

# THE RETRIEVER BELIEVER

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## President's Message

*Many of you have asked what you can do to help the canine victims of Hurricane Katrina and what we are doing as a club. I am proud to report that PSLRA has donated a total of \$2,000 to three organizations working in Louisiana rescuing and caring for animals in need. PSLRA made a donation of \$1,000 to AKC Companion Animal Recovery (CAR) Canine Support and Relief Fund, \$500 to Pasado's Safe Haven and \$500 to the Louisiana Veterinarian Medical Association. This money is providing equipment and veterinary supplies needed to save the thousands of animals who are suffering and homeless in this disaster.*

*The money for this donation came from PSLRA rescue funds. Your donations to rescue, and your raffle and basket donations at the Specialty, go into this fund. Once again PSLRA has demonstrated that we are a caring and generous club by responding to the needs of the dogs who could not escape this devastating hurricane.*

*Individual club members can also make tax-deductible donations directly to these organizations, or to other organizations of your choice who are working in the Gulf. You can get more information about what is needed and how to donate by going to their web sites, [www.akccar.org](http://www.akccar.org), [www.pasadosafehaven.org](http://www.pasadosafehaven.org) and [www.lvma.org](http://www.lvma.org).*

*Another way you can help is to foster labs that have been rescued. Go to the Labrador Retriever Club (LRC) website, [www.thelabradorclub.com](http://www.thelabradorclub.com), to volunteer.*

*Please give what you can to these efforts to help in this time of great need. Thank you very much for your concern and your help in this effort.*

*On a happier note, our fall hunt test was a great success. Thanks to the trial chairperson, Kristi Clark, the test secretary, Kimberly Dotson, the chief marshal, Liz Scott, and all who volunteered to help. Special thanks goes to club members to do not usually participate in the hunting and retrieving events but came out to support the club. Your help was greatly appreciated.*

*Our next event is our Agility Trial, October 8 and 9 at Argus Ranch for Dogs in Auburn. If you would like to help please contact Lee Foote, the trial chairperson, at [lafrh@earthlink.net](mailto:lafrh@earthlink.net). Agility is fun for dogs and exciting to watch, so consider coming to watch and help even if you are not running a dog.*

*See you there! -Jan*

## IMPORTANT DATES

*September 28 Board Meeting*  
*October 8-9 Agility Trial, Argus*  
*Ranch, Auburn, contact Lee*  
*Foote, lafrh@earthlink.net*  
*October 29 Pat Hastings*  
*Structure in Action seminar,*  
*contact Jane Cooper at*  
*509-588-6230*  
*October 26 Board Meeting*

Newsletter Information:

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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 other advertising of litters must comply with the PSLRA Code of Ethics.

**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:

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## club business

# August board meeting minutes

Becky, Ron, Stephanie, Carole, Dave, Darlene, Bea, Nina, Marlys, Jan, Kristi, and guests Julia Wilson, Misha Lynch, and Lucy Isaacson-Logan attended the meeting held August 24 at the Jacks' home.

**President's report:** Vicky Hoskinson has agreed to chair the specialty, with a few conditions. Thanks, Vicky.

**Treasurer's report:** The specialty made a decent profit this year; discussion ensued regarding why some years are profitable and others not. Much of it is related to entries and airfare costs. Entry numbers were up this year.

**Secretary's report:** The AKC sent conflicting information re approval of hunt test judges, but did eventually approve the test.

**Acknowledgements to:** Sirinda for her gift of software to the President and Secretary.

—The Board for their help at the specialty.

—MJ for redoing the trailer and sandwich boards.

—All who helped at the WC.

—Bea and Beckie for the basket raffle.

—Betsy Clagett for matching raffle money raised.

—Linda and Hugh for the raffle.

**Web page:** It was brought to the Board's attention that many of the hyperlinks on the breeder's page don't work. Misha and Julia suggested we use an outside talent to maintain the page and the links for a \$10 fee. The Board discussed this option and were hopeful the problems could be fixed in house. Misha will look into some options for the next meeting.

—Last months' minutes approved via email.

**Specialty report:** Ron submitted five different options for dealing with the canopy setup at the specialty. The current large carport canopies are difficult and time consuming to set up. The board approved purchasing some ezup type canopies to replace them. This option would save dramatically on volunteer hours.

Getting more volunteers was again discussed. We talked about reducing the need with the new canopies and encouraging others with a workers' raffle. The president received a letter of complaint from a member regarding the specialty. Specifically, the member was disturbed by the combination of

socializing during the basket auction, Team obedience not being recognized in the main ring, and the breed judging. The Board discussed options for the basket auction and decided to have minimum bids and to place the baskets outside. Team obedience was originally moved to the other ring because of distractions, but will be held in the big ring during lunch next year. As far as judging, the board acknowledged it will be difficult to please everyone, but that these judges did a marvelous job with exhibitors and are both respected for their knowledge of breed type. The judges selection committee was commended for their choices, and it was moved to continue having the previous year's specialty chair be the judge's selection committee chair the following year.

—The board discussed judges/members mileage reimbursement costs.

**Eye clinic:** PSLRA is also doing a 20/20 Optigen clinic, Laura Steward, DVM will draw blood for this and is also microchipping dogs. Marlys Swanson will help Laura with blood draws.

**Hunt Test:** Discussed judges' dinner, the need for four new poppers and ice chests. Moved and seconded to purchase.

Volunteers are needed as the Master Tests are huge this year because the '06 Master National is in California. The board is discussing fees and changing date to July.

**Rescue:** PSLRA rescue funds are well stocked. We might use raffle funds in the future to support other PSLRA events.

—The board discussed the mailing recently send by an anonymous sender using PSLRA as its return address.

**PSLRA did NOT send this information.** Meeting adjourned at 10 p.m.

## Membership

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## A Dog for All Reasons

- ...Conformation
- ...Field
- ...Obedience
- ...Agility
- ...Therapy
- ...Tracking

The Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association  
is proud to congratulate these dogs, owned and/or bred by our members,  
on earning their All Around and Versatility Awards.

