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President's Message

The year is coming to an end and before I reflect back on 2010, I want to remind club members that the holiday party on December 11 and the awards banquet on January 15 are opportunities for the club to kick back, have some fun and say thanks to each other for working hard all year long. Please plan to attend.

Looking back, it was a year of ups and downs. One of the greatest accomplishments of the year was the establishment of the Junior Scholarship fund. I am so excited about this fund! I can't thank Kathy Gibson and her crew of volunteers enough for taking this idea and making it a reality. I know that our generous PSLRA members will continue to support our juniors.

If I could describe the difficulties of this year in one word, I would say "communication" has been the stumbling block. I don't believe we are unique in this. AKC recognizes that the competitive nature of dog clubs makes communication difficult. And so, they provide a number of rulebooks that can be downloaded for free that lay out guidelines for every event. Reading the rulebooks and following the guidelines are basic to keeping all events fair and safe. There is little chance for controversy or misunderstanding if the rules are clear. If you are going to compete, please don't listen to rule interpretation through others. Read them for yourself. (There is one booklet I recommend everyone read. It is called "Working It Out - AKC Guidelines For Resolving Dog Club Issues." With 125 years of experience, if there is one thing AKC knows, it is dog clubs. AKC has five suggestions for problem resolution. Step number one is to read the club by-laws carefully. The workings of the board are established in the by-laws. They are the backbone of the club's structure. Step number two is don't let it get personal. Respect the viewpoints of fellow club members. I believe respect is an essential element in any dog club. It is OK to disagree. It is OK to be passionate about your opinion. Allow others to have passion, too. Step number three is to communicate in writing with your club officers. In fact, there is no better way to get an issue discussed by the board than to address a letter to the club secretary. The secretary reads all correspondence at the board meetings. This is an excellent way to get your concerns on the agenda. Step number four is to seek mediation if a problem remains unresolved. An impartial party could help clarify an issue for all involved. Step number five is to contact AKC in writing. If there is a problem that cannot be resolved at the club level, AKC will get involved. They ask that correspondence be factual, not emotional. Remember, AKC has the authority to discipline both clubs and individual members. I do not mean to imply that this year has been filled with problems. In fact, I'm proud of our record of many successful events this past year. However, I do want to leave club members with the tools to participate in this club. You do not need to be a board member to have a voice in club events. Every member's opinion is important. My hope is that each member finds his or her own Labrador passion. Conformation, field, obedience, agility, tracking, therapy, health, the all rounder... whatever your passion, make a point to contribute to it through the club. PSLRA needs you. - Terrie

IMPORTANT DATES

December 11, Holiday Party/general meeting, City View Church, 255 Hardie Ave. SW, Renton, Brenda Hubbard

January 8, 9, 2011 Obedience/Rally ShowNGo, Nina Mann

January 15, Banquet, annual meeting

January 26, planning meeting

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

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by the 20th of each month. Please use

"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.

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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

672 Forrest Napavice Rd W

Chehalis, WA 98532

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club business

November board meeting minutes

November Board Meeting, Nov. 17 at Christi Dudzik's Bldg. in Woodinville. Attendance: Officers and board members present were Terrie Sato, Nancy Harney, Ron Perry, Mary Jane Sarbaugh, Nina Mann, Brenda Hubbard, Toni Leitao, and Jill Mahoney. Absent were Shelah Frey, Gail Gegg, Sarah Fischer, Dave Lawniczak, and Stephanie Harris. Guest was Jan Skewes.

Officer's Reports

President: Terrie reported that chairs have volunteered for several more events.

Cathy Hakola will chair the Sportsman Show. Gail Gegg and Franna Pitt will chair the specialty and Kristi Clark will chair the Fall Agility trial.

Secretary: Approval was received from AKC for January Sweepstakes.

Treasurer: Gail sent in a report that there is \$19,262.93 in the bank accounts, but that the asset account needs to be updated.

