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USKBTC members have approved the revised Constitution and Bylaws!

An article on the USKBTC restructured H&G Program written by Susan Dunivant who, along with Dr. Wilde studied the issue and recommended the modifications approved by the board. USKBTC Charitable Funds will rely on the committees direction regarding financial support for research into health issues impacting the breed.

The USKBTC contributed \$2000 to the Canine Health Foundation for two studies – Investigation of Antigenic causes of Vaccine Associated Allergic Reactions in Dogs and characterization of Canine Y Chromosome Identifying Genes that Cause Male Infertility. This money will be deducted from our Donor Advised Fund sponsored by Purina. Dr. Kellogg, DVM is our designated liaison to receive progress reports.

Thank you Deb Bednarek for again agreeing to handle advertising for Montgomery, despite the fact I keep leaving your name off the communications committee! Debbie, Melanie Feldges & Reita Nicholson developed the USKBTC Banners seen at regional and national specialties.

A gentle reminder to club members. When sponsoring someone for membership in the USKTC it is expected you have known the person long enough to have an in-depth understanding of their character.

A committee chaired by Bob Nazak with Bill Lynch & Gretchen Quinn are reviewing the USKBTC Code of Ethics and recommendations will be made.

The USKBTC Board is currently reviewing our Rescue Policy. This has been an arduous task with varying viewpoints being discussed. The USKBTC Rescue Policy is based on our Code of Ethics. "Be prepared to assume lifetime responsibility for any litter produced". The USKBTC takes great pride in the fact the vast majority of its breeders abide by our Code of Ethics and assumes lifetime responsibility for the Kerry's they breed! Unfortunately, a few don't and responsibility defaults to the national and chapter clubs. Let me make it clear, those who don't adhere to the USKBTC Code of Ethics are NOT welcome as members of the national or chapter clubs. The Board is unanimous on this issue.

Please read the article and view the photos of Mr. Patrick Blake donated by Mr. Daniel A. Brennan of Philadelphia. Mr. Brennan approached me at Montgomery and after a short conversation offered to donate Kerry Blue awards received by his step-grandfather dating back to the 1920's! Carol Kearney graciously offered to visit Mr. Brennan, whom she knew from his membership in the Philadelphia KBTC. As a result 13 awards, newspaper clippings and photos were given to the club. Thanks to Mr. Brennan and Carol these historically significant trophies are now in the possession of the USKBTC. A decision will be made on how to provide a wide range of exposure for the awards.

Thanks again to the many USKBTC members who work hard on a wide range of events, committees, rescue, Charitable Funds, Blueprints, the website and the board to ensure the enjoyment and protection of the Kerry Blue Terrier.

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A Letter from the Editor...

Happy Spring! As I write this our girls are checking out the numerous daffodils and tulips, giving chase to the squirrels and rabbits who have ventured into their territory, and are hoping to find sunflower seeds under our many bird feeders. They just don't understand why I'm working at the computer rather than joining in their fun. Such is the life!

We have prepared a newsletter full of interesting articles and updates for the first issue of 2007. You will find ads for the many upcoming specialties, show results and training tips in addition to an article from our rescue chairman, herding news and an update on our Health and Genetics committee. We hope you will find it enjoyable and informative reading.

As always, we depend on all of you to send in show photographs for Gallery of Winners. This is a wonderful way to showcase your best friend and share his accomplishments. And send us those obedience wins too! We want this newsletter to appeal to all of our membership, and that definitely includes performance events. A photograph of your big win might serve to inspire the person who is looking for a new way to have fun with their Kerry. We would also welcome your suggestions for what you would like to see inside the pages of our newsletter. If you have ideas for articles, or would like to write one to share, do not hesitate to contact Edie Brown or me.

As the 2007 show season begins to gear up, we hope all of you have a lot of fun with your special Kerry whatever your endeavors may be, and we wish you success. Don't forget to share it with those of us who have retired friends at home or who aren't ready to get out there yet. And by all means, take some time to check out the daffodils and the tulips!

Janie MacBryde, Editor

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Kerry Pedigree Database

http://www.uskbtc.com/ pedigree

is Free to All And On The Rise

Use the database to search for a KBT pedigree, get a list of dogs produced by a single dog, create a trial pedigree, do a reverse pedigree, check for needed updates and so much more.

Please send your pedigree information to the contact link on the pedigree page, or to Pedigree Moderator, Bill Kearney, at billkerry@optonline.net

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Making History - The Agility Invitational

by Maggie Hall

December 2nd & 3rd 2006 three Kerry Blue Terriers joined 127 other breeds when they participated in the first AKC Agility Invitational. Held at the Long Beach California Convention Center this prestigious event was designed to showcase the top agility dogs in each breed. Based on points earned from the Excellent B class during the qualifying period of July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2006 the top 5 dogs in each breed received their invitations. Points were determined by using a formula of 10 points for each Double Q (qualifying in both Standard and Jumpers on the same day) plus MACH points (Master Agility Championship points earned at the rate of one for each second under course time). The competition was also open to the top three international agility competitors in their respective countries. Canada, Puerto Rico, Argentina and the United Kingdom were represented.

The three history making Kerries and their handlers were MACH2 Keriland's Talk About Town ("Gabby") and Janet Beeby, CH Tantara's High Tide MX MXJ ("Tide") and Eve Fishell and CH Kallehan's Blue Moon Rising MX MXJ ("Riley") and Maggie Hall. CH Blue Hill's Swept Away MX MXJ and MACH Kerigolf Flower Power RN were eligible but unable to attend the competition.

The competition consisted of a Standard and a Jumpers run each day followed by the finals on the second day. Scoring was slightly different with each fault being scored with an 18 point deduction. Dogs and their handlers had

to complete each obstacle in order to receive a score. We would soon realize that consistent "clean runs" (scores without deductions) were the key to making the finals. The other difference was that the Pause Table was not used in Standard. A difference I don't think any of the dogs minded!

From the moment we arrived to set up on Friday it was very obvious that this was no "ordinary" competition. Our crating area was marked with tape into areas just large enough for our dog's crates. Well attended by agility enthusiasts and others wandering over from the National Championship and Obedience Invitational, the noise level could be quite high. The very atmosphere was charged with energy and adrenaline.

Saturday proved to be a challenging day for the Kerries. All three teams ended the day without a clean run. The teams returned on Sunday determined to improve their standings. Janet and Gabby had the best showing with two clean runs. Riley and Maggie had a clean Jumpers run. Though we could all have wished for a better performance it was a thrill to be there representing our breed. Just getting there was a huge accomplishment!

We of course stayed to watch the Finals which were a thrill a minute. What a pleasure to see so many different breeds represented and running so beautifully.....what a splash a Kerry could make!

This event will now be held on a yearly basis. The qualifying period will end June 30, 2007. The current Top Dogs are listed on the www.akc.org website. Take a look and support our very own Top Dogs!



Pictured above L-R: Eve Fishell and "Tide", Maggie Hall and "Riley" and Janet Beeby and "Gabby"

Personalities from the Past:

Mr. Patrick Blake

(This information published in the first half of the 1900's is reprinted with the permission of Daniel Brennan, who was generous enough to donate to the USKBTC Charitable Funds pictures, trophies and articles associated with Mr. Blake.

In Ireland, Mr. Blake promoted Wheatens and Kerries in the 1920's through 1950. Mr. Blake died at age eighty-three. Please note that the article below is reprinted with the spelling used in the original article. No author was mentioned, and unfortunately no publication date was included. The first paragraph below and the very last paragraph are especially true for any time period.)

Many of us are inclined to forget the older men among us and the work they have done for dogs and canine affairs. Their early efforts in both breeding and administration laid the foundations for our excellent present-day organizations and the fine standards of our modern pedigree dogs.

One of the grand old men of Irish dogdom is Mr. Patrcik Blake, who was born at Moyne, Templemore, Co. Tipperary, 82 years ago, and is still going strong after a life-time of association with terriers.

Like many another boy reared in the country, hunting rabbits with terriers was his principal hobby over 70 years ago, and when he came to Dublin, his affection for dogs remained with him and he availed of every opportunity to indulge his favourite pastime. Irish Red Terriers and Wheaten Terriers were his favourite dogs and he showed and worked many a good one. When he attended his first show, and when he won his first prize, are events so far back that his memory refuses to disclose their details.

Early in the 1920's he began to specialize in Irish Blue Terriers, and his bitch, Ch. Iveagh Lass, was one of his first champions on the bench and at field trials, and was reputed to be one of the biggest winners in Blues. He also owner Int. Ch. Blue Sensation, whom he purchased from the late Mr. Mick Sammon, and he bred its grandson, Ch. Ch. Ballyblue Boy. The last-named, he believes, is the last Irish Blue Champion to receive the award under I.K.C. Rules; Moinard Boy was another Blue he made a field trials champion.

A member of the Council of the I.K.C., in the 1930's, he was responsible for having the rule passed which

allowed a dog to be called a field trials champion after 2 wins. In 1934, with the late Dr. G. J. Pierce, he began organizing to have Soft-coated Wheaten Terriers recognized by the Kennel Club and registered as a distinctive Irish breed, and it was one of his proudest moments when recognition was granted and the Wheatens could compete as a distinctive breed. His Ch. Kingdon Leader was the first Soft-coated Wheaten to become a champion and the dog won his bench and field trial certificates within 12 months.

Mr. Blake attended the first meeting of the Working Terrier Association in June, 1929, and became it first Hon, Sec., which office he held for 22 years. During all this time he was actively engaged in organizing and running field trials and in training dogs to qualify for minor and major certificates; every one of his own dogs held field trial certificates.

The All-Ireland Kerry Blue Terrie Club, which claims to be the oldest Blue club, was reorganized in the mid'thirties, and its headquarters transferred from Tralee to Dublin, and, again as first hon. Secretary, he held office until 1951; his latest fight is to have the name Irish Blue Terrier altered to its original Kerry Blue.

Owning 44 dogs, he also kept a few Sealyhams and Bull Terriers. He officiated as judge from 1928 to 1940 at field trials and at shows for Soft-coated Wheaten Terriers. He always refused to judge Kerry Blues because he was so actively associated with them that he felt he must remain neutral at all times. His last appearance as an exhibitor was on St. Stephan's Day, 1950.

His son, Matt Blake, who has taken over the hon. Secretaryship of the two clubs, which his father relinguished in 1951, is carrying on the family tradition. As founder-member of the International Soft-coated Wheaten Terrier Club, he is its chairman since the foundation, and he has represented the Kerry Blue Terrier Club on Ard Comhairle since 1941. Spcialising in Blues and Wheatens, he has owned Sealyhams and Fox Terriers; his Sealyham bitch Vennie Og, which was working at field trials up to three years of age, was Reserve Green at her first showing at the St. Patrick's Day Show, and he has had many Green Star winners. His bitch, Holmenocks Highflyer, was best Wheaten bitch in Blackpool three years in succession, and on account of footand-mouth disease could not travel last year. He has had the distinction of owning the first Wheaten

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bitch to win a first prize under English Kennel Club rules.

Matt Blake has been judging since 1941, and has made the awards at field trials and on the bench with Kerry Blues, Soft-coated Wheaten Terriers, Sealyhams, Bull Terriers, Yorkshire Terriers, Fox Terriers, Smooth and Wire Lakelands, West Highland Whites, Pomeranian and Litters.

Always keen on developing the working ability of terriers, the Blakes, both father and son, have proved that bench champions can also be field trials champions; all they require is a little training.



Blake with puppies above, strolling in Dublin below





Blake with Kerry bitch Fahnee Og



Ch. Blue Lenster Abuh

Kerry News

ANNE KATONA JOINS AKC AS CONFOR-MATION EXECUTIVE FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

New York, NY - The American Kennel Club is pleased to announce that effective March 5, 2007, Mrs. Anne Katona, of Morgan Hill, CA will join the Executive Field Staff and cover shows in the Northern California area.

For over 35 years, Mrs. Katona has been an active participant in the sport of purebred dogs. She grew up in a family involved with Arabian Horses, Jack Russell Terriers and Boston Terriers. Using the Tyrella prefix from the early 1970's, Tyrella Kerry Blue Terriers have multiple Bests in Shows, numerous specialty wins and multiple Terrier group wins and placements throughout the United States and Canada.

"Anne brings her considerable experience as a judge to the job of Executive Field Representative," said John Lyons, Chief Operating Officer of the American Kennel Club. "Her interest in Judge's education and working with clubs will benefit the sport immeasurably. We are thrilled to have Anne Katona as the newest member of a talented and dedicated Executive Field staff."

Approved in 1985 to judge Kerry Blue Terriers, Anne is presently approved to judge Sporting, Terrier, Toy and Non-Sporting groups, seven Hound breeds and Best in Show. She had the honor of judging Best In Show at the October 2003 Montgomery County Kennel Club show.

Mrs. Katona's background includes extensive club affiliations. She is a member and a past show chairperson of the Santa Clara Valley Kennel Club. A charter member of the Northern California Terrier Association and is its canine ambassador for elementary level schools in Santa Clara County. She is a lifetime member of the United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club and presently serves as the parent club's judge's education chair and AKC Gazette columnist. She is associated with the San Francisco Bay Area Dog Judges group and an active member of the Dog Judges Association of America (DJAA), where she was instrumental in organizing with DJAA and AKC the first Sporting Group Institute in San Jose, CA.

USKBTC BOARD GIFTS "KINGDOM LEADER" TROPHY TO SCWTCA

Among the 13 trophies donated by Mr. Daniel A. Brennan to the USKBTC was a cup awarded to a Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier dog at the Irish Kennel Club show on St.Patrick's Day in 1938. The trophy was won by Mr. Patrick Blake's Ch. Kingdom Leader, the FIRST Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier to become a champion. Kingdom Leader

won both his bench and field trial certificates within 12 months.

Mr. Blake, along with Dr.G.J. Pierce, initiated the drive to have the Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier recognized as a distinct breed by the Irish Kennel Club in 1934. Matt Blake, Patrick's son, was a founder of the International Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier Club and served as it's chairman.

Recognizing the importance and contributions of both Blakes and Kingdom Leader to the SCWTCA, the USKBTC Board voted unanaimously to gift the five inch trophy cup to them.

Helen Moreland, President of the SCWTCA and Gay Dunlap, with whom I first discussed the possible transfer of this trophy at the Sun Country Terrier Club show in Scottsdale AZ, are most appreciative of the USKBTC Board's decision.

How best to effect the transfer is being discussed. If not before, the trophy will be delivered at the Montgomery show in October.

Tom Rogers President USKBTC

HORACE PERRY BOOKLET AVAILABLE

The Empire Kerry Blue Terrier Club is pleased to announce a second printing of

"The Horace J. Perry Commentary on the Kerry Blue Terrier Standard."

This booklet received accolades from the American Kennel Club. The "commentary is outstanding...it is understandable and enlightening...and should be required reading for everyone interested in the Kerry Blue," stated Terry Stacy, former AKC Vice-President.

Available at \$10 per copy including postage. Write checks to: The Empire Kerry Blue Terrier Club. Send to contact person: Dianna Seebaugh, P.O. Box 714, Center Moriches, NY, 11934 e-mail: lexiblaese@optonline.net phone or fax inquiries to 631-878-0704



USKBTC Health and Genetics Committee Evolves!

In order to serve the breed and the members of the parent club in an ever more expanding capacity, the Health & Genetics Joint Committees has evolved. The intent is to meld the veterinary side of H&G with a "lay" apparatus designed to provide interface and perform allied services to the veterinary side AND the membership at large. The original definition of the Health & Genetics committee is unchanged, that of serving the welfare of the breed, however the expansion into a joint committee system will provide the membership more soldiers in the trenches to field inquiries and provide input back into the committee.

One of the most important services Health & Genetics Joint Committees will undertake is to identify for USKBTC Charitable Funds existing research projects we should financially support.

The club encourages Kerry fanciers to submit suggestions or ideas pertaining to the health of the breed. The Information Services committee is the natural conduit through which the membership at large can readily communicate. This joint committee is designed for this purpose and to interface with the other joint committee, Veterinary Advisory.

Your joint committees, their focus and responsibilities:

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Scott Kellogg, DVM - Veterinary Advisory Chair Joy Ellwanger Terry Worful Veterinary advisor to H&G: G. Alafuf DVM

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Focus:

General Health and genetic issues in the Kerry Blue Terrier

Responsibilities:

- 1) Provide such information to the Information Services Committee chairperson as is available concerning health and/or genetic issues in the Kerry Blue Terrier whenever such information is published or otherwise dispersed.
- 2) Provide updates to the Information Services Committee chairperson in simple form by email, telephone contact or forwarding of information to lay committee chairperson.

3) Represent the USKBTC H&G Committee as liaison between veterinary research teams, colleges of veterinary medicine or other such veterinary professionals as may be deemed useful to promote and study the health and genetics of the Kerry Blue Terrier.

The Information Services Committee

Suzanne Wright - Information Services Chair Lynn Duckett Victoria Kniering Nancy Westbrook

Focus:

To provide an interface between the H&G Veterinary Advisory Committee and the membership at large whereby timely dispersal of health and genetics information may be made available and input received in return from the membership.

Responsibilities:

- 1) Submitting inquiries from the membership to the Veterinary Advisory Committee and reporting answers back to the membership in the form of published articles, web updates or other.
- 2) Organizing information submitted by the Veterinary Advisory Committee into reports to be published in club newsletters, websites or other.
- 3) Provide collateral support to the Veterinary Advisory Committee in the form of organizing seminars, clinics, tests or other.
- 4) Compose and submit for approval to the board of governors H&G surveys or other information gathering tools used to poll the membership in club newsletters, website or other.

Respectfully submitted, Susan Dunivant

REMINDER!

