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President's Message

Happy New Year everybody! As we blast into 2011, let's first take stock of the past year.

The club owes a deep debt of gratitude to our 2010 officers and board, especially our outgoing president, Terrie Sato, who guided us through the twists and turns of the year. Thanks too to the board members who served with distinction and are leaving the board: Dave Lawniczak, Shelah Frey, and Tony Leitao. We welcome two new board members, Franna Pitt and Bea Ferguson.

At the January awards banquet, the club honored Gail Gegg, our treasurer, as outstanding Member of the Year. Gail took up the reins as treasurer when Shelah Frey moved to California, and she has done a great job.

The President's Award went to Chris Roth, who, for a long time, has been responsible for producing the newsletter and giving it such an elegant and professional look. The club also gave recognition to the many chairs and co-chairs who made our events top notch, and to our talented juniors, who excel in so many impressive ways.

Tamaria Hartman and Liz Moir made the banquet successful and fun. Mary Jane Sarbaugh took care of the recognition gifts, and Cheri Wildes donated the door prizes at all the tables. Many thanks for all the hard work! We also appreciate everything Cathy Hakola and her corps of volunteers did to represent PSLRA at the Sportsmen's Show in Puyallup at the end of January.

The coming year will have many challenges. The board and officers have already begun to plan for the year, and the details of the action goals for 2011 will be reported in the newsletter in the next issue. The board is dedicated not only to continuing the good events put on by the club each year, but also to involving more members in club activities.

To that end, we still need members to come forward to chair our field training day on February 26 and the annual Five Series on April 9. As the training day is fast approaching, your help is needed urgently. Also, please spend a couple of hours to work at the club's booth at the Seattle Kennel Club on March 12 and 13. It is a great opportunity to educate the public about our fabulous breed. I hope to see you at all of our events.

IMPORTANT DATES**February 23, board meeting****February 26, Fun Field Training Day, Greenleaf's Farm, Monroe****March 12-13, Seattle Kennel Club, Meet the Breed and Booth****March 26, board meeting****Newsletter Information:****Publishing of an article or advertisement**

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"newsletter ideas" in subject line.

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The Retriever Believer will publish brags (free) and Puppy Referral litter listings provided a club member owns either the sire or the dam and a \$10 listing fee has been paid to Puppy Referral. All litter listings and litter advertising must comply with the PSLRA Code of Ethics.

Editor: Fran Seagren

Layout: Chris Roth

Membership in the PSLRA is open to anyone interested in Labrador retrievers. Annual dues are \$20 for individuals, \$25 for families. Junior memberships are \$10 (for a separate listing in the membership book and a separate newsletter). Please note that new members require the signature of two sponsors on the application form.

Requests for information, applications and/or payment of dues should be addressed to:

Liz Moir, Membership Chair

311 North Forest

Westport, WA 98595

lizzybster@gmail.com

club business annual meeting minutes

Annual Meeting, January 15, 2011, Muckleshoot Casino. Terrie Sato called the meeting to order at 6:45 p.m. She announced we have one new member, Betsy Reali, who is working toward her MH title. Terrie thanked Tamaria Hartman and Lizzie Moir for their hard work on the banquet and Mary Jane Sarbaugh for her assistance as well as Cheri Wildes for all the cute table decorations. Gary and Brenda Hubbard were also thanked for hosting the Christmas party.

Terrie reminded everyone that we still need chairs for some of our upcoming events, such as the 5-series and our next training day. Terrie put copies of the proposed scholarship forms on each table asking members to please read them and give input to the Board. There were also ballots on each table. Everyone was asked to please vote for the slate of Officers and Board members for 2011. While the voting was going on, the current Board members were acknowledged, as well as the current life members. New life members were introduced: Bob Shandley, Mary Jane Sarbaugh, Gary and Jill Mahoney, and Laura Steward.

