

# The Retriever Believer

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## President's Message

*Please forgive me if this month's president's report seems rather negative.*

*I have been dismayed by members' apparent disinterest in the club. While I realize that April and May are busy months (aren't they all?), it seems that members have priorities other than this club. I understand that up to a point, but when support dwindles, it does call into question whether the club can continue to hold as many events as it does every year.*

*The April membership meeting in Issaquah for eastside members drew two people who are not board members. The board did not have a quorum. I asked that the board not let this happen again, because we can reschedule meetings when needed.*

*I also believe that the ability to put on two hunt tests a year is in question. My appeal in the newsletter and the chat list for volunteers for this month's hunt test yielded fewer than five people. We typically need about 40-50 workers each day of a test, so you can see that without the help of people from outside the club, we would/could not hold the event.*

*Therefore I very much appreciate those of you who have come forward to help at the test. You are worth your weight in gold, and I will acknowledge your efforts in next month's newsletter.*

*June will be an even busier month for club events, so I hope you will make plans now to support the club by volunteering to help at one or both events. The first is the annual match, which will again be held at Cedar River Park in Renton on June 16. For more information about volunteering at the match, please contact Sarah Fischer [sarah@tynderlabs.com](mailto:sarah@tynderlabs.com) or Stephanie Harris [stephanie@skyfirelabs.com](mailto:stephanie@skyfirelabs.com).*

*Cherie Levine is chairing the June agility trial in Monroe at Skykomish River Park on June 22-24. Cheri is appealing for volunteers for set-up as well as work during the days of the trial. Please contact her at [cherimlevine@hotmail.com](mailto:cherimlevine@hotmail.com).*

*I urge you to re-engage with your support for the club. A club is only as successful as its members make it.*

**IMPORTANT DATES**

**May 5, 6, AKC Hunting Retriever test, Peppers Farm, Carnation**

**May 23 Board Meeting, via teleconference**

**June 16, AKC B/OB Match, Renton**

**June 22 to 24, AKC Spring Agility Trial, Monroe, Cheri Levine**

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

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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: **Stephanie Harris, Membership Chair**  
341 Cross Creek Drive  
Ellensburg, Washington 98926  
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**club business****April board and membership meeting**

Meeting held April 25, 2012, Hilton Garden Hotel, Issaquah. Present: Ron Perry, Fred Drennan, Jill Mahoney, Brenda Hubbard, Nina Mann, Stephanie Harris, Nancy Harney. Absent: Sarah Fischer, Shelah Frey, Franna Pitt, Gail Gegg, Tamaria Hartman, Kimberly Dotson, Cathy Hakola. Guests: Chris Jaeger and John Harris.

—Ron called the meeting to order at 7 p.m., having delayed in hopes of a quorum.

**Secretary:** No report, but Ron commented that all departments at AKC now have Sarah's address.

**Treasurer:** No report.

**5 Series and WC:** Ron mentioned his disappointment at not having a chair for this event and thanked all the workers, particularly Betsy Reali who acted as test secretary for both events. We should have made money as Ron said he turned in a lot of cash and checks. No financial report was available.

**Hunting Test:** Ron submitted a revised budget as the entries were very low until the last minute. Since they took a quantum leap in the last few days, the budget may prove unnecessarily pessimistic. Unfortunately, we have very few workers and our ability to continue to put on tests is in question. Only two Board members have volunteered to help and we have no hospitality people for Sunday. Our one out-of-town judge has secured a very good plane fare from the east coast. The budget was voted on by email the day following the meeting as there was no quorum present.

**Match:** No judges yet. Stephanie asked for input from members.

**Agility:** Budget will be submitted. Help is needed on Thursday for set up for the June 22-24 trial.

**Specialty 2012:** Jill said all AKC approvals have been received. A potluck is planned for Friday night and a dinner on the grounds on Saturday, possibly with a dessert contest. Jill is working on a budget. The premium list will be ready for proofing and approval soon.

