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Best in Show!!



Multi RBIS GChG Del Sol Oxota Fire and Ice

CH Oxota RiverRun Gypsy Rover Avalon, CGC, FCh, DCh, SC, IC1
x CH, UKC GRCh. Del Sol Red Queen, GRC, LCM2, V-LCM

Best in Show at the Rio Pecos shows in Roswell, NM, on Sunday, October 9, 2022

Thank you to judges: Breed Mrs Christine E Calcinari; Group Dr Donald A Gill; BIS Mrs Christine E Calcinari

Princess was also BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX at the 2022 National!

She is #1 Borzoi Bitch for 2022 - breed, all breed, and GCh point standings

Special thanks to Sergio Espejo for his outstanding skills and effort

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Susan Van de Water MD PhD
Leonore Abordo

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BCOA 2022 Conformation Statistics

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to October 31, 2022

Submitted by Caryl Dumaine, caryldumaine@gmail.com (source: Canine Chronicle)

NOTE: The FIRST owner listed must be a BCOA member to be included in these standings

All-breed Standings

	Owner(s)	Sex	Points
1 GCHG CH Justart Majenkir Status Symbol ... S McGraw/A Iwakiri/S Iwakiri/K Staudt-Cartabona		M	13172
2 GCH CH Morozova Rey's Summerlane Wind Rider	K Novotny/A Quinn/J Adams	M	3822
3 GCHB CH Del Sol Oxota Fire And Ice	S Van De Water	F	2064
4 GCHB CH Soyara's Devilish Delilah	P Hlatky/G Hlatky	F	1583
5 GCHB CH Svora's White Stag	S McFadden	M	1286
6 GCH CH Chihawk Aashtoria Mechta For Your Eyes Only	T Marshall/P Marshall	F	441
7 GCHS CH Kyrov's Sword Dance	A Sorbie/R Fundom	M	401
8 GCHS CH Rey's Summerlane Night Wind At Regius	D Carlstad	M	386
9 GCHG CH Crown Jewel Valentina Of Majenkir CA.....	J Durdin	F	348
10 GCH CH Horse And Hound Full Of Hope	S McGraw/J Spiers/J Spiers	F	325

Breed Standings

1 GCHG CH Justart Majenkir Status Symbol	S McGraw/A Iwakiri/S Iwakiri/K Staudt-Cartabona....	M	643
2 GCH CH Morozova Rey's Summerlane Wind Rider	K Novotny/A Quinn/J Adams	M	460
3 GCHS CH Del Sol Oxota Fire And Ice.....	S Van De Water	F	381
4 GCHS CH Kyrov's Sword Dance	A Sorbie/R Fundom	M	197
5 GCHS CH Rey's Summerlane Night Wind At Regius	D Carlstad	M	170
6 GCHS CH Svora's White Stag.....	S McFadden	M	152
7 GCH CH Chihawk Aashtoria Mechta For Your Eyes Only	T Marshall/P Marshall.....	F	116
8 GCHB CH Dunroving Axl Rose Melockoff	G Snoddy.....	M	112
10 GCHG CH Crown Jewel Valentina Of Majenkir CA.....	J Durdin.....	F	108

BCOA 2022 National Owner-Handled Statistics

BCOA member-owned Borzoi, February 3, 2022 to October 31, 2022

Submitted by Deb Vidaver-Cohen, vidaver@att.net

NOTE: The FIRST owner listed must be a BCOA member to be included in these standings

Dog Name.....	Owner Name.....	Sex....	Pts
1 GCH CH Taugo's Ovrth Raynbo At Justart.....	Mike Savage/Michelle Rowton/Vickie Savage/Merla Thomson.....	Bitch ...	60
2 GCHS CH Wolfblitz The Red Rucker	Laurie Courtney/Steve Courtney	Dog	55
3 GCH CH Ksar Makara At Raynbo	Jennifer Zucker/Susan Pennington	Bitch ...	50
3 GCHS CH Kyrov's Sword Dance.....	Amy Sorbie/Richard Fundom.....	Dog	50
5 GCH CH Dunroving Arlo Guthrie.....	Corissa Anne Fanning	Dog	35
6 GCH CH Kinobi Brodny Since I Fell For You	Rebecca Peters-Campbell/Frederick Vogel/Carol Vogel	Bitch ...	30
6 GCH CH Morozova Rey's Summerlane Mandolin Wind JCKathleen Novotny/Anne Quinn/Janet Adams		Bitch ...	30
8 Avalon Nonfiction Windfaire	Sandra Moore/Jaye Wright	Dog	25
8 CH Laureate Adrienne Nonsuch Still Water Runs Deep ATT...Leonore Abordo		Dog	25
10 CH Gladkii Veter Rhinestone Cowboy JC.....	Deborah Vidaver-Cohen PhD.....	Dog	15
10 GCH CH Konza Sojourn In A Gadda Da Vida SC CA	Kelley Frary/Kay Cassella	Bitch	15
10 GCH CH Svershin's Zhivago Saddle The Wind CA BCAT..Ms. Carol Hill		Dog	15
10 CH Symar Tell It To The Marines.....	Barbara E Simpson/Sydney Burnside/Audrey Boyer	Dog	15
10 Wolfblitz Running Down A Dream.....	Laurie Courtney/Steve Courtney	Dog	15



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Champion (CH)

- CH Aria's Dark Eyed Molly (B) HP63027203, 23-May-2021, Gold, by CH Valeska We Prefer Handsome Men BCAT & Aria's The Dark Eyed Gypsy, br: Clint Fausett & Rita Rice, ow: Susan Stanley, 19-Aug-2022
- CH Auroral Aqualung Meyta (D) HP52833305, 22-Dec-2016, White, stud book 01-Aug-2021, by GCH Auroral's Artemus ROM-C & GCH Auroral's Jasmine Oronzova, br: Jon & Jenni Steele, ow: Laura Hyatt & J Steele, 05-Aug-2022
- CH Avalon Onyx Wings Of The Wind BCAT CGC (D) HP58413305, 28-Jun-2019, Black & Brindle, by CH Avalon Ebeko Howff Carbonel SC & CH Avalon Ww Dazzle In The Dark BN RI MC BCAT CGCA FCH, br: Sunny Grant & Sandra Moore, ow: Patricia OHara, 13-Aug-2022
- CH Avalyn Silver Ghost (D) HP51622905, 23-Apr-2016, Silver Brindle, by GCH Vitrina Constellation & GCH Avalyn Nakai Regal Enchantress, br: Lynne Bennett & Rachel Bennett, ow: Lynne Bennett & Barbaranne Benjamin & Rachel Bennett, 18-Sep-2022
- CH Berkshyr Fancy Colours CA CGC (D) HP59808601, 23-Apr-2020, Mahogany Brindle, by CH Estet Classic Luchezar & GCH Estet Classic Prichuda At Berkshyr, br: Mike & Diane Bilak, ow: Andrea Scasserra, 21-Aug-2022
- CH Bolshajan Jelenka (B) HP64606301, 26-Oct-2021, Black, by Philadelphian Sabanna Hedon & Bolshajan Giselle, br: Anne & Tero Karikumpu, ow: Robin Riel & Tami Marshall & Wendy Wilkinson & Anne Karikumpu, 13-Aug-2022
- CH Brinson Maura's Fall Day Of Kelcorov (B) HP52973803, 21-Sep-2016, White, by CH Kelcorov's King Beyond The Wall & GCH Vondi Darkside Of The Brinson Moon, br: Naida Parker & Winnie Kelly & Y Diane Jacobs, ow: Naida Parker & Winnie Kelly, 21-Aug-2022
- Ch Chrysalis Playing On My Heart Strings BCAT (B) HP57859006, 13-Apr-2019, Black & Tan, by GCH Estet Classic Yarolik At Chrysalis ROM-C & GCH Chrysalis The Call Of Wings BN CD, br/ow: Pamela Leichtnam, 14-July-2022
- CH C'Lestial Power Ranger (D) HP59947901, 26-Apr-2020, Sable Red, DC C'Lestial El Morocco SC & C'Lestial Noble House Red Red Wine, br/ow: Liz Green, 5-Sep-2022
- CH Coburn's Midnight Rider (D) HP56527806, 22-Aug-2018, Black, by DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWME SHDME & DC Windnsatin Dragons Maiden SC FCH, br: Patricia Shaw ow: Susan Van De Water & Pat Shaw, 20-Aug-2022
- Ch Crown Jewel Katya Of Majenkir At Avalyn (B) HP59623106, 18-Mar-2020, Cream, by GCH Majenkir Bookstor Tsuper Glider & GCHG Crown Jewel Valentina Of Majenkir CA br: Jean Durdin, ow: Lynne Bennett & Rachel Bennett & Jean W Durdin, 30-July-2022
- Ch Crown Jewel Otrava Of Majenkir (D) HP59623104, 18-Mar-2020, White, by GCH Majenkir Bookstor Tsuper Glider & GCHG Crown Jewel Valentina Of Majenkir CA, br/ow: Jean W Durdin, 24-July-2022
- CH Dana Dan Chanel (B) HP61806501, 05-Oct-2020, Red Sable, by CH Dion's Zodiac & CH Dana Dan Guinevere V Twin Elms, br: Dana Thompson & Ardietta Thompson, ow: Dana Thompson, 28-Aug-2022
- CH Deco Laureate Oh Mercy (B) HP60602704, 15-Jul-2020, White, by GCHS Laureate Einsteinian Relativity At Bnw JC & Laureate Persistence Of Memory, br: Monica Barry & Rachel Rehberg & Sharon Johnson, ow: Rachel Rehberg & Monica Barry, 18-Sep-2022
- Ch Del Sol Kinetic Energy (B) HP54113404, 28-Jun-2017, Black, by DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWME SHDME & CH Del Sol End Of Reason Wns LCM3 SGRC2 VFCH, br/ow: Susan Van De Water, 23-July-2022
- Ch Dion's Zodiac (D) HP57530401, 18-Aug-2018, White & Red, stud book 01-May-2021, by Cavallierik Disco Inferno At Estet Classic & Dion's Vjuga, br: Elo Rahamagi, ow: Barbara Tyler Lord & Frederick Lord DVM & Meghann Lord-Fenn, 31 July-2022
- CH Dreamway Téine Vitrina Art Of Racing In The Rain JC (D) HP59686901, 03-Apr-2020, Brindle, stud book 01-Aug-2021, by GCH Vitrina Fiero & CH Téine Zharkov Best Of Luck, br: Melissa Patterson & Anne Midgarden, ow: Valori Trantanella, 26-Aug-2022
- Ch Elista's True Heart D'Vineyard (D) HP59068201, 03-Jun-2019, Silver, by GCH Justart Majenkir Noble Kinsman & Elance Mosaic At Elista, br: Judy Carleton, ow: Sally R Bazzell & Carolyn F Wrage & Linda V Carpenter, 09-July-2022
- Ch Envious As We Fall (D) HP60325202, 09-July-2020, Red Brindle, by GCHB
- Estet Classic Timofei & CH Katz Orb Of Deception, br: Rebecca Heighton-Drollinger & Phillip Drollinger, ow: Rebecca Drollinger, 14-July-2022
- CH Envious The Final Hour (B) HP60325201, 09-Jul-2020, Black & Tan, by GCHB Estet Classic Timofei & CH Katz Orb Of Deception, br: Rebecca Heighton-Drollinger & Phillip Drollinger, ow: Rebecca Drollinger & Brenda Belmonte, 20-Aug-2022
- CH Golightly Day's Ovation (D) HP62029701, 02-Jan-2021, Sable Gold, by GCH Justart Majenkir Noble Kinsman & GCH Golightly Day's Adventure, br: Marcella Zobel, ow: Angela Kohls, 06-Aug-2022
- Ch Gordienko Replica Radost Menigma (B) HP56174701, 08-Jun-2018, Silver Sable, by Fast Dreams Walk Of Life & Velikij Qalinka, br: Linda Vennstrom & Amanda-Cecilia Vennstrom, ow: Lynda Cattoni Sarman & Susan Pinkerton & Linda Vennstrom & Amanda-Cecilia Vennstrom, 02-July-2022
- CH Heritage MHD Hansel Grimm (D) HP62620105, 22-Apr-2021, Silver Sable by CH Avalon Ebeko Howff Carbonel SC & GCH Avalon Katinka Under The Mistletoe SC, br: Javier Ocasio & Keishla Brito, ow: Ashleigh Huber, 18-Sep-2022
- Ch Highgarden Uthyr Pendragon JC SC (D) HP54990105, 03-Feb-2018, Silver Brindle, by Ch Highgarden Téine Simply Faberge JC & CH Katz Kamikaze JC, br: Amy Sikula, ow: Amy Sikula & Charles Sikula Jr., 30-July-2022
- Ch Howlinwolf Art Deco Black Pearl (B) HP57267508, 21-Feb-2019, Black, by CH Journey Of Matrioshka & CH Howlinwolf Reine Des Neiges, br: Nancy Harvey & Bruce Harvey, ow: Anneene Miller & Nancy Harvey, 01-July-2022
- Ch Howlinwolf Dice Shake And Roll (B) HP53574505, 14-Jun-2017, Brindle, by CH Ivan Rebhoff Du Grand Fresnoy & Florentine Du Grand Fresnoy, br/ow: Nancy Harvey & Bruce Harvey, 16-July-2022
- Ch Ivanhoe A Scandal In Bohemia JC BCAT (D) HP53180708, 06-Jan-2017, Brindle, by Ivanhoe's Sword Of Truth & Fantastika, br: Lori Chandler, ow: Alexis Robertson, 24-July-2022
- Ch Joshua's Bryce Canyon (D) HP59862807, 27-Mar-2020, Silver Sable, by GCH DC Val-Thor Golightly Dirty Dancing SC & CH Morozova Rey's Foreign Affair @ Joshua, br:

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Breeder Education: All About Eyes

by Amy Sorbie, Region 3 Governor



Eyes are the window to the soul, so are important to me as a breeder and a judge. Eye shape and expression are important elements of type in most breeds. For our purposes today, I have compared five different Borzoi standards: AKC, UKC, FCI, Canadian, and British.

Color: Dark

All standards across the board call for dark eyes. FCI calls for dark brown to brown. Three of the standards state specifically that eyes should not be light. There is some scientific evidence that the darker the eye, the better the vision in a dog. Being a sighthound, it is imperative that a Borzoi is able to see great distances. Read Jon Steele's article ["The eyes have it" in the 2009 May Gazette](#) for more information on this concept. Blue eyes do exist in Borzoi but they are, of course, extremely undesirable.



Size: Large

Three of the standards call for large eyes. It stands to reason that a small eye would not see as well as a large eye. Again, because of the importance of being able to see well at great distances, a large eye is crucial. Form follows function and the small things in our standard that we think may be included because of aesthetic beauty are actually likely essential to the function of our breed. There is a disease called Microphthalmia that is to be avoided and occurs in Borzoi. It is a condition where the eyes and other structures fail to develop normally and end up very small for the breed. It can happen in one or both eyes and can cause blindness.



Set: Oblique

Eye set is critical to the beautiful head and expression of our breed. Three standards call for an oblique or somewhat obliquely set eye. This means that the eyes are placed somewhat on the side of the skull. They should never be facing forward or forward placed. A forward placed eye is what creates the staring look that our



AKC, and the British and Canadian standard states a Borzoi should never possess. Two standards say eyes should not be bulbous, one says not sunken, and the FCI standard calls for "tight fitting" eyes.



Shape: Almond

Our AKC standard leaves eye shape a bit open to interpretation. Most American breeders strive for an oval, almond or an almost triangular eye shape.

Borzoi standards from other countries call for an almond shaped eye. Three of the five standards, including our AKC



standard, state that Borzoi eyes should not/never be round. I'm sure the girls below are very sweet, but their eyes are incorrectly round. Interestingly, the round

eyes I have seen over the years are almost always forward placed. Veterans should be given consideration as tissues sag when dogs get older and eyes can appear more round.



Expression: Soft and intelligent

Words standards use to describe expression are: rather soft, intelligent, kind, alert and keen. To me, the soft intelligent expression is paramount. When you trim a Borzoi's head, keep



this in mind. The head and expression should be soft and kind. When you over trim the head and ears, it gives a Borzoi a harsh, severe look. This is counter intuitive to what a Borzoi should be. When I look into the eyes of a Borzoi, I see so much depth and engagement. It feels like my dogs really know me and

can understand every word I say. I can almost see an old soul deep in those eyes.



Our AKC standard on eyes:

Set somewhat obliquely, dark in color, intelligent but rather soft in expression; never round, full nor staring, nor light in color; eye rims dark; inner corner midway between tip of nose and occiput.

Personally, eyes figure fairly prominently in my breeding program. Eyes are one of the many criteria I use to select my breeding stock and breeding partners. I take great pride and joy in the many beautiful heads and eyes that I have produced over my lifetime. §

CHIC Numbers - Canine Health Information Center to September 30, 2022

Submitted by Renee McCartin

Animal Date New / Update ... CHIC # Reg #

K-C WINDSHEER WHEEL IN THE SKY	09/12/2022	UPDATE	119195	HP48051909
STARSWIFT FV TIME BANDIT	07/11/2022	UPDATE	121392	HP46526304
RUNTUFF RIVERRUN WILD BLACK BETTY	08/02/2022	UPDATE	124799	HP47871301
TÉINE ZHARKOV LUCKY NUMBER	08/02/2022	UPDATE	124802	HP47829907
ARIA FIRESTARR C'EST SI BON @ AKANNI @ RYHKA	09/12/2022	UPDATE	131383	HP51261104
HIGHGARDEN MELANCHOLY OF HARUHI SUZUMIYA	08/16/2022	UPDATE	139015	HP49272201
TÉINE RUNTUFF SET THE WORLD ON FIRE	08/02/2022	UPDATE	143721	HP50820404
HIGHGARDEN UTHYR PENDRAGON	08/04/2022	UPDATE	145578	HP54990105
K-C WINDSHEER CRAZY ON YOU	08/04/2022	UPDATE	145579	HP54094107
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SATARA ARIA TWISTIN AND GROOVIN	08/02/2022	UPDATE	151573	HP54749210
AKANNI'S DEFYING GRAVITY	09/12/2022	UPDATE	151954	HP56172902
TÉINE GHOST DANCER	08/16/2022	UPDATE	151956	HP49108201
STEPPEES MOJAVE ASTER	08/16/2022	UPDATE	161425	HP58529810
RUNTUFF RIVERRUN SCOTTY KARATE	08/04/2022	UPDATE	165367	HP55011906
ESTET CLASSIC LAZORIYA	08/16/2022	UPDATE	166488	HP54865702
SYMAR TELL ME YOUR SECRETS	07/05/2022	NEW	172062	HP57103806
GLADKII VETER CAPTAIN MARVEL	07/05/2022	NEW	172063	HP59691606
NOVGOROD QIRA CRUISOVA	07/06/2022	NEW	172119	HP61857901
ZOOROPA LAUREATE TAZA SWEET DREAMS	07/14/2022	NEW	172393	HP58494605
RAVENNA FLORA FLAMINCO	07/15/2022	NEW	172432	HP57533402
SATARA'S MISS ATOMIC BOMB	08/12/2022	NEW	173139	HP51652902
HIGHGARDEN TÉINE QUANTUM FIELD THEORY	08/12/2022	NEW	173140	HP59057808
GRYFFYN'S AEYRIE GWYDION	08/12/2022	NEW	173141	HP57343901
XENON-ARGON'S KAY MAC MONTH OF RYHKA	08/12/2022	NEW	173142	HP45447802
COBURN TÉINE RIJU LEISEL	08/16/2022	NEW	173311	HP56527801
AVALON RUNTUFF HOT ROD LINCOLN	08/22/2022	NEW	173518	HP52988903
PERLOVA AVALON BOLDLY GO	09/12/2022	NEW	174030	HP52078501
AVALON PERLOVA MHD SHE LOVES ME	09/12/2022	NEW	174031	HP57216906
JUBILEE QONNECT THE DOTS	09/13/2022	NEW	174141	HP56365006
CHASE N' DREAMZ ROCK 'N' ROLL IS HERE TO STAY	09/15/2022	NEW	174212	HP62249505
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Year	Location	Judge	Dogs	Vet Dogs	Bitches	Vet Bitches	Dog Specials	Bitch Specials	TOTALS
2022 - April 26-30	Mesquite, TX	Prudence Hlatky	47	5	55	16	31	34	188
2021 - May 24-29	Wilmington, OH	Michael Canalizo	106	16	95	23	116	50	406

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Ridgeside Borzoi

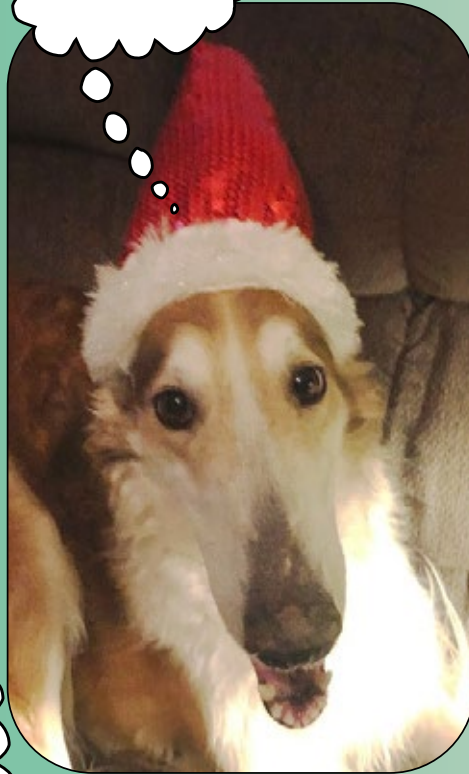
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"Hey Suni, you told me you destroyed these ridiculous hats!"

"Jeter, I thought I did"



"I know. Let's blame Xerxes. He's just a puppy!"