Acknowledgments

— To Christi for letting us use her building for the meeting, to Gail and her hardworking crew for the very successful Fall Agility trial, to Cindy Freeman for chairing the Nominating Committee and to Ron Perry and the hunting test judges selection committee for coming up with a full slate of judges for the two 2011 tests.

— Guest speaker, Jan Skewes, came to talk to us about the club's insurance. She reminded everyone that volunteers have the same rights as employees in regard to slander or other harassment. She explained that under the Volunteer Protection Act we have coverage for non club members but not for members. Ron suggested the chat list moderator might want to remind people on a regular basis of the rules. Further discussion was tabled until Stephanie could be present to explain the role of moderator.

Committee Reports

Fall Agility Trial wrap-up: It was a very large trial. It was almost completely full and very profitable. Because of the receipt of counterfeit money, it was moved, seconded and voted to authorize Gail to purchase a counterfeit detection pen to protect us in the future.

HRT judges selection committee: Ron reported that having an in-person meeting

was very successful and provided for a confidential exchange of information. It was moved, seconded and voted to approve the slate of judges and alternates that the committee came up with.

Nominating Committee: Cindy Freeman sent in a slate of officers and board members for approval. Ron Perry was nominated as President, Jill Mahoney as Vice President, Gail Gegg to continue for the second year as Treasurer, and Nina Mann for the second year as Secretary. Board members nominated are Bea Ferguson, Sarah Fischer, Nancy Harney, Stephanie Harris, Brenda Hubbard, Franna Pitt, Terrie Sato, and Mary Jane Sarbaugh.

Holiday Party: Brenda reported that everything is on schedule. She plans on minimum decorations and a donation basket for the homeless.

Banquet: No report. The banquet date is January 15, 2011.

Unfinished Business:

Specialty Survey will be up on the web site soon. Stephanie emailed out a beta test questionnaire to look for glitches in the voting responses.

PSLRA Health Donation: There was a discussion on continued support for TVD research. Approval was voted to donate \$1,000 to this research. Toni Leitao will check into research on cruciate ligament rupture genetics and report back to the Board. An additional donation for this year was suggested, depending on what he finds out.

2011 Schedule of Events was outlined: The year will begin with the Obedience and Rally ShowNGo on January 8 and 9 and end with next year's holiday party on December 10.

Next meeting: The next general membership meeting will be at the Christmas party, December 11, and the annual meeting will be held at the banquet. There will be a planning meeting for outgoing and incoming board members on Jan. 26.

Adjourned: 9:05 PM

Respectfully submitted, Nina Mann, Secretary.

PSLRA 2010 CHRISTMAS PARTY

Date/Time: 3 p.m. Saturday, December 11, 2010

Hosts: Brenda and Gary Hubbard

Location: City View Church, 255 Hardie Ave SW, Renton, Wash. 98057

Gift Exchange: Each person who wants to participate should bring a wrapped gift with a value limit of \$15.

Pot Luck: The club will supply tableware, a holiday ham, coffee, tea, and punch. Please bring a main dish AND a salad, side dish or dessert to share!

DIRECTIONS:

Coming from the South on I-5: From I-5, heading north, merge onto I-405 NORTH via exit 154 toward Renton/Bellevue. Take the Hwy 167 North, Exit 2, toward Renton/Rainier Ave. This cloverleafs you onto Rainier Ave. heading North.

Go approx. 1.6 miles and make a left turn from the outside left hand turn lane at the signal onto SW Sunset Blvd. (this street is called South Third Street to the right.) Immediately get in the far right hand lane after you make the turn. (There is a Walgreen's on your right.) Go to the next signal and proceed straight up the hill on Lind Street (This road is only accessible from the far right hand lane.) Make a right at the first long driveway, just past a hydrant and a big hill. Go all the way to the top level of the tiered parking lot and the entrance to the church is on the right. Go straight thru the foyer and down the stairs to the party!

Coming from the North on I-5: Take the exit for I-405 North toward Renton, Bellevue. Take exit 2, Hwy 167 North, toward Renton/Rainier Ave. This cloverleafs you onto Rainier Ave, heading north. Follow the street directions above to get to the church.