2007 Membership dues are now past due. This will be your last issue of Blueprints if your dues are not paid.

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TRAINING YOUR KERRY BLUE TERRIER

By Margo Steinman, Kilmarley Kerry Blue Terriers

In order to have a well behaved companion that you can take with you anywhere you go, basic training is required. A stable, well behaved Kerry is the result not only of early training, but of parents who have been selected for good temperament and health, as well as conformation.

This is the first in a series of articles which will include training young puppies, KPT Kindergarten Puppy Training), training past the puppy stage, informal training inside and outside the home, and formal obedience training for competition.

PART 1 HANDLING AND TRAINING THE YOUNG PUPPY

I begin handling healthy puppies the day they are born and every day thereafter. Even though their senses are not well developed they do have senses of smell and touch, and gentle stimulation is beneficial. When the eyes and ears are open the puppies become gradually aware of sight and sound, and will respond to your voice and being handled. This early human socialization is critical for normal development and bonding to people.

I dock tails and remove the dew claws of one day old normal healthy puppies. Their nervous systems are not completely developed, and they feel little or no pain. I begin trimming nails the first week, and clipping around the anal and genital areas at around two weeks.

Puppies are put on the grooming table at four to five weeks, and they become accustomed to clipping , nail trimming, and brushing. I start pulling out ear hair at eight to nine weeks, and begin setting ears at nine to ten weeks, depending on ear size and carriage. I also begin training puppies to stack on the grooming table using food and toys. I've found from my experience that most puppies do not tolerate pressure from a grooming loop until they're nine to ten weeks old.

As soon as the puppies are steady on their feet and respond to you, you can begin teaching them basic commands. The important ones are come, sit, down, and off. Remember that young puppies have a very short attention period.

The easiest command at four weeks and older is come. Sit on the floor and call "puppy, puppy, puppy" in a high light voice, and the whole litter will come running to you. Reward with plenty of praise, and food when they are old enough. Do this several times a day, and as the pups become older, work with them separately. This is done off lead, and the puppy will come automatically as soon as you call it. Once the puppies have been named, you can use each one's name when calling it. If you begin young enough, the puppy will be conditioned to come whenever you call it.

I do one thing at a time and use lots of praise and rewards. It helps to coordinate a command with what the puppy was starting to do anyway - call it as it comes towards you, tell it to sit as it begins to sit, and down as it begins to lie down. If the puppy jumps up on you, **gently** push it down while giving the "off" command. All of this early training (and all training) should be fun; I use food, toys, and plenty of praise, and do not use any corrections at this time. This is when you will be getting to know each puppy, and can assess its status in the litter and its individual personality and temperament.

Some breeders put colored collars on the pups to identify them; this is a good idea, but make sure that when the puppies are older that they can't get tangled up in loose collars as they play. I begin lead breaking by putting a collar and lead on the puppy and following it around; don't try to guide it at first. I never try to pull or drag a puppy to make it move; if the puppy balks, stop and wait until it moves toward you, or call it, encouraging it with food and toys. Some puppies are "born on a lead" while others require a bit of work to get them going. If you start too early, it's a losing battle, I have found that around ten weeks is the best time to begin. You could lead break the pup on a show lead, but I now use a flat buckle collar and a light obedience lead for basic leash training. If you intend to show in conformation, you still need to leash train the puppy. Once the puppy is accustomed to walking on lead, you can use a show lead, but never give an obedience command when working the puppy (or older dog) on a show lead.

If you want to use a choke collar on a puppy, use nylon or leather, and make sure you know how to put it on correctly. A properly fitted martingale ("humane choke") collar is better than the traditional choker, as the martingale releases instantly and can only be put on one way.

As the puppies grow older, work with them several times a day. Mix play and training, and when the puppy does what you want, praise it and stop while you're ahead. Puppy training is a gradual process, and each time a puppy learns a new command you have reached a milestone in that puppy's training.

Most breeders keep their puppies until they are ten weeks or older. It is important for puppies to remain with their dam and littermates; otherwise they may become too human oriented and won't learn normal dog behavior. In their litter they establish a pack and learn bite control; their dam corrects them if the get out of line. Responsible breeders will have begun basic socialization and training before the puppies leave for their new homes.

As a puppy becomes accustomed to its new home, continue its basic training. In many areas there are KPT classes which are excellent for socialization and early training. They are the next step in insuring you will have a companion you can live with, and they lead up to more formal obedience training. Breeders usually know of good KPT (and obedience) classes. There is usually a minimum age of ten weeks for KPT, and puppies must be inoculated against distemper, parvo, bordetella, and anything else common to your area. Your veterinarian can tell you if there are any local problems.

NEXT INSTALLMENT: KPT

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Responsible Dog Ownership Day

Dear Kerry Owners and Chapter Clubs,

The AKC Communications Department is already busy planning the fifth annual "AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Day." We invite and encourage all AKC affiliated clubs and dog-related organizations to take part by holding a community event that publicly promotes responsible dog ownership anytime during the month of September.

The AKC will be hosting our own events in New York City and Raleigh, NC on Saturday, September 15, 2007. These flagship events will highlight the AKC programs and services that support responsible dog ownership and publicize to news media and the dog loving community that events are being held across the country by organizations such as yours.

Last year, more than 350 dog clubs and organizations hosted events reaching millions of dog lovers and potential pet owners through extensive media coverage. To learn how to sign up, visit:

http://www.akc.org/clubs/rdod/add_events/account.cfm

Those who confirm the details of their event with us by August 1, 2007 will receive a resource-filled packet - including posters, brochures, sample press releases and many more materials that will assist you in putting together a top-notch event. We plan to distribute 500 packets on a first-come, first-served basis. We will only ship packets and list events on our web site for those clubs with event details finalized - including date, time, location and planned activities - by the August 1 deadline. Starting July 1, as we have done each year, we will create a central page on our web site where the public can search for events by state, to find AKC RDO Day events in their area.

Some suggestions to help commemorate AKC Responsible Dog Ownership Day include:

- * ID clinic- Hold an AKC/CAR microchip clinic
- * Rescue information booth
- * Health clinic/health screen testing/First Aid for dogs
- * Meet the breeds/Find the right dog for you
- * Obedience/Agility/Rally/Performance demonstrations

- * Therapy/SAR Dog or Police K9 Unit demonstrations
- * "AKC Safety Around Dogs" for kids presentations (in-school or for children's groups)
- * A kids contest with awards for best drawings, photos or essays about dogs
- * AKC Canine Good Citizen test (requires additional kit purchase)
- * Seek sponsorships or donated items from local businesses to be raffled or for contest prizes
- * Raise money to donate/dedicate needed items to local dog park/runs (pooper scoopers, bulletin boards, water fountains, etc.)
- * Fundraising events for AKC Canine Health Foundation
- * Write a letter to the editor of your local newspapers
- * Obtain a proclamation from your Governor, Mayor etc.

Throwing an AKC RDO Day celebration for your entire community may seem like a daunting task. If your club would like additional support celebrating AKC RDO Day, we encourage you to reach out to other clubs or dog related organizations in your area to create a combined event. Best Friend Pet Care, Inc has once again offered to allow AKC clubs to host events at its facilities around the country. Many of these facilities have AKC CGC certified evaluators available for your events. For more information about Best Friends Pet Care, Inc visit their Web site at www.bestfriendspetcare.com. If you are interested in more information about working with Best Friends Pet Car, Inc, please email: communications@akc.org.

We hope you will take advantage of this opportunity to interact with the public and gain positive exposure for your club, breed and the AKC. Your participation will help ensure the program's success, which continues to gain momentum each year, benefiting dogs and dog owners everywhere!

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or comments.

Sincerely, Lisa Peterson Director, Club Communications 212-696-8308

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FUTURITY RULES UNITED STATES KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB (revised October 1997 by USKBTC Board of Governors)

time limits specified. Fees and deadlines for nomination are as follows:

INTRODUCTION

Puppies born between April 2nd of the year preceding the current Futurity year date (henceforth referred to as "preceding year") through December 1st of the preceding year:

The purpose of the Futurity is to stimulate and encourage breeders to give prime consideration to improving the Kerry Blue Terrier by planning their breeding program to conform to the Kerry Blue Terrier standard and its intent.

\$20.00 per litter due March 1st of the Futuri-

ty year.

Second Payment:

First Payment:

\$20.00 per litter or \$5.00 per puppy due June 1st of the Futurity

year.

Third Payment:

\$10.00 per puppy to be

submitted with show

entry.

Puppies born between December 2nd of the preceding year through April 1st of the Futurity year:

First and Second

Payments:

\$40.00 per litter or \$20.00 per litter and \$5.00 per puppy due June 1st of the Futurity

year.

Third Payment:

\$10.00 per puppy to be submitted with show

entry.

ELIGIBILITY

Puppies six months old through eighteen months old on October 1st of the year of the Futurity will be eligible to compete in the Futurity. These are Kerries born between April 2nd of the year preceding the Futurity and April 1st of the Futurity year. Since the actual date of the Futurity varies by as much as one week from year to year, the class an entrant should be entered in is determined by . the dog's age on October 1st of the Futurity year.

United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club. All futurity litter nominations must be made by a breeder who is a USKBTC member. If a puppy is sold, eligibility will continue to the new owner

The Futurity is open to all AKC-registered and AKC-

recognized foreign registered Kerry Blue Terriers which

have a breeder or co-breeder who is a member of the

provided such owner or breeder of the puppy is a member or has applied for membership in the USKBTC at the time he/she pays any fees.

At the time of competition, ownership will be determined by the same conditions affecting entries as required by the American Kennel Club.

No cryptorchid (unilateral of bilateral), neutered, or any other dog with a disqualifying fault under the Kerry Blue Terrier standard or AKC regulations may compete in any Futurity. The Futurity judge is required to dismiss from the ring any dog with a disqualifying fault(s). Any dog that attacks another dog or a person during judging, with intent to bite, shall immediately be dismissed from further competition.

CLASSES OFFERED

Classes shall be as follows (dog's age as of October 1st of the Futurity year):

- Puppy Dogs, 6-9 months: puppies six months of age to under nine months of age; born between January 2nd of the Futurity year through April 1st of the Futurity year.
- Puppy Dogs, 9-12 months: puppies nine months of age to under twelve months of age; born between October 2nd of the preceding year through January 1st of the Futurity year.
- Junior Dogs, 12-15 months: juniors twelve months of age to under fifteen months of age; born between July 2nd of the preceding year through October 1st of the preceding year.
- Junior Dogs, 15-18 months: juniors fifteen months of age to under eighteen months of age; born between April 2nd of the preceding year and July 1st of the preceding year.

LOCATION AND DATE

The Futurity is to be held annually on the Fall Montgomery County National Specialty weekend on Saturday. The time and place to be determined by the USKBTC Board of Governors.

FEES

It is the sole responsibility of the breeder/owner to pay all fees and to send them to the Futurity secretary within the

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Similar Classification for bitches.

JUDGES

the dogs will look like in the future. Instead, they are ed prior to judging with both judges evaluating the class asked to judge the Futurity to the best of their abilities, simultaneously. following the standard for the Kerry Blue Terrier, and according to their visualization of such standard when it is The class placements will be selected by averaging the applied to the age of the class that is being judged.

Equal consideration is to be given to each of the class winners in the run-off competitions, realizing that the penalized.

Since handlers may range from the novice to the professional, and because it is a breeder's Futurity, it is hoped judges will place emphasis on the selection of a superior Classes will be judged in the following order by the followspecimen and have considerable tolerance for the novice ing judges: handler.

There will be three judges, one selected from each of three different geographical regions as designated by the USKBTC Board of Governors. Judges are selected by the Judges Selection Committee which is appointed yearly by the USKBTC Board of Governors. Judges will be designated Judge A, Judge B, or Judge C immediately before judging on the day of the Futurity, by random drawing.

A judge's state of residence is determined by their primary address or residence. Judges selected are not required to be USKBTC members. A judge's state of residence is that at the time of their hiring by the Judges Selection Committee; relocation to a different state following their selection will not affect their assignment.

A scheduled judge not in attendance at the Futurity site fifteen minutes prior to the scheduled start time of judging will be replaced. A committee of the USKBTC president, the Futurity Committee chairman/chairmen, and those Futurity Rules Committee members in attendance will select the replacement judge. Any replacement judge will judge the entire assignment.

JUDGING SCHEDULE

Dogs and bitches will be judged separately until selection of Best in Futurity and Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Futurity.

One large ring will be utilized and will clearly be identified as ring #1. The ring will have ring stewards and armbands for the assigned classes (dogs-odd numbered, bitches-even numbered) will be available at the ring from

the ring stewards. Prior to the ring being manned, armband numbers may be picked up from the Futurity secre-

Signs will be provided to display classes being judged.

Judges are not asked to be prophets and anticipate what Each class will be judged by two of the judges as select-

scores of the two judges. Judge's placements will be assigned by averaging the scores of the two judges. Judge's placements will be assigned a point value as follows: first place-4 pts., second place-3 pts., third place-2 more youthful dogs will be less mature, provided that pts., fourth place-1 pt., no placement-0 pts. Each judge such points of immaturity are normal and appropriate for will score each class, the points will be averaged, and the this breed at that time in development and should not be dog with the highest average is the winner, second highest total is second, etc. for third and fourth placements. In the event of a tie among placements, the third judge will be used to break the tie or ties.

6-9 month Puppy Dogs:	Judges A & B
6-9 month Puppy Bitches:	Judges B & C
9-12 month Puppy Dogs:	Judges A & C
9-12 month Puppy Bitches:	Judges A & B
12-15 month Junior Dogs:	Judges B & C
12-15 month Junior Bitches:	Judges A & C
15-18 month Junior Dogs:	Judges A & B
15-18 month Junior Bitches:	Judges B & C

Dogs and bitches from each class with the highest score will be declared class winners and will proceed to the runoff competition. Tabulation and verification of points will be completed by the Futurity secretary and ring stewards.

All three judges will judge each run-off competition. The dog receiving a majority of the three votes in each run-off competition will proceed to the next round of competition. Run-off classes will be judged in the following order:

> Best Puppy Dog: 6-9 winner versus 9-12 winner Best Puppy Bitch: 6-9 winner versus 9-12 winner Best Junior Dog: 12-15 winner versus 15-18 win-

> Best Junior Bitch: 12-15 winner versus 15-18 win-

Best Dog: Best Puppy Dog versus Best Junior

Best Bitch: Best Puppy Bitch versus Best Junior Bitch

Best in Futurity/Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Futurity: Best Dog versus Best Bitch.

In all classes, there is to be absolutely no conferring between judges. Judges will judge classes using normal

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Ch. Edmareann's Rare Joe February 10, 1963 U.S. Kerry Blue Terrier Club

In Memoriam Marian Gough Gaymar Kerry Blue Terriers

(03/15/1914 - 01/10/2007) Submitted by: Ellen Smith-Wexler



In 1947 Marian and George Gough purchased their first Kerry while living in Port Washington, New York. "Bonny" was from imported Irish bloodlines. They bred Bonny to Ch. Deeds Show Off. After moving to Kansas City in 1951 they purchased a bitch through Helen Larson out of Sharonellen and Melbee bloodlines and later bred her to Ch. Mr. McCormick of Weston in 1953. Marian kept a bitch from this breeding, Merrie Madcap of Gaymar and she was bred to Ch. O'Mooney's Michael of Galway (double up on Michael of Somerset lines.) A daughter from this breeding produced Ch. Gaymar's Blue Satellite who was bred to Ch. Fellbrin's Canadian Capers and this produced Ch. Gaymar's Gaelic Princess. Marian and her husband moved to Cleveland, Ohio in 1964. Princess was bred first to Ch. Carholme Charles and second to Ch. Calkerry Defiant. Both breedings resulted in producing champions. Marian loved the substance and temperament of Charles and the movement of Defiant. Ch. Gaymar's Sunny Scintillator was the result of breeding a Defiant daughter to a Defiant grandson (Ch. Kearnach Challenge.) While living in Cleveland, Marian and



Ch. Gaymar's Fancy Folly O'Falin Judge Theodore Wurmser, Ellen Smith-Wexler, Marian Gough (holding trophy)

George were founding members of the Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Northern Ohio which held their first Specialty show 08/22/1980. George passed away suddenly in 1975 and Marian halted her breeding program. In late 1978 Marian moved to her retirement custom home in Springfield, Missouri. After moving to Springfield, Marian met Ellen Smith and they merged their interests in the breed, co-owning Ch. Gaymar's Fancy Folly O'Falin purchased through Fern Rogers and bred Ellen's dog Ch. Kenrob's Master Mac to Ch. Gaymar's Sunny Scintillator. Marian's breeding program was resurrected and Ellen provided grooming and handling. Folly produced 12 champions and one obedience degreed dog. Sunny and Mac produced 3 champions. These breedings established or contributed to several breeding programs, Kehalen, Pot O'Gold, Marko, Mistycael to name a few. Pictures of these Kerries can be found in the May 1989 edition of Terrier Type which was the Kerry Blue Terrier issue.

Marian served on the Board of Governors of the USKBTC in the early 80's. Marian maintained membership in the United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club, the Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Northern Ohio, and the Ozark Kennel Club where she was an active contributor in many ways.

Marian judged the USKBTC Traveling Specialty held in conjunction with Great Western Terrier Association in 1991. Marian was bestowed the honor of "Lifetime" member of the USKBTC. Marian loved her Kerries, but was always willing to help others. Marian was very sociable with a terrific sense of humor which made her fun to be around. She believed the Kerry Blue should have substance and move in a manner that covered ground and be the picture of power, have good coat and color and sound mind. All Marian's Kerries were house dogs. She kept the numbers down, so they could sleep with her at night, run in the family room during the day and easily be let out in her spacious, fenced back yard. Those who are left that knew Marian will always remember her for her commitment to the breed and wonderful stories of the old days.