Xerxes, owned by Teena McConnell

*Happy Holidays to the BCOA Community
from all of us at Ridgeside*

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Cynthia Tellefsen & Beverly Peck, ow: Jamie Bobrowski, 02-July-2022

CH Jubilee Qconnect The Dots (D) HP56365006, 08-Jun-2018, Gold Brindle, by GCH Jubilee Glacier Ozlandia SC & GCHB DC Jubilee Drop Of Golden Sun SC FCH ROM-C, br/ow: Cindi Gredys, 21-Aug-2022

CH Jubilee VT Enjoy The Show SC (B) HP56365002, 08-Jun-2018, Sable Gold, by GCH Jubilee Glacier Ozlandia SC & GCHB DC Jubilee Drop Of Golden Sun SC FCH ROM-C, br/ow: Cindi Gredys, 25-Sep-2022

CH Kaigan Zabava Viking At Ostrov (D) HP58036702, 23-May-2019, Cream, by CH Zabava Mercury JC & GCH Zabava Northern Lights, br: Karyn Convertini & Kristina & Irina Terra, ow: Patricia Wiseman & Kristina Terra, 11-Sep-2022

Ch Katushka Steppes Don't Stop Me Now JC (D) HP58845702, 26-Jun-2019, Gold Brindle, by CH Katushka's Star Lord SC & CH Steppes Reloaded, br: Robin Stachon & Monika Stachon, ow: Joyce Law, 02-July-2022

Ch Katz Niamh Resolute JC (B) HP58821002, 28-Oct-2019, Silver Sable, by Coburn Rolling Thunder At Katz & CH Katz-Kyrov's Maybe It's Maybelline, br: Kitty Sawyer, ow: Leslie Walenta, 24-July-2022

Ch Kelcorov's On The Rocks SC BCAT (B) HP58037206, 01-Jun-2019, Cream, by CH Kelcorov Golightly He's Magic & CH Kelcorov's Winter Is Coming SC BCAT CGC, br: Bunny Kelley, ow: Carly Ryan & Phil Ryan, 24-July-2022

Ch Kirov The Road We're On (D) HP60662005, 29-Jul-2020, Silver Sable, by GCH DC Téine RunTuff Set The World On Fire SC & GCH Kirov Windrift Speed To Spare SC, br: Barbara Ewing & Nancy Reimer, ow: Susan Sills, 02-July-2022

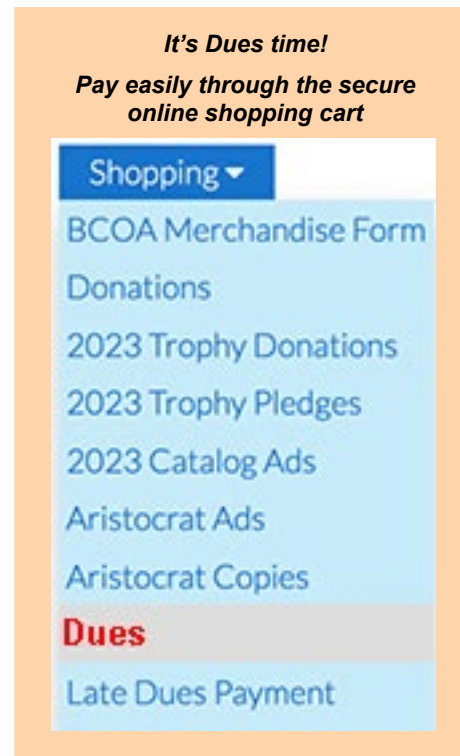
CH Kishniga's Diamond Lopatkina (B) HP56787503, 06-Feb-2018, Black, by CH Echoesna's Listen To Your Heart & Kishniga's Diamonds Are Forever, br: Janis Neilson & Richard Meen, ow: Annette Stokes, 25-Aug-2022

Ch Lynx Just In Thyme (D) HP61697101, 03-Aug-2020, White, by Lynx Seri Savitskij & Lynx Autumn Leaf, br: Elizabet Jensson, ow: Wendy & Frank Erdman, 31-July-2022

CH Northern Tier Benjamin Barker (D) HP58686101, 13-Sep-2019, Black & Brindle, by GCH Mielikki Dragonheart & Avalon Jezzabelle, br/ow: Erin & Justin Wagner, 28-Aug-2022

CH Novgorod High Noon Ronan Zorticus Bon-Ton (D) HP62851405, 24-May-2021, White, by GCH Novgorod High Noon Owen & Svershin's Boyana @ Novgorod High Noon, br: Lyn Hoflin & Janice Haldi, ow: Cynthia & Michael Michalak, 25-Sep-2022

CH Novgorod High Noon Sergei Birkovich (D) HP63655501, 27-Sep-2021, White, by GCH Svershin's Birkovitch @ Novgorod High Noon & CH Novgorod Amov Olenka Mikhaylova JC BCAT CGC, br/ow: Lyn Hoflin & Janice Haldi, 18-Sep-2022



CH Oronzova Fire In The Sky RN CGC TKN (B) HP57078506, 02-Dec-2018, Red, by CH Oronzova Virshina Play With Fire CD JC MX AXJ ROM-C & GCH Oronzova Steppes Solar Fire RN SC CGC TKN, br/ow: Suzanne & Ron Deghi, 10-Sep-2022

CH Satara's As You Wish CGC TKN (D) HP58587708, 07-Oct-2019, Sable Red, stud book 01-Aug-2021, by Valeska Tashtigo & CH Satara's A Dustland Fairytale JC TKN, br: Dr. Danielle Snyder Steenkamp & Dr. Pieter J Steenkamp, ow: Lorie Hunter, 08-Sep-2022

CH Scheremetjew's Jonas Salk BCAT CGC (D) HP60189704, 23-May-2020, Sable Red, by DC Tour De France Of The Wild Hunt CD SC CGC LCM JOR ROMX & GCH Scheremetjew Lyra's Vega SC ROM-C, br/ow: Karin Johnson & Julia Johnson, 13-Aug-2022

CH Swanmanor Otium Optima Rerum (D) HP58716407, 20-Sep-2019, Gold Sable by Swanmanor's Namesake Neverending Hero & GCHB K-C Windsheer Peek-A-Boo, br: Torrea Leborn & Leah Lanier & Kasey Parks & Peter Kim, ow: Kathy Diemer & Torrea Leborn & Christine Stinger, 25-Sep-2022

CH Wolfblitz Dreaming (B) HP62213904, 11-Mar-2021, Cream, by GCHS Svora's White Stag & CH Wolfblitz We Will Rock You, br/ow: Laurie Courtney & Steve Courtney, 12-Aug-2022

CH Zabava Kaigan Vizantia (B) HP58036704, 23-May-2019, Cream, by CH Zabava Mercury JC & GCH Zabava Northern Lights, br: Karyn Convertini & Kristina Terra & Irina Terra, ow: Irina Terra & Kristina Terra, 14-Aug-2022

CH Zabava Ostrov Klondike (D) HP61624602, 14-Sep-2020, Fawn, by CH Zabava Mars JC & GCH Charivnycya For Zabava Ostrov Aleksandrit Favorit, br: Patricia Wiseman & Kristina Terra & Irina Terra, ow: Irina Terra & Kristina Terra, 14-Aug-2022

Grand Champion (GCH)

GCH Blackmoor When Stars Collide At Eidolon (D) HP56793602, 15-Oct-2018, Sable, by CH Marakhoff Paavel Sedona & CH Blackmoor Sedona Hearts On Fire, br: Kim Sime & Karen Wilkin & Cristina Hart, ow: Daniel & Connie Taylor, 21-Aug-2022

GCH Cavallierik Raffaello JC DCAT (D) HP57541501, 08-Sep-2018, Silver, by Gordets Cavallierik Mraja & Cavallierik Daiquiri, br: Olga Barkovskaya, ow: Anna Calabrese & Lois Hough, 23-Sep-2022

GCH Chihawk Aashtoria Mechta For Your Eyes Only (B) HP55344505, 18-Jan-2018, Black & Tan by GCH Chihawk Incredible Dreamboat & CH Aashtoria Mechta Smoke Gets In Your Eyes, br: Tami Marshall & Robin Riel & Marilyn McGraw, ow: Tami Marshall & Peggy Marshall, 27-Aug-2022

GCH Chrysalis Theif Of Hearts (D) HP57859002, 13-Apr-2019, Black & Tan, by GCH Estet Classic Yarolik At Chrysalis ROM-C & GCH Chrysalis The Call Of Wings BN CD, br/ow: Pamela J Leichtnam, 16-July-2022

GCH Del Sol Evensong Of Avalon, (B) HP50368104, 10-Sep-2015, Red, by CH Del Sol Talladega Nights FCH & Del Sol Allure Of Diamonds, br: Susan Van De Water & Sandra Moore, ow: Susan Van De Water, 03-Sep-2022

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In Loving Memory
Kinobi Radost Dancing In The Streets
May 14, 2018 - November 6, 2022



Sheryl Amburgey Photo

**Dance was dearly loved and is dearly missed by
Lynda Cattoni Sarman, Rebecca Peters-Campbell, and his many friends**

*“A thing of beauty is a joy forever: ... it will never
Pass into nothingness; but still will keep
A bower quiet for us, and a sleep
Full of sweet dreams.” John Keats*

BCOA 2022 Obedience Rankings

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to September 30, 2022

Corrections to Dean Eelman, dkeelman@att.net

To be included in the report, the first person listed as the dog's owner by the AKC must be a BCOA member. To be ranked in the Top 5 dog list at the end of the year, a dog must have at least 3 Qualifying Scores from any Obedience class. Scores for each class will be multiplied by a factor based on level of class difficulty and all Qualifying Scores will be averaged for that dog. The factors are as follows: Beginner Novice – 0.8; Preferred Novice – 0.9; Novice – 1.0; Graduate Novice – 1.1; Preferred Open – 1.2; Open – 1.3; Versatility – 1.3; Graduate Open – 1.35; Preferred Utility – 1.4; and Utility – 1.5. Only 1 score is needed to be ranked #1 in any particular class at year's end. Exceptions to these rules are to be voted on individually by the BCOA Board of Governors and reflected in the Board Minutes.

UTILITY

1	FC Téine Mirage At Riju CDX BN GO RA SC SWD SWME SHDM CGC-June Mintchell	193.5	1
2	RACH Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM4 RAE3 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN Karen Haberkorn and Lois Hough	188	2

GRADUATE OPEN

1	FC Téine Mirage At Riju CDX BN GO RA SC SWD SWME SHDM CGC - June Mintchell	192.83	3
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OPEN

	RACH2 Iorek's Merlyn CDX BN GN RM5 RAE5 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	194.5	2
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NOVICE

1	Del Sol Riju Keeper Of The Flame CD BN RN JC SWD SWME SHDN - June Mintchell	194.25	2
2	CH Sedona Reignstorm Willow Wind CD BN RI - Darcy Ferrentino and Tamara Carey	185.75	2
3	Meyta Prof Higgins CD BN FDC JC CGC - Joan Tierney	183.5	2
4	Fiery Run Winter Soldier CD BN RI - Dr. Elizabeth A Tolley and Dr. David F Nutting	177.25	2
5	GCH CH Zabava Neva BN RA THDD CGCA CGCU TKN - Janet Browne	175.25	2

BEGINNER NOVICE

1	CH Kansai'z Ferlinka Three Nines BN RN JC BCAT RATN CGCA CGCU TKI - Debra West and Karen Murray ...	194	2
1	Silkenswift Remember Me At Lorisart RN SC CGC TKN ATT - Ms. Lori Miller	194	1
3	CH Oronzova Fire In The Sky RN CGC TKN - Suzanne Deghi and Ron Deghi	190.5	1
4	Silkenswift Time And Again At Lorisart JC RATN TKN ATT - Lori Miller and Bonnie Dalzell	188	1

The Summer and Fall Aristocrat report will consist of a list for each of the all Obedience classes with qualifying entries with the dogs' name in alphabetical order and their real average score. In the Winter and following year's Spring edition, each Obedience class will list the dogs in weighted average score order. In addition, the Winter and following year's Spring Aristocrat editions will list the top 5 dogs in weighted order for those dogs having 3 Qualifying Scores in any class or classes.

TOP 5 OBEDIENCE DOGS

1	FC Téine Mirage At Riju CDX BN GO RA SC SWD SWME SHDM CGC - June Mintchell	267.8	4
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BCOA 2022 Rally Rankings

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The Summer and Fall Aristocrat report will consist of a list for each of the five Rally classes with the dogs in alphabetical order and their real average score. In the Winter and following year's Spring edition, each Rally class will list the dogs in weighted average score order. In addition, the Winter and following year's Spring Aristocrat editions will list the top 5 dogs in weighted order for those dogs having 3 Qualifying Scores in any class or classes.

RALLY MASTER

1	RACH2 Iorek's Merlyn CDX BN GN RM5 RAE5 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman.....	97.6	5
2	RACH Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM4 RAE3 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn and Lois Hough.....	90.35	17
3	CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RM RAE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman.....	86.75	4
4	CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE - Linda Beisswenger	80	1

RALLY EXCELLENT

1	RACH2 Iorek's Merlyn CDX BN GN RM5 RAE5 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	95	2
2	RACH Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM4 RAE3 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn and Lois Hough.....	93.67	6
2	Iorek's Just Dance RE - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman.....	93.67	3
4	CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RM RAE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	91.25	4
5	CH Freckashpeng Raisa RE BN-V CD-V - Robin Clancy and Gerald E Clancy	89.33	3
6	CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE - Linda Beisswenger.....	87.5	2

RALLY ADVANCED

1	FC Téine Mirage At Riju CDX BN GO RA SC SWD SWME SHDM CGC - June Mintchell	100	1
2	RACH Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM4 RAE3 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn and Lois Hough.....	99.33	6
3	RACH2 Iorek's Merlyn CDX BN GN RM5 RAE5 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	96.5	2
4	CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RM RAE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	92	4
5	CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE - Linda Beisswenger	89	2
6	Ivanhoe's Indigo Romantic RA JC - Emma Broadnax	85	2
7	GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN RI FDC SC DCAT SWA SBE DEX2 DMA CGCA CGCU TKP ATT - G Ariel Duncan and Diana Darling.....	80	1

RALLY NOVICE

1	Desertwinds Aruzia Fun Times At Hemlock Hollow - Christine Danker and Lorrie Scott.....	97	2
2	Silkenswift Time And Again At Lorisart JC RATN TKN ATT - Lori Miller and Bonnie Dalzell	96	1
3	CH Majenkir When You Wish Upon A Star RI - Ms. Robin R Clancy and Jerry Clancy	95	3
4	CH Maskova's School Of Rock Of The Wild Hunt JC BCAT CGC TKN ATT - G Ariel Duncan and Elisabeth Szymanski	92	1
5	Mielikki Heart's Way RN - Renee McCartin.....	90	2
6	CH Krasivi Arctic Tern RI CGC - Lois Schultz and Yoriko I Dixon.....	87	1
7	GCH CH Mielikki Atomic Blonde SC TKN - Renee McCartin.....	85	1
8	Desertwinds Aruzia Fun With Tahoe's Skye RN CGC - Steven Artley and Kay Artley	84	3
9	Stray Bullet Energies - Robin Clancy and Gerald Clancy	75	1
10	Maskova's Our Miss Brooks Of The Wild Hunt JC BCAT CGC TKI ATT - Valerie N Holmes and G Ariel Duncan	74	1
11	CH Northern Tier Finest In The Shop JC ATT - Sunny Grant and Justin Wagner	72	1

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Lone Star Borzoi Club Regional Specialties

Submitted by Shirley McFadden

The Lone Star Borzoi Club held two back-to-back regional specialties with Travis County Kennel Club in Belton, Texas, on October 29 and 30, 2022. The trophies on Saturday were beautiful crystal pieces donated by Richard Terry and Margaret Lucia. The trophies on Sunday were mahogany-stained embossed leather leashes. Thank you to all the LSBC members, exhibitors, judges and sponsors of the trophies.

Judges' critiques:

Saturday Oct 29, 2022 – Nancy Leising—Sighthound specialist international judge, breeder of Castlebay Salukis, and sighthound sculptor:

I am very thankful for being invited to judge your specialty. I enjoyed all the entrants and their dogs, who all had good temperaments. Many were in very good muscle tone, showing the structure and strength for chasing their prey. A joy to see the quality and elegant specials moving in the ring. Thank you to all your members for making me feel so welcome.



Winners Dog/BOW: Simple Obsession Perfect Future—Good long head with dark, oval eyes, well-muscled neck set on well-laid-back shoulders. Good rib depth and spring, good bladed bone, graceful from shoulders over loin to croup. Would prefer a stronger first and second thigh and more bend in stifle. Balanced on the move.

Reserve Winners Dog/Best Bred By Exhibitor: Elance Konza From A Distance—Masculine male with pleasing head, good shoulders and graceful topline flowing into his croup. Nice deep chest. He was balanced on the go around.



Winners Bitch: Santara Rezance The Last Shanty—Feminine, flowing lines and graceful on the move. Good underjaw and balanced head. Very moderate in front and rear angulation, good deep chest with nice strong loin. Balanced on the side, very true on the down and back.

Reserve Winners Bitch: Elance Vanity Fair—Feminine, showing strength, good balanced head, strong neck with good shoulders, nice refined bone, long deep chest, good rise over loin and sloping croup. Graceful on the move.

Veteran Bitch: Ch. Delsol Dark Canyon Avalon V Willowind—She was a testament that a well-structured dog will be able to age well and continue to run without injury. A very remarkable girl.



BOB—Ch. Svora's Gentleman Jack. This male, from the moment he entered the ring, showed power, strength and elegance. His head is strong, with jaws that could hold his prey, beautiful eyes and expression. A strong, well-muscled neck into very good shoulder layback and flowing into

a graceful topline, well-muscled loin and rear. His balance in front and rear made him able to propel himself with little effort around the ring.



BOS: DC Elance Resolute Raiya



Winners Dog and Winners Bitch

Select Dog – GChS Svora's White Stag

Select Bitch – Ch. Delsol Dark Canyon Avalon V willowind

Best Puppy – Prairie View Clark Bar Bites

Best Veteran – Ch. Delsol Dark Canyon Avalon V Willowind

Best Bred By Exhibitor – Elance Konza From a Distance

AOMs – Ch. Velos Dancing With The Mountains, GChB Elista's Cross My Heart, Satara Resance The Last Shanty.



Sunday Oct 30, 2022 – Marilyn Pipes—Multiple Group and BIS judge

It was an honor and distinct pleasure to judge the Sunday specialty for your club on October 30 in Belton, TX. Regrettably, I did not make notes at the time and must rely somewhat on memory to provide feedback for your club.

Dogs: The young puppy dog (6-9) had the basic curved shape and moved well, despite being immature in muscle and overall movement control. Bred-by class with 2 dogs (adult) was awarded to an upstanding young dog with classic lines, muscular hindquarters, great depth of brisket, and correct movement. I loved his overall head to tail balance and definite masculinity. Second place in this class is a credit to the breeder but was out-moved this day by the first place dog. Open dog (1) was slightly flatter in top but had correct feet, strong pasterns and adequate hindquarters.



Winners Dog, Best of Winners and Best BBE (left) was BBE Dog Wolfblitz Running Down a Dream, being a stand-out for me, displaying the correct shape, well-conditioned front and rear assembly characteristic of this powerful, athletic breed. Reserve Dog Del Sol Costa Rican JC was

BBE 2nd place, and close in style and correct movement.



Bitches: BBE Bitch (1) an elegant, feminine exhibit with an easy,



graceful and powerful movement. Open class (2) were evenly matched exhibits, with first place slightly better on the move and better overall balance. Winners Bitch (above) Prairie View's Lovely Charm from the Open class, having a distinctively smooth, balanced and powerful gait, beautiful and feminine outline. Reserve Bitch Del Sol Canyon De Chelly Howff Carbonel JC (right) to the BBE Bitch.

Veterans class: (1) Bitch – She was a picture and, at 10 years old, showed and moved with the verve of a much younger bitch!

Best of Breed was dominated by male specials (6) to 1 Specials Bitch and the Veteran Bitch. What a pleasure to see in this class the obvious quality, typifying the well-recognized outline of a powerful, agile, and graceful breed! The dogs were masculine, the bitches were feminine; with both showing strong, muscular hindquarters, deep brisket, strong necks and beautiful head features.



Best of Breed GChS Ch. Svora's White Stag was a well-collected, powerful and graceful moving dog with smoothness of outline, balanced front to rear and overall, well put together. He seemed a picture of strength and power, confidence and intelligence.

BOS went to the Veteran Bitch Ch. Del Sol Dark Canyon Avalon Willowind, who never faltered! Select and 2 AOM went to 3 of the Dog Specials that were so close in overall quality that each could have been BOB on any other day. Select Dog – GCh. Ch. Klassnij Kashemir Wolkowo; Select Bitch – DC Elance Resolute Raiya SC; AOMs – Ch. Svora's Gentleman Jack, GCHB Elista's Cross my Heart, Prairie View's Lovely Charm.

My overall impression of the exhibits: classic outline denoting strong necks, muscular loin, correct croup; deep briskets, nice bladed bone, hare feet and strong pasterns; mostly muscular, powerful rear assembly. The breed was well-represented to the positive by the individuals shown at this specialty.

Well Done, Lone Star Borzoi Club! §



Best Junior Handler: Stella Piper (left) with Best Puppy Prairie View Clark Bar Bites (pictured right)



BCOA 2022 Agility Rankings

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to September 30, 2022

Corrections to Chris Danker, hemlock@nycap.rr.com

	Avg Score	#Qs
Masters Standard Preferred 20"		
MACH2 CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA..... Lou Avant DVM and Colleen Allen	100	(8)
Ch Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Enjoy The Journey BN RE JC NA NAJ AXP AJP - Chris and Paul Danker	100	(2)
Masters Jumpers 24"		
Wolfblitz Rock You Like A Hurricane of Yurika AX AXJ - Debbie Maurine Fraker	100	(2)
Masters Jumpers Preferred 20"		
Ch Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Enjoy The Journey BN RE JC NA NAJ OAP AJP - Chris and Paul Danker	100	(9)
MACH2 CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA..... Lou Avant DVM and Colleen Allen	100	(7)
Excellent Standard 24"		
Wolfblitz Rock You Like A Hurricane of Yurika OA OAJ - Debra Maurine Fraker	100	(2)
Excellent Standard Preferred 20"		
Ch Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Enjoy The Journey BN RE JC NA NAJ AXP AJP - Chris and Paul Danker	100	(2)
Excellent Jumpers 24"		
Wolfblitz Rock You Like A Hurricane of Yurika AX AXJ - Debra Maurine Fraker	100	(2)
Novice Standard 24"		
Ch Krasivi Artic Tern RN CGC - Lois Schulz and Yoriko Dixon	94	(1)
<i>FAST class is scored differently than the Std and Jumpers Course. 3Qs are needed to advance to the next level.</i>		
Novice FAST 24" C		
Ch Krasivi Artic Tern RN CGC - Lois Schulz and Yoriko Dixon		1Q
Novice FAST 20"		
GCh Elektra Krasivi Matrioshka RI CGC, Yoriko Dixon and Lois Schultz		1Q

BCOA 2022 RALLY RANKINGS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 13

RALLY INTERMEDIATE

1	SilkenSwift Remember Me At Lorisart RN SC CGC TKN ATT - Ms. Lori Miller	96	1
2	Fiery Run Winter Soldier CD BN RI - Dr. Elizabeth A Tolley and Dr. David F Nutting	93	1
3	CH Krasivi Arctic Tern RI CGC - Lois Schultz and Yoriko I Dixon	88.75	4
4	CH Majenkir When You Wish Upon A Star RI - Ms. Robin R Clancy and Jerry Clancy	86	3
5	GCH CH Elektra Krasivi Matrioshka RI CGC - Yoriko Dixon and Lois Schultz	77.5	2
6	Avalon Wings Of The Wind Oh! Excalibur BN RN JC BCAT CGC - Sandra Moore and Sunny Grant	75	2

TOP 5 RALLY DOGS

1	RACH2 Iorek's Merlyn CDX BN GN RM5 RAE5 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	129.09
2	RACH Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM4 RAE3 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIE CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn and Lois Hough	124
3	Iorek's Just Dance RE - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	121.77
4	CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RM RAE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	116.83
5	CH Freckashpeng Raisa RE BN-V CD-V - Robin Clancy and Gerald E Clancy	116.13

NEW TITLE HOLDER

GRAND CHAMPION BRONZE



GCHB CH Scheremetjew's Lucy Honeychurch, FCAT

Lucy has shown that she is a versatile girl. Besides being beautiful, fast and obedient, she also showed that she can be a wonderful mother to her son, Aslan.