### PSLRA 2005 All-Around Awards

Int. CH Harbortop Hunts-On Shock and Awe JH CD CGC WC  
bred/owned by Nina Mann and Karen Coulombe

Intl CH Sunnyside Midnight Challenge CD WC  
bred by Linda Maffett, owned by Greg Phillips

Intl CH Harbortop's Death By Chocolate JH Am/Can CD WC  
bred by Nina Mann, owned by Heide Savidge

Intl CH HiMoon The Duke at Clovercreek CD JH  
bred by Lucy Isaacson-Logen, owned by Kimberly Dotson

Can CH Jandor's Scarlett Can CD JH WC Am WC  
bred/owned by Janet Healy

Intl CH Merganser's Hi-Rollin Hudson SH CD CC WC  
owned by Liz and Craig Scott

Am Intl CH MsT's Dusti Winds Over Char-Don CD WC  
bred /owned by Terry McFadden

Intl CH Winroc Pedal To The Metal TDX SH AX MXJ  
bred/owned by Lee Foote

CH ShaRay's Ezra JH CD WC  
bred/owned by Sharon Edwards

Intl CH Winroc Quintessence JH TD AX AXJ  
owned by Lee Foote

### PSLRA 2005 Versatility Awards

Duckndogs Bella Huxley CDX NA NAJ Pet Partner  
owned by Jan Palumbo

Fawnhaven's Winter Rose CDX OA NAJ WC Pet Partner  
owned by Jan Palumbo



The Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association  
originator of the award for the All-Around Dog  
is very proud of our strictly show-bred Master Hunters!

CH Aliho's Igloo Iggy CDX MH  
bred/owned by Elaine Brock

CH Bayview's Aliho Denali MH  
bred by Kim Tyler, owned by Elaine Brock

Am/Can CH Fawnhaven Hard Act To Follow CD MH  
bred/owned by Don and Barb Ironside

Can CH Harbortop's Just in Case MH Can WCX  
bred/owned by Nina Mann

CH Harbortop's Redwick Valhalla MH  
bred by Nina Mann, owned by Steve and Julie Kirk

U-UD HR Nomad Take The High Road TD MH UDX Can CD WC CGC  
bred by Damon Gallegos, owned by Terrie Sato

CH MHR Romany Sun Jester CD MH WCA  
bred by Sandy Wasson, owned by Alan Kottwitz

ShaRay's Tara of Whidbey CD MH Pet Partner CGC WC  
bred by Sharon Edwards, owned by Ron Perry

Can CH & MOTCH Ye Olde Chimney Sweep of Twigs WCX GMH  
bred/owned by Gordon and Bonnie McGhie

Interlochen's Showdown MH  
bred by Walli Roarke, owned by Don and Cheri Wildes

Intl CH Interlochen's High Ho Silver MH  
bred by Walli Roarke, owned by Don and Cheri Wildes

