

Dog Bytes

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Specialty Results

BOB CH Cerise Signature Of Telltale
CD RN

BOS CH Mar-Ric Kayndee Legacy
BOW/WD Springerlane Laurelwyn
Fusion

RWD Pawmarc's Intrepid Light
WB Majic Temptation Brazen Virtue
RWB Mar-Ric Kayndee Reflections

Puppy Dogs 6 - 9 Mos.

- 1 MCD's Picture Perfect At TDP
- 2 Ramblewood Reason To Believe
- 3 Topsail N Tradewinds Monopoly
- 4 Mar-Ric Gentleman's Game

Puppy Dogs 9 - 12 Mos.

- 1 Springerlane Laurelwyn Fusion
- 2 Darkover'Npawmarc Homeward Bound
- 3 Polesitter's M3
- 4 Ridgewyn Remembrance

Dogs 12 - 18 Mos.

- 1 Lakeview's Sunny Side Of Life
- 2 Lakeviews Twilight Magic
- 3 Vanity Fair's Red Hot Jazz

Bred By Exhibitor (Dogs)

- 1 Dalin's Just In Time
- 2 Segre's Brown Derby
- 3 Pawmarc's Moonlight Seduction
- 4 Ramblewood Believe

American Bred (Dogs)

- 1 Angel's Major Psalm O'Her Life

Open Dogs

- 1 Pawmarc's Intrepid Light
- 2 Darkover Don'T Dream It's Over
- 3 Tri- Ste's And My Daddy Is
- 4 Esspecial Honeymooner

Puppy Bitches 6 - 9 Mos.

- 1 Topsail Catch A Tradewind To Emerald
- 2 Ramblewood Make A Memory
- 3 Ramblewood Hello Darlin'
- 4 Pawmarc's Highland Fling

Puppy Bitches 9 - 12 Mos.

- 1 Hil N Don N Hunters Spirit Of America
- 2 Polesitter's Work The Runway
- 3 Melchris As You Like It

Bitches 12 - 18 Mos.

- 1 Shadow Hill Victoria Of Lakeview
- 2 Lakeview's Bell Of The Ball
- 3 Vanity Fair's Fancy Free
- 4 Donahan Bella Luna Of Tri-Ste

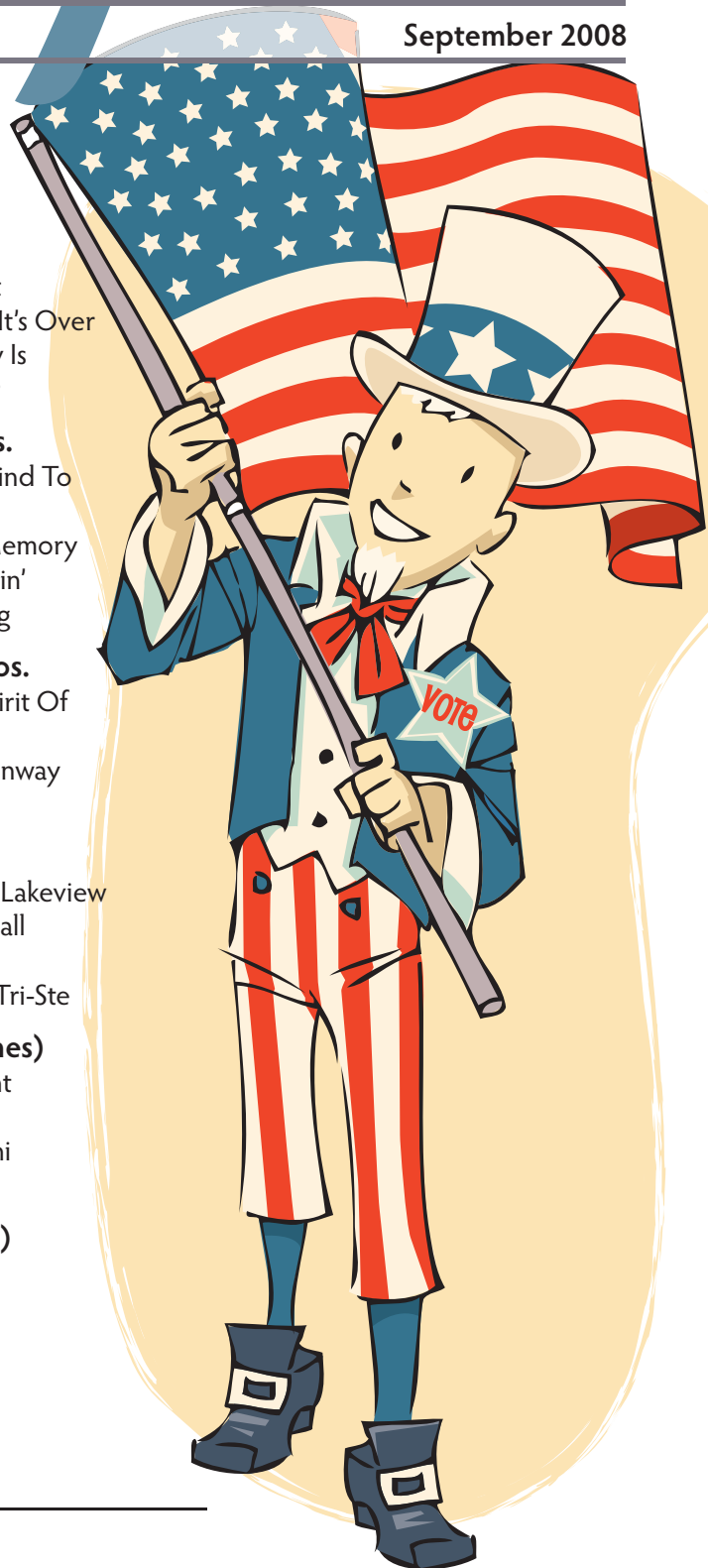
Bred By Exhibitor (Bitches)

