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I am going to begin by focusing on the positives in the USKBTC. First, we are making great progress on the new website. The company we selected to redesign, modernize and to give a greater focus to people looking for a Kerry is working diligently with Carol Kearney and has provided the Board with two

A few words from John

potential new views of the home page along with new navigation paths. The board liked what they have seen and we will continue to work toward a new look and focused website. Second, we have one of our Board members taking on the Membership Committee chair position. Mary McGreevy has agreed to act as the chair of the membership committee and will help the club in accepting new memberships as well as doing the first level of acceptance. She is working on the transition of the chair from Brian Tormey who did an excellent job for us while in the position. Third, the nominating committee has come up with some excellent candidates to fill a current vacancy on the Board and to fill a vacancy on the Board in October when Scott Kellogg term limits out (should the candidates be voted in). By this time all members should be aware that I am speaking of Melanie Feldges and Nick Fletcher. I won't bore you by going over their bios but I will say that Melanie is jumping into her job of producing a new handbook with vigor and some new ideas on how it should be presented. Nick will bring the expertise and the years of historical perspective in Kerries that we will be losing when Scott steps down in October. I am really looking forward to the year ahead.

I have also been asked to inform the membership of a problem that the club and Charitable Funds had with a placement of a rescue Kerry in the Northwest. I was brought into the situation at the beginning and inserted myself into the process immediately. I viewed my position of President as having to arrange the best outcome for our club, our Kerries and our breeders. I tried to adhere as close as possible to our rescue policy and procedures knowing the limitations that the club has in these situations. The people involved in any rescue make each one different from the last and require different handling. We should be aware that our rescue policy is a guideline and we ask everyone to adhere to the policy, however some things are beyond the clubs control short of bringing the law into the issue (which no one wants). Procedures should be followed by our volunteer coordinators and breeders but that is not always the case.

The high level background is as follows:

A Kerry, Bella, was presented to Margo Steinman, at that time our northwest rescue coordinator, by two owners in the state of Washington. The owners at that time stated that they had tried to contact the breeder, Helen Eiden, and she had refused to take the Kerry back. They presented Bella to Margo for rescue in terrible condition and asked that the Kerry not be returned to the breeder since they contacted her and she refused to take the Kerry back and because they stated that the Kerry was received by them in terrible condition as well. Margo took the Kerry to her vet where she had the Kerry treated for many ailments and had the Kerry spayed. Margo then contacted the breeder herself and it was then that the breeder said that she would take the Kerry back and place her. Based on the wishes of the owners who presented Bella, Margo declined to return the Kerry. Helen and Margo are two longtime members of the club who have a history between the two of them. They both have given so much to the breed and both are strong willed women. When I inserted myself into the problem I verified all the information by contacting the people who presented the dog, contacting Margo and contacting Helen. I inserted Tuesday Hanna into the situation as our Rescue Coordinator but she was not able to broker a deal between the two women. Margo refused to return the Kerry to Helen so absent any legal action from Helen, I contacted Helen and got agreement to allow the club to find a home for the Kerry. I received that agreement from Helen. A home in Florida that Tuesday found fell through when the potential owner was transferred to Colorado for his job. During this time a family from the northwest who had previously lost their Kerry to age were seeking a puppy or a rescue. They knew another club member very well, had previously owned a Kerry and had a young child. They had contacted National Rescue and then subsequently contacted Margo directly since she was from the area. Margo explained that she had a current rescue, Bella, but she would have to visit the home after they completed an application. She brought Bella with her on the visit and the family and the home were found to meet the guidelines we are looking for in rescue placements. I told Helen that we had found a home but she has since said that we should have returned Bella to her because these people are too close to Margo and how do I know that they have Bella and not Margo. I assure all members and interested parties that Bella is no longer with Margo. The resolution to the rescue is that Bella found a home on the west coast. The new owners made their donation to Charitable Funds for the rescue and just the other day they made another voluntary donation to Charitable Funds as well.

This is the high level view of what took place. There were several problems that this rescue presented. The breeder initially did not agree to take back the Kerry. The rescue coordinator did not contact the breeder in a timely manner before having Bella spayed. The rescue coordinator then refused to return Bella to the breeder due to the wishes of the prior owners. When the owners signed Bella over, the USKBTC became responsible for Bella and could have acted contrary to the wishes of the previous owners, however, Margo was adamant not to return Bella to the breeder. A vote was taken by the Board of the USKBTC to continue with the placement or take action and return Bella to the breeder. The majority of the Board agreed to continue with the placement since I had received Helen's agreement to allow the club to proceed with the placement. Though a good home was found for Bella, it was perceived by the breeder to be too close to Margo and still under her control which is absolutely not the case.

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To The Membership:

The purpose of publishing the "Proposed Member" is to give the membership the opportunity to review applicants and comment, if they so desire, in support of, or opposition to, said applicants membership. Correspondence in support of and/or opposition to the membership, should be directed to the Membership Chair within 30 days days after publication of said applicant. USKBTC Membership Chair: Mary A. McGreevy, 126 Alstadt Hill Road, Harpers Ferry, WV 25425.

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A Letter from the Editor...

"Summertime, and the living is easy" ~ for some folks this is definitely true. Yet once again many areas of the country are facing extreme heat and drought, while other regions are awash in torrential rains and once in a century flooding. And the bugs! We saw mosquitoes earlier than ever this year and from all reports, the tick populations are exploding. Mother Nature certainly seems to be changing up her routine. . .

This issue of Blueprints is filled with all the usual information: chapter club specialty results, a listing of New Titleholders, upcoming specialty ads and some Gallery of Winners photos. I want to take this opportunity to encourage you to share your chapter club show win photos with us. If you have questions about what we publish, email me and I will give you all the guidelines. Remember, Gallery of Winners photos are published for free and your fellow breeders and club members love to see them.

You will also find news about a Kerry blue that has found his niche herding, a Kerry blue girl who continues her therapy work as an amputee, an informative article on genetics from one of our member veterinarians, the long-awaited PNA update, a very enlightening article about a Kerry blue boys battle with Valley Fever, an article about the new event called Barn Hunt, and news of another U.D. Kerry. This breed certainly appears capable of taking part in and excelling at many varied activities.

For those searching for OFA results, I can report that 26 Kerry blue terriers were tested in the first quarter of 2013 and I have received no updates since then. To see that information, go directly to the OFA website and search there: http://www.ofa.org/.

Finally, we want your feedback! If you have article suggestions or would be willing to write an article, please let us know. Until next time. . .

Janie MacBryde Blueprints Editor



2013 USKBTC FUTURITY and MATURITY TROPHY FUND

In true Kerry Blue fashion, please give generously to the 2013 Futurity Trophy Fund. Your donation will support the breeders who show their puppies at this event.

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Disaster Preparedness: Would YOU Be Ready?

We've all heard the warnings and advice, urging us to plan ahead and be prepared in the event of a disaster. If most of you are like me, you look around and consider that it most likely "won't happen to me" and put your preparations off yet again. However, with changing weather patterns around the country and the world, most of us will eventually be faced with some situation that necessitates a decision about our family's safety and comfort. Hurricanes, wild fires, catastrophic flooding and tornadoes seem to be more of a reality than many of us would like and, of course, we mustn't forget power outages due to those events or blizzard conditions in the winter months. Would you be prepared?

Advance planning is a must for those with companion animals. Red Cross shelters **cannot accept pets** because of states' health and safety regulations. Service animals that assist people with disabilities are the ON-LY animals allowed in Red Cross shelters, and sadly I have heard of instances where those animals and owners were refused shelter. Finding shelter for your animals may be impossible in the midst of a disaster, so plan ahead. Come up with a plan for two scenarios: one for sheltering in place, and one for an actual evacuation, including necessary supplies and several possible escape routes in the event evacuation becomes a necessity.

- Contact hotels/motels to check their policy about accepting pets and any restrictions on the number, size and species. Be sure to ask if the policy is waived in the event of an emergency. A list of pet friendly places with phone numbers is a good first step.
- Check with relatives and friends outside the affected area who might be able to shelter your animals.
- Prepare a list of boarding facilities and veterinarians who could provide shelter and include their phone numbers.
- Finally, check with your local shelter. This should be your last resort since they may be overburdened caring for animals displaced by the disaster.

Whether you will be away for a couple of days or much longer, you will need supplies. Assemble a portable disaster kit which contains the necessary pet supplies, and store it in a sturdy container to keep it on hand. This kit should include (but not necessarily be limited to):

- Medications & copies of medical records (stored in a waterproof container) and a basic first aid kit.
- Sturdy leashes, harnesses and/or carriers to transport pets safely and ensure they do not es-

- cape. Carriers should be large enough for your pet to stand comfortably, turn around and lie down.
- Add current photos of your pets in case they get lost. Store these in a waterproof container, too. Also, consider having a **recent** photo on your cell phone! It will make sharing the information easier at a time when internet access may be limited.
- Pack food, potable water, bowls, and a can opener. Plan to have a least a five (5) day supply for each pet. Don't forget to include bottled water!
- Information about feeding, medical conditions, behavior problems, and the name and number of your veterinarian in the event you board your pets in a safe area is vital.
- Pet beds and toys, if easily transported, will comfort your pet if it is displaced.
- ◆ Don't forget a pet ID! Your pet should be wearing up-to-date identification at all times. Consider adding your current cell phone number to your dog's ID tag. Also consider providing the name and number of a friend or relative outside your immediate area in the event you cannot be reached. Hopefully, your companion is microchipped in advance ~ a permanent ID ~ and it is registered. Remember to include an emergency contact person here too, and keep it up-to-date.

Finally, review your plan periodically. Add or subtract supplies as your pet ages and its needs change. Consider a "practice" evacuation and make a game of it for your pets. Familiarize yourself with multiple routes to your target destination. Switch food reserves and medication before it becomes stale or the medications go out of date. Make updates to your list of hotels/motels as information changes, and update your pet's photo, too. With just a little advance planning and preparation, you will be ready to deal with an evacuation order or sudden natural disaster with greater ease and peace of mind.

Janie MacBryde

My sincere thanks to Lisa Marie Wilkins for her valuable input to this article. For further information, please check the USKBTC website (http://www.uskbtc.com/article.php/355) and also refer to the AKC website (http://www.akc.org/news/disaster_preparedness/be_proactive_prepare.cfm).



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We'll never forget you, Daddy Dog.

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Best in Specialty Show Multiple Stud Dog Wins 94 Best of Breeds

17 Group Ones

12 Group Twos

9 Group Threes

8 Group Fours

With love & appreciation to Eleanor & Steve Schultz & Jeff Noe for breeding & owning this handsome dog.

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Summer 2013

Mackenzie Kerries It Forward Helping to Save Wounded Warrior and Homeless Canine Lives

Last year, Mackenzie (Ch. Warlord's Scarf Mackenzie, HT, HCT) was one of the 7 recipients of the Kerry It Forward awards. She was nominated by my husband Bob, for saving my life. I was on our deck with her, eating fresh banana bread

and a piece became lodged in my throat. I could not breathe, nor make a sound. I did not know where Bob was in the house. Kenzie did. Kenzie dashed to the



lower level and got him to come upstairs in time to administer the Heimlich maneuver. But that is not why I am writing today.

A few months ago, Kenzie and I were asked to help raise money to save two types of lives: "dog lives" from kill shelters and "human lives" – Wounded Warriors - lives that had been shattered from wars where our military have served. How could we resist? Little did I know that Kenzie's life was one that I would soon be in a position to save.

How were we going to save canine and human lives? The Ritz Carlton in Laguna Niguel, CA hosts "Yappy Hour" once a month all summer long and through the fall on its ocean front lawn, inviting dogs and owners to meet and greet, visit and sniff, enjoy chef prepared gourmet dog biscuits and flavored waters, all complimentary. Last week we had over 400 dogs and over 600 people, all without anyone lifting a lip! The BBQ and Bar are for the people and a portion of the proceeds go to the charities. The no kill/rescue shelter is FOCHP (Friends of Orange County Homeless Pets), my legal assistant's group, who placed over 2000 dogs and 500 cats last year all through their foster homes.

The other charity is CCI, another of my favorites-Canine Companions for Independence in Oceanside, CA. This organization trains Labrador Retrievers as assistance dogs for Wounded Veterans (**www.cci.org**). Once an individual qualifies, one of four types of assistance dogs is provided at no cost. Disabilities include but are not are not limited to spinal cord injuries, multiple sclerosis, spina bifida, cerebral palsy. They have provided over 4000 dogs to people with disabilities. CCI became a part of our fund raising efforts this winter with their Wounded Warrior Initiative.

On May 15, Kenzie was unable to stand. She had fractured her hind leg. We will never know how - but 'shattered' is a better term - due to a carcinoma in the joint - not an osteosarcoma. Unusual, yes, but there were no signs of any other tumors in her structure or organs. She is a mammary survivor. She is almost 13. She made it clear she had a lot more living to do. Within days of the amputation, she was walking and within a week she was running on three legs, barking again at the UPS people and playing with her toys. Her sheep herding days may be over, but there is life beyond sheep. She also immediately adopted my husband as her 'therapy assignment'. She now insists on staying very close to him as he manages his health.

I look at Kenzie and I look at the dogs we are able to save through FOCHP and the people that those dogs "saved." Then I look at the human lives that are "saved" by the canine/ human bond created through CCI and their work

with Wounded



Kenzie at work, after amputation

Warriors and other disabled people.

Kenzie is teaching us to live in the moment, for that is all we really have. She has also taught me that no matter what you lose, you still have a lot left. Lessons we hope to share.

Jann Steel Lane



President's Message (Continued from page 4)

The Board and I tried to balance the Rescue Guidelines, the rights of the previous owners, the rights of the breeder and the rights (and needs) of the Kerry herself. Very often the solution does not bring full resolution to everyone. In this case, the only true winner is Bella. She has a wonderful home and when I contacted the family, they are thrilled to have her.

The other action that the Board took was to have Margo Steinman removed as the northwest Rescue coordinator. The Board felt that action was necessary under the circumstances.

This was not the perfect answer for everyone. What we achieved was balance even in light of the difficulties between the parties involved. We have to run the club by the by-laws the club has adopted. Many policies are not incorporated into the by-laws and the Rescue policy is one of them. The Rescue policy is a guideline, not law.

I am not looking to reopen this wound or for anyone to choose sides in this situation and I hope we can put this behind the club and learn from each situation. I will continue to work for the club, the owners, the breeders and most of all our Kerries. I hope to see you all at the annual dinner and meeting in October. Have a great summer.

John



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The deadline for trophy donations is July 31st.

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Please take a moment to write these newest members and address changes in your Membership Roster!







The 2013 USKBTC-Charitable Funds "Kerry It Forward Awards"

In Recognition of the Kerry Blue Terriers'
Canine-Humanitarian Contribution to Society and to the Individual
By Dr. Jann Lane, USKBTC Charitable Funds

To know one, is to love one. To love one, is to know that the Kerry Blue Terrier is a special breed that contributes to our lives in many ways. Those Kerries who have chosen to "Kerry It Forward" and give back to society, will be recognized by the USKBTC Charitable Funds through the "Kerry It Forward" Award program, entering its fourth year this fall of 2013.

The USKBTC historically has honored and recognized the Kerry Blue Terriers' structure or 'form' through conformation competition at our national specialty and chapter club specialties each year.

We also recognize the Kerry's work or 'function' through performance events such as herding, agility, tracking, obedience, and rally, through events held nationally and regionally. Kerries have consistently demonstrated their proficiency in all of these performance arenas.

Beginning in 2010, the USKBTC Charitable Funds recognized the Kerry Blue Terrier's third dimension, its heart, and our breed's contributions to the Canine –Humanitarian bond through the establishment of the "Kerry It Forward" Awards. Since 2010, we have honored 22 Kerries for their exceptional service. It is not a competition, but rather recognition of their service. We award as many that apply and meet the criteria.

Kerries involved in public service are most often the unsung heroes of our Kerry community. You may be familiar with their service in nursing homes, assisted living centers, and hospitals. However, Kerries are also teachers. Kerries go to schools, and can be found helping children learn to read, through canine-assisted reading programs, building self- confidence. As we honor the recipients of this award, you will also read about Kerries who have helped children safely cross the street on their way to school. Some Kerries are involved in other canine education programs, such as the Bite Prevention programs. Other Kerries have chosen a special mission and have intervened to save human lives.

As we honor these special Kerries in the years ahead, you will read about them, their journeys and how each has contributed to Society and to the Individual. We look forward to honoring them as much as you will enjoy reading about them. Thank you, to all Therapy and Service Kerries, and to those who have performed as Exemplary Companion Dogs, past and present, for your service to our canine and Kerry community.

If you are aware of a Kerry who meets the criteria listed below, and you are a USKBTC member, please consider nominating him or her. These special Kerries often do not seek recognition and owners may need your encouragement. This is our way of thanking them for their contributions. If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at the email listed (drlane@mackenziesteel.com) or any Charitable Funds board member for more information.

This award recognizes the canine-humanitarian contribution to society and the individual through the following award categories:

Please Download and Complete the Application from the USKBTC WEBSITE for 2013 by September 1, 2013 and send to USKBTC Charitable Funds, Jann Lane 14 North Vista de Catalina Laguna Beach, CA 92651

1. Category 1 Service Dog:

Service or assistance dogs are trained to assist individuals with meeting special needs on a daily basis; these needs can be physical, psychological and/or emotional; examples include hearing, sight service dogs and alert response dogs who alert their human companions to seizures and other medical emergencies;

2. Category 2 Therapy Dog:

Therapy dogs are trained to provide care and comfort to patients and residents in medical care facilities, retirement communities and shelters; Examples include retirement communities; senior centers; veterans homes, military hospitals; healthcare facilities, hospitals, hospice and medical care facilities; children's hospitals, rehabilitation centers such as shelters for homeless, battered women and children; military and veterans hospitals and recovery centers;

3. Category 3 Educational Service Dog (Therapy Dog):

Educational Service Dog works with children in public and private schools in academic and special needs areas; Programs can include but are not limited to the Bite Avoidance programs in schools and organizations such as The Boys and Girls Clubs; Canine-Assisted Reading Programs; Safety School Crossing Program; Programs include Kerries teaching children how to interact with dogs and build a positive relationship with dogs;

4. Category 4 Exemplary Companion Dog /Act of Exemplary Performance:

The Exemplary Companion Dog is the Kerry who has performed a one time event of an exemplary act, contributed to others or a Kerry who has exhibited companionship to an individual under exemplary circumstances (Example: saving family members from a fire in the home or acted as a companion to a person who is terminally ill;) Other examples of exemplary performance include Kerries who serve in search and rescue, or work with firefighters and police in security and rescue.

Award Criteria:

- 1. The dog must be a purebred Kerry Blue Terrier;
- 2. The dog must be nominated by a member of the USKBTC to receive the award/recognition; the owner(s) of the dog does not need to be a member of the USKBTC to receive the award/recognition;
- As of 2013, AKC registry or a minimum of AKC-PAL registration will be required; additional requirements for certification may be added per award category, as necessary.

Award:

- Each qualified recipient who contributes in one area receives a Level I Certificate and Medallion;
- Each qualified recipient who contributes in two areas receives a Level II Certificate and Medallion;
- Each qualified recipient who contributes in three areas or more receives a Level III Certificate and Medallion

Recognition:

Each recipient will be recognized in Blueprints; on the USKBTC website, and also at their specialty of choice, if desired and requested.



Jo Charisma's Blue Willow

Certified Hospice Dog and Youngest KBT to achieve TDI Therapy Dog Credentials Owned by Nancy & McKenna Vance and France Godbout DOB: 11 June 2012





Charisma's Why So Sirius?

(Can/Am GCH Symphonie's Full Metal Jacket x Can/Am CH. Symphonie's Fleur De Lys)

"Griffin' is Owned by Ana Szolodko & McKenna Vance
d.o.b. 11 June 2012

At 11 months of age, and only his third weekend out in the show ring, 'Griffin' and breeder/handler McKenna Vance, win the prestigious BEST in SHOW BRED-BY EXHIBITOR award!



We are very proud of this home bred pup!

Charisma Kerry Blue Terriers * Nancy & McKenna Vance * Cairo, GA

"Smokey" Sets the Herding World on Fire with 14 Herding Titles (and more in the works)

By Dr. Jann Steel Lane USKBTC Herding Chair

If you own a Kerry Blue, then you know how much they love to have a job. All Kerries take special care of their owners, some also care for children and grandchildren. Some visit schools or hospitals, others work in the performance sports of agility, nosework, obedience, rally, and herding. There is one Kerry however who has been burning up the herding records for terriers and Kerries for the past 4 years. G.CH. Topqun Great Balls of Fire, RE, HSA-sd (out of Ch. Aran Ferbane x Ch. Topgun's Blue Jealous Rage), "Smokey", owned by Tracy and Randy Purcell of Mt. Juliet, TN and bred by Barbara Price, of Knoxville, TN, has a love of herding like no other. As of the writing of this article, Smokey is the most titled Kerry and we are pretty sure, the most titled terrier in the country in herding with 14 herding titles and 4 more titles in the works.

Smokey has been awarded--Three time AKC High in Trial winner (against all herding breeds) and Five Time ASCA High in Trial winner (against all herding breeds). Not only is Smokey accomplished in the herding arena, but he has two conformation titles, a Rally title and has earned his AKC Canine Good Citizen certification.

Please join me as I interview "Smokey's" owner and handler Tracy Purcell, who shares with us her insights in training and herding with her Kerry Blue Terrier, "Smokey." Tracy is also our USKBTC Herding Committee's Eastern Regional Chairperson). If you and your Kerry are interested in herding and have questions, contact Tracy (tracypurcell@bellsouth.net) or me (drlane@mackenziesteel.com) for information and support.

Jann: How did you become interested in herding with Smokey?

Tracy: I had tried several different activities with Smokey, basic agility and obedience and rallytrying to find something he really liked, but I hadn't been very successful. He could do anything he tried, but he wasn't excited about anything. So one day we were walking on the family farm, about 150 miles from where we live, with my Dad and his pointers. Smokey kept trying to get the pointers to stay with us. He would go out around

them and bark and nip at them until the other dogs came back to us. We quickly figured out that he was "herding" the other dogs to us. I knew then that I needed to look into some sheep herding training. Smokey was 3 years old when we started. We have been training for 4 years. He will be 7 in October 2013.