Contributions in the memory of Marian Gough can be made to the USKBTC Rescue at www.uskbtc.org

WHY FOSTER?

Fostering is probably the most difficult aspect of rescue it seems as if qualified volunteers are always in short supply! The USKBTC will normally only consider people who are members of the USKBTC or its Chapter Clubs, preferably with a considerable breed background that includes experience in recognizing and dealing with common behavior problems and health issues. These volunteers are willing to bring a strange dog, often from an unknown background, into their homes, evaluate health and temperament, groom it, and treat the dog as a member of their family for periods ranging from two weeks to a couple of months or more, and then allow the dog to be adopted by somebody else. Rarely, a dog is deemed unadoptable for reasons of temperament or health, and the foster volunteer is then involved in a heart-wrenching decision of euthanizing a dog they only wanted to help. The experience can be draining and is not without some risks. We are always searching and begging for new foster volunteers as previous ones feel they have done their part after one or two experiences, or have a change in circumstances including sometimes adopting a dog they were fostering.

So, why do we continue to insist on fostering dogs prior to placement, especially when many other rescue groups operate on referral only or "foster to adopt"—a procedure where a dog is placed directly into the family that plans to adopt it, with little or no prior evaluation? The reason for this is that we want to make the best possible matches between dogs and their new homes, so that both the dog and its hopefully forever family are safe and happy! First, there is the matter of liability. We need to be reasonably sure the dogs we place in homes are not going to do anything that might cause the Club or any individuals involved in these placements to be sued. And as guardians of the breed, we try to not only protect the dogs by matching them up with suitable homes, but the public, and the breed's reputation as well. We do this during the foster process by identifying dogs that are not suitable for certain situations (e.g. a home with other dogs) or too dangerous to be adoptable at all, and thus prevent some possibly tragic outcomes. We also learn about each dog's individual personality and habits—things we can use when describing the dog to potential adopters in order to make him more appealing, as well as for finding the best fit. In short, we are filling in for breeders who are either unknown or unable/unwilling to do what any truly responsible breeder wants to do: assume lifetime responsibility for their dogs!

There are several reasons the USKBTC is opposed to fos-

ter to adopt, not the least of which is that somebody who takes a dog in with the intention of keeping it is going to have a totally different mindset than a foster home that, at least initially, considers the dog a temporary guest they are taking care of for somebody else. The latter can usually evaluate the dog much more objectively. The former, OTOH, is more likely to overlook or excuse problems, such as fighting with other dogs in the home or aggressively charging at a young child (both of which have actually happened), that may indicate that the dog is a poor match for their family, or not a candidate for adoption at all. And what of any health problems that are discovered, or other unexpected surprises, such as a bitch the previous owner neglected to mention had mammary tumors, or the "3-5 year old neutered male" who turns out to be a geriatric, with badly infected teeth and a retained testicle!

Recently, I was contacted about an older bitch whose owner was deceased. The daughter described the dog in glowing terms, but strangely enough, nobody in the family wanted to take her mother's "wonderful, devoted companion," including the daughter! Further questioning revealed that the dog would attack visitors and could not be trusted around young children. The daughter did not want the dog put down but was resistant to my suggestion that a Club member first visit the dog on her home turf in order to evaluate this behavior and determine if the dog was actually adoptable before taking her. She contacted another rescue group, being careful to downplay the dangerous behaviors, and they agreed to immediately take the dog and place her in a foster to adopt home! I only hope that this behavior is manageable and that nobody gets hurt, but even if it is, would the new owners have wanted this dog had they known in advance?

People who adopt a rescue Kerry through the USKBTC or its Chapter Clubs do so with the assurance that the dog has been thoroughly evaluated by someone familiar with the breed, and that they have received a complete and accurate description of the dog, including any health or training problems, before agreeing to adopt it. The dogs are already spayed or neutered, microchipped, up-to-date on vaccinations, groomed, and any health or behavior issues have been addressed. If the family changes its mind in the first 30 days, they can return the dog and receive a full refund of their adoption donation. And they can count on continuing support and advice, including us taking the dog back at any time, for the life of the dog. For this the adoptive family pays a donation of up to \$500, the exact amount depending on the age and overall adoptability of the particular dog. This amount doesn't always cover shelter fees, vet bills, and other expenses that Rescue has to pay for, but it is a substantial amount nevertheless. People are willing to go through a rigorous

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screening process, sign a rather strict adoption contract, and pay this donation, not just because "it's for the Kerries," but because they recognize everything they are getting in the deal. The fostering process takes a lot of the uncertainty out of adopting a dog, and is certainly far less risky than bringing a dog of unknown or questionable background directly into your home!

And, yes, sometimes our foster homes do end up adopting the dogs they volunteered to evaluate for placement, but we still believe it is important to treat fostering and adoption as two separate processes, and discourage prospective adopters who wish to foster only as a way to expedite adoption.

A Few Recent Rescue Cases

Thank you to Anne Marie Flynn for handling the fostering and adoption of "Jack," an eight year old male whose owners gave him up because they were having a baby. Jack's story on our web site generated a huge response, and Anne Marie ultimately chose a couple who lived in her area to adopt him so she could continue to see Jack and follow up on him.

Nicole Carfora of the KBTC of Chicago fostered and placed "Belle," a 3 1/2 year old bitch whose high spirits proved to be a little too much for her previous owners to handle. A big thanks to Nicole for this, as well as to Laverne Prewitt and the Texas Club for assisting with Belle's placement and follow up in her new home. Also many, many thanks are in order to Nicole, Judy Lamken, Reita Nicholson, and other members of the Chicago Club, along with Gigi Reiling of the KBTCSL, for their help in busting a Kerry out of a private shelter and returning him to his breeder.

I recently finished fostering a Kerry—my first in four years. "Sammy" is a six year old male whose owners first contacted the USKBTC through our web site, claiming that his severe "furonculosis" and dog aggression left them no choice but to turn him over to Rescue or have him euthanized. Their veterinarian confirmed this, and stated that in her opinion he was not adoptable. Thankfully for Sammy, Texas member Sue Gastrock and her vet, Dr. Wes Taylor, were willing to evaluate him, and came up with an entirely different diagnosis...dermal cysts! The aggression issue turned out to be more overlyexcited, "in-your-face" behavior due to lack of training and socialization than actual aggression, and was easily remedied. After two months of basic training and determining how best to manage his cysts, the new and improved Sammy was adopted by a family in Oklahoma.

My favorite rescue success stories involve the dogs that never actually end up in rescue, any rescue, either because the owners get support and advice that allows them to keep their dog, or the breeders step in and personally handle the rehoming. Most of these I never hear about, but I do want to thank Monica Adair and Carol Pizzino specifically for helping an overwhelmed new Kerry owner, as well as all the USKBTC and Chapter Club rescue volunteers and other members who not only look out for their own dogs, but are more than happy to lend a hand whenever they can and welcome new Kerry owners into the fold, regardless of where those dogs actually came from. You are truly the unsung heroes of our breed!

-Lisa Frankland USKBTC Rescue Coordinator

NEWS FLASH!

Congratulations go out to Blake Hansen, the young man who started handling his own Kerry in February, 2006. Blake won in Juniors (over 42 junior entries) on Saturday at the KBTC of Central Florida specialty in Brooksville, Florida and went on to finish his bitch on Sunday with a 5 point major. This is quite an accomplishment, and something we should all be proud of. Our young handlers are our future, in Kerries and other breeds as well. Please take time to congratulate both Blake and our other young handlers when you get the opportunity. And Blake, keep up the good work!

Annual Reports

KBTC-St. Louis 2006 Annual Report

The KBTC-StL celebrated its 30th Anniversary and held its 25th annual Specialty on Saturday, September 16, 2006 in conjunc-

tion with the Missouri Rhineland Kennel Club all breed show in Sullivan, Missouri. Charlene Dwyer of Colorado was sweepstakes judge, and Lester Mapes of Massachusetts judged the regular classes. We welcomed old friends and new who supported our show with majors for all three days of the show. Our hospitality tent offered refreshments to visitors, Kerry owners, and handlers, and was the location for a group dinner on Friday night, and a catered BBQ after Saturday's show. Many beautiful and useful donated gifts ensured our very successful raffle.

We try to educate/mentor prospective and new owners, groomers and the public, through club sponsored events. Gigi Reiling provides clinics for new Kerry owners to become familiar with grooming requirements to be comfortable with the process. Our club newsletter is sent four times a year to members about upcoming AKC events of interest in our area, USKBTC updates, health tips, new products available, training and grooming facilities in the greater St. Louis area, and provides a members' roster to promote communication. We want to introduce Kerry owners to the new opportunities and events (agility, herding, etc.) for participation with their dogs.

We provide background information to members' questions about the USKBTC rescue policy and the need for changes in the constitution. Members of the club assisted in the care and transportation of several rescued Kerries back to their breeders, or to new homes.

Gigi Reiling and Kathleen Gerber took the USKBTC Breed Education seminar given by Anne Katona while attending the Chicago Specialty. We congratulate club members who continue to achieve AKC recognized titles on their Kerries.

We are monitoring the new Missouri state "Blue Ribbon" program instigated to clean up puppy breeders' facilities which continue to tarnish our image as a "puppy mill" state. With only 2 of the 14 inspectors for the whole state assigned to the program, its progress has been poor. With the appointment of a new DoA director, we are hoping for better input to the program.

2007 Officers: President: George Lorentz

Vice President: Fern Rogers Treasurer: Gigi Reiling Secretary: Kathleen Gerber

The 2007 St. Louis Specialty will be held on Saturday, September 15th in conjunction with the Missouri Rhineland Kennel Club all breed show. We will have our catered BBQ Saturday evening, a bottomless dollar raffle, and offer grooming tips and advice for new Kerry owners by the many experts present for the show.

Respectfully submitted, George Lorentz, President, and Kathleen Gerber, Secretary



KBTC-Chicago 2006 Annual Report

Our year officially starts off with the club supporting the Chicago International Dog Show (IKC). It was no different in 2006. The

Chicago International is one of only a few benched shows left in the United States and that makes for great comraderie. All of the Kerries are benched together and our members have a terrific time.

The annual St, Patrick's Day party is our next function in early in March. What a grand time we all had. And we have Judy Lamken to thank for finding such a wonderful spot.

April and May bring nominations and elections for club officers. The officers elected in 2006 were: Ellen Burrows, Corresponding Secretary; Bonnie Busch, Recording Secretary; Linda Sousa, Treasurer, Reita Nicholson, Executive Officer; Peter Lamken, Vice-President, and; yours truly, Charles Zuganelis, President.

Nicole Carfora hosted our annual grooming Clinic in May. We changed the format a little with Nicole actually giving a grooming demonstration. There was a good turn out and the new people that brought puppies got a free grooming as there were several experienced members that attended and pitched in when Nicole finished her demonstration. I want to give a special shout out to Nicole though as the grooming clinic was held in her grooming shop and it went off without a hitch. Everyone had a wonderful time and I hope that someone learned something. Again, thanks Nicole.

June brought our annual Specialty on the Fathers Day week-end. However, 2006 proved to be an atypical year. We also hosted the USKBTC Travelling Specialty. What a week-end. I must say that our members went above and beyond to put on these shows. When I say that we started planning the 2006 week-end two years in advance, that is not an exaggeration! Congrats to all of the members who had a part in putting on the shows. Congratulations are also in order for Connie Meyers and her puppy bitch who went Best Puppy In Show and to Carl and Jamie Ashby who took one of their bitches to Best Bred By In Show. Both accomplished these great feats at the KBTCC Specialty. What a day for Kerry Blues. Way to go gang!

The end of July and on into August and beyond our members begin going to Canfield, Elgin (another show that we support) St. Louis and Montgomery.

We wind up our year with our annual Christmas Party in

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early December. We had a better than average turn out and all had a terrific time. Thanks go out to Linda Sousa for finding a restaurant in a nice central location, easily accessible to all of our members and with wonderful menu choices.

I must bid you adieu as my run as the president is coming to an end this spring. However, the club will be put in capable hands and we will still have terrific activities. Come visit us, you won't be disappointed.

Charles Zuganelis, President KBTCC.



KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB OF **CENTRAL FLORIDA** 2006 ANNUAL REPORT

2006 started early for the KBTCCF. Club members and their Kerries manned the Meet the Breed booth at the Eukanuba Invitational Show on January 14th and 15th. The following Saturday was our 4th specialty show. Sweepstakes Judge Lisa Favre had an entry of 12 and chose Kerigolf's Christmas Knight bred and owned by Lynn S. Duckett as Best in Sweepstakes. Specialty Judge Keke Kahn awarded Best in Specialty to France Godbout's Ch. Rollick's Riverdance. River, who was bred by Charlotta Mellin, went on to win Terrier Group 4 the same day. This year barbeque catered by one of Florida's top competition barbeque chefs was on the menu and of course the boutique stocked with many one of a kind shirts painted by Youlia Anderson, raffle and auction allowed Club members and visitors time to mingle and enjoy each other's company.

The Slate of Officers chosen for the year was as follows:

President: Walter Bates Vice President: Chris Cagle Secretary: Conni Adams Treasurer: Jim Omodio

Board of Directors: Linda Lopez, Judy Agnew and

Reatha Omodio

The Club's website is www.kerrybluefl.com. Bill MacLeod continues to improve it, donating his time to update and maintain the site. It's always growing and changing, just like the Club.

A B-match was held in October with the Tampa Bay Terrier Club, affording members a little practice. Anthony and Linda Lopez's Blue Bay's Perfect Storm won Best of Breed and Group 1 Adult. A picnic lunch and costume contest rounded out the day.

Club member David Yeager was instrumental in helping to get Kerries qualified to compete for AKC herding titles. Several members have competed in the instinct test and are ready to move on.

Looking forward to 2007, we hope to continue with an even bigger and better Specialty Show and more exciting

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activities with our Kerries!

Respectively submitted. Conni Adams Secretary, KBTCCF



KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA **ANNUAL REPORT**

To sum up 2006 for the Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Northern California - BUSY! We

began the year with an entry in the Golden Gate Kennel Club Show held at the Cow Palace in San Francisco each year. This is one of the few benched shows still held in the US. Our dogs met and greeted many people who were either interested in the Kerry Blue Terrier or are just curious about them. We held a two-part grooming seminar; first: general care for your Kerry and basic clipper work. The second to watch as a Kerry was groomed by one of our members. Nancy Han, a Certified Master Groomer, in order to learn some of the techniques/skills she uses in creating beautiful show trims. Along with our first seminar, we had a St. Patrick's Day Potluck, and of course, had way too much good food. Our club provides supported entries for the Northern California Terrier Association shows in April for conformation, obedience and rally. Many of our members actively show dogs throughout the show season and this year was no exception. It's always a highlight to travel to other specialties as a group to show your dog, be among your friends and make new ones.

We are very proud of Los Carneros Big Slick owned by John Saemann and Scott Schuette who won the US Club Futurity at Montgomery weekend. Our Specialty was held at the Del Valle Kennel Club shows in October. This year CH. Aran Ferbane, owned by Natalia Samaiova-Glover. retired several of our trophies since he won Best of Breed three consecutive years. Congratulations, Natalia & Aran! Slick also won our Sweepstakes. In November, we elected officers for the 2007 year. The list of officers for our club can be found on either our website www.kbtcnc.org or the USKBTC website. In December, we held our annual Christmas party and auction at the home of our new President, John Saemann, and board member, Scott Schuette. The hospitality was great....the view toward San Francisco across the vineyards.. breathtaking and the food...divine! We had a wonderful time. renewed friendships and talked Kerrys! We had some special items donated for our auction to help our treasury. Plagues were presented to those members whose dogs either finished their conformation championship in 2006 or added new titles in rally, obedience or agility. Congratulations to all!

Guess that sums it up from sunny Northern California. Please mark your calendars for our Specialty, Saturday, October 20,2007, at the Del Valle Dog Club show in

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Kerries Herding in the USA



Run! Here Come the Kerry Blue Terriers!

USKBTC Herding Announces a Herding e-List! You Are Invited To Join! No Experience Required!

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USKBTC Herding Regional Coordinators:

Barb Ward – Northwestern USA and Western Canada Tom Rogers – Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico Anthony Lopez – Florida Martha Nazak – Atlantic Coast Jane Eno and Carol Wert – Northeastern USA Jann Lane, Chrm. – California, Nevada, Central USA

USKBTC Herding Committee Goals

- •To encourage interest in AKC Herding for the Kerry Blue Terrier by supporting herding instinct testing and continue training for AKC herding titles;
 - •To provide a centralized resource to assist KBT owners in identifying local and regional herding locations for instinct testing and available trainers;
 - •To provide support and encouragement to members who are interesting in herding with their Kerries through a discussion forum online;
 - To provide a resource of web sites for supplies and herding stuff;
 - •To support opportunities for owners to instinct test and trial their Kerries;
 - •To provide a central posting of herding events around the country and provide to yahoo group members.

For more information, contact Jann Lane: mackenziesteel@earthlink.net

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When a Kerry Loses at the Show and How to Act: Ch. Eidenbock's Dust Bunny at the show.

By Helen Eiden

Dust Bunny was down to the last two points to finish her championship. So a couple of us got together and put in a couple of Kerries. I took in a puppy for puppy class and then went in BBE class with Dust Bunny. We came back and the judge tried to get her attention and she just looked at me and blew him off. The judge glared at me and asked "Do you train your dogs to not look at the judge?" I was stunned by what he just asked and squeaked out a no.

We then have go back in for winners bitch class of which I was one and he points to the bitch Ros had shown. She wins since she was the only bitch to look at this judge when she came up to him. I have to say I got a kick out of Ros being so thrilled. It was the first time she put points on a Kerry.

