Lanes Let Freedom Ring Stks, o Thomas Schrank & Sandra Schrank, b Thomas Schrank & Sandra Schrank GCH CH ROCKWELL'S MARSHALL DILLON JH (D) by GCH CH Kiana's Windfall All Fired Up x GCH CH Rockwell's Singers Melody JH, o Kellie S Rockwell & Steven Rockwell, b Kellie S Rockwell & Steven Rockwell

GCH CH SIPPEWISSETT'S AS GOOD AS IT GETS AOIFE (B) by GCHP CH Triumphant's As Good As It Gets JH x GCH CH Nichewaug's Little Miss Leanaban CGC, o Jean Canty Schwartz, b Jean Canty Schwartz

GCH CH TRIO'S EVERLASTING DREAM (B) by GCHS CH Sunquest Star Vue's Special Edition x GCHB CH Rainbow's Bippity Boppity Boo, o Louise Griffin & Jim Griffin & Sam Griffin, b Karen Livingston & Clint Livingston

#### **GRAND CHAMPION SILVER**

GCHS CH HALFMOON'S I'M IN IT TO WIN IT RN CGC (D) by DC Country Road's Rough Rider x GCHB CH Tonan-Rao Halfmoon's Nite Mist, o Melissa McCloskey & Cheryl McCloskey, b Dorothy Moon & Charles Kanopsic

GCHS CH LABYRINTH NMR CHAMPAGNE DELIGHT (D) by GCHS CH Magic Read My Lips x CH Vem Call Me Sassie Sue MH, o Charles Lawrence & Karen Hanson & Marcia Lawrence, b Karen Hanson & Nickie Redick

#### **GRAND CHAMPION GOLD**

GCHG CH LABYRINTH N ILLUSION SLIPPERY WHEN WET JH (D) by GCHS CH Magic Read My Lips x GCH CH Illusion N Ginjac Like Ice At Labyrinth JH, o Karen Hanson, b Karen Hanson & Linda C Ouellette & Abbie Hanson

#### FIELD CHAMPION - bred by exhibitor

FC KIGER HILLS DIXIE ON FIRE (B) by FC AFC Kiger Hills Hudson x FC AFC Rose A Fire, o Mark and Connie Shearman, b Mark Shearman & Sandra Reiley-Lince

#### **FIELD CHAMPION**

- FC LOST CREEK A SHOT OF BOURBON (D) by NFC DC AFC Ru-Jem's A Touch Of Bourbon x FC Lost Creek Kate, o Susan Januschka, b George McCann & Cindy McCann
- FC SHAMROCK'S SIRIUS II (D) by FC AFC Shamrock's Sirius x Lucille La Belle JH, o Wade Haines, b George Kucsma
- DC AFC TNT'S BLAZING SHOSHONI SHAKE N' BAKE (D) by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x CH Country Road's Hunkydory, o Tommy Thomas, b Tommy Thomas

#### **GRAND FIELD CHAMPION**

GFC FC AFC MAGNUM HIGH VELOCITY (D) by FC AFC High Hopes Tiger Jac x High Hopes Dots Original Spice, o Vincent Bruce Anderson, b Cynthia Cropek

GFC FC MARJO'S JOHNNIE WALKER (D) by FC AFC Marjo's Red Rum x Marjo's Fly Honey Bella, o Marsha Luisi, b Ann Marie Luisi

#### **GRAND AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION**

GFC GAFC FC AFC JJ'S LEVI THE LIONHEART (D) by NAFC GFC FC AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Sandbank Rose, o Joseph B Williams, b Ron Maxwell & Sam Maxwell

#### AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION

AFC PINEY RUN JAKE (D) by NFC FC AFC Piney Run Art x Piney Run Gypsy, o KENT D PATTERSON, b Martha Greenlee

#### **COMPANION DOG**

RADCLIFFE OF AUTEN CD (D) by CH The Graduate Of Seven Crowns x Rjlj's Lil Jadyn Girl CD BN GN RN, o Cheryl L Witte-Haedt, b Ron Auten & L Carol Auten

#### **OBEDIENCE MASTER 2**

CH FAROUT FIELDS LUNAR ECLIPSE UDX OM2 BN GN GO JH (B) by DC AFC Blueridge Major Adventure x GCH CH Farout Fields Tequila Sunrise JH NAJ, o LouAnn McGahey, b Jacqueline C Arnold

#### **OBEDIENCE MASTER 3**

FAROUT FIELDS NOBLE NELLIE ROSE UDX2 OM3 BN GN GO RA JHA (B) by

Farout Fields Zeus's Prophecy JH x Farout Fields Wiggy Bridget, o LouAnn McGahey, b Jacqueline C Arnold & Rodger Rowles

#### **BEGINNER NOVICE**

- GCH CH MIRAGE'S THIS KID ROCKS BN RN JH CGC (D) by CH Triumphant Logan Razin Kane RN JH x CH Rj's Symply Divine BN RA JH OA MXJ, o Sandra Moruzzi & William Moruzzi, b Sandra Moruzzi & William Moruzzi
- SIGBRIT'S CLEAR'D FOR TAKE OFF BN (D) by CH Sigbrit's Catchers In The Rye JH x CH Sigbrit's Chocolate Kiss JH, o Suzie Schoen & Bobbie Sigmund, b Bobbie L Sigmund

#### **RALLY ADVANCED**

CH BRITWOODS THE HEAT IS ON BN RA (D) by GCH DC NAGDC AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Britwoods Code Orange, o Luann Fullwood, b Luann Fullwood

ICD'S E STREETS BIG MAN JAKE RA NA NF (D) by GCH CH Tonan-Hope's R U Kiddin' Me x Rock Steady Sadie Triumph, o Lesley Bersch & Tom Bersch, b Ian C Dunlap

#### **RALLY EXCELLENT**

GCH CH LYRIC'S SHILO CD BN RE CGC (B) by GCHS CH Dogwood Hollow Bengal Zero Zero x CH Magic In The Air Tonight, o Marie Starsiak & Geri O Clements, b Elaine Rhodes

#### **RALLY ADVANCED EXCELLENT**

CH KEILI'S GOLDSTAR KIR ROYALE CD BN RAE JH AX AXJ XF (B) by GCHG CH MACH2 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXC MJB2 MXF T2B2 x CH Swift River's Believe I Can PCD BN RAE2 JH NA NAJ OAP OJP NF OFP CA, o E Susan Drazek, b Patricia John & E Susan Drazek

#### JUNIOR HUNTER

ARROW'S SUNRISE REVELIE JH (B) by DC AFC Beaver's Straight Arrow x Deseeker Lone River Revelie, o Kenneth B Barber & Paula M Barber, b Codi L Hanson

- BRIARBUSTER GEORGIA IRON MIKE JH (D) by Pickard's Texas Iron Bullet JH x Coke's Midnight Shadow JH, o Mr. Steve H Pickard, b Mr. Steve H Pickard
- BRIARBUSTER SHADOW'S RELOADED BULLET JH (D) by Pickard's Texas Iron Bullet JH x Coke's Midnight Shadow JH, o Mr. Steve H Pickard, b Mr. Steve H Pickard
- COPLEY'S LOADED SINGLE BARREL JH (D) by GCHG CH Shelttany's Against All Odds x GCH CH Libertie-Copley More Mimosa?, o Sharon K Millspaugh, b Emily E Fuzette & Karen Hanson & Robin Tomasi & Barbara Dayton
- CZK BOSS MAN JH (D) by Buddy's Blazin Superstar x Czk Dark Copper Tequila, o Zachary Kindschuh, b Zachary Kindschuh
- CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW HI-HOPÉ ON THE C'S JH CA (D) by GCH CH Dogwood Hollow So Be It x CH Dogwood Hollow Sweet Home Alabama, o Mary Ctibor & Elizabeth Ctibor, b Mary Ctibor & Cheryl Mika & Geri O Clements & Elizabeth Ctibor
- LE POINT DE GRACE RUGER TECH JH (D) by FC AFC Shale Valley's Myla Tech x Islandview Le Point De Grace JH, o Larry HInes, b Keith Willis & Marcia Willis
- CH SIGBRIT'S SEE NO EVIL JH (B) by GCH CH Sigbrit's Rattle My Cage JH x Kinwashkly Ginjac Ft Barbie JHA, o Bobbie L Sigmund, b Bobbie Sigmund & Jeffrey Currier

SIGBRIT'S SUGAR AND SPICE JH (B) by CH Sigbrit's Catchers In The Rye JH x CH Sigbrit's Chocolate Kiss JH, o Alexa Patterson & Bobbie L Sigmund, b Bobbie L Sigmund

WINCHESTER'S BULLET III JH (D) by DC NGDC AFC Winchester Of Hanging Jaze x Drew's Favorite Ginger Snap, o Joe Hudgins, b Jim Carter D.V.M. & Drew Carter

#### **SENIOR HUNTER**

CH BANTAM'S STRUTZ SH (D) by GCH CH Bantam's Spittin' Image JH x CH Bantam's Firecracker JH, o Michael Gene Magnuson, b Diane M Hedstrom

#### **NOVICE AGILITY**

DOGWOOD'S CASTASHADOW KAZAK NA OF (D) by AFC Lost Creek Cast A Shadow x CH Dogwood's Gilmore Girl, o Trevor Pontillo, b Todd Parmenter KNOLLBROOK'S TWO JIGS AND A REEL CD PCD BN RA NA NAJ CA CGC (D) by CH Knollbrook's Wicked Winnings x Knollbrooks I Emma Roan, o Nancy Ballerstedt, b Mrs. Renata L Stewart & Donna M Johnson

#### **NOVICE AGILITY PREFERRED**

CALYPSO GIRL OF LBI NAP NJP CGC (B) by Homer Bean x Lucy Bell XI, o Katelyn Laufenberg, b Ms. Theresa Leone

EXEBRIT'S HOT SHOT BN RN NAP ACT2 CGC (D) by CH Exebrit's Feather River Fred BN x GCH CH Sunquest's Little Colorado JH, o Cynthia M Wilson, b Susan Kerns & Laura Altshuler & Natalie Simpson

#### AGILITY EXCELLENT

CREDIT CHILCOTE'S WITH SONIC GENIUS AX OAJ OF (D) by GCH CH Chilcote's Credit Genius x GCH CH Credit's Tarnished Copper Penny, o Maribeth Helgesen, b Jessie Schulz & Kathleen Krzeszewski

ZOEY OF HYPOINTE AX OAJ OF (B) by Ff Cacciatore's T-Bone SH x Hypointe Clearspring Brooke, o Sandy Crighton & Jeff Crighton, b Nick Mellon

#### MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT

GCH CH CREDIT KAZE'S ROCK N REIGN JH MX AXJ OF CGC (D) by GCH CH Chilcote's Credit Genius x MACH3 Credit Kaze With A Perfect Diamond MXB2 MJG2 MFS TQX T2B4, o CHRISTINE HARRISON & Steven Harrison, b Victoria MacVicar & Robert J Howell & Jessie Schulz

#### MASTER BRONZE AGILITY

GCH CH CIMMARON'S GOLD STANDARD OF MARSPORT MX MXB MXJ OF T2B2 (B) by CH Cimmaron's Set 'Em Up Joe CDX x CH Marsport Mustang Marki JH, o Karen Booker, b John W Marsman & Christine Ward-Weber

#### MASTER SILVER AGILITY

GUGIN'S WHISTLIN' DIXIE JH MX MXS MXJ MJB CGC (B) by K Rivers Runs Like A Diesel x Gunners Running Brooke JH, o Cassandra Gugin & Jeffrey Gugin, b Alan Ott & Susan Ott

#### **MASTER CENTURY AGILITY**

CH MACH2 BIG OAKS SOME PATIENCE REQUIRED OF MARIAD MXC MJG MFB 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

#### **MASTER CENTURY AGILITY 2**

GCH CH MACH6 CREDIT KAZE'S CAPITAL GAINS RN MXC2 MJC2 XF T2B2 (D) by GCHS CH Credit Where Credit Is Due x CH MACH4 Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXS2 MJC2 MXP2 MXPB MJP3 MJPB MFB TQX T2B2, o Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling, b Robert J Howell & Victoria Howell

#### **MASTER BRONZE AGILITY 4**

CH MACH11 CHILCOTE'S GREAT IDEA OF MARIAD MXB4 MJB4 MXF TQX T2B (B) by CH Chilcote's Daring To Be Great x CH Chilcote's I Am Your Idea, o Mariann Jackson & John R Jackson, b Shirley Chilcote & Angel Rumbolo & Jessie Schulz

#### **MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED 2**

GCH CH MACH JAMBI'S MISS TOOTALOO MXB MJB MXP2 MJP2 (B) by FC R&J's Buzz Cut x CH Jagoub's Jambalaya, o Halina Bednarz & Renata Bednarz, b Thomas Jagielski & Debra M Connell & Wilson Oubre & Paula Oubre

#### **MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED 3**

MACH12 PACH SHILOH OF AGOURA MXB4 MJS4 MXP3 MXPB MJPB PAX (B) by CH AFC Loki's Blizzard Of Mischief x CH Shiloh's Tru Believer JH, o Leslie Wilk, b Linda McDonald & Pennie Peterson & Lynda Evans

#### **MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED 4**

MACH5 PACH MARJO'S DEMON IN THE RUFF MXS2 MJG2 MXP4 MXPB MJP4 MJPB PAX MFS TQX T2B2 (B) by FC AFC Marjo's Red Rum x Elyssa's Allie Baba, o Janice Brunner, b Marsha Luisi

#### **NOVICE AGILITY JUMPER**

KNOLLBROOK'S TWO JIGS AND A REEL CD PCD BN RA NA NAJ CA CGC (D) by CH Knollbrook's Wicked Winnings x Knollbrooks I Emma Roan, o Nancy Ballerstedt, b Mrs. Renata L Stewart & Donna M Johnson

GCH CH SOUTHGATES JJ'S GLORIOUS LIGHT JH NA NAJ (D) by CH Jordean Mace Windu Of Aurand x CH Swift River's Wish On A Star UD, o Jeffrey Ellis, b Karen Putnam & Anthony Morabito & Nancy Morabito & Tim Putnam & Alexandra Putnam & Lindsey Putnam

#### **NOVICE AGILITY JUMPER PREFERRED**

CALYPSO GIRL OF LBI NJP CGC (B) by Homer Bean x Lucy Bell XI, o Katelyn Laufenberg, b Ms. Theresa Leone

FAROUT FIELDS CURIOUS GEORGE CD BN RN JH NAP NJP DS CGC (D) by GCH CH Farout Fields Let Me At'Em JH x Moonbabe Nike JH, o Kristina Evers-Hays, b Jackie Arnold

#### **EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER**

GCH CH HICKORY HILL'S HEART LIKE MINE OA AXJ NF CA (B) by CH Hickory Hill Highwayman RN x CH Fly'N-Hi's Orange Sunset Matuka, o Anne Parchman & Marla Parchman, b Anne Parchman & Marla Parchman

#### MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER

GCH CH COPLEY'S LAST CALL MARTINI AX MXJ 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

MOONBABE TWICE AS NICE CDX JH ÁX MXJ (B) by CH Moonbabe Never Say Always JH x CH Moonbabe Windfall Follow Your Heart JH, o Barbara Dunn, b Dimi Morse

GCH CH STAR FLIGHT MADHOUSE ON MADISON JH AX MXJ (B) by GCHP CH Star Flight Jumpin Jack Flash RN AX AXJ CGC x GCH CH Lyric's Shilo CD BN RE CGC, o Halina Bednarz & William Jones, b Marie Starsiak & Geri O Clements

#### MASTER BRONZE JUMPER

CH TOP SHELF'S JOYFUL LEE JH MX MXJ MJB XF (B) by CH Jordean Up All Night x GCHG CH Millette's Sweet Memories CD BN RN JH AX AXJ NAP NJP NF OFP, o Andrea Lee, b Wendy A Archinal & Gail Schmieder & Jennifer Krieger

#### MASTER BRONZE JUMPER 2

GCHG CH MACH2 BROOKEWOOD'S JUST TOO HOT UD RAE MXC MJB2 MXF T2B2 (D) by GCH DC NAGDC AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Brookewood's Just An Illusion, o E Susan Drazek & Ms. Cynthia A Miller, b Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Jeffrey Currier & Gina Currier & Russell Walborn

CH MACH RUSTINS TREASURE OF THE SIERRAS RN MXS MJG2 MXF T2B (B) by Cimmaron's Nightkap UDX OA AXJ x MACH9 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH MXS3 MJS4 MXP NJP MXF T2B, o Aimee Schilling & Colleen Driscoll & Terrence Santelli, b Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

#### MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER PREFERRED

MISS MILEY RAE SMITH AX AXJ MJP OF XFP (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith, b

#### **MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER PREFERRED 2**

GCH CH MACH JAMBI'S MISS TOOTALOO MXB MJB MXP MJP2 (B) by FC R&J's Buzz Cut x CH Jagoub's Jambalaya, o Halina Bednarz & Renata Bednarz, b Thomas Jagielski & Debra M Connell & Wilson Oubre & Paula Oubre **MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER PREFERRED 3** 

MACH12 PACH SHILOH OF AGOURA MXB4 MJS4 MXP3 MXPB MJP3 MJPB PAX (B) by CH AFC Loki's Blizzard Of Mischief x CH Shiloh's Tru Believer JH, o Leslie Wilk, b Linda McDonald & Pennie Peterson & Lynda Evans

#### **AGILITY FAST NOVICE**

BRITT SAMANTHA PAIGE MEANT TO BE VCD2 UDX MX MXB MXJ MJB NF (B) by Vick's Dandy Dukes Last Will x Prairie Belle Britt, o Mary Weiss, b Steven Martin & Hannah Martin

KNOLLBROOK'S TWO JIGS AND A REEL CD PCD BN RA NA NAJ NF CA CGC (D) by CH Knollbrook's Wicked Winnings x Knollbrooks I Emma Roan, o Nancy Ballerstedt, b Mrs. Renata L Stewart & Donna M Johnson

#### **AGILITY FAST NOVICE PREFERRED**

BLUSHIN' ROSIE OA OAJ NFP (B) by DC AFC Auten's Ranger Rudy Rjlj x Heartland Lola, o Ana Sarcheck, b Christopher W Mitzel

BUBBLIN TIPSY LEE VCD2 BN GN RAE4 NAJ AXP AJP NFP CGC (B) by Prince Gavins Jewel x Grousen Savanna Lee, o Brenda C Goldman, b Loyd R Mccubbins

#### **AGILITY FAST OPEN**

GCH CH HICKORY HILL'S HEART LIKE MINE OA AXJ OF CA (B) by CH Hickory Hill Highwayman RN x CH Fly'N-Hi's Orange Sunset Matuka, o Anne Parchman & Marla Parchman, b Anne Parchman & Marla Parchman

#### TIME 2 BEAT 2

WILD MTN THUNDERBIRD JH MX MXB MXJ MXF T2B2 CAX (D) by CH AFC Requets Above And Beyond RN JH x Wild Mtn's Thunderstruck, o Jamie Thompson, b Kristi Anglen & Carl Anglen & Helen Riggle & Brian D Riggle

#### TIME 2 BEAT 3

MACH CIMMARON SASPARILLA SARA MXS MJG T2B3 (B) by CH Cimmaron's Jack's Tennessee Whiskey x Cimmaron's Side Car, o Mr. Frank E Barnhart, b Christine Ward-Weber

#### TIME 2 BEAT 4

MACH3 CREDIT KAZE WITH A PERFECT DIAMOND MXB2 MJG2 MFS TQX T2B4 (B) by GCHS CH Credit Where Credit Is Due x CH MACH4 Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXS2 MJC2 MXP2 MXPB MJP3 MJPB MFB TQX T2B2, o Victoria MacVicar & Robert J Howell & Jessie Schulz, b Robert J Howell & Victoria Howell

#### BCAT

CREDIT'S MINI THE MOOCH BCAT (D) by GCH CH Credit Kaze I Appreciate That x GCH CH Credit's Tarnished Copper Penny, o Jean Bobis, b Kathleen Krzeszewski & Jessie Schulz & CHRISTINE HARRISON

#### **CANINE GOOD CITIZEN**

MARLA RUBY STERLING CGC (B) by Mogens x Freya, o Mrs. Mary A Sterling, b Ms. Juli A Laursen

PENNY LANE BOLAND CGC (B) by NAGDC NGDC FC AFC Peter Gunn x Genuine Risk, o Lynn Boland, b Jim Carter D.V.M.

CH RAINCHASER'S KIT AND KABOODLE MX MXJ NAP NJP XF NFP T2B CGC (D) by CH Rainchasers Krimson Kanyon RN MX MXJ NAP NF x CH SMR Rincon Vista Duchess CD JH AX AXJ, o Kim Ramsey & Susan Hampton, b Susan Hampton & Kim Ramsey & Carlton L Hampton

#### **ADVANCED CANINE GOOD CITIZEN**

BUDDAH'S BRAVEHEART WILDTHING RN CAA BCAT RATN CGCA (D) by CH Wildthings Tobias Braveheart x Bob's Bright Penny, o Lori Diem & BRIANNA DIEM, b ROBERT W UTTERBACK Sr.

#### BEST IN SHOW/RESERVE BEST IN SHOW AND GROUP PLACEMENTS

GCHP CH BRIGADIER'S LIGHTNING STRIKES TWICE (B), M LEE/J LEE

- 2 Durham Kennel Club Inc. N Liebes
- 2 Raleigh Kennel Club, Inc. Mrs. L Hurlebaus
- 3 Columbia Kennel Club, Inc. Mrs. E J Lessig

GCHP CH DREAM HI'S DON'T HATE THE PLAYER HATE THE GAME (D), T RICKARD/L RICKARD

- 4 Sequoia Kennel Club, Inc. Mrs. C K Steidel
- 4 Kings Kennel Club of California Mr. L W Bayne
- 4 San Mateo Kennel Club, Inc. Mr. A Berrios
- GCHS CH ORY'S CATCH ME IF YOU CAN (B), J ORY/T ORY
- 4 Superstition Kennel Club, Inc. Mr. D J Murphy
- 4 Superstition Kennel Club, Inc. Dr. D D Simmons

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GCHB CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW RISE AND SHINE (D), A GEARY/C MIKA/R LEALE

OHG3 – Tullahoma Kennel Club of Tennessee - Mr. J M Watson

CH DUAL LANE'S ABSOLUTELY DUAL OAKS (B), D HARRISON/C ROBINSON OHG4 – Jackson Tennessee Dog Fanciers Association - Col. J B Purkhiser

CH HICKORY HILL'S FEARLESS (B), A PARCHMAN/M PARCHMAN

OHG3 – San Antonio Kennel Club, Inc. - Mr. K J Murray

CH SIGBRIT'S SEE NO EVIL JH (B), B SIGMUND

OHG4 – Durham Kennel Club, Inc. – N Liebes





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## The LaSalle Brittany Club congratulates our 2016 Dogs of the Year



**Gun Dog** FC AFC Hy Steppin Libby's Liebling O: Chris & Gerilyn Sennott



**Dual Dog** DC AFC TNT's Blazing Shoshoni Shake 'N Bake O: Tommy Thomas

*Juvenile Walking Dog* CH Turning Points Shenanigans O: Julie Nelson-Claypool & Mark Claypool

> Juvenile Horseback Dog ANJ's Ohio Hellion O: Mike Poehler



All Age Dog GFC FC AFC Ru-Jem's "Last" Penny O: Ruth & Jerry McGee





**Show Dog** GCH CH Star Flight Frankly My Dear RN CGC O: Jacqueline Ceres

*Agility Dog* GCH CH MACH12 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice MXB3 MJS3 MXF T2B2 O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling



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## LaSalle Brittany Club congratulates all the dogs that earned a title in 2016!

#### National Field Champion

FC Roustabout's Flat Out O: Jerry McGee

#### **Dual Champions**

CH Turningpts Landslide O: Julie Nelson

CH TNT's Sirius Renegade Buddy Boy O: Tom Thomas

GCH CH FC Ricochet Gunsmokes Mr. Dillon O: Mickey Condron

#### Show Champion

Best Shot Smile A Gust Of Rusty's Aim JH O: Mary & Ted Selnes

Star Flight Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds O: Liz & Justin Turner

> Melridge Stir "N Up A Storm O: Diane & Larry Requet

Sigbrit's Grand Slam O: Jeffrey Currier & Bobbie Sigmund

> Starlight's Zeta Ophi O: Teresa Richmond

Rustin's Future's So Bright NA NAJ O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

Copley-Shelttany Echo Of Angels JH O: Julio Rodriguez

Dogwood Hollow In A Flash O: Megan Krautkramer & Marie Starsiak

Turning Points Shenanigans O: Julie Nelson-Claypool & Mark Claypool

> Marsport Saucy Nose Rouser O: Roger Lautt

Triumphant's Absolutely Stirred Up O: Diane Requet & Linda McCartney-Roy

> Starlight's Dash Of Brilliance O: Teresa Richmond

Gugin's Prime Cut JH NA NAJ O: Cassandra & Jeffrey Gugin

Biscuit's Buddha Banshee O: Tom & Debbie Jagielski

Triumphant's Absolutely Top Shelf O: Laura Lungren-Smith & Jerry Smith & Linda McCartney-Roy

#### Grand Champion

CH Star Flight Madhouse On Madison O: Halina Bednarz & William Jones

CH Copley-Shelttany Echo Of Angels JH O: Julio Rodriguez

#### Grand Champion Bronze

GCH CH Star Flight Frankly My Dear RN CGC O: Jacqueline Ceres

#### Grand Champion Silver

GCH CH Star Flight Frankly My Dear RN CGC O: Jacqueline Ceres

#### Field Champion

CH Turningpts Landslide O: Julie Nelson

AFC Hy Steppin Libby's Liebling O: Chris & Gerilyn Sennott CH TNT's Sirius Renegade Buddy Boy O: Tommy Thomas

Starlight's Where There's A Will O: Rebecca R Walters & Teresa Richmond GCH CH Ricochet Gunsmokes Mr. Dillon

O: Mickey Condron

Amateur Field Champion

FC Hy Steppin Suzee Q O: Chris & Gerilyn Sennott FC Wrigley's Bodemeister

O: Barry & Petra Steinmetz Grand Field Champion NFC Roustabout's Flat Out

O: Jerry McGee

Canine Good Citizen Starlight's Climbing The Hierarchy O: Jennifer Hooten-Meyer

Junior Hunter

Marsport Rousing Roary O: John Marsman

CH A Wee Trace O'Weller O: Jennifer & Gary Robbins

CH Sigbrit's Grand Slam O: Jeffrey Currier & Bobbie Sigmund

GCH CH Star Flight Madhouse On Madison NA OAJ O: Halina Bednarz & William Jones

Pretty Blue Eyes A Sweet Touch Of Charlie B O: Robert Bakas

GCH CH MACH10 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice MXB3 MJS3 MXF T2B2 O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

Starlight's Love Of Bouncing O: Christine Walker & Teresa Richmond

#### Junior Hunter Advanced

CH Sigbrit's Grand Slam O: Jeffrey Currier & Bobbie Sigmund

> Companion Dog GCH Lyric's Shilo CGC O: Marie Starsiak

Utility Dog Rustin's Gold Of Cimmaron BN

O: Kathy & Joseph Hahn Beginner Novice

Cimmaron's Midnight Wingwalker CGC O: Kathy & Joseph Hahn

> Rally Advanced GCH CH Lyric's Shilo CGC O: Marie Starsiak

> > Novice Agility

GCH CH Star Flight Madhouse On Madison O: Halina Bednarz & William Jones

> Gugin's Lucky Spud JH NAJ O: Cassandra & Jeffrey Gugin

Rustin's Future's So Bright O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

> Gugin's Prime Cut JH O: Cassandra & Jeffrey Gugin

#### Novice Agility Jumper

GCH CH Star Flight Madhouse On Madison NA O: Halina Bednarz & William Jones

Gugin's Lucky Spud JH O: Cassandra & Jeffrey Gugin

Rustin's Future's So Bright NA O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

Gugin's Prime Cut JH NA O: Cassandra & Jeffrey Gugin

Novice Fast

Rustin's Future's So Bright NAJ OA O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

Open Agility

GCH CH Star Flight Madhouse On Madison JH OAJ O: Halina Bednarz & William Jones

Rustin's Future's So Bright NA NAJ O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

#### Open Agility Jumper

GCH CH Star Flight Madhouse On Madison NA OAJ O: Halina Bednarz & William Jones

CH Rustin's Future's So Bright OA NAJ O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

#### Agility Fast Novice

CH Rustin's Future's So Bright OA OAJ NF O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

#### Agility Excellent

CH Rustin's Future's So Bright AXJ NF O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

GCHP CH Star Flight Jumpin Jack Flash RN OA AXJ CGC O: Jacqueline Ceres

#### Excellent Agility Jumper

GCHP CH Star Flight Jumpin Jack Flash RN OA CGC O: Jacqueline Ceres

CH Rustin's Future's So Bright OAJ NF O: Colleen Driscoll, Aimee Schilling & Terry Santelli

#### Master Silver Agility

CH MACH Rustins Treasure Of The Sierras RN MJB1 MXF T2B O: Aimee Schilling & Colleen Driscoll & Terry Santelli

#### Master Silver Agility 2

GCH CH MACH4 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains RN MJS2 XF T2B O: Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling

#### Master Bronze Agility 2

GCH CH MACH3 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains RN MJB2 XF T2B O: Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling

#### Master Bronze Agility 4

GCH CH MACH9 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice MXB3 MJS3 MXF T2B2 O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

#### Master Bronze Jumper

Gugin's Whistlin' Dixie JH MX MXB MXJ CGC O: Cassandra & Jeffrey Gugin

#### Master Bronze Jumper 2

GCH CH MACH3 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains RN XF T2B O: Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling CH MACH Rustins Treasure Of The Sierras RN MXB MXF T2B O: Aimee Schilling & Colleen Driscoll & Terry Santelli

#### Master Bronze Jumper 4

GCH CH MACH10 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice MXC3 MXF T2B2 O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

#### Master Silver Jumper

Sigbrit's Nutmeg JH MX MXB MXJ O: Marcia Whitmore & Bobbie L. Sigmund

#### Master Silver Jumper 2 CH MACH Rustins Treasure Of The Sierras RN

MJB1 MXF T2B

O: Aimee Schilling & Colleen Driscoll &

Terry Santelli

GCH CH MACH5 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains

RN MXS XF T2B

O: Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling

Master Gold Agility 3

GCH CH MACH9 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MJG3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

Master Century Agility 3

GCH CH MACH10 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MJC3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

Master Century Jumper 3

GCH CH MACH 9 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MXG3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

Master Agility Excellent Preferred

MACH9 Rustins Valuable Treasure JH MXS3 MJS4

NJP MXF T2B

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

МАСН

GCH CH Jambi's Miss Tootaloo MXB MJB

O: Halina Bednarz & Reneta Bednarz

CH Rustins Treasure Of The Sierras RN MX MXJ

MJS MXF MXB T2B

O: Aimee Schilling & Colleen Driscoll

MACH4

GCH CH MACH3 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains RN

MXS XF T2B

O: Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling

MACH5

GCH CH MACH4 Credit Kaze's Capital Gains

RN MXS XF T2B

O: Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling

МАСН9

GCH CH MACH8 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MXS3 MJG3 3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

MACH10

GCH CH MACH9 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MXB3 MJS3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

MACH11

GCH CH MACH10 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MXB3 MJS3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

MACH12

GCH CH MACH11 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MXB4 MJS3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

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GCH CH MACH11 Rustins Jeweler's Apprentice

MXB3 MJS3 MXF T2B2

O: Colleen Driscoll & Aimee Schilling

## Field Trials

## EAST CENTRAL

#### WESTERN MICHIGAN Ionia Recreational Field Trial Grounds Ionia, MI March 31-April 2, 2017

#### Amateur Walking Puppy (7S)

#### J: John Marinelli & Chris Sennott

- 1 BLACK CREEK WHIZKI SKIP (D), by FC Black Creek Blaze x Gun Creek Whizki; o/h John Hall
- 2 BRANDON'S OZ TRIXIE (B), by Bony Bud x Kountry Boys Tumbleweed; o/h Brandon Schafer
- 3 DOGWOOD'S DASHING GAMBLER (D), by DC Anchors Renegades Still N Suspence x Gamblers Ramlin Reba; Robert Bricker & Diane Ashley, h Dick Lipski
- 4 CHELSEA'S WHOLE LOT OF SPICE (D), by Hap's Spice Rum Beckham x Hap's Hot Spice Rum; o/h Robert Ackermann