From the North on I-405: Take exit 2-B, Hwy 167 North / Rainier Ave. South. Head north on Rainier Ave. South, and follow the above directions to get to the church.

Hope to see you and your family! If you get lost, call Brenda or Gary Hubbard on their cell at 253-347-9363 and they'll help you find your way.

2011 Officer and Board Nominations

Following are the proposed 2011 officers and board members submitted by Cindy Freeman on behalf of the Nominating Committee.

Officers:

- President - Ron Perry
- Vice President - Jill Mahoney
- Secretary – Nina Mann
- Treasurer - Gail Gegg

Board members:

- Sarah Fischer
- Nancy Harney
- Brenda Hubbard
- Stephanie Harris
- Terrie Sato (Past President)
- Mary Jane Sarbaugh
- Franna Pitt
- Bea Ferguson

There will be floor nominations at the Christmas Party on December 11. Members will vote at the Banquet in January.

Don't forget

Membership Renewal Notice—2011

Dues are payable each year by January 31.
Checks should be made out to PSLRA and mailed to:

Liz Moir, Membership Chair
672 Forrest Napavine Road W
Chehalis, WA 98532

Please print plainly and send promptly!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Prov. _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country (if not USA) _____

Phone: _____ Phone: _____

Email address _____

Note: You will receive the monthly newsletter electronically unless you otherwise notify the membership chair.

Type of membership (check one): _____ Individual \$20 _____ Family \$25 _____ Junior \$10

_____ Breeder Website Advertising Fee \$15 (add to membership fee)

I am interested in the following types of events:

- Show
- Field
- Obedience
- Tracking
- Hunting
- Agility
- Rally
- Therapy

Membership: \$ _____

Breeder Website Fee: \$ _____

Enclosed: \$ _____

PUGET SOUND LABRADORS ALL-BREED SHOW N GO

SATURDAY and SUNDAY, JANUARY 8 and 9, 2011

Country Classic Kennels 9332 - 99th Ave. NE, Arlington, WA 98223

From I-5 North or South: Exit 199 at Marysville
Go East on SR 528 (also 4th St)
Turn left (north) onto SR 9
Turn right (east) onto 84th St NE (0.6)
Turn left (north) onto 99th Ave. N
Turn left into Country Classic Kennels
The building is set back off the road

From SR 522 in Woodinville
Exit onto SR 9 (north) Snohomish/Arlington exit
Continue approximately 20 miles
Turn right (east) onto 84th St NE (0.6)
Turn left (north) onto 99th Ave. NE (0.6)
Turn left into Country Classic Kennels
The building is set back off the road

GET READY FOR PUYALLUP

Obedience - Beg. Novice through Utility

Rally - all classes

Questions? Nina Mann, harbortop@netzero.net or Jan Palumbo, janpalumbo@earthlink.net, or Cindy Freeman, qrlabs@yahoo.com.

Morning coffee and muffins provided, donations welcome

ONE ENTRY FORM PER DOG. PLEASE

First run with each dog: \$10, Second and third runs with same dog: \$8 each

Name _____

Address _____

Breed _____ Call Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Rally – # of runs _____ Excellent _____ Advanced _____ Novice _____ Jump _____

Obedience - # of runs _____ Beg. Novice _____ Novice _____ Open _____ Utility _____ Jump _____

Rally and Novice Obedience **ONLY** will be scheduled on Saturday starting at 9 AM— 10 minutes per run.

Utility and Open Obedience **ONLY** will be scheduled on Sunday, starting at 9 AM, limited to 10 minutes per run.

Sits and Downs will all be done outside to save time, and if you are running multiple dogs and multiple runs, every effort will be made to schedule your runs as close together as possible.

