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Hello Members!

Welcome to the pumpkin spice edition, which is stuffed as full as we will hopefully all be after the upcoming Thanksgiving Day. If you missed sending anything in related to National feel free to submit it for the next issue. In planning for next year's events keep in mind the 2024 Sports Show January 31st - February 4th in Puyallup. Brenda Hawkins Hubbard is looking for a chairperson to coordinate PSLRA's educational booth. Please contact her ASAP through Facebook or her email brooke-lynn@msn.com

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Nominations for Secretary Needed!

Dear PSLRA Members,

PSLRA Elections are coming up for 2024 Board of Directors and Officers. The nominating committee consists of Tamaría Hartman (chair), and Denise Hetland.

We are currently seeking nominations for the Secretary position!

Deadline: Upon receipt of the Nominating Committee's report, the Secretary shall, before November 15th, notify each member in writing of the candidates so nominated.

Deadline for late nominations: Additional nominations may be made at the December holiday party by any member in attendance provided that the person accepts when his/her name is proposed, and provided further that if the proposed candidate is not in attendance at this meeting, his or her proposer shall present to the secretary a written statement from the proposed candidate signifying his or her willingness to be a candidate.

Please contact the nominating committee if you are interested in serving as a director or officer for 2024. According to the PSLRA's by-laws, 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 as of Oct 1st 2023, and whom shall be elected at the Club's annual meeting in January. Every member is encouraged to read/re familiarize yourself with the ByLaws, Constitution, and Policies and Standards on the PSLRA website. If you are considering serving on the board, please keep in mind the time commitments, regarding monthly in person/zoom meetings.

Contact - Tamaría Hartman - Mykisslabs@gmail.com

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Warm Regards,

Tamaría Hartman

Thank You PSLRA Member Hunt Test Volunteers!

For your help during the Fall Hunt Test on August 26th and 27th.

Test Chair and All Around Helper ~ Susan Bell

Test Secretary and Test Committee Member ~ Cindy Olson

Chief Marshal and Test Committee Member ~ Jean Fowler

Hospitality and Test Committee Member ~ Liz Skyllingstad

Set Up Helper and Test Committee Member ~ Liz Gibson

Test Committee Member ~ Cheri Levine

Bird Station Gunner for Master Stake ~ Mark Keen

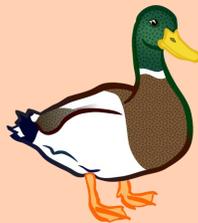
Bird Station Gunner for Master Stake ~ Randy Clark

Bird Station Gunner for Senior Stake ~ Doug Gallucci

Marshal for Junior Stake ~ Anne Swindeman

Relief Marshal for Junior Stake ~ Michelle Orser

Relief Marshal for Senior Stake ~ Julie Loudon



Thanks as well as to any members who have inadvertently been omitted from this list and to the many people who are not club members that also contributed to the success of the event.

Member Meeting Minutes— June

June 17, 2023

Membership meeting called to order at 1:37pm by Marcy Johnson.

Those in attendance:

Marcy Johnson, Jill Mahoney, Leslie Douglas, Kate Somers, Lizzie Harper, Savannah Harper, Wyatt Harper, Stephanie Harris, Stacey Parsons, Christine Jaeger, Lisa McGlothlen, Wayne McGlothlen, Diane Sullenberger, Todd Sullenberger, Jan Camaron, Udo Stark, Paul Taylor.

Welcome and greeting on behalf of President - Marcy Johnson.

- Introduction and thank you to Match chairpersons Jan Camaro and Diane Sullenberger; and Judges Udo Stark, Lisa and Wayne McGlothlen.
- Marcy Johnson reminded exhibitors to get their RV reservations in for camping.
- Marcy Johnson listed the evening events at the specialty. Wednesday is on your own. Thursday is the group potluck. Everyone is included. Contact Becky Dannaker for more information. Friday is the beverage and progressive appetizer crawl. Eleven stations possibly eleven different drinks. Special glass are for sale as a fund raiser. Contact Marcy Johnson if you would like to purchase one. Saturday night is the annual dinner. All exhibitors are invited. There will be a short membership meeting.
- The specialty premium is online at dogzibit.com. We are in need of sponsorships. Please sponsor if you are able. Sponsorships are available online through the dogzibit website. Still looking for Judges Liaison for the specialties. Diane Sullenberger still needs people for cleanup after specialties. Please contact her if you can help.
- Health clinic is Sunday, September 24th in Snohomish. The National's health clinic is October 1. Please preregistration is required. Contact Marlys Swanson for further information. Marlys is looking for a new site for the September event. Any suggestions would be appreciated. Lisa McGlothlen will speak with Dr. Thoreson about having it at the Snohomish site.

No further discussion.

Meeting adjourned at 1:47 by Marcy Johnson.

Board Meeting Minutes— July

Wednesday, July 19, 2023

Meeting started at 6:31pm

Zoom

Those in attendance: Sharon Edwards, MJ Sarbaugh, Marcy Johnson, Marlys Swanson, Vicky Hoskinson Jan Cameron, Becky Jack, Kimberly Dotson Denise Hetland, Rob Parkins, Lisa McGlothlen, Stephanie Harris, Linda Maffett, Jill Mahoney, Katie Somers, Brenda Hubbard.

Officers Reports:

- President – Marcy. No report.
- Vice President – Becky. No report.
- Secretary – Jill. AKC closing documents for agility.
- Treasurer – Cindy. On vacation. Contact her for financial reports.

Acknowledgements: Everyone involved in the match huge thanks! Stephanie Harris—thank you for doing AKC paperwork for the PSLRA National. Tami Fraser—for helping clean up tee shirts and transporting tubs from Nima Mann's.

Committee Reports:

- Supported Entries –
 - Lynden (May) — Marlys Swanson reached out to suggest input on judges for Lynden shows. She will be contacting Whidbey shows about judges for their Shows in November. Many on the this call felt that we should look for clubs that will work with our club. According to Marcy Johnson, Bremerton has been great.
 - Wenatchee (October) – Katie Somers stated that Kimberly Dotson is the sweepstakes judge.
 - Puyallup (January). — Jill Mahoney states nothing new.
 - Bremerton (March) — Marcy Johnson states nothing new.
- Fall/Spring HRT – Jim Olson. No update.
- Match – Jan Cameron follow up. Udo Lisa and Wayne did a great job judging. Good turn out. Kim Dotson on ribbons and tops on gifts. Diane and Todd were excellent on the grills.
- Rescue Report – Brenda Hubbard. No update.
- Membership – Jill Mahoney. Marcy Johnson asked that the membership group on Facebook be updated.
- 2023 Specialties – Katie Somers and Stephanie Harris. Two weeks out. Any questions to Stephanie and Katie.
- Raffle. Donate and take it home. Appreciate all the work that Jan Cameron has done for the raffle. Marcy Johnson mentioned that 35 wine glasses sold (sic) 37. There will be eleven stations with treats and beverages.