#### **Open Puppy (5S)**

#### J: Ed Janulis & Donna Janulis

- 1 IN-COUNTRY'S SLATE ROCK (D), GSP
- 2 JJ II (D), VIZ
- 3 TEPOZARAS DISS (D), VIZ
- 4 IN-COUNTRY'S CRANKED UP (D), GSP

#### Amateur Walking Derby (8S)

#### J: Ron Auten & Kathy Gulembo

- 1 BARK RIVER FRESH WATER PEARL (B), by Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x Bark River Queen of Diamonds; o/h Jeff & Kori Stanton
- 2 HEHI MISS POISON IVY (B), by Grizzly Big Sky Nez Perce x Alabaster Angel's Nosie Josie; o Thomas Healey, h Matt Healey
- 3 ALAR'S TEQUILA IN THE SHADOWS (B), by GCH/CH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x DC Alar's Dirty Dancer; o Joseph & Mark Holzinger, h Mark Holzinger
- 4 TELFARES BRETAGNE'S DEIDRE THE SECOND (B), by FC/AFC Eibhear of Auten JH x Telbare's Lady Tara's Rum Royale; o Jeanne Telfare, h W. Ronald Telfare

#### **Open Derby (30S)**

#### J: Mike Poehler & Mike Czach

- 1 HIGH HOPES NITE MOVES DOT COM (B), by DC/NGDC/AFC High Hopes Dark Nite x High Hopes Dots Original Spice o Cynthia & Albert (Al) Cropek, Jr., h Al Cropek
- 2 HY STEPPIN ANNIE OAKLEY (B), by FC

Jagoub's Buzz'n Bayou x Super Natural; o A. Sennott, h Chris Sennot

- 3 ALAR'S TEQUILA IN THE SHADOWS (B), by GCH/CH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x DC Alars Dirty Dancer; o Joseph R. & Mark S. Holzinger, h Jake Holzinger
- 4 TEPOZARAS DISS (D), VIZ



**KDEL'S EAGLE FLYBOY ROY** 

#### Amateur Walking Gun Dog (14S) J: Mike Poehler & Robert Buchholz

- 1 FC/AFC BARK RIVER QUUEEN OF DIAMONDS (B), by Terra's Cabo Wabo x Double Ups TNT Tori; o/h Jeff Stanton
- 2 GFC/FC/AFC MAGNUM HIGH VELOCITY (D), by FC/AFC High Hopes Tiger Jac x High Hopes Dots Original Spice; o/h Vincent Anderson
- 3 CH GEORGIA DRIVE BY (D), by NAGDC/NGDC/ FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Gambler's Blazin Chick; o W. Burton & Michelle McCandless, h Burton McCandless
- 4 KDEL'S EAGLE FLYBOY ROY (D), by NFC/ NAFC/FC/AFC Just Call Me Roy x AFC KDel's Duncan's Soaring Eagle; o/h Ken DeLong

#### Open Gun Dog (30S)

#### J: Ed Janulis & Donna Janulis

- CENTER RIDGE'S BARREL OF MONKEY'S JH (B), by CH The Graduate of Seven Crowns x CH Center Ridge's Whitey Girl; o/h Pam Darga
- 2 NAGDC/DC/AFC HIPOINT'S SUMMER TIME (B), by NFC/DC/AFC Gamblers Ace In The Hole x NAG/DC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly By Nite; o Ron & Kathy Gulembo & Albert (Al) Cropek, Jr., h Al Cropek
- 3 FC/AF MAGNUM HIGH VELOCITY (D), by FC/ AFC High Hopes Tiger Jac x High Hopes Dots Original Spice; o/h Vincent Anderson
- 4 YOU BET I WILL SON (D), GSP



#### **CHIP'S TAILGATE RENDEZVOUS**

#### Amateur All Age (13S) J: Kathy Gulembo & Blake Rizzo

- 1 CHICOREE'S JAKES BONNIE (B), GSP
- 2 FC CHICOREE'S COUNTRY FAN (B), GSP
- 3 FC CHIP'S TAILGATE RENDEZVOUS (D), by DC/AFC Wrigley's Chip Makin' His Marc x CH Over Under's Killin' Time JH; o/h Mike Poehler
- 4 Withheld

#### Open All Age (30S)

#### J: Chris Sennott & Blake Rizzo

- 1 ORLANDO'S OSWALD VON GRIEF (D), GSP
- 2 ANJ'S OHIO HELLION (D), by DC/AFC Grand Junction Jake x FC/AFC High Hopes Little Ann; o/h Mike Poehler
- 3 RUMEL'S AUGIE DOGGIE (D), GSP
- 4 Withheld

## Open Limited All Age (15S)

## J: Richard (Dick) Lipski & Blake Rizzo

- 1 JMA'S WHITETAIL COMET (B), GSP
- 2 CHICOREE'S JAKE'S BONNIE (B), GSP
- 3 MUCCI'S BLU BY U (B), GSP
- 4 JIMKATHS PANDEMONIUM (B), GSP

## CENTRAL

HEART OF ILLINOIS Moraine View SFWA Leroy, IL March 11-12, 2017

#### Amateur Walking Puppy (6S) J: Jeff Stanton & Chris Sennott

1 - DOGWOOD'S TOP SHELF TEQUILA (B), by Dogwood's Buckmark x Pour Me Another Tequila; o/h Jake Parmenter

- 2 EASTON'S PEACHES NEVENE (B), by AFC Lost Creek Cast A Shadow x Nevene's One Tuff Cooky: o Taylor Easton & Brad Bucklin
- 3 JZ HANNABELLE OF HAZELNUT (B), by DC/ AFC Beaver's Straight Arrow x Warbonnet's 2 - FC/AFC BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS Little Ida JH; o/h Steve McClure
- 4 BROOKS' PRAIRIE PIRATE (D), by NAFC/FC/ AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x AFC Decan's Blazin' Bye; o/h Mark Brooks

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

#### J: Chris Sennott & Alan Norman

- 1 DOGWOOD'S TOP SHELF TEQUILA (B), by Dogwoods Buckmark x Pour Me Another Tequila; o/h Jake Parmenter
- 2 BARK RIVER FRESH WATER PEARL (b), BY Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x Bark River Queen of Diamonds: o/h Jeff Stanton
- 3 JZ HANNABELLE OF HAZELNUT (B), by DC/ AFC Beaver's Straight Arrow x Warbonnets Little Ida JH; o/h Steve McClure
- 4 BROOKS PRAIRIE PIRATE (D), by NAFC/FC/ AFC Sanish Corral Sundance Kid x AFC Decan's Blazin' Bye; o/h Mark Brooks

#### Amateur Walking Derby (7S)

#### J: Paul Kuipers & Chris Sennott

- 1 KRUSE'S K-NINE BLAZE'S LAST DANCE (B), by CJB's One For The Road Make It a Jamesons x Kruse's K-Nine Jazmine; o Lori Kruse, h John Kruse
- 2 BROOKS PRAIRIE PIRATE (D), by NAFC/FC/ AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x AFC Decan's Blazin' Bye; o/h Mark Brooks
- 3 BEAUPRES-TINKERS-BOOMERS-STASHE (D), by Beaupre's Renegade Havapal's Henri's Boomer MH x Beaupre's Kriver's Tinker JH; o/h Richard Ross
- 4 BARK RIVER FRESH WATER PEARL (B), by Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x Bark River Queen of Diamonds; o/h Jeff Stanton

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

#### J: Paul Kuipers & Jeff Stanton

- 1 BEAUPRES-TINKERS-BOOMERS-STASHE (D), by Beaupre's Renegade Boomer Havapal's Henri's x Beaupres-Kriver's Tinker; o/h **Richard Ross**
- 2 STARLIGHT'S CALLISTO MOON (D), by NFC/ FC/AFC Roustabout's Flat Out x GCH Starlight Lola Borealis; o Teresa Richmond & A. Swat, h Teresa Richmond
- 3 JZ HANNABELLE OF HAZELNUT (B), by DC/ AFC Beaver's Straight Arrow x Warbonnet's Little Ida JH; o/h Steve McClure
- 4 MORSE CODE (D), by High Hopes Dark Nite x Biebals GA Peaches; o/h Rodger Fiorito

#### Amateur Gun Dog (11S)

#### J: Alan Norman & Chris Sennott

- 1 BROOK'S BLAZIN' STAR (B), by Highpoint Blazin' Lamont x Iron Mike's Brandee Jill; o Blaine Mark Brooks, h Mark Brooks
- (B), by Terras Cabo Wabo x Double Ups TNT Tori: o/h Jeff Stanton
- 3 THE SKY'S THE LIMIT (D), by Clyde's Micro Breeze x TM Tennessee Twister; o A. & Marni Regelbrugge, h Al Regelburgge
- 4 BEAUPRES-TINKERS-BOOMERS-STASHE (D), by Beaupres Renegade Henri's Boomer Havapal's x Beaupres-Krivor's Tinker; o/h **Richard Ross**



**BGD'S OUTLAW JOSEY WALES** 



HY STEPPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING

#### **Open Gun Dog (7S)** J: Rodger Fiorito & Alan Norman

- 1 CH BGD'S OUTLAW JOSEY WALES (B), by DC/GCH Masked Jack of Diamonds x FC/AFC BGD's Jessse James: o Todd Parmenter & David Johnson, h David Johnson
- 2 FC/AFC HY STEPPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING (B), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Vanpo's KY Queen; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 3 FC/AFC BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS (B), by Terras Cabo Wabo x Double Ups TNT Tori; o/h Jeff Stanton
- 4 CH STARLIGHT'S CLOUDED TITAN (D), by 2xNAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Teresa Richmond & T. Brauer, h Kevin Remmers



#### **GEORGIA DRIVE BY**

## Amateur Limited Gun Dog (7S)

#### J: Paul Kuipers & Harold Heather

- 1 CH GEORGIA DRIVE BY (D), by NAGDC/NGDC/ FC/AFC Peter Gunn x Gambler's Blazin Chick: o Michelle & W. Burton McCandless, h W. Burton McCandless
- 2 FC/AFC HY STEPPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING (B), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Vanpo's KY Queen; o Gerilynn & Chris Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 3 FC RINGO RASCAL (D), by Ru-Jem's Fistfull of Dollars x Dogwood's Gilmore Girl; o/h Rodger Fiorito
- 4 FC/AFC BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS (B), by Terras Cabo Wabo x Double Us TNT Tori; o/h Jeff Stanton



**BISCUIT'S ME WEARING THE PANTS** 

#### **Open Limited Gun Dog (6S)**

#### J: Rodger Fiorito & Harold Heather

1 - CH BISCUIT'S ME WEARING THE PANTS (D). by DC/AFC Biscuit Ecko of Dreams x CH Jagoub's Zydekoko; o Thomas Jagieski & Debra M. Connell, h Thomas Jagielski

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#### **HEART OF ILLINOIS** Jim Edgar Panther Creek SFWA **Chandlerville**. IL March 25-26, 2017

The spring horseback trial held March 25-26, 2017 at JEPC had a small entry, but a merry group in attendance. The weather was 2 - HY STEPPIN ANNIE OAKLEY (B), by FC cloudy with hints of rain, but we kept the rain away for most of the trial. Brief showers occurred on Sunday, but there were no real storms in evidence.

The Amateur All Age entrants found birds, but the dogs could not handle them properly. So, the judges decided to have a call back for those who ran well but didn't have any bird contact. The call back was enjoyed by the watchers, but not the dog handlers. Although, we could say the dogs enjoyed themselves. A Flushing 101 course was offered for these seasoned handlers. Needless to say all placements were withheld.

The Open Gun Dog handlers decided they would show the amateur all age handlers how it should be done. They had much better luck with four placements being awarded.

The Open Derby was an excellent stake. The judges were well pleased with the young dogs. There seems to be lots of potential coming in the adult stakes shortly.

On Sunday the rain gear was evident as we had a few brief showers. The weather was cooler also. One of our call back failures redeemed himself with the blue ribbon in the Open All Age. Likewise the Amateur Gun Dog had bird work as well. Once again the young dogs in the Amateur Walking Derby provided us with some good adult potential.

We'd like to thank our judges and participants without whom we could not host a trial; the JEPC staff who brought us water and attended to our needs, the HIBC members who helped out with the dog wagon, planting birds, lunch, cleaning up and all the behind the scene work that makes the event possible. We hope to see many of you back in the fall.

### Amateur Walking Derby (4S)

#### J: Gene Salmons & Kevin Remmers

- 1 EASTON'S PEACHES NEVENE (B), by AFC Lost Creek Cast A Shadow x Nevene's One Tuff Cooky; o Taylor Easton, h Brad Bucklin
- 2 DOGWOOD'S TOP SHELF TEQUILA (B), by Dogwood's Buckmark x Pour Me Another Tequila; o/h Jake Parmenter
- 3 BARK RIVER FRESH WATER PEARL (B), by Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x Bark River Queen of Diamonds; o Jeff & Kari Stanton, h Jeff Stanton
- 4 SWEETWATER BUD'S A LONE STAR (D), by FC/AFC Rimarda's Trademark x Winchester Camilia Rose; o Larry & Sue Bates, h Larry Bates

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

#### J: Stan Williamson & Ed Janulis

1 - SWEETWATER BUD'S A LONE STAR (D), by FC/AFC Rimarda's Trademark x Winchester Camillia Rose; o Larry & Sue Bates, h Larry Bates

- Jagoub's Buzz'n Bayou x Super Natural; o A. Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 3 DODGE CITY'S BIG NOSE KATE (B), by Spanish Corrals Sundance Kid x Leona Vallev's Annie Get Your Gun; o Alan Wyatt, h Chad Holman
- 4 DAN'S MAKERS MARK (B), by FC Jac's Over Aces x FC Whizki Sting; o Edward & Judy Graves, h Chad Holman



#### SWEETWATER MURPH'S A GAMBLER

#### Amateur Gun Dog (5S)

#### J: Sean Morgan & Ed Janulis

- 1 FC/AFC WRIGLEY'S BODEMEISTER (D), by FC/ AFC Renegades Regal Wrigley JH x NAGDC/ FC/AFC Jazz's Sweetest Little Secret; o Petra & Barry Steinmetz, h Barry Steinmetz
- 2 FC/AFC BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS (B), by Terra's Cabo Wabo x Double Ups TNT Tori; o/h Jeff Stanton
- 3 FC/AFC SWEETWATER MURPH'S A GAMBLER (D), by NFC/DC/AFC Gamblers' Ace in the hole x FC/AFC Auten's Meg-netic Field; o Laurence & Susan Bates, h Larry Bates
- 4 CH STARLIGHT'S CLOUDED TITAN (D), by 2xNAGDC/DC/AFC Clvde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Teresa Richmond, h Kevin Remmers

#### **Open Gun Dog (5S)**

#### J: Stan Williamson & Ray Trimble

- 1 FC/AFC HY STEPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING (B), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Vanpo's Ky Queen; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 2 CH STARLIGHT'S CLOUDED TITAN (D), by 2xNAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Teresa Richmond, h Kevin Remmers
- 3 FC/AFC SWEETWATER MURPH'S A GAMBLER (D), by NFCDC/AFC Gambler's Ace IN the Hole x FC/AFC Auten's Meg-netic Field; o Laurence & Susan Bates, h Larry Bates
- 4 FC/AFC WRIGLEY'S BODEMEISTER (D), by FC/ AFC Renegade's Regal Wrigley JH x NAGDC/ FC/AFC Jazz's Sweetest Secret; o Petra & Barry Steinmetz, h Barry Steinmetz

#### Amateur All Age (6S)

#### J: Sean Morgan & Kevin Remmers

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#### **Open All Age (10S)**

#### J: Dave Johnson & Chris Sennott

- 1 ALLEYCAT'S DROUGHT (D), by FC/AFC Dakota Alleycat x NAFC/FC/AFC TM's Tennessee Twister; o/h Stan Williamson
- 2 CH CROSSCREEK ARGUS' EARLY CHRISTMAS (D), by CH Hope's Ranger Rick x CH Sanbar Crosscreek Early Call; o Donovan Markiowics, h Chad Holman
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#### LASALLE **Middle Fork SFWA** Danville. IL March 30-April 2, 2017

#### **Open Puppy (5S)**

#### J: Tom Jagielski & Kevin Remmers

- 1 PRETTY BLUE EYES A SWEET TOUCH OF CHARLIE B (D), by Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x MJ's Sweet Sugar Magnolia; o/h Robert Bakas
- 2 BLUE SKY POINTER (B), GSP
- 3 EASTON'S PEACHES NEVENE (B), by AFS Lost Creek Cast A Shadow x Nevene's One Tough Cooky; o Taylor Easton, h Brad Bucklin
- 4 BROOK'S PRAIRIE PIRATE (D), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Decan's Blazin' Bye; o/h Mark Brooks

#### **Open Derby (16S)**

#### J: Bobbie Sigmund & Barry Steinmetz

- 1 RU-JEM'S GRAND TOUCH BOURBON (D), by Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x Bark River Queen of Diamonds; o/h Jerry Mcgee
- 2 CH TURNING POINTS SHENANIGANS (B), by Masked Jack of Diamonds x Copley Wincrest Grand Theft Auto; o/h Julie Nelson
- 3 STROMBERG'S HOLDEN HANNAH (B), GSP
- 4 SCOUT ME UP GUNN (D), by Peter Gunn x Emma Tayshon; o John & M. Jergens, h Scott Johnson





