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2018 Events

Mar TBD TNT Dock Diving Fun Day
Midland, MI
Tina Cox/Michelle Keehn

Mar 23-25 ACC All Breed Field Trial
Corning, CA
Julie Cole

Apr 7 Saginaw Kennel Club
Birch Run, MI
Deb Rusz / Michelle Keehn

Apr 28 Fort St. Clair Kennel Club
Eaton, OH
Yvette Yoho / Larkin Vonalt

Apr 28 ACC Chessie Day
Cambria, WI
JoAnn & John Stancer

May 6 Trenton Kennel Club
West Windsor, NJ
Stacy George / Marty Smith

Jun 2-3 Michigan Fun Weekend
Mayville, MI
Tina Cox/Michelle Keehn

Jun 30 Bushy Run Kennel Club
Vandergrift, PA
Carol Lipinski / Walt Lipinski

Jul 11-15 ACC Nat'l Specialty Show
Madison, OH
Patty Martin / John Martin

Jul 15 Grand River Kennel Club
Madison, Ohio
Patty Martin/John Martin

Aug 21-23 ACC Field Trial Specialty
Creswell, OR
Tim Phillips / Julie Cole

Sep 15 St. Clair Kennel Club
Goodells, MI
Michelle Keehn / Deb Rusz

Oct TBD Michigan Annual Fun Hunt
TBD
Tina Cox/Michelle Keehn

Nov TBD TNT Dock Diving Fun Day
Midland, MI
Tina Cox/Michelle Keehn

Nov 17 Kennel Club of Philadelphia
Oaks, PA
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2018 – Midwest – July – Madison, OH
Chairs Patty Martin/John Martin

2019 – West

2020 – East

Field Trial Specialty Rotation

2018 – West – August – Creswell, OR
Chairs Tim Phillips/Julie Cole

2019 – Central – Oct/Nov – Ravenna, TX
Chairs Heidi Henningson/Gary Kavan

2020 – Midwest



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October 31st	Nov/Dec	Jan/Feb	Late December
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2017 Field Trial Specialty



EMPORIA, VA • 2017

2017 Field Trial Specialty Report

The 2017 Field Trial Specialty was held in Emporia VA. I would like to thank the Ferguson Family and the Steve Ferguson Memorial retriever grounds for the use of the Property.

The Weather was threatening for opening day but quickly passed during the night to provide us with ideal conditions for the three days. The Judges did a great job as did the workers to facilitate the events. The meals were good and plentiful.

I can't say enough about the people who worked to put this event on. It takes a lot of people and even some who are just attending to pull this off. While I know this event was not perfect, we learned lessons that will carry on to future events.



In the end, I hope everyone had fun and saw a few dogs that they enjoyed.

Scott Bergman, Field Trial Specialty Chair 2017

ON THE COVER

Open Winner: CH Comet's Deepwater Rock N 'Roll Ruby
Owners: Linda Harger, Dale & Maggie Langhorne, and Tom Ivey • Handler: Linda Harger

Qualifying Winner: Blackwater's Son Of A Preacher Man
Owner: Scott Bergman • Handler: Scott Bergman

Amateur Winner: CH Comet's Deepwater Rock N 'Roll Ruby
Owners: Linda Harger, Dale & Maggie Langhorne, and Tom Ivey • Handler: Linda Harger

Derby Winner: Fireweed's The King of Cool
Owners: Linda Harger and Tom Ivey • Handler: Linda Harger

OPEN COMMENTARY

By Tim Carrion (MD)

1st Series – Land Triple with Honor: This was a relatively wide spread triple which gave dogs that were not committed to the area of the marks a chance to roam out of the area of the fall.

#1 - middle, dead mallard (retires) 175 yards

#2 - right, mallard (retires) 60 yards

#3 - left, flyer 75 yards

#1 - Was thrown to the right towards a sparse line of trees. Dogs needed to be willing to run along the tree line and not be tempted to roam out to the large open grassy field to the left of the retired gunner. Many gave into temptation but eventually found the bird.

#2- While short proved to be problem for some. The bird was thrown into a patch of cover at the base of an evergreen tree. There was real tendency for dogs to overrun this short retired bird and establish big hunts deep and behind the retired gun.

#3 - The flyer was inviting! It was shot uphill giving a few dogs a problem but all managed.

This test provided the judges with a wide variety of performances allowing them to begin separating dogs while being generous with callbacks.

2nd Series – Single Land Blind, 250 yards with Exposed Gunner: This blind was done in the area of mark #1. The gunner from mark #1 remained visible throughout the blind.

The line to blind was very evident. Coming off a mound and crossing a gravel road the dog was to pass 1 bush on their left and then 15 yards later keep bush #2 on their right. Once out into the open field the gunner was visible to the dog on the right and many were attracted to the hay bale on the left which was about 40 yards short of the blind.

The last 40 yards proven a problem for many dogs as they zig-zagged back and forth not willing to drive deeper to the bird.

3rd Series – 130 yards Water Blind: Once again the judges made the line to this "classic" type all-age water blind very obvious.



Oct. 23-26, 2017 • Emporia, VA

The dog was sent from the top of a steep dike into about 20yds of water. The dog was to get all four feet onto a point and reenter open water and swim between points on both the left and right. The dog was then to enter a channel paralleling the right shoreline and exiting at the bird.

The work on this blind was generally good. A few dogs did not want to handle onto the first point and some tended to exit the water early in the canal.

4th Series – Water Triple: This final series was run from atop a mound that was set back about 60 yards from the water. The terrain as the dogs approached the water forced the dogs to make decisions/corrections as they made their way to both memory birds.

- #1 - right, dead mallard (retires)
- #2 - left, dead mallard
- #3 - middle, flyer

The dead birds were both thrown to the right with the flyer thrown out of the back of the test landing in the water deep to gun station #1.

On the right bird, a grove of tall pines prior to the water edge tended to push dogs left, behind the retired gun station, but most recovered without difficulty. The approach to the water for the left bird involved a small ditch that some dogs squared placing them on a line to the back side of this exposed gun as they entered the water.



Read Me!

Attention!!

Calling Out to All Members!

The Show Committee is in **desperate need of your help.**

Please complete the Survey regarding our National Specialty Shows at this link: www.surveymonkey.com/r/SY9SDP7

We all enjoy attending Supported Entries and National Specialties. Well, for these to go on, we need volunteers. **You will receive TONS of help** from the Show Committee, but we need leaders. We need people who can say, "OK, I know my club needs me and I am going to help." **Do we want to go years without these events?** That is possible, sad, but possible. Please consider volunteering, the help will come. **Be a Leader**, and apply to chair a Supported Entry or National Specialty.

The Show Committee invites members to submit application to host the following National Specialties:

2019 (West) 2020 (East)
2021 (Midwest)

**** Reminder****

2019 Supported Entry Applications are **due by May 1, 2018**

If you have questions or want an application please contact:
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2017 Field Trial Specialty



OPEN

Tuesday – October 24, 2017

Judges: Craig Stonesifer (DE) and Drew Clendaniel (DE)

RESULTS

1st CH Comet's Deepwater Rock N 'Roll Ruby (Ruby) Female
(CH Risky River Bodacious X DC AFC Yakity's Shake Rattle 'N' Roll)
Owners: Linda Harger, Dale & Maggie Langhorne, and Tom Ivey
Handler: Linda Harger
(see top left picture on cover)

2nd Topsail's Good Time Buddy (Bud) Male
(Lind's Northcreek Magnum MH X CK's Pay Piper MH)
Owner/Handler: Robin Orr

3rd Oakhill Chesbay Hank (Hank) Male
(Blackwater Chesbay Tanner X Oakhill Deep Purple)
Owner/Handler: Tim Carrion

4th Fireweed's Comet's Halley (Halley) Female
(CH Risky River Bodacious X DC AFC Yakity's Shake Rattle 'N' Roll)
Owner/Handler: Mitch Gilbert

RJAM Lzy Mtn Piper's Revenge QA2 (Rambo) Male
(DC AFC Westwind's Rudy Of Nordais X Hope Springs Dowry MH MNH)
Owners: Jim Price and Todd Adams
Handler: Todd Adams

JAM Grand Oaks Packin A Pistol MH (Pistol) Female
(Grand Oaks He's A Rebel SH X Oak Chess Miley)
Owner/Handler: Tom Lind

JAM Westwind Whispering Cove Jay (Jay) Male
(Westwind Whispering Cove QA2 MH X Westwind Rudy's Hannah of LPK)
Owner/Handler: Michael Moscovitz

JAM Colonial's Toes Of Fire (Toasie) Female
(CH Crackshot Ben There Done That QA2 X Colonial's Wildfire)
Owners: Michael Coutu & Johanna DuWaldt Coutu
Handler: Michael Coutu

JAM GCH Blackwater Livin On the Edge QA2 (Tyler) Male
(CH Blackwater Friar Tuck QA2 SH X Yakity's Ba Barbara Ann JH)
Owners: Joyce & Jeffrey Shaw
Handler: Jeffrey Shaw

JAM Rocky Hooks Great Spirit (Spirit) Male
(Lzy Mtn Piper's Revenge QA2 X Spirit Of Westwind SH)
Owner/Handler: Marston Jones

JAM Rudy's Fat Bottomed Girl SH (Fanny) Female
(DC AFC Westwind's Rudy Of Nordais X Hope Springs Dowry MH MNH)
Owner/Handler: Erik Borg

JAM LPK Delaware River Whispering Cove (Sam) Male
(FC Colonial Outer Banks Winchester MH X LPK Delaware River Autumn Squaw MH MNH)
Owner/Handler: Michael Moscovitz

JAM Sugarfoot Laden To The Gunwale MH (Gunwale) Female
(Lzy Mtn Piper's Revenge X Spirit Of Westwind SH)
Owner/Handler: David Phillips



QUALIFYING

Wednesday, October 25, 2017

Judges: Bob Willow (NC) and Kelley Hall (VA)

RESULTS

1st Blackwater's Son Of A Preacher Man (Deacon) Male
(Win's Northcreek Counterpunch JH X Blackwaters Double
Trouble QA2 MH)

Owner/Handler: Scott Bergman

(see bottom right picture on cover)

2nd CH Redlion's Mtn Island Sandpiper SH (Piper) Female
(Redlion's Brutus JH X Redlion's Notorious Wren MH)

Owners: Susan Dorsey and JoAnn Colvin

Handler: Susan Dorsey

3rd Fireweed's The King Of Cool (McQueen) Male
(CH Clipper's Frozen Assets X AFC CH Fireweed's Poison Ivy)

Owners: Linda Harger and Tom Ivey

Handler: Linda Harger

4th Rudy's Chasing Minnesota Fatz MH (Fatz) Male
(DC AFC Westwind's Rudy Of Nordais X Hope Springs Dowry
MNH)

Owner/Handler: Ed Bahr

RJAM Grand Oaks Packin A Pistol MH (Pistol) Female
(Grand Oaks He's A Rebel SH X Oak Chess Miley)

Owner/Handler: Tom Lind

JAM Valhallas Artic Sea (Crystal) Female
(Bur Oak's Here's Winston MH QA2 X GCH Rainwaters Val-
hallas Northern Lights JH)

Owner/Handler: Shawn Ward

JAM Redlion's Joe's Hit From The Park (Parker) Female
(GCH Redlion's Hit Doctor MH X Redlion's Notorious Margaret)

Owners: Jane Pappler and Fil Fina

Handler: Jane Pappler

JAM Colonial's Cool Dude On Fire (Dude) Male
(CH Colonial's Beckoning X Colonial's Toes On Fire)

Owners: Michael & Johanna Coutu

Handler: Michael Coutu

JAM Mtn Island Amid Ships Full Ahead (Rudder) Male
(CH Colonial's Beckoning Fire X GCH Cal-I-Co's Mtn Island
Morgen MH RA RE)

Owners: Susan & Gordon Dorsey

Handler: Susan Dorsey

JAM Sugarfoot Laden To The Gunwale MH (Gunwale) Female
(Lzy Mtn Piper's Revenge QA2 X Spirit Of Westwind SH)

Owner/Handler: David Phillips

JAM Grand Oak's He's No Boy Scout MH (Scout) Male
(Lind's Northcreek Magnum MH X CK's Pay Piper MH)

Owner/Handler: Tom Lind

2017 Field Trial Specialty

QUALIFYING COMMENTARY

By Tom Lind (WI)

The Qualifying began Wednesday morning at 8:00AM with 43 dogs. Judges were Bob Willow and Kelley Hall. The first series was a triple

with the long left hand bird retired. The line was on top of rolling hill with trees and bushes scattered in between all of the marks. Birds were shot left to right. The long retired on the left was



thrown right to left at 230 yards. The middle bird was thrown right to left at 110 yards and the flyer was shot left to right at 60 yards. A lot of dogs had trouble with the long retired and handled. A tree 15 yards in front of the line and directly in line with the middle bird also pulled dogs either left or right on the way to the middle bird.

26 dogs were called back to the second series which was a land blind going downhill and between and around numerous trees and bushes. Most dogs didn't have too many problems.

20 dogs were called back to the third series which was a tough 195 yard water blind. The line was 30 yards from the water and gave the dogs enough time to try and avoid entering it. The first part of the blind was running water through mud, stumps and lily pads which proved to be very challenging as dogs were looking to escape. The line was down the middle of the channel with several points on both sides which also sucked a lot of dogs off line. Most handlers used a lot of whistles to keep the dogs on line. Later in the morning the sun was definitely a factor with the glare off the water and the dark shaded areas at the end of the blind causing the handlers to struggle to see their dogs.

