

The Retriever Believer

Newsletter of the Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association

Volume 34, Number 1, January 2017



PSLRA Officers

President: Stephanie Harris
stephanie@skyfirelabs.com
509-929-5227

Vice President: Shelah Frey
shelahfrey@comcast.net
425-643-6884

Secretary: Jennifer Hajny
blutopfarms@hotmail.com
509-859-2241

Treasurer: Jill Mahoney
Mahoney@wwdb.org
253-630-4810

PSLRA Board of Directors

Kimberly Dotson
clovercreeklabs@msn.com
253-278-1116

Brenda Hubbard
brooke-lynn@msn.com
253-661-9443

Marcy Johnson
marcy@soundviewlabradors.com
206-510-3467

Linda Maffett
SunnydazeLabradors@hotmail.com
360-961-5269

Nina Mann
Harbortoplabs@gmail.com
360-629-7619

Lizzie Moir
lizzie.moir@gmail.com
360-827-1874

Marlys Swanson
Marlyss2000@gmail.com
425-422-4789

Diane Sullenberger
harlequinlabradors@yahoo.com
360-652-8271

Resource Contacts

LRC Western Time Zone Coordinator:

Nina Mann
Harbortoplabs@gmail.com
360-629-7619

Field Chair:

Jim Olson
cindyto@q.com
253-833-8739

Litter Listings:

Nina Mann
Harbortoplabs@gmail.com
360-629-7619

Public Information:

Cheri Wildes
cheri@gunsuplabs.com
425-397-0176

Labrador Rescue:

Edith Bryan
Bryan760@whidbey.net

2017!



IMPORTANT DATES

**January 7, Obedience/
Show 'n Go, Country
Classic Kennels,
Arlington, Nina Mann**

**January 14, weekend of
Puyallup Cluster, Annual
Banquet, Kimberly
Dotson, Best Western,
Puyallup**

**January 25-29,
Sportsman Show,
Puyallup**

Newsletter Information:**Publishing of an article or advertisement**

Fran Seagren

17816 SE Green Valley Rd

Auburn, WA 98092

e-mail: labrdrs@earthlink.net

Submissions must be received by the editor by the 20th of each month. Please use "newsletter ideas" in subject line.

The Retriever Believer is published monthly by the Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association. Non-member subscriptions are \$20/year. Contributions in the form of articles, letters or money are always welcome. Letters to the editor should not exceed one page of typeset in the newsletter. It is our goal to provide an open forum where members can present their views to the club. The editor and the board of directors reserve the right to decline publication of advertising and other material submitted for publication.

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: **Stephanie Harris, Membership Chair**
341 Cross Creek Drive
Ellensburg, Washington 98926
stephanie@skyfirelabs.com

club business**December board/members meeting**

PSLRA December Board and Membership Meeting, Annual Holiday Party

The December meeting was called to order at 6:40 p.m., Saturday, December 3, 2016 at Dannaker's house in Duvall, Wash. In attendance were Board Members Stephanie Harris, Marcy Johnson, Jennifer Hajny, Nina Mann, Brenda Hubbard, Diane Sullenberger, Marlys Swanson, Jill Mahoney, and Linda Maffett. Members at Large present were Gary Hubbard, Lucy Isaacson-Logan, Dean Logan, Mary Jane Sarbaugh, Leslie Douglas, Cash Hajny, Hugh Maffett, Olivia Maffett, Sonya Dudder, Becky Dannaker, and Scott Dannaker.

Officers Reports

President: Stephanie Harris - Nothing at this time

Vice President: Shelah Frey - Nothing at this time

Secretary: Jennifer Hajny – Received correspondence from AKC. Tracking test judges' contracts were also recently sent out.

Treasurer: Jill Mahoney - Reports have been posted to Yahoo groups and are also available upon request.

Acknowledgements

We would like to thank the following for their willingness to help at our events: Scott and Becky Dannaker for hosting the holiday party in their home.

Committee Reports

SKC Breed Booth: **NEED A**

CHAIRPERSON

Field Fun Day: Scott Dannaker and Jill Mahoney have offered to chair this event. They are looking at dates in February.

Working Certificate: **NEED A**

CHAIRPERSON

Fun Match 2017: **NEED A**

CHAIRPERSON. If interested please contact Stephanie Harris.

Specialty 2017: AKC has approved all the conformation judges. Camping space will be pre-sold again. Watch for information in the coming newsletter or email Jill Mahoney.