Next, our junior members were acknowledged with accounts of their accomplishments during the past year, starting with junior member-in-training, Ryan Fischer. Other juniors are Cash Hajny, Olivia Maffett, Kawai Nahoopii,

Chante Gonzales, Clarissa Foote, and Harper Gibson.

New club achievement award pins were announced for Jim Charbonneau, Dixie Humble, Jean Fowler, Barbara Hawley, Katie Mearns, Barbara Strauss, and Bryant Meyer who all qualified for and attended the Master National. Also for Toni Leitao, Kawai Nahoopii, and Gail Gegg who qualified for and attended the Eukanuba National Championship show.

After the presentation of the annual All-around and Versatility awards, the Member of the Year Award was presented to Gail Gegg and the President's Award to Chris Roth, both of whom have given outstanding service to the club. Terrie then announced the new Officers and Board Members who were elected unanimously. Officers are: President, Ron Perry; Vice President, Jill Mahoney; Treasurer, Gail Gegg; Secretary, Nina Mann

Board Members are: Bea Ferguson, Sarah Fischer, Nancy Harney, Stephanie Harris, Brenda Hubbard, Franna Pitt, Terrie Sato, and Mary Jane Sarbaugh

In conclusion, certificates of appreciation were given to the 2010 chairs of all events. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Nina Mann,
Secretary

New Members

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Betsy & Ben Reali
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Bnb_reli@msn.com
435-392-8170
Ron Perry & Barbara Hawley

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Tacoma, WA 98417
jhanway@gmail.com
206-715-0222
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Port Angeles, WA 98363
360-452-4612
misseswilk@aol.com
Laura Berger & Jill Mahoney

January board meeting

January board meeting, January 26, Issaquah Fire Station. Present: Ron Perry, Jill Mahoney, Gail Gegg, Nina Mann, Bea Ferguson, Sarah Fischer, Nancy Harney, Stephanie Harris, Brenda Hubbard, Franna Pitt, Terrie Sato.

Absent: Mary Jane Sarbaugh

Guests: Dave Lawniczak and Garrett Fischer.

President's Report: Ron said he would like to make the business meeting as brief as possible and get to the planning session. He asked for approval of the annual meeting minutes. Approval was voted.

Acknowledgments: To Tamarina Hartman, Liz Moir and MJ Sarbaugh for their work on the banquet and also to Cheri Wildes and all the other PSLRA members who have been involved in helping the Redmond veteran and his Labrador. The final results of the 2010 raffle were that \$1,000 was raised for rescue. The Board wishes to again thank Christina Bunn and Jan Skewes for their outstanding achievement in raising this money which is now being put to good use.

Secretary's report: We received a letter from the Seattle Kennel Club asking that we let them know by February 14 if we wished to participate in Meet The Breed. Ron will contact Kristen Smith to see if she would like to be the contact for this. A

letter was also received announcing America's Family Pet Expo in July. Discussion on this was tabled until a future meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Gail is still working on an accurate inventory of our assets. Total income for December and January was \$3,388.71. The ShowNGo made a profit for the club of \$1,200. All our bills are paid to date and expenses for the two months total \$6,374.93.

Committee Reports: Brenda gave a report for Edith Bryan on Rescue which will be printed in the newsletter. (See page 8) Nina asked for information to pass on to our 2011 specialty judges on the location and judges' liaison. Chairs Gail Gegg and Franna Pitt will provide this information in the coming month. She was referred back to the specialty committee for information to include in the contracts for 2012.

