

The Bulletin

Summer 2024



Napoleon wins the National

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GCH Tumbleweed's 99In The Shade At Malagold



Our not quite a Veteran, went to the National as a road trip buddy, and came home with an Award of Merit from the SCA Parent Club Specialty! A big thank you to judge Janice McClary for this honor.

This lovely girl has only been specialed 6 times and earned her Grand in 5 shows, and this was her 6th.



Owner/Handler: **Geri Gerstner Hart & Blake Hart**
Breeder: **June Moore & Michele Kasten**



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WINTER	The Holiday Season & Our Veterans

On The Front Cover

Napoleon wins the National!

We are honored to have Napoleon chosen as Best of Breed at the SCA National in a stellar line-up. Thank you to respected judge Don Hanson for this prestigious win.

We missed you all at Westminster, as we were unable to participate due to Geri's stewarding, but we can't wait to get "on the road again"

Owner: Geri Gerstner Hart

Breeder/Co-owner: Krista Nuovo Roe

Exquisitely handled by: Kellie Miller



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The President's Message

Being President of a parent club, I am finding it rather like an iceberg, most only see the small part visible above the water. I'm very fortunate to have such a great team to work with in our board of directors. Really, it's been a whirlwind since taking office combined with my responsibilities during the National. I'm doing my best to keep up.

We are continuing to update and refine the new website. In particular we are seeking performance, rally & obedience photos. We are always open to any great pictures you care to submit! The board is also exploring what shall be done with the banners of past winners which were returned to us at the National this year. They are too large and heavy to continue to use (venues will not allow us to hang them) much less update, store and transport every year. We've had some great suggestions and I believe we will have a decision and announcement soon.

It is one of my goals to see the culture of inclusivity continue to develop. This year we added recognition at the Top 20 for Fast Cat achievement. There are more and more events our Schips are excelling in. I feel strongly we should recognize and reward this! We have a wonderful program for our members to earn the Versatile Schip award and our performance committee works hard to continue to refine parameters for these awards. Schips are indeed more than just a "pretty face."

We have many new members this past year and I am confident a wealth of untapped talent and abilities. The SCA is only as good as our volunteers who step up to take on jobs or assist. By the same token it's so easy to get on social media and make comments which may be perceived as negative or critical. Please always remember the club is entirely run by those who volunteer their time and energy-which is priceless. We all have jobs, families and our own dogs. If you have a question or concern reach out to myself or someone on the board. If you feel an area is lacking, or could be improved be kind and volunteer YOUR time and expertise to help. It's easy to sit on the sidelines and criticize -what we need are members to get in the game with us!

I look forward to the coming year in office. I will strive to help continue to move the club forward in positive ways. I encourage all of you to not only be active in the SCA but to join and support a regional club if you have one available to you.

I salute the winners along with everyone who was able to attend the National. A big THANK YOU to those who donated trophies, who donated raffle items AND especially those who worked so very hard to help us celebrate our 95th year! It was smashing success!!!

Remember the SCA is for EVERYONE who loves Schipperkes.

Thank you for your support,

Virginia Larioza



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MORNING SHOW

Sweepstakes – Sherry Patton

Junior Showmanship – Sherry Patton

4-6 Mo Beginner Puppy – Helen Tomb-Taylor

Conformation – Helen Tomb-Taylor

AFTERNOON SHOW

Sweepstakes – Susan Frey

Junior Showmanship – Judy Wade

4-6 Mo Beginner Puppy – Judy Wade

Conformation – Judy Wade

As always, we will have our famous Texas Feedbag where everyone gets a free lunch. You are encouraged to bring a side dish if you can. The club provides the meat, coffee and bottled water.

There is onsite RV parking with hookups and there is Bingo onsite Friday and Saturday nights.

Caper, Show Superintendent

Beth Lilly, Show Chair, bethalilly@gmail.com – Lezlie Hall, Co-Show Chair, lezliewhall@mc.com

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Denton, Texas



SCA 4Q 2023 Top Ten Performance

Submitted by Kathy Swan

Points are a simple total of qualifying run scores.



Regular Agility

1	MACH2 Captain Jack Meek Imp BN RN MXG MJG MFB TQX T2B FCAT3 SWN TKN	Megan Lake	2400 pts
2	MACH4 Kurakuma's Dark Island Castle CD BN MXS2 MJB3 MFC TQX T2B	Marion Johnson	1500 pts
3	CH MACH2 Delamer Windswept Island Escort CDX MXB2 MJB2 MFS TQX T2B	Marion Johnson	1400 pts
4	Westeve The Devil's Cut AX MXJ XF	Joseph Sangenito	800 pts
5	Westeve Breakin' All The Rules NA NAJ OF	Joseph Sangenito	475 pts
6	CH Delamer Sailing Solo MX MXJ MXF	Terry Sangenito	400 pts
7	CH Tumbleweed's Got Some 'Splainin To Do OA NAJ OF ACT2 ACT2J	Lezlie Hall	375 pts
8	Blackfire Get Back Sweet Loretta for Zephyr NA NAJ NF BCAT	Megan Lake	290 pts
8	CH Tumbleweed's Lady In Red At Stampede NA NAJ NF ACT1 ACT1J	Lezlie Hall	290 pts
10	Foxnoir All That Jazz AX MXJ NF FCAT3 ACT2 SWN SCA SIA SEA	Catherine A Thistle	200 pts
10	Delamer Salty Vibes BN RN OA OAJ NF FCAT3 SCN	Sheryl Meyer	200 pts
10	Coco Jacks Kayce Bear OA AXJ NF FCAT2 CGC TKN	Sheryl Meyer	200 pts

Preferred Agility

1	Tumbleweed's Something To Believe In MX MXB MXJ MJB AXP AJP XF OFP T2B2 TKN	Lynn K Hartke	200 pts
1	Look At Me De Sang Bleu MXPB MJP4 MJPB PAX MFP T2BP2 FCAT RATO	Deborah Bruner	200 pts