Make all checks payable to PSLR in US funds and mail entries and fees to:
PSLR ShowNGo, c/o Nina Mann, 5706 312th St NW, Stanwood, WA 98292

As the owner or handler of the above dog, I agree that the above named dog has a current rabies vaccination and is, to the best of my knowledge, a healthy dog. I certify that the dog is not a hazard to persons, other dogs or domestic animals. I agree that I will abide by all the rules of the event. I agree not to hold the host club, its members, representatives or volunteers, or Julie Germano, Country Classic Kennels, their owners, employees or representatives responsible for any claim of loss during the event, and/or while on the event grounds and/or in transit to or from the event grounds. I agree to take full responsibility, financial or otherwise, for any damage or loss to property or domestic animal, or injury or loss to any person due to the actions of the above named dog, any other dog in my possession, or due to the actions of a child under 18 years of age in my care. I agree that the event coordinators reserve the right to dismiss any dog or handler from the event if they deem it necessary. _____

Date _____ Signature _____ (Owner, handler or parent of child under 18)

Braggs

Submitted by Barb Ironside. On Nov. 20, Jerry qualified for his fourth SH leg and is now Can Ch Fawnhaven Tribute To ShaRay RN SH. He was bred by Sharon and Ray Edwards and is owned, trained, and handled by Don and I.

Can CH Harbortop Mycroft Holmes of GBK TD earned his first US points at the WIKC show in Monroe today. Mikey is co-owned by Jan Skewes and Nina Mann and was handled by Chantel Nahoopii.

Submitted by Anne Swindeman, WindyCanyon Labs. Intl CH WindyCanyon's Sweetest Fuji CDX RN JH NaaA NAJ CC, Fuji, finished her Novice Agility (NA) title at the gusty Yakima trial on Sunday, and also picked up her second Novice Jumpers Q with a clean run that Saturday. On Sat., Nov. 6 at the PSLRA agility trial, Fuji finished her NAJ title with another nice run.

Mainland's Pembroke Phinny, Loni

Sire: Ch Hyspire Texas Hold 'Em
 Dam: MBISS Am/Can Ch Mainland Seasac Third-Times-A-Charm
 Owner/Handler: Shelah Frey
 Breeder: Nancy Clark & Shelah Frey
 Show: HDLRC 11/13/2010
 Judge: Lisa Weiss
 Placements: 1st 6-9 Puppy Bitch, Best Puppy in Specialty Show
 Show: HDLRC 11/14/2010
 Judge: Judy Chambers "Ghoststone Labradors"
 Placements: Winners Bitch, Best of Opposite Sex and Best Puppy in Specialty Show, 4 point major!

Mainland's Stroker Ace, Burt

Sire: Ch Hyspire Texas Hold 'Em
 Dam: MBISS Am/Can Ch Mainland Seasac Third-Times-A-Charm
 Owner/Handler: Shelah Frey
 Breeder: Nancy Clark & Shelah Frey
 Show: HDLRC 11/14/2010
 Judge: Lisa Weiss "Lobuff Labradors"
 Placements: 1st 6-9 Puppy Dog, Best of Opposite Puppy in Specialty Show
 Show: LRC, Inc (National Specialty)
 Judge: Kendall Herr "Dickendall Labradors"
 Placements: 1st 6-9 Puppy Dog, Best Puppy in Specialty Show

Hyspire Mainland Petal to the Metal, Danika

Sire: BISS Am/Can Ch Ghoststone's Boomtown, JH, RN
 Dam: Tameric Windfall Poppy
 Owner/Handler: V. Russell, L. DaRoss, J. Heim
 Breeder: Shelah Frey, V. Russell, L. DaRoss, J. Heim
 Show: HDLRC 11/13/2010
 Judge: Kim Jacobson & Lisa Weiss "Lobuff Labradors"
 Placements: Best in Sweeps, Winners Bitch

If Nancy hasn't already submitted Cricket's win, here she is:

MBISS Am/Can Ch Mainland Seasac Third-Times-A-Charm

Sire: BISS Am/Can Ch Ghoststone's Boomtown, JH, RN
 Dam: Can Ch Mainland Singular Sensation
 Owner/Handler: Nancy Clark & Shelah Frey
 Breeder: Craig Edwards & Shelah Frey
 Show: IPLRC
 Judge: Roberto Rodrigues "SummerStorm Labradors, Brazil"
 Placements: Best in Specialty Show!