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July Board Minutes— Continued

Obedience/Rally – Marlys and Chantel are working on a few new ideas to get exhibitors back into obedience and rally. Vonnie Russell will be one of the team judges.

- WC – Marlys Swanson had no update.
- National Specialty update – Rob Parkins stated everything going as planned. Proofing the premium now. Still looking for a Judges Liaison. Rob is in need of a couple of members interested in being part of the welcome committee with Mt. Rainier Labrador Club. Rob is continuing to think of some type of fund raiser for our specialty day. Rob is looking at an incubator for the fundraiser, a wagon of wine, a wagon of Ryobi fans, popup, chair.
- Fall/Spring Agility – Cheri Levine no update
- Annual Banquet - MJ Sarbaugh and crew are looking at a new site in Puyallup. More information will be going through Facebook.

Old Business:

- Defibrillator equipment. No update.
- Litter listing requirements committee. Discussion and tabled until next meeting.
- Board positions and maximum number of board members on the board committee. After brief discussion topic as tabled until next meeting...

New Business:

Show and match trailer maintenance expenses was brought to the board by Stephanie Harris and Jill Mahoney. They asked for discussion on the lack of maintenance on the show and match trailers. The Board voted to expense the show trailer electrical wiring and tire replacement to the association's general fund. It was also identified the match trailer tires will need to be replaced this coming year.

Health clinic: Marlys Swanson is coordinating both the PSLRA September 24th in Snohomish, and the National health clinics. Information has been posted in the newsletter, website, and email.

Open Discussion.

Next Meeting - August 5, 2023.

Adjourned at 7:52 pm.

Board Meeting Minutes— September

Wednesday, September 20, 2023.

Called to order at 6:34pm

Zoom

Those in attendance: Becky Dannaker, MJ Sarbaugh, Denise Hetland, Cindy Olson, Jill Mahoney, Brenda Hubbard, Kimberly Dotson, Stephanie Harris, Rob Parkins, Vicki Hoskinson, Lisa McGlothlen, Marlys Swanson, Jessica Baker, Marcy Johnson, Sharon Edwards, Jennifer Hajny, Linda Maffett

Officers Reports:

- President – Marc. No update.
- Vice President – Becky. No update.
- Secretary – Jill. Closures of events notifications from AKC.
- Treasurer – Cindy. Bank balance is solvent. Donation of \$204 from book sales to rescue. Cindy Olson leaving Sept 28 back Oct 27. Contact Jill Mahoney for checks and PayPal during Cindy's away time.

Acknowledgements. Book sale – MJ. Waiting for MJ page of info.

Fall Hunt test thank you's to Susan Bell, Cindy Olson, Jean Fowler, Liz Skyllingstad, Cheri Levine, Anne Swindeman, Julie Loudon, Doug Gallucci, Mark Keen, Randy Clark.

Committee Reports:

- Supported Entries –
 - Lynden (May) — Marlys. No updates.
 - Wenatchee (October) – Katie. Stephanie Harris is reminding everyone that Wenatchee Entries will close week of the National. Please entry early so you don't forget. Kimberly Dotson will be judging sweepstakes.
 - Puyallup (January). — Jill. All paperwork is in and acknowledged by the cluster. Waiting to hear back from sweepstakes judge prior to printing name.
 - Bremerton (March) — Marcy. No update.
- Fall/Spring HRT – Cindy Olson mentioned that the Spring hunt test final accounting lost was \$2500 lost. Fall hunt test broke even. Nothing new on next year's tests. Cindy will forward acknowledgements to Jill for print.
- Rescue Report – Brenda. Updates are on the main page of PSLRA Facebook.
- Membership – Jill Mahoney. Rejoining member Jodi Faix from Ferndale, WA and new member Julie Loudon, Cheney, WA.
- 2023 Specialties – Katie and Stephanie. One judge and Stephanie Harris have outstanding bills to be paid.
- Obedience/Rally – Marlys and Chantel. Exhibitors commented that they enjoyed the atmosphere and prizes offered. Terrie Sato, Chantel N., and Marlys Swanson were good ambassadors for the association.

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September Board Minutes— Continued

- WC – Marlys Swanson. No update other than More information after the National. She is aiming for April for the WC.
- National Specialty update – Rob Parkins mentioned that the Welcome party has over 90 people signed up to attend. There will be Team Trivia at the welcome party. A lot to look forward to. Health clinic correspondence is coming. Please contact Marlys Swanson only through email, not through any other media. There are 17 echos of 25 max. Could use some more eye checks. Paw Prints Genetics will be at the National and offering a discount.
- Fall/Spring Agility – Cheri Levine had no update.
- Annual Banquet – MJ Sarbaugh has put a deposit down to hold a banquet place at Charley's. Now her committee will start reviewing and deciding on a menu for the banquet. A discussion was had on if we should charge members. One of the concerns, as in the previous years, is no shows. This issue has cost Pslra a lot of money in the past. Maybe charge \$20 prepaid money. Reduced price for youth. 10 for youth, 20 adults. MJ Sarbaugh made the motion to charge \$20 for adults, \$10 for those under 18 years of age. This motion was seconded by Sharon Edwards. Rob Parkins asked to have the motion amended, MJ Sarbaugh made the new motion that adults be charged \$20 and those 16 and under are free. Sharon Edwards seconded the amended motion, vote to accept the change was unanimous. The 2024 Pslra Banquet will be at Charley's Place in Puyallup. More information with reservation dates and menus choices to come.

Old Business:

- Defibrillator equipment. Marcy Johnson's son is getting information for us. She will notify the board when she gets an update.
- Litter listing requirements committee. These tasks have been completed and will be removed.
- board positions and maximum number of board members on the board committee. So far Marcy Johnson, as President commented that she is surprised this board with so many on it has worked so well, effective too, even at most of the meetings, because of the zoom it allows for all to participate. No change to the number allowed on the board at this time. How the voting is done was discussed. The committee is still taking a look at the way board members are voted on. One concern was how positions are retained and if lost does that board member get to retain their previous director position.