Regular FAST

1	MACH2 Captain Jack Meek Imp BN RN MXG MJG MFB TQX T2B FCAT3 SWN TKN	Megan Lake	508 pts
2	Westeve Breakin' All The Rules NA NAJ OF	Joseph Sangenito	138 pts
3	CH Rendezvous With Cannoli De Sang Bleu NF BCAT	Deborah Bruner	134 pts
4	Blackfire Get Back Sweet Loretta for Zephyr NA NAJ NF BCAT	Megan Lake	119 pts
5	Westeve The Devil's Cut AX MXJ XF	Joseph Sangenito	76 pts
6	CH Delamer Sailing Solo MX MXJ MXF	Terry Sangenito	70 pts
7	CH MACH2 Delamer Windswept Island Escort CDX MXB2 MJB2 MFS TQX T2B	Marion Johnson	67 pts



Preferred FAST

1	Sunrise's Bonnie Schooner Harry AXP AJP NFP DCAT CGC TKN	Janet M Sutton	119 pts
2	CH Memyselfni For Blackfire De Sangbleu NJP OFP DCAT	Deborah Bruner	63 pts

Obedience

1	RACH Kiara Kool Dude UDX OM2 RM2 RAE2	Kathy Sweet	1543.5 pts
2	CH Oasis Legendary Enchantress RI DCAT CGCA TKI FITB	Larry Wolfe Jr	395.5 pts
3	CH Doreve The Final Chapter CGCA TKN	Dee Freeman	392 pts
4	Foxnoir Paparazzi DCAT CGCA TKN	Catherine A Thistle	388.5 pts
5	Tumbleweed's Something To Believe In MX MXB MXJ MJB AXP AJP XF OFP T2B2 TKN	Lynn K Hartke	374 pts
6	CH Heart-Throbs N Daradan Place Ur Bet CGC TKN	Lynn K Hartke	370 pts
7	Oasis The Dark Knight Of Mardeck BN RI DCAT CGCA	Larry Wolfe Jr	190.5 pts

Rally

1	GCHB CH Oasis Fasten Your Seat Belts CD RM RAE FCAT ACT1 ACT1J CGCA TKP FITB	Larry Wolfe Jr	1859 pts
2	CH Delamer A Fish Called Wanda RE BCAT	Krista J Nuovo-Roe	1287 pts
3	Skyfyre's Don'T Stop Me Now RE CGC TKP	Linda Boggs	852 pts
3	Doreve's Just Reeta Mae CD BN RAE FDC FCAT10 SWM SCEE SBEE RATCHX5 CZ8G CGC A CGCU TKI	Serena Stephenson	272 pts
5	CH Oasis Legendary Enchantress RI DCAT CGCA TKI FITB	Larry Wolfe Jr	198 pts
6	GCHB CH Ropaws Destiny's Tyme Traveler CD BN RA CGC	Patricia Campbell	197 pts
7	CH Doreve The Final Chapter CGCA TKN	Dede Freeman	193 pts
7	Foxnoir Paparazzi DCAT CGCA TKN	Catherine A Thistle	193 pts
9	GCHB CH Rusticvali's Travel'N Blue Skyz At Ropaws CGC	Patricia Campbell	189 pts
10	Tumbleweed's Something To Believe In MX MXB MXJ MJB AXP AJP XF OFP T2B2 TKN	Lynn K Hartke	177 pts
10	Barbil Keeper Of The Hearth RI CGC TKI VHMP	Barbara D Murray	177 pts



Congratulations to the following teams for earning their Versatile Schipperke awards in 2023:

**To a rising star:
Versatile Schipperke Award**

Herkie & Mary Jo Plamann
Rio & Mary Jo Plamann
Carlos & Catherine Thistle
Coquette & Catherine Thistle
Mica & Natassia Chong
Coal & Catherine Thistle
Kayce & Sheryl Meyer
Breezy & Sheryl Meyer

**You are a star:
Versatile Schipperke Excellent**

Peeps & Deb Bruner
Solaris & Justus Reichert
Cole & Doreen Frappier
Petra & Mary Hare
Arthur & Sharon Ogden
Jetta & Sheryl Meyer



SCC National Specialty Saturday, August 17, 2024



Judge: Dr. Gail Forsythe

SCC Regional Specialty Sunday, August 18, 2024

Judge: Grant Townsend

Three TIKO Club All Breed Shows Six TIKO Club Indoor Rally Trials Aug 16-18, Friday, Saturday & Sunday

Schipperke Judges:

Friday - Judy Taylor

Saturday - Dave Kittredge

Sunday - Bruce Owen

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SCA Parent Club Specialty
Held Monday April 22, 2024
Judge: Janice McClary

SWEEPSTAKES –Judge: David Cooke

Puppy Sweeps:

Best Puppy: (B) **Delamer Summers Hot Centerfold**, “Bunny”

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe & Natasha Holowaty

Best Opposite Puppy: (D) **Delamer I'll Bring The Rum**, “Rummy”

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo Roe & Mariah Jeon

Veteran Sweeps :

Best Veteran: (D) **GCHB Mardeck's Oberon Renaissance**, “Obie”

Breeder: Marnie Layng

Owner: Shannon Emmert & Evan Emmert

Best Opposite Veteran: (B) **GCHG Mardeck's Iridessa**, “Dessa”

Breeder: Marnie Layng

Owner: E. M. Layng, Larry Wolfe & Melanie Pacanowski

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP –Judge: Janice McClary

Best Junior: **Taylor Stone** - GCHS Whispering Pines The Right to Silence at Foxfyre

Reserve Best Junior: **Madyson Smith** - Kiara-Sarava-Whispering Pines Covert Affair

BEGINNER PUPPY –Judge: Janice McClary

BOB - **Kurakuma MNM Sheridan Katwalkin to SeaWynds**, “SandPiper”

Breeder: Dawn Bannister, Melissa Grueninger & Diane Harris

Owner: Julia F. Sadler & Diane Mulvey

CONFORMATION

Best of Breed: **GCHG Whispering Pines Covert Op**, “Spy”

Breeder: Jessica Plourde & Kristin Morrison

Owner: Michelle O'Brien & Jessica Plourde, Robin & Kent MacFarlane, Lindsey & Joanne

Best of Opposite Sex: **GCH Delamer Summer Sand**, “Elle”

