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Calendar & Announcements

2020 Events

- Mar 14 Delaware Kennel Club**
York, PA
Linda Apuzzo
- March 20-22 ACC all Breed Field Trial**
Corning, CA
Julie Cole
- Mar 28 Packerland Kennel Club**
Manitowoc, WI
Cheryl Westhoff
- Apr 25 Fort St Clair**
Eaton, OH
Yvette Yoho
- April 25 ACC WI Chessie Fun Day**
Cambria, WI
JoAnn Stancer
- April 25 TN ACC Chessie Fun Day**
Maryville, TN
Gale Frana
- May 3 Trenton Kennel Club**
West Windsor, NJ
Stacy George, Marty Smith
- June 27 Bushy Run Kennel Club**
Vandergrift, PA
Kathy Heintel
- June 27 Alaska Kennel Club**
Anchorage, AK
Lynda Barber-Wiltse
- July 4 Ann Arbor Kennel Club**
Monroe, MI
Tina Cox
- July 25 Waukesha Kennel club**
Waukesha, WI
Barbara Moore
- Sep 5 NON ACC Event**
Michigan Chesapeake Bay Retriever
Club - Concurrent Specialty
Corunna, MI
Dorene Irish
- Oct 1 Morris and Essex**
Franklin Township, NJ
Joanne Silver
- Oct 14-18 National Specialty Show**
York, PA
Joanne Silver



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Editor's Note

I look forward to expanding the bulletin into something that will benefit the members. This would include human (dog) interest stories, articles about rescue, health, history, hunting and more. There are four wonderful member's stories in this bulletin. Enjoy.

Michelle

2020 NSS is looking for some help.

Looking for vendors and someone to be the Post Show Report
If interested in helping out contact the chair Joanne Silver at
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Show Specialty Rotation

2020 – East - Oct 14-18 - York, PA
Chair - Joanne Silver

2021 – Midwest - Sep 29-Oct 3 - Midland, MI
Chair - Jan Treglown

Field Trial Specialty Rotation

2020 – Mountain – Cascade, ID
Chair Dina Perugini

2021 – East

2022 – West

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hunting dogs in upcoming bulletins.
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2019 Field Trial Specialty



2019 Field Trial Specialty Report

The 2019 ACC Field Trial Specialty was held in Ravenna, Texas at Pin Oak Kennels the first week in November. Pin Oak is a 500+ acre ranch which was established in 1995 and developed by Scott and Alice Carruth. The 2016 National Open Retriever Championship was held here.

As the week began, the weather was perfect with temperatures in the 70's with blue skies. We were fortunate to have multiple training grounds available Cathy and Wade Scroggins property the week prior and Mark Edwards training grounds within 5 minutes of the host motel for Monday. There were also public grounds available.

The Fannin County Multipurpose Complex was the site all three nights for the evening dinners and activities. A big thank you to the Bonham Chamber of Commerce for the use of this facility at no expense. It was so nice to have a large indoor venue where people could relax and spend time catching up with friends. This also offered a wonderful opportunity to display all of the items that were donated from members and corporate sponsors.

Monday evening began with a social hour and time to purchase Specialty items as well as an opportunity to check out all of the silent and live auction items prior to Wednesday evening. There were several tables full of a variety of items which included wonderful state baskets

and donated items. President Lynda Barber-Wiltse (all the way from Alaska) welcomed everyone and shared some of the highlights from the Annual ACC Meeting which was held in Washington at the National Show Specialty. In addition to Lynda, Board Members Marlene Drag DVM, Pat Baughman and Gale Frana, were present and introduced. Linda Harger, past President then took the floor to present a Lifetime Achievement Award to Heidi Henningson.

Lynda then turned the meeting over to Gary Kavan, Chairman who introduced our judges, and thanked our wonderful landowners for sharing their properties. It was then time for Texas barbeque!

Tuesday it looked like rain to the begin the day, but it never arrived. It was perfect weather for dogs and people with the sun arriving in the afternoon. The Qualifying began at 8:00 with the Open beginning at 9:00. All of the stakes were held on Pin Oak which made for easy communication and minimal travel between stakes. We were fortunate to have flier gunners Russ Hardy and Frank Ganley all the way from Alaska at the Open. Gordon Dorsey and Richard Chavez shot the flier for the qualifying which is always nice to have experienced gunners. With Marshals Briedi Gillespie at the Qualifying and Lauren Kavanaugh at the Open, everything ran very smoothly! The day concluded with the Open completing their land blind and the Qualifying ready for water marks in the morning. Everyone headed back to Event Center for dinner. The sale of merchandise continued to be strong and Barbara Adams was busy selling raffle tickets! It was a good evening to enjoy fajitas and friends.

On the Cover

Open Winner:

Piston and Tom Lind

Amateur Winner:

Ronny and Larry Sarek

Qualifying Winner:

Sandy and Tom Lind

Derby Winner:

Cowboy and Erik Borg

ACC Bulletin & Calendar Deadlines

If you are submitting an event for the **calendar** that appears in the *Bulletin*, please think ahead. While your event can be added to the ACC website almost immediately, the print schedule for the *Bulletin* is quite different. Please note dates for **Bulletin** submissions also below.

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August 31 st	Sept/Oct	Nov/Dec	Late October
October 31 st	Nov/Dec	Jan/Feb	Late December
December 31 st	Jan/Feb	Mar/Apr	Late February



Nov. 5-7, 2019 • Ravenna, TX



The weather continued to be overcast on Wednesday, with a hint of rain in the air. We were lucky as the rain managed to stay just south of the grounds. The Open and Qualifying both picked up Wednesday morning where they left off. The Amateur judges decided to wait to begin until the completion of the Qualifying but were up and moving shortly after the completion of the Qualifying with Frank Gangly, Russ Hardy and Gabe Withrow shooting the flier. The Open moved to a water blind and was able to finish the stake by the end of the day. The Derby was able to get in a series prior to ending for the day with Pat Baughman and Dennis Cox shooting their flier. The evening was busy with the presentation of the Open and Qualifying placements. Our trophies were handcrafted sculptures of Chesapeake dogs on engraved bases created by N.Harris, of Stourbridge, UK. Each placement was a different design and a work of art.

It was a busy evening with drawing for the Benelli going first. We had amazing support from so many members this year for our drawing. It would have been difficult to put on the Specialty they way we wanted to without your support. Thank you so much!

1st Prize: Benelli Super Black Eagle was won by Jimmy Banks of Texas

2nd Prize: Large Ruff Tough Kennel was won by Barry Brandt of Nebraska

3rd Prize: Dog Tra 1900 Collar Donated by Craig Klein was won by Richard Chavez of Missouri

4th Prize: Ainley Bird Box was won by Yvette Yoho of Kentucky

Our stellar sellers were for the drawing were announced and they were: Barbara Adams (sold over \$600.00 in tickets) with Julie Cole closed behind and Lori Greer. Thank you, ladies!

We closed the silent auction, took a break for dinner and then the fun began, the live auction! Brian Newman from Kentucky, served as our auctioneer, and he was a master at it. He had Pat

Baughman and Marlene Drag serving as his Ring persons! The bidding was lively and strong! It was wild and we had so many amazing donations up for bid. The evening concluded with the sale of the one of a kind brown dog quilt donated by Marlene Drag DVM. This quilt was a piece of art and after heavy bidding, was headed to Idaho with Linda Harger for her new home. The evening ended with clean up! We might still be there if it weren't for the Minnesota Mafia, the Alaskan Faction and everyone else who pitched in to help put away and clean up the Community Center.

Over the night the rain finally showed up as it had been predicted all week. Boy did it rain!

The ranch received over 2 inches of rain. Thank goodness for rock roads, thoughtful participants and four-wheel drive vehicles. Each stake worked to finish up, with the Derby finding their winner first, the Amateur second and the Puppy Stake, which was very competitive, completing the trial. The temperature had dropped but spirits were still high. We worked to take pictures of those dogs and owners still at the trial before goodbyes were said, and many headed home. Of course, there was equipment to be put away, ATV's to be washed, birds sorted and then the calm.

That night those of us still around gathered for dinner and to laugh and reflect on the last week. There are so many people to thank who made this trial possible. Scott and Alice Carruth who not only shared their beautiful property with us for this event but allowed us to use all of their equipment as well as all of their ATV's. Mark and Nancy Edwards for opening your grounds for pre-training, especially on Monday. Our judges Scott Carruth, Aaron Kelly, Jimmy Banks, Greg Lister, Martha Blank, Doug Main, Pat Baughman and Christine Morath. Chairman Gary Kavan, who kept things running and had put so much time in behind the scenes. Shawn Ward who was everywhere from early in the morning catching birds to late in the evening. Our amazing Marshals Lauren Kavanaugh and Briedi Gillespie who each marshaled not one but two stakes and Briedi created our magnetic name tags! Wade and Cathy Scroggins who generously opened their grounds for pre-training a week prior to the event as well as Cathy who coordinated our auction. Todd and Barbara Adams were there helping set up the Event Center as well as taking it down. So glad Alaska is in the Midwest time zone! Tom Hayes and Bill Burks DDS who stepped up to throw birds when needed! Dr. Marlene can do it all from catching birds,



selling raffle tickets to clean up. Linda Harger who helped with the set up at the Event Center and whatever else needed to be done. Gale Frana and Lynda Barber who assisted with selling merchandise and especially Gale who kept track of the money! Last but not

least, as she was referred to by many my "secret weapon" my sister Kris Henningson. She was there to pick up judges, run here and there, and was just a phone call away whenever there was a need. Kris took the leftovers on Thursday to the Bonham Fire Department and fed not one but both Engine Houses. I might have over ordered! Last but not least everyone who made the drive to Texas. I hope we didn't disappoint. I am sure I am forgetting someone, and for that I apologize in advance. I owe you!

Respectfully,
Heidi Henningson, Field Trial Secretary

2019 Field Trial Specialty

Open Report

The ACC FTS open stake started on the beautiful Pin Oak Kennel grounds under a cool overcast sky. The opening triple was set in a field with multiple cover changes and rows of hay rolls. The long retired memory mark was thrown from the front edge of a hay roll into an area of medium cover. The true line to the mark was through various cover changes and tight to the left end of a long row of hay bales, "pinching" the dog into the mark. The right hand shorter retired mark was thrown towards the opposite end of the same long row of bales into shorter cover. The left hand flyer was shot into heavier cover and "out of the test." The average job for the majority of the field was to recover the flyer in some fashion, back side the shorter mark but recover quickly with the aid of the wind and then to backside the long gun to hunt wide left and deep before working into the area of the fall. This was a set of well placed marks.

The second series was a land blind run under the arc, and deep of the flyer. The issues encountered included convincing the dogs to go past the flyer fall, then to carry the heavier cover over a dirt road to the base of a hill thereby landing on the bird so as not to end up out of sight and out of the area.

The water blind was the third series. The Open moved down the road and ran into the opposite field. The starting point was on a slight side hill, then across the road, past a mound on the left into the first water at about 150 yards. It continued over a spit of land into a "channel" formed by points of land on both sides of the line and the far shoreline converging toward the blind. The most difficulty occurred after the dogs entered the second piece of water to include keeping them off the points and in the water to the correct exit position. Many gained the blind by being "too dry".

The fourth and final series was a water triple in the same area. The first mark thrown was from right to left onto a spot of land which was an angle swim across a channel of water then into a large piece of water to that spit of land, the gun remain in sight. The middle retired bird was thrown right to left from one shore to another and was the shortest mark. The flyer was off to the right across a shorter swim and out into the field. Normal difficulties occurred, such as

Open Placements



Pictured Left to right: 1st Pistol & Tom Lind, 2nd Rambo & Todd Adams, 3rd Hawk & Craig Klein, 4th Willow & Linda Harger

1st Grand Oaks Packin A Pistol MH QA2 (Pistol) Female
(Grand Oaks He's A Rebel SH X Oak Chess Miley)
Bred by Jason Linnerud. Owned by Tom & Dawn Lind.
Handled by Tom Lind.

2nd CH Lzy Mtn Piper's Revenge QA2 (Rambo) Male
(AFC DC Westwind's Rudy Of Nordais X CH Lzy Mtn Abbygale's Creekside Piper***)
Bred by Jim Price. Owned by Jim Price and Todd Adams.
Handled by Todd Adams.

3rd CK's Hawk of Montauk MH QA2 (Hawk) Female
(Bur Oaks Unique Trapper QAA X Montauk's Speed Of Sound QAA)
Bred by Gary Rideout. Owned and handled by Craig Klein.

4th Ivy's Arctic Willow (Ivy) Female
(CH Clipper's Frozen Assets X CH AFC Fireweed's Poison Ivy CGC)
Bred by Brett Crow. Owned by Brett Crow and Sharon Walen.
Handled by Linda Harger.

RJAM Colonial's Genuine Patriot (Brady) Male
(Westwind Whispering Cove X Colonial's Toes of Fire)
Bred by Johanna Coutu. Owned by Bruce Ahlers and Marlene Drag.
Handled by Bruce Ahlers.

Open Report Cont'd

over running the short retired mark, and cheating the line to the long mark by hunting behind that gun.

Overall the open was challenging and the judges had their answers. Congratulations to the final 5!

Linda Harger

Amateur Report

The Amateur stake was judged by Jimmy Banks and Greg Lister. Both judges kept the mood light, even as the tension increased and the weather deteriorated (more on this later). The first series, which began at 11:00 Wednesday morning, was a wide-open triple. A middle gun, stationed 185 yards from the line, shot and threw to the right, and then retired into a clump of trees in an otherwise featureless field of moderate cover. A right-hand stand-out gun then shot and threw to the left. The line to this bird was into a grove of trees, with the bird landing about 140 yards from line. A long flyer, situated well to the left of the other two marks, shot and threw to the right. This bird landed about 200 yards from the line. This test provided the dogs with lots of room to run around, and many did just that. The middle bird presented the most difficulty; however, several dogs lined straight to the mark. The work was generally good, and 28 of 40 starting dogs were called back to the second series. The second series land blind was run just to the left of the right-hand mark from the first series, into a grove of trees. The true line to this bird was under an overhanging branch from a large oak tree. This created a narrow corridor for the dogs to negotiate. That, and a difficult ending with limited visibility provided a strong test of handling. Callbacks were generous, and 23 dogs were invited to run the third series water blind starting on Thursday.

Amateur contestants were greeted Thursday morning by temperatures around 40 F and a stiff north wind, courtesy of a cold front that swept through the area Wednesday night. The judges were kind enough to set up the blind in an area that was partially protected by trees. Nevertheless, the elements played a large role in the outcome. A gunner visible in the field deep and to the left of the blind started things off with a dry pop. This dry pop, combined with a right-to-left crosswind, provided lots of suction to the left. The line to the blind was into a small bay that contained some drowned brush. From there, the dogs had to get on an off a point, requiring one or more casts into the wind and away from the dry pop. Dogs that made it this far were handled to the end of the pond, missing a second smaller point. The bird was planted on shore about 15 feet from the line, requiring

still more handles. In total, the blind was about 160 yards long. As is commonly the case, the water blind proved to be a stiff test. Many dogs went hard left, ignoring their handlers. Some recovered but many did not. In all, 9 dogs survived this test and were invited to run the water marks.

The water marks were run in the same pond used for the water blind. A middle retired gun about 200 yards from the line shot and threw to the left, and then retired into a clump of trees. The line to this bird was through a small bay of water and then well out into a flat field of grass. Steep banks around this bay made it difficult for the dogs to take a good line to the bird. A second stand-out bird, thrown left, was provided by the dry pop gunner from the

water blind. The line to this bird required a relatively short swim; however, cover and terrain on the far side of the pond threw several dogs off the correct line. The third gunner, situated well to the left of the other two marks, threw to the right. This bird landed about 70 yards from the line and required no swimming. As in the first series, the long retired bird proved to be the "key" mark. Most of the dogs completed this mark without handling, although some did it much better than others. In the end, all 9 dogs completed the test, including the winning dog Airason 27 (Ronny). At 2 ½ years of age, Ronny was one of the youngest dogs entered!

Respectfully submitted,
John Nichols

Amateur Placements



Pictured left to right: 4th Fannie & Eric Borg, 3rd Willow & Linda Harger, 2nd McQueen, 1st Ronny & Larry Sarek.