We walked out of the ring and went back to the set up. I asked Ros if she would like a picture. Naturally she would. So off lead, Dust Bunny and I trooped back inside the building where I met up with the photographer.

There were 6 – 8 Miniature Schnauzers in the ring at the time. While I was so busy yakking to the photographer Dust Bunny went into the ring to stare at the judge. I only realized what happened when someone yelled dog in the ring. I turned to the photographer and said naturally dogs are in the ring. AND then I LOOKED UP.

Lo and behold Dust Bunny went into the ring past handlers with their charges, then she STACKED herself, looked right into the judges' eyes and stared at him. She cocked her head first right and then left never losing eye contact. She looked better than when I stacked her. She was a breathtaking site - she looked gorgeous. It was AWE-SOME.

Mind you I am speechless or was it dumbstruck? That in itself is no easy feat to accomplish. Haha. I looked at her in the ring and said "Dust Bunny what the heck are you doing in there?" She looked at me and then did the cutest thing. She nodded her head to the judge as if to say ooops! I have to go and came out of the ring. As I stopped by the ring steward I said to her "that's what he gets for not putting her up." There was light applause, while I tried to disappear.

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We went back to the set-up and people who knew I was going to the show came to visit. We were all having a good time when someone noticed the judge come out for a smoke. He saw us and promptly retreated into the building and I haven't seen him since.

Dust Bunny is a treasure and no doubt there will never be another one like her. She is just another Kerry at my house with a sense of humor and a thinker. That's what I love best about this breed.

Helen Eiden www.kerryblues.com/eidenbock Eidenbock Kerries

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Pleasanton, CA, and plan to join us.

Julee Manahan Secretary, KBTCNC



Empire Kerry Blue Terrier Club, Inc. Annual Report 2006

2006 was a memorable year for the Empire Club. We were saddened by the deaths of our dear friends, Karen Sofield, Dorothy McCrea, Gwen Resk, and Zippy Fleischer. Each held a special place in the history our club. We dedicated our Fall Specialty with the Suffolk Country Kennel Club at The Planting Fields Arboretum to Dorothy McCrea and our Spring Show with Ladie's Kennel Club to Dorothy McCrea. Gwen Resk will be remembered in the coming year.

We are busy planning and fundraising for the USKBTC Traveling Specialty that we will soon be hosting. Our website, empirekbtc.org is up and running and will continue to evolve.

Officers are Aileen Santo, President; Dianna Seebaugh, Vice President; Lisa Kunze, Treasurer; Gail Braverman, Secretary. Board members are Karen Smith, Leona Mintz, Audrey Drost, Andrea Bernstein, Arlene Coulaz.

Gail Braverman Secretary, EKBTC

Visit the USKBTC Web Site



at

http://www.uskbtc.com for the latest Kerry news!

A Word from Charitable Funds...

As many of you know the US Kerry Blue Charitable Fund was established in 2002. Its purpose was to serve the Kerry Blue Terrier in four important areas:

- 1) **Rescue Fund** this fund supports grants used to provide Kerry Blue Terrier rescue services.
- 2) Health and Genetics Fund this fund makes grants in support of research in areas of health and genetics of particular importance to the Kerry Blue Terrier.
- **3) Education Fund** the education fund supports education of all those interested in the Kerry Blue Terrier including publications, websites, and seminars.
- **4) General Fund** donations to this fund are used to support the work of the other funds through internal grants to those funds. Undesignated gifts will initially be held in this fund.

Since the Fund was established we have worked diligently to build the assets of the Funds while undertaking major support of the PNA Research being done at the University of Missouri. To date we have awarded over \$20,000 in grants to support Health and Genetics, Education, and Rescue. This is quite impressive, since our Fund is relatively new compared to other Parent Clubs whose equivalent organizations are often decades older than ours.

Our current objective is to continue to grow fund assets while undertaking occasional substantial support such as the PNA Grant. We believe the real key to long term growth will be planned giving that includes the Funds in the wills of our members. Other comparable organizations have used this method as the key to growing their assets. The reality is that we must grow our financial resources substantially in order to having a meaningful impact and that means it will take many years to be in a position to have a significant impact on our core areas.

You can help by considering making the Funds one of the recipients of your estate. In addition, support an area of interest today. We have grown our asset base through small gifts and that will be crucial to our future.

Feel free to contact any Board member for more information on how you can make a difference!

Charitable Funds Board:

Jann Lane

Carl C. Ashby Chair
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Gretchen Quinn Secretary
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Winners Bitch
Best of Winners
Hatboro Dog Club
USKBTC Supported Entry

Blujac's Irish Rose

(Ch. Fralin's Glennmirs US Steel x Ch. Blujac's American Beauty)

> Breeder/Owner: Carl & Jaimie Ashby

Best of Opposite Sex Hatboro Dog Club USKBTC Supported Entry

Ch. Kerrisel's Guinness By Design

(Ch. Aisling's Overdrive x Ch. Lughnasa's Kerrisel Carling)

Breeder: Reita, Shane & Craig Nicholson

Owner: Russell & Deborah Bednarek, Reita Nicholson

Best Veteran in Sweepstakes USKBTC So. California

Ch. Eidenbock's Dust Bunny

(Ch. Pot O'Gold Luck O Irish x Eidenbock's Irish Gleam)

Breeder/Owner: Helen Eiden

Winners Dog
Best of Winners
KBTC of Southern California
Winter Specialty

Kehalen's Cormick O'Quailhaven

(Ch. Torum's Scarf Michael x Ch. Kehalen's Spirit of Warlord)

Breeder/Owner: Ellen Smith-Wexler



Winners Bitch, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex KBTC Central Florida Specialty

Lemerick's Pasha

(Ch. Lemerick's Rocket Man of TNT x Ch. Lemerick's Tom Boy, CGC)

Breeder: Michael Waggener & Ken Kaufman

Owner: Kevin Johnson & Michael Waggener



Best in Sweepstakes KBTC Central Florida Specialty

TNT Major Player

(Ch. TNT Silver Salute x Ch. Lughnasa's Lillie Langtry)

Breeders: Connie L. Myers & Gene Possidento

Owner: Connie L. Myers





New AKC Titleholders

(as published in the AKC Awards Book)

November 2006

Conformation Champions

CH Kerifields Hurricane Frances (B) RN06131903 by CH Keri-Star's A J McDuff x ST. Asaph's Susan's Girl Breeder: Virginia Payson Owner: Virginia Payson & Ralph Payson CH Kerrisel's Cuda Man (D) RN07886601 by CH Heritage The Artful Dodger x CH Kerrisel's Three Inch Heels

Breeder: Reita Nicholson & Craig Nicholson & Shane Nicholson Owner:
Reita Nicholson & Craig Nicholson
CH Lemerick's Guido (D)

RM36732102 by CH Fralin's Public Defender RN x CH Lemerick's Shenanigans Breeder: Carol A Pizzino & Michael F Waggener Owner: Jeff Lashbrook & Debra Lashbrook

CH Topgun Reagan For Freedom (D) RN05571402 by CH Topgun Maverick To The Danger Zone x CH Lisiji Star Gazer Breeder: Barbara Price & Lisa Favre Owner: Debbie Hayes & Jim Hayes & Barbara Price

Companion Dog

Wildside's Quiet Man CDX RA (D) RM30674403 by CH Wildside's Lone Ranger x CH Wedgewood Wildsides Dynasty Breeder: Diane C Harrison Owner: Patricia K Sontag & William J Sontag Jr.

Rally Novice

Blue Bay's Wind Dancer CD RE MX MXJ (B) RM22266103 by CH Fralin's Master Macgraw x CH Everglo Dawn Over Blue Bay Breeder: Anthony Lopez & Linda Lopez Owner: Brenda Vogel & Jim Vogel

Master Agility Excellent

Lynmar My Bleu Heaven MX AXJ (D) RN01399702 by CH Wildside's Lone Ranger x CH Calix Bearded Iris Breeder: Lynn M Travers & Mark Travers Owner: Tracey Fulmer

December 2006

Conformation Champions

CH Adair-Bards Bet On The Cards (D) RN04736904 by CH Melbee's Best Bet Yet II x CH Melbee's Goody Goody Breeder: Nancy K Robards & Claire F Martin Owner: Robert Cole & Julia Cole CH Blujac's Irish Magic (B) RN05911001 by CH Fralin's Glennmirs U.S. Steel x CH Blujac's Amercian Beauty Breeder: Mr. & Mrs. Carl C Ashby III Owner: Mr. & Mrs. Carl C Ashby III CH Camshron's Best Bet Yet (D) RM30681002 by CH Tontine's Casino Joe x CH Camshron's Nightingale Breeder: Scott Kellogg D.V.M. & Billie Kellogg Owner: Scott Kellogg & Billie Kellogg CH Classy Lassie Of Hallsblu (B) RN10968001 by CH Glenfitor D J Carey By Miculadh x Sky Dancer Breeder: Mr. S Moffett Owner: Mrs. A Fleming Austin CH Fanfair's Tri My Luck (B) RN01202405 by CH Starlite's Neptune Trident x Fanfair's Luck Of The Draw Breeder: John C Wisegarver & John E Baker & Ursula M Sass Owner: Ursula Sass

CH Kerrymist's Rhythm And Blues (B) RM36852505 by CH Kerrymist's Willoughby O'Kieffe x CH Kerrymist's Fire-N-Ice Breeder: Hank Friscone & Chris Friscone & Joe Friscone Owner: Kevin Spicer & Chris Friscone
CH Lavender Iz Goluboi Legendy (B)

RN09836601 by Beclau Boywonder x Aua Skif Bellavicenza Breeder: M Beliavtseva Owner: Delvin Clarkson

CH Lisiji Queen Of Hearts (B) RN09514902 by CH Aran Ferbane x CH Dicher Hearts Desire Lisiji Breeder: Diane B Stroud & C J Favre & Lisa Favre Owner: Lisa Favre & C J Favre

CH Sethfield Gazon Mickbeth (B) RM35767701 by CH Torum's Scarf Michael x CH Gazon Maybe This Time Breeder: Carol C Greenwald Owner: Carol C Greenwald

Master Excellent Jumper

CH Tantara's High Tide CD MX MXJ (B) RM34678201 by Elbrley's Spenser For Eire x Tantara's Honky Tonk Girl CDX

MX MXJ MXP2 MJP Breeder: Eve Fishell Owner: Eve Fishell

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Conformation Champions

CH Clover's All You Need Is Love
(B) RN08256603 by CH Bluebeard's
The Answer x CH Kallehan's Lucky
Charm Breeder: Laura Ellis & Nancy
Han Owner: Katherine Benna & Laura
Ellis

CH Delaney's Pryor Commitment
(B) RN05674501 by CH Hallsblu Royal Flush x CH Delaney's Meant To Be Breeder: Mary Delaney Montgomery
Owner: Holly Pryor

CH Dornick's Sacha (B) RN07602601 by CH Torum's Corky Capers x Torum's Domino Breeder: Paul Fletcher & Ron Ramsay Owner: Doreen Fletcher CH Eidenbock's All The Way USA (B) RM33754903 by CH Eidenbock's Lethal Weapon x CH Mc Luff's Grand Finale Breeder: Cory Rivera & Helen Eiden Owner: Helen Eiden

CH Kerifield's Hurricane Charm (B) RN06131909 by CH Keri-Star's A J McDuff x ST. Asaph's Susan's Girl Breeder: Virginia Payson Owner: Judy Agnew & Blake Hansen CH Kerifields Hurricane Ivan (D)

RN06131901 by CH Keri-Star's A J

McDuff x ST. Asaph's Susan's Girl Breeder: Virginia Payson Owner: Ralph Payson & Virginia Payson CH Lisiji Drama Queen (B) RN09514903 by CH Aran Ferbane x CH Dicher Hearts Desire Lisiji Breeder: Diane B Stroud & C J Favre & Lisa Favre Owner: Lisa Favre & C J Favre CH Slievemish Legendary Duke (D) RN12186801 by CH Elbrley's Finnstar Padrick x Ballisodare Bonny Ruffles Breeder: Tiina Paukku Owner: Tiina Paukku & Carol Postley

CH Symphonie's Blind Date (D) RN06904403 by CH Goodspicey Hot Doubleuberry x CH Rollick's Riverdance Breeder: France Godbout Owner: Margery Good & Gale Cayce CH Tontine's Undercover Angel (B) RN03809604 by CH Tontine's Home Town Boy x CH Tontine's Fair Phoebe

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Breeder: Lou Perry Cunningham Owner: Julie A Kassien & David L Kassien **CH Trozian Onyx At Torum** (D) RN10570001 by Torum's Tunde Bayou x Penando My Girl Blue At Trozian Breeder: N A Lawson & R Ramsay & W Orton Owner: Edward Yingling & LYNN YINGLING

Agility Excellent Preferred

Primrose Jessie James UDX RA NA NAJ AXP AJP (D) RM22880905 by CH Heritage Prince Pippin x CH Bangor Primrose Exacta Breeder: Patricia A Masters & Paul A Masters Owner: Jane Eno

Master Agility Excellent Preferred

Tantara's Honky Tonk Girl CDX MX MXJ MXP3 MJP (B) RM19788001 by Blue Streak UD MX MXJ Breeder: Eve Fishell Owner: Eve Fishell

Conformation Champions

CH Beltane's Kiss For Luck (B) RN05588605 by CH Beltane's Hard Day's Night x Paxon's Celebrationatcam-Ron

Breeder: Jana Deaton Owner: Timothy D Johnson

CH Jorkaite's Bugle Boy (D) RN03512603 by CH Deryni All That "N" More x CH Paxon's Jorkaite Kori CD Breeder: Nanette Loya Owner: Steven Palamar & Nanette Loya & Ronnie Palamar

Rally Novice

Dalton's Riley RN OA AXJ (D) RM33903905 by CH Paxon's Lucky Charm O'Rockwell x CH Paxon's Lady Of The Lake CD Breeder: Joseph H Sofield Owner: Jack Richardson & Betty Richardson

Open Agility Jumper

CH Ballymoon's Flynn Tango x Tantara's **Tantara's Unsinkable Molly** OA OAJ (B) RN08333601 by CH Elbrley's Major Zoom Zoom x CH Tantara's High Tide CD MX MXJ Breeder: Eve Fishell Owner: Eve Fishell

Excellent Agility Jumper

Dalton's Riley RN OA AXJ (D) RM33903905 by CH Paxon's Lucky Charm O'Rockwell x CH Paxon's Lady Of The Lake CD Breeder: Joseph H Sofield Owner: Jack Richardson & Betty Richardson

Master Excellent Jumper Preferred 2

Tantara's Honky Tonk Girl CDX MX MXJ MXP3 MJP2 (B) RM19788001 by CH Ballymoon's Flynn Tango x Tantara's Blue Streak UD MX MXJ Breeder: Eve Fishell Owner: Eve Fishell

Agility FAST Novice

CH MACH Kerigolf Flower Power RN NF (B) RM29101802 by CH Everglory Free Spirit Rebel x CH Everglory's Miss Virginia Breeder: Lynn S Duckett Owner: Bryan J Kincaid & Dana S Kincaid

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AKC judging procedures. Judging speed should average 2-2 1/2 minutes per dog.

CASH DISBURSEMENTS

The prize money will include total moneys collected (entry fees, nominations fees, donations, etc.) less Futurity expenses. Purse distributions will be as follows:

Best in Futurity: 20% of total purse

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Futurity: 10% of this purpose is given. total purse

Best Puppy Dog in Futurity: 5% of total purse Best Puppy Bitch in Futurity: 5% of total purse Best Junior Dog in Futurity: 5% of total purse Best Junior Bitch in Futurity: 5% of total purse

First place in each age division: 20% of division purse

Second place in each age division: 15% of division purse

Third place in each age division: 10% of division purse

Fourth place in each age division: 5% of division purse

(remaining 50% of division purses are distributed as described in preceding paragraph)

All prize money will distributed between the owner (75%) and the breeder (25%). Moneys will be sent to addresses given on entry blanks. Prize money will be mailed to recipients within 60 days after the Futurity.

Rosettes will be offered for class placements, Best Puppy Dog, Best Puppy Bitch, Best Junior Dog, Best Junior Bitch, Best in Futurity, and Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Futurity.

Trophies may be offered if money specifically donated for

RULES

Futurity rules and procedures will on occasion be evaluated and revised as needed by a committee appointed by the USKBTC Board of Governors. Three members will be appointed to this committee. Any revisions require approval by the USKBTC Board of Governors. A Futurity Donations Committee will also be appointed.





2007 USKBTC Kerry Calendar

In a new format, this year's calendar has show photos and candid shots of our beloved Kerries and their owners. Only available from Barb Beuter for half price - \$7.50 + \$5 shipping while they last!

Limited supply. Make check to USKBTC and mail to:

Barb Beuter 25818 Tamara Ct. Leesburg, FL 34748

Terrierific Temptations: The USKBTC Charitable Funds Cookbook

A collection of recipes from Kerry fanciers all over the world. All profits benefit USKBTC Charitable Funds. **Special offer** - available from Jaimie Ashby for \$12 (includes shipping) in continental US until June 30, 2007.

Contact Jaimie Ashby: Jaimie@att.net

Kerry Blue Terrier 2005 Handbook

Comprehensive, with over 312 pages of articles, statistics, historical references and kennel listings.

An excellent reference to have on hand.