## 2005 PSLRA Specialty Results

### **SWEEPSTAKES**

*Judge: Mrs. Jennifer Kelley*

#### **Puppy Dogs 6-9 months**

1 **Nipntuck Cameo Apple Cart**

Owner: Vicky Hoskinson

2 **Wyntercreek Knotty Walker**

Owners: Jill Mahoney, Mary Jane Sarbaugh

3 **Sharay Clearly Artesian**

Owners: Marlys Swanson, Sharon Edwards

4 **Envercreek's American Tail**

Owners: Michelle Tamboline, Nancy Ingham

#### **Puppy Dogs 9-12 months**

1 **Hanova Iragorri Master Blend**

Owners: Wendy and Katherine Knox

2 **Hyspire Come Out Swingin'**

Owners: Judy Helm, Vonnie Russell, Lisa Da Ross

3 **Riverlane Ghoststone's Hot Rod Lincoln**

Owners: Judy and Scott Chambers

4 **Cambria's Sovereign Light**

Owner: Lorraine Murray

#### **Dogs 12-15 months**

1 **Harlequin's Pure Religion**

Owners: Todd and Diane Sullenberger

2 **Spiritwood's Timberline Thunder**

Owner: Valerie Bradshaw

3 **Wyndrush Gimmebakto Cheshire**

Owners: Laura Berger, Dana Sullivan

4 **Bayviews Scooby**

Owner: Kim Tyler

#### **Dogs 15-18 months**

1 **Westriver's Chains Required**

Owners: Susan and Greg Huntzinger

2 **Westdale Come Hail Or Hi Water**

Owner: Ellen Sparks

3 **Snowberry Blackthorn Bravissimo**

Owners: Barbara and Robert Gilchrist

4 **Devonshires Stash**

Owner: Allison Hillius

#### **Puppy Bitches 6-9 months**

1 **Ducktale's And On And On**

Owners: V. Jones, T.Keller, D. Villa

2 **Ghoststone's Hollywood Blond**

Owners: Judy and Scott Chambers

3 **Nipntuck Applesauce**

Owner: Rebecca Jack

4 **Cougar Creek Oso Lyrical**

Owner: Cecilie Drege

#### **Puppy Bitches 9-12 months**

1 **Mainland's Saratoga Passage**

Owner: Chris Fliflet

2 **B-Mor Rise-n-Shine**

Owner: Bea Ferguson

3 **Cougar Creek Arwen At Liberty**

Owners: Misha Lynch, Betsy Clagett

4 **Somersett's Lady Abigail**

Owners: James and Jeanette Berry

#### **Bitches 12-15 months**

1 **Hyspire It Had To Be You**

Owners: S. Ramsey, J. Helm, L. Da Ross, V. Russell

2 **Synnydaze Harlequin Southern Comfort**

Owners: Diane Sullenberger, Linda Maffett

3 **Sharays With Honor And Joy**

Owners: Sharon Edwards, Tim Edings

4 **Breton Gate Royal Troon**

Owner: Betty Barkley

#### **Bitches 15-18 months**

1 **Westriver Grab A Jacket**

Owners: Ellen Sparks, Susan Huntzinger

2 **Blackrivers Black Ice**

Owner: Donna Yadeskie

3 **Laurlgen Ivorygale Of Blackthorn**

Owners: Barbara and Robert Gilchrist

4 **Cougar Creek Cliche**

Owner: Cecilie Drege

### **Best In Sweepstakes**

**Westriver Grab A Jacket**

Owners: Ellen Sparks, Susan Huntzinger

### **Best Of Opposite Sex**

**Westriver's Chains Required**

Owners: Susan and Greg Huntzinger

### **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

*Judge: Mrs. Jennifer Kelley*

#### **Dogs 7-9 years**

1 **CH Nipntuck Raging Spirit CD JH**

Owner: Deborah Neal

2 **CH Cameo's Brigadier General**

Owner: Vicky Hoskinson

3 **CH Fawnhaven Hard Act To Follow MH**

Owners: Barbara and Don Ironside

4 **CH Sterlings Limited Edition CD JH**

Owner: Marilyn Parker

#### **Dogs 9-11 years**

1 **CH Chartwell's Crown Jewels CDX NA NAJ JH**

Owners: Laura Berger, Tony and Carol Ciavarelli

2 **CH Sharay Abraham of Greenbank TD CD NA NAJ WC**

Owners: Jan Skewes and Ray Smith

#### **Dogs 11 years and older**

1 **CH Nipntuck Arncha Bold JH CD**

Owner: Rebecca Jack

#### **Bitches 7 - 9 years**

1 **CH Nipntuck Twinkle In Our Eyes**

Owners: Rebecca Jack and Cindy Frost

2 **Blackwater's Remarkable**

Owner: Jo Fleming

3 **Sharays Wildfire**

Owners: Christy Hoagland and Sharon Edwards

#### **Bitches 9-11 years**

1 **CH Hollybrooke Moondance Muse JH**

Owner: Lucy Isaacson-Logen

2 **Brelan Morning Mist**

Owner: Joni Willing

3 **Bayviews Star Attraction**

Owner: Debbie Needham

4 **Bayviews Big Splash JH CD**

Owners: Al and Chantel Nahoopii

### **Best In Veteran Sweepstakes**

**CH Nipntuck Raging Spirit CD JH**

### **Best Opposite in Veteran Sweepstakes**

**CH Nipntuck Twinkle In Our Eyes**

### **LABRADOR RETRIEVERS**

*Judge: Mrs. Jill Ickowski*

#### **Puppy Dogs 6-9 months**

1 **Nipntuck Cameo Apple Cart**

Owner: Vicky Hoskinson

2 **Envercreek's American Tail**

Owners: Michelle Tamboline, Nancy Ingham

3 **Glacier Peak's Greek Warrior**

Owners: Steve and Allison Welters

4 **Sharay Clearly Artesian**

Owners: Marlys Swanson, Sharon Edwards

#### **Puppy Dogs 9-12 months**

1 **Hanova Iragorri Master Blend**

Owners: Wendy and Katherine Knox

2 **Riverlane Ghoststone's Hot Rod Lincoln**

Owners: Judy and Scott Chambers

3 **Hyspire Come Out Swingin'**

Owners: Judy Heim, Vonnie Russell, Lisa Da Ross

4 **Himoon's Lunar Eclipse**

Owners: James and Jeanette Berry

#### **Dogs, 12-18 months**

1 **Devonshires Stash**

Owner: Allison Hillius

2 **Westdale Come Hail Or Hi Water**

Owner: Ellen Sparks

3 **Snoberry Blackthorn Bravissimo**

Owners: Barbara and Robert Gilchrist

### **4 Harlequin's Pure Religion**

Owners: Todd and Diane Sullenberger

### **Novice Dogs**

1 **Bayviews Scooby**

Owner: Kim Tyler

### **Bred By Exhibitor Dogs**

1 **Decoys Daydream Believer**

Owner: Judy Davis

2 **Westriver's Chains Required**

Owners: Susan and Greg Huntzinger

3 **Nipntuck It's A Dog's Life**

Owners: Donna Shuman, Becky Jack

4 **Fawnhaven Indigo Jones**

Owners: Don and Barb Ironside, Rose Goche

### **American Bred Dogs**

1 **The Flying Fortress Hunts-On CD JH**

Owner: Karen Coulombe

2 **Greenviews Marcin GR8 Northern**

Owner: Cindy Frost

3 **Rocking M's Go For The Gusto KC**

Owner: Kristi Clark

4 **Fawnhaven's Master Gunery SGT**

Owners: John and Jean Young

### **Open Dogs - Black**

1 **Winnie's Manpower JH**

Owner: Wendy Knox

2 **Skyfire Sofa King Smokey Moe**

Owner: Bruce Robinson

3 **Himoon's Touch Of Frost**

Owners: Michael and Leslie Douglas

4 **Blackthorn Frankly My Dear**

Owners: Rebecca, and Charles Tufts

### **Open Dogs - Chocolate**

1 **Fawnhaven's Mischief Maker Delphi JH**

Owners: Darlene Pado, Don and Barb Ironside

2 **Fawnhaven's Double Shot**

Owners: Don and Barb Ironside

3 **Lavender Hills JP Sir Thomas**

Owner: Nina Mann

### **Open Dogs - Yellow**

1 **Himoon The Duke At Clovercreek JH CD**

Owners: Kimberly and Chris Dotson

2 **Tapeatom Gentry**

Owner: Lorraine Murray

3 **Ghoststone's Boomtown JH**

Owner: Shelah Frey

4 **Romany Cimarron Leading Man**

Owners: Sandra Wasson, Earnest J. Robinson Jr.