Jann: How did you find a trainer in Tennessee?

Tracy: I looked on the Internet and contacted several farms in our area, but I had difficulty finding a trainer that was interested in working with a dog that wasn't a typical herding breed. After several months of trying to locate someone to work with, one of my friends got an email about a trainer and we were able to attend our first workshop.

Jann: How did the trainer introduce Smokey to the sheep?

Tracy: Smokey had obvious interest in working stock from the beginning. We started on a long rope with two sheep in a small pen. We were lucky to find a trainer who recognized he had some instinct and was open to working with numerous breeds. We trained regularly for about 18 months before we entered our first AKC trial.

Jann: Tracy, What were your biggest challenges during the past four years?

Tracy: I think the three biggest challenges we've faced were finding a trainer to work with, committing the time and resources necessary to progress in the sport and training the handler. Un-



fortunately, this isn't something you can go to a few classes and learn. And unless you have your own stock, you can't train at home. Just like with most things we do with our dogs, you have to learn your part. Reading stock and knowing where to place the dog on the field is important as you progress toward more advanced titles.

Jann: Does Smokey have favorite stock he prefers to herd?

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Tracy: Oh yes—he has his favorite, although he has worked cattle, sheep, goats and ducks he really loves the cattle best. Most dogs have a preference and it is interesting to see the different breeds of dogs and which type of stock they like best. Most Kerries like larger herds of stock also. So it's good to mix up your training with different numbers of stock, so the very intelligent Kerry does not get bored. Stock is very different at each place you go to train and trial. You can spend time training yourself and your dog working your local stock, but you never know what the stock will do when you walk on the field with the stock in a trial. So there is always a challenge. My trainer always says to "trial smart" and try to find out what the stock is like, before you enter a trial.

Jann: What organizations offer herding opportunities for Kerry owners?

Tracy: There are three main herding organizations to you, you can reach that Kerry's can trial under. The AKC, the Australian Shepard Club of America (ASCA) and the American Herding Breed Association (AHBA). All three organizations trial with cattle, sheep (or goats), and ducks. Each group has different courses and standards for working stock, but there are many similarities too. The AHBA courses are more like farm chores with more penning and shedding stock, while the AKC is the most formal, in my opinion.

Jann: What was one of your most rewarding experiences herding with Smokey?

Tracy: Funny - We had been training and trialing for over two years when we went to our first cattle trial. It was an Australian Shepherd Club of America trial in south Alabama. I was traveling with an Australian Cattle Dog and an Australian Shepherd (and their owners). The trial was about 6 hours from home on a working farm. We arrived at the trial and were told cattle would run first. We had

our handler's meeting and I was the 4th or 5th dog on the schedule. It was still pretty cool and the cattle were moving well. The judge and



timer were sitting in a vehicle off to the side of the Blue just isn't another pretty face. field. When Smokey and I walked on the field, we got a few funny looks from some of the other

competitors, most of whom had never seen a Kerry before. I am sure they thought he was a Bouvier puppy, with a funny trim. I went to the fence to check in with the judge and provided my number and class to him. He literally leaned out of the truck, lowered his sunglasses and asked, "Is that a Kerry?" I said, "Yes sir" and smiled. He replied "OK", but he said it like he didn't think we had any business on the field. We went out and took first place in our class. Later, the judge searched me out to tell me how impressed he was with Smokey. That was a pretty rewarding day.

Jann: Do you have some advice for Kerry owners interested in herding?

Tracy: Yes, Find a trainer that you like and consistently work with them. If your trainer is committed any goal you set for yourself and your Kerry. While I've found it interesting to audit other trainer's workshops, the consisten-



cy of one program has really helped Smokey and I progress quickly.

Learn from others that you train with. I enjoy spending time with many of the people who work with my trainer and I learn from their challenges and struggles. It also helps to have people around to encourage you when an exercise is particularly challenging.

Make a commitment if this is something you and your dog enjoy doing together. I love working with Smokey outdoors and feeling like a team. While we could each do some farm chores by ourselves, it takes our team working together to do most things.

At the end of the day, this should be fun and rewarding. I'm pretty competitive, but I can't describe the feeling you get when all the awards have been given out and they call you up to receive the big High in Trial ribbon. And knowing that you won with the only terrier on the place against more recognized herding breeds is very rewarding. I also hope that we've been a good ambassador for the breed, proving that the Kerry

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Jann: What are you working on next with Smokey? (titles and stock)

Tracy: We have one leg in AKC Course A Intermediate Ducks and hope to finish that title this fall. We are preparing to enter AKC Course A Intermediate Sheep and hope to enter in AKC Course A Started Cattle as well.



In ASCA, we have all of our duck titles. We have one leg of Open Sheep

and hope to finish that title this fall. Our big challenge will be entering a trial for Advanced Cattle and we are hoping to do that near the end of the year. ASCA has a Working Trial Champion (WTCH) title for dogs who have advanced titles in cattle, sheep and ducks. While I know it will be a challenge, I would like to finish 2014 with Smokey's WTCH.

Jann: Would you do anything differently, if you could do it over? (add as needed)

Tracy: I think I would have started herding sooner - before he finished showing in conformation. The bond that I have formed with him in herding would have been invaluable in the show ring. Other than that, I have enjoyed every minute. Smokey is a special dog and I feel very fortunate to be his partner.

Smokey's Herding Titles

AKC titles:

Started ducks and Started sheep (HSAsd) 3 time AKC High in Trial winner

Australian Shepherd Club of America (ASCA) titles:

Advanced Course A Ducks, Open Course A Ducks, Started Course A Ducks (ATDd) (OTDd) (STDd)

Advanced Farm Ducks, Open Farm Ducks (AFTDd) (OFTDd)

Open Course A Cattle, Started Course A Cattle (OTDc) (STDc)

Started Course A Sheep (STDs)

2 time High in Trial Combined (other breeds)

3 time High in Trial (other breeds) duck trial only

American Herding Breed Association:

Herding Trial Dog 1 sheep and ducks (HTD1sd) Herding Trial Arena Dog 1 sheep (HTAD1s) Herding Ranch Dog 11 sheep (HRD11s) Ranch Large Flock 1 sheep (RLF1s)

Important Questions for Selecting a Trainer or an Instinct Testing Session

- Do you provide instinct testing? Ask them to describe what the instinct testing experience will be like for you.
- What type of facility do you have? Is it enclosed? Is it fenced completely? You want it fenced in completely.
- Does this trainer <u>expect</u> obedience training? (Most do not require, but a recall and a stay are very helpful;)
- What breeds have you instinct tested? (Listen for *loose-eyed* breeds to be named such as Shepherds, Tervurens, Briards, Corgies, Belgians, Wheatens); if they say "all" and will not list---or are vague--keep looking.
- Cost? \$50-\$75 is average for an hour you should receive an intro to sheepherding;
- What type of stock? Sheep/Goats (we don't recommend ducks for beginners)
- Do not agree to the first trainer you speak to or say you will get back to them with a date; try and get recommendations or referrals. Call three and pick the best.
- The trainer should be encouraging to you as terrier owners, not 'discouraging' or skeptical; if this happens to you, call the next one on your list or call me and I will support you; unfortunately, there are some trainers who still do not accept that Kerry Blues can herd.



A Word from Charitable Funds...

As many of you know the US Kerry Blue Charitable Fund was established in 2002. Its purpose was to serve the Kerry Blue Terrier in four important areas:

- 1) Rescue Fund this fund supports grants used to provide Kerry Blue Terrier rescue services.
- 2) Health and Genetics Fund this fund makes grants in support of research in areas of health and genetics of particular importance to the Kerry Blue Terrier.
- **3) Education Fund** the education fund supports education of all those interested in the Kerry Blue Terrier including publications, websites, and seminars.
- **4) General Fund** donations to this fund are used to support the work of the other funds through internal grants to those funds. Undesignated gifts will initially be held in this fund.

Since the Fund was established we have worked diligently to build the assets of the Funds while undertaking major support of the PNA Research being done at the University of Missouri. To date we have awarded over \$20,000 in grants to support Health and Genetics, Education, and Rescue. This is quite impressive, since our Fund is relatively new compared to other Parent Clubs whose equivalent organizations are often decades older than ours.

Our current objective is to continue to grow fund assets while undertaking occasional substantial support such as the PNA Grant. We believe the real key to long term growth will be planned giving that includes the Funds in the wills of our members. Other comparable organizations have used this method as the key to growing their assets. The reality is that we must grow our financial resources substantially in order to having a meaningful impact and that means it will take many years to be in a position to have a significant impact on our core areas.

You can help by considering making the Funds one of the recipients of your estate. In addition, support an area of interest today. We have grown our asset base through small gifts and that will be crucial to our future.

Feel free to contact any Board member for more information on how you can make a difference!

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PNA Update!

Back in 1995 I discovered the joy of the Kerry Blue, it was two more years before my first Kerry arrived in this world and into my life. Her existence changed my world in so many ways. She gave me intense joy and brutal agony and shaped who I would become over the next 15 years. It was because of her life, and ultimately her death that I became passionate about this breed. I spent countless years and funds working for a solution despite political pressure, threats and slander. There were some who quietly supported me and they helped me through the rough times more than they will ever know. The scars of the abuse I took are still visible, those wounds run deep. In the end I hoped it would all be worth it and the work would yield the necessary fruit that would help us all defeat the disease that took my beloved River.

On August 21st, 2012 I got a call that made all the struggles worthwhile. The puzzle had been solved thanks to River's DNA and the geneticist who refused to give up the search. I've kept this quiet until the test was ready and available to everyone. Today is the day I finally get to share the news with you all. We have a test for PNA (now called MSD). It is a simple and affordable cheek swab that can be purchased through OFA. PNA can finally be buried along with those puppies it took from us, and never again cause the Kerry community strife. If we all work together to test breeding stock, breed wisely considering carrier status and cooperate with one another it will be gone from our gene pool in a few generations.

It has been a long and difficult road, many people don't have any idea about the history of the disease and what it has done to Kerries and breeders over the last several decades. We can finally talk about it now with the knowledge that the solution is here, no more specter that was PNA lurking in the shadows. I know this means more to me than it does to many of you, but I hope you all can acknowledge the importance of this breakthrough and the huge positive impact it will have on our breed and it's future. For more information about this test and how to place an order for a test kit visit http://www.caninegeneticdiseases.net/PNA/.

Please join me in raising a glass to Drs. Johnson & O'Brien & their staff at the University of Missouri - Columbia.

Jana Deaton AKC Breeder Of Merit Beltane Kerries www.beltanekerries.com Nevada, Iowa





Don't lose your pride and your line: Advancing our breeding in an era of DNA testing

As Kerry Blue Terrier breeders we are lucky that our beloved breed can run, breath and see freely. However, increased public awareness and criticism of the pure-breed dog industry, such as the 2008 BBC documentary Pedigree Dogs Exposed, a health and welfare investigative documentary, is affecting our image as dog breeders and calls us to be increasingly thoughtful and proactive to keep our breed healthy. The BBC documentary itself has specific consequences. Three separate health reports were commissioned as a result of the program - and led the Kennel Club (of the United Kingdom) to a review of all breed standards. This resulted in changes of 78 of the 209 breeds under their control.

At this time, each revised standard starts with a general statement advising breeders and judges "that they should at all times be careful to avoid obvious conditions or exaggerations which would be detrimental in any way to the health, welfare or soundness of this breed". The breed standard revisions focused on eyes, skin, nostrils and muzzle length, coat issues, substance, movement and exaggeration- including intense changes in breeds such as the Chow Chow or the Pekingese. Kennel Club chairman Ronnie Irving, as a part of his personal response to Pedigree Dogs Exposed noted that "roughly 90 per cent of us who thankfully have healthy breeds must continue to guard against exaggeration and must bring pressure to bear on the laggards, otherwise we will – all of us – continue to be tarred with the same brush."

As Mr. Irving pointed out, staying vigilant and keeping our breeds healthy is what sets us apart in the ever-watchful eye of the public. However, the greatest challenges our breed is dealing with are coming from inside, and so are less obvious. With the many advancements in veterinary medicine, our dogs tend to live longer, so some conditions are more evident only in older dogs.

The problem arises with realization that within the breed we work with a limited amount of genetic variation. Due to closed breed books, no outside (new) blood is accepted. Reviewing almost 400 inherited disorders in dogs, over 300 were not directly linked to breed standard. In the top 50 UK Kennel Club registered breeds, four (4) top non-conformational (not directly resulting from conformation) related diseases were: hypothyroidism, hereditary adult onset cataract, progressive retinal atrophy (PRA) and von Willebrand disease (vWD).

As we breed for certain traits, we favor certain dogs (and so their genes) and in doing so we knowingly decrease the genetic diversity and narrow the gene pool further. Naturally we promote the genes we like, but if we are not cautious we promote disease-causing genes as well. Prior to wide use of DNA testing, the breeders of affected litters were facing difficult deci-

> sions and drastic measures, influencing not just their lines, but the breed's future in general.

One well known example is the Portuguese Water Dog and a fatal neurological disease called

GM1-gangliosidosis. After discovery of this disease in one bloodline, the breeders began using another bloodline known to be free of this fatal disease. Not known to them, the second bloodline carried another unfavorable gene, this time for lateonset Prcd-PRA, which causes blindness. So the eradication of one disease caused near elimination of the original ancestral line and their positive genes, and allowed a wide spread of a new disease.

If we choose to breed dogs of our liking, expecting to maintain a genetically healthy and robust breed while eliminating defective genes, using health testing comes as a natural solution. Most disorders are due to autonomic (non sex -X/Y related) recessive inheritance. Without DNA testing, the recessive diseases are notoriously difficult to eliminate. There are two big categories of inherited disorders, based on the part of DNA called "gene". Genes determine what traits the dog will have.

- Monogenic the inheritance is controlled by single (mono - Greek origin, "one") gene and no other factors, as environment, are involved (vWd, Factor XI).
- Polygenic or complex disease—the inheritance is controlled by more (poly, of Greek origin, "many) then one gene and also possibly by environmental factors (DM, hip/ elbow dysplasia).

Each dog cell has paired versions of a given gene, called allele. If the paired alleles are the same, they create homozygous individuals ("homo", Greek origin, "same" or equal"). The dog with two affected alleles is simply called 'affected" and the dog with two normal alleles is "normal". The pairing of two different alleles creates heterozygotes ("hetero", Greek origin. "different"). As this dog carries one recessive and one normal allele, it is called a "carrier" and appears healthy. Line breeding or inbreeding does not cause a disease, but increases the concentration of recessive genes and also the risk of the above mentioned homozygosity.

To avoid the risk of concentration of unwanted alleles and genes, two different types of tests were developed. If the test is based on evaluation of physical appearance or phenotype (from Greek "pheno-" display or to "come to light"), we are looking for the onset of disease in an "affected" individual at some point in life (such as when radiographic evaluation of hips and elbows is done). If the properties of the disease are described by the changes in the DNA/gene, they are based on their genotype and can be tested for immediately at birth. So how we can utilize all this information about dog welfare, gene diversity, gene pool and DNA testing?

KBT related diseases are considered to be autosomal recessive at this time, so let's focus on breeding program management of such a disease. We should have three goals in our mind:

- 1. Detect carriers and dogs affected
- 2. Eliminate carriers from the breeding stock over time
- 3. Eliminate the disease

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With radical measures, when gene diversity is not at risk, the recessive disease can be eliminated in one generation, by excluding all the affected and carrier animals from breeding. As we come to understand the importance of protecting our gene pool and the need for maximum genetic diversity in the face of a closed breed book, carriers and even affected* animals can be used to produce normal replacement individuals.

*Please note, that affected animals should be considered for breeding only if their health is not endangered and should be bred to DNA clear animals only.

The development of a DNA test starts as a research project when DNA of affected and unaffected individuals is compared. Location and identification of mutation is tedious work. If the exact location of the disease on the DNA is known, the test produced is called a "mutation-based test" and within the limits of human error, is 100% accurate. Otherwise the researchers are looking for an arrangement (sequence) of DNA where the mutated genes may lay, and this type of test is called linked-marker based test. Because these tests do NOT identify the exact mutation, the test is less than 100% accurate. Linked-based test accuracy depends on the number of dogs tested (and improves with increased number of patients); as the proper gene is identified, the test for the specific disease is turned into a mutation based test as described above.

One test in question was the test for degenerative myelopathy (DM). DM is a polygenic disease and other factors must be present to cause a clinical presentation of this disease. At this time, The Orthopedic Foundation for Animals offers a direct mutation-based test for this disease (www.offa.org).

By DNA testing and careful selection using carrier animals, it takes approximately ten generations to eliminate any recessive

disease that we have a DNA test for. There is a bright future for our dogs and our bloodlines. We do not need to worry about IF we want to breed, but about **who to breed to**!

Current recommendation does not apply to diseases where DNA test is not available at this time and phenotypic evaluation is needed - including hip and elbow dysplasia, patellar luxation, cardiac or eye defects and hypothyroidism. The open health registry with the maximum of dogs reported is absolutely paramount for the breeding management of these problems.

The samples for Kerry related DNA testing can be sent to:

Factor XI- PennGen (\$75) https://netapps.vet.upenn.edu/PennGen/SampleTesting/default.aspx

vWd- VetGen (\$119 or less if you find a health clinic for other breeds, reported \$45) http://www.vetgen.com/canine-vwd1.html

DM- OFA (\$65) http://www.offa.org/cart.html

MVDr. Natalia Samaj Kunze, DACT Board certified in Theriogenology Residency trained in Pediatrics and Genetic Diseases, University of Pennsylvania Cross the Rubicon Kerry Blue Terriers



ATTENTION! ATTENTION! ATTENTION! BREAKING NEWS!!! It is time for the USKBTC Chapter Club Challenge!

Take part in the fun! Each chapter club is challenged to make a basket filled with items from their area to be auctioned off at the Annual Dinner held on Friday, October 4, 2013. The more unique the items that are in the basket, the more fun to auction off. All money raised goes to the USKBTC Charitable Funds. If no one from your club is attending the dinner you may send items to Stephanie Clark, 14432 W. Roanoke Ave, Goodyear, AZ 85395 and she will make a basket for you. Items must be received by September 13th.

Questions? Call Stephanie Clark at 623/980-9662 or email s_clark@cox.net. Which club will have the most unique basket this year??? Will it be YOUR club??? Don't let your club be left out of the fun!!!! Hurry!! Get started now!



Parker & his battle with Valley Fever

Never say never is what I've learned. When I relocated to Phoenix, AZ in 2004 with my 2 Kerry blues and wheaten I did not have a clue what valley fever was. Once I became an active member in the Sun Country Terrier club I started to learn a little more about valley fever and how dogs acquired it. There was a member who had dogs affected by it and she was a driving force in doing fundraising events for valley fever research in Tucson, AZ. I never went to any of the seminars or other events and quite honestly, I brushed it off. My dogs would never get valley fever!! As I became better friends with a local Wheaten and Lakeland terrier breeder, I started to learn even more about valley fever as she had 3 dogs battling valley fever. She ultimately lost two of those dogs, both show dogs, and the other had to be neutered.

In July 2010 I brought home the most gorgeous little boy puppy you'd ever want to see. I had such big plans for him!!! While waiting for him to grow up, another local friend introduced me to UKC shows. I thought to myself, "How perfect would that be!" A way to get Parker educated and trained to be a show dog! I remember the date exactly, March 2011 that he participated in his first set of UKC shows at a city park. Not even a year old yet and couple of weeks after attending those shows, he started coughing. Since he was still a puppy and had just attended his first dog shows, I felt it was just a case of kennel cough. Nothing else was wrong with him; it would run its course and go away, and it did. A little while later he started limping on his front left leg. I scanned my memory for any "yelp" from him that might indicate an injury I may not have witnessed firsthand. Nothing could explain the sudden limp. However, the limp was exactly how my friend's wheaten presented with valley fever and in the same joint. Off to the vet we went to have a valley fever titer run on Parker. It was the longest 4 days of my life waiting for those results. They came back positive for valley fever with a titer of 1:4 (This titer result was not that high. The higher the second number, the sicker the dog is). So, we put him on the anti-fungal medicine, Fluconazole, for 60 days.

At that point, his titer was reevaluated and it came back negative. He was taken off the medicine. Worrying over, right? One would think! There is the possibility that valley fever will reoccur in dogs that have previously been affected by it. Yet again I believed that would never happen to my special boy!

Jump forward to spring 2012 and Parker started acting different. He wasn't as playful as normal but it was starting to get hot here in Arizona and Parker hates the heat! He was still eating, he wasn't losing any weight but he just wasn't himself. I kept watching him and because the only thing affecting him was the lack of wanting to be outside and play, I didn't over react and rush him to the vet.

During a routine grooming session in July I noticed that one of his testicles felt a little hard. My heart sank and after grooming Parker I went into my office and just cried. I knew exactly what it was as two of my friend's Lakelands had presented with firm testicles and titer results showed it was valley fever in both. After composing myself I called my vet and made an appointment for the next day.

The last thing you ever want to hear from your vet is "Oh! That's not good" when they are examining your dog. Once my vet felt Parker's testicle he knew exactly what it was. Because I had digested the reality of what would probably happen, I was ready with questions but the only answer was to remove the affected testicle and go from there. While Parker had finished his CH title, any future show career, he might have had, came to a screeching halt. The testicle was removed the same day.

It is now a year later and I know more about valley fever than I ever wanted to know! I tried having Parker's semen collected so that I could freeze it for future use, in case something happened to the remaining testicle. However, while he was on the antifungal medicine with the least amount of reproductive side effects, it was affecting his fertility. We tried taking him off the medicine temporarily but that didn't seem to help and his titer increased. So, I made

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the decision to put him back on the medicine, try to get the valley fever out of his body and go from there.

His titers are routinely evaluated and while being on Fluconazole, they continued to rise. My vet felt that he wasn't responding to that particular antifungal any longer so we switched him to Itraconazole, which is only available through compounding pharmacies. When I picked up the new medicine, the pharmacist told me to give it to Parker on an empty stomach if he could tolerate it. He explained that it was absorbed best on an empty stomach. So, two months after being on the new medicine, the vet checked his titer. It had gone up yet again to an alltime high for Parker, 1:32. I was completely baffled what to do next. Do I go with my vet's advice to go one more month on this medication and redo the titer, or do I just call it a day and have Parker completely neutered?