13 dogs were called back to the 4th series which was a water triple. Initially the judges had the left bird retire but after the test dog winded the retired bird on the way to the middle memory bird the judges moved the left bird further back and did not retire it.

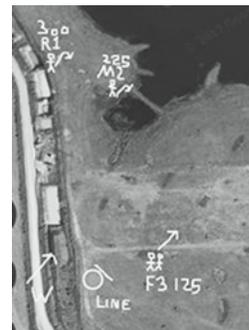
Birds were thrown left to right. The left bird was across the water at 170 yards. The middle bird was also across the water and landed in front of a brushy mound at 130 yards. The third bird was an exciting 60 yard flyer landing in the water and was immediately sluiced. Some of the dogs had long hunts on the middle bird and many hooked the long bird.

AMATEUR COMMENTARY

By Michelle R. Dunn (NY) and Erik Borg (WI)

46 Dogs Entered, 1 Scratch, 45 Dogs Started: The weather was mostly sunny on Wednesday with moderate temperatures ranging from about 50 degrees at 8:30am when the test started to the upper 60's by late afternoon.

First Series – Triple: Long (280 yards) retired mark on top of a hill, thrown L to R; middle stand out mark (230 yards), down the hill through a good slice of water then back out on land to retrieve bird at corner of land bridge; and flyer, go bird (130 yards), thrown R to L.

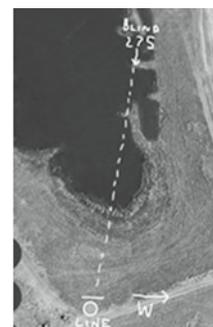


Second Series – Land Blind: 23



dogs called back to run land blind. The land blind was approx. 300 yards and run from nearly the same start line as the land marks. The line to the blind was between the left and middle marks and over a corner of a mound to the bird on top of the hill, just beyond where the left retired mark from the first series had been.

Third Series – Water Blind: 18 dogs called back to run water blind. Thursday morning started with a cool and damp air temperature in the thirties! Thankfully, by mid-day the sun had come out it had warmed up a bit. The water blind was approx. 175 yards and run from the top of hill. After a 60 yard run to the water's edge, the line to the blind continued into the water for about 75 yards to the tip of a point, which the dogs were to go over, and then continue to swim another 40 yards onto a second point where the blind was planted.



Fourth Series – Triple: 9 dogs called back to run the last series. The fourth series had a retired gun on a big swim (275+ yards) water mark, thrown first, R to L onto a point; right stand out gun (240 yards) thrown second, R to L going back towards land series line, and a flyer go bird up the middle (250 yards), thrown L to R. 7 dogs completed this series and of those, only one dog did it clean with no handles!





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Wednesday, October 25, 2017

Judges: Don Driggers (NJ) and Jeff Lyons (MD)

RESULTS

1st CH Comet's Deepwater Rock N 'Roll Ruby (Ruby) Female
(CH Risky River Bodacious X DC AFC Yakity's Shake Rattle 'N' Roll)
Owners: Linda Harger, Dale & Maggie Langhorne, and Tom Ivey
Handler: Linda Harger
(see top left picture on cover)

2nd Lzy Mtn Piper's Revenge QA2 (Rambo) Male
(DC AFC Westwind's Rudy Of Nordais X CH Lzy Mtn
Abbygail's Creekside Piper QA2)
Owners: Jim Price and Todd Adams
Handler: Todd Adams

3rd Westwind's As Good As Gold (Molly) Female
(DC AFC Westwind's Rudy Of Nordais X CH Lzy Mtn
Abbygale's Creekside Piper QA2)
Owner/Handler: Wendy Shepard Chisholm

4th Prairie Sky Patterson (Bear) Male
(DC AFC Westwind's Rudy Of Nordais X JJ's Rachel)
Owner/Handler: Jonathan Butler

RJAM Topsail's Good Time Buddy (Bud) Male
(Lind's Northcreek Magnum MH X CK's Pay Piper MH)
Owner/Handler: Robin Orr

JAM Blucollars Full Metal Jacket (Jack) Male
(Rogue Of Rainbow Farm MH X CH Blucollars Hocus Pocus
MH RE UD)
Owner/Handler: Michelle Dunn

JAM Fireweed's Comet's Halley (Halley) Female
(CH Risky River Bodacious X DC AFC Yakity's Shake Rattle 'N' Roll)
Owner/Handler: Mitch Gilbert



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to share with the membership.***

2017 Field Trial Specialty



DERBY

Tuesday, October 24, 2017

Judges: Bob Willow (NC) and Kelley Hall (VA)

RESULTS

1st Fireweed's The King of Cool (McQueen) Male
(CH Clipper's Frozen Assets X AFC CH Fireweed's Poison Ivy)
Owners: Linda Harger and Tom Ivey
Handler: Linda Harger
(see bottom left picture on cover)

2nd Risky River's Fifty Shades Of Brown (Camo) Male
(CH Risky River Bodacious X Risky River's Cold Harbor Indigo)
Owner/Handler: Briedi Gillespie

3rd Bonnemas Wild Card (Joker) Male
(Bonnemas Crossfire Trail MH X Beatrice Of Saint Paul JH)
Owner/Handler: Timothy Bonnema

DERBY COMMENTARY

By Briedi Gillespie (ID)

The Derby started bright and early Tuesday morning. The first series consisted of three straightforward single marks with a live flyer at the last station. The second mark was a little farther out than the other two, and so that third (closer) live flyer was quite exciting for the young Derby crew.

The second series moved the line to a small dirt mound underneath some pine trees overlooking a grassy bowl. A nice Derby land-double about 50° apart was thrown with the go-bird at the bottom of the bowl (175 yards), and the memory bird (130 yards) on the side-hill of the bowl thrown into some tall grass.

The third series were two water singles using a fairly shallow stick pond. The first bird was thrown onto the top of a grass jetty with a short swim in between, and the second bird was off to the right of the first bird, thrown R-to-L out from the bank landing in the stick pond. There was a little breeze that made for some challenging retrieves for these young dogs on this second mark.

The final series was a water double that definitely gave the judges some good separation. The go-bird was a very tempting 35 yards away through standing water and weeds. The memory bird was thrown 180° away, R-to-L on a far opposite bank, requiring the dog to do a long pond swim to retrieve the bird in some tall grass.

It was a beautiful sunny day and everyone enjoyed watching those sometimes unpredictable Derby dogs at their young-dog best. Thanks to the judges for coming out and to the Field Trial Committee for putting on a great trial.

BEST AMATEUR HANDLER

The Field Trial Committee named Linda Harger as the Best Amateur Handler at the trial.

BEST BITCH IN TRIAL

CH Comet's Deepwater Rock N 'Roll Ruby.
CH Risky River Bodacious X DC AFC Yakity's Shake Rattle 'N' Roll. Owners: Linda Harger, Dale & Maggie Langhorne, and Tom Ivey.
Handler: Linda Harger.



PUPPY STAKES

Tuesday, October 24, 2017

Judges: Gary and Dawn Boyce (MD)



Senior Puppy (9 – 12 Months) Results

1st Hope Springs Ivory Madonna (Ivory) Female
(GCH Blackwater Livin On The Edge QA2 X Hope Springs Little Ponzi MH)

Owner/Handler: Julia Reardon

2nd Grandoak's On A Mission (Recon) Male
(Oakponds Turbocharger MH X Grand Oaks Ain't Just Blowing Smoke MH)

Owners: Tom and Dawn Lind

Handler: Dawn Lind



Junior Puppy (6 – 9 Months) Results

1st Rock Hill's Frozen Legacy (Groot) Male
(CH Clipper's Frozen Assets X Rudy's Fatty Tryst Roux MH)

Owner: James Scroggins

Handler: Wade Scroggins

2nd Grand Oak's On A Mission (Recon) Male
(Oakponds Turbocharger MH X Grand Oaks Ain't Just Blowing Smoke MH)

Owners: Tom and Dawn Lind

Handler: Dawn Lind



Baby Puppy (4 – 6 Months) Results

1st Rock Hill's Frozen Legacy (Groot) Male
(CH Clipper's Frozen Assets X Rudy's Fatty Tryst Roux MH)

Owner: James Scroggins

Handler: Wade Scroggins

2nd Laurelwood's Under the Wire (Ari) Female
(CH Blackwoods Undercover Operator JH X GCH CoolWater's Roane Point CD JH BN RE)

Owner: Brett Kearney

Handler: Lauea Griggs

3rd Eastern Water's Wind On The Weskeag (Keagan) Male
(GCH Togin's On The Road Again O'Kinghill CD BN RN JH CGC X GCH Eastern Waters' Pink Power Omesaridge RN)

Owner/Handler: Gary Palmer

PUPPY COMMENTARY

By Lauea Griggs (GA)

The Puppy Stakes are always great fun! It's always exciting to see the breed's newest entrants start their Field Trial careers. Judges Dawn and Gary Boyce set up fair and challenging tests for the puppies and ensured everyone, including the spectators, had a great time.

A beautifully clear but chilly and windy day made for some very excited puppies going to the line but when the marks started falling they were all business. The Puppy Stakes began with a land series consisting of back to back singles through light to moderate cover with lengthened distances for the Junior and Senior puppies. Everyone moved on to the next series, water singles, which were handled well by all puppies despite some very distracting lily pads. All puppies completed their marks successfully and showed great drive to continue on in their training!





Field Trial Report

“Double Header” Field Trial Wins and New Bench Champion

“**Ruby**” CH Comet’s Deepwater Rock N ’Roll Ruby (CH Risky River Bodacious X DC AFC Yakity’s Shake Rattle ‘N’ Roll). Owners: Linda Harger, Dale & Maggie Langhorne, and Tom Ivey.

Never did I imagine that Ruby would be the one to win another double header for me! What a thrill to stand beside a dog who is so on her game that she held together for 8 series and pulled 2 blue ribbons at the 2017 ACC National Field Trial Specialty (see win pictures on cover).

I bought ownership in Ruby on an emotional rollercoaster as my wonderful Comet was dying and nothing could save her. I wanted one of her offspring and had always liked Ruby and believed she had more potential than was apparent. In 4 months she was QAA and then began the long process of “finesse”. (Thank you Jerry Patopea).

It led to a great month . . . finishing her bench championship on Oct 15th and left that afternoon for the East to run the FT Specialty. And again, what a thrill!

Thank you to my wonderful training group, and traveling partners and to the hard work done by all at the trial. The Chesapeake world is a close knit group and the support we give each other is important not only for us but for the breed. I repeat I am truly blessed! Thank you, --Linda Harger



Registered Name	Call Name	Sex / Award	Owner / Trial	Handler / Month
Cote's Simba JH	Rogue	Male Qualifying 4th	Tom McLaughlan Tall Pines RC	Tom McLaughlan October
Fireweed's The King Of Cool	McQueen	Male Derby JAM	Linda Harger & Tom Ivey Snake River RC	Linda Harger September
Pond Hollow Otter Point SH CDX	Molly	Female Qualifying JAM	Frank Pitteli The Labrador RC	Frank Pitteli September
Red Dirt's Gone With The Wind	Rhett	Male Qualifying JAM	Larry Woodson & Chris Payne Sooner RC	Larry Woodson September
Risky River's Fifty Shades Of Brown	Camo	Male Derby 2nd	Briedi Gillespie Snake River RC	Shawn Ward September
Risky River Red Hot	Hottie	Female Derby JAM	Diane Mazy Snake River RC	Diane Mazy September
Westwind's Call Of The Wild	Annie	Female Derby JAM	Wendy Shepard Chisholm Tallokas RC	Patti Roberts December



ACC Rescue

The American Chesapeake Club Rescue Network continues to grow with the wonderful support of all our volunteers and members. There are so many people to thank that I am afraid to even start. How do you say thank you to someone who answers the phone and doesn't hesitate to take in a dog in need of temporary shelter? We have so many dogs that have found their forever home and sometimes, it is love at first sight! A volunteer picks up a dog from a shelter, not knowing that they have a new family member in the back seat. Each dog and situation is very different, but we work to be there for our dogs and our members, as needed. We are making a difference thanks to our volunteers and your support!

It was a stormy thundering night, as in a lot of homes dinner was in progress. Teak had been in the home for about a week and seemed to be getting comfortable. He went to the door and needed to go out. Having the knowledge that he was seemingly adjusting, attached to two other pups there, the evening was rushed, and his foster let him out. Teak decided to take to the streets once again, jumping the fence thus beginning the long journey of his hopeful recovery. The date was April 1st.

A team of wonderful volunteers quickly assembled and began the mission of bringing him home. They mapped the area, contacted the police, local community members, put up fliers and searched countless hours, walking miles. Posters put up, handed out. Business owners informed, and newspaper ads placed, "Teak" was sighted, usually only at night. He had a routine by which he lived. His name was quickly changed to "Moon" as he lived by the moon, at night, rarely being seen during the day. His pattern made for long nights. Numerous attempts were made at the standard trapping of lost dogs. Members from Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Delaware converged walking sighted paths. This boy was so intelligent he would be seen sitting watching the volunteers set traps as he then trotted off to ignore any attempt to capture him.

He was often spotted in the evenings. The Moon team knew he loved pizza. When spotted, if an individual would stop their car, he would bolt. We had so many people drive hours just to assist with his return, and yet weeks turned into months, Moon used his smarts to survive.