Welcome to New Members:

Annette Kuhls, Maple Valley, WA
Betsy & Ben Reali, Sammamish, WA
Jeff Hanway, Tacoma, WA
Beth Wilkerson, Port Angeles, WA

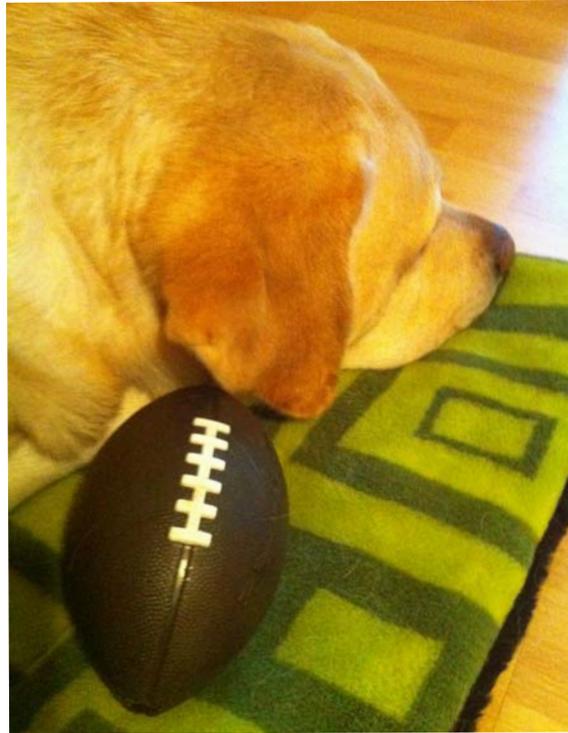
There being no further old business, Ron passed out the 2011 calendar and called the meeting into Planning Session which will be reported in a future newsletter.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:05 p.m.
— Nina Mann



Brags

New Rally Obedience Title! Sailor, CAN CH Mainland Catch Me A Sailor, JH, RN, WC, CGC, earned his third Rally Novice obedience leg on Jan. 16 at the Puyallup show for his RN Title. Sailor earned his three, qualifying RN legs in back-to-back obedience trials, with top scores and nice compliments from our judges on our performances. We are very proud of Sailor's All-Around titles in conformation, field, and obedience, and look forward to competing in the All-Around Versatility class at our Specialty! Sailor is loved, trained, and owned by Kristin and Andy Smith, Seaside Labradors.



Sailor is all ready for Super Bowl XLV!



Ginger Spice Girl PAX II

Rose City Classic Agility Portland, Or January 20-23rd, 2011

Mark and Cheri Levine are very excited about their 10-year old girl, Ginger Spice Girl, who received her PAX II (Preferred Master Agility Champion) Title on Saturday at the Rose City Classic. This title is the highest title in the agility arena given to a team. The old girls can still run and have fun!

Harlequin When Saints Come Marching, Drew, went WB/BOW from the BBE class at Puyallup on Saturday, for a four-point major. She then went RWB to another major on Monday. In Portland at the Rose City Classic, mine and Sonya's Dolce Vita Jump Start My Heart, Joule, went WB on Friday for a three-point major. What an amazing couple of weekends! Submitted by Diane Sullenberger.

Shilshole's Shift'n Gears MH CD RN earned his Rally Advanced title in one weekend at the Western Washington Cluster in Puyallup with a first, second and third placement. Clutch's scores were 99, 99 and 98. Clutch is owned, trained and handled by Terrie Sato.



Our newest addition, Somersun Artesian Silk Stocking, alias Kish, has thrilled us with a couple special wins. In November at the Elsie Murray shows at 6 months and 1 day, Kish thrilled us by winning WB, BOW, BOB, made the cut in Group and went on to win Best Puppy in Group. This year has started out with a bang as well by winning Best in Sweeps at the Puyallup shows. Kish was bred by Katie Somers and Jessica Harper-Somers. Thank you so much for sharing this special girl with us. Kish is owned and loved by Marlys, Brad, Daniel and Josh Swanson.

LOVE THAT DOG!

Do you have a favorite dog story that others would enjoy? Just send it to the editor and it will be shared with all PSLRA dog lovers.

