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# Field Trials

# EAST CENTRAL

#### **OHIO** Tri–Valley Dresden, OH March 10–14, 2018

The Ohio Brittany Club Graciously Hosted the 2018 Region 4 Amateur All Age Championship again this year, the weather was unpredictable as usual in Ohio, cold and blistery to cold and rainy but we managed to persevere. The Judges were Jim Wallace from Ohio and Stan Williamson of Missouri who looked at 21 Starters with some of the top Amateur representatives hailing from the east coast to the west coast.

The winner this year with a stellar performance having two nice finds and finishing hard to the front was ANJ'S Ohio Hellion O/H Mike Poehler

Runner Up with two finds and a hair– splitting finish was Glade Runs Irish Owner Dave Webb Handled by Tommy Thomas

Pushing the winners were Jack Alexanders young female (Kimber) JWB Arctic Cat & Jerry McGee's (Penny) RU–Jems Last Penny

Thanks to all who helped pitch in and made this a successful trial and to Purina for their generous support. Thank you also to the Pro's Tom Tracy Jr & Bob Burchett for bringing their quality string of dogs for their amateur handlers to compete

#### Region 4 Amateur Championship Grand Amateur Limited All Age 1hr(21S) J: Jim Wallace & Stan Williamson

- AFC/FC ANJ'S OHIO HELLION (D), by Grand Junction Jake x High Hopes Little Ann; o/h Mike Poehler
- 2 NFC/NAFC/GFC/GAFC/FC/AFC GLADE RUN IRISH (D), by Ortho Acres Booker T x Flying Feathers Coc Bean; o David Webb, h Tommy Thomas
- 3 JWB ARTIC CAT (B), by Maxwell's Over Limits x Chancey's Frozen Assets; o Jack & Crystal Alexander, h Jack Alexander
- 4 NAFC/GFC/GAFC/FC/AFC RU–JEM'S "LAST" PENNY (B), by Trademark ATM x Red Bud Zipper; o Ruth & Jerry McGee, h Tommy Thomas

# CENTRAL

#### ST. CROIX VALLEY Milaca, MN June 2, 2018

#### Open Puppy (4S) J: Ian MacTavich & Mick Rodeghierz

- SOVEREIGN'S AMERICAN MADE (D), by GCH Big Oaks Give Em The Tour x CH Sovereisis Eternal Hop; o Dawn & Oel Droel, h Bob Burchett
- 2 RED GRANITE'S I AM A ROCK (D), by GCH/ DC/AFC Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat x CH Dr Jac's It Must Have Been The Roses; o Lois & Jerome Boethcher, h Julie Asmus

Mike Poehler with ANJ'S Ohio Hellion Judge: Stan Williamson Tommy Thomas with Glade Run Irish Judge : Jim Wallace

Crystal Alexander with JWB Arctic Cat & Dee Anderson with Jerry McGee's Ru Jems Last Penny

- 3 AHAM'S UPLAND PETE (D), by Jakez de Etoile Due Nord x Marcella De L' Etoile de Nos; o Steve Allen, h Mark Dinsmore
- 4 KT MAVERICK'S GORDON GUNNER WORKING (D), by KT Ike's Nolan Bullet Proof x KT Gunners Dinah Belle; o Brad & Tracy Werner, h Brad Werner

#### Open Derby (6S) J: Rod Lein & Ken Windom

- 1 ESSERGRREF'S LIL KANGO RUE (B), GSP
- RED GRANIT'S A WHITER SHADE OF PALE
   (B), by GCH/DC/AFC Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat x CH Dr Jac's It Must Have B the Roses; o Lois & Jerome Boettcher, h Julie Asmus
- RED GRANITE'S IN YOUR WILDEST DREAMS
   (B), by GCH/DC/AFC Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat x CH Dr. Jac's It Must Have Be the Roses; o Lois & Jerome Boettcher, h Julie Asmus
- 4 Withheld

#### Amateur Gun Dog (11S)

- J: Rod Lein & Ken Windom
- 1 COLD CREEK REVTNATOR (D), ES
- 2 COLD CREEK BLACK MAGIC (B), ES
- MAGNOL RADUTEN BAR RANCH (B), by Ten Bar Ranch Heineken x Girl du Bois Careal; o/h John Hutnagner
- 4 ABBIE LAKES ALL JARCED UP (B), GSP

#### Open Gun Dog (14S)

#### J: Ian MacTavich x Mick Rodeghiero

- 1 ABBIE LAKES ALL JUICED UP (B), GSP
- 2 FIRE FLY'S ROUGH RIDER (D), IS
  - 3 IDAWIRE APPLE IE ALA MODE (B), GWP
  - 4 MAGNOLIADUTEN BAR RANCH (B),

by Ten Bar Ranch Heineken x Girl du Bois Covreal; o/h John Hutwagner



#### NEBRASKA Branched Oak Lake Raymond, NE April 13–19, 2018

Open Puppy (18S) J: Rebecca Dickey & Tim Neill 1 – OSAGE FORK SLICK (D), by Kid's Red Devil x AFC Farm Girl Pearl; o/h Bob Burchett 2 – RU–JEM'S DIRTY DINGUS MCGEE (D),

by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh Spank's Hank x FC/

AFC MK's My Lil Ammo; o/h Jerry McGee

- 3 MK'S MY LIL CLASSIC (B), by GFC/FC/AFC Sniksoh Spank's Hank x FC/AFC MK's My Lil Ammo; o/h Jerry McGee
- 4 MIGHTY SHOCK (D), by FC MK's Magnificent Bandito x FC Redrock's Siesmic Sniksoh; o Bill & Mary Lynn Oliver, h Scott Johnson

#### Amateur All Age (13S) J: Scott Baker & Jeff Schnipkoweit

- 1 GCH/DC RICOCHET GUNSMOKES MR. DILLON (D), by DC Ricochet Hemi Baracuda JH x Sunshine On My Shoulders; o Mickey & Judy Condron, h Tommy Thomas
- 2-4 Withheld

#### Open All Age (31S)

#### J: Brook Carmichael & Welsey Felt

- 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 MK'S MY LIL AMMO (B), by Sniksoh Free Boy x Chief's Nubbin's My Lil Lady; o Nick Blasi, h Scott Johnson
- 3 AFC PINEY RUN JAKE (D), by NFC/FC/AFC Piney Run Art x Riney Run Gypsy; o/h Kent Patterson
- 4 FC/AFC TEQUILA SCORCHER (D), by DC Almaden's River of Shadows x DC/AFC Tequila With A Twist; o Charles Crain, h Ed Tillson

#### Nebraska Brittany All Age Championship

The championship is one of the older brittany championships. It is believed that its initial running was in the late 1970's or early 1980's. Loyd Budd, Lyle Johnson, Roscoe Station, Marc Appleton and the Smiths are only a few of the folks that have saddled their horses to compete on the very picturesque grounds of branched oak.

The Nebraska Brittany Club does an extremely commendable job in putting on the championship. The backbone of the current individuals is Stan & Claudia Truska. Claudia had an unfortunate accident the day before the championship. She was attempting to break ice in a water tub when she fell and fractured her wrist. This hindered her supervision of Stan. However, he and the crew of Wes Felt, Tom Maneely and Jerry McGee endeavored to preserver.

The championship was sponsored by Purina. The very best in dog food and horse feed is produced by this company. We deeply appreciate their support.

We were blessed with two competent judges, Don Kimble and Jim Douglas. They paid attention to the dogs. In the writer's opinion and that of the majority of the competitors, the placements were "right on" with forty-three going to the line, several of which are in the current standings for the Purina Dog of the Year award; the judges were up to the challenge.

The champion came out of the 20th brace. Firestarter Crossed The Line was the bottom dog in the brace and the blue-ribbon winner. He is a good-looking liver and white eight-year-old owned by Andi Christanson and Vickie Rankin. He is trained and handled by Ed Tillson. The brace broke away across the bridge. Ty headed toward the north gap in the treeline and was guickly out of sight. He carded his first find there. When he was released, his next cast was to the cover along the lake edge. He next showed on the line before the last east meadow and scored again with perfect manners through the flush and shot. He made another beautiful cast up the hill in the far east meadow and shortly caught the front in the next meadow. His third find was in the treeline where his first find had occurred. Ty was rock steady on his three finds, a picture of style and composure. He was forward through the west course and was quickly shown to the judges when time was called.

The runner up was Mk's My Lil Ammo (BB). She is a white and orange five—year—old. The owner is Nick Blasi and under the tutelage of Scott Johnson. She carded three finds and two stopped to flushes to go along with a terrific race. Shortly before time, the course turned up hill into a strong westerly wind. She was close for a few minutes and this may have been the difference between the two placements. She did recuperate and was out of sight when time was called.

Brace 1: Roll On Miss Bella–Tracy & Captain Finn–Burchett. The first brace lasted 13 minutes. Bella brought a bird in and Finn chalked up one find and he chased at New Rock Crossing.

Brace 2: Driving Miss Daisy–Tracy & Tequila Scorcher (Lincoln)–Tillson. Daisy chased early. Scorcher, call name Lincoln, had finds at 3,12,26,35 and 46 with a forward race.

Brace 3: Touch Of Bourbon Little Chug– Johnson & TLM Tall Tale (Sam)–Tracy. Both dogs had one find but were erratic in their application. Sam didn't make it to the bridge and Chug was up in the second meadow.

Brace 4: Ocaje (Grace)–Gowin & Jagoub's Bizz'n Boyou (skeeter)–Tracy. Grace, a previous two–time winner of this championship, suffered two unproductives. This occurred in the first 25 minutes and ended her bid. Skeeter was off and running early. His casts were forward and at all age range. This caught the judges' eyes. He was found by the scout buried up in brush near the west crossing of the west course. This was his only birdwork. A second find may certainly have made him a contender. Skeeter is a stout built orange roan. He is owned by Tom Jagielski and tom can be proud of his work today.

Brace 5: Almaden's Under Lock And Key

**(Oudi)–Tillson & Carpe Diem (Carp)–Johnson.** Oudi had a modest race and was not pleasing his handler. Carp had a bigger more forward race but suffered two unproductives.

Brace 6: Shady Way's Joker's Hill Country (Stan)–Tracy & Piney Run Jake–Patterson. Stan and Jake both had competitive races going. Tracy threw in the towel at 45 after having no birdwork. Jake slammed on point in the far east meadow. He was standing on the side of the hill with his back legs crossed. When asked to relocate, he bumped a bird.

Brace 7: Hope's Chief Of Crosscreek (Chief)–Burchett & Jocoub's Spell Caster– Tracy. Both dogs made good opening casts. Chief's move carried to the pocket on the far east side of the camp meadow. This resulted in a great opening find. Taby had established point on the ridge but took steps after the flush. Chief had an infraction after new rock crossing.

Brace 8: CVR Spartan King (Leo)–Tracy & Just Call Me Lucky Ned Pepper–Campbell. Both dogs broke sharply from the fish camp. As they topped the hill to the west, Leo points and leaves after Ned arrives. Campbell fires and takes his dog on as Tracy picks up. Ned has five more finds with good style on each. With more race this dog could have been in contention.

Brace 9: Crescent City Girl (Nola)–Tillson & Lambchi (Blue)–Tracy. Breakaway was from the gates on the north side. Good forward casts by both dogs. Blue points a hawk kill and fails to back Nola at 20. Nola takes steps on the flush and both dogs are up.

Brace 10: Whiskey's Little Tip–Burchett & Maxwell's Prickley Pete–Tracy. Tip had one find and mostly a good run but came from behind a few times. Pete was picked up early.

Brace 11: Kinwashkly Fat Bastard– Tracy & Sniiksoh Little Diamond–Johnson. Fatz left point and was up. Diamond had two unproductives ending the brace.

Brace 12: Sparky's Prairie Wind Gypsy– Johnson & Maxwell's Heavy Hitter (Gabe)– Tracy. Both dogs broke smartly along the left treeline in camp meadow. Gabe rolled out of sight and was gone too long. Gypsy had a very competitive race and scored twice with nice finds. With only a few minutes left, she rooted out a bird ending a good challenge.

Brace 13: S S Rig's Colorado Gunrunner– Milam & Kinwashkly Tempo–Tillson. First brace of the third day found two running dogs. The brace started in camp meadow with far opening casts. Rig's had an unproductive early and then carded three finds on the west course, two of which the scout found him standing. Milam had trouble locating and putting the quail to flight. He had his final find across the bridge on the backside of the first treeline. Due to extending flushing experienced by the handler, Rig's never could catch the front. Rig's is a five-year-old white and liver well-made male. He is owned by Linda and Tom Milam. I believe Tempo had two finds and a good job on the ground. Unfortunately, he lost the front late in the brace and was in the rear with Rig's judge at time.

Brace 14: Anj's Ohio Hellion–Burchett & Ru–Jem's "Last" Penny–Tracy. Penny was lost off the breakaway and her bracemate was up shortly after crossing the new rock crossing.

Brace 15: Arrow's Tequila Rusty–Milam & Alar's Dirty Dancer–Tillson. Breakaway was at the fish camp. Both dogs hit the ground running. After crossing the west crossing, Dani establishes point and rusty fails to back. Tillson flushes a fluttering quail and Dani took steps.

Brace 16: Mk's My Lil Ammo (BB)– Johnson & Romence's Texas Two Step (Tess)– Burchett. BB's race was previously reported. Breakaway was at fish camp. Tess danced out of sight and was not returned to judgement.

Brace 17: Glade Run Irish–Tracy & Turning Points Shenanigsn's–Burchett. Breakaway from green gates saw Shenanigan's and Irish having a good break. They make quick work of the east course. After a find by Irish on the ridge, Shenangan's makes new rock crossing and establishes point. Irish backs and then wants a closer look. He is up. Burchett flushed a bird and a chase ends the brace.

Brace 18: Castaway Wilson–Tracy & Mk's Magnificient Bandito–Lincoln. Breakaway is at the fish camp. Chico goes to the left and Wilson took the right line. Wilson is found standing over the hill for a good find but chased after the flush. On the south side of the west course, after some big forward casts, is found standing by his scout. Lincoln cannot produce a bird. Chico is asked to relocate. After several yards points again. During the flushing attempt Chico takes off.

Brace 19: Remchester's Premium White Lightning–Johnson & Kashmir–Tracy. Back to the fish camp. Both dogs break hard and fast to the front. At the west crossing they went under the water crossing off the grounds. Dogs gone.

Brace 20: Wichita Wild Woman–Tracy & Firestarter's Crossed The Line–Tillson. Ty's performance earning the championship was previously reported. Mickey had a fast and forward race but was not rewarded with birds.

Brace 21: Heli's Slim Chipley–Burchett & J R's Cool Hand Luck–Johnson. Slim had a find at five with all in order and a divided find at 40. This was Luke's second piece of bird work also. He had an earlier find at 2. However, after having early success both dogs seemed to tire and were up at 50.

Brace 22: Starlight's Mecury Out Ryder-Burchett Bye. Ryder failed to fire and was up early.



#### Nebraska Brittany All Age Championship Grand Open Limited All Age 1hr(43S) J: Jim Douglas & Don Kimble

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- JAGOUB'S BUZZ'N BAYOU (D), by R & G Buzz Cut x Jagoub's Jambalaya; o Thomas W. Jagielski & Debbie Connel, h Tom Tracy, Jr.



#### NORTHERN CALIFORNIA Rio Vista, CA August 18–19, 2018

The Northern California Brittany Club held hour Ned Castillo Memorial Walking Field Trial on August 18–19, 2018 at Hastings Island Hunting Preserve in Rio Vista, California. This is always a special trail as Ned Castillo was such a tremendous asset not only to our breed, but to our club. We miss him and contributions dearly and are honored to have named our summer walking trial in his memory.

It was a challenging weekend with the heat hitting us hard at over 100 degrees and the bridge on CA Highway 12 being out making for a very long and circuitous route around including having to take two vehicle ferries for all of those coming from the east. But with the help of our club's own mini circus tent to shield us from the sun and willingness by all to flex our format, we persevered and had a fantastic trial!

The club offered pastries, fruit, granola bars, coffee, and juice both mornings with our own member, Ray Solander, serving as caterer. Ray worked hard cooking us lunch and dinner, serving up beef and chicken tacos for Saturday's lunch, incredible baby back ribs for dinner, and beef and carnitas tacos for Sunday's lunch. Rick and Cheri Perez donated beverages which were invaluable for keeping us all hydrated during the heat.

Our trial chairman, Jim Murphy, made sure everything ran smooth and worked doing everything from setting up tents and courses to bird planting. Jim also wrangled us a wrangler, Terry Zygalinski, so our judges and bird planters had horses. Wil Sumner stepped up and served as our line marshal, we look forward to seeing him more in the future. Wayne & Wendy Ricciardi, Rick & Cheri Perez, Don & Annette Pfister, Heidi Heffelfinger, Sherry Saul, Pam Lambros, Gayle Partmann and others volunteered their time to ensure our judges and competitors were well cared for in the driving heat and our paperwork was complete.

Overseeing the judging of our 87 entries were Pierre Urrutia, Randy berry, Jim Simmons, Willie Stevens, Dominic Pettinato, Ted Foster, Karen Holmes, and Jeff Davis. In addition, we welcomed Cory Harrison as an apprentice judge. We are incredibly grateful and thankful for their enduring the heat and the long detour via ferry to the trial grounds. The Amateur Gun Dog and Open Gun Dog majors were won by club members Rick Perez "Trib" and Heidi Heffelfinger "Zephyrus" respectively, adding to the excitement on the grounds. Newcomer Brandon Dayoan brought his family and his father—in—law out to the trial to see what it was all about and we all were happy to see him earn a 3rd place in Amateur Puppy with his dog "Flash".

Overall, even with the difficulties endured, it was a good trial with great food and, as always, time with our bird dog loving friends and an opportunity to watch some great dogs run. Looking forward to seeing everyone next summer for another great Ned Castillo Memorial event.

#### Amateur Walking Puppy (5S) J: Pierre Urrutia & Randall R. Berry

- 1 Withheld
- 2 BOREGARD DARVILLE OF OHK (D), by Night Rider of OHK x Mandy Mae of OHK; o/b Vincent Crudele
- 3 SHILOH'S HEY BATTER BATTER (D), by FC Shiloh's Last Dash of Flash x Shiloh's Best Reason of All JH; o/h Brandon Dayoan

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

#### J: Pierre Urrutia & Randall R. Berry

- 1 NMK'S FOREVER A MYSTERY (B), GSP
- 2 SHILOH'S DASHIN' DIVA (B), by FC Shiloh's Last Dash of Flash x Shiloh's Best Reason of All JH; o/h Ted Foster
- 3 BOREGARD DARVILLE OF OHK (D), by Night Rider of OHK x Mandy Mae of OHK; o/h Vincent Crudele
- 4 WHISKEYTOWN SEAVIEW OSCAR HF (D), GWP

## Amateur Walking Derby (9S)

#### J: Willie J. Stevens & James Simmons

- 1 NMK'S MOONLIGHT ON SEQUOIA (B), GSP
- 2 JMA'S FIREFOX (B), GSP
- 3 CHIP'S LEXI ALWAYS FOCUSED (B), VIZ
- 4 CHIP'S RAY OF SUNSHINE ZAK (D), VIZ

#### Judge's Award of Merit CLAIR COPPER PENNY LANE DE LA CHASSE

#### Open Walking Derby (8S) J: Dominic Pettinato & James Simmons

- $1 \ \ CHIP'S \ RAY \ OF \ SUNSHINE \ ZAK \ (D), \ VIZ$
- 2 CHIP'S LEXI ALWAYS FOCUSED (B), VIZ
- 3 NMK'S FOREVER A MYSTERY (B), GSP
- 4 NMK'S MOONLIGHT ON SEQUOIA, GSP

#### Judges' Award of Merit WHISKEY HILLS BAD MOON RISING

#### Amateur Walking Gun Dog (14S) J: Willie J. Stevens & Ted Foster

- GCH/CH MILLETTE'S TRIBUTE JH (D), by GCH/CH Millette's On Target x CH Mich's MT Millette drama Queen; o Rich & Cheri Perez
   4 – Wittheld
- 2–4 Withheld

#### Open Walking Gun Dog (16S) J: Jeff Davis & Karen Holmes

1 – SHILOH'S SAILING THE WEST WIND (D), by Millette's Wonder Boy MHA x Shiloh's Throw–Back Thursday SH: Briddet & Heidi Heffelfinger, h Ted Foster

- 2 GCH/CH WOLRAM'S OAKLEAF TIMBER MH (D), by AFC/DC Superglide Sportster MH x CH Wolram's Turquoise Ridge Joule JH; o Suzanne Marlow, h Pierre Urrutia
- 3 CH GERSTDALE'S SCOUT FOR THE KICK BACK RANCH SH (B), by CH Copley's Gunner Sergeant JH x GCH/CH Gerstdale's Take The Money N' Run JH; o Wayne Ricciardi, h Pierre Urrutia
- 4 NMK'S CRYSTAL ROSE TO NV (B), GSP

#### Amateur Limited Walking Gun Dog (12S) J: Willie J. Stevens & Dominic Pettinato

- 1 MOONSHADOWS DANCING PIXEE (B), GSP
- 2 JMA'S WHITETAIL COMET (B), GSP
- 3 FIRESTORM'S RIGHT TO THE POINT (D), VIZ
- 4 NMK'S LITTLE SURFER GIRL, GSP

#### Open Limited Walking Gun Dog (13S) J: Karen Holmes & Jeff Davis

- 1 MOONSHADOW'S DANCING PIXEE (B), GSP
- 2 NMK'S LITTLE SURFER GIRL (B), GSP
- 3 CH GERSTDALE'S SCOUT FOR THE KICK BACK RANCH (B), SH, by CH Copley's Gunnery sergeant JH x CH Gerstdale's Take The Money N'Run JH; o Wayne Ricciardi, h Pierre Urrutia
- 4 GROUSE MOUNTAIN LEGENDARY OUTLAW MH (D), by In It For The Fun x Grouse MT Edition ; o/h Lou Schmitz



**Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame** 



You are invited!

### Ceremony set for New Inductees February 9, 2019

#### Congratulations to Lyle Johnson, Tom White & Margaret Horstmeyer and Ru-Jem's A Touch of Bourbon, Jerry McGee owner

They are the 2019 Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame's newest elected members having earned their way into the Hall of Fame by making a positive and long lasting difference for the betterment of the Brittany breed.

On February 9, 2019, in Grand Junction, TN at the Bird Dog Museum, these four will be inducted as new members and honored at the ceremony. Our Brittany wing with HOF member portraits also includes a museum area for Brittany history.

Thanks to Ken Jacobson's longtime dream and untiring efforts, our breed is now represented by the life-size Brittany Bronze in the gardens of the Bird Dog Museum. You will be overwhelmed when you see this magnificent bronze statue sculpted by one of the world's greatest wildlife artists, Matthew Gray Palmer.

Every visitor to the Bird Dog Museum has been impressed with what the Bird Dog World has built. Show your support for the new Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame members and attend the ceremony if you can. You will not be disappointed!

See the News page at <u>www.brittanyfieldtrialhalloffame.com</u> for schedule and motel information OR contact Mary Crawford at <u>imbritts@gmail.com</u>, 281-469-2234

#### Hear ye! Hear ye!



The American Brittany Magazine is ringing in new changes for 2018

We're adding **"Breeders"** to our Listings - The Brittany magazine reaches approximately 2000 homes across the United States and beyond. This is the perfect opportunity for everyone to know who has available litters and what type of puppies you might have available (field/show/hunting/pet).

Breeders are invited to promote their litters just as we do for Kennel/At Stud/Trainers & Handlers ads - \$60 per year for a standard ad (6 lines); \$10 each additional line.

This will also be listed on the ABC website!

Look for the new heading: "Listings: Breeders – Kennels – At Stud – Trainers & Handlers" Send your contact information and check made payable to the American Brittany Club to:

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# WICHIGAN BRITTANY CHAMPIONSHIP BY: Kathy Gulembo GARMIN.

The 41st running of the Michigan Brittany Championship was held on April 2-5, 2018. Michigan's Ionia Recreation Area served as the Championship venue. Although weather was bitter cold with snow, and 40-hour wind gusts on Wednesday, the venue continues to be some of the premier grounds in this part of the country. This is due in large part to the cooperation between the State of Michigan, Ionia Parks staff, and the Ionia Field Trial Grounds Committee comprised of representatives of all the breed clubs who run there.

The one-hour Open All Age Championship drew 20 entrants and the Open Shooting Dog Championship, also an hour stake, ran with 22 dogs. The Amateur Walking Shooting Dog Championship, which was cancelled due to low entries the last time the championship was held, attracted 10 participants. Unfortunately, the shortage of young dogs this year resulted in a cancellation of the derby classic.

The Championship Association is extremely grateful to the support provided by Purina for this event. We appreciate both the financial support and high-quality dog food provided to the winners. Our dogs' health is one of the most important factors in preparing a competitive bird dog. We also appreciate our Purina Coordinator, Kent Patterson, for organizing the feed and shipping.

A big thank you goes to all of the hard-working members of the Michigan Brittany Championship Association. Morning bird planting for the OAA and OSD was handled Dick Lipski who also replaced birds through the day as needed. Birds were planted in small coveys with whole corn scattered at numerous strategic locations on the course. Bird work was abundant with almost all the dogs having multiple finds. The AWSD course was seeded in the morning by Chuck Langstaff and Diana Kubitz using Diana's mule (gas powered) that she graciously provided to the Association for Dick's use during the rest of the week. Ron Auten planted birds during the walking stake.

