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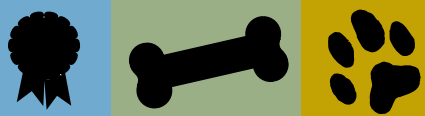
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"Jazz" aka Hungry Pt.
Casino Music.
Owned by Pam Larson.
Photograph by Dick Sonnen.

Letter from the President

Dear Members,

We have had a busy few months already with our awards program graciously and beautifully hosted by Suzie Bosshart. An all breed fun match that helped to fulfill an AKC requirement and raised monies for our club too. And two days of all pointing breed hunt tests. We are fortunate to have a large contingent of willing workers in our club so that we can successfully offer such events. I'd like to take the time to thank the following club members who worked at one or more of these club events: Suzie Bosshart, Jane Burrows, Jan Casperson, Gloria Dallum, Laurie Engel, John Hudson, Maggie LeFebvre, Andrea Holste, Julie Luck, Brenna Luck, Rose Miller, Sherrill Neudahl, Christel Sorg and Gayle Townsend.

As I traveled to other hunt tests this spring I received many compliments on our hunt tests, people really seemed to appreciate the hospitality that we offered.

At our next club meeting I'm looking forward to having some fun with our dogs in a more relaxed fashion. See details of the upcoming meeting below. Until then enjoy the summer with your setters, nothing could be better.

*Sincerely,
Sandy Hudson*

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MESC June Membership Meeting and Dog Walk!

The June meeting will be held at Laurie Engel's on
SATURDAY, JUNE 16 AT 7:30 PM.
 Bring a dog and your walking shoes. We will walk around Lake Nokomis.
 A business meeting will follow the walk.

Laurie's address
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Any idea who this
pretty face belongs to?



If you guessed "Dolly", owned by Maggie LeFebvre you are right.



Rusty



Hobo

Rescue Contact

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Rescue Report

Maggie reports that 2 Setters are currently available for adoption. English Setters are placed through the Carver-Scott Humane Society. Please contact Maggie LeFebvre (dog1harley@aol.com) for more information.

Rusty is a 3-year-old orange and white English setter. He was picked up by animal control and no one came to claim him. Rusty is a very friendly, active, sweet, smart, lovable dog who warms up to people right away. He gets along with most other dogs, does OK in the car, and likes petting and tummy rubs. He is not yet comfortable walking on leash. Rusty knows "sit", greets you at the door and follows you around the house. He needs a yard with a solid fence, as he climbed the 5-foot chain link fence at his foster home.

Hobo is a neutered 6 yr old blue and white male English Setter. He is current on all of his shots, HW and parasite negative. Hobo's former owner passed away and the family couldn't keep him. Hobo is housebroken, he whines when he needs to go outside to potty. Hobo gets along with cats and other dogs. Hobo's former owner was an elderly woman, so Hobo would prefer to be in a quiet home.

2012 MESC Specialty Update

Plans for the 2012 MESC Specialty are nearly in place; however, there are a few volunteer opportunities available for those who may be interested.

The Specialty will be held inside in the Poultry Building on the east end of the fairgrounds. Our traditional picnic on Thursday will feature barbecued pulled pork and pulled chicken. Everyone is asked to bring a side dish or dessert to share. I will be making a big batch of baked beans.

We will also have our traditional silent auction/raffle. Remember to be collecting items for the raffle as this is a very important funding source for our specialty.

A committee has been working hard on trophies. Suzie Bosshart and Gloria Dallum have made some beautiful items for Thursday. I'm working on items for Friday, and Sandy Hudson and Jane Burrows have done the obedience and rally trophies for both days. Julie Luck is making the Best of Opposite prize for Thursday and the Best of Breed prize for Friday. We have many handmade items in this year's prize list which every prize winner will love.

We will have our own obedience competition on both Thursday and Friday, and we will have Rally. We would like to have a rousing obedience and rally competition, so start now to sharpen your and your dog's skills! Unfortunately, the obedience/rally judge that we had selected for Thursday canceled her contract a couple of weeks ago, so we are still searching for a replacement.

If you are interested in advertising in the Specialty Catalog, please contact me. The prices for advertising are \$40 for a full page, \$25 for a half page, \$20 for a quarter page, with a \$10 fee per photo. The deadline for advertising is July 15. All proceeds (after expenses) come back to MESC.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We need a Chief Ring Steward, as well as steward helpers, and someone to coordinate the Friday breakfast. If you are willing to perform either of these jobs, please contact me.