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo Roe

Best of Winners: **Whispering Pines Covert Espionage at Kiara & Foxfyre**, “Camo”

Breeder: Vicki & Gary Hester & Sarah Beth Name

Owner: Jessica Plourde & Robin & Kent McFarland & Vicki Hester & Michelle O'Brien

Best Puppy: **Delamer Summers Hot Centerfold**, “Bunny”

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe & Natasha Holowaty

Select Dog: **GCHB RusticVal's Travel'n Blue Skyz at Ropaws, CGC** –“Beau”

Breeder: Brenda Boell, Lynn Brown & John Hinrichsen

Owner: Patricia Campbell & Brenda Boell

Select Bitch: **GCH Embrace's Chasing a Pot of Gold** – “Capri”

Breeder: Jaime Stanchina & Emma Stanchina

Owner: Jaime Stanchina & Emma Stanchina & Amy Halterman

Award of Merit: **GCHS Rivendels Chasing Rainbows FDC TKN, "Journey"**

Breeder: Amy Halterman & Laura Halterman

Owner: Jaime Stanchina & Emma Stanchina & Amy Halterman

Award of Merit: **GCHG Kiara LJ Kool Kool LJJ, "LJJ"**

Breeder / Owner: Vicki Hester & Gary Hester

Award of Merit: **GCHB Barbil Eye of the Tiger BCAT, "Mikey"**

Breeder: Barbara Murray

Owner: Lynne Ray & Bill Ray

Award of Merit: **GCH Fullmoon Little Ray of Sunshine, "Rayna"**

Breeder: Kristin Morrison

Owner: Katharine Baptiste & Kristin Morrison

Award of Merit: **GCH Tumbleweed's 99 in the Shade at Malagold, "Bikini"**

Breeder: Michelle Kasten & June Moore

Owner: Geri Hart & Blake Hart & June Moore

Best Veteran: **GCHS Whispering Pines The Right to Silence at Foxfyre, "Adam"**

Breeder: Jessica Plourde

Owner: Taylor Stone & Robin & Kent MacFarlane

Winners Dog: **Whispering Pines Covert Espionage at Kiara & Foxfyre, "Camo"**

Breeder: Vicki & Gary Hester & Sarah Beth Name

Owner: Jessica Plourde & Robin & Kent McFarland & Vicki Hester & Michelle O'Brien

Winners Bitch & BBE: **Delamer Summers Hot Centerfold, "Bunny"**

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe & Natasha Holowaty

Reserve Winners Dog: **Embrace Rocket Man, "Elton John"**

Breeder: Jaime & Emma Stanchina

Owner: Jaime Stanchina

Reserve Winners Bitch: **Tumbleweed & Mandan's Slow Burn, "Rippa"**

Breeder: June A Moore

Owner: June Moore & Gloria Ter Wee

Beginner Puppy - Judge: **Janice McClary**

Kurakuma MNM Sheridan Katwalkin to SeaWynds, "SandPiper"

Breeder: Dawn Bannister, Melissa Grueninger & Diane Harris

Owner: Julia F. Sadler & Diane Mulvey

NOHS: **GCH Embrace's Chasing a Pot of Gold – "Capri"**

Breeder: Jaime Stanchina & Emma Stanchina

Owner: Jaime Stanchina & Emma Stanchina & Amy Halterman

Obedience – Judge: Fred Buroff

Regular

Novice A

Delamer Salty Vibes BCAT, "Breezy" - Sheryl Meyer NQ

Skydancing Ducky Under the Mistletoe at Seaimpini, FDC FCAT5 CGCA CGCU TKN ATT FITS "Ducky"

- Lori O'Neill

Novice B

GCHB Rusticval's Travel'n Blue Skyz at Ropaws CGC, "Beau"- Patricia Campbell & Brenda Boell 193.5 1st
Oasis The Dark Knight of Mardeck BN RI DCAT CGCA, "Knight" - Larry Wolfe & Melanie Pacanowski 188 2nd

Open A

Lakewind Flyin' Canoe de Sang Bleu, "Canoe" - Laura Wilson & Maureen Garrity NQ

Open B

RACH Kiara Kool Dude UDX RM2 RAE2, "Crush" - Kathleen Sweet – 197 - 1st - HIT
RACH Fundamental Fire Meek Imp, CDX PCDX BN RM3 RAE2 FDC FCAT RATN CGCA CGCU TKP ATT
VHMA FITS, Justice Reichart - 191.5 - 2nd
GCHB Ropaws Destiny's Tyme Traveler, CD BN RA CGC, "Ripp"- Patricia Campbell - Abs

Utility B

RACH Kiara Kool Dude, UDX RM2 RAE2, "rush" - Kathleen Sweet NQ

Optional Titling

Beginner Novice A

Sakari Lalo Anuk CGCA, "Akari"- Myra Weintraut - NQ

Beginner Novice B

CH Oasis Legendary Enchantress, "Nimue"- Danielle Muessigbrodt & Larry Wolfe Jr & Melanie Packanowski - 198 1st
CH Doreve The Final Chapter CGCA TKN, "Casey"- Dede Freeman - 195 - 2nd
GCH Delamer Makin' a Splash @ Kaleidoscope TKA VHMA VHMP, "Caspian"- Justus Reichert & Krista Nuovo-Roe - 193 - 3rd
CH RusticVali's New Kid in Town, CGC, "Vinnie" - Brenda Boell & John Hinrichsen -192 - 4th
GCH RusticVali's Call Me the Breeze RI CGCA TKN, "Bries" - Brenda Boell & John Hinrichsen - NQ
CH Heart-Throbs N Daradan Place UR Bet, CGC TKN, "Chancey" - Lynn Hartke & John Ward - 183
Coco Jacks Jetta Bear, RN AX AXJ XF BCAT CGCA TKA, "Jetta" - Sheryl Meyer - 189
Tumbleweed's Something To Believe In, MXB MJB AXP AJP XF OFP T2B2 TKN, "Ralphie" - Lynn Hartke & John Ward - 186
GCH Spindrift Little Nell, RA OAP OJP OFP CGC TKN, "Leia" - Brenda Boell & John Hinrichsen & Lynn Brown –NQ