Hap Harrison once again also served as our chef for the Monday night championship dinner of pasta and meatballs and a variety of desserts from Sharon. John Hall smoked a brisket to the anticipation of everyone for the Tuesday evening dinner. Food for lunches were prepared and served with the

help of Theda Langstaff, Kathy Gulembo, Donna Janulis, and Judy Graves. Tom Kuzcak was the "official" crock pot stirrer in between his dog wagon services for the week.

We would like to thank the professional and amateur handlers who came this year and supported this championship. Without the support of professionals, Chad Holman from Illinois and Bob Burchett from Missouri, we would not have had enough entries to run any of the stakes. Amateur handlers in the three championship stakes included Hap Harrison, Julie Romance, Chris Sennett, Bert McCandless, Vince Anderson, Ken DeLong, Richard Ross, Matt Healey, Jeff Stanton, John Hall, Ray Trimble, Rebecca Walters, and Tommy Thomas.

The Association would also like to express its appreciation to Will Langley for providing horses and transport. His valuable wrangling service provided horses for some judges and amateur handlers who may otherwise not have been able to participate. Without Will's dedication, it would be even more difficult than already is to find quality judges able to officiate. runs Weimaraners, to officiate the Open All Age Championship. Both of these gentlemen gave the dogs their full attention and were a pleasure to have at the trial. Their decisions, both during the running and at its conclusion, were well received by all the participants.

Standing out from a field of quality contenders, Black Creek Blaze emerged as winner of the Open All-Age Championship. Proudly owned by Ron Harling Sr and Ron Harling Jr, Blaze was handled by Chad Holman. Starting from the oak tree Blaze handled well to the front maneuvering far forward as guided by Chad. He scored three well-spaced finds exhibiting excellent bird manners on each encounter and ended with an extended forward cast securing his first-place placement.

The Runner up title was awarded to Hehi's Slim Chipley owned by Matt Healey and skillfully handled by Bob Burchett. Slim, who ran in the last brace, was released from the oak tree with a nice opening cast and continued to run consistently to the front scoring two nice finds, one along a tree line on the derby course and the second along Hire's field last tree line. He showed style and discipline on both finds allowing Bob to successfully flush the game. He also finished the hour with stamina and range.

The third and fourth place finishes were a contest between two mature Brittany's balancing all age run with multiple bird fines.

Third place was awarded to Hopes Chief of Crosscreek, handled by Bob Burchett, who scored eight bird finds during the hour course. Chief handled every find with style and impeccable manners and balanced these scores with a forward consistent run throughout the hour.

The judges selected CrossCreek Argus Early Christmas, handled by Chad Holman, as the fourth-place competitor in this event. Again, a seasoned competitor Gus handled six spaced bird finds within the hour, while attacking the course in an all age manner reaching the forward objectives and handling for Chad as needed. He finished the hour in a consistent manner showing forward on the course.



Left-Right: Kathy Gulembo, Chad Holman w/ Black Creek Blaze, Bob Burchett w/Hehi's Slim Chipley, Tommy Thomas w/ Hopes Chief of Crosscreek, Jim Cipponeri (judge), John Hall w/ Crosscreek Argus Early Christmas and Duane Yoder (judge)

#### **Open All-Age Championship**

As with all Championships, one of the most important components is hiring great judges. We did it right again this year by asking experienced judges from Michigan, Jim Cipponeri who competes with setters and Duane Yoder who Michigan Brittany Open All Age Championship Grand Open Limited All Age 1hr(20S) J: Jim Cipponeri & Duane Yoder

1 - BLACK CREEK BLAZE (D), by FC Black Creek Deacon x Rebel Jac's

Grace; o Ronald W. Harling, Jr., h Chad Holman

- HeHI'S SLIM CHIPLEY (D), by Biebel's Huckleberry Huck x Rebel Jac's Kentucky Flyer; o Matt Healey, h Bob Burchett
- 3 NGDC/GFC/DC HOPES CHIEF OF CROSSCREEK (D), by CH Hope's Ranger Rick x Sanbar Crosscreek Play By Play; o Barbara ^ Wayne Pepin & Polly & Bob West, h Bob Burchett
- CROSSCREEK ARGUS' EARLY CHRISTMAS (D), by CH Hope's Ranger Rick x CH Sanbar Crosscreek Early Call; o Donovan Markiewicz, h Chad Holman

#### **Open Shooting Dog Championship**

The OSD was judged by Blake Rizzo who runs German Shorthairs from Michigan, and is a well-respected and sought-after judge. Joining Blake in the judicial saddle was Rob Buchholz for the 1st four braces of the stake. Unfortunately, Rob, a long-time Brittany competitor from Michigan, was injured in a head to head collision with his horse. Since the first four braces of the stake were run in slightly over an hour total with no successful finishes,

the transition to a replacement judge was fairly straightforward. We were lucky to have experienced championship judge, John Hall, on hand to take over the reins. John has served as one of the members of the Michigan Brittany Championship Association for many years.

The Open Shooting Dog Champion title was awarded to FC Shot of Whizki handled by Chad Holman and owned by Pam Baird of Illinois. Shot old bested a field of twenty two with a stellar performance to take the championship. Breaking away from the headquarters in the fifth brace and in some of the worst weather of week, he scored the first of his seven finds in the tree-line by the ponds. The style on all of Shot's finds was impressive with a high head and tail, never softening, and was remarked on by all in the gallery. His second find was on the far outside edge of Hires' field. Moving forward with nice ground speed, Shot was next found standing at the end of the hedgerow in the orchard field on course 1. Hunting the course handling kindly, Shot had his next two finds on the derby section of the course in two different tree-line edges. Just before the creek crossing, he pointed again with his brace mate honoring, but it proved to be a non-productive. The gun dog section of the course was fruitful with two more finds, one in the stonewall just past the Riverside parking lot and the second at the end of the orchard just before the woods as time was called.

Starlight's Mercury Out Ryder was awarded the runner-up title. Owned by Teresa Richmond of Illinois and handled by Bob Burchett, Ryder had an outstanding performance and challenged the winner. The judges noted his bird work was excellent with superb style. Breaking away from the headquarters in brace nine, he had the first of his eleven finds at the cattails on course 1. He was next found standing on the tree-line by the ponds. Finds 3, 4, and 5 were minutes apart in lines entering, on the west edge, and in the island of Hires' field. Moving forward toward the old barn, Ryder found #6 in the small apple tree area. Before turning to the championship course, finds #7 and #8 were in the books. On the way down to the Boy Scout bridge, he logged his 9th find. Ryder made an all-age move to the front from the bridge, next being seen on point again on the derby course in the Christmas tree field. His final find was in the apple orchard just before pickup.

Ammo's The Show That Never Ends, owned by Julie Nelson and Mark Claypool, and handled by Bob Burchett, earned the 3rd place nod. Braced with the winner in the 5th brace, Emmy had a pleasing forward race resulting in six finds and one back with all in order. Her bird work in order but not up to the caliber of the champion or runner-up.

Fourth place was garnered by FC Magnum High Velocity owned by Denise and Vince Anderson. Gauge was handled by Vince in the seventh brace with wind gusts that may have been at their fiercest. Also having a nice forward performance hunting the objectives, he carded seven finds with good manners.

Michigan Brittany Open Shooting Dog Championship Grand Open Limited Gun Dog 1hr(20S)



Left-Right: Meredith Mays (judge), Jeff Stanton with winner Bark River Queen of Diamonds, Paul Renius (judge), Denise Anderson, Vince Anderson with Magnum High Velocity

#### J: Blake Rizzo & John Hall

- 1 SHOT OF WHIZKI (D), by DC Hi Proof Whizki x Alliwannado; o Pam Baird, h Chad Holman
- STARLIGHT'S MERCURY OUT RYDER (D), by DC/AFC Timberline Strait To The Point x FC Rubyridge's Million Dollar Babe; o Teresa Richmond, h Bob Burchett
- 3 AMMO'S THE SHOW THAT NEVER ENDS (B), by DC/AFC Ru-Jem's A Touch Of Bourbon x CH Ammo's Nearly Wild Rose JH; o Julie Nelson & Mark Claypool, h Bob Burchett
- 4 NGDC/GFC/FC/AFC MAGNUM HIGH VELOCITY (D), by FC/AFC High Hopes Tiger Jac x High Hopes Dots Original Spice; o/h Vincent Anderson

#### Amateur Walking Shooting Championship

The AWSD Championship was judged by long-time Brittany competitor and experienced judge Paul Renius from Michigan and Meredith Mays from Pennsylvania. It was run on course 3 which was in great condition after having been groomed for the Brittany National Gun Dog Championship in the late fall.

FC Bark River Queen of Diamonds, owned and handled by Jeff Stanton from Wisconsin, resoundingly won the stake. While there were only ten dogs entered, the quality of the champion's performance was exceptional, so much so that no runner-up was named. Running in the last brace, Daisy had three clean finds and an excellent run. She hit all the course objectives with a snappy run and stayed in the pocket. Daisy and Jeff worked together as a well-oiled team with lots of experience under the whistle. Her intensity on birds was also outstanding with no head movement and remaining solid after the flush and shot.

Third place was awarded to FC Magnum High Velocity owned by Denise and Vince Anderson. Gauge was consistent this week by placing in both shooting dog stakes. Running in the 3rd brace of the AWSD, Gauge was handled by Vince. He handled kindly and had a forward race resulting in two clean finds.

FC Hap's Spice Rum Beckham guided by owner, Hap Harrison, walked away with the fourth-place ribbon. Starting the stake off in the first brace, Beckham had a nice race with one find but his manners on the bird work opened the door for later braced competitors.

#### Michigan Brittany Amateur Walking Shooting Dog Championship Grand Amateur Walking Limited Gun Dog 1hr(10S) J: Meredith Mays & Paul Renius

- 1 BARK RIVER QUEEN OF DIAMONDS (B), by Terras Cabo Wabo x Double Ups TNT Tori; o/h Jeff Stanton
- 2 Withheld
- 3 NGDC/GFC/FC/AFC MAGNUM HIGH VELOCITY (D), by FC/AFC High Hopes Tiger Jac x High Hopes Dots Original Spice; o/h Vincent Anderson
- 4 GFC/FC/AFC HAP'S SPICE RUM BECKHAM (D), by FC/AFC Hap's Spice Rum Luke x Boone County Whiskey; o Earl Harrison, h Hap Harrison



# MEMBERSHIP BUILDING CLUB by CLUB, REGION by REGION

#### WASHINGTON BRITTANY CLUB -QUAIL-O-RAMA JULY 28 & 29th 2018



A weekend where anxiety, stress, and hardworking exceptions are packed away. In its place we unwrap our event like Christmas. where excitement, anticipation of total fun and relaxation is felt throughout this weekend! Early start off the line with 2 fields running in Oakville, WA at Koopman's

Farm Unit with amazing vistas views of both fields. Participants and guests alike are gathered together with chairs, coffee and dogs of many pointing breeds all watching the action below.

Good hearted competition to be the fastest 2 birds found in 15 minutes or optional 2 birds to just work with your dog and you are offered as well. A perfect opportunity for new people and their dogs to learn all about our fun filled sport!!

Warmed my heart to see (once again) our members and other active participants step forward to mentor any new people to our events! Connections were made as nervous energy faded, replaced with new found confidence, smiles, slaps on the back plus best of all tails wagging like crazy!!

So many activities set-up for downtime with an amazing Silent Auction. Fantastic items that appealed to everyone. An introduction to birds for all the puppies and new hunters that was a great "hook" for many soon to be new participants and members!! LOL A dunk pool set-up with hot dogs was a huge success! Puppies as well as the other tail wagging participants jumped in the pool finding those tasty hot dogs as good as finding birds! weekend a huge success!! The traditional Saturday night potluck brought out the hidden competition that made it a feast beyond compare! Baked Salmon, Crab, Shrimp, amazing Salads, Desserts to die for and then Overfilled Bellies!

Sunday brought back many for the 2nd round of activities that carried us to the end of a great weekend. We had a total of 43 entries as well as many new members signing up filling our club's roll call!!

Having developed this event these past few years we are finding so many newer people drawn to trying out a new activity with their pointing dogs/ puppies and really enjoying their time out in the field! Not as hard as they thought it would be, as well as, finding Mentors to go forward to the "real " events! Also learning about all the other amazing events they could explore through the AKC website. Can't wait for Next Year!! Come Join us!!



So many of our members stepped up to make this

# Specialty Shows

#### NORTHERN CALIFORNIA Vallejo, CA June 9, 2018

The Northern California Brittany Club held their specialty show during the 11th year of the Woofstock Cluster in Vallejo, CA.

The Sweepstakes was judged by Ms. Debbie Lewis. Ms. Lewis chose Dream Hi's SR Don't Believe Me Just Watch for Best in Sweepstakes.

The Regular Classes were judged by Dr. Ronald L. Spritzer. Dr. Spritzer chose GCHP Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The Game (Ashton) for Best of Breed and GCH River Run Shake A Tail Feather JH (Piper) for Best of Opposite Sex.

The Northern California Brittany Club would like to thank all the contributors of our trophy fund for their support. Also a thank you to our members for their help and support of our specialty show.

Our club also held a potluck luncheon after the specialty and regular show. A big thank you to everyone who helped to make the luncheon a big success.

#### **SWEEPSTAKES**

Judge: Ms. Debbie Lewis

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 DREAM HI SR DON'T BELIEVE ME JUST WATCH, o Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady & Sarah Mackney
- 2 MILLETTE AND MICH MT. READY OR NOT, o Michelle Millette & Michelle Chaney
- 3 MILLETTE'S KEEP ON TRUCKING, o Michelle Millette
- 4 MILLETTE'S I AMREADY, o Michelle Millette & Michelle Chaney

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN, o Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady
- 2 MILLETTE'S THAT GIRL HAS IT ALL, o Michelle Millette
- 3 KENNA'S MICH'S MT 'STELLA' REACHING FOR THE STARS, o Michelle Chaney & Arlene McCabe
- 4 MILLETTE'S HOT AND FLASHY, o Michelle Chaney & Michelle Millette

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 TRIO BANNER MOUNTAIN'S SNO QUEEN JH, o Glenda J. & Larry R. Mazzuca
- 2 CROSS CREEK LADY LAWYER, o Ted Foster & Patty MacLeod
- 3 SHILOH'S DASHIN' DIVA, o Ted Foster & Patty MacLeod

#### 12–15 Month Junior Bitches

1 - MICH MT NOTHIN' BUT BLUE SKIES, o Kitty & Bob Norwood



Best in Sweepstakes DREAM HI'S SR DON'T BELIEVE ME JUST WATCH



Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN

#### REGULAR CLASSES Judge: Mr. Ronald I. Spritzer 6–9 Month Puppy Dogs

- MILLETTE AND MICH MT. READY OR NOT, by CH Millette's Fire When Ready x CH Millette's I've Got Sunshine; o/b Michelle Millette & Michelle Chaney
- 2 I AM READY, by CH Millette's Fire When Ready x CH Millette's I've Got Sunshine; o/b Michelle Millette & Michelle Chaney
- 3 MILLETTE'S KEEP ON TRUCKNG, by CH Riley Will Hunt JH x CH Millette's Limited Edition JH; o Michelle Millette, b Michelle Millette & Roy & Shawna Stockton
- 4 KENNA'S WILD RIDE ON THE MUDDY SIDE, by CH Mich Mt. Tri The Magnificent One The Mick x GCH Go North Megadeth; o Donnie Earls & Judy Brown, b Judy Brown & Elaine Bartlett

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Dogs

- 1 DREAM HI SR DON'T BELIEVE ME JUST WATCH, by GCHP2 Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The Game x GCH Copper Caliah's Dream Hi River Lilly JH; o Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady & Sarah Mackney, b Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady & Shellie Sytsma
- 2 NNV WOODFORD'S TURN ME LUCE JH, by CH Horizon's A Gentleman's Bet x Nnv Sam's Little Lucy; o Nicholas & Yvonne Shanto, b Mary & Jack Logan & Yvonne M. Shanto

#### **Open Dogs**

1 – WILD MTN FAUX PAW, by Wild Mtn N Labyrinth Golden Prairie Dancer x Labyrinth Nrm Sunshine & Summertime @ Wild Mtn JH; o Colson J. Shanto, b Helen Riggle & Karen Hanson

#### Winners Dog DREAM HI SR DON'T BELIEVE ME JUST WATCH

#### Reserve Winners Dog WILD MTN FAUX PAW

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 MILLETTE'S THAT GIRL HAS IT ALL, by CH Riley Will Hunt JH x CH Millette's Limited Edition JH; o Michelle Millette, b Michelle Millette & Roy & Shawna Stockton
- 2 MILLETTE'S HOT AND FLASHY, by CH Millette's Fire When Ready x CH Millette's I've Got Sunshine; o/b Michelle Chaney & Michelle Millette
- 3 KENNA'S TRI MY HEARTS DESIRE "MAYVE", by CH Mich Mt. Tri The Magnificent One The Mick x GCH Go North Megadeth; o Judy & Kyle Brown, b Judy Brown & Elaine Bartlett
- 4 KENNA'S MICH'S MT 'STELLA' REACHING FOR THE STARS, by CH Mich Mt Tri The Magnificent One The Mick x CH Go North Megadeth; o Michelle Chaney & Arlene McCabe, b Judy Brown & Elaine Bartlett

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

- TRIO BANNER MOUNTAIN'S SNOW QUEEN JH, by GCHB Big Oaks Give Em The Tour x GCH Rainbow Trio's Hit Me Baby One More Time; o Glenda J. & Larry R. Mazzuca, b Karen & Clint Livingston
- 2 CROSS CREEK LADY LAWYER, by DC/NGDC/GFC Hope's Chief Of Crosscreek x CH Sanbar's True Colors; o Ted Foster & Patty MacLeod, b Wayne C. & Barbara J. Pepin, DVM
- 3 SHILOH'S DASHIN' DIVA, by FC Shiloh's Last Dash Of Flash x Shiloh's Best Reason Of All JH; o Ted Foster & Patty MacLeod, b Pennie Peterson

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

1 – MICH MT NOTHIN' BUT BLUE SKIES, by CH Mich Mt The Suspense Is Over x CH Triumphant Mich My Eye Candy; o Kitty & Bob Norwood, b Michelle Chaney & Arlene McCabe

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches

- DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN, by GCHP2 Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The Game x GCH Cooper Caliah's Dream Hi River Lilly JH; o Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady, b Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady & Shellie Sytsma
- 2 MILLETTE'S CHARMED, by GCH Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The Game x CH Millette's Lucky Charm; o Michelle Millette, b Michelle Millette & Krissy Day & Kristina Rickard

#### **Open Bitches**

- SANBAR'S LEGEND IN LACE, by DC Sanbar's Legendary Evening x CH Sanbar Crosscreek Tell Me A Story; o Robert & Carolyn & Polly West, b Robert & Carolyn & Polly West & Wayne Pepin
- 2 SANBAR CROSSCREEK I'LL HAVE ANOTHER, by CH Hope's Ranger Rick x GCH Sanbar–Rocklan's Tuxedo Junction BN RN JH; o/b Robert West & Dr. Barbara Pepin
- 3 ORY'S RODEO PRINCESS ROCKS CYNISTER, by GCH/DC Ory's Marshal Dillon SH x GCH Copley's All Fun 'N Games; o Cathie & Ryan Magoon & Courtney Molina, b Joy & Tim & Michella Ory
- 4 DREAM HI'S CALIFORNIA HERE WE COME, by GCHP Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The Game x CH Sandbar Dream Hi's Always One Step Ahead

#### Winners Bitch SANBAR'S LEGEND IN LACE

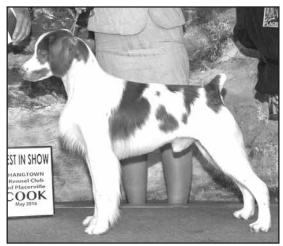
#### Reserve Winners Bitch DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN

#### **Field Trial Dogs**

1 – GCH WOLRAM'S OAKLEAF TIMBER MH, by AFC/DC Superglide Sportster MH x CH Wolram's Turquoise Ridge Joule JH; o/b Suzanne Marlow

#### **Stud Dogs**

- 1 GCHP DREAM HI'S DON'T HATE THE PLAYER HATE THE GAME, by GCH Mich's Mt Ready Aim Fire x GCH Castle's Sleeping Beauty Zoei; o Tom & Lori Rickard, b Joseph Ramondetta
- 2 CH MICH MT. TRI THE MAGNIFICENT ONE THE MICK, by CH Mich's Mt I've Got Carter x CH Mich Mt Tri Fooling Pippin; o Michelle Chaney & Jamie Tellier & Arlene McCabe, b Michelle Chaney



Best of Breed GCHP DREAM HI'S DON'T HATE THE PLAYER HATE THE GAME, by GCH Mich's Mt Ready Aim Fire x GCH Castle's Sleeping Beauty Zoei; o Tom & Lori Rickard, b Joseph Ramondetta

Best of Winners DREAM HI SR DON'T BELIEVE ME JUST WATCH



Best of Opposite Sex GCH RIVER RUN SHAKE A TAIL FEATHER JH, by GCHS Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x GCH Kinwashkly Do U Believen Magic SH; o Gail Easter & Joel Dannewitz, b Gail Easter & Terry Courtright

> Select Dog CH POWDER RIVER'S KLICK PLAY WIN

Select Bitch CH RIVER RUN NOBODY DOES IT BETTER JH

#### INDIAN NATIONS

Oklahoma City, OK June 29–30, 2018

June 29, 2018 SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Mr. David Downing 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches 1 – DIAMOND CREEK'S ROYAL CHARM, o David & Amy Budke

#### Best in Sweepstakes DIAMOND CREEK'S ROYAL CHARM

#### **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

#### Judge: Mr. David Downing

#### 7–10 Year Veteran Dogs

1 - GCHS/CH GRANMAR'S DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH, o Jody Kirtley

#### **10 Year and Older Veteran Dogs**

1 – GCH/CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW BENGAL ZERO ZERO, o Jenny Burlingame & Cornum Burlingame & Clements & Mika

#### Best in Veteran Sweepstakes GCHS/CH GRANMAR'S DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH

#### **REGULAR CLASSES**

#### Judge: Mrs. Nancy D. Simmons Open Dogs

1 – FC HIGHPOINT BLAZIN" HIGH NOON, by FC/AFC Highpoint Blazin' Lamont x FC Southern Breeze; o/b Ben Kuykendall

> Winners Dog FC HIGHPOINT BLAZIN" HIGH NOON

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

1 – DIAMOND CREEK'S ROYAL CHARM, by GCH/CH Diamond Creek's Forever Royal x Diamond Creek's Prairie Rose JH; o/b David & Amy Budke

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

1 – SIGBRIT'S ELEMENT OF MAYHEM AT FALLS POINT, by CH Copleys Element of Surprise JH x GCH Sigbrits See No Evil JH; o Douglas & Emily Ansel, b Bobbie L. Sigmund

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 WILD MTN J'S SUMMERTIME JAMBALAYA, by GCH/CH Wild Mtn's Storm Warnting x Labyrinth Nmr Sunshine & Summertime @ Wild mtn JH; o Debbie Sue Reed, b Helen Riggle & Karen Hanson
- 2 WILD MTN'S CHATEAU STE MICHELE MERITAGE, by GCHS/CH Wild Mtn's When You Are Hot You're Hot! x CH Wild Mtn's Lil Piece Of My Heart; o/b William R. Wessels

#### **Open Bitches**

- 1 FYREBYRD 'N RODEO'S HAIL MARY, by GCHS/CH Sunquest Star Vue's Special Edition x CH Willowick N Zaffres Settin Fire To The Reign; o Karen Richardson & Roy Wagner, Jr., b Kellie L. Miller & Sara Taylor
- 2 BAR LO'S CELTIC WEAVE, by CH Hintzel's Field Scout SH x CH Hickory Hill's Love Song SH; o Nancy Anderson & Michelle Lingan, b Steven Hintzel & Willo Barfield & Anne Parchman
- 3 HIGHPOINT SPIKE'S SOUTHERN GAL, by FC Highpoint Southern Spike x Flatrock's I'm Watching You Dad; o Trey L. Baer, b Bonnie Pirtle

#### Winners Bitch FYREBYRD 'N RODEO'S HAIL MARY

#### Reserve Winners Bitch BAR LO'S CELTIC WEAVE

#### Veteran Dogs

- GCH/CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW BENGAL ZERO ZERO, by CH Jordean–Sequani C I Told You So x CH Dogwood Hollow Gone With The Wind; o Jenny Burlingame & Cornum & Burlingame & Clements & Mika, b Gary & Geri Clements & Cheryl Mika
- 2 GCHS/CH GRAMAR'S DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH, by CH Delane One Rough Ride x DC Granmars Classic Diamond Account; o Jody Kirtley, b Tim Foley & Patrick Brown

#### **Best of Breed**

GCH/CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW BENGAL ZERO ZERO, by CH Jordean– Sequani C I Told You So x CH Dogwood Hollow Gone With The Wind; o Jenny Burlingame & Cornum & Burlingame & Clements & Mika, b Gary & Geri Clements & Cheryl Mika