Annual Banquet: Kimberly Dotson will be the chairperson. Will take place at the Best Western, the weekend of the Puyallup Cluster on January 14. RSVP by

January 1. Dr. Cindy Smith, DVM, a reproduction specialist will be our guest speaker for the evening. She will be talking about post whelping issues. Watch for the flyer in the newsletter. As a note, the club will be sponsoring a supported entry again, as well as holding sweepstakes on Saturday of this cluster. PSLRA Members \$30, Non Club Members \$60. RSVP to Kimberly Dotson 2503 174th Street East, Tacoma, WA, 98445 or email her at clovercreeklabs@msn.com.

Old Business

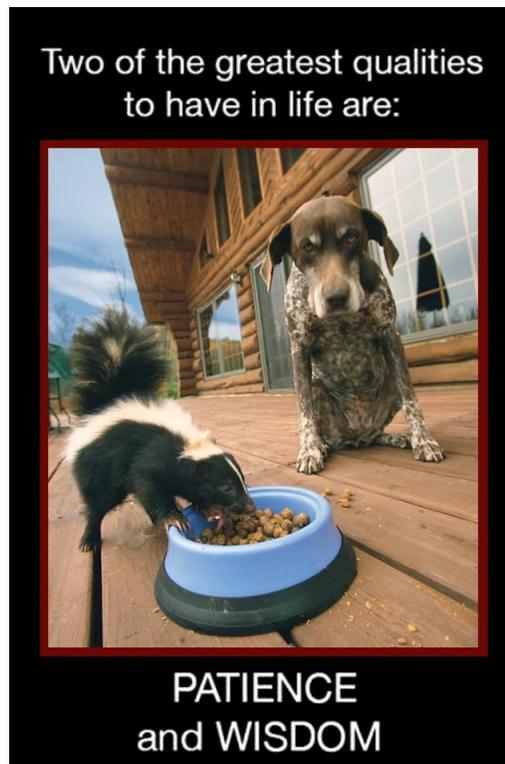
Sportsman Show: Brenda Hubbard will be the chairperson. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Brenda.

New Business

Nominating Committee: The Nominating committee nominated the following for the PSLRA Board of Directors for 2017: —Officers: Stephanie Harris- President, Shelah Frey- Vice President, Kristen Reiter- Secretary, Jill Mahoney- Treasurer. —Directors: Nina Mann, Marlys Swanson, Marcy Johnson, Diane Sullenberger, Brenda Hubbard, Linda Maffett, Scott Dannaker, and Ramdas Vaidyanathan. These nominees will be voted on at our Annual Banquet on January 14 in Puyallup.

—Pursuant to Article 4, section 4c of the club by-laws, nominations for Board of Directors were taken from the floor and the following will be added to the ballot at the Annual Banquet on January 14: Sonya Dudder, Katie Somers, and Becky Dannaker.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25



Save the Dates!

Location: Joint Base Lewis McCord—Area: To be determined

When: February 4, 2017 and March 4, 2017

What is a picnic trial?

A picnic trial is more formal than a training group, but less formal than an AKC hunt test or field trial. WRC's picnic trials have several stakes so you can enter your dog based on age and skill level in one or more of the events. It is intended to be a fun day that provides more of the excitement of the formal AKC events and allows new handlers and their dogs to experience the thrill of competition in a less formal setting for a much lower cost per event. For the experienced handlers and their dogs, it can be a winter warm up for the events to come as the competition season gets started.

Our picnic trials include the following stakes with ribbons for the top finishers:

Puppies: a) Puppies under 7 months
 Younger dogs: a) Senior pup under 12 months b) Jr Gun Dog – all age
 More skilled dogs: a) Derby under 24 months b) Senior Gun Dogs - all age
 Advanced Dogs: a) Qualifying - all age b) Master Gun Dog - all age
 Top Dogs: a) Open - all age

Other than the puppy category, the “a” designation is field trial rules and the “b” category is hunt test rules. If you want to challenge yourself or your dog, you can run in any stake. But if you do not meet the age criteria, you will be running “out-of-contention” with regard to placements determined by the judges in the stakes that have age restrictions.

We hope to once again have our on site bar-b-que staff working the event so lunches will be available for sale, free for all volunteers.