**Rescue:** Brenda gave Edith's report on recent happy endings for Benny, Ruthie, Lexi and Mason.

**New members:** Stephanie read the list, which will appear in a future newsletter. Two new members did not list sponsors. Brenda was asked to contact them.

**Ethics/Litter Listing Committee:** No report. Stephanie cannot work on this till after June 9.

**Old business:** Ron announced that the results of balloting for 2013 Master National: Ballot #1-Mike Collson; Ballot #2-Steve Elliott.

**New business:** An email was received from the LRC National Raffle chair asking regional clubs to contribute to the raffle. A motion was made and seconded to donate \$150 and to ask Lucy Isaacson-Logen to organize a basket as she did last year. As we could not vote on it, the motion was put to an email vote the following day and was passed.

—A second motion to sponsor the Dog for All Reasons award was also made but could not be voted on. This motion, to support the trophies by a donation of \$100 as we usually do was also voted on by email and passed.

—Fred Drennan suggested a change in our approach to the 5-series next year. He would like to see basically a 4-series; i.e. a mock hunting test for juniors. This would be a follow-up to the February/March training day and would be designed to let members experience a Junior Hunting test stake as a practice run. If approved, Fred has volunteered to chair the event, and Nancy Harney offered to co-chair. Since so few Board members were present, the idea was tabled for later discussion, but Fred and Nancy Harney will write a newsletter article explaining it and solicit comments from club members.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:55. The next meeting will be by teleconference on May 23.

# Rescue Report

by Edith Bryan

Recent happy endings for our rescue program: Benny, top right, is a 5-year-old chocolate male who was being left alone for long hours while his family worked at new jobs. He loved being with people so much that his owners felt that they weren't providing the best home for Benny. Now Benny has become the beloved pet of a family where someone is at home most of the time and where he is also a special companion for a young girl with autism. Benny's new family adores him and he is kept busy all day long watching over and playing with his new friends.

Lexi, a six-year-old yellow female, bottom right, has been bounced around to quite a few homes during her life, through no fault of her own. Lexi had been found as a stray and taken to a small shelter in Eastern Wash. Then, the shelter burned down and Lexi desperately needed a safe place to stay. We arranged transportation and Lexi came to live with Brenda and Gary Hubbard while we looked for a new home. Lexi was adopted and lived happily for a couple of years enjoying a house with a big yard and an active owner. Sadly, however, her owner had to move to an apartment and Lexi was very unhappy being left alone all day without a yard or company. It took quite a while to find the perfect place for Lexi because we were determined that this would be her forever home. Lexi is now with her new family that includes a stay at home "dog mom,"



two older teenagers, and a dad to play with her, a big fenced yard, and a 15-month-old male Lab to keep her company. What could be better?

Mason, a friendly young black male, was intended for training as a hunting dog. But Mason had other ideas of fun and was not all that fascinated by birds or guns. So his owners decided that Mason really needed to be a family pet and companion. A family that had found a Lab through our rescue program before has now adopted Mason. That Lab, Daisy, recently turned 10 and the family was ready to add a younger dog to their pack. Mason proved to be just the right fit and his new family has been enjoying all of the antics and energy that a young Lab brings along. Everyone is happy!

Ruthy is a lovely young yellow female that was turned in to the shelter in Olympia. A microchip led to information about her former owners: Ruthy had been living at Fort Lewis but unfortunately she was extremely afraid of loud noises and would bolt from her yard when hearing gunfire. Fort Lewis was not a good place for her! The shelter asked if we could help find a new home for Ruthy. Lizzie Moir volunteered to foster Ruthy until a new home was found. Now Ruthy is with a family that is home schooling several children and she is spending most of her time as an indoor pet and family companion. Ruthy's new family loves her and most importantly is dedicated to keeping her safe.

