

Dog Bytes

WVSSA Newsletter

August 2011

2011 WVSSA Specialty Results

Sweepstakes

6-9 Mos. Puppy Dogs

- 1 Echo's Good Vibrations

9-12 Mos. Puppy Dogs

- 1 Brighton's Dynamite

12-15 Mos. Junior Dogs

- 1 Oxbow's Notorious
- 2 Topsail Jack Black & Wright
- 3 Dalin's Decades In The Making
- 4 Laurelwyn's Leverage

15-18 Mos. Junior Dogs

- 1 Blckpearl N' Pawmarc's Let's Tango
- 2 Dangen's Crazy Heart.

6-9 Mos. Puppy Bitches

- 1 Echo's And Cdrhm's Meet In The Middle

9-12 Mos. Puppy Bitches

- 1 Pawmarc N' Darkover Saving Grace
- 2 Dangen's Ice Dancer
- 3 Tri-Ste's The Divine Ms Em
- 4 Stardom's Country Strong

12-15 Mos. Junior Bitches

- 1 Stardom's Calie'fornia Dreamz
- 2 Oxbow's Silver Star.
- 3 Kismet Galfox Ridgewyn Precious Cargo
- 4 Dalin's Skye's The Limit

15-18 Mos. Junior Bitches

- 1 Fairhaven Wildrose Out Of Grace
- 2 Farwell Dalin's When You Wish Upon A Star
- 3 Ramblewood You're So Vain

Best Puppy: Stardom's Calie'fornia Dreamz

Best OS Puppy: Oxbow's Notorious

Veterans Sweepstakes

7-9 Years Dogs

- 1/Bsv CH Darkover Can't Ya Hear Me Callin'

7-11 Years Dogs

- 1 CH Hijinks Jack Of Hearts MX MXJ

7-9 Years Bitches

- 1 CH Mar-Ric Money To Burn

Best Veteran: CH Darkover Can't Ya Hear Me Callin'

Best OS Veteran: CH Mar-Ric Money To Burn

Regular Classes

9-12 Mos. Puppy Dogs

- 1 Brighton's Dynamite

12-18 Mos. Junior Dogs

- 1 Topsail Jack Black & Wright
- 2 Oxbow's Notorious
- 3 Dalin's Decades In The Making
- 4 Dangen's Crazy Heart

Bred-By-Exhibitor Dogs

- 1 Stardom's Kiss This
- 2 Tradewinds' N Topsail's Bootstrap Bill
- 3 Echo's Good Vibrations

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Future Meetings

August Meeting

The meeting will be held at 12:00 noon on Sunday, August 7th at The Best Little Roadhouse in Salem, OR. 1145 Commercial Street S.E. (503) 365-7225

Directions

From I-5 South take Exit 260A, merge onto Salem Expressway. Turn right on Commercial. From I-5 North take Exit 249. Keep left at the fork, merge onto Commercial. A slight right Commercial becomes Liberty. Turn left at Owens St. and left onto Commercial.

Braggs and Wags

- Vanity Fair's Malfeasance was OFA normal elbows and good hips. Veep is owned by Larry and Betty Schwartz.
- Vanity Fair's Guilty As Charged finished his championship in Idaho. He was Select Dog at 3 shows. Charger is owned by Betty and Larry Schwartz.
- Vanity Fair's High Crimes was WB at two shows. Zenith is owned by Betty and Larry Schwartz.
- CH Polesitter's M3 completed his Grand Championship at the Peninsula KC shows. He was handled to his GCH by Anna Gilles. Beemer is owned by Art and Sharon Stewart and Anna Gilles.
- Cascadian's Handsome Harry got his RN at the Clackamas KC show. Harry is owned by Martha Mullis.
- Foxboro N Ridgewn's All The Buzz earned his Canine Good Citizen certificate in June. Buzz is owned by Martha Mullis.
- Oxbow's Silver Star got WB, BOS at Clackamas KC at her first show. At WVESSA she was RWB from the 12-18 class. Claire is owned by Dave and Janeé Kemp.