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

CH GRANMAR'S KOULD BE EZEE ABENDRO by CH Marsport Hot to Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Granmars Diamonds Paid In Full; o Carl & D'Anna Ziese & Karlee Howard & Jody Kirtley, b Janet Rivers & Tim Foley

> Best of Winners FYREBYRD 'N RODEO'S HAIL MARY

#### Select Dog GCH FRONTIER'S A FIST FULL OF DOLLARS

#### Select Bitch GCHS TRIO'S EVERLASTING DREAMS RN

#### June 30, 2018

#### **SWEEPSTAKES**

#### Judge: Ms. Erin Roberts

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 - DIRTY BIRD LIGHTNING STYRKE, o Rick & Nan Crites

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - DIAMOND CREEK'S ROYAL CHARM, o David & Amy Budke

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

1 – WILD MTN'S CHATEAU STE MICHELE MERITAGE, o William R. Wessles

#### Best in Sweepstakes DIAMOND CREEK'S ROYAL CHARM

#### Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes DIRTY BIRD LIGHTNING STRYKE

#### **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

Judge: Ms. Erin Roberts

7–10 Year Veteran Dogs

1 - GCHS/CH GRANMAR'S DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH, o Jody Kirtley

#### **REGULAR CLASSES**

#### Judge: Mrs. Barbara Dempsey Alderman Open Dogs

- 1 FC HIGHPOINT BLAZIN" HIGH NOON, by FC/AFC Highpoint Blazin' Lamont x FC Southern Breeze; o/b Ben Kuykendall
- 2 DIRTY BIRD LIGHTNING STRYKE, by DC Powder River's Nobody But Me x CH Dirty Bird's Girl On Fire; o/b Rick & Nan Crites

#### Winners Dog FC HIGHPOINT BLAZIN" HIGH NOON

#### Reserve Winners Dog DIRTY BIRD LIGHTNING STRYKE

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

1 – DIAMOND CREEK'S ROYAL CHARM, by GCH/CH Diamond Creek's Forever Royal x Diamond Creek's Prairie Rose JH; o/b David & Amy Budke

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

 SIGBRIT'S ELEMENT OF MAYHEM AT FALLS POINTE, by CH Copley's Element of Surprise JH x GCH Sigbrit's See No Evil JH; o Douglas & Emily Ansel, b Bobbie L. Sigmund

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

1 – WILD MTN'S CHATEAU STE MICHELE MERITAGE, by CH Wild Mtn's When You Are Hot You're Hot! x CH Wild Mtn's Lil Piece Of My Heart; o/b William R. Wessels

#### **Open Bitches**

- 1 SANDSTONE LITTLE MISS SURE SHOT, by GCH Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Sandstone Oh Sweet Pea; o/b Janet & Emma Ranney
- 2 BAR LO'S CELTIC WEAVE, by CH Hintzel's Field Scout SH x CH Hickory Hill's Love Son SH; o Nancy Anderson & Michelle Lingan, b Steven Hintzel & Willo Barfield & Anne Parchman
- 3 FYREBYRD 'N RODEO'S HAIL MARY, by GCHS/CH Sunquest Star Vue's Special Edition x CH Willowick N Zaffes Settin Fire To The Reign; o Karen Richardson & Roy Wagner, Jr., b Kellie L. Miller & Sara Taylor
- 4 HIGHPOINT SPIKE'S SOUTHERN GAL, by FC Highpoint Southern Spike x Flatrock's I'm Watching You Dad; o Trey L. Baer, b Bonnie Pirtle

#### Winners Bitch SANDSTONE LITTLE MISS SURE SHOT

#### Reserve Winners Bitch BAR LO'S CELTIC WEAVE

#### Veteran Dogs

 GCHS/CH GRANMAR'S DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH, by CH Delane One Rough Ride x DC Granmars Classic Diamond Account; o Jody Kirtley, b Tim Foley & Patrick Brown

#### **Best of Breed**

Trio–Tonan Into The Woods, by GCH/CH Rainbow Splash's Ruggedly Handsome x CH Magic Britt Tonan Moonlight Sonata; o Angel Rumbolo & Karen & Clint Livingston

> Best of Winners SANDSTONE LITTLE MISS SURE SHOT

Best of Opposite Sex GCH/CH BIG OAK'S GIVE 'EM THE TOUR, by CH Big Oaks Texas Ranger x GCH/CH Big Oaks Delta Sunkist By Credit; o Erin Alsabrook & Louise Brown, b Louise Brown & Donna Harrison

> Select Dog GCH FRONTIER'S A FIST FULL OF DOLLARS

Select Bitch FYREBYRD ASPEN JOY ALWAYS ON EXTRA POINT

> Owner Handled Best of Breed CH DUAL LANES CRYSTAL CLEAR

#### WESTERN MICHIGAN Monroe, MI July 6 & 8, 2018

#### July 6, 2018

2017 was the first year we tried a concurrent specialty and we liked it so we did it again this year. Mr. Robert Vandiver presided over this year's event. The Veteran Dog was the bigger winner on this four-show weekend! GCHS Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven, MH owned and bred by Larry & Peggy Snider and shown by Lisa Arnett took Best

of Breed at all four shows and finished the day by winning the Veteran Group! Rook proved to everyone what I always tell judges: "Brittanys get better and better with age!" Best of Opposite Sex was Ch Over Under's Bantam Bay Watch, JH owned and handled by Eileen Gust and bred by Diane Hedstrom! Best of Winners was a lovely bitch bred by Doug Tighe, Hope's Hidden Creek Vision, owned by Barbara Brownridge and Doug, handled by Kristal Hjort!

The highlight of my day was judging Mini Me's after lunch on Friday! Veronica, Vivian and Victoria Hamaker were a wonderful treat to watch showing their dogs. They wanted to "work" and I put them through their paces while the spectators clapped and whistled their appreciation. Children are the future of our sport and it's in good hands with these three mini-me's of Kassie Hamaker!

We had lunch furnished by WMBC under a lovely tent that the Ann Arbor Kennel Club provided for us. Thank you to all the exhibitors that supported our specialties, the MSDA show and the Ann Arbor shows! Monroe, Michigan was the setting for the 2017 ABC Summer Specialty and was voted the #1 Show Site in the country! Special thanks go to Thom and Andi Christnagel for their hospitality and work at the show and to Carlos and Eileen Gust who also helped. #1 with a bullet was Deb Smelt who came all the way down from Canada to help me in any way she could, which included picking me up off the sidewalk when I fell at the motel! Thanks Deb, you are one in a million in the friend category and club member category! Diana Kubitz

Show Chair



**Mini Me's Winners** 

#### REGULAR CLASSES Judge: Mr. Robert Vandiver 9–12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 – TRIO–GREAT LAKE'S GOLDEN SNITCH, by GCHB Big Oaks Give Em The Tour x GCH Rainbow Trio's Hit Me Baby One More Time; o Madeline Schopf, b Karen Livingston

#### 12–18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 KALA'S THUNDER AND LIGHTNING OF SHORTBARRELS JH, by GCHS Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Kala's Time After Time; o Thom Crhistnagel & Kassandra Hamaker, b Kassandra Hamaker & Vivian Murphy
- 2 SEVEN CROWNS RISEN FROM THE ASHES, by CH The Graduate Of Seven Crowns x Dixie of Seven Crowns; o Dr. Jane Kaminski & Sean Oberski, b Robert & Barb Watson

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Dogs

1 – MARSPORT ROUSING ROARY JH, by GCH Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Marsport Tribute To Trouble JH; o/b John Marsman

#### **Open Dogs**

- 1 WILD MTN ALL RISE, by FC Wild Mtn's All That x CH Wild Mtn's All That x CH Wild Mtn's No Doubt; o Helen & Brian Riggle, b Helen Riggle & Frank Watters
- 2 TELFARE'S DIAMOND JIM, by FC/AFC Hap's Spice Rum Luke x DJ's Mark Of Distinction JH; o/b Jeanne & W. Ronald Telfare

#### Winners Dog TRIO–GREAT LAKE'S GOLDEN SNITCH

#### Reserve Winners Dog WILD MTN ALL RISE

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

 FANCY REBA OF SEVEN CROWNS, by DC/AFC Auten's Ranger Rudy Rjlj x Who–Sya Daddy Of Seven Crowns; o/b Robert William & Barbara Ann & Brandi Ann Watson

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

1 – DJ'S UPTOWN GIRL, by NAFC/GFC/FC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Sniksoh Izzy Does It; o Daniel Rein, b James Winnen

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

 HOPE'S HIDDENCREEK VISION, by GCHG MACH14 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXS2 MJG2 MXF T2B2 x GCH Hope's I Can't Drive 55; o Barbara Ann Brownridge & Douglas Tighe, b Douglas Tighe & E. Susan Drazek

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches

- 1 KALA'S I'VE GOT YOU ON YOUR KNEES, by GCHS Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Kala's Time After Time; o/b Kassandra Hamaker & Vivian Murphy
- 2 MARSPORT TENACIOUS TEAKI, by Marsport Rousing Roary JH x CH Canny Cammie JH; o John Marsman & Bradford Williams, b John Marsman

#### **Open Bitches**

- CENTER RIDGE'S BARREL OF MONKEYS JH, by CH The Graduate Of Seven Crowns x CH Center Ridge's Whitey Girl; o Pamela Catherine Darga, b Harold Drarga
- 2 OVER UNDER'S COPPER PENNY, by GFC/FC/AFC Hap's Spice Rum Beckham x CH Over Under's Bantams Baywatch JH; o David & Lin Jackson, b Eileen C. Gust
- 3 SOUTHPAW'S SCOUT OF MAYCOMB COUNTY, by CH Chestnut Ridge King Cobra CD JH x CH Southpaw's Lil' Allie Kat; o Mark Cruz & June Cutherburtson, b June Cuthbertson & Thomas Boersma
- 4 WAR–JON'S GABI'S BEE–BOPIN ANNIE, by Woody Pines Chipper x DJ's Country Best Girl; o Warren M. Shopp, b Joseph P. Kern

#### Winners Bitch HOPE'S HIDDENCREEK VISION

#### Reserve Winners Bitch CENTER RIDGE'S BARREL OF MONKEYS JH

#### **8 Year and Older Veteran Dogs**

1 – GCHS MARSPORT HOT TO RIDE LUCKY SEVEN MH, by DC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Marsport Rebel Rider; o/b Larry & Peggy Snider



Best of Breed GCHS MARSPORT HOT TO RIDE LUCKY SEVEN MH, by DC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Marsport Rebel Rider; o/b Larry & Peggy Snider

Best of Winners HOPE'S HIDDENCREEK VISION

Best of Opposite Sex CH OVER UNDER'S BANTAMS BAYWATCH JH, by GCH Bantam's Spittin' Image JH x CH Bantam's Firecracker JH; o Eileen Gust, b Diane M. Henstrom

> Select Dog CH WILD MTN'S TIME BANDIT

Select Bitch CH TRIO–TONAN CASTLE ON A CLOUD

#### July 8, 2018

#### WMBC Specialty with AAKC

I have to start with the news that Rook took Group 4 on Saturday in a very strong Sporting Group! Congratulations to Rook and Larry and Peggy Snider! It was a weekend that we all dream about, but few achieve! Our Sunday specialty found Dr. Gareth Morgan–Jones as the judge presiding over the Brittany ring. As previously stated he too found Rook to be the top Brittany!

The Christnagels found us a charming place for dinner Saturday night and everyone had a great time. They had hosted a BBQ at their home on Friday night and continued being great hosts throughout the weekend. Don't know what we'd do without you! Since you've already had a preview of how the days of shows went, I'll get right to the placements!

Hope to see you all next year when the Michigan Brittany Club will again be joining us Saturday! Cathy Rigoulot and I look forward to planning lots of fun activities! See you next year in "Pure Michigan!" Diana Kubitz Show Chair

#### REGULAR CLASSES Judge: Dr. Gareth Morgan–Jones 9–12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 – TRIO–GREAT LAKE'S GOLDEN SNITCH, by GCHB Big Oaks Give Em The Tour x GCH Rainbow Trio's Hit Me Baby One More Time; o Madeline Schopf, b Karen Livingston

#### 12–15 Month Junior Dogs

1 – KALA'S THUNDER AND LIGHTNING OF SHORTBARRELS JH, by GCHS Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Kala's Time After Time; o Thom Christnagel & Kassandra Hamaker, b Kassandra Hamaker & Vivian Murphy

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Dogs

1 – JS A DEAL WITH THE DEVIL, by CH Bantam's Bravo Duffy x CH JS The Fifth Element; o/b Jill M. Snider

#### **Open Dogs**

- 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 Waters
- 2 BIG OAKS BROXDEN BLAME IT ALVIN MY ROOTS, by GCH Big Oaks Texas Ranger x GCHS Big Oaks Delta Sunkist By Credit; o Amy & Phil Booth & Linda Langford, b Louise M. Brown & Amy & Phil Booth

#### Winners Dog WILD MTN ALL RISE

#### Reserve Winners Dog BIG OAKS BROXDEN BLAME IT ALVIN MY ROOTS

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

 FANCY REBA OF SEVEN CROWNS, by DC/AFC Auten's Ranger Rudy Rjlj x Who'Sya Daddy Of Seven Crowns; o/b Robert William & Barbara Ann & Brandi Ann Watson

#### 12–15 Month Junior Bitches

- KALA'S I'VE GO YOU ON YOUR KNEES, by GCHS Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Kala's Time After Time; o/b Kassandra Hamaker & Vivian Murphy
- 2 MARSPORT TENACIOUS TEAKI, by Marsport Rousing Roary JH x CH Canny Cammie JH; o John Marsman & Bradford Williams, b John Marsman

#### **Open Bitches**

- FYREBYRD GAME CHANGER, by GCHS Sunquest Star Vue's Special Edition x GCH Willowick N ZaffresSettin Fire To The Reign; o Kristyn & David Stout, b Kellie L. Miller & Sara Taylor
- 2 CENTER RIDGE'S BARREL OF MONKEYS JH, by CH The Graduate Of Seven Crowns x CH Center Ridge's Whitey Girl; o Pamela Catherine Darga, b Harold Drarga
- 3 OVER UNDER'S COPPER PENNY, by GFC/FC/AFC Hap's Spice Rum Beckham x CH Over Under's Bantams Baywatch JH; o David & Lin Jackson, b Eileen C. Gust
- 4 WAR–JON'S GABI'S BEE–BOPPIN ANNIE, by Woody Pines Chipper x DJ's Country Best Girl; o Warren M. Shopp, b Joseph P. Kern

#### Winners Bitch HOPE'S HIDDENCREEK VISION

#### Reserve Winners Bitch FYREBYRD GAME CHANGER

#### 8 Year and Older Veteran Dogs

1 – GCHS MARSPORT HOT TO RIDE LUCKY SEVEN MH, by DC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Marsport Rebel Rider; o/b Larry & Peggy Snider

#### **Best of Breed**



GCHS MARSPORT HOT TO RIDE LUCKY SEVEN MH, by DC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Marsport Rebel Rider; o/b Larry & Peggy Snider

> Best of Winners HOPE'S HIDDENCREEK VISION

#### Best of Opposite Sex

HOPE'S HIDDENCREEK VISION, by GCH MACH 4 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXS2 MJG2 MXF T2B2 x GCH Hope's I Can't Drive 55; o Barbara Ann Brownridge & Douglas Tighe, b Douglas Tighe & E. Susan Drazek

Select Dog CH WILD MTN N LABYRINTH FOOTLOOSE AT TREASURE LAKE

> Select Bitch CH KALA'S SWEET DREAMS ARE MADE OF THIS

> Owner Handled Best of Breed CH KALA'S SWEET DREAMS ARE MADE OF THIS

#### TEXAS COASTAL Houston, TX July 18, 2018

Our show was again held in conjunction with the Houston World Series of Dog Shows in the vast NRG Center building, thankfully in the air conditioning! The building hosted not only of five days of conformation shows but obedience, rally, flyball competition, meet the breed and other crowd-pleasing events. A person could spend two or three days just enjoying these events and not have time to shop in over 100 vendor booths. As usual, some of our local Texas Coastal and Alamo members came with Brittanys to the meet the reeed ring on Friday and we thank them for making some fine dogs available for the public to see – young dogs, older dogs, orange/white and liver/white – a good representation of the breed.

We especially want to thank Purina for their attendance of this amazing weekend and, like all sporting events they sponsor, we couldn't have premier events like this without their financial support.

We had a good entry this year with 21 Brittanys and we thank all exhibitors for coming to our specialty show.

Our Sweepstakes judge, Ms. Willow Barfield from Bulverde, TX, had a quality entry of five young britts and did a fine job of judging. She selected Wild Mtn's Lone Star Que Syrah Syrah owned by Nic Taulia as her Best in Sweepstakes. Best of Opposite Sex was awarded to Dogwood Cora Ripley owned by Todd Parmenter as her Best of Opposite Sex.

Mr. Jon Cole from Nashville, TN judged the Regular Classes and Breed. Our entry made a 4-point major in bitches. From the classes, Wild Mtn's Lone Star Que Syrah Syrah received Winners Dog and Best of Winners. Winners Bitch went to Libertie's You Are My Sunshine, owned by Emily and Andrew Reeves.

Of the 12 Champions, GCHB Sovereign's Legendary Disciple, owned by Collen Walsh and Dawn and Droel, garnered Best of Breed. CH Tri—Tonan Into the Woods, owned by Angel Rumbolo and Karen and Clint Livingston received Best of Opposite Sex. Select Bitch went to GCH Firestarter Born Among the Stars, owned by Amanda McGavin and Shawn Macleod. Select Dog went to GCH Hope's Won't You Buy Me A Mercedes, owned by Doug Tighe and Clint and Karen Livingston.

We thank our ring steward and good friend, Deb Edwards, who was assisted by club member Karen Stolar.

We hope everyone who attended our show will come again next year!

#### **SWEEPSTAKES**

#### Judge: Ms. Willo Barfield 12–18 Month Junior Dogs

1 - WILD MTN'S LONE STAR QUE SYRAH SYRAH, o Niclaus Taulai

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - DOGWOOD CORA RIPLEY, o Todd Parmenter

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 WILD MTN'S CHATEAU STE MICHELE MERITAGE, o William R. Wessels
- 2 DOGWOOD'S LIL HOTTIE, o Todd Parmenter

#### Best in Sweepstakes WILD MTN'S LONE STAR QUE SYRAH SYRAH

#### Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes DOGWOOD CORA RIPLEY

#### REGULAR CLASSES Judge: Mr. Jon R. Cole

#### 12–18 Month Junior Dogs

1 – WILD MTN'S LONE STAR QUE SYRAH SYRAH, by Wild Mtn's When You Are Hot You're Hot x Wild Mtn's Lil Piece Of My Heart; o Niclaus Taulai, b Helen Riggle & Jessica Arent

#### Winners Dog WILD MTN'S LONE STAR QUE SYRAH SYRAH

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

1 – DREAM HI'S DIVINELY BEAUTIFUL, by GCHP/CH Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The x CH Sandbar Dream Hi's Always One Step Ahead; o Nathalie Bearden & Kristina Rickard, b Kristina & Lori & Tom Rickard

#### 12–18 Month Puppy Bitches

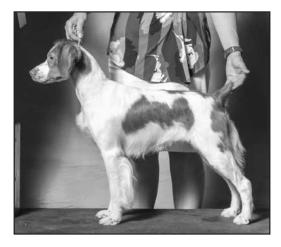
- 1- WILD MTN'S CHATEAU STE MICHELE MERITAGE, by GCHS/CH Wild Mtn's When You Are Hot You're Hot! x CH Wild Mtn's Lil Piece Of My Heart; o/b William R. Wessels
- 2 DOGWOOD'S LIL HOTTIE, by DC Turningpts Landslide x GCH Wild Mountain; o Todd Parmenter, b Julie Nelson
- 3 BIG OAKS BROXDEN STARS AND STRIPES, by CH Big Oaks Texas Ranger x CH Big Oaks Delta Sunkist by Credit; o Robyn Talifaerro, b Louise Brown & Amy & Phil Booth

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches

 LIBERTIE'S YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE, by CH Copley May The Odds Be Ever In Your Favor Marti x GCH/CH Libertie–Copley More Mimosa?; o Emily & Andrew Reeves, b Emily Reeves & Barbara Dayton & Robin Tomasi

#### **Open Bitches**

- BAR LO'S CELTIC WEAVE, by CH Hintzel's Field Scout SH x CH Hickory Hill's Love Song SH; o Nancy Anderson & Michelle Lingan, b Steven Hintzel & Willo Barfield & Anne Parchman
- 2 CROSSCREEK'S LIVING THE DREAM, by DC/GFC Hope's Chief of Crosscreek–Sanbar Crosscreek Small Town Girl; o Barbara Pepin, DVM, b Wayne & Barbara Pepin, DVM
- 3 DOGWOOD CORA RIPLEY, by Mr Impressive x Fearless; o/b Todd Parmenter



Winners Bitch LIBERTIE'S YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE

Reserve Winners Bitch WILD MTN'S CHATEAU STE MICHELE MERITAGE



**Best of Breed** 

GCHB SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY DISCIPLE, by CH/GCHS Sovereign's Chasing Legends x CH GCHS Trio's Sovereign Alleluia JH; o Colleen Walsh & Dawn & Joe Droel, b Dawn & Joe Droel

> Best of Winners WILD MTN'S LONE STAR QUE SYRAH SYRAH

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

CH TRIO–TONAN INTO THE WOODS, by GCH/CH Rainbow Splash's Ruggedly Handsome x CH Magic Britt Tonan Moonlight Sonata; o Angel Rumbolo & Karen & Clint Livingston, b Clint & Karen Livingston

> Select Dog GCH HOPE'S WON'T YOU BUY ME A MERCEDES

Select Bitch CH FIRESTARTER BORN AMONG THE STARS

#### JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP Judge: Mr. Jon R. Cole Open Junior

- 1 MARVIN PARCHMAN, with CH Hickory Hills Never Grow Up, by CH Sanbar's Wings Of Thor x GCH/CH Hickory Hill's Only prettier; o/b Anne and Marla Parchman
- 2 KENNEDY BEARDEN, with Dream Hi's Divinely Beautiful, by GCHP/ CH Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The x CH Sandbar Dream Hi's Always One Step Ahead; o Nathalie Bearden & Kristina Rickard, b Kristina & Lori & Tom rickard

#### **Open Intermediate**

 CHRISTINA COE, with CH Hickory Hill's Sparks Fly, by CH Sanbar's Wing Of Thor x GCH/CH Hickory Hill's Only Prettier; o/b Anne & Marla Parchman

#### **Open Senior**

 RYLIE MAY, with CH Trio–Tonan Bye Bye Birdie, by GCHCH Rainbow Splash's Ruggedly Handsome x CH Magicbrit–Tonan Moonlight Sonata; o Clint & Karen Livingston & Rylie May, b Clint & Karen Livingston

#### **Master Class**

1 – MARY CLAIRE CTIBOV, with GCH/CH Dogwood Hollow Hi–Hope On The C's CA RN JH CGC, by GCHB/CH Dogwood Hollow So BE It CGC CA x CH Dogwood Hollow Sweet Home Alabama; o Mary Claire & Elizabeth Ctibor, b Geri Clements & Cheryl Mika & Mary C. & E. Ctibor

Best Junior Handler MARY CLAIRE CTIBOV

#### OREGON

#### Portland, OR July 20, 2018

#### SWEEPSTAKES

#### Judge: Ms. Eileen White

#### 9–12 Month Puppy dogs

1 – TRIO'S I'M FINN–TASTIC AT CAMPBELL'S, O Jacqui & Ben Campbell & Karen & Clint Livingston

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 MORGUN' SLIGHTS AND SIRENS, o Margaret Mazzotta
- 2 MOONRIVER'S WINX, o Tiffani Garner
- 3 COPLEY FLY FISH LIKE A LADY MARTINI, o Robin Tomasi

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN, o Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady
- 2 BLACK RIVER'S GIVE THEM SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT, o Shane & Rebecca Hulstein

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 WIND MTN'S WILDEST DREAM, o Connie Strom
- 2 KNOLLBROOK'S HERE COMES THE SUN, o Lisa Smith–Burham & Doug Burham & Renata Steward
- 3 LOLLEY'S CHERRY ON TOP, o Denise & Jessi Lolley

#### Best in Sweepstakes DREAM HI SR SUMER REIGN

#### Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes TRIO'S I'M FINN–TASTIC AT CAMPBELL'S

#### **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

#### Judge: Ms. Eileen White

7–10 Year Veteran Dogs

1 - DC WIND MTN'S IRONMAN, o Connie Strom

#### Best in Veteran Sweepstakes DC WIND MTN'S IRONMAN

#### **REGULAR CLASSES**

#### Judge: Ms. Alessandra R. Folz

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Dogs

 1 – TRIO'S I'M FINN–TASTIC AT CAMPBELL'S, by Big Oaks Give Em The Tour x Rainbow Trio's Hit Me Baby One More Time; o Jacqui & Ben Campbell & Karen & Clint Livingston, b Karen & Clint Livingston

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

- 1 SAMPICO'S ROMEO IS HERE, by CH Sampico's Busted The Dee– Zine JH x Sampico's Tribute To Mrs Daniels; o/b Sally J. Jones
- 2 MONCOEUR'S LAST DANCE WITH MARY JANE, by CH Knollbrook's Shaken Not Stirred x CH Moncoeur's R–OAN Rising Star; o