CH Mascha's Nepal of the Wild Hunt, SC, FCH
GCH CH Aashtoria Wild Hunt 4 Your I's Only, CGC, RN, RA
CH Svora's Secret Rendezvous, JC
GCHS CH Vento Danza Versachi Of The Wild Hunt
CH Gladkii Veter New Year King
CH Vento Danza Independence Day
DC Vento Danza Infinity, SC

DC Gladkii Veter Lightning Bolt, SC, LCM
GCH CH Scheremetjew Porsche Targa, SC, CGC, FCH
Gladkii Veter Jitterbug, SC
GCH CH Scheremetjew Lyra's Vega, SC, ROM-C
CH Sylvan Scotch and Soda, JC, SGRC2
GCH DC Horse and Hound Bretagne at Scheremetjew, SC, FCH
CH Kansai's Ride Of The Valkyrie

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

FCAT



GCH CH Scheremetjew's Atticus Finch, FCAT, CGCA, ATT

Atticus carries a big heart inside and out. He is a sound dog and has the best temperament a breeder/owner can wish for.

CH Mascha's Nepal of the Wild Hunt, SC, FCH
GCH CH Aashtoria Wild Hunt 4 Your I's Only, CGC, RN, RA
CH Svora's Secret Rendezvous, JC
GCHS CH Vento Danza Versachi Of The Wild Hunt
CH Gladkii Veter New Year King
CH Vento Danza Independence Day
DC Vento Danza Infinity, SC

DC Gladkii Veter Lightning Bolt, SC, LCM
GCH CH Scheremetjew Porsche Targa, SC, CGC, FCH
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GCH CH Scheremetjew Lyra's Vega, SC, ROM-C
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NEW TITLE HOLDER

GRAND CHAMPION



GCH CH Scheremetjew's Mary Poppins

Poppy is a beautiful, very sweet and loving girl. She fit right back in with her siblings and the other members of the pack when she came back to us.

CH Mascha's Nepal of the Wild Hunt, SC, FCH
GCH CH Aashtoria Wild Hunt 4 Your I's Only, CGC, RN, RA
CH Svora's Secret Rendezvous, JC
GCHS CH Vento Danza Versachi Of The Wild Hunt
CH Gladkii Veter New Year King
CH Vento Danza Independence Day
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DC Gladkii Veter Lightning Bolt, SC, LCM
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NEW TITLE HOLDER

AKC CONFORMATION CHAMPION



CH Scheremetjew's Jonas Salk, BCAT, CGC

Jonas is a lovely young boy with a very sweet temperament. Also, he is still maturing, he has shown that he can succeed in conformation and performance events.

US CH Majenkir Sandstone FCh
US CH Crescent's Grock ROM
US CH Crescent's Arctic Frost ROM-C
DC, FC Tour de France of the Wild Hunt CGC, LCM, SC, ROMX, CD, JOR
US CH Windrift Kindred Spirit ROMX
US CH Z'Esprit Of The Wild Hunt CGC, ROMX
US CH Birchwood Caspian Princess Zorya FCh

DC, FC Gladkii Veter Lightning Bolt LCM, SC
GCH, US CH Scheremetjew Porsche Targa SC, CGC, FCh
Gladkii Veter Jitterbug SC
US GR CH, US CH Scheremetjew Lyra's Vega SC, ROM-C
US CH Sylvan Scotch and Soda JC, SGRC2
GCH, DC Horse and Hound Bretagne at Scheremetjew FCh, SC
US CH Kansai's Ride Of The Valkyrie

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CH Scheremetjew's Arctic Blizzard

Handsome Blizzard will probably be the forever puppy. His sweet & funny personality keeps his mom, Julia, busy most of the time.

US GR CH Aashtoria Wild Hunt 4 Your I's Only CGC, RN, RA, ROMX-C
GCHS, US CH Vento Danza Versachi Of The Wild Hunt
GCH Vento Danza Independence Day
GCH, US CH Scheremetjew's Atticus Finch FCAT, CGC, CGCA, ATT
GCH, US CH Scheremetjew Porsche Targa SC, CGC, FCh
US GR CH, US CH Scheremetjew Lyra's Vega SC, ROM-C
GCH, DC Horse and Hound Bretagne at Scheremetjew FCh, SC

DC, FC Tour de France of the Wild Hunt CGC, LCM, SC, ROMX, CD, JOR
US CH, DC, FC Ashtoria Irishbrook Wildhunt LeMans FCh, SC
US CH Babotjka's Fantaziya SC, ROMX-C
GCH, US CH Wild Hunt Crème de la Crème at Scheremetjew CGC, FCh, SC
US CH Mascha's Nepal of the Wild Hunt SC, ROM
DC Aashtoria Wild Hunt Mystery Unveiled FCh, SC, RN, SGRC, VLAA
US CH Svora's Secret Rendezvous JC, ROMX-C

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BCOA 2022 Open Field Coursing

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi January 1 to November 15, 2022

Submitted by Linda Turner

NOFCA Top Ten

1	Margot	DC Avalon Perlova Ready Set Go, SC, IC3*	Owner: Linda Turner	113.5
2	Kindle	CH Kachina All For Love, SC, CM500, CC1000	Owner: Linda Turner	81.0
3	Zara	Borzie-Senavian Cizarka, IC3	Owner: Linda Turner	77.5
4	Zari	CH SVershin's Zariove At Petya, IC3	Owner: Karen Berry	60.5
5	Chili	Kirov Dance By The Light Of The Moon	Owner: Barb Ewing	57.5
6	Sophie	CH Kirov Windrift Fly So Free, IC3	Owner: Barb Ewing	28.5
7	Giovanni	Del Sol Ristretto Firebird FCh	Owner: Corrine Miller	27.0
8	Prada	CH Téine Girl In Velvet Combat Boots, JC, SC, CGC, RN, IC1	Owner: Leonore Abordo	24.5
9	Sochi	CH Twin Elms Sochelnik V SVershin, JC	Owners: Karen Berry and Terry Doane	12.5

*IC1, IC2, IC3 are new NOFCA titles – Intermediate Courser titles

IC1 = 30 points + 1-1st or 2-2nd placements • IC2 = 50 points + placements • IC3 = 75 points + placements

Other dogs who competed in NOFCA hunts:

Porsche - CH Kirov Kachina Porsche Turbo Carrera, GRC, SC, IC3 - Owners: Carol Enz and Barb Ewing

Scarlet - RiverRun Oxota Polaris, JC - Owners: Karla Ruth Smith and Leonore Abordo

Vayne - CH Envious The Final Hour - Owner: Rebecca Drollinger

Desire (DeeDee) - K C Windsheer Trial By Fire, SC - Owners: Carol Enz / Dave and Gwen Mills

Louis - DC Téine Louis Vuitton Runway, SC, LCX - Owner: Anne Midgarden DVM

With regard to the top ten for open field coursing, these ratings only reflect those BCOA members participating in NOFCA hunts.

Results are based on NOFCA News website covering hunts held from January 1, 2022 to date, inclusive. Submit any corrections to

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BCOA 2022 LGRA Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to November 6, 2022

Submitted by Dawn Hall, news4me@gmail.com

1	B-1973	Halle	BIF FC Oxota I Am The Storm JC, SC, GRC, ATT	Abordo	22.00
2	B-1937	Seren	Starswift Secret Radiance JC GRC	Bobrowski	14.75
3/4	B-1861	Henry-L	Vitrina Endeavor GRC	Lord/Trantanella	9.00
3/4	B-1853	Zadira	CH Avalon Keep On Dancing DCAT JC SC SGRC2 SORC	Cecere	9.00
5	B-1938	Audra	FC Oxota Taken By Storm	Bobrowski	6.75
6	B-1974	Billy	MBIF FC NFC Oxota Storm On The Mountain JC SC	Smith/Abordo	6.50
7	B-1869	Wes	CH Jubilee Trust The Plan At Aldemoor SC, GRC	Simmons-Gamble	6.00
8	B-1939	Bryce	Joshua's Bryce Canyon	Bobrowski	5.50
9/10	B-1866	Rashabar	Symar Sunburst Rashabar V Drakon GRC	Haumont/Haumont	5.00
9/10	B-1959	Ryder-MC	Mielikki Silkenswift Been A Wild Ride	McCartin	5.00
11	B-1713	Song	Del Sol Evensong Of Avalon GRC	Van de Water	4.50
12	B-1860	Yaro	Avalon Kindred Spirit	Moore/Wright	4.25
13/14/15	B-1909	Lorelei-M	CH Svora's Gentlemen Prefer Blondes SC, GRC, RN	McFadden/Gideon	4.00
13/14/15	B-1885	Phryne	Vitrina Miss Phryne Fisher	Trantanella	4.00
13/14/15	B-1915	Pixie-W	DC RunTuff RiverRun Manic Pixie Dream	Wisner/Williams/Suhrenbrock	4.00
16	B-1978	Lemmy	Drakon Run Tuff Lemon Meringue Pie	Haumont/Haumont	3.50
17	B-1975	Marlin	Ravenna Open Water	Dumaine	3.00
18	B-1637	Dash-D	Ravenna Takes A Village GRC	Dumaine	2.50
19/20/21	B-1963	Aggee	Avalon Authentic RiverRun RunTuff	Meyer/Haumont/Moore	2.00
19/20/21	B-1949	Raiya	FC Elance Resolute's Raiya SC	Walenta	2.00
19/20/21	B-1753	Tango-BE	Islehaven Sentinel GRC	Beisswenger	2.00

22 - BCOA Aristocrat

BCOA 20221 AKC Lure Coursing Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to September 30, 2022

Submitted by Leonore Abordo, oxota@yahoo.com

Rank	Name	Owner(s)	Bowens
1	Louis	DC Téine Louis Vuitton Runway SC LCX	Anne Midgarden DVM 109
2	Dawn	CH Konza Deal With It SC	Kay Cassella..... 39
2	Fendi	GCH DC Téine Fendi Sandals BN RA MC CGC	Sheryl Amburgey & H Van Vliet 39
4	Ponder	FC Mielikki Hinote Little Black Rain Cloud SC	Julia Merriam DVM 34
5	Raiya	FC Elance Resolute's Raiya SC	Leslie Walenta..... 32
6	Darcy	Fulltilts Rosehill Stupefy JC	Ashley Sydow..... 27
7	Tallulah	FC Tatezi The Edge Of Night SC.....	Sheryl Amburgey & H Van Vliet 26
8	Pixie	CH RunTuff RiverRun Manic Pixie Dream SC	Tina Wismer DVM & T Williams & K Smith DVM 25
9	Billy	MBIF NFC FC Oxota Storm On The Mountain SC ATT	Karla Smith DVM & L Abordo 22
10	Gliese	FC Oxota RiverRun Gliese SC ATT	Leonore Abordo & K Smith DVM..... 21

BCOA 2022 ASFA Lure Coursing Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi through September 30, 2022

Submitted by Leonore Abordo, oxota@yahoo.com

Rank	Name	Owner(s)	Bowens
1	Talulah	Tatezi The Edge Of Night FCh.....	S. Amburgey/H. Van Vliet..... 39
2	Fendi	GCh DC Téine Fendi Sandals FCh,MC,BN,RA,CGC	S. Amburgey/H. Van Vliet..... 29
3	Khaleesi	Aria Axxium's Cold Wind In August @ Ryhka FCh	D. Darling/R. Rice 25
4	Maverick	Del Sol Maverick Zoiboyz Perlova FCh.....	Van de Water/Thompson/Paintin 17
5	Tintaglia	FC Chaya Sars The Black Ice Dragon "Tintaglia" @Ryhka LCM,SC..D. Darling.....	15
6	Bryce	Del Sol Bryce Canyon Howff Carbonel	S. Van de Water 14
7	Quantuum	Ch Weston's Black Heart Of The Matter@Ryhka FCh	D. Darling..... 13
7	Gordito	MHD Love Handles Avalon Perlova FCh	J. Ocasio 13
9	Troi	Silkenswift Remember Me At Lorisart SC,TKN	L. Miller 12
9	Seren	Starswift Secret Radiance	J.L. Bobrowski 12

BCOA 2022 NOTRA TOP 10

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi as of September 30, 2022

Submitted by Karla Smith, gazehound_vet@yahoo.com

Call Name	Name	Owner	YTD Points
1. Zadora	Avalon Keep on Dancing SORC	Cecere.....	3
2. Apollo	Avalon Keeper of Dreams	Greene	0.5

GCH Horse And Hound Full Of Hope (B)
HP53998401, 01-Jul-2017, White, stud book
01-May-2021, by GCHG Konza-Plum Creek
Bugatti At Elance ROMX-C & GCH Horse
And Hound Paimpont, br: Pamela Buffington,
ow: Stuart McGraw & Justine Spiers & Jessie
Spiers, 22-Aug-2022

GCH CH Howlinwolf Art Deco Black Pearl (B)
HP57267508, 21-Feb-19, 24-Jul-22, Black
by CH Journey Of Matrioshka & CH
Howlinwolf Reine Des Neiges, br: Nancy
Harvey & Bruce Harvey, ow: Anneene Miller
& Nancy Harvey, 24-July-2022

GCH Calabria SilkenSwift Red Robin At
Daydream JC (B) HP53130104, 12-Nov-
2016, Red Brindle, by GCHG Mielikki Hinote
Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC ROM-C
& CH SilkenSwift Brandywine At Calabria
SC, br: Kari McCloskey & Bonnie Dalzell,
ow: Linda Day & Renee McCartin & Kari
McCloskey, 27-Aug-2022

GCH Katushka's Star Lord SC (D)
HP53656704, 15-May-2017, Gold Brindle,
stud book 01-Feb-2020, by CH Katushka's
Rock Star JC & GCH Katushka's Charade SC
BCAT, br/ow: Joyce Law, 18-Sep-2022

GCH Laureate Northern Lights (D)
HP57830502, 15-May-2019, Red, by GCH
Laureate Zooropa Adrienne Tango In The
Night & CH Laureate Hutton Unconformity,
br: Monica Barry, ow: Patricia & David
Sullivan, 17-July-2022

GCH DC MHD Love Handles Avalon Perlova
SC FCH (D) HP57216902, 14-Dec-2018,
Gold Brindle, stud book 01-Apr-2022, by
GCHB Oxota RiverRun Tangmalangaloo
Avalon RN JC CGCA CGCU TKN & CH
Avalon Dolce Tigrecilla Willowind BN RE SC
BCAT THDA CGCA CGCU TKI, br: Javier
Ocasio & Leigh Paintin & Sandra Moore, ow:
Javier Ocasio, 09-July-2022

GCH Novgorod Qira Cruisova (B) HP61857901,
22-Jan-2021, White, by CH Wyvern's Joy
Ride At Horse And Hound & CH Novgorod
Amov Orlitsa Mikhaylova CD GN CGC, br:
Lyn Hoflin, ow: Lyn Hoflin & Janice Haldi,
24-Sep-2022

GCH Raynbo Dancella Mystere Tsilver Crystal
Rose (B) HP59792601, 07-Nov-2019,
09-OCT-21, Silver Brindle, by CH Naletai
Sokolow & GCHS Raynbo Dancella
Primrose, br/ow: Jennifer Zucker & Theresa
Euser & Linda Barad, 03-Sep-2022

GCH Scheremetjew's Mary Poppins (B)
HP52742406, 10-Jan-2017, Fawn, by GCHS
Vento Danza Versachi Of The Wild Hunt &

GCH Scheremetjew Lyra's Vega SC ROM-
C, br/ow: Karin Johnson & Julia Johnson,
05-Sep-2022

GCH Starswift Secret Radiance JC FCH GRC
(B) HP58670903, 18-Sep-2019, Gold, by
GCH Windrift Against All Odds & GCH
Starswift Lightning Quick JC SC FCH
ROMX, br/ow: Jamie Bobrowski, 16-Jul-2022

GCH Sunburst Symar Paladin JC (D)
HP54200202, 08-Aug-2017, Black &
Brindle, stud book 01-Mar-2022, by GCH
Oxota Avalon Halberd SC LCM CGC &
CH Sunburst Elicit Dream JC, br: Sydney
Burnside & Mark Burnside & Garnett
Thompson, ow: Chris Moyer & Kelly
Brunarski, 10-Sep-2022

GCH Svershin Dancella Raynbo Zymphony
Portrait Painter (D) HP53350405, 26-Apr-
2017, Silver Sable, by CH Maskova's Heart
Of The Rose Svershin JC & GCH DC
Svershin Twin Elms Anzhelina SC CA, br:
Terry Doane, ow: Linda Barad & Jennifer
Zucker, 10-Sep-2022

GCH Téine Bruno Magli JC (D) HP56255403,
17-Jul-2018, Brindle, by CH Borzowski's
Magical Mirage JC ROM & FC Téine
Zharkov Kismet SC ROM, br/ow: Anne
Midgarden, 17-July-2022

GCH Windrift You Only Live Once (B)
HP58382108, 30-Aug-2019, Sable Gold, by
GCH Windrift All In The Game JC & GCH
Kirov Windrift Twilight Glow JC, br: Jon &
Nancy Reimer, ow: Delores Swan & Nancy
Reimer, 31-July-2022

Grand Champion Bronze (GCHB)

GCHB Bon-Ton's Lagnappe Zaktarulon
BCAT (D) HP53106101, 20-Feb-2017,
Cream, stud book 01-Oct-2022, by GCHG
Lagnappe Cajun Zydeco Bon-Ton BCAT &
CH Edenrock Calaron Zenda Bon-Ton, br:
Cynthia Michalak & Michael Michalak &
Dedra Jones & Gregory Jones, ow: Cynthia &
Michael Michalak, 29-July-2022

GCHB Dunroving Axl Rose Melockoff (D)
HP57235305, 04-Dec-2018, Red, by GCH
Windrift Wild Accusations JC ROM-C &
GCH Phaedra Ushara DE CGC, br: Corissa
Fanning, ow: Gale Snoddy, 10-Sep-2022

Grand Champion Silver (GCHS)

GCHS Kinobi Angels Of Fenway At Bel Vento
SC (B) HP57891107, 09-Jun-2019, Black
& Tan, by CH Kyrov-Horse And Hound
Heed Your Heart Kinobi & CH Kinobi Sneak
Preview SC, br: Rebecca Peters-Campbell,

ow: Victoria Cassano, 19-Aug-2022
GCHS Svora's White Stag (D) HP53871001,
09-Jul-2017, White, stud book 01-Nov-2019,
by GCHG Konza-Plum Creek Bugatti At
Elance ROMX-C & CH Svora's Secret Heiress,
br/ow: Shirley McFadden, 20-July-2022

Grand Champion Gold (GCHG)

GCHG Del Sol Oxota Fire And Ice (B)
HP52997902, 01-Feb-2017, Red, by CH
Oxota RiverRun Gypsy Rover Avalon JC SC
FCH & CH Del Sol Red Queen LCM GRC,
br: Susan Van De Water & Leonore Abordo,
ow: Susan Van De Water, 08-July-2022

Companion Dog

Meyta Prof Higgins CD BN FDC JC CGC (D)
HP52191702, 24-Jun-2016, Gold Sable, by
GCH Auroral's Artemus ROM-C & Meyta
Blackmoor Cinderella Rokafella, br: Laura
Hyatt & Karen Wilkin, ow: Joan Tierney,
14-Aug-2022

Rally Intermediate (RI)

CH Majenkir When You Wish Upon A Star
RI (D) HP55919404, 11-May-2018, White,
by GCHG Majenkir Bookstor Spellbinder
& Majenkir Mericlone, br: Karen Staudt-
Cartabona, ow: Robin & Jerry Clancy,
16-Sep-2022

Rally Novice (RN)

Mielikki Heart's Way RN (B) HP53991101,
08-May-2017, Sable Red, stud book 01-Sep-
2021, by CH Borzowski's Magical Mirage JC
ROM & GCH DC Mielikki Liason Officer
Ziva David SC TKN, br/ow: Renee McCartin
21-Aug-2022

Agility Excellent Preferred

CH Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Enjoy The
Journey BN RE JC NA NAJ AXP AJP (B)
HP48679401, 05-Dec-2014, Gold Sable, by
CH Aashtoria Aruzia Java Chip ROM-C &
GCH Borscana Melissa Loveletter BN RE
JC OAJ OJP ROMX-C, br: Christine Danker
& Lorrie Scott, ow: Christine Danker & Paul
Danker, 04-Aug-2022

Junior Courser (JC)

CH Belvento Sunset JC (D) HP61403002,
11-Dec-2020, Gold Brindle, by CH Avalon
Ekarma Howff Carbonel JOR & GCHS DC
C'Lestial All That Glitters MC CGC, br/ow:
Victoria Cassano, 05-Sep-2022

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

AKC FIELD CHAMPION



DC RunTuff RiverRun Manic Pixie Dream SC

“Pixie” joins her parents and grandparents in earning her DC! While very similar to her dam in running style, Pixie does things her own way on the field. We are thrilled she finished with her second major in great competition and despite terrible weather. Next - back to LGRA and to ASFA.