Fortunately my good friend was the voice of reason and suggested that I take Parker to Tucson to meet with the leading DVM researcher for valley fever, Dr. Lisa Shubitz. So I contacted the hospital where she sees patients and spoke to her assistant. They were very interested in



Parker's case because he was a show dog and also because of the medicine he was on at the time. Dr. Shubitz is only at the vet hospital on Tuesdays so I arranged my schedule according to hers so that Parker could be evaluated. I have to say that not only was it worth every penny of the \$90 consultation fee, it was worth all my time and effort to drive down to Tucson for the appointment.



What did I learn from Dr. Shubitz? Many, many, many things! Most importantly, though, that Itraconazole is the least absorbable form of antifungal

medicine used to treat valley fever unless it is the form that has beads in it. What Parker had been given by the compounding pharmacy was not that form of Itraconazole. This medicine must also be given WITH food because it needs the acid produced in the stomach to help absorb it. So, for those 2 ½ months that Parker was on Itraconazole, he didn't really get any of it. We discussed a wide range of options to treat Parker with the goal being 1) get his semen viable for collection and freezing and 2) get one more litter of puppies on the ground. The options were pretty scary so I chose the lesser of the evils. However, Dr. Shubitz recommended before putting Parker back on a high dose of Fluconazole, that I take him in and have his semen evaluated. So, I did!

The problem with Parker's semen while Fluconazole was in his system was that, while he produced plenty of healthy sperm, once out of his body, they died. So we are at my vet, Parker is collected, my vet puts the semen on a microscope slide, looks and it is perfect!!!!! We left it on the slide for 12 minutes to see what would happen. It lived!!!!! He was ready to be collected!!! I felt like a huge weight had been lifted off my shoulders and I needed to throw a party! Finally, I would have the ability to breed to him down the road without having to constantly worry about the valley fever destroying his remaining testicle.

Parker has been collected and frozen with an 80% concentration and 95% motility! (I think now I also know way too much about the collection and freezing process of canine semen!) After the breeding took place, Parker was placed back onto a normal dose of Fluconazole, albeit a little higher than he previously took because Dr. Shubitz calculated the dosage down to the pound for him. Hopefully by the time this has been printed, CH Lighthouse I Love Playin' With Fire will be pregnant with Parker babies!!

So what is valley fever? So that I give you the correct information about Valley Fever, some of the following information has been taken off the Valley Fever Center for Excellence website (https://

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www.vfce.arizona.edu/).

Valley Fever is caused by a fungus that lives in the desert soil. As part of its life cycle, the fungus grows in the soil and matures, drying into fragile strands of cells. The strands are very delicate, and when the soil is disturbed by digging, walking, construction, high winds - the strands break apart into tiny individual spores. Dogs and people acquire Valley Fever by inhaling these fungal spores in the dust raised by the disturbance. The dog may inhale only a few spores or many hundreds.

Once inhaled, the spores grow into spherules (parasitic cycle) which continue to enlarge until they burst, releasing hundreds of endospores. Each endospore can grow into a new spherule, spreading the infection in the lungs until the dog's immune system surrounds and destroys it. The sickness Valley Fever occurs when the immune system does not kill the spherules and endospores quickly and they continue to spread in the lungs and sometimes throughout the animal's body. About 70% of dogs who inhale Valley Fever spores control the infection and do not become sick. These dogs are asymptomatic. The remainder develops disease, which can range from very mild to severe and occasionally fatal.

Symptoms

The most common early symptoms of primary pulmonary Valley Fever in dogs are:

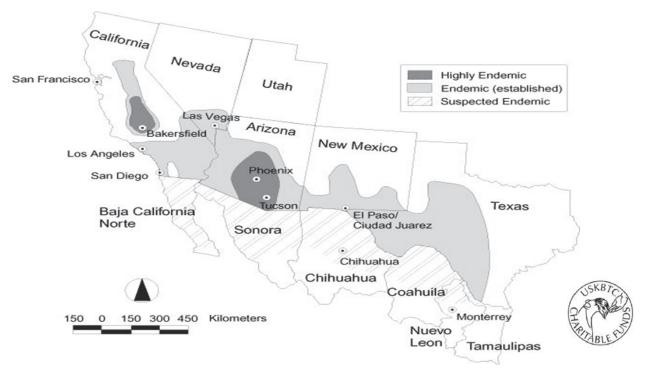
- coughing
- fever
- lack of appetite
- lack of energy
- weight loss

Some or all of these symptoms may be present as a result of infection in the lungs. As the infection progresses, dogs can develop a severe pneumonia that is visible on x-rays. Sometimes the coughing is caused by pressure of swollen lymph nodes near the heart pressing on the dog's windpipe and irritating it. These dogs often have a dry, hacking or honking cough that resembles bronchitis. Additional symptoms develop when the infection spreads outside the lungs and causes systemic or disseminated disease. This form of Valley Fever is almost always more serious than when confined to the lungs.

Signs of disseminated Valley Fever can include:

- •lameness or swelling of limbs
- back or neck pain
- •seizures and other manifestations of central nervous system swelling
- •soft swellings under the skin that resemble

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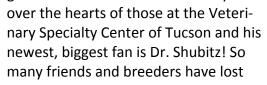
abscesses

- •swollen lymph nodes under the chin, in front of the shoulder blades, or behind the stifles
- non-healing skin ulcerations or draining tracts oozing fluid
- eye inflammation with pain or cloudiness

Some of these symptoms are very rare and most need to be differentiated from other diseases of dogs. Still other signs can develop that are referable to affected internal organs and may only be detected by your veterinarian. While the lungs are the most common site of Valley Fever in dogs, it can infect almost any tissue of the body. Sometimes a dog will skip any signs of having a primary infection in the lungs. The dog may develop symptoms of the disseminated disease, such as a swollen, lame leg but no cough or fever. He may develop fever, weight loss, a draining tract, but may continue to eat well and have no cough.

Valley Fever is a condition unique to the dusty regions of the southwestern United States. It typically affects the low desert regions encompassing central California, Arizona, New Mexico and Southwestern Texas. It is Highly Endemic to Phoenix and Tucson, AZ as well as Bakersfield, CA. Symptoms occur within 7-21 days of travel to these areas.

While Parker currently shows no clinical signs of valley fever, except for an elevated titer, hopefully once his remaining testicle is removed, his titer will come back negative. There is no way to know exactly where the valley fever is in his body at this point, we just know it's still there! I'm very grateful that, even though his specials career never got started, Parker has produced very pretty, stable tempered puppies but most importantly, he is still here to be a part of my life. He's a very sweet boy that didn't deserve this. He has gone through this journey with me as the fighter I knew he was! He definitely won



their dogs, show and companion, to this horrible disease. Parker did his part by donating his blood for a new study being done on Itraconazole. Hopefully one day he'll be a part of saving other dogs lives from valley fever!

If you travel with your dog to any of the areas on the map, educate yourself about valley fever so that if your dog happens to get it, you'll know what to tell your vet to test for. Be prepared to explain to your vet what it is and what kind of test is needed to diagnose valley fever. I can't imagine how many dogs come to Arizona for shows, or just our great weather in the winter months, end up exposed to valley fever, show signs of being ill but are never properly diagnosed once they are back home. Most dogs can/do fight off this infection on their own and you'll never know it, others can't.

For more information on valley fever, please visit the Valley Fever Center for Excellence's website at: https://www.vfce.arizona.edu/. If you live in the areas affected by valley fever and would like to have a consultation with Dr. Lisa Shubitz, she sees patients at the Veterinary Specialty Center of Tucson. Dr. Shubitz is an Associate Research Professor of Veterinary Science and Microbiology. Her research focus includes developing a vaccine for Valley Fever, studying the epidemiology of the disease in canines, the ecological distribution of the fungus in Southern Arizona and interactions between the host (both animal and human) and the fungus that causes Valley Fever using animal models. She is a wealth of information and continues to be a great support system for both Parker and myself!!!

My thanks to Stephanie Clark for writing this very informative article about Valley Fever, and how it has affected her special boy, Parker.







Best of Breed Montgomery County Kennel Club

Ch. Kerrycroft's Mister O'Rourke (Ch. Dorcliff of Tailteann x Kerrycroft's Blue Betsy) October 9, 1960 Judge: Mr. Coleman Handler: Casey Gardiner







Best of Breed KBTC Central Florida Specialty

GCh. Heritage Lord Dunsany

Ch. Heritage Billy Flynn x Ch. Heritage Lady Gregory

Breeder: Heritage Kennels

Owners: Bill & Carol Kearney and Robert & Irene Roth

Best of Breed, Best of Winners Texas Specialty

TNT Code Blue

Ch. TNT Silver Salute x TNT Wishes in the Wind

Breeder/Owner: Connie L. Myers



Winners Bitch, Best of Winners, Texas Specialty

Beltanes Madeira M Dear

Ch. Beltane's Felix Felicis x Beltanes Expecto Patronum

Breeder: Jana Deaton

Owners: Jackie Smith and Jana Deaton

Best in Sweepstakes Philadelphia Specialty

Soleibleu's Kiss of Everglory

GCh. Everglory's The Sultan of Swat x Rollicking Deja Bleu

Breeder: M. & J. Heiderich

Owner: Nancy Westbrook



Best in Sweepstakes Pittsburgh Specialty #1

Kerigolf's Waggedy Anne

Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice

> Breeder/Owner: Lynn S. Duckett



Winners Bitch, Best of Winners Pittsburgh Specialty #1

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Breeder: Menotti

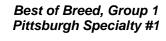
Owner: Dr Natalia S Kunze











GCh. True Blue Madonna

GCH Edbrios Stradivari - Ch Rambunctious Fair Lady

Breeder/Owner: Elaine Randall



BOS in Sweepstakes Pittsburgh Specialty #2

Kerigolf's Waggedy Anne

Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice

> Breeder/Owner: Lynn S. Duckett



Reserve Winners Dog Pittsburgh Specialty #2

Quinn Lawless Man of Bloomsday Magic

GCH Cordial I Was Framed -GCH Maured's Magic Bloom O'Quinn

Breeder/Owners: Gretchen A Quinn, R and B Beuter & Eleanor Schultz.

Barn Hunt!

An exciting new rat hunting sport has hit the dog world this year that has a lot of people talking, and it's called Barn Hunt. Rat hunting type games and activities have been happening alongside Earthdog trials for years, but they were still only eligible for Earthdog breeds. Robin Nuttal, an accomplished trainer with Dobermans and Miniature Pinschers who desired to do more with the Min Pin's ratting history, developed the sport after one of her Min Pins excelled at a local AWTA event. Because Earthdog and AWTA are only open to certain breeds, she knew there was a much needed place for this competitive activity that would appeal not only to all terrier owners, but to anyone with an active dog. And so the Barn Hunt Association was developed and the sport was born. Unlike Earthdog and the American Working Terrier Association, it is open to any breed or mixed breed displaying ratting and vermin hunting skills.

Barn Hunt not only demonstrate a dog's hunting drive, it tests their speed, agileness, confidence, and scenting ability in a barn-like setting. It need not be held in a barn and can take place either inside or out. Hay bales are used to offer tunneling and climbing opportunities along their path as they search for the hidden tubes. There is also a



handler component, in that the hander tells the judge when the dog has found the correct PVC tube with the rat, so having a deep partnership with your

dog and knowing their body language is a key element. Level of difficulty increases with the higher titles, which are: RATI (Instinct), RATN (Novice), RATO (Open), RATS (Senior), RATM (Master), RATCh (Champion), and RATChX (Champion Excellent).

The course for RATI is a standardized course. The hay bales are arranged looking similar to a tuning fork, with the constructed tunnel being the handle. The three tubes (empty, litter, and litter/live rat) are out in the open and the dog has one minute to indicate the tube with the rat. The tunnel and the climb are not required for this class, but usually encouraged to prepare you for the other

classes. One only needs to pass this test once to obtain the title. You can also continue to enter this class as a warm up until the dog has earned the Nov-



ice title. For the other classes (RATN through RATM) the judge designs the layout of the course and, like agility and rally, some are quite creative and do challenging courses, while others design fairly simple courses. The courses do vary from level to level, with more bales being used in Senior and Master. Each level has at least one official tunnel, which is the length of one hay bale in Novice, but must be longer in Open, Senior and Master. Each team starts out in the Start Box, where the dog's collar and leash are removed (dogs run "naked") and the clock starts when the dog is released and either the handler or the dog leaves the Start Box.

- In RATN, three PVC tubes are hidden; empty, litter, and litter/live rat. Team has two minutes to locate the rat and execute the required tunnel and climb.
- In RATO, five tubes are hidden. One empty, two litter, two litter/live rats. Team has two minutes, 30 seconds to find the two rats and execute the tunnel and climb. Course has higher level of bales and one tube must only be reachable by a climb and dogs are allowed to be briefly praised after finding each rat.
- In RATS, eight tubes are hidden. One empty, three litter, four with litter/live rats. Team has three minutes, 30 seconds to find all rats and execute tunnel and climb, with one rat only reachable with a climb. Dogs are allowed brief praise after finding each rat.

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In RATM, 10 tubes are hidden. All tubes will have litter. Anywhere from one to five tubes will have rats, and that number will change at random. Team has four minutes, 30 seconds. If there is more than one live rat tube on the course, at least one live rat will be only reachable by a climb. If there is only one live rat on the course, it may be located anywhere. When the handler feels the dog has completed the search and indicated all rats, the handler tells the judge the dog is finished.



RATN, RATO, and RATS only require three qualifying legs to obtain the title. while the RATM requires five qualifying legs under two different judges to ob-

tain the title. After achieving the RATM title, there is still opportunity to trial by going for the RATCh and RATChX titles. RATCh is 10 Master legs and RATChX is 20 Master legs. As of right now, all but the RATI is being recognized by the AKC. One simply sends in the paperwork with a copy of their title certificate to AKC with the appropriate fees, and the title will be recorded on the dog's registered name.

Barn Hunt, like other scent work, is uniquely different than other sports because the handler is in the dog's world. The dog is the leader and the handler is the follower. It is about being quiet and listening to your dog. There is something quite fascinating about step back and witnessing your dog doing something so instinctual and be good at *This article, and many other interesting* it. As Barn Hunt continues to grow, there is no doubt we will be seeing more and more Kerrys with these titles on their names as this sport was surely made for them.

Many thanks to Sara Garthly for this informative update about one of the newest events in the dog world.

Talk to your Kerry

If I said to any Kerry owner that their dog could understand words and had the ability to learn new ones as quickly as many children, I am sure they would say, "What took you so long to figure that out?" Well, scientists had to make sure that what we have known for years could be scientifically proven.

A June 10, 2004 CNN article reported that German researchers, led by Julia Fischer of the Max Planck Institue for Evolutionary Anthropology in Leipzig, have been studying a Border Collie and his understanding of language. They can now report that they believe that the dog's vocabulary is about the same as apes, dolphins and parrots who have been trained to understand words.

In addition, they believe that the dog can figure out what new words mean. They did this by placing several known toys in a room along with a new toy that the dog had never seen before. They asked the dog to fetch this new toy, giving it a name that the dog never heard before. The dog figured it out, and was able to bring back the correct toy 7 out of 10 times.

Patti Strand, American Kennel Club board member said, "Thanks to the researchers who've proven that people who talk to their dogs are cuttingedge communicators, not just a bunch of eccentrics."

Some people try to spell out words so their Kerries won't understand what they are saying. The problem is, Kerries have figured that out as well.

Carol Kearney

and informative articles, may be found on the USKBTC website. Take a few moments and check it out!



New AKC Titleholders

January 2013

Conformation Champion

CH Kebulak Born To Tease (D) RN24916601 (20-JAN-2013) by Kebulak Willie Nelson x Naughty But Nice At Kopykats. Breeder: Cara Davani. Owner: Victor Malzoni Jr

February 2013

Conformation Champions

CH Saredon Shock Waves Of Irisblu (B) RN24820501 (16-FEB-2013) by Torum's Tunde Bayou x Sharp N Shocking Of Irisblu. Breeder: JUDY AVERIS. Owner: ANITA NORMAN & HAROLD **OUIGG**

CH Symphonie's Fleur De Lys (B) RN19253901 (24-FEB-2013) by CH Opus De Chapeau Terrier x CH Rollick's Riverdance. Breeder: Mrs. France Godbout. Owner: Nancy Vance & McKenna Vance & Mrs. France Godbout

CH Topgun Striking Coal Blue Viper (D) RN16571402 (01-FEB-2013) by GCH CH Topgun Rangin Ring Of Blueaire x CH Harvey's Lady O'Grady Of Topgun. Breeder: Barbara Price & Roger Price & Evelyn Smith. Owner: Elizabeth Abe & Barbara Price

Grand Champions

GCH CH Beltane's Felix Felicis (D) RN14324001 (17-FEB-2013) by CH Beltane's Hard Day's Night x CH Beltane's Double Fantasy. Breeder: Jana Deaton. Owner: Jana Deaton & Lois Grier

GCH CH Irisblu Mirage (B)

RN21602101 (17-FEB-2013) by Irisblu Boomerang x Montealtos Rainy Day Woman At Kopykats. Breeder: Harold Quigg. Owner: John Garahan & Kathy Garahan

GCH CH Krisma's Plenty Of Panache (D) RN19496604 (03-FEB-2013) by GCH CH Beltane's Rock Of Krisma RN x GCH CH Krisma's Lotsa Lottie Da For Liviah. Breeder: Lois Grier & Ted Grier. Owner: Lois Grier & Ted Grier

GCH CH Rollick's Romantica (B) RN15474401 (17-FEB-2013) by CH Symphonie's Be My Valentine x Rollick's

Bombalurina. Breeder: Charlotta Mellin. Owner: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio GCH CH Sanddollars Xmas Rock Star (D) RN21729903 (17-FEB-2013) by GCH CH Cordial I Was Framed x CH Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis. March 2013 Owner: Barbara Bates & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis

Rally Excellent

Camshron's Midnight Lute RE (D) RN17029403 (02-FEB-2013) by CH Camshron's Cobalt Blue x CH Camshron's Stormy Weather. Breeder: Billie Kellog Kneale & Scott Kellogg D.V.M.. Owner: Halina Baruffi & Billie Kneale

Novice Agility

Beltane's Karma Chameleon NA NAJ (B) RN20647105 (24-FEB-2013) by CH Vlad Dracul Braudag x Beltane's Expecto Patronum. Breeder: Jana Deaton & Lois Grier. Owner: Judy Wick & James Wick

Novice Agility Jumper

Beltane's Karma Chameleon NAJ (B) RN20647105 (16-FEB-2013) by CH Vlad Dracul Braudag x Beltane's Expecto Patronum. Breeder: Jana Deaton & Lois Grier. Owner: Judy Wick & James Wick

Master Gold Jumper Preferred

PACH Dalton's Riley RA MX MXB MXJ MJS MXP6 MXPS MJP7 MJPG PAX2 XF THD (D) RM33903905 (16-FEB-2013) by CH Paxon's Lucky Charm O'Rockwell x CH Paxon's Lady Of The Lake CD. Breeder: Joseph H Sofield. Owner: Jack Richard- Massey & William S Massey. Owner: son & Betty Richardson

Master Agility Champion 4

MACH4 Lughnasa's Jenny Love Bug MXC MJB2 MXF TQX T2B (B) RN05333405 (16-FEB-2013) by CH Lughnasa's Demon Deacon x Maggie The Terrible Terrier. Breeder: Gene Possidento. Owner: Judith Ricketts & James Ricketts

Time 2 Beat

MACH4 True Type's Taylor Made MXG2 MJC2 MXF MFB TQX T2B4 (B)

RN01936103 (24-FEB-2013) by CH O'Mara's Kommander-In-Chief x CH Kallehan's True Type. Breeder: Eileen

Andrade. Owner: Maggie Hall & Charles R Hall

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Conformation Champions

CH Beltane's Madeira M'Dear (B) RN22487801 (24-MAR-2013) by GCH CH Beltane's Felix Felicis x Beltane's Expecto Patronum. Breeder: Jana Deaton & Lois Grier. Owner: Jackie Smith & Jana Deaton

CH Bluemont Aidan (D) RN21532204 (08-MAR-2013) by CH Aran Ferbane x CH Lolita De La Cadiera. Breeder: Lorenzo Zambrano. Owner: Lorenzo Zambrano

CH Heritage Nora Charles (B) RN18689302 (22-MAR-2013) by CH Heritage Billy Flynn x CH Heritage Lady Gregory. Breeder: William Kearney & Carol Kearney & Dan Sullivan & Sheila Sullivan, Owner: William Kearney & Carol Kearney & Dan Sullivan & Sheila Sullivan

CH Krisma's Rhythm Of Our Heart (B) RN21130904 (10-MAR-2013) by GCH CH Beltane's Felix Felicis x CH Valtera's Miss Krisma'Revlin CD RN. Breeder: Lois Grier & Ted Grier. Owner: Lisa Alexander & Harry Alexander & Lois Grier

CH Pawsatively The Devil Sent A Serpent (B) RN24231603 (02-MAR-2013) by GCH CH Tontine's Chance Redemption x CH Pawsatively The Devils Are Dancing. Breeder: Odebt Lois Croley & Charlene Dwyer CH Pawsatively The Devils Are Smiling (D) RN24231601 (09-MAR-2013) by GCH CH Tontine's Chance Redemption x CH Pawsatively The Devils Are Dancing. Breeder: Odebt Massey & William S Massey. Owner: Odebt Massey & William S Massey

Grand Champions

GCH CH Edbrios Russian Roulette (B) RN22767301 (09-MAR-2013) by

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Dandy Black & Blue Rokoko x Dalstar Boney M By Edbrios. Breeder: Edward W O'Brien & Jaroslava Poulova & P.A. O'Brien. Owner: Eva Marie Hansen

Novice Agility

Adare Dazzlin Blue Star V Alainn NA
(B) RN19728803 (16-MAR-2013) by
CH Alainn Beineon x GCH CH Adare's
The Right Answer RN AX AXJ OAP
AJP OF NFP. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger &
Angela Chase & Henry N Hillard Sr..
Owner: Barbara Fleischmann & Joy
Ellwanger

Open Agility

Jameson Wild Irish Friskey OA OAJ (D) RN14216303 (09-MAR-2013) by Camshron's Full Of Malarkey x Cordial. Breeder: Terry L Covey & Jackie S Covey. Owner: James Ricketts & Judith Ricketts

