

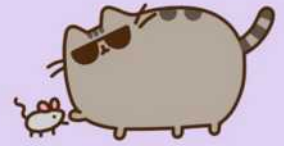
**UPCOMING EVENTS**

FEBRUARY IS PET DENTAL HEALTH MONTH

- Jan 30 & 31 - Agility Trial at Car-Dun-Al
- Feb 1 - Puppy Class Begins
- Feb 15 - Beginner Class Begins
- Feb 24 - Membership/Board Meeting

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE AGILITY TRIAL**

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From the desk of  
*the* **President**



Happy New Year!

The new year has started with a bang. The puppy classes and beginner classes which were paused in October resumed on Monday, January 4th. The Puppy class graduated on January 18th and the Beginners class is scheduled to graduate on February 8th. Evening Training for Rally Run-thrus and Ring Rentals began on January 12th between 6:30-8:30 pm.

Liz Hixon (Director of Training) and Chuck Holtzen (Registrar) have scheduled the next round of classes starting in early February. They have improved the experience for the dogs and the trainers by changing the format of the Beginner I class and adding a NEW Beginner II class.

The Agility Trial is scheduled for this weekend, January 30th & 31st, which is the first trial for 2021. The trial will be held at Car-dun-al.

The Board of Directors have been busy these past couple of months. They have elected Chuck Holtzen as Chairperson and Joan Mazat as Secretary. We welcome Carole Moen to the Board as she fills one of the two vacant board positions. The Board continues to look for someone to fill the remaining vacancy.

The next membership meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 24 starting at 7 pm via ZOOM. The conference call information along with the agenda will be emailed to 2021 members prior to the meeting. The agenda will include the committee reports, the proposed budget for 2021 and Board recommendations.

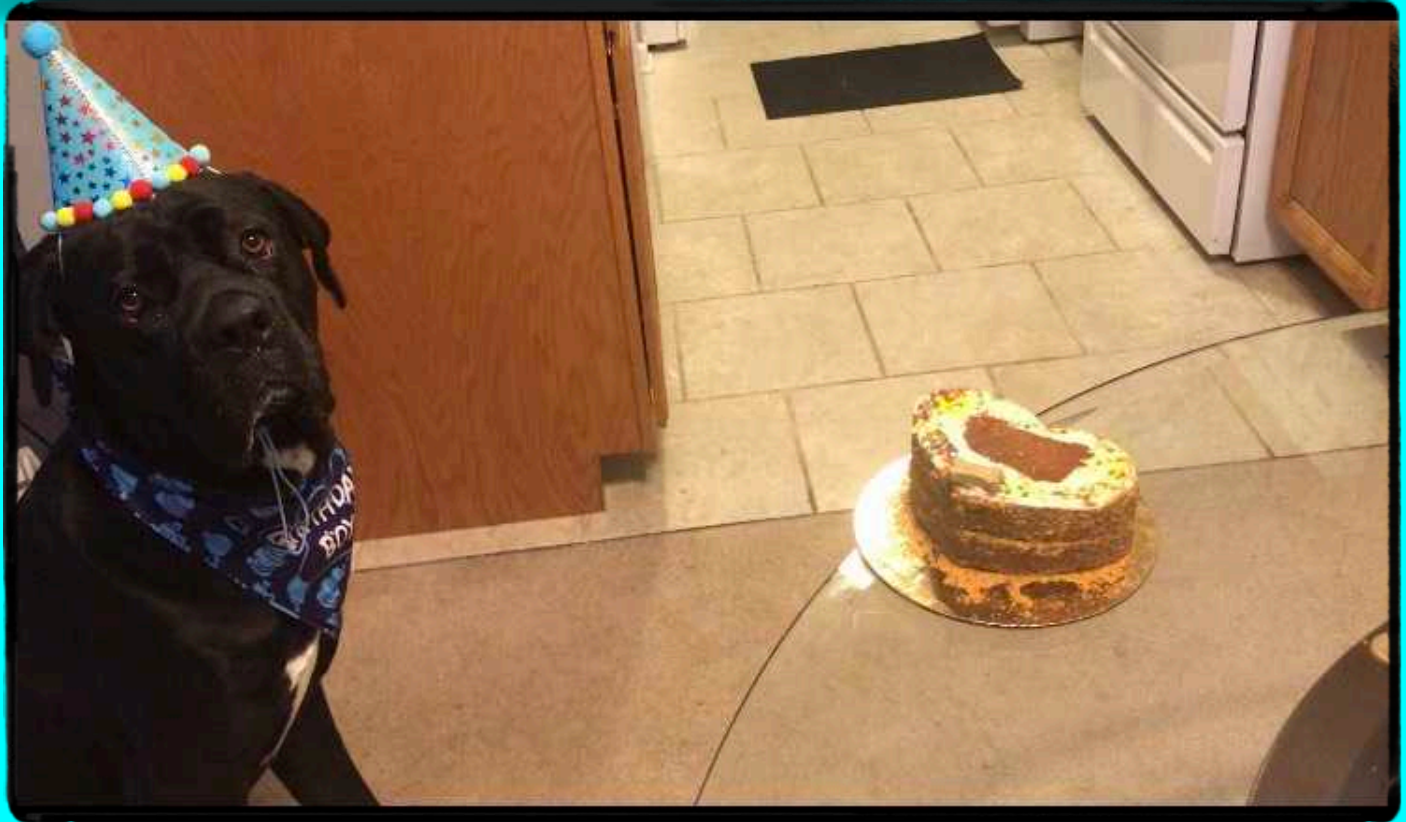
I look forward to seeing each of you on ZOOM and hopefully someday in person.

Byron Holtzen  
President





Onyx celebrated his 1st birthday today!  
He's showing his good manners  
learned in puppy class!



# Agility Trial

January 30-31, 2021

Judge Mark Rudd #90283



## Car-Dun-Al

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**TO VOLUNTEER**  
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and check the website  
[GABOC.org](http://GABOC.org)







## Biting Back Against Periodontal/Oral Disease

According to the American Veterinary Medical Association, **70-80% of dogs and cats** shows signs of Periodontal/Oral Disease by age 3.

### What causes it?

Periodontal/oral disease is an infection caused by a build-up of soft dental plaque on the surface of the teeth around the gums.



Hard dental tartar (calculus) starts to form within a few days on an uncleaned tooth and will continue to accumulate plaque.

Once tartar begins to grow in thickness, it is difficult to remove without costly veterinary treatment.

### Which pets are most susceptible?

Small breeds of dogs tend to have more tartar than large dogs, often due to the overcrowding of teeth



Dogs with a lot of muzzle hair such as Poodles and Schnauzers tend to have more problems.

Toy breeds that open-mouth breathe are more prone to tartar because their mouths become dry.

Purebred cats such as Maine Coons and Persians tend to be at a higher risk.

### What are the Effects?

Bad breath is among the first signs of oral disease. However, this is just the beginning.



The gums can become irritated, leading to bleeding and oral pain. Your cat or dog may lose their appetite or drop food from their mouth while eating.

Accompanying infections can spread via the bloodstream to the liver, kidneys and heart causing further medical conditions.

### What can I do to protect my pet?

Prevention is the key to managing periodontal/oral disease.