- 1 Pawmarc's By Candlelight
- 2 Oxbow's Bedazzled
- 3 Mar-Ric Kayndee Armani
- 4 Dalin's Custom Creation

American Bred (Bitches)

- 1 Tri-Ste's Why Not Spots

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Specialty Results Cont'd

Open Bitches

- 1 Majic Temptation Brazen Virtue
- 2 Mar-Ric Kayndee Reflections
- 3 Kadrian's Spot O' Pixie Dust
- 4 Springbrook's Dare To Dream

Veteran Bitches

- 1 CH Ramblewood Tapestry
- 2 CH Marcur's Ariel Lovely Rita
- 3 Bondir's Flying Duchess CD NA

Sweepstakes

Best in Sweepstakes Serge's Brown Derby

Best of Opposite Sweepstakes Shadow Hill Victoria Of Lakeview

Puppy Dogs 6 - 9 Mos.

- 1 Ramblewood Reason To Believe
- 2 Mar-Ric Gentleman's Game
- 3 Topsail N Tradewinds Monopoly
- 4 G & J's Navajo Spirits

Puppy Dogs 9 - 12 Mos.

- 1 Segre's Brown Derby
- 2 Ridgewyn Rememberance
- 3 Springerlane Laurelwyn Fusion
- 4 Darkover 'N Pawmarc Homeward Bound

Dogs 12 - 15 Mos .

- 1 Lakeview's Sunny Side Of Life
- 2 Lakeviews Twilight Magic

Dogs 15 - 18 Mos.

- 1 Vanity Fair's Red Hot Jazz

Bitches 6 - 9 Mos.

- 1 Ramblewood Hello Darlin'
- 2 Ramblewood Make A Memory
- 3 Topsail Catch A Tradewind To Emerald Isle
- 4 Pawmarc's Highland Fling

Puppy Bitches 9 - 12 Mos.

- 1 Hil-N-Don Hunters Spirit Of America
- 2 Polesitter's Work The Runway
- 3 Melchris As You Like It

Puppy Bitches 12 - 15 Mos.

- 1 Shadow Hill Victoria Of Lakeview
- 2 Lakeview's Belle Of The Ball
- 3 Donahan Bella Luna Of Tri-Ste
- 4 Tri-Ste Donahan Ruby Slippers

Bitches 15 - 18 Mos.

