



BAGPIPES *EXTRA Edition*

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Congratulations to our new titlists! Please e-mail me your brags and stories at Buckeyegumption@yahoo.com

OBEDIENCE

NEW AKC CD TITLE (A CLASS)

CH Woodsong's Danner Take a Hike, RE, HSAsd (Danner)
Leg 3- 3rd Place (171.5) Arrowhead Kennel Club (AZ) 4/7/13
Leg 2- 2th Place (180) Kachina Kennel Club (AZ) 4/6/13
Leg 1- 1st Place (184) Bearded Collie Club of America National (CA) 10/19/1
"Danner" is loved, owned, and handled by Nancy Thompson

NEW CKC OTCH* TITLE (A CLASS)

CH Nonesuch D'arque Black Sensation CKC - RE CDX AgI AgNJ HIC VX/AKC - RN
Leg 3- 1st Place (193.5) Simcoe Performance Dogs (Canada) 3/3/13
Leg 2- 4th Place (191.5) CKCS Club of Canada (Canada) 12/4/11
Leg 1- 4th Place (194.5) CKCS Club of Canada (Canada) 12/3/11
"Windy" is loved, owned and trained by Jaimie Short. She is co-owned with her breeder, Cheryl Poliak.
*NOTE: The CKC equivalent to the AKC UD is an OTCH.

RALLY

NEW AKC RALLY RN TITLE (A CLASS)

GCH CH Lakewood Forever Cool, CGC, TDI (Dino)
Leg 3- (88) Columbia Kennel Club (MO) 3/10/13
Leg 2- (94) Columbia Kennel Club (MO) 3/09/13
Leg 1- 2nd Place (96)--Columbia Kennel Club (MO) 3/11/12
"Dino" is bred, owned & trained by Julie Patzius

NEW AKC RA TITLE (B CLASS)

OTCH/CH Nonesuch D'arque Black Sensation CKC - RE AgI AgNJ HIC VX/AKC - RN
Leg 3- 1st Place (100) Progressive Dog Club of Wayne County (NY) 4/26/13
Leg 2- 1st Place (99) Finger Lakes Kennel Club (NY) 3/28/13
Leg 1- 1st Place (100) Kennel Club of Buffalo, Inc. (NY) 1/12/13
"Windy" is loved, owned and trained by Jaimie Short. She is co-owned with her breeder, Cheryl Poliak.

NEW UKC URO3 TITLE (B CLASS)

URO2 Kirriemuir's Legend at Bedlam BN, CD, RE (Friday)
Leg 3- (97) United Marion Dog Training Assoc. (FL) 4/14/13
Leg 2- (95) United Marion Dog Training Assoc. (FL) 4/13/13
Leg 1- (92) United Marion Dog Training Assoc. (FL) 4/13/13
Friday" is owned, trained and handled by Alice Bixler of Summerfield, FL

And to top it all off is Teddy, the "James Brown" (busiest dog) of APDT Rally. "Teddy" is owned and trained by Karen & Jeff D'Elia

NEW WORLD CYNOSPORT (APDT) RALLY ARCH TITLE

CH Liberty's Blessed With Micah (Teddy)
QQ 1 - (205, 204) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 10/27/2012
QQ 2 - (201, 190) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 10/27/2012
QQ 3 - (205, 190) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 1/05/2013
QQ 4 - (208, 193) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 1/05/2013
QQ 5 - (205, 202) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 3/16/2013
Plus additional points earned in Level 1B and 2B to total 100 points.