New Business:

Barb Gilchrist contacted Brenda Hubbard and Edith Bryant about a Rescue parade at the upcoming National. It was decided because of lack of time, that Brenda would put a poster board together featuring three of PSLRA's rescue dogs. This will allow for a rescue dog presence at the National.

Brenda Hubbard reminded us that it is time to create a Nominating committee for officers and director positions for 2024. Marcy Johnson will proceed forward with organizing the committee. Marcy inquired with the board about a Nominating chair. There was no interest shown.

Open Discussion.

Next Meeting – October 18, 2023.

Adjourn 7:20pm.

Board Meeting Minutes— October

Wednesday, October 18, 2023

Zoom.

Those in attendance: Diane Sullenberger, Becky Dannaker, Marcy Johnson, Jessica Baker, Linda Maffett, Denise Hetland, Sharon Edwards, Vicky Hoskinson, Rob Parkins, Brenda Hubbard, Lisa McGlothlen, Kimberly Dotson, Tamaria Hartman, Katie Somers, Stephanie Harris, Marlys Swanson, Jill Mahoney, Mary Jane Sarbaugh.

Officers Reports:

- President – Marcy. No reports.
- Vice President – Becky. Proud of the PSLRA members and their effort during the National Week.
- Secretary – Jill. New judges report.
- Treasurer – Cindy. On vacation.

Acknowledgements. Agility, National, Health Clinics. Becky acknowledges Marcy for her leadership and how Rob was flexible working with many different personalities. For the National Health clinic volunteers Sam Kelly hearts and Vicky Hoskinson for spending both days volunteering. Meet and greet was great. Very fun experience. MJ acknowledged Jen Hajny, Colleen Doll and Deb Schmidt for hospitality. Rob Parkins will send me a report. Denise Hetland for the puppy tags. Lucy Issacson Logen and Stacey Parsons for decorating. Allison Rogers for Judges welcome bags and judge's gifts, Lorraine Yu for Dogzibit. Marian Daniel and Nancy Talbot for ring stewarding. Barb Gilchrist and Lizzie Moir for the rescue posters. Marlys shared for our health clinic, Lisa McGlothlen, Barb Pilkington, and Cathy Hakola. Thank you to Klahaya for allowing us to use their clinic.

Committee Reports:

- Supported Entries –
 - Lynden (May) — Marlys. Nothing new to report.
 - Wenatchee (October) – Katie. Everything is ready.
 - Puyallup (January). — Jill. Chris Dotson will be judging sweepstakes.
 - Bremerton (March) — Marcy. Chante Gonzales and Martin Glover judging sweepstakes.
- Nominating Committee – Denise. Everyone Current Board member has responded to returning for 2024. Denise is asking if anyone is interested in filling the secretary position. Tamaria will contact Laurel McCord and put a notice in the newsletter.
- Holiday Party –will be at Becky and Scott Dannaker's on Saturday December 16. More information to come.
- Fall/Spring HRT – Cindy. No report.
- Sportsman Show – Brenda. Jan 31. - Feb. 4. Needs a chairperson. Marcy suggested that a notice be put in the newsletter requesting this position.
- Rescue Report – Brenda. No rescue report.

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October Board Minutes— Continued

- 2023 Specialties – Katie and Stephanie. Thank you to Wayne McGlothlen and Denise for moving the show trailer. Stephanie said the show committee will get busy after the first of the year. Wine walk is happening. Still waiting for some expenses to close the 2023 books. Diane will do the basket portion of the raffle for 2024. She does not want to do the on-line portion. Just raffle tickets this year.
- Obedience/Rally – Marlys and Chantel. No report.
- WC – Marlys. Members have been interested. She thinks there needs to be a training day.
- National Specialty recap – Rob and others. A lengthy discussion occurred.
- Fall/Spring Agility – Cheri. No report.
- Annual Banquet - MJ a flyer is coming. Northwest choice of salmon and chicken. Cost is \$20 for members, \$40 non-member. Reservations are required. Researching no host beverages package.

Old Business:

AED – Marcy. After discussion the motion was made to purchase the all-in-one defibrillator at a cost of \$1800. Motion made by Sharon Edwards, seconded by Diane Sullenberger, unanimously passed. Diane has volunteered to be trained and be PSLRA's representative in procuring the device.

New Business:

2026 National discussion. Discussion was had.

Obedience/Rally Match Trailer. After discussion the board asked Marcy Johnson to address the usage and movement of the PSLRA trailers including cost of gas reimbursement from LRC.

Match – Diane Sullenberger will chair. June 15 is target date. Jill Mahoney will do the paperwork with AKC.

Open Discussion.

Next Meeting - November 15, 2023.

Adjourn.



Out Standing in the Field: Terminology—Part Two

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- Freezing:* the dog's refusal to give up the bird to the handler, i.e., the dog appears to freeze on the bird and ignores all commands to release it a/k/a "stickiness"
- Go Bird:* the first mark to be retrieved, generally the last bird that has been thrown
- Gunner, Gun:* see *Bird Boy*
- Handle/ Handling:* directing the dog with whistles and hand signals to a bird
- Handler:* the person who is working/running the dog
- Happy Bumper:* a bumper thrown in play or as a reward or encouragement for a dog
- Hard Mouth:* a dog that is very rough on, abuses, or eats the birds when sent to retrieve
- Head-Swinging:* when a dog looks away from a mark before being cued to do so by the handler; head-swinging is a bad habit and is detrimental to marking
- Heel Position:* dog is by handler's side. Traditionally the heel position is on the left hand side, But dogs can heel from either side
- Holding Blind:* an area where the dog waits, generally made of cloth. A dog in the holding blind should not be able to see the test while it is waiting
- Honoring:* when a dog remains stationary on the line while another dog is sent for the bird or birds. The honoring dog must not interfere with the working dog
- HRC:* Hunting Retriever Club. The United Kennel Club sanctions HRC
- Line:*
- 1) retrieving line - the location where you send and receive the dog while it is working - also known as the "Point of Origin"
 - 2) line to the mark or blind - an imaginary straight line from the point of origin and the bird on either a blind retrieve or a mark
 - 3) the handler "lines up" his dog, or gives his dog a "line" at the time of release on a blind
- Lining The Blind:* a perfectly-run blind; the dog successfully completes a blind retrieve without requiring any whistle commands or hand signals from the handler
- Line Manners:* the dog's behavior while coming to the line, while on the line, waiting for the marks, and upon returning to the line with the birds
- Mark:*
1. the fall of a bird/bumper which a dog should watch, remember, and retrieve when released to do so; a thrown bird or bumper
 2. a cue word that indicates to the dog to pay attention because birds are about to be thrown