Agility Excellent

Harmony's On The Go CD RAE2 AX OAJ (B) RN02485103 (24-MAR-2013) by CH Bluemtns Footloose And Fancy Free x CH Harmony's Hugs And Kisses CD. Breeder: W Shane Flint & Mrs. Kari Loken & Dana Flint. Owner: Karen Loken & Ryan Loken

Master Bronze Agility 2

MACH4 Lughnasa's Jenny Love Bug MXB2 MJB2 MXF TQX T2B (B) RN05333405 (09-MAR-2013) by CH Lughnasa's Demon Deacon x Maggie The Terrible Terrier. Breeder: Gene Possidento. Owner: Judith Ricketts & James Ricketts

Excellent Agility Jumper

Jameson Wild Irish Friskey OA AXJ (D) RN14216303 (22-MAR-2013) by Camshron's Full Of Malarkey x Cordial. Breeder: Terry L Covey & Jackie S Covey. Owner: James Ricketts & Judith Ricketts

Excellent Agility Jumper Preferred

GCH CH Adare's The Right Answer RN AX AXJ OAP AJP OF NFP (B)

RN05704902 (15-MAR-2013) by CH Bluebeard's The Answer x Rockwell's The Right Stuff. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger. Owner: Joy Ellwanger & Angela Chase & Henry N Hillard

Master Gold Jumper

CH MACH Kerigolf's Loaded For Bear CDX MXS MJG OF CA (D) RN16338003 (15-MAR-2013) by CH Kerigolf's Christmas Knight x CH Araglyn Bufferzonefor Kerigolf. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett & Gary Duckett. Owner: Lisa Frankland & Meghan Frankland

Master Bronze Jumper 3

MACH5 True Type's Taylor Made MXG2 MJB3 MXF MFB TQX T2B4 (B) RN01936103 (10-MAR-2013) by CH O'Mara's Kommander-In-Chief x CH Kallehan's True Type. Breeder: Eileen Andrade. Owner: Maggie Hall & Charles R Hall

Agility FAST Excellent

CH MACH Kerigolf's Loaded For Bear CDX MXS MJG XF CA (D) RN16338003 (16-MAR-2013) by CH Kerigolf's Christmas Knight x CH Araglyn Bufferzonefor Kerigolf. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett & Gary Duckett. Owner: Lisa Frankland & Meghan Frankland

Master Agility Champion 5

MACH5 True Type's Taylor Made MXG2 MJC2 MXF MFB TQX T2B4 (B) RN01936103 (03-MAR-2013) by CH O'Mara's Kommander-In-Chief x CH Kallehan's True Type. Breeder: Eileen Andrade. Owner: Maggie Hall & Charles R Hall

Canine Good Citizen

Kerifield's Almost Heaven CGC (B) RN15772908 (15-MAR-2013) by CH Aran Hartigan x ST. Asaph's Susan's Girl. Breeder: Ralph Payson & Virginia Payson & Jennifer J Manders. Owner: Kathryn Van Stone

April 2013

Conformation Champions

CH Lisiji Angelical Bliss De Luna (B) RN20854604 (12-APR-2013) by CH Dicher Midnite Shadow Lisiji x CH Lisiji Simply Smashing. Breeder: C J Favre & Lisa Favre. Owner: Claudia Gilbert & James Gilbert

CH Sanddollars Jack Frost (D) RN21729902 (20-APR-2013) by GCH CH Cordial I Was Framed x CH Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis. Owner: Philip A Ranalli & Barbara Ranalli

CH Slievemish Stormy Saimaa (D) RN18635901 (21-APR-2013) by Arigna Fancy That x Elbrley's Flora Belle. Breeder: Tiina Paukku. Owner: John Peters & Carol Postley

CH Truetype's Seventh Heaven (B) RN19612103 (21-APR-2013) by CH Truetype's First Edition x CH Glenkerins Just In Time. Breeder: Suzanne Elise Carpenter & Eileen Andrade & Maggie Hall. Owner: Eileen Andrade & Mrs. Maggie Hall & Ms. Rachel Faber

Grand Champions

GCH CH Kallehan's Timeless Classic Styling For Blue Mtn (B) PN20738003 (14 APR 2013) by CH

RN20738003 (14-APR-2013) by CH Calix Grey Flannel Pants x GCH CH Kallehan What's Luv Got To Do With It. Breeder: Nancy Han. Owner: Lynn Mathers & Nancy Han

Companion Dog

Camshron's Midnight Lute CD RE (D) RN17029403 (20-APR-2013) by CH Camshron's Cobalt Blue x CH Camshron's Stormy Weather. Breeder: Billie Kellog Kneale & Scott Kellogg D.V.M.. Owner: Halina Baruffi & Billie Kneale

Open Agility

Beltane's Karma Chameleon OA OAJ (B) RN20647105 (27-APR-2013) by CH Vlad Dracul Braudag x Beltane's Expecto Patronum. Breeder: Jana Deaton & Lois Grier. Owner: Judy Wick & James Wick

Agility Excellent Preferred

GCH CH Adare's The Right Answer RN AX AXJ AXP AJP OF NFP (B) RN05704902 (12-APR-2013) by CH Bluebeard's The Answer x Rockwell's The Right Stuff. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger. Owner: Joy Ellwanger & Angela Chase & Henry N Hillard Sr.

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Novice Agility Jumper

Adare Dazzlin Blue Star V Alainn NA NAJ (B) RN19728803 (06-APR-2013) by CH Alainn Beineon x GCH CH Adare's The Right Answer RN AX AXJ AXP AJP OF NFP. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger & Angela Chase & Henry N Hillard Sr.. Owner: Barbara Fleischmann & Joy Ellwanger

Open Agility Jumper

Beltane's Karma Chameleon NA OAJ (B) RN20647105 (20-APR-2013) by CH Vlad Dracul Braudag x Beltane's Expecto Patronum. Breeder: Jana Deaton & Lois Grier. Owner: Judy Wick & James Wick

Master Silver Jumper 2

MACH4 Lughnasa's Jenny Love Bug MXB2 MJS2 MXF TQX T2B (B) RN05333405 (27-APR-2013) by CH Lughnasa's Demon Deacon x Maggie The Terrible Terrier. Breeder: Gene Possidento. Owner: Judith Ricketts & James Ricketts

Master Bronze Jumper 4

MACH5 Lynmar My Bleu Heaven MXS3 MJB4 OF (D) RN01399702 (13-APR-2013) by CH Wildside's Lone Ranger x CH Calix Bearded Iris. Breeder: Lynn Travers & Mark Travers. Owner: Tracey Fulmer

Time 2 Beat

CH MACH2 Calix Cosmo V. Topper BN RA MXS MJS XF T2B (D) RN14180207 (27-APR-2013) by CH Calix Some Say Fire x CH Calix Hi Ho Silver. Breeder: Suzanne Tolleson. Owner: Patricia Campbell

Coursing Ability Advanced

CH MACH Kerigolf's Loaded For Bear CDX MXS MJS OF CAA (D) RN16338003 (10-MAR-2013) by CH Kerigolf's Christmas Knight x CH Araglyn Bufferzonefor Kerigolf. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett & Gary Duckett. Owner: Lisa Frankland & Meghan Frankland

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Conformation Champions

CH Araglyn Razzle Dazzle RN (B) RN09353802 (27-MAY-2013) by CH Fenian An' Mac x CH MACH Kerigolf Flower Power CD RE MXS MJC AXP MJP NF. Breeder: Bryan J Kincaid & Dana S Kincaid. Owner: Bryan J Kincaid & Dana S Kincaid

CH Aristocrat's Firestone Of Cross The Rubicon (D) RN23786606 (23-MAY-2013) by CH Aran Ferbane x Sunlass Aristocrat Cold Chill. Breeder: Diane Beaulieu & Natalia Kunze. Owner: Glenn Lee & Diane Beaulieu & Laura Lee CH Bluebeard's Bailey (B)

RN22413201 (23-MAY-2013) by GCH CH Keystone's Doctor Bue x GCH CH Bluebeard's Suddenly Bridey. Breeder: Lawrence J Brown & Carol E Brown. Owner: Lawrence J Brown & Carol E Brown

CH Camshron's Stitch In Time (D) RN23044004 (26-MAY-2013) by CH Camshron's Cobalt Blue x Camshron's Tiz What It Is. Breeder: Scott Kellogg D.V.M. & Billie Kellogg Kneale. Owner: Margaret Neeb & Scott Kellogg D.V.M. & Billie Kneale & William Neeb CH Krisma's Veteran Salute (D)

RN24448204 (31-MAY-2013) by GCH CH Beltane's Felix Felicis x GCH CH Krisma's Lotsa Lottie Da For Liviah. Breeder: Lois Grier & Ted Grier. Owner: Jo Scoville & Lois Grier

CH Melbee's Tango Nuevo (B) RN21044401 (31-MAY-2013) by CH Ballymoon's Flynn Tango x CH Melbee's Bewitched. Breeder: Melbee Knl & Anita Norman & Kelly Nordman & James Harlow. Owner: Melbee Knl & Don Maish & James Harlow

CH Paxon's Lord Of The Dance (D) RN21806401 (19-MAY-2013) by Paxon's Ghost Dancer x Paxon's Secret Affair. Breeder: Aileen Santo. Owner: Aileen Santo

CH Romances Thief Of Hearts (D) RN16091205 (18-MAY-2013) by CH Omara's Murphy's Romance x CH Connemara's Bee-N Romanced. Breeder: V Homolka & S Homolka & C Dickenson. Owner: Vern Homolka & Sheryl Homolka

CH TNT Code Blue (D) RN21189401 (03-MAY-2013) by CH TNT Silver Salute x Tnt Wishes In The Wind. Breeder: Connie L Myers. Owner: Connie L Myers

CH Wildside's No More Drama (B) RN22559904 (26-MAY-2013) by CH Wildside's Breakaway x GCH CH Wildside's Shameless. Breeder: Angela Chase & Diane C Harrison. Owner: Angela Chase & Diane C Harrison

Grand Champions

GCH CH Adare Alainn Beineon Jr
NJP (D) RN19728804 (12-MAY-2013)
by CH Alainn Beineon x GCH CH
Adare's The Right Answer RN AX AXJ
AXP AJP OF NFP. Breeder: Joy
Ellwanger & Angela Chase & Henry N
Hillard Sr.. Owner: Joy Ellwanger
GCH CH Miss Show Off By Hallsblu
(B) RN24116802 (26-MAY-2013) by
Edbrios Marco Polo x Hallsblu Hot Property. Breeder: Samuel Moffett. Owner:
Rona Lee Barnett

Utility Dog

CH MACH Kerigolf's Loaded For Bear UD MXS MJG XF CAA (D) RN16338003 (10-MAY-2013) by CH Kerigolf's Christmas Knight x CH Araglyn Bufferzonefor Kerigolf. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett & Gary Duckett. Owner: Lisa Frankland & Meghan Frankland

Open Agility

Kerigo Ld Warrior Queen Of Wedgwood VCD1 RE OA NF (B)
RN19932401 (27-MAY-2013) by CH
Fralin's Public Defender RN x CH
Wedgewood Blubelle Of The Snow UD
BN RE AX MXJ OAP NJP. Breeder:
Carol Oddi & Richard Schaefer & Maryanne Schaefer & Harry Wert. Owner:
Carol Oddi & Richard Schaefer & Maryanne Schaefer & Harry Wert

Master Gold Agility

CH MACH2 Calix Cosmo V. Topper BN RA MXG MJG XF T2B (D) RN14180207 (05-MAY-2013) by CH Calix Some Say Fire x CH Calix Hi Ho Silver. Breeder: Suzanne Tolleson. Owner: Patricia Campbell

Master Century Agility

MACH3 La Dolce Vita MXC MJC (D) RN11554706 (19-MAY-2013) by CH Rollick's Reflection x CH Lynmar Devil In A Blue Dress. Breeder: Cheryl Purcell & Mark Travers & Lynn Travers. Owner: Susan Adiletta & Lisa Christman

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Master Century Agility 2

MACH5 True Type's Taylor Made MXC2 MJB3 MXF MFB TQX T2B4 (B) RN01936103 (23-MAY-2013) by CH O'Mara's Kommander-In-Chief x CH Kallehan's True Type. Breeder: Eileen Andrade. Owner: Maggie Hall & Charles R Hall

Master Agility Excellent Preferred 7

PACH Dalton's Riley RA MX MXB MXJ MJS MXP7 MXPS MJP8 MJPG PAX2 XF THD (D) RM33903905 (04-MAY-2013) by CH Paxon's Lucky Charm O'Rockwell x CH Paxon's Lady Of The Lake CD. Breeder: Joseph H Sofield. Owner: Jack Richardson & Betty Richardson

Master Gold Agility Preferred

PACH Dalton's Riley RA MX MXB MXJ MJS MXP7 MXPG MJP8 MJPG PAX2 XF THD (D) RM33903905 (25-MAY-2013) by CH Paxon's Lucky Charm O'Rockwell x CH Paxon's Lady Of The Lake CD. Breeder: Joseph H Sofield. Owner: Jack Richardson & Betty Richardson

Master Gold Jumper

CH MACH2 Calix Cosmo V. Topper BN RA MXS MJG XF T2B (D) RN14180207 (03-MAY-2013) by CH Calix Some Say Fire x CH Calix Hi Ho Silver. Breeder: Suzanne Tolleson. Owner: Patricia Campbell

Master Bronze Jumper 2

MACH3 La Dolce Vita MXC MJB2 (D) RN11554706 (31-MAY-2013) by CH Rollick's Reflection x CH Lynmar Devil In A Blue Dress. Breeder: Cheryl Purcell & Mark Travers & Lynn Travers. Owner: Susan Adiletta & Lisa Christman

Master Excellent Jumper Preferred 8

PACH Dalton's Riley RA MX MXB MXJ MJS MXP6 MXPS MJP8 MJPG PAX2 XF THD (D) RM33903905 (02-MAY-2013) by CH Paxon's Lucky Charm O'Rockwell x CH Paxon's Lady Of The Lake CD. Breeder: Joseph H Sofield. Owner: Jack Richardson & Betty Richardson

Agility FAST Novice

Kerigo Ld Warrior Queen Of Wedgwood VCD1 RE NF (B) RN19932401 (09-MAY-2013) by CH Fralin's Public Defender RN x CH Wedgewood Blubelle Of The Snow UD BN RE AX MXJ OAP NJP. Breeder: Carol Oddi & Richard Schaefer & Maryanne Schaefer & Harry Wert. Owner: Carol Oddi & Richard Schaefer & Maryanne Schaefer & Harry Wert

Time 2 Beat 5

MACH5 True Type's Taylor Made MXC2 MJB3 MXF MFB TQX T2B5 (B) RN01936103 (24-MAY-2013) by CH O'Mara's Kommander-In-Chief x CH Kallehan's True Type. Breeder: Eileen Andrade. Owner: Maggie Hall & Charles R Hall





The photo of the 2012 Haymarket Futurity and Maturity winner photo is being reprinted in this issue. The photo that appeared in the Spring issue showed only the Best of Opposite to Best in Maturity. Both the Best in Maturity and Best of Opposite in Maturity were bred by and are co-owned/owned by Lois and Ted Grier. Congratulations to them on such an exciting win!

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The Making of a UD Kerry

"I want to get a Kerry for obedience competition" is not something that a Kerry Blue Terrier breeder hears very often. In fact, when I told this to Lois Croley, the breeder I got my first Kerry from 23 years ago, she gently suggested that I might be happier with another breed! I am forever grateful that Lois and Chuck still trusted me enough to let me have the littlest male from their litter. That puppy was Lav, aka Casey's Lavish Mischief UDX NA, who became just the second Kerry to earn the then new Utility Dog Excellent title, and consistently qualified and placed in the competitive southern California obedience trials during his career. Katie Rae (CH Casey's Rae of Sunshine UDX RAE MX MXJ), also from the Croleys, joined my family 9 years later and proved that Lav's accomplishments were no fluke by earning her UDX, also with many class wins and placements, as well. This in spite of the fact that bold and brassy Katie Rae was as different as night and day from sweet, sensible Lav. Both were still Kerry Blue Terriers—intelligent, athletic, willing-to-please dogs with a work ethic. While every breed can be trained to compete in obedience, herding and sporting breeds tend to be the most successful. And Kerry Blue Terriers were developed as all purpose working farm dogs that, guess what?, herded livestock and retrieved game in addition to their more usual terrier duties. So Kerries should be naturals in obedience and other events...and they are!

I got my latest Kerry, Remington (or Remi), in 2008 from Lynn and Gary Duckett. I liked the pedigree for this litter, and, just like when I got Lav and Katie, it's always been very important to me to only get a puppy from somebody I know is a truly responsible breeder. A breeder who not only wants to produce dogs that can win in the breed ring, but are structurally sound, healthy, and have good temperaments (all essential traits for a competitive performance dog). And of course a breeder who cares enough about the dogs they produce to socialize them, carefully screen homes, and provide any necessary support and follow-up throughout their entire lives. We are fortunate in this breed that there are more breeders that fit this description than not. Dogs that get a good early start in life make not just much better performance dogs, but family pets as well.

Although I started Remi in puppy and basic obedience classes as soon as I brought him home, my emphasis that first year was to simply allow him to grow up and to enjoy him. We played, went for walks and car rides, and traveled to some shows. Remi learned how to behave in different situations, that most people are nice, and that he could always trust me to keep him safe. I only began to teach him heeling and the other obedience exercises, including open and utility, in earnest after he was a year old and more mentally and physically mature. Even today, I avoid a lot of repetition or drilling (which I learned right off with Lav DOES NOT work well with Kerries), instead focusing on short training sessions with a lot of play and treats to keep things interesting. Any corrections are mild and given in a very matter-of-fact way, then all is forgiven and it's back to business. All of my Kerries have been trained and shown in plain buckle collars simp-

ly because they have rarely if ever required a stronger correction. Training methods have evolved to become increasingly positive in the 20+ years I've been training, and the more positive my training, the better my dogs have responded. Remi loves to work, and that has produced some very



High in Trial from Open B Amarillo, TX - April 27, 2013

nice placements and scores, including two all-breed High in Trials (the obedience equivalent of Best in Show) to date!

There are three levels of regular obedience. Novice evaluates the dog's ability to perform basic commands: heeling, a stand for examination, a recall, and a sit-stay and down-stay with the other dogs and the handlers on the opposite side of the ring. Open is next; jumping and retrieving is added to the mix, and the stays are longer and with the handlers out of sight. Utility is the highest and

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most difficult obedience class, and requires the dog to obey hand signals; identify and retrieve both metal and leather articles that have the handler's scent on them; retrieve the one of three gloves that the handler points to; while heeling, stop on the owner's command to be examined by the judge; and, finally, go to the other end of the ring, take a designated jump and return to the handler...twice. More than any other obedience class, utility requires a dog that thoroughly understands each and every exercise; is attentive to its owner and not distracted by all that is going on around it at a dog show; and is confident enough to work away from its handler and complete very challenging exercises without any additional commands or other help. Remi easily earned his novice title (CD, Companion Dog) at the age of 2, and his open (CDX, Companion Dog Excellent) title one year later. Getting ready for utility, however, definitely required me to kick up the training a notch. Just like with my previous two Kerries, I practiced in many different places and situations, and went to every available match to build Remi's understanding and confidence.

Finally, I began showing Remi in some obedience trials, and after a few less-than-stellar, non-qualifying performances, he started to relax and work like the dog I had in training. We got our first qualifying "leg," then another a few trials later, which was very quickly followed by the third and final leg needed for the title at our very next trial. Remi was now CH MACH Kerigolf's Loaded For Bear UD XF CAA!

When a dog fails to qualify in Utility A, especially towards the end, even the judge will sometimes groan in disappointment. Utility (aka "futility," "humility," or "the heartbreak class") is a very hard class, especially for the new dogs, and everyone there knows it. But the fact that it is so difficult to master is also what makes it so rewarding. Qualifying in Utility A is still for me, even after 3 UD Kerries, an incredibly exciting experience. As the dog and handler in the ring successfully progress through each exercise, a crowd slowly begins to gather at ringside and become quieter and quieter until they are practically holding their breath rooting for the team to succeed. One can literally hear the collective sigh of relief when the dog takes the correct last jump and sits in front of its handler. The judge tells the handler to "finish," meaning have their dog return to heel position,

then the crowd erupts in applause and cheers when the judge says, "Exercise finished...congratulations, you passed."

Next on our agenda is to continue showing Remi in both Utility B and Open B, the classes for the more experienced dogs who already have the utility and open titles, with the objective of earning the Utility Dog Excellent (UDX) title. The UDX requires combined qualifying scores (passing performances in



Finishing UD with another first place Albuquerque, 5/10/13

both Open B and Utility B) at 10 separate trials. And we aren't the only Kerry team currently working on that title—just within his immediate family, Remi has two littermates (Oscar, owned by Jane Eno, and Piper, owned by Floranne Etheridge) who also have their UDs and are continuing to train and compete! I would love to see the fact that Kerries can do obedience and so many other different events, and do them very well, what I often refer to as "the best-kept secret in the Terrier Group" become common knowledge!

Many thanks to Lisa Frankland for sharing her experiences and adventures with Remi. We look forward to more updates in the future as he progresses in the obedience ring!



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Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Texas Specialty Friday, March 22, 2013

SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Ms Rhonda Krupp

Puppy Bitches 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos . 1/BSP/BSS (6) KRISMA'S VIVE LES VACANCES. RN244482/07. 04/20/2012. BREEDER: Lois and Ted Grier. By Beltane's Felix Felicis-Krisma's Lotsa Lottie Da For Liviah. OWNER: Thomas R. Fitzsimmons and Anthony Kyle Dennis.

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Dr. Alvin W. Krause

Puppy Dogs 6 Mos & Under 9 Mos . A 15 FELLBRIN'S BEGINNEGAN. RN244637/04. 07/11/2012. BREEDER: Robert W Caspers. By Ch Fellbrin's I'm Already There-Ch Tontine's Remember Me. OWNER: Fern R Rogers & Robert W Caspers.

Open Dogs.

1/W/BB/BW 7 TNT CODE BLUE. RN211894/01. 08/06/2010. BREEDER: Owner. By Ch TNT Silver Salute-TNT Wishes In The Wind. OWNER: Connie L Myers. 2/R 9 AON FAST LANE. RN217935/01. 01/16/2011. BREEDER: Marlyn Johnson Pat Johnson. By Ch CA CE MX CH GCH AON RHYTHM N BLUES-Ch CH CLAN-CIARRAI GWYNVYD ABRED. OWNER: Marlyn Johnson and Pat Johnson.