FC AuDruid Bremen's Thorium of Ryhka FCh, SC
DC Téine Twist of Fate SC
CH Phoenixx Sweet Virginia New Moon
DC Téine Zharkov Lucky Number SC
DC Téine Windmaster of Foxwood SC, ROMX
Dc Téine Rainbow Glacier FCh, SC, CD, RN, DCh, ROMX
DC Annwn Edessa LCM

Zharkov Quest for Fire ROM
DC Avalon Victorian Pyre CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, TT, GRC, RE, RTD3, V-FCh, ROMX VLAA, IC3
Avalon Polychromatic ROM
DC RiverRun Oxota Fire in the Glen Avalon CGC, MC, FCh, DCh, ORC, SCRC2, RN, VLAA
DC Aragorn's Barron GL Jedediah FCh, SC, GRC
DC Valinor's Circuit de Monaco at RiverRun CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, GRC, V-FCh, RN, VLAA, ROMX
FC Mechta's LX at Mustang FCh, SC

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**Suhrenbrock, Wismer, Williams, Smith
RunTuff, RiverRun**

Champaign, IL

Mielikki Carolina Reaper JC SC (B)

HP62598505, 08-Feb-2021, Red, by CH Kalabria SilkenSwift Run For The Border & Mielikki Heart's Way, br: Renee McCartin, ow: Julia Merriam, 09-Apr-2022

RunTuff Drunken Turtle Pie JC (D)

HP60991105, 09-Aug-2020, Black & Tan, by GCH Oxota Avalon Halberd SC CGC LCM & GCH DC RunTuff RiverRun Wild Black Betty SC, br: Kristen Suhrenbrock & Josie Haumont & Leonore Abordo, ow: Hannah DeRezza, 09-Apr-2022

RunTuff Just So As American As Apple Pie JC (B)

HP60991107, 09-Aug-2020, Black & Brindle, by GCH Oxota Avalon Halberd SC CGC LCM & GCH DC RunTuff RiverRun Wild Black Betty SC, br: Kristen Suhrenbrock & Josie Haumont & Leonore Abordo, ow: Kristen Suhrenbrock, 10-Apr-2022

RunTuff Pumpkin Pie JC (B) HP60991102,

09-Aug-2020, Brindle Sable, by GCH Oxota Avalon Halberd SC CGC LCM & GCH DC RunTuff RiverRun Wild Black Betty SC, br: Kristen Suhrenbrock & Josie Haumont & Leonore Abordo, ow: Allison Flinn, 09-Apr-2022

Senior Courser (SC)

GCHB Kinobi Angels Of Fenway At Bel Vento SC (B) HP57891107, 09-Jun-2019, Black & Tan, by CH Kyrov-Horse And Hound Heed Your Heart Kinobi & Kinobi Sneak Preview SC, br: Rebecca Peters-Campbell, ow: Victoria Cassano, 10-July-2022

Maskova's Our Miss Brooks Of The Wild Hunt JC SC BCAT CGCA TKI ATT (B) HP60056505, 20-Apr-2020, Cream, by GCH Maskova's Guardian Rose & GCH Maskova's Mascha Morning After Of The Wild Hunt, br: Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan & James Szymanski, ow: Valerie N Holmes & Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan, 05-Sep-2022

Maskova's Our Miss Brooks Of The Wild Hunt JC SC BCAT CGCA TKI ATT (B)

HP60056505, 20-Apr-2020, Cream, by GCH Maskova's Guardian Rose & GCH Maskova's Mascha Morning After Of The Wild Hunt, br: Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan & James Szymanski, ow: Valerie N Holmes & Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan, 05-Sep-2022

BCAT

Aria Brolin Everdream @ Rhyka Svesda

BCAT (B) HP60544605, 28-Jun-2020, Sable Gold, by Golightly Brolin Henrik & CH Aria' Firestarr's Wild Is The Wind @ Rhyka, br: Rita Rice & Diana Darling, ow: Carol McHugh, 21-Aug-2022

Chatalaine Svezda Matrioshka BCAT (B)

HP52611401, 04-Aug-2016, Sable Red, by Mystical Dark Victor Z Bilmy & Chanel Matrioshka, br: Vendula Svobodova, ow: Carol McHugh, 21-Aug-2022

Ch Chrysalis Playing On My Heart Strings

BCAT (B) HP57859006, 13-Apr-2019, Black & Tan, by GCH Estet Classic Yarolik At Chrysalis ROM-C & GCH Chrysalis The Call Of Wings BN CD, br/ow: Pamela Leichtnam, 27-Aug-2022

Kinobi Brodny As Time Goes By BCAT CGC

TKN (D) HP59583301, 04-Feb-2020, Sable Red, by CH Kyrov-Horse And Hound Heed Your Heart Kinobi & CH Kinobi Brodny La Vie En Rose, br: Rebecca Peters-Campbell & Carol Vogel & Frederick Vogel, ow: Shari & Tim Moore, 31-July-2022

CH Kinobi Zhelannyje May There Always Be

Sunshine JC SC BCAT (D) HP55882707, 14-May-2018, Gold, by GCH DC Avalon Druid Dance Willowind FDC SC BCAT THD CGCA CGCU TKN SORC2 GRC ROM & GCH DC Attaway-Kinobi Gala Margarita SC, br: Rebecca Peters-Campbell, ow: Deborah Vidaver-Cohen & Rebecca Peters-Campbell, 18-Sep-2022

SilkenSwift Remember Me At Lorisart RN JC

SC BCAT CGC TKN ATT (B) HP47532103, 22-Feb-2014, Black, by CH Téine Dark Crystal RN JC SC CGCA CGCU RATN FCH ORC & FC SilkenSwift Bright Focus SC FCH, br: Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Lori Miller, 01-Sep-2022

SilkenSwift Time And Again At Lorisart JC

BCAT RATN TKN ATT (B) HP47532105, 22-Feb-2014, Black, by CH Téine Dark Crystal RN SC RATN CGCA CGCU FCH ORC & FC SilkenSwift Bright Focus SC FCH, br: Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Lori Miller & Bonnie Dalzell, 01-Sep-2022

DCAT

Del Sol Imagine Affogato RI SC CA BCAT (B)

HP59394011, 22-Oct-2019, Black, by CH Del Sol Hermes Boots FCH GRC & CH Del Sol Firebolt Of Coburn Wns LCM2, br: Susan Van De Water, ow: Peri Neill, 03-Sep-2022

Dragonmoon Green Arrow JC DCAT THD

CGCA CGCU TKP ATT VHMA (D) HP53703906, 28-Apr-2017, White, by Mielikki Hinote Secret Traveler SC & SilkenSwift Carrot's Margarita, br: Mary Young & Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Jessica Dinowitz, 16-Sep-2022

Ivanhoe's Triple Crown Winner The Drunken

Horse JC DCAT CGCA TKN (D) HP60528605, 29-Jun-2020, Red, Fire Falcon Impuls I Splendor & CH Ivanhoe's Just A Whisper Of Smoke, br: Lori Chandler, ow: Jordan Miller, 11-Sep-2022

FCAT (100 yard test run)

C'Lestial Magic Power SC CAA FCAT CGCA TKN (B) HP59947904, 26-Apr-2020, Gold, by DC C'Lestial El Morocco SC & C'Lestial Noble House Red Red Wine, br: Liz Green, ow: Amber Makowicz, 02-July-2022

Laureate The Dark Currant FCAT (B)

HP51860403, 10-Aug-2016, Black & Cream, by GCH Laureate Party Of Two JC & CH Laureate Hutton Unconformity, br: Monica Barry, ow: Catherine Estes, 18-Sep-2022

Coursing Ability (CA)

CH Petya Svershin Hallow's Big Moon Cucurbita

Maxima JC CA (D) HP61865503, 03-Jan-2021, Cream, by DC Svershin's Zenovi SC CA & CH Twin Elms Sochelnik V Svershin JC, br: Karen Berry & Terry Doane, ow: Barbara Danieli & Lynne Bennett, 10-July-2022

Scent Work Interior Excellent (SIE)

RACH Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX

BN GO RM4 RAE3 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIE CGC TKN (D) HP50960708, 10-Jan-2016, Sable Red, by GCHG Greyhaven This Rough Magic SC CGC FCH & GCH Konstantin's Summertime BN RI ROM-C, br: Karen Haberkorn & Lois Hough, ow: Karen Haberkorn, 27-Aug-2022

Scent Work Container Novice

Dragonmoon Green Arrow JC DCAT SCN

THD CGCA CGCU TKP ATT VHMA (D) HP53703906, 28-Apr-2017, White, by Mielikki Hinote Secret Traveler SC & SilkenSwift Carrot's Margarita, br: Mary Young & Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Jessica Dinowitz, 18-Sep-2022

Scent Work Interior Novice

Dragonmoon Green Arrow JC DCAT SCN

SIN THD CGCA CGCU TKP ATT VHMA (D) HP53703906, 28-Apr-2017, White, by Mielikki Hinote Secret Traveler SC & SilkenSwift Carrot's Margarita, br: Mary Young & Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Jessica Dinowitz, 24-Sep-2022

Scent Work Exterior Novice

Dragonmoon Green Arrow JC DCAT SCN

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BCOA 2021 Junior Showmanship Statistics

January 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022

Barbara Tyler Lord - BCOA Junior Showman Chair, Warwindfarm@gmail.com. As per Canine Chronicle

Raina McCloskey - 199 points (junior member)
Lila Holberg - 21 points (junior member)
Natasha Burtch* - 9 points
Sophia Chestnut* - 8 points
Kendall Parker - 7 points (junior member)
Audrey Boyer* - 4 points
Kirbie Allen* - 4 points
Leah Graham - 3 points (junior member)
Addison Patti - 2 points (junior member)
Liam Gonzalez* - 1 point

Hannah McCloskey - 1 point (junior member)
Logan Parker - 1 point (junior member)
James Alan Gibson - zero points (junior member)
Samantha Kadinger - zero points (junior member)
Sophia Linck - zero points (junior member)
Jaqueline Nachmias - zero points (junior member)
Elise Patti - zero points (junior member)
Deborah Strieby - zero points (junior member)
Stella Piper - zero points (junior member)

Be sure to check out the AKC Spotlight interview with Kirbie Allen! <https://www.akc.org/expert-advice/sports/junior-handler-spotlight-kirbie-allen/>

***Note to ALL BCOA Club Members:** Please reach out to me privately with any contact information you may have for any of the above listed Junior handlers currently not listed as BCOA club members. I will use this information to reach out to non-club member juniors handling Borzoi in AKC junior showmanship competition and invite them, as well their families, to join the Borzoi Club of America.

Note to ALL Junior BCOA Club Members: Please feel free to contact me with any corrections or comments you may have regarding the current statistics.

Registry of Merit Certificates awarded in 2022

Submitted by KC Artley

Sires:

GCH DC Avalon Druid Dance Willowind FDC SC BCAT THD CGCA CGCU TKN SORC2 GRC ROM
DC Avalon WNS Rising Sun BN SC CGCA GRC FCH VFCH ROM
CH Borzowski's Magical Mirage JC ROM
GCH Estet Classic Yarolik At Chrysalis ROM-C
GCHG Mielikki Hinote Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC ROM-C
GCH Windrift Wild Accusations JC ROM-C
CH Zharkov Téine Briar JC SC ROM

Dams:

CH Attaway-Kinobi Running To Paradise SC FCH ROM
Coburn's Serenity Prayer SC ROM
GCHB DC Jubilee Drop Of Golden Sun SC FCH ROM-C
GCHS Raynbo Dancella Primrose ROM-C
GCH Starswift Lightning Quick JC SC FCH ROMX (change from a ROM)
FC Téine Zharkov Kismet SC ROM
GCH Windrift Incantation ROM-C
Zcerlov's Zoltka ROM-C (added to "Admission By Historical Records")

GCH Kinobi Sneak Preview SC



GCH DC FC Avalon Druid Dance Willowind BCAT CGCA CGCU SC THDN TKN FDC ROM x GCH DC Attaway-Kinobi Gala Margarita SC

**“A title earned is nothing less than love and respect, given and received,
and permanently recorded.”**

Sandra Mowery

Surcee is my first show dog and we have had a blast learning this game together! She's my first Borzoi, my first Champion, and now my first Grand Champion. In June 2022, she was the first dog I had the honor of stepping into a Westminster show ring with. I'm privileged to be able to call this dog my partner.

I'm forever grateful for all the wonderful new experiences this dog has given me and all the fellow exhibitors I now have the honor of calling friends. Thank you to her co-owner and breeder, Rebecca Peters-Campbell, for sharing Surcee with me and mentoring me. Thank you to the Borzoi community for welcoming me with open arms. I can't wait to see where this journey takes us next!

Always owner-handled by

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Breeder / Co-Owner

Rebecca Peters-Campbell

Kinobi

NEW TITLE HOLDER

GRAND CHAMPION



BISS GCH Kinobi Brodny Since I Fell For You

Ella finished her GCH title quickly in limited showing, winning Best of Breed and Select Bitch at Specialties plus four Best of Breeds in two all-breed weekends - always breeder/owner handled.

Kyrov's Time Traveler
CH Horse and Hound Custom Made
CH Horse and Hound Paimpont
CH Kyrov-Horse & Hound Heed Your Heart Kinobi
CH Kyrov's Crescendo
CH Kyrov-Katz My Oh My At Horse and Hound
CH Katz Fifth Avenue Fashion

GCHS Greyhaven Wizard's Crystal
Brodny Surya Of Greyhaven
CH Annwn Sol
CH Kinobi Brodny La Vie En Rose
CH Greyhaven Brodny Mandrake
CH SoHounds Mademoiselle
CH Regius One Star In Sight

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Canine Good Citizen

CH Chrysalis Star Of My Heart CGC (B)
HP57859004, 13-Apr-2019, Black & Tan, by
GCH Estet Classic Yarolik At Chrysalis ROM-C
& GCH Chrysalis The Call Of Wings CD BN,
br: Pamela Leichtnam, ow: Darcy Ferrentino &
Pamela J Leichtnam, 27-Apr-2022
Heritage MHD King Midas CGC (D)
HP62620102, 22-Apr-2021, Sable Gold, CH
Avalon Ebeko Howff Carbonel SC & GCH
Avalon Katinka Under The Mistletoe SC,
br: Javier Ocasio & Keishla Brito, ow: Sally
Pedraza Villegas, 02-Mar-2022
Kelcorov's Lucid Starry Night CGC (D)
HP55873507, 19-May-2018, Silver Sable,
by CH Kelcorov's Moody Blues JC & CH
Kelcorov's Dragon Sigil JC, br: Bunny Kelley,
ow: Kayla Tobler, 08-Aug-2022

**Advanced Canine Good Citizen
(CGCA)**

Ivanhoe's Triple Crown Winner The Drunken
Horse JC BCAT CGCA TKN (D)
HP60528605, 29-Jun-2020, Red, Fire Falcon
Impuls I Splendor & CH Ivanhoe's Just A
Whisper Of Smoke, br: Lori Chandler, ow:
Jordan Miller, 18-Jun-2022
Maskova's Our Miss Brooks Of The Wild Hunt
JC BCAT CGCA TKI ATT (B) HP60056505,
20-Apr-2020, Cream, by GCH Maskova's
Guardian Rose & GCH Maskova's Mascha
Morning After Of The Wild Hunt, br:
Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan &
James Szymanski, ow: Valerie N Holmes
& Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan,
18-Jun-2022

Canine Good Citizen Urban (CGCU)

Howlinwolf Holiday Licorice Twist CGCA (D)
HP61172509, 11-Nov-2020, Black & Tan,
by GCH Howlinwolf Silverfrost Blizzard &
CH Howlinwolf Nefertiti's Isis, br: Bruce &
Nancy Harvey, ow: Kayla Tobler & Nancy
Harvey, 25-Jun-2022

Trick Dog Novice (TKN)

C'Lestial Magic Power SC CAA FCAT CGCA
TKN (B) HP59947904, 26-Apr-2020, Gold,
by DC C'Lestial El Morocco SC & C'Lestial
Noble House Red Red Wine, br: Liz Green,
ow: Amber Makowicz, 10-Aug-2022
Ivanhoe's Triple Crown Winner The Drunken
Horse JC BCAT CGCA TKN (D)
HP60528605, 29-Jun-2020, Red, Fire Falcon
Impuls I Splendor & CH Ivanhoe's Just A

Whisper Of Smoke, br: Lori Chandler, ow:
Jordan Miller, 29-Mar-2022
Northern Tier Precious Rubies TKN (D)
HP58686105, 13-Sep-2019, Red, by GCH
Mielikki Dragonheart & Avalon Jezzabelle,
br: Erin Wagner & Justin Wagner, ow:
Jennifer Fohrenkamm & Erin Wagner &
Justin Wagner, 30-Aug-2022
Serafim Sonoma Sincerely Superlative CGC
TKN (B) HP61382002, 11-Nov-2020, Black
& Tan, by Am/Can CH POSH Echovesna's
Islaev ROMX-C & CH Sonoma Irishbrook
Leliel Of Serafim, br: Cindy Klein & Loretta
Binder-Wheeler, ow: Ashley Taylor-Joseph,
10-Aug-2022

Trick Dog Intermediate (TKI)

Northern Tier Precious Rubies TKI (D)
HP58686105, 13-Sep-2019, Red, by GCH
Mielikki Dragonheart & Avalon Jezzabelle,
br: Erin Wagner & Justin Wagner, ow:
Jennifer Fohrenkamm & Erin Wagner &
Justin Wagner, 30-Aug-2022

Trick Dog Advanced (TKA)

Northern Tier Precious Rubies TKA (D)
HP58686105, 13-Sep-2019, Red, by GCH
Mielikki Dragonheart & Avalon Jezzabelle,
br: Erin Wagner & Justin Wagner, ow:
Jennifer Fohrenkamm & Erin Wagner &
Justin Wagner, 30-Aug-2022

Trick Dog Performer (TKP)

Dragonmoon Green Arrow JC BCAT THD
CGCA CGCU TKP ATT VHMA (D)
HP53703906, 28-Apr-2017, White, by
Mielikki Hinote Secret Traveler SC &
Silkenswift Carrot's Margarita, br: Mary
Young & Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Jessica
Dinowitz, 31-Aug-2022
GCH Orion's Little Arrow RN FDC CAA
FCAT3 DN OSD CGCA CGCU TKP ATT
VHMA VSWB (B) HP57802402, 08-May-
2019, Sable Red, by CH Fire Falcon Impuls
I Splendor & Ivanhoe's Just Plain Fancy, br:
Lori Chandler, ow: Emily Lynn, 06-Jun-2022

AKC Temperament Test (ATT)

Laureate Adrienne Nonsuch Still Water Runs
Deep ATT (D) HP59676401, 12-Feb-2020,
Red Sable, by CH Stillwater James & CH
Bella Luna Little Miss Sunshine, br: Monica
Barry & Janis Leikam, ow: Leonore Abordo,
16-July-2022

Northern Tier Finest In The Shop JC ATT (B)
HP58686106, 13-Sep-2019, Red Brindle,
by GCH Mielikki Dragonheart & Avalon
Jezzabelle, br: Erin Jennen & Justin Wagner,
ow: Sunny Grant & Justin Wagner & Erin
Wagner, 10-Oct-2021
Oxota Electric Storm JC CGCA CGCU TKI
ATT (D) HP59435505, 04-Dec-2019, Black &
Brindle, by CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka
RN SC CGC TKN ATT & FC Starswift FV
Saga SC, br: Leonore Abordo, ow: Ann-Marie
Holmes, 16-July-2022
FC Oxota RiverRun Gliese JC SC ATT (B)
HP59555802, 27-Jan-2020, Black & Brindle,
by CH Oxota RiverRun Gypsy Rover Avalon
JC SC FCH & FC Oxota Molodezovna
Saiph RN JC SC, br: Karla Smith & Leonore
Abordo, ow: Leonore Abordo & Karla Smith,
16-July-2022
NFC FC Oxota Storm On The Mountain SC
ATT (D) HP59435602, 04-Dec-2019, Black &
Brindle, by CH RiverRun Oxota Ket RunTuff
RN JC CGC & FC Starswift FV Saga SC, br:
Leonore Abordo, ow: Karla Smith & Leonore
Abordo, 16-July-2022
GCHG Soyara's Devilish Delilah ATT (B)
HP50099006, 23-Sep-2015, Black & Brindle,
by CH Soyara's Smoke And Mirrors &
GCHB Soyara's Karmen Fantasy ROM-C, br/
ow: Prudence & Gregory Hlatky, 29-Jan-2022

Virtual Home Manners Adult

CH Avalon Perlova Mhd She Loves Me JC
TKI VHMA (D) HP57216906, 14-Dec-2018,
Red Brindle, by GCH Oxota RiverRun
Tangmalangaloo Avalon RN JC CGCA
CGCU TKN & CH Avalon Dolce Tigrecilla
Willowind BN RE SC BCAT THDA CGCA
CGCU TKI, br: Javier Ocasio, Leigh Paintin
& Sandra Moore, ow: Adrienne Montgomery,
31-Aug-2022

Therapy Dog Excellent (THDX)

FC Starswift Legacy Of The Force RA SC BCAT
THDX DN CGCA TKA (D) HP54591502,
17-Oct-2017, Mahogany Brindle, by GCH
DC Starswift Let Freedom Ring BN RE SC
BCAT THDD CGCA TKA FCH VFCH &
GCH Starswift Lightning Quick SC FCH
ROMX, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Martine
Burton & Josee Burton & Jamie Bobrowski,
22-Aug-2022 §

Lessons From the Hearts of Dobermans

Submitted by Nancy Hopkins, Health Chair

How bad does a health problem have to get before breeders take notice? In the *Aristocrat's* Fall 2016 edition the article "Borzoi Genetics: The Hardy-Weinberg Equation and You: Part 1 - The Borzoi and the Lawn Mower" I suggest that unless breeders are extremely vigilant, a health problem has to get very common before they will realize a problem should be addressed. By that time, the gene will be widespread throughout the breed. If the problem is late onset, it may take breeders longer to realize a problem is brewing.

Part of the challenge with recognizing when there is a problem with a recessively-inherited genetic disease is that often the line of descent is missed. The affected dogs seem to occur sporadically as if they were one-offs, not a genetic problem lurking in the bloodline. It takes a very high carrier rate before breeders will start to see affected dogs regularly in their litters.

But a dominantly-inherited genetic disease is much easier to identify and eliminate, or at least that is what they say. In fact, the maxim is that health problems will be caused by recessive genes because any dominantly-inherited health issue would have long ago been removed from the gene pool.

That is what they say.

With the advent of genetic testing, we are finding plenty of dominant genetic diseases. Why? All breeders had to do was recognize the problem and not breed the dog. Unaffected dogs don't pass on the disease, so early on, when the problem got started, if breeders had simply not bred dogs with the disease, then no dogs would have that disease.

Except that is not what happened.

One of the problems with many dominantly-inherited diseases is that some affected animals will show no sign, or such mild signs of the disease no one knows they are indeed affected. Or, the disease is one that cannot be "seen;" only its eventual effects will be noted. So again, some affected dogs get missed. This means that if bred, the "hidden" affected animal can pass the disease gene to an average of half of their offspring.

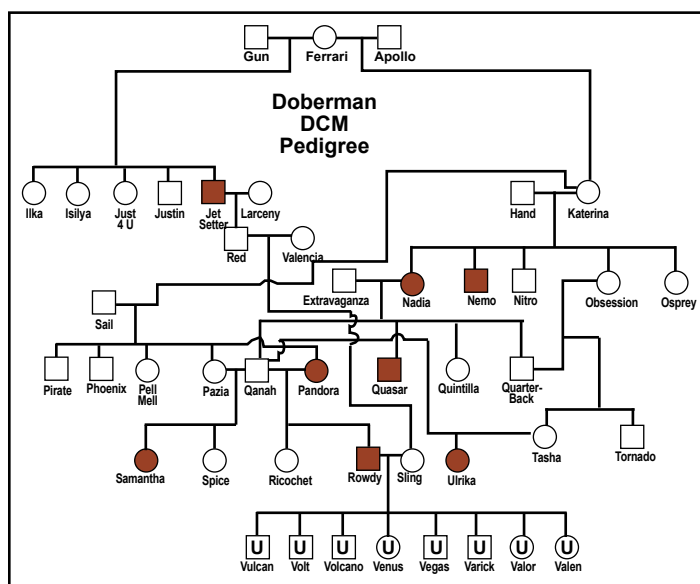
So while a classic dominantly-inherited disease should show up in every generation, this is not always what we see in a pedigree.

Let us look at the poster child for Dilated Cardiomyopathy (DCM) — the Doberman Pinscher. Back in the early 2000s, a Doberman breeder, Rod Humphries, suffered a series of tragic losses in his dogs to Doberman DCM. This prompted him to write a quartet of articles informing the breed about DCM and its seriousness. He urged people to take action without waiting for the magic cure of some future genetic test. He pleads for breeders to share information openly. Once a genetic test was developed,

he provided information on the test for Doberman breeders. Most importantly, he shares his personal story and the pedigrees of the dogs he lost to DCM in the hopes that people would see that as a call to action.



Below is a genetic pedigree of the dogs Mr. Humphries lost to DCM with some extensions through the use of DobeQuest, the Doberman pedigree database.



This type of pedigree is useful when one needs to look at not just the depth of a pedigree but the breadth. Breeders can use pedigrees like this to help them assess whether or not a problem in their lines might be genetic. The hardest part of using a genetic pedigree as a useful breeding tool is gathering all the information needed about the dogs in the litters represented.

In this pedigree, I left off litters that, based on the DobeQuest data, were not directly in the line of descent and had no members who died with or were diagnosed with DCM. It is important to note that 25 - 30% of Dobermans affected with Doberman DCM will drop dead from a fatal arrhythmia before the DCM can develop. Also, some Dobermans will have arrhythmias but never develop DCM and live a long life, while others die of end-stage DCM—congestive heart failure. Depending on what population a study investigated, the percentage of Dobermans with DCM is anywhere from 45% - 63%. Knowing that, it is fairly obvious that this pedigree does not accurately reflect all the affected dogs in the litters illustrated.

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

NEW CHAMPION



CH Laureate Adrienne Nonsuch Still Water Runs Deep, ATT

Vodnik finished his CH with two 5-pt specialty WD wins and two 4-pt majors. His classic type and movement are matched by a stellar temperament and charming personality. Easy to look at, easy to live with—and the best is yet to come. CHIC# 169908, all Normal.