Brushing is the gold standard, but that can be very challenging. We recommend establishing a routine of dental products for preventative care. Dental treats, toys, water additives, foams, gels and other options are available. Ask a Pet Expert for help establishing your routine.

By implementing a dental routine, costly dental veterinarian bills can be greatly reduced or potentially eliminated.



The Dumbbell

Retrieve on flat and retrieve over high are part of the open exercises. Some handlers have a challenge having their dogs take and hold the dumbbell. Sometimes it seems to be a mystery for both dog and human. How do we start off on the right paw? Let's just start on the retrieve on flat and later we can build to the retrieve over high.

If you have a puppy or a young dog, start as soon as possible. Do not wait until you have finished your CD title. This begins with a game for a dog of any age, but pups pick it up fast. Take

any toy that they like and as they take the toy from you or throw it; say take it or the word that you would like to associate with sending your dog to the dumbbell. When they bring it to you ask for the "out". Getting the meaning of take it out is the basis of the exercise. This can be done even in a game of tug-of-war. Present the toy with a "take it" and when you think the game is over say "out" and have the dog release. The handler controls the game in either case and is the leader as to when the dog takes it and when the dog releases.

Once they really know what take it and out means you are able to progress. Using your competition dumbbell, have the dog sit quietly in front position, present the dumbbell, and say, "take it". Have them hold it for a few seconds and then say "out". And quickly treat/praise once they do this on your command.

Meanwhile, working on your stay is also an important part of this exercise. The dog needs a reliable stay that has been proofed so that you will be able to tell the dog to stay and throw the dumbbell so they have the patience to be able to wait for you to give the take it command. Make sure that you work on this separately so that each part of the exercise is clearly understood.

Once your dog is able to do the take it and out in the stationary position, start to take a few steps away from your dog after you tell her to stay and hold the dumbbell some feet away from the dog asking them to take it. Work on being able to get farther and farther in the stationary position that the dog will reliably come to take the dumbbell from your hand. Once the dog is taking the dumbbell you can then back up and encourage the dog to come forward with you while you were walking backwards with them carrying the dumbbell and when ready ask the dog for the sit in front. If the dog drops the dumbbell, shorten that distance he is carrying it to make sure you set him up to be correct. Next step, place the dumbbell on the floor starting at 6 feet then 10 feet and then further to teach the dog to pick the dumbbell off the ground and command the dog to come front once they pick it up.

When this part of the lesson goes smoothly you can start preparing to throw the dumbbell short distances. Encourage the dog to take it and then come front. They may anticipate and take off a bit early before your take it command, this can be worked through so don't be too alarmed at first.

This is all simple to say but this may take a period of time on each part of the exercise until the dog fully understands what you're asking him to do.



One thing that should not be overlooked is the hold. As you're working with your dog in the stationary position discouraged any chopping of the dumbbell or fiddling with it in their mouth's as this will result in points off in the future. Do not tolerate this behavior as you are starting off as correcting it later will become an obstacle you do not need. (I should know! My Blue is a world class chomper that I never actually have fixed! It's the breed.) Making sure that hold is understood is another key component. When my dogs have chopped the dumbbell, I have tapped them on the nose and said "hold". Or I have held their muzzle gently shut and said "hold" so they know they need to quiet this behavior. Be stern in your voice- make it clear that chomping on the dumbbell is not desired.

Straight fronts are another aspect of this exercise that needs also to be taught. Having the dog do short distance fronts and perfecting this separately plus rewarding when straight while holding the dumbbell would be key. Teaching this aspect on leash would be a great benefit to assist the dog to get into the correct position.

Remember that it is never too early or too late in your dog's career to start learning these exercises. It sounds like a complicated procedure, but it really isn't and one of the exercises that most dogs perform with great joy once they understand what you are asking for. Open is one of my favorite classes- if you ever have any questions or need a bit of help, give me and Windy a shout!

Happy Training and hope to see you ringside!

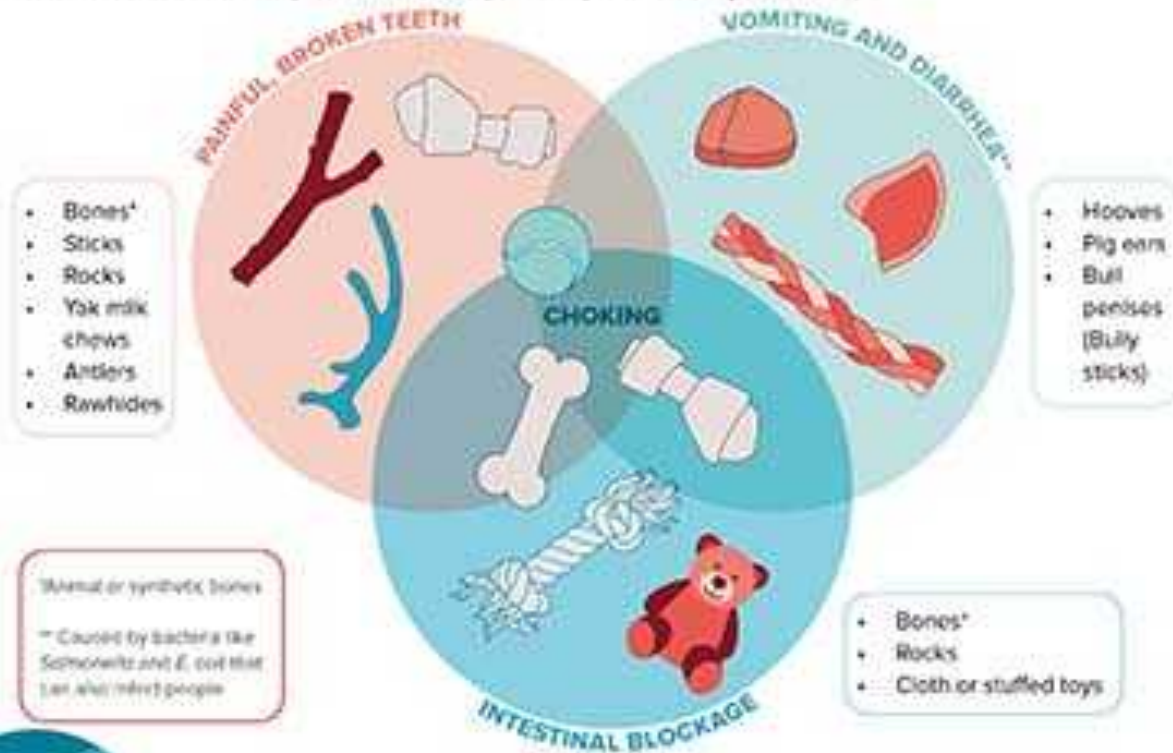
Joan and Windy (with Mars and Blue too!)



# (DON'T) *chew on this*



Not all pet dental products are created equal, and some can even damage your pet's teeth or worse. Here are some common products and the possible problems they can cause.



## But, wait! There's good news!

Here's how you can choose your pet's dental products wisely:

- Select a chew treat that has received the Veterinary Oral Health Council (VOHC) Seal of Approval.
- Offer healthy, crunchy, edible snacks like carrots, green beans, or apple slices.
- Use puzzle toys that require your dog to push or paw for kibble to fall out.



November 8, 2020

Mutts By Patrick McDonnell





If you're uncomfortable because of my dog, I am happy to lock you in the other room when you come over.