1st Airason 27 (Ronny) Male
(AFC Red Dog's Anything Goes X Colonial's Sure Bet)
Bred by Bruce Ahlers. Owned by Lorraine Sarek. Handled by Larry Sarek.

2nd Fireweed's the King Of Cool (McQueen) Male
(CH Clipper's Frozen Assets X CH AFC Fireweed's Poison Ivy CGC)
Bred by Brett Crow. Owned by Linda Harger and Tom Ivey. Handled by Linda Harger.

3rd Ivy's Arctic Willow (Ivy) Female
(CH Clipper's Frozen Assets X CH AFC Fireweed's Poison Ivy CGC)
Bred by Brett Crow. Owned by Brett Crow and Sharon Walen. Handled by Linda Harger.

4th HR Rudy's Fat Bottomed Girl SH (Fannie) Female
(AFC DC Westwind's Rudy of Nordais X Hope Springs Dowry MH MNH)
Bred by Alan Sandifer. Owned and handled by Erik Borg.

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RJAM CH Comet's Deepwater Rock N' Roll Ruby QAA (Ruby) Female. (CH Risky River Bodacious CGC*** X DC AFC Yakity's Shake Rattle N Roll). Bred by Linda Harger. Owned by Linda Harger, Dale & Maggie Langehorne & Tom Ivey. Handled by Linda Harger.

JAM Cam Of Cold Harbor (Cam) Male
(DC AFC Westwind's Rudy of Nordais X JJ's Rachel)
Bred by Billy Smith and Linda Patterson. Owned and handled by John Nichols.

JAM CH Next Generations Ironwoods Walnut MH (Wally) Male
(Chestnut Hills Ironwoods Oak MH*** X CH Sandbars Oh So Naughty). Bred by Adam Levy. Owned by Adam Levy and Andrew Barbouche. Handled by Edgar Johnson.

JAM Rock Hills's Attitude On Deck (Decks) Female
(HRCH Oakponds Turbocharger MH X Cimaroc's Roll Tide)
Bred by Robert Sayles. Owned by Wade Scroggins.
Handled by Cathy Scroggins.

JAM HRCH TC's What Was MAMA Thinkin' MH
(Lzy Mtn Piper's Revenge QA2 X Sundog's Venus Rising Ablaze QA2) Bred by Todd Adams. Owned by Wade Scroggins. Handled by Cathy Scroggins.



*Pictured left to right: Abby (2 years old) with Linda Pittelli.
Sire Scout (5 years old) with Tom Lind.
Grand Dam Piper (8 years old) with Craig Klein.
Great Grand Dam Hawk (11 years old) with Craig Klein.
And Hawk finished the trial with an Open 3rd place. NICE!*

Qualifying Report

The Qualifying started on Tuesday morning with the first and second series run together. There were 34 dogs entered with one scratch. Test dog ran at 8:38 AM and the #1 dog ran at 8:56 AM. It was an overcast day with winds out of the northeast.

The first series was a land triple. The set-up was middle bird thrown to the right at 152 yards, a tight swing to the right bird thrown from the right to the left to the backside of a small mound at 187 yards, then a big swing back to the left for the mallard duck flyer thrown angle back to the right at 119 yards. The right hand bird proved to be a challenge as a few of the dogs found the suction of the middle station to be too much. The quality of the field was apparent as we saw some excellent marking.

After completing the marks, the judges had set up a challenging 252 yard land blind that the line carried the dogs on the backside of the middle bird on the downwind side, with the bird placement just over the top of the rise. The suction of the middle bird and the bird placement for the blind on the rise proved to add difficulty in finishing at the bird.

The third series proved that the judges were not done challenging the field. There were 18 dogs called back to the water blind. The weather was still overcast and cool. The test dog ran at 2:50 PM and the first dog ran at 3:05 PM on Tuesday. The competitors came to the line and looked out at a 189 yard water blind with a long angle entry that was unforgiving if you went right at the entry point. After getting past the entry, it didn't get any easier as the line carried the dogs just past the end of a point on their way out to get the bird on the next point. The judges saw some awesome work but the angled entry and the short point proved too much for some of the field. They were able to finish the third series that same day.

The fourth series water triple was run on Wednesday morning with 12 dogs called back. The weather was partly cloudy with a south southeast wind. The test dog was run at 8:-00 AM. After a couple of adjustments, the first dog ran at 8:20 AM. Running from the base of a mound, the competitors looked out over a crescent-shaped body of water. The first bird down was the right hand bird and was the longest at 225 yards from beside a round hay bale thrown angled back to the left. Then a swing all the way to the left for the second mark at 189 yards, thrown across a small inlet of water to the left. Then looking to the right, the middle bird was also thrown to the left in cover at 174 yards. The toughness of the marks proved a challenge for some of the dogs.

Cathy Scroggins

Qualifying Placements



Pictured left to right: 2nd Camo & Briedi Gillespie, 1st Sandy & Tom Lind. 3rd Cletus & Jackie Brenner. 4th Cash & Brian Newman.

1st Grand Oaks Toes In The Sand MH (Sandy) Female. (Oakponds Turbocharger MH X Grand Oaks Aint' Just Blowing Smoke MH)
Bred and owned by Tom and Dawn Lind. Handled by Tom Lind.

2nd Risky River's Fifty Shades Of Brown (Camo) Male. (CH Risky River Bodacious CGC*** X Risky River's Cold Harbor Indigo QAA)
Bred by Diane Mazy. Owned and handled by Briedi Gillespie.

3rd Cut Me Loose Cletus (Cletus) Male. (AFC Red Dog's Anything Goes X 3-D'S All 'Round Ruby)
Bred by Matt Backus. Owned by Jackie & Gerry Brenner. Handled by Jackie Brenner.

4th GCHB CH Valhallas BRF The Man In Black SH (Cash) Male. (GCH Chesastar Hudson Bay BN RN JH THD X GCH Rainwaters
Valhallas Northern Lights JH) Bred by Shawn Ward. Owned and handled by Brian Newman.

RJAM CH Next Generations Ironwoods Walnut MH (Wally) Male. (Chestnut Hills Ironwoods Oak MH*** X CH Sandbars Oh So
Naughty) Bred by Adam Levy. Owned by Adam Levy and Andrew Barbouche. Handled by Edgar Johnson.

JAM HRCH Whistlin Woody MH (Woody) Male. (East Texas Drake Slinger X Chappell's Red River Clara)
Bred by Grant Chappell. Owned and handled by Keith Hall.

JAM 3-D's All Round Ruby SH (Annie) Female. (Lzy Mtn Piper's 3-D Brown Bear MH X 3-D Sunshine Dusty Rose JH)
Bred by Dennis Cox. Owned by Matt Backus and Gabe Withrow. Handled by Matt Backus.

JAM CH Next Generation's Have Mercy SH (Mister) Male. (CH Spinnaker's How The West Was Won MH X Next Generations No Mercy)
Bred by Adam Levy. Owned by Rae Lewis. Handled by Edgar Johnson.

JAM HRCH Rudy's Chasing Minnesota Fatz MH (Fatz) Male. (AFC DC Westwind's Rudy of Nordais X Hope Springs Dowry MNH QAA)
Bred by Alan Sandifer. Owned and handled by Ed Bahr.

JAM HRCH Rudy's Fatty Tryst Sassy Roux MH (Roux) Female. (AFC DC Westwind's Rudy of Nordais X HRCH Hope Springs Dowry MH QAA)
Bred by Alan Sandifer. Owned and handled by Cathy Scroggins.

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Derby Report

The Derby began shortly after the Qualifying and Open stakes finished under overcast skies with a small chance of rain. Nine dogs and handlers assembled for the handlers meeting, with everyone trying to hide their nervousness. The AKC requires a minimum of 10 starting dogs in order to award points, so this would be the purest form of competition, for bragging rights only, much like the first field trials over 80 years ago. The first series was set in a very large field, with the long memory-bird straight out front, thrown right-to-left across the front of a mound. The go-bird was a flyer about half-way out on the left, shot right-to-left. It was a straight-forward set-up for the caliber of the dogs participating, with most having no problem with either bird. All dogs were called back to the second series. The second series was set in another long field, bracketed by some very long rows of large hay bales running along the right side of the field and a tree line along the left side of the field. The long memory-bird was thrown beyond the long row of hay bales on the right in a right-to-left manner. Originally, the long bird was approximately 300 yards out, but the judges decided to move it in to 250 yards after the test dog ran. The shorter go-bird was on the left about 45 degrees from the right bird at a distance of 200 yards, thrown right-to-left. In both cases, the birds were thrown into moderate cover. As in the first series, most of the dogs picked up the marks well. The presence of the long hay bale rows pushed the dogs to the left a little, but not enough to be a major issue. However two dogs had problems with the tightness of the marks and wanted to return to the go-bird area when sent for the memory bird. Both dogs were handled, thereby eliminating them from the competition. Seven dogs were called back to the third series. The line for the third series was set on a tall mound overlooking the corner of a technical pond. The memory-bird was located straight ahead about 150 yards away thrown left-to-right away from a mound. The bird placement required each dog to swim across a small section of the pond, with about a 100 yard run out to the bird. The line to the bird was over a small island, while the line to the gun was through a small channel to the left of the island. There was also a small peninsula to the left of the channel that

would attract a cheaty dog too far left. The go-bird was about 60 degrees to the left at about 100 yards, thrown right-to-left, requiring the dog to swim in and out three times over some points. There was a large stretch of heavy cover on the shore closest to the line that made the go-bird tricky. The correct line would have the dog go left of the cover, setting themselves to swim over the outer points correctly to the bird. If, however, the dog went to the right of the cover, they would find themselves swimming near the base of each peninsula, taking themselves well behind the gun. A couple dogs took the left-most route, while most took the right-most route, with one dog cheating the last piece of water. Similarly, the memory bird had the dogs making different decisions in the water and on land. Three of the dogs went over the left-most peninsula, while three others went down the short channel. One dog attempted to go over the island, but had to go around it to the right. Once out of the water, the dogs had to decide how to approach the bird. Some dogs pushed left towards the mound and backsided the gun before finding the bird, while a couple pushed left, but then veered right as they approached the gun. Two dogs pushed too far right and found themselves in an open field. One of the dogs figured out it's mistake and found the bird, while another could not and

had to be picked up. Six dogs were called back to the fourth and final series, to be held the next morning. The fourth series began on a bitterly cold morning on rain-drenched fields. The judges set up a very difficult water double. The memory bird was straight out across the pond about 80 yards beyond the water to the right of a large mound, thrown left-to-right. There was a narrow strip of land about halfway across the pond that was perpendicular to the line to the memory mark. The go-bird was about 45 degrees to the right, thrown "in-wards" from right-to-left along the narrow strip of land. The bird was thrown to land on the "back bank" of the strip of land at the water's edge. There was a 15+ mph breeze blowing from almost directly behind the line. The combination of the bird placement, factors and weather conditions combined to make it a very challenging set of marks. After the all-age test dog handled on both marks and the first two Derby dogs had to handle on the second mark, the judges scrapped the test and hunted for a different location. The second version of the fourth series consisted of a 50 yard memory bird in-and-out twice across a small swim-by pond and an 80 yard go-bird diagonally down the swim-by pond. All six dogs handled the marks without any problems.

Frank Pittelli



Derby Placements



Pictured left to right: 1st Cowboy & Erik Borg, 2nd Jake & Bill Burks, 3rd D.D. & Marlene Drag, 4th Barret & Shawn Ward.

1st Kung Fu Cowboy (Walker) Male
(AFC Red Dog's Anything Goes X Get Back)
Bred by William Burks. Owned and handled by Erik Borg.

2nd K-City Jake (Jake) Male
(AFC Red Dog's Anything Goes X Get Back)
Bred, owned and handled by William Burks.

3rd Crossfire's Double Down (D. D.) Female
(Prairie Sky Patterson QA2 X Colonial's Sure Bet)
Bred by Bruce Ahlers. Owned by Marlene Drag and Bruce Ahlers.
Handled by Marlene Drag.

4th GCH Redlion's Come Back Barret JH DS TD
(CH Redlion's Come Back Hank ** X Redlion's Bee Notorious)
Bred by Jane Pappler. Owned by Jane Pappler and Leighann Barnes. Handled by Shawn Ward.

RJAM – Church Creek Abigail Von Duckslayer (Abby) Female
(Grand Oaks He's No Boy Scout MH QA2 X HRCH Pond Hollow Otter Point UD SH **)
Bred, owned and handled by Frank Pittelli.

JAM – Mtn Island Whiskey Tango Foxtrot (Tango) Female
(Mtn Island Rudder Amid Ships Full Ahead CH Redlion's Mtn Island Sandpiper SH)
Bred, owned and handled by Susan Dorsey.

Perpetual Trophy Winners

Skipper Bob Trophy – Grand Oak Packin A Pistol - Tom and Dawn Lind handled by Tom.

Dashnaw Trophy -Best Bitch in Trial - Grand Oak Packin A Pistol - Tom and Dawn Lind handled by Tom.

Heller Trophy - Winner of the Amateur - Airason 27 – Owned by Lorraine Sarek and Handled by Larry Sarek.

CH Sasnakra Sassy Trophy – Winner of the Qualifying - Grand Oaks Toes In The Sand - Tom and Dawn Lind handled by Tom.

Fleischmann Trophy – Winner of the Derby – Kung Fu Cowboy – Owned by Erik Borg and handled by Erik.

Chewbacca Memorial Trophy – Senior Puppy Winner - Grand Oaks Son Of A Gun owned by Tom and Dawn Lind handled by Tom.

Upper Midwest Chesapeake Enthusiast Trophy – Winner of the Junior Puppy - Trophy – Junior Puppy Winner - Grand Oaks Son Of A Gun owned by Tom and Dawn Lind handled by Tom.



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Puppy Stakes



The puppy stakes started on a very windy and chilly day with all handlers and judges bundled up to stay warm.

Junior Puppy – The junior puppy stake started with seven dogs and two challenging land marks and two water marks. The first mark was a 75 yard mark that was thrown left to right and the 2nd mark was a 150 yard mark thrown right to left. Five dogs completed the land marks and moved on to the water marks. The first water mark was a 75 yard mark with a 50 yard swim bird thrown left to right. The second water mark was a 25 yard swim and bird thrown angle back right to left. Three dogs completed with water marks with the following finish: 1st Grand Oaks Son of a Gun Ruger (Ruger) handled Tom Lind, 2nd CK's Pistol Annie (Annie) handled by Craig Klein and 3rd was Hopes Springs You Got Some Splainin' To Do (Lucy). With no avail there were some shenanigans that took place when Jewel found a catfish carcass and decided it was hers and the chase was on. It took a team effort to finally catch her, but everyone enjoyed the chase.

Senior Puppy – The senior puppy started with 6 dogs with 2 land marks and one water mark. The senior puppy land marks were very similar to the junior puppy with 3 dogs completing and moving to the water mark. The water mark was a swim about 20 yards to a point and then another 20 yard swim to the bird. The senior puppy ended in the same fashion as the junior puppy with the same placements: 1st Grand Oaks Son of a Gun Ruger (Ruger) handled Tom Lind, 2nd CK's Pistol Annie (Annie) handled by Craig Klein and 3rd was Hopes Springs You Got Some Splainin' To Do (Lucy).

All in all the puppy stakes were some very challenging marks for the young talented dogs and should make for some enjoyable competition in the derby at the next field trial specialty that will be held in Cascade Idaho in 2020.

Ed Bahr

Puppy Placements

Pictured left to right: Jr 1st/Sr 1st Ruger & Tom Lind, Jr 2nd/Sr 2nd Annie & Craig Klein, Jr 3rd/Sr 3rd Lucy

Senior Puppy

1st Grand Oak's Son Of A Ruger (Ruger) Male
(Grand Oaks He's No Boy Scout MH QA2 X Grand Oaks Packin A Pistol MH QA2)
Bred and owned by Dawn and Tom Lind.
Handled by Tom Lind.

2nd Grand Oak's Son Of A Ruger (Ruger) Male
(Grand Oaks He's No Boy Scout MH QA2 X Grand Oaks Packin A Pistol MH QA2)
Bred and owned by Dawn and Tom Lind.
Handled by Tom Lind.

3rd Hope Springs You Got Some Splainin' To Do (Lucy) Female
(Blackwater's son Of A Preacher Man X Hope Springs Little Ponzi MH)
Bred by Julia Reardon. Owned by Julie Reardon and Richard Chavez.
Handled by Richard Chavez.

