CORRESPONDING SECRETARY’S REPORT TO THE BCOA BOARD
11/07/02 – 02/07/03

11/07/02 Thank-you from the AKC Canine Health Foundation for our past support with a report that, to date, 13 genes have been identified that cause disease and treatment efforts are underway.

11/15/02 Invitation from Purina to participate in their 2003-2004 Parent Club Partnership Program which entails sending in weight circles for redemption of funds to be split between our Health Foundation Donor Advised Fund and Club Rescue or Education.

11/17/02 Request from the AKC Museum of the Dog for a current list of members and information regarding our hosting an event at their St. Louis facility.

11/20/02 Request from Elizabeth Hartzell LockleysS146@ecs.com regarding information on obedience and agility titles. Referred to K.C. Artley.

11/21/02 Request from Sue Carrara for Borzoi breeders in the Portland area.

11/21/02 Request from Beverly Cummins for breeders in Kansas.

11/26/02 Received AKC approval for 2003 National in Carson City, NV on Sunday, April 6, 2003.

11/26/02 Received AKC approval for 2003 Specialty Judges Kathleen Kelly and Nancy Aiken.

11/28/02 Received flyer from Decatur, Illinois Holiday Inn with info on their facility for consideration for a future specialty.

12/08/02 Received suggestions from Ann Filetti for a fund-raiser. She would like for BCOA to publish a book by leading Borzoi breeders with pictures and descriptions of their most representative and influential dogs and include stories from their lives.

12/10/02 Received copy of Specialty with Sweepstakes application from the Borzoi Club of Delaware Valley for their event on May 4, 2003 with the Trenton Kennel Club. Regular Classes: Lena Tamboer. Sweepstakes: K.C. Artley.

12/10/02 Request from “Robert” Traveler9r@netzero.net for information on coursing events and practice in Northwest Ohio or Michigan. Referred to K.C. Artley.
12/15/02  Request from Barbara Dietsch flyinghounds@yahoo.com for breeders within a day’s drive of Raleigh.
12/15/02  Request from Paula Magaldi, a Mexico City Veterinarian looking for breeders from whom to buy foundation stock.
12/21/03  Request for further information on Borzoi from Beverly Cummings.
12/17/02  Request from katsyl@aol.com for membership list. Was informed that we do not give out this information.
12/17/02  Phone request from Polly Clement for letter of permission to be sent to AKC for the BCDV Specialty.
12/17/02  Request from Duke Yetter for breeders in the Pacific Northwest.
12/19/02  Request from Linda Daniels for breeders in Boise, Idaho.
12/20/02  Received dues notice from AKC. Forwarded to K.C. Artley.
12/22/02  Received AKC approval for Sweepstakes with Detroit KC on 03/16/03. Judge: Anne Dragoo-Kneesh.
12/22/02  Received AKC approval for Futurity classes at the National on 04/08/03 in Reno, Nevada. Judge: Henri Goldner.
12/23/02  Received literature from Charidan Embroidery Imprint By Design.
12/27/02  Received literature from “Pro Design” regarding their custom-designed blankets to be used for fund-raisers.
12/28/02  Request from Linda Daniels for breeders in Boise, Idaho. Sent.
12/29/02  Request from Betsy Bowe bbowe@2edg.com for breeders in Ohio. Sent.
12/30/02  Request from Kym & Dave Nelson knndchgo@concentric.net for breeders in the Chicago area. Sent.
01/08/03  Request from Bridgette Lesar jjiblesar@aol.com for breeders. Sent.
01/10/03  Request from Myree Fisher starfirelioness@aol.com for breeders in Washington. Sent.
01/13/03  Request from Michele Clarke mem_ak@hotmail.com for breeders in Washington. Sent.
01/17/03  Received list of current officers from Potomac Valley Borzoi Club.
01/17/03  Received list of current officers from Puget Sound Borzoi Club.
01/22/03  Request from Tom Paddock paddooj@aol.com via Shen Smith, for list of Borzoi Clubs in Pittsburgh area. Sent.
01/22/03  Request from Gloria Frederico gloriafrederico@hotmail.com for breeders in Northern California. Sent.
01/23/03  Request from Diane Matusik dmatusik@csd.uwm.edu for breeders in Midwest and list of books on the breed. Sent.
01/24/03  Request from Katie Lester Katie.lester@wachovia.com for breeders in Virginia and Rescue contacts. Sent.
01/27/03  Request from Mary Haechler marynijim05256@cs.com for breeders in Washington and address for a Jerry Ball (which I could not help her with). 
01/31/03  Request from Annette Melton for list of breeders in Colorado. Sent.
01/31/03  Request from TD Yant for help in locating someone who would be willing to donate a Borzoi to be used for Therapy work. Referred to Shen Smith for possible posting on the Borzoi News List.
02/01/03 Request from Mark Holbrook for breeders in Wisconsin. Sent.
02/01/03 Request from Carol Kelleher carolkelleher@earthlink.net for breeders in Connecticut. Sent.
02/02/03 Received approval from AKC for Sweepstakes on 09/14/03 with Manitowac, Wisconsin County Kennel Club. Judge: Cindy Michalak.
02/02/03 Received AKC approval for Sweepstakes on 05/11/03 with Windham County Kennel Club in Woodstock, CT. Judge: Rebecca Peters-Campbell.
02/04/03 Received AKC approval for Sunday, April 6 Specialty Event at Washoe Lake State Park in Carson City, NV. Judge: Nancy Aiken.
02/04/03 Received AKC approval for Sweepstakes on 05/25/03 with Cincinnati Kennel Club in Hamilton, Ohio. Judge: Mary Childs.
02/04/03 Received AKC approval for Sweepstakes on 06/08/03 with Lake Minnetonka Kennel Club in Waconia, Minnesota. Judge: K.C. Artley.
02/07/03 Brochure received from VIP Publishing wishing to be considered in the publishing of our magazine.