### **Winners Dog**

**Winnie's Manpower JH**

Owner: Wendy Knox

### **Reserve Winners Dog**

**Skyfire Sofa King Smokey Moe**

Owner: Bruce Robinson

### **Puppy Bitches 6-9 months**

1 **Wynhill's Funny Girl At Shadowbrook**

Owners: Michael and Kimberlee Silva

2 **Cougar Creek Oso Lyrical**

Owner: Cecilie Drege

3 **Nipntuck Applesauce**

Owner: Rebecca Jack

4 **Drayton Harbors Black Magic Woman**

Owners: Julia and Gordon Wilson

### **Puppy Bitches 9-12 months**

1 **Whistle Stop Secret Polka Dot**

Owner: Martha Shaw

2 **Cougar Creek Arwen At Liberty**

Owner: Misha Lynch, Betsy Clagett

3 **Skye's Ready Willing N Mabel**

Owner: Valerie Jones

4 **Himoon At Isabella Lake**

Owners: Jeff and Cathy Hakola

### **Bitches 12-18 months**

1 **Hyspire It Had To Be You**

Owners: S. Ramsey, J. Heim, I. Da Ross, V. Russell

**2 Laurglen Ivorygale Of Blackthorn**

Owners: Barbara and Robert Gilchrist

**3 Westriver Grab A Jacket**

Owners: Ellen Sparks, Susan Huntzinger

**4 Sterling's Moonstruck**

Owner: Marilyn Parker

**Novice Bitches****1 Cougar Creek Takes On-Ta-Know-One**

Owner: Cecilie Drege

**2 Harbortop Death By Chocolate JH CD**

Owner: Heide Savidge

**Bred By Exhibitor Bitches****1 Whistle Stop Bee Charmer**

Owner: Martha Shaw

**2 Nipntuck Congeniality**

Owner: Rebecca Jack

**3 Shadowbrook's Hemingway**

Owners: Michael and Kimberlee Silva

**4 Hyspire Hot Pocket**

Owners: Judy Heim, Vonnie Russell, Lisa Da Ross

**American Bred Bitches****1 Ghoststone's Riverlanes I'm No Angel**

Owners: Susan Huntzinger, Judy Chambers

**2 Nipntucks Dory At Draytonharbor**

Owners: Julia and Gordon Wilson

**3 Willoridge's Bring it On**

Owner: Greg Phillips

**4 Nipntuck I Wish I May**

Owners: Misha Lynch, Betsy Claggett, Rebecca Jack

**Open Bitches - Black****1 Hyspire Chinatown**

Owners: Judy Heim, Vonnie Russell, Lisa Da Ross

**2 Skyfire Nipntuck Havin' a Ball**

Owners: Donna Shuman, Becky Jack

**3 Ghoststones' Woodland Gossip**

Owners: Lisa Cruanas, Judy Chambers

**4 Skyfire's On The Line**

Owner: Stephanie Harris

**Open Bitches - Chocolate****1 Nipntuck Miss American Pie**

Owner: Rebecca Jack

**2 Nipntuck Skyfire Too Much Fun**

Owner: Stephanie Harris

**3 Tracy's Sidekick At Alibi**

Owners: Cynthia Freeman, Cyndee Parent, Kim Jacobson

**4 Skyfire's Phoenix**

Owners: Mike and Jennifer Hajny

**Open Bitches - Yellow****1 Hyspire Maritime Serenade**

Owners: Julie Jussaume, J. Heim, V. Russell, L. DaRoss

**2 Blackthorn's Charisma**

Owner: Lisa Cruanas

**3 Blackthorn's Chatty Cathy**

Owners: Barbara and Robert Gilchrist

**4 Tapeatom Sovereign Reign**

Owner: Lorraine Murray

**Winners Bitch****Nipntuck Miss American Pie**

Owner: Rebecca Jack

**Reserve Winners Bitch****Hyspire Maritime Serenade**

Owners: Julie Jussaume, J. Heim, V. Russell, L. DaRoss

**Veteran Dogs 7-9 years****1 CH Decoys Shake Rattle-N-Roll**

Owner: Judy Davis

**2 CH Cameo's Brigadier General**

Owner: Vicky Hoskinson

**3 Ch Romany Regulus CD**

Owners: Earnest Robinson Jr., Sandra Wasson

**4 Ch Sterling's Limited Edition CD JH**

Owner: Marilyn Parker

**Veteran Dogs 9-11 years****1 Ch Beechcroft's Formal Attire**

Owners: Michael and Kimberlee Silva

**2 Ch Chartwell's Crown Jewels CDX NA NAJ JH**

Owners: Laura Berger, Carol and Tony Ciavarelli

**3 Ch Sharay Abraham Of Greenbank TD CD NA**

NAJ WC

Owners: Jan Skewes, Raymond Smith

**Veteran Dogs 11years and older****1 CH Nipntuck Archa Bold JH CD**

Owner: Rebecca Jack

**Hunting Retriever Dogs****1 Himoon The Duke At Clovercreek JH CD**

Owners: Kimberly and Chris Dotson

**2 Ghoststone's Boomtown JH**

Owner: Shelah Frey

**3 Ch Fawnhaven Hard Act To Follow CD MH**

Owner: Barbara and Don Inrside

**4 Sterling's Buster Brown JH**

Owner: Marilyn Parker

**Veteran Bitches 7-9 years****1 Ch Nipntuck Twinkle In Our Eyes**

Owners: Rebecca Jack, Cindy Frost

**2 Ch Canali's Winner**

Owners: Helene Arthur, Cheryl Young

**3 Blackwater's Remarkable**

Owner: Jo Fleming

**4 Sharays Wildfire**

Owners: Sharon Edwards, Christy Hoagland

**Veteran Bitches 9-11 years****1 Ch Hollybrooke Moondance Muse JH**

Owner: Lucy Isaacson-Logan

**2 Scrimshaw Heartaquack**

Owner: Cathy Tweedale

**3 Bayviews Star Attraction**

Owner: Debbie Needham

**4 Bayviews Big Splash JH CD**

Owners: Chantel and Al Nahoopii

**Hunting Retriever Bitches****1 Makaila's Callie Brekke JH**

Owners: Neil and Elaine Gill

**2 Timberline Annie Get Yr Gun JH CD**

Owners: Kimberly and Chris Dotson

**3 Bayview Amarillo At Daybreak CDX JH**

Owner: Debbie Needham

**4 Harbortop Death By Chocolate JH CD**

Owner: Heide Savidge

**Best of Breed****CH Orion's Riverlane Rendezvous**

Owners: Susan Huntziger, Joanne Hanscom

**Best Of Opposite Sex****Ch Shadowbrook's Just Ducky**

Owners: Michael and Kimberlee Silva

**Stud Dog Class****1 Ch Shadowbrook's Just Ducky**

Owners: Michael and Kimberlee Silva

**2 Ch Sharays Ezra JH**

Owners: Sharon and Randy Edwards