*Litter Listing, continued from page 11*

## **Black Male 4 ½ months**

**(intact)**

Single Black Male, looking for a relationship. :- ) Born 9/10/11. He eats and sleeps in a crate. Walks on a lead, microchipped, CERFed, vet checked and vaccinated. Comes when he is called like any juvenile. He is a very sweet cuddle boy, who has learned it is wise to ignore cats, but loves children. Loves retrieving toys. Pictures on Facebook @ Sharon Edwards page. The Sharon Edwards with a yellow lab for a profile picture.  
Contact: Sharon Edwards 360-341-1422 after 5:00 PM  
Email: sharay@whidbey.com

Listed: 01/23/2012

## **Black Female 4 years young**

Gypsy is a 4 year old black female. She is energetic and loves to retrieve. She is crate trained and has all clearances. She is good with kids and other dogs. Gypsy would make any family a great companion Contact: Katie Somers 509 398-1470  
Somersun Labradors Email: katie\_somers@msn.com  
Listed: 03/08/2012

## **Black Female 1 year old**

Rosie is a year old black female. She is crate trained and has all clearances. She is great with kids and other dogs. She is quiet in the house. Rosie is looking to be some one's forever princess and companion/ Contact: Katie Somers 509 398-1470  
Somersun Labradors Email: katie\_somers@msn.com  
Listed: 03/08/2012

## Braggs

Somersun Skyfire Six Shooter for Livewire earned a four point major at Seattle Kennel Club with co-owner Jessica Harris showing him. The judge commented during pictures how nice it was to see such a depth of quality of Labradors in her ring. She was also tickled that her Select dog was the veteran she had given a Best in Show to years before, and she said that really showed how a correctly made Labrador lasts.—submitted by Stephanie Harris



So proud to announce that Echo (Can CH Janlon's Bears Repeating RN WC) completed his requirements for his WC at the recent club 5 Series/WC event, making him an All Around Dog! Owned, trained and barely handled by Laura Berger



Koa's Hidden Jewel was WB, BOW, BOS from the bred by class for 4 points in Canada April 6 and RWB on Sunday. She is just a year old and is bred, handled and spoiled by us at Koa Labradors.—Chantel Nahoopii



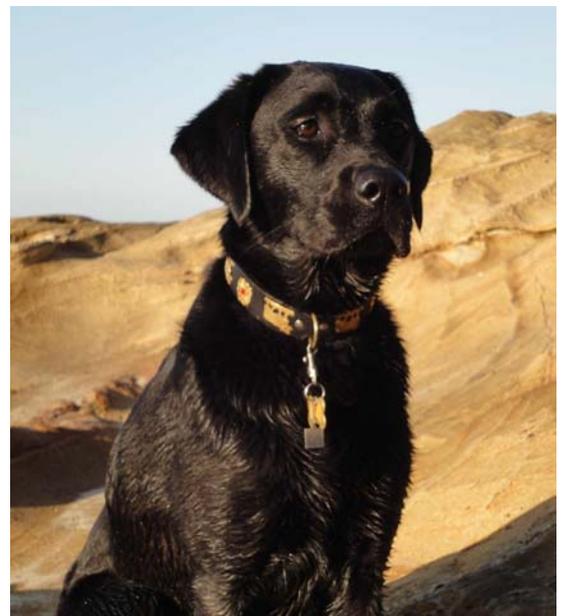
New Working Certificate titles from April 7:  
Grouse Creek's Mountain Casta Diva WC, Diva, bred by Jay and Raelene Phelps. Owned by Ron Perry.

ShaRay's Brady of Whidbey WC, Brady, bred by Sharon Edwards, Marlys Swanson, and Debbie Wade. Co-owned by Ron Perry and Sharon Edwards.

Brady, right, also took fourth Place in the Senior Puppy stake at the PSLRA 5 Series.—Ron Perry



Winroc Walking on Air AX MXJ OAC WV-O NJC TN-N NW1, Corey, completed her Master Jumpers title in AKC agility and her Novice Tunnelers and Open Weavers titles in NADAC in March and April.—Kate Schottman



# PSLRA 5 Series/Working Certificate Final Report

There was a good turnout of dogs and handlers for the Five Series and Working Certificate at Carlson's Farm in Fall City Saturday, April 7.