Out Standing in the Field: Terminology—Continued

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- Mark The Pile:* throw a bumper to the pile to show the dog exactly where he will be sent
- “No Bird”:* a term that refers to a poorly-thrown mark. The handler or judge indicates that the mark was not acceptable and it will need to be re-thrown
- “No-No” Drill:* any drill that is attrition based, does not rely on the e-collar for corrections
- Obstacle:* any physical factor that a dog must contend with while on the way to a mark or blind. Typical obstacles are: logs, rows of cover, water, hills, ditches, etc.
- Pile:* a group of bumpers placed near each other. A pile is used in repetitious-type drills where the handler is repeating a concept
- Poison Bird:* a bird that must not be retrieved until after a certain order. Typically a poison bird is a mark that must not be retrieved until the dog has picked up the blind
- Popping:* the act of a dog stopping on its own and looking for help from the handler
- Remote* when the dog’s starting position is away from the handler at the start of a retrieve
- Remote Position:* when the dog is sitting and facing the handler he is said to be in a remote position. A dog will be in a remote position when he is in the field awaiting a cast from the handler
- Remote Cast:* a cast that is given while the dog is in front and facing the handler; a blind starts with the dog being sent back from heel position. After that initial cast all casts are remote casts
- Single:* one mark thrown before dog is sent to retrieve
- Steady:* a dog that waits to be sent on a retrieve is said to be steady
- Switching:* 1) leaving the area of the fall of one bird, without retrieving it, and going to hunt for another bird in another area
2) dropping a bird while returning and leaving it for another bird
- Suction:* any factor that causes a retriever to deviate from a line to a blind or mark; an old fall, terrain, water, wind, bird boys are some examples of factors as suction
- Wipe-Out Mark:* a mark that crosses the line to a previous mark. By throwing a mark across a line to a memory bird the memory bird is wiped out
- Walk-up:* Used to simulate a flushed mark while hunting. The handler, with the dog at heel, walks forward until the birds are thrown.

LRC National Report

The 2023 LRC National week, hosted by Mount Rainier Labrador Retriever Club, Puget Sound Labrador Retriever Association and the LRC, Inc was a wonderful time with exhibitors coming from all over North America (and Poland), to participate in Conformation, Obedience/Rally, Agility, Scent work and Hunt tests.

There was a great team effort getting the show put together and I cannot thank all the volunteers enough for stepping up and ensuring the week was a success. On Sunday night the 3 clubs hosted a welcome party with over 80 people in attendance, much larger than similar events in the past for the National. A delicious catered spread, along with smoked salmon and dip provided by Beth Wilkerson, started the night off and we ended with a fun 4 rounds of team trivia that was comprised of Labrador and local facts. A special thanks goes out to all that helped set up, tear down and clean up at the end of the night. Stacey Parsons, her parents, Lucy Isaacson-Logan and Marcy Johnson did a fantastic job decorating for the show and the party.

Monday night saw the PSLRA crew come together for taco night and to set up for our Tuesday specialty. It was a lot of fun getting prizes together, setting up the hospitality table and laughing through the evening. I can't say enough about the help – from MJ Sarbaugh, Jen Hajny and Colleen Doll setting up a great hospitality table for the exhibitors, Denise Hetland for her special laser engraved wooden Labrador tags for the class winners with sponsors names, Allison Rogers for her thoughtful welcome bags and gifts for the judges, and so many others that hung signs, swept, took out the trash and ensured that everything was prepared for the next days show.

On Tuesday, the show went off without a hitch. Well... one, and Marcy saved the day by making sure the Dog and Breed prizes made it to the judges table. Thanks again. We had a large entry for our wonderful judges – Cheryl Little (Sweeps), Kim Jacobsen (Regular) and Laura Reeves (Juniors) to go over and they were supported by a superstar crew of stewards in Jennifer Payne, Jan Cameron, Marion Daniel and Nancy Talbott. All exhibitors were super happy with the great, well thought out prizes that came together with the help of Stephanie Harris, Marcy Johnson and others. Our beautiful ribbons were made by club board member Kimberly Dotson. During lunch, Jan Skewes organized a service and therapy dog parade that saw 10 dogs and handlers be recognized by the LRC, MRLRC and PSLRA. There were some tears shed (and not just the ones brought on by me reading Bette Midler's "Wind Beneath My Wings").

I would like to thank the BOD for having trust in me to chair the show and I am extremely thankful for all of our members that volunteered and made the week enjoyable for all of our guests. I know I am missing many names - just know that I have not forgotten all that helped, what the assistance means to me and what it is that makes our club so special. Our members step up and get things done and have fun while doing it.

Congratulations to all of the big winners during the week – I have posted the dogs and their owners that are members of PSLRA. One special win that needs to be called out is Katie Somers granddaughter, Savannah Harper, who won Best Junior on Sunday, allowing her to compete in the Best of the Best Junior competition judged by Shelah Ricco, where she won it all, taking home a ribbon that was taller than her.

~ Rob Parkins



Event results summaries starting on page 16.

LRC National Report—Continued



The Welcome Social Spread— Sunday night event co-hosted by PSLRA, MRLRC and LRC.

LRC National Report—Continued



Monday Night, AKA Taco Night, Set Up Crew for PSLRA Specialty on Tuesday.

Left to Right: Denise Hetland, Kerry Edinger, Lisa McGlothlen, Stephanie Harris, Becky Dannaker, Greg Phillips, Jen Hajny, Rob Parkins, MJ Sarbaugh, Deb Schmidt, Nancy Roy, Jessica Baker, Marcy Johnson, Colleen Doll and Carol Jensen.