Moon was an amazing athlete! This boy did a full circle from Delaware through Maryland although on four occasions he was over to where he would have to cross the bridge to get to New Jersey he would turn not crossing. His sightings were mapped and tagged with three individuals on his tail Laurie Marie, Kathy and Katy. Phone calls came cross county to report his whereabouts. Normally those calls were between one and four in the morning. This boy circled the same miles four complete times, Maryland to Delaware and back. Using the highway which gave us all great cause for concern. Calls to the immediate response team went out. This replayed for six long months. Until finally a call came in. Moon was in a

neighborhood that saw the postings of this boy, do you have a lost dog? Description fitting and collar right. The locals welcomed him, they brought their dogs out to help, allowing him to not be chased from an area as in the past. This allowed the team to enter in the hopes of trapping him.



Originally when Moon escaped he was a young, immature dog but with time, Moon began to mature and recognized the scent of a special female that gained his attention. This was his draw. Her owners walked her in the neighborhood daily and Moon took notice. She was his girlfriend that he would visit standing at the walkway each morning hoping to approach her.

Laurie Marie and Kathy spent days getting Moon used to their smells. As advised they ignored eye contact. Postings went up explaining Moon's story. The entire neighborhood seeing the posters came out to assist! Other neighborhoods had yelled and screamed chasing him off. Thankfully this dog friendly community helped. Moon loved other dogs. People came out

with their dogs on leads allowing Moon to approach them. They sat on the grass ignoring him allowing him to feel comfortable, they allowed him to approach their dogs, to approach them, and they spoke softly to him learning it was okay.

Kathy and Laurie Marie spent their days in that neighborhood plotting, trying, and hoping they would capture Moon.

Then the call came through to ACC Rescue! Tears pouring, "I got him", "I got him" we got Moon! Laurie Marie was so excited and exhausted she laid on the grass laughing and crying, she had the slip lead secure, six months later around Moon's neck. Secure and safe.

Moon being on the run, scolded, chased, screamed at was on the end of the lead of Laurie Marie! Others giving up hope, this was the volunteer that through rain, wind, cold, late night alerts, muddy fields, scary areas kept searching non-stop. Laurie Marie who from the very start had hoped and prayed had Moon in her control, a miracle, a dream come true!

Moon has a new life. He is with Kathy of the Moon team and her husband. He is bonded with their senior Chesapeake. They are understanding and patient with him. They love him. He has been neutered. He also has a tracking collar on him. Moon taught us all a lot. Mostly to believe! Thank you to all who worked to bring this boy home.

This is just one of many stories that we can share about a dog in our rescue network. We have so many stories to tell about dogs and the volunteers and adoptive families who let these dogs know love and kindness, often for the first time.

If you can or would like to assist as part of our rescue network, please contact Heidi Henningson at buroak@mail.com to offer assistance.

Versatility Corner

Five New AKC Titles & Group Placements

Junior Hunter (JH), Companion Dog Excellent (CDX), Open Agility (OA), Open Fast (OF), Open Jumpers (OAJ), and Group 1 and Owner-Handler Group 3!



"Brody" CH Dut-Chesse Spark of Susquidilla JH CDX RN OA OAJ OF RATIWD (CH Chestnut Hills Windjammer SH X CH Susquidilla Special Edition from Pond Hollow). Wow, Brody sure had a great November/December. We started out at the Del Bay Hunt test where Brody and Rob got their last leg for their Junior Hunter (JH) title under judges Karen DeMan and Joe Romanczuk. On to the Thanksgiving Cluster in Springfield, MA where Judge Pat Hess gave Brody Best of Breed. She then went on to give Brody and Rob a Group 1 over 200+ sporting dogs! The next day at the Supported Entry, Brody again took Best of Breed and an Owner-Handler Group 4. Oh yeah, while waiting to go in the ring, Jill and Brody completed his CDX (Companion Dog Excellent) title. The following weekend, Brody and Rob jumped their way to earning their Open Fast, Open Standard, and Open Jumpers titles. They even got an Excellent Standard leg. Brody is owned and handled by Rob and Jill Conroy, bred by Robyn Haskin. He is now CH Dut-Chesse Spark of Susquidilla JH CDX RN OA OAJ OF RATIWD. This proves what a versatile dog this boy is. Well done Jill, Rob, and Brody!



Bulletin Versatility Corner & AKC Achiever Dog Pilot Program

The ACC has been recognizing our Chesapeake's versatile skills in the Bulletin's Versatility Corner column (for 4 years) and through the Triple Crown Versatility Challenges held at our National Specialty Shows (for 7 years)! Recently, the AKC has also announced the launch of a new program to recognize versatility in all breeds with the AKC Achiever Dog Pilot Program.

The AKC Achiever Dog certificate program is designed to recognize those exhibitors and dogs who participate in multiple sports. A dog will receive an AKC Achiever Dog certificate when they have been awarded a placement or earned a qualifying score in three different sports. Dogs can start earning AKC Achiever Dog certificates December 1, 2017. AKC is launching the Achiever Dog as a pilot program. At the end of one year, all owners who have received a certificate will be surveyed to determine the success of the program. Opportunities for improvement will be identified and could lead to a more refined program which recognizes these versatile dogs.

The Bulletin's Versatility Corner is where we feature multiple new titles across multiple disciplines that appear in one issue of the Bulletin. Please refer to our Bulletin Guidelines for details on page 18 (first bullet under New Title Submissions).

2019 NATIONAL SHOW APPLICATIONS

The show committee is accepting applications for 2019 National Show Specialty proposed to be held in the western region. Feel free to contact the show committee with any questions or to request an application at MichelleKeehn@hotmail.com.

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Show Scene

New Bronze Grand Champion

“Cherry” GCH Waylands Wild Cherry Lifesaver BN CA DS CGC (Ch Chesabar’s Duck Duck Goose - Ch Quailridges 45 Cherry Bombs) earned her official AKC Bronze Grand Champion and her Achiever Dog title on November 17, 2017 at the National Dog Show Philadelphia KC, just a month after her second birthday! She is owned by Valerie Vollmers and handled by Dennis Collins in the picture. She finished 2017 ranked 6th in country for AKC Grand Champions according to AKC site. Ranked 16th in Breed Standings and 13th in All Breed according to Canine Chronicles.



New Champions

“Monty” CH De Cocoa’s The Full Monty (GCH Marjan’s Its all in the Game, MH & CH DeCocoa’s Chocolate Truffle Surprise, CGC ,SAR-W). “Monty” finished his championship at the Harrisburg dog show on 4/15/17 under Judge William (Sandy) Gunn with a 3pt major. He was expertly shown to his last minor points by Beverly Matthias. Monty is bred by Karen Marcotte, DeCocoa Kennels, and owned by Karen Marcotte and Laura Chambers.



“Tucker” CH DeCocoa’s U Can’t Touch This! (GCH Monarch’s Zero Cool & Brushwaters Whistlin Dixie) “Tucker” finished with 5 total majors finishing up on the Idaho circuit at the Idaho Capitol Kennel club on October 14, 2017, under Mrs Kathy Lorentzen, Mrs Paula Nykiel. And taking a Select from Mrs Karen Wilson. Finishing in Idaho. Tucker is owned by Karen Marcotte and bred by Michelle Osburn.



“Pink” Bur Oak’s It’s All About Pink (GCHG CH Chesastar Hudson Bay RN JH THD X BISS GCH CH Rainwaters Valhalla’s Northern Lights JH) “Pink” completed her Championship going Best of Opposite over Specials at the Southern Indiana Kennel Club on August 27, 2017, all before turning a year old. “Pink” was bred by Shawn Eugene Ward and is owned and loved by Kris Henningson and Heidi Henningson. Caroline Buettner and Heidi Henningson handled her.



New UKC Champion

“Riggs” SHR U-CH Sand Spring Lethal Weapon JH CGC (HR U-CH Sand Spring No Gut’s No Glory SH THDN CGCU x HR CH SRR’S North Point Thunder Bay SH CGC WDQ) received his UKC Conformation Champion title on September, 11 2017 at Central Wisconsin Kennel Club. This weekend there were 4 UKC shows, Riggs needed to get BOB in three of the shows in which he did. Judges for the shows were Dr. Bev Siglfelten, Jeanne Heger, and Stanley Matsumoto. Under judge Stanley Riggs received a Group 4 out of 7 dogs in the Gun Dog group. Riggs was handled by Tom Pawlisch. He is O/H by Roger Glasgow, John & JoAnn Stancer of Sand Spring Chesapeake, Cambria, WI.



ACC Supported Entry at St. Clair KC (MI) September 16, 2017

Another wonderful supported entry complete. Great attendance and lots of fun. Thanks to everyone that attended and shared a great day with us. Thanks again to everyone that donated so we could have such lovely trophies. Looking forward to the future and the 2018 Supported at the St. Clair Kennel Club. Report Submitted by Chairperson, Michelle Keehn

Puppy Sweepstakes Results:

Judge: Ms. Tina Cox
Actual Entry: 3-2

Best in Puppy Sweepstakes: CURLY’S ONE FOR SPARTA (Ch Crossrhodes Trail Of Pawprints CGC - Ch Curly’s In Hot Pursuit.) Owner: Thomas B Martin & Angela Boeske, Davison. Breeder: Lucy Koch & Angela Boeske.

Best of Opposite Sex in Puppy Sweepstakes: IRISH’S ROYAL TREASURE (Ch Irish’s Gallant Knight - Irish’s No Backin’ Down.) Owner: Erik Haugen & Leslie Haugen & Gary Irish & Dorene A Irish. Breeder: Gary Irish & Dorene A Irish.

Show Scene & Junior Showmanship news
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Show Scene

Breed Results

Judge: Mr. Houston Clark
Actual Entry: 7-6 (5-3)

BOB: GCHG HARDWOOD'S FULL HOUSE DSX2 (Ch Hardwood's Millie's Kudo RN JH - Ch Hardwood's Stitch-N-Tyme.) Owner: Virginia Bartnicki & Jeanne Ohrnberger. Breeder: Virginia Bartnicki & Vivian DeRiemaker.



BOW/WB/BOBOH: DUSTYROSE SHILOHILL EASTERN RENDEZVOUS JH (GCH Eastern Waters Top Of The Mark CDX GN RE NAP NJP - Dusty Rose Shiloh Hill Habanero JH) Breeder/Owner: Michelle & David Keehn & Rane Nevels.

BOS: GCH DEERFIELD'S WHISPERING PINES CGC (GCH Hardwood's Fullhouse - GCH Harwood's Deerfield Born 'N The USA RN CGC) Owner: Vivian Derimaker. Breeder: Vivian Derimaker & Virginia Bartnicki

Select Dog: GCH CHESMAL'S THANK GOODNESS ITS FRIDAY (Ch Chesabar Pen & Ink - Ch Chesmals Yawkey Way) Owner: Dale Milder. Breeder: Colleen Gearheart & Dawn Skyes.

Select Bitch: GCHB STONEPEAKE'S WRTN IN STONE CGC TKN (Ch Sand Bar's Cast In Stone - Ch Ches-Shores Moer Than Faith CD) Owner: Robert Boyd. Breeder: Zabrina Livingstone.

WD: BLACKWOOD'S UNDERCOVER OPERATOR (Next Generation's Smooth Operator JH - Silvercreek Albridens I've Gota Secret) Breeder/Owner: Erica Wise.

RWD: POND HOLLOW SIMPLY COOPER (Ch Chestnut Hills Chisum - Ch Pond Hollow Sea Of Cortez) Owner: Kathy Perry & Dyane M Baldwin. Breeder: Dyane M Baldwin.

RWB: EASTERN WATERS' SHILOH HILL DELIGHTFUL HOLIDAY JH (Ch Chestnut Hills Chisum - Ch Eastern Waters' Dreams Miracle Delite CD BN RE) Owner: Rane L Nevell & Michelle D Keehn. Breeder: Elizabeth H Humer & Rubert J Humer.

ACC Supported Entry at Wyndham KC (MA) November 25, 2017

The Annual show Thanksgiving ACC Supported Entry was held Nov. 25 in conjunction with the Windham KC at the Eastern States Exposition Center, W. Springfield MA. Chesapeake breeders, owners and enthusiasts from up and down the East Coast gathered for an afternoon of food, fun and catching up with old friends and welcoming new ones. The award for having traveled furthest goes to Mitchel Horowitz (MD) who also gets my best dessert award for bringing his delicious peanut butter pie.

The afternoon started with Lunch and then we all gathered around to watch judging of the puppy sweepstakes. Our Judge was Johanna Duwaldt Coutu (RI), Colonial Chesapeakes. There was a nice entry of puppies. She graciously spent time with the novice dogs and handlers so they could show their best, and then found her Best in Sweeps with Pond Hollow Dut-Cheese Callista. Congratulations to owner Jill Conroy

As all the specials were gathered around the ring, the gallery was clapping and cheering for the Best of Breed judging by Dr. Michael Woods. It is always such a delight to have all of those Champions in the ring together. Our BOB Chesapeake owned by Rob & Jill Conroy and Robyn Haskin was CH Dut-Cheese Spark of Susquidilla. They went on to a BOBOHG4. Congratulations to them on their very successful weekend having gone BOBGI on Friday.