NEW WORLD CYNOSPORT (APDT) RALLY 2ND 1 CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE

CH Liberty's Blessed With Micah (Teddy)
Leg 1 - (200) Versatile K9 Sports Club (NJ) 10/13/2012
Leg 2 - (206) Versatile K9 Sports Club (NJ) 10/13/2012
Leg 3 - (205) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 10/27/2012
Leg 4 - (201) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 10/27/2012
Leg 5 - (204) Blue Ribbon Dog Sports (NJ) 12/22/2012
Leg 6 - (205) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 01/05/2013
Leg 7 - (208) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 01/05/2013
Leg 8 - (203) Positive Motivation Dog Training (NJ) 01/19/2013
Leg 9 - (205) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 3/16/2013
Leg 10 - (207) Versatile K9 Sports Club (NJ) 4/20/2013

NEW WORLD CYNOSPORT (APDT) RALLY 2 CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE

CH Liberty's Blessed With Micah (Teddy)
Leg 1 - (204) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 10/27/2012
Leg 2 - (190) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 10/27/2012
Leg 3 - (189) Blue Ribbon Dog Sports (NJ) 12/22/2012
Leg 4 - (190) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 1/05/2013
Leg 5 - (193) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 1/05/2013
Leg 6 - (189) Positive Motivation Dog Training (NJ) 1/19/2013
Leg 7 - (202) It's Majic K9 Coaching (NJ) 3/16/2013
Leg 8 - (202) Kellar's Canine Academy (NJ) 4/07/2013
Leg 9 - (196) Kellar's Canine Academy (NJ) 4/07/2013
Leg 10 - (204) Versatile K9 Sports Club (NJ) 4/20/2013

HIGHLAND HERDING

Ann Witte

“SIDE BY SIDE”

First, to discern which side (flank) is the dog’s “weak” side; one notices in the very early stages that almost every dog will move both wider and more consistently around sheep on it’s “strong” side. Even later in training, this dog will tend to run closer or dive in on its “weak” side and you should be able to see the difference. Remember that any quadruped OR biped usually has a preferred side or hand; most humans are right-handed for example. The source here is a combination of brain wiring and physical training.

As with any physical attribute, the body - and thus the brain - can be trained to be ambidexterous. This training helps the musculature on the “weak” side to become more adept at moving the dog in a smooth curve without the natural discomfort - and even fear - of moving on that side. Even bipeds can learn to use the opposite hand for fine work with training.

The training is fairly simple; using the “circle-stop” exercise, you will send the dog on its “strong” side once for each 3 or 4 times the dog is sent on its “weak” side. This needs to always be at a trot for maximum effect. This exercise trains the body (muscles) and brain to find a balance so that there is eventually no weak or strong side at all. Used muscles will gain strength and faster response to the nerve signals. When it is clear that you understand the dog’s approach, most dogs will happily appreciate the fact!

NEW HERDING TITLES

Elsa Sell

REMINDERS TO EVERYONE

1) To have the Master’s title officially recorded by AKC (and thus recognized by the BCCA), the owner must submit to AKC a form documenting the 8 qualifying runs.

2) HIC sponsors are responsible for proper submission of paperwork to the HIC secretary (Marilynn Snook). For each dog (passing and non-passing) you need to send in

- registration/entry form
- the judge’s signed HIC test form, and
- a copy of the dog’s AKC registration (or PAL/ILP # and form).

These are necessary to complete the HIC certificate for the owner and to have credits toward the ROMI and ROMIX for each dog’s sire and dam. The HIC secretary is responsible for maintaining the database for ROMI and ROMIX and for sending the HIC certificates; without the information, nothing will happen.

3) If a regional club that is not licensed for AKC herding trials wishes to use the BCCA license for a trial, contact Elsa (beaconbb@bellsouth.net) for how to do this. Plan ahead – you need 1 – 1 ½ years from first thought to the trial.

AKC TITLES

HT and PT. Pentangle’s Special Agent, 3/24/13. Elizabeth Scorzelli.

HXAdM, HXAsM. Pengangle’s Pedal to the Metal, 8/26/12. Sharon Baker.