- 1 Vanity Fair's Fancy Free

Best in Veterans Sweepstakes

CH Ramblewood Tapestry

Veteran Bitches 9 - 11 Years

- 1 CH Ramblewood Tapestry
- 2 CH Marcur's Ariel Lovely Rita

Veteran Bitches 11+ Years

- 1 Bondir's Flying Duchess CD NA

High in Trial

OTCH Melchris Excalibur RN TD

Brag & Wags

- English's Mighty Bruce received his first leg in Novice rally A (1st place) with a score of 95 out of 100. At WVESSA Specialty 2008. Bruce is owned by Debbie English.
- CH Oxbow's Silver and Gold was BOB/Group 3 at the Umpqua KC show on Aug. 3. Garth is owned by Dave and Janeé Kemp.
- CH Oxbow's Bedazzled has been waiting while half-sister Ali finished her championship, but now it's her turn. She was WB/BOW/BOS/BBBY/Group3 at the Clackamas KC on Saturday, June 21 and then followed on Sunday with WB, BOS. We took her to Redmond the following weekend and she was WB, BOW, BOS on Saturday, June 28 and then WB, BOS on Sunday. Shania is owned by Dave and Janeé Kemp
- G&J's Navajo Spirits was WD/BOW at Mt. Bachelor KC at 6 months for his 1st Point. Lukie is owned by Gary & Jan Sturm.
- CH Oxbow's Silver and Gold was BOB at the Clackamas KC show on Sunday, June 22. The great part of this brag was that he took a Group I under judge Judith Brown and we were off to Best in Show. Garth is owned by Dave and Janeé Kemp.

Future Meetings

September Meeting

Saturday, September 13th at the English's (19500 NE 17th Court, Ridgefield WA 98642). Bring a sack lunch. Meeting at 11 a.m., CGC Test begins at 1 p.m. You must be preregistered for the CGC test.

Directions:

From I5 take exit 9 (Clark Co Fairgrounds exit). If coming from the south, go straight at the light. If coming from the north, make a left onto 179th and another left at the light.

Turn right onto 194th (first right after the spinal fitness center). Go to the top of the hill and turn left onto 17th court. The barn is at the end of the road on the left.

The Rainbow Bridge

- Donahan's Shadow of Skeeter, CD, CGC. Daesha was owned and loved by Betty Rockstad. 8-18-93 to 7-26-08
- Donahan's Sobeit. Sofie was owned and loved by Susan Crane 12-13-94 to 08-27-08

Show Results

Clackamas KC, 6/21

GP3/BOB CH Bryden Fairhaven
Hidalgo RA NA NAJ

BOS/BOW/WB Oxbow's Bedazzled
WD Polesitter's M3

RWD Springerlane Laurelwyn Fusion
RWB Cascadian's Touch The Sky AX
AXJ OF

Clackamas KC, 6/22

GP1/BOB CH Oxbow's Silver And Gold
BOS/WB Oxbow's Bedazzled

BOW/WB Polesitter's M3
RWD Springerlane Laurelwyn Fusion
RWB Marcur's Ticket To Ride

Mt. Bachelor KC, 6/28

BOB CH Bryden Fairhaven Hidalgo
RA NA NAJ

BOS/BOW/WB Oxbow's Bedazzled
WD Serenade's High Velocity
RWD G&J's Navajo Spirits
RWB Donahan's It's All In The Jeans
CD RA

Mt. Bachelor KC, 6/29

GP4/BOB CH Bryden Fairhaven
Hidalgo RA NA NAJ

BOS/WB Oxbow's Bedazzled
BOW/WB G&J's Navajo Spirits
RWD Tri-Ste's And My Daddy Is
RWB Tri-Ste's Why Not Spots

Inland Empire KA, 7/5

BOB CH Darkover Can'Tyahear
me callin'

BOS CH Mar-Ric Kayndee Legacy
BOW/WB Mar-Ric Kayndee Reflections
WD Darkover'Npawmarc Homeward
Bound
RWD Vanity Fair's Red Hot Jazz
RWB Vanity Fair's Fancy Free

Inland Empire KA, 7/6

GP4/BOB CH Darkover Can'Tyahear
me callin'

BOS CH Mar-Ric Kayndee Legacy
BOW/WB Mar-Ric Kayndee Reflections
WD Darkover'Npawmarc Homeward
Bound
RWD Vanity Fair's Red Hot Jazz
RWB Vanity Fair's Fancy Free

Coos Kennel Club, 7/5

BOB CH Marcur's Gem Ruby NAJ

Coos Kennel Club, 7/6

BOB CH Marcur's Gem Ruby NAJ
BOS/BOW/WB Tri- Ste's And My
Daddy Is
WB Tri-Ste's Why Not Spots
RWB Tri-Ste Donahan Ruby Slippers

Portland KC, 7/19

GP3/ BOB CH Cerise Signature Of
Telltale CD RN
BOS/BOW/WB Polesitter's Work The
Runway
WD Segre's Brown Derby
RWD Pawmarc's Moonlight Seduction
RWB Oxbow's Sweet Dreams

Portland KC, 7/20

BOB CH Oxbow's On To Silverado
BOS CH Mar-Ric Kayndee Legacy
BOW/WB Ridgewyn Constellation
WD Bondir's Victorie En Vol
RWD Darkover'Npawmarc Home-
ward Bound
RWB Cascadian's Touch The Sky AX
AXJ OF