First, many thanks are due to the people who helped make this event possible. Betsy Reali was event secretary for both the Five Series and the WC. Dave Lawniczak chaired the WC, and worked closely with Marlys Swanson and Bea Ferguson, who chaired the Five Series Puppy Stakes. We had great marshals, Terrie Sato, Darlene Pado, and Cheri Levine and scorekeepers, Lee Foote, Nancy Dyson, and Anne West. Gunners included Lee Redd, Paul Gilmore, Brad Aker, Laura Berger, and Larry Robertson. Jim and Cindy Olson, Fred Drennan, Don Collins and others worked the pop and throw stations. Bryant Meyer busily transported birds and equipment wherever and whenever it was needed. Judges Sharon Hilton, Chuck Hilton, Cindy Meyer, and Don West set up challenging marks for the adult dogs. Shelah Frey and Franna Pitt judged the Senior Puppy and Junior Puppy Five Series, as well as the Working Certificate.—Thanks again to everyone who participated in the event, especially those who helped in many ways—Ron Perry

## Qualifiers

Shown below:

- Duke-Randy Robertson
- Mocha-Ralph Smith
- Tiki-Nancy Light
- Fergus-Darlene Pado
- Rion-Fred Drennan
- Hudson-Liz Gibson
- Meg-Jamie Graham
- Gamay-Susan Bell
- Pat Gould
- Dee-Bryant Meyer  
(not pictured)
- Rainy-Jim and Cindy Olson
- Bozer-Eric Lundquist
- Miley-Dixie Humble
- Kiwi-Suzanne Bolwell
- Maggie-Eric Ludquist
- Blue-Tony Lark
- Ad-Paul Shoemaker
- Ian-Paul Shoemaker
- Addi-Cheri Levine
- Jet-Sharon Collins
- Spree-Alice Ellis

Winner of the Adult Five Series was Jamie Graham and his dog, Meg. Pat Gould and Cosmo took second place. Bryant Meyer and Dee were third. In fourth place were Larry Robertson and Duke.

Placements below, left to right are, Larry Robertson (4), Bryant Meyer (3), Pat Gould (2), and Jamie Graham (1). Judges in picture are Sharon Hilton, Chuck Hilton, Don West, and Cindy Meyer



Jennifer brought her own gunner for participants

### Senior Puppy Placements:

- 1. Skye – Larry Robertson
- 2. Vincent – Liz Gibson
- 3. Kota – Rachel K
- 4. Brady – Ron Perry



Larry Robertson and Skye, first place senior puppy, above.



I'm proud of my little guy, 6.5 months old, The Captain's Vincent Rolls Like Lightnin' aka Vinnie, above, who won second place in the PSLRA Senior Puppy Stake (6-12 months). His marking was great. We're working on the return with bird! He really enjoyed himself.—Liz and Vin



Junior handler, Rachel K, with third place puppy, Kota



Above, fourth place senior puppy, Ron Perry's, Brady.

### Junior Puppy Stake placements

- 1. Ginny-Fred Drennan
  - 2. DJ-Toni Leitao
  - 3. Birdy-Tamaria Hartman
- No fourth place finisher.



Misty Mountain Stomp The Yard (DJ) owned by Toni Leitao



# The Labrador at work: A Tribute to Killingworth's Tristan, Medal of Meritorious Service Honoree.

by Dayna Leavens

There were many early mornings when I would awake and hear my dad rumbling around feeding dogs and getting the tracking harness together. I knew it would be a tracking practice day and I loved it. My dad would take my four siblings and me out to breakfast and then we would go hiding in the woods finding spots to "trick" the dogs. To this day, it is one of my fondest childhood memories. Mostly, this was because it was one-on-one time with my very busy dad, Peter Begley, who was also a game warden. But, also there was the reward of that bounding, happy sound of a dog finding you!

We had two service dogs in our household that worked as my dad's partners. The first was a Hungarian born German Shepherd used for evidence recovery, attack work, tracking, and search and rescue. He was often my dad's only work partner in his job as a Game Warden and Conservation Officer. Game Wardens frequently are required to interact with armed individuals such as hunters, and often work alone.