A Favorite Dog Story

by Lucy Isaacson-Logen

Decades ago I had a dog named Wing. A handsome black field dog; yes I said handsome. He would push that tennis ball twenty-four seven. But he was sweet. Wing redefined sweet. He epitomized the Labrador temperament. Here's an example: Wing was with us about 25 years ago when we had just moved into our current home. The fencing of our property took a few weeks to complete after moving in, so Wing would sometimes roam the neighborhood in search of friends that might throw his tennis ball. One day, many months later, I was out walking Wing and was met by a neighbor who stopped to chat. Initially I thought I shouldn't stop. I didn't want my very friendly Lab to jump on, and toss his tennis ball at my neighbor. But this fellow said, "No, no, we know your dog well." OK, at this point I thought we might be in deep trouble because my dog had run free for a few months. The neighbor continued to say that prior to meeting Wing on his journeys around the neighborhood, his young daughter had been deathly afraid of dogs. But thanks to my dog, she now loved dogs. As the story goes, Wing would come up the street and when he saw the neighbor and his daughter, he would put his tennis ball on the ground, stare at it, and push it with his nose. I was told that Wing was always kind and gentle with his daughter and the child eventually came to approach Wing. He said Wing was receptive, kind, and always gentle with his daughter.

Wing was more than just a diplomat. Some years prior to the previous story, Wing was a part-time hunting companion. One extended hunting weekend I remember particularly well. We were hunting locally in western Washington; there was snow on the ground, and it was very cold. Wing retrieved for three days in a row in nasty winter weather. We were out in the country and it was a hike to the hunting area. On the first day of hunting they returned home just after noon, having left before dawn. Wing came into the

house all-full of himself. As he was licking the ice and snow off, Wing proceeded to tell everyone just what a fabulous morning of hunting that he had! The next day, they went out again before dawn. Upon returning, Wing lay down inside with his back against the front door and licked the snow and ice off himself, and then fell asleep. On the third day of hunting, Wing returned to his spot inside the front door and fell fast asleep. He was too tired to lick the snow and ice off, so it just melted in puddles around him.

A Dual Purpose Labrador? Yes, I think so.

FIELD TRAINING DAY **Saturday, Feb. 26** **Greenleaf's Farm, Monroe**

9:30 a.m.

Beginner Stake & brief intro

10:00 a.m.

Junior Retriever Stake (for dogs that have already retrieved birds)

Senior Retriever Stake (doubles and blind)

Pigeons at all stakes. \$6 for live shot birds while the supply lasts.

Look for flyer on web site.

Scholarship Criteria and Process

Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association 2011

1. Applicant must be a member of PSLRA or a child or grandchild of a current member, and must be a current high school senior.
2. Applicant must have volunteered at one or more PSLRA events.
3. Applicant must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher. If the GPA is less than 2.5, and there are extenuating circumstances, the scholarship application must be accompanied by a letter from the applicant's sponsoring PSLRA member explaining these circumstances.
4. The completed application will include a 200 to 300 word single-page essay describing how Labrador Retrievers have impacted the applicant's life.
5. The scholarship for 2011 will be awarded in the amount of \$500 and is to be used for post high school educational activities.
6. The application must be received by April 15, 2011.
7. Applications should be sent to:
 Kathy Gibson
 PSLRA Scholarship Chair
 732 20th Ave. West
 Kirkland, WA 98033
8. The scholarship winner will be announced in the June 2011 PSLRA newsletter.

Scholarship Application—Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

PSLRA Sponsor _____

Relationship to Sponsor _____

High School _____ Current GPA _____

Please indicate the PSLRA event (s) where you have volunteered, and what you did as a volunteer:

What are your plans after graduation?

On a separate page, attach a 200-300 word essay describing how Labrador Retrievers have made an impact on your life.

Rescue Recap

We have completed another busy, but successful year in our rescue program.

We appreciate all of the PSLRA members who contributed to the success of our rescue efforts by visiting shelters, evaluating dogs, providing temporary foster care, transporting dogs on short notice, keeping records and providing words of encouragement! We are grateful for the wonderful financial support for our rescue program provided by PSLRA. Extra special thanks go to everyone who worked so hard on the fund-raising events – and to all those who generously purchased raffle tickets and made donations to the raffles.

