



Retriever Review

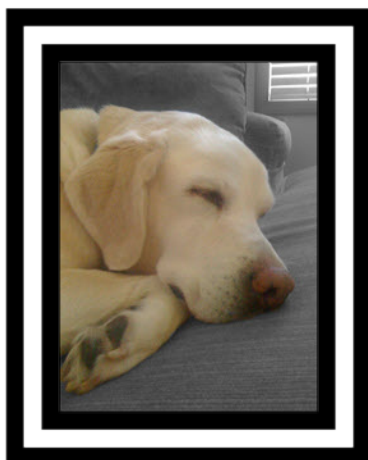
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Upcoming Events

- Mar. 16 General Meeting
7:30 PM at Meridan Park
Hospital, Chec Bldg,
Portland, OR
- April 20 General Meeting
7:30 PM at Elmer's
Restaurant, Delta Park
Portland, OR
- May 12 B Match & General
Meeting & Potluck
- June No General Meeting
- July WC, Specialty and Hunt



President's Message

Hi All...

Days are getting longer and Spring is right around the corner. Our Club activities are starting to pick up as we get organized with our Field Day training sessions and May with the B-Match. Watch for more information in next month's Newsletter and, of course, you can always find all our Events on the Club's web site.

We have one very exciting bit of news. Both Regional Clubs, Rose City LRC and Puget Sound LRA are moving forward with plans to co-host the Labrador Retriever National in October 2013. Several Members who belong to both Clubs are starting to work on Committees to that end. We can always use more help as this is a huge undertaking for both Clubs and is held over many days. Since our RCLRC voted in a big majority at the January Meeting to help host this event, I am enclosing the contact information for the LRC National Specialty Chair, so you can call her and volunteer yourselves to the many different jobs that will be needing workers. Call or email Jill Mahoney at 253-630-4810 Mahoney@wwdb.org

Last month's General Membership meeting was attended only by a handful of Members. It brings me to an idea born out of higher gas prices (no end in sight) and a lessening membership turnout. I am looking for feedback on new ideas about fewer General Membership meetings and/or some meetings via the internet. I welcome any new input as it would not be something that we could just decide to do immediately. The Club is governed by Rules and Regulations and our By-laws and so we would need to consider this carefully. Please feel free to email me with your comments at (Blackthorn@q.com).

Our V.P. Judy Chambers has been looking into another Educational Speaker for our upcoming Meeting. She will have more in the next newsletter.

Get out and love your Labradors...throw a ball today.

Your President ~ Barb Gilchrist 

Club Officers

President: Barb Gilchrist
Vice President: Judy Chambers
Secretary: Cindy Freeman
Treasurer: Greg Huntzinger

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Board Members

Susan Huntzinger
Joanne Huntley
Blake Leamy
Marilyn Parker

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Committee Chairs

Dan Neal - WC/WCX
Open - 2012 B Match
Cathy Hakola - 2012 Specialty
Nikki Berthold-Illias
2012 Hunt Test

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Litters

Please note that our puppy referral service is for litters of our members who are in good standing with our Club and the American Kennel Club and has been made available for your assistance in finding a new puppy. However, The Rose City Labrador Retriever Club makes no warranties, expressed or implied, as to the condition of any dogs being offered for sale, standards or practices of any breeder, the quality of their animals or the accuracy of any of the information contained in these ads. RCLRC does not endorse, recommend or guarantee any kennel, breeder or dog listed in the newsletter.

Born January 28, 2012

3 Black females, 1 Black male
Sire: CH. Skyes Riverlane's Token Republican (SR20909708)
OFA hips: Good LR-163311G24M-PI, Elbows: Normal LR-EL32689M24-PI
E.I.C. Clear LR-EIC400/49M-VPI
Eyes Normal CERF LR-46432 (12/2011)
PRA Clear by Parentage
Cardiac - Normal LR-CA2398/41M/C-ECHO
Dam: Breton Gate Coeur Blanc (SR57586901)
OFA hips: Good LR-193908G24F-VPI, Elbows: Normal LR-EL51744F24-VPI
Eyes Normal (09/10/2011)
Contact: Betty Barkley
Phone: 509 645 4187
Email: Barkley61@comcast.net



Brag

Somersun One Big Blonde took Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps at HRLRC Specialty.

She is owned and loved by Cathy & Jeff Hakola and was bred by Katie Somers.