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## Welcome to my house!

- I live here, you don't
- If you don't want dog hair on your clothes, stay off the furniture
- They love me unconditionally
- To you I'm just a dog, to them I'm part of the family!

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YOU CHEWED UP MY LIST OF NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS! GOOD BOY!





# THE WORLD ACCORDING TO OWNERS



“My dog refuses to potty outside. I take him out and he doesn’t go, then he sneaks off and does it the spare bedroom. He’s doing this to spite me.”

# THE WORLD ACCORDING TO DOGS



My owner is so strange! He gets angry when I potty in front of him. He wants me to wait until I’m alone for some reason.



That is so weird! Is there a private room in the house you could use?

Yeah, I’ve been using the guest bedroom. He never goes in there, so I know it’s safe.



I use the guest bedroom at our house, too! My human never goes in there, and the grass is so soft!



I do love the carpet grass! Hey, you know what he does sometimes? He brings me in potty room and yells at me. For no reason!



Mine does that too! I don’t get it.

Yep. He pushes my face into the carpet and yells. I get scared and he says I look “guilty.” I don’t know what that means.



Man, humans are confusing.



# Body Language

## Paying Attention

SUCH GOOD BEHAVIOR DESERVES A TREAT. DON'T YOU AGREE?



## Feeling Sad

I COULD USE SOMETHING TO RAISE MY SPIRITS. MAYBE A TREAT?



## I'm Nervous

I NEED TO BE COMFORTED AND REASSURED. I THINK A TREAT WOULD BE JUST THE THING.



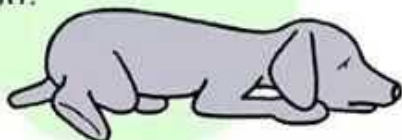
## All Wound Up

I NEED TO CALM DOWN WHAT MIGHT HELP? PERHAPS A TREAT? HMM...



## I'm Bored

I NEED A LITTLE EXCITEMENT IN MY LIFE. A TREAT WOULD BE A GOOD PLACE TO START.



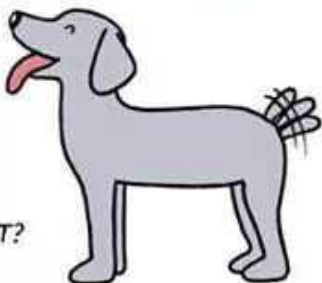
## Confused

I NEED TO CLEAR MY HEAD. I FIND A TREAT ALWAYS DOES THE TRICK.



## Who Loves You More Than Me?

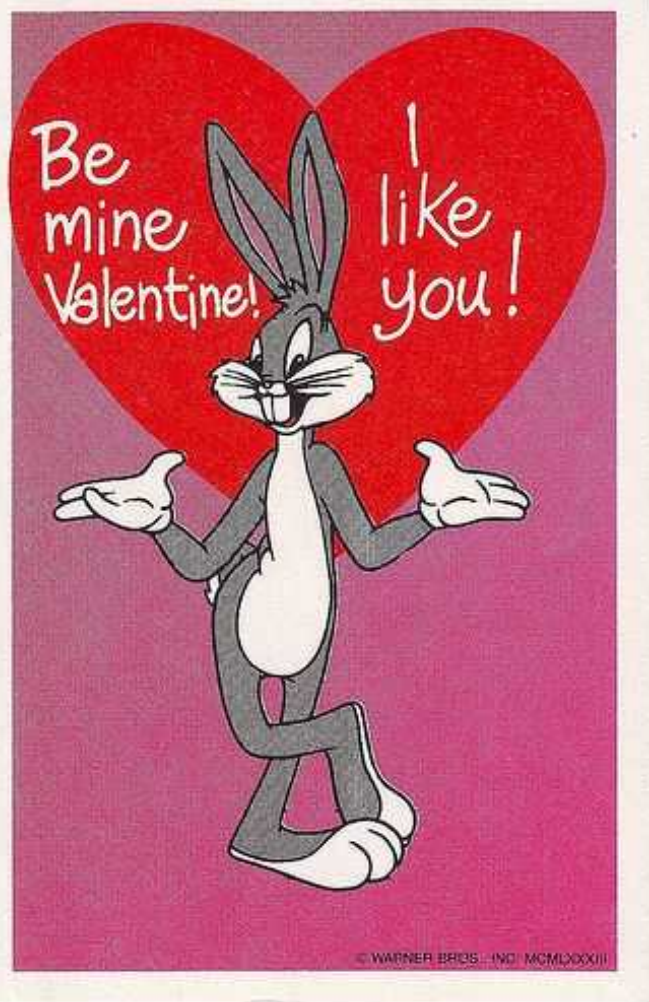
I KNOW YOU WANT TO SHOW ME HOW YOU APPRECIATE MY LOVE. MIGHT I SUGGEST WITH A TREAT?





I'd rather be known as  
the "crazy dog lady"  
than a "people  
person." Because I  
may have lost my  
mind, but I found my  
soul. :)

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**I may be just a Dog but ....**

**When you feel sad I will  
be your smile, If you cry I  
will be your comfort and  
If someone breaks your  
heart you can live on  
mine, I will always be  
your best friend.**



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I'd post pictures of things other than my dog, but all I do is hang out with my dog.



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## 7 THINGS YOU SHOULD NEVER APOLOGISE FOR

- Saying how much you love your dog
  - Always putting your dog first
- Allowing your dog on your furniture
  - Referring to yourself as a parent
- Having dog toys all over your house
  - Staying in with your dog rather than going out
  - Calling your dog family

# PUPPY NEWS



## GRADUATION EDITION

**This Puppy Class was really challenged. We changed buildings numerous times, we had a 6-week break mid-course and we had to modify ring protocol but **WE GRADUATED!****