In other buildings on the site Chesapeakes were competing in Obedience, Agility and Rally. Congratulations to all who successfully competed and to Charlene Bridgwood who went HIT this year.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the raffle, great lunch and trophies this year. There was lots of food and enjoyment. As always a special thank you to Polly Henshaw for the wonderful trophies she found for us this year which were from Woodbury Pewter. Congratulations to all the winners. Thanks to all the exhibitors and supporters.

Report submitted by Barbara Healy, Supported Entry Chairman

Sweepstakes Results:

Judge Mrs. Johanna DuWaldt Coutu
Actual Entry: 5-6

Best Puppy in Sweeps: Pond Hollow Dut-Chesse Callista 5-1-17 By CH Pond Hollow Brugge-CH Pond Hollow The Wicked Wind. Owner: Jill Conroy. Breeder: Dyane Baldwin & Denise Brinsfield



Best of Opposite sex in Puppy Sweeps: Susquidilla Dut-Cheese Delorean 10-3-16 By GCH Pond Hollow Blue Ridge Rebel - CH Susquidilla Special Edition From Pond Hollow. Owner: Alicia Caruso & Robyn Haskin Breeder: Robyn Haskin & Paul Campanella.



Breed Results

Judge: Dr. Michael J. Woods

Actual Entry: 7-8 (5-5)

BOB/BOBOH/OHG4: CH Dut-Cheese Spark Of Susquidilla CD BN RN NA NAJ NF 7-25-13 By GCH Chestnut Hills Windjammer JH - CH Susquidilla Special Edition From Pond Hollow. Owner: Jill & Rob Conroy & Robyn Haskin. Breeder: Robyn Haskin & Paul Campanella. See picture in Versatility column.

BOW/WD: Chesarab's Wicked Game 05-05-15 By CH Chestnut Hills' Oak - GCH Chesarab's Lady Aurora CD RN. Owner: Debra Spartichino Rodden,. Breeder: Sheila DiVaccaro.

BOS: GCH Eastern Waters' Pink Power O' Mesa Ridge RN. 7-14-13 By GCH Eastern Waters' Top Of The Mark CDX RE GN JH NAP NJP - GCH Eastern Waters' Chasin' A Dream CD RN. Breeder/Owner: Elizabeth H & Rupert J Humer.



Select Dog: GCH Poisset's Doctor Mallard 12-05-09 By CH Poisset's Wild Mtn Skipper - CH Poisset's Following Sea. Breeder/Owner: Pauline Henshaw & Annie Henshaw

Select Bitch: CH Silvercreek's Canton By CH Silvercreek's Quick Draw McGraw - GCH Silvercreek's Cabinridge Gidget CD PNC BN RE DJ. Owner: Robin PioCosta-Lahue. Breeder: Joanne Silver & J Martin.

WB: Long Meadow Doing It Carlie's Way S.T.A.R. 6-14-16 By GCHG Chesastar Hudson Bay BN RN JH THD - High Brass Sassafras Lm. Owner: Crystal Krysztofik & Laura Chambers. Breeder: Tom De Berry & Laura Chambers.

RWD: Blackwaters Homegrown of Coppercast 9-26-16 By GCH Chesabars Copper Mine - High Brass LM Cotton Candy. Owner: W Joyce Shaw & Christopher P Keefe VMD & Mitchel Horowitz, Breeder: Laura A Chambers & Mitchel Horowitz.

RWB: Barrel Select's Port In The Storm 2/26/17 By Sugar-tree's Sea Jetty MH - Sandbar's Sweat Tea. Breeder/Owner: Todd Turcotte & Cassia Turcotte.

High in Trial: Utility Class A. 188.0/1 GCH Susquidilla High Definition CDX RA AX AXJ XF. Owner: Charlene Bridgwood & Robyn Haskin



Hunt Test Headlines

New Master Hunter



"Caddo" Coldcreek Caddo MH went straight to Master and completed his title at Yadkin River Retriever Club in Cedar Grove, NC on September 24, 2017. Many thanks to Jim Elam and his staff at Lake Country Retrievers for their expert training, handling and care. Caddo is owned by Cecillia and Adam Reeder of Raleigh, NC.

New Senior Hunter

"Maggie" GCH Dut-Chesse Rozy's Sweet Magnolia CDX SH RA AX AXJ XF RATI RATN AG-1 AG-2 CD (CH Pond Hollow Continental Divide X CH Cal-I-Co Dut-Chesse Rozy Skies CDX GO JH AX AXJ RE) got her last Senior pass at the Del Bay Retriever test in November, 2017. Judges Joe Romanczak and Karen DeMan were so supportive in the endeavor. Those of you that know Maggie, know that she can fall



apart at a test, but with their encouragement, they made us feel so at ease. She brought back all of the ducks, and her blinds were AWESOME!! We are so proud of Maggie. This is our first Bred by Senior Hunter!! She is owned and bred by Jill and Rob Conroy and exclusively handled by Jill Conroy.

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 - Name of Show/Event, Date(s), City and State (and/or Country), Judge(s), and Actual Entry numbers.
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 - For any other ACC sponsored events (agility, tracking, WDXQ, hunt tests, field trials, CAT, etc.) include only passing or qualifying results for Chesapeake Bay Retrievers.
 - All major wins, passes, or qualifiers should include dog’s full registered name, call name, owner names, and breeder or handler names if available.
 - Event chair write up/summaries should be limited to 500 words.

Show News Photos

- Due to limited space, only New Titles, BIS, Group placements or Supported Entry major wins (as listed above) will be published. If the dog has had several wins that you would like reported in the same Bulletin, please send in only one photo with text (250 word limit) that includes all accomplishments.

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Current ACC members in good standing may place classified advertising according to the Classified Ad guidelines printed in the *Bulletin*.

- Please use the following format for your submission:
 - (your 2-letter state abbreviation) YOUR DOG'S NAME, health clearances, (Sire [sire's health clearances] x Dam [dam's health clearances]). Your pertinent information for this advertisement. Your Name, [optional kennel name], Address, City, State, Zip+4. E-mail: *your-address@your-ISP.com* Phone: (Area Code) 555-1212. Web: *your-web-address.com*
 - Ads MUST be typed and are ONLY accepted from ACC Members in good standing.
 - Payment for Puppy, Stud Dog, Older Dog ads MUST be received with the ad submittal. Please limit ads to necessary information as space is limited.

Photo Submissions

Only photos submitted by the owner(s), co-owner(s), or breeder(s) who are current ACC members in good standing shall be published. Submissions by breeders who are not owners of record must include permission from the owner or co-owner of record prior to the submission deadline for the current issue.

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- Send the photos as an ATTACHMENT, not in the body of the e-mail or other document.
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- Check the settings on your camera / mobile device before taking pictures. There should be a settings feature allowing you to adjust the resolution/pixels; choose the highest setting for best print production. For example: 2400 x 3000 pixels/ inch (converts to 300dpi for an 8" x 10" photo).
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- Please DO NOT crop or edit your images – that will be done for you. Whenever possible, cropping will be done to show the dog as fully as possible.

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- Include a typed small caption/write up. If possible send the caption via e-mail as well. That way it's just a cut and paste rather than needing to be retyped for transmission to the editor.
- Please DO NOT submit digital photos that are printed onto inkjet photo paper on your home printer as all of the passes made by your print head will appear on the photo when scanned. Such scans are not useable.
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Volunteers are an essential part of the success of the American Chesapeake Club and are needed in a variety of roles. Many assignments need little or no advance training and bring great opportunities to learn and contribute to the breed and club we all love. Please consider how you might be able to bring your unique skills and talent to further the success of our breed and club. Help is needed in many areas throughout the year. *Volunteer applications can be found on the ACC website or please contact Linda Harger or any board member for an application or additional information.*



Obedience, Rally & Tracking News

Advanced Canine Good Citizen (CGCA), Urban CGC (CGCU) and UKC Rally Obedience 3 (URO3)

“Josey” USJ CA UGRCH URO3 RATN Sand Spring Outlaw SPOT RN THDN RATN CGCA CGCU TKI earned her CGCA, CGCU, and her RO3. She also earned Total Dog at a December UKC show. What an exciting Fall it has been. Josey is owned by Tom and Irene Pawlisch (WI). Nice way to wrap up 2017!



Rally Novice (RN)

“Ariel” Silvercreek Applejohn’s Little Mermaid RN earned her first title, Rally Novice, in 3 straight shows at the Tennessee Valley Kennel Club on November 3-5, 2017. Ariel was bred by Joanne Silver and Teresa Tebbens and is out of Shallcross Lake’s Little Rascal MH x CH Marjan’s Silvercreek Chantilly Lace CD BN RA JA CA. Ariel is owned, trained, and handled by Lorrie and Joe Johnson (TN). She is an amazing worker and we are looking forward to a fun 2018! Off to a great start!



Beginner Novice (BN) and Rally Novice (RN)

“Gunnie” Cabinridge Chesastar Rapid Fire Gunnie CGC JH BN RN (GCHG Chesastar Hudson Bay CGC WD BN RN THD JH X Cabinridge N Silvercreeks Gucci Goo) earned her Beginner Novice title in obedience and her Rally Novice title on Friday November 3rd at the Palisades Kennel Club Shows at the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds. Gunnie placed in all three of her qualifying legs of her BN. She placed fourth at the ACC National in NC, first on Thursday and third on Friday in the Palisades KC shows. Gunnie was bred by Karen Sosik and Jo Martin, she is owned by Karen and Jan Sosik (PA) and was handled by Jan. Way to go Team Gunnie!



Dock Master (DM)

“Koy” Am/ Can CH Nuka Bay Purple Lupin on the Koyukuk BN Can RN REWD TNN DM earned her Dock Master title in Orlando, FL at the NADD Last Chance Qualifiers (LCQ’s) held before the National Championships in December. She upped her Personal Best dock distance jump to 23’8”! She was invited to jump in the Master level during the Championships even though she only had a couple of Master distance jumps prior to the Florida trip. During the LCQ’s, she jumped 5 Master and 1 Senior distances then jumped 21’7” during the Championship (Master Division is 20’0” to 23’11”). Koy is B/O/T/H by Lynda Barber-Wiltse (AK). Fun trip to Florida in December! Dad Kach also completed a lower title (Dock Novice) during the LCQ’s in Florida, earned an invite to the Championships and upped his Personal Best distance jump to 12’2” then focused on the AKC Agility Invitational.



Obedience, Rally & Tracking News

Send to: Lynda Barber-Wiltse; 3135 Merganser Ave.; Anchorage, AK 99516-2706 • 907-345-2575 • nukabay@gci.net



Save the Date • May 6, 2018

10th Annual Supported Entry • At Trenton Kennel Club • West Windsor, New Jersey

The American Chesapeake Club will once again support the entry at the prestigious Trenton Kennel Club Show. This show is always a lot of fun with our chessie family and friends! TROPHIES, FOOD, VENDORS, FUN! Offered again this year are Puppy/Veteran Sweeps, Veterans, Working Retriever, 4-6 Month Puppy Competition, Owner-Handler series, and Coursing Ability Tests on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Sweepstakes Judge: Ms. Janice Mines

Breed Judge: Ms. Debra Thornton

Entries Close: April 18, 2018

Trophies offered for all classes, all placements, and all qualifiers.



AKC New Titles

AKC NEW TITLES EARNED - SEP & OCT 2017		
Dog Name	Owners Name	Date Titled
CHAMPION		
CH Chesarab's Chestnut Cara	Moya Nelson	1-Sep-17
CH Sedgeblac's Little Known Fact PCD BN RA ACT1	Melissa Moreno & Kimberly Hitt	2-Sep-17
CH Valhallas Commander-In-Chief	Charles S Kling & Laura Bergstraser	2-Sep-17
CH Quailridge's Big Sky Limited Edition	DEBRA WILEY CUEVAS	4-Sep-17
CH Alibi's League Of Her Own	Ric Plaut & Lea Plaut	9-Sep-17
CH Blackwoods Undercover Operator JH	Erica Wise	17-Sep-17
CH Skywatcher Dublin's Irish Ire	Michelle Junevitch	17-Sep-17
CH Chessieville Bay King Of The Road RN	Linda Mast & Heike Frattalone	6-Oct-17
CH Pond Hollow Point Bauer	Peter Douglas	8-Oct-17
CH Quail Runs Trick Or Treat	Dana Bleifer & Anastasia Bleifer Fragoulis	8-Oct-17
CH Decocoa's U' Can'T Touch This!	Karen S Marcotte	14-Oct-17
CH Takemehome Eleanor	Jennifer Barker-Lenzner	14-Oct-17
CH Comet's Deepwater Rock N' Roll Ruby CGC	Tom Ivey & Linda Harger & Dale & Maggie Langhorne	15-Oct-17
CH Silvercreek Canton	Robin Pio Costa-Lahue & Michael Lahue	15-Oct-17
CH Wayland's Sinfully Sweet	Mark L Glaspey & Kim L Cramer	22-Oct-17
GRAND CHAMPION		
GCH CH Quail Run's The Entertainer	Dana Bleifer	9-Sep-17
GCH CH Quail Ridge's Lock And Load	Bill Spinola	20-Oct-17
GRAND CHAMPION SILVER		
GCHS CH Takemehome Ship To Shore	Carol Duke & Jessica Braatz	13-Oct-17
GCHS CH Chesabar's Mr. Doots Mason CDX BN RE	Wesley, Beverly & Jeffrey Matthias	15-Oct-17
GRAND CHAMPION GOLD		
GCHG CH Shocktop's Power To Act	Kimberly Wright	12-Oct-17
COMPANION DOG		
GCH CH Dut-Chesse Opus Da Caccia CD BN RA JH	Chris & Karen Beste & Jill & Rob Conory	1-Sep-17
GCH CH Next Generations Matter Of Chance CD BN RN DM DJ CGC	Cheryl L Westhoff	1-Sep-17
Longmeadow Ms Sadie Says How You Be'S CD BN RN	Laura A Chambers & Beverly J Matthias	1-Sep-17
CH Sedgeblac's Little Known Fact CD PCD BN RA ACT1	Melissa Moreno & Kimberly Hitt	15-Oct-17
COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT		
GCHB CH Chesabar's Mr. Doots Mason CDX BN RE	Wesley, Beverly & Jeffrey Matthias	1-Sep-17