LRC National Week PSLRA Member Results

Conformation

Sunday

Best Opposite in Sweeps – Everland's Shut Up and Dance – Stacey Parsons

Best In Veteran Sweeps – GCHG Harlequin That Thing That You Do – Diane Sullenberger

Best Opp in Vet. Sweeps – GCH Alibi's Repeat Performance @ Quail Run CD BN RA JH – Cynthia Freeman

Winners Dog - Soundviews Loyal Sidekick @Cameo – Vicky Hoskinson

Best of Breed - CH Clovercreek I'll Fly With You – Kimberly and Chris Dotson

Select Dog and Best Owner/Handler - CH Nipntuck Border Crossing – Rebecca and Scott Dannaker

Select Bitch - CH Sunnydaze N Brae's Last Vegas Show Girl – Linda Maffett

Award of Merit - GCH Everland's Happy Dance – Stacey Parsons

Best Bred By Exhibitor - Artesian's Poster Boy WC – Marlys Swanson

Best Hunting Ret. - GCHB Koa's In A New York Minute CD RI BN JH BCAT TKN CGC – Chantel Nahoopii

Monday

Best in Sweeps – Sunnydaze Let's Start A Riot At Skyfire – Stephanie Harris

Best Opposite in Sweeps – Everland's Shut Up and Dance – Stacey Parsons

Best Opposite in Veteran Sweeps - GCH CH Mykiss Chips' Ahoy RN JH – Tamarina Hartman

Winners Dog - Dynamite Jack Bella Mare – Stephanie Harris and Dana Richmond

Winners Bitch - Somersun Classic Knock Off – Katie Somers and Cathy Hakola *New CH pending AKC*

Select Dog and Best Owner/Handler - CH Nipntuck Border Crossing – Rebecca and Scott Dannaker

Select Bitch - CH Sunnydaze N Brae's Last Vegas Show Girl – Linda Maffett

Award of Merit - GRCH Somersun Forever In Blue Jeans – Katie Somers and Stephanie Harris

Award of Merit - CH Clovercreek I'll Fly With You – Kimberly and Chris Dotson

Award of Merit - CH Skyfire's Monster – Stephanie Harris

Best Puppy - Blackthorn's Rock N Roll – Barbara Gilchrist

Best Bred By Exhibitor - Nipntuck Confection – Rebecca and Scott Dannaker



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More National Week PSLRA Member Results

Conformation Results— Continued

Tuesday

Best in Sweeps – Secret Garden’s How Do I Stack Up? – Rebecca Bloom

Best Opposite in Sweeps – Devonshire’s Crazy Little Thing Called Love – Allison Rogers

Best Opposite in Veteran Sweeps - GCH CH Mykiss Chips' Ahoy RN JH – Tamaría Hartman

Winners Dog, BOW and Best BBE - Artesian's Poster Boy WC – Marlys Swanson *New CH pending AKC*

Winners Bitch and Award of Merit - Hyspire Nipntuck You Go Girl – Rebecca and Scott Dannaker

Best of Breed - CH Clovercreek I'll Fly With You – Kimberly and Chris Dotson

Select Dog - CH Skyfire's Monster – Stephanie Harris

Award of Merit - CH Nipntuck Border Crossing – Rebecca and Scott Dannaker

Best Hunting Retriever - GCH CH ReiMur's March Madness JH DN WC – Darlene Pado

Wednesday

Best in Sweeps – Secret Garden’s How Do I Stack Up? – Rebecca Bloom

Best Opp. in Vet. Sweeps – GCH Alibi’s Repeat Performance @ Quail Run CD BN RA JH – Cynthia Freeman

Winners Dog - Everland's Dance City – Stacey Parsons

Best of Breed - CH Clovercreek I'll Fly With You – Kimberly and Chris Dotson

Award of Merit - CH Skyfire's Monster – Stephanie Harris

Award of Merit - CH Sunnydaze N Brae's Last Vegas Show Girl – Linda Maffett

Thursday/Friday

Best in Sweeps – Everland Friend Or Woe – Stacey Parsons

Best Opposite in Sweeps – Everland’s Shut Up and Dance – Stacey Parsons

Best Opposite in Veteran Sweeps - GCH CH Mykiss Chips' Ahoy RN JH – Tamaría Hartman

Winners Dog, Best of Winners - Everland's Dance City – Stacey Parsons

Winners Bitch and Award of Merit - Hyspire Nipntuck You Go Girl – Rebecca and Scott Dannaker

Best of Breed - CH Skyfire's Monster – Stephanie Harris, Jessica Lind

Select Dog - CH Nipntuck Border Crossing – Rebecca and Scott Dannaker

Award of Merit - GCH Everland's Happy Dance – Stacey Parkins

Award of Merit - CH Sunnydaze N Brae's Last Vegas Show Girl – Linda Maffett

More Member Results Continued

**Stephanie Harris
and
BISS CH Skyfire's Monster**



Stephanie and Elizabeth Harper showing off the big win.



**Savannah Harper
Best of the Best Junior**



More Member Results Continued

Sunday Obedience and Rally Results

Obedience

Novice B Win - Loudon's Lucky Destiny BN RI SCN SEN SBN CGC TKN FITB - Julie Loudon

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice B - Quail Run's Zest For Life - Cynthia Freeman

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice B - Country Classic's Leather And Lace - Denise and Scott Beaumont

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice B - Country Classic's That Girl AJP NFP OAP WC - Julie Germano

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice A - Chibry's Song Of The South At Mrald - Jill Mahoney

Rally

Rally High Combined and High Combined Triple:

Quail Run's U Can't Touch This BN RE RI JH CGCA CGCU TKI FDC – Cynthia Freeman

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Rally Intermediate Win - Country Classic Get This Party Started – Denise Beaumont

Qualifying Scores Advanced B, Excellent B, Master, and Choice - Country Classic's Rumor Has It CDX BN RE MXP MJP NF – Julie Germano

Qualifying Scores Advanced B, Excellent B, and Master - RACH<sub>2</sub> Loudon's Lucky Reese's CDX BN RM<sub>5</sub> RAE<sub>4</sub> JH SWE SHDE CGCA CGCU TKA ATT FITB—Julie Loudon

Qualifying Scores Advanced B, Excellent B and Master - Winroc Esperanza Of Everranch CD BN RM RAE<sub>2</sub> JH OAP OJP NFP DCAT CGCA TKA - Mrs A L Foote

Qualifying Score Excellent B - Country Classic's She Went To Jared BN NFP RN WC NAP - Julie Germano

Qualifying Scores Intermediate and Advanced B - Country Classic's That Girl AJP NFP OAP WC - Julie Germano

Qualifying Scores Intermediate and Advanced B - Country Classic's I'll Take The Dirt Road RN MJP MXP OF WC - Julie Germano

Qualifying Score Intermediate - Country Classic's Pearl Of My Heart – Debbie Thompson