**I created the PUPPY NEWS GRADUATION EDITION to commemorate their dedication.**

**WAY TO GO PUPPY CLASS!**



**Bubba & Patrick**





**Enzo**



**Cash**

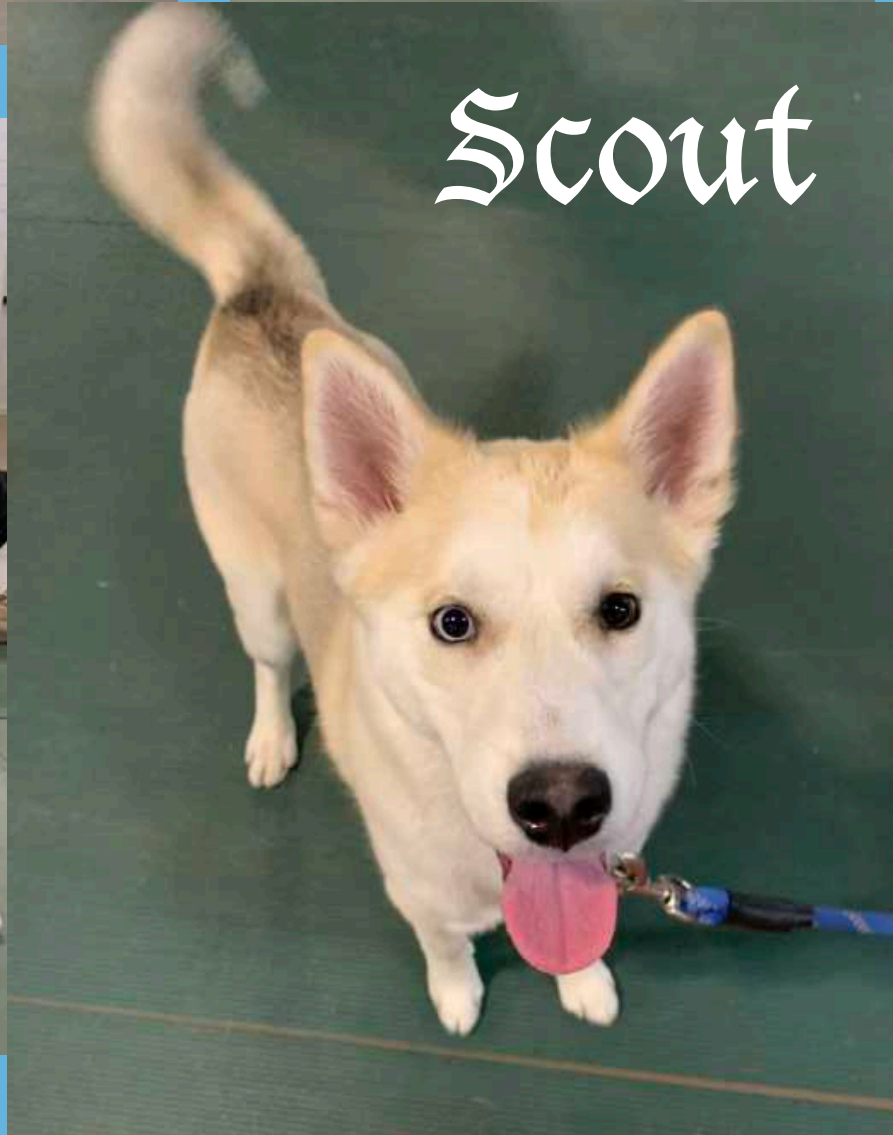


**Franklin**



**Oskar & Kelly**

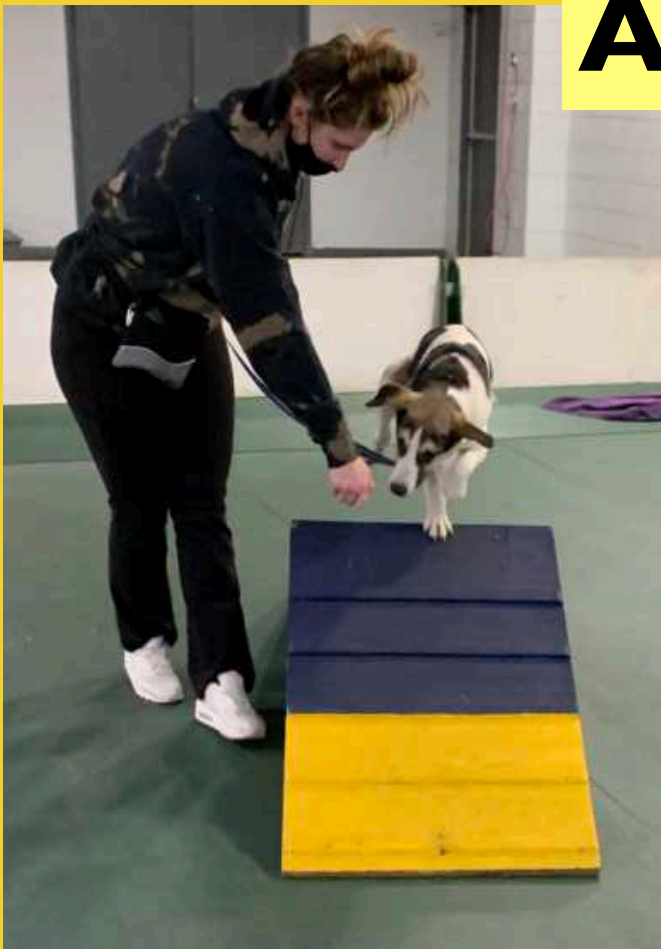








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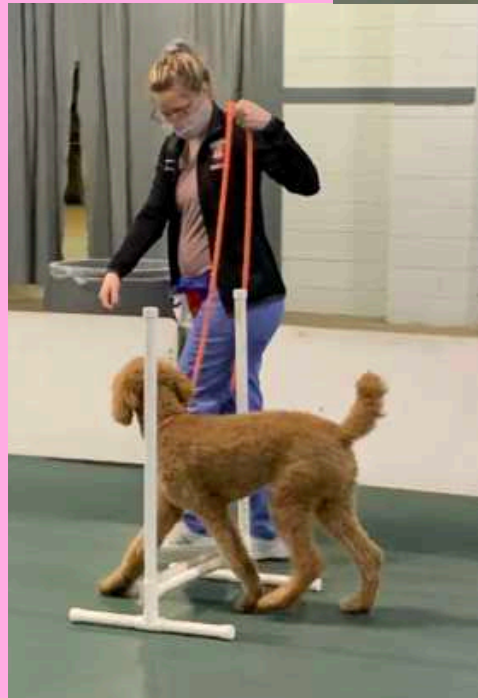




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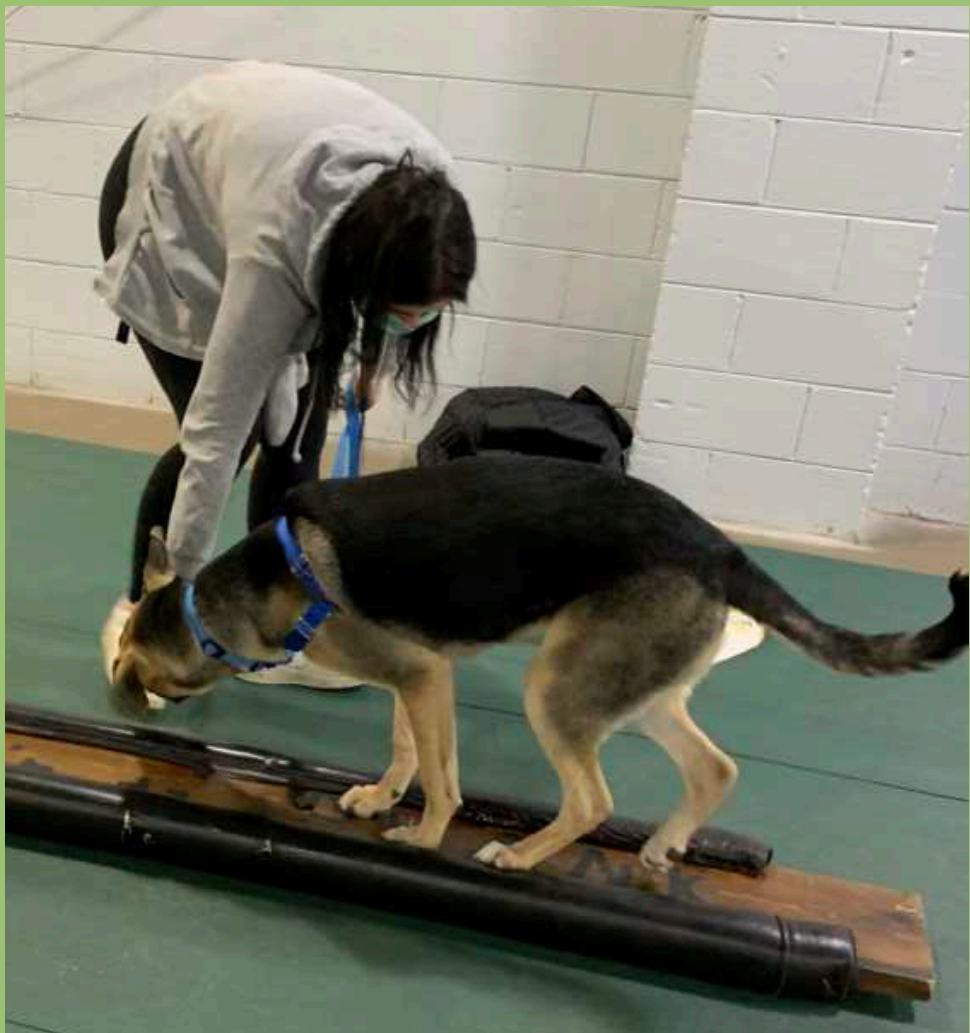
# Quinn