Please contact Fran Seagren (labrdrs@earthlink.net) if you can help or have information with any of the following:

- Pigeons - WRC is working to determine a new source for pigeons. If anyone has a source, let us know so we can acquire enough for our events.
- Volunteers - WRC is a very small organization with a very limited budget so volunteers are critical to our event. Please volunteer!
- Paid Kid Workers - WRC has a small budget to pay a few kids to work at our events. If you know a kid with some experience willing to work, let us know.

Please visit our Facebook Page, or our Group Page:

Washington Retriever Club (Just Ask To Join)

[https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=washington%20retriever%20club%20\(just%20ask%20to%20join\)](https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=washington%20retriever%20club%20(just%20ask%20to%20join))

Brief

Larson earned his Novice Agility Preferred (NAP) title by qualifying with first place all three days of the American Manchester Terrier/Western Washington Hound Association's agility trials held at Argus Ranch 12/9-12/11. He also qualified with first place in Novice Fast Preferred to earn the first leg of his NFP title on Sunday. Larson is now Can CH SHR ReiMur's Good Humor Man BN RN NAP JH WC and has qualified for the PSLRA Versatility Award. He is loved, owned, trained and handled by Darlene Pado.

1

Time to Renew Dues - payable by January 31 at PSLRA.org.

Everyone please fill out all of your personal information online on www.pslra.org under the drop-down tab entitled "Membership." This is required! You can pay your dues via PayPal or if you prefer to pay by check, please send your check made out to PSLRA to:

Brenda Hubbard
4624 South 358th Street
Auburn WA 98001

When you send your check, you can either print out what you typed online or just include a note, saying you've already signed up online. ***What you enter online, goes straight into our database; therefore, you'll be responsible if there are any typos.*** Please double-check your entries for correctness.

If you are having any problems or have any questions, please contact me and I'll help!

Thank you! Brenda
253-661-9443 or brooke-lynn@msn.com

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND....

*Puget Sound Labrador Retriever
Association*

Annual Membership Banquet

January 14, 2017

Best Western Park Plaza

620 South Hill Park Drive, Puyallup

Social Hour: 5:30 pm

Dinner, Awards & Entertainment: 6pm

Guest Speaker: Dr. Cynthia Smith

“Post Whelping Complications” •

Name: _____

Number attending: Member _____ x \$30
 Non Member _____ x \$60

Any questions: Please call me at 253-278-1116 or
clovercreeklabs@msn.com

The November Fall Agility trial is in the books. It was a great trial, with good attendance. We had two big ribbons given out. One went to one of our own, Fred Drennen and his girl Kora (PACH IntlCH HRCH UH Harbortop Shokora UD RE TDX MH), who received the PACH, Preferred Agility Championship title. Club members who helped were Cheri Levine, Jill Mahoney, Fred Drennen and myself.

Kristi Clark



Fred Drennan and Kora with his Labrador cheering squad!

We were grateful to *Fun for Paws Agility in Mt. Vernon, WA.* and Cheri Lavine of the Labrador Retriever Association for inviting Old Dog Haven to their senior dog agility benefit. Foster mom Maryke and her ODH Final Refuge dogs Kane and Cedar attended. Maryke told us, "It was a great day and nice to see now how the agility community has embraced Old Dog Haven." Part of each entrance fee for the participants went toward a donation to Old Dog Haven. At the end of the day Cheri and her chocolate lab Ginger presented a check to ODH from the Labrador Retriever Association.



In Memoriam

As some of you may already have heard, Edith Bryan's husband, Dick, passed away at home on September 27 with Edith and their two sons, Ken and David, at his side following an extended battle with ALS. Dick and Edith were married for 54 years. After a full career as an executive in a number of high profile companies, Dick with Edith retired to Whidbey Island in 2002. Dick loved the outdoors and spending time with his family. Dick and Edith were active in Labrador retriever rescue. Together they fostered more than 150 homeless Labradors over the last 20 years. His life will be celebrated privately by his family. Memorial donations may be sent to Old Dog Haven in Lake Stevens, Washinton, or to the ALS Association. Our thoughts are with Edith and her family in this difficult time.

We are also sad to report that lifetime member Merlyn Foote lost her husband, Robert, on November 23. Robert was 91 and lived a good life. He passed peacefully surrounded by love and care. One of his daughters is another club member, Jennifer Foote.