Hurricane Ridge KC, 7/26

GP4/ BOB CH Cerise Signature Of
Telltale CD RN
BOS/WB Ramblewood Blackpearl
Lady, B Gonzales
BOW/WB Pawmarc's Speed Of Light
RWD Vanity Fair's Red Hot Jazz
RWB Majic Temptation Brazen Virtue

Hurricane Ridge KC, 7/27

BOB CH Cerise Signature Of Telltale
CD RN
BOS/BOW/WB Majic Temptation
Brazen Virtue
WD Angel's Major Psalm O'Her Life
RWB Vanity Fair's Fancy Free

Umpqua KC, 8/2

GP1/ BOB CH Cerise Signature Of
Telltale CD RN
BOS CH Mar-Ric Kayndee Legacy
BOW/WB Mar-Ric Kayndee Reflections
WD G&J's Navajo Spirits
RWD Vanity Fair's Red Hot Jazz
RWB Oxbow's Bedazzled

Umpqua KC, 8/3

GP3/ BOB CH Oxbow's Silver And
Gold
BOS CH Mar-Ric Kayndee Legacy
BOW/WB Oxbow's Bedazzled
WD Coffel's Tracking You Down TD
RWD Vanity Fair's Red Hot Jazz
RWB Mar-Ric Kayndee Reflections

PSESSA, 8/15

BOB CH Cerise Signature Of Telltale
CD RN
BOS/BOW/WB Kadrian's Spot O'
Pixie Dust
WD Pawmarc's Moonlight Seduction
RWD Pawmarc's Intrepid Light
RWB Topsail Catch A Tradewind To
Emerald

Olympic KC, 8/16

GP3/BOB CH Silverhill Sea Dog Go
BOS CH Woodridge's Chantilly Lace
BOW/WB Pawmarc's S&G Tiny
Dancer
WD Serenade's High Velocity
RWD Pawmarc's Moonlight Seduction
RWB Ridgewyn Constellation

Olympic KC, 8/17

BOB CH Silverhill Sea Dog Go
BOS CH Mar-Ric Kayndee Legacy
BOW/WB Cascadian's Touch The Sky
AX AXJ OF
WD Serenade's High Velocity
RWD Polesitter's M3
RWB Ramblewood If I Were Your
Woman

Coming Events

Conformation & Obedience

September 4-7, 2008

Emerald Classic Cluster
Eugene, OR
Thursday: Libby O'Donnell Naimo
Friday: Kimberly Meredith-Cavanna
Saturday: Barbara J. Young
Sunday: Barbara Dempsey Alderman

September 13-14, 2008

Wenatchee Kennel Club
Wendatchee, WA
Judges: TBA

September 20-21, 2008

Gig Harbor Kennel Club
Shelton, WA
Saturday: Larry J. Sinclair
Sunday: James G. Reynolds

September 27-28, 2008

Richland Kennel Club
Saturday: Douglas P. McFarlane
Sunday: Cindy Vogels

October 9-12, 2008

Treasure Valley Dog Shows
Boise, ID
Thursday: Robert L. Vandiver
Friday: Donald J. Emslie
Saturday: Paula Nykiel
Sunday: Judy Webb

October 25-26, 2008

Vancouver Kennel Club
Ridgefield, WA
Saturday: Rita A. Bell
Sunday: Dr. Sylvia J. Kerr

October 25-November 2, 2008

ESSFTA National Specialty
Arlington, TX
Sweepstakes: David Swartwood
Conformation: Dana Cline

November 15-16, 2008

Whidbey Island Kennel Club
Monroe, WA
Saturday: Nikki Riggsbee
Sunday: Bud DiDonato

December 6-7, 2008

Greater Clark County Kennel Club
Ridgefield, WA
Saturday: Donald B. Harris
Sunday: Gretchen K. Schultz