**RICO'S HI PROOF BOOTLEGGER** 

#### Amateur Gun Dog (16S) J: Bobbie Sigmund & Brian Riggle

- 1 DC/GFC RICO'S HI PROOF BOOTLEGGER (D), by Barney's Hi Proof Ron Rico x Jayhawks Georgia Girl; o Chuck & M. Schaefer, h Chuck Schaefer
- 2 DC TNT'S SIRIUS RENEGADE BUDDY BOY (D), by TNT's Sirius Medicine Man x TNT's Renegade Gal Pal; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 3 DC DIAMOND HALL DANGEROUS WEAPON (D), by Diamond Hill Dangerous Man x TM's Tennessee Twister; o/h Paul & Lisa Pollock
- 4 PJ WILDFIRES LITTLE LEXI (B), GSP

#### Open Gun Dog (36S)

#### J: Kelley Donham & Lisa Pollock

- 1 TEJAS SADDLE UP CLARA BELLE (B), GSP
- 2 WILD WIND'S COCAINE BLUES (D), GSP
- 3 CH STARLIGHT'S CLOUDED TITAN (D), by Clyde's Double Trouble x Starlights Zeta Tauri; o Teresa Richmond & T. Brauer, h Kevin Remmers
- 4 SADDLE'S LIL BRANDY (B), GSP

#### Open Limited Gun Dog (23S)

#### J: Kelley Donham & Bobbie Sigmund

- FC/AFC MK'S MY LIL AMMO (B), by Sniksoh Free Boy x Chief's Nubbin's My Lil Lady; o Nick Blasi, h Scott Johnson
- 2 WILD WIND'S MAKING MONEY HONEY (B), GSP
- 3 GCG/DC/GFC/AFC TNT'S RAISE N' A RUCKUS (B), by DC Havapal's Renegade Billy Boy x Bourbon's Lucky Penny; o Tommy & Linda Thomas
- 4 A TRACE OF BOURBON WITH DIAMONDS (D), by GFC/FC Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x Sniksoh Little Diamond; o Rick & B. Hastings, h Scott Johnson



#### **BRENDI BROOKS COWBOY UP**

#### Amateur All Age (8S) J: Brian Riggle & Tom Jagielski

- 1 AFC BRENDI BROOKS COWBOY UP (D), by FC Broadway Joe VI x Brendi Brooks Cowgirl Up; o Ray & Mary Jo Trimble, h Ray Trimble
- 2 SADDLE'S LIL BRANDY (B), GSP
- 3 DC TNT'S SIRIUS RENEGADE BUDDY BOY (D), by TNT's Sirius Medicine Man x TNT's Renegade Gal Pal; o/h Tommy Thomas
- 4 Withheld



**TOUCH OF BOURBON LITTLE CHUG** 

#### Open All Age (18S)

#### J: Harold Heather & Kevin Remmers

- 1 FC MK'S MAGNIFICENT BANDITO (D), by Tee Bone x Chief's Nubbins My Lil' Lady; o Bill & M. Oliver, h Scott Johnson
- 2 Whitemarsh's Maxine's at it again (B), GSP
- 3 SKYJACK REGARDLESS (D), GSP
- 4 GFC/FC TOUCH OF BOURBON LITTLE CHUG (D), by Ru-Jem's A Touch of Bourbon x Lost Creek Kate; o Tom & Jane Wonderling, h Scott Johnson

#### GREATER MILWAUKEE Richard Bong Recreation Area Kansasville, WI April 15-16, 2017

Amateur Walking Puppy (5S) J: Jim Brigham & Tom Jagielski

- CLARICE HAVAPAL'S POCKET PISTOL (B), by Ginger's Ty Can Fly x Clark's High Caliber Bullet; o/h Bill Holtz
- 2 MJ'S BOX OF RAIN (B), o/h Mike Dally
- 3 GOODGOING OCTOBER FROST (D), ES
- 4 HIGHMOOR'S FIELD MARSHALL (D), ES

#### Amateur Walking Derby (8S)

#### J: Jim Brigham & Tom Jagielski

- 1 BARK RIVER FRESH WATER PEARL (B), by Touch Of Bourbon Little Chug x Bark River Queen Of Diamonds; o Jeff & Kari Stanton, h Jeff Stanton
- 2 KRUSE'S K-NINE BLAZE'S LAST DANCE (B), by CJB's One For The Road Make It A Jameson x Kruze's K-Nine Jazmine; o Lori Kruse, h John Kruse
- 3 WILD FIRE'S ABBY (B), GSP
- 4 SAM HILL'S ONE WILD RYDE (D), by Sam Hill's Rev It Up Rowdy x Sam Hill's Bell O' The Ball; o/h Sam Thompson

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

#### J: Adam DeLude & Dave Oberst

- BARK RIVER FRESH WATER PEARL (B), by Touch Of Bourbon Little Chug x Bark River Queen Of Diamonds; o Jeff & Kari Stanton, h Jeff Stanton
- 2 HY STEPPIN ANNIE OAKLEY (B), by FC Jaoub's Buzz'n Bayou x Super Natural; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 3 SAM HILL'S ONE WILD RYDE (D), by Sam Hill's Rev It Up Rowdy x Sam Hill's Bell O' The Ball; o/h Sam Thompson
- 4 Withheld



**MJ'S SWEET SUGAR MAGNOLIA** 

Amateur Walking Gun Dog (14S) J: Adam DeLude & Dave Oberst 1 - MCVEIGH'S AYERIE SOCERER'S APPRENTICE (D), ES

- 2 FC/AFC HY STEPPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING (B). by Nolan's Last Bullet x Vanpo's KY Queen; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott
- 3 FC/AFC MJ'S SWEET SUGAR MAGNOLIA (B). Hei's Kentucky Tiki; o/h Mike Dally
- 4 Withheld

#### **Open Gun Dog (8S)**

#### J: Adam DeLude & Dave Oberst

- 1 P J WILDFIRES LITTLE LEXI (B), GSP
- 2 CJB'S ONE FOR THE ROAD MAKE IT A JAMESON (D), by DC/AFC Ru-Jem's A Touch Of Bourbon x FC Lost Creek Kate; o/h Jim Brigham
- 3 FC/AFC HY STEPPIN LIBBY'S LIEBLING (B), by Nolan's Last Bullet x Vanpo's KY Queen; o Chris & Gerilyn Sennott, h Chris Sennott
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#### **Open Limited Gun Dog (4S0**

J: Jim Brigham & Tom Jagielski

- 1 P J WILDFIRES LITTLE LEXI (B), GSP
- 2 CH HONEY RUN'S COWBOY POET (D), GSP
- 3-4 -Withheld

## MDWEST

#### NORTHERN OKLAHOMA Lake Murray Field Trial Grounds Ardmore, OK January 27-30, 2017

#### **Open Puppy (16S)**

#### J: Bob Rankin & Jessica Carlson

- 1 SHE'S OUTA CONTROL (B), by TLM Co Pilot x Mk's My Lil Ammo; o/h Harlan Gerardy
- 2 TEJAS ONE AND ONLY (D), by Rusty's Runaway Buck x Esko's Git The Tequila; o/h Vic Carrington
- 3 SKF JR'S STARIGHT SHOOTER (D), by DC/ AFC Beaver's Straight Arrow x SKF Little Miss Beretta JH; o Steven & Kelly Foster & M. Harris
- 4 B&T'S HOOCH WITH A TWIST (D), by CH Hoochi Coochie Man x Tequila Twister; o Brian & Trasa Shinpoch, h Scott Johnson

#### **Open Derby (13S)**

#### J: Bob Rankin & Richard Beaver

- 1 SKF MISS CHEAP BOURBON WHISKEY (B), by FC/AFC Firestarter's Crossed The Line x SKF Little Miss Beretta JH; o Steven & Kelly Foster & Herb Rea, h Scott Johnson
- 2 WICHITA WILD WOMAN (B), by FC/AFC Shady's Count Kid x MK's My Lil Ammo; o

Chris & Laura Roberds, h Scott Johnson

- 3 WAYSIDE'S BLUE BELLE (B), by DC Blueridge Hunter Gonna Fly x CH Wayside's Am I Blue; o Thomas & Melody Longfellow, h Scott Johnson
- by DC/FC Sweetwater Billy Tucker x Vande 4 CH TURNING POINTS SHENANIGANS (B), by GCH/DC Masked Jack of Diamonds x CH Copley Wincrest Grand Theft Auto JH; o Julie Nelson, h Scott Johnson

#### **Open Gun Dog (24S)**

#### J: Bob Rankin & Tom Milam

- 1 FC/AFC BEAVER'S STRAIGHT ARROW CUTTER (D), by CH Trugritz Briers Gift x Big Sky Brandy II: o/h Richard & Amanda Beaver
- 2 TRASA'S LITTLE SKY DANCER (B), by FC/AFC KD's Shadow-Dancer x Trasa's Little Ann SH; o Brian & Trasa Shinpoch, h Scott Johnson
- 3-FC/AFC ST CLAIR'S PRINCE ROCCO VULCANO LEO (D), by SLW Prince Duke Jr x Misty Mourning XXII; o Jon E. St Clair, h Scott Johnson
- 4 GRADE 8 BOLT (D), by DC Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper x DC/AFC Tsunami; o William Oliver, h Scott Johnson

#### **Open All Age (18S)**

#### J: Keith Richardson & Ronnie Sale

- 1 SHADYS DESERT KNIGHT (D), by Gun runner's lady's man x Desert Rose IV: o Rick Conner. h Tom Milam
- 2 FC/AFC FIRESTARTER'S CROSSED THE LINE (D), by FC Making R-Point x Windtuck's Enough Said; o Andi Christenson & Vickie Rankin, h Ed Tillson
- 3 JR'S COOL HAND LUKE (D), by FC/AFC KB's Shadow-Dancer x Wakta JH: o Matt Harris, h Scott Johnson
- 4 DC JUST CALL ME LUCKY NED PEPPER (D). by DC/AFC Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper x Caney River TNT's Special Buget; o/h Franklin Campbell

#### **Region 8 Amateur Brittany Championship The Dub Emde Challenge**

#### By Tom Milam

This championship is named for Dub Emde. For years, Dub was the "Keeper of the Grounds". He mowed, filled feeders, cleaned the barn and kennels and picked up trash. Very few trials were run on these grounds, Pointers/Setters, Brittanys, Wiems, GSPs and early on Beagles, that he did assist in some manner. He drove the dog wagon for many and would occasionally catch a nap during the running of a brace requiring someone to go find him and the wagon.

A very sincere "Thank You" must be extended to Purina for its support of this trial and field trials. They furnish products and ad assistance to so many championships. Their dog food is the best on the market.

We were lucky to have enlisted, "draft" two will gualified judges, Keith Richardson and Ronnie Sale. Two gentlemen that know how to run doos and win!

Pros Scott Johnson and Ed Tillson planted birds. "Old Steady" Rick Conner drove the dog wagon, without getting stuck. Although, many were taking bets. Trey Baer furnished and cooked hamburgers one night without charring any of the patties or burning any buns. Linda and Jan Conner fixed lunches and the Freidrichs of San Angelo brought a great Pound Cake that was quickly devoured.

Saturday morning the temperature was in the mid 30s with a north wind of 10-15 mph and a cloudy sky.

#### The Running:

Brace 1. SS Rig's Colorado Gun Runner -Milam & MK's My Lil Ammo (BB) – Campbell: The brace broke from camp with both dogs vivying for the front. After a big cast to the south and rounded up, Rig's was found standing at 10 behind the brush line as the course declines to Manck's crossing. An extended flushing attempt finally was successful. Rig's maintained his composure during the flush and shot. BB was crossing Lem Roberts road as Rig's was gathered and brought to the front. Both dogs wheeled and pointed at the first mott east of Lem Roberts. Judge Sale advised that a quail had left prior to the arrival of the dogs. Both were released and continued to Girl Scout point taking the left edge to the lake. Rig's was difficult and reluctant. He worked the handler and scout. Rig's had a non- productive leaving Tent Pad point, BB had continued her forward race. She scored a find with good style at the mott before Pond 2. The brace ended with Rig's leaving Cedar point and BB south on the point.

Brace 2: High Point Spike - Baer & Tequila Scorcher (Lincoln) - Beaver: Breakaway was from the meadow at the curve north of the Double Motts. This pair hit the ground running with big opening casts carrying them to and out of the Bear Trap. These forward casts at good speed continued around Bedspring corner, thru the Fireworks area and thru Bird Valley into Air Port point. Lincoln established point to the right on the crest of the point. Spike had continued north into the point. Beaver flushed a small covey with all in order. As the scout returned Spike to the front, Spike was in full speed ahead. As he gained the crest, Spike encountered one of the previously flushed birds. He wheeled to point but his momentum caused him to settle. This ended a good effort. Lincoln had a second find at Little Pond point. He was high on both ends. As we crossed Manck Crossing, he headed west to the far tree line and turned to the front. After a few yards, he carded his third piece of bird work again with style and intensity. This occurred at 43 and he settled into hunting mode



#### L-R - Richard Beaver with FC/AFC Tequila Scorcher, Judge Keith Richardson, Tom Milam with FC/AFC SS Rig's Colorado Gun Runner; Judge Ronnie Sale, Matt Harris with Arrow's Tequila Rustler, Dr Bob Rankin, and Terry Gowin with FC/AFC MK's My Lil Ammo.

and his range modified. The brace ended in the West Country as the course turned east.

Brace 3: Shady's Desert Knight – Milam & Ocaje (Grace) – Gowin: Breakaway was from the west ridge with the course going south. Both dogs were forward and attacking the course. They crossed the Pond Four dam well in front of their handlers. They were found pointing at the apex of the brush line east of the pond. Grace was on the south side and Knight was on the north side. This was good! They then proceeded to knock and scatter the covey to hell and back in front of everyone. THIS WASN'T SO GOOD!!!! The temperature had climbed to the upper 50s under a partially clouded sky.

Brace 4: Just Call Me Lucky Ned Pepper – Campbell & Arrow's Tequila Rustler(Rusty) – Beaver: Ned suffered blown pads and was up early. Rusty was forward and had a find at the feeder before Manck Crossing. He had the quail cornered in heavy cover. Beaver flushed and fired with Rusty maintaining perfect manners. Across Lem Roberts his efforts were again rewarded with his second piece of well executed bird work. He continued a forward race and diligent hunting mode around the course. His through search of likely spots did not produce further bird work but Rusty made some nice casts with the brace ending on Cedar Point. A job well done.

Brace 5: Kinwashkly Tempo – Rankin & Rammer Jammer Jax – Baer: Breakaway was from the meadow north of the Double Motts. Both dogs broke hard to the front with gusto. They maintained their forward race around the course with little urging from their handlers. At the bottom of Bird Valley, Rankin calls point for Tempo. Jax helped in the flushing with Tempo maintain his composure through the "help" and subsequent shot by Rankin. Jax was corralled and Tempo continued to the Air Port point. Instead of making a right turn, he continued north. The scout rounded him up and gave him back to the handler east of the Air Point. Tempo hit the tree line on the left and as he rounded the first point, he wheeled and pointed. As his handler started his flushing attempt, Tempo self-released. This ended a very promising effort.

Brace 6: TLM Pete Nocona – Milam & Campbell's Razz Ma Tazz – Campbell: Breakaway was from the above mentioned point. Pete was forward at good range but was lost in the West Country. He did not have bird work before being misplaced. Razz was forward at moderate range with no bird contact early. After leaving the West Country, he scored twice on the line headed south to Pond 4. He also had another find but was not pleasing his handler and was picked up.

Sunday morning was warmer, upper 30s. There was less wind and clouds.

Brace 7: Dakota Sun – Nakamura & Firestarter's Crossed The Line(Ty) – Rankin: Breakaway was from camp at 8:30. Sunny ran through a covey a 5. Ty was not involved. After he crossed the oil well road he cast right and was not returned to judgement. He was later found on the west side of the tree line south of the oil well, buried up on point. The find of the stake.

Brace 8: Checote – Nakamura & TLM Poncho Villa – Milam: Neither of these dogs were pleasing their handlers and were up early. We gathered in the club house for placements. The winner was Champion Tequila Scorcher handled by Richard Beaver. The owner is Bernie Crain and he is in the string of pro Ed Tillson. The Runner Up was SS Rig's Colorado Gun Runner owned by Linda and Tom Milam. She lets me run him. Pressing the winners were Arrow's Tequila Rustler and MK's My Little Ammo. The placements were well received by the handlers and spectators. Our special thanks are extended to our judges, Keith and Ronnie, for taking time out from their busy schedule to ride for us.

