



Retriever Review

Issue 6, March 2006

March Meeting

March 24, 2006 - 8:00 PM

Meridan Park Hospital, Portland
Community ED Center
CHEC building

There will NOT be a Board Meeting
this month

~ Club Officers ~

President: Ellen Sparks
Vice President: Bernie Meanie
Secretary: Judy Meyer
Treasurer: Greg Huntzinger

Board Members:
Susan Huntzinger
Coleen Powell
Lisa Cruanas
Deb Neal

Committee Chairs

Marilyn Parker - WC/WCX
Allison Hillius & Donna Yadeskie
- 2006 B-Match
Betty Barkley - 2006 Specialty
Nikki Illias - 2006 Hunt Test

Litter Referrals

Susan & Greg Huntzinger
(503) 655-9405

Membership

Lisa Cruanas
(360) 573-3008

Newsletter Editor

Julie Galbraith
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*** RCLRC Working Certificate Test ***

April 22, 2006

Sauvie Island west side

WELCOME TO OUR NEW RCLRC MEMBERS!!

Dorcus Popp, John & Terry Marshall, Matthew & Cheryl Lovell

Proposed new RCLRC members:

Mike and Amanda Dearing & Joseph and Julie Talley

From the Editor~

We are striving to solely email our Newsletter and eliminate the printing and postage expenses of snail mail for the club. If you haven't received your emailed Newsletter by the 10th of the month, please email or call me, so I can remedy the problem and get a copy to you. If you change your email address, please let me know ASAP, so you don't miss anything!

(530) 938-3338
galshire@gmail.com

Thank you!

~ Julie Galbraith

SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS

Remember to bring your dog/Labrador related auction items to the monthly meetings! Lisa Cruanas will be happy to receive them :o) This is our main fund raiser!

Minutes of February 17, 2006

Meeting called to order at 8:20pm. Those in attendance were Ellen Sparks, Judy Meyer, Wendy Burley, Marilyn & Richard Parker, Bob & Kathy Fagundes, Connie Burroughs, Celeste & Terry Smith, Coleen Powell, Betty Barkley, Bernie Meany, Lisa Cruanas, Julie Galbraith.

Motion and approved to add changes to January 06 minutes. Proposed new members, Mike and Amanda Dearing & Joseph and Julie Talley . 2006 new board members are Susan Huntzinger, Coleen Powell, Lisa Cruanas, Deb Neal. Remaining minutes approved as published in newsletter.

President's Report - None

Treasurer's Report - Absent

Secretary's Report - Reviewed AKC Event Management online system. Any committee member wanting to file applications online to contact Judy Meyer for login and passport.

Committees:

06 Specialty – Betty Barkley has been notified by conformation judge, Jeanine Biddle that she will be unable to attend our event due to family illness. As an alternative, Nancy Arbuckle has accepted and paperwork filed to AKC.

06 B-Match – Allison Hillius to file paperwork to have event at Frenchmans Bar. 1st date option is 20th May and 2nd option is 13th May.

06 WC/WCX- Will be held on 22nd April on Westside of Sauvie Island.

Sportsmen Show- Thanks to all volunteers who spent time visiting and educating the public who stopped by booth.

Old Business:

Jeff Jennings has updated our website but still wishes members to email him information to post on a regular basis. It was suggested that we post regional hunt test and speciality information on our website.

New Business:

New members, as published in newsletter, were approved.

It was suggested that we post our membership application on website along with the monthly newsletter which will save the club money on postage.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00pm.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Meyer

To RCLRC from Aaron Bradshaw

Thank you so much for all your help and support! Many people donated money for the travel expenses and we truly would not have been able to do this without you!

I had a really fun time at Eukanuba and at Westminster. It was definitely a great experience. At Westminster I made the first cut! I didn't do anything past that, but it was fun and it's the experience that counts.

In New York we were able to see a lot of the sights. We went the Empire State Building, American Museum of Natural History, Rockefeller Plaza, the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island and we saw Ground Zero.

All the juniors from the Pacific Northwest cheered for each other at both events. At Eukanuba my dog Timber got so excited from the cheering he jumped up during my down and back. Timber did a great job traveling and showed great at both shows.

My goal is to make it back to both shows next year. Thanks again for all your help and support. I couldn't have done it without you.

Sincerely,
Aaron Bradshaw

CONGRATULATIONS AARON !!!!