AKC Agility

September 4-7, 2008

Eugene, OR

September 13-14, 2008

Oak Harbor, WA

September 19-21, 2008

Monroe, WA
Ridgefield, WA

September 26-28, 2008

Pocatello, ID
Prineville, OR

October 4-5, 2008

Auburn, WA

October 10-12, 2008

Boise, ID

October 18-19, 2008

Union Gap, WA

October 24-26

Central Point, OR
Riogby, ID
Olympia, WA

November 1-2, 2008

Auburn, WA

November 8-10, 2008

Auburn, WA

November 15-16, 2008

Ridgefield, WA

November 28-30, 2008

Olympia, WA

December 6-7, 2008

Elma, WA

December 27-29, 2008

Elma, WA

Tracking

September 7, 2008

Fall City, WA
TD, TDX

October 12, 2008

Cottage Grove, OR
TDX

October 26, 2008

Sprague, WA
TD, TDX

November 9, 2008

St. Paul, OR
Bow, WA
TD, TDX

November 16, 2008

Rickreall, OR
TD, TDX

November 23, 2008

Bow, WA
TD

December 7, 2008

Yelm, WA
TDX

December 14, 2008

Eugene, OR
VST

Miscellaneous

Hunt Test

September 6,-7 2008
Boise, ID

Field Trial

October 4, 2008
Albany, OR

October 11, 2008
Rockford, WA

Dog Tales

A Selection of Books for Dog Lovers

Marley & Me: Life and Love with the World's Worst Dog

by John Grogan

The heartwarming and unforgettable story of a family in the making and the wondrously neurotic dog who taught them what really matters in life.

John and Jenny were just beginning their life together. They were young and in love, with a perfect little house and not a care in the world. Then they brought home Marley, a wiggly yellow furball of a puppy. Life would never be the same.

Is it possible for humans to discover the key to happiness through a bigger-than-life, bad-boy dog? Just ask the Grogans.

Puppy Chow Is Better Than Prozac: The True Story of a Man and the Dog Who Saved His Life

by Bruce Goldstein with Tom Amico

To Bruce Goldstein—an edgy, twenty-something New Yorker trying to make his mark in advertising—just waking up in the morning was an ordeal. Underemployed and recently dumped, he was well into the downward spiral of bipolar disorder. Even with therapy, lithium, Paxil, Wellbutrin, and Prozac, he could not shake his rapid mood swings, his fear of dying, or the voice of Satan, who first visited him one sunny day in Central Park. Then came Ozzy, a black Labrador pup (named after metal's "Prince of Darkness") who leads Bruce toward recovery through complete, canine dependence. From the depths of his despair to a life remade, Bruce shows how learning to care for, train, and love the hilariously loyal Ozzy provided him with the structure and focus he needed to heal.

The Art of Racing in the Rain

by Garth Stein

Enzo knows he is different from other dogs: a philosopher with a nearly human soul (and an obsession with opposable thumbs), he has educated himself by watching television extensively, and by listening very closely to the words of his master, Denny Swift, an up-and-coming race car driver.

On the eve of his death, Enzo takes stock of his life, recalling all that he and his family have been through.

A heart-wrenching but deeply funny and ultimately uplifting story of family, love, loyalty, and hope.

The Cruellest Miles: The Heroic Story of Dogs and Men in a Race against an Epidemic

by Gay Salisbury, George L. Hicks, Laney Salisbury

"Nome, Alaska, sits on the edge of the Bering Sea two degrees below the Arctic Circle, and there are few more forbidding places on earth, especially in winter. Dr. Curtis Welch knew the signs of diphtheria, knew that his patients - many of them children - would die without a shipment of fresh serum." The port was icebound and the nearest railhead was almost 700 miles away across mountains, rivers, and the treacherous ice of Norton Sound. A blizzard was brewing, and airplanes, in 1925, could not fly in such conditions. Only the dogs could do it. A relay was set up, and the drivers, many of them Native Alaskans, set off into the night, set out at 60 degrees below zero, often trusting their lead dogs to find the trail under feet of driven snow. The legendary

heroism and endurance of the men and dogs in the Serum Run need no enhancement. Here, for the first time, their story is told in full.

Rescuing Sprite: A Dog Lover's Story of Joy and Anguish

by Mark R. Levin

In 1998, Mark Levin and his family welcomed a half-Border Collie/half-Cocker Spaniel they named Pepsi into their lives. Six years later, his wife and son persuaded him to adopt a dog from the local shelter, a Spaniel mix. They named him Sprite. Their lives would never be the same.

Sprite and Pepsi became fast friends. They did everything together, from rummaging through the trash to loudly greeting the deliveryman. And the Levin family fell in love with him -- with his gentle nature, beautiful face and soft, huggable fur. But on Halloween night, shortly after joining their family, Sprite suddenly collapsed and was rushed to the animal hospital. It was the first of many such visits, and the start of a long journey for the Levin family, filled with much joy and anguish.

During the next two years, Sprite and Pepsi were inseparable. And Sprite's bond with the Levin family deepened. Friends, neighbors, and even Mark's radio audience came to know and love Sprite. Between Thanksgiving and Christmas 2006, the Levin family said their emotional final goodbye. Crushed and consumed with grief, Mark turned to family, friends, and fans for help.

But new hope came when the Levins least expected it.



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