Junior Puppy

1st Grand Oak's Son Of A Ruger (Ruger) Male
(Grand Oaks He's No Boy Scout MH QA2 X Grand Oaks Packin A Pistol MH QA2)
Bred and owned by Dawn and Tom Lind.
Handled by Tom Lind.

2nd CK's Pistol Annie (Annie) Female
(CK's Backwater Brody X CK's Bet on Decks MH ***)
Bred by Craig Klein. Owned by Josh Tritabaugh and Craig Klein.
Handled by Craig Klein.

3rd Hope Springs You Got Some Splainin' To Do (Lucy) Female
(Blackwater's son Of A Preacher Man X Hope Springs Little Ponzi MH)
Bred by Julia Reardon. Owned by Julie Reardon and Richard Chavez.
Handled by Richard Chavez.

Lifetime Achievement Award

Heidi Henningson

The Lifetime Achievement Award (LTAA) is given to individual ACC members who have made significant contributions to our breed and our club through outstanding leadership, the sharing of their knowledge and understanding the challenges of breed advancement. This year we honored two outstanding individuals. Jane Pappler, as featured in an earlier bulletin and Heidi Henningson, whose story I would like to share with our members.

It was my great pleasure to be able to present Heidi with her LTAA plaque at the 2019 FTS in Bonham, Texas. It's safe to say Heidi (and sister Kris) were born into the breed. Their parents had Chesapeake's through a friend from Alfred Storz. Heidi grew up hunting with her father and at 13 she began competing in obedience and then showing as a junior handler. At 13 she contacted Eloise Heller (later Cherry) regarding a started dog but her father would not buy it for her. They settled on a dog sired by one of John Lundy's dogs. Heidi attended her first FTS in 1985 in Bong, Wi. Where she met Gary Kavan and his dog FC AFC Yukon's Genuine Jesse. She's been running field trials and hunt tests since that time. Heidi continues to show her Chesapeakes, having recently finished 7th in OH rating and showed at the National Dog Show this past



December. Heidi has supported the ACC as an RD, and served on the Field Trial Committee, the Nominating Committee, Trophy Committee, Public Relations and Rescue Committee. She was an ACC Board Member and is currently the ACC Rescue Director. She has held offices with multiple field trial/hunt test clubs, chaired the 1991 NSS, and put on multiple mid west FTS events. Heidi will always lend a hand at any ACC event she attends.

Accomplishments with her dogs include: 7 Master Hunters, 2 CH MH, the first CH MH with a group placement, 7 QA2 dogs, multiple CD and CDX titles, and 2 dogs on the National Derby list plus 5 bench champions including 4 with HT titles. I believe this is only a small portion of what Heidi has done for the breed and the Club. I also believe she's nowhere near done! Heidi is one of our breed's



staunchest supporters and will continue to be so for as long as she is able. The breed and our members owe much to members like Heidi and this award is a small thank you from us all.

Linda Harger

Not Top Dog?

We want to hear from you, too!

There are a lot of great Chessies out there and we want to know about them.

Do you have a rescue story. Or a hunting story to share.

Maybe that Chessie has been your loyal companion through thick and thin. Let's honor them all!

Send your stories to: michellekeehn@hotmail.com



Field Trial Report

First the highlights!!

Just a few more end of the year Field Trial results.

New QAA dogs from the Field Trial Specialty:

Rockhill's Attitude On Decks (Decks) owned by Wade Scroggins

HRCH TC's What Was Mama Thinkin' MH (Tink) owned by Wade Scroggins

Grand Oaks Toes In The Sand MH (Sandy) owned by Tom & Dawn Lind

Risky Rivers Fifty Shades of Brown (Camo) owned by Briedi Gillespie

Thanks to all my stake reporters – Linda Harger, John Nichols, Cathy Scroggins, Frank Pittelli and Ed Bahr. And a special thanks to

Heidi Henningson and all her crew for putting on such a great trial.

I need two favors from all of you:

Please look at my previous FT reports. Let me know if I missed any results. My annual summary will be in the next issue of the Bulletin.

Please look at all of your dogs' information on Entry Express. If needed, update new titles and different owners. Also double check the information on your dog's sire and dam.

Good luck to all in 2020!!! I want to get reports of LOTS of ribbons!

Carol Knapp

Registered Name	Call Name	Sex / Award	Owner / Trial	Handler / Month
Cut Me Loose Cletus	Cletus	Male	Jackie & Gerry Brenner	Jackie Brenner
		Qualifying RJAM	River King RC	September
Rockhill's Attitude On Deck	Decks	Female	Wade Scroggins	Cathy Scroggins
		Qualifying 3rd	Four States RC of Texas	October
TC's What Was Mama Thinkin' MH	Tink	Female	Wade Scroggins	Cathy Scroggins
		Qualifying JAM	Four States RC of Texas	October
		Qualifying JAM	Rockwall RC	December

Do you have a Field Trial Brag? Has your dog got a new title or maybe a win at a trial?

Please submit photos for wins and titles. We look forward to hearing from you.

Submit photos and write ups to: Carol Knapp
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Family Dog Programs:

CGC, CGCA, CGCU, Farm Dog, Service Dog, STAR Puppy, Trick Dog, and Therapy Dog will be featured in the Family Dog Programs column.

The contributing editor is unchanged, so please continue to send your new title brags and news to Joanne Silver at joannesilver1937@yahoo.com.

Chessie Tales

Sometimes a dog's greatest asset is his companionship. Other times he may be your hero. There are a lot of great Chessies out there and we want to celebrate them! Here are a few member stories about their great Chessies.

Cooper



Our yearly late season trip waterfowl trip in North Dakota was a trip that will be remembered for quite a long time. The fall of 2019 was about as difficult as a hunting season can get.

Massive amounts of September rain set the tone for the hunting season. Farmers were unable to pick soybeans and corn due to the muddy conditions. This made field hunting opportunities very hard to come by. And to make matters worse North Dakota got hit by an early blizzard and shortly after an extreme cold front.

As we were driving out confidence was very low. We did not expect many birds to be around with the extreme weather. The further west we got the lower spirits got. From what we could see from the road all water was locked up. We arrived at the cabin at 3:30 in the morning and tried to get some shuteye before the morning scout. As we laid in bed nobody could sleep because we all were expecting a long trip back to Wisconsin.

When morning broke we headed out to search for some birds. The land we typically hunt was barren. Not a bird was seen flying. So we ventured west looking for anything worth hunting.



Suddenly we spotted massive flocks of snow geese. The birds were working multiple fields and we found an opportunity to get after some white birds. We rushed back to the cabin, hooked on the trailer, and we were off.

Temperatures were just a tick over zero. This bone chilling weather is where the Chessie proves his worth. My Chessie Cooper is no stranger to these conditions. In fact I think he enjoys them. The cold brings out the best in him. One of first flocks to commit to the 1,300 decoy spread was some mallards. The mallards swung in down wind and we snagged two nice greenheads from the flock. Not the greatest shooting but we had our first birds of the trip. Cooper marked the first bird that dropped from the flock and retrieved it with ease. The second drake ended up falling about 200 yards out from the wind. As Cooper came to heel with the first bird my buddy asked if he needed to go out and get the last bird. I told him to sit back and watch the show. I lined Cooper up on the blind and sent him. He went out like he was going line the bird. It only took two additional casts to get him on the drake. For the next three days Cooper made countless retrieves like this until there were no more birds to hunt.

Cooper is the first Chessie I've ever owned. As each hunting season comes and goes I fall in love with the breed even more. Their ability to shine in extreme weather is truly a thing of beauty.

Thank you,
Jacob Reck

Doots



The interesting thing about Doots is that I never introduced him to birds and the hunt scene until he was nearly 10 years old. He had a pretty illustrious show career but I was always interested in learning about field work. I had NO experience and no mentors, but at the 2011 National Specialty I thought I would go check out the WD. I brought Doots, who was just turning 3, with me to watch the WD. We sat down and the minute they ran the test dog, Doots was beside himself with fear from the gunshots. We had to leave with our tail between our legs (literally and figuratively). People that we passed during that walk of shame back to the car commented on how their dog

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gets super excited when they hear gunfire (duhh...they knew they were going to get to retrieve birds...Doots didn't). I was disappointed and figured I would likely never see my dream of a WD title realized.



A couple years later I took him to a Chessie training day in VA hoping to get some direction on the gun shy issue. He got to pick up his first bird that day, but there was no calming his nerves about the shooting that was occurring close by. Again, I was a little deflated.

Skip several years to the spring/summer of 2018. Doots is now 9 years old and the 2018 ACC National

Specialty is right around the corner. A WD title was still my dream, even though I didn't think it was possible with a gun shy, inexperienced dog, and an owner who was just as inexperienced. But that spring I received a little encouragement and help from a Jan Sosik, a dog show friend. That changed everything. I bought a starter pistol, and worked my boy in the backyard until the noise didn't startle him. With some more encouragement from another dog show friend, I joined a local HRC club, and I entered Doots in the WD at the 2018 Specialty in OH. At the Specialty shows the days prior Doots went Select Dog, Best Veteran, Owner Handler BOB, and won several obedience and rally classes. Those accomplishments were significant, but I was most proud of the WD title he earned that weekend. I know to a seasoned hunt test/field trial participant, the WD is insignificant, but to me, it was my impossible dream of 7 years realized! We did it!

Later that year, as a 10 year old, Doots earned his JH & SHR titles. Now at 11 he is still learning new things and earning new titles in other venues. Who said "you can't teach an old dog new tricks"? Certainly not Doots!!

SHR GCHS CH
Chesabar's Mr
Doots Mason CDX
BN RE JH RATO DJ
CGCA TKI WD



Some of his other accomplishments in the breed ring: BISS, RBIS, Multiple G1, 2009 ACCNSS BOW, 2016 Phila KC Group 4, 2017 Westminster Winner, 2017 & 2018 Top Owner-Handled Chessie

Bev Matthias

Hootie's Splash of O'Connor

Proud to Announce a New Junior Hunter



You ask what is the big deal about a new junior hunter? Here is our story. O'Connor is one of four of our dogs and was 10 years old. In July of 2018 he was diagnosed with heart worms. What? He had been on heart

worm medication his whole life. The same medication as the other three dogs in our house. So, our usual vet was off the day he was diagnosed. No big deal well maybe it was. First line of treatment as many know was antibiotics, steroids, and Heart Guard. Home we go with a load of medication. So, in that first month we give the medications and O'Connor is losing weight, like 30 pounds in one month. He also was drinking a ton of water and urinating excessively. Mom was confused as humans gain weight rapidly on steroids. Mom being a nurse looked up the side effects of the steroids and the first two were thirst and excessive urination. I called the vet and say we need to get him off these steroids as he is losing excessive weight. The vet says he needs them and we can reduce them a bit. Mom again being a nurse says okay and starts to wean him off the steroids completely.

We go out of town for a weekend. Return on Monday and the dog sitter and our trainer for the two young dogs, says something is wrong, O'Connor is really sick. We take one look at him and think he is dying. We rush him to the vet. Again, our usual vet is off and the vet that diagnosed him with the heartworms takes one look at him and says, "that is not the dog I saw a month ago." Labs were drawn and the vet tech said she did not like the look of his urine and did a ketone test and a blood glucose stick. Yes, O'Connor's blood sugar was sky high. We are sent home and our regular vet was to call us the next day with the lab results.

My husband and I are worried but neither said a word. Later we discussed neither of us thought he would make it through the night. We both had to work the next day and neither were able to take the day off. We are both self-employed and some days I work short hours but of course my day was full. I wait and wait for a message from our vet. Nothing. So, at 4 o'clock I am finally on my way home and call the vet. The receptionist

says yes they got the labs back and she will put them on the vets desk to look at them. I walk in the house at 4:50 scared of what I will find. Connor doesn't look good but he was alive. Within 5 minutes our vet calls, a bit frantic and says, "how soon can you get here I want to keep O'Connor overnight." I am in the car a bit relieved with O'Connor and at the vets by 5:05. I pretty much had to carry him into the vet and he still weighed 70 pounds. They took him right back before the vet even talked to me. An IV was started and they begin to flush his kidneys and blood. The vet came out and said he was a diabetic and had a blood sugar over 600. He was in ketone acidosis and the vet was not sure he would make it through the night.

Fast forward, O'Connor made it through the night and the next night and the next. He came home on the third night, weak but with blood sugar somewhat under control and no longer in ketone acidosis. Silver lining the vet refused to charge us as he just could not believe it was our dog that had the heartworms to begin with as he had always been so healthy. He was going to fight the drug company. Well the drug company paid, very little. But they did send us a 6 month supply of the heart worm medication O'Connor had be on when he was diagnosed with heart worms. Needless to say, "No thanks."

So, we go for our first follow-up and the vet says he hoped the diabetes would reverse itself but if it did not O'Connor would be blind in 6 months. What heartworms and blind. Not our big monster. It did not reverse itself.

It is now January and O'Connor is running into things and his eyes are fogged over. Off we go to the ophthalmologist. Yes, many dogs live being blind but O'Connor was my husband's big baby. The vet ophthalmologist say yep he is right on tract. Almost all dogs go blind six months after being diagnosed with diabetes. They build up cataracts that quick.

Testing began and surgery was completed in February. As it was outpatient, we go home and the real fun began. He

needed 3 oral meds and 6 eye drops multiple times a day. Full time job for mom. Luckily work was slow for mom so she had time to put drops in all day into the night. O'Connor seemed to be fine with the medications, however the extra-large cone was another story. I guess his peripheral vision was not so good yet as he ran into everything. In the first two days he took out the lamp



in the den, the corners of the walls, and the water bowl. Oh, he had to wear it for over a month and went through 4 cones. I thought it would be the end of me.

Again, fast forward all is good with O'Connor's sight. His blood sugars are stable as he gets insulin shots twice a day. Hunt tests session began with his little sister and brother. Sister is running in the master series and little brother is running in the senior series, while O'Connor and his litter mate sister sit in the truck and bark at everyone walking past. I guess I never mentioned O'Connor was trained as a puppy we just didn't know about hunt tests. So, he never ran any. I decide to go to a judges seminar that spring. Big idea why don't I run O'Connor at a test. So, in July we are in Colorado running a test with the other dogs and my husband entered O'Connor and me. O'Connor retrieved the first bird but took it to daddy in the gallery. I finally got him to bring it to me and dad hid for the next bird. He loved the water retrieves and we got our first pass! The next day there was another test. O'Connor takes off for the first bird and something in the field scared him, off he goes, not back to me but to the truck. We still don't know what he saw but the area was known to have snakes. However, O'Connor decided he liked these hunt tests, he no longer has to just sit in the truck all day. He got to retrieve ducks, got pieces of a banana with peanut butter between series and many times got a can of soft food at the end of a test. Another challenge for mom was to keep his blood sugars in the right range. I don't think he cares you get a ribbon and your picture on "Facebook" but we do.

After that we picked a few more tests. Sorry to say but we picked tests we knew had small grounds as we still do not know just how far O'Connor can see. Dad ran the rest of the tests as I said before he is his big baby boy. Another plus for O'Connor he got to go to training days with the young dogs.

Come December 2019, O'Connor got his junior title as an almost 11 year old. At that test the marks were further than we thought he could see. He saw the marks and picked them up without a hesitation. We went back to the vet; his blood sugars were stable and run in the low 100s. He was back up to 87 pounds, still down from 107 but looked good. Our regular vet was thrilled. He still tested positive for heartworms but the vet is not too worried as he said it could be another year before he tested negative.



Chessie Tales

Happy times in our house as we now have a junior hunter, senior, hunter, master hunter and a couch potato (AKA Gucci girl) O'Connor's litter mate Killian.

Dawn Duncan and Ted Gentry

Ryder

Here is some food for thought as we start the New Year.