Puppy Bitches 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos. 1/R 6 KRISMA'S VIVE LES VACANCES.

RN244482/07. 04/20/2012. BREEDER: Lois and Ted Grier. By Beltane's Felix Felicis-Krisma's Lotsa Lottie Da For Liviah. OWNER: Thomas R. Fitzsimmons and Anthony Kyle Dennis.

Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitches.

1 12 PAWSATIVELY UP JUMPED THE DEVIL.

RN242316/02. 06/05/2012. BREEDER: Odebt Massey & Willaim Massey. By Ch Tontine's Chance Redemption-Ch Pawsatively The Devils Are Dancing. OWNER: Odebt Massey & William Massey.

Open Bitches.

A 14 KRISMA'S UTTERLY POPPILLICIOUS.

RN231345/03. 07/13/2011. BREEDER: Lois & Ted Grier. By GCh Krisma Kicks It Up A Knotch-Ch Ventura Krisma Braudag. OWNER: Paula K Fox & Lois Grier.

1/W/OS 18 BELTANES MADEIRA M DEAR.

RN224878/01. 05/03/2011. BREEDER: Jana Deaton. By Ch Beltanes Felix Felici's-Beltanes Expecto Patronum.

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OWNER: Jackie Smith & Jana Deaton. AGENT: Odebt K Massey.

Best of Breed Competition.

A 5 GCH CH KRISMA'S OUR TOP PRIORITY.

RN191329/01. 04/14/2009. Dog. BREEDER: Lois Grier & Ted Grier. By Ch Vlad Dracul Braudag-Ch Valtera's Miss Krisma Revlin. OWNER: Phillip Luebbers Lois & Ted Grier.

A 8 CH GCH AON MEGHEAN. RN158520/04.

12/18/2007. Bitch. BREEDER: Marlyn Johnson Pat Johnson and D Thompson. By Ch AM CA CH Edbrios Brave Heart-Ch Diana's Destine for Fame. OWNER: Marlyn Johnson and Pat Johnson.

A 10 CH TONTINE'S REMEMBER ME. RN169612/05. 05/28/2008. Bitch. BREEDER: Heather L Hunter & Lou Perry-Cunningham. By Ch Fralin's Public Defender-Tontine's Goodbye Girl. OWNER: Robert W Caspers.

SEL AM 11 GCH TONTINE'S CHANCE REDEMP-

TION. RN169612/03. 05/28/2008. Dog. BREEDER: Lou Perry & Heather Hunter. By Ch Fralin's Public Defender-Ch Tontine's Goodbye Girl. OWNER: Lois Croley & Charlene Dwyer. AGENT: Odebt K Massey.

SEL AM 16 GCH CIARRAI'S BELTANE EMBERS.

RN180798/02. 01/09/2009. Bitch. BREEDER: Patrick J Harris & Yvonne W Harris. By Ch Vlad Dracul Braudag-Ch Beltane's Bohemian Rhapsody. OWNER: Paula Fox & Jana Deaton.

17 CH KRISMA'S RISKY BUSINESS. RN211309/02. 05/29/2010. Dog. BREEDER: Lois & Ted Grier. By Ch Beltane's Felix Felicis-Ch Valtera's Miss Krisma'Revlin CD. OWNER: Paula Fox & Lois Grier.

19 GCH CH DORNICK'S EL CAPITAN. RN191892/03. 05/12/2009. Dog. BREEDER: Owner. By Torum The Spaniard-Ch Dornick's Sacha. OWNER: Doreen Fletcher. AGENT: Scott A Sommer, AKC Reg. Handler.



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Philadelphia Kerry Blue Terrier Club Specialty Trenton Kennel Club Sunday, May 5, 2013

SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Mr. Ken Neill

9 Mos. and under 12 Mos. DOG 1 9 WILDSIDE'S THE TENTH FINE IRISHMAN.

RN243652/02. 6/21/2012. By Ch. Wildsides Long Tale x Ch. Wildsides Que Sera Sera. Breeder: D. Harrison. Owner: Brian Corry.

12 Mos. and under 18 Mos. Bitches 1 20 *SOLEIBLEU'S KISS OF EVERGLORY.

RN239825/01. 2/24/2012. By Gch. Everglory's Teh Sultan of Swat x Rollicking Deja Bleu. Breeder: M. & J. Heiderich. Owner: Nancy Westbrook.

2 28 STORM'S DELILAH BLUE. RN236022/01.

2/28/2012. By CH Paxon's Prince of Darkness x CH Bonnieblu Eye of the Storm. Breeder: Lisa Kunze. Owner: Susan Dermody.

Best in Sweepstakes . . . 20 Best of Opposite in Sweepstakes . . . 9

Veteran Sweepstakes

7 Years and under 9 Years, Bitches 1 18 *GCH. ADARE'S THE RIGHT ANSWER,

RN,AX,AXJ,OF. RN057049/02. 7/12/2004. By Ch. Bluebeard's The Answer x Rockwell's The Right Stuff. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger. Owner: Joy L. Ellwanger.

9 Years and over, Bitches

31 GCH, KERIBOU'S LUCKY ENOUGH TO BE IRISH.

RN177840/02. 9/24/2008. By Ch. Sir Thomas Hutton of The Jean x Ch. Keribou's Pocket of Petals. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Sjobhan Conti.

Best Veteran in Sweepstakes...18

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Judith A. Franklin

Puppy 9 - 12 Mos. DOG

19 WILDSIDE'S THE TENTH FINE IRISHMAN.

RN243652/02. 6/21/2012. By Ch. Wildsides Long Tale x Ch. Wildsides Que Sera Sera. Breeder: D. Harrison. Owner: Brian Corry.

12 - 18 Mos. DOG

1/BW/W 25 ARISTOCRAT'S FIRESTONE OF CROSS THE RUBICON. RN237866/06. 12/18/2011. By Aran Ferbane x Sunlass Aristocrat Cold Chill. Breeder: D. Beau-

lieu. Owner: Glenn & Laura Lee.

27 PENNTERRA'S FOUR LEAF CLOVER.

RN239034/05. 3/13/2012. By Belle-Peytons Danish Blue x pennterras Astana Mikayla. Breeder: Y. Anderson. Owner: Youlia Anderson.

Bred By Exhibitor DOG 1/RW 7 *KASTLEKOVE'S GRAND DESIGN.

RN218406/01. 1/5/2011. By Belle-Peyton's Danish Blu x Ch. Kastlekove's Step'N Out In Style. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Michelle Grant.

2 11 CAMSHRON'S STITCH IN TIME. RN230440/04. 7/20/2011. By Ch. Camshron's Cobalt Blue x Camshrons Tiz What It Is. Breeder: S Kellogg. Owner: Margaret & William Neeb.

American Bred DOG

115 CAMSHRON'S TIZ TERRIFIC. RN230440/01.

7/20/2011. By Ch. Camshrons Cobalt Blue x Camshrons Tiz What It Is. Breeder: S. Kellogg. Owner: Billie & Scott Kellogg.

Open DOG

T/BB 29 TNT CODE BLUE. RN211894/01. 8/6/2010. By Ch. TNT Silver Salute x TNT Wishes In The Wind. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Connie L. Myers.

12 - 18 Mos. BITCH

1 28 STORM'S DELILAH BLUE. RN236022/01.

2/28/2012. By CH Paxon's Prince of Darkness x CH Bonnieblu Eye of the Storm. Breeder: Lisa Kunze. Owner: Susan Dermody.

Bred By Exhibitor BITCH

1/W 6 BLUJAC'S IRISH CHARM. RN208963/12.

6/11/2010. By Ch. Maras Back To The Future x Ch. Blujacs Second Chance. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Mr. & Mrs. Carl C. Ashbey, III.

2 12 WILDSIDE'S NO MORE DRAMA. RN225599/04.

4/27/2011. By Ch. Wildside's Breakaway x Ch. Wildside's Shameless. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Angela Chase.

3 30 PENNTERRA'S SOLNECHNIJ ZAICHIK.

RN185976/04. 3/31/2009. By Gch. Topgun Rangin Ring of Blyeaire x Ch. Penntarra's Sky Jet, RA. Breeder: Youlia Anderson. Owner: Youlia Anderson.

American Bred BITCH

1/RW 8 HOTLICK'S SUNGODDESS AT BLUJAC.

RN231151/05. 6/25/2011. By Ch. Blujacs The Real McCoy x Ch. Hotlicks Silkouettes Stardust. Breeder: K. & M. Adair. Owner: Mr. & Mrs. Carl C. Ashbey, III.

Open BITCH

2 14 LUGHNASA'S THE SONG IS YOU. RN231935/05.

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The Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Greater Pittsburgh

Promoting Kerry Blue Terriers in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio

KBTC of Greater Pittsburgh Specialty #1 New Castle Kennel Club Saturday, May 25, 2013

> Sweepstakes Judge: Mrs. Martha Nazak

Sweepstakes, Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Dogs. 1/BPSWOS 9 WILDSIDE'S KING ROLLO OF THE LOW COUNTRY. RN 24365209. 06-21-12

By Ch Wildside's Long Tail - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & George Hanna Jr & Kyle Hanna, Ellabell, GA 31308. Breeder: Daine C Harrison & Angela Chase.

2 21 GOODSPICE BRODY KNIGHT. RN 24483905. 07-06-12. By Ch Kerigolf's Christmas Knight - Goodspice Blueberry Scout. Owner: Christine Brill-Packard, Cochranville, PA 19330. Breeder: Leslie Foster-Davidson & Margery Good. (Margery Good, Agent).

WILDSIDE'S THE TENTH FINE IRISHMAN. RN 24365202. 06-21-12. By Ch Wildside's Long Tale - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Brian Corry, Lancaster, PA 17601. Breeder: Angela Chase & Diane Harrison. (Angela Chase, Agent).

Sweepstakes, Junior, 12 & Under 15 Months Dogs. 1/BJSW/BOSSW 45 KERRYLINK'S RILEY'S BLUE **BRODY**. RN 24043102. 05-03-12. By GCH Kerrisel's Here's Looking At You - Ch Turbo's Fast Lane At Kerrylink. Owner: Lynn Carey & Danny Mann & Jeff Carey, Morraw, OH 45152. Breeder: Danny Mann & Melanie Feldges & Reita Nicholson.

Sweepstakes, Junior, 15 & Under 18 Months Dogs. CEILI MOR'S FEAT OF FLAMES. RN 23805401. 02-22-12. By Ch Elbrley's Finnstar Dooley - GCH Rollick's Romantica. Owner: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio, Wesley Chapel, FL 335448759. Breeder: Reatha Omodio & 1/W (3 Points) 45 James Omodio.

Sweepstakes, Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Bitches. KERIGOLF'S YOU HAD ME AT HELLO. RN 24751501. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice. Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

KERZMIN'S DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER. 3 26

NO5104012. 07-08-12. By Kermin's Cruiser - Kerzmin's Andante. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & George Hanna, Ellabell, GA 31308. Breeder: Sergiy Vyazmin. 1/BPSW/BSW 28 KERIGOLF'S WAGGEDY **ANNE**. RN 24751503. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice. Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

Sweepstakes, Junior, 12 & Under 15 Months Bitches. 1/BJSWOS 24 STARLITE'S JUST A LITTLE PISTOL. RN 24243405. 04-30-12. By Ch Valtera's St. Patrick Party Time - StarLite's Don't Ever Ask Me. Owner: Barbara E Morningstar, James Creek, PA 16657. Breeder: Barbara E Morningstar

Regular Class Judge: Mr. Darryl Vice

Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Dogs. 39 WILDSIDE'S KING ROLLO OF THE LOW COUNTRY. RN 24365209. 06-21-12. By Ch Wildside's Long Tail - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & George Hanna Jr & Kyle Hanna, Ellabell, GA 31308. Breeder: Daine C Harrison & Angela Chase. GOODSPICE BRODY KNIGHT. RN 24483905. 1 21 07-06-12. By Ch Kerigolf's Christmas Knight - Goodspice Blueberry Scout. Owner: Christine Brill-Packard, Cochranville, PA 19330. Breeder: Leslie Foster-Davidson & Margery Good, (Margery Good, Agent). WILDSIDE'S THE TENTH FINE IRISHMAN. 2 41

RN 24365202. 06-21-12. By Ch Wildside's Long Tale - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Brian Corry, Lancaster, PA 17601. Breeder: Angela Chase & Diane Harrison. (Angela Chase, Agent).

12 & Under 18 Months Dogs.

KERRYLINK'S RILEY'S BLUE **BRODY**. RN 24043102. 05-03-12. By GCH Kerrisel's Here's Looking At You - Ch Turbo's Fast Lane At Kerrylink. Owner: Lynn Carey & Danny Mann & Jeff Carey, Morraw, OH 45152. Breeder: Danny Mann & Melanie Feldges & Reita Nicholson.

Bred by Exhibitor Dogs.

3 11 TNT HIGH FIVE. RN 21189402. 08-06-10. By Ch

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TNT Silver Salute - TNT Wishes In The Wind. Owner: Connie L Myers, Van Wert, OH 458919463. Breeder: Connie L Myers.

2 15 CEILI MOR'S FEAT OF FLAMES. RN 23805401. 02-22-12. By Ch Elbrley's Finnstar Dooley - GCH Rollick's Romantica. Owner: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio, Wesley Chapel, FL 335448759. Breeder: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio.

139 QUINN LAWLESS MAN OF BLOOMSDAY MAGIC. RN 21954203. 10-13-10. By GCH Cordial I Was Framed - GCH Maured's Magic Bloom O'Quinn. Owner: Gretchen A Ouinn & Robert Beuter & Barbara Beuter & Eleanor Schultz, Columbus, OH 432289143. Breeder: Gretchen A Quinn & R Beuter & B Beuter & Eleanor Schultz.

American-Bred Dogs.

ADARE CHIP OFF THE OLE BLOCK OF A 37 ALAINN. RN 19728805. 10-03-09. By Ch Alainn Beineon -Ch Adare's The Right Answer. Owner: Brenda Carter, Lewisville, IN 47352. Breeder: Joy Elanger & Hank Hillard & Angela Chase.

Open Dogs.

217 **CAMSHRON'S STITCH IN TIME.** RN 23044004. 07-20-11. By Ch Camshron's Cobalt Blue -Camshron's Tiz What It Is. Owner: Margaret & William Neeb & Scott Kellogg DVM & Billie Kneale, Ijamsville, MD 21754. Breeder: Scott Kellogg DVM & Billie Kneale. 1/R 25 EDBRIOS DEEP PURPLE. RN20844002. 02-25-10. By Dandy Black & Blue Rokoko - Edbrios Atomic Kitten. Owner: Nadine Vukovich, Mechanicsburg, PA 170505010. Breeder: E W & P A O'Brien & Jaroslava Poulova.

Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Bitches.

1 12 KERIGOLF'S YOU HAD ME AT HELLO. RN 24751501. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice. Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

2 26 KERZMIN'S DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER. NO5104012. 07-08-12. By Kermin's Cruiser - Kerzmin's Andante. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & George Hanna, Ellabell, GA 31308. Breeder: Sergiy Vyazmin.

Bred by Exhibitor Bitches.

WILDSIDE'S NO MORE DRAMA. RN 22559904. 04-27-11. By Ch Wildsides Breakaway - Ch Wildsides Shameless. Owner: Diane Harrison & Angela Chase, Lancaster, PA 17601. Breeder: Angela Chase & Diane Harrison.

STARLITE'S JUST A LITTLE PISTOL. RN 24243405. 04-30-12. By Ch Valtera's St. Patrick Party Time - StarLite's Don't Ever Ask Me. Owner: Barbara E Morningstar, James Creek, PA 16657. Breeder: Barbara E Morningstar.

American-Bred Bitches.

1/R 28 KERIGOLF'S WAGGEDY ANNE. RN 24751503. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice. Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

HOTLICK'S SUNGODDESS @ BLUJAC. RN 236 23115105. 06-25-11. By Ch Blujac's The Real Mccoy - Ch Hotlick's Silhouette's Stardust. Owner: Mr & Mrs Carl C Ashby & Mr & Mrs Kevin Adair, Greensboro, NC 274106011. Breeder: Kevin & Monica Adair.

Open Bitches.

1/W/BW (3 Points) 14 ARAN INNISHANNON.

RN24821801. 01-16-06. By Ch Aran Enniskeen - Ch Aran Horseandjockey. Owner: Dr Natalia S Kunze, Bluemont, VA 20135. Breeder: Menotti.

3 20 KERIBOU'S LOW COUNTRY LUCKY CLO-VER. RN 22861203. 03-05-11. By Ch Keribou'slucky Enough To Be Irish - Ch Caribou' Scoffer Me Not. Owner: George Hanna & Siobham M Conti, Ellabell, GA 313084829. Breeder: Siobhan M Conti & Ernest P Conti.

SANDDOLLARS BEAUTIFUL SOUL. RN 21729906. 12-19-10. By Ch Cordial I Was Framed - Ch Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Owner: Ashley Phelps & Barbara Bates, Terre Haute, IN 478029137. Breeder: Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley Mcginnis Phelps.

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ALAINN'S BLUEGRASS BELLE OF ADARE. RN 19728802. 10-03-09. By Ch Alainn Beineon - GCH Adare's The Right Answer RN NAJ NAP NJP. Owner: Sandra Redmon & Charles Redmon, Lexington, KY 405155846. Breeder: Joy Elwanger & Hank Hillard & Angela Chase.

Veteran, 7 Years & Over Bitches.

1/AOM 40 GCH ADARE'S THE RIGHT ANSWER RN AX AXJ OF HI. RN 05704902. 07-12-04 By Ch Bluebeard's The Answer - Rockwell's The Right Stuff. Owner: Joy Ellwanger, Mount Joy, PA 17552. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger & Henry Hillard & Angela Chase. 2 42 CH SANDDOLLARS DREAM CATCHER. RN 10873602. 02-11-06. By Ch Symphonie's Be My Valentine -Ch Sanddollars Mystic Vision. Owner: Barbara Bates &

Ashley McGinnis & Walter Bates, Punta Gorda, FL

339554014. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis.

Best of Breed Competition.

CH KEIZMIN'S BULGARI. RN19417001. 03-15-

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09. By Cerrone Du Close De Clardouet - Kerzmin's Andante. Dog. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & Youlia Anderson & Sergiv Vyazin, Ellabell, GA 313084829. Breeder: Sergiv

B/G1/RBIS (5 GC Points) 132 dogs defeated 10 GCH TRUE BLUE MADONNA. RN 19982501. 12-24-09 By GCH Edbrios Stradivari - Ch Rambunctious Fair Lady. Bitch. Owner: Elaine Randall, West Lafayette, IN 47906. Breeder: Elaine Randall. (Leonardo Garcini, Agent).

- 16 CH BLEUSTAR'S M'AYDEN VOYAGE. RN 18167501. 02-06-09. By Ch Balboa Maraja - Ch Kerrisel's Indy Go Bleu. Bitch. Owner: Jennifer Bott, Huntley, IL 60142. Breeder: Jennifer Bott & Reita Nicholson.
- CH MISS SHOW OFF BY HALLSBLU. RN 24116802. 12-21-09. By Edbrios Marco Polo - Hallsblu Hot Property. Bitch. Owner: Rona Lee Barnett, Dix Hills, NY 117466321. Breeder: Samuel Moffett. (George Wright, Agent).
- CH BLUEBEARD'S BARNUM. RN 22413202. 03-27-11. By Ch Keystone's Doctor Bue - Ch Bluebeards Suddenly Bridey. Dog. Owner: Lawrence J & Carol E Brown, Pipersville, PA 18947. Breeder: Lawrence J & Carol E Brown.
- GCH SANDDOLLARS XMAS ROCK **AOM 23** STAR. RN 21729903. 12-19-10. By Ch Cordial I Was Framed - Ch Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Dog. Owner: Walter Bates & Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps, Punta Gorda, FL 339554014. Breeder: Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps.
- SEL (4 GC Points) 27 ARISTOCRAT'S FIRESTONE OF CROSS THE RUBICON. RN 23786606. 12-18-11 By Ch Aran Ferbane - Sunlass Aristocrat Cold Chill. Dog. Owner: Glenn Lee & Laura Lee, Fuquay Varina, NC 275267347. Breeder: Diane Beaulieu & Natalia Samaj Kunze. (Tracy Ann Szaras, Agent).
- GCH KEYSTONE'S DOCTOR BUE. RN 15601505. 10-24-07. By Ch Bluebeard's The Answer - Ch Starlight's Bootes Nekkar. Dog. Owner: E Clair & Linda R Pheasant, Sebring, FL 338701450. Breeder: E Clair & Linda R Pheasant.
- **AOM 30** BLUEBEARD'S BAILEY. RN 22413201. 03-27-11. By Ch Keystone's Doctor Bue - Ch Bluebeard's Suddenly Bridey. Bitch. Owner: Lawrence J & Carol E Brown, Pipersville, PA 18947. Breeder: Lawrence J & Carol E Brown. (R C Carusi, Agent).
- CH ADARE ALAINN BEINEON JR NJP. RN 19728804. 10-03-09. By Ch Alainn Beineon - GCH Adare's The Right Answer OF AX AXJ RN. Dog. Owner: Joy Ellwanger, Mount Joy, PA 17552. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger & Henry Hillard & Angela Chase.
- CH EDBRIOS HIGH VOLTAGE. RN 20844001. 02-25-10. By Dandy Black & Blue Rokoko - Edbrios Atomic Kitten. Dog. Owner: Bob Jones & Emmie Jones, Enola, PA 170252951. Breeder: EW & PA O'Brien & Jaroslava Poulova.

SEL (3 GC Points) 34 CH TURBO'S EXCITATIONS. RN 19175902. 06-24-09. By Ch Wildside's Breakaway - Ch Kerrisel's Tis' Turbo Too!. Bitch. Owner: Melanie & Rick

Feldges, Darien, IL 60561. Breeder: Melanie & Rick Feldges & Reita Nicholson.

OS (4 GC Points) 35 **GCH CLASS ACT BY HALLSBLU**. RN 24116801. 12-21-09. By Edbrios Marco Polo - Hallsblu Hot Property. Dog. Owner: William Berry, Parsippany, NJ 07054. Breeder: Samuel Moffett. (George

Wright, Agent).

