

The Retriever Believer

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It's The Most Wonderful Time

*'Tis the season for family, friendship, selflessness and love.
PSLRA wishes our membership an enjoyable holiday full of
cherished memories.*

*Watch for an updated schedule as we welcome in a new year.
Our first event for 2022 will be our Annual Awards Banquet
in Puyallup on January 15th. Please come join us! More
information can be found in this newsletter and on our website
at www.PSLRA.org.*

*Hugs and Tail Wags,
Kris*

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Secretary's Minutes—November

PSLRA Board of Directors Meeting November 17, 2021

6:43 PM via Zoom – Recorded for record

* Member meeting before start of BOD meeting to vote on by-law amendment. 19 members present.

PUGET SOUND LABRADOR RETRIEVER ASSOCIATION BYLAWS

ARTICLE III

Directors and Officers

SECTION 1. Board of Directors.

The Board shall be comprised of the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and at least eight other persons who shall be members in good standing and whom shall be elected at the Club's annual meeting. The immediate past president shall be named 'Chair of the Board' with voting privileges, and shall have all rights and privileges of elected Board members. No one person may hold more than one elected office or be both an Officer and a Director. The Officers shall be elected for one-year terms at the Club's annual meeting as provided in Article IV and shall serve until their successors are elected. Officers President, Vice President and Secretary shall be eligible to succeed themselves for a second term, but shall then not be eligible to hold the same office for a period of five years. The Treasurer shall be eligible to succeed themselves each year with no restriction as to length of term. General management of the Club's affairs shall be entrusted to the Board of Directors. Board members having missed three Board meetings without just cause will be replaced on the Board in accordance with Section 3 of Article III.

Motion made to accept by-law change by BOD made by Scott Dannaker. Second by Diane Sullenberger. Pass unanimously. Vote by PSLRA members present – Pass unanimously.

BOD Members present: Scott Dannaker, Becky Dannaker, Rob Parkins, Diane Sullenberger, Angela Rogalla, Cheri Levine, Jill Mahoney, Brenda Hubbard, Jim Olson, Cindy Olson, Katie Somers.

Report of the President – (Scott)

Report of the Secretary – (Rob) 2022 BOD nominees were submitted to newsletter editor before Nov 15

Report of the Treasurer – (Cindy) Submitted to BOD (Cheri) \$2,000 from Agility trial

Committees

1. **Membership – (Jill Mahoney)** New members. October 2021 – will submit report. Leslie Douglas asked for info cards for potential members.

2. **Rescue – (Brenda Hubbard)** – No report from Edith (chair)

3. **Field Training Day – April 2, 2022** for WC with training beforehand. Will need gunners.

Secretary's Minutes—November

11. Supported Entries – (Jill) Puyallup – cash prizes. Shelah Ricco judge. Jill would like backup (Becky agreed to do it), due to potential travel problems.

12. Nomination Committee – (Becky) – Nominations submitted to BOD and nominees notified. Additional nominations can be made at December meeting.

New Business

- Becky – Holiday Party December 18, 2021 @ Dannaker House

- Membership meeting in January – *MJ is having a hard time finding venue.*

- Marcy/Jill - discuss pslra's Supported entry at the peninsula dog shows (march 26 &27, 2022). She may want funds to pay for judges hotel for one night. *Marcy - Jessica Lind recommended for sweeps judge. Jill made motion, Diane second. Pass unanimously. Jill made motion PSLRA pays for up to \$175 for judge hotel night for March 25, 2022. Angela second. Pass unanimously.*

- Cindy – Tri-Club (AED, Thundergun) The TriClub has \$2,287 in the bank. Thunderguns cost \$650 at auction vs original approved \$550. RHRC is seeking reimbursement for three first aid kits for our HT's. PSLRA's share is \$153. These will come out of the TriClub account.

Pending purchases for Pop-Up canopy's and radios - this will also come out of the TriClub bank account. RHRC feels we need one to three AED (automated external defibrillators) for use at hunt tests. Cost \$1,000 to \$1,500 each. Does PSLRA feel these might be used at other events such as agility or the specialty? Does anyone have an opinion on the AED's? I would like to discuss this at the next board meeting.