RCLRC MEMBERSHIP PONDERINGS

(Another Letter from the Editor)

Last month, the membership voted to post the RCLRC Membership Application on our Website. I have checked and almost every other club has a printable Membership Application, on their Website. This is a good thing, because RCLRC should be open to everyone interested in Labradors! There have been some concerns raised, though, that this also opens up the membership, to the public, more than it has been in the past. I have been researching how other clubs handle this issue. Most of the other clubs require a "Provisional/Associate Membership". They do not sponsor prospective members, until they have attended numerous club functions and/or participated in the club, for a set length of time. This allows time for everyone to get to know each other, before they are sponsored and voted on.

The Jersey Skylands LRC By-Laws call this time, an "Associate Membership".

"Associate members who have been active for at least one year at our events are welcome to seek sponsorship and apply for Full membership.

Committee Chairs are reminded to contact new members and get them involved in JSLRC activities."

LRC of the Potomac requires applicants must attend two club functions before applying for membership.

"All applicants must attend two club functions before applying for membership....

<http://www.lrcp.com/2005/bylaws.shtml>

LRCGB~Each prospective member is required to attend at least 3 LRCGB meetings/events with their sponsor. Each membership is presented to the Club at the first meeting after being received for consideration, in accordance with the Constitution and By-laws of the Club.

SDLRC also has an Associate Membership.

“ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIPS: "... Associate members may list completion of titles in the newsletter, attend meetings and events, compete for achievement awards and subscribe to the newsletter. Associate members may NOT vote, hold office, list litters in the newsletter or compete for annual awards.

REGULAR MEMBERSHIPS: In order to become a Regular member, an individual must attend two general membership meetings during the prior twelve months prior to submitting application, and submit a letter of recommendation with their application from two Regular members that are not of the same household. “

This idea is like "Limited Registration" ;o), so the membership can get to know the new people. Do they work well with others, are they ethical, are they a puppymill, etc, etc.??? RCLRC's current practice, is to print a new name in the Newsletter one month and vote them in the next , without getting to know them or giving them a chance to become involved. Is it wise to be voting on a person we have never met or heard of?

A change like this would require forming a Research Committee and RCLRC By-Law changes, but perhaps we should ponder a "Provisional/Associate Membership", such as other Labrador Clubs have, especially now that we have a Website. A set time requiring a new member to serve on a committee or attend several events, so we can all get to know each other, would be good for everyone. At the end of that provisional time, THEN they can they seek sponsorship, from all their new RCLRC friends and apply for a Full Membership. What do you think?

~Julie Galbraith
Newsletter Editor

***** CONGRATULATIONS *****

~~ LITTER LISTINGS ~~

Quail Run Hot August Nite,CD,WC,CGC

Finished his CD in December
owned and loved by Cynthia Freeman

~~ OLDER DOGS AVAILABLE ~~

5 YEAR OLD BLACK FEMALE

Has competed in Obedience.
Loves water and retrieving.
Has done some field work .
Spayed.

Contact: Lisa Cruanas
(360) 573-3008
herclee8@msn.com

2 YEAR OLD YELLOW MALE

Crate trained, leash trained, good companion,
microchipped,

Contact: Allison Hillius
(360) 330-5554
devonshirelabs@comcast.net

2 ½ YEAR OLD YELLOW FEMALE

Crate trained, leash trained, good companion,
microchipped.

Contact: Allison Hillius
(360) 330-5554
devonshirelabs@comcast.net

YELLOW LITTER

Ch. JanLon's Light My Fire x Sher-Mi McStorms
HeartNHope

Born: 1/14/06

Contact: Colleen Storms
Home: (360) 423-1890
Cell: (360) 560-0234
cstorms@direcway.com

YELLOW AND BLACK LITTER

WestRiver's Chains Required x Hyspire Sashay
Around Town

Born: 1/30/06

Contact: Lisa Cruanas
(360) 573-3008
herclee8@msn.com

ALL YELLOW LITTER

Due: March 11

Timberland Woodsman at Lor-Al x Devonshires
Tempest In A Teapot

Sire OFA Hips Good, Elbows Normal, Eyes Clear,
Heart Clear Optigen A

Dam OFA Hips Good, Elbows Normal, Eyes Clear
Contact Allison Hillius at 360-330-5554

devonshirelabs@comcast.net
web site: devonshirelabs.com

~~ SEMINARS ~~

LABRADOR JUDGES EDUCATION SEMINAR

Tuesday, April 11, 2006 ~ 3 PM

Cost: \$30.00

In conjunction with the LRC of the Potomac Specialty

Speakers will be CAROL HEIDL (TABATHA) and KENDALL HERR (DICKENDALL)
Judges, Judge Applicants, Breeders and Labrador Lovers are all invited!