Mary Jane Sarbaugh, as always, has been a mainstay of our rescue program! Brenda and Gary Hubbard, Lizzie Moir, and Cindy Meyer have provided invaluable foster home support. We also owe a heart-felt thank you to several volunteers for SPDR who are not club members, but have opened their hearts and homes to Labs in need of foster care, medical attention, and behavior training. In particular, we would like to acknowledge the many contributions of foster-care providers Brandy Burton-Tarantino, Larry Gardiner, Jane Youngsman and Meagan Johnston.

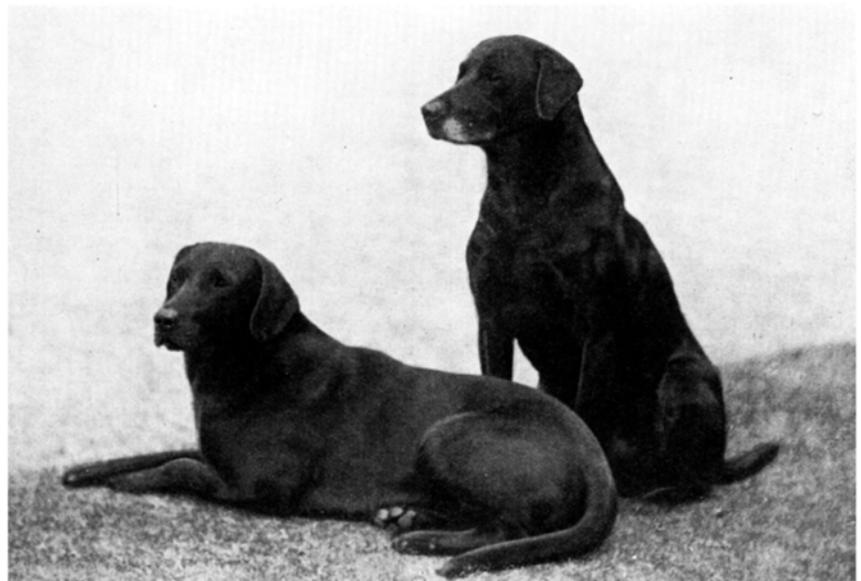
As always, one of our primary rescue goals is education. We spend endless hours trying to make just the right match between a rescued Lab and a new family, and we have helped some owners find solutions that have allowed them to keep their pets rather than turn them over to rescue. The number of Labs that we placed in new homes this year remains about the same as it has for the past few years. With Labradors remaining solidly as the number one breed in the US, we sadly anticipate that the need for our rescue services will remain strong. The economy has also taken its toll, forcing some owners to relinquish well-loved pets due to financial hardship.

We continue to work closely with the area shelters by referring families from our list of approved adopters to specific Labs waiting in the shelters. Most of the healthy and adoptable Labs in our local shelters are adopted directly from the shelters, which enables us to reserve our foster home space for Labs with special needs such as medical care or behavioral issues.

As always, we can be very proud of our club's record for whole-heartedly supporting the rescue of our beloved breed!

Respectfully submitted,
Edith Bryan for the Rescue Committee

SPDR Lab Statistics 2010	
Total Labs reported:	170
Males:	128
Females:	42
Age:	
0-2 yrs:	55
3-6 yrs:	87
7+ yrs:	28
Spayed/neutered:	
yes:	120
no:	42
unknown:	8
Origin:	
shelter:	114
owner:	55
other:	1
Outcome:	
Owner kept:	6
Owner placed:	11
Left with owner/unplaceable:	6
Left in shelter/outcome unknown:	16
Adopter by shelter clients:	73
Owner redeemed:	12
Returned to breeder:	3
Adopted by SPDR adopter:	38
Euthanized:	5 (age-2 health)



Special Awards 2010

by Terrie Sato

Two awards presented at the annual banquet honor club members who repeatedly go above and beyond for the club during the year. These awards remain secret until the presentation.