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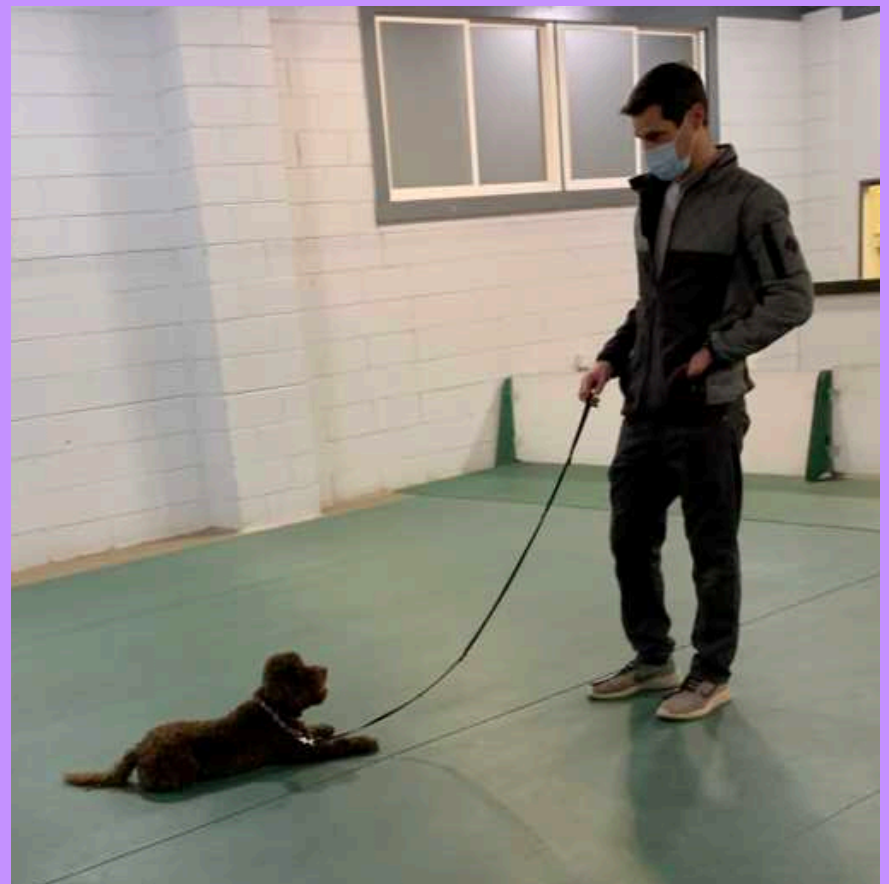


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# *Jack Russell Terrier Property Laws*

- 1. If I like it, it's mine.*
- 2. If I saw it first, it's mine.*
- 3. If it's in my mouth, it's mine.*
- 4. If it looks like mine, it's mine.*
- 5. If I can take it from you, it's mine.*
- 6. If I had it a little while ago, it's mine.*
- 7. If you have something and put it down, it's mine.*
- 8. If I chew something up, all of the pieces are mine.*
- 9. If it used to be yours, get over it.*
- 10. If it's broken, it's yours.*



## **What's 6 feet apart?**



**Imagine two large dogs standing nose to tail.**

Keeping space between yourself and others  
helps avoid spreading illnesses.



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Thank you to Sandi and Tom Stephenson for this submission

*Their small size, big brains, and huge capacity for joy make  
Russell Terriers perfect costars for your  
buddy movie.*

**By Mara Bovsun**

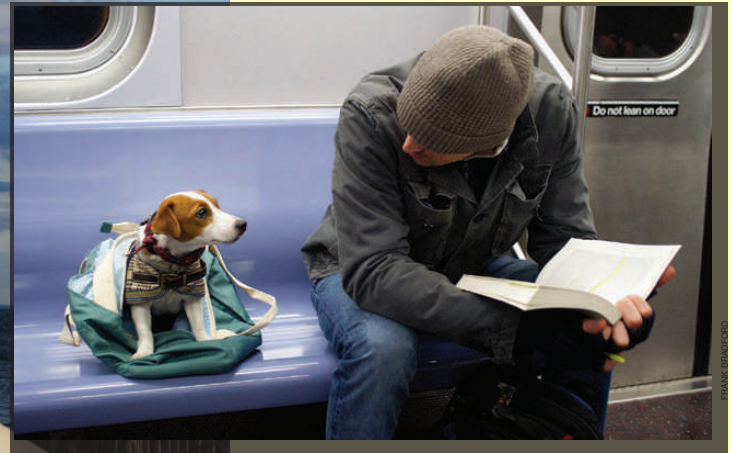
# The Sidekick

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**C**allie was a time traveler. The smooth-coated Russell Terrier was with Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders in 1898, tucked in a feedbag hanging from a saddle. She was at the Battle of Yorktown in the American Revolution and made an appearance during the Civil War. Sometime in the 21st century, she was spotted helping a stranger read on the New York City subway.

Callie took all of these adventures—and more—with her owner, Frank D. Bradford II, of Central Islip, New York. His company, Boots & Saddles Productions, brings history to life for events and motion pictures.

As a pup, Callie picked a prime spot for her journeys. “She crawled up on my shoulder, and that’s where she wanted to be,” recalls Bradford, a long-time Russell breeder. “The joke was that she was a ‘Terri-keet,’ you know, like a parakeet, but with a terrier. ... She would





literally just walk around with me, perched on my shoulder.”

They were inseparable—working, camping, boating, even exercising. “I have a video of her, I’m working out on a rowing machine, and I got her a treadmill, and she’s running on the treadmill next to me while I’m rowing.”

In Bradford’s eyes, Callie’s talent for togetherness had a lot to do with her breed; Russells love their people and love doing things. Add their portable size (10–12 inches

at the withers and 9–15 pounds), and you have a perfect sidekick.

“It’s like they want to be involved in whatever you’re doing,” he says, whether it’s pretending to gallop up San Juan Hill or sitting on the couch, watching TV. “They’re very intelligent dogs, and I don’t think they do well being left home for eight hours a day. ... They need enrichment, and they need a job to do, or they’ll find a job, and probably one you don’t like.”