#### Dub Emde Challenge Amateur All Age 1hr(16S)

#### J: Keith Richardson & Ronnie Sale

- 1 FC/AFC TEQUILA SCORCHER (D), by DC Almaden's River of Shadows x DC/AFC Tequila With A Twist; o Charles B. Crain, h Richard Beaver
- 2 FC/AFC SS'S RIG'S COLORADO GUN RUNNER (D), by Eleet's Colorado Blue x Gun Runner's Diamond Forever; o Linda & Tom Milam, h Tom Milam
- 3 ARROW'S TEQUILA RUSTLER (D), by Beaver's Straight Arrow x Runner's Tequila Rose; o Sandy Becker, h Richard Beaver
- 4 FC/AFC MK'S MY LIL AMMO (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Free Boy x FC/AFC Chief's Nubbins My Lil Lady; Nick Blasi, h Frank Campbell

#### SKYLINE South Republican Wildlife Area Burlington, CO March 11-12, 2016

## Amateur Walking Puppy (12S)

#### J: Tim Gonzales & Alan Davison

- HIDEAWAY'S MOCHA MOHAWK (D), by CH FireStarter's All In x Probable Cause; o/h Steve Lund
- 2 SNIKSOH HANKS HATCH (D), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh's Spanks Hank x Sniksoh Bounces

Babe; o/h Adam Freeman

- 3 DAN-DE WEEDOT (B), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh's Spanks Hak x Dan-De Katey Bar The Door JH; o Daniel & Denise Collins, h Dan Collins
- 4 RT66 SPEEDWAY RACER (B), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh Spank's Hank x NAGC/GAFC/FC/AFC High Hopes Little Ann; o/h Jim Austin

#### **Open Puppy (19S)**

#### J: Duane Kirkley & Tim Gonzales

- 1 KEG CREEK NOLAN RYAN (D), GSP
- 2 AO KEG CREEK TRIPPS TO WIN (D), GSP
- 3 HIDEAWAY'S MOCHA MOHAWK (D), by CH FireStarter's All In x Probable Cause; o Steve Lund, h Steve Change
- 4 FUZZ (D), by Bony Bud x Kountry Boy's Tumbleweed; o/h Dave Lincoln

#### Amateur Walking Derby (5S)

#### J: Aaron Davis & Gary Fromme

- 1 GABBE'S HIGH PLAINS ROYALE FLUSH (B), GSP
- 2 DAN-DE WEEDOT (B), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh's Spanks Hank x Dan-De Katey Bar The Door JH; o Daniel & Denise Collins, h Dan Collins
- 3 WINDTUCK'S JUMPING CHOLLA (B), by Hideaway's Souvenir of South Park x Windtuck's Blazing Dynasty; o/h Lori Hugh
- 4 CH WINDTUCK MILLETTE DORA EXPLORER (B), by GCH/CH Millette's On Target x Windtuck's Full Of Grace; o Leslee Masolotte & M. Millette, h Jim & Leslee Masolotte

#### Open Derby (10S)

#### J: Gary Fromme & Jim Adrian

- 1 AO KEG CREEK TRIPPS TO WIN (D), GS
- 2 GABBE'S HIGH PLAINS ROYALE FLUSH (B), GSP
- 3 SNIKSOH EVOLUTION (B), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh Spank's Hank x FC Sniksoh Super Snooper; o/h Jeff Hoskins
- 4 WINDTUCK'S JUMPING CHOLLA (B), by Hideaway's Souvenir Of South Park x Windtuck's Blazing Dynasty; o/h Lori Hugh

#### Amateur Gun Dog (18S)

#### J: Allen Davis & Aaron Davis

- 1 KELLY'S KRAZY KOBY (D), by FC/AFC Light Em-Up Luke JH x Windtuck Say'n it Like it is JH; o/h Kelly Porter
- 2 SOUTHWIND'S FLATIRONS CRUISE (D), VIZ
- GODFATHER'S RED FEATHER GUNSLINGER
   (D), by Godfather's Head-Rush x Godfather's Romani; o/h Aimon Aikanani
- 4 AO OUTLAW DOUBLE BARREL EXPRESS (D), GSP

#### Open Gun Dog (16S)

#### J: Dauane Kirkley & Alan Davison

- 1 KELLY'S KRAZY KOBY (D), by FC/AFC Light Em-Up Luke JH x WindtuckSay'n it Like it is JH; o/h Kelly Porter
- 2 GODFATHER'S RED FEATHER GUNSLINGER (D), by Godfather's Head-Rush x Godfather's Romani; o Aimon Aikannani, h Steve Chang
- 3 TURTLE MOUNTAIN TEMPEST (B), P
- 4 GUN BARREL GODFATHER AUGUSTUS (D), by BBB's Lucky Strike x Godfather's Soprano; o
   B. Fisher, h Steve Chang

#### **Open All Age (7S)**

#### J: Steve Bailey & Jim Adrian

- 1 GUN BARREL GODFATHER AUGUSTUS (D), by BBB's Lucky Strike x Godfather's Soprano; o B. Fisher, h Steve Chang
- 2 AFC TABLE MOUNTAIN'S LULU (B), by Foster's Buddy II x DeCan's Blazin Bye; o/h Allen Davis
- 3-4 Withheld

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

#### J: Allen Davis & Gary Fromme

- 1 GABBE'S HIGH PLAINS ONCE IN A BLUE MOON (D), GSP
- 2 FC SNIKSOH SUPER SNOOPER (B), by FC/ AFC Sniksoh Free Boy x FC Sniksoh Sweet Hershey Kiss; o/h Jeff Hoskins
- 3 FC/NAFC ISKOTE ANIMIKEE (D), IS
- 4 DAN-DE KATEY BAR THE DOOR (B), by BBB's Lucky Strike x Spanky's Little Rascal My Pick Missy JH; o Daniel & Denise Collins, h Daniel Collins

#### SOUTHERN KANSAS Oliver Ranch Eureka, KS March 17-19, 2017

#### Open Puppy (8S)

#### J: Steve McClure & Dr. Robert Rankin

- 1 B & T'S HOOCH WITH A TWIST (D), by CH Hoochie Coochie Man x Tequila Twister; o Brian & Trasa Shinpoch, h Trasa Shinpoch
- 2 TREASURE STATE'S TOONEY'S TRIBUTE (D), by Beaver's Straight Arrow x SKF Little Miss Beretta; o Ronald E. Noe, h Steven Foster
- 3 GREEN ACRES JAZZEE (B), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh Spanks Hank x Sniksoh Boomers Babe; o/h Ken Seivert
- 4 SKF JR'S STRAIGHT SHOOTER (D), by DC/ AFC Beavers Straight Arrow x SKF Little Miss Beretta JH; o Steven Foster & Matt Harris, h Matt Harris

#### Open Derby (18S)

#### J: Stan Truksa & Steve McClure

- 1 WIYANNA (B), by DC Blueridge Hunter Gonna Fly x GFC/FC/AFC Ocaje JH; o/h Terry Gowin
- 2 B & T'S HOOCH WITH A TWIST (D), by CH Hoochie Coochie Man x Tequila Twister; o Brian & Trasa Shinpoch, h Trasa Shinpoch
- 3 TROUX GRIT (D), by FC/AFC Jo-Lockapex Dark Roux Gumbo x Kanza Dynamite; o/h David Lincoln
- 4 OVER UNDER'S KICK IT OUT (B), by FC Legacy's Pine Bandit x CH Over Under's Killin Time JH; o Eileen Gust, h Scott Johnson

#### Amateur Gun Dog (4S)

#### J: Steve McClure & Dr. Robert Rankin

- 1 TRASA'S LITTLE SKY DANCER (B), by FC KB's Shadow Dancer x Trasa's Little Ann SH; o Trasa Noyes, h Scott Johnson
- 2 FC/AFC ST. CLAIR'S PRINCE ROCCO VULCANO LEO (D), by SLW Prince Duke Jr x Misty Morning XXIII; o/h Jon St. Clair
- 3-4 Withheld

#### Open Gun Dog (17S)

#### J: Steve McClure & Dr. Robert Rankin

- 1 GCH/CH COPLEY-SHELTTANY ECHO OF ANGELS (B), by GCH Shelttany's Against All Odds x CH Llbertie-Copley More Mimosa?; o Julio Rodriguez, h Scott Johnson
- 2 CH FIRESTARTER'S ALL IN (D), by UGH Stumblin' From The Shadow x CH Decan's Bitterroot Bridgette; o Andrea Christensen, h Ed Tillson
- 3 TELTEX JAYHAWK (D), by FC Wimberly Jimdandy x FC Countess Mon Petite Whiz; o W. Oliver, h Scott Johnson
- 4 CH SHILOH'S PREMIERE LADY DUAL OAKS (B), by DC Redline's Smokin Gun x CH Shiloh's Tru Believer JH; o Chris & Leslie Robinson, h Scott Johnson





SPARKY'S PRAIRIE WIND GYPSY



STONEY HILL'S PRINCESS FIONA

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

#### J: Charlie Collier & Tom Milam

- FC MK'S MAGNIFICENT BANDITO (D), by Tee Bone x Chief's Nubbins My Lil' Lady; o Bill & M. Oliver, h Scott Johnson
- 2 FC CRESCENT CITY GIRL (B), by NAGDC/AFC Clydes Double Trouble x CH Starlights Zeta Tauri; o Barry & Petra Steinmetz, h Ed Tillson
- 3 FC/NFC/FC/AFC 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 Champion, handled by Jessica Carlson. The

4 - STONEY HILL'S PRINCESS FIONA (B), by FC Rocklan's Whizzle Stop x FC Cast-A-Britt Micro Sammie; o Phil & Louise Corlew, h Scott Johnson

#### Region 17 Amateur All Age Brittany Championship

Once again, the beautiful Oliver Ranch in the Flint Hills of Kansas was the venue for the Region 17 Amateur All Age Brittany Championship hosted by the Southern Kansas Brittany Club. This year was a good turnout as we had 18 dogs compete for this prestigious award. The judges were not left wanting for a Champion though, as nearly every dog had bird work to their credit, and the title became well contested.

The Southern Kansas Brittany Club does great work putting on quality events at the Oliver Ranch, and this one again came off without a hitch. They are fortunate to have several active and contributing members to make their trials always enjoyable and well regarded.

Two well-seasoned judges were chosen for this renewal of the Championship. Charlie Collier and Stan Truksa enjoyed watching these dogs put on great performances.

The weather was windy and warm during this event and the first three braces set the standard for the Championship. In the first brace, Kinwashkly Tempo set the stage with Bob Rankin handling. Tempo had a nice race and placed fourth. In the second brace, Firestarter's Crossed the Line, also handled by Bob Rankin had a real nice performance which earned him Runner-up Champion. This dog keeps knocking on the door, as he was the 2016 Runner-Up Champion, handled by Jessica Carlson. The third brace finished out all the placements with Tequila Scorcher, handled by Richard Beaver, taking third place. It should be noted that Scorcher was the 2016 Champion, handled by Jessica Carlson. Ocaje, handled by Terry Gowin, had a great race; one find and a stop to flush to be named Champion. Terry said that this was her best performance she has ever run. Although the next six braces had some nice dogs and plenty of bird work, none could match the performances of those in the first three braces.

Having such great grounds contributes greatly to having this prestigious event on their grounds. Also, thanks to all those who kept this event running smooth; Terry Gowin, Herb Rea, Matt Harris, Larry Hagedorn, Mike Lager and Steven Foster.

#### Region 17 Brittany Amateur All Age Championship

## Grand Amateur Limited All Age 1hr(18S)

#### J: Charlie Collier & Stan Truksa

- GFC/FC/AFC OCAJE JH (B), by NFC/NAFC/FC/ AFC Just Call Me Roy x CH/AFC Nahela JH; o/h Terry Gowin
- 2 FC/AFC FIRESTARTER'S CROSSED THE LINE (D), by FC Making R-Point x FC Windtuck's Enough Said; o Andrea Christensen & V. Rankin, h Dr. Robert Rankin
- 3 FC/AFC TEQUILA SCORCHER (D), by DC Almaden's River Of Shadows x DC/AFC Tequila With A Twist; o Charles B. Crain, h Richard Beaver

## **REGION 17 AMATEUR ALL AGE BRITTANY CHAMPIONSHIP**



Left to Right: Terry Gowin with Ocaje, Matt Harris, Linda Milam, Judge Stan Truksa, Bob Rankin with Firestarter's Crossed the Line, Larry Hagedorn, Judge Charlie Collier, Harlene Johnson, Steven Foster with Tequila Scorcher, Brent Lindback with Kinwashkly Tempo, Tom Milam

4 - DC KINWASHKLY TEMPO (D), by FC/AFC Trademark's Iceman x Can DC Kinwashkly French Velour; o Joyce Miley & Leslie Andreas, h Dr. Robert Rankin

#### MIDWEST Oliver Ranch Eureka, KS March 24-26, 2017

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

#### J: Phil Mathiowetz & Frank Campbell

- 1 WILLIE MAKEIT (D), by TLM Copilot x J & M Jax Sugar Babe; o Harlan Gerardy, h Scott Johnson
- 2 WIYANNA (B), by Blueridge Hunter Gonna Fly x Ocaje; o/h Terry Gowin
- 3 SKF JR'S STRAIGHT SHOOTER (D), by Beavers Straight Arrow x SKF Little Miss Beretta; o Steven & Kelly Foster & Matt Harris, h Matt Harris
- 4 FUZZ (D), by Bony Bud x Kountry Boy's Tumbleweed; o/h David Lincoln

#### **Open Derby (16S)**

#### J: Matt Kitchen & Phil Mathiowetz

- 1 MY LIL SHADY KID (D), by Shady's Count Kid x MK's My Lil Ammo; o/h Nick Blasi
- 2 TROUX GRIT (D), by Jo-Lockapex Dark Roux Gumbo x Kanza Dynamite; o/h David Lincoln
- 3 OVER UNDERS KICK IT OUT (B), by Legacy's Pine Bandit x Over Under's Killin Time; o Eileen Gust, h Scott Johnson
- 4 SCOUT ME UP GUNN (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/ FC/AFC Peter Gunn X FC/AFC Emma Tayshon; o John & M. Jergens, h Scott Johnson

#### Amateur Gun Dog (8S)

#### J: Larry Meek & Mike Lager

- 1 HI-N'S DIAMONDS IN THE SKY, GSP
- 2 THE KANSAS WIND (B), GPS
- 3-4 Withheld

#### Open Gun Dog (26S)

#### J: Larry Meek & Mike Lager

- 1 CH TJ'S GREATEST JOY (B), by Shadow Attack x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o Joe Cummings & Scott Kohler, h Ed Tillson
- 2 HI-N'S DIAMONDS IN THE SKY (B), GSP
- 3 GRADE 8 BOLT (D), by Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper x Tsunami; o William Oliver, h Scott Johnson
- 4 DC TURNING PTS LANDSLIDE (D), by ricochet Maggie's Jac x Ammo's the Show that Never Ends; o Julie Nelson, h Scott Johnson

#### Open All Age (26S)

#### J: Matt Kitchen & Ken Sanderson

- 1 FC/AFC MK'S MY LIL AMMO (B), by Sniksoh Freeboy x Chief's Nubbins My Lil Lady; o/h Nick Blasi
- 2 FC MK'S MAGNIFICENT BANDITO (D), by Tee Bone x Chief's Nubbins My Lil Lady; o Bill & M. Oliver, h Dave Lincoln
- 3 GFC/FC TOUCH OF BOURBON LITTLE CHUG (D), by Ru-Jem's A Touch of Bourbon x Lost Creek Kate; o Tom H. & Jane L. Wonderling, h Scott Johnson
- 4 FC/AFC FIRESTARTERS CROSSED THE LINE (D), by Making R-Point; x Windtucks Enough Said; o Andrea Christensen & Vicki Rankin, h Ed Tillson

#### CENTRAL NEW MEXICO Bernardo, NM April 8-9, 2017

#### Amateur Walking Puppy (4S)

#### J: Ricardo Renteria & Maria Zucconi

- 1 EHRENVOGEL-RUGERHEIM'S PISTOL PACKIN MAMA (B), GSP
- 2 BARRETT'S CIVIL WARRIOR (B), WEIM
- 3 BARRETT'S INDEPENDENCE INN (B), WEIM
- 4 YONG GUN'S RUGERHEIM NOBODY DOES IT BETTER (B), GSP