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The Horace J. Perry Commentary on the Kerry Blue Terrier Standard

Second printing. Available at \$10 per copy including postage. Make checks to: Empire Kerry Blue Terrier Club. Contact: Dianna Seebaugh, P.O. Box 714, Center Moriches, NY 11934
Email: lexiblaese@optonline.net
Phone: 631-878-0704

Past Futurity Prints

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Kerries and Their Sheep Herding Debut at 2006 Eukanuba National Championship! By Jann Lane

Sheep at Eukanuba? Kerries Herding sheep at Eukanuba? On December 2 and 3, 2007, Carol Delsman, AKC Field Representative for Herding, held a sheep herding demonstration for attendees of the AKC Eukanuba National Championships, at the Long Beach Convention-Center.

When I met Carol at an AKC herding trial in November, we had a great discussion about the Kerry and its herding abilities. She told me she was planning a herding demonstration for Eukanuba. When I saw her again in December, she suggested bringing in a Kerry for her demonstration.

On Saturday, the fences around the demonstration area were crowded with herding-group folks and their dogs, Bouviers, Aussies, Borders, you know the group. We terrier folks were definitely in the minority.

We had two Kerry volunteers: a 7 month puppy bitch who had just won the Puppy Sweeps on Friday, Beau, owned by Barb Ward (Warlord's Rebellion at Kingael) and an 18 month old male Kerry, Easty (Ch.Geijes Absolute Power) who had just seen his first sheep at his herding instinct testing in November. Easty is owned by Diana and Will Harper.

We were all a little nervous. However, we really had nothing to worry about. Each of our two Kerry representatives was true to its breed!



Puppy Beau went in first.
Carol gave the Kerry breed a great introduction, noting that we had just been approved by the AKC for herding titles. She introduced

Beau as a young puppy who had never seen sheep and that we were 'in for a treat.' She told the group about our history as a working farm dog in Ireland, what high percentages our breed is showing in instinct testing and that our breeding is maintaining the original instincts of herding.

Beau, being a typical Kerry puppy, was initially enchanted with the adult (and very large) herding dogs, standing on the sidelines with their owners. The adult dogs ignored her while she continued to bark at them. She had not yet seen the sheep huddled together in the pen in the middle of the fenced off arena, behind her. We were all having a good time, laughing and watching the puppy, waiting for

her to realize what was behind her. Carol walked over to Beau, picked up the lead, and turned her around to face the sheep. Beau did a classic double take and dropped to a play bow. If she could have talked, we know she would have said, "Whoa! What the heck is that?" Then, she made us all proud by proceeding to 'herd' by running back and forth along the fence line. A few sheep were brought outside the smaller pen and Beau began herding.



She passed her instinct test at 7 months.

Carol also asked spectators to volunteer to serve "as posts" for the dogs to herd the sheep around. Martha

Nazak heroically volunteered and we know contributed to several dogs' herding skill development. The 'human posts' really added to the demonstration and I am sure the experience added to several 'human posts' anxiety levels, when the sheep came running! Martha never flinched and all the dogs got their turn.

The next Kerry was Easty, the 18 mo old male. I was present when Easty was instinct tested a month earlier. I

can candidly say that he was exceptional, obeying commands and essentially doing everything the herding judge asked. Diana, his owner was proud, as she should have



been. This time, though, Easty remembered the sheep. He remembered them so well, that this time he was going to have fun! He chased, herded, and had a ball. He paid no attention whatsoever to Carol's commands or to his owner, Diana, who was asked to recall her dog. Diana responded as she chased Easty around the pen, "I wish it was that simple!" After Easty was finally caught and extracted from the pen, you could tell he had had the time of his life. Carol took the opportunity to explain to the group that what they just saw was very common and that now, the second time he saw sheep, he was keener and simply showing his herding instinct. Training is all that Easty needed.

Thanks to Carol Delsman, Martha Nazak, Beau and Barb Ward and Easty and Diana Harper, Kerries had a great debut Sheep Herding at Eukanuba!

SYMPHONIE

Multi BIS/BISS Can/Am Ch. Rollick's Riverdance "River"



Nord Ch. Shyloch Excalibur ex Nord Ch. Rollick's Diva)

2006 # 1 Kerry Blue Terrier All-System

Winner of 5 all-breed BIS (US & Canada)

BISS - US National Specialty (2006)

BISS - KBTC of Central Florida (2006)

BISS - KBTC of Philadelphia (Hatboro 2006)

BOB - Hatboro Dog Club (2006)

BISS Canadian National Specialty (2004 & 2005)

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River is also the dam of a very successful litter born February 14th, 2004

BIS Am./Sw. Ch. Symphonie's Be My Valentine "Cruiser"

BISS Am. Ch. Symphonie's Blind Date "Riley " (co-owned with Gale Cayce and Margery Good

BISS Cn. Ch. Symphonie's A Piece O My Heart "Cybele "
(co-owned with Annick Lemonnier)

Symphonie's French Kiss (pointed) "Benni "
(owned by Dawn Allman)

Planning a litter in the spring by Int/Am./Es/Pt/Sw/Fin Ch. EUW-04, SV-04-05 Opus de Chapeau (WD-New Am. Ch. Montgomery County 2005)

We would like to thank everyone for your support, encouragement and friendship.

2006 certainly was a FUN and EXCITING year!!

Best of luck to you all in 2007!

Breeder

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Lynne Lumsden & Del Clarkson

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SYMPHONIE

BIS Am./Sw. Ch. Symphonie's Be My Valentine

"Cruiser"





(BISS Am. Ch. Goodspicey Hot Doubleuberry ex Multi BIS/BISS Can./Am. Ch. Rollick's Riverdance)

2004 National Sweepstakes Winner
RWD Montgomery County from the 6-9 puppy class
Best Bred-by Exhibitor In Show Winner

Cruiser took Sweden by storm in 2006.
Shown only 4 times since his arrival, the results speak for themselves:

Best In Show from the classes first time out (2700 dogs) (same day River won BOB at Montgomery!!)

Best In Group - 5 (terrier specialty - 600 entries)

Best In Show - 4 (4000 dogs)

Best In Group and New Swedish Champion (850 terriers) - Stockholm

Cruiser will be shown by Charlotta Mellin in Sweden this year until his return for 2008.

Looking forward to another exciting year!

Charlotta Mellin

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BISS Am. Ch. Symphonie's Blind Date

"Riley"



(BISS Am. Ch. Goodspicey Hot Doubleuberry ex Multi BIS/BISS Can./Am. Ch. Rollick's Riverdance)

Finished his American championship by going Best of Breed over Specials on the Winter Circuit and topped by a Group 3 under Frank Washabaugh.

BISS at the KBTC of Central Florida (Michelle Billings)

Riley will be residing with us while Cruiser is being shown in Sweden

Breeder/Co-Owner

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Owners

Gale Cayce & Margery Good



Please Join Us in Celebrating

The Kerry Blue Terrier Club of San Diego, Inc.

43460 Rídge Park Dríve, Ste 240, Temecula, CA 92590

The KBTCSD, approved by the AKC and awarded USKBTC Affiliate status, serves the metropolitan San Diego and high desert regions of California. This region of 11 million residents has long sought the support and community of a Kerry club, producing a core membership of 34 members who live in the AKC designated regions of San Diego, Riverside, San Bernardino, Imperial and southern Orange Counties. As a California public non-profit corporation, the KBTCSD seeks to utilize its resources to enhance the relationship between all canines and humans through the following mission:

Seeking to build a better world through our Kerries, we are dedicated to:

Honoring the Past: KBTCSD is dedicated to supporting the AKC and USKBTC standards for our breed; encouraging the memory of our breed's past and those who have gone before us through Kerry Heritage Hall, a virtual history of Kerries, their breeders and owners.

Celebrating the Present: KBTCSD will support and encourage members and their interests, providing opportunities to expand their relationship with their Kerries through participation in conformation, performance events, and educational programs for children; plans include holding specialties and numerous supported entries. Contribute to the development of international relationships among Kerry owners, breeders, clubs and children; The Breeders' Cup Trophy will be awarded annually to the Best of Breed winner at our future specialty, celebrating the AKC/ USKBTC standards for conformation for the Kerry Blue Terrier.

Contributing to the Future: The KBTCSD strives to support the future of the Kerry Blue Terrier in three areas:

- 1. Support of canine health and genetic research related to the KBT, to keep our breeding programs healthy and strong for future generations;
- 2. Educational programs for children and adults sharing the characteristics, qualities and needs of our very special breed;
- 3. Financial contributions to children's charities, making a difference for others, through our dogs.

Officers:

President: Edward Yingling; Vice President: Lou Perry Cunningham; Secretary: Jann Lane; Recording Secretary: Julie Kassien; Treasurer: Lynn Yingling.

How Do You Spend Your Kerry Hours? A Case for the Positive Model

By Jann Lane

It can seem overwhelming. Anti-dog legislation, breed specific legislation, politics, groups against other groups, anti-breeder groups, conflicts and on and on. When any conflict occurs, whether it is on a personal level or a national level, we have a choice in how we respond. Do we spend all our available Dog Hours or Kerry Hours in fighting the foe? In denying the wrong or the bad? Granted, we need to fight the wrongs, but we also need to replace what is wrong with what is right and good to change opinion.

We all have a certain amount of "dog time" or "Kerry Hours" during a day or week that we can devote to our breed, our clubs, outside of our own dogs. Today, our beloved canines are facing a great challenge. That special species that has been with us since the beginning of our time, is threatened with stereotyping and categorization by a few. Canines are maligned by city councils, insurance companies' liability exclusion lists are growing and others are simply banning dogs from premises out of fear. The AKC has recently challenged us to expand our participation during the Responsible Dog Owner month in September. Their lists of suggestions and supporting activities offer another benefit, as well. In addition to fighting the negative, being "for" the positive has effects far beyond what we imagine.

Being "for" something is contagious. We can be against 'breed specific legislation' but what are we 'for'? Those who are at city hall and are part of the plan to defeat the legislation are our heroes, but they need the rest of us to be replacing the negative with a positive. We can be 'for' obtaining AKC Canine Good Citizen certification by sponsoring a seminar and testing with your local club; we can be 'for' sponsoring a children's drawing contest or essay contest about good things dog have done; we can be 'for' providing opportunities for your club members to participate in dog sports through demonstra-

tions of agility, obedience or rally at community events or conformation shows. Being out there among other breeds enhances our breed and encourages dialogue and opportunities to replace misconceptions. At your next dog show, offer a first aid for dogs clinic during part of the lunch hour, invite a children's class to attend. If this seems too daunting, invite another breed to join you in the planning. Identify an Ambassador Kerry in your club who will serve as a representative to children's groups.

At the individual level, take an inventory on hour much of your "dog time" is positive. Give verbal support and encouragement to your fellow members; tell them how appreciative you are of their efforts and contributions; build and strengthen; move forward. Join together to achieve a goal beyond basic dog club operations. Reach out and give to someone else, then the two of you reach out and through your dogs, build something bigger. Build something better.

We are fragmented within in our groups, within our breeds, and within our clubs. Together we can show the world that dogs still contribute unconditionally to humankind and that they now deserve the same care, protection and understanding that they have always given to us.

The Positive Model. It is contagious.



Blueprints Spring 2007

REGISTER OF MERIT POLICY

The title of Register of Merit shall be awarded annually to the sire that has produced five AKC champions or four champions and a fifth published AKC titled get, and to the dam that has produced three AKC champions or two champions and a third published AKC titled get.

(This is for a ROM completed between January 1, 2006 and December 31, 2006)

Those dogs that have made an outstanding contribution to the breed will be given special recognition. Two additional levels of achievement may be attained:

Gold Rom Sire of 40 AKC titled get or the Dam of 15 AKC titled get

Silver Rom Sire of 25 AKC titled get or the Dam of 10 AKC titled get

A plaque will be awarded the owner at the Montgomery Annual Dinner.

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All awards may only be requested by current USKBTC members.

Completed ROM Form must be received by August 1, 2007

MAIL TO:

Bonnie J. Whelehan 5708 S. Merrimac Ave. Chicago, IL 60638

APPLICATION FOR ROM CERTIFICATE OR PLAQUE						
Name of Sire/Dam:						
Name & Address of Owner:						
Names of Get, Title and Date Received:						
Please Attach list						

COMMUNICATIONS

The USKBTC Communications Committee is a brand new committee dedicated to the purpose of educating the public about our wonderful breed in many different venues.

The Committee will be involved in producing. Kerry Blue Terrier promotional material such as display banners and brochures. These will be available to members through the USKBTC for their individual use.

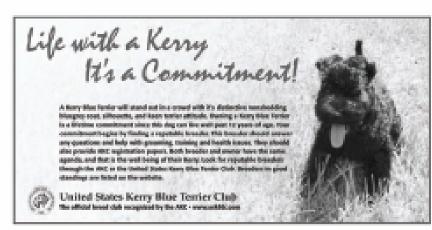
"Life with a Kerry.." is the first of our endeavors. These display banners measure 18" x 35" and are printed on indoon/outdoor viryl in 2 colors. There are grommets in each corner for hooks and can be displayed side-by-side or under each other. They can be shipped to any member who wishes to use them. We ask that they be returned in a timely manner and undamaged. Please look for a notice on the USKBTC website as to when they are available.

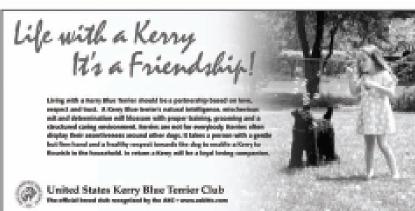
The Committee welcomes suggestions and ideas from any dub members at any time.

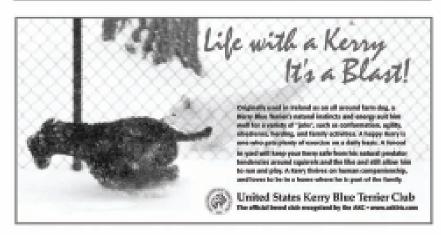
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COMMITTEE



KBTCSC Specialty December 1, 2006

SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Ms. Frandel Brown

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months Dogs. 5 KARILYNN'S REMINGTON STEELE.

RN11515206. 5/24/2006. Breeder: Carolyn Hudson. By CH Tontine's Hometown Boy -- CH Kaseen's Wicked Lies. Carolyn B. Hudson . Dog.

1/OS 7 WARLORD'S KOMICAL KLANCY,

RN11272105. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Richard and Carol Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warord's Shennagins. Gail D. Traughber and Carol Basler. Dog.

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months Bitches.

3 8 KARILYNN'S SMALL TOWN GIRL,

RN11515203. 5/24/2006. Breeder: Carolyn Hudson. By CH Tontine's Hometown Boy -- CH Kaseen's Wicked Lies. Carolyn B. Hudson . Bitch.

4 10 RAMBUNCTIOUS FAIR LADY,

RN11272104. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Richard & Carol Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. John and Elaine Hallen . Bitch.

- 2 12 WARLORD'S IRISH KISS, RN11272106. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Carol & Richard Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. Richard and Carol Basler . Bitch.
- 1/B 14 WARLORD'S REBELLION AT KINGAEL, RN11272107. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Richard & Carol Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. Barbara D. Ward . Bitch.

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Ms. Frandel Brown

7 years and under 11 years Bitches.
1/B 6 CH EIDENBOCK'S DUST BUNNY.

RM18900903. 9/9/1996. Breeder: owner. By CH Pot O'Gold Luck O Irish -- Eidenbock's Irish Gleam. Helen Eiden . Bitch.

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Mrs. Michele L. Billings

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months Dogs. 2 5 KARILYNN'S REMINGTON STEELE,

RN11515206. 5/24/2006. Breeder: Carolyn Hudson. By CH Tontine's Hometown Boy -- CH Kaseen's Wicked Lies. Carolyn B. Hudson . Dog.

1 7 WARLORD'S KOMICAL KLANCY.

RN11272105. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Richard and Carol Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warord's Shennagins. Gail D. Traughber and Carol Basler . Dog.

Open Dogs.

2/R 9 GEIJES ABSOLUTE POWER, RN08552501. 4/7/2005. Breeder: Mia Lundsten. By CH Clanciarrai Solo

-- Geijes Tally-Ho. Diana Harper . Dog.

W/BW 11 KEHALEN'S CORMICK O'

QUAILHAVEN, RM34200801. 5/6/2001. Breeder: Ellen Smith-Wexler & Jonathan E.. Wexler Esq By CH Torum's Scarf Michael -- CH Kehalen's Spirit of Warlord. Ellen Smith-Wexler and T.J. Rocca . Dog.

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months Bitches.

8 KARILYNN'S SMALL TOWN GIRL.

RN11515203. 5/24/2006. Breeder: Carolyn Hudson. By CH Tontine's Hometown Boy -- CH Kaseen's Wicked Lies. Carolyn B. Hudson . Bitch.

3 10 RAMBUNCTIOUS FAIR LADY,

RN11272104. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Richard & Carol Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. John and Elaine Hallen . Bitch.

- 2 12 WARLORD'S IRISH KISS, RN11272106. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Carol & Richard Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. Richard and Carol Basler. Bitch.
- 1/W 14 WARLORD'S REBELLION AT KINGAEL, RN11272107. 4/29/2006. Breeder: Richard & Carol Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. Barbara D. Ward . Bitch.

Open Bitches.

1/R 16 TONTINES UNDERCOVER ANGEL.

RN03809604. 10/22/2003. Breeder: Lou Perry Cunningham. By CH Tontines Home Town Boy -- CH Tontines Fair Phoebe. J. and D. Kassien . Bitch.

Best-of-Breed/Variety

B 15 CH ARAN FERBANE, RM36623101.

3/28/2001. Breeder: G. Menoth. By CH Lescareiot Gorgeous Geroge -- Aaran Enniskerry. Dr. Natalia Samajova-Glover. Dog. Peter Atkinson, Agent.

17 CH WARLORD'S TOMAHAWK,

RM32214503. 8/25/2000. Breeder: Owner. By CH Torum's Scarf Michael -- CH Caeltacht Fedelm. Richard and Carol Basler. Dog. Amy Rodrigues. Agent.