I have a story that put things in perspective for me

One cold November morning when my husband, 2 friends, and a dog went out hunting for ducks in the Saginaw Bay, 7 miles from shore. They shot a duck and went to get it with the boat. They had a young dog with them and where the duck landed did not want to send the dog. As they got back and started to anchor back up they noticed a small amount of water on the deck of the boat, this is not unusual when bringing in the dog and ducks in the boat. Dave turned on the bilge pump and it started pumping water. When Dave



checked the back of the boat he noticed the boat was sitting lower in the water than usual. Dave told the guys to haul in the anchors. They left the decoys and just started in. As they were heading in Dave radioed the Coast Guard and stated they were taking on water and their location. During the radio call, the boat went down. The radio call was only 15 seconds long. They were able to find out later that the Coast Guard was able to deploy their boat in 5 minutes from when the call came in. Since the radio call was only 15 seconds long they did not confirm the coast guard was on the way, so one of the guys pulled out his cell phone and called 911. The phone died but it went through giving them enough time to ping their location so that they could be found faster. The water temp was 35-40 degrees depending on the source. Dave and crew were in the water for 30+ minutes. Once rescued 2 of the 3 men needed extra care and stayed in the hospital, 2 nights for Dave and 4 nights for the other man, both being treated for hyperthermia, shock and complications from exposure.

The dog a Chesapeake Bay Retriever named Ryder did

everything right – when the boat was going under he jumped out of the boat with the guys. He swam around as the guys were trying to get on the boat.



Dave was only able to get ½ on and ½ off the boat. As Dave was there beside the boat Ryder swam up real close. Dave was able to get his arm around Ryder. Ryder stayed with Dave. When the Coast Guard arrived on the scene they said Ryder was leaning on Dave and that Dave had his arm around Ryder. It looked like Ryder was holding Dave up as he was going in and out of consciousness. Ryder went to the Coast Guard and with some assistance got in their boat, then they rescued Dave and the guys. When Dave got in the Coast Guard boat, Ryder laid down beside him and stayed there for the trip back to shore. Once on shore Ryder got out of the way and was a total gentleman as the EMS and Coast Guard worked on getting everyone taken care of physically. The one guy did not have any injuries so he was able to take Ryder till I could get there. Ryder was checked out and had no injuries. The Coast Guard personnel that helped with the rescue, 8 men in total, were given honors and awards. We were able to attend the ceremony. I am thankful every day that the Coast Guard made it there on time.



I would like to take this time and thank the Coast Guard and the personnel that saved 3 people and a dog. Also, the friends that stepped up even if it was just to talk and have a shoulder. Rick and Deb Rusz, Tina Cox, Angie Cox, Raneé Nevels, John and Joette Theut and Robert Boyd. A special thank you also goes out to Rupe Humer and Betsy Horn Humer for producing the type of dog that has good sense. I am reminded of our standard that states "*The Chesapeake is valued for its bright and happy disposition, intelligence, quiet good sense, and affectionate protective nature.*" If Ryder would not have been like he was there may have been a different outcome. This is a protective male Chesapeake that knew when to step aside and allow emergency personnel to save Dave and the rest of the guys on the boat.

Keep your loved ones and friends close and remind them daily that you care for them. I am also reminded that we never know what someone else could be going through so please be kind.

Michelle Keehn

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Performance Podium



AKC Dock Novice (DN)

"Couper" CH Bur Oak's Genuine Couper MH QA2 (Bur Oak's Here's Winston MH QA2 x GCH CH Rainwaters Valhalla's Northern Lights JH) started and completed his Dock Novice (DN) title at the American Chesapeake National Show Specialty. This was Couper's first time on the dock and he loved it! He could hardly wait in between splashes. Couper is owned, and handled by Gary Kavan and Heidi Henningson, bred by Shawn Ward.

Performance Podium Submissions:

New title brags and news for Barn Hunt, Dock Diving, Flyball, Search & Rescue, Scentwork, Herding, Coursing, Shed and WDXQ.

Send all to: **Marty Smith - RiverdelCBRS@aol.com**

ACC Rescue

This is from Hank's new fur Grandmother.

I am lucky as a parent. I have healthy, athletic, very intelligent, beautiful daughters. I read all the books on parenting amongst several others including preparing them for college. Seventeen years later, I'm off loading my oldest, very excited daughter from Northern California to Montana State, who couldn't wait for me to leave so she could start her new chapter in life. This was how it is supposed to happen, right? Problem free, I'm blessed, I have read the books, so I thought. Half way into her sophomore year, no books prepared me for any type of bump in the road let alone what I encountered.

My daughter came home for summer break and I was shocked at how much weight she had lost. My first thought, anorexia. As the weeks progressed my thoughts of anorexia diminished and I realized she was struggling with severe panic attacks. How could this be? I thought I did everything right. I prepared her for life. How could my daughter be broken? Looking for mental health experts in Bozeman Montana, options are limited. I gave her two choices: to come back home, or stay in Montana. She didn't want to leave Montana. She just didn't want to feel this way anymore.

I found a place in Montana that is more into alternative medicine. Some may wonder why I didn't push for Prozac. Her regular PCP doctor wrote her a prescription for Prozac but there was no follow up course of action. As a parent who lives in California this option didn't work for me and it scared her. Though all of this, she kept asking if she could get a dog. I was resistant to the idea do to the fact she is still college. Week after week, doctor appointment after doctor appointment, she kept asking if she could get a dog? If not, then she wanted Molly our Chesapeake in California who is six now and very set in her ways.

I decided to reach out to Cathy Keeler who has been my Chesapeake supplier as well as a family friend. I had a conversation with her about finding a rescue Chesapeake.

Cathy put me in contact with Heidi Henningson, who informed me she had an she thought was an 18 month old male named Harley. I told her about Lizzy's story. Heidi agreed to make Lizzy, Harley's forever home.



Four weeks went by before she was able to meet Harley; all I can say is they were both in love with each other at first sight. Although, Harley was from an unknown history with little information about his background, she was excited to finally take ownership. Several days went by and she realized Harley didn't have a smooth 18-month existence. Harley appeared to have all the signs of not being socialized. He was nervous and unsure. Lizzy decided to change his name to Hank. Her thoughts were to give him a new beginning. Hank was scared of doorways, loud noises, as well as many other issues. She started

to question if Hank was the right dog for her. We had several conversations about Hank and I finally told her "Hank needs you, just as much as you need Hank."

Truth of the matter, they were both broken and both needed love and patience from one another. I recently got to meet my grand fur baby and I couldn't have asked for a better companion to be with her. He goes along with flow. He has assumed his role as a registered service dog. He looks to her for assurance and I feel confident that he will do what Chessies do best, protect her. Hank is Lizzy's support and strength and Lizzy is Hanks support and strength. Hank goes to school with her; he hunts with her, he travels with her. When Lizzy feels a panic attack come on he is very attentive and calm.

Is my story different then most? I don't know, I know I don't cry as much as I use to. I know she doesn't either. Lizzy has gained 11 pounds and continues to gain. Her smile is back and peace is in her eyes.

Lizzy still struggles, but she is not alone, Hank is there by her side. I can finally sleep at night. I know Hank will protect her and I know she will protect him.



Peake Performance

First Chesapeake Bay Retriever Earns AKC Scent Work Detective Title

The Detective title (SWD) is considered the peak (pun intended) of success in the popular AKC Scent Work sport. Trish Neel-Wilson (OH) and Roxy are the first chessie-team ever to conquer this feat with only 2 other dogs having ever attained this elusive title.

“Roxy” U-SC U-SI U-AN U-SJ Sand Spring Get The Party Started, BCAT SWD SWM SCNE DM DSA AM AS CGC TKI DM DSA AM AS CGC SN RL1 NW3 CW-SS (Lzy Mtn Piper’s 3-D Brown Bear MH x HRCH U-CH Sand Spring No Gut’s No Glory SH THDN CGCA CGCU TT)

Roxy owned by Trish Neel-Wilson, bred by JoAnne and John Stancer, closed out 2019 with highest titles in AKC Scent Work: Scent Work Detective (SWD) and Scent Work Master (SWM). Over the past couple of years, Roxy and Trish have made many great friends in the sport and had lots of fun competing in scent work. Roxy loves to search, has lots of hunt drive and is a good independent searcher, which has lent itself to many placements.



AKC Scent Work events have taken place in fun places such as a horse arena, a church, a municipal building, an amusement park with searches on a put-put course, go cart area, and other game rooms, fairgrounds, boy/girl scout camps, a couple different types of schools, a church, a municipal building, a resort on a pond and a few training facilities and clubs.

To get to the Scent Work Master title, a dog must achieve Containers, Exterior, Interior, and Buried Element Titles with 3 passes at the Novice, Advanced, Excellent, and Mater levels. In Novice, the dog must be able to find one odor that is accessible. As the levels increase, the number of odors increase, distractions are added and increased, the size of the search increases and the challenge of the odor puzzles increase, including inaccessible hides.

The Detective title achievement is considered the most challenging in AKC Scent work. To enter this level, you have to have at least one Master element title. Searches are 2,000 to 5,000 square feet, include both interior and exterior areas with distractions, inaccessible hides and height of hides has no limit. To get a pass, you have to clear the areas with an unknown

number of odor hides between 5-10 and call clear within a designated time frame without notice that time is about to expire. Ten passes at the Detective Level are required to get the title. It’s very fun and CHALLENGING!

At the Master level, you have an unknown number of hides up to 4 and may have blank areas that have to be cleared within a set timeframe. Novice levels are relatively easy if your dog can find the birch odor. As the levels increase, the need to work on handling skills, ensure your dog covers all areas in a search area, odor obedience and your ability to read your dog’s indication on odor (or lack thereof) becomes more important for success. Because Chessies are bred to hunt, Scent Work is a venue that our breed can really enjoy and excel in. It’s very fun to watch dogs use their instincts and brain in this sport.

True to her name, Roxy is known to find table hides on top of tables instead of underneath them (like most dogs do) and make the judges laugh. In one Detective Search, there was a stream running thru the search area, Trish made a decision to let Roxy work off leash due to the size of the search area even though there was a big stream running thru it. Roxy quickly hit on 4 hides, jumped in the stream for a quick swim and went right back to work to find 3 more hides and get first place in the search. Roxy and Trish also compete in NACSW, CWag and UKC Nosework venues where Roxy has been successful. Trish and Roxy are currently working toward their NACSW NW3 Elite Title and getting back in to obedience and rally competition.



Versatility Corner

AKC Grand Champion (GCH), 5 New Scent Work Titles, and Agility Novice FAST Preferred (NFP)

"Ariel" GCH CH Silvercreek Applejohn's Little Mermaid RI

NFP SWN SCA
SIA SHDN TKP
CGC finished
her Grand
Championship on
October 5 2019
by going Best
of Breed at the
Oak Ridge (TN)
Kennel Club and
then earning an
Owner-Handled
Group One. The



previous weekend Ariel earned five new Scent Work titles, finishing the Novice Buried and Novice Handler Discrimination titles, to complete her overall Scent Work Novice level title. Ariel also completed the Advanced Containers and Advanced Interior titles. And in November, Ariel earned her first Agility title - Novice FAST Preferred. Ariel is owned, trained, and handled by Lorrie & Joe Johnson and was bred by Joanne Silver and Teresa Tebbens (out of Shallcross Lake's Little Rascal x CH Marjan's Silvercreek Chantilly Lace CD BN RE JH CA CGC TKP).

AKC: Rally Excellent (RE); Scentwork Buried Novice (SBN), Exterior Novice (SEN), Scentwork Novice (SWN)

UKC: United Rally Obedience 3 (URO3)

"Sniper" NN UJJ WSD SHR AI MC URO3 EHD PTE CH



Blackwood's Special OPS CD BN
RE JH WD SWN DJ CGCA CGCU
TKI SPOT (Next Generation)s
Smooth Ooperator JH WD CGC x
Blackwood's Playing the Politics)
has been busy! On Nov. 7, 2019,
at the West Michigan Harvest
Cluster in Kalamazoo, Michigan,
he earned the last leg for his
Rally Excellent (RE) title with
a 4th place under judge Rick
Garvin. The following day at the
Trail Creek Dog Training Club's
trials in La Porte, Indiana, he
finished the last two legs of his
United Rally Obedience 3 (URO3)
title with a first place (100) and a

second place (99) under judge Darlaine Torgesen. At the St. Joe Valley Agility Club's Scentwork trials in Buchanan, Michigan, on November 23 under judge Bernita Lynn Koepfer Sniper earned his Exterior Novice (SEN) title with a two second places and his Buried Novice (SBN) title with a second place to finish his Novice Scentwork title (SWN). The following day he earned a High in Trial at the Advanced levels in Containers, Exteriors and Buried. Sniper loves to work! Bred by Erica Wise; trained, handled and proudly owned by Birdie Hoikka.

New AKC Preferred Agility Champion NEW AKC Senior Hunter ,HRC Hunting Re- triever Titles And Group Placing

"Leonidas" GCH CH PACH HR Curly's One For Sparta BN SH
WDX MXPB MJP3 MJPB PAX OFP DS CGC TKN (CH Crossrhodes
Trail of Pawprints CGC x CH Curly's In Hot Pursuit) earned his



Preferred Agility
Championship on
October 10, 2019 at
the Oakland County
Kennel Club agility
trial in Lapeer, MI
under judge Mark
Rudd. Leonidas
is the youngest
Chessie ever to
earn an AKC agility
championship, and
the 24th Chessie

to earn an agility championship. Leonidas also qualified for the 2019 AKC Invitational in Orlando FL as the #1 Preferred Chessie and the 2020 AKC National Championship. Leonidas loves training for and running agility trials and that can be seen by the smile on his face and the light in his eyes in his agility photos. Leonidas and Tom train with the Blue Crew at All Dogs Can in Lapeer, Michigan.

Leo also earned his HRC Hunting Retriever title at our home club, Central Michigan HRC, with four consecutive Seasoned passes. Leo also earned his AKC Senior Hunter title finishing with five Senior passes in a row. It was incredibly exciting to receive our Senior title at the ACC sponsored Hunt test in Chardon, OH. Leo has shown incredible consistency in training and at the line and is looking to working on his next levels of both AKC and UKC hunt test titles.

Leo went Best of Breed on Saturday, September 14th, 2019, and Sunday, September 15th, 2019 and then went on to earn a Group 4 placement at the St. Clair Kennel Club shows in Goodells, Michigan, under Judge Johnny Shoemaker.

Leonidas is lovingly and expertly handled by Stephanie Hentschel and is owned by Tom Martin and Angela Boeske.



Leonidas also earned an Owner-Handler Group 1 under Judge Karen Wilson at the Greater Muskegon Kennel Club show in Kalamazoo, Michigan on November 8th, 2019. Leonidas was shown by his Breeder/Co-Owner Angela Boeske.



Companion Sports

Rally Novice Title

Nelchina debuted in Rally at the 2019 ACC National Show Specialty in Auburn, WA on 9/5/19 and earned her first Rally Novice (B) leg under our own breeder judge Betsy Horn Humer and her second one under Mary Jane Shervais. We drove back home (North to Alaska) and waited for the next trial (12/7/19, Dog Obedience Training Club of Anchorage) where she completed her Rally Novice title and earned an insurance leg under Sharon Ann Redmer. "Nelchina" is now Nuka Bay's Nelchina Glacier Brown RN CGC TKI TN-N HP-I BR-N. She was bred by and is owned, trained and handled by Lynda Barber-Wiltse (AK) and is out of Kach (MACH GCH Am/Can CH Eastern Waters' Nuka Bay Kachemak WD BN, PCD, CD, VCD1, ASCA RN, Can RE, RM2, RAE3, TD, XF, MX, MXB, MJB, T2B, CA, DJ, TKI EAC, EJC, OCC, O-TN-E, TG-E, WV-E, HP-E, BR-O, RS-N, JS-O, GS-N) and Niki (MACH, Am/Can CH, (.84 GCH), SR Nuka Bay Tok's Nikolai Creek CGCA, WD, JH, BN, Can/ASCA CD, CDX, ASCA RN, CKC RE, URO3, RAE, CGC, CGN, OF, MXB, MJS, T2B, EAC, EJC, OCC, O-TN-E, TG-E, WV-O, HP-O, JS-O, GS-O, RS-N). Now to finish her breed championship (has both majors, needs 2 single points), move up in Rally, continue training in obedience, agility and field and who knows what else!



New Mach

On 11/08/19 Topaz earned her MACH! So so proud of her and our coach and friends. It truly takes a village! See you all in Orlando at the AKC Agility Invitational once again. – Cat Weil & Crew in Cincinnati



Chessie
Fun Day in Wisconsin!

**April 25, 2020 the
ACC WI Chessie Fun Day
will be held at the
home of John & JoAnn Stancer.**

This will be our 5th Anniversary fun day.
A mock hunt test, Farm Dog Certification, lure coursing,
pot luck and raffle will be going on.
Email JoAnn at j_stancer@yahoo.com if any questions.