Stillwater Comin Thru T' Rye
Stillwater Shenandoah II
BIS, MBISS, Eng CH, US CH Yadasar Black Orchid
CH Stillwater James
Stillwater The Tennessean
MBISS, US CH, Eng CH Stillwater Virginia Reel
Stillwater Hoedown, ROM-C
GCH CH Elance Black Swan, JC
CH Laureate Pitch Black, JC
GCH CH Laureate Adrienne K-C's Easy Lover, JC
CH Bella Luna Little Miss Sunshine
CH LeReau Aashtoria Wildhunt Seventh Heaven
CH Adrienne Bella Luna Once In A Lifetime
Adrienne Zooropa La Paloma

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

WINNER LGRA NATIONALS



BIF, FC Oxota I Am The Storm, JC, ATT, SC, GRC, SSR

Halle-Houdini continues to “storm” her way across the finish line, going undefeated against some of the finest racers in the country. It was an incredible weekend with the best of the best giving it their all. What a thrill to add her name to the trophy won by her aunt “Ash” and grandsire “Bartleby”.

*C.I.B., RU W 2006, RU W 2009, EU VW 2012 multi CH / GCH Zagar iz Razdolia
Russkaya Volnitsa Molodez II (imp. Rus.)
RUS CH Russkaya Volnitsa Mushmula, FT HARE & FOX
BIF CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka, CGC, JC, TKN, RN, RTD, SC, ATT
BIF, DC Avalon Victorian Pyre, CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, TT, GRC, RE, DT, RTD3, V-FCh, ROMX, VLAA
BIF, NSBIS, GCH, DC Oxota Avalon Switchblade, CGC, TT, SC, FCh, DCh, RN, DT, VLAA, RTD3, TKN, ROMX
Avalon Tigress In The Dark, CC, CM, FCh, SC, ROMX, GRC, V-FCh

Silkenswift Midnite Tallyn, FCh, SC
BIF, FC Silkenswift Black Lightning, CGC, LCM, MC, SORC, SGRC4, ROM
FC Silkenswift Burning Bright, FCh, SC
BIF, FC Starswift FV Saga, FCh, JC, SC, GRC, DT, SSR
CH Lothlorien Darius Zharkov, LCM
Lothlorien Made to Order Zharkov, FCh
Téine Cosmic Connection*

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Let's start with some basics. Circles are bitches and squares are dogs. In this pedigree chart, red indicates the animal had DCM. A "U" within a circle or square means the animal was alive at the time of the article and too young to be reliably diagnosed with DCM - so the dog is an unknown. There are other unknowns in the pedigree. Breeders are supposed to put cause of death and record any genetic diseases into this pedigree database, but many do not.

What is interesting about this pedigree is that we now know that the two known genes for Doberman DCM are both dominantly inherited. We can see this evidenced in the appearance of DCM in each generation in much of this pedigree. However, the mating of the seemingly unaffected bitch, Pazia, to the seemingly unaffected dog, Qanah, produced the affected bitch, Samantha.

If there is a dominant gene, how can two unaffected animals produce an affected animal? It is the ability to see the breadth of the pedigree that helps to give clues to the answer to that question. Both Pazia and Qanah had siblings who had DCM; Pazia's sister Pandora and Qanah's brother Quasar.

There are several things that can explain this. As I explained earlier, one of the quirks of dominantly inherited diseases is how some animals will show the ailment to a greater or lesser extent than others. Some with the gene will show absolutely no discernible sign that they are affected at all, yet they will pass the gene on when bred.

But there are other things that can get in the way of identifying affected dogs. One or both of the two dogs may have died before DCM could cause the dog to become ill. One or both of them may have had the form of the disease that produces arrhythmias but does not develop into DCM, and arrhythmias are silent and hidden from view. There could even be something about their genetic make up that served to protect them from DCM which saved them but not their offspring.

Another example of this is Ulrika's pedigree. Again, an affected bitch was produced by two seemingly unaffected animals, Qanah and Tasha. Remember, the cause of Doberman DCM is dominantly inherited.

Another thing that might happen in a pedigree like this is that some of these dogs who show up as not being affected with DCM, might actually have been clinically affected. They might have actually died from Doberman DCM. The owner may not have realized what they were seeing and so did not know to report the death as heart related. This is one thing I wanted to make clear when I wrote my article in the last Aristocrat — just because people don't know about the problem does not necessarily mean the problem is not there.

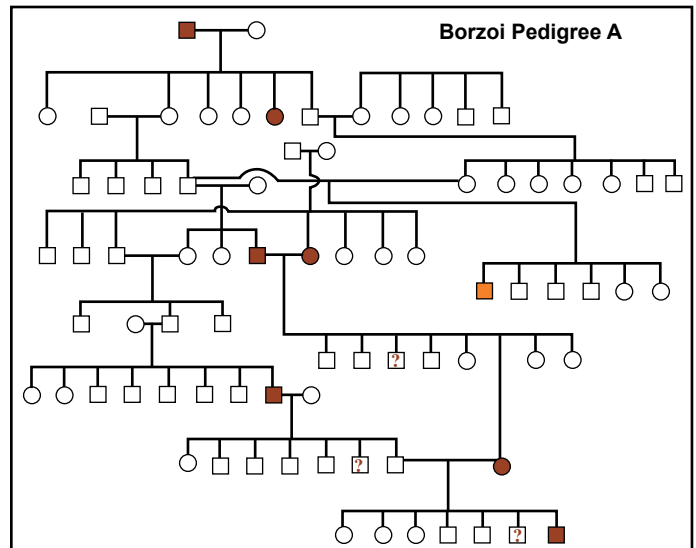
As I was trying to find answers about what had killed my dogs who dropped dead, the people I kept asking had not heard of sudden cardiac death as a problem in the breed, yet I kept see-

ing instances of it occurring all around me. I stated in my article that I did not think these people lied to me. Instead, I think they did not recognize the deaths for what they were. These Doberman breeders have to recognize a death as due to DCM before they can record the cause of death to be DCM related.

When one finds a dog dead in the yard, especially an older dog, it is very easy to think the death was caused by other, non-cardiac, causes.



Let's look at a Borzoi pedigree.



In the case of this pedigree, red indicates that the dog had DCM or died of sudden death. Orange indicates the dog was diagnosed with arrhythmias but had no DCM. Question marks indicate that there was a good possibility that the dog may have been affected but due to such things as owners not communicating well or other disease findings on necropsy there is still some uncertainty. However, despite the question marks, once we get to the more recent part of the pedigree there is DCM or sudden death in every generation for three generations.

If this were a pedigree for your breeding program would you recognize that there might be a cardiac problem lurking in your kennel? Maybe not, for exactly the same reason Doberman breeders were not seeing the problem that was hammering at their door.

One of the things that hid the severity of the problem from Doberman breeders was the belief that, "A dog has to die of something," therefore any old dog who died of DCM did not count as a problem. Only the deaths of young dogs counted.

In Borzoi pedigree A, all but one of the dogs on the pedigree died at an age of 9 years or older. Several were quite old when they died, yet their deaths were either from DCM or were sudden and unexpected. One witnessed death was, to the owner, clearly a "heart attack." Yet, if the breeder subscribed to the

belief that any death at an old age could not be due to any kind of genetic disease, but instead was a part of natural old age processes, then such a breeder would never recognize that they had a potential heart problem lurking in their dogs.

You can't breed away from something you do not recognize.

It is important to remember that, first, DCM is not a normal part of aging, nor is dropping dead. Second, DCM is a late onset disease. It is quite reasonable to think that some affected dogs will not present with the disease until they are very old. Some will be overcome with the disease at a much younger age, but there will be some who might be quite old before their heart gives out. Third, just because one or more dogs have died at advanced old ages from a genetic disease does not mean all one's dogs with that genetic disease will wait to succumb at geriatric ages. There are many cases in dogs and humans where an affected individual is diagnosed at an old age only to produce offspring who die from the same disease at an early age. The wise breeder pays attention to what their old dogs die from. These old friends are giving the attentive breeder information, an early warning system, if you would, of what genetic disease or weakness might be hiding in that line of dogs. Do not let age of onset blind you to a problem that is in your lines.

Remember how easy it is to miss sudden death in old dogs. I missed the sudden death of one of my dogs for over 20 years because she was old and died in her sleep. I am really sensitive to heart problems and signs of heart issues, especially sudden death, yet I missed this death as potentially cardiac related. This tells you how easily an old age death can hide a late onset problem.

In the case of our imaginary breeder (Imaginary Breeder) who discounts any deaths that occur in old age as being problematic to the breeding program, what would happen if another breeder (Inquiring Breeder) were to ask about breeding into that line? If the Inquiring Breeder simply requested health information on the Imaginary Breeder's dogs, heart issues probably would not come up. In fact, Imaginary Breeder would probably say there were no heart problems in his lines.

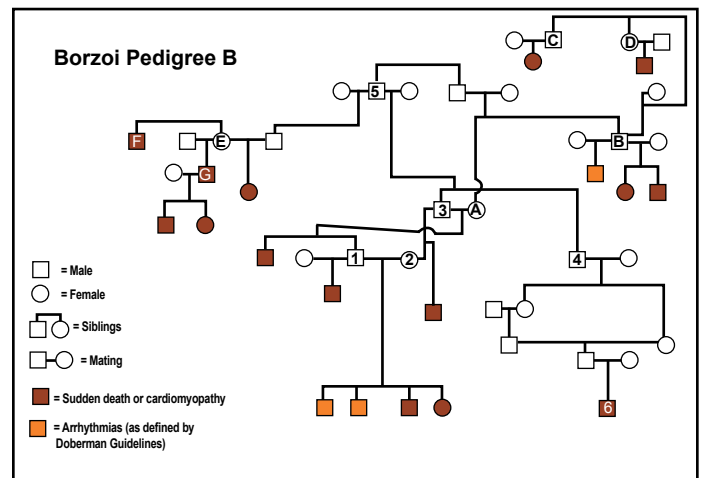
However, if the Inquiring Breeder specifically asked if the Imaginary Breeder had a problem with Sudden Death or asked if there had been any sudden and unexpected deaths in the pedigree, the issue with the dogs who died suddenly might be shared—or they might not. Why might the information about those sudden deaths not be shared? Because they are not on the radar of the Imaginary Breeder as being a problem. Due to how that breeder thinks about those deaths, they might be erased out of his mind completely as something of import to be shared prior to breeding. The intent of the Imaginary Breeder may be to share all health information with the Inquiring Breeder, but these deaths will be missed because of how the Imaginary Breeder categorizes the deaths in his mind.

In fact, the Imaginary Breeder would probably have to look through written records of how each of his dogs died before he

recognized that yes, indeed he had dogs who had died suddenly and unexpectedly. That was what I had to do to recognize my old dog's death for what it was.

Let's look at another Borzoi pedigree.

In the case of this pedigree, it became too complicated for me to figure out how to make it readable if I kept all the litters included in full. So I have restricted litter information to include only animals bred and/or animals affected. Do I think I have all the Borzoi who either had DCM or died of Sudden Death included in this pedigree? No, I do not. The affected dogs who are included are only the ones whose owners or breeders shared the information. Regardless, this pedigree is useful as it is exactly what a breeder would get were they researching this line of dogs for Sudden Death and DCM.



There are several interesting points in this pedigree. Sire 1 was apparently not affected, but just as we saw in the Doberman pedigree, he had an affected brother. Even though apparently unaffected, Sire 1 produced affected dogs in both of his litters. One of these litters had multiple affected dogs and an affected bitch. While Bitch 2 was not affected, she also produced affected pups in both her litters. What is especially interesting here is that when Sire 1 and Bitch 2 (known producers of affected dogs) were bred together it apparently produced a litter with either more affected animals or it increased the risk that the affected pups would actually die of Sudden Death, leading to more apparently affected animals. Unless one did Holter tests on the other pups in this litter, one would not know if they had arrhythmias or not as arrhythmias have very subtle if any visible signs of their presence.

Another interesting pair is Bitch A and her litter brother Dog B. Again, neither one of these Borzoi were apparently affected but both produced affected offspring. Dog B produced affected offspring in two of his litters, but not in his third litter. However the two siblings from Dog B's third litter, Dog C and Bitch D, both produced affected pups.

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A Great Venue; A Great Judge: Let's Get Ready to Compete at the 2023 National

by Dean Eelman

The 2023 Borzoi National Specialty Obedience and Rally trial is very fortunate to have one of the premier AKC Obedience and Rally judges. Russell Hornfisher will be serving as our judge for this event. Mr. Hornfisher is a well-respected AKC Obedience/Rally judge that is in extremely high demand. He has been recognized by the AKC by his selection to judge at the 2019 AKC Rally National Championship and the 2021 Obedience Championship. Mr. Hornfisher has been an approved Obedience judge for 11 years and Rally for 10. He has kept a very busy schedule, having judged events in 49 of the 50 states.

Judge Hornfisher is a pleasure to exhibit to and work with, in that he shows that he loves what he is doing and appreciates those that compete and work the trials. Most important, Mr. Hornfisher is very passionate to the Novice handler and dog. He encourages beginners and makes them comfortable when they exhibit in his ring. He always announces that the novice handler is the future of the sport. For all of our beginning Borzoi competitors in both Obedience and Rally, this is an excellent reason to compete at the National.

Mr. Hornfisher has an interesting story about his path to becoming a judge. More than thirty years ago, he attended dog shows as a reluctant participant. He went only to watch his wife show. When he attended, he read the paper or propped open his briefcase and worked, paying attention to the ring only when his wife was exhibiting. It was very unlikely that he would ever develop into a dog show judge.

In 1985, Mr. Hornfisher earned a Master of Science in Organizational Behavior and Development, which required several years of hard work, including writing a thesis, and exposure to learning principles

he enjoyed, such as Operant Conditioning and Social Learning Theory. Three years later, to get better control of a Golden Retriever puppy, he made a fateful offer to train the puppy. Soon after that, he enrolled in an 8-hour Terry Arnold dog obedience seminar, where she lectured in the morning on valuable topics, including Operant Conditioning, Social Learning Theory and other valuable principles. It was then that Mr. Hornfisher was hooked.

Since that time, he has titled dogs in Obedience, Rally, Agility and Tracking. He started with dogs that he and his wife raised from puppies, moved to adopting rescues, then fostering dogs, many with issues developing after a disadvantaged start in life. The combined experience taught him much about dogs and people. The issues, unique to each dog, make training and earning performance titles both challenging and interesting.

Professionally, Mr. Hornfisher has worked in the orthotic and prosthetic industry for more than 25 years. The dog training experience allowed him to expand professionally, led him to develop business-related presentations and publish articles with such titles as "How to Treat Your Customers Like a Dog", "Who Moved My Dog Dish?", "Selling Like a Dog", "Overhead Projectors and Golden Retrievers". Mr. Hornfisher's recent endeavor has been publishing a book, *How to Treat Your Employees like a Dog*. From reading a newspaper during a show to being an outstanding judge, Mr. Hornfisher has quite a story.

His favorite classes are Novice A, Beginner Novice A, Rally Novice A classes. These are new exhibitors with their first competition experience. The future of obedience, rally, agility, etc is dependent upon new exhibitors entering our sport. It is the

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**Dean Eelman with RACH2 Iorek's Bambi
CD RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN**



**Melissa Eelman with RACH2 Iorek's
Merlyn CDX BN GN RM5 RAE5 CGCA TKN**



**Emily Lynn with GCH Orion's Little
Arrow RN FDC CAA FCAT3 DN OSD
CGCA CGCU TKP ATT VHMA VSWB**

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CLASSES

Robin Casey
— *Timeless*
Borzoi

SWEEPSTAKES

Katie Averill
— *Khazade*
Borzoi



Again, possibly unaffected Dog 3 produced an affected Borzoi when bred to Bitch 2. Dog 3's brother, Dog 4, also apparently unaffected, shows no sign of being a producer of sudden death until 3-4 generations later when Dog 6 dies. The question here is, did the sudden deaths come from the brothers Dogs 3 and 4 or from Bitches 2 and A? Or did the problem come from both Dogs 3 and 4, as well as Bitches 2 and A? And how would you explain the sudden appearance of Sudden Death/DCM with Bitch E?

How would you express the Sudden Death/DCM risk of breeding to either Dog 3 or Dog 4 based on this pedigree? Your answer will depend on whether you think this pedigree shows a recessive trait, a dominant trait, or a trait caused by the additive effects of multiple genes. A recessive trait could easily explain Dog 6 since a recessive can hide for multiple generations until two carriers are accidentally mated to produce an affected pup. But a dominant gene cannot be ruled out unless we are sure we have complete and accurate information on all dogs and their siblings in this pedigree: we do not.

Remember, when trying to breed away from a health problem, we cannot remove whole kennels or lineages without doing vast genetic harm to a breed, especially to a breed such as ours with a low population number. So it is important to use pedigrees like this to find animals in a lineage with lower risks of passing the gene on if bred. The most important keys to remember are that not every dog and bitch in a lineage will have the disease genes and every lineage has something of value to contribute to the breed.

It is also very important to point out that such efforts will be less effective if breeders do not openly share their information with others. Be careful to share even your questionable or uncertain deaths. Do you remember the Imaginary Breeder of Borzoi Pedigree A who wanted to be responsible and share health information with Inquiring Breeder but left out many of the Sudden Deaths/DCM because of how he categorized those deaths in his mind? Breeders need to include the information on dogs who

died suddenly no matter the age, or cause. This is especially important when a necropsy to confirm cause of death was not performed.



Another thing this pedigree shows quite well is the importance of looking at the siblings of animals you intend to breed to. Several of the "unaffected" dogs and bitches who produced affected offspring had an affected brother or sister. Many of these "unaffected" dogs and bitches lived quite long lives. So saying that because Dog 1 or Bitch E lived long lives means little when one of their puppies is dead. How long a dog lives does nothing to prove they were not really affected. Remember that in Borzoi Pedigree A several of the Sudden Death/ DCM dogs lived to 11 - 14 years. How many Borzoi die before that age? Would I have more red squares and circles in Borzoi Pedigree A if all the dogs shown had lived until age 15?

But living until 11 or 14 years is a good life for a Borzoi, why worry about something that does not cut a dog's life short?

Remember, that a dog that dies at 14 can produce a dog who dies earlier. That did indeed happen in Pedigree A, a dog dropped dead in the prime of life and two dogs were diagnosed before the age of five. In Pedigree B, several of the dogs died at quite young ages while others died later in life.

Now look at the Doberman pedigree and both Borzoi pedigrees. Do they look similar? Do the number of apparently affected dogs in a litter look similar? Remember the Doberman pedigree is showing the descent of a known dominantly inherited disease. What do you think, does the Borzoi line of descent look similar?

What if whatever it is that causes Sudden Death/DCM in Borzoi is dominantly inherited? §

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responsibility of all experienced exhibitors to bring new exhibitors into our sport and encourage those new people in our sport.

Mr. Hornfisher has judged a lot of national specialties, from Mastiff to Papillon (which actually occurred in the same month). Specialties are big fun. Most have outstanding awards, special events, which is a different environment than the usual all-breed. Unusually exhibitors of the same breed know most of the other handlers of their breed, which makes specialties like family get-togethers.

To quote Mr. Hornisher: "There are certain breeds better suited (due to size, structure, primary purpose of the breed) for obedience and rally competition but obedience and rally titles can be accomplished

on virtually any breed based on the trainer's skills and devotion to their breed. It is very rewarding and exciting when a non-traditional obedience breed earns at title.

"Obedience and rally are unique because the dog trusts their handler teammate over their own breed instincts. Dog and handler relationship in obedience and rally is a special bond and trust. Regardless of the breed it is about building confidence and consistency between handler and dog which is special."

The BCOA could not have found a better judge for this event. The time is now to begin or continue training. You don't want to miss this opportunity to exhibit to Mr. Hornfisher. §

Father and Son Back-to-back Specialty Wins

BIS MBISS NOHBIS GChS Svora's White Stag and his son, BISS Ch. Svora's Gentleman Jack

We are so proud of our lovely boys and are thankful to all of the judges who have awarded them. We are especially thankful to all the preservation breeders of the past and present who have contributed to the pedigrees of all modern day Borzoi. We must always not only support each other but also give credit to the work of those breeders of the past that led to the benefits of our present and future. One day, we will be the past.

Shirley McFadden, Svora Borzoi



From The BCOA Archives

Showing Borzoi in 1964

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I. General (Event Entries, Registrations, Point Scales,)

Per an AKC report, there were 1237 Borzoi entries at shows during 1964 ranking Borzoi 53h out of 114 breeds. 37 Borzoi finished their championships in 1964. The largest entry of Borzoi, 46, was at the Borzoi Club of Northern California Specialty. There were 496 all-breed shows in 1964. The largest all-breed show in 1964 was Harbor Cities at Long Beach CA with 2916 dogs shown followed by the International Kennel Club of Chicago with 2432 dogs shown, then Santa Barbara CA, Westminster NY, Trenton NJ, Santa Ana Valley at Anaheim CA, Oakland CA, Ventura CA, Orange Empire at San Bernardino CA and the Kennel Club of Philadelphia.

Per an AKC report, 640,360 dogs were registered in 1964, compared to 568,300 in 1963. 330 Borzoi were registered in 1964 compared to 230 Borzoi registered in 1963. Borzoi were ranked in 63 place out of 115 breeds. Poodles were the most popular with 178,401 registered, followed by German Shepherd Dogs, Beagles, Dachshunds, Chihuahuas, Pekingese, Collies, Cocker Spaniels, Pomeranians and Basset Hounds. There were 292,675 litters registered.

In 1964, the country was divided into 5 divisions for points. The scale of points for Borzoi was the minimum 2/2 3/3 4/4/ 5/5 6/6 for West and South, Pacific Northwest and Hawaii. For borzoi in the North and East division shows, it took 2 dogs/2 bitches for 1 point, 3 dogs/3 bitches for 2 points, 4 dogs/4 bitches for 3 points, 6 dogs/5 bitches for 4 points and 7 dogs/8 bitches for 5 points. (This division contained the states of WI, IL, IN, OH, MI, PA, NY, NJ, MD, VA, DE, CT,

RI, MA, ME, NH, VT). For borzoi in the California division shows, it took 2 dogs/2 bitches for 1 point, 3 dogs/4 bitches for 2 points, 4 dogs/6 bitches for 3 points, 6 dogs/8 bitches for 4 points and 8 dogs/10 bitches for 5 points.

II. Borzoi Show Results (Borzoi Clubs' Specialties and Westminster) (D)=dog (B)=bitch

The BORZOI CLUB OF AMERICA SPECIALTY May 23, 1964 was held with the Monmouth County all-breed show at Oceanport New Jersey. 14 class dogs, 12 class females, 13 champions shown to judge Virgil D Johnson. The results of this specialty are on the BCOA website www.borzoiclubofamerica.org, under "History" then under "Specialty Results".