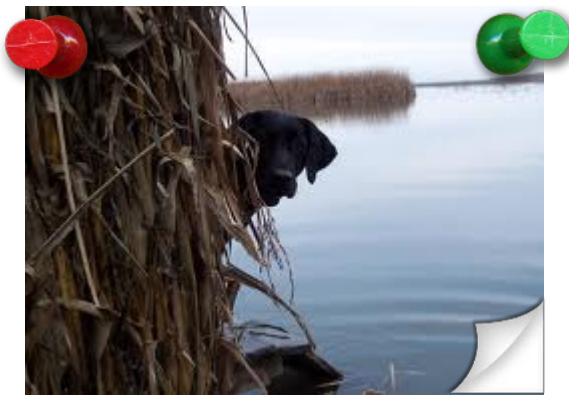
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Lost and Found

A few articles were left at the Sportsman show and I brought them home when I tore down everything that last night.

If you are missing anything, call Marilyn Parker 503-521-3649.



Club Chat List

Rose City Labrador Retriever Club now has a chat list.

It is a closed list for members only and if you want to subscribe to it, send me the request at

RCLRCmembers-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

The list is only for communication with regards to club business such as upcoming events, meetings, etc.

There will be NO advertising of any kind which also includes no mentioning of upcoming litters, etc.

If you have any questions, contact me at QRLabs@yahoo.com

Cindy Freeman, Moderator



New Policy and Charges for Newsletter and Web Litter Announcements

Any member wishing to list a litter on either the website or in the newsletter must provide paper copies of the following minimum documentation:

1- OFA hip certification for the sire and dam

2- OFA elbow certification for the sire and dam

3- Current (12 months) eye clearance (CERF) for the sire and dam

4- A check for \$10.00

5- Contact information for the listing. This may contain one or more of: a persons name, email address, telephone number, kennel name.

6- The choice of web listing, newsletter listing or both. The member may include additional documentation for certifications such as cardiac or EIC. All certifications claimed must be documented. Litter listings will run two (2) months. The member may request one (1) additional month's listing via email. At the end of the run-period the listing will be removed without notice.

Send all information to:

Greg Huntzinger
30940 SW Riverlane Rd
West Linn, OR 97068



February General Meeting Minutes

February 24, 2012

In attendance were Marilyn Parker, Richard Parker, Barb Gilchrist, and Cindy Freeman

The meeting was called to order at 7:25 at Elmer's Restaurant, Portland, OR.

Richard Parker motioned to accept the minutes as read, Marilyn seconded the motion.

President's report: Barb read a report from Cathy Hakola about the specialty. The report is listed under Specialty Committee report below.

The 2013 National is coming together. PSLRA has decided that middle ground is better for more help from both clubs. Olympia, Centralia and Chehalis areas are being considered. There is a new hunt test ground in Adna, WA that will be checked out (just south of Centralia). A lot of member help will be needed to put on this event. Marilyn will do the raffle and will need help.

We still need someone to be B Match chair. Blake and Kim Leamy did volunteer to do it with help.

Secretary Report: Cindy is still waiting to get the secretary book from Kathy Fagundes. No correspondence from AKC at this point.

Membership: No report

Treasurer Report: No Report

Committees

Sportsman Show: Marilyn and Richard said it went very well. They felt it was good PR for the club.

HRT: No report

Specialty: (read by Barb) Cathy Hakola was unable to attend, but provided Barb with the update on the specialty. It is approved – Cathy needs a judge's liaison. Advertisements have been submitted to Wiscoy and LQ.

2013 specialty: Peachie & Roger Orton have both verbally accepted. Nancy Talbott has yet to be contacted. Obedience judges will be contacted this weekend.

Fundraising for the specialty: Marilyn suggested having baskets for the silent auction. Marilyn possibly will chair this. Other ideas for fund raisers were also discussed. Marilyn has acquired another quilt to raffle off at the hunt test.

B Match: The B match application has been sent in. All judges have given verbal acceptance. Blake will mail thank you letters to each of the judges.

WC: No report

Old Business: The Yahoo group is up and running. We want to get more people to join.

New Business:

Rally changes go into effect on April 1, 2012. Need to get update the signs. Marilyn said she would contact the person she got the previous signs from. We can use labels for changing the numbers per AKC requirements for our original signs.

Gas prices are going up – possibly cutting down on physical meetings to other types of meetings. Possibly phone conferences, by computer? The by-laws would have to be rewritten to allow this.

Marilyn motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:05 PM. Richard seconded.

Submitted by Cindy Freeman, Secretary