Download an application from www.lrcp.com or contact Alice Judah (540) 439-3416 ~
dogmom@k9dejavu.com or Terry Nieder (540) 374-1919 ~ terry@terans.com

Call early, as space will be limited

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~~SEMINARS (cont.)~~

**"Pat Hastings Puppy Puzzle Seminar"**

Sunday, April 9, 2006

1:00 - 5:00

Portland, Oregon

\$40.00 per person

In conjunction with The Boston Terrier Club 2006 National Specialty Show

Contact: Ann McCammon

(812) 299-1050

email: [bostoncountry123@aol.com](mailto:bostoncountry123@aol.com)

“This seminar has been tremendously popular and is only conducted at National Specialties. Based on Pat Hastings acclaimed video "Puppy Puzzles; The Hastings approach to Evaluating the Structural Quality of Puppies; this presentation has information to benefit everyone working with dogs and every puppy out of a conscientious breeding program. The single most important decision we can make for our puppies is to determine whether each puppy is structurally sound enough to do what we will ask of it in its lifetime. Whether the hope is for the show ring and whelping box or obedience, agility or flyball, we owe it to our dogs to know in which lifestyle each may best flourish.”

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**JOHN ROGERSON "PUPPY BEHAVIORAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR"**

Saturday & Sunday April 29-30, 2006, 9am - 5 pm

\$180 for the full weekend

Location: Dog Days Training, Vancouver, WA

Contact: Joan Armstrong [joana@dogdaysnw.com](mailto:joana@dogdaysnw.com)

Flyer, registration form and other info at [www.dogdaysnw.com](http://www.dogdaysnw.com)

~~~ SPECIALTIES ~~~

San Joaquin Labrador Retriever Club - Show 1

March 17, 2006

Show Location: Stanislaus County Fairgrounds - Turlock, CA

Show Secretary: Garvin Dog Shows

Conformation - Jeff Gilmore (Borowick)

Sweeps - Martha Shaw (Whistlestop)

Obedience - None offered

San Joaquin Labrador Retriever Club - Show 2

March 18-19, 2006

Show Location: Stanislaus County Fairgrounds - Turlock, CA

Show Secretary: Garvin Dog Shows

Conformation - Roy Cone (Waterbound)

Sweeps - Alfredo Vallejo (Alvalley)

Obedience - None offered

Labrador Retriever Club of The Potomac

April 12-14, 2006

Show Location: Holiday Inn Holidome, Francis Key Scott Mall - Frederick, MD

Superintendent: Bob Peters Dog Show

Judges

Intersex - Betty Graham (Graemoor)

Dogs - Tony Pascoe (Trewinnard)

Bitches - Anne Lavelle (Crosscroyde)

Sweeps (Dogs) & BISS - Norman Grenier (Companionway)

Sweeps (Bitches) & BOSS - Barb Reisig-Paveglio (Inselheim)

Jr. Showmanship - Col. Jerry Weiss (Lobuff)

Obedience - Thursday: Marie Huffman & Friday: Nancy Withers

Rally Obedience (April 13th - 50 dog limit) - Nancy Withers

Supported Entry Show Following Specialty at Harrisburg, PA

Judges: Dr. Donald Sturz Jr.

~~~ **ALL BREED SHOWS** ~~~

**\*\*\*OREGON\*\*\***

### **Chintimini Kennel Club, Inc.**

April 1-2, 2006

Held at Linn County Fair & Expo Center

Albany, OR

Entries Close: Wednesday, March 15, 2006

April 1 - Mr. Lester R. Mapes

April 2 - Judy A Harrington

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

### **Klamath Dog Fanciers, Inc.**

Saturday, May 13-14, 2006

Held at Klamath County Fairgrounds , 3531 S 6th St

Klamath Falls, OR

Entries Close: Wednesday, April 26, 2006

May 13 - Mr. Lowell K. Davis

May 14 - Mrs. Lowell (Arlene) K. Davis

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

MB-F Inc., Superintendent

### **Rogue Valley Kennel Club, Inc.**

Saturday, May 20-21, 2006

Held at Indian Mary Park , 7100 Merlin-Galice RD

Merlin, OR

Entries Close: Wednesday, May 3, 2006

May 20 - Merlin J Van De Kinder

May 21 - Mrs. Noreen C. Cartwright

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

**Clackamas Kennel Club**

Saturday, June 24-25, 2006

Held at Clackamas County Fairgrounds  
Canby, OR

June 24- Mrs. Carla M. Mathies

June 25 - Mr. Thomas H Bradley III

Entries Close: Wednesday, June 7, 2006

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered  
Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