OS 18 CH ROLLICK'S RIVERDANCE.

RN01831801. 7/7/2000. Breeder: Charlotta Mellin. By Shyloch Excalibur -- Rollick's Diva. France Godbout & Lynne Lumsden and Del Clarkson . Bitch.

19 CH EIDENBOCK'S LT CMDR HARMON

RAHK, RM37149307. Breeder: Maryann & Joe Compass & Helen. Eiden By Eidenbock's Sky King -- CH Eidenbock's Peek-A-Boo Shades. Helen Eiden . Dog.

20 CH KERISTARS DIXIE DARLING,

RN01192508. 9/14/2002. Breeder: Virginia Payson and. By CH Keri-Star's AJ McDuff -- St Asaph's Susan's Girl. Bill and BettyAnn Clayton . Bitch.

21 CH GLENFITOR DJ CAREY BY MICULADH,

RN07884801. 9/7/2003. Breeder: Fionnala Malone. By Miculadh Oisin -- Miculadh Ciara. Cheng Wai Chung . Dog. Gabriel Rangel, Agent.

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KBTC of Central Florida Specialty Clearwater Kennel Club -Saturday 01/20/2007

SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE: Mrs. Nancy Westbrook

Sweepstakes, Junior, 6 to 9 Months Dogs.

1/BJSW/BSW 11 TNT MAJOR PLAYER. RN

11435601. 05-01-06. By Ch TNT Silver Salute - Ch Lughnasa's Lillie Langtry. Owner: Connie L Myers., Van Wert, OH 458919463. Breeder: Connie L Myers & Gene Possidento.

Sweepstakes, Junior, 9 to 12 Months Dogs.

1 21 KERIBOU'S ZEPHYR LIMITED. RN 12504202. 04-19-06. By Ch Hallsblu Royal Flush - Ch Keribou's Pocket Of Petals. Owner: Christopher R Reamer & Mary Reamer., Brewster, NY 10509. Breeder: Siobhan M & Ernest P Conti.

Sweepstakes, Junior, 9 to 12 Months Bitches.

- 2 16 KERIBOU'S FORGET ME NOT. RN 12504201. 04-19-06. By Ch Hallsblu Royal Flush - Ch Keribou's Pocket Of Petals. Owner: Siobhan M Conti & Ernest P Conti., Sherman, CT 06784. Breeder: Siobhan M. Conti. & Ernest P. Conti.
- 1 40 SANDDOLLARS DREAM CATCHER. RN 10873602. 02-11-06. By Ch Symphonie's Be My Valentine - Ch Sanddollars Mystic Vision. Owner: Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis., Punta Gorda, FL 33955. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinis.

Sweepstakes, Senior, 12 to 15 Months Bitches.

1/BSSW 38 KERIBOU'S YOU ONLY LIVE

TWICE. RN 10732601. 01-19-06. By Ch Aran Ferbane Ch Keribou's Buffalo Girl. Owner: Siobhan M Conti & Ernest P Conti., Sherman, CT 06784. Breeder: Siobhan M
Conti & Ernest P Conti.

REGULAR CLASS JUDGE: Mrs. Michele L. Billings

Puppy, 6 to 9 Months Dogs.

1/W 11 TNT MAJOR PLAYER. RN (4 Points) 11435601. 05-01-06. By Ch TNT Silver Salute -Ch Lughnasa's Lillie Langtry. Owner: Connie L Myers., Van Wert, OH 458919463. Breeder: Connie L Myers & Gene Possidento.

Puppy, 9 to 12 Months Dogs.

1 21 KERIBOU'S ZEPHYR LIMITED. RN 12504202. 04-19-06. By Ch Hallsblu Royal Flush - Ch Keribou's Pocket Of Petals. Owner: Christopher R Reamer & Mary Reamer., Brewster, NY 10509. Breeder: Siobhan M & Ernest P Conti.

12 to 18 Months Dogs.

A 7 ELBRLEY'S FLINT. RN 11551801. 01-14-06. By Ch Elbrley's Finnstar Dooley - Ch Elbrley's Carefree Lady Kate. Owner: Carol Postley., Ocala, Fl 34482. Breeder: Barbara Catalano. (Carol Herr, Agent).

Bred by Exhibitor Dogs.

1 17 KERIFIELDS HURRICANE IVAN RN 06131901. 08-17-04. By Keri-Star's AJ McDuff - St Asaph's Susan's Girl. Owner: Ralph & Virginia Payson., Micanopy, FL 326678130. Breeder: Virginia Payson.

Open Dogs.

- 2 15 KERIFIELDS HURRICANE ANDREW. RN 06131902. 08-17-04. By Ch Keri-Star's AJ McDuff - St Asaph's Susan's Girl. Owner: Bridget Booth & Virginia Payson & Ralph Payson., High Springs, FL 326430722. Breeder: Virginia Payson.
- 3 27 ARAN HARTIGAN. RN 04738003. 08-07 -03. By Olido Vom Landsberg Aran Enniskerry. Owner: Gala Berenger., Milledgeville, GA 31061. Breeder: Graziano Menotti. (Handler: Mary Beecher Padgett DHG).
- 1/R 33 PENDRAGON JAMESON B IRISH. RN 07428004. 02-26-05. By Ch Pendragon Jay Bee Irish Pendragon Madison Avenue. Owner: Mary Ellen Hoover., Lowell, IN 463569768. Breeder: Mary Ellen Hoover. (Ernesto Lara, Agent).

12 to 18 Months Bitches.

1 32 ELBRLEY'S FLORA BELLE. RN 11551802. 01-14-06. By Ch Elbrley's Finnstar Dooley -Ch Elbrley's Carefree Lady Kate. Owner: Carol Postley., Ocala, Fl 34482. Breeder: Barbara Catalano. (Carol Herr, Agent).

Bred by Exhibitor Bitches.

- A 10 TNT HUBBA HUBBA. RN--07968502. 05-01-05. By Ch Kerrisel's Turbo Charged Ch TNT G-I Jane. Owner: Connie L Myers., Van Wert, OH 45891. Breeder: Connie L Myers.
- 14 TIKAL'S REGAN. RN 07941301. 03-29-05. By Ch Tikal's Patrick Ch Tikal's Margo. Owner: Suzanne M Wright., Middleburg, FL 32068. Breeder: Suzanne M Wright.
- 4 16 KERIBOU'S FORGET ME NOT. RN 12504201. 04-19-06. By Ch Hallsblu Royal Flush Ch Keribou's Pocket Of Petals. Owner: Siobhan M Conti & Ernest P Conti., Sherman, CT 06784. Breeder: Siobhan M. Conti. & Ernest P. Conti.
- 1/W/BW/OS 24 LEMERICK'S (5 Points) PASHA. RN 09064504. 06-04-05. By Ch Lemerick's Rocket Man Of TNT Ch Lemerick's Tom Boy. Owner: Kevin Johnson & Michael Waggener., Troy, MI 48078. Breeder: Ken Kaufman & Michael Waggener.
- 3 8 KERIBOU'S YOU ONLY LIVE TWICE. RN 10732601. 01-19-06. By Ch Aran Ferbane - Ch Keribou's Buffalo Girl. Owner: Siobhan M Conti & Ernest P Conti., Sherman, CT 06784. Breeder: Siobhan M Conti & Ernest P Conti.
- **2 40 SANDDOLLARS DREAM CATCHER**. RN 10873602. 02-11-06. By Ch Symphonie's Be My Valentine - Ch Sanddollars Mystic Vision. Owner: Barbara & Walter Bates & Ashley McGinnis., Punta Gorda, FL

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33955. Breeder: Barbara Bates & Ashley McGinis.

American-Bred Bitches.

28 TIKAL'S DARCY. RN 07941304. 03-29-05. By Ch Takal's Patrick - Ch Tikal's Margo. Owner: Suzanne M Wright., Middleburg, FL 32068. Breeder: Suzanne M Wright.

Open Bitches.

- KERIFIELD'S HURRICANE CHARM RN 06131909. 08-17-04. By Ch Keri-star's A J Mcduff - St Asaph's Susan's Girl. Owner: Blake Hansen & Judy Agnew., Merritt Island, FL 32953. Breeder: Virginia Payson.
- **HERITAGE BECKY SHARP.** RN 02919401. 06-01-03. By Ch Lughnasa's Jump N Jive - Ch Heritage Molly Bloom. Owner: William & Carol Kearney & John & Kathleen Garahan., Yorktown Heights, NY 10598. Breeder: William & Carol Kearney. (Sibohan Conti, Agent).
- 20 **SANDDOLLAR'S SUPERSTITION RN** 03225204. 08-02-03. By Ch Rollicks Grand Illusion - Ch Symphonies Sparkling Star. Owner: McKenna & Kevin Vance., Cairo, GA 39828. Breeder: France Godbout & G Beeler & P Carracher.
- 1/R 26 LISIJI DRAMA QUEEN. RN 09514903. 04-22-05. By Ch Aran Ferbane - Ch Dicher Hearts Dessire Lisiji. Owner: C J & Lisa Favre., Comming, GA 30040. Breeder: Lisa & C J Favre & Diane Strout.
- 36 **EIDENBOCK'S I'M A DUSTBUSTER.** RM 28347606. 01-14-04. By Ch Eidenbock's Lethal Weapon - Ch Eidenbock's Dust Bunny. Owner: V Tambini & H Eiden., Culver City, CA 90230. Breeder: H Eiden.

Veteran, 7 Years & Over Bitches.

SANDDOLLARS MYSTIC VISION. RM 34 29397406. 10-07-99. By Ch Everglory's Sudden Impact -Ch Blue Bay Gulf Cove Sea Breze. Owner: Ashley McGinnis & Barbara Bates., Punta Gorda, FL 33955. Breeder: Walter & Barbara Bates.

Best of Breed Competition.

- CH FENIAN AN'MAC. RN 01015501. 08-10-02. By Ch Glenvista's Angus Mac Og - Ch Fralin's Na'Pog. Dog. Owner: Thomas W Rogers & Jeanne E Rogers.. Phoenix. AZ 85044. Breeder: Jeanne E Rogers & Thomas W Rogers. (Handler: Mary Beecher Padgett DHG).
- CH ALAINN KATIE SCARLOID. RN 06278805. 05-11-04. By Ch Fanfair Elan's Awesome - Ch Kerrymist's Maiden Of Eire. Bitch. Owner: Sandra & Charles Redmon., Lexington, KY 40515. Breeder: Sandra & Charles Redmon.
- CH BELLETERRE'S MALARKY 19 MCBEE. RM 36368503. 02-02-02. By Ch Bluebeard's Country Squire - Ch Belleterre McBee's Lagniappe. Dog. Owner: R C White & Omalou McBride., Vero Beach, fl. 32963. Breeder: Omalou McBride & Cari Bellendorf. (Blake Hansen, Agent).
- CH LISIJI QUEEN OF HEARTS. RN 09514902. 04-22-05. By Ch Aran Ferbane - Ch Dicher Hearts Desire Lisiji. Bitch. Owner: Lisa & C J Favre.,

Cumming, GA 30040. Breeder: Diane Strand & Lisa & C J

- SLIEVEMISH LEGENDARY DUKE. FIN 23 4110104F. 02-23-04. By Ch Elbrley's Finnstar Padrick -Ballisodare Bonny Ruffles. Dog. Owner: Tiina Paukku & Carol Postley., Ocala, Fl 34482. Breeder: Tiina Paukku. (Carol Herr, Agent).
- SYMPHONIE'S BLIND DATE. RN 25 06904403. 02-14-04. By Ch Goodspicey Hot Doubleuberry - Ch Rollick's Riverdance, Dog. Owner: Margery Good & Gale Cayce., Cochranville, PA 19330. Breeder: France Godbout. (Margery Good, Agent).
- **CH TNT SILVER SALUTE. RN** 29 01802501. 01-30-03. By Ch Fralin's Public Defender - Ch Tontine's Whisper's In The Wind. Dog. Owner: Connie L. Myers., Van Wert, OH 45891. Breeder: Connie L Myers.
- **CH KERIFIELDS HURRICANE** 30 FRANCES RN 06131903. 08-17-04. By Ch Keri-Star's AJ McDuff - St Asaph's Susan's Girl. Bitch. Owner: Ralph & Virginia Payson., Micanopy, FL 32667. Breeder: Virginia Payson. (Jennifer Manders, Agent).
- CH LUGHNASA'S DEMON DEACON. RM 35834501. 07-25-01. By Ch Aisling's Overdrive - Ch Lughnasa's Tess Trueheart. Dog. Owner: Patrick Caddell & Heidi & John Eidhelberger & E Brown., Hanahan, SC 29406. Breeder: Gene Possidento & James Naismith. (Rindi E Gaudet, Agent).
- CH ELBRLEY'S FINNSTAR DOOLEY. 35 RN 05120706. 12-18-03. By Ch Kerrageen's Finnian - Ch Slievemish Blazing Diamond. Dog. Owner: Reatha Omodio & JamesOmodio., Wesley Chapel, FL 33543. Breeder: Carol Postley.

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22 VALTERA'S MISS KRISMA REVLIN,

RN01724603. 11/28/2002. Breeder: Terese Worful. By CH Starlite's Neptune Trident -- CH Fanfair Best Deal At Valtera, Lois Grier and Ted Grier, Bitch.

23 CH WILDSIDE'S BREAKAWAY,

RN07356001. 1/30/2005. Breeder: owner. By CH Wildside's Silver Reign -- CH Wildside's Why Not. Diane C Harrison . Dog.

24 CH O'MARA'S BEE MINE O' CONNEMARA. RN03067303. 8/8/2003. Breeder: Carole Dickenson, Diane Lee. and Nancy Han By Kallehan Truth or Dare -- CH Connemara of Appeal by O'Mara. Diane Lee . Bitch.

RN00501105, 5/28/2002, Breeder: M. Lour Perry & Wm. H. Winningham. By Cavan Cagney of Rouge Valley -- CG Tontine's Too Cool. Ed Yingling and Lou Cunningham. Dog. Wood Wornall, Agent.

27 CH PAWSATIVELY THE DEVIL WITHIN,

Dog.

25 CH TONTINE'S EVERYDAY HERO,

RN04733406, 1/5/2004, Breeder: Odebt and William Massey. By CH Melbee's Place Your Bet -- CH Melbee's Devils Area Dreaming. Tammi Stidham and Robert Terrell.

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Sun Country Terrier Club USKBTC Supported Entry March 1, 2007

SWEEPSTAKES Judge: Mrs. Susan Lucas

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months Dogs. A 5 JORKAITE'S TURN UP THE VOLUME.

RN12410901 6/28/06. Breeder: Nanette Loya and Keith Kibel. By CH Kallehan's Mick Jaggerz -- CH Jorkaite's Zoom Zoom. Nanette Loya and Keith Kibel. Dog.

Puppy 9 months and under 12 months Bitches. 1/BEST 6 WARLORD'S IRISH KISS, RN11272106 4/29/06. Breeder: Carol & Richard Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. Richard and Carol Basler. Bitch.

Regular Class Judge: Dr. Harry Smith, Jr.

Bred by Exhibitor Dogs.

A 5 JORKAITE'S TURN UP THE VOLUME,

RN12410901 6/28/06. Breeder: Nanette Loya and Keith Kibel. By CH Kallehan's Mick Jaggerz -- CH Jorkaite's Zoom Zoom. Nanette Loya and Keith Kibel. Dog.

1/W/BW 9 RATHANGAN'S EVER READY,

RN07500601 1/28/05. Breeder: Bonnie Jean Whelehan. By CH Morwin's Rogue of Rathangan -- CH Rathangan's Whole Nine Yards. Bonnie Jean Whelehan . Dog.

Open Dogs.

2 11 GEIJES ABSOLUTE POWER, RN08552501 4/7/05. Breeder: Mia Lundsten. By CH Clanciarrai Solo -- Geijes Tally-Ho. Diana Harper. Dog. 1/R 15 KEHALEN'S CORMICK O' QUAILHAVEN, RM34200801 5/6/01. Breeder: Ellen Smith-Wexler & Jonathan E.. Wexler Esq By CH Torum's Scarf Michael -- CH Kehalen's Spirit of Warlord. Ellen Smith-Wexler and T.J. Rocca. Dog.

12 Months and under 18 Months Bitches.
1 8 KJ'S BRILLIANT BLUE ISADORA,
RN10977401 2/11/06. Breeder: Karla Niggl. By CH
Ardara's Buddy by Mick -- LJ's Brilliant Blue Bridget.
Karla Niggl. Bitch.

Bred by Exhibitor Bitches. 2 6 WARLORD'S IRISH KISS, RN11272106 4/29/06. Breeder: Carol & Richard Basler. By CH Aran Ferbane -- CH Warlord's Shennagins. Richard and Carol Basler. Bitch.

1/W 10 ROJAC'S CHILI PEPPER, RN06322801 8/25/04. Breeder: Carrie Jacob-Robertson. By CH Arigna Flying the Flag -- CH Tologano de la Cadiera. Carrie Jacob-Robertson and David Robertson. Bitch.

Open Bitches.

1/R 14 ROJACK'S BABY I'M A STAR , RN04512302 1/12/04. Breeder: Carrie Jacobs-Robertson. By CH Handsom Guy Mooney Von Daelenbroek -- CH Tologano De La Cadiera. Leland

Kriegh and Chris Carson . Bitch.

Best-of-Breed/Variety

OS 7 CH GLENFITOR DJ CAREY BY MICU-LADH, RN07884801 9/7/03. Breeder: Fionnala Malone. By Miculadh Oisin -- Miculadh Ciara. Cheng Wai Chung. Dog. Gabriel Rangel, Agent. B 12 CH PAXON'S THERE'S NO QUESTION, RN04331307 1/7/04. Breeder: Aileen Santo. By CH Paxon's Jacks or Better -- CH Paxon's Kylemore BB Wby. Stephanie Mastorakis. Bitch. Vicki Williams, Agent.