My dad had seen K-9 partners help solve cases in Maine and New York and was chosen as the first Game Warden in the state of Connecticut to be in the K-9 training program. His first K-9 partner was Volk who knew only Hungarian commands. My dad spent 14 weeks training Volk at the Connecticut Police Academy K-9 Training Program in Meriden, Connecticut. He worked with renowned K-9 trainer, Andy Rebman. Andy is now a Pacific Northwest resident retired to Oregon who is still active training dogs for Cadaver dog programs around the world.

After Volk retired, the opportunity arose for dad to train a Labrador, a donation from Lorraine Robbenhaar-Taylor of Killingworth Labrador retrievers. "The Killingworth lines have been developed over the last 50 years. Established in 1959 by Lorraine Robbenhaar-Taylor, they have proven successful in all Labrador uses,"

from the website [www.killingworthlabs.com](http://www.killingworthlabs.com). My parents knew Lorraine from our hobby-breeding program using her Labradors for stud. We had a chocolate girl; a Swedish import gifted to us from Robert Montgomery. Lorraine had lovely Labradors with fantastic temperaments who hunted as well. She imported English Labradors and bred them with American field and hunting lines back in the late 1950s. Lorraine's intent was to better the breed of



Labrador in the United States by producing sound and balanced dogs who worked in a variety of roles, and looked good doing it! In fact, one of Lorraine's dogs, Clemmsen of Killingworth, Clem, was the only chocolate for many years, and may still be to-date, to win Best of Breed at Westminster. The dog she donated to the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection was named Killingworth's Tristan, Tres. Tres was an 8-month-old chocolate boy full of energy with a willingness to please, like your

average Labrador puppy. He wasn't bad to look at either.

Tres surpassed everyone's expectations. He was a phenomenal tracking dog, who loved to interact with the public. Before long he was famous and my dad was like a movie star's agent! Tres not only looked good, he also had a great temperament and was a fantastic search and rescue, tracking, and evidence recovery dog. He was an ambassador for the great attributes of a lab. A special award was bestowed on him. The highest honor awarded by the Governor of Connecticut; the Medal for Meritorious Service was given to Tres in the 1990s.

My dad and Tres were called to assist in the search for and apprehension of a presumed armed and dangerous teenager. The suspect had broken into several vehicles including one with a firearm that was now missing. Dad and Tres worked the side of the road and were able to find most of the stolen property due to Tres' great evidence recovery ability. The gun was not among the recovered items. They then tracked the individual to his house where he was located in the basement, along with the stolen firearm. The suspect was apprehended without anyone getting hurt. Without the dog, this case would likely have been very difficult to solve as quickly and without injury. Tres' skills were also used at roadblocks where poachers would try to hide venison, weapons, or other evidence.

My dad trained Tres by using the experience he gained from training Volk. Dad trained him at home, mostly on his own time. Tres was a constant companion at home and at work and one of our most memorable family members.

Lorraine continued to use Tres for stud, and today my chocolate boy continues on the progeny of this amazing dog. Rubyvale's Gone Chocolate has finished his points; he is the first conformation dog I ever had in the ring. He is in search of the elusive major. Then, in honor of Tres,

I hope to get tracking as well as hunting titles on him.

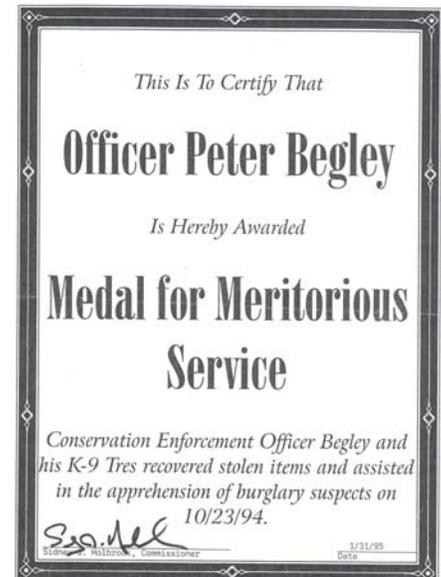
Following is a tribute to Tres from Chaplain Vikki O'Hara, Director of the Angel Dogs Animal Assisted Therapy Dog Program at Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital in Lincoln, Nebraska. (The seventh largest rehabilitation hospital in the nation.)