A 42 CH SANDDOLLARS DREAM CATCHER, RN 10873602. 02-11-06. By Ch Symphonie's Be My Valentine -Ch Sanddollars Mystic Vision. Bitch. Owner: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis & Walter Bates, Punta Gorda, FL 339554014. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis.

- CH TURBO'S THRILLER. RN 19175901. 06-24-43 09. By Ch Wildside's Breakaway - Ch Kerrisel's Tis' Turbo Too!. Dog. Owner: Melanie & Rick Feldges, Darien, IL 605614074. Breeder: Melanie & Rick Feldges & Reita Ni-
- 47 CH TNT CODE BLUE. RN 21189401. 08-06-10. By Ch TNT Silver Salute - TNT Wishes In The Wind. Dog. Owner: Connie L Myers & George Sullivan, Van Wert, OH 458919463. Breeder: Connie L Myers. (Craig Padgett, Agent).

Stud Dog.

129 GCH KEYSTONE'S DOCTOR BUE. RN 15601505. 10-24-07. By Ch Bluebeard's The Answer - Ch Starlight's Bootes Nekkar. Owner: E Clair & Linda R Pheasant, Sebring, FL 338701450. Breeder: E Clair & Linda R Pheasant.

Brood Bitch.

CH SANDDOLLARS DREAM CATCHER, RN 1 42 10873602. 02-11-06. By Ch Symphonie's Be My Valentine -Ch Sanddollars Mystic Vision. Owner: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis & Walter Bates, Punta Gorda, FL 339554014. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis.





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Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Dogs. 1/BPSWOS 29 WILDSIDE'S THE TENTH FINE IRISHMAN. RN 24365202. 06-21-12. By Ch Wildside's Long Tale - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Brian Corry, Lancaster, PA 17601. Breeder: Angela Chase & Diane Harrison. (Angela Chase, Agent).

3 35 GOODSPICE BRODY KNIGHT. RN 24483905. 07-06-12. By Ch Kerigolf's Christmas Knight - Goodspice Blueberry Scout. Owner: Christine Brill-Packard, Cochranville, PA 19330. Breeder: Leslie Foster-Davidson & Margery Good. (Margery Good, Agent).

2 49 WILDSIDE'S KING ROLLO OF THE LOW COUNTRY. RN 24365209. 06-21-12. By Ch Wildside's Long Tail - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & George Hanna Jr & Kyle Hanna, Ellabell, GA 31308. Breeder: Daine C Harrison & Angela Chase.

Junior, 12 & Under 15 Months Dogs.

1/BJSW/BSW 19 KERRYLINK'S RILEY'S BLUE
BRODY. RN 24043102. 05-03-12. By GCH Kerrisel's
Here's Looking At You - Ch Turbo's Fast Lane At Kerrylink. Owner: Lynn Carey & Danny Mann & Jeff Carey,
Morraw, OH 45152. Breeder: Danny Mann & Melanie
Feldges & Reita Nicholson.

Junior, 15 & Under 18 Months Dogs.

1 23 CEILI MOR'S FEAT OF FLAMES. RN 23805401. 02-22-12. By Ch Elbrley's Finnstar Dooley - GCH Rollick's Romantica. Owner: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio, Wesley Chapel, FL 335448759. Breeder: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio.

Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Bitches.

214 KERIGOLF'S YOU HAD ME AT HELLO. RN 24751501. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice. Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

1/BPSW/BOSSW 28 KERIGOLF'S WAGGEDY ANNE. RN 24751503. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice.

Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

3 40 KERZMIN'S DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER. NO5104012. 07-08-12. By Kermin's Cruiser - Kerzmin's Andante. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & George Hanna, Ellabell, GA 31308. Breeder: Sergiy Vyazmin.

Junior, 12 & Under 15 Months Bitches. 1/BJSWOS 42 STARLITE'S JUST A LITTLE PISTOL.

RN 24243405. 04-30-12. By Ch Valtera's St. Patrick Party Time - StarLite's Don't Ever Ask Me. Owner: Barbara E Morningstar, James Creek, PA 16657. Breeder: Barbara E Morningstar.

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Mr. Thomas Parrotti

Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Dogs.

3 29 WILDSIDE'S THE TENTH FINE IRISHMAN. RN 24365202. 06-21-12. By Ch Wildside's Long Tale - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Brian Corry, Lancaster, PA 17601. Breeder: Angela Chase & Diane Harrison. (Angela Chase, Agent).

2 35 GOODSPICE BRODY KNIGHT. RN 24483905. 07-06-12. By Ch Kerigolf's Christmas Knight - Goodspice Blueberry Scout. Owner: Christine Brill-Packard, Cochranville, PA 19330. Breeder: Leslie Foster-Davidson & Margery Good. (Margery Good, Agent).

149 WILDSIDE'S KING ROLLO OF THE LOW COUNTRY. RN 24365209. 06-21-12. By Ch Wildside's Long Tail - Ch Wildside's Que Sera Sera. Owner: Tuesday Hanna & George Hanna Jr & Kyle Hanna, Ellabell, GA 31308. Breeder: Daine C Harrison & Angela Chase.

12 & Under 18 Months Dogs.

1 19 KERRYLINK'S RILEY'S BLUE BRODY. RN 24043102. 05-03-12. By GCH Kerrisel's Here's Looking At You - Ch Turbo's Fast Lane At Kerrylink. Owner: Lynn Carey & Danny Mann & Jeff Carey, Morraw, OH 45152. Breeder: Danny Mann & Melanie Feldges & Reita Nicholson.

A 47 ARISTOCRAT'S FIRESTONE OF CROSS THE RUBICON. RN 23786606. 12-18-11. By Ch Aran Ferbane - Sunlass Aristocrat Cold Chill. Owner: Glenn Lee & Laura Lee, Fuquay Varina, NC 275267347. Breeder: Diane Beaulieu & Natalia Samaj Kunze. (Tracy Ann Szaras, Agent).

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3 15 TNT HIGH FIVE. RN 21189402. 08-06-10. By Ch TNT Silver Salute - TNT Wishes In The Wind. Owner: Connie L Myers, Van Wert, OH 458919463. Breeder: Connie L Myers.

4 23 CEILI MOR'S FEAT OF FLAMES. RN 23805401. 02-22-12. By Ch Elbrley's Finnstar Dooley - GCH Rollick's Romantica. Owner: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio, Wesley Chapel, FL 335448759. Breeder: Reatha Omodio & James Omodio.

1/W/BW (4 Points) 25 CAMSHRON'S STITCH IN TIME. RN 23044004. 07-20-11. By Ch Camshron's Cobalt Blue - Camshron's Tiz What It Is. Owner: Margaret & William Neeb & Scott Kellogg DVM & Billie Kneale, Ijamsville, MD 21754. Breeder: Scott Kellogg DVM & Billie Kneale.

2/R 41 QUINN LAWLESS MAN OF BLOOMSDAY MAGIC. RN 21954203. 10-13-10. By GCH Cordial I Was Framed - GCH Maured's Magic Bloom O'Quinn. Owner: Gretchen A Quinn & Robert Beuter & Barbara Beuter & Eleanor Schultz, Columbus, OH 432289143. Breeder: Gretchen A Quinn & R Beuter & B Beuter & Eleanor Schultz.

American-Bred Dogs.

A 43 ADARE CHIP OFF THE OLE BLOCK OF ALAINN. RN 19728805. 10-03-09. By Ch Alainn Beineon -Ch Adare's The Right Answer. Owner: Brenda Carter, Lewisville, IN 47352. Breeder: Joy Elanger & Hank Hillard & Angela Chase.

Open Dogs.

2 31 EDBRIOS DEEP PURPLE. RN20844002. 02-25-10. By Dandy Black & Blue Rokoko - Edbrios Atomic Kitten. Owner: Nadine Vukovich, Mechanicsburg, PA 170505010. Breeder: E W & P A O'Brien & Jaroslava Poulova.

1 33 CAMSHRON'S TIZ TERRIFIC. RN 23044001. 07 -20-11. By Ch Camshron's Cobalt Blue - Camshron's Tiz What It Is. Owner: Scott Kellogg DVM & Billie Kneale, Knoxville, MD 21758. Breeder: Scott Kellogg DVM & Billie Kneale.

Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Bitches.

1 14 KERIGOLF'S YOU HAD ME AT HELLO. RN 24751501. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice. Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

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1/W (3 Points) 24 WILDSIDE'S NO MORE DRA-MA. RN 22559904. 04-27-11. By Ch Wildsides Breakaway - Ch Wildsides Shameless. Owner: Diane Harrison & Angela Chase, Lancaster, PA 17601. Breeder: Angela Chase & Diane Harrison.

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American-Bred Bitches.

1/R 16 HOTLICK'S SUNGODDESS @ BLUJAC. RN 23115105. 06-25-11. By Ch Blujac's The Real Mccoy - Ch Hotlick's Silhouette's Stardust. Owner: Mr & Mrs Carl C Ashby & Mr & Mrs Kevin Adair, Greensboro, NC 274106011. Breeder: Kevin & Monica Adair.

2 28 KERIGOLF'S WAGGEDY ANNE. RN 24751503. 08-01-12. By Ch Camshron's To Be Or Not To Be - Ch Kerigolf's Handful Of Goodspice. Owner: Lynn S Duckett, Fairview, NC 28730. Breeder: Lynn S Duckett. (Margery Good, Agent).

Open Bitches.

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3 18 KERIBOU'S LOW COUNTRY LUCKY CLO-VER. RN 22861203. 03-05-11. By Ch Keribou'slucky Enough To Be Irish - Ch Caribou' Scoffer Me Not. Owner: George Hanna & Siobham M Conti, Ellabell, GA 313084829. Breeder: Siobhan M Conti & Ernest P Conti.

A 22 IN IT TO WIN IT AT HALLSBLU. RN 23982301. 06-19-11. By Edbrios Marco Polo - Hallsblu Hot Property. Owner: Robert Thompson, Newark, NJ 071122031. Breeder: S Moffett. (George Wright, Agent).

1 26 ARAN INNISHANNON. RN24821801. 01-16-06. By Ch Aran Enniskeen - Ch Aran Horseandjockey. Owner: Dr Natalia S Kunze, Bluemont, VA 20135. Breeder: Menotti.

2 32 SANDDOLLARS BEAUTIFUL SOUL. RN 21729906. 12-19-10. By Ch Cordial I Was Framed - Ch Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Owner: Ashley Phelps & Barbara Bates, Terre Haute, IN 478029137. Breeder: Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley Mcginnis Phelps.

Veteran, 7 Years & Over Bitches.

210 CH SANDDOLLARS DREAM CATCHER. RN 10873602. 02-11-06. By Ch Symphonie's Be My Valentine - Ch Sanddollars Mystic Vision. Owner: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis & Walter Bates, Punta Gorda, FL

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339554014. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis.

1/AOM 20 GCH ADARE'S THE RIGHT ANSWER

RN AX AXJ OF HI. RN 05704902. 07-12-04. By Ch Bluebeard's The Answer - Rockwell's The Right Stuff. Owner:

Joy Ellwanger, Mount Joy, PA 17552. Breeder: Joy

Ellwanger & Henry Hillard & Angela Chase

Best of Breed Competition.

SEL (3 GC Points) 8 CH BLEUSTAR'S M'AYDEN VOYAGE. RN 18167501. 02-06-09. By Ch Balboa Maraja - Ch Kerrisel's Indy Go Bleu. Bitch. Owner: Jennifer Bott, Huntley, IL 60142. Breeder: Jennifer Bott & Reita Nicholson.

- 10 CH SANDDOLLARS DREAM CATCHER. RN 10873602. 02-11-06. By Ch Symphonie's Be My Valentine Ch Sanddollars Mystic Vision. Bitch. Owner: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis & Walter Bates, Punta Gorda, FL 339554014. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis.
- 11 CH ADARE ALAINN BEINEON JR NJP. RN 19728804. 10-03-09. By Ch Alainn Beineon GCH Adare's The Right Answer OF AX AXJ RN. Dog. Owner: Joy Ellwanger, Mount Joy, PA 17552. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger & Henry Hillard & Angela Chase.
- SEL (4 GC Points) 17 CH TURBO'S THRILLER. RN 19175901. 06-24-09. By Ch Wildside's Breakaway Ch Kerrisel's Tis' Turbo Too!. Dog. Owner: Melanie & Rick Feldges, Darien, IL 605614074. Breeder: Melanie & Rick Feldges & Reita Nicholson.
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- 30 CH TURBO'S EXCITATIONS. RN 19175902. 06-24-09. By Ch Wildside's Breakaway Ch Kerrisel's Tis' Turbo Too!. Bitch. Owner: Melanie & Rick Feldges, Darien, IL 60561. Breeder: Melanie & Rick Feldges & Reita Nicholson.
- OS (4 GC Points) 34 CH MISS SHOW OFF BY HALLSBLU. RN 24116802. 12-21-09. By Edbrios Marco Polo Hallsblu Hot Property. Bitch. Owner: Rona Lee Barnett, Dix Hills, NY 117466321. Breeder: Samuel Moffett. (George Wright, Agent).
- **36** GCH TRUE BLUE MADONNA. RN 19982501. 12-24-09. By GCH Edbrios Stradivari Ch Rambunctious Fair Lady. Bitch. Owner: Elaine Randall, West Lafayette, IN 47906. Breeder: Elaine Randall. (Leonardo Garcini, Agent).
- **AOM 37 CH TNT CODE BLUE**. RN 21189401. 08-06-10. By Ch TNT Silver Salute TNT Wishes In The

Wind. Dog. Owner: Connie L Myers & George Sullivan, Van Wert, OH 458919463. Breeder: Connie L Myers. (Craig Padgett, Agent).

38 BLUEBEARD'S BAILEY. RN 22413201. 03-27-11. By Ch Keystone's Doctor Bue - Ch Bluebeard's Suddenly Bridey. Bitch. Owner: Lawrence J & Carol E Brown, Pipersville, PA 18947. Breeder: Lawrence J & Carol E Brown. (R C Carusi, Agent).

B/G1/BIS (5 GC Points) 1427 dogs defeated 39 GCH CLASS ACT BY HALLSBLU. RN 24116801. 12-21-09. By Edbrios Marco Polo - Hallsblu Hot Property. Dog. Owner: William Berry, Parsippany, NJ 07054. Breeder: Samuel Moffett. (George Wright, Agent).

45 GCH SANDDOLLARS XMAS ROCK STAR. RN 21729903. 12-19-10. By Ch Cordial I Was Framed - Ch Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Dog. Owner: Walter Bates & Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps, Punta Gorda, FL 339554014. Breeder: Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps.

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Chicago Kerry Blue Terrier Club Specialty Great Lakes All Terrier Association Saturday, June 15, 2013

SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Mr. Steve Hayden

6-9 MOS SWEEPS PUPPY Dogs

1/BSS (11) Norlake Oliver Twist. RN24617905. 10-25-2012. Breeders, Norma J. McBride. By CH Symponies French Twist & Lisiji I Saw Her First. Norma McBride.

BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES...11

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Ms. France Godbout

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BRED BY EXHIBITOR Dogs

1/W/BBBE 13 TNT High Five. RN21189402. 08-06-2010. Breeders, Connie L. Myers. By CH TNT Silver Salute & TNT Wishes In The Wind. Connie L. Myers.

AMERICAN BRED Dogs

1 15 Zillbees Berryspiceyof Blueknoll. RN23215804. 10-21-2011. Breeders, Salma J. Usman. By Symphonie's French Kiss & Allen's Esther Baby. Lisa Henk-Crews.

OPEN Dogs

1/RW 17 Fanfair's Knockout. RN22238805. 11-17-2010. Breeders, Ursula M. Sass. By CH Valtera's Irish Kiss & CH Phul-Matt's Zodiac Kiss. William Pavlov. Agent Mary Beecher

2 19 Wildsides Little Guy. RN18869706. 04-18-2009. Breeders, Diane C. Harrison. By CH Wildsides Breakaway & Wildsides Idol Gossip. Amy Triezenberg. A 21 Pendragon Irish Rover. RN20612402. 03-17-2010. Breeders, Mary Ellen Hoover. By CH Pendragon Finnegans Wake & Pendragons Pirate Queen. Mary Ellen Hoover. Agent Carlos J. Puig

WINNERS DOG... 13 RESERVE... 17

AMATEUR OWNER HANDLER Bitches 1/W/BW 12 True Blue Bohemian Rhapsody.

RN22195903. 04-02-2011. Breeders, Elaine Randall. By Edbrios Blue Ivanhoe & CH Rambunctious Fair Lady. Latrice James & Elaine Randall.

BRED BY EXHIBITOR Bitches

A 14 Melbee's Tango Nuevo. RN21044401. 03-03-2010.

Summer 2013

Breeders, Melbee Kennels & Kelly Nordman & Anita Norman & James Harlow. By CH Ballymoon's Flynn Tango & CH Melbee's Bewitched. Melbee Kennels & Don Maish & James Harlow.

116 Lisiji Sweet Sensation. RN23507802. 11-21-2011. Breeders, Lisa & C J Favre. By CH Lisiji Blue Magic & CH Lisiji Ultimate Delite CGC RN. Lisa & C. J. Favre.

OPEN Bitches

1/RW 18 Sanddollars Beautiful Soul. RN21729906. 12-19-2010. Breeders, Walter & Barbara Bates & Ashley Phelps. By CH Cordial I Was Framed & CH Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Ashley Phelps & Barbara Bates.

3 20 Hotlicks I'm Already There. RN23115103. 06-25-2011. Breeders, Monica Adair. By Bluej@cs The Real Mccoy & Hotlick Sillouttes Stardust. Megan VandenBerg. 2 22 Pendragon Muffet McGraw. RN21300403. 08-02-2010. Breeders, Mary Ellen Hoover. By CH Pendragon Sterling Gray Ghost & Pendragon Irish Piper. Mary Ellen Hoover. Agent Carlos J. Puig

WINNERS BITCH... 12 RESERVE... 18

VETERAN 7 YRS & OLDER Dogs 1/BVET 23 CH McGuire's Lucky Bairre Blue.

RN08676402. 05-21-2005. Breeders, Sharry L. McGurie. By CH Glenvista's Angus Mac Og & CH Glenvista's Happy Go Lucky. Ms. Sharry L. McGuire.

BEST OF BREED OR VARIETY

C (23) CH McGuire's Lucky Bairre Blue. RN08676402. 05 -21-2005. Breeders, Sharry L. McGurie. By CH Glenvista's Angus Mac Og & CH Glenvista's Happy Go Lucky. Dog. Ms. Sharry L. McGuire.

A 25 GCH Melbee's Witch's Consort. RN18079701. 12-21 -2008. Breeders, Melbee Kennels & Don Maish & James Harlow. By CH Krisma's Licensed To Thrill & CH Melbee's Bewitched. Dog. Melbee Kennels & Don Maish & James Harlow.

SEL 27 GCH Sanddollars Xmas Rock Star. RN21729903. 12-19-2010. Breeders, Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps. By CH Cordial I Was Framed & CH Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Dog. Walter & Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps.

C 29 GCH Bleustar's Rhapsody. RN18167502. 02-06-2009. Breeders, Jennifer Bott & Reita Nicholson. By CH Balboa Maraja & CH Kerrisel's Indy Go Bleu. Dog. Phil & Debra Pickard & Jennifer Bott.

OS 31 TNT Code Blue. RN21189401. 08-06-2010. Breeders, Connie L. Myers. By CH TNT Silver Salute & TNT Wishes In The. Dog. Connie L. Myers. Agent Craig Padgett

C 24 Bleustar's M'Ayden Voyage. RN18167501. 02-06-2009. Breeders, Jennifer Bott & Reita Nicholson. By CH Balboa Maraja & CH Kerrisel's Indy Go Bleu. Bitch. Jen-

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Chicago Kerry Blue Terrier Club Specialty Little Fort Kennel Club Sunday, June 16, 2013

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Mr. Gary Vlachos

BRED BY EXHIBITOR Dogs

A 11 Ceili Mor's Feat Of Flames. RN23805401. 02-22-2012. Breeders, Reatha & James Omodio. By CH Finnstar Dooley & GCH Rollick's Romantica. James Omodio & Reatha Omodio.

1/W/BBBE/JAM 13 TNT High Five. RN21189402. 08-06-2010. Breeders, Connie L. Myers. By CH TNT Silver Salute & TNT Wishes In The Wind. Connie L. Myers.

OPEN Dogs

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OS 21 CH Turbo's Thriller. RN19175901. 06-24-2009. Breeders, Melanie & Rick Feldges & Reita Nicholson. By CH Wildside's Breakaway & CH Kerrisel's Tis' Turbo Too!. Dog. Melanie & Rick Feldges.

C 23 GCH Sanddollars Xmas Rock Star. RN21729903. 12-19-2010. Breeders, Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps. By CH Cordial I Was Framed & CH Sanddollars Dream Catcher. Dog. Walter & Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinnis Phelps.

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C (24) CH McGuire's Lucky Luisea. RN08676403. 05-12-2005. Breeders, Sharry L. McGuire. By CH Glenvista's Angus Mac Og & CH Glenvista's Happy Go Lucky. Bitch. Ms. Sharry L. McGuire.

C 26 Bleustar's M'Ayden Voyage. RN18167501. 02-06-2009. Breeders, Jennifer Bott & Reita Nicholson. By CH Balboa Maraja & CH Kerrisel's Indy Go Bleu. Bitch. Jennifer Bott.

C 28 Wildside's No More Drama. RN22559904. 04-27-2011. Breeders, Angela Chase & Diane Harriosn. By CH Wildside's Breakaway & CH Wildside's Shameless. Bitch. Diane Harrison & Angela Chase.

B/G2 30 GCH Irisblu Mirage. RN21602101. 04-04-2010. Breeders, Harrold Quigg. By Irisblu Bommerang & Montealtos Rainy Day Woman At Kopykats. Bitch. John Garahan.

SEL 32 GCH True Blue Madonna. RN19982501. 12-24-2009. Breeders, Elaine Randall. By GCH Edbrios Stradivari & CH Rambunctious Fair Lady. Bitch. Elaine Randall. Agent Leonardo Garcini

BEST OF BREED OR VARIETY... 30 BEST OF WINNERS... 22 BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX... 21 BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR.... 13

WINNERS BITCH... 22 RESERVE... 16

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Philadelphia Specialty (Continued from page 41)

11/2/2011. By Gamgee's The French Connection x Ch. TNT's Unchained Melody. Breeder: Owner. Owner: Gene Possidento.