Qualifying Score Intermediate - Country Classic's Leather And Lace - Denise and Scott Beaumont

Qualifying Score Novice B - Quail Run's Zounds! It's Kale –Cynthia Freeman

Qualifying Score Novice B - Quail Run's Zest For Life RATN TKN - Cynthia Freeman

Qualifying Score Novice B - CH Songlines You've Got A Friend In Mee - MJ Sarbaugh, Colleen Doll, and Jennifer Hajny

Qualifying Score Novice B - Wilami Keen Bean - Lee Foote

Qualifying Score Novice B - Wilami Karma—Lee Foote

Qualifying Score Novice B - Artesian's Poster Boy WC - Marlys Swanson

# More Member Results Continued

## Monday Obedience and Rally Results

### Obedience

Open A Win - Winroc Esperanza Of Everranch CD BN RM RAE<sub>2</sub> JH OAP OJP NFP DCAT CGCA TKA - Mrs A L Foote

Qualifying Score Graduate Open - Grouse Creek's The Natural MH CDX BN - Terrie and Mike Sato

Qualifying Score Novice B - Loudon's Lucky Destiny BN RI SCN SEN SBN CGC TKN FITB - Julie Loudon

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice B - Winroc Autumn Moonshine - Lee Foote

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice B - Quail Run's Zest For Life - Cynthia Freeman

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice B - Country Classic's Leather And Lace - Denise and Scott Beaumont

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice B - Country Classic's That Girl AJP NFPOAP WC - Julie Germano

Qualifying Score Beginner Novice A - Chibry's Song Of The South At Mrald - Jill Mahoney

### Rally

#### **Rally High Combined Trial 2 and Rally High Combined Triple Trial 2:**

Quail Run's U Can't Touch This BN RE RI JH CGCA CGCU TKI FDC – Cynthia Freeman

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Excellent B Win, Qualifying Score Advanced B and Master Trial 2 - RACH₂ Loudon's Lucky Reese's CDX BN RM₅ RAE₄ JH SWE SHDE CGCA CGCU TKA ATT FITB—Julie Loudon

Advanced B Win Trial 2 - Country Classic's Rumor Has It CDX BNRE MXP MJPNF – Julie Germano

Intermediate Win Trial 1 - Country Classic's Pearl Of My Heart – Debbie Thompson

Qual. Score Adv. B Trial 1, Exc. B and Master Trial 1 and 2 - Country Classic's Rumor Has It CDX BN RE MXP MJP NF – Julie Germano

Qualifying Score Adv. B and Exc. B Trial 1 - Loudon's Lucky Destiny BN RI SCN SEN SBN CGC TKN FITB - Julie Loudon

Qualifying Score Exc. B Trial 2 - Country Classic's She Went To Jared BN NFP RN WC NAP - Julie Germano

Qualifying Score Inter. and Adv. B Trial 1 - Country Classic's That Girl AJP NFP OAP WC - Julie Germano

Qual. Score Inter. Trial 2 - Country Classic's I'll Take The Dirt Road RN MJP MXP OF WC - Julie Germano

Qualifying Score Novice B Trial 1 and 2 - Quail Run's Zounds! It's Kale –Cynthia Freeman

Qualifying Score Novice B Trial 1 and 2 - Quail Run's Zest For Life RATN TKN - Cynthia Freeman

Qualifying Score Novice B Trial 1 - CH Songlines You've Got A Friend In Mee - MJ Sarbaugh, Colleen Doll, and Jennifer Hajny

Qualifying Score Novice B Trial 1 - Artesian's Poster Boy WC - Marlys Swanson

Qualifying Score Novice B Trial 1 - GCH CH Mykiss Chips' Ahoy RN JH - Tamaria Hartman

Qualifying Score Novice B Trial 2 - Normandy Classic Straight Shooter, SCN SIN SEN TKI - Franna Pitt

More Member Results Continued*

Scent Work Trial Results:

High in Trial Excellent—Trial 2 - Loudon's Lucky Reese's - Julie Loudon

Novice A Buried Class Win, Novice B Exterior and Interior, Advanced Container (2x), and Advanced Buried Qual. Scores, New Titles (4x) - Opol's Rudy Red Seven - Julie Kirk

Novice B Interior and Buried Win - New SWN Title - Wyntercreek's Yellow Iris - Jan Skewes

Novice A Interior and Buried Win - Country Classic's I'll Take The Dirt Road - Julie Germano

Novice B Buried, Advanced Exterior and Interior Qual. Scores - New SWN Title - Normandy Classic Straight Shooter - Dave Lawniczak and Franna Pitt

Advanced Interior Qual. Score - Sherlocks Joseph Bell of GBK - Jan Skewes

Novice A Exterior and Buried Qual. Score - Country Classic's Rumor Has It - Julie Germano

Nov. A Cont. and Ext. Qual. Score - Country Classic's Pearl of My Heart - Debbie Thompson

Novice A Container Win, Novice A Exterior and Handler Discrimination Qual. Score - Winroc Esperanza of EVERRANCH - Mrs AL Foote

Novice B Buried and Handler Discr. Qual. Score - Bouldinaire Northern Star at Quail Run - Cynthia Freeman



Member's Dogs Earning Working Certificates:

Quail Run's Zip Zip Hooray - Cynthia Freeman

Quail Run's Zounds! It's Kale - Cynthia Freeman

Lincoln Creek Valley Super Trooper - Cathy Hakola

GCH Stonehouse Fiery Irish Girl BN RN CGC TKN - Nancy Roy



Member's Dogs Earning Hunt Test Passes:

Rhumblin's Before The Wind JH - Senior - Laurel McCord

Blackthorn's Evening Mai Tai - Junior (2x) - Kristine and Brad Powell

Loudon's Lucky Destiny RI RN SCN SEN SHDN CGC - Junior (2x) - Julie and John Loudon

Scifi Sterling Don't Call Me Nymphadora - Junior - Lizzie Moir and Marilyn Parker

GCH Mykiss Chips Ahoy RN JH - Junior - Tamarina Hartman

* Apologies if anyone was missed in these results. Agility results were not found.

Therapy & Service Dogs at LRC National!

PSLRA honors these Service & Therapy Dog Teams for their hard work & commitment to making lives better ~ October 2023



Left to Right*; Sarah Nott & Turbo, Amber Clark & Petri, Lorelei Binnendyk-Payne & Joey, Jan Skewes & Joe, Madelyn Gfeller & Shadow, Lynda Iversen & Claire, Nancy Roy & Mari, and Jocelynne Adams & Tundra. Bea Cohen & Theory, and Rachel Hanson-Hall & Bridget are not pictured but were also part of the therapy and service dog honors.