"A Tribute to Killingworth's Tristan  
Killingworth's Tristan (Hennings Mills Brown King ex Bounty Brant's Riverroad Chic) was 8 months old when Lorraine donated him to the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection with the understanding that she would keep the registration and possibly use him at stud. A superb tracking dog trained in evidence recovery, venison detection, and tracking persons, he replaced an unreliable GSD dog as partner for CT Conservation Enforcement Officer, Peter Begley. Tres and Officer Begley were constant companions, at home and at work, throughout their career together, during which the team was often recognized for their outstanding work in tracking and apprehending poachers and "deer-jackers." (Deer-jacking involves the illegal hunting of deer at night by blinding them with lights.)

"In 1995 Officer Begley and Tres were also awarded the Medal for Meritorious Service for '... rendering service beyond the ordinary course of duty with perseverance and timely judgment. On October 23, 1994, the Granby Police Department requested the assistance of Officer Begley and Tristan with investigating a series of crimes, which had recently taken place where property was stolen during break-ins of several vehicles. With heavy rain making the investigation and search a difficult task, the team was able to recover the majority of stolen property and solve a major crime, and were also instrumental in the apprehension of one of the suspects who had fled on foot and was believed to be armed and dangerous.'

"After donating Tristan, Lorraine didn't see him for about a year. When she did see him she said, 'I just about collapsed. He was absolutely gorgeous! He has all the qualities of a top-notch champion Labrador Retriever.' In addition to his career as a canine detective, Tristan became one of Lorraine's outstanding stud dogs, producing, among many others, her current outstanding chocolate stud dog, Killingworth's Rufus, JH, WC."  
Submitted by Chaplain Vikki O'Hara, M.Div

Thanks for letting me share my story. There are many adventures and stories my dad tells of himself and Tres. He was a remarkable Labrador and a true testament to the breed we all love.



## Dedication

The 2001 Law Enforcement Division Annual Report in Salisbury, Connecticut, was dedicated to the memory of Tres. Tres was the last patrol canine in use by the Law Enforcement Division. In 2001, Tres was retired due to medical problems related to his age and passed away shortly after his retirement

**LIST OF LITTERS BORN OR EXPECTED AS OF 0 4/25/2012 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 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.
  - Heart clearances will be included in the listing at the discretion of the breeder.
  - A PSLRA member must own either the sire or the dam and must submit the listing for a non-member.
  - **Please contact Jill if you need a Litter Listing form, to be used for ALL litters.**
  - All Breeders must update their litters each week with Jill Mahoney via email (mahoney@wwdb.org) as to the sex and color of puppies you have sold. The listing will be deleted after three months from the first litter listing date unless she hears from you.
1. Mail the completed form and a check for \$10 (operating expenses for Breeder Listing and Puppy Referral Programs) to **Jill Mahoney, PO Box 7454, Covington WA 98042**.
  2. Your litter notice will appear in the next PSLRA newsletter **if** it conforms to the Code of Ethics.
  3. If you know that the Litter Listing and the Puppy Referral programs have helped you sell your puppies, **please send a donation to PSLRA** (c/o Jill Mahoney) to show your appreciation. These donations will all be used for Lab Rescue.