17 CH WARLORD'S TOMAHAWK, RM32214503 8/25/00. Breeder: Owner. By CH Torum's Scarf Michael -- CH Caeltacht Fedelm. Richard and Carol Basler. Dog. Adrienne Hill, Agent.





United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club, Inc.

(Member of the American Kennel Club)

To: USKBTC Members

From: Charlie Redmon, Secretary

Date: March 6, 2007

Re: USKBTC Constitution and By-Laws Revision Update

In accordance with Article IV, Section 3 of the USKBTC By-Laws, all VALID ballots cast on the proposed revisions to the Constitution and By-Laws were counted on March 3, 2007, by a tabulating committee comprised of four USKBTC members in good standing (Stephen Schultz, Eleanor Schultz, Carl Rainbolt Jr. and Sandy Redmon). The committee certifies the results of the vote as follows:

Returns:

502 Ballots were mailed to USKBTC members with voting privileges.

208 Ballots were returned to the USKBTC Secretary (approximately 41.5% of those mailed).

200 of the returned ballots were declared VALID and counted (approximately 96% of those returned).*
*8 returned ballots were INVALID because they were returned incorrectly.

Results:

195 of the 200 VALID Ballots were recorded as YES votes (approximately 97.5%). 5 of the 200 VALID Ballots were recorded as NO votes (approximately 2.5%).

Article VII, Section 2 of the By-Laws mandates that a favorable vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members in good standing who return valid ballots shall be required to effect any amendment to the Constitution and By-Laws.

Based on the election results certified by the tabulating committee, that requirement has been satisfied. The Constitution and By-Laws as proposed are amended.

Thanks again to William Lynch and the Constitution and By-Laws Revisions committee for their efforts and all USKBTC members that participated in the process.

Respectfully Submitted,

Charles M. Redmon, Secretary

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2006

Versatility Awards

The United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club congratulates the following recipients on qualifying for Versatility combined titles awards for 2006

Platinum Award (5 Titles)

Ch. Rosegarden's Vagabond Star VCD1, HCT Owned by Christopher R. Cagle

Silver Award (2 Titles)

Ch. O'Callen's Callisto Of Cavan Owned by Ellen J. Martin

It's always interesting to hear the story behind the titles and our current recipients shared the following about their Kerry partners:

"Cailin earned her first HCT leg at a seminar/trial in February of 2001, sponsored by the KBTC of Central Florida. This day still ranks as one of the most enjoyable days that the club has ever had. To see the Kerries use their natural herding instincts was a great thrill. It took four years before another Herding Capability Test was offered at another American Herding Breeds Association trial in Florida. Knowing that the second leg was more challenging than the first, I took Cailin for a couple of herding practices up the coast. The second leg requires that the dog work the sheep from one cone to another, seventy-five yards away and to do this three times. And then the dog is to come back on a recall to the handler. It was exciting to see Cailin work the sheep from one end of the pasture to the other and back again. This day ranked as another fun day for Cailin and myself. Thanks to the Samoyed Fanciers of Central Florida for sponsoring this trial." -Chris Cagle

Ellen Martin shares the following:

"Ch. O'Callen's Callisto Of Cavan, "Cali" is a super dog! Not only has she earned her championship (conformation) and an obedience title, she is a registered Therapy Dog and the dam of multiple champions. "Cali" is very sweet-natured. She shares her home with her human family, a ten year old Doberman bitch and her 2 1/2 year old daughter, "Roxie".

The breed and it's devoted fanciers are to be congratulated on proving time and again that the Kerry Blue Terrier is more than just a pretty face. Much more it would seem as there appears to be no limit to the breed's talent and abilities.

The American Kennel Club in 2007 approved competition in Herding for the Kerry Blue and there is no doubt that those pioneers who've competed with their dogs at instinct tests and competed for herding titles outside the AKC venue will be well prepared to move into further competition.

Congratulations and much good luck and FUN in future conformation and performance competitions!

Susan Dunivant USKBTC Versatility Awards Committee

Ch. TNT Silver Salute



(Ch. Fralin's Public Defender x Ch. Tontine's Whispers in the Wind)
Breeder/Owner handled.

Eli congratulates his son's first two weekends showing!

TNT Kerries Connie L. Myers 12983 Convoy Road Van Wert, Ohio 45891 419/238-7795

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"Bang"



Ch. TNT Major Player

(Ch. TNT Silver Salute x Ch. Lughnasa's Lillie Langtry)

- 2 weekends 4 majors
 - 2 reserves to majors
 - Sweepstakes win
- Best in Sweepstakes at KBTC of Central Florida specialty
 - Winners Dog at KBTC of Central Florida specialty
 - Winners Dog at Tampa Bay Kennel Club
- Winners Dog, Best of Winners at International KC of Chicago (2/24/07)
- Winners Dog, Best of Winners at International KC of Chicago (2/25/07)
 - Group 2 Puppy at International KC of Chicago (2/24/07)

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2007 KBTC of GREATER PITTSBURGH SPECIALTY



Memorial Day Weekend Thursday May 24—Monday May 28



5 Shows in 1 Location (Kerry Blues show in their own building!)

New Castle Kennel Club

Breed: David J. Kirkland

Group: David J. Kirkland

Breed: Jean-Louis Grunheid Group: Dr. Miguel Umana

Trumbull County Kennel Club

Lawrence County Farm Show Grounds, Route 108, New Castle, Pennsylvania

Superintendent: MB-F

Closing Date: Wednesday, May 9th, 2007

Friday, May 25th (KBTCGP Supported Entry)

Sunday, May 27th (KBTCGP Supported Entry)

Trumbull County Kennel Club

Thursday, May 24th (KBTCGP Supported Entry)

Breed: Keke Kahn Group: Elaine L. Whitney

Butler County Kennel Club Saturday, May 26th (KBTCGP Specialty) Sweepstakes: Dr. Brian B. Tormey

Breed: Lenora M. Riddle Group: John T. Ward

New Castle Kennel Club

Monday, May 28th Memorial Day (KBTCGP Supported Entry)

Breed: Dr. Miguel Umana Group: Keke Kahn

The KBTCGP has reserved a block of rooms for exhibitors at the following location:

Comfort Inn, 1740 New Butler Road, New Castle, PA Telephone: 724-658-7700 \$72 + tax per night **Dogs are allowed, Please add \$6 per night pet fee**

Code: KBTCGP **Please reserve rooms prior to May 4^{th**}



RV Parking is available adjacent to the Kerry Building for \$25 per night

Please send reservation requests to:

Mr. Ross Chapin, 641 Kiester Rd., Slippery Rock, PA 16057 Telephone 724-794-5942



Additional planned activities include:

Thursday: Evening pot-luck/cookout with meat and drinks provided by KBTCGP

Friday: Evening **KBTCGP Pizza party** followed by the now famous **KBTCGP Costume Contest** Please contact Ruth Ann Reilly @ 352-799-2497 for Costume Contest details.

Saturday: Mid-day KBTCGP Cookout, Evening KBTCGP Specialty Dinner Banquet
Reservations and payment in the amount of \$25 per person should be sent to:
Horace Gilmore, 6964 Wigwam Way, Reynoldsburg, OH 43068, Please make checks payable to: KBTCGP
The huge KBTCGP \$1 Raffle will immediately follow dinner (donated items will be greatly appreciated)
Please contact Ruth Ann Reilly @ 352-799-2497 or Linda Pheasant @ 863-471-9789 for raffle details.

Sunday: Mid-day **KBTCGP Lunch** followed by the **KBTCGP Large Item Specialty Raffle** Please contact Gretchen Quinn @ 614-870-0580 for additional details on the Large Item Raffle.

The KBTCGP will provide a Continental Breakfast each morning of the show.

Questions? Please contact: Sandy Redmon, Show Chairman @ 859-271-5710 or E-mail ALAINNKBT@insightbb.com

EMPIRE KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB, INC



Invites

All Kerry Owners and Lovers
To our 2007 Spring Specialty Show
Held in conjunction with the

Ladies Kennel Association
AT
THE PLANTING FIELDS ARBORETOM
OYSTER BAY, NY

Saturday May 19, 2007

SWEEPS JUDGE Ms Suzanne Rodda
BREED JUDGE: Mr Carlos Navarro
All Kerry Lovers are invited to our hospitality tent for Coffee
& donuts prior to the Sweepstakes Judging

Following the Breed Judging Please come and join us for our luncheon and raffle. The all inclusive price of \$15.00 for adults, \$6.00 for children under 12 Reservations are preferred, please contact:

Aileen Santo asan@paxonkerryblues.com 516 364-9366

Supported Entry Friday May 18, 2007 same location

Don't forget the show at the Long Island Kennel Club Sunday, May 20, 2007 at the Nassau County Museum of Art Superintendent MB-F



The Philadelphia Kerry Blue Terrier Club Specialty Weekend May 4-7, 2007

Friday, May 4:
The Garden State All Terrier Club
Supported Entry by the Philadelphia KBTC
Judge: Mr. Robert Poust (from Sweden)

Saturday, May 5:
The Philadelphia Kerry Blue Terrier Club
Specialty at Bucks County Kennel Club
Puppy Sweepstakes Judge: Ms. Gerry Yeager
Classes: Mr. Robert D. Black

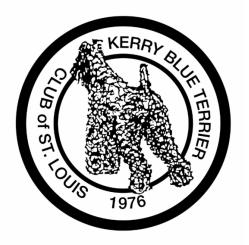
Judging on Saturday will be followed by Philadelphia's great hoagie luncheon and raffle in the Kerry Tent.

Sunday, May 6: The Trenton Kennel Club Supported Entry by the Philadelphia KBTC Judge: Mrs. MaryLou Kniola

Monday, May 7:
Delaware Water Gap Kennel Club
* (at the same site as Trenton)
Judge: Mr. Tom Nataline

plan to Attend the

Kerry Blue Terrier Club of St Louis



26th Annual Specialty Show

Saturday, September 15, 2007

Breed Judge Mrs. Carolyn Herbel

Sweepstakes Judge
Mr. Gene Possidento
West Nyack, NY

Onofrio Show Superintendent, <u>www.onofrio.com</u>

Plenty of level RV and camper parking by reservation with the Sullivan Parks Dept

Join us for our post show BBQ and raffle

For more information go to USKBTC.com or call; Gigi Reiling at 636-938-9947 Kathy Gerber at 636-723-0486 http://www.kerryblue.net/kbtc-stl.html





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Production

2007

A Traveling Specialty

Starring

Some of the Top OsGrrr Winners of the past years Many new and upcoming Stars and Starlets Some older and beloved Veterans

with Siobhan Conti & Richard W. Powell as The Judges

And Edd Biven as The Group Judge

See the Puppies caper Witness the tense stand-offs between macho studs

Directed by

United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club

Produced by
Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Southern California

Coming

June 23, 2007 for one performance only

George Allen Field, Cal State University, Long Beach, CA Jack Bradshaw — Show Superintendent Also Coming

H's Hot!!! H's Torrid!!!
H's Beach Blanket Bingo all over again
17"5

Summer Specialty

You loved them in 2007 — Traveling Specialty

See them again in this great, fresh production

was Robert Moore & Virginia O'Connor as The Judges

Produced & Directed by Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Southern California

Coming

June 24, 2007 for one performance only at

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In the Summertime

When the Weather is Hot I



It's time for the

KBTCSC - supported Long Beach Kennel Club Show

(Breed Judge - Thomas Yates; Group Judge - Robert Powell)

Come join us for three days of fun - fun - fun

In the Warm California Sun

Long Beach Kennel Club - June 22, 2007

Beverly Hills Kennel Club and USKBTC Traveling Specialty - June 23, 2007

Great Western Terrier and KBTCSC Summer Specialty - June 24, 2007

George Allen Field, Cal State University, Long Beach, CA Jack Bradshaw — Show Superintendent



And What's a Specialty without Food

Friday, June 22: Breakfast Snacks provided by the KBYCSC

Saturday, June 23: Breakfast
Snacks provided by the KBTCSC and
a catered Luncheon - price \$20.00.
Make checks payable to KBTCSC and
mail to Richard Basler
15412 Verdun Circle
Irvine, CA 92604
before June 15.

Sunday, June 24: Breakfast Snacks and Lunch provided by the KBTCSC.



Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Chicago

Come join us for our 2006 KBTCC Specialty Show June 15, 16, & 17, 2007 at the Lake County Fairgrounds (Grayslake, Illinois)

Little Fort Kennel Club of Waukega - Friday, June 15

Kerry Judge: Mr. Fred Ferris
Group Judge: Mr. Fred Ferris

Great Lakes All Terrier Association - Saturday, June 16

Kerry Judge: Mrs. Paige (Penny) Hirstein

Group Judge: Mrs. Peggy Hogg

Chain O'Lakes Kennel Club - Sunday, June 17

Kerry Judge: Mrs. Peggy Hogg Group Judge: Mr. James White





Then join us
for our annual
lunch and raffle,
right after the
Kerry judging





For more detailed info and future updates please visit our website - www.chicagokerryblues.org



THE KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB OF NORTHERN OHIO

BACK-2-BACK Specialty Weekend Extravaganza!

When: from Thursday August 2nd through Sunday August 5th 2007 Where: Steel Valley Cluster at the Canfield Fairgrounds in Canfield Ohio

Yes, its that time again! The magic of Canfield Ohio summons the spirited Kerry Blue Terrier and it's passionate breeders, owners, and handlers. All Kerry enthusiasts are welcome! Join us for fun, fellowship, and competition as we celebrate and focus on this spectacular breed. This year promises entries secondto Montgomery along with our famous hospitality and convenient RV parking. You won't want to miss it!

Once again Northern Ohio will be hosting back-to-back specialties Friday and Saturday. Both days will hold Sweeps, Regular Classes, Veteran's Classes (7-9 and 10 & over), Stud Dog, and Brood Bitch. Awards of Merit will be presented both days too. You can win beautiful trophies, including 1st thru 4th for regular classes and all sweepstakes categories Friday and Saturday

Schedule of Events:

Thursday August 2nd - Come share a Pot Luck Dinner with club members. All invited. Judging the event will be Rita Holloway.

Friday August 3rd – Northern Ohio will host it's annual Pork Roast Dinner, followed by it's legendary Dollar Raffle.

Mr. Mike Waggener will judge the sweeps event and Ms. Mareth Kipp will judge regular classes.

Saturday August 4th – Northern Ohio will offer a free dinner with remaining pork roast and lots of other goodies, followed by it's Large Raffle. Ms. Connie Meyers will judge sweeps event and Mr. Peter Green will judge regular classes.

Sunday August 5th – Northern Ohio will host a Continental Breakfast prior to it's supported entry for all classes through 2nd place. Judging will be Dr. John Shelton.

Large Raffle:

In addition to exquisite trophies, you'll find our raffles very appealing. We always give away at least \$1200 worth of quality donated items! Our large raffle features the following items:

1st Prize - "Irish Blessing" Lenox limited edition - SOLD OUT 2nd Prize- original "Ricka" Kerry piece 3rd & 4th Prizes – Madame Alexander Doll with leprechaun

Add to all of this our Fri/Sat cooked breakfast, 24/7 hospitality, unlimited refreshments, spacious grooming tent, dog wash, great parking and convenient show site location.

Pork Roast Dinner Reservations for Friday August 3rd:

Reservations made and paid prior to Wednesday July 11th are \$15 per person. Late reservations will be taken until Wednesday July 18th for \$20 per person.

KIDS UNDER 12 EAT FREE!

All Dinners must be paid for before the Specialty Weekend Thursday August 2.

Please make your reservations with JoAnn Koneval ASAP! frogdog@zoominternet.net

6780 Neff Road Medina, Ohio 44256 330-483-4260

RV Parking Reservations due April 30th:

Only two spaces left!! Reserve you spot ASAP! Connie Myers 12983 Convoy Road Van Wert, Ohio 45891 419-238-7795

For additional information please contact

Show Chair Dave Campanella at: tncampro@aol.com 490 Dunbar Rd Tallmadge, Ohio 44278 330-703-0666

















MONTGOMERY WEEKEND 2007

Philadelphia Kerry Blue Terrier Club Sweepstakes and Specialty Show

Thursday, October 4, 2007 – Hatboro Dog Club **Sweepstakes Judge:** Mrs. Catherine B. Nelson

Breed Judge: Mr. Don Munro (UK) **Group Judge:** Ms. Linda C. More **BIS Judge:** Mr. James R. White

Entries Close Wednesday, September 19, 2007 - Rau Dog Shows



USKBTC Sweepstakes and Supported Entry

Friday, October 5, 2007 – Hatboro Dog Club Sweepstakes Judge: Mr. Carl Ashby III Breed Judge: Mr. Robert Paust (SWE) Group Judge: Mrs. Robert D. Smith BIS Judge: Mrs. Lenora M. Riddle

Entries Close Wednesday, September 19, 2007 – Rau Dog Shows



USKBTC Supported Entry

Saturday, October 6, 2007 – Devon Dog Show Association

Breed Judge: TBA Group Judge: TBA BIS Judge: TBA

Entries Close Wednesday, September 19, 2007 - MB-F



USKBTC Futurity (Hatboro Show Location)

Saturday, October 6, 2007 – Denise Benincase, Chairperson

Judges: France Godbout

Mary McGreevy

George Lorentz



USKBTC National Specialty

Sunday, October 7, 2007 - Montgomery County Kennel Club

Breed Judge: Mr. John Weatherhead (N. Ireland)

BIS Judge: Mr. Michael J. Dougherty

Entries Close Wednesday, September 19, 2007 - MB-F



USKBTC ANNUAL MEETING & DINNER

Friday, October 5th 2007

Fisher's Tudor House 1858 Street Road Bensalem, Pennsylvania (Exit 29 From I-276 or Exit 25 From I-95) (215) 244-9777

The United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club cordially invites you to its Annual Membership Meeting and Dinner on Friday evening, **October 5**, **2007**.