BEGINNER NOVICE		
CH Silvercreek's Sandy Bay Radiant Zara BN RN CGCA TKA	Kathy Ebben	1-Sep-17
Chesacola's Big Head Todd CD BN RE	Angela J. Cox	1-Sep-17
Chessieville Bay Summer Wind BN JH THDN RATN DS DJ CGC	Amy Wernecke	1-Sep-17
Longmeadow Ms Sadie Says How You Be'S CD BN RN	Laura A Chambers & Beverly J Matthias	1-Sep-17
Sedgeblac Top Shelf BN RN CGC	Sally Snow	10-Sep-17
GCHB CH Pond Hollow Third Time's A Charm BN RN	Chris Beste & Karen Barkes Beste	23-Sep-17
Barnum's Hamlet On Rocky Shores BN RE TD CAA RATO DM DS AS	Claire Hubbard	21-Oct-17
Caledonia's The Devils Cut BN RA DJ CGCA	Daphne Nimmons-Marvin & Andrew Marvin	29-Oct-17
PREFERRED COMPANION DOG		
Sedgeblac's Little Known Fact PCD BN RA ACT1	Melissa Moreno & Kimberly Hitt	1-Sep-17
Three Horses Sidera CD PCD CGCA	Ms. Maria Okolita	16-Sep-17
Skookum Crk Autumn's Never-Say-Never PCD RN CGC	Brenda D KC Owens	14-Oct-17
RALLY NOVICE		
CH Chesabar's Duck Duck Goose RN	Tina L Camp & Kim L Cramer	1-Sep-17
Longmeadow Ms Sadie Says How You Be'S CD BN RN	Laura A Chambers & Beverly J Matthias	1-Sep-17
Blackwood's Special Ops RN CGCA TKN	Alberta Hoikka & Larry Hoikka	15-Sep-17
Skywatcher's Mountain Song Bird RN	Samantha Peyrollaz	16-Sep-17
Roux Cross RN DS	Vee Ann Cross & Steve Cross	17-Sep-17
Finnegan Bartlett Rizzo's Reo Royale RN	JENNIFER O'BRIEN	24-Sep-17
RALLY ADVANCED		
GCH CH Dut-Chesse Opus Da Caccia CD BN RA JH	Chris & Karen Beste & Jill & Rob Conory	1-Sep-17
Caledonia's The Devils Cut RA DJ CGCA	Daphne Nimmons-Marvin & Andrew Marvin	24-Sep-17
RALLY EXCELLENT		
Treasure Lake Tiller Towards Trouble RE OA OAJ NJP OF DM CGC	Steve Cross & VeeAnn Cross	1-Sep-17
Barnum's Hamlet On Rocky Shores BN RE TD CAA RATO DM DS AS	Claire Hubbard	21-Oct-17
RALLY ADVANCED EXCELLENT		
Aksala Sundance Doc Adams CDX RAE	Edward Hoover & Shannon B Rollins & E Brook Moore & Cecilia Watt	22-Jul-17
GCH CH Chesabar Takes Sedgeblac By Storm CD GN RAE JH ACT2	Kimberly Hitt D.V.M. & Sandra Hitt	1-Sep-17
Whiskey Creek's Hatteras Island Obx CD RAE CGC	Cecilia Caretti & Ray Caretti	1-Sep-17
Backcountry's Redi 4 Devils Canyon CD BN RAE2 JH	Chad Schonbeck & Judith Schonbeck	2-Sep-17



AKC New Titles

Summershade's Miss Dee Dee CD GN RAE FDC RATN DSA AS CGCA	Melinda Phillips & Lex Phillips	23-Sep-17
Albridens Chicagoland Conner CD BN RAE	Christine Noonan	27-Oct-17
JUNIOR HUNTER		
GCH CH Togin's On The Road Again O'Kinghill CD BN RN JH CGC	William H Lane	19-Aug-17
Sand Spring Guilt By Association JH THDN CGCA CGCU	Joann Stancer	2-Sep-17
Riversedge Mazie May JH	Rick Timmers & Kim Timmers	3-Sep-17
Blucollars Devil & The Deep Blue Sea JH	Elizabeth Hipp	9-Sep-17
Captain Thor's Sunshine Diamond JH	Robert Lonnie Price	10-Sep-17
Sago Silvercreek Gomez's Cara Mia JH	Joanne C Silver & christine gonzales	15-Sep-17
CH Frosty Hills Take The Bucket And Run Sir Gauge JH	Simon Blanks	23-Sep-17
Blazing Remi Lou JH	Derrick Wilcox	24-Sep-17
Chisolm Trails Authentic Rough Ryder JH	Jay Oliver	24-Sep-17
Jackson Cody Boren JH	Daniel Louis Boren	24-Sep-17
Ironstone's Precious Gem PCD BN RN JH DJ CGC	Ms. Tamara Alexander & Mr. Jeff Finken	30-Sep-17
Ned's Dedication (Bauer) JH	Mr. Cory Alan Smith	30-Sep-17
CH Dove Creek's Fashionably Late JH	Charles S Kling & Laura Bergstraser	1-Oct-17
Great Lakes The Deliverer JH	Joshua B Masten & TJ Greer	1-Oct-17
Longmeadow Beaver Valley's Kodiak JH	Chad A Edwards	1-Oct-17
Kbar's Beaver River Sunshine Jaxson JH	Kirk and Lauren Kavanaugh	7-Oct-17
Blackwaters Scrappy Dappy Doo Of Talking Water JH	Mr. Andrew Jordan	14-Oct-17
Blizzard Bay Triple Tea Shot JH	Brian Kranz & Wendy Bielak	14-Oct-17
Barrel Select's Coastal Redwood JH	Cassia Turcotte & Todd Turcotte	21-Oct-17
Neosho River's High Caliber Drake JH	Eugene Knight	21-Oct-17
Sugarfoots Brookie JH	Tim Porelle	21-Oct-17
T1 Pro's Sage Marks A Lot JH	Mr. BRIAN KEITH MANSKER	21-Oct-17
Halloween Honey's Axle Rose JH	Joel Williams	28-Oct-17
Red Dirt's Midnight Swagger JH	Chris Payne	28-Oct-17
SENIOR HUNTER		
Crescent Moon's Holly Jolly Mistletoe SH	David Outhouse & Dawn Outhouse	19-Aug-17
Harvest Running Rita SH	Damon Sweep	20-Aug-17
Handful Of Nothing SH	Kylie Kertz	26-Aug-17
Redlion Elizabeth's Valour In The Field SH	Todd Edward Smith	26-Aug-17
Shore Breakers Splash Of Lily SH	Ted Gentry	26-Aug-17
Colonial's Augustus SH	Paul D. O'Neil	10-Sep-17

Ripplingwaters Switchgrass Stampede SH	Michael W Servi	16-Sep-17
Whiteoak's Kit Carson Scout SH	Jesse W Burnette	24-Sep-17
Blue Skies Ruby Watcha Gonna Do SH	Clayton D Evans	30-Sep-17
CH Spinnakers Fanny Porter Quail-run Mayhem SH	T J GREER	1-Oct-17
Dusty Rose Millet's Li'L Seedling SH	Michelle Keehn	1-Oct-17
Cold Creek's Karl Anthony SH	Billy Brewer	13-Oct-17
East Winds Top Gun Of Back Creek SH	Mr. David C. Hopkins	14-Oct-17
Rose's Amazing Grace SH	Luke Rose	14-Oct-17
CH Frosty Hills Take The Bucket And Run Sir Gauge SH	Simon Blanks	28-Oct-17
Oak Hill Ally Get Your Gun SH	Beverly Smith	28-Oct-17
Tioga's Big Dakota SH	Freeman Sawyer	29-Oct-17
MASTER HUNTER		
Harvest Black Bird Of The Northwoods MH	Justin Thurston	19-Aug-17
Queen Zoey Of Nautical Mile MH	Edward Andrew Reedy	26-Aug-17
Cold Creek's Caddo MH	Cecillia Reeder & Adam Reeder	23-Sep-17
Cote's Chessie MH	Dr. Timothy Cote	29-Sep-17
Brk's Dead River Abby MH	Chuck Bolinger	30-Sep-17
Ottercreek's Li'L Bit Of Heaven On Earth MH	Gary A Boyce & Dawn E Boyce	30-Sep-17
Shiawassee's Millet Field Menace MH CGC	Rick Rusz & Debra Rusz	30-Sep-17
FARM DOG CERTIFIED		
Finnegan Bartlett Rizzo's Reo Royale RN FDC	JENNIFER O'BRIEN	30-Sep-17
Sir Buster Brown Of Great Renown FDC THD CGC	Jennifer O'Brien & Jeffrey O'Brien	30-Sep-17
OPEN AGILITY JUMPER		
Redlion's Caliber Dil CD RAE AX OAJ	Karen Sperle & William Farnham	23-Sep-17
OPEN AGILITY PREFERRED		
Sugar Tree's Teak On Deck OAP	Constance Glore	28-Oct-17
AGILITY EXCELLENT		
Treasure Lake Tiller Towards Trouble RE AX AXJ NJP OF DM CGC	Steve Cross & VeeAnn Cross	14-Oct-17
MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT		
CH Pond Hollow Bryce Canyon MX AXJ OF	Dyane M Baldwin & Nancy Miller	17-Oct-17
MASTER SILVER AGILITY 2		
MACH5 Rippling Waters Jill MXS2 MJS2 MFS TQX T2B4	Ms. Ann Williscroft	29-Oct-17
EXCELLENT AGILITY JUMPER		
Treasure Lake Tiller Towards Trouble RE AX AXJ NJP OF DM CGC	Steve Cross & VeeAnn Cross	14-Oct-17

MASTER EXCELLENT JUMPER		
Eastern Waters' Makai Wind VCD1 BN RE TDX MX MXJ XF	Doreen W Palmer & Elizabeth H Humer & Gary W Palmer	15-Oct-17
MASTER SILVER JUMPER 2		
MACH5 Rippling Waters Jill MXB2 MJS2 MFS TQX T2B4	Ms. Ann Williscroft	7-Oct-17
BCAT		
GCH CH Dj's & Hiho's Galloping Ghost RN JH FDC CA BCAT DM DSA CGC	Deanna Morasco & Tim Higgins & Ellen Cottingham	7-Oct-17
COURSING ABILITY ADVANCED		
Barnum's Hamlet On Rocky Shores RA TD CAA RATO DM DS AS	Claire Hubbard	1-Oct-17
SCENT WORK CONTAINER NOVICE		
Sand Spring Get The Party Started SCN SBN	Ms. Trish Ann Neel-Wilson	21-Oct-17
Blackwood's Special Ops RN SCN CGCA TKN	Alberta Hoikka & Larry Hoikka	29-Oct-17
SCENT WORK BURIED NOVICE		
Sand Spring Get The Party Started SCN SBN	Ms. Trish Ann Neel-Wilson	21-Oct-17
CANINE GOOD CITIZEN		
Custer's Osage Haunted Heart CGC	Mrs. Rosjean Marie Custer & Mr. Bryan Levi Custer	30-Jul-17
Pond Hollow Simply Cooper CGC	Kathy Perry & Dyane M Baldwin	31-Jul-17
Desert Winds Ryker CGCU	SW Canine Rehabilitation	5-Aug-17
Takoda CGC	Wendy & Vance Geradu	5-Aug-17
Cal-I-Co Mikey's Little 500 CGC	Michael Mitchell	12-Aug-17
Hiland's Stoss's Leap Of Faith CGC	Mary Elizabeth Stoss Davis	22-Aug-17
Desert Winds Grin N Bear It CGC	Leslie Castellanos & Allan Castellanos	23-Sep-17
Hardwood's Si The Crazy Guy CGC	David Tacoma	10-Oct-17
Happyfeet's Deal An Ace CGC	Ms. Maurine Coleman & Kris- tina M Cordiero	14-Oct-17
Port Side's Go Ask Alice CGC	Heather & Craig Hauser	24-Oct-17
Spinnaker's Flying High CGC	Nicole Cassidy & Robert Blair	28-Oct-17
ADVANCED CANINE GOOD CITIZEN		
Desert Winds Ryker CGCA	SW Canine Rehabilitation	5-Aug-17
CANINE GOOD CITIZEN URBAN		
Desert Winds Ryker CGCA CGCU	SW Canine Rehabilitation	5-Aug-17
TRICK DOG NOVICE		
CH Gemco's North Wind CD RN CGCA TKN	Mary F Hanson	7-Sep-17
Takoda CGC TKN	Wendy & Vance Geradu	13-Oct-17
TRICK DOG INTERMEDIATE		
CH Gemco's North Wind CD RN CGCA TKI	Mary F Hanson	8-Sep-17
DOCK NOVICE		
CH Caledoniaau Calamity Jane DN	Andrew, Saxon, Skye Marvin and Daphne Nimmons-Marvin	9-May-16