Intl CH WindyCanyon's Northern Spy CDX RA JH OA OAJ CC, Mata, earned her first two Qs toward her Excellent Standard (AX) title at the PSLRA trials after a one year break from agility. Good girl Mata! Now if her handler can only remember the Exc Jumpers courses....

A "thank you" from LRC

The LRC would like to thank PSLRA for your basket and other items that you donated to our raffle. The response was overwhelming. Without the donations from caring people like you, we would not be able to put on a National that was so successful in raising money for research and rescue.

Thank you again for your help. It was very much appreciated!

Marilyn Parker, Co-chair

Sailor, Mainland Catch Me A Sailor, JH, WC, CGC, won Best Gun Dog in Specialty Show and the Open Yellow class at IPLRC Specialty on Oct. 28! Sailor also earned TWO Rally Obedience Qualifying Legs at Whidbey Island Kennel Club on Nov. 21 and 22! Sailor is loved and owned by Kristin and Andy Smith, Seaside Labradors.



Am/Can CH Westriver Vino of Veritas, Cab, finished his American Championship with a four-point major in Boise on October 15. Cab was handled by Ellen Cottingham and is owned, loved, and fed by Liz Skyllingstad. Look for Cab in the field and the Rally ring soon!

Fall 2010 Tracking Test Recap

by Fred Drennan

The rain fell and the wind blew a bit, but four dogs [one was a Labrador even!] titled as TRACKING DOGS at the Fall PSLRA test. Judges Tannis Witherspoon from Spokane and Bob Rollins from Davis, Cal. set challenging tests for both the TD and the TDX candidates. The grounds at Carlson's were nearly perfect - grass just high enough to hold onto good scent, and the tracklayers [Robert Henry, Ron Perry, Kevin Klucher and Fred Drennan] must have been pretty odiferous, as the TD dogs didn't seem to have any difficulty in following the tracks. To pass at a TD, a dog needs to be certified by a judge on a regulation track, then follow a 440-500 yard track with 3-5 turns, which has aged for 30-120 minutes, and identify the glove at the end of the track.

Qualifiers at the test were:

- ◆ Rona Barnes with Sampson, miniature poodle [Ashland, Ore.]
- ◆ PSLRA member Franna Pitt with Clifford, Welsh Springer spaniel
- ◆ PSLRA member Dave Lawniczak with Winnie, lab!
- ◆ Lisa Erickson with Lexi, Rhodesian Ridgeback [Westfir, Ore.]

The two TDX candidates did not do quite as well. To pass a TDX, a dog and handler must follow an 800-1000 yard track aged 3-5 hours with 5-7 turns. On the track are a total of four articles that have to be identified by the dog. Lastly, a cross track is laid by two other people at 90 minutes before the test [so the cross tracks are much fresher than the primary track]. TDX tracks also have to cross obstacles, including a tree, which fell the night

before the test! Tracklayers for the TDX were Ron Perry and Robert Henry, and cross trackers were Terrie Sato and Terry Massagli.

Following the completion of the event, the annual smoked salmon and bagel brunch occurred and awards were given. PSLRA gives out a framed certificate with a medallion to all the qualifiers, and our awards are recognized as pretty special. Special thanks for the test this year [and every other year!] goes to Nina Mann. Expenses for the test are covered by the 'Show'n Go' that Nina organizes every January, and she makes a mean chili for the track plotting which occurs on the day before the test. If you are interested in tracking, Jan Skewes is a great resource. We are always willing to train tracklayers as well~ it is fun, supports the club, and is good exercise. Preliminary date for 2011 is October 23.



Upland Labs

Although Labradors are still primarily known as waterfowl hunters, for many years now, it's been no secret that they are also excellent upland hunters. As a matter of fact, without ever hunting with a Springer Spaniel, I'm willing to bet a dinner that our labs can hunt upland as well as the best Springer out there!