Matthew D. Dickason & Lauren Loeffler & Lisa Smith-Burham, b Lisa Smith-Burham & Lauren Loeffler

#### **Open Dogs**

- ISLANDVIEW FINN MCCOOL, by CH Islandview Ima Spy Two x Windfall's Reflection In Ice; o Kelly Francis, b Susan K. Dumont & Deanna DeBlois
- 2 SAMPICO'S LANDSLIDE, by CH Sampico's Country Boy II x Sampico's Tribute To Mrs Daniels; o Julie Mahoney, b Sally Jones

#### Winners Dog ISLANDVIEW FINN MCCOOL

#### Reserve Winners Dog SAMPICO'S LANDSLIDE

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

- 1 MOONRIVER'S WINX, by DC Wind Mtn's Ironman x CH Moonriver's Mine That Bird JH; o/b Tiffany L. Garner
- MORGUN'S LIGHTS AND SIRENS, by GCH North Umpqua's Stetson The Singing Cowboy x CH Morgan's Midnite Rendezvous; o Margaret Mazzota, b Laurinda & StevenPHipps
- 3 COPLEY FLY FISH LIKE A LADY MARTINI, by CH Copley May The Odds Be Ever In Your Favor Martini x CH Copley's Chukar Killer; o Robin Tomasi, b Darin Larvik

#### 12–18 Month Junior Bitches

- 1 KNOLLBROOK'S HERE COMES THE SUN, by CH Knollbrook's Wicked Winnings x Knollbrook's Up All Night; o Lisa Smith– Burham & Doug Burham & Renata Stewart, b Mrs. Renata L. Stewart
- 2 LOLLEY'S CHERRY ON TOP, by Sugar Knight x CH Luck Be A Lady II; o/b Denise & Jessi Lolley

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

- 1 DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN, by GCHP2 Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The Game x GCH Copper Caliah's Dream Hi River Lilly JH; o Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady, b Kristina Rickard & Tyler Crady & Shellie Sytsma
- 2 BLACK RIVER'S GIVE THEM SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT, by GCH/ DC Ory's Marshal Dillon SH x CH Black Rivers Private Reserve JH; o Shane & Rebecca Hulstein, b Rebecca Hulstein & Joy Ory
- 3 ISLANDVIEW HEART OF FIRE, by CH Kiana's Windfall All Fired Up x CH Islandview Blue Nova Moon; o/b Deanna DeBlois
- 4 WIND MTN'S WILDEST DREAM, by NFC/AFC Spanish Corral's Sonny Patch x CH Wind Mtn's Catwoman; o/b Connie Strom

#### Winners Bitch DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN

#### Reserve Winners Bitch KNOLLBROOK'S HERE COMES THE SUN

#### 7–10 Year Veteran Dogs

1 – DC WIND MTN'S IRONMAN, by FC/AFC Clyde's MicroBreeze x CH Three B's Goddess Of Love; o/b Connie Strom

#### **Best of Breed**

#### GCHP DREAM HI'S DON'T HATE THE PLAYER HATE THE GAME, by GCH Mich's Mt Ready Aim Fire x GCH Castle's Sleeping Beauty

Best of Winners DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN

Best of Opposite Sex GCHG WINDFALLS I PUT U UNDER MY LUV SPELL BCAT, by CH Kiana's Windfall All Fire Up x CH Windfall's In D'Nic Of Time; o Jacqui & Ben Campbell, b Carla L. Cavaco

> Select Dog CH LORD JAX OF THE COE

Select Bitch GCH ROCKWELL'S ZOEY JH

Best Bred-by-Exhibitor DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN

Best Puppy DREAM HI SR SUMMER REIGN

Awards of Merit CH KNOLLBROOKS HITCHIN A RIDE GCH RIVER RUN NOBODY DOES IT BETTER JH

#### JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Judge: Ms. Alessandra R. Folz Open Junior

- 1 SARAH MACKNEY, with GCHP Dream Hi's Don't Hate The Player Hate The Game, by GCH Mich's Mt Ready Aim Fire x GCH Castle's Sleeping Beauty Zoei; o Tom & Lori Rickard, b Joseph Ramondetta
- 2 LEXI HULSTEIN, with CH Ory's Black River's Oh La La, by GCH/DC Ory's Marshal Dillon SH x GCH Copley's All Fun 'N Games; o Lexi & Rebecca Hulstein, b Joy & Tim & Michella Ory

Best Junior Handler SARAH MACKNEY

#### **GREATER MILWAUKEE** Franksville, WI August 11, 2018

#### **SWEEPSTAKES**

Judge: Ms. Judith A. Zawikowski 9–12 Month Puppy Dogs

- 1 RED GRANITE'S I AM ROCK, o Jerome & Lois & Rachelle Boettcher
- 2 SOVEREIGN'S AMERICAN MUSCLE, o Dawn & Joe Droel

#### 12–18 Month Junior Dogs

- 1 STARLIGHT'S CHARGED MERCURY, o Teresa Richmond
- 2 STARLIGHT'S COSMIC SHOCK, o Christine Walker & Teresa Richmond

#### 15–18 Month Junior Dogs

1 – HORIZON'S BEYOND THE SUNSET, o Rachelle & Lois & Jerome Boettcher & Lisa M. Tailby

#### 6–9 Month Puppy Bitches

1 - SOVEREIGN'S GLITTER AND GREASE, o Dawn & Joe Droel

#### **15–18 Month Junior Bitches**

1 - SOVEREIGN'S ORANGE CRUSH, o Dawn & Joe Droel

#### Best in Sweepstakes SOVEREIGN'S ORANGE CRUSH

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes RED GRANITE'S I AM A ROCK

#### VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Judge: Ms. Judith A. Zawikowski

8-10 Year Veteran Dogs

1 – GCH/CH RENEGADE'S RASCAL, o Rachelle Boettcher

#### 10–12 Year Veteran Dogs

- 1 GCH/DC STARLIGHT'S BILLION TIMES BRIGHTER JH, o Teresa Richmond
- 2 GCHP/CH STAR FLIGHT JUMPIN JAC FLASH RN AX AXJ NJP CGC TKN, o Jacqueline Ceres
- 3 GCH/DC/AFC HAVAPAL'S REV ME UP REPEAT VDC1 BN RE SH OA OAJ OAP NF NJP, o Julie A. Asmus

#### 8–10 Year Veteran Bitches

1- GCH/DC STARLIGHT LOLA BOREALIS, o Luane Tondola & Mike Cypser

#### 10–12 Year Veteran Bitches

1 – GCH/CH MACH PACH JAMBI'S MISS TOOTALOO JH MXB MJB MXP4 MXPB MJPB PAX, o Halina & Renata Bednarz

#### Best in Veteran Sweepstakes GCH/CH MACH PACH JAMBI'S MISS TOOTALOO JH MXB MJB MXP4 MXPB MJ4 MJPB PAX

#### Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes GCH/DC STARLIGHT'S BILLION TIMES BRIGHTER JH

#### REGULAR CLASSES Judge: Mr. James E. Noe

#### 9–12 Month Puppy Dogs

1 – RED GRANITE'S I AM A ROCK, by GCH/DC/AFC Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat VDC1 BN RE SH OA OAJ OAP OJP NF NFP x CH Dr Jac's It Must Have Been The Roses; o/b Jerome & Lois & Rachelle Boettcher

#### **Junior Dogs**

- HORIZON'S BEYOND THE SUNSET, by CH Mustang's Sterling Edition JH x GCH/CH Shady Brook's Measure For Measure; o Rachelle & Lois & Jerome Boettcher & Lisa M. Tailby, b Lisa Marie Tailby
- 2 STARLIGHT'S COSMIC SHOCK, by DC Starlight's Mercury Out Ryder x CH Starlight's Zeta Ophi; o Christine Walker & Teresa Richmond, b Teresa Richmond

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

1 – SOVEREIGN'S AMERICAN MUSCLE, by CH Sovereign's Fast and Furious JH x CH Sovereign's Legendary Chocolate JH; o/b Dawn& Joe Droel

2 – STARLIGHT'S CHARGED MERCURY, by DC Starlight's Mercury Out Ryder x CH Starlight's Zeta Ophi; o/b Teresa Richmond

#### **Open Dogs**

- IT'S 5 O'CLOCK SOMEWHERE, by GFC/FC Touch Of Bourbon Little Chug x FC/AFC Bark River Queen Of Diamonds JH; o Rebecca Walters, b Jeff Stanton
- PRETTY BLUE EYES A SWEET TOUCH OF CHARLIE B JH, by GFC/ FC Touch Of Bourbon Little Chug x MJ's Sweet Sugar Magnolia; o Robert Bakas, b Michael Dally

#### Winners Dog SOVEREIGN'S AMERICAN MUSCLE

#### Reserve Winners Dog IT'S 5 O'CLOCK SOMEWHERE

#### Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches

- 1 SOVEREIGN'S GLITTER AND GREASE, by CH Hope's Ranger Rick x CH Sovereign's Legendary Mustang; o/b Dawn & Joe Droel
- 2 RED GRANITE'S A WHITER SHAD OF PALE, by GCH/DC/AFC Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat VDC1 BN RE SH OA OAJ OAP OJP NF NFP x CH Dr Jac's It Must Have Been The Roses; o/b Jerome & Lois & Rachelle Boettcher

#### **American–Bred Bitches**

1- RED GRANITE'S IN YOUR WILDEST DREAMS, by GCH/DC/AFC Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat VDC1 BN RE SH OA OaJ OAP OJP NF NFP x CH Dr Jac's It Must Have Been The Roses; o/b Jerome & Lois & Rachelle Boettcher

#### **Open Bitches**

- 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 & Debra & Robert & Tate Massoglia
- 2 RED GRANITE'S ABBEY ROAD, by GCH/CH Renegade's Rascal x GCH/CH Dr Jac's Ruby Tuesday; o/b Rachelle Boettcher
- 3 DOGWOOD CORA RIPLEY, by Mr. Impressive x Fearless; o/b Todd Parmenter

#### Winners Bitch SOVEREIGN'S GLITTER AND GREASE

#### Reserve Winners Bitch DR JAC'S ANNA B ROSE TESSA RAE O'DEE

#### **Hunt Test Dogs**

1 – GCH/CH REPEATS LITTLE 501 BLUES BN RA SH NA NNAJ OAP NJP NF CAA, by GCH/DC/AFC Havapal's Rev Me Up Repeat VDC1 BN RE SH OA OAJ OAP OJP NF NJP x CH Dogwood's Gilmore Girl; o Julie A. Asmus, b Todd Parmenter

#### **Field Trial Dogs**

 GCH/DC/AFC HAVAPAL'S REV ME UP REPEAT VDCA BN RE SH OA OAJ OAP NF NJP, by FC/AFC RJ's Microtuck x Havapal's Renegade Mon Amie; o Julie A. Asmus, b Robert J. Kossel

#### Veteran Dogs

- 1 GCHP/CH STAR FLIGHT JUMPIN JACK FLASH RN AX AXJ MJP CGC TKN, by CH Dogwood Hollow Hammerin Hank x CH Dogwood Hollow C Me Fly; o Jacqueline Ceres, b Marie Starsiak
- 2 GCH/DC STARLIGHT'S BILLION TIMES BRIGHTER JH, by NAGDC/ DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o/b Teresa Richmond

#### **Veteran Bitches**

- 1 GCH/CH MACH PACH JAMBI'S MISS TOOTALOO JH MXB MJB MXP4 MXPB MJP4 MJPB PAX, by FC R&J's Buzz Cut x CH JagOub's Jambalaya; o Halina & Renata Bednarz
- 2 GCH/DC STARLIGHT LOLA BOREALIS, by NAGDC/DC/AFC Clyde's Double Trouble x CH Starlight's Zeta Tauri; o Luane Tondola & Mike Cypser, b Teresa Richmond



Best of Breed GCHS/CH SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY DISCIPLE, by GCHS Sovereign's Chasing Legends x GCHS Trio's Sovereign Alleluia JH; o Colleen Walsh & Dawn & Joe Droel, b Dawn & Joe Droel

Best of Winners SOVEREIGN'S GLITTER AND GREASE

#### Best of Opposite Sex

GCH/CH STAR FLIGHT MADHOUSE ON MADISON SH MX MXJ, by GCHP Star Flight Jumpin Jack Flash RN OA AXD CGC x GCH Lyric's Shilo CD BN RE CGC; o Halina Bednarz & William Jones, b Marie Starsiak & Geri O. Clements

Select Dog GCHS/CH STAR FLIGHT FRANKLY MY DEAR RN NA NAJ CGC TKN

> Select Bitch GCH/CH LIBERTY'S DIXIE BELL



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#### Past AKC Results RALLY INTERMEDIATE (JUNE 2018)

CH MELRIDGE PHANTOM FIRE RI RATN (D) by CH Melridge Playin' With Fire x CH Melridge Uptown Girl, o Jane Huelsmeyer, b Diane Bingham & Mrs. Debbie L Melgreen & Frederich Bingham

#### JUNIOR HUNTER ADVANCED (JUNE 2018)

FC GROUSEWOOD REMADA OMBUDSMAN JHA (D) by Maxed Out x Hiddencreeks Admirable Abagail, o Ronald G Hilfiker, b Zygmund Matuszewski

#### CANINE GOOD CITIZEN (APRIL 2018)

BO. CGC (D) by FC Marjo's Magic Bullet of Hope x Marjo's Party In The U.S.A., o Mr. Jeff Bamond, b Marsha Luisi

#### AKC Results For July 2018

#### CHAMPION – bred by exhibitor

CH LIBERTIE'S YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE (B) by CH Copley May The Odds Be Ever In Your Favor Martini x GCH CH Libertie–Copley More Mimosa?, o Emily Reeves & Andy Reeves, b Emily Reeves & Robin Tomasi & Barbara Dayton

CH MARSPORT ROUSING ROARY JH (D) by GCHG CH Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x CH Marsport Tribute To Trouble JH, o Mr. John Marsman, b John W Marsman

- Seven MH x CH Marsport Tribute To Trouble JH, o Mr. John Marsman, b John W Marsman
- CH SOVEREIGN'S FAST AND FURIOUS JH (D) by CH Ridona–Kobrae Radio Flyer CD RE JH x CH Tequila's Red Corvette JH, o Barbara Pepin D.V.M. & Dawn Droel & Joe Droel, b Dawn Droel & Joe Droel & Jessica Carlson

#### CHAMPION

- CH AUTUMNGLOWS STARR OF MAYBERRY (D) by CH Autumnglow Right Man For The Job x GCH CH Labyrinth Tiny Bubbles, o Alice Janssen & Maurya Ord, b Maurya Dawn Ord & Karen Hanson
- CH BIG OAKS BROXDEN MAJOR VICTORY (D) by GCH CH Big Oaks Texas Ranger x GCHS CH Big Oaks Delta Sunkist By Credit, o Kathryn Baughman, b Louise M Brown & Phil Booth & Amy Booth
- CH DOGWOOD'S LIL HOTTIE (B) by DC Turningpts Landslide DJ x GCH CH Wild Mountain Masterpiece JH, o Todd Parmenter, b Julie Nelson
- CH DP'S LITTLE BIT OF MAYHEM MILA (B) by Vande Hei's Rimarda Jack x Vande Hei's Kick'N Up Dust, o Stevie Marie Duffek, b AMY BRIENEN

CH GRANGER DANGER IS A BLAZING (D) by Daniel's Rex Tex x Bell Is A Blazing, o Mrs. Charlotte Elizabeth Happley, b Kenneth Cole

CH HOPE'S CRUISING THE FAST LANE (D) by GCHG CH MACH4 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXS2 MJG2 MXF T2B2 x GCH CH Hope's I Can'T Drive 55, o Mr. Martin Joseph Veilleux & Mrs. Theresa Kay Veilleux, b Douglas Tighe & E Susan Drazek

CH K NINE'S A BOATLOAD OF MISCHIEF (D) by CH AFC Loki's Blizzard Of Mischief x K Nine's Talk Todah Paw, o Linda McDonald, b Linda McDonald & Arlette T Hennessey

- CH LABYRINTH REDWING ONE NIGHT IN BANGKOK (B) by GCHP CH Labyrinth N Illusion Slippery When Wet JH x CH Hybrittin Hot Money, o Karen Hanson, b Tobi Adams
- CH LOST OAK N LABYRINTH HUNTIN' THE LEGENDARY PARKER (D) by GCHG CH Shelttany's Against All Odds x GCH CH Labyrinth N Illusion Kiss My Benelli SH, o Jamie Morgan & Karen Hanson, b Sandi Beinke & Karen Hanson & Jamie Morgan

CH MAYJAY LOCKRIDGE AUTUMN–SNOMANDOLIN (B) by GCHG CH Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x GCH CH Tonan–Rocklan Who's Kiddin' Who JH, o Barbara Dunkling & Terry Hilliard & Deb Rudert, b Terry Hilliard & Debra M Rudert & Andrea Jordan Lane

- CH PATSILIGA FARM'S BRANDED MAN CGC (D) by DC NGDC GFC Hope's Chief Of Crosscreek x Charlie's Last Angel, o Bobby Brian Lewis, b Jim Carter D.V.M.
- CH PRESTIGE THE ROAD NOT TAKEN CGC (B) by GCH CH Copley's Looks Good On Paper CGCA x FC Firestarter's Country Girl, o Haley Glick & John Patrick Rountree, b Haley Glick & John Patrick Rountree
- CH STARLIGHT'S REGULUS REACTION (D) by DC Starlight's Mercury Out Ryder x CH Starlight's Zeta Ophi, o Teresa Richmond, b Teresa Richmond

CH TRIO BANNER MOUNTAIN'S SNOW QUEEN JH (B) by GCHB CH Big Oaks Give Em The Tour x GCH CH Rainbow Trio's Hit Me Baby One More Time, o Glenda J Mazzuca & Larry R Mazzuca, b Karen & Clint Livingston

CH TRIUMPHANT'S IT HAD TO BE YOU CGC TKN (B) by GCHS CH Triumphant's Chances Are JH x GCH CH Triumphant's Centerfold JH, o Elaine Moore & James Moore, b Linda McCartney & Kristyn McCartney

- CH WAYSIDE'S BLUE BELLE (B) by DC Blueridge Hunter Gonna Fly x CH Wayside's Am I Blue, o Thomas Longfellow, b Thomas Longfellow
- CH WILD MTN ALL RISE (D) by FC Wild Mtn's All That x CH Wild Mtn's No Doubt, o Helen & Brian Riggle, b Helen Riggle & Frank Watters
- CH WILD MTN'S LONE STAR QUE SYRAH SYRAH (D) by GCHS CH Wild Mtn's When You Are Hot You'Re Hot! x CH Wild Mtn's Lil Piece Of My Heart, o Niclaus Taulai, b Helen Riggle & Jessica Arent

#### **GRAND CHAMPION**

- GCH CH BRITTANY'S RAMBLIN' THE KING OF ROCK 'N' ROLL (D) by CH Brittany's Ramblin' Roadhouse x GCHP CH Britt's Ramblin' The Perfect Cut, o Jenelle L Larson & Karen Schoppa, b Jenelle L Larson & Nancy Y Larson & Karen Schoppa
- GCH CH CROSSCREEK BAMA JAMA'S ADALIDA SWEET DIXIE FLOWER (B) by DC NGDC GFC Hope's Chief Of Crosscreek x GCH DC GFC Wild Mtn's Midnight Rendezvous JH, o Mrs. Barbara Jo Deike, b Ms. Marcy A Beveridge
- GCH CH FIRESTARTER BORN AMONG THE STARS (B) by DC Warbonnet's Orion In The Big Sky JH x CH Firestarter's Chasing The Sunset, o Ms. Amanda McGavin & Mr. Shawn Macleod, b Andrea Christensen

GCH CH LORD JAX OF THE COE (D) by CH Vict'rys Banner Ovr t'Point RN JH THDX CGCU x Little Lady Charlie Of The Coe, o Mrs. Amy Coe & Ms. Elyse Coe, b Mrs. Amy Coe & Ms. Elyse Coe

GCH CH MELRIDGE STIR 'N UP A STORM (D) by GCHS CH Melridge Stir N It Up x CH Melridge Uptown Girl, o Diane Requet & Larry Requet, b Mrs. Debbie L Melgreen & Steven A Melgreen

GCH DC NORTH UMPQUA'S CINDERELLA TRI LADY JH (B) by DC AFC Bandit's Cinderella Man x GCH CH North Umpqua's Morgun Shady Lady Lu JH, o Karen Barrows, b Karen Barrows

GCH CH OVER UNDER'S BANTAMS BAYWATCH JH (B) by GCH CH Bantam's Spittin' Image JH x CH Bantam's Firecracker JH, o Eileen C Gust, b Diane M Hedstrom

GCH CH STARLIGHT DARK SIDE OF THE MOON (D) by NFC GFC FC AFC Roustabout's Flat Out x GCH CH Starlight Lola Borealis, o Luane Tondola & Mike Cypser, b Luane Tondola & Mike Cypser

GCH CH TRIO-TONAN CASTLE ON A CLOUD (B) by GCHP CH Rainbow Splash's Ruggedly Handsome x CH Magicbrit-Tonan Moonlight Sonata, o Madeline Schopf & Karen Livingston & Clint Livingston & Kathy Hogan, b Karen Livingston & Clint Livingston

GCH CH TRIUMPHANT'S FLYING CIRCUS RI CGCA TKN (D) by GCHS CH Triumphant's Chances Are JH x GCH CH Triumphant's Centerfold JH, o Dr. Jacqueline M Nicol & Dr. Poul S Jessen, b Linda McCartney & Kristyn McCartney

GCH CH WILD MTN N LABYRINTH FOOTLOOSE AT TREASURE LAKE (D) by GCHP CH Labyrinth N Illusion Slippery When Wet JH x CH Wild Mtn's Shake Ya Groove Thing, o Sarah Laux, b Helen Riggle & Karen Hanson GCH CH WILD MTN'S TIME BANDIT (D) by NGDC GFC FC AFC Legacy's Pine Bandit x CH Wild Mtn's Lil Piece Of My Heart, o Helen Riggle, b Helen Riggle & Jessica Arent

GCH CH WOODLAND'S HIGH ANTICIPATION AT STARDUST (B) by GCHG CH Marsport Hot To Ride Lucky Seven MH x GCH CH Woodland's Water Fairy, o Kelsey Cooke & Karen Pillion–Schramm, b Karen Pillion–Schramm & Mr. John Schramm

#### **GRAND CHAMPION BRONZE**

- GCHB CH HOPE'S WON'T U BUY ME A MERCEDES (D) by GCHB CH Tonan-Magicbrit In The Leather JH x GCH CH Hope's I Can'T Drive 55, o Douglas Tighe, b Douglas Tighe
- GCHB CH ROCKWELL'S ZOEY JH (B) by GCHG CH Shelttany's Against All Odds x GCH CH Rockwell's Rainy Day Melody, o Carlie Lassle, b Kellie S Rockwell & Steven Rockwell
- GCHB CH TAIL'Z END TURBO POWER FROM DUAL LANE'S JH CGC TKN (D) by GCHB DC Triumphant's Absolut' On Ice x GCH CH Dual Lane's Absolutely Dual Oaks, o Paige Giebel & Albert & Gloria Stellwag & Sandy & Fred Giebel, b Donna J Harrison & chris robinson

#### **GRAND CHAMPION SILVER**

GCHS CH SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY DISCIPLE (D) by GCHS CH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x GCHS CH Trio's Sovereign Alleluia JH,, o Colleen Walsh & Dawn Droel & Joe Droel, b Dawn Droel & Joe Droel

#### **GRAND CHAMPION GOLD**

GCHG CH MARSPORT HOT TO RIDE LUCKY SEVEN MH (D) by GCH DC NAGDC AFC Triumphant's To Hot To Handle JH x CH Marsport Rebel Rider JH, o Larry Snider & Peggy Snider, b Larry Snider & Peggy Snider

#### **COMPANION DOG**

- CH MARSPORT'S HERE'S JOHNNY CD BN RN MH NA NAJ TKN (D) by CH Bobet's Flyin' Francois x CH Rao Marsports Heres Hope, o Linda Allen, b John W Marsman
- GCH CH TRIO'S DREAMS COME TRUE CD RN TKA (B) by GCHB CH Magic Storm Of The Century x GCHB CH Rainbow's Bippity Boppity Boo, o Louise Griffin & Jim Griffin & Karen Livingston & Clint Livingston, b Karen Livingston & Clint Livingston

#### UTILITY DOG EXCELLENT

FC RUBYRIDGE'S MILLION DOLLAR BABE UDX OM1 (B) by DC AFC Megasmoke Limited Edition x DC AFC Rubyridge's Megadot, o Jan Hamner, b Jan Hamner

#### **OBEDIENCE MASTER 2**

GCHG CH HOPE'S EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT UDX OM2 (D) by GCH CH Tonan–Hope's R U Kiddin' Me x CH Triumphant's More Than A Memory, o Nancy Hewitt & Douglas Tighe, b Douglas Tighe & Kim A Tighe

#### **OBEDIENCE MASTER 6**

FAROUT FIELDS NOBLE NELLIE ROSE UDX4 PUTD OM6 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

#### **RALLY NOVICE**

CH DREAM CITY'S EVERYTHING ZEN RN RATO (B) by GCHS CH Sovereign's Chasing Legends x GCH CH Hybrittin's After Midnight, o Luann Fullwood, b Judy Cohen & Arthur Cohen