Rally –Judge: Fred Buroff

Novice A

Skydanc-ing Ducky Under the Mistletoe at Seaimpini, FDC FCAT5 CGCA CGCU TKN ATT FITS, "Ducky" - Lori O'Neill - 95 - 1st
Crosswind's Winter Song, "Winter" - Kathleen Davis - Abs
Sakari Lalo Anuk, CGCA, "Sakari" - Myra Weintraut NQ

Novice B

GCH Delamer Makin' a Splash @ Kaleidoscope TKA VHMA VHMP, "Caspian" - Justus Reichert & Krista Nuovo-Roe - 100 1st
CH Doreve The Final Chapter, CGCA TKN, "Casey" - Dede Freeman 99 2nd
CH RusticVali's New Kid in Town, CGC, "Vinnie" - Brenda Boell & John Hinrichsen - 95 - 3rd
Emmoo Tell No Tails, "Elwyn" - Tim Kirchhofer – 94 - 4th
Tumbleweed's Radar Love, "Vito" - Sheryl Carlson & Tom Carlson & June A Moore - 81
Tumbleweed's Something To Believe In, MXB MJB AXP AJP XF OFP T2B2 TKN, "Ralphie" - Lynn Hartke & John Ward - 86

Intermediate

GCHB Rusticval's Travel'n Blue Skyz at Ropaws, CGC, "Beau" - Patricia Campbell & Brenda Boell -99 -1st



Thank you to the Schipperke Club of America for the privilege of judging their Parent Club Specialty held in Ohio.

The entry was large and full of depth. I found thickset, cobby dogs with fox like faces. Mostly square, some with distinctive coat. Some necks were slightly arched, blending into the topline, either level or slightly sloping. I found only a few with well laid-back shoulders.

Coat is important...and texture over all was good...the required patterns with distinctive lengths were lacking. As was the hair down the middle of the back lying flat.

I did notice TRIMMING...your standard says there should be NONE.

A few heads were too heavy with prominent stops. Some eyes were larger and round, instead of small and oval.

It is important to me as a judge to put up the entire dog as described in your Standard and above all to be consistent. I felt I was able to accomplish this because of the overall quality of dogs shown to me.

Again, THANK YOU.

Janice McClary



Tuesday April 22, 2024
Conformation - Lynette Niemann, Judge
Non-regular

Stud Dogs

1st - GCHG Whispering Pines Covert Op, "Spy"

Breeder: Jessica Plourde & Kristin Morrison

Owner: Michelle O'Brien & Jessica Plourde, Robin & Kent MacFarlane, Lindsey & Joanne McLachlan

2nd - CH Minneka Friends In Low Places CA, "Whiskey"

Breeder: Dr Mary Kraus

Owner: Dr Mary Kraus & Kevin & Dawn Carlson & Kaitlyn Kraus

3rd - GCHB Ropaws Destiny's Tyme Traveler, CD BN RA CGC, "Tripp"

Breeder / Owner: Patricia Campbell

Brood Bitches

1st - GCH Kiara Brandy on My Mind with Sarava, "Brandy"

Breeder / Owner: Vicki Hester & Gary Hester & Sara Name

2nd - GCHB Delamer Girls Just Wanna Have Sun BCAT TKI, "Sunny"

Breeder: Krista Nuovo-Roe

Owner: Julia F. Sadler & Krista J. Nuovo-Roe

3rd - DeLamer's N Dideb's Black Coral, "Coral"

Breeder: Krista Nuovo-Roe

Owner: Debbie Studwell & Krista Nuovo-Roe & Debra Dellamonica

4th - GCH Chatelet's Skye Ryder, "Skye"

Breeder: Thomas Luke & June Demers

Owner: Elisha Costa & Mike Costa & Thomas Luke

Brace

1st

Delamer SeaWynds Endless Sunsets, "SandDollar" - Julia F. Sadler & Krista J. Nuovo-Roe

GCHB Delamer Girls Just Wanna Have Sun, BCAT TKI, "Sunny" - Julia F. Sadler & Krista J. Nuovo-Roe

2nd

Expedition Rise N Shine It's Martini Time Daradan, "Martini" - Mariah Jeon & Dara Wilcox

Expedition's Skies So Blu in Malibu, CGC TKN, "Malibu" - Mariah Jeon

3rd

CH Tumbleweed's Victoria's Stairway to Heaven, "Paige" - Michele Kasten

CH Victoria Moonlight Moss Rose, "Rosie" - Michele Kasten & Carol Lane

4th

GCH Delamer Makin' a Splash@Kaleidoscope, TKA VHMA VHMP, "Caspian" - Justus Reichert & Krista Nuovo-Roe

CH Delamer The Bahamas Is Where Isle Be, "Tiki" - Mariah Jeon & Krista Nuovo-Roe

4 –6 Month Beginner Puppy - Lynette Niemann, Judge

BOB - Kurakuma MNM Sheridan Katwalkin to SeaWynds, "SandPiper"

Breeder: Dawn Bannister, Melissa Grueninger & Diane Harris

Owner: Julia F. Sadler & Diane Mulvey

BOS - Tumbleweed & Mandan's Burn It to the Ground, "Barney"

Breeder: June Moore & Gloria Ter Wee

Owner: June Moore & Gloria Ter Wee

Obedience - Linda MacDonald, Judge

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VHMA FITS, "Solaris" - Justus Reichert 182.5 2nd

FUTURITY / MATURITY –Tuesday - Judge: Lorrie Carlton

Futurity:

Best in Futurity: (B) **Delamer SeaWynds Endless Sunsets**, "SandDollar"

Breeder / Owner: Julia F. Sadler & Krista Nuovo-Roe

Best Opposite in Futurity: (D) **Topperlyns Heartbreaker**, "Breaker" -

Breeder: Lynda L. Kieres & Jennifer Maplethorpe

Owner: Amy Burkemper & Charlotte Burkemper

Maturity:

Best in Maturity: (B) **GCH Delamer Summer Sand Elle**, "Elle"

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe

Best Opposite in Maturity: (D) **GCHB Telstar N Ebony Sand's StarLord**, "Quill"

Breeder / Owner: Lisa Haines & Beth Burke

TOP TWENTY:

Best of Breed: **GCHG Whispering Pines Covert Op**, "Spy"

Breeder: Jessica Plourde & Kristin Morrison

Owner: Michelle O'rien & Jessica Plourde, Robin & Kent MacFarlane, Lindsey & Joanne McLachlan

Best Opposite: **GCH Fullmoon Little Ray of Sunshine**, "Rayna"

Breeder: Kristin Morrison

Owner: Katharine Baptiste & Kristin Morrison

Award of Merit: **GCHG Delamer Salt Heir**, "Napolean"

Breeder: Krista Nuovo Roe

Owner: Geri Gerstner Hart & Krista Nuovo Roe

Award of Merit: **GCHB Delamer Girls Just Wanna Have Sun**, "Sunny"

Breeder: Krista Nuovo Roe

Owner: Julia Ficken-Sadler & Krista Nuovo Roe



TO: Schipperke Club of America

I want to offer my sincere thank you and appreciation for the opportunity to judge your 2024 National Specialty. Thank you for the lovely gift. It was an assignment which was so special for me as I am very fond of the Breed.

Your President and Club Members were so welcoming and made the experience so enjoyable. The site was fabulous and worked very well for a National Specialty. I have attended several other breed National Specialties but, I must say, yours was likely the most organized event I have witnessed with credit to your Show Chair and Committee.

I was really pleased with the entry. It was very rewarding to see the entry size and then to find the depth of quality I found from the puppies to the veterans. The silhouettes, the heads, the structure, and movement all demonstrated that this Breed is in very good hands. Keep continuing to do the excellent work you have done to keep this Breed in such good stead.

All in all, it was the experience of a lifetime in my purebred dog world, and I am so happy I was able to participate.

Don L. Hanson

SCA National Specialty
Held Wednesday April 24th - Friday, 2024
National Judge: Don Hanson

SWEEPSTAKES –Wednesday –Judge: Rich Mysliwicz

Puppy Sweeps:

Best Puppy: (B) **Delamer Summers Hot Centerfold**, “Bunny”

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe & Natasha Holowaty

Best Opposite Puppy: (D) **Whispering Pines Eccentric Examiner at Foxfyre**, “Ducky”

Breeder: Robin MacFarlane, Jessica Plourde

Owner: Gloria McClay & Robin MacFarlane

Veteran Sweeps :

Best Veteran: (B) **GCH Enchanted Lady Liberty**, “Elle”

Breeder / Owner: Carie Wohl & April deBremond

Best Opposite Veteran: (D) **GCHB Oasis Fasten Your Seatbelts**, “Maverick”

Breeder: Larry Wolfe & Melanie Pacanowski

Owner: Danielle Muessigbrod

CONFORMATION

Best of Breed: **GCHG Delamer Salt Heir**, “Napolean”

Breeder: Krista Nuovo Roe

Owner: Geri Gerstner Hart & Krista Nuovo Roe

Best of Opposite Sex: **CH FullMoon Whispers in the Wind**, “Willow”

Breeder: Kristin Morrison

Owner: Kristin Morrison, Ruth & Paul Levesque, & Katharine Baptiste

Best of Winners: **Delamer Summers Hot Centerfold** “Bunny”

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe & Natasha Holowaty

Best Puppy: **Whispering Pines Eccentric Examiner at Foxfyre**, “Ducky”

Breeder: Robin MacFarlane & Jessica Plourde

Owner: Gloria McLay & Robin MacFarlane

Select Dog: **GCHG Whispering Pines Covert Op**, “Spy”

Breeder: Jessica Plourde & Kristin Morrison

Owner: Michelle O’Brien & Jessica Plourde, Robin & Kent MacFarlane, Lindsey & Joanne McLachlan

Select Bitch: **CH Delamer The Bahamas Is Where Isle Be**, “Tiki”

Breeder: Krista Nuovo-Roe

Owner: Mariah Jeon & Krista Nuovo-Roe

Award of Merit: **GCH Delamer Summer Sand Elle**, “Elle”

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe

Award of Merit: **GCH Skyfyre's Holiday in Havana, CGC**, “Desi”

Breeder: Leisl Shagen

Owner: Leisl Shagen & Del Shagen & Gretchen Keim

Award of Merit: **GCHB Telstar N Ebony Sand's StarLord**, “Quill”

Breeder / Owner: Lisa Haines & Beth Burke

Award of Merit: **Rivendel's Prince Of Thieves**, "Prince"

Breeder: Amy Halterman & Laura Halterman

Owner: Amy Halterman

Award of Merit: **GCHB Daradan's Wild at Heart**, "Gretchen"

Breeder: Dara Wilcox & Kristin Morrison

Owner: Dara Wilcox

Best Veteran: **GCHB Daradan's Wild at Heart**, "Gretchen"

Breeder: Dara Wilcox & Kristin Morrison

Owner: Dara Wilcox

Winners Dog: **Whispering Pines Covert Espionage at Kiara & Foxfyre**, "Camo"

Breeder: Vicki & Gary Hester & Sarah Beth Name

Owner: Jessica Plourde & Robin & Kent McFarland & Vicki Hester & Michelle O'Brien

Winners Bitch & BBE: **Delamer Summers Hot Centerfold**, "Bunny"

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe & Natasha Holowaty

Reserve Winners Dog: **Willow's Take it to the Max at Dideb**, "Max"

Breeder: Diane & Terry Johnson

Owner: Debra Dellamonica, Debra Studwell, Diane Johnson

Reserve Winners Bitch: **Delamer Party in the Bahamas**, "Party"

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe

Best Bred By Exhibitor: **Delamer Summers Hot Centerfold** "Bunny"

Breeder / Owner: Krista Nuovo-Roe & Natasha Holowaty

NOHS: **CH Delamer The Bahamas Is Where Isle Be**, "Tiki"

Breeder: Krista Nuovo-Roe

Owner: Mariah Jeon & Krista Nuovo-Roe

Juniors

Best Junior - **Taylor Stone** - GCHS Whispering Pines The Right to Silence at Foxfyre

Reserve Best Junior - **Charlotte Burkemper** - GCHB Fyrstartr's The Midas Touch



SCA National Week Candid Photo's











Capri

GCH Embrace's Chasing a Pot of Gold

Capri is the total package. Thickset, black, tailless with a fox like face and true double tracking movement.