My husband, Scott, and I are upland hunters first. We do enjoy an occasional duck hunt, but our first love is hunting ruffed grouse, quail, and those wily, wild "ditch dragons," also known as roosters.

Sarge is not quite a year old and has already proven his skill in the uplands. I've included a picture of him with Scott and the two quail they got on one of our hunting trips to eastern, Washington. Also is a picture of Disco and Scott with their first rooster of the year, also from a hunt in eastern Wash. There is nothing better than spending time with our dogs doing what we all love best – hunting!

Sportingly submitted by Fran Seagren



Top right: Scott and Sarge pose with quail.

Bottom right: Scott Seagren congratulates Disco on her first rooster.

LIST OF LITTERS BORN OR EXPECTED AS OF 11/12/10 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)

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| <p>Litter Born: 06/01/2010 (2BM Available)</p> <p>Sire: Blackthorn's Yellow Jacket O'Spiritwood
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 4/2010</p> <p>Dam: Sunrise Desert Rose
OFA30G, OFEL30N, CERF 2/2010</p> <p>Contact: Katie Somers 509-398-1470 D / 509-787-6093 E</p> <p>Litter: 3BM, 2YM, 4YF</p> <p>Email: Katie_somers@msn.com</p> <p>Listed: 08/11/2010, 9/28/2010</p> | <p>Litter Born: 09/16/2010 (3BM, 2CM, 2BF Available)</p> <p>Sire: Skyfire's Famous Amos
OFA37E, OFEL27N, AVCO 9/09, Heart Normal</p> <p>Dam: Cimarron's Canela
OFA29G, OFEL29N, ACVO 9/09, Heart Normal</p> <p>Contact: Laura Steward DVM
360-731-9017 Days, 360-978-4742 Evenings</p> <p>Litter: 4BM, 4CM, 3BF</p> <p>Email: laura@cimarronfarm.com</p> <p>Listed: 10/10/2010, 10/25/2010</p> |
| <p>Litter Born: 06/22/2010 (3YM Available)</p> <p>Sire: Ch. Gaetacreek Joyfull Jasper
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF</p> <p>Dam: Somersun Sharp Shooter
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 9/09</p> <p>Contact: Jessica Somers Harper
509-398-5719 Days/Evenings 509-710-3615 Evenings</p> <p>Email: jessicaharper@eagles.ewu.edu</p> <p>Litter: 5YM, 3YF</p> <p>Listed: 09/07/2010, 9/28/2010</p> | <p>Litter Born 09/27/2010 (3BM, 2YM, 3BF, 1YF)</p> <p>Sire: Am Ch Devonshires Limited Edition WC
OFA25G, OFEL25N, Heart Normal, CERF 10/10
EIC Clear</p> <p>Dam: Devonshires Ticketeeboo
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 6/2010</p> <p>Contact: Christine Gamache 360-903-2683
Allison Hillius</p> <p>Litter: 3BM, 4BF, 2YM, 1YF</p> <p>Email: cjoygamache@yahoo.com</p> <p>Listed: 10/25/2010</p> |
| <p>Litter Born: 07/08/2010 (1YF)</p> <p>Sire: BISS Ch. Nipntuck Stocking Stuffer
OFA24E, OFEL24N, Heart ECHO Normal, CERF 9/09</p> <p>Dam: Keesha Annes Heart of Gold
OFA29G, OFELN, CERF 6/2010</p> <p>Contact: Sharyn Langston 360-794-7040 H</p> <p>Litter: 1BM, 3BF, 1YM, 4YF</p> <p>Email: sharynlangston1143@hotmail.com</p> <p>Listed: 07/25/2010, 10/25/2010</p> | <p>Litter Born: 10/09/2010 (1YF Available)</p> <p>Sire: Somersun Dangerous Snow Strom
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 9/09</p> <p>Dam: Blu Top's Shiloh Abiding Peace
OFA24G, OFEL24N, Heart Normal, CERF 7/2010</p> <p>Contact: Sandy Mowry 208-664-7316</p> <p>Litter: 2YM, 1YM</p> <p>Email: aslan9@roadrunner.com</p> <p>Listed: 08/25/2010</p> |
| <p>Litter Born: 08/14/2010 (2YM, 2BM Available)</p> <p>Sire: Skyfire Cimarron's On The Run
OFA25G, OFEL25N, AVCO 3/2010, Heart Normal</p> <p>Dam: Cimarron's Hannah
OFA26G, OFEL26N, ACVO 9/2010, Heart Normal</p> <p>Contact: Laura Steward DVM
360-731-9017 Days 360-978-4742 Evenings</p> <p>Litter: 3YM, 2BM, 1YF</p> <p>Email: laura@cimarronfarm.com</p> <p>Listed: 10/10/2010, 10/25/2010</p> | <p>Litter Born: 10/29/2010 (4YM, 3YF Available)</p> <p>Sire: CH The Flying Fortress Huntson, WC, CGC, TC
OFA44G, OFEL44N, CERF 9/09, Optigen Normal</p> <p>Dam: Wenberg's Miss Ellie
AVO24 Hips Normal, Elbows Normal, CERF 8/2010</p> <p>Contact: James Cundy 360-654-8730</p> <p>Litter: 5YM, 4YF</p> <p>Email: jamescundy2@msn.com</p> <p>Listed: 11/12/2010</p> |