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Open Dogs

- 1 Mcd's Picture Perfect At Tdp
- 2 M-Classic English Bennington
- 3 Halftime's Heart Of Gold
- 4 Ramblewood Reason To Believe

Veteran Dogs

- 1 CH Darkover Can't Ya Hear Me Callin'

6-9 Mos. Puppy Bitches

- 1 Echo's And Cdrhm's Meet In The Middle
- 2 Lakeview Ruby's Absolute Perfect Cut

9-12 Mos. Puppy Bitches

- 1 Pawmarc N' Darkover Saving Grace
- 2 Stardom's Country Strong
- 3 Tri-Ste's The Divine Ms Em
- 4 Dangen's Ice Dancer

12-18 Mos. Junior Bitches

- 1 Farwell Dalin's When You Wish Upon A Star
- 2 Oxbow's Silver Star
- 3 Stardom's Calie'fornia Dream
- 4 Fairhaven Wildrose Out Of Grace

Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitches

- 1 Darkover'n Pawmarc's Amelia Bedelia
- 2 Stardom's Fearless
- 3 G & J's Apache Spirits
- 4 Majic Azuma Its All About Me

- GCH Oxbow's Gold Medal (Baker) received the AOM at WVESSA. He was also SD at PKC. Baker is owned by Dave and Janeé Kemp.
- CH Oxbow's Mum's the Word was the SB at WVESSA. Mum is owned by Dave and Janeé Kemp.
- Oxbow's Notorious (C. Grant) was BOSS at the WVESSA specialty. And WD and BOW for a 4 point major at PKC. Grant is owned by Dave and Janeé Kemp.
- M-Classic English Bennington won WD/BOW for his first point at CKC. He also went WD/BOW at Timberland and RWD at WVESSA. Benny is owned by Cathy and Debbie English.

American-Bred Bitches

- 1 Millspring Wynmoor Belle of the Ball
- 2 Emerald Isle Well Hello Dolly
- 3 M'classic You Wear It Well

Open Bitches

- 1 Donahan's Liberty Of Cedar
- 2 M'classic & Hijinks Hot Legs
- 3 Telltale Bristo
- 4 Darkover Chinquapin

Veteran Bitches

- 2 CH Mar-Ric Money To Burn
- 1 CH Stardom's Miss Peggy Chew.

BOB: GCH CH Darkover Don't Dream It's Over

BOS: GCH CH Cerise Tender Is The Night

BOW/WB: Farwell Dalin's When You Wish Upon A Star

SD: GCH CH Otein Cap'n Jack Sparrow

SB: CH Oxbow's Mum's The Word

AOM: GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal
Best Puppy: Pawmarc N' Darkover Saving Grace

WD: Mcd's Picture Perfect At Tdp

RWD: M-Classic English Bennington

RWB: Oxbow's Silver Star

HIT: Melchris Royal Bard CD

Best Junior Handler: Raquel Wright

- Art & Sharon Stewart and Gary & Barbara Stonewall have a new arrival... baby Bentley, by CH Salilyn's Turbulance & CH Springwest Amazing Grace. Proud owners can't wait for his first show at Vancouver KC in October.
- Rainy eared her CGC in June. Rainy is owned by Karen and Don Pyle.
- Creekside Treasure Hunter went WD for 2 points and WD/BOW for a 3 point major at Puyallup. Trey (the un-springer) is owned by Don and Carol Callahan.
- Stardom's Pocketful of Diamonds RAE got her NA and her NAJ title. Roxanne is owned by Gigi Maris.