**3 Ch Vallivue Creo Of Hiltonhall**

Owners: Vicki and Alisha Barnhart

**Brood Bitch Class****1 Himoon Takes Twota Tango CD**

Owner: Cecilie Drege

**2 Sharays Fair Emma**

Owners: Sharon and Ray Edwards, Marlys Swanson

**Versatility Dogs****1 The Flying Fortress Hunts-On CD JH**

Owner: Karen Coulombe

**2 Ch Sharay Abraham Of Greenbank TD CD NA**

NAJ WC

Owners: Jan Skewes, Raymond Smith

**3 Winroc XLT Funnel Cloud VCD1 TDX MH**

MX MXJ

Owners: Lee Foote, Mrs. A. L. Foote

**Versatility Bitches****1 Winroc Pedal To The Metal TDX SH AX MXJ**

Owner: Lee Foote

**2 Winroc Quintessence JH TD OA AXJ**

Owners: Lee Foote, Mrs. A. L. Foote

**Best Versatility****The Flying Fortress Hunts-On CD JH****All Around Labrador Dogs****1 Ch Nipntuck Raging Spirit CD JH**

Owner: Deborah Neal

**2 Himoon The Duke At Clovercreek JH CD**

Owners: Kimberly and Chris Dotson

**3 Ch Chartwell's Crown Jewels CDX NA NAJ JH**

Owners: Laura Berger, Carol and Tony Ciavarelli

**4 Ch Sharay Abraham Of Greenbank TD CD NA**

NAJ WC

Owners: Jan Skewes, Raymond Smith

**All Around Labrador Bitches****1 Wyntercreek Glory Be CD**

Owner: Mary Jane Sarbaugh

**2 Timberline Annie Get Yr Gun JH CD**

Owners: Kimberly and Chris Dotson

**3 Wyntercreek Ryder At Blu Top CD**

Owner: Jennifer Hajny

**Best All Around****Ch Nipntuck Raging Spirit CD JH****Best Junior handler**

Aaron Bradshaw

## Island and Pacific Labrador Retriever Club Annual Specialty

Abbotsford, British Columbia

October 27: Sweepstakes and Confirmation

Judging Panel: Ms. Valerie Walters  
(Ranboune), Pierrefonds Quebec:  
Regular, Non-Regular, and Unofficial  
Michael Wiest (Beechcroft) Warren NJ:  
Yearling and Veteran Sweeps

The show is held in conjunction with  
the Lower Mainland Dog Fanciers of  
BC, the largest All Breed shows in  
Canada. There will be five sets of  
points on the weekend.

For more information about the Lower  
Mainland Dog Fanciers shows go to:  
[http://](http://www.lowermainlanddogfanciersofbc.com/)  
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Show Secretary Western Dog Shows.  
Closing Date Noon PDT September 28.  
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# PSLRA Juniors

The PSLRA kids have had a busy summer. There have been dog shows, hunt tests and 4-H club competitions. These kids work hard and are great competitors, dog handlers and trainers. The results of the specialty Junior Handler class are as follows:

Junior Showmanship, Judge Mrs. Lisa Cruanas

## *Novice Junior Class*

- 1 Katherine Jack showing Nipntuck Congeniality
- 2 Kayla Johns showing Vallivue Mulan Rogue
- 3 Micaela Phillips showing Willowridge Bring It On
- 4 Jessica Dotson showing Himoon The Duke At Clovercreek

## *Novice Intermediate Class*

- 1 Jessica Harris showing Skyfire's Just Lucky I Guess
- 2 Jacob Core showing Rastus Rufus Black

## *Open Junior Class*

- 1 Aaron Bradshaw showing Wywrwnd's Deep Spirit Rising RN

*Best Junior Showman:* Aaron Bradshaw

Our youngsters often compete in Junior Handler classes at shows throughout the year and take advantage of fun matches to practice their skills. They also can be seen in the obedience ring. PSLRA is mighty proud of its young membership!



Juniors shown above at the 2005 Specialty are: top, left to right, Jessica Harris singing the National Anthem to open the specialty; Kate Jack helping her mom, Becky, by showing Nipntuck Makin Waves while judge Jill Ickowski looks on; bottom left to right, Jessica Dotson shows Jake in Junior Showmanship; Lee Foote's daughter, Clarissa, sits ringside to share a story with her grandmother; right column, top, Brittany Needham and Lulu; bottom right column, Kawai Nahoopi and Cee Jay.

## Braggs

**Am/Can/Int CH Devonshires Bracken CD** received his second wing toward his JH at the PSLRA hunt test. Bracken is owned by Joni Willing and handled and trained by Bryant Meyer.

**CH Somerset Solar Flair WC** finished her championship title at the Nisqually Kennel Club show by going Best of Breed. Sophie is bred and owned by Merlyn and Jennifer Foote.

On Sunday, September 4, Murphy (**Int'l CH Fawnhaven Mischief Maker Delphi JH WC CGC**) won Winners Dog for three CKC points at the Kamloops and District Kennel Club Show. On Friday and Saturday, Murphy was RWD. Murphy now has six CKC points. The brown boy is co-owned and loved by Darlene Pado, Barb Ironside and Don Ironside.

**Can Ch Fawnhaven Hunter O'Snowyriver JH** got his first Rally Novice leg at the PSLRA Specialty on August 5 and his second leg at the Sammamish K.C. show on August 28. One more to go and he'll qualify for his All Around Award! Owned by Barb and Don Ironside.



Two Titles In One Weekend! **Can Ch Fawnhaven Double Shot JH** (aka Teddy The Bear), shown above with Barb as judges Chris Dotson and Mary Beth Lamb look on, finished his Canadian

Championship on September 8 and his Junior Hunter title on September 11. Teddy is owned and bred by Barb and Don Ironside.