BCCA HIC

Jocala Forget Me Not. Carol & Joseph Lamb

NCBCF AGILITY TRIAL

Libby Myers-Buhite



Back left: Sharon Baker, Jana Dozet, Shannon Smart
Back center: Libby Myers- Buhite, Dave and Sharon Anderson and Pat Palozzola
Front left: Karen Ryder and Carol Colavecchio
Front right: Sharon Prassa, Jack Buhite, Pam Harris, and Steve Lausmann

The Northern California Bearded Collie Fanciers are celebrating their Thirty-Fifth Anniversary and began their thirteenth annual Regional Specialty events on April 19 at WAG in Elk Grove with three days of all breed and Specialty agility trials. We are looking forward to Conformation, Sweeps, Herding, Obedience, and Rally in June. In all fifteen Beardie People and twenty Beardies attended the trial: David Anderson and Sharon Anderson with MacKenzie, Sharon Baker with Dani and Sophie, Jack Buhite and Libby Myers-Buhite with Ceilidh, Lark, and Frolic, Carol Colavecchio with Pal, Jana Dozet, who came Beardieless just to help out, Pam Harris with Mary and Kona, Steve Lausmann with Izzy and Bailey, Molly McNamara with Max and Stanley, Dianne Morey with Royal, Pat Palozzola, who came as a vendor with a different Beardie each day, Sharon Prassa with Ry, Karen Ryder with Sadie and Sheena, and Shannon Smart with Beckham and Loki. Although Tammy Domico, Meha Harthill, and Janice Kehoe had entered, they were unable to come and were greatly missed.

As usual, the comradeship was extraordinary and we particularly enjoyed socializing in “Beardie Row” between working very hard in all areas to make this a well-run and happy event. Many thanks to those who gave their all, especially our Trial Chair, Jack Buhite, Jana Dozet, Steve Lausmann, Sharon Prassa, and Pam Harris, who worked the entire trial from set-up to teardown. Our fourteen Beardies in competition did very well, earning many legs and titles! Our Judges, Mark and Ann Rudd, were appreciated by all. Mark commented that Beardies’ athleticism is greatly under appreciated!

Our Awards table drew many favorable comments! Each year our Agility Banner with a Beardie Jumping the Golden Gate Bridge is displayed, and our Pioneer Trophy, donated by Iris Berry, Sharon Prassa, and Libby and Jack Buhite in honor of Spiff, Annie, and Skye, is inscribed with all of our Agility Highs in Trial. Shannon Smart organized the High in Trial Gifts, lovely bags from Laura Columbo with a hand painted Beardie by Val Maloney. They were a hit both for Beardies and all-breed admirers and Beardie handlers desperately wanted to win one!

“Dear Libby, I want to thank you for creating the canvas that gave Pal and me the opportunity to have a Fun, Great Weekend. The Folks that make up the NCBCF and BAD Clubs are super. They are untiring workers, supportive in competition and provide their Beardies with activities that keep them healthy and happy. I so enjoyed hanging out with all of you. The ribbons and prizes were first class, and the lunches tasty. WAG is a great facility and I feel lucky that I live fairly close to it. We look forward to next year for some more fun.”

– Carol Colavecchio, Pal and Joy

Highs in Trial:

Saturday, April 20, 2013

Standard - **Dianne Morey's Royal**

JWW - **Steve Lausmann's Bailey**

FAST - **Steve Lausmann's Bailey**

Time 2 Beat - **Jack Buhite's Ceilidh**

Sunday, April 21, 2013

Standard - **Pam Harris' Mary**

JWW - **Jack Buhite's Ceilidh**

Time 2 Beat - **Shannon Smart's Beckham**

Friday, April 19, 2013

Standard Master 20" - Pam Harris' Mary

CH Spindrift Something About Mary BN RA PT MX MXJ XF VX
100 50.29'/60' 171 yds = 3.776 yps +9 CPs

Jumpers Master 20" - Jack Buhite's Ceilidh

O'Duinnin Celebration Ale RE PT AX MXJ XF T2B VX
100 27.21'/39' 145 yds = 5.329 yps +11 CPs

Time to Beat 20" - Jack Buhite's Ceilidh

O'Duinnin Celebration Ale RE PT AX MXJ XF T2B VX
9 points 35.61'/32.88'

Saturday, April 20, 2013

Standard - High in Trial - Dianne Morey's Royal

Excellent 20" - Dianne Morey's Royal

Chantilly's Royal Motions To Pagoda PT OA AXJ
100 2nd/10 50.00'/62' 178 yds 3.955 yps 4.155 w/+2 adj.