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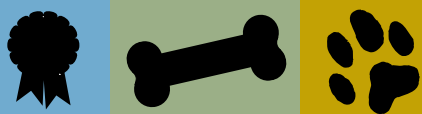
2012 Specialty Judges

Thursday, August 23, 2012

Sweeps –
Mrs. Delores Burkholder
Breed & Juniors –
Mr. Jack Gohde
Obedience & Rally – TBD

Friday, August 24, 2012

Sweeps – Ms. Patricia Darke
Breed & Juniors –
Mrs. Kimberly Meredith-
Cavanna
Obedience & Rally –
Mr. Phil Rustad



Save the Dates

- **JUNE 16, 2012**
MESC Membership Meeting and Dog Walk
 Laurie Engel's house.

- **AUGUST 23 & 24, 2012**
MESC Specialty Shows
 Washington Cty Frngnds,
 Lake Elmo, MN

Upcoming Shows

| | SHOW DATES | CLOSING DATE |
|---|----------------------|----------------|
| LAKE MINNETONKA KENNEL CLUB Scott County Fairgrounds • Jordan, MN Judges: Sat/Mr. Lewis W Bayne Sun/ Mr. William Cunningham Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | June 9 & 10, 2012 | May 23, 2012 |
| ANOKA COUNTY KENNEL CLUB Isanti County Fairgrounds • Cambridge, MN Judges: Thurs/Ms. Linda C More Fri/TBD Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | June 21 & 22, 2012 | June 6, 2012 |
| CAMBRIDGE KENNEL CLUB Isanti County Fairgrounds • Cambridge, MN Judges: Sat/Arley D Hussin Sun/Mr. Charles E Trotter Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | June 23 & 24, 2012 | June 6, 2012 |
| HAWKEYE KENNEL CLUB Johnson County Fairgrounds • Iowa City, IA Judges: Sat/Mrs. Chris Walkowicz Sun/Mr. Terry Stacy Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | June 23 & 24, 2012 | June 6, 2012 |
| KETTLE MORAINÉ ENGLISH SETTER CLUB Winnegamie Dog Club Training Center Menasha, WI Judges: Sat/Dr. Brenda (BJ) J Parsons Sun/Dana P Cline Jan Ruggles, Event Secretary • (586) 854-1794 • mackenziedream@yahoo.com | June 23 & 24, 2012 | June 6, 2012 |
| DULUTH KENNEL CLUB Duluth Entertainment Conv Cntr • Duluth, MN Judges: Fri/ Mr. Roger R Hartinger Sat/Mr. Frank T Sabella Sun/Ms. Sherrie Bercklin Morgan Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | July 13-15, 2012 | June 27, 2012 |
| KENNEL CLUB OF FREEBORN COUNTY, MINNESOTA, INC. Albert Lea City Arena • Albert Lea, MN Judges: Sat/Dana P Cline Sun/Mr. Wayne E Bousek Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | August 11 & 12, 2012 | July 25, 2012 |
| MINNESOTA ENGLISH SETTER CLUB SPECIALTY Washington County Fairgrounds • Lake Elmo, MN Judges: Thurs/Jack L Gohde Jr. Thurs Sweeps/Ms. Patricia Darke Fri/Mrs. Kimberly Meredith-Cavanna Fri. Sweeps/Mrs. Delores Burkholder Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | August 23 & 24, 2012 | August 8, 2012 |
| ST. CROIX VALLEY KENNEL CLUB Washington County Fairgrounds • Lake Elmo, MN Judges: Sat/Bonnie P Threlfall Sun/Mrs. Carole A Beattie Superintendent – Onofrio Dog Shows | August 25 & 26, 2012 | August 8, 2012 |

Please double check all dates with the show superintendent before entering.

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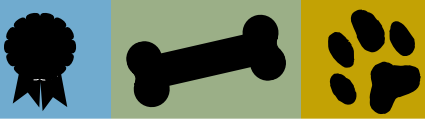
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Simple dog treats you can make yourself.

Recipes

Oven-Dehydrated Liver Treats

- Slice beef liver or chicken livers into thin strips, approximately 1/8 inch thick.
- Lay the slices on a rack. Leave approximately 1/2 inch of space between slices of meat to allow for proper air circulation. Place the rack on a cookie sheet with sides.
- Cook the meat in a preheated 145 degree Fahrenheit oven for eight to 10 hours.
- Remove the liver strips from the oven when they feel leathery, like jerky, without being brittle.
- Leave the strips on the racks and allow them to cool completely. Place the cooled liver strips into storage bags or jars. Leave the storage containers open overnight to temper the dehydrated meat.