#### RALLY INTERMEDIATE

GCH CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW HI-HOPE ON THE C'S RI JH CA CGC TKN (D) by GCHB CH Dogwood Hollow So Be It x CH Dogwood Hollow Sweet Home Alabama, o Mary Claire Ctibor & Elizabeth Ctibor, b Mary Claire Ctibor & Cheryl Mika & Geri, o Clements & Elizabeth Ctibor

#### **RALLY MASTER**

CONNECT THE DOTZ CDX GN GO RM NAP NJP NFP SIN CGCA TKP (B), o

Jenna Zeidler & Mike Zeidler

#### **OPEN AGILITY**

GINJAC'S STEVIE NIX OA NAJ (B) by CH Sovereign's Cut To The Chase JH x GCH CH Goldstar N Ginjac's Avalanche, o Gayle Lape, b Gina Currier & Elizabeth Shellehamer

JUST ANOTHER BRIT IN THE WALL OA AXJ (B), o Janice Brunner

MARJO'S NEVER ROUX THE DAY OA NAJ ACT2 (B) by GFC FC Marjo's Johnnie Walker x Marjo's Abracadabraa, o Dave Schulz, b Lawrence Giordano

#### AGILITY EXCELLENT

GUGIN'S LUCKY SPUD JH AX AXJ (D) by Windswept Ridge's Gunsmoke x Montana Rusty's Longbranch Miss, o Cassandra & Jeffrey Gugin, b Dr. Gary H Ramsey

#### MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT

CREDIT CHILCOTE'S WITH SONIC GENIUS MX MXJ MXF T2B (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 MX AXJ OF (B) by Ff Cacciatore's T–Bone SH x Hypointe Clearspring Brooke, o Sandy Crighton & Jeff Crighton, b Nick Mellon

#### **MASTER BRONZE AGILITY**

GCH CH CREDIT KAZE WITH A LINK BETWEEN THE JEWELS MX MXB MXJ MJB MFB T2B TKI (D) by GCHS CH Credit Where Credit Is Due x CH MACH4 PACH Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXS2 MJC2 MXP5 MXPS MJP8 MJPG PAX MFB TQX MFP T2B2 T2BP, o Jessie Schulz & Robert J Howell & Victoria MacVicar, b Jessie Schulz & Robert J Howell & Victoria MacVicar

#### **MASTER SILVER AGILITY**

GCH CH MACH KEILI'S GOLDSTAR KIR ROYALE CDX BN RAE JH MXS MJS MXF T2B2 CA (B) by GCHG CH MACH4 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXS2 MJG2 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

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

JJ'S ZEVA MX MXJ MXP3 MXPB MJP3 MJPB NF (B) by Brody's Roger Dodger x Smith's Daisy, o Sandy Crighton & Jeff Crighton, b Ernest Rider & Carol Rider

#### **MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED 5**

PACH MISS MILEY RAE SMITH AX AXJ MXP5 MXPS MJP5 MJPS PAX2 OF XFP T2BP2 (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith

#### MASTER SILVER AGILITY PREFERRED

PACH MISS MILEY RAE SMITH AX AXJ MXP5 MXPS MJP5 MJPS PAX2 OF XFP T2BP2 (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith

#### MASTER GOLD AGILITY PREFERRED

MACH5 PACH MARJO'S DEMON IN THE RUFF MXS2 MJG2 MXP7 MXPG MJP7 MJPS PAX MFS TQX T2B2 (B) by FC AFC Marjo's Red Rum x Elyssa's Allie Baba, o Janice Brunner, b Marsha Luisi

#### **OPEN AGILITY JUMPER**

GCH CH TOP SHELF'S THE CHOSEN ONE RN JH NA OAJ NAP NJP OF NFP (D) by CH Jordean Up All Night x GCHG CH Millette's Sweet Memories CD PCDX BN RN JH AX AXJ MXP MJP NF OFP, o Wendy Archinal, b Wendy A Archinal & Gail Schmieder & Jennifer Krieger

#### EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER

QUAIL HOLLOWS COPPER PENNIE OA AXJ OF CGC (B) by Quail Hollow Perfect Peace x Timberlands Brandy, o Sheila Stathakis, b Stephen Del Rossi

#### **EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER PREFERRED**

MAPLE BROOK AVIATOR RED RN OA OAJ AJP NF CGC TKI (B) by CH Omega's Red Granite JH x GCHB CH Triumphant's Absolute Evel JH CGC, o Lynn Marie Carlo, b Mrs. Peggy Aguiar

#### **MASTER BRONZE JUMPER**

AMMO'S ADORABLE ADORA MX MXJ MJB OAP OJP (B) by CH Ammo's Southern Boogie x Ammo–Sigbrit Nitro's Joint Adventure JH, o MJ Turner, b Sandra Leavens

#### MASTER BRONZE JUMPER

KEILI N GINJAC JUST A LITTLE TOO HOT RN MX MXJ MJB OF (B) by GCHG CH MACH4 Brookewood's Just Too Hot UD RAE MXS2 MJG2 MXF T2B2 x CH Ginjac The Magic Touch, o Mrs. Janice Elaine Brunner, b Gina Currier & E Susan Drazek & Mr. Steve Stewart

#### MASTER SILVER JUMPER

CIMMARON IT TAKES TWO MX MXB MXJ MJS MXF T2B2 (B) by CH Cimmaron's Jack's Tennessee Whiskey x CH Cedarlane's Chantilly Lace, o Amy Mescher, b Christine Ward–Weber

#### **MASTER CENTURY JUMPER 3**

GCH CH MACH9 CREDIT KAZE'S CAPITAL GAINS RN JH MXG3 MJC3 XF T2B2 DM (D) by GCHS CH Credit Where Credit Is Due x CH MACH4 PACH Chilcote Kaze Jewel On Fire MXS2 MJC2 MXP5 MXPS MJP8 MJPG PAX MFB TQX MFP T2B2 T2BP, o Terrence Santelli & Aimee Schilling, b Robert J Howell & Victoria MacVicar

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

CH MACH3 RUSTINS TREASURE OF THE SIERRAS RN MXC MJB3 MXP MJP2 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 6**

PACH MISS MILEY RAE SMITH AX AXJ MXP5 MXPS MJP6 MJPS PAX2 OF XFP T2BP2 (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith

#### **MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER PREFERRED 7**

MACH5 PACH MARJO'S DEMON IN THE RUFF MXS2 MJG2 MXP7 MXPS MJP7 MJPS PAX MFS TQX T2B2 (B) by FC AFC Marjo's Red Rum x Elyssa's Allie Baba, o Janice Brunner, b Marsha Luisi

#### AGILITY FAST NOVICE

- GCH CH BROOKEWOOD KROWN ROYAL CDX BN GN RE OA OAJ NF CGC (D) by CH Brookewood's Power Play THD x GCH CH Brookewood N Ginjac Steaming Hot, o Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn, b Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn
- CH KINSHIP'S TRIUMPHANT PURSUIT JH NA OAJ NF CGC TKN (D) by GCH CH Triumphant's The Heat Is On JH x GCHB CH MACH Triumphant Absolute Liberty Of Kinship JHA MXB MJS MXP2 MXPB MJP3 MJPB OF T2B CGC TKN, o Kimberly Hatton, b Kimberly Hatton

#### AGILITY FAST OPEN

MACH2 ETENDARD DES GRANDS LACS CD BN RE SH MXS MJG OF (D) by Arius De Saint Lubin x Patouche Victoria JH, o Denine Ackerbauer, b Stephen Hughes & Sherry Hughes

#### AGILITY MASTER FAST EXCELLENT

CREDIT CHILCOTE'S WITH SONIC GENIUS MX MXJ MXF T2B (D) by GCH CH Chilcote's Credit Genius x GCH CH Credit's Tarnished Copper Penny, o Maribeth Helgesen, b Jessie Schulz & Kathleen Krzeszewski

#### **MASTER SILVER FAST**

JASPER MCGAVIN RN MX MXB MXJ MJS MFS T2B2 (D) by Pat Da's Last Bullett Max x Pat Da's Carolina Daisy, o April McGavin, b Patricia F Clary

#### **PREFERRED AGILITY CHAMPION**

PACH MISS MILEY RAE SMITH AX AXJ MXP5 MXPS MJP5 MJPS PAX2 OF XFP T2BP2 (B), o Rebecca Smith & Jim Smith

#### TIME 2 BEAT 2

CREDIT CHILCOTE'S WITH SONIC GENIUS MX MXJ MXF T2B2 (D) by GCH CH Chilcote's Credit Genius x GCH CH Credit's Tarnished Copper Penny, o Maribeth Helgesen, b Jessie Schulz & Kathleen Krzeszewski

#### BCAT

- ESPRIT D'ETE'S MISS ELLIE CD RN CAX BCAT CGC TKA (B) by DC Delane Speak Of The Devil x Grousetangle Kk Contessa JH, o Jill Martin, b Reberta Hamer
- POLLOCKS MEGAWATT HIT CDX JH BCAT (D) by Pollack Little Loui JH x Lucifers Lucy JH, o Mr. Robert H Robinson Ph.D., b Leif Pollack
- WARBONNET & CAMPBELL'S SKYE'S THE LIMIT JH BCAT (B) by DC Kinwashkly Dirty Ned Pepper x GCH CH Warbonnet Summer Wynd Dancer, o Ben Campbell & Jacqui Campbell, b Todd A Breitenfeldt & Sari Breitenfeldt

#### SCENT WORK HANDLER DISCRIMINATION ADVANCED

IONA DE PAYS DU SOLEIL SWN SIA SHDA TKI (B) by Corentin Des Grands Lacs MH x Ellie De Pays Du Soleil MH, o Noah Gaines, b Donald S Rice & Linda S Rice

#### SCENT WORK INTERIOR ADVANCED

IONA DE PAYS DU SOLEIL SWN SIA SHDA TKI (B) by Corentin Des Grands Lacs MH x Ellie De Pays Du Soleil MH, o Noah Gaines, b Donald S Rice & Linda S Rice

#### **CANINE GOOD CITIZEN**

- CH BROOKEWOOD'S JUST GIVE ME A CHANCE BN RN CAA CGC (D) by GCH CH Brookewood Krown Royal CDX BN GN RE OA OAJ NF CGC x GCH CH Twoemz A Girl Like Me CD BN RE NA NAJ NAP NJP CAA CGC, o Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn, b Ms. Cynthia A Miller & Karen E Brown & Russell Walborn
- GCHB CH CALDREAM'S UP OVER AND OUT CGC (B) by GCH CH Gaitway– Sandbar Silver Spoon x CH Premier's Jingle All The Way CGC, o Nancy Reardon & Joseph Ramondetta, b Eleanor Reardon

CIMMARON IT TAKES TWO MX MXB MXJ MJS MXF T2B2 CGC (B) by CH Cimmaron's Jack's Tennessee Whiskey x CH Cedarlane's Chantilly Lace, o Amy Mescher, b Christine Ward–Weber

- CROSSCREEK TEXAS BELLE CGC (B) by CH Castle's I Can Dance x Cross Creek Sanbar All Redi N Trouble, o Suzanne Hight, b Wayne C Pepin & Polly West & Robert West
- LILY SHIZUKU CGC (B) by Smithvalley's Blue Boy x Bullet's Bravado Southern Bell, o Mr. Matt Thaxton, b Jimmie Summerlin
- MOMO HINA CGC (B) by Smithvalley's Blue Boy x Bullet's Bravado Southern Bell, o Mr. Matt Thaxton, b Jimmie Summerlin
- CH PREMIER'S JINGLE ALL THE WAY CGC (B) by CH Gourley's Wild Card Tucker x GCH CH Castle's Sleeping Beauty Zoei, o Eleanor Reardon, b Joseph Ramondetta
- GCH CH RODEO'S RIDE 'EM COWGIRL CGC (B) by CH Castle One In A Millennium JH x CH Rodeo's Ticket To Ride, o Colby Axtell Priest, b Karen Kendall & SARA TAYLOR

#### ADVANCED CANINE GOOD CITIZEN

HOPE'S 7 OF 9 SUMMER SURPRISE MARLOWE" CGCA" (D) by GCHB CH Hope's Won'T U Buy Me A Mercedes x Trio–Hope's Cinderella Story, o Cindy Kaeble, b Douglas Tighe & Karen Livingston & Clint Livingston

#### TRICK DOG NOVICE

- BAXTER CRAVEN CGC TKN (D) by Dogwood's Buckmark x Pour Me Another Tequila, o Carrie Jo Craven, b Todd Parmenter
- CHLOE DU PERKIOMEN TKN (B) by Tango De L'Ardour x Victoria Du Perkiomen Bailey, o Cecilia K Wheeler & Dennis J Buckley, b Michael

Desalvo & Cindy Desalvo

- FAIRCHILD PUZZLE SADIE RN CAX2 RATO CGC TKN (B) by Dexter Bo Maverick Archer x Saddie B Kayla Archer, o Tammy Lynn Lorch, b Jennifer Archer
- KNOLLBROOK'S NEVERENDING STORY TKN (B) by CH Dee–Ziner's Action Hero x GCH CH Knollbrook's Never Say Never, o Craig Harris, b Mrs. Renata L Stewart
- NYM DE L'ESCARBOT TKN (B) by Ipso Facto Du Conte De Batz Castelmore x Fabienne De L' Escarbot, o Tom Cherry, b John P Mooney & Bruce J Mooney
- SCOUT LACONTO CGC TKN (D) by NAGDC NGDC FC AFC Peter Gunn x Anita Littleluck, o MIKE LACONTO & JOANNA LACONTO, b Jim Carter D.V.M.
- SHADY BROOK'S WILD ROSE OF FANE HILL TKN (B) by CH Shady Brook's Master Morgan x CH Shady Brook's Star Wish, o Barbara Flynn & Timothy Flynn, b Joan Bevers
- GCHS CH STAR FLIGHT FRANKLY MY DEAR RN NA NAJ CGC TKN (D) by GCHP CH Star Flight Jumpin Jack Flash RN AX AXJ MJP CGC TKN x GCH CH Lyric's Shilo CD BN RAE CGC TKN, o Mrs. Jacqueline Ceres, b Marie Starsiak & Geri, o Clements
- GCHP CH STAR FLIGHT JUMPIN JACK FLASH RN AX AXJ MJP CGC TKN (D) by CH Dogwood Hollow Hammerin' Hank x CH Dogwood Hollow C Me Fly CDX RAE JH AX AXJ NAP NJP NF, o Jacqueline Ceres, b Marie Starsiak

#### TRICK DOG INTERMEDIATE

- BAXTER CRAVEN CGC TKI (D) by Dogwood's Buckmark x Pour Me Another Tequila, o Carrie Jo Craven, b Todd Parmenter
- KNOLLBROOK'S NEVERENDING STORY TKI (B) by CH Dee–Ziner's Action Hero x GCH CH Knollbrook's Never Say Never, o Craig Harris, b Mrs. Renata L Stewart
- NOEL'S CHRISTMAS STAR TKI (B) by Just Take A Chance x Freckles My Star, o Shirley L Bigelow & Gary C Bigelow, b Deanna Bolden

#### TRICK DOG ADVANCED

BAXTER CRAVEN CGC TKA (D) by Dogwood's Buckmark x Pour Me Another Tequila, o Carrie Jo Craven, b Todd Parmenter

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

- GCHP CH BRIGADIER'S LIGHTNING STRIKES TWICE (B), M Lee/J Lee
- $2-Northeastern\,Maryland\,Kennel\,Club,\,Dr.\,N$  Dee
- 2 Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc., Mr. J R Shoemaker
- 3 Hilton Head Island Kennel Club, Dr. D W Dowling
- 3- Hilton Head Island Kennel Club, Mrs. T M DePietro
- 3 Piedmont Kennel Club, Inc., Ms. J M Buehler
- CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW SUNSHINE FROM ABOVE CGCA TKN (B), K Durno/K Loring
- 3 Green Mountain Dog Club, Inc., Mrs. C Myers-Egerton
- GCHP2 CH DREAM HI'S DON'T HATE THE PLAYER HATE THE GAME (D), T Rickard/L Rickard
- 1 Lost Coast Kennel Club of California, Mr. R J Lewis
- 1 Lost Coast Kennel Club of California, Ms. D Kroll
- 2 Lost Coast Kennel Club of California, Mr. D Richards
- GCH CH HALFMOON TO INFINITY & BEYOND! (D) E Weeks
- 3 Inland Empire Kennel Association, Inc., Ms. E Muthard
- GCHP CH LABYRINTH N ILLUSION SLIPPERY WHEN WET JH (D), K Hanson 1 – Bushy Run Kennel Club, Mrs. A F Yuhasz
- GCHG CH LABYRINTH NMR CHAMPAGNE DELIGHT (D), C Lawrence/M Lawrence/K Hanson
- 2 Longview Kennel Club, Col. J B Purkhiser
- 4 Longview Kennel Club, Mrs. C T Murray
- GCHS CH MARSPORT HOT TO RIDE LUCKY SEVEN MH (D), P Snider/L Snider 4 – Ann Arbor Kennel Club, Inc., Mrs. A Katona
- GCHB CH SOVEREIGN'S LEGENDARY DISCIPLE (D), C Walsh/D Droel/J Droel
- 1 Greater DeKalb Kennel Club, Col. J B Purkhiser

- 1 Greater DeKalb Kennel Club, Mrs. G Geringer
- GCHS CH STAR FLIGHT FRANKLY MY DEAR RN NA NAJ CGC TKN (D), J Ceres 3 Blackhawk Kennel Club, Inc., Mrs. W Maisey
- GCH CH TAIL'Z END TURBO POWER FROM DUAL LANE'S JH CGC TKN (D), P Giebel/S Giebel/A Stellwag
- 2 Boca Raton Dog Club Inc, J Hubbard
- 2 Boca Raton Dog Club Inc, Mr. L C Abbott
- CH TRIUMPHANT'S FLYING CIRCUS RI CGCA TKN (D), J Nicol/P Jessen 4 – Flagstaff Kennel Club, Mr. J E Gregory
- GCH CH Whisper Ridge Bottoms Up (D), D Methe/S Richards/C Methe/B Methe
- 4 Santa Maria Kennel Club, Inc., Mrs. P Hartinger
- GCHG CH Windfalls I Put U Under My Luv Spell BCAT (B), J Campbell/B Campbell
- 3 Kenai Kennel Club INC., Mr. J R Cole
- 4 Kenai Kennel Club INC., Mrs. N D Simmons
- GCH CH WOODLAND'S FORREST FIRE (D), J Schramm/K Pillion-Schramm
- 4 Del-Otse-Nango Kennel Club, Mr. T Borkowski

#### **OWNER-HANDLED SERIES GROUP WINNERS**

- GCH CH CARRAE'S GIVE IT ALL YOU GOT (D), C Lassle/R Lassle
- OHG1 Puyallup Valley Dog Fanciers, Inc., Mr. J R Cole
- OHG3 Portland Kennel Club, Inc., Mrs. L A Childs
- $\rm OHG3-Hurricane$  Ridge Kennel Club of Washington, Inc., Mr. G Doxtater
- GCH CH CLASSIC'S CAN DO HI DILEMMA (B), M Wolnewitz
- $\rm OHG4-Battle$  Creek Kennel Club, Inc., Ms. N J Gallant
- GCHS CH COPLEY CAN DO MAGNUM OPUS GRAND SAM RE (D), E Weeks
- OHG2 Lost Coast Kennel Club of California, Mr. R J Lewis
- GCHB CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW RISE AND SHINE CA (D), A Geary/C Mika/R Leale
- OHG1 Ashtabula Kennel Club, Mr. A B Santos III
- OHG4 Grand River Kennel Club, Inc., Ms. J M Buehler
- GCHB CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW SO BE It (D), E Ctibor/M Ctibor/G Clements
- OHG2 Kennel Club of Greater Victoria, Inc., Mr. J E Frederiksen
- OHG4 Kennel Club of Greater Victoria, Inc., Mr. J E Noe
- RBOH/OHG1 Bexar County Kennel Club, Inc., Ms. D C Mounce
- CH DOGWOOD HOLLOW SUNSHINE FROM ABOVE CGCA TKN (B), K Durno/K Loring
- OHG1 Green Mountain Dog Club, Inc., Mrs. C Myers-Egerton
- GCH CH HALFMOON TO INFINITY & BEYOND! (D) E Weeks
- OHG2 Lost Coast Kennel Club of California, Ms. D Kroll
- OHG2 Inland Empire Kennel Association, Inc., Ms. E Muthard
- CH MAPLE BROOK'S HIDDEN TREASURE JH CGC (B), P Aguiar
- OHG3 Naugatuck Valley Kennel Club, Mrs. G Young
- CH SHADY BROOK'S A STAR IS BORN CGCA TKN (D), D Campbell
- OHG4 Woodstock Dog Club, Inc., Mrs. J Quiros–Kubat GCH CH TAIL'Z END TURBO POWER FROM DUAL LANE'S JH CGC TKN (D), P
- GCH CH TAIL'Z END TURBO POWER FROM DUAL LANE'S JH CGC TKN (D), P Giebel/S Giebel/A Stellwag
- $\rm OHG4-Tidewater$  Kennel Club of Virginia, Inc., Ms. A H Roth
- BOH/OHG1 Boca Raton Dog Club Inc, J Hubbard
- $\rm OHG1-Boca$  Raton Dog Club Inc, Mr. L C Abbott
- OHG2 Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc., Mr. J R Shoemaker
- OHG2 Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc., Mrs. V L Abbott
- OHG2 Piedmont Kennel Club, Inc., Ms. J M Buehler
- OHG3 Piedmont Kennel Club, Inc., Mr. M E Threlfall
- CH TRIUMPHANT'S FLYING CIRCUS RI CGCA TKN (D), J Nicol/P Jessen
- OHG4 Flagstaff Kennel Club, Mr. M Forte
- OHG4 Flagstaff Kennel Club, Mr. J E Gregory

#### BEST JUNIOR HANDLER

- MARY CLAIRE CTIBOR Bexar County Kennel Club, Inc. Kennel Club of Greater Victoria, Inc. ALYEACE GEARY
- Ashtabula Kennel Club
- Grand River Kennel Club, Inc.

# ABC 2018 CHAIRMAN REPORTS & AGENDA ITEMS

#### 2nd VICE PRESIDENT END OF YEAR REPORT TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS Jeri Conklin

In January 2018 I was appointed 2nd VP of ABC, charged with management of membership. The ABC Board of Directors provided me clear instructions and three clear objectives; Increase Membership, Increase Membership and Increase Membership.

Current ABC membership nears just over 2,000 full & associate members. Data shows this as a static trend. Back in the early 1990s the ABC had a vibrant membership of over 4,000. So the challenge is to better understand the dynamics behind today's membership statistics and what the ABC can do to encourage and influence increased membership.

Key Elements to Research:

\* What does the data tell us about the current membership health of the ABC?

\* What is the culture of strong/successful clubs and what key elements can be replicated in other regions/clubs?

\* What role does or should ABC/regional clubs play in developing a comprehensive recruiting program?

Specific Action:

Action 1 – Administrative starting point with numbers

Action 2 – Establish Email Correspondence with membership

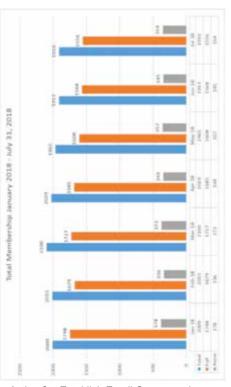
Action 3 – Institute a Breeders Directory (past 2nd V.P. action item)

Action 4 - Membership building articles are part of the plan to highlight and hopefully to encourage other regional clubs to work toward that goal.

**OBSERVATION AND OUTCOMES:** 

Action 1 – Breakdown of baseline membership numbers: (See chart below)

Observation: More time is required to validate the impact recent changes have on the overall membership numbers. While the challenges to improve membership are many and monumental, small positive steps will have the greatest impact early on as we look at more substantive actions that can be institutionalized in the near future. Not having had access to past year's accurate membership numbers require use of current numbers only.



Action 2 – Establish Email Correspondence with membership/club secretaries/directors

Observation Communication between club/ parent club/member - an amazing number of responses involved a simple "Thank You for reaching out to me, you are the first." The second largest response was "I just forgot some say they got postcard notices, some not." They all appreciated receiving the email notice however and most quickly renewed. Most all asked for email notification to continue. Roughly 429 members have renewed via the email campaign I started in Feb/ March of 2018. These members had expired during 2017 and early 2018. Roughly 131 members that expired sometime prior to 2017 renewed in 2018 as a result of the email campaign. In the first 7 months of the year we saw our new membership numbers grow by 180 (140 Full and 40 Associates) members.

Club secretary Questionnaire #1 -Observation – Out of 85 regional clubs I have sent questionnaires to, less than 10 have responded. Those that did respond want communication at the parent club level. Lack of volunteers is the #1 issue that plagues most clubs across all 5 regions. Without volunteers it is hard to put on events, even the required two events a year. Only a few regional clubs are actually reaching out to their club members with various types of notices, newsletters, etc. Club secretary Questionnaire #2 – Observation – Out of 83 regional clubs I have sent questionnaires, 4 have responded. Those that did respond wanted assistance from their directors. Membership rosters were checked "occasionally." One club secretary had no clue they had access to their roster.

Director Questionnaire #1 - Observation – Out of 15 Directors, 3 responded. Assistance in accessing membership database. Would like to have their individual regions separated out each month so they didn't have to go through and do a sort and filter themselves.