The club president selects the President's Award winner. This year, it was an honor to present the award to Chris Roth. Chris has been a club member since 1998. Many of you have never met Chris, but she works behind the scenes every month to co-edit and format the club newsletter. My first contact with Chris occurred in 2003 when I took over as editor of the *Retriever Believer*. I received a kind offer of help and gratefully jumped at the opportunity to have someone else proof and format the newsletter. The newsletter is the job that never goes away. It is the club communication that reaches every member and relays vital information. Through the newsletter, Chris has touched every member of the club. Though she had a break for a couple of years, when asked this year to once again put her expertise to work for the club, she did not hesitate. Working with our new editor, Fran Seagren, Chris has once again been the force behind the wonderful newsletter you receive each month. Thank you Chris Roth for your dedicated, behind the scenes, efforts on behalf of PSLRA!



The Member of the Year is chosen by the entire board. This year, all but one board member had a voice in that decision. That is because that board member, Gail Gegg, was chosen as Member of the Year. Gail Gegg joined PSLRA in 2007. Shortly after joining she agreed to participate as a board member. Gail brings a fresh perspective to the board, new to Labradors, but experienced in the ways of AKC through her Weimaraners. Active in conformation, agility, and rally, Gail immediately volunteered to co-chair an

agility trial. Our club has been relying on her ever since. In 2010, Gail chaired our January Sweepstakes, she served on the spring agility committee and chaired the fall agility trial. In the spring she also agreed to step in as club treasurer when Shelah Frey found she had to move to California. These were big shoes to fill but Gail stepped up and quickly got a grasp of the bookkeeping skills needed to keep track of our club finances. As treasurer she attended many of the club events. She served as judges' liaison at the specialty. When our fall hunt test conflicted with her Weim conformation duties, she came racing down to Peppers, Weims in tow and dressed to the nines for conformation, so that she could take care of her treasurer's responsibilities. Gail also volunteered to co-chair the 2011 specialty along with Franna Pitt. Much thanks to Gail for her busy year in service to PSLRA. Definitely a deserving Member of the Year!



One new award that did not get presented at the banquet is the trophy for the Oldest Dog to Earn a Performance Title. This is a

relatively new trophy. Last year's recipient was Jan Palumbo's girl, Rosie. This year, the trophy

belongs to a Labrador that hails from the far North. Els Crisafulli's girl Sassy earned her PAX title at the age of 11 1/2. I talked to Els about Sassy's accomplishment and Els said that she hoped



other club members realize how much our older dogs enjoy working. Old dogs can learn new tricks and keep up the old ones. Several club members provided tough competition for this trophy. Sassy is only two weeks older than Susie Johns' Tiger - who earned his WC in 2010. These Labradors are definitely young at heart.

Congratulations to MACH 2 Double Dutch Sarsparilla CD RA PAX NFP!



LIST OF LITTERS BORN OR EXPECTED AS OF 2/5/2011 that conform to the PSLRA Code of Ethics. Information is as submitted by owners and provided as a service to the public. Listings of litters are in no way an endorsement by PSLRA of any litter or any one litter over another. Litters are removed from the list after three months.