Check each slice of dried liver to see that it is still firm and leathery. If any pieces feel soft, you can repeat the dehydrating process or set them aside to feed to your dog right away. Properly dried liver strips should be put back into their storage containers and stored in the refrigerator or freezer for up to two months.

Sweet Potato Treats

- Slice the sweet potatoes 1/8 inch thick or so.
- Place the slices on a cake rack which is placed on a cookie pan (this allows air to get under the slices).
- Use as low a temperature as you can for 2+/- hours. Hold the oven door slightly open.
- Your goal is to dry out the slices slowly.

If they look dry and kind of bend like leather - you've got them. They are fibrous, and help keeping teeth clean.

When done right, they taste pretty good!

Easy Liver Cookies

Chop 1 lb. of liver into 1-inch cubes. Place it in a blender with a approximately 1/4 cup of water and puree into a paste.

Transfer the liver puree into a mixing bowl. Add the cornmeal, oats and rice. Stir until the ingredients are well mixed.

Drop the cookie dough onto a greased cookie sheet by the teaspoonful. Use the back of your spoon to lightly flatten the top and shape it into a cookie.

Bake in a preheated, 350 degree Fahrenheit oven for 15 to 20 minutes. Transfer the liver treats to a cooling rack and allow them to cool completely before placing them in a storage container. Store in the refrigerator.

Tips & Warnings

Place fresh livers in the freezer for an hour or two before slicing, long enough for them to firm up without completely freezing. Slightly frozen livers are easier to slice into thin strips than completely thawed meat.

Prevent the liver cookie batter from sticking to your spoon while you are trying to drop or shape cookies by dipping it into a glass of water or sprinkling it lightly with cornmeal.

Properly wash your hands, cutlery and cutting surface with hot, soapy water after handling raw liver. Do not allow raw slices of liver or juices to come in contact with cooked products.

Since you never know when an accident will happen, keeping a pet emergency kit at your home is a good idea. A smaller kit could be used in the car. You can put a first aid kit together yourself and buy the items separately, or buy one ready-made. If you make one yourself, use a small plastic tub with a tight fitting lid to store the following items:

Making a First Aid Kit for Your Dog

— *Veterinary Services Department, Drs. Foster & Smith, Inc.*

Important Phone Numbers

- Veterinary clinic phone number and directions to the clinic
- Emergency clinic phone number and directions
- Poison control center phone numbers

Equipment and Supplies

- Muzzle, or roll of gauze for making a muzzle
- Magnifying glass
- Scissors
- Tweezers
- Nail clippers and metal nail file
- Styptic powder or sticks, Kwik Stop, or cornstarch
- Penlight
- Nylon slip leash
- Eye dropper or oral syringe
- Cotton swabs
- Cotton balls
- Clean towels - cloth and paper
- Rectal thermometer
- Lubricant such as mineral oil or KY Jelly (without spermicide)
- Disposable gloves
- Syringes of various sizes
- Needle-nose pliers or hemostats
- Grease-cutting dish soap
- Bitter Apple or other product to discourage licking
- Pet carrier
- Towel or blanket to use as a stretcher, another to keep your dog warm during transport (some pharmacies and camping outlets carry a thermal blanket)
- Cold packs and heat packs (wrap in towel before using)
- Stethoscope

Bandaging Materials

- Square gauze of various sizes - some sterile
- Non-stick pads
- First aid tape - both paper (easily comes off of skin) and adhesive types
- Bandage rolls - gauze and Vetwrap
- Band-Aids (for humans)

Nutritional Support

- Rehydrating solution such as Gatorade or Pedialyte
- Nutritional supplement such as Nutri-Cal, Vitacal, or Nutristat
- High sugar source: Karo syrup

Medicines*

- Wound disinfectant such as Betadine or Nolvasan
- Triple antibiotic ointment for skin
- Antibiotic ophthalmic ointment for eyes, e.g., Terramycin
- Eye wash solution
- Sterile saline
- Antidiarrheal medicine such as Pet Pectate
- Diphenhydramine (Benadryl) for allergic reactions (obtain dose from your veterinarian)
- Cortisone spray or cream, such as Itch Stop
- Ear cleaning solution
- Hydrogen peroxide (used to make a dog vomit - only use as directed by a veterinarian)
- Activated charcoal to absorb ingested poisons (consult your veterinarian before using)

*Watch the expiration dates on any medication, and replace as needed.