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

**Litter Born: 12/07/2011 (3BF Available)**

Sire: MBISS Am/Can Ch. Nipntuck Yell King  
OFA27E, OFEL24N, CERF 2/11, Heart ECHO Normal,  
EIC Normal

Dam: Can Ch. B-Mor's Artesian Spring Water\*  
OFA33E, OFEL33N, CERF 9/11, Heart ECHO Normal,  
EIC Carrier

\*AKC Major Pointed

Contact: Bea Ferguson 360-403-9698

Litter: 3BM, 7BF

Email: babfergie70@comcast.net

Listed: 12/03/2011, 03/26/2012

**Litter Born: 01/09/2012 (1 BM, 2 BF Available)**

Sire: CH Nipntuck Cimarron's Blue Moon  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 8/2011, OFA Heart Normal

Dam: Cimarron's Tinkerbelle  
OFA27G, OFEL27N, ACVO 2/2012, OFA Heart Normal,  
EIC clear.

Contact: Laura Steward DVM- Cimarron Labradors.  
360-978-4742; 360-731-9017

Email: laura@cimarronfarm.com

Website: www.cimarronfarm.com

Listed: 03/08/2012, 04/03/2012

**Litter Born: 1/25/2012 (1BF Available)**

Sire: Kingsland's Rocky Top MH  
OFA24E, OFEL24N, ACVO 10/12/11, CNM & EIC-Clear

Dam: Rattlinridge's Jazmine  
OFA24F, OFEL24N, ACVO 1/12/12, CNM- Clear

Contact: Teresa Meredith 253-845-1311

Litter: 1BM, 2BF, 2CM, 3CF

Email: kingsland\_labs@hotmail.com

Website: kingslandlabradors.com

Listed: 01/18/2012, 04/03/2012

**Litter Born: 02/18/2012 (3CM, 4CF Available)**

Sire: CH Skyfire's Oughta Be Haulin RN, CGC, WC  
OFA25G, OFEL25N, CERF 9/11, Cardiac ECHO Normal,  
Optigen Normal, EIC Clear, CNM Normal

Dam: Kingland's Lacey Lou Kaitlyns Pride  
OFA26G, OFEL26N, CERF 11/2011

Contact: Caroline Hatch 253-435-9944

Litter: 4CM, 5CF

Email: chatch04@comcast.net

Litter Listed: 03/08/2012, 04/03/2012 (Sarah Fischer)

**Litter Born: 02/28/2012 (3YM, 1YF Available)**

Sire: Am/Can Ch Cedarwood's Flt. Of The Phoenix  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 3/2011, Heart Normal -  
Practitioner, Optigen Normal,

Dam: Elisa's Sweet Dream "Austin"  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 1/2011

Contact: Elisa Stout - Falling Fowl Labradors 253-222-7312

Email: elisastout1465@msn.com

Listed: 01/18/2012, 04/03/2012

**Litter Born: 03/03/2012 (1CF Available)**

Sire: CH Skyfire's Oughta Be Haulin' RN, CGC, WC  
OFA25G, OFEL25N, CERF 9/2011, OFA Heart Normal/  
Card./Echo, EIC clear, Optigen Normal

Dam: Cimarron's Finally  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 2/2012

Contact: Laura Steward DVM- Cimarron Labradors.  
360-978-4742; 360-731-9017

Email: laura@cimarronfarm.com

Website: www.cimarronfarm.com

Listed: 03/08/2012, 04/03/2012

**Litter Born: 03/07/2012 (2CM, 2CF Available)**

Sire: Kingsland's Super Cooper EJ  
OFA24E, OFEL24N, ACVO10/2011, CNM & EIC-Clear

Dam: Kingsland's Sweet Madeline  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO10/2011, CNM-Clear

Contact: Teresa Meredith

Litter: 2CM, 4CF

Email: kingsland\_labs@hotmail.com

Website: kingslandlabradors.com

Listed: 01/18/2012, 04/03/2012

**Litter Born: 03/17/2012 (4CM, 3CF Available)**

Sire: Kingsland's Super Cooper EJ  
OFA24E, OFEL24N, ACVO10/2011, CNM & EIC-Clear  
Dam: Damoiseaux's Everlasting Elsie  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 8/2011  
Contact: Teresa or Chris Damoiseaux 253-926-1035  
Email: ctdamoiseaux@q.com  
Listed: 02/24/2012, 04/03/2012