### Earth-Dog Mama

The Russell Terrier descended from dogs bred by “The Sporting Parson,” John Russell, an ordained minister with religious fervor for hunting and dogs. The story goes that around 1819, during his last year at Exeter College, Oxford, Russell noticed a milkman with a small terrier. He bought the dog, named Trump, right on the spot.

“Trump was such an animal as Russell had only seen in his dreams,” wrote a friend.

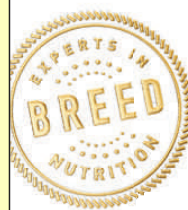


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*Dock-diving star Libby takes off in pursuit of her yellow rubber ducky. "They truly are a hidden little gem," owner Debi Hanson says of the breed in general.*

She became the mother of a new breed of earth-working terriers—fearless, tireless, and obsessed with bolting and catching fox, rats, and other vermin.

Bradford says that the only time Callie would willingly leave his side was when she was on the hunt in his barns. "She was known as 'the Verminator,' because she was the best ratter I've ever seen," he says.

### Under Hoof

In the 1970s, equestrian Sue Sobel noticed packs of

scrappy little white terriers hanging around the horse barns and race tracks. Their presence was more than a nod to their history as partners to fox hunters on horseback; It was practical to keep such skilled exterminators in the barn.

Sobel got a puppy from her horse trainer. Soon, all her friends wanted a dog just like hers. She bred a litter and started a breeding program that continues to this day.

Back then, small, white terriers were known collectively as Jack Russells. Today,

they are also referred to as Puddin' or Shortie Jacks, dogs with through-the-roof working instincts and diverse physical types.

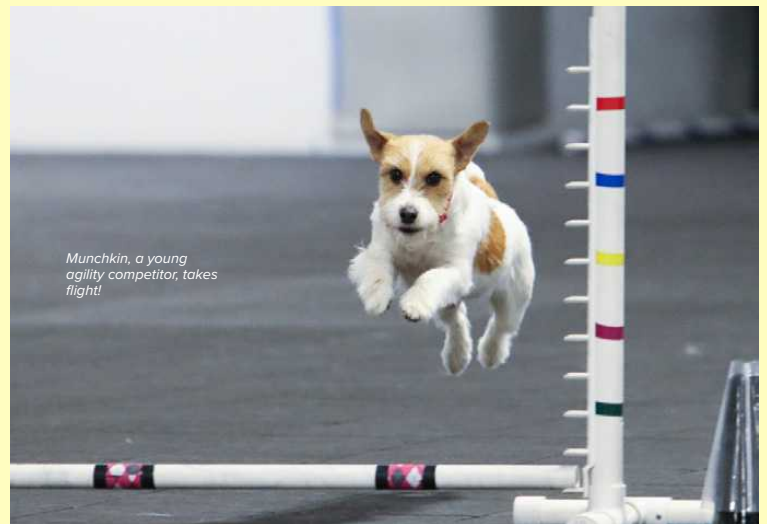
In the 1980s, U.S. fanciers began to refine two varieties into distinct breeds, which were later recognized by the AKC as the Parson Russell, in 1997, and the Russell, in 2012.

Today's Russell Terriers owe a lot to Australian breeders, says Sobel. They imported Jack Russells from Britain and developed a new line with an important feature—an off switch.

### The Vision

A meme has been floating around the internet for some time. It shows a crazed-looking dog in midflight—bug-eyed, teeth showing, tongue flapping. The caption reads: "Jack Russell Terrier—Great Dog for Apartments ... With Rubber Walls."

For decades, this was the popular image: a creature full of atomic energy, mischief,



and more than most mortals can handle.

"About five years before AKC recognized them, thanks to Facebook, I started noticing some dogs from Australia and said, 'That's the look I like,'" Sobel, from Long Island, New York, recalls.

With some Australian imports, Sobel worked to create a dog with spirit and energy, but one people could live with.

"They don't jump up and down for five hours," she says. She has sold puppies to

first-time dog owners, city dwellers, and people with gentle souls. All have worked out fine.



Even in appearance, Russells are distinctly different. The heads are blockier than the Jacks', and they have a more balanced body.

Breeder Christy Rebehn, of Pennsylvania, grew up riding horses and first noticed the scrappy, tenacious little dogs in the barns. "You know, you just couldn't help but fall in love with them," she recalls. She got her first, Pebbles, a Jack Russell, in 1991.

Rebehn later started a breeding program with a vision of the ideal Russell.

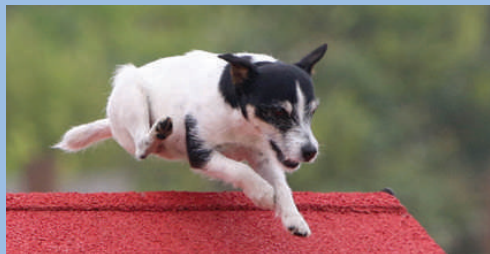
"I want to see them always



Russell puppies at play  
Right: Callie was always happy to ride along with Bradford—  
on his shoulder, lap, or in a feedbag dangling from a saddle.



Agility may not seem like the ideal activity for short-legged terriers, but Susan Salo, the author of *Foundation Jumping* and other resources to refine agility skills, would disagree. For years, she competed in agility with Jack Russells. She recently purchased a Russell puppy. “I am slightly embarrassed to admit that the day I brought my new puppy home was the day I realized the Russell was a new breed,” she told FD. At 14 months old, Archie shows brains, athleticism, and abundant drive, as did her JRTs. “What I’m learning to love is the nice ‘off switch’ my Russell has,” she says. “When in the house and not hiking, swimming, or training, he is a very mellow boy with a sweetness and joyful nature that is very endearing.”



Bric, one of AKC’s top-ranked agility Russells, was the first member of her breed to earn an Agility Grand Championship, says her owner, Vickie Casey. “She has an excellent work ethic. She is all business when it comes to agility,” Casey says. “She is easy to live with. She is my once-in-a-lifetime agility partner. I have trained nine dogs for agility. She is, by far, the most talented.”

time for therapy work and has earned an AKC title in that as well.

Libby was 3 in June.

“She hasn’t failed at anything I put in front of her,” Hanson says.

“It just seems to be never-ending,” she adds. She tells Libby to do something, and she just does it.

Hanson admits to having been apprehensive when she moved from the big fussy

hug that is a Golden to, well, a terrier. “I thought, What am I taking on? I thought she would just be nutty.”

Libby surprised her. Hanson chose a breeder in New York and traveled all the way across the country to get her pup. Right away, she knew this dog would defy the stereotype.

“She didn’t even make a sound coming all the way from New York to Idaho, not one ounce of problem,” Hanson says. “And I changed planes four times.”

Since then, Libby has proven herself a quick study, an enthusiastic worker, a welcome guest, and a great friend.

“If I could change anything about her,” Hanson says, “it would be ... nothing.” **FD**

For more information,  
visit *The American  
Russell Terrier Club*  
(theartc.org).

on their toes, always wagging their tails, always with an alert, keen, intelligent expression, but a slight bit goofy,” Rebehn says. “This breed has a sense of humor, and people tell me that you’re either training them or they’re training you.”

Sobel notes that there is one kind of person who might not be a good match for a Russell. “If you don’t want to be adored,” she says, “this may not be the breed for you. They demand attention and affection.”

One other thing. “They are smart,” Sobel says, “so smart

they can probably do anything because all they want to do is please their person.”