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

#### J: Ricardo Renteria & Maria Zucconi

- 1 EHRENVOGEL-RUGERHEIM'S PISTOL PACKIN MAMA (B), GSP
- 2 BARRETT'S INDEPENDENCE INN (B), WEIM
- 3 Yong Guns-Rugerheim's Maggie May (B), GSP
- 4 BARRETT'S CIVIL WARRIOR (B), WEIM

#### Amateur Walking Derby (4S)

#### J: Ricardo Renteria & Maria Zucconi

- 1 Yong Guns Rugerheim hot Tamale (B), GSP
- 2 MASONRIDGE, AJAX 2THE K MAX (D), by MasonRidge's Ajax Rebel x K Nine's High Caliber; o Guy & Claudia Shelander, h Guy Shelander
- 3 RUGERHEIM'S LOOKIN' AT BECKHAM (D), GSP
- 4 SCARLETT VI (B), GSP

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

#### J: Ricardo Renteria & Maria Zucconi

 MASONRIDGE, AJAX 2THE K MAX (D), by MasonRidge's Ajax Rebel x K Nine's High Caliber; o Guy & Claudia Shelander, h Guy Shelander

- 2 RUGERHEIM'S LOOKIN' AT BECKHAM (D), GSP
- 3 YONG GUN'S RUGERHEIM NOBODY DOES IT BETTER (B), GSP
- 4 Withheld

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

#### J: Tommy Negrete & Rick Petersen

- 1 AUTUMN'S PUMKIN SPICE (B), by Light Em Up Luke x Wintuck Winter Jazz; o/h Bill White
- 2 MASONRIDGE'S AJAX REBEL (D), by Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x Ajax Diamond Dyna-mite; o/h Guy Shelander
- 3-4 Withheld

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

#### J: Vicki Northington & Tommy Negrete

- 1 RUGERHEIM'S KATIE BOZ PRINCE LUCCA (D), GSP
- 2 AUTUMN'S PUMKIN SPICE (B), by Light Em Up Luke x Wintuck Winter Jazz; o/h Bill White
- 3 MASON RIDGE'S MAVERICK (D), by MasonRidge's Ajax Rebel x Doc Holiday's Katie Elder; o/h Guy Shelander
- 4 MASONRIDGE'S AJAX REBEL (D), by Rebel Jac's A Hammerin Dandy x Ajax Diamond Dyna-mite; o/h Guy Shelander

#### NEBRASKA Branched Oak Lake Raymond, NE April 14-20, 2017

#### Open Puppy (5S)

#### J: Bruce Heiter & Ken Windom

- 1 TEQUILA'S HOT TAMALE (B), by FC/AFC FireSTarter's Crossed The Line x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o/h Ed Tillson
- 2 GREEN ACRES JAZZEE (B), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh Spanks Hank x Sniksoh Boomers Babe; o/h KenSEivert
- 3 TNT'S COUNTRY ROAD RUNNER (D), by Country Road's Firecracker x CH TNT's Renegade Gal Pal; o Tommy & Linda Thomas, h Tommy Thomas
- 4 WOLF RIVER TIBURON (D), by Banjo XVII x Suddenly I See; o Sue Blackman & Julie Kanter, h Al Gorrow

#### Open Derby (8S)

#### J: Stanley Truksa & Wesley Felt

- SCOUT ME UP GUNN (D), by NAGDC/NGDC/ FC/AFC Peter Gunn x FC/AFC Emma Tayshon; o John Jergens, h Scott Johnson
- 2 OVER UNDER'S KICK IT OUT (B), by FC Legacy's Pine Bandit x CH Over Under's Killin'

Time JH; o Eileen Gust, h Scott Johnson

- 3 RU-JEM'S GRAND TOUCH BOURBON (D), by FC/GFC Touch of Bourbon little Chug x FC/ AFC Bark River Queen of Diamonds; o/h Jerry McGee
- 4 ROYAL FLUSH BETTIN' ON BLACK (D), by NGDC/NAGDC/FC/AFC Peter Gunn x FC/AFC Emma Tayshon; o Samantha James & Dan Dodson, h Ed Tillson

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

#### J: Bruce Heiter & Ken Windom

- 1 CH FIRESTARTER'S ALL IN (D), by Ugh Stumblin' From The Shadow x CH DeCan's Bitterroot Bridgette; o Andrea Christensen, h Ed Tillson
- 2 DC HOOCHIE COOCHIE MAN (), by FC/AFC Ramblin Man x Independence Day; o Pam Baird, h Ed Tillson
- 3 FC/AFC ST CLAIR'S PRINCE ROCCO VULCANO LEO (D), by SLW Prince Duke Jr x Misty Morning XXII; o Jon E. St. Clair, h Scott Johnson
- 4 AFC HI-N'S DIAMONDS IN THE SKY (B), GSP

#### Amateur All Age (13S)

#### J: Terry Gowin & Wesley Felt

- 1 FC KJ'S IRISH WHIZKY (D), by FC Rocklan's Whizzle Stop x FC Cast-A-Britt Micro Sammie; o Kenneth & Jane Windom, h Ken Windom
- 2 FC CRESCENT CITY GIRL (B), by DC NAGDC/ AFC Clydes Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Barry & Petra Steinmetz, h Barry Steinmetz
- 3 FARM GIRL PEARL (B), by GFC/FC Touch of Bourbon Little Chug x Sniksoh Little Diamond; o/h Bruce Heiter
- 4 DC TNT'S SIRIUS RENEGADE BUDDY BOY (D), by TNT's Sirius Medicine Man x TNTs Renegade Gal Pal; o/h Tommy Thomas

#### **Open All Age (25S)**

#### J: Jim Douglas, Jr. & Terry Gowin

- 1 FC CRESCENT CITY GIRL (B), by NAGDC/DC/ AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Barry & Petra Steinmetz, h Ed Tillson
- 2 FC/AFC MK'S MY LIL AMMO (B), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Free Boy x FC/AFC Chief's Nubbin's My lil lady; o Nick Blasi, h Scott Johnson
- 3 FC/AFC TEQUILA SCORCHER (D), by DC Almaden's River of Shadows x DC/AFC Tequila With A Twist; o Charles B. Crain, h Ed Tillson
- 4 FC SHADY'S DESSERT KNIGHT (D), by Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose; o Rick Conner, h Scott Johnson

#### 2017 Nebraska Brittany Championship

The 2017 running of the NEBRASKA BRITTANY CHAMPIONSHIP was held April 17-19, 2017 at the Branched Oak Field Trial Area near Raymond, Nebraska. The Nebraska Championship is hosted by the Nebraska Brittany Club and followed the regional club event held April 14-16.

There are some fine folks we need to mention for their contribution to the success of this Championship event. Claudia and Stan Truksa spend many hours planning this event for the Nebraska Brittany Club. Claudia is the event secretary along with dog wagon driver extraordinaire. Stan and Wesley Felt planted birds every morning and rode the event with Stan as the Marshall and Wesley as the Reporter. We thank these dedicated folks for their hard work in order to maintain a premier field event in the Brittany world.

The Branched Oak field trial ground has a large lodge used to gather for socializing and meals. The meals are prepared by the Wagner family. Thank you goes out to Karen and George and the family for their continued support of this event.

The sponsors for the Nebraska Brittany Championship are Nestle Purina and Sportdog. Nestle Purina gives both money toward the running of this event and Pro Plan products for the winners. Purina is fed to several dogs running in this event as testimony to the quality of feed used in the Pro Plan dog products. Jim Moorehouse from Sportdog provided a Sport Hunter 1825 training collar to the Runner-up Champion and the Champion received the Pro Hunter 2525 training collar. We thank these sponsors for their continued support.

The judges for this year's event were Tim Thaden from Nebraska and Pete Wilken from Kansas. These two judges were up to the task of three days of riding through cold and rainy weather to select the true all age competitors for this Championship.

Branched Oak trial grounds area provides ample space to show a true all age bird dog. The judges had several dogs to choose from with the all-age range, intensity on birds pointed, and the handling necessary to be named as the Champion and Runner-up Champion.

Thirty-four dogs went to the line for this Championship. The Champion named for the 2017 Nebraska Brittany Championship was GFC/AFC RU-JEM'S "LAST" PENNY owned by Ruth & Jerry McGee and handled by Tom Tracy. The Runner-up Champion was FC SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY owned by Charles & Mary Jill Schaefer and handled by Ed Tillson.

The third place was awarded to DC JUST CALL ME LUCKY NED PEPPER owned and handled by Frank Campbell. Fourth place was awarded to SHADY'S DESERT KNIGHT owned by Rick Conner and handled by Scott Johnson. We began the Championship on Monday with temperatures in the 50's. The grounds were in pretty good shape even though we had severe thunderstorms the prior weekend. On Tuesday, the weather at 8am brought severe thunder and lightning so starting was delayed until 9am. On Wednesday, we regained our 8am start time and finished the Championship.

#### The Championship:

Brace 1 JAGOUB'S BUZZ'N BAYOU-Tracy and STONEY HILL'S PRINCESS FIONA-Johnson. JAGOUB'S BUZZ'N BAYOU had two finds and finished the hour. STONEY HILL'S PRINCESS FIONA made several nice hunting casts however her last cast she picked-up a bird and was sent to the dog wagon.

Brace 2: FIRESTARTER'S CROSSED THE LINE- Tilson and CASTAWAY WILSON- Tracy. Both dogs were not pleasing their handlers and were picked up before the hour.

Brace 3: JJ'S ALABASTER ANGEL (ANGIE)- Williams and TOUCH OF BOURBON LITTLE CHUG- Johnson. JJ'S ALABASTER ANGEL (ANGIE) began with a find at less than a minute into the brace. Her next find was not as successful as she self-released from point. TOUCH OF BOURBON LITTLE CHUG had a mishap with a bird midway through the brace.

Brace 4: KJ'S DARLIN' DARCY- Windom and THE CRASH SCENE- Tracy. KJ'S DARLIN' DARCY was lost midway through the brace and handler asked for the tracker. THE CRASH SCENE hunted the hour with no bird contact.

Brace 5: TLM TALL TALE- Tracy and KINWASHKLY TEMPO- Tillson. TLM TALL TALE went on point and KINWASHKLY TEMPO failed to back. Then the handler flushed for TLM TALL TALE and he leaped forward to help and was picked-up.

Brace 6: SHADY'S DESERT KNIGHT-Johnson and SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY-Tillson. SHADY'S DESERT KNIGHT found his bird early and showed an all age performance. Near the end of the hour he missed a pond and began to pace himself completing the hour. This performance was enjoyed by the judges as he was awarded fourth place. SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY had his first find near the fish camp. He had just finished a long edge run toward fish camp and we were all looking for him to show at the bottom. Scout called point near fish camp and we rode to a motionless point to flush. His second find was more of the same. He showed consistency in his range and finished the hour forward. This performance was enjoyed by the judges as he was named the Runner-Up Champion of the Nebraska Brittany Championship.

Brace 7: CAMPBELL'S RAZZ-MA-TAZZ-Campbell and CARPE DIEM- Johnson. CAMPBELL'S RAZZ-MA-TAZZ had a total of seven finds. He was forward and finished the hour. CARPE DIEM pointed midway through the hour, but at gun fire took too many steps to mark

## **NEBRASKA BRITTANY CHAMPIONSHIP**



Left to Right: Tim Thaden (Judge), Tom Tracy with GFC/ AFC RU-JEM'S "LAST" PENNY, Jerry McGee, Ed Tillson with FC SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY, Pete Wilken (Judge), Frank Campbell with DC JUST CALL ME LUCKY NED PEPPER, Stan Truksa, Scott Johnson with SHADY'S DESERT KNIGHT, and Wesley Felt.

the bird and was sent to the dog wagon.

Brace 8: CEDAR VALLEY FLYBY- Tracy and MK'S MY LIL AMMO- Johnson. CEDAR VALLEY FLYBY had a bird early. He began to lose the front and the handler elected to pick him up before the hour. MK'S MY LIL AMMO had one good find and one not so good and was sent to the dog wagon.

Brace 9: DRIVING MISS DAISY II- Tracy and A TRACE OF BOURBON WITH DIAMONDS-Johnson. DRIVING MISS DAISY II had an early nonproductive and one successful find. She began to lose the front and the handler elected to pick her up before the hour. TRACE OF BOURBON WITH DIAMONDS was scratched from this event.

Brace 10: ROUSTABOUT'S FLAT OUT-Tracy and JJ'S FEARLESS SAM- Gorrow. ROUSTABOUT'S FLAT OUT had three finds and a non-productive. The handler elected to pick up after his non-productive. JJ'S FEARLESS SAM was released, seen going to the corner, and after a reasonable time was considered lost.

Brace 11: CRESCENT CITY GIRL- Tilson and JUST CALL ME LUCKY NED PEPPER-Campbell. CRESCENT CITY GIRL had a real nice find and on the second point called the dog self-released and was placed in the dog wagon. JUST CALL ME LUCKY NED PEPPER was bird hunting from the beginning. All total for the brace he had six finds. He always had a forward and consistent run and finished the hour. This performance was enjoyed by the judges as he was awarded third place.

Brace 12: JJ'S DIABLO WITH RUSTY TEARS- Williams and GLADE RUN IRISH-Tracy. JJ'S DIABLO WITH RUSTY TEARS had three finds before he had trouble maintaining proper form on the fourth bird and was sent to the dog wagon. GLADE RUN IRISH had one find and then extended his hunting range to where he was considered lost after a reasonable amount of time.

Brace 13: MK'S MAGNIFICENT BANDITO-Johnson and TEQUILA SCORCHER- Tillson. MK'S MAGNIFICENT BANDITO had two finds early and then he put a bird up. TEQUILA SCORCHER had one find and finished the hour.

Brace 14: KINWASHKLY FAT BASTARD-Tracy and OCAJE- Gowin. KIINWASHKLY FAT BASTARD had three finds and finished the hour. OCAJE had a mishap with her first bird.

Brace 15: SNIKSOH LITTLE DIAMOND-Johnson and GEORGIAS TEXAS TWO STEP-Tracy. SNIKSOH LITTLE DIAMOND was scratched from this event. GEORGIAS TEXAS TWO STEP had two finds before his absence was consider too long and was ordered up.

Brace 16: KJ'S IRISH WHIZKY- Windom and RU-JEM'S "LAST" PENNY- Tracy. KJ'S IRISH WHIZKY was lost early. RU-JEM'S "LAST" PENNY ran at an all age range and continued to rim the horizon. She had four finds, the first within seven minutes and then about twenty minutes between second and third and five minutes before the hour she had her final point. At the final release, I turned around and saw a very pleased owner watching his little girl put on the finest performance this reporter has seen from her. Her performance was enjoyed by the judges and she was awarded the highest honor as Champion of the Nebraska Brittany Championship.

Brace 17: JJ'S LEVI THE LIONHEART-Williams and KASHMIR- Tracy. JJ'S LEVI THE LIONHEART had one find and finished the hour. KASHMIR was not pleasing his handler and was picked-up early.

Brace 18: SERENDIPITY'S TOP PRIORITY-Johnson and KOKOMO JOSIE JOE- Gorrow. SERENDIPITY'S TOP PRIORITY had problems with a bird early and was sent to the dog wagon. KOKOMO JOSIE JOE had a bird find early and then had issues with a non-productive and was picked up early. This concluded the running of the 2017 NEBRASKA BRITTANY CHAMPIONSHIP.