Director Questionnaire #2 – Observation – Out of 15 Directors, 4 responded. Same as above regarding membership roster being split out for their region only. Of interest, one director said they checked their roster annually.

\* Track responses, monthly transactions (Renewals/New/Gifted) and email contact

Observation/Outcome – As indicated in the below chart comparing 2017 to 2018 transactions, data suggests that the email campaign of reaching out to expired and expiring members is working. More time is needed to see the trends of same.

\* Track corrections discovered during email campaign (mostly incorrect email addresses)

Observation & Outcome: Each time I would send out a batch of emails, I would get a few back as mailer daemon – undeliverable for various reasons. Once I got the mailer daemon notice I would look at the emails rejected and look for obvious errors – most times I found a misspelling of either the name portion or the back portion. For those I could not find obvious errors in, I called the people asking for the correct email addresses. Only one or two called back with corrections. I don't have time to keep chasing same. Some of the same errors come out monthly on the membership roster. Not sure why changes are not being made.

\* Track and target MALs - Observation & Outcome: After 7 months of the email campaign, we are just now seeing our MAL numbers start to level out and stop the bleed.

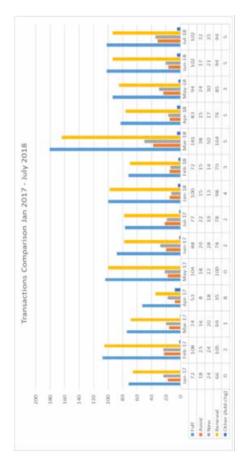
Action 3 - Breeders Directory

Observation/Outcome: After several discussions with BOD and magazine chair, said availability was announced in the February 2018 Magazine. Breeders were invited who were actively breeding, or occasionally breeding litters of puppies to provide their contact information for the same fee structure that we are already using for Kennel/At Stud/Trainer ads - \$60 per year for a standard ad (6 lines); \$10 each additional line. "Listings: Breeders – Kennels – At Stud – Trainers

1. To date no one has taken advantage of said opportunity. Once I get a handle on Membership I will be developing a breeder's directory list and sending out information and emails letting them know of the advantages of listing in the magazine. There are quite a few kennels that advertise Brittanys but are not current Brittany club members. New Puppy packets will be built and made available to new owners with ABC and AKC information available.

Action 4 - Membership building articles are part of the plan to highlight and hopefully to encourage other regional clubs to work toward that goal.

Observation/Outcome: To date the magazine has published and highlighted 3 clubs, their events and model of success. I hope to highlight at least one club from each region as often as possible. Getting clubs to submit their information/story is the hardest part. I am beginning to see some sharing of event models that have been successful.



#### CONCLUSIONS:

The focus of my predecessor's term was on securing a new membership database and the quality of the magazine. All numbers used in her calculations came from monthly magazine run numbers which are not the same as the true/actual membership counts as they don't count associate members and members who choose not to receive a magazine or duplicate magazines. I have used actual current/full/ associate numbers in all of my calculations. Last year's numbers represent the inflated number of magazines printed, not the true membership numbers.

New Membership Database - As for the need for a new Membership Database – a database is only as good as the human that sits behind it. After talking to Deb Rudert, it appears our current database is sufficient for her use and it does what needs to be done. I'm not advocating the change to a new data base at this time. By simply sending out monthly emails to expired and expiring members, our numbers suggest that emails are working. Not only have we received numerous emails saying "Thank you for the email notice" but some members did not realize their memberships had expired for whatever reason and as such were appreciative of the Expired and Expiring emails notices. It will take more than a few months to realize the successfulness of our campaign. My responses after 7 months of data don't sustain my predecessor's conclusions that we need to purchase a new Membership Database in order to make a difference in our membership numbers. A simple email reminder sent 30 days is obviously working at this time.

Magazine Content - What members want to see in the magazine is more of a variety of articles. This new generation of Brittany owners are participating differently with their Brittanys. They are doing things like Barn Hunts, Dock Diving, running marathons, Trick Dog, you name it, someone is doing it. Our Brittany hasn't changed, it's the owners and availability of new opportunities for a new generation of Brittany owners that has changed. We can change with it and grow, or not. Having said that - to everyone I got that response from, I emailed them and asked them to be that change, to write that article, to share their experiences. Out of roughly 25 complaints, only one stepped forward with their story. There appears to be a lack desire on anyone's part to present articles and be part of the solution. I still believe it is a valid complaint and would definitely bring back to reading the magazine a generation or two that do things other than Field and Show. This is a magazine committee issue, not a membership issue to solve.

Membership Promotion Committee - The Membership Promotion Committee meets via email and texts monthly. As Chair of this committee I have advocated for and see great benefit in sending out emails to new members, expiring and expired members. Each month, the members of the committee have been asked to send out emails to new members and club secretaries asking as to what they can do to assist them. I am appreciative of their efforts as another layer of communication and contact.

My observations after seven months of data research is that there is large field of apathy running rampant throughout the organization at all levels. My recommendations at this time is:

(1) The regional club secretaries make a greater effort to actively pursue the expired/ expiring members in their club and send a personal welcome letter to new members. The postcards notifying members of their upcoming expirations are not all getting through, so unless they receive an email from the club, many let their memberships lapse unaware. MEMBERSHIP RETENTION STARTS AT THE CLUB LEVEL.

(2) The regional clubs develop some sort of monthly communication (a quick newsletter, an email blast...) Some clubs with membership spread throughout the state, few meetings or events, this is an easy way to reach out to your members.

(3) Membership rosters be checked monthly for new members, changes of address and status. This can't hurt the retention of your members. It will take time, it is worth it.

I see the beginning of change and reaching out to members and clubs has been encouraging. I thank all involved these past seven months. I am looking forward to the next few months to confirm my observations and outcomes. I will have at least 3 more months of data by Nationals time.

#### END OF YEAR REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS 3rd VICE PRESIDENT

#### Report of the 2017 NSS

The scope of the National Specialty has increased for the past several years. We continue to offer more opportunities for performance events as part of our National Specialty lineup. In 2017 we had 18 entries in the Ned Castillo Memorial Puppy Match, 18 entries in rally, 25 entries in obedience, 73 entries in Sweepstakes, 183 entries in conformation, 7 entries in Junior Showmanship, 384 runs of agility and 144 runs of barn hunt. In addition to sweeps, breed, obedience and rally we also offered mini me's, agility and barn hunt as part of the National Specialty last year. Mini Me's were a huge success, with participation from several future handlers. In 2017 the National Specialty showed a profit of approximately \$1,500.00. This is my final year as the 3rd VP and I want to thank all the officers and BOD members for their support. I look

forward to continuing to attend the Nationals as a participant for many years to come.

#### Report of the 2018 Summer Specialty

The Summer Specialty was hosted by the Central New England Brittany Club as part of a four day all-breed cluster in West Springfield, MA. Show Chair Linda McCartney pulled together several New England clubs to offer exhibitors four specialties during the long weekend. At the Summer Specialty there were 12 entries in sweepstakes and 52 entries in the regular classes. In the regular classes there were 9 dogs, 15 bitches, 17 dog specials and 6 bitch specials. Best of Breed was won by GCH Sovereign's Legendary Disciple, JH. Thanks to Linda McCartney and her committee for organizing a great weekend of Brittany events.

Respectfully submitted, Emmy Wollenburg, 3rd VP

#### 2018 Secretary and Agenda Book Brooke Burlingame

I have gotten more comfortable in my role as secretary during this year. With support from various directors and experts in their various fields. Everyone has been very helpful and encouraging when I have had questions or needed more information. I have gotten quite a few requests for pins in all the venues that our Brittany's compete. A few medallions have been sent for and will be used in various trophies. I field a lot of questions about various venues for Brittanys to compete in and have helped a lot find their local contacts for hunt tests and local breed clubs. We need to keep all lists up to date so my information is correct before I send it out.

This being my second year doing the agenda book, I'm frustrated by the lack of response to getting reports in for the book. I sent multiple reminders and most people knew the cut off dates. This is a large undertaking and it's made that much harder by the lack of interest in turning in reports. There are less reports then last year but were just as many reminders sent. Thank you so much to those that did their reports and sent them in to me in a timely manner. Since these reports come to me in many different styles, fonts, and layouts, and it takes me a lot of time to change them all to the same style.

Reports with action items are noted in **BOLD** in the index. *NR* in the index indicates No Report was submitted in time to be included in the Agenda Book.

Respectfully submitted, Brooke Burlingame

#### 2018 AKC GAZETTE REPORT David Webb, Chair

During this past year there have been four brief articles written and submitted to the AKC Gazette for publication in the Brittany breed column, which appears quarterly each year in the magazine. These articles are written for the Brittany breed column and are based on my 40 plus years with the Brittany.

The four pieces were titled – "Sunday Morning" – January issue, "Puppies" – April issue, "Along the Line" – July issue, and "Nose Prints" – which will be in the October issue. In addition, a piece is being written is entitled, "Breeding", which will appear in January 2018 issue of the Gazette.

These articles have been written with intent to provide the reader with information about our breed. Appreciate the opportunity to write for the AKC Gazette.

#### 2018 JUDGES EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT Diana Kubitz, Chair

This year had a few challenges that I had to deal with. While Summer Specialty Chair Linda McCartney contacted me early in 2018 about a seminar in conjunction with the SS, I did not get final information until July. I had explained to Linda early on that I needed date, time and place in order to get this on the AKC website early in the year so we would have good participation. I did not know who the presenter was at that time, but knew one of my committee would be the presenter. In July after Judy Tighe agreed to present, I had to contact Linda again to get the information I'd been asking for since early 2018. I also asked Jessica Carlson to post it to the judge's list as she has access as a junior's judge. I believe our participation would be better if this information could be on the AKC website earlier in the year. See action item.

My MSDA seminar in July was a little rainy, but it didn't dampen the enthusiasm of our judges! Ron Auten and Paul Renius are the best! They helped me set-up our area, planted birds for all the breeds for field demos. demonstrated pointing and backing at it's finest and Ron did a water retrieve with his Brittany when he wasn't really sure what the outcome would be. A retrieve to hand was applauded loudly by everyone in attendance! We had some new folks helping out and I'm really excited to welcome Kathy & Jerry Hogan and Keith & Mary Wolnewitz to our event. David Jackson, one of WMBC's newer members brought the Gust's Liver dog so we could be sure to show the judges more than one color of Brittany. A huge

thanks to everyone who helped to make this years' experience memorable for the judges. Thanks to Jessica for always supplying that last-minute information on # of duals to wow everyone!

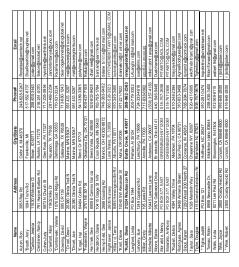
Many thanks to Judy Tighe and Dianne Kroll for presenting the other two seminars this year. These gals both step up whenever I send out a call to committee members and mentors for a presenter for a seminar. Thanks also to all of my committee members who helped with input to AKC on their video about Brittanys that they were trying to put together. The Judge's Education Committee is made up of dedicated individuals that are committed to the ABC Mission Statement of keeping our breed "forever a dual dog."

At the MSDA seminar our Chair Kathy Wiecha gave us the bad news that AKC had downgraded our MSDA seminars to 2 points for the judges participating. She told us also that national specialties JE seminars that previously gave the judges 3 pts also had been downgraded to 2 pts. AKC has 'Proclaimed" that the only seminars judges will get 3 pts for is the AKC seminars run by people who are not involved in the breed of the seminar they are presenting. Does that make any sense to you? It makes no sense that a seminar that presents not only breed standards, but also field & water demos should get less credit than an AKC seminar. It really is insane to think that judges could learn more from an AKC seminar than they could at our National Specialty Show, where they not only get a JE seminar and a Hands-on Workshop, but they have breed mentors sitting with them outside the ring while some of the best Brittanys in the country are being shown in larger quantities than they would ever find elsewhere. The judges also watch our Top 20 competition and are invited to participate in any activities that are held at the National Specialty. They are always invited to visit the field trial the following Monday to ride the wagon or a horse. I can tell you that it doesn't make sense to any of the JEC's I've been in contact with and everyone is guite upset. I will work on this by contacting as many JEC's as possible so that we can present a united front to AKC on this matter.

Note: I looked up every judge any exhibitor contacted me to complain about their judging of our breed this year. All of them had taken an AKC seminar and NONE of them had taken the ABC seminar. Regional specialties and the 3rd VP need to contact me for the list of individuals who have taken our seminar.

Action Item: I'd like to have it included in the policy notebook under Summer Specialty that: The named chairperson contacts the ABC Judge's Education Coordinator by March 1st of the year in which that year's event will take place. Information needed is the date, time, address and contact information. The JEC will find a presenter and contact AKC with the information needed for the AKC website. (This should also be included under 3rd VP – National Specialty)

Respectfully Submitted: Diana L Kubitz



#### 2018 AKC LEGISLATIVE LIAISON AGENDA REPORT Mary Jo Trimble, Chair

\* I will not attempt to go into all the legislative issues that AKC has been involved in during 2018. I do encourage our BOD and Members to frequent the Government Relations page at www.akc.org/government-relations/. In the future, I will try and get more state related AKC Legislative Alerts posted on the ABC Notification List. Please encourage your club members to sign on to this one-way list to receive important information from both AKC and ABC. Contact Director Bernie Crain to be added to the Google List.

\* See my US Sportsmen's Alliance agenda report for some of the issues HSUS is promoting.

\* Some of the information provided on the Government Relations pages is as follows:

\* Tracking and reviewing legislation for potential impact on fanciers and the general dog-owning public.

\* Developing and sending materials and statements of opposition or support as necessary to local, state and federal officials in order to ensure that legislation dealing with dogs is reasonable, enforceable and nondiscriminatory.

\* Working directly with clubs, federation members and other allied groups to assist and empower them in developing and implementing strategies to advocate for the rights of responsible dog-owners and breeders, and to train trainers about issues in canine legislation, lobbying and other advocacy techniques.

\* Providing issue-based policy expertise including policy briefs, model legislation/sample laws, and alternate language to policymakers, clubs, federations, and individuals involved in the development of canine policy.

\* The AKC PAC provides support to candidates for federal or state legislative office who support reasonable enforceable laws that protect the health and welfare of dogs and do not restrict the rights of breeders and owners who take their responsibilities seriously.

\* For more information on how the Government Relations Department can help you, email doglaw@akc.org, call 919-816-3720. Look for their flyer of services the department offers.

#### 2018 AKC POINTING BREED ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA REPORT RAY TRIMBLE, Liaison

The AKC Pointing Breed Field Trial Advisory Committee last met in Boise, Idaho, on 11 April 2005. This committee used to meet every 5 years. At this point, we have been told that this is not a required meeting by the AKC, and we have not been advised that any meetings will be held in the near future.

Recent changes in the Field Trial program have been added/changed by the Performance Department and not through any Pointing Breed Committee.

ACTION ITEM: I BELIVE THE BOD SHOULD DROP THIS LIAISON POSITION FROM THE LIST OF COMMITTEES/LIAISONS DUE TO INACTIVITY.

Respectfully submitted, Ray Trimble

#### 2018 AMERICAN FIELD LIASON AGENDA REPORT

Ray Trimble, Chair

The American Brittany Club continues trying to increase the number of regional trials that advertise their events in the American Field in order to make sure that dogs running in the ABC National Championships and Classics are qualified to receive the title of Champion or Runner-Up Champion if they would win one of our national stakes. A derby placement in an American Field sponsored event qualifies a dog for life as does an adult placement. Regional Clubs that are members of the AFTCA will have win certificates issued to their Amateur handled winners which qualifies them to receive AFTCA Championship titles provided that handlers and owners pay AFTCA a \$25 Membership fee if they want either a win or a championship certificate.

The ABC asks clubs to indicate if their regional trials are also American Field sponsored on the ABC Field Trial application blank. The ABC trial reporting form has a place to check if results are also being sent to the AFTCA as well as the AF and AKC. Not as many clubs are members of AFTCA as are now running their trials under the American Field.

Piper Huffman, AFTCA Secretary, had a phone conversation in 2017 with then ABC Executive Secretary, Mary Jo Trimble. She said that owners and handlers of Brittanys (Continental Breeds) are not required to be AFTCA Members in order to enter a trial sponsored by the AFTCA as are pointer/setter owners and handlers. However, if they want a win certificate or Championship certificate, they must pay the \$25 ABC owner/handler Membership Fee to AFTCA. This can be done after a dog wins or places.

ABC REGIONAL AKC CLASSICS/ AF CHAMPIONSHIPS;

In addition to the regular ABC Original Classic/Championships, the ABC also sponsors Regional AKC Classic/AF Championships in conjunction with several Championship Associations. Clubs running these events need to follow the guidelines as posted on the ABC Website or contact the ABC Executive Secretary for a copy. Please indicate on the result form that the trial is both an ABC Classic and an American Field Championship. There is a space provided on the ABC/AKC/AFTCA/ AF result form. Please use this form to report results. Prior to the event, the current insurance certificate and completed AKC Field Trial application and the \$15 AKC fee should be sent to the ABC Secretary who will sign and send to AKC. Associations will be responsible for any AKC late filing fees as well. Please appoint a reporter to cover the trial and get reports and writeups in promptly to the American Field and the Statistician Mary Karbiner for publication in the American Field and the ABC Magazine. Since these events are run as ABC events please indicate this in the title of the writeup. Be sure reporters give Purina credit in the write-ups as being a sponsor of the event if such is the case. Please try and get photos of the winners as well. These Regional Classics must obtain Dates approval from their respective Dates Coordinators prior to sending application to the Executive Secretary.

Respectfully submitted, Ray Trimble

#### EAST CENTRAL DIRECTORS REPORT & ACTION ITEMS Motion by Helen Riggle

#### September 9, 2018 Ed Janulis President, American Brittany Club & American Brittany Club Board of Directors 26110 S. Cherry Hill Rd Manhathan, IL 60442

RE: Separation of Epagneul Breton from American Brittany

#### Dear Ed Janulis/Board of Directors:

I am writing on behalf of the emerging AKC Epagneul Breton Club of America (EBCA) to formally request the American Brittany Club's cooperation in separation of the Epagneul Breton as a distinct and separate breed from the American Brittany. To begin this process, we ask that the ABC first agree to this long overdue split into two separate breeds; and secondly, to permit owners of Epagneul Bretons to remove their dogs that are improperly registered as Brittanies from the ABC studbook. This letter contains two parts: first we will present the historical and morphological evidence of the distinction between the two breeds and second we will provide our proposal for how this process of separation should work.

#### Historical and morphological differences

When researching American Brittany (AB) pedigrees, one must understand all AB originated from Epagneul Bretons (EB). The history of the breed goes back to the repopulation of the peninsular region of Brittany after the fall of the Roman Empire by Celtics, who came from Wales when the Saxons invaded Great Britain. These peasants & poachers brought with them a small spaniel dog, which was found in Brittany many years later. Just prior to the turn of the 20th century, English hunters would leave their setters & pointers in France with gamekeepers during the winter. Those setters & pointers crossed with the region's native spaniels & the Epagneul Breton was born.

The Club of the Breton Spaniel (CEB-France) was formed in 1907. However, representatives of the breed club competed in field trials & shows as early as the late 1800's. In 1896, at the Paris Dog Exposition, a dog named Pincon Royale was exhibited - a male tri-color, owned by Viscount de Combourg of Bretagne Province. Pincon Royale was exhibited in the "epagneul" or "spaniel with wavy coat" variety of "any variety" in the 1896 Paris Dog Exposition. It is unknown whether Pincon was a black or liver tri-color. Two years later in 1898, a liver & white EB female, named Myrrha d'Amorique won a first place in a French field trial. The first official registration in France of an EB was an Orange and white male, named Boy-Sec Reg #LOF 11 609 with a DOB of 03/8/1905. Marpha, a liver and white female was next registered under sec Reg#LOF 11 610 with a DOB of 3/24/1903. Among the first 300 registrations of EB's with the sec, the liver & white coat was far more popular than the orange & white

(Willems, article Norwegian Brittany Club, 2007).

When we look back to those dogs registered in 1907, we see many dogs were orange/ white, liver/white, chestnut/white, & also black. The initial standard put forth by the club to the French Kennel Club (SCC) was rejected since it included the color black. In 1908, the standard was revised to exclude black. Later multiple genetic studies provide factual data that black existed in the original dogs. This was even confirmed again by Pierre Willems in the 1990's in his research. In a desire to largest registry in the US, has a long-established official split between the two breeds. Canadian Kennel Club has a split between the two breeds forthcoming. North American Versatile Hunting Dog Association considered a proposal to split the two breeds and has tabled it pending more information and awaiting an official divide under AKC. Finally, OFA and PennHip both already distinguish between the two breeds in order to have accurate statistics in their health data.

#### **Process of Separation**

EBCA estimates the number of dogs to be withdrawn from the studbook to be merely around 200. Most EB's in the US are registered under FCI and/or UKC. The EBCA wishes to make this process of separation as smooth as possible for the ABC, and to that end proposes the following considerations for the process. This process will be 100% voluntary and up to each individual dog owner to ensure proper registration of their dog. Removal of AB registration for a dog will not guarantee designation or registration as an EB. EBCA will create a breed transfer request form for owners to submit to ABC. EB owners will contact ABC via the breed transfer form to request that their dog(s) be removed from the registry as a Brittany to be relisted as an Epagneul Breton. The EBCA will make it clear to interested owners that removal of a dog from ABC does not guarantee future AKC registration as an EB. Return to the original breed origin, the color black was allowed back into the standard in 1956. This effort was led by Mr. Gaston Pouchain, President of the CEB-France from 1956-1982. There are known imports to North

America back to the later 1924 +/- to Mexico by Mr. Pugibets. Later, to the US, Perile de Pradalan, Djin des Vaux, Clap de Callac, Fanche du Cosquerou, & some de L'Argoat dogs were imported in 1931 +/-. There were later dogs imported to the US in the 1930's & 1940's (Willems, email, 8/28/18). The AKC registered the first Brittany Spaniel. Those dogs were later bred and the evolution of the American Brittany commenced & the AB & EB standards (AKC & FCI) began to diverge.

Generally speaking, an EB is a smaller, calmer, closer working, more biddable and more family-oriented dog. Closer working in this instance, indicates a dog that remains in shotgun range most of the time, but can reach out when cover dictates. The AB, throughout the middle of the 20th century & after WWII, were bred for field trials and horseback all age trials where big ground covering dogs were preferred. AB breeders developed a big running dog with speed and field aggression or "reach & drive". This is the key reason for the divergence in the two breeds that we see today & ongoing. EB enthusiasts in the US have continuously imported and bred to the French standard in order to properly preserve the breed separate from the AB.

In addition to this historical difference, attached separately from this letter are several photographic exhibits illustrating the vast and distinct morphological difference between these two breeds. FCI/CEB France have indicated support for this split and AKC recognition of the EB. United Kennel Club, the second

Upon ABC approval to remove a dog from being listed as a Brittany, ABC will send the owner a letter stating official removal, including the dog's registered name and AKC registration number.

ABC shall open the studbooks for removal of EB's for a window of 6 months. Removal of dogs from the studbook shall be limited to current, living dogs. Any AKC titles or points a dog has earned shall transfer with the dog upon successful breed transfer to EB. EBCA does not anticipate removal of EB's affecting AB pedigrees.