DOCK JUNIOR		
Barnum's Hamlet On Rocky Shores RN TD CA RATO DJ	Claire Hubbard	28-May-17
Caledonia's The Devils Cut RN DJ CGCA	Daphne Nimmons-Marvin & Andrew Marvin	2-Sep-17
CH Whispering Oak Josie Wales DJ	James Brown & Kevin E Skow & Karen Brown	3-Sep-17
Chesacola's Harvest Moon DJ	Sandi Wise & Chris Wise	22-Sep-17
DOCK SENIOR		
Summersshade's Miss Dee Dee CD RN DS	Melinda Phillips & Lex Phillips	13-Sep-15
Barnum's Hamlet On Rocky Shores RN TD CA RATO DS DJ	Claire Hubbard	30-Jun-17
Whiskey Creek's Ship full Of Dreams CA DS	Ann Brashears & Katherine E Case	20-Aug-17
GCH CH Waylands Wild Cherry Lifesaver CA DS	Valerie Vollmers	1-Sep-17
Leatherwood's Snap, Crackle, Pop! DS	Leslie Waters Thompson & Katherine E Case	1-Sep-17
Treasure Lake Auburn's Sadie JH DS	Marie Olson & Katherine Hein- tel & Richard Olson	1-Sep-17
CH Caledonia's Pappy Van Winkle RN DS	Daphne Nimmons-Marvin & Andrew Marvin	2-Sep-17
Crosscreek N Tlc's Epirochoid CD BN RA DS	Sarah Fortman	3-Sep-17
Roux Cross DS	Vee Ann Cross & Steve Cross	3-Sep-17
DOCK SENIOR ADVANCED		
GCH CH Dj's & Hiho's Galloping Ghost RN JH FDC CA DM DSA CGC	Deanna Morasco & Ellen Cottingham	19-Aug-17
Summersshade's Miss Dee Dee CD GN RE FDC RATN DSA AS CGCA	Melinda Phillips & Lex Phillips	31-Aug-17
CH Whiskey Creek's Parting The Waters CD RE OA OAJ CAA DM DSA	Ann Brashears & Katherine E Case	14-May-17
DOCK MASTER		
Cabinridge Philomena DM	Kristin Landau	20-May-17
Barnum's Hamlet On Rocky Shores RN TD CA RATO DM DS	Claire Hubbard	2-Jul-17
Silvercreek Mambo Numba Five DM	Trudy Paquin & Joanne C Silver	2-Jul-17
Treasure Lake Tiller Towards Trouble RA OA OAJ NJP OF DM CGC	Steve Cross & VeeAnn Cross	31-Aug-17
North Flow Swedish Adventure DM	Sarah Fortman & Dawn Logan	4-Sep-17
AIR RETRIEVE SENIOR		
Summersshade's Miss Dee Dee CD RE FDC RATN DS AS CGCA	Melinda Phillips & Lex Phillips	16-Jul-17
CH Whiskey Creek's Parting The Wa- ters CD RE OA OAJ CAA DM DSA AS	Ann Brashears & Katherine E Case	31-Aug-17
Whiskey Creek's Old Forester Stump DE AM CGC	Dr. Jessica G Horne	3-Sep-17
Barnum's Hamlet On Rocky Shores RA TD CA RATO DM DS AS	Claire Hubbard	9-Sep-17
EDITOR'S NOTE		
<i>Titles above are submitted by Betsy Humer as reported by the AKC. If any ques- tions / corrections e-mail Betsy at: tiderunr2@verizon.net</i>		

Health Committee Report

Ophthalmology Research of Significance

Dr. Gus Aguirre is one of the premier veterinary ophthalmologists in the world. During his research on Bilateral, Posterior Subcapsular, Triangular cataracts, primarily in Labs and Golden Retrievers, he observed they may be significant in Chesapeakes. To clarify I have an abstract from "Grant for Growth". A piece that Dr. Aguirre produced which details the potential importance of the disease to Chesapeakes:

"What is the important or scientific problem that this research addresses?"

The primary objective of this study is to develop a DNA-Based test that determines the genetic risk for being affected with or transmitting genes(s) for canine hereditary cataracts (HC) in Chesapeake Bay Retrievers: Golden Retrievers (GR) and Labrador Retrievers (LR). Cataracts are opacities within the normally transparent lens of the eye. Depending upon the extent (size) of the cataract, and position within the lens, vision may be blurred or completely obscured. Cataracts are one of the more frequent eye diseases and a leading cause of blindness in dogs (and in humans). The pathogenesis and the underlying biology of most cataracts are unknown and have been only partly investigated in a limited number of selected canine breeds. Not all cataracts are genetic, and not all cataracts are the same, but cataracts that are highly similar and recur frequently within specified closed populations, such as canine breeds, are likely to be hereditary.

Golden and Labrador retrievers are the two main breeds used by organizations that raise and train guide and service dogs, particularly as guide dogs for the blind. Two of the biggest problems associated with cataracts in these dogs are 1.) affected dogs can not be recognized as such before early adulthood, after considerable investment in time, training effort, and money; 2.) nonaffected dogs are often carriers, transmitting

the disease gene to their progeny. In the particular populations of GR & LR that are the focus of this study, a specific form of cataract is present, is inherited as an autosomal recessive trait, and is a major cause of loss of dogs for service as guide dogs for vision impaired humans and a major loss to breeders of dogs for show and pet homes."

It is easy to see this same importance for trained field trial, show and pets in CBRS.

To "Further Clarify" note from Optigen's Research Webpage:

Inherited Cataracts: Modeled on our PRA research program, these projects are aimed at identifying the genes and mutations responsible for specific cataracts found in certain breeds. There are many types of cataracts but we are studying only Triangular, Bilateral, Posterior Subcapsular type that develops between 1.5 year and 3 year of age in the following breeds: Golden Retrievers, Labrador Retrievers, Rottweilers, Bernese Mountain Dogs, English Springer Spaniels and Chesapeake Bay Retrievers.

Questions on research sample submissions, forms, etc. may be directed to:

Sue Pearce-Kelling, President and Manager Optigen, LLC
Cornell Business and Technology Park
767 Warren Road, Suite 300
Ithaca, NY 14850 (www.optigen.com)

There are presently no funds available to defray costs, sample collection and shipping. If interest increases and more findings develop, the cost support may increase.

Submitted by Dr. James Stewart, ACC Health Chairman

Meet the Breeds

Meet the Breeds Booth at the Wisconsin Dog Fair

On November 5, 2017 the 29th Annual Wisconsin Dog Fair presented by the Badger Kennel Club took place at the Alliant Energy center in Madison, WI. This is a day for the public to come out and learn about the various AKC dog breeds. There were over 100 breeds that you could meet including the Chesapeake Bay Retriever.

As the ACC WI Regional Director, this was the 3rd year that I and one of my Chessies (Gambler) represented the breed. This year Tom Pawlisch and his family along with their Chessie, Josey, joined me in educating the public about the CBR. We talked to people, we handed out literature about the breed, and we let the people pet, comb, and give treats to our dogs. We listened to their stories about their Chessies that they once had or have now. It was a very rewarding day for us and the public. Thanks to Tom who is now an official volunteer with the ACC to help out where I need him to in fulfilling my regional director role.

- JoAnn Stancer



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President's Message

Happy New Year! Hope this finds all our members and their dogs well and thriving. 2017 is over and as they say in the books but there are lots of wonderful memories for us all.

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of our hard working volunteers who hold this club together on all levels. Without the dedication of these people the club and the breed would suffer greatly. To you all a heartfelt thank you.

And to everyone, if you have time to give the club a hand in anyway it will be appreciated.

Good news: A committee has been formed and they have begun work on updating/revamping our website. Lots of good ideas and input so we look forward to the results. Our FB page is functional please use it to post news and events or photos and good cheer.

Remember throughout 2018 to support each other and all the endeavors everyone takes on with these wonderful dogs who own us.

Cheers! Linda Harger

2018 Nominating Committee

Attention ACC Members: Members interested in being considered for nomination to an officer or Board position may submit to the Nominating Committee a resume of their experience with the breed, previous service to the Club and any other pertinent information regarding their qualifications. Submitted information becomes the property of the Club and may be subject to verification. Interested parties should consider that all positions may not be open for new parties each year as officers and directors generally serve in their positions for three years. Additionally, geographic representation is a consideration when selecting nominees, as required by the ACC Bylaws. Resumes should be submitted to the Nominating Committee by April 1st. Detailed information about the nomination and election process is outlined in our Bylaws; these can be found on our website.

Pat Puwal – Chair (VA) - blurdgches@cox.net
Tina Cox - Board Liaison (MI) - browndogzusa@gmail.com
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Pat Baughman – Alternate Board Liaison (NE) - emeliseb@yahoo.com
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Secretary's Report

September 19, 2017 Board Minutes

A regular meeting of the board of directors of the AMERICAN CHESAPEAKE CLUB, a California Nonprofit public benefit corporation was called to order 5:05 PM EDT, Tuesday September 19, 2017. The meeting was held by telephone

conference call through which all persons participating in the meeting could hear and speak to one another.

The following officers and directors were present: President Linda Harger, Vice President Lynda Barber-Wiltse, Treasurer Gale Frana, Secretary Tina Cox, Director Gary Boyce, Director Jill Conroy, Director Heidi Henningson, Director Betsy Horn Humer. Director Ed Bahr was absent.

President Linda Harger served as Chair and Secretary Tina Cox served as Secretary of the meeting.

1. Approval of Minutes – To approve minutes from July 18, 2017. **17:36** (Linda Harger, Lynda Barber-Wiltse) Passed 09/19/2017.
2. Report of President: Linda Harger reported 2017 National Show Specialty is done and in the books!
3. Report of Secretary: The Secretary (Tina Cox) reported the following motions have been approved by unanimous written consent of the directors, effective on the dates noted, and the consents will be filed with the minutes of this meeting.
 - A. To accept the June 2017 New Members. **17:32** (Tina Cox, Lynda Barber-Wiltse) Approved 07/22/2017
 - B. To accept the July 2017 New Members. **17:33** (Tina Cox, Gale Frana) Approved 8/13/2017
 - C. To approve National Retriever Derby Club (NRDC) Charter Membership fee of \$2500. **17:34** (Linda Harger, Jill Conroy) Approved 09/10/2017
 - D. To accept the August 2017 New Members. **17:35** (Tina Cox, Jill Conroy) Approved 09/15/2017
4. Report of Treasurer: The Treasurer (Gale Frana) reported on September 11, 2017, a check was sent to the National Retriever Derby Club (NRDC) in the amount of \$2500 for a Charter Membership.

Current ACC Main Account balances as of August 27, 2017:

Checking \$ 17,651.22

Savings \$163,416.09

5. Reports of Committees:

A. Standing Committees

1. Companion Events Committee (Jill) – Application went into AKC for dock diving, haven't heard anything back yet. Article to appear in the Bulletin about changes to several Companion Events.
2. Field Trial Committee (Heidi Henningson) – Recommend Tim Bonnema (MN) to the committee. Things moving forward for the National Field Trial Specialty (NFTS) in Oregon for 2018. NFTS will be in Texas for 2019. NFTS rotates thru 4-time zones.
3. Health Committee (Betsy) – Bloat seminar delayed until later in the year, but we will still participate.
4. Hunt Test Committee (Gary Boyce) – Working Dog Certification Program (WD/X/Q) at the NSS went very well. A good test and everyone had a good time.
5. Judge and Breeder Education Committee (JBEC) (Betsy) – No updates.

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6. Show Committee (Jill) – Committee will get list of supported entries to Gale (Treasurer) this week. Will be soliciting to past chairs from this year for holding Supported Entry next year. Need to order medallions.

I. Committee members will be splitting the responsibility of completing the remaining portions of the unfinished show manual.