Merlyn and Bob had a wonderful life together, sixty-six years of marriage with three great kids, four grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

Though the Labradors were Merlyn and Jennifer's passion, Bob enjoyed them as well, especially after his retirement. A family gathering sometime in the spring to celebrate Bob's life will be planned.

Remembrances may be made to:
Natural Disaster Search Dog Foundation
6800 Wheeler Canyon Rd
Santa Paula, Ca 93060

Bravo's Big Adventure

Humans make a big deal about holidays. I'm not especially fond of them because my life as I know it pretty much gets put on hold when the holidays roll around. Sure there's not much daylight and it is cold outside, but is that any reason to stop the daily routine in favor of bringing a tree into the house or baking cookies that I'm not allowed to eat? You see, I am a dog. In fact, I am a R-E-T-R-I-E-V-E-R, and I was born to fetch! I've got a long name, but my friends just call me Bravo. You can call me Bravo, because I've never met a human who wasn't my friend.

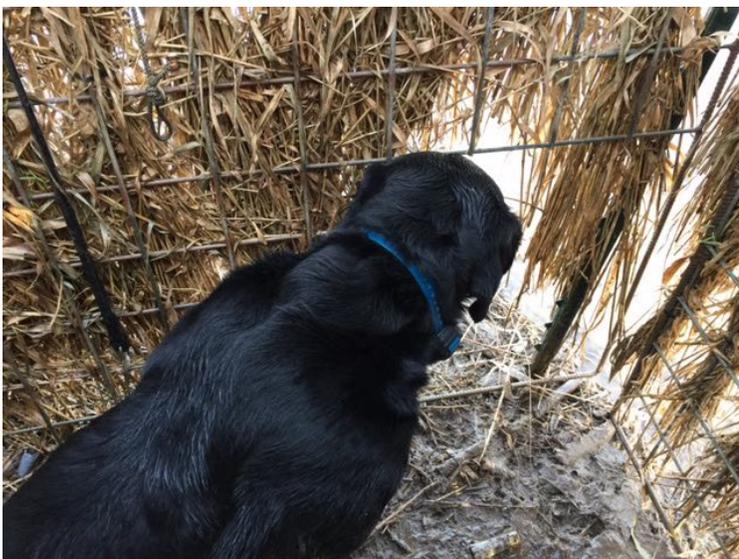
I've never had a bad day in my life, but Christmas Day came close. The good news was there were lots of people and even other dogs in the house. The bad news was, I was kept out of the action. No one asked me what I wanted for Christmas, but if they had, I would have told them I wanted B-I-R-D-S! Ducks are my favorite, but I'm not particular. Except, I'm not allowed to fetch the chickens in the back yard. No ducks for me on Christmas Day.

My human put me to bed early that night. I guess she was tired. The next thing I knew, she was rousing me from a sound sleep. It was still pretty dark outside. Experience has taught me that when we leave the house early it usually means we're going to have some fun together. I happily jumped in the car. It was a short drive to the field and still pitch dark when we arrived. I loaded in a crate in the back of a 4-wheeler and got a quick ride out to a flooded field. We had never started a day like this before! Soon I was in running water and was so excited I couldn't help but jump around. I think my human called me to heel, but I can't be sure, as the water was noisy. Then I heard it - the call of ducks on the water. We were hunting!

We went into a duck blind. It was not like the cloth blinds I'm used to at field events. This was a cozy blind made of dead grass and corn stalks with a half roof. There were chairs for humans to sit in and two holes for me to peek out and watch for ducks. As the sun came up, ducks rose off the water. My friend, Mike Forman, called the ducks. I'm not used to ducks being called from my blind so I watched Mike pretty intensely. The ducks flew toward us and the guns went off. I got so excited I ran out of the blind looking for birds! Disappointment. I was called back to the blind, as there were no ducks down. Missed shots.

Now we were scanning the sky for more ducks. When some came our way Mike would start to call. He was really good. More shots and then I had a mallard hen to retrieve! The corn stalks in the water were a little confusing and for a moment I forgot my training. I just wanted to find the duck! Then I remembered. If I line up with my human and take a 'back' command, she will help me get the bird. So, I lined up, took my human's cast and crossed a ditch and then a berm. I entered another piece of water looking for the duck. It was a runner. I stopped on my human's whistle and handled back and over, snatching up the wounded teal and quickly swimming back to deliver the bird to hand.