The EB and AB are truly two separate breeds and have been maintained as such by enthusiasts of both breeds in the US. It's time to acknowledge and celebrate their differences and keep both breeds true to their distinct breed standards by allowing this separation. It will only serve to benefit both breeds going forward. The EBCA will be available to assist the ABC with whatever is necessary to facilitate the

#### separation process upon ABC approval. I look forward to ABC's cooperation.

#### Gerald Giordano President, Epagneul Breton Club of America

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|                           | BRITTANY   |   |
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| 5107                      | GRADUAL SLOPE  | SHORTER THAN AB-SHOULD BE SLIGHTLY CURVED   |
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|                           |  | 1YPICALLY MORE ANGULATED FOR BALANCED   |
| FRONT                     | TYPICALLY STRAIGHT - BUINOT PREFERRED  | STRIDE WITH BACK END  |
|                           | GETTING LONGER THAN HEIGHT - NOT SQUARE                                      |   |
| LENGTH OF BACK            | DUE TO STANDARD DIVERGENCE   | MUST BE EQUAL OR PENALIZED HEAVILY  |
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|                           | FROM ELBOWSTO WITHERS-USUALLY LEANER   | DOG; FAR LESS TUCKED UP THAN AN AB. CHEST IS                                      |
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| CHEST                     | AT ABDOMEN   | WITH LITTLE UPWARD CURVE AT THE ABDOMEN   |
|                           | 1YPICALLY MORE "LEGGY" & SLIGHTER IN   | 1YPICALLY MORE BONE, MUSCLE, & STOCKIER   |
| EXTERMITIES/LEGS          | OVERALL BUILD  | BUILD<br>MALES 18.9 - 20.1 INCHES & FEMALES 18.5 - 20.1                           |
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|                           |  | DRIVE; LEGS MORE STRAIGHT WITHOUT   |
|                           |  | EXAGGERATED BOUNCING OF THE BODY &<br>WITHOUT BOLLING: TOPLINE STAYING LEVEL: THE |
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| GAIT/MOTION               | REACH & DRIVE  | (COLLECTED CANTER)  |
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| COLOR                     | BLACK NOT ALLOWED  | THE 1907 REGISTRY - GENETICALLY PROVEN  |
|                           |  | WHITE AROUND THE EYES OR ON EARS. SABLE.  |
|                           | 1  | BUTTERFLY NOSE/EYES; MARKED CONVERGENT  |
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|                           | 1  | DIFFERENT; COLORS; CONTIGUOUS ABSENCE OF  |
|                           | BLACK IN COAT OR NOSE; ANY BRITTANY  | PM2 & PM3 TEETH; PRESENCE OF REAR   |
|                           | MEASURING UNDER 17.5 INCHES & OVER 20.5                                      | DEWCLAWS; MORPHOLOGICAL ANOMALY; OVERL  |
| DISQUALIFICATIONS         | INCHES IN HEIGHT   | SHY OR AGGRESSIVE DOGS  |

#### EAST COAST DIRECTOR

September 14, 2018 The American Brittany Club c/o Board of Directors via email to Mr. Bob Fleury at birchhillb @ aol. com (for distribution to ABC Board)

#### Re: Effort by group called "Epagneul Breton Club of America" to separate from the AKC Brittany Registry by establishing an AKC Epagneul Breton registry and to qualify as an AKC recognized parent club

Dear Gentlemen and Ladies of the American Brittany Club:

# I. A brief history and information about <u>CEB-US.</u>

This is an informational submission to the American Brittany Club (hereafter referenced as "ABC" ) intended to be shared with the Board of Directors and leadership of the ABC. It is submitted on behalf of the Club De L' Epagneul Breton of the United States, Inc. (hereafter referenced as "CEB-US") which is an organization in the United States made up of approximately 325 dues paying members who own French Brittanys or Brittany dogs of recent European origin (which we typically refer to as "Epagneul Bretons" and/or " EBs" for shorthand description ). CEB-US has been designated as the parent club of the EB in the United States under the United Kennel Club (hereinafter UKC) registry for the Epagneul Breton and is

properly incorporated and in compliance with the applicable IRS regulations for non-profit dog clubs. CEB-US has a solid membership based throughout the United States and a solvent and stable treasury funded by membership dues, breeder advertising, event entry fees, an annual fundraising auction, and other miscellaneous forms of revenue which combine to support the corporate entity. The organization has existed and been operated and governed by officers and a board of directors since being founded initially as the French Brittany Gw1 Dog Association of America, Inc. (hereafter FBGDA) in 1997. The club name was changed to the present name, around 2007 and this club of EB owners is now typically referred to as ' CEB-US" in the EB community in the US and internationally. Most of CEB-US members ' EB dogs are dual registered with the AKC as a Brittany and a number of EB owners belong to the ABC and various regional ABC affiliated clubs around the United States. Quite a few CEB-US members participate with their dogs in AKC shows, Hunt Tests, Field Trials, Agility competitions and other activities available to Brittanys through the sponsorship of the American Kennel Club and or various regional affiliates of the ABC.

#### IV. Concluding thoughts.

On behalf of CEB-US and the EB community in the United States, we appreciate the opportunity to attempt to provide constructive and objective input, in the event that the American Brittany Club decides to revisit the issue of potentially separating the Epagneul Breton from the Brittany in the framework of the American Kennel Club. We also appreciate the thoughtful insight which has been shared by a number of people in the American Brittany Club who have looked objectively at this issue from the Brittany perspective. We request that this communication be promptly forwarded and provided to the Board of Directors and the officers of the American Brittany Club for their consideration. We are also copying Mr. Doug Ljungren whom we are told is the appropriate supervisory official for the American Kennel Club, so that he is properly informed that there is very strong opposition in the EB community at large.

While the possibility of separation has some initial superficial appeal in terms of a basic AKC registration document and would create an AKC show venue for EB's with black in the coat, the complexities, complications and risks of actually accomplishing breed separation in the United States at this point in time are many. CEB-US feels that the present status quo is workable and that both the American Brittany group and the Epagneul Breton group have been able to find a means to enjoy, promote and perpetuate their dogs in a successful manner within the United States for the last decade and a half. We believe both groups will be able to continue to do so looking prospectively to the future if the status quo is maintained. Therefore, CEB-US does not feel that altering the existing status quo for the Brittany in the framework of the American Kennel Club will have measurable and significant positive benefits for anyone concerned. We also anticipate that breed separation at this point in time would be very complicated, expensive, and difficult to achieve in an orderly manner. For this reason, we hope that the Board members of the American Brittany Club will study this matter carefully and reach the conclusion not to alter the present status quo.

If further information is desired, or we may provide additional information on perspective, please do not hesitate to contact me.

#### Sincerely,

Ken Teppel , President and on behalf of the Board of Directors: Jake Bartells Todd Farris Randy Meester Jim Thompson Larry Ellison, Georgia Grayson Guyer, North Carolina Norman Pope, South Dakota Leah Corcoran, Illinois **The full report is ten pages long and can** 

#### be read in its entirety on the ABC website.

#### 2018 FIELD TRIAL DATES COMMITTEE Steve Ralph, Chair

#### National Dates Chairman

No field trial date issues were reported by the Regional Date Coordinators which need to be addressed.

Ed Graves retired as Central Region Coordinator and recommended Burton Wice as his replacement, which Burton accepted. Thank you Ed for your years of service to ABC and the Central Region and welcome Burton.

Thank you to all the Regional Date Coordinators Bruce Conover (E), Wade Haines (EC), Burton Wice (C), Jim Crawford (MW), Larry Sandusky (W) for all their hard work in coordinating their regional field trial dates and resolving conflicts in the best interest for their regional clubs and ABC. All Spring & Fall dates presented by Regional Date Coordinators were reviewed and approved for this year and the coming year schedule.

A reminder to clubs to please work with their Regional Date Coordinator concerning field trial date scheduling, since all field trial dates must first be approved by the Regional Date Coordinator before ABC can approve the field trial application.

#### 2018 FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT Judy Graves, Chair

Members: Judy Graves, Chair; Lucile Sawicki, East Coast; Kent Patterson, East Central; Bernie Crain, Central; Mary Karbiner, MidWest; Joe Gower, West Coast

The Finance Committee was challenged this year by several computer crashes and data re-entry errors. The records kept by our former treasurer were lacking in completeness due to these problems. There also were delays in getting the documentation to the new Treasurer. Consequently, we were extremely late in getting the 12/31/17 reports to the BOD. This caused the committee members to receive the detail for their annual review several months late. Never the less, we do expect to have our audit report completed and will present it at the annual BOD meeting. We owe our new Treasurer, Keith Wolnewitz, a huge thank you for all the hours spent in getting 2017 completed. Each committee member was assigned an area to review/audit: Lucille Sawicki-National Specialty Show; Kent Patterson - Futurity; Judy Graves, Membership, advertising & recording fees; Bernie Crain, Bank reconciliations; Mary Karbiner, National Gun Dog Championships, and Joe Gower, National Open All Age Championships. This allocation allows us to review over 92% of our revenues.

Because of the delay in reporting, an extension to file the ABC 990 was requested and approved by the IRS. This report is now due in November. As far as our group tax exemption, we started the year with 45 subs. The Washington Brittany Club and Southern San Joaquin Valley Brittany Club were added in 2017 and included in the IRS 990N postcard filing for each club.

At last year's meeting, our committee requested a change to fiscal year from the calendar year we currently report on. The Board approved this request, which would set into motion a required vote of the membership to change the by-laws. Our new Treasurer, however, was not in favor of a change at this time given the legal requirements to make the change as well as this introductory period for him to learn the fiscal needs of the organization. We know we have the approval of the board should we think a change is necessary in the future. This change, however, would still need membership approval to change the by-laws.

2018 Event budgets were approved earlier this year for the All Age & Gun Dog field events

as well as the National Specialty. Between now and the upcoming Board meeting, directors, officers, and committee chairs will be contacted to submit their budget requests for 2019 General & Administrative activity, Magazine, Membership, publications, and the 2019 Futurity. Once again, we recommend that our undesignated reserve fund be built up to two times our operating revenues (\$203,396). We are getting close to that amount and should be there in a few years.

Finally, we have the Central Region representative term ending at year's end. The Committee unanimously voted to recommend to the BOD our Action Item #1: Reappoint Judy Graves to a five year term.

Respectfully submitted,

ABC Finance Committee Judy Graves, Chair

#### 2018 FUTURITY COMMITTEE REPORT LESLEE MASOLOTTE, CHAIRPERSON AND LINDA LANGFORD, SECRETARY

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as chairperson of the American Brittany Club Futurity starting in January 2018. I want to thank the 2018 Futurity Committee that includes Linda Langford as secretary, Leslie Andreas, Darlene Dow, Diane Hedstrom, Sue Lahosky and Michelle Millette. Our committee is comprised of dedicated Brittany owners, breeders and exhibitors from the eastern, central and western sections. Of note is that the committee members are representing their section and our breed with a focus on the future.

As members of the American Brittany Club as well as our regional clubs, our committee has been gathering suggestions for the coming year to increase club member's participation in the futurity. For the many years that I have been personally involved with the futurity, a common goal is to help the futurity to grow both in participation numbers and the amount of purse money awarded to the winners.

We are grateful to our host clubs in 2018: The California Brittany Club hosted the Western Futurity on January 31—Febuary 1, the Iowa Brittany Club and Minnesota Brittany Club co-hosted the Central Futurity on April 5-6 and the Pennsylvania Brittany club hosted the Eastern Futurity on April 30—May 1. We need to continue to look for ways to better support our host clubs by making the entry process less complicated and to give financial suggestions to aid the host clubs in meeting the expenses in conducting their event.

Thanks to the donation by a member, we

presented printed frame worthy certificates of acknowledgement to the host clubs to show the appreciation of the Futurity Committee and the American Brittany Club for the hard work of the host clubs in planning quality futurity events. We would like to add the certificates to the 2019 budget.

We secured the use of the Custom Ink services in fund raising throughout the futurity season. The apparel was printed with the ABC Futurity logo to be used by all three sections. A percentage of the futurity apparel that was sold was added to the purse and distributed to all three sections. I would suggest that we continue with the fundraising with an earlier start and keeping in mind the goal to elevate the amount added to our purses. The amount raised for this last year was \$445.00 I believe we can expect to increase that amount.

There were also trophy donations made to all three regions and I would like to thank those who made those donations. The amounts were \$140.00 for the Eastern, \$20.00 for the Central and \$350.00 for the western. The total donations from members were \$510.00

Catalog sales and advertising generated by the Eastern was \$980.00, \$14.00 by the Central and \$50.00 by the Western sections for a total of \$1044.00 income.

Raffles brought in \$543.00 for the Eastern and \$450.00 for the Western to total \$993.00

Entries income: Eastern were \$2,860.00, Central were \$3,320.00 and Western were \$2,500.00 for a total of \$8,680.00

Thank you to Purina for the donation of \$500.00 per section. Total Revenue was \$13,172.000

The Western Futurity had 5 All Age starters, the Gun Dog had 18 starters and the show had 11 dogs and 14 bitches. The purse awarded was \$685.52 for AA FLO, \$1183.13 for GD FLO and \$1331.90 for Show which was a decrease from 2017.

The Central Futurity had 15 All Age Starters, the Gun Dog had 19 starters and the show had 17 dogs and 13 bitches. The purse awarded was \$1246.57 for AA FLD, \$1378.74 for GD FLO and \$1746.57 for Show which was in increase over 2017.

The Eastern Futurity had 8 All Age starters, The Gun Dog had 21 starters and the show had 12 dogs and 16 bitches. The purse awarded was \$848.67 for AA FLO, \$1383.34 for GS FLD, \$1635.42 for Show which was a decrease from 2017.

The grand total purse distribution was \$12,041.96. In 2016, there were 109 litters were nominated for the 2018 futurity for a total of 695 puppies to be eligible for individual nominations to compete in the 2018 futurity events. Of those, 122 puppies had paid final forfeits.

Total club outlay was \$7(063.61 which varied somewhat per section.

Looking forward to the year 2019 we have host club designated for the 2017/2019 events. The Western Futurity will be hosted by the Oregon Brittany Club on April 5 and 6, the Central Futurity will be hosted by the Skyline Brittany Club of Colorado on March 10 and 11 and the Eastern Futurity will be hosted by the Mid Florida Brittany Club on January 14 and 15. We are now taking applications for the 2018/2020 host clubs.

Suggestions have been gathered from committee members and participants through the past year:

(1) Rewrite the bitches in season paragraphs in the policy book to help in clarification.

(2) Include photos of all the show winners in a group on the ABC website similar to the field photos rather than just the top show winners. The magazine will continue to show individual money placements.

(3) Encourage regional directors to become more involved in the futurity in their section such as assisting in setting up the photo ops to include the Purina food bags and the futurity trophies

(4) Increase trophy and fundraising activities in each section.

Thank you to the committee members for their help and support this past year. Special thank you to Linda Langford in her position as futurity secretary which is a time-consuming task. With their help we can look forward to an ever-improving futurity. Thank you also to our sponsors Purina, Garmin and Mudd River.

Respectfully submitted, Leslee Masolotte American Brittany Club Futurity

#### 2018 MAGAZINE COMMITTEE REPORT

The magazine committee and the proofing committee, along with the crew at Webster County printers, have worked diligently this year publishing a monthly magazine that the ABC can be proud of. The most important issue that arose this year was the size of the Action at AKC column. I have contacted the board of directors in early September concerning this issue and wish to make discussion of this an action item at the annual board meeting. Preparation of this column is one of the most labor-intensive of the regular columns.

I would like to point out the continuing problems of receiving reports and write ups of events in a timely fashion. The magazine cannot compete with social media as to the timing of news, but the magazine does contain the historical history of the ABC and the committee strives to be as accurate as possible.

There are frequent remarks from members concerning a lack of diversity in the content of the magazine. Many of the complaints point out that a great part of the content is show and trial results. What has to be realized is that show and trial results with write ups are a major income source for the magazine.

The magazine is attempting to establish regular columns about showing, grooming, veterinary info, youth activities, hunting and companion dogs. If any of the directors know of anyone interested in writing a column on any of these subjects, please have them contact the magazine committee.

The American Brittany Magazine contains the history of the American Brittany Club going back to 1942 when the publication was called Field and Bench. The Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame has purchased a computer program that allows magazines to be scanned and inventoried. These inventoried magazines then can be queried to research a dog or event as needed. The process has now been going on for a couple of years and will be at least a few more until it is finished. They are working backwards and will end up with the 1942 issue. This is time consuming as each page of each magazine has to be scanned. When this project is complete, this information will be accessible on the ABC and the BFTHF website. The BFTHF is funding this program. Upon completion of this project it will be possible to have the history of the Brittany at your fingertips.

Action Item - Board discussion of Action at AKC column

Bob Fleury ABC Magazine Chairman

#### 2018 NATIONAL (ALL AGE) FIELD TRIAL SECRETARY REPORT Steve Ralph, Chair

All of the required National All-Age Field Trial Secretary responsibilities have been completed to-date for the upcoming ABC National All-Age Championships. The Ad, Schedule, Judge Bios, Premium, and information has been sent to the American Brittany magazine, ABC website & American Field magazine for publication. The premiums will be distributed to qualified dog owners/handlers as we get closer to the Nationals.

The 2nd annual running of the ABC Derby Invitational was held between the two National field events and it was again a huge success. Last year was the 75th Anniversary of the National All Age Championship and it was well attended and again successful. Congratulations to the winners!

I would like to thank 1st VP Tom Milam for organizing another well run National event and also thank the National All-Age Championship committee for working together to make this a successful event each year.

#### 2018 Policy Book Chair Items for Agenda

2018 Policy Book Chair Action Items Action item #1.

Each year the Policy Book Chair/Committee will make "House Keeping" policy changes without Board of Directors approval to correct the following:

A. Title changes of Officers

B. Committee/chair responsibility descriptions (example: Statistician)

- C. Spelling errors
- D. Numbering errors

E. Dates eliminated at end of sentences when change was made (that information is archived in meeting minutes)

F. Placement of past motions missed when brought to the Chairs'/Committees' attention

Action Item #2 Constitution Changes – (1 page) Handout to be included in the agenda book ----

Discuss the Three step process – 1st - If approved by BOD –

2nd - then membership must vote for

approval

3rd - AKC approval

Action Item #3 By-Law Changes - (7 page) Handout to be included in the agenda book same steps as above for constitution. Action Item #4 Cost of printing or having a disc made for the new Policy Book revisions to send to each club or inform clubs that they can print off the web-site

Action Item #5 Duties for National Gun Dog Secretary needs to be spelled out. Similar to pg. 88 (National Field Sec) Action Item #6 National Grounds pg. 96. Include the word All Age.

#### Action item #6

Due to a major lack of No Reports over the past couple of years, a form needs to be created and submitted to each Chair of every committee, stating that they have read their responsibilities for their committee. On the form. It shall be noted that a report however minor must be submitted by September 1 of each year to the Agenda Chair in a pdf format, or the format the Agenda Chair needs to expediate the position in order to prepare the Agenda each year.

If the BOD feels that a committee isn't necessary, then it should be removed from the Policy Book.

#### STATISTICS REPORT Mary Karbiner, Chair

| 2018 Statistics Report            | 18 Agenda |           |           | Page #1      |           |           |           |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| BRITTANY S Per AKC                | 2012      | 2013      | 2014      | 2015         | 2016      | 2017      | 2018      |
| Dual Ch                           | 14        | 10        | 6         |              | 13        | 14        |           |
| Field Ch                          | 80        | 8         | 43        | 4351 GFCH10  | 49-8      | 41-9      |           |
| Amt Fld Ch                        | 32        | 33        | 27.2      | 27 29 GAFC 1 | 24-3      | 32-2      |           |
| GCH                               | 52        | 8         | 71        | 55           | 42        | 29        |           |
| CH                                | 162       | 156       | 167       | 159          | 146       | 151       | _         |
| H                                 | 126       | 12        | 113       | 123          | 161       | 143       | _         |
| łs                                | 28        | 19        | 15        | 16           | 27        | 19        |           |
| HM                                | 16        | 16        | 16        | 16           | 4         | 16        |           |
| # dogs in comp., not# entered     |           |           |           |              |           |           |           |
| at Nat'l Spec Show                | 145       | 158       | 161       | 141          | 149       | 152       | _         |
| Canine Good Citizen Award         |           | 72        | 58        | 83           | 20        | 83        | _         |
| CGC Advanced                      |           | 6         | 80        | 6            | 16        | 15        |           |
| BRITTANY Regist with AKC          |           |           |           |              |           |           |           |
| Litters # registered              | not found | n.f.      | 1476      | 15.50        | 1552      | 1655      |           |
| Dogs # registered                 | not found | n.f.      | n.a.      | n.f.         | 46.26     | 5043      | _         |
| AKC Pig.Breed F.T's # of events   | 431       | 416       | 490       | 380          | 388       | 385       |           |
| Total# dogs entered               | 32380     | 31362     | 28,638    | 28,462       | 28,052    | 27,037    |           |
| RUTURITY Region & Starters-EAST   | A-11 G-28 | A-15 G-26 | A-6 G23   | A-5 G-14     | A-21 G18  | A-5 G-24  | A-5G-21   |
| CENTRAL                           | A-10 G-16 | A-20 G-26 | A-13 G-14 | A-8 G-9      | A-12G-16  | A-13 G-11 | A-15 G-19 |
| WEST                              | A-8 G-15  | A-12 G-30 | A-6 G-26  | A-11G-17     | A-2 G-21  | A-14 G-28 | A-5 G-18  |
| Fld Tri Event- Outs active- #held | 2012      | 2013      | 2014      | 2015         | 2016      | 2017      |           |
| by Regional Clubs- East Coast-    | S-21 F-6  | S-23 F-10 | S-18 E-7  | s-31-8       | s-17f-6   | s-16 f-7  |           |
| E. Central-                       | S-18 F-8  | S-12 F-9  | S-11 F-8  | s-3 f-9      | s-8 f-7   | s-111-5   |           |
| Central-                          | S-17 F-11 | S-15 F-8  | S-13 F-6  | s-3f-7       | s-16 f-8  | s-17 f-10 |           |
| Midwest-                          | S-16 F-13 | S-19 F-14 | S-19 F-11 | s-4 f-7      | s-19 f-10 | s-16 f-11 |           |
| West Coast-                       | S-13 F-13 | S-14 F-12 | S-13 F-10 | s-2 f-14     | s-14 f-12 | s-12 f-10 |           |
| Events Canoeled per year          |           |           |           |              | 21 cane   | 23 cane   |           |
|                                   |           |           |           |              |           |           |           |

#### 2018 U.S. SPORTSMEN'S ALLIANCE LIAISON AGENDA REPORT Mary Jo Trimble, Chair

HSUS continues to fund political campaigns. I have stayed in contact with the US Sportsmen's Alliance, AKC, National Animal Interest Alliance, and other legislative groups and along with Jane Flannigan, our ABC/AKC Delegate during the last year, I do try and notify members when their state has proposed legislation that they need to react to accordingly. We need all of you to stay focused on dog or animal legislation in your state and work to keep laws that don't kill the sport we love with bad laws. Please let me know if you would like for me to alert other members in your state if good or bad legislation is pending.

Current HSUS efforts have been directed toward Hot Car and temperature bills. Be alert for these as some of these do not afford any Due Process or protection for car owners or when temperature extremes do not come into play according to some attorneys consulted.

For those of you unfamiliar with the US Sportsmen's Alliance, I offer the following.

They like most of these types of groups serve two purposes. They have a not-for profit 501-C3 arm which promotes hunting, fishing, trapping, for the sportsmen and women as well as their promotion of involving youth in the outdoors. Their other arm represents those same interests on legislative matters mainly on a national level. I often get contact from them asking our opinion on different legislative issues and what can they do to promote or work against some major legislative issues in the various states as I work with a group in Illinois dealing with Outdoor Recreation as well as U.S.S.A.'s contact at the ABC

From their website: About the Sportsmen's Alliance: The Sportsmen's Alliance protects and defends America's wildlife conservation programs and the pursuits – hunting, fishing and trapping – that generate the money to pay for them. Sportsmen's Alliance Foundation is responsible for public education, legal defense and research. Its mission is accomplished through several distinct programs coordinated to provide the most complete defense capability possible. Stay connected to Sportsmen's Alliance: Online, Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

For the past forty years the Sportsmen's Alliance has protected hunters, anglers and trappers from attacks by the anti-hunting movement. Sportsmen have a long tradition of fighting for what they believe in, and so it should come as no surprise that they are politically involved when it comes to protecting our natural resources, access to public land, wildlife management practices and our second amendment rights," said Sportsmen's Alliance President and CEO, Evan Heusinkveld.

The President is now Evan Heusinkveld who has worked with me on numerous issues when he was their Vice President and managed state legislative issues and programs. We do not have the time nor manpower in ABC to fight federal legislation that impacts field trials and hunting issues. We MUST support organizations like the US Sportsmen's Alliance and the National Animal Interest Alliance to represent us on a National Level. Donations to these groups help keep our sport alive as it comes under attack by those who follow the HSUS nationwide.

ACTION ITEM: The ABC needs to continue donations to the Sportsmen's Alliance and NAIA in order for us to have a voice when national issues impact our dogs.

I encourage all of you to sign up for their newsletter or at least monitor their notices on their website at www.ussportsmen.org and http://www.naiaonline.org/ for more information.

#### Derby Invitational Committee Report By Steve Ralph

The committee discussed possible changes to the Derby Invitational and the recommendations are:

1. Derby Invitational to remain American Field event run under American Field Derby requirements.

2. Establish Derby Invitational Statisticians: Terry Gowin (All Age), Bobbie Sigmund (Gun Dog)

3. Derby Invitational Closing dates to remain the same, revisited at conclusion of 2018 Derby Invitational

4. When the ABC National Gun Dog Ch is moved to be run on the same grounds and dates as ABC National All Age, then the two Derby Invitational's (All Age & Shooting Dog) be eliminated and a single Derby Invitational will be run as a Derby Invitational Championship (pending approval of American Field).

#### Nominations Committee Report by Steve Ralph

The committee has worked very hard to find nominees for each of the 5 regional directors. Two nominees for each region have been submitted to the ABC Executive Secretary for the director ballots. We have also worked hard on gathering nominees for the expiring officers (1st VP, 3rd VP, 4th VP, Elected Secretary) and these names will be submitted to the ABC Board of Directors at the Annual meeting. Thank you to the committee for their hard work.

#### Central Director's Report by Steve Ralph

#1 A request has been submitted asking for removal of National Brittany Rescue (NBRAN) from the list of American Brittany Club recognized rescue organizations. Reason: In the past they have fabricated false reports about dogs' mistreatment and health issues in order to gain monetary donations. They have been unwilling to work with ABC member breeders, present bad opinion of ABC member breeders. Example: Last year NBRAN was involved in taking puppies from Clem and Marylynn Little's children. Once the puppy's breeder (long time ABC Member) found out what happened, he contacted NBRAN, but NBRAN refused to work with him in returning the puppies to the breeder. It is the opinion that ABC should not be associated with an organization that does not support ABC member breeders.