Well Done!



* The editor hopes her guesses are correct, but is unsure how Shadow turned into a yellow dog, please advise if corrections are needed.

LRC Inaugural National Scent Work Trial!

3 dogs, 3 days and 3 titles: A Report from a PSLRA Member



**Jan
Skewes
with
Iris,
Eileen
and
Joe**

I was just so impressed with what all the volunteers did for the trial! Joe is also a therapy dog and we are wearing the bow tie that was given to us at the trial at his next visit! I can't say how much these people ran such a perfect show.

Franna made some magnets with my guys specific photos on them - I almost cried I was so touched at all the work.

Timers were rock stars as were line monitors and equipment set up and score keeping. Melissa almost didn't complain too much when I tried to look over her shoulder for results. She is the best.

Iris (yellow on left) finished two novice elements titles, which completed her novice level title as well. Joe (black) earned passes in advanced level interior and buried. Eileen, the youngster, had fun and ate cake.

The most exhausting thing was getting my dogs together to take this photo. I edited out the ones where I was yelling at Ray or the dogs. ~ Jan.*

* Jan, as well as PSLRA member Julie Kirk, served on the event committee for the trials. Thanks.

LABRA-BRAGS

The Country Classic crew had an awesome Labrador Retriever Nationals in Chehalis.



Dogs for All Reasons

From left to right in the photo, here are each of their accomplishments:

International CH Country Classic's I'll Take The Dirt Road RA OA OAJ AXP AJP OF RATS CC WC (Sawyer): Rally Intermediate, two legs, one with 4th place, and title; Rally Advanced B two legs and title; Scentwork: Novice Containers 4th place, Novice Interior 1st place, Novice Buried 1st place; participated in conformation; Dog for All Reasons medallion and poster. Owned/Handled by Julie Germano.

International CH Country Classic's That Girl BN RA OAP AJP NFP RATN WC (Marlo): Obedience Beginner Novice B two legs and title; Rally Intermediate two legs, one with 2nd place, and title; Rally Advanced B two legs and title; participated in conformation; Dog for All Reasons medallion. Owned/Handled by Julie Germano.

International CH Country Classic's She Went To Jared BN RA NAP NFP ACT₁ ACT_{1j} CC WC (Jared): Rally Excellent B two legs; Novice Jumpers one qualify; 1st place in Veterans 8-10 conformation; Dog for All Reasons medallion. Owned/Handled by Julie Germano.

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LABRA-BRAGS CONTINUED

International CH Country Classic's Rumor Has It CDX PCDX BN RE NA MXP MJP₂ NF XFP CC WC (Rumor): Rally Advanced B three qualifies with two 3rd and one 1st and medallion, Rally Excellent B three qualifies, Rally Master three qualifies with one 2nd; Rally Choice qualify with 2nd place; Scentwork Novice Exterior 6th place, Novice Buried 7th place; 2nd place in Veterans 10+ conformation; Dog for All Reasons medallion. Owned by Julie Germano/Co-handled by Julie Germano and Janine Hayes.

International CH Country Classic's Leather And Lace BN RN AXP AJP OFP RATN CGC TKN CC (Stevie): Rally Intermediate 3rd place and first leg; Obedience Beginner Novice B 2 legs and title; qualified both agility days in Master Jumpers; earned her Conformation Certificate; 1st place in Altered conformation class; Dog for All Reasons medallion. Owned/Handled by Denise and Scott Beaumont.

International CH PACH Country Classic Get This Party Started BN RI MXP₆ MXPS MJP₇ MJPG PAX MFP T₂BP RATM CZ8B CGC TKN CC WC (P!nk): Rally Intermediate 1st place, medallion, and title; double qualified day one of agility in Master Jumpers and Master Standard with a 4th place in Standard, qualified in Master Jumpers day two of agility; 4th place in Veterans 8-10 conformation; Dog for All Reasons medallion and poster. Owned/Handled by Denise Beaumont.

Country Classic's Pearl Of My Heart RI AXP AJP OFP CGC TKN (Maisie): Intermediate Rally two legs and title with one 1st place and medallion; double qualified both agility days in Master Jumpers and Master Standard, with a 2nd place in one of the Standard runs; Scentwork Novice Containers 2nd place, Novice Exterior 2nd place. Owned/Handled by Debbie Thompson.



MORE LABRA-BRAGS

Am/Can GCH
Mykiss Chips' Ahoy
RN JH CGC TKN



“CHIP”
and
Tamaria Hartman



Chip had a great (and busy) time at the recent "Labrador Week" event. He won Best Hunting Retriever at the LRC Regional and National show. The platter awarded at the National was so special as it is in Memory of our own Nina Mann. ❤️

He also won several Best of Opposite Sex in Veteran Sweepstakes. Then he earned his LRC Dog For All Reasons - Successfully competing in Conformation, Rally and Hunt Test!

And patiently contributed to the all important - Judges Education. I am so very proud of my youthful veteran of 9.5 years old. ~ Tamaria.

BONUS BRAG!

Chip son “Camo”, Mykiss Hiding In Plain Sight, kicked off Labrador Week 2023 at the Mt. Rainier LRC specialty by taking Reserve Winners Dog from the 12-15 month class under Nancy Brandow.



MORE LABRA-BRAGS



The Bringan Retrievers pack with owner/trainer/handler Laurel McCord got in on Lab National week events.

From left to right:

Int. CH Bringan's Weave Me The Sunshine (Weaver).

Int. CH Rhumblin's Before The Wind JH CGC (Tuula).

Int. CH Bringan's Heaven And Earth BN (Tenchi).

Int. CH U-GRCH Windycanyon's Northern Lights CD BN JH (Mirrie).

Int. CH U-GRCH SHR Windycanyon's Royal Russet CD BN RA JH CGC TKN (Russell).

All the dogs earned LRC conformation certificates, with thanks to judge Marilyn Little for fitting us into the busy schedule. Weaver and Tenchi (and brother Calvin) are now the 6th generation coming down from the tail female line to earn conformation certificates, and maternal grandfather Turbo also earning his CC the same week. Russell, bred by Anne Swindeman, won his veteran's age class on Wednesday. Mirrie, also bred by Anne, and Tuula had placements in the hunting retriever bitch class on Wednesday and Thursday.