Westminster Kennel Club -
Select Bitch

Schipperke Club of America
Parent Specialty- Pre-National
Select Bitch

Thank you to Judges
Vicki Seiler-Cushman
And Janice McClary

Capri is just getting started.
Shown selectively the last few
years to spend time in the
whelping box and
mature, we are looking
forward to what
this year will bring!

Breeder / Owners:
Jaime Stanchina & Emma Stanchina
Co-breeder: **Amy Halterman**

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Elton John

Embrace Rocket Man



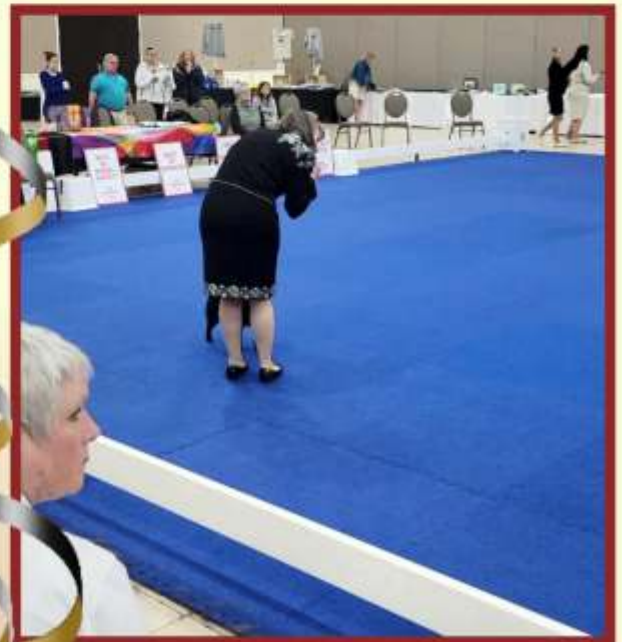
"EltonJohn" is our young bred by boy. In limited showing he has both his majors from specialty's. He was RWD at the SCA Parent Club Specialty (pre-national) from the bred by puppy class.

To be awarded a win from a class amongst the best breeders in the breed was a win all in itself.

Thank you Janice McClary for acknowledging him.



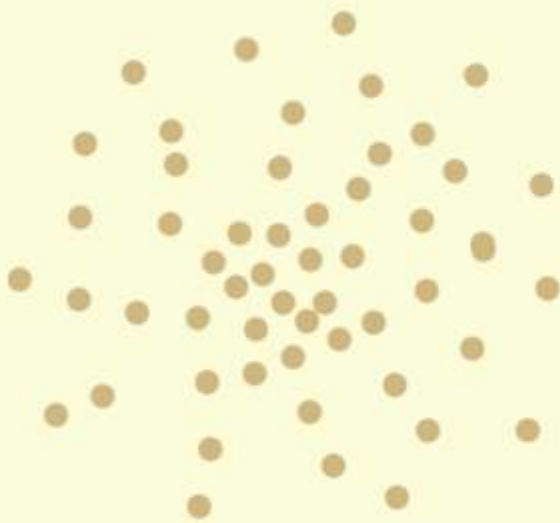












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Year	Location	Best of Breed Winner
1930	Englewood, NJ	Ch. 'Ti Noir of Kelso
1931	No Specialty	-----
1932	Greenwich, CT	Ch. Maske of Kelso
1933	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Rico of Kelso
1934	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Maske of Kelso
1935	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Marouf of Kelso
1936	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Minnette of Kelso
1937	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Petit Belge of Kelso
1938	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Seeshes Cleopatra
1939	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Maroufke of Kelso
1940	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Maroufke of Kelso
1941	Morris & Essex KC, Somerset, NJ	Ch. Maroufke of Kelso
1942	North Westchester KC, North Plains, NY	Ch. Cramique of Kelso
1943	Plainfield KC, White Plains, NY	Ch. Maroufke of Kelso
1944	Plainfield KC, White Plains, NY	Ch. Smithstone's Margette
1945	No Specialty	-----
1946	Plainfield KC, White Plains, NY	Ch. Maroufke of Kelso
1947	Interstate KC, CO	Ch. Jason of Kelso
1948	Interstate KC, CO	Ch. Jason of Kelso
1949	Monmouth County KC, NJ	Ch. Black Ruffian
1950	Yonkers KC, NY	Ch. Walrose Black Prince
1951	Yonkers KC, NY	Ch. Maroufke of Kelso
1952	Somerset Hills KC, NJ	Ch. Othello of Kelso II
1953	Somerset Hills KC, NJ	Ch. Othello of Kelso II
1954	Somerset Hills KC, NJ	Ch. Walrose Ebony Captain
1955	Somerset Hills KC, NJ	Ch. Fils of Kelso
1956	Mississippi Valley KC, Mo	Ch. Dark Star of Cledlo
1957	Dayton KC, OH	Ch. Dark Star of Cledlo
1958	Toledo KC, OH	Ch. Dark Star of Cledlo
1959	Lehigh Valley KC, PA	Ch. Deldorel's Stardom
1960	Heart of America KC, MO	Ch. Nor Lo Crest's Mighty Mo
1961	Westchester KC, NJ	Ch. Deldorel's Stardom
1962	Hoosier KC, IN	Ch. Deldorel's Stardom
1963	Trenton KC, NJ	Ch. Deldorel's Stardom
1964	Heart of America KC, MO	Ch. Deldorel's Stardom
1965	American Legion Hall, IL	Ch. Deldorel's Stardom
1966	Ox Ridge KC, CT	Ch. Toni's Mark of Dark Star, UD
1967	Hoosier KC, IN	Ch. Toni's Duplicator of Dark Star
1968	KC of Beverly Hills, CA	Ch. Skipalong's Gidget
1969	Trenton KC, NJ	Ch. Skipalong's Gidget
1970	Wichita KC, KS	Ch. Elfe Mir's A Bounc-En Skipper
1971	Atlanta KC, GA	Ch. Klinahof's Marouf A Draco
1972	Mississippi Valley KC, MO	Ch. Skipalong's Echo