#### OLD BUSINESS

Motion To

1. Vote an approve 2017 meeting minutes 2. Vote and approve the National Event Budget

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

ACTION ITEMS AS FOUND ON INDIVIDUAL REPORTS

- 1. Committee Reports Action items
  - a. Pointing Breed Liaison action item #1 to drop liaison position
  - Director Mary Karbiner action item #1 to pay Mary Jo Trimble \$750.00
  - c. Policy Book has multiple action items please see page 50
  - d. Sportsman's alliance motion #1 to continue contributions to the club
- 2. Finance Chair Motions
- a. Action item #
  - Reappoint Judy Graves for another 5 years

- 3. Region Action Items
  - a. East Coast Region
     i. Action Item#1 to not separate AB/EB
  - b. East Central Region
  - i. Action Item # 1 to separate AB/EB c. Central
  - i. Central Director's Report by Steve Ralph
  - d. Midwest Region i. No Submission
  - e. West Coast Region Action items i. No Submission

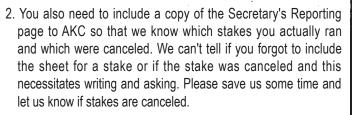
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# **ATTENTION FIELD TRIAL CHAIRMAN & SECRETARIES**

1. Please use the ABC report form when filling out your field trial report. The form is available for download at http:// clubs.akc.org/ brit/forms/FieldTrialReportForm.doc (*If you cannot download, ask Leslie Andreas or Mary Karbiner to mail you one to copy.*)

If this form is NOT used, we have no idea if the stake was an HOUR stake or if the handler was an AMATEUR. If we don't have the correct data, then we might miss a dog's points for the Purina Award and worse yet may miss a dog getting its qualifications for the Nationals. We don't want that to happen, so we're asking for your help. Please contact your club field trial chairman and secretaries and tell them to use this form when filling out placements and getting judges signatures. The added

plus is that this form can then be copied and sent to AKC, ABC, the American Field, and the Amateur Field Trial Clubs of America.



- 3. ABC does not need copies of Judges' Affirmation Forms or entry blanks. You do not need to type results separately, just use the correct form.
- We really appreciate those many clubs who already use the ABC form.
  - Mary Jo Trimble, Executive Secretary

Steve Ralph, Purina Points & Webmaster Leslie Andreas, Executive Secretary

ABC Fees for starters are different from AKC's. Please read the bottom of the ABC Field Trial Application for per dog fee or consult the ABC Policy Book. Current Fee is \$2.00 per starter.

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## Breed Standard for the Brittany

#### **General Appearance**

A compact, closely knit dog of medium size, a leggy dog having the appearance, as well as the agility, of a great ground coverer. Strong, vigorous, energetic and quick of movement. Ruggedness, without clumsiness, is a characteristic of the breed. He can be tailess or has a tail docked to approximately four inches.

#### Size, Proportion, Substance

**Height:** 17 1/2 to 20 1/2 inches, measured from the ground to the highest point of the shoulders. Any Brittany measuring under 17 1/2 inches or over 20 1/2 inches shall be disqualified from dog show competition.

Weight: Should weigh between 30 and 40 pounds.

**Proportion:** So leggy is he that his height at the shoulders is the same as the length of his body.

**Body Length:** Approximately the same as the height when measured at the shoulders. Body length is measured from the point of the forechest to the rear of the rump. A long body should be heavily penalized.

**Substance:** Not too light in bone, yet never heavy-boned and cumbersome.

#### Head

**Expression:** Alert and eager, but with the soft expression of a bird dog.

**Eyes:** Well set in head. Well protected from briars by a heavy, expressive eyebrow. A prominent, full or pop eye should be heavily penalized. It is a serious fault in a dog that must face briars. Skull well chiseled under the eyes, so that the lower lid is not pulled back to form a pocket or haw that would catch seeds, dirt and weed dust. Preference should be for the darker colored eyes, though lighter shades of amber should not be penalized. Light and mean-looking eyes should be heavily penalized.

**Ears:** Set high, above the level of the eyes. Short and triangular, rather than pendulous, reaching about half the length of the muzzle. Should lie flat and close to the head, with the tip rounded very slightly. Ears well covered with dense, but relatively short hair, and with little fringe.

**Skull:** Medium length, rounded, very slightly wedge-shaped, but evenly made. Width, not quite as wide as the length and never so broad as to appear coarse, or so narrow as to appear racy. Well defined but gently sloping stop. Median line rather indistinct. The occiput only apparent to the touch. Lateral walls well rounded. The Brittany should never be "apple-headed" and he should never have an indented stop.

**Muzzle:** Medium length, about two-thirds the length of the skull, measuring the muzzle from the tip to the stop, and the skull from the occiput to the stop. Muzzle should taper gradually in both horizontal and vertical dimensions as it approaches the nostrils. Neither a Roman nose nor a dish-face is desirable. Never broad, heavy or snipy.

**Nose:** Nostrils well open to permit deep breathing of air and adequate scenting. Tight nostrils should be penalized. Never shiny. Color: fawn, tan, shades of brown or deep pink. A black nose is a disqualification. A two-tone or butterfly nose should be penalized.

**Lips:** Tight, the upper lip overlapping the lower jaw just to cover the lower lip. Lips dry, so that feathers will not stick. Drooling to be heavily penalized. Flews to be penalized.

**Bite:** A true scissors bite. Overshot or undershot jaw to be heavily penalized.

#### Neck, Topline, Body

**Neck:** Medium length. Free from throatiness, though not a serious fault unless accompanied by dewlaps, strong without giving the impression of being over-muscled. Well set into sloping shoulders. Never concave or ewe-necked.

**Topline:** Slight slope from the highest point of the shoulders to the root of the tail.

**Chest:** Deep, reaching the level of the elbow. Neither so wide nor so rounded as to disturb the placement of the shoulders and elbows. Ribs well sprung. Adequate heart room provided by depth as well as width. Narrow or slab-sided chests area fault.

**Back:** Short and straight. Never hollow, saddle, sway or roach backed. Slight drop from the hips to the root of the tail.

**Flanks:** Rounded. Fairly full. Not extremely tucked up, or flabby and falling. Loins short and strong. Distance from last rib to upper thigh short, about three to four fingers widths. Narrow and weak loins are a fault. In motion, the loin should not sway sideways, giving a zig-zag motion to the back, wasting energy.

**Tail:** Tailless to approximately four inches, natural or docked. The tail not to be so long as to affect the over-all balance of the dog. Set on high, actually an extension of the spine at about the same level. Any tail substantially more than four inches shall be severely penalized.

#### Forequarters

**Shoulders:** Shoulder blades should not protrude too much, not too wide apart, with perhaps two thumbs' width between. Sloping and muscular. Blade and upper arm should form nearly a ninety degree angle. Straight shoulders are a fault. At the shoulders the Brittany is slightly higher than at the rump.

**Front Legs:** Viewed from the front, perpendicular, but not set too wide. Elbows and feet turning neither in nor out. Pasterns slightly sloped. Down in pasterns is a serious fault. Leg bones clean, graceful, but not too fine. Extremely heavy bone is as much a fault as spindly legs. One must look for substance and suppleness. Height at elbows should approximately equal distance from elbow to withers.

**Feet:** Should be strong, proportionately smaller than the spaniels', with close fitting, well arched toes and thick pads. The Brittany is "not up on his toes." Toes not heavily feathered. Flat feet, splayed feet, paper feet, etc., are to be heavily penalized. An ideal foot is halfway between the hare and the cat foot. Dewclaws may be removed.

#### Hindquarters

Broad strong and muscular, with powerful thighs and well bent stifles, giving the angulation necessary for powerful drive.

**Hind Legs:** Stifles well bent. The stifle should not be so angulated as to place the hock joint far out

Feet: Same as front feet.

#### Coat

Dense, flat or wavy, never curly. Texture neither wiry nor silky. Ears should carry little fringe. The front and hind legs should have some feathering, but too little is definitely preferable to too much. Dogs with long or profuse feathering or furnishings shall be so severely penalized as to effectively eliminate them from

#### competition.

**Skin:** Fine and fairly loose. A loose skin rolls with briars and sticks, thus diminishing punctures or tearing. A skin so loose as to form pouches is undesirable.

#### Color

Orange and white or liver and white in either clear or roan patterns. Some ticking is desirable. The orange or liver is found in the standard parti-color or piebald patterns. Washed out colors are not desirable. Tri-colors are allowed but not preferred. A tri-color is a liver and white dog with classic orange markings on eyebrows, muzzle and cheeks, inside the ears and under the tail, freckles on the lower legs are orange. Anything exceeding the limits of these marking shall be severely penalized. Black is a disqualification.

#### Gait

When at a trot the Brittany's hind foot should step into or beyond the print left by the front foot. Clean movement, coming and going, is very important, but most important is side gait, which is smooth, efficient and ground covering.

#### Temperament

A happy, alert dog, neither mean nor shy. Disqualifications

Any Brittany measuring under 17 1/2 inches or over 20 1/2 inches. Black in the coat. A black nose.

The above Standard was approved by the AKC on April 9, 1990 and went into effect May 29, 1990.

## American Brittany Breeders Club Code Of Ethics

Adopted November 30, 1996

The following principles are to be used as an educational guide and a tool for Brittany breeders for the purpose to develop more genetic and disease free dogs, while being ethical in all matters with the public and with our peers.

#### **Objective and Purpose**

To promote cooperation and friendship among the breeders and owners of Brittanys and to encourage higher standards in breeding, training and showing of Brittanys in the field and in the show ring; to discourage the breed from becoming split into groups of "field dogs" and "show dogs" and to strive to keep it forever a "dual dog".

#### Ethical breeders should:

- 1. Comply with all ABC and AKC rules and regulations.
- 2. Maintain a high standard of health, care, and cleanliness for dogs under one's care.
- Truthfully and realistically represent the Brittany being bred and/ or sold in terms of quality, health, and genetic history. Refrain from breeding a bitch or using a stud until they are two (2) years old.
- 4. Consult with your breeder and with knowledgeable, experienced members of the ABC, regional clubs, or local kennel clubs to broaden your understanding and knowledge of the history of the breed BEFORE breeding your Brittany.
- 5. Breed only stock which are physically and temperamentally sound and in good health. No dog or bitch should be bred that is known to have serious inheritable defects or genetic diseases, such as: canine hip/elbow dysplasia, primary epilepsy, a seizure disorder, eye disorders - retinal atrophy, undescended testicles, heart defects, extreme shyness, viciousness, other inheritable diseases or defects
- 6. Not attempt breeding without the ability to distinguish between

correct and incorrect physical attributes. This ability requires a careful study of the breed standard, principles of genetics, and a study of both the sire and the dam's pedigrees. Breeders should study and learn the good points within our dogs, looking to both field ability and conformation.

- 7. Have their breeding stock OFA (Orthopedic Foundation for Animals), GDC (Genetic Disease Control) or PennHip certification numbers for hips on, at least, both the sire and the dam; preferably for three (3) generations on both sides of the pedigree. In addition, other tests (brucellosis, eyes, elbows, and other unspecified tests) should be declared in agreement between owners of the sire and the dam prior to breeding.
- 8. Refuse to sell to commercial wholesalers, retail brokers, or research laboratories.
- 9. Have tails docked and dew claws removed soon after birth. Prior to the sale of the puppies, initial shots for known infectious diseases should be given and worming administered. A buyer should be supplied with a four- (4) generation pedigree, registration certificate, information on all veterinary care, and instructions for the care, feeding, and training of the Brittany.
- 10. Remember your responsibility, as a breeder does not end with the sale of the puppy. A breeder should have contact with the buyer of a pup throughout the life of the dog. This information will enhance breeding knowledge and improve the foundation for a good long-term breeding program. This will also help your regional club to grow with new members and possible participants and workers.
- 11. Use spay/neuter agreements and/or consider limited registration if it is known or believed to manifest hereditary defects detrimental to the breed. THE LONG TERM INTEREST OF THE BRITTANY SHOULD BE THE GOAL OF EVERY BREEDER.
- 12. Consider DNA finger printing for all dogs in your breeding programs.

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## Versatile Brittanys in Action



Within minutes, this young pup exposed components that could easily be swallowed. Photo © Hunter's Heart, 2018.

### Top Chew Toys of 2018 – Brittanys' Choice

By Carla Simon

Brittanys love to chew. It's relaxing, it helps keep their teeth clean, and it keeps them quietly occupied when you're busy.

Many dogs rip their toys to shreds in no time. On the other hand, when you don't offer suitable chew toys, the consequences may be memorable. (Does your dog prefer chomping on slippers or rearranging your upholstery?) Having just returned from a 2500-mile road trip, I can't imagine travelling without investing in some durable and entertaining chew toys.

Whichever toy you choose, never leave your dog unattended. He may ingest pieces that can cause choking, gastro-intestinal obstruction or serious injury. No toy lasts forever. But in this list, we've weeded out many toys that didn't outlast repeated testing. Here are our chewiest picks:

1. StarMark Everlasting Fun Ball – Our Brittanys enjoy eating dinner or treats from this green ball (shown at right), which has survived strong chewers who previously destroyed Kongs. The openings have rubber pieces you can cut out with scissors if you want the food to

come out more easily, but what would be the fun of that?

2. Kong Classic - Kongs are easy to find and clean up conveniently in the dishwasher.

in most pet stores, economical and clean up conveniently in the dishwasher. We prefer the stronger varieties: red and black. Get a size bigger than you think you need. Put a plug in the bottom e.g. a chunk of cheese, then stuff the remaining space and freeze. As your dog chews, it will gradually thaw and leisurely release the food.

- 3. West Paw Zogoflex Qwizl Tough Puzzle Treat Toy for Dogs Although newer to the scene, Westpaw's high quality toys are durable, albeit expensive. Place a bully stick inside the middle hole and it will take your dog far longer to devour.
- 4. Bully sticks are 100% digestible, natural parts of bulls (except if you opt for the "odor free" products). Negatives include a strong odor (that dogs enjoy but humans may not) and they are not as long lasting as some of the stuffeble torus
- humans may not), and they are not as long lasting as some of the stuffable toys. Try braided bully sticks to increase the lifespan.5. Nylabone is one of the most popular toys on amazon, and it certainly works. When it's new, try scratching up the smooth surface and rubbing in some pate or peanut butter and your dog will find it more attractive to lick and chew. Select the flavored options for an added bonus.
- 6. PetSafe Busy Buddy Squirrel Similar to Kongs, this durable toy can also be stuffed with kibble, and the adjustable rubber around the exits helps make it adjustable for your dog.
- 7. Outward Hound Kyjen Hard Boiled Softies Dog Toy These penguin, hedgehog or bee toys feature a fabric skin around a large, tough, round squeaker in the middle. They make a low-pitched groan, delighting our testers. You may find the noise irritating, and don't expect them to last as long as rubber toys.
- 8. Tuffy plush toys incorporate industrial luggage material into multiple layers, covered with soft fleece, to produce the longest lasting fabric toys we've found. Our Brittanys enjoy tugging them together and carrying them around. For avid retrievers, try giving your dog one of these toys to carry during a walk, and hopefully less garbage will be returned to you. They also make good pillows. They come in a variety of shapes (e.g. dinosaurs, boomerangs) and each has a chew rating to help you select appropriately for your unique dog.

For the ultimate in chewiness, give one of our top-rated dog chew toys a try, and enjoy a peaceful break with your dog.

#### Share Your Versatile Brittany Stories

Email webmaster@huntersheart.com your Brittany stories, brags and photos, including dogsports and activities that demonstrate the versatility of our breed. We'd like to share the highlights in an upcoming issue.

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*Boo eating dinner out of a StarMark Everlasting Fun Ball.* 



Puppy sleeping on a Tuffy Mega no Tuff Ring dog toy. Photo  $\bigcirc$  Hunter's Heart, 2018.

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

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#### **Crockpot Apple Crumble**

1 cup brown sugar
½ cup granulated sugar
5 large apples, cut into chunks
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon **Topping:**⅔ cup loosely packed brown sugar
¼ cup flour
½ teaspoon cinnamon
3-4 tablespoons softened butter
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Toss apple chunks with salt and cinnamon.

In the bottom of your slow-cooker mix brown and granulated sugars, then spread evenly to cover. Layer apples on top, keeping them in a single layer as much as possible, then add the rest on top. Mix the crumble topping together in a bowl, using your fingers to distribute the butter evenly and thoroughly and clump it together. Sprinkle it over top of the apples. Cook apples on low for 4 hours, or high for 2 hours. Turn off heat, unplug, and let sit, covered, for one hour. During this time the caramel will thicken a bit more. Serve with vanilla ice cream.



#### Grilled Partridge with White Barbecue Sauce Submitted by: Kate Krutkowski

12 partridge breasts
1 cup mayonnaise
<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup plain yogurt
<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup Fiore Summer Peach White Balsamic Vinegar
1 TBL fresh garlic, minced
1 TBL whole grain mustard
5 tsp prepared horseradish
2 tsp white pepper, coarsely ground
1 tsp kosher salt
1 tsp cane sugar

Combine all ingredients in bowl, except partridge and whisk. Place partridge in large zip lock bag and add half the sauce. Marinate in fridge, turning once, for 2 hours. Preheat grill to medium high and cook for 2 minutes on each side. Meanwhile, heat the reserved sauce on low. Serve sauce on partridge or on the side.



#### **Grilled Venison Steak**

1 LB venison steaks
1 tsp rosemary
1 tsp garlic powder
1 tsp porcini powder
1 tsp Urfa Biber chili pepper
½ tsp pink Himalayan salt
4 tsp Fiore Fig balsamic vinegar
Lay steaks on flat dish. On one

Lay steaks on flat dish. On one side sprinkle the rosemary, garlic, and porcini powder. Turn steaks over and sprinkle with Urfa Biber and salt. Top each steak with fig balsamic vinegar. Let rest for 30 minutes before grilling. Preheat grill on high. Spray racks with cooking spray. Grill 2 minutes on each side – depending on thickness and personal preference.



## **A Little Competition**

### A Novella and Twenty-Two Short Stories

The Condition A Novella (For Ed Mack Farrior and Little Eva) Part 3

The idea for his will had come to Old Bob Brad as he rode horseback with Albert Myers outside Union Springs in January, conditioning an entry for the Free-For-

All. He'd gotten the fatal diagnosis from his doctor as John Hopkins the week before, knew he had six months to live at most. He was getting his affairs in order, facing death as pragmatically as he had all others the challenges in his life. The thing that worried him most was his son

Ever since his wife had left him twelve years before, the boy'd had every advantage handed to him. Summer camp in Maine, prep school in Virginia, college at

Harvard. He'd watched the boy soften, embrace the social whirl of the city crowd. It wasn't that the boy had become irresponsible exactly, only that he expected his advantages, hadn't earned them. Od Bob believed that only what a man earned by his own struggle was truly his.

He and Albert were two of a kind, born on farms, grew up with a squirrel rifle in one hand, a cane fishing pole in the other. They'd had chores as early as they could lift a milk bucket, knew physical labor-not organized play-from earliest boyhood. Now Old Bob had his share of luxury, but he'd earned it and didn't care much for it even then. He'd rather be riding horseback here in South Alabama watching bird dogs with Albert than anywhere else in the world.

That night, when he and Albert were squatting by a fire listing to their hounds running the black-belt prairie on the trail of a fox, he made the proposition to Albert.

"Sure, I'll be glad to have Bobby work with me a season. But he'll have to pull his weight," Albert had said.

Old Bob grinned at the condition. Pull his weight and then some to make it a year with you, you old skinflint reprobate, he thought. Then he took a pull from a batwing of moonshine peach brandy and passed the bottle to Albert, "Let's drink to Bobby's education, Albert."

Albert took a pull, shivered as the heat of the brandy worked down to his gut.

Bobby and Willie began to work on Bess using the Farrior-Shelley methods Willie had explained. First they withheld Bess' rations for two days and left her on her chain the shelter break. Then, when Albert stretched out for his midday snooze, they began her therapy.

Walking rout he on check cord toward a bluff. they turned her loose to foot hunt for chicken. Soon she found a brook of young ones resting in the shade of the popple and stood them in her usual stoic way. When the birds rose, Willie dropped one with a shot from Albert's

.410. She saw it bounce on the prairie earth ten feet in front of her, but her expression did not change, and she moved not a hair. Bobby went to her, muttered "Good girl," then touching her should and commended "Fetch!" She took the bird in her mouth and brought it straight to him, but there was no joy in her action, just a chore done as commanded. He made her stand at whoa and skinned the bird, hanging its feathered skin and innards high on the limb of a sapling. Then he fed the dressed bird to her. She was ravenous and gulped it down, the bones cracking in her powerful jaws. They walked her back to the shelter break and put her on her chain, stopping on the way at the slough back of the barn to let her swim and cool off.

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Bess got no regular dog food thereafter. But each day after the other dogs' morning workouts and while Alert was snoozing, Bobby and Willie repeated the routine with Bess. She lost weight, became gaunt despite the fact that they increased her ration of chickens to four a day-the chickens carried no body fat.

Slowly but surely, Bess' attitude began to change. On her retrieves, she now wagged her tail. As she stood at whoa,

watching Bobby skin her meal, she looked up with fire in her eyes. She was associating her work with the fulfillment of her most primal urge, to eat.

Now Bobby and Willie put her on the dog wagon with the other dogs, and began working he rin short heats from horseback. Letting her drag her check cord. As soon as she found birds and had one fed to her, they put her back on the dog wagon. They gave her these workouts twice a day, morning and evening, after the other dogs had been worked and Albert had begun his ride back to camp.

Their timing was not without its pitfalls. In her late afternoon workouts, Bess frequently pointed skunks instead of chicken. Bobby learned to tell the difference by the elevation of her tail on point-for skunks, it was an inch lower. He or Willie would yell "Skunk!" grab her by the collar and drag her away, but sometimes they were all sprayed. It didn't bother Bess, but for Bobby and Willie it was misery.

Finally they decided to give Bess her head. They turned her loose without the check cord in open country, with the nearest bluffs barely visible a the western horizon. She lit out for them, her smooth strides quickly carrying he rover a swell out of sight. They feared she had run off, but when they reached the distant bluffs, she was standing nose into the wind, chin lifted, tail high. They could see chickens walking about twenty yards ahead of her in the grassless shade of the popple.

"I ain't never seen another dog that could point chickens on bare ground and not flush 'em the way she can," Willie said.

From then on, Bess, returned now to regular rations, patterned the prairies as if she had a map, never bolting, finding and pointing chickens under the popple and in the open. When an adult bird ran off from her point, Bobby need only touch her on the head, and she would race downwind ad pin the bird with breathtaking style.

"That'll sho' get a judge's attention," Willie said with a grin.

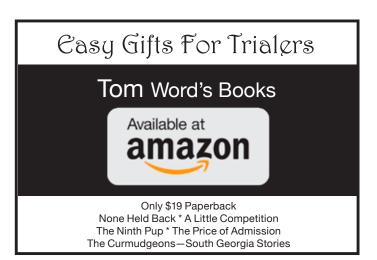
Bess' blinking and bolting seemed now cured, but they still had to contend with her fondness for jackrabbits. There were few rabbits on the training grounds, and it took some time before Bobby got the opportunity Willie had told him to look for. When he passed a buffalo wallow and a jack ran out of it, Bess was coursing forward on his right. He called her in ad headed his horse in the direction of the Jack's departure; soon Bess crossed the track of the rabbit. She caught its scent, lowered her head and followed the track. Bobby yelled, "Whoa, Bess," dismounted and lifted her by the collar, gave her three sharp whacks across the chest with his flushing whip, as Willie had instructed. She did not yelp. Then the stroked her shoulders and, leading her away from the jackrabbit's scent trail, gave her two sharp blasts with his whistle. She lit out happily for the front. It was the only time he administered physical punishment to Bess, and though later he saw her cross the tracks of rabbits many times, she never again took their scent trail.

They had been at Forget six weeks. Bobby's hands were callused, his face sunburned. He slept like the dead after the long days of work. He had suffered a brief bout of homesickness after their arrival, but now he gave no thoughts to his life in Baltimore, with its constant whirl of parties, tennis matches, golf outings, sailing weekends, trips to New York. He did not miss that life. He felt guilty that he didn't miss Abigail much either. He had grown fond of the sunrises, the feel of cool prairie mornings, the sight of the dogs happily searching for their quarry. He took pleasure in the dogs' accomplishments as the hours of repeated lessons began to pay off.

On Saturday afternoons, they drove in Albert's Model T to Gainsboro, a rail-side village where the dozen American dog trainers working in the area congregated to drink beer and talk dogs. Every other Saturday, a come-one-and-comeall dance was held at the Gainsboro dance hall. Then the dog trainers and their wives mingled with town folk, drummers, and the few hardy wheat farmers still on the prairie. The farmers were a discouraged lot, for the price of wheat had not rebounded since the end of the Great War, and even in a year when drought did not rob them of a crop, the price hardly covered the production costs. Only the eternal optimism that is the universal mark of farmers kept them on the wheat lands, though each year a few mar families gave up and left.

Bobby never met a stranger, and with his ready smile and knowledge of all the "Roaring 20s" dance steps, women young and old sought him out at the dances. The local folk knew may folk-dance steps, brought from Scanidnavia or Germany; Bobby quickly mastered them. Willie joined the orchestra with his harmonica.

Each Saturday when they reached Gainsboro, Bobby headed first for the general store in search of a newspaper. He'd find it crumpled by the hands of many wheat farmers who'd read it for the grain quotes. He'd turn to the stock-price tables and tally up the estate's gains. The stock market was rising steadily, although wheat prices were still falling. Wheat sold for less than a dollar a bushel.



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