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President's Message

Hi All Lab Lovers,

Summer is over and Fall is here. The Club winds down for a bit now as our big events are over and this year's big functions were successful in the goal of promoting our Labrador Retriever as an American Kennel Club breed and, of course, as the Number One most popular breed of all time.

Our Nomination Committee is hard at work making sure the Club has a name to fill in every slot for Officers and the two rotating Board Positions. As the By-Laws state their results shall be turned over to the Club's Newsletter Editor for printing in the Month of October or November. The Committee will finish up their work in time for the November Newsletter. They may be calling you and so I would ask that you think it over and give your time to the Club if called.

There is also a "Floor Nomination" where any Club Member who wants to run or has friends who want them to run, simply nominates their name at the General Meeting held in November. Provided that person does not decline and if the nominated person is not in attendance at the November meeting then they must have a written statement of willingness to accept the nomination. No person can be a candidate for more than one position.

I look forward to seeing who the Nominating Committee comes up with.

Several Club Members are flying off to attend the LRC National at the famed "Ralston Purina Farms". Good luck to all our Club members!

Happy Hunting!

Your President,

Barb Gilchrist



Upcoming Events

Oct 19 General Meeting
7:30 PM at Elmer's
Restaurant, Delta Park
Portland, OR

Nov. 16 General Meeting
7:00 PM at Meridan
Park Hospital,
Chec Bldg
Portland, OR

No Meeting in December!



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
Kim Leamy - 2012 B Match
Cathy Hakola - 2012 Specialty
Nikki Berthold-Illias
2012 Hunt Test

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Litter Referrals

Susan & Greg Huntzinger
(503)655-9405

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Membership

Betty Barkley
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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 RCLRCmembersubscribe@yahoo.com

This 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



Newsletter Guidelines ~ This newsletter is published monthly by the Rose City Labrador Retriever Club a non-profit organization and issued to all members in good standing. Contributions for publication and advertisements are welcome. Advertising rates are \$25.00 per half page and \$50.00 per whole page. All submissions for publication are to be mailed or emailed to the editor by the 25th of the month. All brags are to be current within 90 days of the event. Any photos submitted for publication can be in any format except a PDF. Original photos can be scanned if you mail them to me.

2012 Annual Awards

We will be giving out the Annual Awards at our meeting in January 2013. If your dog has earned an AKC title in the field, obedience or conformation ring during the period of November 2011 through November 2012 and you are an R.C.L.R.C. member of good standing, you are eligible for the "Title" award.

If you have bred the dog, you will receive a "Breeder Award". The owner of the dog shall receive an individual award. Your dog must have finished an American or Canadian Championship, obedience title, hunting title or working certificate to qualify for the "Title" award. Dockdog, Flyball and **UKC titles are also included!**

Dogs that have finished their championship and earned a title in two different performance disciplines (A-F) are eligible for the "All Around" Labrador award.

Dogs are also eligible for the "Versatility" Award or "Certificate of Achievement" Award.

For the "Versatility" Award a dog must earn a working title in two different areas from the following:

- A) Obedience – OTCH, UDX, UD, CDX, or CD – also included are all of the Optional titles
- B) Hunting – FC, AFC, MH, SH or JH
- C) Tracking – VST, TDX or TD
- D) Agility - please identify the title
- E) Rally – RN, RA, RE, RAE
- F) Dock Dogs NJ, JJ, SJ, MJ, EJ

And in addition one certificate from the following:

- G) CGC, TDI, Delta Society, WC, WCX or TT.

For the "Certificate of Achievement" Award a dog must finish any one working title (A-F) and one certificate from the (G) listings.

DOG'S FULL NAME: _____

OWNER(S) NAME: _____

ADDRESS _____

E-MAIL _____ PHONE _____

BREEDER _____

Award(s) or Certificate(s) applied for

Date title or certificate was received

Please send all nominations to: Cynthia Freeman
7704 Creekside LN SW
Rochester, WA 98579
Email: QRLabs@yahoo.com
760-285-3906

**ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY DECEMBER 15, 2012.
YOU MUST SEND A COPY OF PROOF OF YOUR ACHIEVEMENT!**



September General Meeting Minutes

September 21, 2012

In attendance: Barbara Gilchrist, Susan Huntzinger, Greg Huntzinger, Cindy Freeman, Jeff Kennedy, Judy Chambers, Blake Leamy, Kim Leamy, Marilyn Parker, Joanne Huntley

The meeting was called order by Barb Gilchrist at 7:08 PM at Meridian Park Hospital, Tualatin Oregon.

Judy Chambers motioned to accept the minutes as published in the last newsletter. Seconded by Susan Huntzinger. Motion approved.

President's report: Barb communicated concern in getting volunteers for the 2013 National Specialty. Many club members voted in favor of co-hosting this event. Much discussion followed on the best approach to obtaining volunteers.