Jill made motion to cover in increased cost of Thundergun, \$40. Cindy second. Vote, unanimous. Cindy made motion to approve funds to purchase popups and radios using Tri-Club funds. Jim second. Pass unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 8:04 PST



Announcements

Calendar of Events

January 15	Rally Trial
January 15	Awards Banquet Best Western, Puyallup
May 7 & 8	Hunt Test
August 27 & 28	Hunt Test

2022 PSLRA BOD Nominating Committee

Proposed Slate

We have the 2022 PSLRA slate as follows:

Angela Rogalla, President
Marcy Johnson, Vice President
Cindy Olsen, Treasurer
Jill Mahoney, Secretary

Board of Directors:

Jan Cameron	Lisa McGlothen
Becky Dannaker	Jim Olsen
Brenda Hubbard	Rob Parkins
Cheri Levine	Katie Somers
Linda Maffett	Diane Sullenberger

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

Please Submit Articles and Advertisements to:

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

The Retriever Believer is published monthly by the Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association. Non-member subscriptions are \$20/year. Contributions in the form of articles, letters or money are always welcome. Letters to the editor should not exceed one page of typeset in the newsletter. It is our goal to provide an open forum where members can present their views to the club. The editor and the board of directors reserve the right to decline publication of advertising and other material submitted for publication. *The Retriever Believer* will publish brags (free) and Puppy Referral Litter Listings provided a club member owns either the sire or the dam and a \$10 listing fee has been paid to Puppy Referral. All litter listings and litter advertising must comply with the PSLRA Code of Ethics.

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:

Membership: membership@pslra.org

Awards Banquet

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Annual Banquet

January 15, 2022

Best Western Hotel, Puyallup

The dinner will be hosted by the club
(NO COST for CLUB MEMBERS) with a no-host bar provided and **LOTS OF FUN,**
THE FAMOUS PAW PRINT GAME and **DOOR PRIZES!**

Annual awards for All-around and Versatility dogs will be awarded as well as
Member of the Year and Presidents Achievement Award.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED BY JANUARY 1ST!!!

Contact Mary Jane (labsix@whidbey.com) or Jen (blutopfarms@hotmail.com).



*You will get a confirmation email.
If you don't - contact us again!*

We'll send out periodic lists to show who has reserved. If you reserve a dinner and can't or don't attend you will be responsible for payment. Cost to attend is FREE for members and \$40 for non-club members. ALL are welcome!!!

Lifetime Members



Congratulations and thank you to

Cheri Wildes
and
Dave Lawniczak

for your continuous
25 year membership in PSLRA.

Welcome to life-time membership!

Litter Listing

Litter Listing as of November 22, 2021

Litter Born: 09/02/2021

Available: 1 Black Male, 1 Black Female

Sire: GCH Nipntuck Hope I Play

AKC: SS04914701

Hips = OFA24 Good, **Elbows** = OFEL24 Normal, **Eyes** = 09/26/21, **Heart** = ECHO Normal, **prcd/PRA** = Clear/Normal, **EIC** = Clear, **HNPk** = Clear, **Long Coat** = Clear, **CT** = Clear

Dam: Chibry's Southern Charm

AKC: SR94127002

Hips = OFA24 Good, **Elbows** = OFEL24 Normal, **Eyes** = 9/26/2021, **Heart** = ECHO Normal, **prcd/PRA** = Clear/Normal, **EIC** = Carrier, **CNM** = Clear, **HNPk** = Clear, **DM** = Clear, **RD/OSD** = Clear, **SD2** = Clear, **CT** = Clear

Contact: Jill Mahoney

Phone: 253.797.7779

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Date Listed: 10/27/2021



Older Dog Listing

Hero

1 Year Old – Black Male

Spay/Neuter Status: Intact, will need to be neutered at appropriate age.