Coming Events

Conformation & Obedience

August 6-7, 2011

Coos Kennel Club
Bandon, OR
Saturday: Paula Hartinger
Sunday: Nancy A. Byrd

August 13-14, 2011

Nisqually Kennel Club
Enumclaw, WA
Saturday: Nancy Liebes
Sunday: Ainslie Mills

August 18-20, 2011

Olympic Cluster
Enumclaw, WA
Thursday: Debra L. Davis
Friday: Jerry M. Watson
Saturday: Douglas A. Johnson
Sunday: Carla M. Mathies

August 28, 2011

Sammamish Kennel Club
Redmond, WA
Sunday: Ann F. Yuhasz

September 3-4, 2011

Longview-Kelso Kennel Club
St. Helens, OR
Saturday: Nancy Smith Harner
Sunday: Neil W. Graves

September 10-11, 2011

Eugene Kennel Club
Brownsville, OR
Saturday: Toddie Clark
Sunday: Alane L. Gomez

September 17-18, 2011

Wenatchee Kennel Club
Cashmere, WA
Saturday: William E. Usherwood
Sunday: Mildred K. Bryant

September 24-25, 2011

Gig Harbor Kennel Club
Shelton, WA
Saturday: Robert D. Sharp
Sunday: J. Robert Jacobsen

October 1, 2011

Richland Kennel Club,
Kennewick, WA
Saturday: Gay Dunlap
Sunday: J. Robert Jacobsen

October 13-16, 2011

Treasure Valley Cluster
Boise, ID
Thursday: Anne Katona
Friday: Toddie Clark
Saturday: Dr. Steve Keating
Sunday: Robert E. Hutton

October 29-30, 2011

Vancouver Kennel Club
Saturday: Dr. John C. Shelton
Sunday: Sherry L. Swanson

November 17-20, 2011

Wild River Cluster
Thursday: Charles E. Trotter
Friday: Beverly Capstick
Saturday: Stephen J. Hubbell
Sunday: Joanne N. Paulk

December 10-11, 2011

Greater Clark County Kennel Club
Saturday: Dr. John Ioia
Sunday: Dr. Vandra L. Huber