II. Will present the 2017 NSS financials next month to the board.

B. Ad-Hoc Committees

1. Breed Rescue Service (Heidi) – Four young females looking for homes, things quiet otherwise.

2. Editorial Committee (Lynda) – Going Smoothly!

3. Illustrated Guide (IG) Evaluation (Betsy) – Still working on it.

4. ROM Program (Lynda) – No updates.

5. Electronic Communications Group (Linda) – Follow up on website.

6. Unfinished Business:

A. European Working Dog Certification Program

B. Two will be given at National Field Trial Specialty (NFTS) to Linda Patterson and Sandra Dollar.

7. New Business:

A. To award Angie Cox the AKC Good Sportsmanship Award. **17:20** (Linda Harger, Gale Frana) Approved 05/30/2017 (This motion was approved at the May 30, 2017 Board teleconference, but was withheld from publication in the Bulletin until after the recipient received her award at the Annual Meeting in September 2017)

B. To appoint Tim Bonnema (MN) to the Field Trial Committee for a three year term 10/2017 - 09/2020. **17:37** (Linda Harger, Heidi Henningson) Approved 09/19/2017

C. To appoint Julie Cole (CA) as the Chair of the Field Trial Committee beginning 10/2017 - 09/2020. **17:38** (Linda Harger, Heidi Henningson) Approved 09/19/2017

D. To rescind motions 14:05 and 14:06 (“Starting in 2014, ACC will only allow the winners, of the NSS Challenge Trophy’s, to take possession of the Trophy’s once they have won them three times and have retired them. In place of the challenge Trophy, a winner will receive and keep a picture plaque with name of Challenge Trophy and year won. Cost of plaques will be incurred by the NSS Trophy Fund. Winners will be responsible for supplying their own picture. The trophies will still be on display at the NSS and winners will be allowed to have pictures taken with them. 14:05 (Joanne Silver, Ellie Domek) passed 1/26/2014” “Propose that the NSS Challenge Trophies not be replaced when retired, with the exception of Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex, Best of Winner’s, Winner’s Dog, Winner’s Bitch and High in Trial. 14:06 (Joanne Silver,

Michael Moscowitz) passed 1/26/2014”) of January 26, 2014. From here forth the NSS Challenge trophies will remain in the custody of the winners until the next National Show Specialty. Persons awarded the American Chesapeake Club Challenge Trophies will be required to sign a release and liability form before claiming the award. **17:39** (Linda Harger, Betsy Horn Humer) Approved 09/19/2017

E. To allow the Health Committee Chair the ability to create sub ad-hoc committees to complete specific project(s) until that project(s) is completed. **17:40** (Gale Frana, Gary Boyce) Approved 09/19/2017

F. To approve the August 31, 2017 Board Meeting minutes. **17:41** (Linda Harger, Heidi Henningson) Approved 09/19/2017

G. To approve the September 1, 2017 Annual Meeting minutes. **17:42** (Linda Harger, Gary Boyce) Approved 09/19/2017

H. To appoint Brenda Stewart, VMD (MD) to the Show Committee for a three year term 09/2017 - 08/2020. **17:43** (Linda Harger, Gale Frana) Approved 09/19/2017

I. The Board of Directors of the American Chesapeake Club will meet annually at a pre-determined Specialty with the ACC off setting cost of travel according to the ACC travel policy. **17:44** (Heidi Henningson, Linda Harger) Approved 09/19/2017

Executive Session – the Board went into Executive Session at 7:34 PM EDT and came out at 8:17 PM EDT. There was nothing to report from Executive Session.

There being no further business, the meeting was duly adjourned at 8:29 PM EDT.

Tina Cox, Secretary Dated: 11/26/2017





Classifieds

BREEDERS' LIST

1. Breeders must be ACC members in good standing for at least one full year.
2. There is a \$12.00 annual fee for inclusion on the list.
3. Breeders must send for and complete the ACC Breeder's List Application.
4. With the production of the revised list, all old listings will be dropped.
5. To receive a Breeders List Application, email Debra Rodden at drodden@concretebiz.com or go to www.amchessieclub.org

CLASSIFIED AD SUBMISSION - Guidelines cover all ads for Stud Dogs, Puppies and Older Dogs.

The only criterion for advertising is ACC membership and payment for ads. The ACC Board of Directors strongly recommends that all breeding stock be free of Hip Dysplasia, all hereditary eye diseases, EIC and Degenerative Myelopathy. The absence of OFA/CERF/PRA/DM/EIC information indicates to the buyer that they should inquire about these conditions/clearances. Inclusion on these classified lists does not imply endorsement by the ACC or guarantee health clearances. Be sure to include where you are located in your ad. The ACC accepts ads in good faith, and does not check ads for accuracy or completeness. Guarantees or warranties (expressed or implied) are the sole responsibility of the advertiser.

Submit ad copy and payment by check or money order in US funds only or by PayPal (a \$1 fee is charged per PayPal submission). All ads must be sent regular mail (no phone or email ads except when using PayPal). Mail to: annlaw0331@gmail.com or mail to Ann Law, 6 Grant Street, Riverside, NJ 08075-3723. Make checks payable to "American Chesapeake Club". If sending by Express Mail you MUST check the *wave signature* required box. Please limit ads to necessary information as space is limited. (Example: OFA2531E, EL261, CERF 2013, DM Clear etc.). Ads MUST be typed and are ONLY accepted from ACC Members in good standing.

Stud Dog Ads: Cost is \$40.00 per year. Ads can be placed due the 1st of odd months only and will be included in 6 Bulletin issues and placed on Web.

Puppy / Older Dog Ads: A \$5 monthly ad will be accepted on a one month basis and is due the 1st of every month. Ads will be placed on the ACC website, and in the Bulletin (if placed on Odd months). Each litter or older dog advertised constitutes a separate ad. You may submit an ad for one or more months. Due to new monthly options, due dates will be strictly adhered to. Any ad received after the first of the month will be placed the following month.

Note: Be cautious as to whom you respond to in conjunction with your puppy ads. Some breeders have been receiving e-mails from pet dealers.

GLOSSARY OF COMMON SYMBOLS / ABBREVIATIONS:

- ** Dog has placed in licensed Field Trial derby or qualifying stake.
- *** Dog is a qualified all-age field trial dog.

Puppies For Sale

(NY) CH CAMPTOWN

DOUBLE TROUBLE JH OFA Hips CB10620G24MVPI, EL CBEL2479M24, Eyes CB125/14MVPI, EIC DMCB2084/26MVPI-Carrier, (CH Silvercreek All In The Family X Camptown Angel From Montgomery JH) X **CAMPTOWN HARVEST MOON JH** OFA Hips CB11157G28FVPI, EL CBEL2949F, PRA normal, Dm Normal (CH Chestnut Hills Chisum X Camptown If I Were A Song JH) Litter Due Approx Dec 12 2017 Expecting Show, Hunting and Companion prospects Contact: Peter and Valerie Duda. NY Website: www.camptownchesapeake.com Phone: 845-361-4761 (exp. 01/18)

(PA) CH BLIZZARD BAY ELITE

RANGER JHWD Hips Good CB-11030G24M-VPI, Elbows Normal CB-EL2828M24-VPI, Eyes CB-EYE820/35M-PI, (DM, EIC, PRA, and ED/SF clear/normal) GCH Pond Hollow Grand Rapids Buck JH x CH Penrose Volcano Cocktail JHWD) X **CH BLIZZARD BAY SHADOW OF ROSE JH** (Hips Good CB-11252G24F-VPI, Elbows Normal CB-EL3023F24-VPI, Eyes CB-EYE900/19F-PI, (DM, EIC, PRA, and Long Coat clear/normal) Westwind Whispering Cove MH QA2 x Redlion's Blizzard Bay Splash JHWDX) Ranger and Shadow are a blend of speed, power, and good looks. The pups will do well as hunting companions, have show capabilities, and great potential in field events. Pups due 1/23/2018, ready for homes 3/24/2018 Contact: Brian Kranz. Erie, PA Email: learninglaw@yahoo.com Website: www.chessi.net Phone: (814)504-5044 (exp. 02/18)

(SD) OAHE DREAM CHASER OFA

Good, Elbows normal, DM& EIC Clear, eyes CB-EYE536/23M-VPI Grand Sires and Dams CH Rippling Waters Purple Haze MH and Musky Bays River Gem Stone CH Anubis Treasured Bettis MH, and Cur-San's Fox Island Canton JH X **CH MONARCH'S SHAKE YOUR GROOVE THANG OFA** Good, Elbows normal, DM & EIC clear eyes CB-EYE103/16F-VPI (GCH Alibi n Royal's Road Warrior X CH Chesabar All Eyes on Me CD RN) All puppies will be micro chipped Puppies due Dec 3 2017 Contact: Jerry Withers. 218 Grey Goose Rd, Pierre, SD 57501 Email: jerry46@centurylink.net Phone: 605-224-2908 or 605-280-7132 (exp. 02/18)



(OH) CH POND HOLLOW B-SPOKEN)

OFA 10799G; EL2639-N; EYE 458/15-20*; DM 1775-N; PRA 66-N; Cardiac 228-N; ED/SF 09-N; EIC-CBP (INT */AM CH Marjan's It's All In The Game MH x CH Pond Hollow B Mine Again) X **SUGARCREEK'S NOTORIOUS TULAROO** OFA-CB-10893G44F-VPI, EL CB-EL2716F44-VPI; DM-CB-DM2118/34F-VPI-CAR; ED-C; EIC Clear by Parentage Red Lions Notorious MH X CH Pond Hollow SugarCreek Bayli Pups should be 8 weeks Nov 20th Contact: Tom Cato. BellBrook, OH Email: sugarcreekskyhawk@gmail.com SugarCreek Chesapeake Phone: 937-671-3668 (exp. 01/18)

(AK) GCH MARJAN'S IT'S ALL IN THE

GAME MH Hips Good, Elbows Normal, Eyes Normal, DM clear, PRA carrier, EIC clear (Bis CH Silvercreek Remington Steele JH X CH Marjan's Annie's Song) X X **CHUGACH'S CHATTERING NIZINA SH**** Hips Good, Elbows Normal, Eyes Normal, DM carrier, PRA clear, EIC clear (Chugach's Thumping Jago MH QA2 X CH Chugach's Katmai Tazlina MH) Puppies due 12/31/17. This is a breeding of very different lines, the COI is essentially 0, which, biologically (genetically), is a very good thing. Max is a sedge male with excellent field aptitude and wonderful temperament. His trainer says he is the best marking dog he has ever trained. Nizina is a young deadgrass bitch who has her SH at 2 and has derby points. She is an excellent marker; very birdy and has been hunted extensively for both waterfowl and upland birds. The purpose of this breeding is to produce good looking, well built dogs of good temperament that have a passion for birds, hunting, and the dog games. Contact: Mike Vogel. Anchorage, AK Email: mcvinak@gmail.com Website: www.chugachchesapeake.com Phone: (907) 345-8898 (exp. 03/18)

(MD) GRAND OAKS HE'S NO BOY

SCOUT MH ** "Scout" Hips-Good, Elbow-Normal, Eyes-Normal, Cardiac-Normal, EIC/ PRA/DM-Clear (Lind's Northcreek Magnum MHWDQ x CK's Pay Piper MH QAA) X **HR POND HOLLOW OTTER POINT CDX SHWDQ ** "Molly"** Hips-Excellent, Elbow-Normal, Eyes-Normal, EIC/PRA/PM-Clear (MHR Pond Hollow Legos Point MH ** x CH Crosscreek Mists of Avalon) Scout and Molly have performed well in hunt tests, field trials and while hunting. They both have excellent temperaments, enjoy working, and are very friendly. Puppies from this breeding should make very good performance dogs, gun dogs and exceptional family pets. Whelping expected 1st week of Jan 2018 Contact: Frank Pittelli. MD Email: frank@pittelli.com Website: <http://www.pittelli.com/litter> Phone: 410-279-1939 (exp. 01/18)



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(TX) HRCH PLATTE RIVER'S DECOY DANCER MH OFA Clearance Hips Good, Elbow Normal, DM -Clear, EIC Carrier, PRA - Carrier (Platte River's 3 Inch Duce SH x Montalk's You Listen) X **WESTWIND'S MULLIGAN JH "Mully"** OFA Hips Good, Elbow normal, DM, EIC, PRN, LC, EC. All CLEAR (Win's Northcreek Counter Punch JH X Westwind's Good as Gold) All puppies guaranteed DM Clear and Hips. Training support and future promotions through Running H Retrievers included for all puppies. Contact: Todd Hervey. Texarkana, TX Email: foundationsforamerica@gmail.com Running H Retrievers, Phone: 903-276-0900 (exp. 02/18)

(SC) CH DEL BRAVE A KNIGHT'S TALE MH WD OFA CB-9931G27M, CB-EL1938M27, CB-EYE263/56M, CARDIAC CB-CA207/44M, EIC CLEAR BY PARENTAGE, DM CLEAR BY PARENTAGE, PRA CARRIER, ED/SF-NORMAL (CH Meadowoods Home of the Brave UD MH AX WDQ** x Pond Hollow Tintagel) X **CHUGACHS SOUTHERN GEM SH DS WDX** Hips Good, Elbows Normal, Eyes Normal, DM clear, PRA clear, EIC clear (Chugach's Thumping Jago MH QA2 X CH Chugach's Katmai Tazlina MH) The parents have many great qualities among them Ruby's speed and Joust's broad chest and his power. These pups should perform well at any task put in front of them. Puppies due Jan 11 2018. See Del Brave Chesapeake for pedigree information or contact owner Contact: Larry Coates. Spartanburg, SC Email: lmarjon1994@charter.net Phone: 864-578-0372 (exp. 01/18)

Stud Dogs

(WI) CH CUR-SAN'S DIVIDEND MH-Cash OFA CB-9845E, EL CB-1885 normal, CERF CB-35940/111, PRA-A by parentage, DM Clear, EIC Clear (Red Sky's Shoulda Been A Cowboy SH x CH Cur-San's Sport'n The Hope) Contact: Sandy Dollar. WI 121 Dover Road, Neshkoro, WI 54960 Email: sandy@cursan.com Website: www.cursan.com Phone: (920) 479-0772 (exp. 12/18)

(NC) HIGHTIDE NOR'EASTER MH OFA Good #10561G27M-VPI, EL normal CB-EL2438M27-VPI, DM normal CB-DM 1453/1MPI, CERF normal, PRA EIC normal by parentage (Rippling Waters HB Gusto JH x Rippling Waters Shore Bird MH) Brucellosis test required for natural breeding to eligible bitches. Frozen semen available. Contact: Mary and Sidney Williams. 214 Becky's Creek Rd, Hampstead, NC 28443 Email: mary@hightidekennels.com Phone: (910) 329-1770 (exp. 07/18)