There was a lot of waiting between the ducks coming near us. I could hear other hunters shooting, but that was OK because they seemed to scare the ducks toward us. When Mike started to call the ducks, I would start to tremble. I was cold and wet. Steam rose off my black coat and I was flecked with mud. But mostly, I was excited and hoping they would shoot more birds. Then, Mike and



Rhonda shot again. Ducks fell behind the blind, to the side of the blind, and in the middle of a bunch of decoys. I remembered to be quiet and wait to be released to fetch them. It was an especially good day! I retrieved a mallard hen, three teal and one widgeon drake. Now I hope more holidays come quickly and that I will be invited to go hunting again. I suppose we will get back to our routine training for hunting contests. That's fun too, but nothing beats an early morning hunt with friends.

(Note from human: I translated this from Bravo. He is a very talented Labrador but has not yet learned to type. I'm fairly fluent in Labrador but his language does not always translate directly into English. Where the translations were questionable I did the best I could. I would like to thank Mike and Rhonda Forman for inviting us on a day after Christmas hunt. I would also like to thank their Lab, Doolin, for being a good sport and staying home so that Bravo could get his birds. Terrie Sato)

Page 8: top left, Bravo in blind; bottom left, Bravo looks out the peep hole.

This page: top, Bravo and Terrie waiting; middle, Bravo looks at Mike; bottom left, Terrie, and Bravo with ducks; bottom right, Terrie, Bravo and Rhonda Forman with ducks;



Your Candidates

Ram

Ram: I am honoured to volunteer for PSLRA as a Member of the .

I have experience in showing my dogs and have won ribbons at the following shows:

- | | |
|--|---------------------------|
| 1) Monroe - Jan 2013 | 5) Puyallup - June 2014 |
| 2) LRC Specialty in Lacey - Oct 2013 | 6) Elma - May 2015 |
| 3) Ridgefield - Dec 2013 (shown by wife) | 7) Puyallup - Jan 2016 |
| 4) Puyallup - Jan 2014 | 8) Enumclaw - August 2016 |

I have not had much experience in Agility or Obedience but would like to learn it as things come along. Both my dogs at home are very obedient and both are Canine Good Citizens. As far as experience in other organizations, I have been a member of the National Nominating Committee in MENSA (US) and currently serve as an Exam Proctor in the Puget Sound for MENSA (US). Also, I served two terms as President of the International Student Association at The University of Oklahoma HSC in 1996 and 1997. Additional experience includes volunteering in Cub Scouts with my younger son's Pack and Den activities.

Thanks for considering me.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any additional questions.

Sincerely, Ramdas Vaidyanathan ("Ram")

Kristen

Dear fellow Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association members,

My name is Kristen Reiter and I have accepted a nomination to serve as the 2017 Secretary for the Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association. Some of you may know me on a professional level and others from breeding/business relationships, but I suspect to most, I am an unknown. Due to other priorities, I've been a quiet bystander in the club for many years. My responsibilities have recently changed and I find myself available to take a more active role in the club that has been such a valuable resource to me.

I am no stranger to the canine industry. I have been involved with dogs in one capacity or another since I was a teenager. I was heavily engaged in the 4-H dog project for several years with a rescued Golden Retriever and later with my family's troika of Borzoi. Although none were of the quality required to compete in conformation, I was successful at the state level in showmanship and earned top obedience honors with my Borzoi at our county level.

At the age of fifteen, I gained employment as kennel staff at a small animal clinic in rural Wisconsin and progressed to veterinary assistant status by the time I'd completed high school. My positions in multiple companion animal clinics in southeast Wisconsin and northeast Illinois allowed me to pay my way through my undergraduate education and provided helpful hands-on experiences that assisted my studies in veterinary school. I graduated from the University of Wisconsin - School of Veterinary Medicine in 1996 and moved to Washington where I have spent the past twenty years practicing small animal medicine and surgery. I've worked up and down the I-5 corridor and have had the great pleasure of serving many PSLRA members and their clientele on a professional level. When I lost my last Borzoi shortly after moving to Washington, I decided my next dog would better suit my easy-going, playful personality. The Labrador has proven to be a perfect fit and has been my breed of choice for the past fourteen years. For the most part, my dogs are my companions and family members, but I do have a few who have left the comfort of the couch to earn titles in obedience and conformation. I have dabbled in field, agility and tracking, but obedience is where my passion lies.