BORZOI CLUB OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SPECIALTY held with the Golden Gate kennel club all-breed show January 11-12, 1964. 13 class males, 20 class females, 13 champions shown to Judge Haskell Schuffman

PUPPY DOGS, 6 MONTHS AND UNDER 9 MONTHS

- 1 Ranchitos Steeldust owner George & Muriel Alberigi
- 2 Kasoss of Twin Elms HA422293 owner Gene Russell

PUPPY DOGS, 9 MONTHS AND UNDER 12 MONTHS

- 1 Rubicon of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owner Phydema & Lyle Gillette

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS

- 1 Rogue of Rancho Gabriel HA363529 by Ch Talix of Twin Elms x Ch She-Za-Ne of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owner Lyle &



Phydema
Gillette

- 2 Von Indra's Dobrinka owner John & Charlotte Wheeler

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

- 1 Tsar Kristoff owner Marian Winters
- 2 Cinder Deacon of Aristoff HA392518 owner Edward Abblett
- 3 Paladin of Rancho Gabriel owner William & Cynthia Fahlbusch
- 4 Lancelot of Rancho Gabriel HA290167 by Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel x Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine CD breeder Lyle & Phydema Gillette, owner John & FayHamed

OPEN DOGS

- 1 BEST OF WINNERS/WINNERS DOG Chin Dee of Rancho Gabriel H961010 by Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel x Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine breeder Lyle & Phydema Gillette owner Dorothy & E G Johnston
- 2 RESERVE WINNERS DOG: Tartar's Adonis of Baronoff HA358833 March 25, 1962 by Ch Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel x Tiranka of Baronoff breeder Katherine McCluskey owner Joan & William Thompson
- 3 Pitkin of Van Strom owner Audrey Dodson
- 4 Von Indra's Alpine Ilya HA314016 owner Evonne Mazzini

PUPPY BITCHES, 6 MONTHS AND UNDER 9 MONTHS

- 1 Ranchitos Side Saddle owner Audrey Dodson
- 2 Loral's D Valhalla of Aristoff HA435171 July 1, 1963 by Ch Loral's Alpha Nicolai x Arlekeen of Frontier breeder Lorraine Groshans owner Edward Abblett

PUPPY BITCHES, 9 MONTHS AND UNDER 12 MONTHS

- 1 Shasta of Rancho Gabriel HA363532 by Ch Talix of Twin Elms x Ch



- She-Za-Ne of Rancho Gabriel breeder
Phydelma & Lyle Gillette owner Jayne
Stepnoski
2 Trinity of Rancho Gabriel owner Fay &
John Harned
3 Athena of Olympus HA441576 by Ch
Talix of Twin Elms x Sonoma of Rancho
Gabriel breeder/owner Jayne Stepnoski

NOVICE BITCHES

- 1 Chablis of Rancho Gabriel owner Irina
Golubev
2 Ranchitos Roundup owner Audrey Dodson

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES

- 1 Maid Marian of Rancho Gabriel by Ch
Hollister of Rancho Gabriel x Ch Garsova
Ivanova of Alpine CD breeder/owner Lyle
& Phydelma Gillette
2 Ranchitos Rodeo owner Audrey Dodson
3 Ninotchka of Van Strom HA153480
by Marbob's Romulus of Malora x
Ch Yermak's Ekatrina breeder/owner
Genevieve V Pitcock

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

- 1 Artemis of Olympus HA382052 by Ch
Talix of Twin Elms x Sonoma of Rancho
Gabriel breeder/owner Jayne Stepnoski
2 Laska of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owner
Phydelma & Lyle Gillette
3 Vrozyat's Alpine Dawn owner Evonne
Mazzini
4 Malora's Sparkle of the Don by The Great
Alexander of Malora x Treasure of Malora
breeder Eileen Worthing owner Edward
Abblett

OPEN BITCHES

- 1 WINNERS BITCH Tarter's Diana of
Baronoff HA316275 by Ch Prometheus
of Rancho Gabriel x Ch Anna Pavlova of
Baronoff breeder Katherine McCloskey
owner Jack Boyd
1 RESERVE WINNERS BITCH Sherry of
Rancho Gabriel breeder Phydelma & Lyle
Gillette owner Dorother & E Johnston
3 Sauvignon of Rancho Gabriel HA121302
breeder/owner Phydelma & Lyle Gillette
4 Tau Ceti of Hethivar by Ch Yermak's
Rurick x Ch Alta of Alpine breeder Sid &
Marge Cox owner Mrs Evonne Mazzini

Also shown

Treasure of Malora HA147452 breeder/
owner Eileen Worthing
Ramadan Petite Lune owner James K Dick

BEST OF BREED



Ch Talix of Twin Elms (D) H954829 June 19,
1959 by Ch Tobolzkoi Krasnoje Selo x Ch
Tzarina Borgia of Frontier breeder Gordon
& Sylvia Sohr, owner Jayne Stepnoski

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX

Ch Hera of Rancho Gabriel (B) H849737
by Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel x Ch
Garsova Ivanova of Alpine CD breeder
Lyle & Phydelma Gillette owner N
Warren Sheldon & Bernice E Sheldon

Also shown

Ch Yermaks Ekatrina (B) H447700 November
18, 1954 by Mythe Ivanoff of Alpine x Ch
Zvezba Petrovna of Alpine breeder Carla
Alioshin owner Genevieve V Pitcock

Ch Don's Zephora of Malora (B) H284372
by The Great Alexander of Malora
x Treasure of Malora breeder Eileen
Worthing owner Edward Abblett

Ch Mateo of Rancho Gabriel (D) HA53591
by Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD
x Ch Milka of Rancho Gabriel breeder/
owner Jack Boyd

Ch Milka of Rancho Gabriel (B) H714090
by Ch Yermak's Rurick x Ch Obvorozevat
Laska of Alpine breeders Lyle &
Phydelma Gillette owner Jack R Boyd

Ch Timon of Rancho Gabriel (D) HA212406
October 21, 1961 by Ch Hollister of
Rancho Gabriel x Ch Garsova Ivanova
of Alpine CD breeder Lyle & Phydelma
Gillette owner Walter & Marion Pack

Ch Ney Che of Rancho Gabriel (B) H961009
by Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel x Ch
Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine breeder Lyle
& Phydelma Gillette owner Marion Pack
Ch Champagne of Rancho Gabriel (D)

HA123860 by
Ch Hollister of
Rancho Gabriel
x Ch Garsova
Ivanova of Alpine breeders Lyle &
Phydelma Gillette owner M J (Geraldine)
& Joseph A Chrisman

Ch Lebidiska of Rancho Gabriel (B)
H714084 by Ch Yermak's Rurick x Ch
Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine breeder Lyle
& Phydelma Gillette owners Erwin &
Elizabeth Dadmun

Ch Moselle of Rancho Gabriel (B)
HA131278 by Ch Hollister of Rancho
Gabriel x Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine
breeder Lyle & Phydelma Gillette owner
Gail Winters Foley

Ch Geroi of Grador (D) H983265 by Ch
Gotchina of Grador x Ch Gradina of
Grador breeder Dorothy Harris Sweet
owner Evonne Mazzini & Jack F Goring

Ch Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel (D)
H849740 by Ch Hollister of Rancho
Gabriel x Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine
breeders Lyle & Phydelma Gillette owners
William E & B L Thompson

STUD DOG

1. Pitkin of Van Strom

BROOD BITCH

- 1 Ch Yermak's Ekatrina
2 Tau Ceit of Hethivar
3 Ch Milka of Rancho Gabriel
4 Treasure of Malora

*WESTMINSTER, February 10-11, 1964, 2
class males, 4 class females 3 champions
shown to judge Haskell Schuffman.*

OPEN DOGS

- 1 BEST OF WINNERS/WINNERS DOG
(BW 3 points) Nicolai of Tam Boer
HA288412 May 6, 1962 by Ch Allah of
Tam-Boer x Ch Natasha of Tam-Boer,
breeders Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer
owner Eva M Klipfel
2 RESERVE WINNERS DOG Loral's
Alpha Sverkai HA93639 June 5, 1960
by Ch Nicholas Siberius) x Arlekeen of
Frontier breeder/owner Lorraine Groshans

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES.

1. Tanya of Baronoff 6-13-1962 by Ch Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel x Anna Pavlova of Baronoff breeder/owner Katherine E McCluskey

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

1. Lorals Bakarska Vodica November 15, 1962 by Ch Loral's Alpha Nicholai x Arlekeen of Frontier, breeder/owner Albert and Lorraine Groshans

OPEN BITCHES

- 1 BEST OPPOSITE SEX/WINNER BITCH (3 points)



- Tiaka of Tam Boer HA433691 by Ch Dutchie of Tam-Boer x Black Eye Susie of Tam Boer breeder S Mont and William Gobeloff owner Elizabeth Tamboer
- 2 RESERVE WINNERS BITCH Tina Sacha HA69560 by Kazak of Don x Ch Liza of Don, breeder Lydia A Suchoff owner H Simonson & M Wright

BEST OF BREED



Ch Ducies Wild of Tam Boer (D) September 7, 1959 by Ch Dutchie of Tam-Boer x Ch Little Joker of Tam-Boer breeders Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer owner Lena Tamboer

THE MID-WEST BORZOI CLUB SPECIALTY held with the International Kennel Club of Chicago all-breed show, April 4-5, 1964. 13 class males, 4 class females, 3 champions shown to judge Louis Murr

PUPPY DOGS

- 1 Helios of Sunbarr Ranch, owner James Barr
- 2 White Knight of Twin Elms, owner Robert & Suellen Hylander

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS

- 1 Buk's Shadow HA348925 January 17 1962 by Buk's Torance Nalkim CD x Yehudi breeder/owner Chester & Irene Bukwaz

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

- 1 Sunbarr's Happy Hyl-Billie, Sylvia Owen
- 2 Golden Charm of Kashan, breeder Claire Anderson Klemmedson, owner Mrs Christopher Chamales

OPEN DOGS

- 1 BEST OF WINNERS/WINNERS DOG (5 pts)



- Trezor Ivan HA427157 July 27, 1962 by Ch Ramadi of Sunbarr Ranch x Ch Trezor Alupka breeder/owner Russell Everhart
- 2 RESERVE WINNERS DOG Ristovia's Czar John breeder David L & Violet K Ristau owner Mrs Lynn Henry
 - 3 Malora's Blaise of Sunbarr by Ilja v Bergland x Bright of Barnaigh breeder/owner James Barr
 - 4 Sir Galahad Von Sonneck owner Pauline & Clarence Eldred

Also shown

Blaise II of Sunbarr HA482446 by Malora's Blaise of Sunbarr x Alicia of Sunbarr Ranch breeder/owner James Barr

Dvoryanin of Twin Elms breeder/owner Sylvia Sohr

Khan of Tam-Boer owner B & J Trupin

Malora's Benedict of Sunbarr by Ilja v

Bergland x Bright of Barnaigh breeder James Barr owner Eugene O'Neill



NOVICE BITCHES

- 1 Buks Renata HA272660 by Buk's Torance Nalkim CD x Yehudi breeder/owner Chester & Irene Bukwaz

OPEN BITCHES

- 1 WINNERS BITCH (3 points) Tiaka of Tam Boer HA433691 by Ch Dutchie of Tam-Boer x Black Eye Susie of Tam Boer breeder S Mont and William Gobeloff owner Elizabeth Tamboer
- 2 RESERVE WINNERS BITCH Trezor Iskra HA427156 July 27, 1962 by Ch Ramadi of Sunbarr Ranch x Ch Trezor Alupka breeder/owner Russell O Everhart
- 3 Dvoryanka of Twin Elms breeder/owner Sylvia Sohr
- 4 Countess Maritza of Tam Boer owner Beryl & Albert Denk

BEST OF BREED

Ch Ducies Wild of Tam Boer (D) September 7, 1959, by Ch Dutchie of Tam-Boer x Ch Little Joker of Tam-Boer breeders Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer, owner Lena Tamboer

BEST OPPOSITE SEX



Ch Anastasia of Windy Hill (B) HA282226 October 14, 1961 by Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill x Ch Sunbarr's Anna Karennya breeder/owner Anna & Hugh James Ungerleider

Also shown

Ch Mr Lucky of Tam-Boer (D) HA47257 April 22, 1960 by Ch Vigow of Tam-Boer x Ch Valia of Tam-Boer



breeder Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer
owner Beryl and Albert Denk

BRACE CLASS

1. Malora's Blaise of Sunbarr and Malora's Blaise II of Sunbarr, owner James Barr

*BORZOI CLUB OF CALIFORNIA
SPECIALTY with the Harbor Cities all
-breed show June 20-21, 1964. 16 class
dogs, 10 class females, 9 champions
shown to judge Alva Rosenberg*

PUPPY DOGS

- 1 Gay Marwin of Rancho Gabriel owner L D Ludiker
- 2 Lorals Chaika of Mariah owner E Hauff
- 3 Mojaves Da owner B S Stevens

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS

- 1 Romneys Mitre Royal breeder/owner Joyce & Fred Butcher
- 2 Zcerlov's Red Star HA286195 April 9, 1962 by Ch Dark Star of Sleeping Bear x Zcerlov's Zoltka breeder/owner Martha Taylor
- 3 Rogue of Rancho Gabriel HA 363529 by Ch Talix of Twin Elms x Ch She-Za-Ne of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owner Lyle & Phydema Gillette

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

- 1 RESERVE WINNERS DOG Blanton's Bailador O'Oakshade owner John & Mae Blanton
- 2 Cinder Deacon of Aristoff HA392518 owner F Kubisch & B Davos
- 3 Gay Wolves Rondo of Oakshade owner Jack L Boosalis & Boyd J Onstott
- 4 Margalis Maestro owner Marion C Winters

Also shown

Granaldee of Grador by Ch Hasi Murat of Suntan x Ch Gradina of Grador breeder Dorothy Harris Sweet owner Isabell Walton
Locksley Hall Vodka owner William A Reynolds

OPEN DOGS

- 1 WINNERS DOG (5 points) Romney's Maskarada HA48636 by Romneys Merlin of Malora x Lady Beth Marlou of Marbob CD breeder Joyce & Fred Butcher owner Jack L Boosalis & Boyd J Onstott
- 2 Babur The Tiger of Malora CD HA204614 by Sunbarr Apollo of Malora x Lilla

N'Tauni of Malora owner Ed & Joanne Weaver

- 3 Sunbarrs Happy Hylbillie owner Sylvia D Owen

- 4 Zcerlovs Dor Star April 9, 1962 by Ch Dark Star of Sleeping Bear x Zcerlov's Zoltka breeder Martha Taylor owner J Andre Legere

PUPPY BITCHES

- 1 Dawn Duskka HA564865 owner Judy Lofgren

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES

- 1 Oakshades Ruby Flame breeder/owner James & Elizabeth Forry
- 2 Mojaves Kia HA460134 by Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill x Ch Campaigner's Alix breeder/owner Renee Smith

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

- 1 Miss Kitty of Rancho Gabriel HA290170 by Ch Solentse Ternovnck of Alpine CD x Aida of Rancho Gabriel breeder Phydema & Lyle Gillette owner Cliff & Jean Smith
- 2 Locksley Halls Georgiana owner E Kahl
- 3 Lullu Milka HA432137 owner Judy Lofgren

OPEN BITCHES

- 1 BEST OF WINNERS/WINNERS BITCH (5 points) Bel Air's Tatiana of Malora H256351 by Winjones Paskoss x Ch Zelda Shaun of Malora CD breeder Eileen Worthing owner Bobbie Martel
- 2 RESERVE WINNERS BITCH Blantons Soledad of Malora owner John & Mae Blanton
- 3 Trinity of Rancho Gabriel owner John W & A F Hamed III
- 4 Sunbarrs Amy of Malora owner Locksley Hall Kennels

BEST OF BREED



Ch Oakshades Don Paco of Marbob (D)

H726117 June 10, 1957 by CH Zonazo Perchinoff CD
x Marbob's Toniscott of Malora CD
breeder/owners James & Elizabeth Forry

BEST OPPOSITE SEX

Ch Don's Zephora of Malora (B) H284372 by The Great Alexander of Malora x Treasure of Malora breeder Eileen Worthing owner B Davis & Edward Abblett

Also shown

Ch Timon of Rancho Gabriel (D) HA212406 October 21, 1961 by Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel x Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine CD breeder Lyle & Phydema Gillette owner Walter & Marion Pack

Ch Llebas's Czar O'The Oaks (D) HA195226 by Granaldee of Grador x Lisa of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owner Isabell V Walton

Ch Llebas's Czarina O'The Oaks (B) HA195227 by Granaldee of Grador x Lisa of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owner Isabell V Walton

Ch Perchinoff Ciadona O'Zcerlov (B) H888279 October 28, 1958 by Ch Walzoff Perchinoff x Zcerlov Zoltka breeder Martha L Taylor & Helen Colstad owner J Andre Legere

Ch Oakshade's Dona Blanca (B) H726124 June 10, 1957 by Ch Zonazo Perchinoff CD x Marbob's Toniscott of Malora CD breeders/owners James E & Elizabeth Y Forry

Ch Sascha Kochab of Hethivar CDX (D) HA35612 by Ch Yermak's Rurick x Ch Alta of Alpine breeder Marge & Sidney Cox owner Charles & Gail McRae

Ch Shahzana Kochab of Hethivar CD (B) HA139910 by Ch Yermak's Rurick x Ch Alta of Alpine breeder Marge & Sidney Cox owner Charles & Gail McRae

VETERAN DOG

1 Granaldee of Grador by Ch Hasi Murat of Suntan x Ch Gradina of Grador, breeder Dorothy Harris owner Isabell Walton



STUD DOG

1 Granaldee of Grador

BROOD BITCH

1 Zcerlovs Zoltka H667272 by Ch Suntan's Malchik of Alpine x Tanya of Malora II owner Martha L Taylor

BRACE

1 Ch Sascha Kochab of Hethivar CDX and Ch Shahzana Kochab of Hethivar CD, owner Gail McRae

III. New Titles For Borzoi in 1964 (D)=dog (B)=bitch

In 1964 for New Champions, the AKC published registered name, registration number, the sire and dam with their registration numbers, and the stud book dates. There are no stud book dates for the sire and dam of imported dogs. For Obedience titles the AKC published the registered name and registration number. The editor has added sex (D) or (B), date of birth, breeder, owner, stud book date (after title completed) and the BCOA Registry of Merit title. The date for titles is the date the title was finished, which is the publication date in the AKC Gazette minus 2 months, since it took 2 months for show results and 2 to 3 months for obedience results to be published in the *Gazette*.

CONFORMATION CHAMPIONS

Ch Anastasia of Windy Hills (B) HA282226 (Ch 1-64) October 14, 1961 by Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill ROM-C H688009 (stud book 4-61) x Ch Sunbarr's Anna Karennya ROM-C HA102234 (stud book 8-62) breeder/owner: Anna & Hugh James Ungerleider

Ch Artemis of Olympus (B) HA382052 (Ch 5-64) (stud book 6-66) by Ch Talix of Twin Elms ROM-C H954829 (stud book 5-63) x Sonoma of Rancho Gabriel HA74735 (stud book 7-63) breeder/owner Jayne S Stepnoski

Ch Bel Air's Tatiana of Malora (B) H256351 (Ch 8-64) by Winjones Paskoss H524195 (stud book 12-56) x Ch Zelda

Shaun of Malora CD ROM-C H331351 (stud book 12-56) breeder Eileen Worthing owner Bobbie Martel

Ch Black Cloud of Shondar (D) HA225126 (Ch 11-64) by Dark Knight of Swan Lake H626430 (stud book 10-57) x Black Arrow of Malora H937477 (stud book 1-62) breeder Kenneth Redmond owner J P Moon

Ch Buk's Ben Nilance CD (D) HA114830 (Ch 7-64, CD 9-64) by Ch Sunbarr's Bengal Lancer CD HA47850 (stud book 9-60) x Mikhailovna of Mich-Burg CD H913477 (stud book 2-61) breeder/owner Chester & Irene Bukwaz

Ch Buks Susan O'Grady CD (B) HA114835 (Ch 8-64, CD 6-63) by Ch Sunbarr's Bengal Lancer CD HA47850 (stud book 9-60) x Mikhailovna of Mich-Burg CD (stud book 2-61) H913477 breeder/owner Chester & Irene Bukwaz

Ch Cordova's Batyl of Baronoff (D) HA348856 June 26, 1962 (Ch 4-64) by Ch Mikhail of Woodhill HA251573 (stud book 10-62) x Ch Sascha of Baronoff H876153 (studbook 9-60) breeder Weldon and Katherine McCluskey owner Louise Heaton



Ch Cordova Mishka of Baronoff ROMX-C (B) HA348847 June 26, 1962 (Ch 5-64) by Ch Mikhail of Woodhill HA251573 (stud book 10-62) x Ch Sascha of Baronoff H876153 (studbook 9-60) breeder Weldon and Katherine McCluskey owner Louise Heaton

Ch Czardina of Woodhill (B) HA240246 November 21, 1960 (Ch 5-64) by Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill ROM-C H688009 (studbook 4-61) x Ch De Craene's Liebchen H890264 (studbook

4-61)), breeder Clarence R DeCraene Sr owner Nellie Wood Hilsmer

Ch Gravel Gertie O'Brandon's Star (B) HA230949 (Ch 4-64) by Thor of Sunbarr Ranch HA192617 (stud book 2-62) x Sunbarr's Star Bright HA52455 (stud book 11-60) breeder (unknown) owner Martha A Denton

Ch Hasu's Elena of Conamor CD (B) HA110235 May 17, 1960 (Ch 6-64, CD 12-64) (stud book 3-63) by Haljean's Flame H794999 (stud book 7-60) x Ch Sunday of Tam-Boer H674989 (stud book 8-60) breeders Robert and Joyce Larsen owner Nancy White Shaner McLean

Ch Hasu's Marina of Conamor (B) HA146266 (Ch 10-64) (stud book 9-63) May 17, 1960 by Haljean's Flame H794999 (stud book 3-63) x Ch Sunday of Tam-Boer H674989 (stud book 8-60) breeders Robert and Joyce Larsen owner Nancy White Shaner McLean

Ch Jobi Sacha (D) HA460390 (Ch 12-64) (stud book 8-64) by Reyas Renommee HA170574 (stud book 6-62) x Ch Jobi Rowena HA197173 (stud book 9-62) breeder/owner Joanne Jelko

Ch Liebasi's Czarina O'The Oaks (B) HA195227 (Ch 3-64) by Granaldee of Grador H687403 (stud book 8-61) x Lisa of Rancho Gabriel H710266 (stud book 8-61) breeder/owner Isabell Walton

Ch Loral's Alpha Sverkai (D) HA93639 June 5, 1960 (Ch 3-64) by Ch Nicholas Siberius H619531 (stud book 8-58) x Arlekeen of Frontier H475495 (stud book 9-60) breeder/owner Lorraine Groshans

Ch Malora's Sparkle of the Don (B) H317377 (Ch 4-64) by The Great Alexander of Malora HA147454 (stud book 10-61) x Treasure of Malora HA147452 (stud book 10-61) breeder Eileen Worthing owner Edward Abblett

Ch Misty Duncan (B) HA269989 (Ch 11-64) by Ch Moon Hawk of Malora

ROM-C H972350 (stud book 7-61) x Ballerina Duncan H696309 (stud book 7-62) breeder Dwyer Duncan owner Kenneth Redmond

Ch Mojave's White Falcon (D) HA460133 (Ch 4-64) by Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill ROM-C H688009 (stud book 4-61) x Ch Campaigner's Alix H888282 (stud book 12-63) breeder/owner Renee Smith



Ch Moon Hawk of Malora ROM-C (D) H972350 (stud book 7-61) (Ch 6-64) by Winjones Paskoss H524195 (stud book 12-56) x Ch Zelda Shaun of Malora CD ROM-C H331351 (stud book 12-56) breeder Eileen Worthing owner Dwyer Duncan



Ch Nicholas Siberius O'Dellmead (D) HA274170 January 9, 1962 (Ch 10-64) by Ch Nicholas Siberius H619531 (stud book 8-58) x Ch Alexandra Kry-Lyesa HA836666 (stud book 3-62) breeder Irmgard Thompson owner Grace Dusenbury