### Miss Libby

Libby is at the far side of a chute that leads to a gigantic pool of water, barking, eager for her turn. The sport is dock diving—not exactly a natural fit for a creature designed for squeezing into tunnels.

“She just goes, yap-yap-yap before we get up there and flies off the dock. ... She retrieves yellow rubber ducks,” says Debi Elaine Hanson, of Idaho.

Libby has hurtled herself 9 feet, 6 inches into the

water, the breed record. In 2019, she was America’s top dock-diving Russell.

Hanson is a newcomer to these feisty terriers, which she chose for their size and because they are “adorably cute.” With more than 30 years in Golden Retrievers, she is no stranger to smart, versatile dogs. Still, she was stunned by the talents of her Russell pup.

Libby is a conformation Grand Champion, and in the top 10 for her breed in Fast-CAT. She has earned titles in Barn Hunt, passed the AKC Farm Dog Certified test, and zipped through four AKC tricks titles. She also makes

# The Jack Russell 'House Rules'



1. The dog is not allowed in the house.
2. Ok, the dog is allowed in the house but only in certain rooms.
3. The dog is allowed in all the rooms but must stay off the furniture.
4. The dog can only get on the old chair.
5. Fine, the dog is allowed on all the furniture but is not allowed to sleep on the bed with the humans.
6. Ok, the dog is allowed on the bed but only by invitation.
7. The dog can sleep on the bed whenever he wants, but not under the covers.
8. The dog can sleep under the covers by invitation only.
9. The dog can sleep under the covers every night.
10. Humans must ask permission to sleep under the covers with the dog.





**DID YOUR DOG EARN A TITLE IN 2020?  
WOULD YOU LIKE TO RECEIVE YOUR  
AWARD?  
IT'S NOT TOO LATE!**

**I have decided to move the deadline for award submissions to Monday, February 15. Don't forget about the changes to the awards program:**

As stated in the December Barks, there is going to be a change to the awards program. I guess you could say that the "good news" is you no longer have to fulfill the awards requirements. On the other hand, there is definitely "bad news." At the September 25

General Meeting, and in an effort to save money, the general membership voted that those people who earn 2020 awards would have to be responsible for paying for the gold title plates and/or the plaques themselves.

This year members may purchase a GABOC 8x10 picture plaque, engraved with their dog's name, when the first AKC title is earned. You may also purchase a gold title plate (to be attached on the GABOC plaque), engraved with the title letters and date it was earned, for all AKC, CKC & UKC titles earned.

Last year, the cost for a plaque was \$34.59 and the cost for title plates was \$3.79 each; and, while the vendor cannot give a firm price without quantities, they feel if there is an increase this year it will be minimal.

We also have a special photo album containing 8x10 pictures of all members' dogs who have earned "Hall of Fame" status. The following achievements, if earned this year, would make a dog eligible.

1. Outstanding achievements, other than those accomplished in the obedience ring and those investigated by the Board and approved. (First in the breed to accomplish something, acts of heroism, etc)
2. A UD, UDX or OTCH
3. A VST or TDX, accompanied by a CD title
4. An Amateur Field Championship, accompanied by a CD title
5. A Master Hunter, accompanied by a CD title
6. A Herding Champion, accompanied by a CD title
7. A MACH, accompanied by a CD title
8. A Breed Champion, accompanied by a CD title
9. A Champion Tracker, accompanied by a CD title
10. A Rally Champion, accompanied by a CD title
11. Any additional AKC disciplines that award a CH title, accompanied by a CD title

2020 New Title Earners and new Hall of Famers will be featured on the GABOC website gallery for all of 2021.

If your dog earned a title this year and you would like to purchase a plaque or title plates please complete page 1 of the Awards Title form and send it to Jim Clarke by **February 15** (134 N Addison Rd, Wood Dale, IL 60191). As I do not have an exact cost right now, as soon as I know, I will let you know.

Jim Clarke, Awards Chairman

## Glenbard All Breed Obedience Club Titles Awards Form

The club will award a GABOC plaque, engraved with the dog's name, to a member when the first AKC title is earned, and will award a gold title plate, (to be attached to the plaque) engraved with the title and date, for all titles earned. A member is eligible for an award from January 1<sup>st</sup> through December 31<sup>st</sup> of the year in which the title was earned. The member must be in good standing with both GABOC and the AKC, as defined by our by-laws.

Members who choose to earn awards may do so by fulfilling and documenting the requirements on page two for the year in which the title was earned. *Special circumstances, such as contributing to the club by doing activities not listed in the requirements, will not exempt members from completing all requirements.* **All requirements must be met.** This form will keep track of your requirements throughout the year. Please use a separate form for each dog – print CLEARLY.

Member's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's AKC name (no titles) \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's call name \_\_\_\_\_

Has this dog already earned a GABOC plaque? \_\_\_\_\_

Title earned \_\_\_\_\_ Organization (AKC, CKC, UKC) \_\_\_\_\_ Date earned \_\_\_\_\_

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Have any obedience titles listed on this form already been earned with another organization (UKC, CKC)? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, which title \_\_\_\_\_

Awards will be distributed at the awards banquet in the year following the year in which the titles were earned. Please return the completed form by January 15 of the banquet year to:

Jim Clarke  
134 N. Addison Road  
Wood Dale, IL 60191



# DO YOU REALLY WANT A DOG?

[shakepaws.com](http://shakepaws.com)

Do you have time to give him the attention he deserves?

Can you afford the vet bills?

Have you researched the breed?

Do you have a safe and secure garden?

Will you exercise your dog daily?

Are you prepared to get up in the middle of the night?

Do you know how to teach the basic skills to keep your dog safe?

Are you prepared to give a lifetime commitment?

If you can't answer yes to these questions  
**Please don't get a dog!**



# DENTAL CARE

## HELPS YOUR PET LIVE LONGER!

Dental disease is the **#1** illness affecting pets, and can affect heart, kidney, and lung function.



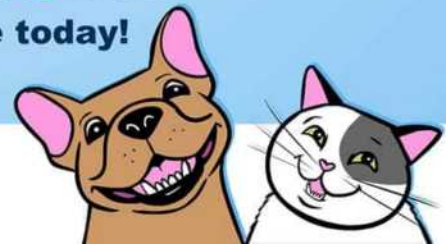
**59%** of pet owners surveyed did not know that!  
Proper oral care can prevent dental disease.

By age 3, **70%** of cats have a form of dental disease.  
Your vet can help keep their teeth healthy with a professional cleaning.



That number is higher for dogs, at **80%**  
Your dog can learn to allow you to brush their teeth.  
Flavored toothpaste helps.

Good dental care can help a pet live up to **20%** longer!  
Talk to your veterinarian about dental care today!