Preferred Excellent 16"- Steve Lausmann's Izzy

CH Springhill's Isabelle OA AXJ OF
100 2nd/5 50.35'/67' 178 yds (AXP) +16 CPs

Master 20" - Pam Harris' Mary

CH Spindrift Something About Mary BN RA PT MX MXJ XF VX
100 54.18'/62' 178 yds +7 CPs

Novice B 20" - Steve Lausmann's Bailey

CH Springhill's Against All Odds HT NAJ NF
95 3rd/7 38.81'/66' 137 yds

JWW - High in Trial - Steve Lausmann's Bailey

Novice B 20" - Steve Lausmann's Bailey

CH Springhill's Against All Odds HT NAJ NF
100 1st/10 24.46'/39' 116 yds = 4.74 yps (NAJ)

Open 20" - Dave Anderson's MacKenzie

Highlander Let's Dance CD RE NA NAJ NF VA
94 2nd/13 39.95'/36' 127 yds (OAJ VX)

Novice B 20" - Carol Colavecchio's Pal

CH Aellen The Playmaker HT PT HSAs HIAs CGC
90 4th/10 33.39'/39' 116 yds (NAJ)

FAST - High in Trial - Steve Lausmann's Bailey

Novice B 20" - Steve Lausmann's Bailey

CH Springhill's Against All Odds HT NAJ NF
63 points 29.01'/32' 3rd/9 (NF)

Master 20" - Shannon Smart's Beckham

GCH Spindrift Bend It Like Beckham PT AX AXJ XF VX
62 points 34.72'/32'

Master 20" - Pam Harris' Mary

CH Spindrift Something About Mary BN RA PT MX MXJ XF VX
61 points 35.95'/32'

Novice B 20" - Dianne Morey's Royal

Chantilly's Royal Motions To Pagoda PT OA AXJ
59 points 36.95'/32'

Time 2 Beat 20" - High in Trial - Jack Buhite's Ceilidh

Championship 20"- Jack Buhite's Ceilidh

O'Duinnin Celebration Ale RE PT AX MXJ XF T2B VX
36.55' 6 points 36.55'/27.57'

Preferred 16"- Steve Lausmann's Izzy

CH Springhill's Isabelle OA AXJ OF
38.14' 8 points 38.14'/33.60'

Sunday, April 21, 2013

Standard - High in Trial - Pam Harris' Mary

Master 20"- Pam Harris' Mary

CH Spindrift Something About Mary BN RA PT MX MXJ XF VX
100 49.93'/62' 176 yds/3.917 yps/4.117 w/+2 adj. 12 CPs QQ

JWW - High in Trial - Jack Buhite's Ceilidh

Master 20"- Jack Buhite's Ceilidh

O'Duinnin Celebration Ale RE PT AX MXJ XF T2B VX
100 29.16'/40' = 150 yds/5.144 yps/ 5.344 w/+2 adj. +10 CPs

Novice B 20" - Steve Lausmann's Bailey

CH Springhill's Against All Odds HT NAJ NF
100 1st/8 23.27'/41' 123 yds = 5.286 yps

Novice B 20" - Carol Colavecchio's Pal

CH Aellen The Playmaker HT PT HSAs HIAs CGC
100 3rd/8 39.50'/41' 123 yds

Master 20" - Pam Harris' Mary

CH Spindrift Something About Mary BN RA PT MX MXJ XF VX
100 38.22'/40' 150 yds +1 CP +QQ

Time 2 Beat - High in Trial - Shannon Smart's Beckham

Championship 20" - Shannon Smart's Beckham

GCH Spindrift Bend It Like Beckham PT AX AXJ XF VX
30.54' 9 points 30.54'/28.51'

Preferred 16" - Steve Lausmann's Izzy

CH Springhill's Isabelle OA AXJ OF
34.20' 10 points 34.20'/34.20' 1st/7

Championship 20" - Pam Harris' Mary

CH Spindrift Something About Mary BN RA PT MX MXJ XF VX
41.22' 5 points 41.22'/28.51'