Ch Nicolai of Tam-Boer (D) HA288412 May 6, 1962 (Ch 4-64) by Ch Allah of Tam-Boer HA47256 (stud book 7-62) x Ch Natasha of Tam-Boer HA503107 (stud book 7-62) breeders Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer owner Eva M Klipfel

Ch Pocahontas of Rancho Gabriel (B) HA221507 (Ch 6-64) by Ch Vrozyat's Satellite H951883 (stud book 10-61) x Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine ROM-C H356618 (stud book 10-55) breeder/owner Lyle & Phydema Gillette



Ch Prince Rurick of Baronoff (D) HA327830 June 13, 1962 (Ch 1-64) (stud book 8-64) by Ch Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel ROM-C H849740 (stud book 6-62) x Ch Anna Pavlova of Baronoff HA224189 (stud book 10-62) breeder Katherine McCloskey owner Joe and Mary Horton

Ch Rogue of Rancho Gabriel (D) HA363529 (Ch 10-64) (stud book 10-64) by Ch Talix of Twin Elms ROM-C H954829 (stud book 5-63) x Ch She-Za-Ne of Rancho Gabriel ROMX-C H961008 (stud book 5-63) breeder/owner Lyle & Phydema Gillette

Ch Romney's Maskarada (D) HA48636 (stud book 8-62) (Ch 7-64) by Romneys Merlin of Malora H913491 (stud book 4-60) x Lady Beth Marlou of Marbob CD H481523 (stud book 3-59), breeder Joyce & Fred Butcher owner Jack Boosalis & Boyd Onstott

Ch Sergi of Windy Hill (D) HA282233 October 14, 1961 (Ch 7-64) by Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill ROM-C H688009 (studbook 4-61) x Ch Sunbarr's Anna Karennya ROM-C HA102234 (stud book 8-62) breeder/owner Anna & Hugh James Ungerleider

Ch Springhurst Tzar of Twin Elms (D) HA278517 (Ch 12-64) by Ch Tamazar of Twin Elms H954831 (stud book 7-62) x

Janina of Twin Elms H876559 (stud book 7-62) breeder Gordon & Sylvia Sohr owner Mrs W L (Mae) Baeton



Ch Tarter's Diana of Baronoff (B) HA316275 (Ch 10-64) by Ch Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel ROM-C H849740 (stud book 6-62) x Ch Anna Pavlova of Baronoff HA224189 (stud book 10-62) breeder Katherine McCloskey owner Jack Boyd

Ch Tiaka of Tam-Boer (B) HA433691 (Ch 3-64) by Ch Dutchie of Tam-Boer H674986 (stud book 12-59) x Black Eye Susie of Tam Boer (B) H705159 (stud book 11-60) breeder S Mont and William Gobeloff owner Elizabeth Tamboer

Ch Tina Sacha (B) HA69560 (Ch 12-64) by Kazak of Don H971359 (stud book 6-60) x Ch Liza of Don H971357 (stud book 6-60) breeder Lydia A Suchoff owner H Simonson & M Wright

Ch Trezor Iskra (B) HA427156 July 27, 1962 (Ch 11-64) by Ch Ramadi of Sunbarr Ranch H957696 (stud book 12-61) x Ch Trezor Alupka ROM-C H666098 (studbook 12-60) breeder/owner Russell Everhart

Ch Vala Rama Sweet Bird of Youth (D) HA261429 November 30, 1961 (Ch 5-64) by Ch Jaguar Jehan of Malora H460540 (stud book 2-57) x Ch Trezor Alupka ROM-C H666098 (stud book 12-60) breeder/owner Dr Charles H Conally

Ch Vershok of Gwejon (D) HA253307 May 26, 1961 (Ch 11-64) by Ch Tersai of Gwejon ROM-C H857930 (stud book 8-61) x Ch Belka of Gwejon ROM-C HA28447 (stud book 8-61) breeder/owners John & Gwen Pinette

Ch Vladinoff of Volga (D) HA483976 April 4, 1963 (Ch 10-64) by Sunbarr's Zaratove HA175240 (stud book 11-63) x Ch Cergewna is Slonowaja HA119220 (stud book 11-63) breeder/owner Mrs Bruna Henry





Ch Vronsky of Volga (D) HA476468 April 4, 1963, (Ch 7-64) by Sunbarr's Zaratove HA175240 (stud book 11-63) x Ch Cergewna is Slonowaja HA119220 (stud book 11-63) breeder/owner Mrs Bruna Henry

Ch Warhill's Elegance (B) HA301610 May 7, 1962 (Ch 8-64) by Ch Trezor Donitz of Warhill H951890 (stud book 4-61) x Sasha of Sharramoore H885122 (stud book 10-62) breeders Harry M Ferguson and William W Shepard owner William H Sampson

Ch Windy Hills Bieleja (B) HA424347 (Ch 9-64) by Ch Alexander of Windy Hill HA282231 (stud book 9-63) x Ch Anastasia of Windy Hill HA282226 (stud book 9-63) breeder Anna & Hugh James Ungerleider owner Mrs R E Deetch

COMPANION DOG

Ch Buk's Ben Nilance CD HA114830 (Ch 7-64, CD 9-64) by Ch Sunbarr's Bengal Lancer CD HA47850 (stud book 9-60) x Mikhailovna of Mich-Burg CD H913477 (stud book 2-61) breeder/owner Chester & Irene Bukwaz

Gigi CD (not registered) (CD 6-64) owner Jack & Anna Lewellen

Ch Hasu's Elena of Conamor CD (B) HA110235 May 17, 1960 (Ch 6-64, CD 11-64) by Haljean's Flame H794999 (stud book 3-63) x Ch Sunday of Tam-Boer H 674989 (stud book 8-60) breeders Robert and Joyce Larsen owner Nancy White Shaner McLean

Lancelot of Rancho Gabriel (D) HA290167 (CD 7-64) by Ch Hollister of

Rancho Gabriel ROM-C H710264 (stud book 12-58) x Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine CD ROM-C H403524 (stud book 12-58), breeder Lyle & Phydema Gillette, owner John & Fay Harned

Meyer's Beautiful Am/Can CD HA261265 (CD 12-64) by Trezor Dagoney H951891 (stud book 11-61) x Katiche of Malora HA65344 (stud book 4-62) breeder (unknown) owner Gladys Dykstra

Meyer's Ivan Am/Can CD HA269116 (CD 11-64) by Trezor Dagoney H951891 (stud book 11-61) x Katiche of Malora HA65344 (stud book 4-62) breeder (breeder unknown) owner R G & E R Keppler

Ch Prima Ballerina Duncan CD (B) HA269991 (Ch 11-63, CD 5-64) by Ch Moon Hawk of Malora ROM-C H972350 (stud book 7-61) x Ballerina Duncan H696309 (stud book 7-62) breeder/owner Dwyer Duncan

Ravnina of Gwejon CD HA440769 (CD 8-64) breeder Gwen & John Pinette owner Edith Dondero

Ch Warhills Khazar Khan CD (D) HA57702 (Ch 9-1963, CD 4-64) by Ch Warhill's Amber Roi H747741 (stud book 3-60) x Warhill's Myrthe of Malora H824093 (stud book 3-60) breeders Harry M Ferguson and William W Shepard, owner Joan M Kreamelmeyer (aka Joan Ranz)

COMPANION DOG EXCELLENT



Ch Denton's Matvey CDX (D) H806010 April 4, 1958-July 23, 1970 (Ch 3-1961, CD 6-1959, CDX 5-64) by Ch Nicholas

Siberius H619531 (stud book 8-58) x Ch Lisa Denton H334597 (stud book 8-58) breeder Erma Denton owner John H Gamber



IV. BCOA News, Regional Clubs' News, Wins In the Group, Obedience Wins, Births, Deaths, Other News

The BCOA Minutes have been summarized.

Annual Membership meeting February 10, 1964, New York City. Present Mrs Robinson, Mrs Krause, Mr and Mrs Avery, Mr & Mrs Pinette, Mr and Mrs McCluskey, Mr & Mrs Gamber, Mrs Groshans, Mrs Suchoff, Mrs Thompson, Mrs Dykstra, Mr & Mrs Sanner, Mr & Mrs Klipfel, Mrs Schultz, Mrs Begley, Miss Hamersma, Miss Tamboer, Mr Murr, Mr Ferguson, Mr Decraene, Mr Thorburn.

Mr McCluskey reported that the AKC did not approve of the submitted By-Laws changes except the one clarifying the nominating procedure. Weldon McCluskey notified the AKC of the incorporation of the club in Pennsylvania. Henry Ferguson read a final financial report on the 1963 Sewickly PA BCOA specialty. Show chairperson Irmgard Thompson reported on the 1964 specialty to be held at Monmouth NJ on May 23, 1964. Virgil Johnson will judge, with his fee split between BCOA and the all-breed club.

Ballots for officers/board were counted at the meeting. Elected were President - Leonard Tamboer, First Vice President - John Gamber, Second Vice President - Helen Colstad, Third Vice President - Dr Charles Conally, Fourth Vice President - Lyle Gillette, Secretary - Lorraine Groshans, Treasurer - Patti Robinson, AKC delegate - Weldon McCluskey and Board of Governors Harry Ferguson, Eli Fleisher, Lydia Suchoff. Clarence DeCraene Sr.

Lorraine Groshans reported the new booklet is being edited and will be printed in Canada. The booklet printed by the club a few years ago made a small profit.

New members approved were Mr Yoichi Hiraoka Garden City NY, Byron Avery Poultny VT, Stanley Wollner Philadelphia PA, Mr & Mrs Barry Trupin East Norwalk Conn, Mr & Mrs Lawrence Hendel, Pacific Palisades CA. There was a discussion on holding the 1965 BCOA Specialty with a different all-breed show, and not with the Monmouth NJ club. Annual Awards for 1963 were presented.

1964 BCOA members

Life Member: Lorraine Groshans, Loral, Center Valley PA
 Life Member: Louis Murr, Romanoff, Spring Valley NY
 Life Member: Gwen Pinette, Gwejon, Claremont NH
 Life Member: Colonel Stedman Shumway Hanks, New York NY
 Edward Abblett, Aristoff, Manhattan Beach CA
 Ian Anderson, Mufulira, Northern Rhodesia
 Dr & Mrs Jaques Asselin, Chomeday PQ Canada
 Mr & Mrs Byron (Louenna) Avery, Kostenov, Poultny VT
 James Barr, Sunbarr, Mequon WI
 Mrs Philip (Kathryn) Begley, Hicksville NY
 Robert Bergeron, Central Falls RI
 Mrs A N (Dixie) Bilodeau, Madera CA
 Henry Blecha, China Lake CA
 Donald Bovaird, Bradford PA
 Mrs Margaret Cathell, Chapel Hill NC
 Mrs Walter (Polly) Clement, Swarthmore PA
 Mrs Helen Colstad, Perchinnoff, Portuguese Bend CA
 Dr Charles Conally, Vala Rama, Detroit MI
 Mrs Sidney (Marge) Cox, Hethivar, Los Angeles CA
 Mrs Samuel Cousins West Chester PA
 Miss Harriet Crane, Montclair NJ
 Clarence DeCraene, DeRay, Hazlet NJ
 Mr & Mrs Albert Denk, Chicago IL
 Mrs W V Denning, Forest Park Georgia
 Mrs Erma Denton, Dentons, Downers Grove IL

Miss Martha Denton, Nashville TN
 D M Doubleday, Aynsley, Cloverdale BC Canada
 Mrs Grace Dusenbury, Livingston NJ
 Mrs Gladys Dykstra, Springfield MA
 Mrs Violet Elmer, Elmuer, Rensselaer NY
 Mrs Marianne Endicott, Grosse Pointe Shores MI
 Mr & Mrs Russell Everhart, Trezor, Ann Arbor MI
 Harry M Ferguson, Warhills, Cincinnati OH
 Eli Fleisher, Kingston PA
 Mr & Mrs James (Elizabeth) Forry, Oakshade, Topanga CA
 Mr & Mrs John (Mary) Gamber, Harrisburg PA
 Mr & Mrs Lyle Gillette, Rancho Gabriel, Cupertino CA
 Mrs Frank Goodale, San Pedro CA
 Albert Groshans Center Valley PA
 Miss Jessie Hamersma, Midland Park NJ
 Mrs Dean (Louise) Heaton, Cordova, Davidsonville MD
 Dr & Mrs Lawrence Hendel, Pacific Palisades CA
 Mrs Bruna Henry, Volga, Kaysville UT
 Mrs William Henry, Sharpsville PA
 Mr & Mrs Michael (Nellie) Hilsmier, Woodhill, Ft Wayne IN
 Frederick Hinckley Jr, Kaysville UT
 Yoichi Hiraoka, Flushing NY
 Mrs Hedwig Horstig, Flushing NY
 Mrs Margaret Hostmann, Flushing NY
 Joseph & Mary Horton, Wolfeschmidtsoff Jacksonville FL
 Richard Hutchinson, Winston-Salem NC
 John Kibler Rossville GA
 Mrs Claire Anderson Klemmedson, Kashan, Wheaton IL
 Dr & Mrs Herbet Klipfel, Snyder NY
 Mrs Betty Krause, Marmora NJ
 Weldon & Katherine McCluskey, Baronoff, Wenonah NJ
 Mrs Charles (Gail) McRae, Garden Grove CA
 Miss Katherine O'Connell, KAO, East Pepperell MA
 Eugene V O'Neill, Borodin, Oregon WI
 John Pinette, Gwejon, Claremont NH
 Mrs Genevieve V Pitcock, of Van Strom, Sacramento CA
 Mrs G. Clifton (Bobbie) Potter, Alpine, Stockton CA
 Mrs Suzanne Pressman, Norwood MA
 Dr Kenneth Redmond, Shondar, Clinton OK

Mrs David Ristau, Ristovia, Warren PA
 Mrs Charles (Patti) Robinson, Laurelton NY
 Lloyd & Prisciall Sanner, Petrikov, Carrollton MD
 Mrs Therese Schein, Cleveland Heights OH
 William W Shepard, Warhills, Cincinnati OH
 Mrs Villa L Smith, Fergovia, Manchester MO
 Toxey & Renee Smith, Bradbury CA
 Mrs Gordon (Sylvia) Sohr, Racine WI
 Mrs James (Karen) Staudt, Brooklyn NY
 Mrs Edward (Jayne) Stepnoski, Olympus, Redwood City CA
 Mrs Shela Stoudt Smith, Emmaus PA
 Mrs Marlin (Ann) Stoudt, Emmaus PA
 Mrs Lydia Suchoff, Don, Shrewsbury NJ
 Harald & Jeanne Sundt, Sundra, San Marino CA
 Mr & Mrs Leonard (Elizabeth) Tamboer, Allendale NJ
 Miss Lena Tamboer, Allendale NJ
 Mrs Mary M Tavinier, Ramadan, Omaha NE
 Mrs Martha L Taylor, Zcerlov, Los Angeles CA
 Mrs Malford (Christiana) Thewlis, Wakefield RI
 Mrs Ellison (Irmgard) Thompson, Kry-Lyesa, Rumson NJ
 Donaldson Thorburn, New York NY
 Mr & Mrs Barry Trupin, Shorehaven, E Norwalk CT
 Anna & Hugh James Ungerleider, Windy Hill, Louisville KY
 Mrs Joanne Weaver, Lawndale CA
 Mrs R T (Jeanette) Whisler, Haljean, Manassas VA
 Mrs Marian Winters, Stockton CA
 Stanley Wollner, Philadelphia PA
 Mrs William (Marion) Woodcock, Suntan, Pearblossom CA

March 1, 1964 Board meeting at Bristol PA. Present were Weldon McCluskey, Clarence DeCraene, Leonard Tamboer, Eli Fleisher, Lorraine Groshans, and Lydia Suchoff. Guest Lena Tamboer.

The board approved the Borzoi Club of Northern California's By-Laws revised





sions. Lena Tamboer reported on the audit of the treasurer's records.

New members approved Karen Staudt, Brooklyn NY and Mrs Wiliam Henry, Sharpsville PA.

Committees were appointed: Auditing: Weldon McCluskey, chairman, Jessie Hamersma. Constitution and By-Laws: Weldon McCluskey, chairman, Louis Murr, Eli Fleisher. *Aristocrat* Editor Gwen Pinette and Byron Avery assistant editor. Field Trials and Racing: Phydema Gillette, Claire Klemmedson, Eli Fleisher, Priscilla Sanner. Obedience: Gladys Dykatra, chairman, Joanne Weaver, Sylvia Sohr. Annual Awards: Grace Dusenbury, chairman, Gladys Dykstra. 1965 Specialty Lydia Suchoff. Membership: Kay McCluskey, chairman, Louenna Avery, Charles Conally, Helen Colstad, Lyle Gillette.

Motion approved to send free copies of the booklet, when published, to all AKC Borzoi licensed judges, and to the booklet's advertisers. Price of the booklet to BCOA members will be \$1 and to non-BCOA members \$1.50.

The secretary presented the certified copy of the Incorporation Application with the Order of the Court attached, dated February 10, 1964. Motion approved to hold a luncheon for the borzoi exhibitors after the judging at the May BCOA Specialty, with Lydia Suchoff and Clarence DeCraene in charge.

May 2, 1964 Board meeting held at Doylestown PA. Present were Weldon McCluskey, Clarence DeCraene, Leonard Tamboer, Lorraine Groshans, and Lydia Suchoff. Balance in the treasury \$876.

Lorraine Groshans reported that the two By-Laws changes were passed by the membership (Nominations 40 yes, 2 no, and Club dissolution 37 yes, 5 no), and will now be sent to the AKC.

Letter received from the Advisory Committee on Sighthound Coursing, chairman Phydema Gillette, that the title of Pacific Coursing Champion will be awarded to hounds completing the

requirements under the rules now in force. This title would have no AKC recognition.

These membership applications were approved: Nathan Maryn, Potomac MD, Carla Alioshin, Sacramento CA, Dr Todd Sterling, Detroit MI, Joan Kreamelmeyer Cincinnati Ohio, Irene Bukwaz, Grand Blanc MI, Mrs Evelyn Hill Auburn Mass, Mr & Mrs Sumner Crowell Grafton Mass.

Lydia Suchoff reported that a private benching tent has been ordered for the BCOA specialty in May, and all plans for the luncheon are completed. She also gave a report on locations for the 1965 specialty. The Monmouth club is willing to pay the judge's fee and give BCOA \$1 per borzoi. Motion approved to hold the 1965 BCOA specialty with the Monmouth Country all-breed show.

The board appointed Colonel Hanks and Eli Fleisher to an archives committee to compile a history of the club. The material for the BCOA booklet was sent to the printer over two months ago, and the committee is awaiting proofs. Motion approved to reorder a supply of the copper medals.

May 23, 1964 Membership meeting after the Borzoi specialty at Oceanport NJ. Present were Polly Clement, Lorraine & Albert Groshans, Weldon & Kay McCluskey, Grace Dusenbury, Beryl & Albert Denk, Gwen & John Pinette, Byron & Louenna Avery, Louise Heaton, Priscilla Sanner, Irmgard Thompson, Lydia Suchoff, Karen Staudt, Eli Fleisher, Robert Bergeron, Yoichi Hiraoka, Clarence DeCraene, Russell & Cheoh Everhart, Charles Conally, Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer, Lena Tamboer, Jessie Hamersma, Katherine O'Connell and Kathryn Begley.

Leonard Tamber read the treasurer's report and stated that most of the balance in the treasury will be spent on the printing of the booklet.

Chairman for the 1965 BCOA specialty, Lydia Suchoff reported that judge Gordon Parham has accepted. After a discussion about the processing and acceptance of

new members, motion approved that applications will be sent to the secretary (the membership committee to be abolished), and published to the members before being voted on at a meeting. (Editor's note: this was changed at the June 28 Board meeting).

It was pointed out that BCOA could not require an applicant to own a Borzoi in order to join BCOA, since this requirement is not in the Constitution/By-Laws, and that the membership application needs to be revised to delete this.

Mrs Samuel Cousins, chairman, reported on the BCOA match to be held July 19, 1964 at Northbrook PA with judge Marge Lathrop.

Lorraine Groshans said the proofs for the booklet have been received and that the cover will display a sketch of a Borzoi head by Nancy Shaner. (Editor's note: This is the soft covered 6 x 9 1/2 inch, 84 page book, "The Borzoi compiled by Borzoi Club of America, Inc.," copyright 1964).

Motion approved to support the entry of Borzoi at the September 1964 Sewickly PA show with Harry Ferguson in charge of arrangement and trophies. Weldon McCluskey was asked to check with superintendents, such as Foley, as to the safety of bench equipment at shows, due to several accidents this year at shows where Borzoi had been benched.

June 28, 1964 Board of Governor's Special meeting held at Bristol PA. Present were John Gamber, Weldon McCluskey, Clarence DeCraene, Leonard Tamboer, Patti Robinson, Eli Fleisher, Lorraine Groshans and Lydia Suchoff.

A written report from the auditing committee was received and filed. The fidelity bond for the Treasurer has been obtained.

Eli Fleisher and Colonel Hanks have been compiling data on the club history. This is a long-range project and will require help from many sources.

Motion passed to approve the BCNC specialty with the Golden Gate show in January 1965.

Motion passed to approve the BCNC By-Laws change recommended by the AKC. It was pointed out that the motion made at the BCOA May 23 meeting, dealing with the processing of membership applications, conflict with the BCOA By-Laws "Any applications received by the Secretary preceding any meeting shall be read at that meeting and voted upon at the meeting. Therefore the secretary cannot hold up any application until notice has been mailed to the members. A new application form is being designed.

The following membership application were approved: Miss Eleanor Papas, Peace Dale Rhode Island, Mrs J. Robert Southwood (Dorine) Washington DC, Mrs J H Clegg (Eugenie) Palm Beach FL, Ronald Faner Mount Clemens MI, Mrs Nancy White Shaner Bethesda MD, Miss Joan Torino Jersey City NJ, Mrs Edwin Davis (Helen) Mishawaka IN.

The request from the editor of the *Aristocrat* for BCOA to purchase an electric typewriter was denied.

Weldon McCluskey reported on his investigation into the safety of show benching. If the side partitions are removed, there is no longer support for the back partitions. If exhibitors wish to bench their dogs in one long continuous row, arrangements should be made with the superintendent prior to the show, so that special stabilizing pins can be provided.

Two complaints from members were read concerning the content of the Borzoi column in the *Pure-Bred Dogs* magazine, and in the *Aristocrat*. The complaints were from owners whose dogs' wins were not mentioned, when other dogs' wins at those same shows were published. After a discussion, the Board did not feel that any condemnation was in order. It was recommended that show results and analyses sent to the *Pure-Bred Dogs* columnist and to the *Aristocrat* editor be complete, specific and objective.

September 13, 1964 Board meeting at Bristol PA. Present were Weldon McCluskey, Clarence DeCraene, Leonard Tamboer, Eli Fleisher, Harry Ferguson, Lorraine Groshans, and Lydia Suchoff.

Suggestions for how to determine the 1965 annual awards should be sent to the committee chairman Grace Dusenbury.

Motion approved that the membership at the February 1965 meeting, should be asked where they want the 1966 specialty to be held.

The new membership application form was approved. Motion approved that a subscription to the *Aristocrat* be offered to non-members for \$3.50 per year.

The BCOA match in July was a success.

The following applications were approved Earl Shadie Portland TX, Gerald Gilliam New Orleans LA, Dwyer Duncan Oklahoma City OK, Miss Carol DiGiacchino Warminster PA, W. Graham Baskerville Houston TX, Miss Joanne Jelke Houston TX, Roger Bioom Chester Spring PA, Mrs Clarence (Pauline) Eldred Lombard IL.