**CH ShaRay's Nikolas of Whidbey JH** went BOB and took a Group 3 win at the Sammamish Kennel Club show on August 28 at Marymoor Park. Pictured below, Nick was bred by Sharon Edwards; co-owned by Sharon and by Ron Perry. Skilled handling in BOB by Tonya Struble and in Group by JoAnna Matthisen.



Hailee Drege was Reserve Grand Champion, over all the obedience competitors for the entire run of the Evergreen State Fair (finals/runoffs) with her little cattle dog, **Zoe of Cougar Creek, CDX, CGC!** Yahoo! She first earned a championship competing from the Open B/Utility class and has done all of her own training.

Jazzy finished her JH title at the PSLRA test. She's now **WindyCanyon's Fulla Jazz CD JH RN CC**. Not bad for 21 months... now onto agility and CDX! Jazz is owned and

bred by Anne Swindeman.

**Am Can Ch Timberline Big Ben At Fawnhaven SH** finished his American Championship on September 18 at the

Wenatchee K.C. show. Bred by Beckie and Bob Jensen. Owned by Barb and Don Ironside

**Shilshole's Shift'n Gears SH** finished his senior hunter title at the PSLRA hunt test. Clutch was bred by Bob Gunther and is owned and trained by Terrie Sato.

Dusti (**Am Intl Ch Ms T's Dusti Winds Over Char-Don CD RN WC**), took BOB at the Prescott KC show on Saturday, September 17, and earned her second Rally Novice leg. Sunday she earned her third Rally Novice leg and finished her title in three straight (she wasn't entered in BOB). Tio (**Am Intl Ch SR Belgairn Pictionary WC**) took BOS to Dusti. Both dogs are owned by Terri McFadden.

**Winroc Racey Rosalie OA, NAJ, NAC, NJC, NGC** completed her Open Standard title at the Bell-Vernon Kennel Club trial at Oak Harbor with a first place run on September 17;

trained and handled by Kate Schottman, loved and adored by Kate Schottman and Phyllis Miller, bred by Lee Foote.

**Rachel Elana AX, NAP, MXJ, OJP, EAC, EAC-V, EJC, Outstanding-EJC-V, OTC, P1, CGC, Pet Partner** earned a second place Q in Open Standard Preferred and a first place Q in Excellent Jumpers Preferred on September 17 and 18 at the Bell-Vernon Kennel Club trial at Oak Harbor; trained and handled by Kate Schottman, loved and adored by Kate Schottman and Phyllis Miller.

The Chocolate Rocket, **Daybreaks Chocolate Splash At Koa, CD, WC, CGC** is one step closer to her fourth title at barely 16 months old. She qualified for her third Junior Hunter wing at the PSLRA test September 11. Kainalu is trained, handled, loved and spoiled by the Koa Labrador Gang.

# A Northwest Therapy Dog in the Big Apple

By Christi Dudzik

The following is an excerpt of a story I wrote about a powerful encounter between one very brave little boy, Shug, and me. Shug is our Golden Retriever and a registered therapy dog. We have been working together in hospitals for the past six years. Because of this story, Shug was nominated by Delta Society® as the Pet Partner® representative, for the Pedigree® “Paws to Recognize” award. To read the complete story about Shug and his little buddy, please visit [www.healingpaws.com](http://www.healingpaws.com) and click on the “What’s New” button.



Christi and Shug look right at home on the yellow carpet.

This is a story about something that never should have happened. This is a story about a small child who was attacked by a pack of wild dogs. His body was severely mauled, and he was in the process of being dragged into the bushes by his head when he was rescued. His rescuer was his grandmother who also was attacked and bitten as she fought off the dogs. The boy was airlifted to Harborview Medical Center in Seattle, Washington. That’s where Shug and I entered the picture. Shug and I had the honor of working with this child. While the outstanding medical team at Harborview treated his wounds, Shug treated his emotions. This child, his parents, and grandmother put their trust in Shug and me. Trusting what? Trusting that we would do no further damage, physically or emotionally.

Shug and I were flown to New York City to accept the award given by Pedigree. We were in some amazing company because along with Shug representing

Therapy Dogs, there were four other dogs representing the categories of Search and Rescue (Keyotae – Bloodhound), Service (Jenner – Golden Retriever), War (Boris – Belgian Malinois), and Border Patrol (Jacko – Belgian Malinois). There were several months of voting on Pedigree’s website for the one dog that would be named “Canine Hero of the Year.” Following is a recap of Shug’s adventure in the Big Apple.

Let me begin by telling you Shug didn’t win the Canine of the Year award. That being said, I’ll tell you about the wonderful time we had in New York. It was an honor for Shug to represent the therapy teams who are registered with Delta Society Pet Partners. It was also an honor to be in the presence of each of the dogs who represented other “dogs of service” categories. Their pictures didn’t do them justice. It almost brought me to

tears when I looked at each of these dogs and thought about their work. They were wonderful representatives of their breeds and of their lines of work. The winner was the border patrol dog, Jacko. He was one intense animal! His handler was a gentle, easy going, nice guy named Clay. I asked Clay how Jacko was at home. He told me that once Jacko’s working vest was off and he was home, he liked to spend a lot of time curled up in his wife’s lap. That was hard to believe, when looking at this dog who was “on” every time I saw him. Bless Jacko’s heart, he thought he was working the whole time he was in New York because he had on his working vest whenever he went out of the hotel. He actually alerted on two parked cars (for drugs) while out for a bathroom walk. This isn’t taking anything away from the other dogs, but if Shug couldn’t win the overall award, I wanted Jacko to

win. My reason was that, from his story, he has had the most far-reaching impact on society. He has been instrumental in getting tons of illegal drugs off the streets and has saved the lives (for better or for worse) of many illegal immigrants trying to smuggle themselves over the border in wooden boxes on trucks. If he hadn’t alerted on the boxes, the people inside might have suffocated before reaching their destination. Each dog had a story to tell and they were all impressive.