To publish **LITTER LISTINGS** in the newsletter, the following information **must be available**

- Elbows and hips must be certified on **both the sire and dam**. Dogs and bitches whelped before 5/1/87 are exempt from elbow clearance requirements and will be marked OFEL N/A. Prelims are not acceptable! The board has recently agreed to accept PennHip clearances that score in the 50th percentile or higher, passing Wind-Morgan clearances, and clearances from the Ontario Veterinary College (OVC) in Canada. Female Labradors (bitches) with a Wind-Morgan, Penn Hip, or OVC clearance must not be bred before the age of 20 months, or 24 months with an OFA clearance. Male Labradors (dogs) with a Wind-Morgan or Penn Hip clearance must not be bred before the age of 12 months, or 18 months with an OVC clearance, or 24 months with an OFA clearance.
 - Eye clearances on both parents annually. After the dog's examination at age 10, annual examinations are no longer necessary.
 - Heart clearances will be included in the listing at the discretion of the breeder
 - A PSLRA member must own either the sire or the dam and must submit the listing for a non-member.
 - **Please contact Jill if you need a Litter Listing form, to be used for ALL litters.**
 - All Breeders must update their litters each week with Jill Mahoney via email (mahoney@wwdb.org) as to the sex and color of puppies you have sold. The listing will be deleted after three months from the first litter listing date unless she hears from you.
1. Mail the completed form and a check for \$10 (operating expenses for Breeder Listing and Puppy Referral Programs) to **Jill Mahoney, PO Box 7454, Covington WA 98042**.
 2. Your litter notice will appear in the next PSLRA newsletter **if** it conforms to the Code of Ethics.
 3. If you know that the Litter Listing and the Puppy Referral programs have helped you sell your puppies, **please send a donation to PSLRA** (c/o Jill Mahoney) to show your appreciation. These donations will all be used for Lab Rescue.

LITTER NOTICE FORM (This information will also be available from Jill Mahoney)

Litter Born: 09/27/2010 (1BM, 1BF Available)

Sire: Am Ch Devonshires Limited Edition WC
OFA25G, OFEL25N, Heart Normal, CERF 10/10
EIC Clear
Dam: Devonshires Ticketeeboo
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 6/2010
Contact: Christine Gamache 360-903-2683 / Allison Hillius
Litter: 3BM, 4BF, 2YM, 1YF
Email: cjoygamache@yahoo.com
Listed: 10/25/2010, 01/25/2011

Litter Born: 11/17/2010 (2CM, 1CF Available)

Sire: CH Skyfire's Oughta Be Haulin RN WC CGC
OFA24G, OFEL24N, OFA Heart Echo'd,
EIC Normal, CERF 9/10
Dam: Skyfire's S'more Fun
OFA28F, OFEL28N, OFA Heart Normal,
Optigen Normal, CERF 7/10
Contact: Stephanie Harris 509-929-5227
Litter: 6 CM, 2 CF
Email: stephanie@skyfirelabs.com
website: www.skyfirelabs.com
Listed: 12/6/10, 01/25/2011

Litter Born: 11/27/2010 (3YM Available)

Sire: Cimarron Sam-I-Am Of Cougar Creek CD, RN
OFA24E, OFEL24N, ACVO 3/2010, OFA Heart
Dam: Skyfire Cimarron's Redy or Not
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 9/09, OFA Heart
Contact: Laura Steward DVM 360-731-9017 Days
360-978-4742 Evenings
Litter: 5YM, 1YF
Email: laura@cimarronfarm.com
Listed: 01/25/2011

Litter Born: 12/13/2010 (2BM, 3BF, 1YF Available)

Sire: BISS Grand Ch. Nipntuck Stocking Stuffer
OFA24E, OFEL24N, ECHO Normal, CERF
Dam: Dolce Vita In A Web Of Elegance
OFA26G, OFEL26N, CERF 3/2010
Contact: Sonya Dudder and Wendy Burley 425-422-6530
Litter: 3BM, 1YM, 3BF, 1YF
Email: dolcevitalabs@hotmail.com
Listed: 01/25/2011

Litter Born: 01/01/2011 (1BM, 1YM, 2YF Available)

Sire: Ch. Devonshire's Limited Edition
OFA25G, OFEL25N, ACVO 10/2010, OFA Heart
Dam: Ch. Cimarron Slippery Shoes
OFA26F, OFEL26N, ACVO 9/2010, OFA Heart
Contact: Laura Steward DVM 360-731-9017 Days
360-978-4742 Evenings
Litter: 2BM, 2YM, 3YF
Email: laura@cimarronfarm.com
Listed: 1/25/11