(MN) HRCH OAKPONDS TURBOCHARGER MH OFA Hips Excellent CB-10066E24M-VPI, EL-2039M24-VPI Normal, CB-EYE77/55M-VPI normal, CB-DM1683/25M-VPI Clear, PRA Clear, EIC Clear (DK's Viking Warrior x DK's Can You Here Ne Know) Neg. Brucellosis Required for natural breeding. Frozen Semen Available. Contact: John Kolf. MN Email: JKolf492002@yahoo.com Phone: (507) 364-8987 or (507) 720-7886 (exp. 12/18)

(NC) CH DEL BRAVE A KNIGHT'S TALE MH WD OFA CB-9931G27M, CB-EL1938M27, CB-EYE263/56M, CARDIAC CB-CA207/44M, EIC CLEAR BY PARENTAGE, DM CLEAR BY PARENTAGE, PRA CARRIER, ED/SF-NORMAL (CH Meadowoods Home of the Brave UD MH AX WDQ** x Pond Hollow Tintagel) Brucellosis test required for natural breeding. Chilled or frozen available. Alt. contact Kevin Shaffer (570) 428-3434 Contact: George Makatura. 7908 River Ridge Rd., Wake Forest, NC 27597 Email: brave@cb4me.com Website: www.delbravechesapeake.com Phone: (919) 308-2245 (exp. 04/18)

(FL) HRCH GCH RIPPLING WATERS JOCKAMO IPA MH WDQ OFA 10617 Good Hips, OFA2476 Normal Elbows, OFA235/26M/C-VPI heart, PRA95/10M-VPI normal, OFA EYE347, DM2080 normal, EIC normal, ED/SF clear, Long Coat normal (CH & HRCH Rippling Waters Purple Haze MH x CH & HR Rippling Waters Tinkin Around TD MH) Fresh, Chilled, Frozen semen available. Brucellosis test required for live coverage. Contact: Kathleen & Alan Luthy. 496 John King Rd Crestview, FL 32539 Email: ripplingwaterschesapeake@yahoo.com Phone: (850) 682-5701 (exp. 08/18)

(GA) U-GUJCH, U-HRCH, UH, U-CH WHISKEY CREEK'S ON THE FLY MH TD CDX RA GN DM WDQ CGC** Brucellosis test required for eligible bitches/ Natural breeding. Fresh, Chilled, frozen semen available. Contact: Pat Trainor. 215 Meadow Trail, Cherry Log, GA 30522 Email: ptrainor@tds.net Phone: (706) 455-0077 (exp. 02/18)

(NJ) SHR GCH ANATYPIA TOPWATER DOUBLE BARREL JH WD CA RATI CHIC# 101964 OFA Hips CB-10613G25M Good, EL CB-EL2472M25 Normal, EYE CB-EYE459/29M-2015 DNA CB-DNA-57/B DM CARRIER, EIC AND PRA NORMAL (CH Pond Hollow Continental Divide x CH Anatypia Willow You Be There) Loveable boy whose affectionate and confident attitude comes thru in the puppies. Brucellosis Test required for natural breeding. Fresh chilled available upon request. Contact: Ann Law. 6 Grant St., Riverside, NJ 08075 Email: annlaw0331@gmail.com Phone: (443) 252-0592 (exp. 04/18)

(AK/MT/TX) LZ Y MTN PIPER'S REVENGE QA2 Rambo OFA Hips Good, Elbows normal, DM Clear/normal, EIC Clear, PRA Clear by parentage (DC/AFC Westwind's Rudy of Nordais X CH Lzy Mtn Abbygale's Creekside Piper QA2) Fresh, Chilled and Frozen semen available. Brucellosis test required. Contact: Jim Price. Email: northernlightsanesthesia@yahoo.com Lazy Mountain Kennels Phone: 307-760-9532 (exp. 05/18)

(NJ) CH CHESSIEVILLE BAYVIKING WARRIOR (Woodley) OFA CB-DNA-125/B, CB-10895G25M Hip "good", CB-EL2718M25 "normal", CB-Eye604/28M 05/06/16 "free" CB-DM1883/1M-PI "clear", PRA, EDSF clear by parentage" (CH Pond Hollow Hurricane Ridge x GCH Pond Hollow More Joyful CGCA RA NA NAJ) Chilled or frozen semen available. Brucellosis test required for natural breeding Contact: Heike Frattalone. 30 Hilltop Road, Washington, NJ 07882 Email: Heike@chessievillebay.com Website: WWW.chessievillebay.com. Phone: 908-399-9718 (exp. 07/18)

(NJ/OH) CH CAROWAY'S RUNNING BEAR CD JH CHIC #117624 Hips good OFA 11108G, EL normal, OFA Eye normal, DM normal DM2302, PRA and EIC clear by parentage (CH Cursan's Dividend MH x Caroway's Go Cubs Go MH) Contact: Joan Berko. Bay Head, NJ/OH Email: Topsiderdog@aol.com Phone: 732-604-7444 (exp. 12/18)

(VA) POND HOLLOW NAME YOUR GAME II SH CGC (Rio) DNA#V 802683, OFA CB-11090G24M -VPI, OFA CBEL2892M24 -VPI, OFA-CB PRA 97/1 MPI CLEAR, EIC CLEAR, DM CLEAR, ED/SF CLEAR, LONG COAT CLEAR, (GCH CH Marjan's It's All in the Game MH X CH Pond Hollow Aspen) Brucellosis test required Contact: Val & Steve Jablonski. 1308 Covington Rd, Colonial Heights, VA 23834 Email: willowcreekchesapeake@gmail.com Phone: 804-212-6453 (exp. 02/18)

(MD) *ROCKY HOOKS GREAT SPIRIT QAA** CB-10940E31M-VPI Hips EX CB-EL2754M31-VPI Normal, DM Clear (Lazy Mtn Piper's Revenge X Spirit of Westwind SH) Available to approved females Contact: Marston Jones. MD Email: marston443@yahoo.com Phone: 443-783-4945 (exp. 05/18)





(IA) GCHB LONGMEADOW CALL TO ARMS MH CGC "Cooper" OFA: CB- 9592G26M CHIC: 83809 CERF: CB-6167 clear PRA: CB-PRA50/43M normal DM: CB-DM 1066/33M normal EIC: CB-EIC 143/49M Clear Elbows: CB-ELI703M26 normal ED/SF: Clear (Longmeadow Conowingo x Longmeadow Big Gun Powder) Fresh, chilled and frozen semen available Negative Brucellosis required for natural breeding Contact: Wendy Schwendeman. 23532 Ellington Avenue, Glenwood, IA 715-557-2140 Email: schwendy69@gmail.com Website: www.cbrsupercooper.com Phone: 715-557-2140 (exp. 06/18)

(OK) (KS, OK) CH IRONSTONE 3-D'S BLAZE OF THUNDER SH (Boom) Sedge, OFA Hips-Good, OFA Elbows-Normal, Eyes-Normal-Jan '17, PRA-A, EIC-Clear, DM-Carrier (CH Chestnut Hills Chisum x GCH Pond Hollow Prairie Jewel JH) Natural, Fresh chilled and soon will have frozen available. Brucellosis test required. Contact: Skye Kreger Or Dennis Cox. Ponca City, OK Email: info@ironstonecbrs.com or hippyduck33@gmail.com Website: Ironstone Chesapeake or 3-D Retrievers www.ironstonecbrs.com Phone: (580)716-7594 or (620)388-2891 (exp. 09/18)

(OR) CH LONGMEADOW THINK DIFFERENTLY OFA Hips CB-11123F29M-VPI, ELCB-EL2920M29-VPI, DM Clear, Cardiac normal Patella Normal (GCH Chesabar's Mr Doots Mason RN CDX BN NSS winner X Longmeadow Nestle Big Powder) At stud to approved bitches Contact: Karen Marcotte. Central Oregon, OR Email: decocoa@centurylink.net DeCocoa Kennels Phone: 541-350-9254 (exp. 11/18)



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**AMERICAN CHESAPEAKE CLUB
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Name _____ Occupation _____
 2nd Member's Name _____ Occupation _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State/Prov _____ Postal Code _____
 Phone (____) _____ Email _____

ENDORSEMENT OF TWO MEMBERS REQUIRED:

(1) _____ (2) _____
 (Signature) (Signature)
 (1) _____ (2) _____
 (Printed name) (Printed name)

CLASS OF MEMBERSHIP AVAILABLE / SCHEDULE OF DUES:

Please check the class of membership for which you are applying below. There is a five dollar (\$5.00) initiation fee for the first year only dues.

- Individual Membership – Dues \$35.00 (Open to all persons 18 or older. Enjoy all membership privileges).
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- Junior Membership – Dues \$25.00 (Open to all persons under 18, enjoy all privileges except right to vote/hold office). Date of Birth: _____
 month/year

Membership Dues \$ _____ Make Checks Payable to: _____ How did you hear about the ACC? Check one:
 Initiation Fee \$ 5.00 **American Chesapeake Club** ACC Advertising Dog World
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 Total Enclosed \$ _____ **233 Tina Marie Ln, Smyrna, DE 19977** Other (Specify) _____

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Sign Name _____ Sign Name _____
 Print Name _____ Print Name _____

CODE OF ETHICS – AMERICAN CHESAPEAKE CLUB

Love / respect of the Chesapeake Bay Retriever is implicit in membership in the American Chesapeake Club. Therefore, all members agree to foster the goals set forth in the code of Ethics.

I. RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS

- a. Read / familiarize yourself with the American Chesapeake Breed Standard for the Chesapeake Bay Retriever that is approved by the American Kennel Club. Support / abide by the rules of the American Chesapeake Club / The American Kennel Club.
- b. Appreciate the unique nature of the Chesapeake Bay Retriever / try to develop the characteristics this dog has inherited through selective breeding (intelligence, desire to mark / retrieve with style, love of water / keen scenting ability).
- c. Assume the responsibility of proper feeding, maintenance, health care, and training at all times.
- d. Always conduct yourself in a manner which will reflect credit on yourself / the breed. Refrain from public criticism or malicious degrading of other or their dogs.
- e. Never knowingly sell or place a Chesapeake Bay Retriever with unethical persons or those who would not provide proper / humane care to the dog. Refuse to sell any Chesapeake Bay Retriever to any pet shop or to any wholesale dealer in dogs.
- f. Should you become aware of the mistreatment, abuse or need for relocation of any Chesapeake Bay Retriever, make every effort to be of assistance by notifying the breeder of the dog involved, the appropriate local authorities / helping in any other way in which you are able.

- a. Do not breed Chesapeake Bay Retrievers that are not registered by the American Kennel Club or by kennel clubs recognized by the American Kennel Club.
- b. Strive in each breeding to improve the breed according to the ACC Breed Standard. Conscientiously plan each breeding, based on parents of appropriate temperament, appearance / other desirable qualities.
- c. Be aware of genetic defects which can be harmful to the breed. When breeding, endeavor to select animals that will reduce the incidence genetic problems while enhancing the positive attributes / abilities of the breed. Be open with all persons interested in the welfare of the Chesapeake Bay Retriever / discuss possible physical or temperament defects in your own stock.
- d. Do not breed any bitch who is not mature (never before the second heat) or in good health. Do not allow puppies to go to their new homes until at least 7 weeks of age.
- e. Act responsibly toward all puppies produced by your brood bitch or stud dog for the lifetime of the puppies. (Recommend that the breeder encourage the owner to contact him if he can no longer keep a dog at any time in the dog's life).
- f. Understand that written contracts are strongly recommended for all transactions, such as sales, guarantees, co-ownerships, breeding rights agreements, bitch leases, stud services, etc. Keep accurate records / pedigrees / give new owners registration papers or forward as soon as possible.
- g. Use / promote the use of the American Kennel Club non-breeding registration on pet quality puppies which are sold or placed by you.

- II. RESPONSIBILITIES OF BREEDERS / BROOD BITCH / STUD DOG** (The American Chesapeake Club Board of Directors strongly recommends that only animals with current OFA/CERF/PRA clearances be used for breeding).

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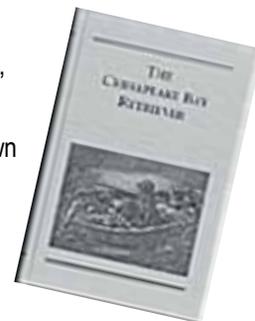
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Tina Cox,
Secretary

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Website Addition

Following the listings of available rescue dogs, ACC members may now list "Dogs available from owner". This is intended as a place to list dogs who need new homes, as opposed to dogs for sale. See requirements for listing on website. www.amchessieclub.org

AMERICAN CHESAPEAKE CLUB BULLETIN

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***Rescue
Volunteers!***

If you have considered becoming involved, contact the Rescue Coordinator:

Heidi Henningson
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ACC Rescue Wish List

HELP US, HELP THEM!

RESCUE or **FOSTER** applications are available on the ACC Website at **AmChessieClub.org** or from the Rescue Coordinator.

Rescue funds are available and adoption fees are charged for all rescue dogs. Rescue does not need to cost anything. Being a Rescue volunteer reaps many rewards!

• **FOSTER HOMES** - Even if you only foster occasionally.

• **SUPPLIES** - Heartworm and Flea & Tick prevention medication, dog food, toys and treats.

• **KENNEL RUNS** - New or used!

• **TRANSPORTATION!** No distance is too short. If you are planning a trip, contact the Rescue Coordinator to arrange a ride for a rescue dog.