Health Information: Up to date on all vaccines.

General Information: Hero is a big boy at 90 lbs. He is healthy, very kind and sweet. Hero is a mellow fellow, loves his family and is very affectionate. He is a marvelous companion.

Please Note: Hero is not a rescue. He is being sold to an approved home.

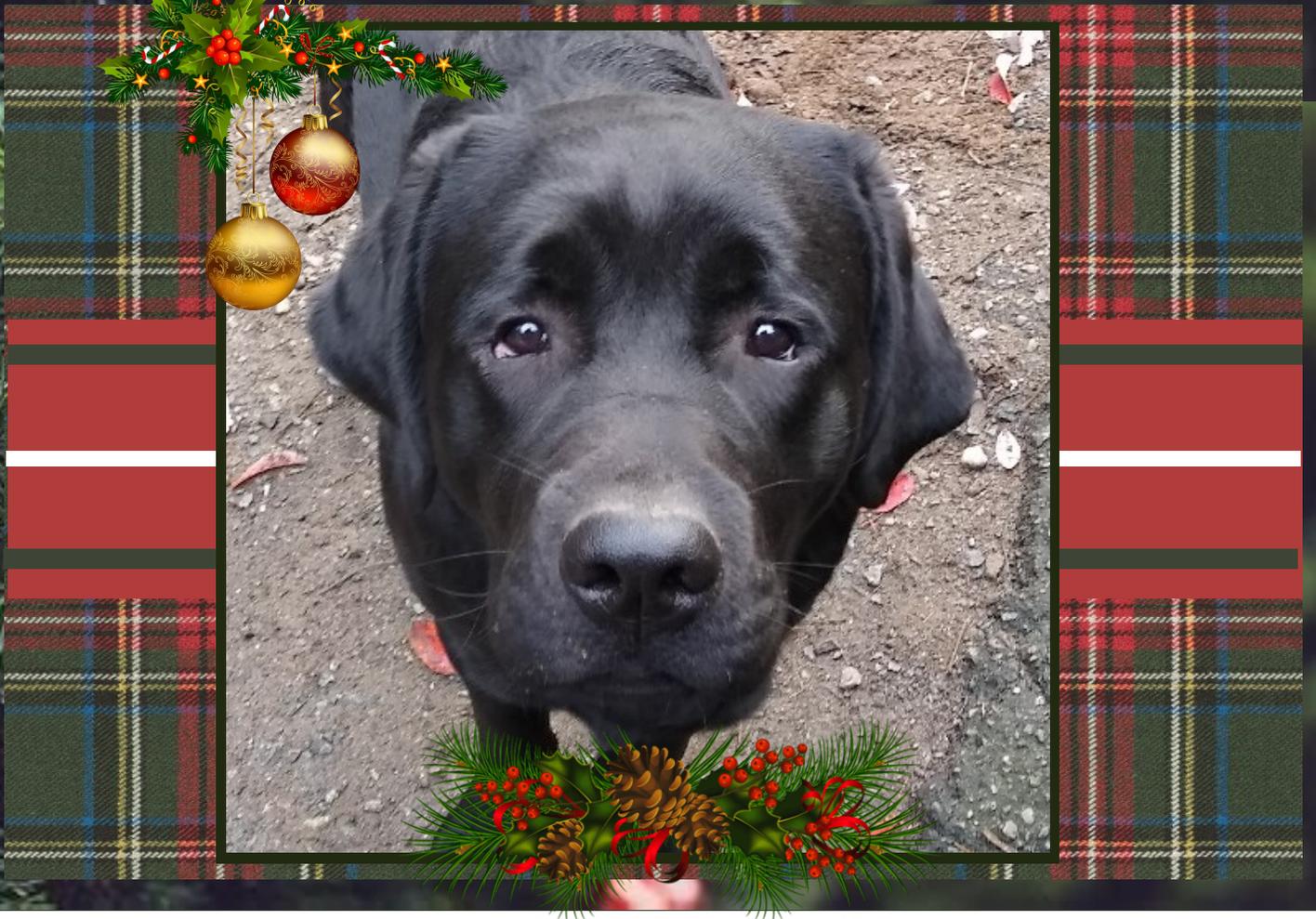
Contact: Lucy Isaacson Logen

Phone: 206.423.6506

Email: himoonlab@msn.com

Website: himoonlabradors.com

Date Listed: 11/22/2021



Older Dog Listing

Ramble

6 Year Old – Black Female

Spay/Neuter Status: Intact, will need to be spayed.