Tuula followed that up by running her second senior test ever and earning another pass toward her senior hunter title. She is bred by Susan Carpenter and is exclusively amateur-owner trained and handled by Laurel McCord.

MORE LABRA-BRAGS

UJJCH USJ UJJ UGWPCH FLY UWPS VPE AP4 URO1 SPRINT CAX
URBIS GRCH
SUNDOG DON'T CALL ME NYMPHODORA
SPOT-ON CAA DCAT RATN CGC TKI VSWB FITB SD-1 LI-1



Tonks earned two more coursing titles at the Evergreen Basenji Club's AKC Coursing Events in early October, running over 24mph to earn her **DCAT**. She also gave two honest runs in coursing, sticking the lure and earning her last two legs for her **CAA**. Now she has advanced coursing titles on both sides of her name!

Bred, Trained and Shown by Kristen Reiter of SunDog Labradors



MORE LABRA-BRAGS

UMBIS UMRBIS UBISS FLY UWPCHX UWPO AP4 CA RATN SPRINT ROM RGCH

SUNNYDAZE FOR PEEP'S SAKE

CD PCD BN RE FDC CA DCAT THDN RATN CGCA CGCU TKE SPOT-ON



Brach

Brach-o-lee is still giving it her all in the FastCAT events, earning her **DCAT** at the Evergreen Basenji Club coursing events earlier in October. Her fastest time was a little over 22 mph. Not a bad effort for a veteran dog!

Bred, Trained and Shown by Kristen Reiter of SunDog Labradors



MORE LABRA-BRAGS



Int. CH WindyCanyon's Cosmic Crisp CD BN RA JH went 4 for 4 to earn her Junior Hunter title with the final leg earned at the Sand & Sage Hunt Test held on October 1st. "CC" is now qualified for the PSLRA All Rounder Award. She is owned, trained, and handled by Anne Swindeman.



Easy Pumpkin Dog Biscuit Recipes

Pumpkin-Peanut Butter Dog Biscuits



Ingredients:

- ◆ 2 cups flour
- ◆ 1 cup canned pumpkin puree
- ◆ 1/2 cup dog-safe peanut butter (Make sure it has no xylitol, which is toxic to dogs.)

Directions:

Preheat your oven to 375°F. In a large bowl, mix together the pumpkin and peanut butter. Stir in the flour and combine the mixture into a dough. Roll out the dough onto a floured surface. Cut the dough into shapes with your favorite cookie cutter. Place the treats 1/2 an inch apart on an ungreased cookie sheet. Bake for 12 minutes.

Pumpkin-Banana Dog Biscuits



Ingredients:

- ◆ 3 cups whole wheat flour
- ◆ 2 eggs
- ◆ 1 cup canned pumpkin puree
- ◆ 1 banana, mashed

Directions:

Preheat oven to 350°F. Mix together eggs, banana, and pumpkin. Add flour and mix until all the flour is incorporated. Lightly dust the counter and a rolling pin with flour, then roll out dough to approximately 1/8 of an inch in thickness. Cut out the treats with a fun cookie cutter. Lay on a baking sheet and bake for approximately 20 minutes.

From the AKC website:

<<https://www.akc.org/expert-advice/lifestyle/pumpkin-recipes-for-dogs/>>

AKC Launches Fetch Titling Program

Straight from the AKC, here's an overview of a new all breed activity being launched soon.

What is AKC Fetch?

Welcome to AKC Fetch! When dog owners are asked about activities they like to do with their dogs, the most common responses are to take their dog for a walk, and to play ball (fetch) with the dog.

AKC Fetch titles were created as another activity in which owners could have fun with their dogs in the AKC Family Dog program. Earning AKC Fetch titles provides opportunities for both physical and mental exercise. While some dogs are natural retrievers, AKC Fetch, especially at the advanced levels, will involve teaching new skills such as retrieving.



AKC Fetch is designed for all breeds.

AKC Fetch is a pass-fail noncompetitive test. The four levels of titles (Novice, Intermediate, Advanced and Retriever) assess the ability of the dog to retrieve. In the Advanced and Retriever levels, the dog must respond correctly to signals. There is also a memory component in Advanced and Retriever because a retrieving bumper or ball is dropped (or thrown) behind a blind where it cannot be seen.

For each of the four titles, the dog must pass the test twice under two different approved AKC Fetch judges.

Dogs who are at least 6 months of age are eligible to take the AKC Fetch test as long as they are registered or enrolled with AKC and have an AKC, PAL or AKC Canine Partners number.

Why Participate in AKC Fetch?

AKC Fetch provides a form of exercise for dogs and their owners. Dogs learn new skills and many handlers will learn to teach a skill (i.e., retrieving) they have not previously taught.

AKC Fetch titles are fun to earn, and they can be used as a required AKC title for earning the Gold level of AKC FIT DOG.

More information about AKC Fetch can be found at www.akc.org/fetch.

Available Puppies and Dogs

As of October 16th, 2023...

4 Month Old – Chocolate Female

Name: Amber

Spay/Neuter Status: Intact, must be spayed at appropriate age.

Health Information: Amber is current on all vaccinations and has no known health issues. Both her Sire & Dam have OFA Excellent Hips, and have tested Normal for Elbows, Eyes, Heart and DNA tests.

General Information: Amber is 4 months old and is a very pretty girl with a blocky head, dark chocolate color and balanced body- She is my pick of the litter for conformation. She has a gentle, sweet and eager to please temperament (great cuddler). She loves water & retrieving, and is learning quickly with her manners & obedience training.



Please Note: Amber is not a rescue and is being sold to an approved home.

Contact: Teresa Meredith

Email: chocolab90@gmail.com

Phone: 253.376.3635

Website: kingslandlabradors.com

Date Listed: 9/05/2023

4 Month Old – Yellow Male

Name: Charlie

Spay/Neuter Status: Intact, must be neutered at appropriate age.

Health Information: Charlie is current on all shots and deworming. His parents have OFA Hips/Elbows/Heart Echo's clearances and their Eyes cleared annually, plus appropriate DNA testing. He has no health issues.

General Information: Charlie is a sweet, happy, easy going puppy who we held back to decide who we were keeping for our program. Now that we've decided, Charlie is looking for his perfect forever home. Charlie is well socialized, started on crate training and ready to transition to a family of his own.



Contact: Stephanie Harris

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Date Listed: 6/28/2023

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