**\*\*\*WASHINGTON \*\*\***

**Peninsula Dog Fanciers Club, Inc.**

March 25-26, 2006

Held at Kitsap County Fairgrounds , 1200 N W Fairgrounds Rd  
Bremerton, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, March 8, 2006

March 25 Mr. Howard Falberg

March 26 Dr. Daniel W Dowling

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered  
Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

**Timberland Valley Dog Fanciers Association**

Saturday, April 8-9, 2006

Held at Southwest Washington Fairgrounds  
Centralia, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, March 22, 2006

April 8 - Mrs. Christine E. Pollender-Calcinari

April 9 - Mrs. Patricia A. Mowbray-Morgan

Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

**Ephrata-Moses Lake Kennel Club**

Saturday, April 15, 2006

Held at Grant County Fairgrounds , Grant County Fairgrounds - South Field  
Moses Lake, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, March 29, 2006

April 15 - Mr. Norman L. Patton

April 16 - Dr. Gerard C. Penta

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered  
MB-F Inc., Superintendent

**Walla Walla Kennel Club**

Saturday, April 29, 2006

Held at Walla Walla County Fairgrounds , 360 Orchard Street  
Walla Walla, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, April 12, 2006

April 29 - Mr. Richard L. Byrd

April 30 - Mrs. Nancy A. Byrd

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered  
MB-F Inc., Superintendent



### **Olympia Dog Fanciers Association**

Sunday, May 6- 7, 2006

Held at Grays Harbor County Fairgrounds , Pavillion & Livestock Buildings , 32 Elma-McCleary Rd.  
Elma, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, April 19, 2006

May 6 - Mrs. Valerie Gervais

May 7 - Mrs. Lowell (Arlene) K. Davis

NO Obedience and Jr. Showmanship is offered

Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

### **Mt. Baker Kennel Club, Inc.**

Saturday, May 20-21, 2006

Held at Northwest Washington Fairgrounds , 1775 West Front Street  
Lynden, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, May 3, 2006

May 20 - Mr. William R. Russell

May 21 - Mrs. Anne D Bolus

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

BaRay Event Services, Inc., Superintendent

### **Spokane Kennel Club**

Sunday, May 28, 2006

Held at Spokane Fair & Expo Center , Broadway and Havana  
Spokane, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, May 10, 2006

May 27 - Mr. Lawrence (Larry) J. Sinclair

May 28 - Mr. Carl Gene Liepmann

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

### **Yakima Valley Kennel Club, Inc.**

Saturday, June 3, 2006

Held at Ahtanum Youth Park , 1000 Ahtanum Road  
Union Gap, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, May 17, 2006

June 3 - Mrs. Judith Goodin

June 4 - Ms. Gretchen K. Schultz

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

Onofrio Dog Shows, L.L.C., Superintendent

### **Puyallup Valley Dog Fanciers, Inc.**

Saturday, June 10, 2006

Held at Western Washington Fairgrounds , 110 9th Ave SW  
Puyallup, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, May 24, 2006

Breed - Mrs. Gloria Geringer

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

Kevin Rogers Dog Shows, Superintendent

## **Tacoma Kennel Club**

Sunday, June 11, 2006

Held at Western Washington Fairgrounds , 110 9th Ave SW

Puyallup, WA

Entries Close: Wednesday, May 24, 2006

Breed - Charlene Trost

Obedience and Jr. Showmanship also offered

Kevin Rogers Dog Shows, Superintendent

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## **~~ HUNT TESTS ~~**

### **Rogue Valley Retriever Club**

Saturday, April 8, 2006 - Sunday, April 9, 2006

Held at Denman Game Management Area.

White City, OR

Entries Close: Monday, March 27, 2006

For additional information contact:

Randi Johannis, Event Secretary

(541) 245-0536

### **Salem Retriever Trial Club**

**Saturday, May 20, 2006 - Sunday, May 21, 2006**

Held at St. Louis Fish Ponds

Gervais, OR

Entries Close: Saturday, May 13, 2006

For additional information contact:

MaryJo Marttila, Event Secretary

(503) 312-6747

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