Please join us for an evening filled with fun, food and excitement, as we renew old acquaintances and make new ones, while catching up on the latest news and events.

Participate in the terrific auctions and raffles held during the evening to benefit the USKBTC and the USKTBT Charitable Funds. Your contribution of items for the dollar raffle will be most welcome and greatly appreciated!

Festivities begin at 5:30 pm with the Annual Membership Meeting, followed at 7:00 pm by a Cash Bar and the Annual Dinner.

This year's menu will feature the following entrée selections:

ROAST PRIME RIB OF BEEF Au Jus CHICKEN MARSALA sautéed with Mushroom Caps & Marsala Wine Sauce BROILED FRESH SALMON with Dill Sauce

All Entrees are complemented with:

Soup du Jour or Freshly Tossed Salad Greens with Dressing Red Bliss Potatoes & Tender Whole Green Beans French Vanilla Fudge Ice Cream Coffee, Tea, or Soda

Cost is \$30.00 per person.

Reservations are requested by **Monday**, **September 24**, **2007**.

Please mail your reservation with entrée selection and check payable to USKBTC to:

Carl or Jaimie Ashby 102 Manchester Place Greensboro, NC 27410

Questions? Telephone (336) 292-9060 ext 0 or e-mail jaimie@anncrithmk.com

Hope to See You There!

USKBTC Lodging Montgomery Week 2007

The USKBTC has reserved a block of rooms for members and friends of the Club needing accommodations during Montgomery Week.

Room availability is limited, so please make your reservations as soon as possible, and no later than **Monday, September 4, 2007**.

Red Roof Inn - Group Reservation # B185000843 3100 Lincoln Highway Trevose, Pennsylvania 19053 Telephone (215) 244-9422



Group rates (based on double occupancy) plus 9% tax:

Room w/1 king-size bed: \$104.99/night, Wednesday-Saturday (Oct.3-7) Room w/ 2 double beds: \$104.99/night, Wednesday-Saturday (Oct.3-7)

Call **800-733-7663** to reserve rooms in the USKBTC block. Remember to use our group reservation number: **B185000843**.

*** Reservations are requested by Monday, September 3, 2007 ***

Questions?

Contact Charlie Redmon at (859) 271-5710 or e-mail ALAINNKBT@INSIGHTBB.COM

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http://www.uskbtc.com/mailman/listinfo/uskb-list_uskbtc.com
*Link is also on the home page of the USKBTC web site at http://www.uskbtc.com

MONTGOMERY WEEKEND DIRECTIONS:

PLEASE NOTE: exit numbers on I-276 and I-95 have changed.

HATBORO SHOW:

From PA Turnpike (I-276) East or West: Exit 343:

Take Route 611 North to Route 202 North. Follow Route 202 North to Route 413 South. Follow Route 413 South to Penn's Park Road. Turn Right on Penn's Park Road.

Middletown Grange Fairgrounds is located on your left.

From PA Turnpike (I-276) East or West: Exit 351:

#1 Option: Stay to the left after toll booth onto Route 1 North (stay on Route 1 North –NOT Business Route 1) to I-95 North. Take I-95 North to Exit 49. Take Route 332 West for 3 miles to Route 413 North. Follow Route 413 North 5 miles to Penn's Park Road. Turn Left on Penn's Park Road. The Middletown Grange Fairgrounds are on the left.

#2 Option: Stay to the left after toll booth onto Route 1 North. Exit Route 1 at Route 413 North. Follow Route 413 North through Langhorne past Saint Mary Hospital. Continue to follow signs for Route 413 North (you will make a left at a major intersection to stay on Route 413 North). Stay on Route 413 North and you will pass intersections for Route 532 and then Route 332. Approximately 1/2 mile after the Route 332 intersection you will make a right to continue on Route 413 North. After approximately another 1/2 mile make a left to continue on Route 413 North (Durham Road). Go approximately 3-4 miles and make left onto Penns Park Road to show site on left.

Leave Early; Arrive Early to Avoid Back-Ups At The Gate. Allow Extra Travel Time due To Heavy Local Rush Hour Traffic and Construction. No "Dog Show" Signs Will Be Posted By Local Ordinances.

DEVON SHOW:

From Exit 312 PA Turnpike (I-276) Downingtown. Route 100 North to Ludwigs Corner show site on left after you cross Route 401. Allow 60 minutes for travel.

FUTURITY and BOUTIQUE:

NEW LOCATION - This event will take place at the HATBORO SHOW site.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY SHOW:

From Exit 339 PA Turnpike (I-276). Route 309 North to Norristown Road/Springhouse Exit. Make left at light at end of exit ramp onto Sumneytown Pike (towards Springhouse). Cross Bethlehem Pike (3rd light) and continue straight past Gwynedd Mercy College to Route 202. Turn left taking Route 202 south. The show site will be on your left.

FISHER'S TUDOR HOUSE

1858 Street Road Bensalem, PA (215) 244-9777

USKBTC Annual Meeting and Dinner Location *Note: There is plenty of parking across the street for motorhomes.

From PA Turnpike: Exit 351 I-276; take Route 1 South to Street Rd. (Street Rd. is also Rt. 132) Go east on Street Rd. Fisher's Tudor House will be on the right at 1858 Street Road. (corner of Street Rd. & Hulmeville Rd.)

From I-95: Exit 37; take Street Rd. (Route 132) west to intersection of Street Rd. & Hulmeville Rd. the restaurant will be on your left.

Agility Trials And Combined Obedience Specialty

From PA Turnpike:

Exit at Downington (Exit 312). Go south (left) on Rt.100.

Turn left (north) on Rt.113.

Follow Rt.113 North approximately 7 miles toward Phoenixville. Site is on the left. The Bingo Building is the first building on the right.

From Lionville:

Rt.113 North toward Phoenixville. The Bingo Building is the first building on the right.

22nd USKBTC FUTURITY SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2007...12 NOON

Hatboro Show Grounds Wrightstown, PENNSYLVANIA

JUDGES: Mary McGreevy, France Godbout, George Lorentz



AKC-registered and AKC-recognized foreign registered Kerry Blue Terriers whose breeders or co-breeders are members of the USKBTC. All Futurity litter nominations must be made by a breeder who is a USKBTC member. Puppies born between April 2, 2006 and April 1, 2007 are eligible for the 2007 Futurity.

ELIGIBILTY: FEES AND DEADLINES:

PUPPIES born from April 2, 2006 through December 1, 2006...

1st Payment: \$20 per litter due May 15, 2007

2nd Payment: \$20 per litter OR \$5 per puppy due July 15, 2007

3rd Payment \$10 per puppy submitted with show entry

PUPPIES born from December 2, 2006 through April 1, 2007...

1st& 2nd Payments: \$40 per litter OR \$20 per litter plus \$5 per puppy due July 15, 2007

3rd Payment \$10 per puppy submitted with show entry

QUESTIONS? Call or email:

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2007 FUTURITY NOMINATION FORM 22nd Annual USKBTC Futurity - October 6, 2007

I nominate the following litter:

Date Whelped		AKC Litter Registration #						
# Puppies in litter: Males		Females						
		if available) USE BACK OF PAGE IF NEEDED /						
		//						
DAM'S nam	ne/AKC reg. #	//						
BREEDER'S	street address city, state & zip	e-mail						
OWNER'S	street address city, state & zip phone () _	e-mail						
	Denise Benincase, 22 Brook Run Dr, Medford, NY 11763							
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FUTURITY PUPPY ENTRY FORM

Denise Benincase
22 Brook Run Dr.
Medford, NY 11763
631-654-3228
shadyros@optonline.net

It is time to make your final payment/entry for the big event! Enclosed is a simple entry form you may use to return to me. Please feel free to copy for multiple entries. Typed would be wonderful, but please write or print clearly, as I do not want to make mistakes in the catalog. We wish to thank everyone who has contributed to our trophy fund. However, it is not too late to send in your donation with the entry. *Deadline for all information is Saturday, Sept 2, 2007.*

ENTRY FEE: \$10 PER PUPPY
DOG SHOW CLASS:
NAME OF DOG:
LITTER OR REGISTRATION #:
DATE OF BIRTH:
NAME OF BREEDER:
SIRE:
DAM:
NAME OF OWNER:
ADDRESS:
CITY, STATE, ZIP:
E-mail

TROPHY DONATION: See enclosed form

ON BEHALF OF THE USKBTC WE WISH EVERYONE GOOD LUCK AND WILL SEE YOU AT THE FUTURITY ON OCTOBER 6,2007. WE WILL START JUDGING AT 12 NOON. AS USUAL, OUR KERRY BOUTIQUE AND LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE.

QUESTIONS? Call or email: Denise Benincase, 22 Brook Run Dr, Medford, NY 11763,

UNITED STATES KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB, INC. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION — FILL IN ALL LINES — IF NONE WRITE NONE ON LINE

Applicant(s) Name:	E-Mail:							
Address:	City	State Z	ZipPhone: _					
Are you interested in Kerries for Show Obedience Pet How many Kerries do you own? Other Breeds?								
If an exhibitor, indicate the number of shows exhibited in the last 3 years If a breeder, list the number of Kerry litters bred in the last								
years Kennel Name Kennel Name								
Business, Occupation or Profession of Applicant(s)list each separately:								
Other Dog Clubs you are a member of								
If elected to membership, I (we) have read and agree to abide by the Code of Ethics as printed below and on the back of this application.								
Signature	Date	Signature		Date				
Sponsor		Sponsor						
Sponsor Signature		Sponsor Signature						

Sponsors must be current USKBTC members in good standing for six (6) months prior to the date of this application.

Sponsors must personally know the applicant(s) for six (6) months prior to the date of this application.

SUBMIT APPLICATION TO:

Bob Nazak, Membership Chairperson The first year membership dues must accompany this application.

United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club, Inc. Single Active-\$30.00 Joint Active-\$40.00 Junior

842 Oak Grove Dr., Mineral, VA 23117 Single Associate-\$35.00 Joint Associate-\$45.00

Phone: (703) 534-5862 Associate Membership is for anyone living outside of the USA Email: Bobnazak@aol.com Make checks payable in US funds to: USKBTC

APPLICATION PROCESS:

- $1.\ A\ notice\ of\ your\ application\ will\ be\ published\ in\ the\ next\ issue\ of\ the\ official\ Club\ publication,\ BLUEPRINTSsm.$
- 2. Thirty (30) days after publication in BLUEPRINTSSM, your application and any members comments will be submitted to the Board of Governors for consideration.
- 3. You will be promply notified, in writing, of the Board's action.
- 4. You will be provided with a copy of the approved Constitution and Bylaws.

This Membership process can take up to six (6) months or more, due to the publication of BLUEPRINTSSM three times per year, please be patient. Note that your check may be cashed prior to your being elected to membership. This does not automatically elect you to membership. If for any reason, you are not elected to membership, your application fee will be refunded.

THE UNITED STATES KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB CODE OF ETHICS

This document defines the ethical standards to which we ascribe as a condition of membership in the United Stated Kerry Blue Terrier Club (USKBTC). Membership is a privilege conferred by the Board of Governors, acting for the Membership, upon those individuals who meet the high standards set forth in the Club Constitution and Bylaws and this Code. As members, we are individually charged with complying with this code and demanding similar compliance of all other members. We must hold the interest of the Kerry Blue Terrier superior to our own in exercising the responsibilities that accompany the privileges of membership.

I. RESPONSIBILITIES AS A MEMBER

- Members of the USKBTC, as Stewards to the breed, have the obligation to protect and serve the best interests of the Kerry Blue Terrier at all times. A member's every
 action should reflect credit on themselves, the USKBTC and, above all, the Kerry Blue Terrier.
- The approved standard for the breed is the fundamental imperative guiding our actions. Members have the obligation to protect and serve these standards as a condition of membership.
- Members must be familiar with and comply with the rules of the American Kennel Club (AKC); the Constitution and By-laws of the USKBTC; and (as appropriate) the rules established by any member club of the USKBTC.
- Members will observe the highest standards of conduct and sportsmanship at all times. Whether as a breeder, exhibitor, or spectator, they shall conduct themselves in a manner that reflects positively on the Kerry Blue Terrier, dogs in general, and the sport of showing dogs.

• Members shall maintain the highest standards of health and sanitation for their own Kerry Blue Terriers, as well as for any other animals in their possession or entrusted to their care. They shall demand the same high standards of others, members and non-members alike.

II. RESPONSIBILITIES AS A BREEDER

A Breeder shall:

- Be guided at all times by the approved standard for the Kerry Blue Terrier and shall consider breeding only those specimens that conform to the standard.
- When contemplating breeding a litter or providing the services of a stud dog, strive toward maintaining breed type and producing dogs of exceptional quality, temperament, and condition. Breeding or supporting breeding to a lesser standard is not acceptable.
- Use for breeding only those dogs that are healthy and free from serious congenital and hereditary defects. Refrain from further use, any bitch or stud dog that has developed such a health problem or produced any serious inherited defects detrimental to the offspring and the overall well being of the breed.
- Not use a bitch for breeding prior to reaching eighteen (18) months of age (preferably 24 months) or older than eight (8) years of age. A bitch should not be bred more than two (2) out of three (3) consecutive heat cycles, nor produce more than five (5) litters in her lifetime. Recognizing the variations in heat cycles and sizes of litters, valid exceptions may exist, however it is incumbent on the breeder to exercise good judgment in exercising such exceptions.
- Not sell puppies to pet shops either outright or on consignment; supply puppies for auctions, raffles, or other such activities; refrain from selling to persons whose intention (either known or suspected) is to resell or use the puppy in a breeding program not complying with this code of ethics. The breeder shall ensure that the prospective buyer is prepared to provide the same degree of care required of members of the USKBTC. The Code of Ethics should be provided and discussed with potential buyers as part of a thorough screening process. All buyers should be encouraged to become members of the USKBTC and member clubs.
- Promptly apply for AKC registration of the litter. Puppies should not be sold prior to reaching ten (10) weeks of age (preferably 12 weeks). The sale of every dog shall include a signed registration or registration application (Blue Slip), and a four-generation pedigree. Any exceptions to these requirements, or valid restrictions or limitations imposed as conditions to the sale (e.g., no breeding) must be agreed to in writing by both parties at the time of sale. It is strongly recommended that a written agreement accompany all sales. Buyers should be provided with assistance and support in the setting of ears and in learning proper grooming. If the buyer is not located in the same area, the breeder should make arrangements with another USKBTC member in that area to assist the new owner.
- Provide with each sale, a record of dated and types of immunization given, immunizations required, and veterinary health records. Instructions should be provided, preferably in writing, on diseases and hereditary factors related to the breed, proper medical care, feeding, and grooming. Providing a copy of the current USKBTC Handbook represents a means of conveying this type of information, and is a sound investment on the part of the breeder. No puppy should be sold without either temporary or permanent protection against distemper-hepatitis and parvo. Puppies should have a veterinary examination, and worming if required, before sale.
- Maintain accurate and complete records of stock, matings, pedigrees, show records, and transfers. Breeders are responsible for conducting research on their pedigrees to ensure correct ancestry, accurate spelling of names, and correct registration numbers. Breeders should be familiar with and comply with all record keeping requirements required by the AKC. Litter registration spulications must be correct and promptly requested. Individual puppy registration should be completed in a timely manner.
- Shall not engage in false or misleading advertising or other misrepresentations with respect to their own breeding. They shall not malign others by making false or misleading statements regarding another member's dogs, breeding practices, or person. Advertising should not be worded to attract undesirable buyers nor encourage raising dogs for profit.
- Consider the growing problems related to excess dogs ending up in animal shelters and should exercise sound judgment and prudent restraint in their breeding programs. Litters should be limited to numbers that are consistent with achieving a sound breeding program and the best interests of the Kerry Blue Terrier.
- Be prepared to assume lifetime responsibility for any litter produced.

III. RESPONSIBILITIES AS AN EXHIBITOR OR HANDLER

- Act professionally at all times in caring for and exhibiting any dog in your charge.
- Do not engage in any questionable contact with judges prior to exhibiting under them.
- Comply with AKC Rules and Regulations for Dog Shows, Obedience Trials, Field Trials, and The Guidelines for Dog Show Judges.
- Exhibit or handle only those dogs that conform as closely as possible to the approved standard.
- Do not indulge in the practice of making "kennel majors", or exhibiting filler dogs that they know themselves to be unworthy of championships, for the purpose of finishing dogs. Such practices lessen the meaning and value of a championship and do not serve the breed.

IV. ENFORCEMENT

- The USKBTC expects adherence to this Code of Ethics and blatant disregard of these standards will not be condoned. Violations of the standards are not in the best interests of the Club or the breed. Such behavior can serve as a cause of imposing discipline or terminating membership if charges are brought before the Board of Governors in accordance with the procedures as defined in Article VI (Discipline) of the USKBTC Constitution and Bylaws.
- Article VI addresses the specific procedures for proffering charges; the hearing process; and the rights of the parties involved. Each member is expected to be fully familiar with this very important provision of the By-laws.

Revised:November, 03



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LISIJI QUEEN OF HEARTS

Ch. Aran Ferbane x Ch. Dicher Hearts Desire Lisiji

Breeder/ Owners: Lisa & C. J. Favre United States Kerry Blue Terrier Club National Sweepstakes Hatboro Dog Club—Friday, October 6, 2006