**Litter Born: 03/18/2011 (2YF Available)**

Sire: Int. CH. Mtn. Star Rolling Thunder JH CD RA Pet Part.  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 02/2012, OFA Heart Normal,  
Optigen Clear, EIC Clear, CNM Clear  
Dam: Int. CH. Artesian's Abigail Rose @ Mtn. Star  
OFA24F, OFEL24N, CERF 02/2012, OFA Heart Normal,  
Optigen clear, CNM clear  
Litter: 1YM, 3YF  
Contact: Harvey Hazen 509-833-9705 Day/509-833-9718 Eve.  
Email: hazenlabs3@yahoo.com  
Listed: 04/23/2012

**Litter Expected: 04/30/2012 (All Yellows)**

Sire: Can CH. Harbortop Tell It To The Marines  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 9/2011  
Dam: Edenwood Sand Piper  
OFA32E, OFEL32N, CERF 12/2011  
Contact: Lisa Arroyo 360-510-3484 Day/360-733-8836 Eve.  
Email: arroyofmly@comcast.net  
Listed: 04/23/2012

**Litter Expected: 05/13/2012 (Blacks and Chocolates)**

Sire: Lucky D's Blazing Moose  
OFA44G, OFEL44N, ACVO 2/2012  
Dam: Int. CH Harbortop Finally RN NAP NJP  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, CERF 11/2011, EIC Clear, Optigen  
Normal  
Contact: Nina Mann 360-629-7619 Days/Evenings  
Email: harbortop@netzero.net  
Listed: 04/25/2012

**Litter Expected: 05/15/2012 (All Chocolates)**

Sire: CH Skyfire's Oughta Be Haulin RN, CGC, WC  
OFA25G, OFEL25N, CERF 9/11, Cardiac ECHO Normal,  
Optigen Normal, EIC Clear, CNM Normal  
Dam: Claddagh's Bella Isabella  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 10/2011, CNM Normal by  
parentage  
Contact: Teresa Meredith 253-845-1311 Days/Evenings  
Email: kingsland\_labs@hotmail.com  
Website: www.kingslandlabradors.com  
Listed: 04/03/2012

**Litter Expected: 05/15/2012 (Blacks and Yellows)**

Sire: BOSS CH Gateway's Paint The Town, CGC  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 7/2011  
Dam: Int. CH Fawnhaven Chantilly Of Guns Up JH RN  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 11/2011,  
Contact: Cheri Wildes 425-260-2338 Days/Evenings  
Email: cheri@gunsuplabs.com  
Website: www.gunsuplabs.com  
Listed: 04/25/2012

**Litter Expected: 05/25/2012 (Blacks and Yellows)**

Sire: Tristar's Black Ice  
OFA24G, OFEL24N, ACVO 02/2012, OFA Heart Normal/  
Card/ECHO, Optigen Normal, EIC Normal  
Dam: CAN CH. Cougar Creek Ima Tango Two  
OFA27G, OFEL27N, CERF 06/2011, OFA Heart Normal  
Contact: Cecilie Drege  
Email: cougarcreeklabs@peoplepc.com  
Website: www.cougarcreeklabs.com  
Listed: 04/04/2012

**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.*

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**Yellow Male 1 ½ year old (intact)**

Levi is crate trained. He has been shown and has one point. Levi would make a great family companion or a show prospect. Please contact for more information on individual dogs.  
Contact: Katie Somers 509-398-1470  
Email: Katie\_somers@msn.com  
Listed: 01/18/2012

**Black Male 1 ½ old (intact)**

Abe is a sweet, happy, easy going boy. He is crate trained, gets along well with other dogs, cats, kids and has been exposed to cows, horses, and other farm animals. Both parents have hip, elbow, heart & eye clearances. Abe has no known health or temperament issues and is current on shots and deworming, is microchipped, and is ready for his forever home.  
Contact: Stephanie Harris 509-929-5227  
email: stephanie@skyfirelabs.com  
website: http://www.skyfirelabs.com  
Listed: 01/18/2012



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