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## CLASS SCHEDULE

### **Puppy Classes Start Feb 2**

5:30, 6:30  
PUPPY CLASS

### **Beginner I Classes Start Feb 15**

5:45, 6:45, 7:45  
BEGINNER 1 CLASS

### **Beginner II Classes Start Feb 15**

7:30  
BEGINNER 2 CLASS

**EARLY TRAINING**  
suspended

**INDEPENDENT**  
suspended

**RALLY RUN THRUS**  
Starts at 8:00 PM

**CONFORMATION**  
suspended

**UTILITY RING TRAINING**  
Starts at 9:00 PM

Utility is now a teaching class.  
Run thrus by request

Handlers may return to the ring on  
their own after everyone else is  
finished to work on problem areas as  
long as the building is open with other  
classes

# GABOC 2019 NEW TITLE HOLDERS



Honeyblossom's Secret Guardian **UD**, TDI, HIC, RE  
 "Nico"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by: Debra Janik



**RACH** Riverside Rhyme and Reason **CD, BN, RE, RM, RM2, RM3, RAE, RAE2, RAE3**  
 "Kian"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by: Cathy Haake



GCHS CH Herr Sergeant of Glenwood IV  
**UD**, BN, RAE, CGCA, TDI, HIC, ATD, ETD,  
 Achiever Dog, OFA H/E, **TKP**  
 "Sarge"  
 Owned & Trained by: Marytherese Marosits

Photo Credit: Booth Photography



**RACH** Player's Girl Just Wants to Have Fun **CD BN RM2, RAE2, NAP, OAP, AXP, NJP, OJP, AJP, BCAT, TT, THD, OSD, CGCA, CGCU, TKP, TDI, CS, CI MRC HALL OF FAME**  
 2019 ARC Top Dog Rally Adv., Exc., & Master  
 "Gabby"

Loves and Loved By: Carol Schmidt and Al Rodriguez

Photo Credit: JAG Photography





**PACH3 PACH4** Goldbullion N Goldberrys The Natural UD, **PAX4, PAX5, MXPS2, MXPG2, MXP13, MXP14, MXP15, MXP16, MXP17, MJPS2, MJPG2, MJPC, MJPB2, MJP13, MJP14, MJP15, MJP16, MJP17**

“Redford”

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Peggy Covey  
Co-Owned by: Karin Boullion

Photo Credit: Toto



Believe's Winning Ways **CD, NA, NAJ, OAJ, NF, OF**  
“Winston”

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Betty Smith

Photo Credit: Pup Art



CH Goldberry Bullion Don't Stop Believing **UD, MXB, MXS, MJB**  
“Journey”

Handled in Performance / Trained / Owned by: Peggy Covey

Co-Owned by: Karin Boullion  
Photo Credit: Toto



Magic Shades Wisniewski Niles **CD**  
“Niles”

Handled / Trained / Owned by: Joanie Wisniewski





HR Rolling Thunder Mountain View  
TKN, CGC  
 "Piper"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Sandra Stein



Lycinan's Mighty Quinn  
 BN, CD, MX, AXJ, XF  
 "Quinn"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned  
 by: Betty Smith



CH Haznows Leaps and Bounds  
 "Hazel Bounce"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Tom and Sandi Stephenson  
 Photo Credit: Booth



Blackwood Princess of Claddagh,  
CDX, CGC, CS, CI, CS-T  
 "Teagan"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Liz Hixon



Goldberry Bullion Believe And  
 Reach For The Sun UD, GO,  
 GN, BN, CGC.  
 "Believe"  
 Trained / Handled / Loved by:  
 Candy Ellis



MACH2 Starfalls Gamblers Last Play  
 UD, RE, BN, MXS, MJS, OE, CGC,  
 TKI, TKN  
 "Ace"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Bette McMillan  
 Photo Credit: GreatDane Photos



AV, AI, NN Smack-Dab's Tails of Derring-Do  
 NACSW, NW2, RATI, RATN  
 "Derry"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
 Meery Lee Hritsuk



Blue-Dog UD, RE, CGCA  
 "Blue"  
 Loved, Owned & Handled by  
 Joan Mazat



Blackwood Prince of Winterfell, UDX, RN, RA, TD,  
 CS, CI, CS-T  
 "Flynn"  
 Handled / Trained / Owned by: Liz Hixon





**"Jenna"**  
A New Beginning  
CD, BN, RI, RN, CGCA, TKN

Jenna a New Beginning **CD**, BN,  
**RI**, CGCA, TKN  
"Jenna"

Owned / Trained / Handled / Loved  
by: Carole Moen & Bill Rock

Photo Credit: The Winning Image  
Photo Edit Credit: Bill Rock



Argo's Spirit Of Life CDX, PCDX,  
**RM**, RAE, OAP, NJP, NFP, CCA  
"Teddy"

Handled / Trained by: Bob Melka  
Owned by: Bob & Lee Melka &  
Sandra Foster

Photo Credit: GreatDane Photos



Esmonds Bel Air Rides Like the Wind  
**CDX**, **RA**  
"Windy"

Loved, Owned & Handled by  
Joan Mazat



Majestic Phaze **RN**, **TKN**,  
**S.T.A.R. Puppy**  
"Mars"

Loved / Owned by: Joan Mazat &  
John Henry Hacker  
Handled by: Joan Mazat



SE SC AN Smack-Dab's Sunrise  
Melody NACSW, NW2, **CD**, **RATI**,  
**RATN**  
"Melody"

Handled/Trained in AKC Obedience:  
Lori Waters, Handled/Trained/Owned  
in Other Venues and Events by:  
Merry Lee Hritsuk



**GCH** CH Glenwood's Sassy Sunshine Girl  
RN, **CGC**, Achiever Dog  
"Elsa"

Expertly Handled by Julia Foster  
Trained / Owned by: Isabel Lopez

Photo Credit: Meyer-Photos







Rebecca of Ganderland Labs  
CDX, PCDX, RAE2  
"Becca"

Owned and Handled by: Jim Clarke



Trinity's Contessa of Old Farm  
CD, RE, CGC  
"Tessa"

Trained, Handled and Owned by:  
Jan Row



Ebb Tide's Qaatja Pure and Bright  
CDX, TKA, TDI, WD, CGCU,  
CGCA, CGC  
"Qaatja"

Handled by: Karen Schlipf  
Owned by: Pinny Wendell



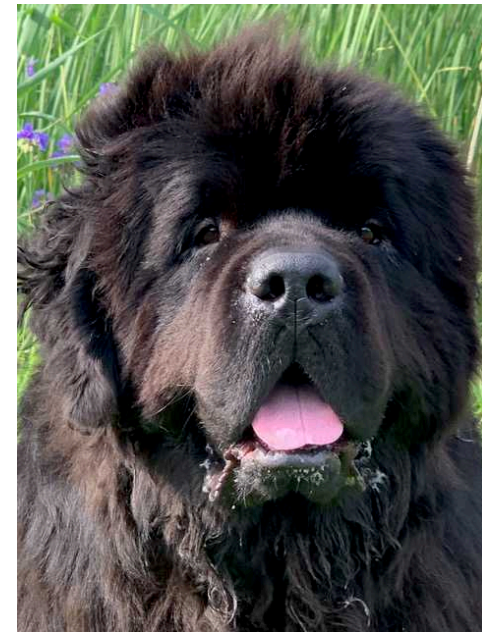
Haney's Homespun Darby-I Am Still  
Here RE, CGC, TKN, Achiever Dog  
"Darby"

Handled / Trained / Owned by:  
Sheila Gardner



Shadrack's Surfing The Motion Of The Ocean  
S.T.A.R. Puppy  
"Swell"

Loved and Trained by: Cheri Nicholas



Water's Edge Totally Tubular  
TKN, TDI, CGC,  
"Gnarly"

Loved and Trained by:  
Cheri Nicholas