Health Information: Up to date on all vaccines and has her health clearances.

General Information: Ramble loves retrieving and is totally healthy with no concerns. She is a happy girl who is always looking to please & play with us. Ramble is affectionate and active.

Please Note: Ramble is not a rescue. She is being sold to an approved home.

Contact: Lucy Isaacson Logen

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Date Listed: 11/22/2021



Membership Renewal Process



Please review the following instructions for the 2022 PSLRA Membership Renewal Process:

- How to Log-In to the Club's Website
- On-Line Payment Requirements
- Membership Dues Payments: Individual or Family
- Membership Dues Payments: Include Breeder Directory Renewal
 - Must Already be an Active 2020 Breeder Directory Member
 - 2020 Volunteer Requirement Must be Verified Prior to Making Breeder Directory Renewal Payment.
 - See Additional Instructions for Members Wishing to RE-JOIN the Breeder Directory.
 - See Additional Instructions for Becoming a First Time Member of the Breeder Directory.

*****REQUIRES APPLICATION & APPROVAL PROCESS*****

As a reminder, Lifetime Members who are NOT active Breeder Directory Members, or planning to join the Breeder Directory in 2022, DO NOT NEED TO TAKE ANY ACTION.

Website Log-In Process



How to Log-In to the Club's Website

I Forgot my Password: If a Member forgets their User Name or Password to log-in, the best way to resolve the issue is to do the following:

- Go to the Member drop-down on the upper right of the web page.
- Choose the Password Reset option in the drop-down menu.
 - Include the User Name or email address.
- Using an email address is probably easier.
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- The system will email a link to reset your password.
- Reset the password, log-in, and choose the Keep Me Signed In checkbox.

Member Log-in for Shopping Cart Purchases: As part of the set up for the Member's Only Features, All Club Members technically have two accounts and are considered a Customer and a Member.

Since the site views all Members as Customers, and all Member information is already in the system, Members will experience the following when attempting to make a purchase through the cart if logged on, versus NOT.

- If a Member chose the Keep Me Signed In checkbox during their previous log in, the cart will recognize them as a Member and they can check out with no issues.
 - If a Member attempts to check out without logging in, after manually inputting their information into the cart, the cart will recognize they are a Member and require them to log in.
- There is a link to log in at the top of the cart checkout page. If the member knows their User Name and Password, and they log-in, they will proceed through check out without an issue.
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Keep Me Signed In: Did you know if Members log on to the Club's website and check the the Keep Me Signed In box, they stay logged in until they choose to log out in the future?

This allows Members to access the site with full Member benefits without needing to log in again.

Please Note: the Club's website is no different than any other site a Member may have an account with, e.g., Facebook, Amazon, the Lab Chat, etc. Members simply log in, remember their User Name and Password, and/or choose to Keep Logged In. In the future when they visit, they will have access to all Member features because the site will automatically recognize them as a Member/Account Owner.

Membership Renewal Process



2022 PSLRA Membership Renewal:

Membership 2022 renewal payments must be made through the Shopping Cart on the Club's website. This is regardless of whether you choose to pay by Check or PayPal.

Please **DO NOT** send payments directly to PayPal and by-pass this process. It will only make the renewal process harder to manage.

To avoid being delinquent as of first day of the Club's fiscal year February 1, 2020, we are requesting that all Members renew their membership, including making their Breeder Directory payment, once their Volunteer Requirement is Verified, by January 15, 2022.