AKC Agility

August 6-8, 2011

Lakebay, WA

August 12-14, 2011

Sequim, WA

August 19-21, 2011

Enumclaw, WA

August 26-28, 2011

Spokane, WA
Redmond, WA

September 2-5, 2011

Auburn, WA
Central Point, OR

September 9-11, 2011

Eugene, OR
Benton City, WA

September 16-18, 2011

Oak Harbor, WA

September 23-25, 2011

Monroe, WA
Ridgefield, WA

Sept. 30 - Oct. 2, 2011

Prineville, OR
Pocatello, ID

October 14-16, 2011

Klamath, OR
Boise, ID
Wenatchee, WA

October 21-23, 2011

Union Gap, WA
Auburn, WA

October 28-30, 2011

Rigby, ID
Central Point, OR
Auburn, WA

November 5-6, 2011

Auburn, WA

November 11-12, 2011

Auburn, WA

November 18-20, 2011

Ridgefield, WA

November 25-27, 2011

Albany, WA

December 9-11, 2011

Auburn, WA

December 16-18, 2011

Elma, WA

Tracking

October 16, 2011

Junction City, OR
TDX

October 23, 2011

Bow, WA
TD, TDX

October 30, 2011

Sprague, WA
TD, TDX

November 6, 2011

Monmouth, OR
TD, TDX

Show Results

Yakima Valley KC, 6/4

GP1/BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T
Dream It's Over

BOS GCH CH Ramblewood Make A
Memory

SD GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal

BOW/WD Oxbow's Notorious

RWD Ramblewood Sharp Dressed Man

WB Ramblewood Busy Being Fabulous

RWB Ramblewood Sweet Dreams RN

Yakima Valley KC, 6/5

BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T Dream
It's Over

BOS GCH CH Ramblewood Make A
Memory

SD GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal

BOW/WD Ramblewood Sharp

Dressed Man

RWD Sage's Sir Lee Luke

WB Ramblewood Busy Being Fabulous

RWB Pawmarc's Highland Fling

Puyallup Valley DF, 6/11

GP4/BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T
Dream It's Over

BOS CH Majic Azumawilbec Holiday
Connection

SD CH Mar-Ric Sir Jackson Stonewall

BW/WB Majic Azuma Its All About Me

WD Mcd's Picture Perfect At Tdp

RWD Oxbow's Notorious

RWB Pawmarc 'N Darkover Saving Grace

Tacoma KC, 6/12

BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T Dream
It's Over

BOS CH Majic Azumawilbec Holiday
Connection

SD GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal

BOW/WD Topsail Jack Black & Wright

RWD Darkover Dr. Seuss Lucas Nunez

WB Topsail Catch A Tradewind To
Emerald

RWB Majic Azuma Its All About Me

Clackamas KC, 6/25

BOB GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal

BOS/WB Oxbow's Silver Star

SD CH Vanity Fair's Guilty As Charged

BOW/WD Laurelwyn Springerlane
Continuum

RWD Marcur's Keep On Truckn'

RWB Bondir's Jardin Lis

Clackamas KC, 6/26

BOB CH Bryden Fairhaven Hidalgo
CD RE OA OAJ NF

BOS/WB Oxbow's Silver Star

SD GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal

BOW/WD M-Classic English Bennington

RWD Laurelwyn Springerlane

Continuum

RWB Bondir's Jardin Lis

Mt. Bachelor KC, 7/1

GP1/BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T
Dream It's Over

BOS GCH CH Ramblewood Make A
Memory

SD GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal

BOW/WD Oxbow's Notorious

WB G&j's Apache Spirits

RWB M' Classic & Hijinks Hot Legs

Mt. Bachelor KC, 7/2

GP3/BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T
Dream It's Over

BOS/WB G&j's Apache Spirits

BOW/WD Oxbow's Notorious

RWD Pawmarc's Gotta Crush On You

RWB Pawmarc's Dazzle Me Bright

Mt. Bachelor, 7/3

GP1/BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T
Dream It's Over

BOS GCH CH Ramblewood Make A
Memory

SD GCH CH Oxbow's Gold Medal

BOW/WD Oxbow's Notorious

RWD Pawmarc's Gotta Crush On You

WB Ramblewood Busy Being Fabulous

RWB Pawmarc's Dazzle Me Bright

Timberland Valley DFA, 7/9

GP2/BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T
Dream It's Over

BOS CH Majic Azumawilbec Holiday
Connection

SD CH Mar-Ric Sir Jackson Stonewall

BOW/WB Topsail Catch A Tradewind
To Emerald

WD Laurelwyn Springerlane
Continuum

RWD Sage's Sir Lee Luke

RWB Pawmarc's Dazzle Me Bright

Timberland Valley DFA, 7/10

BOB GCH CH Darkover Don'T Dream
It's Over

BOS GCH CH Ramblewood Make A
Memory

SD CH Mar-Ric Sir Jackson Stonewall

SB CH Majic Azumawilbec Holiday
Connection

BOW/WD M-Classic English Bennington

RWD Sage's Sir Lee Luke

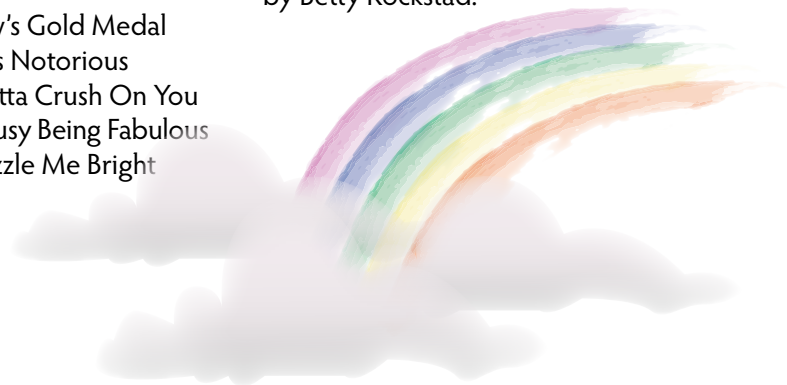
WB Bondir's Jardin Lis

RWB Ramblewood Busy Being Fabulous

The Rainbow Bridge

Donahan's My Gal Sal 11-08-03
to 7-18-11 due to renal failure. Sally
was loved and owned by Peggy Price
Hindahl.