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Companion Sports Submissions:

New title brags and news for Agility, Obedience, Rally, and Tracking appear together in this column.

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2020 National Specialty Show

October 10 - October 17, 2020



Hello!

The 2020 American Chesapeake Club National Show Specialty will be fast approaching. We are asking for the membership's help in compiling their favorite recipes for a cookbook that will be available for purchase as a fundraiser.

We know we have some amazingly talented cooks, bakers, chefs, and confectioners amongst our ranks, we need your recipe contributions.

Do you have a favorite recipe (food, drink, or canine cuisine) that you would like to share and see in print? Below is how you can contribute.

Go to www.typensave.com
User Name: 2020 ACC NSS
(use spaces and caps)
Password: butter988 (no caps, no spaces)
Click "Add Recipe"

We encourage you to add as many recipes as you like. Please check your recipes. If you click save, and you forgot something or need to change something, you will need to contact Tina Camp (TCamp2U@comcast.net). Thank you for your support and participation!

Joanne Silver - Chair
Tina Camp - Co-Chair

Looking for Auction items and state baskets contact Ann Law.

American Chesapeake Club Hunt Test

October 10-11th, Saturday & Sunday
Rebel Ridge Farms
295 Woods Rd; Elkton, MD 21921
Chairman: Michael Moscowitz
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Working Dog Test

WD/X/Q
October 13th, Tuesday
Rebel Ridge Farms
295 Woods Rd; Elkton, MD 21921rcj
Chairman: TBA

Agility Trial

October 14th, Wednesday
Bella Vista Training Center
730 Mt. Airy Rd; Lewisberry, PA 17739
Chairman: Nancy Miller
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Obedience & Rally Trials

October 15th, Thursday
York Expo Center
334 Carlisle Ave; York, PA 17404
Rally Judge: Sara Steele
Obedience Judges: Nancy Withers and Pat Hess
Chairman: Jill Conroy
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Dog Classes and Sweepstakes

October 16th, Friday
York Expo Center
334 Carlisle Ave; York, PA 17404
Sweepstakes Judge: Patricia Martin
Judge: Peggy Beisel-McIlwaine
Chairman: Joanne Silver
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Bitches/Intersex/Juniors

October 17th, Saturday
York Expo Center
334 Carlisle Ave; York, PA 17404
Judge: Lorraine Bisso

Chairman: Joanne Silver
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Banquet

October 16th, Friday
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Show Scene

Best in Show



“Hank” wins big in Las Cruces, NM! He won his third Best In Show on October 27, 2019, under judge Mrs. Sharon Newcomb, then achieves another Reserve Best In Show on October 28, 2019, under judge Dr. Steve Keating.

On November 2, 2019, Hank won Best In Sporting Dog Show in Albuquerque, NM, under judge Mr. Sidney Marx.

“Hank” MBIS MRBIS GCHG Sandbar’s Hardcore Hank MH QAA (CH Sandbar’s Inside Trader x CH Sandbar’s Concrete Blonde). Owners: Adam Levy, Diane Baker, Andrew Barbouche. Breeder: Diane Baker. Handler: Devon Kipp



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Group Placements



“Bridger” Valhallas Cross Country Voyager (GCHG CH Chesastar Hudson Bay CGC, WD, BN, RN, JH, THD, SH x GCH CH BISS Rainwaters Valhallas Northern Lights WD, JH) owned by Josh & Morgan Nachtigall and bred by Shawn Eugene Ward took a Group Two and a Group Four placement in The Sporting Group at the Mid Coast Kennel Club of Maine while earning a point each day towards his championship. Special thanks to judges Christine Calcinari and Debra L. Thornton and to breeder Shawn Ward. It was definitely worth driving all the way to Montana to pick up Bridger.

New Grand Champion Silver



“Doc” GCHS Redlion’s Invasion CGC TKN. (MBIS MRBIS GCHG Sandbar’s Hardcore Hank MH QAA X Redlion’s Flying Circus). Doc’s closed out his Grand Champion Silver at the ACC Supported Entry in Fort Wayne Indiana going BOB. Handled by Doug Belter. Thank you Doug. Owned by Robert Boyd. Bred by Jane Pappler.

New Grand Champion



“Trixie” SHR GCH CH Callisto’s Bag of Tricks for Grandma CGCA BN THDN JH WD (SEVCH SEU(U)CH GCH Pond Hollow Doublecoat Icebreaker WDX x GCHB GCH Chesabar’s Veruca Salt JH WDX).

Trixie completed her GCH at the Carroll Kennel Club Show in Westminster, MD, on October 27, 2019, under Judge Valerie Joan Hutton. Her six month old son “Quentin”, Laughing Wolf’s We’ll Always Have Paris (Ch Pond Hollow Dodge City X SHR GCH CH Callisto’s Bag of Tricks for Grandma CGCA, BN, THDN, WD, JH) was Best of Winners that day as well. Trixie was pleased to learn that she will no longer have to go to shows and can instead devote her time to getting ready to run hunt tests in 2020.

New Champion



“Belle” CH Chesacola’s Memphis Belle BN RN JH (CH Shiloh Hill Dusty Rose Albert CD RA JH X CH Chesacola Shiloh Hill Delta Lady CD BN RE). Belle is a pretty girl that enjoys her time with three co owners. Angie handled her to her Championship. Breeder(s) Angela J Cox & Brian Cox & Ranee L Nevels. Owners Rick Rusz, Angie Cox, Michelle Keehn

ACC Raleigh Supported Entry – August 31, 2019

Chesapeake fanciers from throughout the Southeast convened on Raleigh, NC, during Labor Day weekend for the third annual ACC Supported Entry on August 31, 2019.

Judges for the event were Dr. Katrine Bremser and Ms. Heather Brennan. A highlight this year was addition of the raffle to benefit future ACC events for the Carolinas, featuring dog-themed baskets and items. Tickets were sold onsite to patrons of the Durham Kennel Club show with generous cooperation from that club. Following the mid-morning ring time, a number of participants and volunteers let their hair down and cooled off during the typically hot Carolina afternoon by dock jumping with the North American Diving Dogs and picnicking thanks to Chef George Makatura. (See related article this issue.)

Special thank you to all of the wonderful people who donated toward the trophy fund and the volunteers who helped put on the event. Organizers: George Makatura (Chair) and Stephanie Roberson-Thomas.

Sweepstakes Judge: Dr. Katrin Bremser
Veteran

BVSW – USJCH SHR UCH GCH Susquidilla's Sienna Bay Dyllan CD JH RA DMA DSA TKI DDS BCAT CGCU WD TDI (CH Susquidilla Calico Hudson Bay x CH Susquidilla's Island Odyssey). Owner: Stephanie Roberson-Thomas. Breeder: Robyn Haskin.

BOSVSW – CH Whiskey Creek's Parting the Waters CD RE OA OAJ CAA DM DSX2 ASA (CH Clipper's Frozen Assets x CH Whiskey Creek's Greenbrier RAE OA AXJ NF CAX RATM). Owner: Ann Brashears and Katherine Case. Breeder: Katherine Case.

Puppy

BSW - Sienna Bay Waterwynd Fly Me To The Moon DM BCAT TN CGC (CH Del Brave A Knight's Tale MH x GRCH Susquidilla's Sienna Bay Dyllan CD JHRN BN DM DSA UCGC TKI). Breeder/Owner: Stephanie Roberson-Thomas. (See Photo under RWD).

BOSSW – Brimstone Topper's Stellar Encore (CH Brimstone My Heart Goes On x GCH Brimstone Eastern Water's Over The Top). Breeder/Owner: Elizabeth L. Zboran.

Supported Entry Show Results Judge:
Ms. Heather Brennan



BOB/BOBOH (5 GCH pts.) CH Whiskey Creek's Ship Full Of Dreams NADXS DM CA (CH Shallcross Lake's Chaamp RA MH CGC x CH Whiskey Creek's Greenbrier RAE OA AXJ NF CAX RATM). Owner: Anne Brashears and Katherine Case. Breeder: Katherine Case.

BOS (5 GCH pts.) GCHG Pond Hollow Third Times A Charm RN BN (CH Chestnut Hills Chisum x GCH Pond Hollow Special Delivery). Owner: Chris and Karen Beste. Breeder: Linda Cayton and Dyane Baldwin



Select Dog (5 GCH pts.) GCH Silver Takemehome Ship To Shore (GCH Chesabar's Copper Reflection RN JH x CH Takemehome Jetpets). Breeder/Owner: Carol Duke.



Select Bitch (4 GCH pts.) USJCH SHR UCH GCH Susquidilla's Sienna Bay Dyllan CD JH RA DMA DSA TKI BCAT CGCU (CH Susquidilla Calico Hudson Bay x CH Susquidilla's Island Odyssey). Owner: Stephanie Roberson-Thomas. Breeder: Robyn Haskin.



WD/BOW (3 pts.) Laurelwood Worth The Risk (CH Next Generation's Ironwoods Walnut MH x GCH Coolwater's Roane Point CD BN RE SH NA NAJ). Owner: Shannon Huffman and Lauea Griggs. Breeder: Lauea Griggs.



RWD Sienna Bay Waterwynd Fly Me To The Moon DS BCAT TDN CGC (CH Del Brave A Knight's Tale MH x USJCH SHR UCH GRCH Susquidilla's Sienna Bay Dyllan CD JH RA DMA DSA BCAT TKI CGCU). Breeder/Owner: Stephanie Roberson-Thomas.

Show Scene News

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Show Scene



WB (3 pts.) Next Generations Bless Her Heart (CH Spinnakers How The West Was Won MH x GCHB Next Generations No Mercy JH) Owner: Shannon Huffman and John Sutton Breeder: Adam Levy

RWB Del Brave Whistle Stop SH DS (CH Del Brave A Knight's Tale MH x CH Del Brave Mud Bug) Breeder/Owner: George Makatura

Kennel Club of Philadelphia – November 16, 2019

For the last 13 years I have been chairing the ACC Supported Entry held with the Kennel Club of Philadelphia in Oaks, PA. Before that we had a "gap" because the kennel club left the Philadelphia area going out to Harrisburg and Reading, PA, making it difficult for travel for a local chair. I probably chaired this S.E. for a total of nearly 30 years, back in the glory days when we had entries of 80-90 Chesapeakes in the late 80's-90's.

Thanks to several members who have run the luncheon at this show since it moved to the Expo – it has become a gathering place for exhibitors, owners and friends in the Mid-Atlantic area. Many thanks to the past and present luncheon chairs: Deb Rivas, Ann Law and Linda Apuzzo. Not only is it difficult bringing food into the building, but finding a parking place AFTER you come back from picking up the food is NOT easy. One of the highlights of the lunch is the Cake Tradition. "Back in the Day" when the dog show was held in the Civic Center in Philly a tradition was started that the Best of Breed owners bring a celebration cake to the dog show the following year. When the dog show moved back to the Philadelphia area, the winners from 2010, Jim and Brenda Stewart, reinstated the Cake Tradition. This year Annie Henshaw brought the cake . . . (Picture included below) – dog sitting in the back of the boat is, of course, a Chesapeake.

Ask Annie what she went through to get the cake to the dog show site, intact!! It is quite a story . . .



Trophies for Best of Breed and Best Opposite consisted of two prints matted and framed. Ceramic dinnerware in speckled blue with a Chesapeake head made up the balance of the trophies. Eventually, all the regular exhibitors may end up with a place setting. All exhibitors with a Champion that did not win or place received a small tile with NSS 2019 logo. Sweeps trophies for every placement were bumpers and a special decorated cookie made by Linda Apuzzo. Two trophies did not make it to the show: I found them just before Christmas – under a bed in the children's guest room when I was looking for the Christmas wrapping paper . . .

The raffle was successfully run, once again, by Ann Law who started the raffle about four years ago. She begs, borrows and perhaps steals many items for the raffle and then sells tickets all day – it is total profit and brings in monies to cover costs of trophies and lunch.

Many thanks to everyone who makes a donation, donates to the raffle, AND es-



pecially those who enter their dogs AND show AND stay all day to bring the breed before the public. You are the BEST! This year I stayed to watch the Sporting Group even though it was one of the last. The filming can be a tough proposition for inexperienced dogs. I was pleased to see the young dog who won the breed, Barron, behave beautifully in the ring despite noise, lights and cameras that were too close for a comfort zone. List of all the winners to follow.

Submitted by Betsy Horn Humer, Chair

Judge: Ms. Theresa Hundt Entry: 11-10-(5-8)7

Best of Breed: CH Chessieville Bay Stars N Stripes Forever CGC. Breeder/Owner/Handler: Heike Frattalone.



Best of Opposite Sex: CH Chesabar's Carolina's Sweet Sole Breeder: Jessica O'Dell & P. & R. Barber, Jr. Owner: Jessica & Jeffrey O'Dell Handler – Joyce Coccia.

Best of Winners, Winners Bitch: Fitzhughs Troy Creek Believer. Breeder: Darren Sausser. Owner: Robert Baldwin Handler: Kimberley Rudzik.



Winners Dog: Redlion's What Do You Think. Breeder/Owner: Jane Pappler & Darren Sausser. Handler J. Pappler.

Reserve Winners Bitch: Redlion's Joe's Hit From The Park SH. Breeder: Fil Fina. Owners: Jane Pappler & Fil Fina.

Reserve Winners Dog: Pond Hollow A Special Deacon, MH. Breeder: Dyane Baldwin & Linda Cayton. Owner: Derrick March & D. Baldwin (handler).

Select Dog: GCH Chessieville Bay Teddy Roosevelt's Boy CA BCAT DS CGC TKN. Breeder: Heike Frattalone. Owners: Christine & Peter Tiano. Handler Sandra Huisinga.

Select Bitch: CH Charlotte's Web of Wonder. Breeder: Robert M. Heiken & Deanna J. Brown. Owner: Christine L. Stetzer. Handler Jeri El-Dissi.



*Veteran Dog: GCHS Chesabar's Mr Doots Mason CDX BN RE JH RATN DJ CGCA TKI. Breeder: Patsy & Rudy Barber, Jr. Owner: Beverly, Wesley and Jeffrey Matthias. Handler B. Matthias.

*Veteran Bitch: GCH Chesabar's Rocket Roberta. Breeder: Deborah and Steven McEwan & P. Barber. Owner: Deborah McEwan. Handler: Linda Apuzzo.

*Just want to comment that all three of the Veterans entered were eleven years old and they all looked fantastic and moved beautifully!!

Hunting Retriever Dog: CH Waylands U Turn CGC. Breeder/Owner: Mark Glaspey & Kim L. Cramer.

Hunting Retriever Bitch: CH Callisto's Bag of Tricks For Grandma CGC THDN CGCA BN JH. Breeder: Ryan McEwan. Owner: Eleanor & Linda Apuzzo (handler).

Sweepstakes Judge's Critique

I had a very nice group of puppies to judge. They all had wonderful temperaments and stood well for the examination. All were well schooled in the ring and moved well, which is always a plus for any judge. It was very nice to see good bites on all of these dogs. Thank you to all of the exhibitors for bringing me your charges.

My Best In Sweeps, Weatherdeck Bivalve, is a 1 year old bitch that is very well put together. She is very balanced. Her front and rear angles are wonderful. She has a beautiful coat. She carries herself around the ring with ease. Her reach and drive are effortless. She has a very lovely expression and she looks like a bitch. I was honored to award her with Best in Sweepstakes.

My Best of Opposite Sex in Sweeps, Redlion's What Do You Think, is a 9 month old lovely deadgrass dog. He is one of those dogs that when I put my hands on him, I knew he could do everything that the breed is required to do. His front assembly is phenomenal and he has the rear angles to go with it. His coat was correct and the lines of his head were proportional. He had some bright spots in his movement that allowed me to see what my hands told me was there on the examination. I see a very bright future for this dog.

I would like to thank Betsy Horn Humer for asking me to judge Sweepstakes at this show. It was an honor.

On a side note. I have been in Chesapeake for over 20 years. I am very concerned with the front assemblies in the breed. There are many dogs out there that have very SHORT upper arm length. This stifles the dog's movement and doesn't allow the dog to cover ground and water efficiently while doing the job they were bred to do. There seem to be a lot of breeders out there now that continue breeding poor fronts. It has been said that "It takes 20 years to fix a front end assembly." That is 7 Generations if it is done properly. Some of us don't have 20 years left to "FIX" this problem. I feel we need to examine our front assemblies and try to breed for better. Also, there are quite a few dogs and bitches out now that are very short on leg. This Breed should have moderate, good length of leg that allows them to cover the ground

efficiently. These are a couple of the issues that I feel we as breeders need to work on and try to get back to the Standard that was set for us all to follow.