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1973	Texas KC, Dallas, TX	Ch. Elfe Mir's Billie-Billy Bi-Ho
1974	Santa Ana Valley KC, Los Angeles, CA	Ch. Skipalong's H.M. Wogglebug T.E.
1975	Indianapolis, IN	Ch. Elfe Mir's Billie-Billy Bi-Ho
1976	Chicago, IL	Ch. Skipalong Malagold Luvalot
1976*	TN	Ch. Skipalong Pretty Poika
1977	Pittsburgh, PA	Ch. Skipalong O'Baby Face
1978	Texas KC, Dallas, TX	Ch. Apatge Land's S.S. Kerry Patch
1979	St. Louis, MO	Ch. Jetstar's Command Performance
1980	Long Beach, CA	Ch. Jetstar's Command Performance
1981	Washington, DC	Ch. Skipalong's El Bimbo Jet
1982	Irving, TX	Ch. Skipalong's El Bimbo Jet
1983	St. Louis, MO	Ch. Ares Beaucop
1984	Sunnyvale, CA	Ch. Eatchurheartout De Sang Bleu
1985	Gaithersburg, MD	Ch. Harmony's Heavensent
1986	Detroit, MI	Ch. Camplaren's Native Son
1987	Olympia, WA	Ch. Jetstar's Command Performance
1988	Irving, TX	Ch. Paragon Kissmygrits
1989	San Diego, CA	Ch. Eatchurheartout De Sang Bleu
1990	Syracuse, NY	Ch. Mardeck's Rookie Diplomat
1991	Louisville, KY	Ch. Dream On's One In A Million
1992	Kansas City, MO	Ch. ARES Maah-Velous
1993	Minneapolis, MN	Ch. Dante's I Gotta Line On You
1994	Atlanta, GA	Ch. Knotty Knoll Lerina
1995	Detroit, MI	Ch. Shalako's E.L. Fudge
1996	Ontario, CA	Ch. Elan's Ebony Warlock
1997	Olympia, WA	Ch. De Lamer's Fire Island Fox
1998	Carlisle, PA	Ch. Dotsu's Further More Trouble
1999	Louisville, KY	Ch. Kleingaul's Windjammer
2000	Wichita, KS	Ch. Kleingaul's Windjammer
2001	Denver, CO	Ch. Kleingaul's Windjammer
2002	Orlando, FL	Ch Dante's I Gotta Line On You
2003	Dallas, TX	Ch. Dante's Dancing In The Dark
2004	Pomona, CA	Ch. Dante's Fire When Ready
2005	Livonia, MI	Ch. Shalako's Rock 'N Whisper
2006	Vancouver, WA	Ch. Dante's Over The Top
2007	Frederick, MD	Ch. Shalako's Rock 'N Whisper
2008	Tulsa, OK	Ch. Breawood's Dancetotherisnson
2009	Chattanooga, TN	Ch. DeLamer To Sea And Be Seen
2010	Colorado Springs, CO	Ch. Dante's Fire When Ready HOF
2011	Oconomowoc, WI	Ch. DeLamer Pink Flamingo
2012	Lancaster, PA	Ch. DeLamer Pink Flamingo
2013	Las Vegas, NV	GCH. Dante's Fire When Ready HOF
2014	Livonia, MI	GCH. Rivendel's Barefoot Bandit
2015	Chattanooga, TN	GCH. Tumbleweed's Burn The Ships

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2016	Portland, OR	GCH Bonchien Park Place
2017	Mesquite, TX	CH DeLamer Teeny Weeny Burberry Bikini
2018	Matamoras, PA	CH Whispering Pines Lover Boy
2019	Pomona, CA	GCHP Rivendel's Barefoot Bandit
2020	Wilmington, OH	Show cancelled due to COVID19
2020	Topeka, KS	GCHB DeLamer Suzi Sells Sushi on the Boardwalk
2021	Topeka, KS	GCHB DeLamer Suzi Sells Sushi on the Boardwalk
2022	Wilmington, OH	GCHB DeLamer Suzi Sells Sushi on the Boardwalk
2023	Olympia, WA	GCHG Rivendel's Belle of the Ball
2024	Wilmington, OH	GCHG Delamer Salt Heir
2025	Olympia, WA	
2026		
2027		

To plan for the future,
Look to the past
And celebrate the present!

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Release The
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RN DCAT
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Jetta

Presenting With Great Pride!



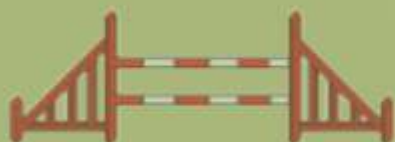
Jetta had fun at her 4th National Specialty earning titles in Agility and Obedience. She also earned her MACH (Masters Agility Champion).

It was so exciting to earn and celebrate this award at the National. Jetta also earned an Agility High in Trial; plus her first Obedience Title.



Breezy

MACH Coco Jack's Jetta Bear BN
RA MXB MJB XF BCAT SCN CGCA TKA



Delamer Salty Vibes BN RN OA OAJ NF FCAT3 SCN

Breezy ran her heart out in FastCAT. She earned her FCAT3 and also competed in Obedience, Rally and Agility.

Kayce



Kayce had a blast!

Kayce ran in FastCAT and won the fastest schipperke in all 4 runs. Top speed 23.8 MPH. Kayce earned 2 qualifying scores in Agility and also earned her "Open" title.



Coco Jacks Kayce Bear, OAAXJ
OF FCAT2 CGC TKN

Owned, Trained & Loved by:
Sheryl Meyer & Sherry Point

Schipperkes Doing Weight Pull?

by *Kathy Swan*

There are several organizations that host weight pull competitions, American Pulling Alliance (APA), United Kennel Club (UKC), and International Weight Pull Association (IWPA). Although it is most popular with large carting breeds, sledding breeds, and bully breeds, all dogs can participate. Weight pull is an excellent low-impact activity that any size dog can enjoy. It can be done with a wheeled cart on carpet or natural surface, a rail cart on a rail track, or with a sled on snow!