Since Shug was allowed to fly in the cabin, he and I prepared for the trip by going to Boeing Field in Seattle. My hat is off to the Boeing Company for providing us this opportunity. I was much more confident that the trip would go smoothly after having Shug go on a couple of the planes on Boeing’s flight line. Because of this preparation, Shug did well on the plane ride to and from



Christi, Shug and the other finalists rode to the event in style in a stretch Hummer.

New York, but he did pant the entire way going across the country. He seemed a little more settled on the trip back home, but still panted. At one point on the return trip he turned around in his seat (yes, he had a seat) and saw all the people behind him. He gave them a big old smile and kind of nodded his head at them. I heard chuckles and remarks of “look at the dog.” Once again, Shug seemed to think they had all gotten on this “moving room” just to see him. On the return flight, we

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were about one and one-half hours late in taking off, so by the time we landed, Shug was just about on his toenails. I got him off the plane, and we literally ran through the terminal to the outside. Just in time, too. Woo hoo, a close one.

While in the city, Shug had the pleasure of riding in cabs, lying down beside the table at outside restaurants, playing with other city dogs at an off-leash dog park, taking a carriage ride in Central Park, and watching some break dancers do their thing, also in Central Park. He and I walked up Fifth Avenue, Park Avenue, Madison Avenue, went to see the *Today Show* studio (they weren't on the air at the time), and went to Rockefeller Center. We had dinner with good friends, Cheri and Dave Frei. It was wonderful seeing them again.

We rode in a Hummer limo with all the other dogs, handlers, and visitors who came with us to the award ceremony. Since a couple of the dogs didn't seem to want to be nice to each other, they kept putting Shug in as a buffer. He was one of the buffers in the limo and was a buffer on stage at the ceremony. We were right beside Boris, who was the war dog. Boris sniffed at Shug then snorted as if to say, "You pipsqueak, you aren't worth my time." I was thinking, "That's right, Boris. Shug is a pipsqueak and really isn't worth your time." Boris' handler told me he was a big baby. But his look was nothing short of pure intimidation. All went well. At the ceremony, Shug received a beautiful glass plaque with his name etched in it, and a medal was placed around each dog's neck.

On Thursday before we left, we had the pleasure of going to Cheri Frei's facility where she is the Director of Pastoral Care. Shug and I visited with one of the patients. It was very touching. Even with Shug being off work for the summer, he jumped right back in. He knew his role. So, there you have it. Shug Does New York. And, he did it with style. We have pictures to prove it. It was quite a ride!



Shown above top, Susan Huntziger has a chat with Westriver's Chains Required while judge Jennifer Kelley looks over the line up; center left, Bea Ferguson moves Hannah while judge Jill Ickowski observes; right, Vicky Hoskinson stacks Apple for Judge Jill Ickowski; bottom, the Nipstuck gang competes for the Breeders Cup.

**LIST OF LITTERS BORN OR EXPECTED AS OF 09/04/05 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 50<sup>th</sup> 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, Penn Hip or OVC clearance must not be bred before the age of 12 months, 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 Marlys if you need a Litter Listing form, to be used for ALL litters.**
  - All Breeders must update their litters each week with Marlys Swanson via email (marlyss982@aol.com) 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: **Marlys Swanson, 3512 – 93<sup>rd</sup> Place NE, Marysville, WA 98270.**
  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 Marlys Swanson) to show your appreciation. These donations will all be used for Lab Rescue.