Elizabeth "Beth" Zboran

Sweepstakes Results

Sweepstakes Judge: Mrs. Elizabeth "Beth" Zboran Entry 9 (4-5)



Best In Sweepstakes: Junior Bitch 12-18 mos Weatherdeck Bivalve Owners: Gina Downin and Thomas Rick.

Best Opposite in Sweepstakes: Puppy Dog 6-9 mos. Redlion's What Do You Think. Owners: Jane Pappler and Darren Sausser. (See photo Winner's Dog.)

1st Place – Puppy Dog 9-12 Mos – Chessieville Bay Stars N Stripes Forever CGC Owner: Heike Frattalone.

1st Place – Junior Dog 12-18 Mos – Redlion's Element of Surprise. Owner: Jane Pappler.

1st Place – Puppy Bitch 9-12 Mos – Susquilla's Spitfire. Owner: Robyn Haskin & Craig Larson.

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Show Scene

NON-ACC Event

Michigan Chesapeake Bay Retriever Club - Supported Entry Results, - Sept. 7, 2019

Sweepstakes Judges Commentary

First of all, I want to say thank you to the Michigan Chesapeake Bay Retriever Club for inviting me to judge sweeps. It was an honor as I love the breed. My number of exhibits though small, had depth of quality across the entry. My Best in Veteran Sweeps was a wonderful example of the breed and even as a veteran, she was in excellent condition, well balanced and moved with ease. She has that classic intelligent look of a Chessie!! The puppies in my sweepstakes classes were moderate and medium in length as called for. I found the heads to be pleasing having the correct proportions with a broad and rounded skull with a medium short nose. Also, the temperaments across the board were bright and happy, it was a pleasure judging them. I would love the opportunity to judge the Chesapeake Bay Retriever again.

Anne Palmer

PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES Entry 1-2 Judge: Anne Palmer Best in Sweepstakes: **DEAD STREAM'S PHENOMENON OF THE STORM TIDES** Breeder/Owner: Chuck & Angela Franks. By Ch Irish's Royal Prince Of Tides-GCh Chessieville Bay Stormy Weather.

No Best of Opp in Sweeps due to entry error.

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES Entry 2-1 Judge: Anne Palmer



Best in Veteran Sweepstakes (12yr & over 1st): **GCH CH IRISH'S TIGRESS OF THE KNIGHT** Breeder/Owner: Gary & Dorene Irish By Ch Irish's C.K. Dexter Haven-Ch Irish's Mystical Maiden.

Best of Opposite in Veteran Sweepstakes (7-10yr 1st): **IRISH'S WINGS OF THUNDER** Breeder: Gary & Dorene Irish. By GCh Irish's Master Jake GCh Irish's Tigress Of The Knight. Owner: Erik & Leslie Haugen, Gary & Dorene Irish.

BREED JUDGING Entry 3- 8 (2-3) 3-1 Judge: Ann Yuhasz



Best of Breed/Grp 2: **CH IRISH'S I'M NOT FROM KANSAS** Breeder: Gary & Dorene Irish. By GCh Irish's Royal Bounty Hunter-GCh Irish's Darkness Of The Royal Knight. Owner: Gretchen Martha Crockford. Handler: G. Irish



Best of Winners/Winners Bitch: **IRISH'S ULANGA BORA QUEEN** Breeder/Owner: Gary & Dorene Irish. By GCh Irish's Magic Max-Ch Irish's Royal Misty Morning.

Best of Opposite Sex/OHGrp2: **GCH CH CHESSIEVILLE BAY STORMY WEATHER** Breeder: Heike Frattalone & Spohie Peterson. By Ch Hunterdan's Rebel SH CGC-GCh Pond Hollow More Joyful RA NA NAJ CGCA. Owner: Chuck & Angela Franks.

Select Dog/Veteran 7-10 1st: **GCH MERCER'S MIGRATION SABOTEUR** Breeder/Owner: Dana & Veronica Mercer. By Ch The North Shore's Navy Seal-Mercer's Baby Sister.

Select Bitch: **GCH WAWA'S FOWL SEARCH ENGINE** Breeder: Dana & Veronica Mercer & Deb Burton. By Ch Mercer's Non-Fiction-Mercer's Wawa Sisterhood. Owner: Dana & Veronica Mercer & Chuck Crump.

Winners Dog: **IRISH'S ROYAL MARSH MADNESS** Breeder: Gary & Dorene Irish. By GCh Irish's Magic Max-GCh Irish's Darkness Of The Royal Knight. Owner: Bill & Donna Karczewski & Gary & Dorene Irish.

Reserve Winners Dog: **GENERAL CUSTER MCKOULE OF CRAWFORD LAKE.** Breeder: Chuck & Angela Franks. By GCh Irish's Master Jake-GCh Chessieville Bay Stormy Weather. Owner: Joe & Jennifer Piechocki / Chuck & Angela Franks.

Reserve Winners Bitch: **IRISH'S I'M THE ONE TO WATCH.** Breeder/Owner: Gary & Dorene Irish. By Ch Irish's Clover Leaf Trinity-GCh Irish's Royal Princess Azula.

Veteran Bitch 12 & over 1st: **GCH CH IRISH'S TIGRESS OF THE KNIGHT.** Breeder/Owner: Gary & Dorene Irish By Ch Irish's C.K. Dexter Haven-Ch Irish's Mystical Maiden.

New ACC Patch

The new patch is smaller 2" and new price is \$4.00 including shipping.

The old patch is discontinued.

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Hunt Test Headlines

New UKC Hunting Retriever Champions



“Fuzz” HRCH Xanado Bigbaydogs Sunrise Red Rage JH (CH Xanado Rooster Cogburn AT GE X Xanado Calipso Jewel of the Sea) received his Hunting Retriever Champion (HRCH) title on October 13, 2019 at the Lake Charles Retriever Club’s fall hunt test in Lake Charles, LA. Fuzz is owned/trained and handled by Tammy & Patrick Cumiskey of Bigbaydogs Chesapeake Bay Retrievers from Brazoria, TX.

New UKC Started Hunting Retrievers

“Beans” SHR Bigbaydogs Crossfire Betty’s Badassitude (Prairie Sky Patterson QA2 X Colonial’s Sure Bet) received her Started Hunting Retriever title (SHR) on March 3, 2019 at Ravensway Hunting Retriever Club’s spring hunt test in Scurry, TX. Beans is owned/trained and handled by Tammy & Patrick Cumiskey of Bigbaydogs Chesapeake Bay Retrievers from Brazoria, TX.



“Gator” HRCH Hard Luck Gator’s Revenge (CH LZ Y Mountain Piper’s Revenge QA2 “Rambo” X O’Tracy’s Maddigun) received his Hunting Retriever Champion title at Fox River Valley Retriever Club September 21 & 22 with 2 passes. Bred by Tracy Wagner and owned and handled by Jerry Wagner of Wausau, WI.



“Gnarls” SHR Bigbaydogs Crazy Gnarls Barksley (Blucollars Full Metal Jacket CD MH X Long Pond’s Tight Knit Henley MH) received his Started Hunting Retriever title (SHR) on October 13, 2019 at the Lake Charles Retriever Club’s fall hunt test in Lake Charles, LA. Gnarls is owned/trained and handled by Tammy & Patrick Cumiskey of Bigbaydogs Chesapeake Bay Retrievers from Brazoria, TX.



“Sis” HRCH Bigbaydogs Caroway All American Girl JH (CH Cur-San’s Dividend MH X GCH CH Caroway’s Scooting Along) received her Hunter Retriever Champion (HRCH) title on November 2, 2019 at the Texoma Hunting Retriever Club’s fall hunt test in Geronimo, OK. Sis is owned/trained and handled by Tammy & Patrick Cumiskey of Bigbaydogs Chesapeake Bay Retrievers from Brazoria, TX.



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Presidents Message

Wow! Not only did we close out the year, but we closed out a decade! And we had many breed firsts and great accomplishments during this time frame! I wonder what 2020 and the next decade will bring. Good Luck to everyone!

The November National Field Trial Specialty (NFTS) is in the books! Gary Kavan and Heidi Henningson and their team did an outstanding job. Pin Oak Kennels was a fabulous venue. Congratulations to all the competitors and winners and thank you to everyone that helped. Congratulations also to Heidi Henningson for being presented with the well-deserved Lifetime Achievement Award.

Many ACC members migrated to Orlando, FL, in December for the AKC National Championship. It is one of the world's premiere dog events, the largest dog event in North America and the only dog show hosted by the American Kennel Club. The National Championship is held in conjunction with the AKC Agility Invitational, the AKC Obedience Classic, the National Owner-Handled Series Finals, and Junior competitions in Conformation, Agility, Obedience and Rally along with North American Diving Dogs Championship, Meet the Breed booths, vendors, judge education opportunities, etc. Our ACC Meet the Breed booth won first place in the Sporting Group then went on to win Best Booth in Show! Check out AKC TV for a few cameo spots and BIS ribbon presentation! Our Booth Team has worked very hard for many years – and the fruits of their labor shined this year! Congratulation also to all competitors and winners.

Looking forward to 2020: please see write-up in this issue of the Bulletin regarding the 2020 Nominating Committee. Keep a lookout for information about the 2020 NFTS – Dina Perugini (September in Cascade, ID) and 2020 National Show Specialty (NSS) - Joanne Silver/Tina Camp (October in York, PA). The Board is working on both short- and long-term goals – stay tuned for updates. One goal near and dear to my heart is developing redundancies and back up plans for key areas of our Club. With this goal in mind, we recently appointed Kelly Bromelkamp as Co-Editor of the Bulletin.

Our club is run by volunteers – and I personally want to thank each one of you! Without your dedication and hard work, we would not have a strong and vital ACC. Sure we have more projects to finish or accomplish, new challenges to tackle, things to fix – but we also have a lot to be proud of.

If you ever have questions about the ACC or have constructive input or ideas, please contact the Board or any individual Board member. And keep looking for postings announcing upcoming volunteer opportunities.

Lynda Barber-Wiltse, ACC President

September Board Meeting

AMERICAN CHESAPEAKE CLUB
A California Nonprofit public benefit corporation
Minutes Of A Regular Meeting Of The Board Of Directors

A regular meeting of the board of directors of the AMERICAN CHESAPEAKE CLUB, a California Nonprofit public benefit corporation was called to order 6:04 PM ET, Tuesday September 24, 2019. 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 Lynda Barber-Wiltse, Vice President Ed Bahr, Treasurer Gale Frana, Secretary Tina Cox, Director Pat Baughman, Director Gina Downin, Director Gale Frana, Director GiGi Grant, Director Carolyn Johnson.

President Lynda Barber-Wiltse served as Chair and Secretary Tina Cox served as Secretary of the meeting.

- Approval of Minutes – To approve the August 12, 2019 Board Meeting Minutes. **19:56** (Carolyn Johnson, Gina Downin) Approved 09/24/2019
To approve the September 6, 2019 Annual Meeting Minutes. **19:57** (Carolyn Johnson, Gina Downin) Approved 09/24/2019
- Report of President: The President (Lynda Barber-Wiltse) This was the final teleconference for the current Board. Lynda thanked everyone for all they do and have done. Thanked Ed Bahr for his time and commitment to the Board and Club. Gale Frana and Tina Cox moved to Directors. Welcome to Carolyn Johnson as new Secretary, Margi Palmer as new Treasurer, Pat Baughman moving to Vice President from Director.
- 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.
 - To appoint Kelly Bromelkamp (IA) as Bulletin Show News Contributing Editor to replace Stacy George (NJ) **19:53** (Lynda Barber-Wiltse, Tina Cox) Approved 08/23/2019
 - To approve Margi Palmer, the incoming ACC Treasurer, opening two new ACC bank accounts for the purpose of becoming the new ACC main checking account and savings account. President Lynda Barber-Wiltse will also be a signer on the account. **19:54** (Gale Frana, Tina Cox) Approved 08/23/2019
 - To approve the roll-over of our current Certificate of Deposit into a 12 or 13 month Certificate of Deposit at SmartBank, Maryville, TN. **19:55** (Gale Frana, Lynda Barber-Wiltse) Approved 09/16/2019
- Report of Treasurer: The Treasurer (Gale Frana) reported she and incoming Treasurer, Margi Palmer, met at the NSS in Auburn, WA. Appropriate records were handed off to incoming Treasurer, Margi Palmer.

We are still in the process of completing the process to transfer all ACC funds from the Smart Bank account in Tennessee to the new main ACC checking and savings account in New Mexico. We hope to have that completed next week. Once two signatures are received Gale will transfer funds.

Our club's Smart Bank CD rolled over last week and will mature in 12 months.

Current bank balances total \$102,088.62

Club News

5. Reports of Committees:

A. Standing Committees

1. Companion Events Committee – Lynda Barber-Wiltse (AK) Several changes in the obedience regs which have been noted in the Bulletin.
2. Field Trial Committee – Ed Bahr (AL) 2019 National Field Trial Specialty (NFTS) is all set. Meal reservations need to be submitted soon; the link is active on the website. Dina Perugini is hosting the 2020 NFTS; very nice grounds.
3. Health Committee – GiGi Grant (ID) No report.
4. Hunt Test Committee – Pat Baughman (NE) Dave Phillips hosting a Hunt Test in Ohio first week in October. Pat Baughman will be judging puppy stakes at the 2019 NFTS.
 - Master National Retriever Club – Dale Langhorne (ID)
 - Master Amateur Retriever Club – Dale Langhorne (ID)
5. Judge Breeder Education Committee (JBEC) Committee – Gina Downin (MD) The Judge Education at 2019 National Show Specialty (NSS) had a good turnout of four judges. The JBEC would like to thank the following breed mentors for participating in Judge's Education at our 2019 NSS: Dana Bleifer, Melissa Schumann, Angie Cox, Jane Pappler, Michelle Keehn, Betsy Humer, and Gina Downin.
6. Lifetime Achievement Award Committee – Ed Bahr (AL) Mike Pickett reports no activity to report.
7. Show Committee – Gina Downin (MD) Judge's list is done and will be in next Bulletin.

B. Ad-Hoc Committees

1. Breed Rescue – Gale Frana (TN) \$3500 spent for recent rescue cases.
2. Editorial Committee – Lynda Barber-Wiltse (AK) - Kelly Bromelkamp (IA) was appointed as Bulletin Show News Contributing Editor.
3. Electronics Communications Group (ECG) – Lynda Barber-Wiltse (AK), Tina Cox (MI) Suellen reported after a false start with the website launch, the website is live, with postings on the Facebook page to announce the launch.

We continue to find links that need to be fixed and continue to find adjustments that need to be made to the look of the template. Suellen has answered questions on Facebook and via email for those looking for specific information.

She has been asked to update the Header graphic, which she will do as soon as she gets the functional issues corrected.

The Committees need to look at their sections/pages and information, to get updates and new content for the pages and any news that needs to be posted.

4. ROM Committee – Lynda Barber-Wiltse (AK) Need to move to next level.

5. Illustrated Guide (IG) – Lynda Barber-Wiltse (AK) Thumb drives with the ACC logo will be prepared and sent to judges.
6. Nominating Committee 2019 – (Pat) Gale (Alternate)
7. Membership Application Committee - Gina Downin (MD) Nothing new since last meeting.
8. Health Survey Committee - GiGi Grant (ID) Survey given to Jim Stewart and his comments will be incorporated.
9. ACC National Show Specialty (NSS) Manual – Tina (MI) Nothing new since last meeting.