Litter Expected: 01/09/2011 (Blacks and Yellows)

Sire: Ch. Mar-Moye Low Country Gullah CD JH RN
OFA24E, OFEL24N, ACVO 9/2010, OFA Heart
Normal, EIC Clear
Dam: Kelli And Erin's Licorice Surprise
OFA26f, OFEL26N, CERF 5/2010,
Contact: Elisa Stout (Falling Fowl Labradors)
253-222-7312
Email: elisastout1465@msn.com
Listed: 12/6/2010, 12/30/2010

Litter Born: 01/17/2011 (4CM, 5CF Available)

Sire: Kingsland's Super Cooper
OFA24E, OFEL24N, CERF
EIC Normal, CNM Clear
Dam: Damoiseaux's Everlasting Elsie
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 7/2010
Contact: Teresa or Chris Damoiseaux 253-926-1035
Litter: 4CM, 7CF
Email: ctdamoiseaux@q.com
Listed: 12/30/2010, 01/25/2011

Litter Expected: 03/10/2011 (All Chocolates Expected)

Sire: Kingsland's Super Cooper
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 8/2010, EIC Clear,
CNM Normal
Dam: Claddagh's Bella Isabella
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 8/2010, CNM Normal by
parentage
Contact: Teresa Meredith 253-845-1311 Days/Evenings
Email: kingsland_labs@hotmail.com
Website: www.kingslandlabradors.com
Listed: 01/25/2011

Litter Expected: 03/15/2011 (Blacks and Yellows)

Sire: Buttonwood McIntosh (Ch. Pointed)
 OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 3/2010, ECHO Normal,
 Optigen Clear by parentage, EIC Normal

Dam: Can/Int. Ch Cougar Creek Takes One Ta Know One
 (AKC Major Pointed)
 OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 12/2010, OFA Heart,
 Optigen Normal by Parentage, EIC Normal

Contact: Cecilie Drege
 Email: Cougarcreeklabs@peoplepc.com
 Website: www.cougarcreeklabs.com
 Listed: 02/05/2011

Other Dogs That A Breeder Has Decided To Place

(Note) Owners of all dogs that are listed here have filled out and signed a PSLRA Listing Form disclosing to prospective buyers any known health and/or temperament issues and are on file with the Breeder Listing Chairperson.

These dogs are usually well socialized, frequently have some training, and are very desirable as companions. These dogs may not meet either owner's requirements for show or field performance or the code of ethics for breeding. Prospective buyers are encouraged to ask whether these older dogs have acceptable clearances on eyes, hips, and elbows and the reason why the dog is being placed. The listing of other dogs in no way constitutes an endorsement by PSLRA. Price will vary.

Black Male 7 months (must be neutered)

Curly is a very sweet, happy, typical Labrador boy. He is crate trained, has been well socialized and is quite smart. Good with dogs, cats, kids, etc. Both parents have hip, elbow, heart, & eye clearances. Curly has no known health or temperament issues, is current on shots and de-worming, is micro-chipped and is ready to move to his forever home.

Contact: Stephanie Harris 509-929-5227
 Email: stephanie@skyfirelabs.com
 website: www.skyfirelabs.com
 Listed: 12/6/2010, 12/30/2010

Black Female 4 ½ month

Lily is a sweet, loving, and attractive girl. Both her parents have their Final OFA Hip and Elbow Clearances. Lilly is crate trained and has basic life skills, she gets along well with children and other dogs. She's an athletic girl with a strong desire to please. Lily is smart, loves water and to retrieve, and knows who has cookies!

DOB 10/04/10
 Contact Shelah Frey at 425.466.6208 or
 Email: shelahfrey@comcast.net
 Listed: 2/05/2011



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