3 16 BLUEBEARD'S BAILEY. RN224132/01. 3/27/2011. By Gch Keystones Doctor Bue x Gch Bluebeards Suddenly Bridey. Breeder: Owner. Owner: Lawrence & Carol Brown.

A 24 *BONNIE BLU'S SHADES OF THE HUNTRESS.

RN206435/01. 3/19/2010. By Shades SD's What A Surprise x Bonnie Blus Shades of Dianna. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Rose Marie Mais.

1 32 ARAN INNISHANNON. RN248218/01. 1/16/2006. By Aran Enniskeen x Aran Horseandjockey. Breeder: Menotti. Owner: Natalia Kunze, MVDr, DACT.

Amateur Owner Handler BITCH 1 20 *SOLEIBLEU'S KISS OF EVERGLORY.

RN239825/01. 2/24/2012. By Gch. Everglory's Teh Sultan of Swat x Rollicking Deja Bleu. Breeder: M. & J. Heiderich. Owner: Nancy Westbrook.

Best of Breed/Variety COMBINED SEL/OHBOB/OHG2 17 *CH. BLUEBEARD'S BARNUM. RN224132/02.

3/27/2011. By Gch Keystones Doctor Bue x Gch. Bluebears Suddenly Bridey. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Lawrence & Carol Brown.

5 CH. EDBRIOS HIGH VOLTAGE. RN208440/01. 2/25/2010. By Dandy Black & Blue Rokoko x Edbrios Atomic Kitten. Breeder: E. W. & P. A. O'Brien. Owner: Robert & Emmie Jones.

B 19 *CH. ADARE ALAINN BEINEON, JR, NJP.

RN197288/04. 10/3/2009. By Ch. Alainn Beineon x Gch. Adare's The Right Answer,OF,AXJ,AX,RN. Breeder: J. Ellwanger & H. Hillard. Owner: Joy L. Ellwanger.

21 CH. GAMGEE'S THE FRENCH CONNECTION.

RN178362/04. 11/20/2008. By Ch. Symphonies Be My Valentine x Ch. Lughnasas Breathless Mahoney. Breeder: G. Possidento. Owner: Gene Possidento.

23 GCH. CLASS ACT BY HALLSBLU. RN241168/01. 12/21/2009. By Edbrios Marco Polo x Hallsblu Hot Property. Breeder: Samuel Moffett. Owner: William Berry.

31 GCH. KERIBOU'S LUCKY ENOUGH TO BE IRISH.

RN177840/02. 9/24/2008. By Ch. Sir Thomas Hutton of The Jean x Ch. Keribou's Pocket of Petals. Breeder: Owners. Owner: Siobhan Conti.

OS 10 *CH. TEAGAN ROYAL BLUE. RN219187/04.

12/13/2010. By Ch. Heritage Mickey Devine of Kilgawny x Ch. Tontines Reaching For The Stars. Breeder: H.

Hunter. Owner: Gary & Evette Alu.

18 *GCH. ADARE'S THE RIGHT AN-

SWER,RN,AX,AXJ,OF. RN057049/02. 7/12/2004. By Ch. Bluebeard's The Answer x Rockwell's The Right Stuff. Breeder: Joy Ellwanger. Owner: Joy L. Ellwanger.

26 CH. MISS SHOW OFF BY HALLSBLU.

RN241168/02. 12/21/2009. By Edbrios Marco Polo x

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Hallsblu Hot Property. Breeder: Mr. S Moffett. Owner: Rona Lee Barnett.

36 GCH. TRUE BLUE MADONNA. RN199825/01. 12/24/2009. By GCH. Edbrios Stradivari x Ch. Rambunctious Fair Lady. Breeder: Owner. Owner: Elaine Randall.



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C 26 CH Turbo's Excitations. RN19175902. 06-24-2009. Breeders, Melanie & Rick Feldges & Reita Nicholson. By CH Wildsides Breakaway & CH Kerrisel's Tis' Turbo Too!. Bitch. Melanie & Rick Feldges.

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JAM 30 GCH Irisblu Mirage. RN21602101. 04-04-2010. Breeders, Harrold Quigg. By Irisblu Bommerang & Montealtos Rainy Day Woman At Kopykats. Bitch. John Garahan.

B/G4 32 GCH True Blue Madonna. RN19982501. 12-24-2009. Breeders, Elaine Randall. By GCH Edbrios Stradivari & CH Rambunctious Fair Lady. Bitch. Elaine Randall. Agent Leonardo Garcini

BEST OF BREED OR VARIETY... 32 BEST OF WINNERS... 12 BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX... 31 BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR.... 13

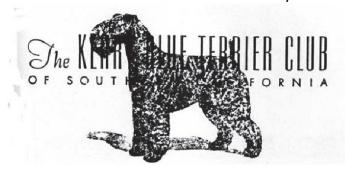


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Southern California Specialty Great Western Terrier Assoc June 23, 2013

SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Mr. Vick Abbot

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months Dogs. 1/BIS 7 KALLEHAN'S HIDDEN ASSET, RN24748201 10/12/2012. Breeder: Nancy Han. By CH Kallehan's Truth or Dare -- GCH Kallehan What's Luve Got To Do With It. Nancy Han. Dog.

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Ms. Vicki L. Abbott

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES 7 Years and Older Bitches.

A 22 CH DOM'S ON THE ROAD TO O'TAMARAC, RM35685801 7/11/2001. Breeder: Pasquale Gaglia & Misty Carcia. By CH Torum's Scarf Michael -- CH Dom's Angel On My Shoulder. Carolyn Nothinger . Bitch.

1/BIS 24 CH WARLORD'S IRISH KISS, RN11272106 4/29/2006. Breeder: Richard and Carol Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennanigens. Richard and Carol Basler . Bitch. Adrienne Owens, Agent.

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Mr. Ken Kauffman

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months Dogs.

25 CLANCIARRAI CHALLENGER, AP03653103 10/12/2011. Breeder: Paul and Mrs E B Martin. By Bluemont Ariel At Clanciarrai -- Clanciarrai Soprano. Lorenzo Zambrano. Dog. Fernando Martinez, Agent. 1/R 7 KALLEHAN'S HIDDEN ASSET, RN24748201 10/12/2012. Breeder: Nancy Han. By CH Kallehan's Truth or Dare -- GCH Kallehan What's Luve Got To Do With It. Nancy Han. Dog.

Bred by Exhibitor Dogs.

A 9 EIDENROCK'S IRON EAGLE, RN18383901 5/26/2012. Breeder: Jean Walker and Helen Eiden. By CH Eidenbock's Commander and Chief GW -- CH Eidenrock's Leaping Lena. Helen Eiden . Dog.

Open Dogs.

1/W/BW 11 ROJAC'S HANDSOME GUY TOO , RN21397505 6/18/2010. Breeder: Carrie Jacob-Roberson. and Toni Dickerson By CH Rojac After The Dust Clears --CH Athdar Sapphire Beaujolais. Carrie Jacob-Robertson and Toni Dickerson . Dog. Gustavo Molinari, Agent. 2 15 BLUE MTN'S KERRY ON MY WAYWARD SON , RN21418701 10/28/2010. Breeder: Lynn and Keith Mathers and Ashley. McDonald By CH BlueMtn's Footloose and Fancy Free -- Blue Mt's Have No Mercy. Lynn

12 Months and under 18 Months Bitches.

Mathers . Dog. Amy Rutherford, Agent.

16 PAWSATIVELY THE DEVILS TEMPEST , RN24231604 6/5/2012. Breeder: Odebt Massey and. William S Massey By GCH Tontine's Chance Redemption -- CH Pawsatively The Devils Are Dancing. Larry Paige . Bitch.

Amateur Owner-Handler Bitches.

1/R 8 KINGAEL'S ISABELLA OF CASTILLE, RN20411001 10/9/2009. Breeder: Barbara Ward. By CH Bright Spot Fyre Kingael -- CH Warlord's Rebellion At Kingael. Kimberly Holland and Barbara Ward. Bitch.

Open Bitches.

2 10 ROJAC'S HEAVEN SENT , RN21397502 6/18/2010. Breeder: Toni Dickerson and Carrie. Jacob-Robertson By CH Rojac After the Dust Clears -- CH Athdar Sapphire Beaujolais. Connie Robbins and Carrier Jacob-Robertson . Bitch.

1/W 14 KALLEHAN'S TOO HOT TO HANDLE, RN22554502 4/22/2011. Breeder: Nancy Han and Nanette Loya. By CH Kallehan's Truth or Dare -- CH Kallehan's Hot N Spicy of Jorkarite. Hanson Siu and Nancy Han . Bitch.

Non-Reg Eligible BOB/BOV Veteran Dogs. 1/OS 17 CH ARAN HOLYCROSS, RN04738002 8/7/2003. Breeder: Graziano Menotti. By Olido Vom Landsberg -- Aran Enniskerry. Carrie Robertson . Dog. Gustavo Molinari, Agent.

Best-of-Breed/Variety

B 12 KALLEHAN'S SOME LIKE IT HOT,

RN22554501 4/22/2011. Breeder: Nanette Loya and Nancy Han. By CH Kallehan's Truth or Dare -- GCH Kallehans Hot N Spicy of Jorkaite. Suzanne Stull and Nancy Han . Bitch.

16 GCH TRUE BLUE MADONNA, RN19982501 12/24/2009. Breeder: Elaine Randall. By GCH Edbrios Stradivari -- CH Rambunctious Fair Lady. Elaine Randall. Bitch. Leonardo Garcini, Agent.

18 GCH KALLEHAN'S TIMELESS CLASSIC

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STYLING FOR BLUE MTN , RN20738003 5/4/2010. Breeder: Nancy Han. By CH Calix Grey Flannel Pants -- CH Kallehans What's Luv Got To Do With It. Lynn Mathers and Nancy Han . Bitch. Tomoko Hirokawa, Agent.

19 GCH KALLEHAN'S PARELLEL LINES , RN15878501 12/29/2007. Breeder: Nancy Han & William McFadden. By CH Kallehan O'Mara Fire N' Rain -- CH Ardara Brighid of Kallehan. Nancy C. Han and Kumi Tachikake . Dog.

OS 20 SAREDON SHOCK WAVES OF IRISBLUE, RN24820501 4/30/2009. Breeder: Judith Averis. By Torum's Tunde Bayou -- Sharp N Shockin go Irisblu. Anita Norman and Harold Quigg. Bitch.

21 DINNYESVAROSI MEXICO, RN22343301 5/23/2010. Breeder: Tajtine Burovincz Katalin. By Dinnyesvarosi Gezenguz -- Dinnyesvarosi Dixi. Lorenzo Zambrano . Dog. Fernando Martinez, Agent.

23 CH WILDSIDE'S SEANACHAIS, RN16891402 6/26/2008. Breeder: Diane C. Harrison. By CH Wildside's Long Tale -- CH Wildside's Why Not. Pam Seigler. Dog. Gustavo Molinari, Agent.

SEL 25 CH TRUETYPE'S TRICK OR TREAT,

RN19612104 10/31/2009. Breeder: Suzanne Elise Carpenter and. Eileen Andrade and Maggie Hall By CH Truetype's First Edition -- CH Glenkerins Just in Time. Linda R Olsen and Rachel Faber. Dog.

27 GCH KJ'S KNIGHT IN SHINING ARMOR RN CGC , RN16120701 2/5/2008. Breeder: Karla Niggl. By CH Ardara's Buddy By Mick -- KJ's Brillant Blue Bridget. Jennifer Burkizer . Dog.

Editor's Note: I was advised by the president of the Kerry club of Southern California that the results on the Show Superintendent's website listed two (2) BOS winners. I have included the results here as they appear on the website, but please note that the actual BOS winner was the Veteran Dog!



De-Skunking

by Maryanne Schaefer

(This article and others of general interest may be found at www.uskbtc.com, Breed Info, Kerry Health.)

Loss of habitat is forcing more and more wildlife into populated areas, so even if you are a city dweller, your dog may encounter a skunk. There are several products on the market made specifically for removing skunk spray. Two such products are "Nature's Miracle Skunk Odor Remover" by Nature's Miracle, and "Skunk Off" by Thornwell Corporation.

Some suggestions for bathing a dog who has skunk odor:

Before handling your dog, you may want to change your clothes. Skunk spray is very difficult to remove from clothing. Cover the dog's bed with something to protect it. Leaving the dog outdoors for a while will greatly reduce the odor.

Determine where the spray hit the dog. Depending on your dog's hair type, you may be able to trim away or comb out some of the affected hair.

When you're ready to wash the dog, only clean the sprayed area. Skunk spray is oily and can easily be spread all over the dog. Since you will likely have to repeat the procedure, save an all-over bath until the second or third washing.

Editor's Note:

In a recent article (December 2003) of "Your Dog" newsletter published by Tufts University School of Veterinary Medicine, they suggested a safe home treatment for de-skunking your dog.

Wash the dog with the following mixture:
One-fourth of a cup of baking soda
One teaspoon of liguid soap
One quart of hydrogen peroxide

Blueprints Editor's Note: I have personally used the mixture recommended by Tufts University School of Veterinary Medicine, and can report that it worked very well for us!

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Westbury Kennel Association
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Williamson Banquet and Event Center

Friday, October 4, 2013

You are all cordially invited to USKBTC Annual Membership Meeting - 6:00 to 7:00 PM

General Meeting, Award Presentations Raffles & Auction

Cocktails (Cash Bar) & Dinner - 7:00 to 10:00PM

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Vegetables

Oven Roasted Red Skin Potatoes & Glazed Baby Belgian Carrots

Dessert

Home Made Ice Cream Cake with Chocolate Sauce



Dinner cost is \$34.00 per person

The deadline for dinner reservations is Monday, September 23, 2013

USKBTC Dinner Reservations will be taken and organized by Anne Marie Flynn-Fierke.

Please contact Anne Marie with your dinner selection.

10 Wildlife Drive, Hopkinton, MA 01748. Phone 508 435-7113 Email: bluebirch@earthlink.net

Can you attend just the USKBTC Meeting? Can you attend just the dinner?

Please note that you do not have to attend the dinner to attend the annual meeting, although we do hope to see you all at both events.

Directions to Williamson Event Center

From PA Turnpike Exit 343 (PA-611 North Exit)

Take PA-611 North approx. 1.1 miles
Turn left onto Blair Mill Road
Williamson Restaurant is on the corner.
(If you reach Fair Oaks Ave. you have gone .1 miles too far)

For additional information about USKBTC activities during Montgomery Week, please visit our website at http://www.uskbtc.com

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United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club, Inc.

USKBTC Montgomery Week Lodging Info 2013

The USKBTC has reserved a block of 36 rooms for members and friends of the Club needing accommodations during Montgomery week.

Room availability is limited at the Red Roof Inn, Trevose, PA, so please make your reservations as soon as possible and no later than Wednesday, September 4, 2013.

Use Block Code: B185USKBT2



Red Roof Inn, Philadelphia-Trevose 3100 Lincoln Highway/US 1 Reservations: 1-800-733-7663 Hotel Phone: 215 244-9422

Fax: 215 244-9469



Rates Per Night 1 Adult - King -\$67.99 1 Adult - 2 Beds - \$67.99

Tax Rate: 9% Subject to change/not included in rates.

Questions?
Contact Nancy Vance
914/248-7363 or email
nancyvance@mcgarrisonllc.com

NEWS FLASH!

We need photos of your Kerry companion for the 2014 USKBTC calendar: candid, seasonal, training, working or lazing around of puppies, adults and all ages in-between. If you have photos to share, please scan them at high resolution (300 dpi is perfect) and email them to: Melanie Feldges (macgd@comcast.net).

QUESTIONS? Call Melanie at 630/220-9743.

Deadline for submission is September 1, 2013



BEGINNING TUESDAY

OCTOBER 1

THE UNITED STATES KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB, INC. 341



2013 NATIONAL SPECIALTY WEEK ~ SCHEDULE OF EVENTS	
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OCTOBER 6 SUNDAY OCTOBER 5 SATURDAY

USKBTC National Specialty Morning-Afternoon

Devon Dog Show Association Show Ludwig's Corner Horse Show Grds.

Morning

-8:30 Ring time (Requested)

Ludwig's Corner, PA

Montgomery County Kennel Club All Terrier Show part of the

Montgomery County Community College 340 DeKalb Pike Closes: Sept. 18 (MB-F, Supt.) Blue Bell, Pa

BIS: Mrs. Roberta L. Campbell Breed: Charlotte P. Patterson

Obedience as additional venues this year *MCKC will be offering Rally and

27th Annual USKBTC Futurity

~12:00 Noon*:

Middletown Grange Fairgrounds

3rd Annual Maturity

'Rally/Obed: Mrs. Carole A. Artim

4fternoon

(Gigi Lorentz-Reiling, Chairman) Steve Schellenberg (MN) Gene Possidento (NY) 576 Penns Park Road Barbara Price (TN) Wrightstown, PA

Judges

*Starting time subject to change to accommodate show exhibitors.

OCTOBER 4 FRIDAY

Morning thru Afternoon

Middletown Grange Fairgrounds Hathoro Dog Club Show (Rau Dogs Shows, Supt.) 576 Penns Park Road Wrightstown, PA Closes: Sept. 18

Montgomery All-Terrier Agility Cluster

Kimberton Fairgrounds - Rt. 113,

Tuesday-Friday; Oct 1-4

Denise Thomas

Show Secretary: Kimberton, PA (814) 734-5867

Morning thru Afternoon

Tues, Oct 1-4;

BIS: Mr. Desmond J. Murphy Group: Dr. Vandra L. Huber USKBTC Sweepstakes & Breed: Gerard R Morris Sweeps: Gary Alu Supported Entry

Group: Mr. William deVilleneuve

BIS: Mr. Clay Coady

Breed: Ms. Betsy Dale

USKBTC Supported Entry

Closes: Sept. 18

(MB-F, Supt.)

Evening

Annual Membership Meeting NEW LOCATION

(Rau Dogs Shows, Supt.)

576 Penns Park Road

Wrightstown, PA Closes: Sept. 18

Williamson Event Center

500 Blair Mill Road

Phone (215) 675-5454. Horsham, PA

Middletown Grange Fairgrounds

576 Penns Park Road

Wrightstown, PA

(Rau Dogs Shows, Supt.)

Closes: Sept. 18

Hatboro Dog Club Show

Williamson Event Center Dinner (\$34 person) Cocktails & Dinner 500 Blair Mill Road Horsham, PA Cash Bar 7:00 pm *

*Starting times subject to change to accommodate show & trial exhibitors. Reservations: Anne Marie Flynn-Fierke @ (508) 435-7113

Raffle & Auction to Benefit

Group: Mr. Robert J. Shreve BIS: Ms. Keke Kahn

Breed: Mr. Robert J. Shreve

Judges:

the USKBTC

Have a safe trip home!

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Hatboro Dog Club Rally Trials Middletown Grange Fairgrounds

Entries: First Received

Thurs, Oct 3

cstrialentries@aol.com Closes: Sept. 11, 2013

Opens: July 11, 2013

Follow route 413 North 5 miles to Penn's Park Road

Take Route 332 West for 3 miles to Route 413 North

Take I-95 North to Exit 49.

Stay to the left after toll booth onto Route 1North

(Stay on Route 1 North- NOT Business route 1) to I-95North

From PA Turnpike (I-276) East of West: Exit 351

Middletown Grange Fairgrounds is located on your left

Middletown Grange Fairgrounds is on your left

Turn Left on Penn's Park Road



Hatboro Shows

Montgomery Weekend Directions



Devon Show

Saturday

Kerry Ring Time 8:30 (Requested)

Downingtown. From Exit 312 PA Turnpike (I-276)

Corner show site on the left, after you Follow Route 100 North to Ludwigs Allow 60 minutes for travel cross Route 410.

Follow Route 413 South to Penn's Park Road Follow Route 202 North to Route 413 South

Turn Right on Penn's Park Road

Take Route 611 North to Route 202 North

Saturday 12:00 Noon Kerry Blue Boutique **USKBTC Maturity USKBTC Futurity**

Hatboro Show site This event will take place at the

Montgomery County Show Sunday

USKBTC Specialty

Road. Show site is on the left Continue on 202South past Morris College to 202 South (Dekalb Pike) Cross Bethlehem Pike (Third light) Springhouse) Make left at light at the end of the exit and continue PAST Gwynedd Mercy ramp onto Sumneytown Pike (towards

Williamson Restaurant Friday

USKBTC Meeting - 6:00 PM Cocktails & Dinner - 7:00 PM

motor homes. Horsham, PA Williamson Restaurant, 500 Blair Mill Road (There is plenty of parking across the street for Phone: (215) 675-5454

From PA Turnpike Exit 343

(If you reach Fair Oaks Avenue, you have gone Williamson Restaurant is on the comer Tum left onto Blair Mill Road I mile too far.) Take PA-611 North approx. 1.1 miles

Combined Obedience Specialty Agility Trials and

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Go South (left) on Route 100. Exit at Downingtown Exit 312 From PA Turnpike Turn left (north) on Route 113

Follow Route 113 North Approximately 7 first building on the right Site is on the left. The Bingo building is the miles toward Phoenixville.

From Lionville

Route 309 North to Norristown Rd.

Turnpike (I-276)

Exit 339 PA

Springhouse Exit.

Bingo Building is the first building on the right Route 113 North toward Phoenixville.



Go approximately 3-4 miles and make a left onto Penn's Park Road and the

show site on the left

After approximately another 1.2 mile, make a left to continue on Route 413

Approximately 1/2 mile after Route 332, you will make a right to continue

Stay on Route 413 North and you will pass intersections for Route 532 and

(You will need to make a left at a major intersection to stay on Route 413

Continue to follow signs for Route 413 North

Follow Route 413 North through Langhorne past Saint Mary Hospital

Stay to the left after toll booth onto Route 1 North

Option #2

Exit Route 1 at Route 413 North

on Route 413 North

then Route 332

North (Durham Road)

be no "Dog Show" signs posted due to local ordinances

Blueprints Summer 2013

28th USKBTC Haymarket FUTURITY and MATURITY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2013...12 NOON

Hatboro Show Grounds Wrightstown, PENNSYLVANIA

JUDGES: Gene Possidento, Barbara Price, Steve Schellenburg



ELIGIBILITY:

AKC-registered and AKC-recognized foreign registered Kerry Blue Terriers who are eligible for entry and competition under the rules of the AKC, and whose breeders or co-breeders are members of the USKBTC. All litter nominations must be made by a breeder who is a member of the USKBTC. All dogs entered in the Maturity must be from a litter nominated the previous year. Puppies born between April 2, 2012 and April 5, 2013 are eligible for the 2013 Futurity and Maturity.