Secretary report: No new correspondence has been received. Cindy needs to contact AKC about the applications for the 2013 specialty.

Vice President report: None

Treasurer report: Greg reported that we have \$14,282.74 in the bank. The HRT expenses have not submitted yet. Greg voiced concern about the fact that the Specialty Superintendent is very expensive. Discussion followed on ways to possibly to cut costs on this. No conclusions were reached. The Board has unanimously voted to have the bank do electronic updates for

\$5.00 per month into Quicken to assist Greg with bank account.

Membership:

New members proposed:

Lorraine Murray – Sponsored by Susan Huntzinger and Bob Gilchrist
Buzz and Kelly Nielson – Sponsored by Betty Barkley and Barb Gilchrist

Dorcus & Alfredo Popp – Sponsored by Wendy Burley & Marilyn Parker

Second reading:

Diane & Todd Sullenberger - Unanimously voted in.

Committees

2012 Specialty: Cathy Hakola was not in attendance, but she commented that thank notes from Barbara Nowak and Lisa Butler were received.

LRC sent \$50 for trophy donation for our specialty.

HRT: No report

B Match: Judy Chambers volunteered to be B Match chair – will help Mentor for 2014 specialty.

Annual awards: Cindy will continue this year – will look for a new chair for next year.

WC: Jeff Kennedy has volunteered to be chair. Jeff & Heather Jennings have offered their property for use for the WC test in Scotts Mills, Oregon.

New Business

2012 Specialty: Judy Chambers stated that we ran into problems with parking on Saturday due to the other Oak Grove location next to ours also being reserved for other events. She suggested that we possibly rent that location as well to solve the problem. Discussion followed whether it is it financially feasible to do this. RV parking has been a problem after checking out of the campground on Saturday – Suggested that it be posted in the premium list that RV's have to park in the far lot. Possibly set a couple of slots for loading and unloading for 2013.

It was discussed to possibly open obedience to all breeds to increase entries and make it easier to get obedience & Rally judges? It was discussed to limit entries or maybe only open to all breeds for one day. Cindy will look into other Specialty clubs that open to all breeds to see what types of limits have been imposed. Possibility for 2014 specialty?

Unfinished business: Some items were left on the grounds after the specialty from the CGC test. Marilyn will contact Lorna Brant.

Susan motioned to adjourn meeting at 7:55. Seconded by Greg. All members agreed

Respectfully submitted by Cindy Freeman, Secretary.



Braggs

My Sterling's Rose of San Antone finished her JH! Owned and handled by Marilyn Parker.

Wywrdwnd By Dawn's Early Light (Aka Revelly) completed his JH title. Revelly is co owned by Susie Morrill and Lorna Brandt.

MidnightSky's Merganser Marsh Buster completed his JH title. Buster is owned by Susie Morrill.

Wywrdwnd's By Dawn's Early Light JH also completed his CGC at the RCLRC Specialty.

MidnightSky's Midedale Charger completed his CGC at the RCLRC Specialty.

MidnightSky's Sirius (George x Light Echo) went WD and BOW at the Eugene Kennel Club Show in Brownsville.



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 person's 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



Proposed New Members

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Portland OR 97225
503 289 9338
nwboats@telport.com

Lorraine Murray
3627 211PI
Sammamish WA 98074
425 9859053
murraylz@msn.com

Dorcas and Alfreo Popp
6661 SE Scott Drive
Portland, OR 97215
503 284 4033
dorcaspopp@comcast.net



HRT Thank You!

We just realized that we had not made our "Thank You" from the 2012 HRT Committee.

We would like to thank all the club members that came out to help with the HRT.

The club had another successful event !!!!!

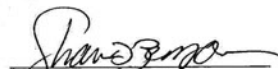
Dave & Nikki Illias





I would like to recognize the volunteer service that Joanne Huntley and her therapy dogs, Miss Lilly and Breezy have provided to PVAMC over the last three years. Anyone who has experienced the unconditional love that her dogs provide to Veterans can attest to their unique therapeutic value. Joanne began visiting regularly on the Acute Psychiatry unit, and now comes to the PRRC Footsteps program, where Veterans accompany her on walks across the sky bridge to OHSU, and other nearby locations on the grounds. Her black and brown Labradors are a joy to interact with. Staff, patients, and visitors in waiting areas all benefit from the effort she takes to train, groom and transport them faithfully to our campus. Joanne fits us into a busy schedule of regular visits to the Tigard Library for the "Read to the Dogs Program" at the Washington County Jail for therapeutic interaction with inmates, and at the Evergreen Nursing Home.

Thank you Joanne, Miss Lilly and Breezy for sharing yourselves with us!!!


Shaun D. Benson
Chief, Voluntary Services