When I'm not at work or with the dogs, you will find me spending time with my Appaloosa horses. I have ridden the entire 1,300 mile route of the Chief Joseph Trail Ride, following the Nez Perce trail from Wallowa, Oregon to the Bear Paw battlefield in Montana. I am an official photographer for the *Appaloosa Journal* and a regular contributor of articles for their publication. My national award-winning photography and fiction has been seen in various books and periodicals such as *The Legendary Appaloosa*, *Chicken Soup for the Horse Lover's Soul*, *Appaloosa Horses*, *Horse and Rider*, and *Western Horsemen*. I recently discovered my photographic skills extend into the dog show arena as well, for I had the pleasure of capturing the Pee Wee and Junior Showmanship classes at the PSLRA specialty show this year.

I look forward to serving the membership this coming year. I am excited to be assuming a more active role within the club and am certain that the year 2017 has great events in store for us!

Respectfully Submitted, Kristen Reiter, DVM

Scott

Scott: I grew up in Media, Pennsylvania and was first introduced to show dogs by my grandmother who showed Dobermans and Poodles. I have owned a Labrador since 1995. After purchasing my first show-bred Labrador in 2004, I contacted Faith Hyndman of Buckstone Labradors. Faith became my mentor along with her partner, Kendall Herr of Dickendall. From them I purchased my foundation bitch, travelled with and showed dogs with them for years until I met Becky and moved to Washington. While in Pennsylvania, I was on the board of the Philadelphia Dog Training Club and was a founding member of the Keystone Labrador Club. Scott Dannaker and the Nipntuck Labradors

Becky

Becky: I grew up showing horses and with family dogs. I bought my first Labrador out of the newspaper in 1984. I joined PSLRA that same year. She ended up winning a major at our very first dog show and went on to earn a UD and multiple all breed HITs and hunting titles. For many years I had very few dogs and put obedience and hunting titles on them all. Since that time I have bred many specialty-winning Champions, always keeping temperament and trainability an absolute priority. I was on the PSLRA Board for a number of years, have chaired the match and been on the Specialty committee. I have always enjoyed PSLRA activities. I also barrel race our four American Quarter Horses. Scott and I were married in 2014 and last year bought a five-acre farm in Duvall. Becky Dannaker and the Nipntuck Labradors

Katie

Katie: I have been a member of PSLRA since 1998. My main interest is in the conformation ring; however, I have put obedience and hunt test titles on my dogs as well. In the past we have been involved in juniors with our daughter and in the near future with my granddaughters.

In the past I have been a member and board member of the Ephrata Moses Lake Kennel club. While on the board I served on the judges panel judge selection for the main show. Within the club I participated in earth dog activities with our Parson Russel Terrier. I have ring stewarded for several all breed shows and the PSLRA Specialty.

I have a small kennel in eastern Washington that goes by Somersun.

Thank You, Katie Somers

Sonya

Sonya: I am running for a position on your Board of Directors. I have been involved in this wonderful world of Labrador Retrievers for the past 27 years. I have bred and raised dogs that perform and have titled in the show ring, the field, the obedience ring, rally and agility.

I am an active member of PSLRA, RCLRC, and CCLRC. I have been a member of PSLRA for over 10 years, I have chaired and co-chaired the PSLRA Raffle and have also been a board member in the past.

I am very proud of our club and what we have done and have strived to do in the past years. My hope for the future is that we continue to strive to promote our club, our people and our dogs to not only new patrons but also to those who would be involved as we are. Changes are always happening and we must come up with innovative ideas and ways to achieve the goals that we set for ourselves. I hope to bring new ideas and experience to help achieve those goals.

I look forward to helping our club grow and I am excited to be a part of the PSLRA Board of Directors that so many of our members have worked so hard for.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sonya Dudder

Dolce Vita Labradors

LIST OF LITTERS BORN OR EXPECTED AS OF 12/30/2016 that conform to the P.S.L.R.A. 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 P.S.L.R.A. of any litter or any one litter over another. Litters are removed from the list after 12 weeks.