Ch Shalimar's First Flight, CD 3-7-98
to 6-30-11. Dekker was very much
loved and is sorely missed by all who
knew and loved him. He was owned
by Betty Rockstad.



AKC Introduces New Therapy Dog Title

An exciting new title is now open to all AKC dogs. The AKC Therapy Dog title, or "THD," launched June 27th as an official AKC suffix title and will reward dogs and their owners that have provided ongoing community service to help improve the well being of others.

Currently, it is estimated there are 50,000 certified and active therapy dogs in the United States. Volunteerism has exploded over the past decade, especially those with dog and owner teams working in schools, hospitals, nursing homes, and at natural disasters.

The AKC annually recognizes an outstanding Therapy Dog as part of the annual AKC Humane Fund Awards for Canine Excellence (ACE). We receive so many great nominations that we know there are many more dogs out there that deserve recognition. We have also received many requests from the fancy to award titles to therapy dogs as a way to recognize the "great work their dogs do." Additionally, earning a THD title builds on the skills taught in the AKC S.T.A.R. Puppy and Canine Good Citizen programs, which create a sound and friendly temperament needed by a successful therapy dog.

The AKC will not certify therapy dogs. Instead, we're working with therapy dog certification organizations to recognize the work done by therapy teams. The certification organizations are the experts in this area and their efforts should be acknowledged and appreciated.

The title will be open to all AKC dogs that have completed a series of criteria. To qualify, dogs must be certified by a participating therapy dog certification organization and have performed a minimum of 50 community service visits.

To obtain a title an owner must complete an application along with evidence of documented visits. Application forms are available on the website at www.akc.org/akctherapydog. The program will accept documentation going back to January 1, 2000.

If your dog qualifies we encourage you to apply for the title. For more information visit www.akc.org/akctherapydog or email akctherapydog@akc.org.

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Ask AKC

Dear Lisa: My year old English Springer Spaniel will shred any tissue and paper that he can find. Since he only does it when I am not around, I find it hard to correct this behavior. Do you have any suggestions?

– Paper Shredding Puppy

Dear Paper: You are right that trying to correct behavior when you are not around is impossible. Besides the fact that the breed is a soft-mouthed bird hunting dog and loves to keep things in it' mouth, he might be chewing to relieve stress. Chewing is typically a canine stress reliever and perhaps your dog is exhibiting some separation anxiety when your gone. Another hint is that dogs who are lonely tend to seek out articles belonging to and smelling like their owners (think shoes). In fact, one thing we breeders do to help a new puppy not feel lonely in its new home is to send a cotton rag or rope toy with the scent of littermates and its mother home with the new owner and have the puppy sleep with it. So perhaps the used tissues and paper is used for chewing and also because is has enough of your scent on them for comfort.

The only thing you can do to prevent this behavior, since you are not around to supervise, is to remove the object of his desire. Keep him in an enclosed area without access to paper and tissue. I know it sounds simple but it will stop the behavior because he can't get to any paper. However, you should replace the missing paper with an approved and indestructible toy made for chewing. A rubber Kong filled with frozen vegetables or peanut butter. And if you are gone for long periods of time because you may be at work, try hiring a pet sitter for midday walks and enroll your dog in a training class or start an activity like agility to give him things to do and look forward to. Keeping him exercised and in an active training program will help reduce his stress and potential boredom and anxiety.



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