6. Unfinished Business:

- A. Overseas WD/X/Q Program: Lynda, Gina, Laurea Griggs and some overseas RD's will be working on this. Julie Reardon, Overseas RD Chair will be added.
 - B. NFTS and NSS traveling trophies
 - C. RD manual draft is almost done. Need to follow up with Treasurer on the financial section. When draft is ready, we will submit to the RD Chairs for review and input.
 - D. New wording suggested for "American Chesapeake Club - Membership Renewal
Membership dues are due on or before January 1st, 2020. Membership will be considered lapsed if dues remain unpaid thirty (30) days after January 1st. In order to be listed in the new Membership Directory, your renewal MUST BE RECEIVED by January 31st."
7. Election of New Members – No new members currently.
 8. New Business:
 - A. To approve a \$200 annual donation to a Regional Director hosting a local Chesapeake event upon their request to the ACC Treasurer. **19:58** (Gale Frana, Gina Downin) Approved 09/24/2019
 - B. To approve the purchase of AKC title files covering the years 2006-present, at a cost of \$300, to populate title data in our database. **19:59** (Gina Downin, Pat Baughman) Approved 09/24/2019
 - C. GiGi will forward information about the Embark Genetic Testing Facility, partner program to the Health Committee to review.

Executive Session – the Board went into Executive Session at 8:47 PM ET and came out at 9:25PM ET. There was nothing to report from Executive Session.

There being no further business, the meeting was duly adjourned at 9:28 PM ET.

Respectfully submitted,

Tina Cox, Secretary

Dated: December 3, 2019

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7. Elections

B. Nominations

"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."

Bur Oak's Here's Winston QA2 MH26

3/1/2007 – 8/12/2019



Winston was the second youngest dog of any breed to complete a licensed Derby receiving a JAM at 6 months and 13 days of age. Winston was on the National Derby List two years in 2008 and 2009 with a total of 15 points and 16 JAMS. Winston became QAA with an Open 4th at 18 months of age. He successfully completed the 2012 Master National in Kansas. Winston's career was affected by an injury.

Winston was everything you would want in a dog. He loved retrieving, his people and popcorn. Winston loved hunting. He started hunting geese in the field behind the house at 7 months of age. To stand next to him on the line was a privilege. He always gave it his all and never disappointed.

Gary and Heidi

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AKC New Titles

September

CHAMPION		
CH Blue Sky Change In The Weather	22-Sep-19	Yvette Yoho
CH Irish's I'm The One To Watch	8-Sep-19	Gary Irish & Dorene A Irish
CH Irish's Royal Marsh Madness	8-Sep-19	Bill Karczewski & Gary Irish & Dorene A Irish & Donna Karczewski
CH Nordais Avec Le Temps QA2	13-Sep-19	David Beach & Stephanie Beach
CH Red Water's Fly Me To The Moon	22-Sep-19	Sheri Boretsky & Bryan Boretsky & Heidi McKeon
CH Sleepy Hollow's You Called Down The Thunder JH THDD CGCA	15-Sep-19	Cathy Ann Seduisantes Martini-Rashid
CH St. John's Queen Of The Nile	15-Sep-19	Mr. Bryan Porter
CH Tangled Up In Blue	28-Sep-19	Randy Pollock & Linda Harger
GRAND CHAMPION		
GCH CH Irish's I'M Not From Kansas	28-Sep-19	Mrs. Gretchen Martha Crockford
GCH CH North Flow Swedish Adventure BN RA NAJ CA DMA	7-Sep-19	Sarah Fortman & Dawn Logan & Carol Lipinski
GCH CH Skywatcher Dublin's Irish Ire	6-Sep-19	Michelle Junevitch & Michon Nederlander
GRAND CHAMPION BRONZE		
GCHB CH Chessieville Bay Winter Patriot	13-Sep-19	Angela & Chuck Franks
GRAND CHAMPION SILVER		
GCHS CH Riversedge Jumpin Jack Flash RN JH CGC	14-Sep-19	Scott Nohavec & Nancy Rickerson
COMPANION DOG		
Del Brave Meadowood Forest CD BN RI CGC	7-Sep-19	Sylvia Holderman & David Holderman
Pond Hollow Blue Mountain CD BN RI CGC TKI	15-Sep-19	Virginia S Bixler
CH Red Water's Iron Compass CD BN RN CGCU	5-Sep-19	Sonia Hutmacher Cunningham & Ava Hata
COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT		
Flying D's Splash Of Camas CDX BN RN TD JH	5-Sep-19	Sally Diess & Dean Diess
RALLY NOVICE		
GCH CH Deerfield's Whispering Pines RN CGC TKN	15-Sep-19	Vivian DeRiemaker
CH Eastern Waters' Shiloh Hill Delightful Holiday BN RN JH	5-Sep-19	Ranee L Nevels & Michelle D Keehn
Mr. Mack RN	1-Sep-19	Mrs. Jennifer Lynn Entz

Pond Hollow Blue Mountain BN RN CGC TKI	12-Sep-19	Virginia S Bixler
RALLY INTERMEDIATE		
Pond Hollow Blue Mountain CD BN RI CGC TKI	15-Sep-19	Virginia S Bixler
Sandbar's Raise A Ruckus RI CGC	14-Sep-19	Ms. Jayne S Bennett
RALLY ADVANCED		
CH Mtn View Tweety Bird CD PCD BN RA CGCA	5-Sep-19	Janet C Birk
GCH CH Sandbar's Concrete Option Of Dalbrian CD RA SWA SIM SCE SHDN	20-Sep-19	C Ann Haley & Karen Lamb
CH Sedgeblac's Somkin' Sweet Tea RA	8-Sep-19	Stephen Kasprzyk & Kimberly Hitt D.V.M.
RALLY EXCELLENT		
GCH CH Dut-Chesse Rozy's Sweet Magnolia UD BN RE SH MX MXJ MJB XF TKI	5-Sep-19	Jill Conroy & Robert Conroy
GCH CH Marnetts Bayside History Repeats RE JH	27-Sep-19	Annette Monugian & Charlene R C Cordiero
GCH CH North Flow American Exclusive CD BN RE NA NAJ CGC	27-Sep-19	Dawn Logan & Brad Logan
RALLY ADVANCED EXCELLENT		
CH Whiskey Creek's Hidden Assets CDX PCD BN RAE JH FDC CAA THDN RATO DS CGC	5-Sep-19	Lex Phillips & Melinda Phillips
RALLY ADVANCED EXCELLENT 4		
Summershade's Miss Dee Dee CDX GN RAE4 JH FDC RATN DSX2 ASA CGCA	5-Sep-19	Melinda Phillips & Lex Phillips
RALLY MASTER		
Bayside's Magic Carpet Ride CD RM SH	5-Sep-19	Ms. CHARLENE C CORDIERO
JUNIOR HUNTER		
Blackwoods Grizz Quack-Addiction Sutfin JH	28-Sep-19	Debra M Sutfin
Calico Sands Box Of Rain JH	21-Sep-19	Michelle Costello
CH Callisto's Copper Cast Ursa Major JH	1-Sep-19	Mrs. Deborah A McEwan & Mitchel Horowitz
Captain Thor's Gale Wind JH	22-Sep-19	Mr. Bryan F Jones
Crossfire's Four Leaf Clover JH	15-Sep-19	Stephen Douglas Thornton
Cur-San's Fire On The River JH	15-Sep-19	James K Layne & Tricia M Layne
Grand Oaks Harvest Sunset JH	14-Sep-19	Mr. Justin Richard Thurston
Johnson Creek's Thundering Cora JH	15-Sep-19	McKenna Atteberry & Austin Atteberry

GCH CH Next Generations III Do It My Self JH	14-Sep-19	Kelly Bromelkamp
Notorious Dexter Of Deer Run Lane JH	14-Sep-19	Deedra Kotal
Pond Hollow Prairie Princess JH	28-Sep-19	Robert McQuiston
Pond Hollow The Great Plains JH	14-Sep-19	Rick Sprake & Patty Martin
Sedgeblac's Shooting Star JH	14-Sep-19	Kimberly Hitt & Sandra Hitt
Sir Charles Of The Nautical Mile JH	15-Sep-19	Edward Andrew Reedy
Takemehome Peake Go Big or Go Home JH	20-Sep-19	Elizabeth L Ringelman
Treasure Lake Dexter JH	22-Sep-19	Bob Suttmiller
Twin Oaks Star Hunter JH	14-Sep-19	Tiffany B McGhin
Whispering Oak's Luck Of The Draw At Powerline JH	21-Sep-19	Karen J Brown & James Brown & Eddie Rodriguez
SENIOR HUNTER		
Bonanza Leo Of The Yukon SH	26-Sep-19	James Mauney
Callie V SH	21-Sep-19	John Robert Beattie
Cowlitz River Rex To A T SH	14-Sep-19	Mr. Trent A Moore
Neosho River's High Caliber Drake SH	20-Sep-19	Eugene Knight
CH Next Generations Get Down And Dirty Gator SH	15-Sep-19	Brian N LeClere
MASTER HUNTER		
Grand Oaks Toes In The Sand MH	7-Sep-19	Thomas L Lind & Dawn M Lind
O'Tracy's Prairie Revenant MH	7-Sep-19	Tracy Wagner
Tedder's Bring In The Heavy Artillery MH	28-Sep-19	Mr. David Lee Tedder
NOVICE AGILITY PREFERRED		
GCHB CH Takemehome Duchess Of Daisy FDC NAP NJP NFP CGC TKA	7-Sep-19	Dr. Brenda Gale Stewart & Dr. James V Stewart
MASTER AGILITY EXCELLENT PREFERRED 2		
GCH CH Curly's One For Sparta BN JH MXP2 MJP2 OFP DS CGC TKN	7-Sep-19	Mr. Thomas B. Martin & ANGELA BOESKE
NOVICE AGILITY JUMPER		
GCH CH Nuka Bay's Deshka River Mexicana NAJ NF TKI	4-Sep-19	Lynda L Barber-Wiltse & Larry Wiltse
OPEN AGILITY JUMPER PREFERRED		
GCHB CH Takemehome Duchess Of Daisy FDC NAP OJP NFP CGC TKA	8-Sep-19	Dr. Brenda Gale Stewart & Dr. James V Stewart
MASTER BRONZE JUMPER PREFERRED		
GCH CH Curly's One For Sparta BN JH MXP2 MJP2 MJPB OFP DS CGC TKN	21-Sep-19	Mr. Thomas B. Martin & ANGELA BOESKE

AGILITY FAST EXCELLENT		
GCH CH Dut-Chesse Spark Of Susquidilla CDX BN RA JH MX AXJ XF CGC TKI	4-Sep-19	Jill Conroy & Rob Conroy
AGILITY COURSE TEST 1		
Ironstone Jewels Next Big Adventure ACT1	21-Sep-19	Alyssa & Dan Collins
BCAT		
Sienna Bay Watermark Dirk CD BN RA BCAT DMA DSA CGCU TKA	21-Sep-19	Stephanie Roberson-Thomas
Sienna Bay Waterwynd Once In A Blue Moon BCAT CGC TKN	22-Sep-19	Stephanie Roberson-Thomas
COURSING ABILITY		
CH Mountainsides Bellatrix Of The Night Sky CA	29-Sep-19	Cindy Meyer & Heather Bremmer & Kevin Bednar
SCENT WORK HANDLER DISCRIMINATION NOVICE		
CH Silvercreek Applejohn's Little Mermaid RI SWN SCA SIA SHDN CGC TKP	29-Sep-19	Lorrie Johnson & Joseph Johnson
SCENT WORK INTERIOR NOVICE		
Coolwater's Moondancer CD PCD BN RI BCAT SWN RATO CGCA TKN	28-Sep-19	Mrs. Susan Varrasso
SCENT WORK BURIED NOVICE		
Finnegan Bartlett Rizzo's Reo Royale RN FDC SWN THDN CGC TKN	22-Sep-19	JENNIFER O'BRIEN
CH Silvercreek Applejohn's Little Mermaid RI SWN SCA SIA SHDN CGC TKP	29-Sep-19	Lorrie Johnson & Joseph Johnson
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CH Silvercreek Applejohn's Little Mermaid RI SWN SCA SIA SHDN CGC TKP	29-Sep-19	Lorrie Johnson & Joseph Johnson
SCENT WORK CONTAINER ADVANCED		
CH Silvercreek Applejohn's Little Mermaid RI SWN SCA SIA SHDN CGC TKP	29-Sep-19	Lorrie Johnson & Joseph Johnson
SCENT WORK INTERIOR ADVANCED		
CH Silvercreek Applejohn's Little Mermaid RI SWN SCA SIA SHDN CGC TKP	29-Sep-19	Lorrie Johnson & Joseph Johnson
SCENT WORK BURIED ADVANCED		
Hiland's Stoss's Leap Of Faith SWA SCM SIE SEE CGC TKA	22-Sep-19	Mary Elizabeth Stoss Davis
SCENT WORK ADVANCED		
Hiland's Stoss's Leap Of Faith SWA SCM SIE SEE CGC TKA	22-Sep-19	Mary Elizabeth Stoss Davis



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SCENT WORK EXTERIOR EXCELENT		
GCH CH Sandbar's Concrete Option Of Dalbrian CD RA SWA SIM SCE SEE SHDN	27-Sep-19	C Ann Haley & Karen Lamb
SCENT WORK CONTAINER MASTER		
Hiland's Stoss's Leap Of Faith SWA SCM SIE SEE CGC TKA	22-Sep-19	Mary Elizabeth Stoss Davis
CANINE GOOD CITIZEN		
Akcomi Crestone Peake Of Dalbrian CGC	28-Aug-19	Renee Wolfe
Bear Bones Kelly CGC	16-Sep-19	Thomas Kelly
Flint Hills Callie CGC	14-Sep-19	Daniel & Susan Martin
Frosty Hills Hy Line Ryder CGC	16-Sep-19	Nancy Boylan & Marie Stump
Moonlight Bay's Stonewashed Denim CGC	23-Oct-18	Olivia Huston & Gail Evans
Wyndhams Northern Nacho CGC	19-Sep-19	Mr. Mike Thompson
ADVANCED CANINE GOOD CITIZEN		
Akcomi Crestone Peake Of Dalbrian CGCA CGCU	2-Sep-19	Renee Wolfe
Chessieville Bay Liberty CGCA	16-Sep-19	Todd & DJ Gwilt
Laurelwood's Wild Blue Yonder JH DM DSX CGCA	1-Sep-19	Teresa Hartshorn
CH Sleepy Hollow's Do You Believe In Magic THDD CGCA	11-May-19	Cathy Ann Seduisantes Martini-Rashid
Sleepy Hollow's Something Wicked This Way Comes THDD CGCA	11-May-19	Cathy Ann Seduisantes Martini-Rashid
Sleepy Hollow's You Called Down The Thunder JH THDD CGCA	11-May-19	Cathy Ann Seduisantes Martini-Rashid
CANINE GOOD CITIZEN URBAN		
Akcomi Crestone Peake Of Dalbrian CGCA CGCU	2-Sep-19	Renee Wolfe
TRICK DOG NOVICE		
GCHS CH Chesabar's Mr. Doots Mason CDX BN RE JH RATN DJ DN CGCA TKN	12-Sep-19	Wesley Matthias & Beverly Matthias & Jeffrey Matthias
CH Chessieville Bay Teddy Roosevelt's Boy CA BCAT DS CGC TKN	17-Sep-19	Peter and Christine Tiano
Vesper CGC TKN	23-Sep-19	Heather Zyla
TRICK DOG INTERMEDIATE		
GCHS CH Chesabar's Mr. Doots Mason CDX BN RE JH RATN DJ DN CGCA TKI	13-Sep-19	Wesley Matthias & Beverly Matthias & Jeffrey Matthias
DOCK NOVICE		
GCHB CH Birch Meadow Under The Flower Moon BN RN SH CA DN CGC TKN	18-Aug-19	Bert W Keeler & Catherine A Keeler