#### Nebraska Brittany Championship

#### Grand Open Limited All Age 1hr(34S) J: Tim Thaden & Peter Wilken

- 1 GFC/AFC RU-JEM'S "LAST" PENNY (B), by FC Trademark's ATM x Red Bud Zipper; o Jerry McGee, h Tom Tracy
- 2 FC SNIKSOH WINDTUCK WILLY (D), by FC/AFC Sniksoh Little Rascal x Windtuck's Sweet Liberty; o Charley & Mary Jill Schaefer, h Ed Tillson
- 3 DC JUST CALL ME LUCKY NED PEPPER (D), by DC/AFC Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Peper x Caney River TNT's Special Budget; o/h Franklin Campbell
- 4 SHADY'S DESSERT KNIGHT (D), by Gunrunner's Lady's Man x Desert Rose; o Rick Conner, h Scott Johnson

#### OREGON Madras, OR March 31-April 2, 2017

#### **Open Puppy (9S)**

#### J: Larry Sandusky & Rick Axtell

- TEQUILA'S TYLER ON FIRE (D), by Firestarter's Crossed the Line x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o/h Victor A. Retherford
- 2 JT COPPER BUCKAROO (D), by Kiger Hills Louee x Lock and Load Daisy; o Jeff Minch, h Paul Doiron
- 3 EL DEEOGEE (D), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Blew By Yet?; o Phillip Emery, h Paul Doiron
- 4 SILVER RAIN'S TRAXI DRIVER (D), WEIM



#### HIGH LONESOME BOWDEN HILLS

#### Open Derby (15S)

#### J: Joe Waitman & Larry Sandusky

- 1 TEQUILA'S TYLER ON FIRE (D), by Firestarter's Crossed the Line x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o/h Victor A. Retherford
- 2 GRIFFITH'S LADY JOSEPHINE (B), GWP
- 3 HIGH LONESOME BOWDEN HILLS (D), by Fire Starter's Crossed The Line x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o/h Jim Hammett
- 4 MTB LOUREE'S BONFIRE (B), by Kiger Hills Louee x MTB Cabo Rita de Scipio; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White



#### MTB ZIPNSON VENI VIDI VICI

#### Amateur Gun Dog (20S) J: Dan Campbell & Carolyn Griffith

- 1 AFC WILD WILD WILLIE (D), by Shadow Attack x Alar's Tango Bar; o/h Steve Cosgriff
- 2 FC/AFC JALO'S SPECK TACULAR (B), by Brown's BBJ x Jalo's Redneck Girl; o/h Jim House
- 3 MTB ZIPNSON VENI VIDI VICI (D), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Zippity Do Dog; o Haley Glick & John Patrick Rountree, h Tom White
- 4 FC/AFC JALO'S ODOT (D), by Brown's BBJ x Flashy Blue Flame; o/h Jim House

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

- J: Angela Schilleriff & Patti Van De Coevering
- 1 FC/AFC JALO'S ODOT (D), by Brown's BBJ x Flashy Blue Flame; o/h Jim House

- 2 KIGER HILLS DIXIE ON FIRE (B), by Kiger Hills Hudson x Rose A Fire; o/h Mark Shearman
- 3 SONNY'S HOT SUMMER BREEZE (B), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Blew By Yet?; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Doiron
- 4 ZIP'S MOONDANCE KID (B), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Zippity Do Dot; o/h Larry Sandusky



SPANISH CORRAL'S CHICA NEVADA

#### Amateur All Age (14S) J: Mark Shearman & Rick Axtell

- 1 FC SHANE'S ZIPPITY ZOE (B), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o Dennis Leis, h Joe Waitman
- 2 MOONSHINE NELL (B), by San-Dee's Blazing Shane x Zippity Do Dot o/h Larry Sandusky
- 3 SPANISH CORRAL'S CHICA NEVADA (B), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o Frank & J. Bright, h Frank Bright
- 4 FC/AFC MISS LIBERTY II (B), GSP



SPANISH CORRAL'S SONNY PATCH

#### Open All Age (18S)

#### J: Mark Shearman & Joe Waitman

- 1 NAFC/GFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SUNDANCE KID (D), by FC San-Dee's Blazin Shane x Stevix Bulletproof Jill; o Joe Gower, h Paul Doiron
- 2 NAFC/GFC/FC/AFC SPANISH CORRAL'S SONNY PATCH (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x CH/AFC Midas Blazin

Amber Skies; o/h Joe Gower

- 3 HIGH LONESOME SAGE (D), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Blew By Yet?; o Jim & Pattie Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 4 FC/AFC MISS LIBERTY II (B), GSP



**HIGH LONESOME SAGE** 

### Open Limited Gun Dog (14S)

#### J: John Henderson & Tom White

- 1 FC K NINE'S ON THE LOOSE (B), by Maxwell's Blew By You x K Nine's Guns and Roses; o Linda McDonald, h Paul Doiron
- 2 FC/AFC JALO'S ODOT (D), by Brown's BBJ x Flashy Blue Flame; o/h Jim House
- 3 KIGER HILLS DIXIE ON FIRE (B), by Kiger Hills Hudson x Rose A Fire; o/h Mark Shearman
- 4 FC/AFC MISS LIBERTY II (B), GSP

#### Western Brittany Shooting Dog Championship

The two-day Western Brittany Shooting Dog Championship started at 8:30 AM on March 29. Weather conditions were extremely varied over the two days, changing from a cold rain with wind on Wednesday, to calm and partly sunny on Thursday. Temperatures never got above the low 50's which was perfect for running dogs. The championship is held on the Crooked River National Grasslands, managed by the US Forest Service, near Madras, Oregon. The picturesque setting on a clear day includes the snow-covered volcanoes of central Oregon as a background, with Mt. Jefferson, Mt. Hood, and the Three Sisters providing a dramatic and gorgeous background for dogs on point.

Our distinguished judges for the event were Meg Eden of Terrebone, Oregon, and Angela Schillereff of Portland. Both are experienced, patient and kind-hearted judges with a lots of experience training, running, and watching bird dogs.

Generous support for the event came from Purina, and of course, the United States Forest Service, which for years has provided special use permits for field trials on the Grasslands.

Over the two days we ran 18 shooting dogs

-- including some of the best Brittanys in the J: Angela Schilleriff & Meg Eden western United States.

The Winners: Repeating as first place winner and Champion, was the bottom dog of the ninth brace, Staley's Orange Outlaw Mr. Cooper (Cooper), owned by Dan Campbell and handled by Jason Staley. Cooper was strongly forward the entire hour, and very strong to the finish. Cooper had one excellent find at 10 with exceptional manners on his bird and then a nonproductive at 24.

The second-place dog and Runner Up, was the bottom dog of the second brace, Cedar Creek Hawkeye (Hank), owned and handled by Joe Waitman. Hank also ran a big race and had two finds and an exceptional long-range honor of his bracemate towards the end of his run. All of his birds were handled with style and experience. Hank showed his maturity and confidence with each bird.

Third place went to the top dog of the third brace, Janee's I'll Make Ya' Famous (Kid) owned by Layne Peterson and handled by Jason Staley. Kid had a strong forward race and two nice finds, which he handled with style and exceptional manners. Kid never slowed and stayed well to the front.

The fourth-place dog was the top dog of the second brace, MTB Zipnson Veni Vidi Vici (Vinny), owned by Haley Glick and David Roundtree and handled by Paul Doiron. Vinny had a fast and enthusiastic run with three exceptional finds, at 13, 18, and 46 and showed extreme intensity and style on each point. He had one late nonproductive and a point on an expired chukar at about 21. He ran strong and fast and stayed well to the front.

Jim Hammett

Reporter

Western Brittany Shooting Dog Championship Grand Open Limited Gun Dog 1hr(18S)

- 1 GFC/FC STALEY'S ORANGE OUTLAW MR. 4 WARBONNET & CAMPBELLS SKYE'S THE COOPER (D), by Oberon Fairy's King x Titania Fairy's Queen; o Dan Campbell, h Jason Staley
- 2 FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK HAWKEYE (D), by Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Zippity Do Dot: o/h Joe Waitman
- 3 FC JANEE'S I'LL MAKE YA' FAMOUS (D), by Maxwell's Blew By You II x Decan's Uncontained Blaze; o Layne Peterson, h Jason Stalev
- 4 MTB ZIPNSON VENI VIDI VICI (D), by Spanish 2 SILVER RAIN'S TRAXI DRIVER, WEIM Corral's Sundance Kid x Zippity Do Dot; o Haley Glick & John Patrick Rountree, h Paul Doiron

#### WHID ISLE **Goose Butte Recreation Are**



**Ritzville**, WA April 8-9, 2017

#### **Open Puppy (5S)**

#### J: Mark Shearman & Jim Hammett

- 1 JT COOPER BUCKAROO (D), by FC Kiger Hills Louee x Lock and Load Daisy; o Jeff Minch, h Paul Doiron
- 2 TEQUILA'S TYLER ON FIRE (D), by FC/AFC Firestarter's Crossed the Line x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o/h Victor A. Retheford
- 3 BROWN'S SUBLIME INDIANA TEMPLE OF DOOM (B), by DC MB's Make Mine a Double "Mac" x Brown's Sublime Chase JHA; o Ross

& Deb Brown, h Ross Brown

LIMIT (B), by Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper x Warbonnet Summer Wynd Dance; o Jacqui & Ben Campbell, h Ben Campbell

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

#### J: John Henderson & Joe Waitman

- 1 HIGH LONESOME BOWDEN HILLS (D), by FC/ AFC Fire Starters Crossed the Line x Sniksoh Tequilla Caliente; o Jim & Pattie Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 3 MTB LOUREE'S V-0-2 MAX, by FC/AFC Kiger Hills Louee x NAFC/DC/AFC MTB Cabo Rita de Scipio; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 4 OWYHEE STRIKE (D), by FC/AFC Cedar Creek Hawkeye x FC Shane's Zippity Zoe; o/h Rick Axtell



P AND J'S RIM ROCK

Amateur Gun Dog (15S)

J: Larry Sandusky & Patti Van De Coevering

1 - FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK HAWKEYE (D), by

## WESTERN BRITTANY SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP



Left to Right: Cortnee Staley; Dan Cambell with Cooper; Angela Schilleriff, judge; Joe Waitman with Hank; Meg Eden, judge; Layne Peterson with Kid; Paul and Peggy Doiron with Vinny

NAFC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o/h Joe Waitman

- 2 MTB ZIPNSON VENI VIDI VICI (D), by NAFC/FC/ AFC Spanish Corrals Sundance Kid x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o Haley Glick & John Patrick Rountree, h Tom White
- 3 FC/AFC P AND J'S RIM ROCK (D), by NFC San-Dee's Blazin Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Jim & Pattie Hamett, h Jim Hammett
- 4 FC KIGER HILLS DIXIE ON FIRE (B), by FC Kiger Hills Hudson x FC/AFC Rose a Fire; o Mark & Connie Shearman, h Mark Shearman

#### **Open Gun Dog (24S)**

#### J: R. J. Marguart & Jim Hammett

- 1 FC/AFC QUAIL ROCK TOO TOUGH (D), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Wishful Thinking; o Ellen Weinfurtner, h Paul Doiron
- 2 CH SCHONHUND OUT OF THE SHADOWS (D), by DC Almaden's River Of Shadows x CH Gourley's Maximum Bet JH; o lan & Tammy Robertson, h lan Robertson
- 3 FC/AFC JALO'S SPECK TACULAR (B), by 1xCH/ AFC Brown's B.B.B. MH x Jalo's Redneck Girl: o/h Jim House
- 4 FC KIGER HILLS DIXIE ON FIRE (B), by FC Kiger Hills Hudson; o Mark & Connie Shearman, h Mark Shearman

#### Amateur All Age (13S)

#### J: Rick Axtell & Mark Shearman

- 1 HIGH LONESOME SAGE (D), by NAFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Blew By Yet?; o Jim & Pattie Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 2 RUSSELL'S SHOTS FIRED (D), IS
- 3 MTB ZIPNSON VENI VIDI VICI, by NAFC/FC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x DC/AFC Zipity-Do-Dot; o Haley Glick & John Patrick Roundtree, h Tom White
- 4 DC/AFC BANDIT'S CINDERELLA MAN (D), by Jayhawkers Masked Bandit x Timberline's Tri N Catch Me; o/h Victor A. Retherford

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

#### J: Rick Axtell & Frank Bright

- 1 RUSSELL'S SHOTS FIRED (D), IS
- 2 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

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#### **INLAND EMPIRE Goose Butte Recreation Are Ritzville**, WA April 11-12, 2017

#### **Open Puppy (5S)**

#### J: Patti Van De Coevering & Joe WAitman

- 1 BROWN'S SUBLIME INDIANA TEMPLE OF DOOM (B), by DC MB's Make Mine a Double x Brown's Sublime Chase JHA; o Ross & Deb Brown, h Ross Brown
- 2 JT COOPER BUCKAROO (D), by FC Kiger Hills Louee x Lock and Load Daisy; o Jeff Minch, h 4 - FC/AFC P AND J'S RIM ROCK (D), by NFC Paul Doiron
- 3 TEQUILA'S TYLER ON FIRE (D), by FC/AFC Firestarter's Crossed the Line x Sniksoh Tequila Caliente; o/h Victor A. Retherford
- 4 EL DEEOGEE (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Blew By Yet?; o Phillip Emery, h Paul Doiron

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

#### J: Frank Sommer & Patti Van De Coevering

- 1 HIGH LONESOME BOWDEN HILLS (D), by FC/ AFC Firestarter's Crossed the Line x Sniksoh Tequilla Caliente; o Jim & Patti Hammett, h 3 - MTB ZIPNSON VENI VIDI VICI (D), by NAFC/FC/ Jim Hammett
- 2 MTB'S LOUREE'S BONFIRE (B), by FC Kiger Hills Louee x NAFC/DC/AFC MTB Cabo Rita de Scipio; o Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer, h Tom White
- 3 MTB LOUREE'S V-0-2 MAX (D), by FC Kiger Hills Louee x NAFC/DC/AFC MTB Cabo Rita de Scipio: o Tom White & Margaret Horstmever. h Tom White
- 4 OWYHEE STRIKE (D), by FC/AFC Cedar Creek Hawkeye x FC Shane's Zippity-Do-Dot; o/h Rick Axtell

#### Amateur Gun Dog (19S)

#### J: Jim Hammett & Laura Myles

- 1 FC/AFC JALO'S SPECK TACULAR (B), by 1xCH/FC/AFC Brown's B.B.J. MH x Jalos Redneck Girl; o/h Jim House
- 2 FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK HAWKEYE (D), by NAFC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o/h Joe Waitman
- 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 & Arlette Hennessey, h Tom White
- 4 FC/AFC JALO'S ODOT (D), by 1xCH/FC/AFC Brown's B.B.J. MH x Flashy Blue Flame; o/h Jim House

#### **Open Gun Dog (28S)**

#### J: Larry Sandusky & Janet Grumbok

- 1 FC/AFC QUAIL ROCK TOO TOUGH (D), by NAFC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Wishful Thinking; o Ellen Weinfurtner, h Paul Doiron
- 2 FC/AFC CEDAR CREEK HAWKEYE (D), by NAFC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o/h Joe Waitman
- 3 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
- San-Dee's Blazen Shane x FC/AFC Hideaway Red's Bess Bet; o Jim & Patti Hammett, h Jim Hammett

#### Amateur All Age (13S)

#### J: Heinz Ahlman & Ray Calkins

- 1 HIGH LONESOME SAGE (D), by NAFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Blew By Yet?: o Jim & Patti Hammett, h Jim Hammett
- 2 FC SHANE'S ZIPPITY ZOE (B), by NGDC/FC San-Dee's Blazen Shane x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o Dennis Leis, h Joe Waitman
- AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x DC/AFC Zippity-Do-Dot; o Haley Glick & John Patrick Roundtree, h Tom White
- 4 SPANISH CORRAL'S CHICA NEVADA (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC/AMFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x CH/AFC Midas Blazin' Amber Skies; o Frank W. & Judi Bright, h Frank Bright

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

#### J: Ray Calkins & Mark Shearman

- 1 FC RUSTY RIDGE WHERE U BEEN (B), by NAFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Blew By Yet?; o Jan & Claude Kilpatrick, h Paul Doiron
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#### FRUIT SALAD WITH LIMONCELLO

7 ounces Greek yogurt <sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup good bottled lemon curd 1 tablespoon honey <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> teaspoon pure vanilla extract 2 cups sliced strawberries (1 pint) 1 cup raspberries (1/2 pint) 1 cup blueberries ( $\frac{1}{2}$  pint) 2 tablespoons sugar 3 tablespoons limoncello liqueur 1 banana, sliced Fresh mint springs

For the lemon yogurt topping, whisk together the yogurt, lemon curd, honey, and vanilla and set aside at room temperature. For the fruit salad, carefully toss together the strawberries, raspberries, blueberries, sugar, and limoncello. Allow them to stand at room temperature for about 5 minutes to let the berries macerate with the sugar and liqueur. Gently fold the banana into the mixture.

Serve bowls of fruit with a dollop of lemon yogurt on top. Top each with a sprig of fresh mint.



### SUMMER BERRY ICEBOX CAKE

19 oz graham crackers 8 oz cream cheese, softened 2 (3.4 oz) packages Vanilla Instant Puddina 2-1/2 cups cold milk 12 oz Cool whip (or homemade whipped cream) 3 cups fresh strawberries, sliced 1-1/2 cups fresh blueberries 2 oz white chocolate chips

Beat cream cheese and dry pudding mixes in large bowl with mixer until blended.

Gradually beat in milk.

Gently stir in Cool Whip or homemade whipped cream, reserving  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup. Spread a thin layer of cool whip in a 9x13 pan just to coat the bottom. Layer 5 graham crackers across the center of the pan, then 2 more, breaking them as needed to fit around the top and bottom edges. Spread a layer of pudding mixture over grahams and top with a layer of blueberries and sliced strawberries. Place graham crackers on top of berries, then pudding mixture, then layer of berries again. Repeat the graham-pudding-berries layers 1 more time (3 times total) and you should reach the top of the pan. Refrigerate for at least 4 hours or

overnight until the graham crackers have softened completely. When ready to serve, melt white chocolate chips in a bowl as directed on package and drizzle over dessert. Serves 12-16

### PINEAPPLE SOFT SERVE

4 cups frozen pineapple 1 frozen banana, halved <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup coconut milk, chilled Fresh pineapple wedges, for garnish

Combine pineapple, banana, and coconut milk in a food processor or blender and pulse, scraping down sides with a rubber spatula, until smooth. Scoop into cups; garnish with a pineapple wedge.