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.
 - * Current eye clearances on both parents annually.
 - * At least one of each breeding pair must be tested and certified clear of EIC, PRA and CNM or be shown as CBP. 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 obtain a Litter Listing form from the PSLRA web site, to be used for ALL litters.
 - * All Breeders must update their litters each week with Nina Mann via email (harbortoplabs@gmail.com) as to the sex and color of puppies you have sold. The listing will be deleted after 12 weeks from the first litter listing date.
1. Mail or email the completed form to Nina Mann, 5706 312th St. NW, Stanwood, WA 98292-9649. Please send the \$10 listing fee to Jill Mahoney, Treasurer, by check or PayPal.
 2. Your litter notice will appear on the web site and 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, Treasurer) to show your appreciation. These donations will all be used for Lab Rescue.

Glossary: EIC: Exercise Induced Collapse. CNM: Centronuclear Myopathy. ECHO: Echocardiogram. PRA: Progressive retinal atrophy, DD, dilute clear, CBP: Clear by Parentage.

*Litter Listings:***Litter born 6/9/2016****1 BM available**

Sire: Can CH SHR Reimur's Good Humor Man RN Am/Can JH WC OFA27G, OFEL24N, LR-EYE 9/27/2015, EIC CNM, Cardiac Echo clear

Dam: Int CH CT Winroc's Winsome Winifred BN RE WC OFA26E, OFEL26N, LR-EYE 4/12/2016, CNM PRA clear

Litter: All black

Call: Lee Foote (206) 972-3165

Email: lafrh@nwlink.com

Listed: 9/23/2016, updated 12/8

Litter born 10/24/2016**5CM, 2CF available**

Sire: MyKiss Chips Ahoy
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 3/2016

Dam: Bailey Zipping Over The Moon
OFA39E, OFELL39N, ACVO 10/2015

Litter: 5 CM, 4 CF

Call: Alice Woo (425) 652-6000

Email: alice@alicewoo.com

Listed: 12/8/2016

Older dog listings:

Older Dogs listed do not need to conform to the PSLRA Code of Ethics. Prospective buyers are encouraged to ask about the needs of these dogs and why the breeder/owner has decided to place them. Many of the dogs listed have basic obedience and are housebroken.

None at this time

Sportmen's Show January 25-29, 2017

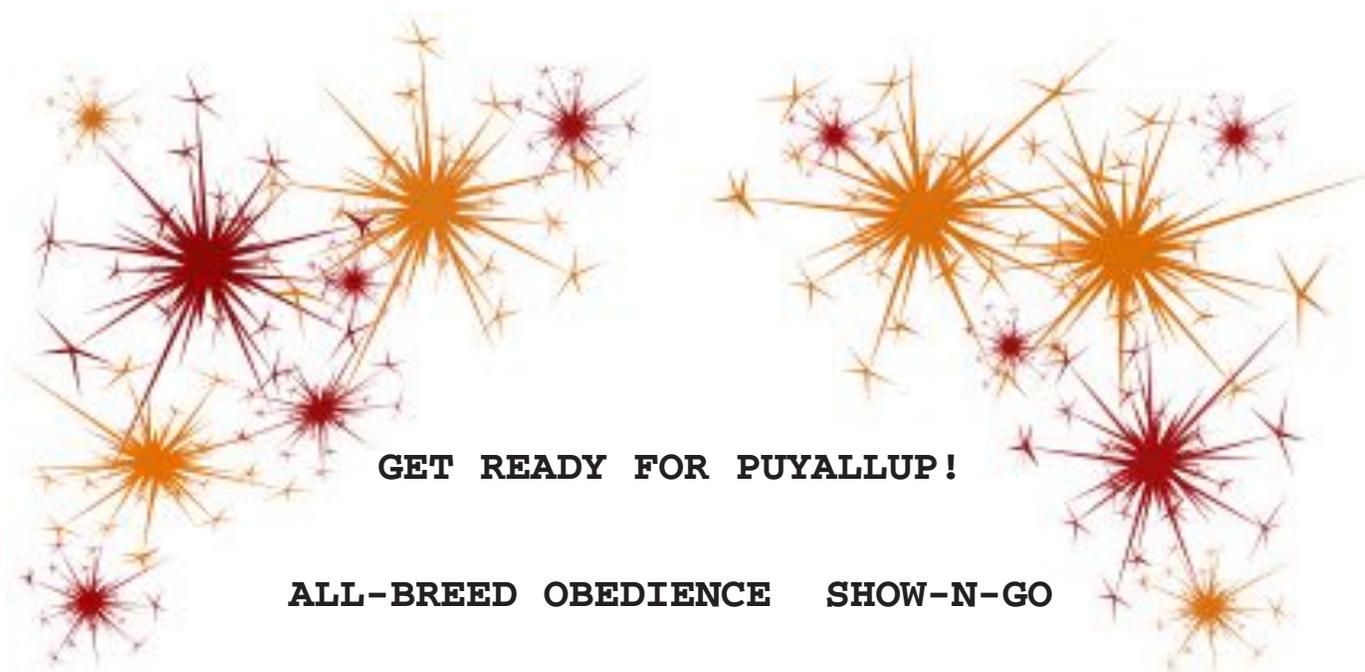
Every year PSLRA has a very informative booth at the Sportsmen's Show in Puyallup. It is a great opportunity for us to educate the public about our wonderful breed. Each year we ask our members to help as volunteers in our booth where they will greet the public and answer questions. Your Labradors are also most welcome. The show is well attended by people of all ages, including many families with small children who will want to pet your dog.