If a Member remains delinquent as of April 1, 2022, their Member access to the Club's website will be deactivated, and they will no longer receive the Club's Newsletter or other All Member communications from the Club until the renewal payment is received and their account is re-activated.

As a reminder, Lifetime Members who are NOT active Breeder Directory Members or planning to join the Breeder Directory in 2022 DO NOT NEED TO TAKE ANY ACTION.

Please Note: To access the Membership Renewal Payment options in the Shopping Cart you must log-on to the site. If you are not logged on to the site, the payment option links will not be visible.

Individual & Family Membership Renewal Payments:

To renew Individual or Family Memberships please visit the following link to process your payment: [Standard Membership Renewal](#)

- Choose the appropriate Payment Type from the Drop Down, e.g., Individual or Family.
- You can choose to make your renewal payment by Check or PayPal during the Check Out Process.
- If you choose to Pay by Check the address to the Club's Treasurer is noted in the Pay by Check Option.

Membership Renewal Process



Membership Renewal Payment Plus Breeder Directory:

Since 2021 has not yet come to a close, we have NOT YET confirmed all current Breeder Directory participants have met their 2021 volunteer requirement to remain on the list for 2022.

We ask that Breeder Directory Members wait to renew until their 2021 Volunteer Requirement is confirmed. These Members will be notified when this process is complete on or before January 1, 2022.

At that time, Breeder Directory participants can renew their membership and pay for their Breeder Directory listing as part of one transaction.

If you are not assigned to a Breeder Directory Profile in the Membership features, this payment option will not be visible.

To renew a Individual or Family Membership plus make a Breeder Directory payment, please visit the following link:

[Membership Renewal + Breeder Directory Payment](#)

- **Please Note: This payment option DOES include the ability for Lifetime Members to renew their Breeder Directory Listing Only.**
- **Lifetime Members choose Lifetime from the Drop Down at \$0.00, plus Breeder Directory at \$15.00 for a total charge of \$15.00.**

If you have any questions or need assistance in the meantime, please send a request to membership@pslra.org.

Membership Renewal Process



Re-Join the PSLRA Breeder Directory

If you have been a Breeder Directory Member in the past, and would like re-join for 2022, you will need to contact the Membership Chair at membership@pslra.org and let the Chair know your interest in re-joining, as well as at least 1 Volunteer requirement you met in 2021.

The Chair will verify your volunteer requirement, and send you the payment link to renew your membership and re-join the Breeder Directory.

As a reminder: To re-join you must have met the 1 Volunteer requirement for 2021, plus an additional charge of \$15.00 will be added to your membership dues to cover the cost of your Breeder Directory listing for 2022.



Join PSLRA Breeder Directory for 2022:

- Must be a PSLRA member in good standing for at least two (2) years.
- Or, have been a member in good standing in another Labrador Retriever Club for at least two (2) years.
- Must be sponsored by two (2) current PSLRA Breeder Directory Members.
 - Must meet the annual Volunteer requirement by assisting the Club in at least one (1) capacity each year.
- By volunteering to Chair or help at one (1) Club event.
- Or, by participating in another role within the club, such as serving on a Committee, being a Board member, etc.
- Donations to the raffle, website photo submissions, potluck items, etc., though greatly appreciated, are examples of actions that DO NOT count toward Breeder Directory volunteer requirements.
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- A payment of \$15.00 will be added to your membership dues to cover the cost of your Breeder Directory listing.

If you are interested in being added to the Breeder Directory, you must complete and submit the Join the Breeder Directory Application located on the Club's website. [Join Breeder Directory](#)

To access the Breeder Directory Application, you must log-on to the site. If you are not logged on to the site, the above link will require you to log on, or the link on the actual site will not be visible.

If you have any questions or need assistance please send a request to membership@pslra.org.

Braggs



Country Classic Kids

From left to right, P!nk, Stevie, Sawyer, Rumor, and Marlo. At the Overlake Collie Club Trial, the Country Classic Labradors did a thing. They dominated the Time to Beat 16 inch preferred class. 1st place P!nk, 2nd place Rumor, 3rd place Sawyer, 4th place Marlo. Stevie ran in the same class, but was "for exhibit only" as she has just started playing the game and needs ring time. So much fun.