## TRAININ'DOGS

## Communication

Wouldn't it be great if our dogs could talk to us while we're training them? To know what they're thinking, and to have some sort of advance warning before they make a mistake would be wonderful. If they could only say, "Hey, I'm not sure what you want me to do. Can you explain it to me?" Or, "I want that bird so bad I'm going for it, even though I know I shouldn't."

Our dogs are communicating with us all the time, and it's a pretty simple language to learn. When they "talk" to each other, they do it by using movements and postures and facial expressions. And while there sometimes will be a vocal addition via a whine or growl or bark, the subtleties of body language are the mainstay of their communication. Thank of it like a card game with your friends: A good poker player learns to read his opponent and figure out the little physical "tells" in order to win the hand. That's our goal with dogs: to learn all their "tells" so we can act accordingly. Trust us when we say that the dogs are reading ours all the time.

There are few pretty obvious signs a dog uses to convey his thoughts. The Big Three (ears, tail, and eyes) give us a non-stop flow of information. The tail is the most obvious. It tells us when a dog is happy (a fast wag, using everything from the tip of the tail to the whole back end of the dog); frightened or intimidated (tail tucked between his legs); intense and focuses (tail held rigidly out from the dog's body); tired (tail hanging down and minimal wagging); and tentative and uncertain (tail up partway and wagging

slowly). The ears often combine with the tail position to give us additional information. Ears pricked forward and held as upright as possible (interest and intensity); ears folded back (confusion or uncertainty); ears hanging loosely and relaxed (everything's fine); and ears pulled tightly back and eyes squinted and partially closed (intimidated and/or frightened).

The eyes tell a story as well, and combine with the ears and tail. Wide open and focused on a particular spot signifies intensity and interest, while eyes looking away from us and half closed can mean the dog is either trying to ignore something or is thinking. In order to figure out which it is, we've got to look at the rest of the body language.

Eyes half closed and tail tucked between the legs is most often a sign that the dog is intimidated, or



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maybe overloaded with too much information. The same half-closed eyes combined with a tail that is partially up or just hanging relaxed can mean the dog is thinking and processing information. These signs are pretty obvious to most people, and the one sign that everybody recognizes is a dog trying to intimidate or planning to fight: body held rigidly, tail up and stiff, ears forward, intense eye contact, combined with a ridge of hair standing up along the back and shoulders.

Those are the big "words" in the dog's language. To really understand a dog, we need to look past those to the less obvious signs. In a training situation, how we react has to be dictated by what the dog is saying. We need to know if he is understanding the lesson being taught or if he's confused – and we need to anticipate a dog's reaction in order to either encourage him if it's the correct response, or make a correction if the wrong response is likely. The ears, tail, and eyes

will give us part of this information, but we need to learn a few more words of "dog speak" to really get the whole picture.

One sign we need to watch closely for is acceptance. This can come in many forms and will vary depending on the amount of pressure a dog is feeling. A dog that accepts and submits to a cue from us will often lick his lips. This is a sign he's relaxed his jaws and mouth; just like humans, dogs tend to clench their mouths when in a tense or unsettling situation. Another sign that the dog is relaxing and submitting is a swallow, also showing that the dog has



Is this pup solid ... or ready to pounce?

stopped clenching his mouth. This is often followed by a lick of the lips but not always.

Also, it's important to watch the dog's breathing pattern. When going from an uncertain or nervous state to a calmer frame of mind, the dog will slow his breathing and sometimes give a sigh. When training or working with a dog, looking for these signs tells you whether or not the dog is accepting the situation.

One other mouth-related signal that's important to recognize but often doesn't require a response from us is a yawn. Dogs often yawn when they feel a need to resolve a conflict. In a training situation, that may mean the dog is resisting slightly or may be confused, and the yawn tells us a much. That doesn't mean we need to stop what we're doing, assuming the dog isn't showing any other signs of confusion; it simply means the dog is processing the mental conflict.

The whole body tells a story, too. We're all familiar with the classic puppy invitation to play: the "play bow," back end in the air, tail wagging a hundred miles an hour, while the front is lowered to the ground and the pup has an excited expression on his face. And the dog that got into the trash while we were out of the house will often tattle on himself by a slinking and submissive body posture, with the head down, tail-tucked, and the body slightly crouched.

Ever notice that your dog shakes his head and shoulders (like shaking-off water) when you're training? Even though there's nothing for the dog to shake off? This is the canine version of brushing off what you've just done, sort of "flipping you the paw." You give a cue, the dog responds, then shakes. If you have your dog on lead and he does this, try to stop it as he begins by giving a quick, sharp tug on the lead.

Movement of the body is especially critical in reading a pointing a dog. The body language most easily recognized is birdiness in the field. When the dog initially scents a bird, his body signals that excitement by increasing the tempo of the tail wagging, the head comes up, and the dog moves more rapidly as he works out the scent. The end result upon locating the source of that scent is a dog freezing and going on point.

Once that happens, we need to read the body language and see if the dog is committed to holding that point or planning to break and chase the bird. We need to know what he's planning to do before he does it. Obviously, the feet can tell us if the dog is moving, but we need to know the dog's thoughts prior to the feet moving. How is this accomplished? By watching the shoulders and head. A dog that is standing still but thinking about moving will lower his shoulders slightly and may also lower his head. If we can predict the movement, we can be ready to make an appropriate correction if needed.

A tail that goes from rigid to slight wagging (also called "ticking") may mean the dog is thinking about moving or is uncertain, but we need to know why. Is the bird moving? Has the scent pattern changed due to wind? Is the dog going to bust the bird? Watch the shoulders and head; if they lower the dog is about to move. A dog that holds point with his body and head but ticks the tail sometimes means the scent cone has changed or the bird has moved. A ticking tail can also signify that the dog is feeling reassured, and the facial expression will tell you the difference.

Now that you know a little more about the way your dog is "talking" to you, also realize that we "talk" to them in the same manner, usually without realizing it.

Dogs are experts at reading our body language and responding to it. They watch our eyes, body, hands, feet, etc., because it's the language they're born knowing. How many times has your dog reacted to a cue a split second before you actually gave it? That says you're doing something via body language before actually giving the cue, and your dog has picked up on that signal, anticipating your cue. He reads the obvious stuff, like picking up the keys to the car means you're going somewhere; but he also reads the less obvious, like knowing if we're happy or sad or upset. Our body language tells on us. And the dogs read that when we're training them, too. It's a non-stop conversation that we don't even realize we're having.

There are a myriad of combinations of body language and signals our dogs use, and we've just touched the tip of the iceberg here. If you watch closely, you'll start to see the subtle ways your dog communicates, and you'll be a much better trainer and partner because of it.



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A happy, wagging tail, relaxed ears, and brigght eyes - this dog is having fun!

## **A Little Competition**

## A Novella and Twenty-Two Short Stories

By Tom Word

### **The Oldest Reason**

It was the last year Granddaddy went to the National Bird Dog Championship, the first and only time I went with him. He was sixty-nine, and I was twelve. He'd gone almost every year since he was twenty-five, gone as a scout, the best job in field trials, he always said. In case you don't know, a field-trial scout is something like a cavalry scout; he's the

dog handler's helper in keeping up with his pointer or setter, running wide in search of quail, running before the horses that carry the human participantshandlers, scouts, judges, gallery (the spectators). By the rules, a scout can ride anywhere in search of his dog, as long as he stays behind the judges. Of course, the judges can judge only what they see. If the scout can get around a hill or in a low place, he rides in front of the judges too, if he needs to-whatever it takes to make

his dog look good, look like it's hunting

out in front on its own, hunting in the space they call the cone, an imaginary funnel with the handler at the bottom. Yes, a field-trial scout's a lot like a cavalry scout. He operates behind enemy lines when he rides up front; if he's seen by the judges in front, he's captured. But if he knows the territory and his dog-and Granddaddy always did-he's not seen in front, not captured.

I'd been around field trials all my life. They held one every year, just before Christmas, on the place where we lived, Mossy Swamp Plantation, down below Thomasville, Georgia, on the Florida line. That week the trucks and horse trailers would roll in past our house while I played by Grandma's bottle tree. They'd blow their horns and wave to me; I'd hear their horses stomp for balance as their trailers swaved through the mud holes, the rumble of their engines as they geared down to miss our chickens picking gravel in the road.

"Hey there, Willie, how you doin'?" they'd yell to me as they passed. Later, with Granddaddy up at the horse barn, they'd have hard candy in their pockets for me. Every day at noon they'd come to the clubhouse for the lunch Grandma and the other women of Mossy Swamp spent the morning fixing-soup and sandwiches and banana pudding. I'd sit by the fire coloring in my book while they worked in the clubhouse kitchen, listening to their laughter as they kidded one another about which of the visiting scouts had eyes for them.

If it wasn't too cold, I'd get to ride in the afternoon on top of the dog wagon with the wives of dog owners. More hard candy, chocolates wrapped in tinfoil. They'd take my picture for their scrapbooks, sometimes mail copies to Granddaddy.

My Granddaddy somehow sensed that would be his last year at the National Championship; that's why he took me along. Mr. Rawlings, who owned Mossy Swamp Plantation, would be dead before the next National Championship rolled around, and Mossy Swamp would be sold. Granddaddy would stay on and work for the new owner, training gun dogs and guiding hunting parties as always, but the new owner wouldn't care for fields trials, and the trial dogs would be sold. I'll never forget that one trip with Granddaddy to the Ames Plantation in West Tennessee for the

National Championship. We left Thomasville before daylight pulling six horses, Granddaddy and Sam Watson, Mr. Rawlings' dog handler, in the front seat of the crew cab, me and South Georgia Roamer, the pointer that was our entry, in the back seat. Granddaddy and Sam Watson took turns driving. I dozed a lot, but whenever I woke up, they were talking about their battle plan; they'd go over it again and again, what they would do at a particular place on the course depending on where Roamer was running when they reached it. Until then I had no idea so much planning went into a bird dog's race in a field trial. Or how much Sam Watson and Granddaddy and Mr. Rawlings wanted to win the National Championship with Roamer.

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We got to the Ames Plantation just after dark. The kennel shed, lit by dusk-to-dawn pole lights, stood in the middle of a big graveled lot, trailers like ours parked all around. A log row of stables made of plywood and tar paper stood just beyond. Sam Watson and Granddaddy unloaded the horses and put them in stalls. Granddaddy led Roamer to his kennel run, after he'd checked to be sure no females in season were close by. Then Sam Watson put a combination lock on Roamer's kennel gate, and I got an uneasy feeling.

Granddaddy unhooked the trailer from the truck, and Sam

drove off; Granddaddy and I would sleep by the kennel in the trailer; Sam would stay at the motel in Collierville.

Next morning I woke early, but Granddaddy was already up and gone.

"Gone morning, Willie, thought you was going to sleep all day," he said when I found him feeding the horses. Other men were arriving by truck to look after their horses and dogs. Soon the familiar sounds of horses chomping and dogs barking filled the crisp dawn. It was like all the field trials I'd been to with Granddaddy, but somehow different too; there was electricity in the air. The same people I saw at Mossy Swamp each December were there, plus many others from all over the country. I walked among the trailers and trucks, looking at the license tags: Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, Kentucky, Illinois, Indiana, Virginia, North Carolina, Idaho, California, Nevada-even one from Saskatchewan. They all knew Granddaddy, came up to shake his hand, inquire of his health. Then I overheard someone say he'd scouted more National Champions than anyone except his old friend Man Rand, and it made me proud.

That was Saturday. In the afternoon, Granddaddy took me to see the Ames manor house and Mr. Ames' big brick barn with fifty horse stalls. That evening, we went to Bryan Hall for the drawing. All the field-trial people were there, packed in like sardines. Mr. Rawlings too, bragging on Roamer.

The secretary, Doctor Anderson, who managed the Ames Plantation, introduced the judges, club officers, a couple of congressmen, the dog-food people who were adding money to the purse. The drawing, once it started, went quickly; Roamer drew the last brace, to be run a week from Wednesday. That upset Granddaddy-he didn't want to stay away from home that long-but there was no way around it. Mr. Rawlings would ride every day, and Granddaddy would have to stay and look after his mounts. I was due back in school, but Granddaddy had promised I could stay and see Roamer run.

That week and a half at the Ames Plantation was more education for me than a year of school. Granddaddy didn't give me formal lessons, but watching him with people was a graduate course. He gave them all respect, even the ones who didn't deserve it; he got respect in return.

Granddaddy and I roaded Roamer every day to keep him in shape, and then we'd ride a brace of the trial, sometimes the morning one, sometimes the afternoon. Mr. Rawlings rode all the braces, which seemed strange since he seldom rode at Mossy Swamp, except when one of his own dogs was down. A pretty woman I didn't know rode beside him. I asked Sam Watson who she was; he laughed and said a cousin.

Finally, the day before Roamer's day to run arrived. Even Granddaddy seemed nervous. For supper he took me to the Junction Inn for hamburgers. The waitress brought a plate of French fries we hadn't ordered; on the house, she said, and good luck to Roamer.

I'd gotten used to sleeping in the trailer, but that night with my belly too full it took me what seemed forever to doze off. Then I woke suddenly with my stomach churning. I heard an engine idling just outside. Through the little window beside my cot, I saw a familiar car, then a familiar person get out on the driver's side, walk quickly to Roamer's kennel run, return to the car and drive away. It didn't last thirty seconds. I started to wake Granddaddy and tell him what I'd seen, but he was sleeping soundly, and I decided not to bother him. In minutes

I was sleeping again, dreaming wildly of Granddaddy and me tearing through the wood on horseback after Roamer.

Next thing I knew Granddaddy was shaking me awake. Even groggy with sleep and in the faint light of dawn, I could see in his face something was terribly wrong.

"Did you see or hear anybody come around here after I went to sleep last night?" he asked. I told him what I'd seen.

He looked at me with a sadness I'll never forget and said, "Don't tell that to anybody else."

Roamer was dead in his run, poisoned. Antifreeze, the autopsy showed. Injected in a hot dog.

Word spread around the Ames Plantation and through the field-trial world like wildfire. Every handler, scout, and owner with a dog in contention came under suspicion. Then everyone who'd ever had a falling out with Sam Watson or Mr. Rawlings, or lost at a trial at Mossy Swamp when he though his dog should have won. That made a suspect out of just about everybody in the field-trial game.

Roamer's death left Mr. Rawlings broken hearted. He and Granddaddy had developed Roamer from a puppy; he loved that dog more than all the others. Sam Watson was sad about it too. But granddaddy and I shared an even worse feeling.

The following spring, when I helped Granddaddy work puppies, just the two of us on a Saturday morning, I asked, "Why do you think she did it, Granddaddy?"

He was silent a long time, then he said, "For the oldest reason there is, Willie."

"What reason is that, Granddaddy?"

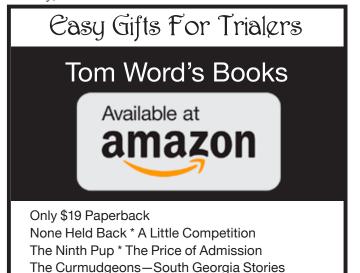
- "Revenge."
- "Revenge for what?"

"When you're a little older, you'll know. For now, be glad you don't."

We never talked about Roamer's terrible death again. Our secret went with granddaddy to the grave (he died last fall).

Now everybody who know the truth about Roamers death is in the grave, except me. Mrs. Rawlings died last week, was buried Saturday under the live oaks in the Episcopal Church graveyard in Thomasville beside Mr. Rawlings.

Roamer is buried on Mossy Swamp Plantation, and Granddaddy is too, in the same piece of ground as his daddy and his granddaddy, who came to Mossy Swamp to clear the land for cotton, came in leg irons off a boat that docked in Savanah in 1802. I want to be buried there beside Granddaddy someday, but no time soon.



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Sep 30-1	E. New England Susquehanna	Ohio	lowa(29-5)**	W. Texas	Wasatch Front(29) N. California (29)
	ABC New England Gun Dog Cl/Ch (GOLGD, GALGD) (Flaherty FTA, East Windsor, CT)				
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	Jim Hoyer Shooting Dog Cl - Hawkeye (Union Co. Bird Dog Ranch, Thayer, IA)				
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