PSLRA provides printed information about our Club, everything from Labs as a breed, to how to join PSLRA, and a current breeders list and litter listing. Volunteer shifts range from two to three hours. The show runs from Wednesday morning to Sunday afternoon. Morning, afternoon, and evening shifts are available. We try to get enough volunteers to have two people in the booth at the same time. It's so much fun, and you are helping educate the public about our beloved breed.

For questions or more details on volunteering, please contact Brenda Hubbard:

brooke-lynn@msn.com

253-661-9443



GET READY FOR PUYALLUP!

ALL-BREED OBEDIENCE SHOW-N-GO

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 2017

COUNTRY CLASSIC KENNELS

9332 99th Ave NE, Arlington, WA 98223

Utility - Open - Novice

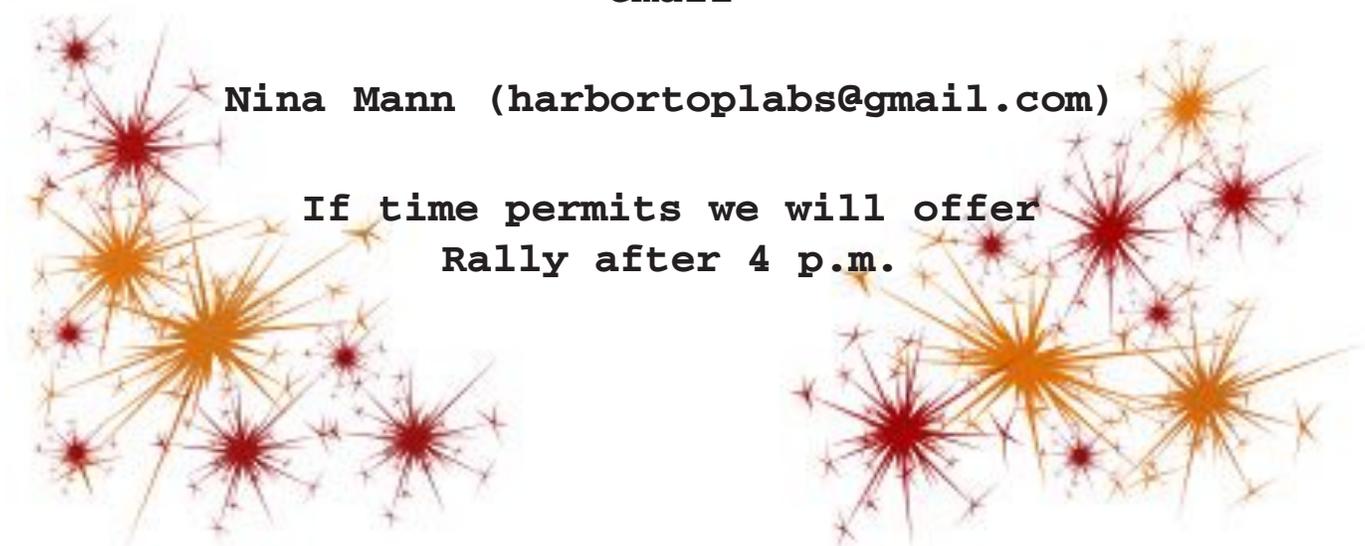
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For entry forms

email

Nina Mann (harbortoplabs@gmail.com)

**If time permits we will offer
Rally after 4 p.m.**





The Retriever Believer
Newsletter of the Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association
Web: www.pslra.org
Fran Seagren, Editor
17816 SE Green Valley Rd
Auburn, WA 98092