*P!nk Owned/Handled by Denise Beaumont
Stevie Owned/Handled by Scott Beaumont
Sawyer Owned/Handled by Julie Germano
Rumor Owned by Julie Germano/Handled by Janine Hayes
Marlo Owned/Handled by Julie Germano*

International CH Country Classic Get This Party Started
BN RN MXP3 MXPB MJP4 MJPB XFP RATM CZ8B
EGCTKN WC CC



P!nk has had a very good several months in agility. At the Australian Shepherd Trial, she had 3 Time to Beat qualifies...two with 1st places, and a 3rd place in Master Fast. At the Bell Vernon Trial, she earned a 3rd and 4th place in Master Standard and a qualify in Master Jumpers counting toward one of her double Qs for her PACH....she needs 8 more, but also earned all 750 points required for her PACH. At the Overlake Collie Club Trial she qualified in both Time to Beat runs, one with a 1st place, and a Master Fast run with 4th place. At the Afghan Trial, two more Time to Beat qualifies, one with a 1st place. And finally at the Labrador Trial she earned a 2nd place in Master Standard. We are having fun and look forward to the 2022 agility season!!

Owned/Handled by Denise Beaumont

Country Classic's Leather and Lace NFP



Stevie played in her first official agility trial at the Overlake Collie Club Trial. She ran very well in all of her runs, and she earned a 1st place and first leg of her Novice Fast Preferred title. At the Afghan Trial another leg in Novice Fast with a 1st place. And at the Samoyed Trial she earned two 1sts in Novice Jumpers, a 1st in Novice Standard, and her last leg and Title in Novice Fast with another 1st. Good job baby girl!

Owned/Handled by Scott Beaumont

Country Classic's That Girl

RATN RN RJ OAP AJP NFP ACT1 ACT2



Marlo is moving up very quickly in agility. At the Australian Shepherd Trial, she qualified in two Open Jumpers runs, both with 1st places, and earned her Open Jumpers Title. At the Bell Vernon Trial she earned her first leg in Excellent Jumpers. At the Overlake Collie Club Trial, she earned two more legs in Excellent Jumpers, one with a 1st place, earning her Excellent Jumpers Title. She qualified with a 1st place to earn a first leg in Excellent Standard and added a Time to Beat qualify, as well.

While she is still trying to add social butterfly points, she's starting to realize, with the help of her handler, there is no title in this to be gained. Silly, sweet Marlo.

Owned/Handled by Julie Germano

Int CH Country Classic's I'll Take the Dirt Road RN OA OAJ AXP OF CGC TKN RATS CC WC



Sawyer is competing very nicely in agility. At the Bell Vernon Trial, he qualified in two Excellent Standard runs both with 1st place and earned his Excellent Standard Title. He also qualified in Excellent Jumpers with a 1st place and gained another Time to Beat qualify. At the Overlake Collie Club Trial, he qualified in a Master Standard run, earned his first points toward a PACH, and gained another leg in Time to Beat. At the Afghan Trial, another Time to Beat qualify. Good boy, Sawyer!

Owned/Handled by Julie Germano

*International CH Country Classic's Rumor Has It
CDX PCDX BN RA NA AXP AJP NF XFP CC WC*



Rumor is still actively involved in the "loaner" Lab program running agility with her handler, Janine. At the Australian Shepherd Trial, she earned a Master Jumpers and a Time to Beat qualify. She also earned a Time to Beat qualify at the Overlake Collie Club Trial. Then came the Afghan Trial where she qualified in Time to Beat, Master Jumpers, and a 4th place in Master Standard. And at the last trial of the year for her, she gained another qualify in Master Standard and in Master Jumpers. Team Rumor is running smooth and happy and can't wait to get back at it in 2022.

Owned by Julie Germano/Handled by Janine Hayes



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