FEES AND DEADLINES:

PUPPIES born from April 2, 2012 through April 5, 2013...

1st Payment: \$35 per litter due June 30, 2013
2rd Payment: \$15 per Futurity puppy submitted with show entry or
\$25 per Maturity dog submitted with show entry

QUESTIONS? Call or email:

Gigi Lorentz-Reiling: 314/971-3162 or giginstl@yahoo.com

2013 FUTURITY NOMINATION FORM 28th Annual USKBTC Futurity and Maturity - October 5, 2013

I nominate the following litter:

Date Whelp	ed AKC Litter Registration #
# Puppies in	litter: Males Females
	red Names/Numbers (if available)/SEX of each USE BACK OF PAGE IF NEEDED //
	ne/AKC reg. #//
	me/AKC reg. #//
BREEDER'S	street address city, state & zip preferred phone () e-mail
OWNER'S	namestreet address city, state & zip preferred phone () e-mail
	Make checks payable to USKBTC and mail with Nomination Form to:
G	Gigi Lorentz-Reiling, 21 Whitetail Path, Eureka, MO 63025
	FOREIGN ENTRIES: REMIT FEES IN U.S. FUNDS VIA MONEY ORDER
	FUTURITY TROPHY DONATION FORM Donors are listed in Futurity catalog donations may be made as memorials
	M STANDARD \$100.00 SILVER STANDARD \$25.00 ANDARD \$50.00 PEWTER STANDARD \$15.00
Name of do	nor to be listed (or other information)
	Mail trophy donations, payable to USKBTC, to: Gigi Lorentz-Reiling, 21 Whitetail Path, Eureka, MO 63025 Questions? Call or email: Gigi Lorentz-Reiling: 314/971-3162 or giginstl@yahoo.com

I hereby certify that this litter meets all eligibility requirements for entry and competition in the USKBTC

Futurity and Maturity.

FUTURITY and **MATURITY ENTRY FORM**

It is time to make your final payment/entry for the big event! Enclosed is a simple entry form you may use to return to me. Please feel free to copy for multiple entries. Typed would be wonderful, but please write or print clearly, as I do not want to make mistakes in the catalog. We wish to thank everyone who has contributed to our trophy fund. However, it is not too late to send in your donation with the entry. *Deadline for all information is Saturday, September 14, 2013.*

ENTRY FEE: \$15 PER PUPPY or \$25 PER MATURITY ENTRY

USKBTC Futurity and Maturity.

DOG SHOW CLASS:				
NAME OF DOG:				
LITTER OR REGISTRATION #:			_	
DATE OF BIRTH:		SEX:		
NAME OF BREEDER:				
PHONE	E-MAIL			
SIRE:				
DAM:				
NAME OF OWNER:				
PHONE	E-MAIL			
ADDRESS:				
CITY, STATE, ZIP:				
TROPHY DONATION: See enclos	ed form			
ON BEHALF OF THE USKBTC WE OCTOBER 5, 2013. WE WILL STA WILL BE AVAILABLE.				

QUESTIONS? CALL or email: Gigi Lorentz-Reiling, 21 Whitetail Path, Eureka, MO 63025 Ph: 314/971-3162 or giginstl@yahoo.com

I hereby certify that this litter meets all eligibility requirements for entry and competition in the

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USKBTC Futurity Boutique \sim Oct. 5, 2013 \sim Vendor Inventory Form

Please fill-in and submit this inventory with your items to be sold at the boutique; it will be used to check you out when the boutique closes and to calculate the payment you will receive. Use as many forms as you need. Please type or print clearly.

Name:								
City/State/Prov./Zip: ————————————————————————————————————		Shac	led ar	Shaded areas for USKBTC use only	USKB1	C use	only	
Telephone:								
E-mail:								
TIEM DESCRIPTION	#Received	# Returned	# Sold	Unit Price	Total Sales	Boutique Sales	15% to USKBTC	Vendor Payout
Total Boutique Sales								
Less 15% to USKBTC								
Payout to Vendor								

For more information about participating in the boutique, please contact Jaimie Ashby at Jaimie@ashby3.com or (336)292-9060. 😂



USKBTC-Charitable Funds 2013 *Kerry It Forward* Award-Honoring the Canine - Humanitarian Bond



Application Deadline: September 1, 2013 Please submit the following: (one dog per application form)

- 1. Completed Application Form
- 2. A Color Photo of Dog Only- High Resolution Photo (no show pictures please) publishable in Blueprints; Photo is non returnable.
- 3. The Kerry's Story (500 words or less per category of application): Please include a brief description of how your Kerry has contributed to the Kerry-Humanitarian bond.

To: Dr. Jann Lane, USKBTC Charitable Funds: Kerry It Forward Awards 2013 14 North Vista de Catalina Laguna Beach, CA 92651, by September 1, 2013

*Dog's Registered Name (if available). Please include any titles or certifications earned:

Dog's Call Name:	Date of	Birth	
*Sire	*	*Dam	
*Breeder			
Owner's Name(s)			
Mailing Address			
City			
Phone	*Email		
USKBTC Nominator's Name (if different	ent than owner)		
City	State	Phone	
*Email			
*Optional Information: Some information is not available.	-	g may not be available, for	example, if the Kerry is a
Check as many that apply: (See Definit	tions of Categories)	Active	Retired
Category 1 Service Dog Category 2 Therapy Dog Category 3 Educational Service Category 4 Exemplary Compan		Acts	

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2013 Kerry It Forward Award Page 2 of 2

Categories of Awards:

1. Category 1 -Service Dog:

Service or assistance dogs are trained to assist individuals with meeting special needs on a daily basis; these needs can be physical, psychological and/or emotional; examples include hearing, sight service dogs and alert response dogs who alert their human companions to seizures and other medical emergencies;

2. Category 2 -Therapy Dog:

Therapy dogs are trained to provide care and comfort to patients and residents in medical care facilities, retirement communities and shelters; Examples include retirement communities; senior centers; veterans homes, military hospitals; healthcare facilities, hospitals, hospice and medical care facilities; children's hospitals, rehabilitation centers such as shelters for homeless, battered women and children; military and veterans hospitals and recovery centers for wounded soldiers.

3. Category 3 -Educational Service/Therapy Dog:

Educational Service Dogs or therapy dogs work with children in public and private schools in academic and special needs areas; Programs can include but are not limited to the Bite Avoidance programs in schools and organizations such as The Boys and Girls Clubs; Canine-Assisted Reading Programs in Schools and Libraries; Safety School Crossing Program; Programs include Kerries teaching children how to interact with dogs and build a positive relationship with dogs;

4. Category 4 - Exemplary Companion Dog / Act of Exemplary Performance:

The Exemplary Companion Dog is the Kerry who has performed a one time event of an exemplary act, contributed to others or a Kerry who has exhibited companionship to an individual under exemplary circumstances (Example: saving family members from a fire in the home or acted as a companion to a person who is terminally ill;) Other examples of exemplary performance include Kerries who serve in search and rescue, or work with military, firefighters and police in security and rescue.

Award Criteria:

- 1. The dog must be a purebred Kerry Blue Terrier;
- The dog must be nominated by a member of the USKBTC to receive the award/recognition; the owner(s) of the dog does not need to be a member of the USKBTC to receive the award/recognition;

Award:

Each qualified recipient who contributes in one area receives a Level I Certificate and Medallion;
 Contributions in two areas received a Level II Certificate and Medallion and those who contribute in three areas receive a Level III Certificate and Medallion.

Recognition:

 Each recipient will be recognized in Blueprints; on the USKBTC website, and at their local specialty of choice, if desired and requested.

Thank you for your service to our wonderful Kerry Community and to our beloved breed. Dr. Jann Lane, USKBTC Charitable Funds Board



United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club Versatility Awards

The mission of this awards program is to recognize the versatility of the Kerry Blue Terrier and recognize United States Kerry Blue Terrier members and their dogs upon achieving titles in more than one discipline of competition. Current USKBTC membership is necessary to be eligible for this awards program.

List of Disciplines eligible for awards (including minimum title requirements where applicable):

AKC Agility Title

AKC Conformation Title

Earth Dog/Hunting Title: Hunting Certificate (HC) awarded by American Working Terrier Association, or the Barn Hunt Association's RATN or higher

Herding Trial Dog Title: AKC Herding Tested (HT) or Pre-Trial Tested (PT), or the Herding Capability Title (HCT) awarded by American Herding Breeds Association

AKC Obedience Title (CD or higher)

AKC Tracking Title

AKC Rally Title

Wild Card: A performance or working title from a discipline not otherwise listed may be used for one of the seven award levels, subject to approval. Examples include Flyball, Canine Nosework, AKC Coursing Ability and Therapy Dog titles, and Dock Dog.

Eligible dogs will be submitted for award(s) by owner(s) in the following manner: Properly filled in application including:

Enclosure of a photocopy of non-AKC titles as required.

Enclosure of comments or brief biography of dog's accomplishments which will be published in the Blueprints (subject to editing) along with award presented, including name of owner(s) and breeder(s). Photos sent by owner for inclusion in *Blueprints* will be printed subject to room available.

Award applications will be accepted within the following one year time period: September 1 to August 30.Members will submit applications during this time period. Those applications received after August 30th will be held over for the next year for qualification and presentation. Award presentation will be made at the Annual General Meeting in October (Montgomery County). Awards not presented at the AGM will be mailed to recipients.

ACTUAL AWARD: The award will be a certificate suitable for framing signed by the president of the club and Versatility committee representative to include the following information:

The name: United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club Versatility Award

The name of the Award tier (see below)

The registered name of the dog (with all titles, as the owner wishes it to appear on award)

The name of the owner(s) of record (at least ONE owner must be a current USKBTC member)

The date the Award is presented

ONE certificate will be presented per dog for each award tier.

A keepsake memento commemorating the award will be awarded at the club's discretion.

Award tier structure is as follows:

The Bronze Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Terrier earning titles in two different disciplines.

The Silver Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Terrier earning titles in three different disciplines.

The Gold Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Terrier earning titles in four different disciplines.

The Platinum Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Terrier earning titles in five different disciplines.

The Emerald Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Terrier earning titles in six different disciplines.

The Diamond Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Terrier earning titles in seven different disciplines.

* Please Note: Canine Good Citizen (CGC), Temperament Testing (TT), Therapy Dog International (TDI) along with other therapy or service dog certifications, with the exception of AKC's Therapy Dog (THD) title, are not considered working titles. Therefore they do not qualify as eligible disciplines for these awards. These certifications may however be included in the dog's name as stated on a Versatility Award should the owner wish them. The owner is responsible for submitting the dog's name as it should appear on the award. Members wanting their Kerries' therapy or service dog accomplishments recognized are encouraged to apply for the USKBTC's "Kerry It Forward" awards.

Additional Notes: The accomplishment of any of these disciplines may take more than one calendar year to achieve. Therefore the applicant may submit an application along with proof of awards at any time provided that the owner submits the application by the stated deadline to qualify for that year's award presentations. A separate award and certificate will be awarded for each additional discipline tier achieved no matter what time frame is required to achieve that award. Example: Dog A is already a Ch., CDX, TD. Therefore he will immediately qualify under (3) disciplines (conformation, obedience, tracking) making the dog eligible to receive (2) awards (Bronze and Silver) from the club. To recognize those members who have achieved multiple disciplines with their dogs prior to 2005, awards will be offered to all eligible title holders (with proper application and proof of title) until July of 2013, after which awards must be applied for within 5 years of the last title being earned.

USKBTC Versatility Awards Application

Registered name of dog: (As you wish it to appear on certificate)

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Owner(s) of record. NOTE: At least ONE must be a	CURRENT	JSKBTC member:	
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Address	PL		
Phone # Email		_//	
Breeder(s)			3\
The above named Kerry Blue Terrier earned the f	ollowing dis	scipline title(s):	
Discipline	Title(s	Earned	
Agility (AKC)	A.		
Conformation (AKC)	Land Market	(Charles)	Lini
Earth/Hunting Dog (BHA RATN or AWTA HC)	-3/1	CALE 'NO TO	
Herding (AKC or AHBA)		THE PARTY OF THE P	1301
Obedience (AKC CD)	100	6.77, 203/	
Rally (AKC)	a 1/1	773 87	
Tracking (AKC)	491110	TS3/70 /70	1601
Wildcard*	3071/11	70 KQ 2	
* one performance event not already listed, and subject to dock diving, etc., may be used for one of the seven award	levels	St.	
Have you enclosed photocopies of any earned titles	(i.e., non-AK	C), as needed for verifi	ication?
Have you enclosed comments telling us something a include comments (subject to editing) along with pho awardees.			
The Silver Award is presented to the Kerry Blue To The Silver Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Ter The Gold Award is presented to the Kerry Blue Terr The Platinum Award is presented to the Kerry Blue The Emerald Award is presented to the Kerry Blue The Diamond Award is presented to the Kerry Blue	rier earning ier earning t Terrier earn Terrier earni Terrier earn	titles in three different of itles in four different dis ing titles in five different ng titles in six different ing titles in seven differ	disciplines ciplines t disciplines disciplines ent disciplines
Note: CGC, TDI, TT, service dog certifications with the competitive discipline titles and are not eligible for this earning these certifications and will be happy to include	s award prog	ram. The USKBTC appl	auds any dog
Mail Completed	Application	is to:	
Lisa Frankland, 4012 Glen Canyon Rd. NE, Albuquerque,			505-332-3251

All applications must be received by August 30th

UNITED STATES KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB, INC.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION — FILL IN ALL LINES — IF NONE WRITE NONE ON LINE

Applicant(s) Name:			E-1	Mail:		
Address:	City:	State:	Zi	p:	Phone:	
Are you interested in Kerries for Show	Obedience 1	Pet How many Ker	ries do y	you own?	Other Br	eeds?
Exhibitors, indicate the number of shows e	xhibited in the la	ast 3 years Bre	eders, L	ist the numb	per of Kerry 1	itters bred in the las
5 yearsList the number of other litte	rs bred in the pa	st 5 yearsKenr	nel Nam	e	.850	
Business, Occupation or Profession of App	olicant(s) list eac	h separately;				
Other Dog Clubs you are a member of					21	
If elected to membership, I (we) have read and	agree to abide by	he Code of Ethics as prir	nted belo	w and on the	back of this ap	pplication.
Signature	Date	Signature				Date
Sponsor#		Sponsor#				
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# Affiliate membership applicants do no Sponsors must be current USKBTC mer Sponsors must personally know the app	mbers in good s	tanding for six (6) mo				pplication.
SUBMIT APPLICATION TO:	Indi	ate membership type	you at	e applying	for:	CONTROL BESSON
Mary McGreevy, Membership Chai 126 Alstadt Hill Road Harpers Ferry, WV 25425 Phone: (304) 535-1946 Email: mkerryblue@aol.com		Single active-\$30.00 Single Affiliate-\$30.00 Single Associate-\$35.0 Associate Membership The first year members Make checks payable	0 □ . 00 □ . ois for a ship due	loint Affilia loint Assoc myone livin s must acco	ate-\$40.00 iate-\$45.00 ag outside of t ompany this a	he USA
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APPLICATION PROCESS:

- 1. A notice of your application will be published in the next Quarterly issue of the official Club publication, BLUEPRINTS.
- 2. Thirty (30) days after publication in BLUEPRINTS, your application and any member's comments will be submitted to the Board of Governors for consideration.
- 3. You will be promptly notified, in writing, of the Board's action.
- 4. You will be provided with a copy of the approved Constitution and Bylaws.

This Membership process can take up to six (6) months or more, due to the Quarterly publication of BLUEPRINTS, please be patient. Note that your check may be cashed prior to your being elected to membership. This does not automatically elect you to membership. If for any reason, you are not elected to membership; your application fee will be refunded.

THE UNITED STATES KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB CODE OF ETHICS

This document defines the ethical standards to which we ascribe as a condition of membership in the United Stated Kerry Blue Terrier Club (USKBTC). Membership is a privilege conferred by the Board of Governors, acting for the Membership, upon those individuals who meet the high standards set forth in the Club Constitution and Bylaws and this Code. As members, we are individually charged with complying with this code and demanding similar compliance of all other members. We must hold the interest of the Kerry Blue Terrier superior to our own in exercising the responsibilities that accompany the privileges of membership.

I. RESPONSIBILITIES AS A MEMBER

- Members of the USKBTC, as Stewards to the breed, have the obligation to protect and serve the best interests of the Kerry Blue Terrier at all times. A member's every action should reflect credit on themselves, the USKBTC and, above all, the Kerry Blue Terrier.
- > The approved standard for the breed is the fundamental imperative guiding our actions. Members have the obligation to protect and serve these standards as a condition of membership.
- Members must be familiar with and comply with the rules of the American Kennel Club (AKC); the Constitution and By-laws of the USKBTC; and (as appropriate) the rules established by any member club of the USKBTC.
- Members will observe the highest standards of conduct and sportsmanship at all times. Whether as a breeder, exhibitor, or spectator, they shall conduct themselves in a manner that reflects positively on the Kerry Blue Terrier, dogs in general, and the sport of showing dogs.

Members shall maintain the highest standards of health and sanitation for their own Kerry Blue Terriers, as well as for any other animals in their possession or entrusted to their care. They shall demand the same high standards of others, members and non-members alike.

II. RESPONSIBILITIES AS A BREEDER

A Breeder shall:

- Be guided at all times by the approved standard for the Kerry Blue Terrier and shall consider breeding only those specimens that conform to the standard.
- When contemplating breeding a litter or providing the services of a stud dog, strive toward maintaining breed type and producing dogs of exceptional quality, temperament, and condition. Breeding or supporting breeding to a lesser standard is not acceptable.
- Use for breeding only those dogs that are healthy and free from serious congenital and hereditary defects. Refrain from further use, any bitch or stud dog that has developed such a health problem or produced any serious inherited defects detrimental to the offspring and the overall well being of the breed.
- Not use a bitch for breeding prior to reaching eighteen (18) months of age (preferably 24 months) or older than eight (8) years of age. A bitch should not be bred more than two (2) out of three (3) consecutive heat cycles, nor produce more than five (5) litters in her lifetime. Recognizing the variations in heat cycles and sizes of litters, valid exceptions may exist, however it is incumbent on the breeder to exercise good judgment in exercising such exceptions.
- Not sell puppies to pet shops either outright or on consignment; supply puppies for auctions, raffles, or other such activities; refrain from selling to persons whose intention (either known or suspected) is to resell or use the puppy in a breeding program not complying with this code of ethics. The breeder shall ensure that the prospective buyer is prepared to provide the same degree of care required of members of the USKBTC. The Code of Ethics should be provided and discussed with potential buyers as part of a thorough screening process. All buyers should be encouraged to become members of the USKBTC and member clubs.
- Promptly apply for AKC registration of the litter. Puppies should not be sold prior to reaching ten (10) weeks of age (preferably 12 weeks). The sale of every dog shall include a signed registration or registration application (Blue Slip), and a four-generation pedigree. Any exceptions to these requirements, or valid restrictions or limitations imposed as conditions to the sale (e.g., no breeding) must be agreed to in writing by both parties at the time of sale. It is strongly recommended that a written agreement accompany all sales. Buyers should be provided with assistance and support in the setting of ears and in learning proper grooming. If the buyer is not located in the same area, the breeder should make arrangements with another USKBTC member in that area to assist the new owner.
- Provide with each sale, a record of dated and types of immunization given, immunizations required, and veterinary health records. Instructions should be provided, preferably in writing, on diseases and hereditary factors related to the breed, proper medical care, feeding, and grooming. Providing a copy of the current USKBTC Handbook represents a means of conveying this type of information, and is a sound investment on the part of the breeder. No puppy should be sold without either temporary or permanent protection against distemperhepatitis and parvo. Puppies should have a veterinary examination, and worming if required, before sale.
- Maintain accurate and complete records of stock, matings, pedigrees, show records, and transfers. Breeders are responsible for conducting research on their pedigrees to ensure correct ancestry, accurate spelling of names and correct registration numbers. Breeders should be familiar with and comply with all record keeping requirements required by the AKC. Litter registration applications must be correct and promptly requested. Individual puppy registration should be completed in a timely manner.
- Shall not engage in false or misleading advertising or other misrepresentations with respect to their own breeding. They shall not malign others by making false or misleading statements regarding another member's dogs, breeding practices, or person. Advertising should not be worded to attract undesirable buyers nor encourage raising dogs for profit.
- Consider the growing problems related to excess dogs ending up in animal shelters and should exercise sound judgment and prudent restraint in their breeding programs. Litters should be limited to numbers that are consistent with achieving a sound breeding program and the best interests of the Kerry Blue Terrier.
- Be prepared to assume lifetime responsibility for any litter produced.

III. RESPONSIBILITIES AS AN EXHIBITOR OR HANDLER

- Act professionally at all times in caring for and exhibiting any dog in your charge.
- Do not engage in any questionable contact with judges prior to exhibiting under them.
- Comply with AKC Rules and Regulations for Dog Shows, Obedience Trials, Field Trials, and The Guidelines for Dog Show Judges.
- Exhibit or handle only those dogs that conform as closely as possible to the approved standard.
- Do not indulge in the practice of making "kennel majors", or exhibiting filler dogs that they know themselves to be unworthy of championships, for the purpose of finishing dogs. Such practices lessen the meaning and value of a championship and do not serve the breed

IV. ENFORCEMENT

- > The USKBTC expects adherence to this Code of Ethics and blatant disregard of these standards will not be condoned. Violations of the standards are not in the best interests of the Club or the breed. Such behavior can serve as a cause of imposing discipline or terminating membership if charges are brought before the Board of Governors in accordance with the procedures as defined in Article VI (Discipline) of the USKBTC Constitution and Bylaws.
- Article VI addresses the specific procedures for proffering charges; the hearing process; and the rights of the parties involved. Each member is expected to be fully familiar with this very important provision of the By-laws.