**LITTER LISTING FORMS** available from Marlys Swanson

**Litter born 04/25/05**

**(Available 1BF, 1 BM)**

Sire: Desert Coal Train

OFA 25G, OFEL 24, ACVO 2/27/05

Dam: Rocking M's Blu-Chip Emerald SH

OFA 24G, OFEL 24, ACVO 2/27/05

Litter: 2BM, 2BF

Contact: Bryant and Cindy Meyer (253) 846-9583

Email: rockingmlabs@qwest.net

Listed: 8/29/05

Spanaway, WA

**Litter born 4/26/05**

**(Available 1 YM)**

Sire: Cimarron Sam-I-Am at Cougarcreek

OFA 24E, OFEL 24, CERF 7/20/04, Heart clear

Dam: Can CH Skyfire's Trick Pony at Willordidge

OFA 25G, OFEL 25, ACVO 10/14/04

Contact: Stephanie Harris (509) 925-1259

email: stephanie@skyfirelabs.com

Listed 08/06/05

Ellensburg, WA

**Litter born 6/19/05**

**(Available 1 BM)**

Sire: Koa Maui Da Hawaiian Supaman, CD JH

OFA 24G, OFEL 24, CERF 5/8/04, OFA Heart clear

Dam: Daybreak Hot Chocolate CD

OFA 24G, OFEL 24, ACVO 5/8/04, OFA Heart clear

Litter: 2BM, 8 BF

Contact: Debbie Needham (360) 826-3838

Cell (360) 661-0790; www.daybreaklabradors.net

Email: dneedham@cnw.com

Listed 6/20/05, 8/30/05

Sedro Woolley, WA

**Litter born 7/17/05**

**(Available 1 CM, 2 CF)**

Sire: Liberty's Broad Ridge

OFA 24G, OFEL 24, CERF 4/2005

Dam: Willoridge Northern Exposure

OFA 25E, OFEL 25, ACVO 11/13/04

Litter: 5 CM, 4 CF

Contact Mark Mahan (425) 821-0757 eve (425) 681-9096

Email: mahanmark@netscape.net

Listed 7/10/05, 7/26/05

Kirkland, WA

**Litter born 07/20/05**

**(Available 1 BM)**

Sire: Int Ch Cimarron Sam-I-Am of Cougar Creek CGC

OFA 24E, OFEL 24, CERF 06/2005, Heart clear

Optigen A1

Dam: Can Ch. Himoon Poet Laureate CGC

OFA 24G, OFEL 24, ACVO 01/19/05

Litter: 3 YM, 2 YF, 1 BM

Contact: Cecilie Drege (360) 435-0456

Email: cougarcreeklabs@peoplepc.com

Website: www.cougarcreeklabs.com

Listed 07/20/05, 8/21/05

Arlington, WA

**Litter expected 10/1/05**

**(Yellows & Blacks expected)**

Sire: Int Ch Cimarron Sam-I-Am of Cougar Creek CGC

OFA 24E, OFEL 24, CERF 06/2005, Heart clear

Optigen A1

Dam: Can Ch Himoon Takes Twota Tango, CD, CGC

OFA 24G, OFEL 24, CERF 9/26/04, OFA Cardiac

Litter: Yellows & Blacks expected

Contact: Cecilie Drege (360) 435-0456

Email: cougarcreeklabs@peoplepc.com

Website: www.cougarcreeklabs.com

Listed 9/8/05

Arlington, WA

**Litter expected 10/8/05**

**(All Yellow expected)**

Sire: Ghoststone's Boomtown

OFA 24G, OFEL 24, CERF 11/13/04, OFA Cardiac

1/22/05, OFA PRA 1/27/05

Dam: Rocking M's Crystal Clear

OFA 24E, OFEL 24, CERF 2/27/05

Litter: All Yellow

Contact: Cindy or Bryant Meyer (253) 846-9583

Email: rockingmlabs@qwest.net

Listed: 8/29/05

Spanaway, WA



**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 perspective buyers any known health and/or temperament issues. Forms 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.

**Yellow female, 11 months (intact)**

Sweet, loving, outgoing yellow girl. Great with kids. Crate trained, basic manners, wonderful family and/or hunting companion.

Contact: Stephanie Harris

(509) 925-1259

Email: stephanie@skyfirelabs.com

Ellensburg, WA

Listed 8/6/05

**Black Male, 4 years (neutered)**

Very sweet and gentle boy, raised with kids and dogs, crate trained, house broken, basic household manners, loves to cuddle.

Contact: Vicki Olson Lord (208) 377-1332  
 Email: vickilord@gmail.com Boise, ID  
 Listed 8/8/05, 09/08/05

**Yellow Female, 3 years (will be spayed)**

Can CH Skyfires Trick Pony At Willoridge  
 Sweet dog would do well in home with kids, and/or another dog.  
 OFA hips good elbows clear, heart clear

Contact: Greg Phillips (360) 201-0266 or (360) 392-6971  
 Email: greg@willoridgelabs.com Ferndale, WA  
 Listed 9/1/05

**Black Male, 2 years (neutered)**

Happy young male. Very eager and loves to please. Attended dog shows and was always a gentleman. Loves to play. Has enthusiasm but settles down and sleeps loose in the house at night without incident. Beautiful head and expression and moderate size body. Hips and elbows were x-rayed clear of dysplasia at time of July 2005 neutering. Eyes examined clear at eight weeks and at an exam last winter. Current on all vaccinations. He is a sweet fellow who loves to retrieve a ball or bumper. He has not been trained for field work. He has family obedience manners training such as sit, down, wait, come when called, and moderate leash manners.

Contact: Rick Mullen or Cindy King  
 Phone: (360) 366-5972 or (360)676-5352  
 Email: ricmul@nas.com Ferndale, WA  
 Listed: 8/22/05

**Black Male, 6 months, as of 9/2/05 (intact)**

Sweet and loving male puppy. Very people oriented, willing to please. Calm, well socialized. raised with kids, cats, other dogs and horses. Crate trained. Good traveler. All vaccines and microchipped. No health or soundness issues.

Contact Laura Steward (360) 876-6199  
 Email: cimarronlabs@earthlink.net Port Orchard, WA  
 Listed 9/3/05

**Black Female, 7 months, as of 9/8/05 (intact must be spayed)**

Emmy has a fantastic personality/temperament! She wants a forever home. She is current on shots, microchipped, etc. Training started, has a wonderful attitude, would make a great performance prospect.

Contact: Cecilie Drege (360) 435-0456  
 Email: cougarcreeklabs@peoplepc.com  
 Website: www.cougarcreeklabs.com Arlington, WA  
 Listed 9/8/05

**Yellow Female, 3 years (intact must be spayed)**

Molly is a very sweet girl. Has a championship, CGC, basic obedience training, OFA good hips/elbows, current eye clearance. Looking for a loving family of her own. Current shots, microchipped, etc.

Contact: Cecilie Drege (360) 435-0456  
 Email: cougarcreeklabs@peoplepc.com  
 Website: www.cougarcreeklabs.com Arlington, WA  
 Listed 9/8/05

**Yellow Male, 5 months, as of 9/14/05 (intact)**

He has been raised with children and is friendly with people and other dogs. Loves to retrieve and is very playful.

Contact: Helen Oyama (253) 847-8765 Spanaway, WA  
 Listed 9/15/05

## Agility

PSLRA's agility trials are October 8 and 9 in Auburn at the Argus Ranch facility. Entry closed September 21. See either r2agility.com or our web site for the premium list. I know some club members hope to debut their novice dogs at our trial. It would be great to see lots of club members out to cheer both them and the regulars on. We would like to make this trial a special event, not just another generic agility trial. One way to do this is to have a strong club volunteer presence to fill the slots and make a fuss over the talented Labs that will be running. Please contact me if you can help out, but aren't going to be running a dog. If you are running a dog, you will find a volunteer form on the premium list. While some jobs which are best filled by people familiar with agility, most positions can be filled by those new to the sport. Volunteers help with everything from hospitality to setting bars to walking leashes or score sheets from one place to another. It is a great way to get a taste for agility and a free lunch to boot. One doesn't have to commit for an entire day; just a couple of hours would help.

We plan to continue the tradition of bringing in BBQ on Saturday night for everyone to socialize over, cost to be determined. This is one of the biggest money making events of the year for our club and a marvelous opportunity to see talented Labradors doing their thing.

Please contact Agility chair, Lee Foote (lafrrh@earthlink.net, 206-367-7481) if you can help or have questions or suggestions.



Julie Germano readies Reba for agility.



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