Motion approved to offer a sterling medal for BOB and a bronze medal for BOS at the 1965 Westminster show.

Motion approved for the Mid-West Borzoi club to hold their specialty in April 1965 with the Chicago International all-breed show.

Motion approved that the following persons will be the nominating committee: Lydia Suchoff, Gwen Pinette, Russ Everhart, Shela Stoudt Smith and Bill Shepard.

September 29, 1964 Specialty Membership meeting at Sewickley PA. Present were Claire Keamelmeyer, Gino DiGiacchino, Shela Stoudt, Lena Tamboer, Jessie Hamersma, Byron & Louanne Avery, Gwen & John Pinette Russ & Cleoh Everhart, Lydia Suchoff, Lorraine Groshans, Charles Conally, Harry Ferguson, Robert Bergeron, Bill Shepard, Clarence DeCraene.

Dr Conally reminded those present that the agenda was restricted to the two items only,

that were listed in the call for the meeting.



(1) an investigation of the financial status of the club. There was an agreement concerning lack of communication between the board of governors and the membership regarding the expenditure of club funds. Only one financial report had been presented to the members, and only to those attending the May meeting. Per the By-Laws, the treasurer's report must list every item under both income and disbursements. The auditing committee must be headed by an active board member who would be familiar with the business of the club over the new. The books should not be turned over to a new treasurer until they have been audited and the treasurer is bonded. It was decided that a budget is necessary to serve as a guide during the year in allocating funds for standard operating expenses. Motion approved to appoint a budget committee to prepare a budget for 1965.

(2) Revision of the Constitution and By-Laws. Motion approved to appoint a new committee to recommend changes using suggestions from the membership. Motion approved to change the By-Laws that there should be at least three membership meetings a year.

November 22, 1964 Board meeting at Bristol PA. Present were Weldon McCluskey, Clarence DeCraene, Leonard Tamboer, John Gamber, Lorraine Groshans, and Lydia Suchoff.

Motion approved to have the club's books audited by an outside firm, the fee not to exceed \$50, and the report to be sent to the membership.

Russ Everhart reported on a letter from the AKC, that because the BCOA By-Laws state that the membership meeting shall be held in New York City, the club cannot have a membership meeting in other locations (unless the By-Laws are changed).

The report from Eli Fleisher was read, that a racing meet held November 14, in Frankford Delaware on a one-quarter mile oval track with an electronic rabbit,

had 21 sighthounds, including 17 borzoi. Lydia Suchoff reported on the 1964 specialty, which cost the club \$66.50.

Motion approved to hold a puppy sweepstakes with the 1965 specialty, and that BCOA offer gold plated Borzoi pins as trophies for first in each class.

Lorraine Groshans reported that copies of the booklet have been mailed, and that the final report will be compiled once she receives the final bill from the printer.

The following membership applications were approved: Ralph Barger Atlanta GA, Jack Davis Cleveland TN, John Ginter Jacksonville FL, Mrs Michael Carusone Glenn Falls NY, Mrs Charles (Joan) Cole, Baltimore MD, Mrs Charles (Grace) Conally Detroit MI, Miss Barbara Freedland Detroit MI.

Due to the resignation of the treasurer Patti Robinson, Lorraine Groshans was appointed as treasurer.

ANNUAL AWARDS 1964, presented at the Annual Membership meeting February 15, 1965: Top winning Borzoi based on Group placings according to Phillips system is Ch Nicolai of Tamboer owner Eve Klipfel. Top Winning Bitch (based on points earned for BB and BOS wins) Ch Anastasia of Windy Hill owner Anna and Hugh Ungerleider. Top Winning Dog (based on points for BB and BOS wins) Ch Ducies Wild of Tamboer owner Lena Tamboer. (Note that no borzoi met the requirements for the obedience award, which at that time was based on highest averaged score, but dog had to have 5 scores).

REGIONAL CLUBS

BORZOI CLUB OF CALIFORNIA

The Annual Meeting was held April 11, 1964. Elected President Helen Colstad, Vice-President Jack Boosalis, Secretary Boyd Onstott, Treasurer Gladys Legere, Directors Edward Abblett and Bobbie Martel. Appointed editor of the club's newsletter *The Borzoi Gazette* was Gail McRae.

Active members of BCOC were Edward Abblett, Mr & Mrs A N (Dixie) Bilodeau,

Jack Boosalis, Fred & Joyce Butcher, Maxwell Butcher, Mrs Catherine Calkins, W A Codd, Helen & Charles Colstad, Thomas Conway, James & Elizabeth (Betty) Forry, Miss June Forry, Dr & Mrs Lawrence Hendel, Carl Henedl, Mr & Mrs Carlton Jackson, Andre Legere, Mrs Gladys Legere, Charles & Gail McRae, Mrs Norman (Bobbie) Martel, Mr & Mrs Burton Nobury, Boyd Onstott, Mrs Elizabeth Reynolds, Renee & Toxey Smith, Harald & Jeanne Sundt, Mrs Isabel Walton, Edward & Joanne Weaver, Marion Woodcook. (This club also had an associate membership for people who wanted to receive the club's publications, but didn't live in the Southern California area, and couldn't attend the meetings).

At the Harbor Cities show, BCOC won first place in the decorations for its benching area; chairman Andre Legere. This is the fifth time that BCOC has won first place for benching decorations at this show. Trophy chairman was Edward Abblett. The winners received Austrian ceramic Borzoi statutes. BOB (for the second time in three years) was the 7 year old, white, Ch Oakshades Don Paco of Marbob breeder/owners James & Elizabeth Forry. "Nevada" was handled by June Forry. Gail McRae's red and white brace of Ch Sascha Kochab of Hethivar CDX and Ch Shahzana Kochab of Hethivar CD beat 6 other Hound braces, then to Best Brace in Show. Winning the Best Junior Showmanship award was Bill Reynolds with his red and white Locksley Hall Vodka. There was an after show dinner for the Borzoi exhibitors at a near-by restaurant overlooking the Long Beach Airport.

BORZOI CLUB OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

At the January BCNC specialty held at the Cow Palace in San Francisco, there were 48 Borzoi on the benches. The club decorated the benches with a large back drop of Borzoi coursing on the plains against a horizon of California hills. There was a green club plaque hung above each bench space displaying the Borzoi's name. The benches were covered with green rugs. Above the benching was a large green, silver and charcoal sign Borzoi Club of Northern California.

There was not a quorum at the club's annual meeting, March

28, so ballots for officers were sent out by mail. Elected for 1964 were President Lyle Gillette, Vice-President Walter Pack, Secretary-Treasurer Phydema Gillette, Director John Harned, Jayne Stepnoski, William G Thompson, Gerry Chrisman, Mrs Marian Winters. Motion approved to charge a \$3.50 entry fee for the Grand Course. The club's new Code of Ethics was approved.

The Borzoi Club of Northern California held the 4th annual Pacheco Hunt April 14-15 near Merced CA. Huntmaster, Lyle Gillette, had 17 Borzoi, with the title of "Grand Courser 1964" going to Tarter's Adonis of Baronoff. Adonis was born March 25, 1962 by Ch Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel x Tiranka of Baronoff breeder Katherine McCluskey owner Joan & William Thompson. Second place to Sauvignon of Rancho Gabriel, breeder/owner Lyle & Phydema Gillette. Third place to Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owner Lyle & Phydema Gillette. Fourth place to Ch Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel breeders Lyle & Phydema Gillette owners William E & B L Thompson.

The Advisory Committee on Sight Hound Coursing decided to award an interim title until the AKC acted upon the petition to license coursing meets and authorize coursing championships. Pacific Coursing Champion (PCC) was awarded to Borzoi Ch Lebidiska of Rancho Gabriel (B) owners Edwin & Elizabeth Dadmun, Ch Sonoma of Rancho Gabriel (B) owner Jayne Stepnoski, Savignon of Rancho Gabriel (B) owner Lyle & Phydema Gillette, and Bel Air's Sun King of Malora (D) owner Bobbie Martel.

At the May 2 meeting, committees were appointed Pacheco Hunt Committee Bill Thompson chairman and hunt master. Ways and Means Diana Newhall. Specialty show Walt Pack. Trophies (not the Specialty) and Awards Phydema Gillette. Match Committee Marian Pack. Newsletter editor Jayne Stepnoski. Publicity (for



the hunts, the match, the specialty and the July Borzoi walk in San Francisco) Irina Golubev. Plans made to hold a match in October. Checks must be signed by two of the three officers, the President, Secretary, Vice President. A letter was received from the AKC, that the club's place of business be changed from Sacramento to San Francisco, the location of the club's specialty shows.

July 11, most of the BCNC members attending the evening meeting and dinner, had participated, with 21 Borzoi, in the "Walk through downtown San Francisco".

MID-WEST BORZOI CLUB

Elected at the Annual Membership meeting, April 5, 1964 were President Eugene F O'Neill, First Vice-President Harry Ferguson, Second Vice-President Clarence Eldred, Secretary-Treasurer Pauline Eldred, Board of Directors Irene Bukwaz and William Shepard (3 year terms), Charles Conally & Claire Klemendson (2 year terms) and Nellis Wood Hilsmier (1 year term). Appointed as The MBC Bulletin Editor was Harry Ferguson.

WINS IN THE GROUP

(This list is from reports in the regional clubs' newsletters, so likely does not include all wins during the year).

In March a Group 1 for Louise Heaton's Ch Cordova's Mishka of Baronoff at Hagerstown MD, Group 1 at Mason Dixon April 5, Group 2 at Wilmington April 25, and in November, a Group 3 at Salisbury MD and a Group 4 Norfolk VA.

Group 2 for Ch Cordova's Batyl of Baronoff at Monmouth May 23, owner Louise Heaton.

Group 1 for Charles Conally's Vala Rama's Sweet Bird of Youth Group at Louisville KY in March, a Group 3 at Toledo April 26, Group 1 at Oakland Country MI May 17.

Group 1 from the open class for Dwyer Duncan's Moon Hawk of Malora at Oklahoma City February 29 and Group 2 at Wichita April 4. Group 4 for Black Cloud of Shondar at Baton Rouge, owner J Moon.

Group 4 for Russell Everhart's Trezor Ivan at Lima OH May 2. Group 3 for Ch Buk's Ben Nilance CD at Monroe MI July 4, owners Chester & Irene Bukwaz.

Eva M Klipfel's Ch Nicolai of Tam-Boer, had four Group firsts, two seconds, two thirds and one fourth as of August, then Group 4 at Sewickley September 19, Group 4 at Trumbull OH September 20.

John & Gwen Pinette's Vershok of Gwejon won Group 3 at Burlington July 11.

Lena Tamboer's Ch Ducies Wild of Tam-Boer Group 4 at the International club of Chicago April 4, Group 3 at Bucks County May 2, Group 4 at Putnam July 18, Group 3 at Lackawanna July 25, Group 3 at Newtown August 22, Group 4 at Newton August 29.

Ch The Don's Zephora of Malora owner Edward Abblett, Group 3 at Orange Empire July 12.

Anna Ungerleider won Group 3 with Ch Alexander of Windy Hill at Lexington May 3, and with Ch Anastasia of Windy Hill Group 2 at St Petersburg FL January 26, Group 3 Marion IN February 16, Group 3 at Mid-Kentucky September 6, Group 3 at Louisville September 7, Group 2 at Logansport September 12, Group 2 at Lafayette September 13, Group 4 at Nashville September 20, Group 3 at Licking River September 27.

Chin Dee of Rancho Gabriel Group 4 at Southern Oregon September 6, owner Dorothy & Ed Johnston.

Group 4 at North Country for Sirhan Krilalka, owner Audrey Benbow, September 13.

Ch Timon of Rancho Gabriel, owner Walter & Marion Pack, Group 2 at Del Monte CA, Group 4 at Sir Francis Drake September 13.

Pauline Eldred's Blaise II of Sunbarr, Group 3 from the open class at Berriam MI and Group 2 at Steele City September 20. Group 3 from the open class for Dvoryanin of Twin Elms at Battle Creek MI February 29, owner Sylvia Sohr.

Group 3 from the open class for Jerels Robinoff of Kazan, owners J A & E N Karerr, at Macomb County MI February 9.

Springhurst Czar of Twin Elms, Mae Baeton, Group 1 at Manitowac September 13.

OBEEDIENCE WINS (From a BCOA report by Gladys Dykstra)

There were 9 CDs earned and 1 CDX earned in 1964. Total number of degrees ever earned by Borzoi are 63 CDs, 11 CDXs and 2 UDs. Two Borzoi earned Canadian CDs, Meyer's Ivan Am/Can CD owner R G & E R Keppler and Meyer's Beautiful Am/Can CD owner Gladys Dykstra

NOVICE A: Gigi and owner Jack C Lewellen earned a 189 at the Golden Gate kennel club trial January 11, a 190 at the San Mateo dog training club trial March 8, and finished with a 187 at the Contra Costa Country trial June 7. Ch Prima Ballerina Duncan and owner Dwyer Duncan earned a 192 at the Oklahoma City kennel club trial February 29, a 187 at the Mid Continent kennel club of Tulsa's trial April 26 and finished with a 195 at the Oklahoma City obedience training club trial April 12. Sonja Cyril of Jobi and owner V J Knapick earned a 177 at the San Antonio kennel club trial March 8, and a 186 at the Galveston County kennel club trial March 14. Lancelot of Rancho Gabriel and owners John & Fay Harned earned a 191 at the San Lorenzo dog training club trial May 10, a 183.5 at the Oakland dog training club trial May 17, and finished with a 183.5 at the Contra Costa County kennel club trial June 7. Count Nicholas of Borodin and owner M Guetschew earned a 189 at the Badger kennel club trial June 28. Lulla Milka and owner Mrs R H (Judy) Lofgren earned a 171 at the Harbor Cities kennel club trial June 20 and a 192.5 at the Antelope Valley kennel club trial December 13. Ch Buks Ben Nilance and owner Chester Bukwaz earned a 187 at the Saginaw Valley kennel club trial June 26, a 192 at the Monroe kennel club trial July 4 and finished



with a 192.5 at the Livonia kennel club trial September 6.

NOVICE B: Ch Warhills Khazar Khan and owner Joan Kreamelmeyer earned a 190 at the Hoosier kennel club trial March 22, a 195 at the Louisville kennel club trial March 1, and finished with a 183 at the Dayton kennel club trial April 12. Ravnina of Gwejon and Edith DonDero earned a 178 at the Windham Country kennel club trial May 10, a 188 at the Framingham District kennel club trial May 31 and finished with a 196 at the Greater Lowell kennel club trial August 16. Meyer's Ivan with owner R G & E R Keppler earned a 196.5 at the Holyoke dog obedience training club trial October 11, a 194 at the Albany obedience club trial October 17, and finished with a 189 at the Patroon dog training club trial October 18. Ch Rogue of Rancho Gabriel and owners Phydema & Lyle Gillette earned a 192.5 at the Sacramento kennel club trial October 11 and a 190 at the San Mateo kennel club trial November 15. Meyers Beautiful and owner Gladys Dykstra earned a 196 at the Holyoke dog obedience training club trial October 11, a 195.5 at the Obedience training club of Rhode Island trial November 8 and finished with a 196.5 at the South Shore dog training club trial December 8. Ch Hasus Elena of Conamor and owner Nancy Shaner earned a 177 at the Mt Vernon dog training club trial October 3, a 174.5 at the Capital dog training club of Washington DC trial October 4, and finished with a 171 at the Maryland kennel club trial November 28. Ch Gravel Gertie O'Brandons Star and owner Martha Denton earned a 187 at the Nashville dog training club trial November 22.

OPEN B: Ch Dentons Matvey CD and owner John Gamber earned a 189.5 at the Penn Treaty kennel club trial April 26 to finish his CDX title. Ramadam Rio Rita CDX and owner Joanne Weaver earned a 193 at the Pasadena kennel club trial May 31, a 196.5 at the Harbor Cities kennel club trial June 20, and a 192 at the Southwest obedience club of LA trial July 18.

UTILITY: Ramadam Rio Rita CDX and owner Joanne Weaver earned a 192 at the

Southeast obedience club of Lynwood trial June 7

BIRTHS

March 25, 6 males, 4 females, self blacks, self greys, light reds, red with mahogany tipping. Sired by Ch Tersai of Gwejon out of Belka of Gwejon, breeder Gwen Pinette

April 16, 3 males, 6 females, sired by Lockley Hall's Boyer out of Perchinoff Zanoza O'Zcerlov, breeder Andrew Key. One of these pups would be the first Borzoi owned by Gloria Reese.

April, 4 pups, black and white and pale red and white, out of Sasha of Sharramoor sired by Ch Trezor Donitz of Warhill, breeders Harry Ferguson & Bill Shepard.

May 18, 5 girls, 4 boys, by Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill bred to his grand daughter Ch Cordova Mishka of Baronoff, breeder Louise Heaton

August 10, 6 males, white, white with sable, white with lemon, and 1 female, white with lemon markings, sired by Rogue of Rancho Gabriel out of Ch Pocahontas of Rancho Gabriel, breeder Lyle & Phydema Gillette

September 7, 5 boys 4 girls, by Bel Air's The Sun King of Malora x Miss Kitty of Rancho Gabriel, breeders Cliff and Jean Smith.

September 19, 6 boys, 6 girls, by Loral's Chalka of Mariah (owner Ed Huff) x Loral's D Valhalla of Aristoff, breeder Edward Abblett. Colors are white and blue, white and black with tan cheeks and eyebrows

October 1, 9 red & white and self red pups by Gay Wolves Moseltov x Ch Niobe of Rancho Gabriel, breeder Ruth Campbell.

October 2, 10 pups by Ch Sascha Kochab of Hethivar CDX (owner Gail McRae) x Ch The Don's Zephora of Malora, breeder Edward Abblett. Colors are black & white, silver & white. blue & white, red & white, and mahogany brindle & white.

October 15, 3 females, 7 males sired by Ch Timon of Rancho Gabriel x Ch Ney-

Che of Rancho Gabriel. Breeder Walter & Marian Pack (Kulikoff).

1 cream, 2 whites, 7 goldens

November 6, one self black male with white trim and one black & white female by The Shadow of Deacon x Locksley Hall's Trina, breeder Bill Rowland

November 6, Eleven pups, mostly white, by Zcerlov's D'Or Star x Ch Perchinoff Ciadona O'Zcerlov, breeder Andres Legerre.

DEATHS

William Woodcock (Suntan kennels of California) died January 1964. He was one of the founders of the Borzoi Club of California. Nellie Woods Hilsmier's husband, Michael Hilsmier (Woodhill kennels of Indiana) died July 1964. Borzoi passings: Kassatka of Rancho Gabriel CD, owners Ed & Joanne Weaver, and Ch Hasi Murat of Suntan, owner Marion Woodstock, in the Fall 1964. Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD October 27 1953 – June 24, 1964, the first Borzoi Champion for Phydema & Lyle Gillette. Clarence & Pauline Eldred import from Holland, Ch Duke Worroneff von Sonneck (Ch Tobolzkoi Krasnoje Selo x Vigowa Krasnoje Selo) died of a heart attack. July 23, 1960 – November 1963. He finished with 4 majors and won BOB at two Specialties.

OTHER NEWS

Betty Forry's "Nevada", Ch Oakshades Don Paco of Marbob, is pictured in the Sears Spring catalog. Nevada appears in the TV show Burke's Law with Glynnis John. Ed Abblett "Zephora", Ch Don's Zephora of Malora, was on Al Lomand's TV show. Gwen & John Pinette's brace, Ch Vershok of Gwejon Vershok and Ch Vosmoi of Gwejon Am/Can CD, were in a fashion show in Claremont NH, where they stood on the stage for the entire show. Renee & Toxey Smith's Ch Mojave' White Falcon, has been on TV shows. Helen Colstad's "Rube", Ch Perchinoff Rubles O'Zcerlov, and "Zaida", Perchinoff Zinaida O'Zcerlov, have appeared on several episodes of the "Pete and



Gladys “TV show. In San Francisco at the Club Finocchio, Genevieve Pitcock’s Ch Yermak’s Ekatrina made several appearances on stage with the entertainers. Meyers Beautiful Tanya Am/Can CD, owner Gladys Dykstra won the Dog World’s Award of Distinction for earning a CD in 3 trials with scores 195 or better.

In Gwen Pinette’s borzoi column in the AKC Gazette, she mentions that she was getting reports from several areas in the country about increased ads in newspapers for free borzoi, borzoi available at humane societies and borzoi for sale at pet shops for cheap prices. Were people breeding too many borzoi ?

“Kazah” a one year old Borzoi was recently sent to the 27th Infantry, The Wolfhounds, in Hawaii by Lorraine Groshans to be their mascot. He was re-named Kolchak V. His picture was on TV and in the newspapers. The 27th Infantry got their nickname from a 1918 Siberian campaign when the Bolsheviks remarked that they felt they were pursued by Wolfhounds when the 27th Infantry chased them. When the 27th Infantry left Siberia, the Russian Admiral Alexander Kolchak of the allied forces present them with a pure bred white Borzoi, who was then named Kolchak.

The Sewickley PA BCOA trophy supported entry on September 19, had 19 Borzoi shown. BOB and Group 4 to Ch

Nicolai of Tam-Boer, owner Eva Klipfel, BW/WD to Vershok of Gwejon breeder/owner John & Gwen Pinette, BOS/ WB to Dennise of Tam-Boer breeder/owner Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer, RWD to Trezor Ivan, breeder/owner Russell Everhart and RWB to Alexandra Kry-Lyesa owner Irmgard Thompson. Exhibitors enjoyed a get together and BCOA meeting, the night before the show.

Charles Conally’s Vala Rama’s Sweet Bird of Youth was the #1 Borzoi in Canada for 1963. Todd Sterling showed in Chatham Ontario where his Canadian bred Begonia of Ykrainia won WB, BOB and Group 4. Todd’s Vodka Abdou of Shore Acres won WD and BOS.

Martha Taylor (Zcerlov) has left Missouri and moved back to Los Angeles. Moving to Missouri from Chicago are Lawrence and Erma Denton who plan to build their retirement house in the Ozarks. Chester and Louise Clark, who bred Sleeping Bear Borzoi in the 1950s when living in Michigan, are now in Mogadiscio Somali Republic, where Chester is an engineer for the Agency For International Development, United States Aid Mission.

Ads in the AKC Gazette

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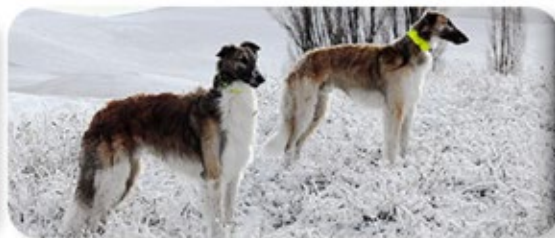
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“Puppies, Dogs, stud service, Krisquier Kennels, Burr Oak Michigan”

“Puppies and stud service, Mr & Mrs John Pinette Claremont NH”

In the December issue, a picture of Russell & Cleoh Everhart with two Borzoi “Holiday Greetings” “pups by Trezor Ivan available. §

(Editor’s note, in the AKC Gazettes Borzoi column, Gwen Pinette wrote an article “Borzoi Structure Relative To Motion”. This 3-part series appears in November 1964 page 48, December 1964 page 71 and January 1965 page 44. If you would like to read this, the AKC Gazettes are online at <https://library.akc.org/> Each Gazette consists of 3 pdf files: Main Body containing articles and titles earned, the Secretary’s Page, and Show Results.)



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