Braggs



— From Amy Miller

Ch. Set'r Ridges National Pride N Glory (Louie) had a awesome class dog career with Lindsey Kuhn. He finished at 16 months old. His first shows he picked up back to back supported entry majors. He was WD & BOW at the CCESC speciality. Finished with 4 majors from the 12-18 month class. His first weekend out as a Special he picked up a supported entry major by going select dog for his first GCH major. Louie is loved and owned by Pam & Amy Miller.

— From Suzie Bosshart

New babies at BenMer out of Scarlet. *Am/Int'l Ch BenMers Gone With The Win JH HD* x *Ch Set'r Ridge's Gold In Platinum (Emanuel)*. 3 beautiful girls and 3 handsome boys. Mom Scarlet and babies doing great!



— From Laurie Engel

GCH Aerden's Pretty In Pink JH (KiKi)

- 17 Straight group placements, 8 of those group 1's, 8 group 2's and 1 Group 3.
- 3 Best In Shows
- 2 Specialty wins
- WB/BOW at both the Canadian National and Regional shows

Aerden's Free Falling with Honeygait (Bobby) Best in Sweepstakes at the Canadian Nationals, Best Puppy and RWB. Best Puppy at the Regional show. Owned by Vito and Amanda Ciaravino and John and Mary Nowak.



— From Tammie Calvert

GCH Admiralty's The Traveler (Traveler)

- March 10, 2012 - Columbia KC, Columbia, MO - Group 4
- April 29, 2012 - Heart of Iowa KC, Marshalltown, IA - Group 4

Traveler is being shown a limited amount this summer. He is only out 1-2 weekends a month! Traveler is #19 ES All-Breed Standings, #17 ES Breed Standings and #14 Grand Champion Standings!

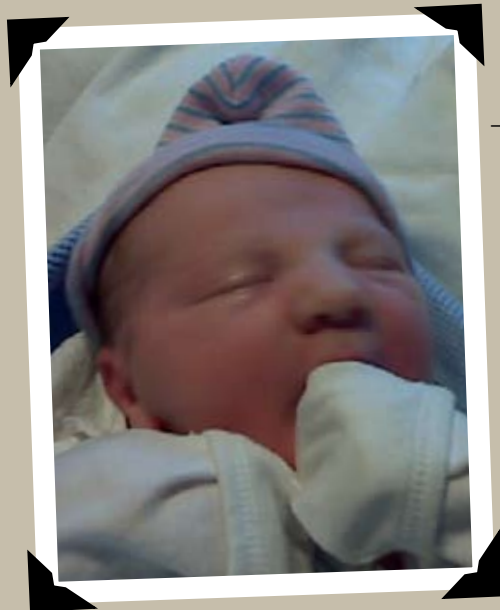
Owners Tammie Calvert and BJ Kasiski. Handler Jeni West

Pictured Group 4 under judge Carl Liepman!



— From Andrea Holste

Aerden's Surprise Party (Ch Honeygait Surprise Addition x Ch Set'r Ridge Arden Royal Treasure). Lily went BOW at the Key City KC show on Saturday, May 25th. Lily also was WB on Saturday at the Fargo KC show then on Sunday went BOB.



— From Sherrill Neudahl

Sherrill welcomed her 10th grandchild on May 22nd. **Brady Kenneth Sailer** was born to daughter Kristen and her husband Doug, weighing 9 lbs. 10 oz. and 20.5 inches long.



Congratulations

— From Sandy Hudson

At 13 months of age **Pipe Major of Highmoor** aka "Piper" completed therequirements for an AKC Junior Hunter. "Piper" is owned and loved by John & Sandy Hudson, and was bred by Jason Gooding. He is by Pinecoble Reed and out of Good Go Ing Classic Lucy, Laddie's daughter and making Piper our late Jamie's Great Grandson. We are having a great deal of fun with our pup.

— From Jane Burrows

Benmer's Hey Jude JH (Aerden's Made You Look x Ch Benmers Gone With The Win JH). Jude finished his Junior Hunter title at the Twin Cities German Wirehaired Pointer test on Saturday, May 12. He was bred by Sue Bosshart and is owned by Jane Burrows and Charlotte Conway. Trained by Jason Gooding, and handled by Jane.

Braggs