CH Sandbar's Nimosh RN DN CGCA CGCU TKA	16-Aug-19	Joseph A Kreipe
DOCK JUNIOR		
GCHB CH Birch Meadow Under The Flower Moon BN RN SH CA DJ DN CGC TKN	6-Sep-19	Bert W Keeler & Catherine A Keeler
Red Water's Pie In The Sky DJ	7-Sep-19	Rebecca Dodson
DOCK SENIOR		
Calico Mirox Diamond Blue Merganzer DS	27-May-19	Roxane Beam Newton & Mike Newton
Del Brave Whistle Stop SH DS	31-Aug-19	George Makatura
Longmeadow Plum Creek Magothy SH DM DS CGC	7-Sep-19	Mr. Warren J Risk & Mrs. Judith A Risk
CH Penrose Betty Bach JH DS	4-Aug-19	Brian Kranz
GCH CH Pond Hollow Trouble Brew'n CD BN RI DS CGCA CGCU TKI	25-Aug-19	Cedric Devin & Elizabeth Devin
DOCK SENIOR EXCELLENT 2		
Summershade's Miss Dee Dee CDX GN RAE3 JH FDC RATN DSX2 ASA CGCA	12-May-19	Melinda Phillips & Lex Phillips
DOCK MASTER		
Laurelwood's Wild Blue Yonder JH DM DSX CGCA	1-Sep-19	Teresa Hartshorn
CH Red Water's Iron Compass CD BN RN DM CGCU	21-Sep-19	Sonia Hutmacher Cunningham & Ava Hata
DOCK MASTER ADVANCED		
Cabinridge Philomena DE DMA	23-Aug-19	Kristin Landau
DOCK ELITE		
GCHB CH Dj's & Hiho's Galloping Ghost CD BN RA JH FDC CAA DCAT DE DMX2 CGC TKA	7-Sep-19	Deanna Morasco & Tim Higgins & Ellen Cottingham
Treasure Lake Golden Eagle BN RI OA NAJ OF DE DM CGC TKN	7-Sep-19	CYNDI MIRELES
DOCK ELITE EXCELLENT		
Whiskey Creek's Old Forester Stump RATCH DEX DMA AMA CGC	20-Jul-19	Dr. Jessica G Horne
AIR RETRIEVE JUNIOR		
GCH CH Canamonda's Vikings Roar BN RI DSA DJ AS AJ CGC	12-Sep-19	Karen L Morelli
AIR RETRIEVE SENIOR		
Poisett's Call To Arms CD PCD BN RI DMA DS AS CGC	12-Sep-19	Karen L Morelli
AIR RETRIEVE MASTER		
Sand Spring Get The Party Started BCAT SWA SCNE SCM SIM SEM DM DSA AM AS CGC TKI	30-Aug-19	Ms. Trish Ann Neel-Wilson

October

CHAMPION		
CH Akcomi Kenai Kate Of Riversedge	13-Oct-19	Nancy Rickerson & Renee Wolfe
CH Barren River Pembroke Penny	20-Oct-19	Polly A Conrad Glass & Gene Glass
CH Millpond Meadows Creme Buffet	18-Oct-19	Heather Reimund
CH Turkeycreek Delta Of Whistling Winds	20-Oct-19	Melissa Grieser
GRAND CHAMPION		
GCH CH Callisto's Bag Of Tricks For Grandma BN JH THDN CGCA	27-Oct-19	Ms. Linda Grace Apuzzo & Ms. Eleanor Virginia Apuzzo
GCH CH Chessieville Bay Teddy Roosevelt's Boy CA BCAT DS CGC TKN	12-Oct-19	Peter and Christine Tiano
GCH CH Quailridge's Big Sky Limited Edition	3-Oct-19	DEBRA WILEY CUEVAS
GCH CH Silvercreek Applejohn's Little Mermaid RI SWN SCA SIA SHDN CGC TKP	5-Oct-19	Lorrie Johnson & Joseph Johnson
GCH CH Whispering Oak Hang 'Em High MH DM DS CGC	26-Oct-19	Karen Brown & James Brown
GCH CH Whispering Oak Josie Wales DS DJ	26-Oct-19	Karen Brown & James Brown & Hannah Brown
GRAND CHAMPION BRONZE		
GCHB CH Laurelwood's True Bearing BN RN JH CGC TKN	20-Oct-19	Laurea Griggs
GCHB CH Red Water Memphis Belle	13-Oct-19	Bryan Boretsky & Heidi McKeon & Sheri Boretsky & Ava Hata
FIELD CHAMPION		
FC Topsail's Good Time Buddy QA2	25-Oct-19	Robert Orr
QUALIFIED ALL-AGE 2		
Bonnemas Wild Card QA2	21-Oct-19	Timothy Patrick Bonnema
COMPANION DOG		
Skookum Crk Autumn's Never-Say-Never CD PCD RN CGC	11-Oct-19	Brenda D KC Owens
RALLY NOVICE		
Spinnaker's Oh No Never Of Ocotilla RN SWN SCA CGCA CGCU	9-Oct-19	Karen Lamb & Britt Haley & Ann Haley
RALLY INTERMEDIATE		
CH Penrose Jazmine BN RI	13-Oct-19	Laura A Chambers & Marc A Brooks
Skywatcher-Juniper Mountain's Gem RI CGC	12-Oct-19	Samantha Peyrollaz
RALLY EXCELLENT		
Hiland's Eyez To The Mighty Oak RE THDN CGCA CGCU TKI	27-Oct-19	Lori Butler

RALLY CHAMPION		
GCH CH RACH Chesabar Takes Sedgeblac By Storm CD PCDX GN RM3 RAE3 JH NA NAJ ACT2	10-Oct-19	Kimberly Hitt D.V.M. & Sandra Hitt
JUNIOR HUNTER		
Camptown Have A Little Faith In Me JH	18-Oct-19	Valerie Duda & Peter Duda
Gold Star's Don'T Sass Me JH	25-Oct-19	Mr. Douglas D. Elmore & Samuel D. Elmore & Andrew S. Elmore
Peake's Gold Star Eyes To The Sky At Neosho River JH	25-Oct-19	Eugene Knight & Samuel Elmore
Rock Bottom Top Shelf Reserve JH	19-Oct-19	Lynne Steppe
Southern Flight's Lilly On The Marsh JH	6-Oct-19	William Allen Carter Jr. & G Irene Carter
Spinnakers Big Girl Ellie JH	19-Oct-19	Mr. Jeffrey Lynn Jenkins
SENIOR HUNTER		
Cal-I-Co Rockpoint Dances In Water For Chocolate SH	27-Oct-19	Monty Brown
GCH CH Curly's One For Sparta BN SH MXP2 MJP2 MJPB OFP DS CGC TKN	5-Oct-19	Mr. Thomas B. Martin & Angela Boeske
Spinnaker's Big Blue Duck Slayer SH	11-Oct-19	Mr. Jeremy Dale
Wicomico River Golden Treasure SH	26-Oct-19	Robert Frederick Stahl III
MASTER HUNTER		
Blucollars Hiram King MH	5-Oct-19	Mr. RYAN MCFARLAND
NOVICE AGILITY		
GCH CH North Flow Swedish Adventure BN RA NA NAJ CA DMA	27-Oct-19	Sarah Fortman & Dawn Logan & Carol Lipinski
GCH CH Nuka Bay's Deshka River Mexicana NA NAJ NF TKI	5-Oct-19	Lynda L Barber-Wiltse & Larry Wiltse
MASTER SILVER JUMPER		
CH Sedgeblac's Unsinkable Molly Brown CD RE MX MXB MXJ MJS XF T2B	20-Oct-19	Kimberly Hitt & Sandra Hitt
AGILITY FAST OPEN		
Whiskey Creek's When It Rains It Pours NA NAJ NAP NJP OFP DMA CGC TKN	11-Oct-19	Keith Staub
PREFERRED AGIITY CHAMPION		
GCH CH PACH Curly's One For Sparta BN SH MJPB PAX OFP DS CGC TKN	10-Oct-19	Mr. Thomas B. Martin & ANGELA BOESKE
PREFERRED AGIITY EXCELLENT		
GCH CH PACH Curly's One For Sparta BN SH MJPB PAX OFP DS CGC TKN	10-Oct-19	Mr. Thomas B. Martin & ANGELA BOESKE



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TIME 2 BEAT		
MACH Treasure Lake Tiller Towards Trouble RE MXB MJB NJP MXF T2B DM CGC	13-Oct-19	Steve Cross & VeeAnn Cross
COURSING ABILITY		
Treasure Lake Otta Know Better CA	20-Oct-19	Katherine Heintel & raymond heintel
CH Treasure Lake Ray's Red Vixon JH CA	20-Oct-19	Raymond Heintel & Kathy Heintel
CH Treasure Lake Ray's Red Wolf CA	20-Oct-19	Raymond Heintel & Kathy Heintel
SCENT WORK HANDLER DISCRIMINATION ADVANCED		
GCH CH Sandbar's Concrete Option Of Dalbrian CD RA SWA SIM SCE SEE SHDA	18-Oct-19	C Ann Haley & Karen Lamb
SCENT WORK BURIED ADVANCED		
Marnetts Mo-Te Kitchi SWN SEA SBA	9-Oct-19	Janis Tobey
CANINE GOOD CITIZEN		
CH Albridens Getcha Some CGC	15-Oct-19	Lynn C. Kapus & Diane Baker
Black Devil's Bear Of Love Kenai CGC	15-Sep-19	Jim Spurvey
Chesafarmstanthemanflanagan CGC	13-Oct-19	Valerie Flanagan
Laurelwood's My Heart Is True CGC	3-Oct-19	Michael Sansbury & Laurea Griggs & Tamara Sansbury
Treasure Lake New Velocity 100 CGC	19-Oct-19	Cathy Ann Weil & Katherine Heintel
Willaby CGC	20-Oct-19	Ms. Courtney Holden
TRICK DOG NOVICE		
Akcomi Crestone Peake Of Dalbrian CGCA CGCU TKN	18-Oct-19	Renee Wolfe
Laurelwood's My Heart Is True CGC TKN	30-Oct-19	Michael Sansbury & Laurea Griggs & Tamara Sansbury
Laurelwood's Wild Blue Yonder JH DM DSX CGCA TKN	21-Oct-19	Teresa Hartshorn
Marjan's Lord Of The Rings BN TKN	4-Oct-19	Emily English

THERAPY DOG ADVANCED		
Gray's Roxanne A Dana THDA CGC	7-Oct-19	Mr. Michael Kevin Gray
DOCK NOVICE ADVANCED		
GCH CH MACH Eastern Waters' Nuka Bay Kachemak VCD1 PCD BN RM2 RAE3 MXB MJB XF T2B CA DJ DNA TKI	4-Aug-19	Lynda L Barber-Wiltse & Larry Wiltse
DOCK JUNIOR		
GCHS CH Chesabar's Mr. Doots Mason CDX BN RE JH RATN DJ DN CGCA	20-Apr-19	Wesley Matthias & Jeffrey Matthias & Beverly J Matthias
DOCK SENIOR		
GCH CH Rimrock's Restless Heart Under Blue Skies CDX SH DS CGC	8-Sep-19	Gigi Grant & Bob Grant
Sienna Bay Waterwynd Fly Me To The Moon BCAT DS CGC TKN	20-Oct-19	Stephanie Roberson-Thomas
DOCK SENIOR ADVANCED		
GCH CH Caroway's Topsider DSA	13-Sep-19	Joan Berko
CH Nuka Bay Purple Lupin On The Koyukuk CD PCD BN RM RAE OA OAJ OF ACT2 DMA DSA AS TKI	4-Aug-19	Lynda L Barber-Wiltse & Larry Wiltse
DOCK SENIOR EXCELLENT		
Sienna Bay Watermark Dirk CD BN RA BCAT DMA DSX CGCU TKA	20-Oct-19	Stephanie Roberson-Thomas
DOCK MASTER ADVANCED		
GCH CH Susquidilla's Sienna Bay Dyllan CD BN RA JH BCAT DMA DSA CGCU TKI	27-Sep-19	Stephanie Roberson-Thomas
DOCK ELITE		
Desert Winds Duke Of Earl DE DM	17-Jun-19	Keith Franks
CH Red Water's Iron Compass CD BN RN DE DM CGCU	22-Sep-19	Sonia Hutmacher Cunningham & Ava Hata
AIR RETRIEVER MASTER EXCELLENT		
Whiskey Creek's Old Forester Stump BCAT RATCH DEX DMA AMX CGC	20-Sep-19	Dr. Jessica G Horne

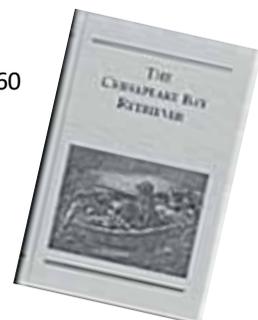
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The only criterion for advertising is ACC membership and payment for ads. The ACC Board of Directors strongly recommends that all breeding stock be free of Hip Dysplasia, all hereditary eye diseases, EIC and Degenerative Myelopathy. The absence of 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 *waive 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.

PUPPY ADS

(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 OAHE DREAM GIRL OFA Excellent DM clear ,eyes CB-EYE537/16F-VPI (Platte River's 3 Inch Deuce SH x Montauk's You Listen). Puppies due 11/13/19. These are great blood lines All puppies will be micro chipped. Contact: Jerry Withers. 218 Grey Goose Rd, Pierre, SD 57501 Email: jerry46@centurylink.net Phone: 605-224-2908 or 605-280-7132 (exp. 02/20)

(KY) BISS GCH CHESTNUT HILL'S WINDJAMMER SH Hips-good, Elbows-normal, Eyes-clear & current, DM/PRA/EIC-normal/clear (CH Chestnut Hill's James Bowie JH CD X CH Chestnut Hill's Victoria) X NEXT GENERATIONS HAVE A LITTLE MERCY JH Hips-good, Elbows-normal, DM-carrier, PRA/EIC-normal/clear (SE(U)CH UK-CH Arnac Bay Ardent X Next Generations Show Me Some Mercy) Ready to go mid-March. Contact: Les Wells. 1303 Moore Rd, Summer Shade, KY 42166 Email: barrenriverchesapeake@yahoo.com Barren River Chesapeakes Phone: 270-590-2590 (exp. 02/20)

STUD DOG ADS

(NC) HIGH TIDE NOR'EASTER MH -Storm OFA Good #10561G27M-VPI, EL normal CB-EL2438M27-VPI, DM normal CB-DM 1453/1MP1, CERF normal, PRA EIC normal by parentage (Rippling Waters HB Gusto JH x Rippling Waters Shore Bird MH) Brucellosis est required for natural breeding to approved bitches. Frozen semen available. Contact: Mary and Sidney Williams. 214 Becky's Creek Rd, Hampstead, NC 28443 Email: mary@hightidekennels.com High Tide Phone: 910-329-1770 (exp. 05/20)

(MN) CH REDLION'S FAST AND FURIOUS NEPTUNE JH OFA 11251F, OFA EL2911, OFA EYE730/2018, PRA-A, DM clear, Long Coat clear, EDSF clear by parentage, EIC clear by parentage (HRCH Redlion's Big Jake, MH x Redlion's Dakota Bear) Neptune is at stud in Watkins MN Contact: Jane Pappler. Watkins, MN Email: nofleas24@gmail.com Website: <http://redlionkennel.com> Phone: 609-859-3570 (exp. 05/20)

(NJ) SHR GCH ANATYPIA TOPWATER DOUBLE BARREL BN RI JH CA DN WD 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) 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. 04/20)

(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 or shortstem1@gmail.com Willow Creek Chesapeakes Phone: 804-212-6453 (exp. 02/20)

(MN) LAKES 'N FIELDS RANGER OFA Hips Excellent CB-11755E24M-VPI, Elbows Normal CB-EL3478M24-VPI, DM Clear CB-DM2483/15M-PI, EIC Clear CB-EIC341/15M-PI, PRA Clear CHIC# 138371 DNA Profile # V829525 (Sire: Sir Duke Alexander III x Dam: Heritage's Maggie Louise) Negative Brucellosis required for natural breeding Contact: Gary & Tracie Provo. 412 County Road 30 SE, Delano, MN 55328 Email: mrs32214@outlook.com Lakes 'N Fields Retrievers Phone: 763-443-2449 (exp. 08/20)

(USA and Canada) AM GCH, Can GCH* REDLION'S INVASION, CGC, TKN OFA11394 Good, OFA EL3155, OFA EYE966/2017-17, OFA Advanced CA12 clear, PRA and EIC clear by parentage, DM clear, Long Coat carrier (CH HRC Sandbar's Hardcore Hank MH WDQ x Redlion's Flying Circus) view stud dog page <http://redlionkennel.com/> 'Doc' at stud. Contact Jane Pappler 609-859-3570 Contact: Rob Boyd. 454 Inman Side Rd, RR2, Ruthven, Ontario, MI and Canada N0P2G0 USA and Canada <http://redlionkennel.com/> Phone: 519-566-5525 (exp. 05/20)

AMERICAN CHESAPEAKE CLUB BULLETIN

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1649 O'Brien Rd
Mayville, MI 48744-9405

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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.



Rescue Volunteers!

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

Heidi Henningson • (402) 658-8389 • buroak@mail.com