Litter Expected: 11/28/2010 (Blacks and Yellows)

Sire: Ch. Mar-Moye Low Country Gullah CD JH RN
OFA24E, OFEL24G, ACVO 9/2010, Heart Normal,
EIC Clear

Dam: Quail Run's Kiss and Tell
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 9/2010, Heart Echo Clear,
EIC Carrier

Contact: Cindy Freeman
760-285-3906 (cell), 360-273-7218 (evening)

Email: www.qrlabs@yahoo.com

Listed: **11/12/2010**

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.

Yellow Female 1 year (intact/must be spayed)

Pretty girl, some basic obedience training, crate trained, micro chipped, vaccinated, eye clearance, champion parents.

Contact: Cecilie Drege

Email: cougarcreeklabs@peoplepc.com

Website: www.cougarcreeklabs.com

Listed: 09/07/2010, **09/28/2010**

Black Female 5 years (Spayed)

Pippa is still very active, very healthy, she will make someone a great companion. Call for more information.

Contact: Laura Steward DVM

360-731-9017 Days, 360-978-4742 Evenings

Email: laura@cimarronfarm.com

Listed **10/10/2010**

Yellow Female 6 years (intact/must be spayed)

Molly has been a wonderful, healthy momma, now being replaced by her daughter. She is a faithful, loving, obedient companion dog. Gentle with small children. Strong hunting traits, but no hunter training. No health problems. No temperament issues. Quiet and good in the house or outside. AKC registered and micro chipped, up-to-date on all vaccines/worming, OFA and CERF. She is a family dog not a kennel dog. Pictures available at jasperranch.com

Contact: Diane Jasper Bartholomew 509 674-8229

Email: jasperranch@cleelum.com

Website: www.jasperranch.com

Listed: **11/12/2010**

Yellow Female 3 years (Spayed)

Kelsey is a sweet playful girl with all health clearances. Parents are both Champions. She is a well behaved house dog, that also enjoys long walks, swimming and retrieving. Good with children, other dogs and cats.

Contact: Jennifer Foote 360-678-4267

Merlyn Foote 360-331-2805

Email: Jennifer at najenjo@whidbey.net

Merlyn at somersetlabs@whidbey.com

Listed: **11/12/2010**





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A special touch at this year's Christmas party: If you would like to contribute, please bring a non-perishable food item for the Salvation Army's food bank to help feed the hungry and homeless or bring a sack of dog food to be donated to the King County Animal Shelter.

Please bring a favorite dog show ribbon with which to deck the tree! (Make sure your name is on the back.)