Weight pull is a sport born out of one of the traditional jobs that dogs have performed for centuries - hauling sleds and carts. While it is not as fast-paced as agility or as precise as obedience, it has its own unique skill requirements just like any other dog activity. The myriad of breeds that compete and the ever-increasing weight on the cart add to the excitement. Weight pull competitions can be found across the country year-round. Dogs are judged by how fast they can pull increasingly heavy loads over a specified distance.

Although the rules differ from group to group, the general idea is the same in each venue. A dog, wearing a specially-designed harness, pulls a weighted vehicle a distance of sixteen feet in 60 seconds or less. The judge announces "Pull" when the dog successfully crosses the finish line. Dogs earn qualifying scores, championship points, and other awards based on the percentage of their body weight pulled. Some AKC national and regional breed clubs also host weight pulls.

Competing in Weight Pull

All dogs competing in a pull are weighed by the judge. The dog's weight is rounded down to the nearest whole pound to determine the class he competes in. Each pulling organization divides its weight classes differently, and determines the qualification requirements for earning titles. As an example, a dog must pull eight times his body weight to earn a qualifying leg on a wheeled cart on natural (hard packed dirt, fine packed stones or grass) or artificial surface (either asphalt, concrete, or wood, and must be covered with carpet) in UKC. There is also a maximum amount weight allowed to be pulled at UKC events (varies on division, vehicle and surface). Some organizations have no maximum weight limits.



Pulls are completed in rounds. A pre-determined weight is added to the cart prior to the start of each round. Handlers choose the weight at which to start their dogs—an inexperienced dog might come into the competition on an empty cart, whereas an experienced large dog might come in at several hundred pounds! Dogs must wear well-fitting harnesses made specifically for weight pull. Harnesses used for leash walking or sledding are not appropriate for this sport. There are several online retailers that supply custom weight pull harnesses.

Proper pulling form is multi-faceted with several [criteria](#). The goal is to teach the dog the best possible physical posture. A dog with ideal pulling form walks forward in a straight line toward his handler, pulling the cart as she goes. With heavy weights, her head should be very low, with her nose almost touching the ground. As the weight increases, she should dig her nails into the substrate for traction. Untrimmed nails can act as cleats, digging into the ground.

Schips pulling I first tried weight pull with Sassy in June 2010. I'd reached out to the Cascade American Pit Bull Terrier Club (CAPBTC) asking about weight pull. I was assured there would help

New Champion



available and equipment to borrow so we could try this sport. Sassy successfully pulled 195 pounds –twice! That earned two legs towards her UKC United Weight Pull (UWP) title. I decided she needed her own equipment for practice and had a custom black and yellow harness made. Unfortunately, we got busy with other sports and never went back to finish her title.



Nearly thirteen years later in 2023, I tried the still-new harness on Glory. It fit. Glory is an inch and a half shorter than Sassy was but she's built like a tank. Glory has developed very strong neck and shoulder muscles from the self-taught games she plays with her toys. We did some practice pulls with chains prior to her first trial. In the trial, she was confused by the cart and was yo-yo pulling. She'd get the wheels moving, and then let up on the tension. This caused a start/stop effect. I faulted (touching your dog after the release is a fault) to help her. That's what she

needed. Glory had a qualifying 155 pound pull in the second trial. She completed her UWP after two more trials with 155 pound pulls. Then we started accumulating points towards her championship. Each 195 pound pull was earning 5-points on an artificial surface.

Different breeds pulling All of the trials we attend have been hosted by the CABPTC. The heavy weight pullers are the breeds you'd expect. The surprise comes for the unexpected pulling dogs such as a Chinese Crested, miniature poodle or Irish setter and of course my Schipperke. The club has two wagons. We use the smaller one that weighs 75 pound when empty. Weights are added in 5, 10, 20 or 40 pound increments. The concrete masonry blocks weight 40 pounds.

Glory has a weight pull coach, Perry. He owns Patterdale Terriers, many of which were imported. He joking calls Glory an arctic Patterdale. He is also a NASDA judge. Glory is working on conditioning and proper form. Perry explained her natural pulling is correct. Moving straight ahead, leaning into the harness without jumping or jerking...steady she goes. Like all athletics working with weights, we increase the weight slowly and then reduce it for her cool down walk. He is adamant that the dog should always be successful. In a trial, the handler can ask the brakeman to assist a dog that is struggling by pushing the cart from behind resulting in a fault. (The brakeman controls a rope that prevents the cart from hitting the dog at the end of the pull.) Your dog's success is more important than a qualifying pull.

Why Weight Pull? It strengthens the bond between owner and dog. Dogs love to be with their humans and especially love doing something with them. Weight pull is a great activity for this! It's fun! The people actually pull more than the dogs because they pull the cart back to the starting line for each dog... the dogs only do it one time in a given round. Doesn't it make your dog pull on its leash? My Schipperke's wear a variety of equipment for the various sports we play. Glory has her weight pull harness, they all have Ruffwear™ hi and light harness for NASDA, Nosework and group walks, buckle collars are for rally, and slip leads are used in agility and FAST CAT (leads are removed to run naked). Occasionally a thin slip collar is worn in the conformation ring. My dogs know the difference in the equipment, activity and behavior.



In March 2024, Glory had an amazing weekend at the trial where she started the year before. Jane was there with her two poodles (they are in the lighter weight class than Glory). Her poodle earned Most Weight Pull per Body Pound from all classes (the percentages and times for each first place dog

in each weight class per division are compared). Those little dogs rocked! Glory had two trials per day over three days. The surface was dirt. On Friday, she had her typical 5-point (155 pound) pull and easily an increased to a 235 pound (10-point) pull. These earned her **Advanced Puller** (AP) title with 10 qualifying pulls and her **Versatile Puller Novice** (VPN) title with 10 pulls in any combination on at least two types of surfaces (artificial and natural).

On Saturday, Glory again pulled 235 pounds in the first trial. She increased the weight to 315 pounds for her first 15-point pull. Glory repeated her 10 and 15-point pulls on Sunday, receiving two more titles. Her strength training was noticeable. All of her pulls over the weekend were under 10 seconds. She kept her tail up and moved effortlessly on the track. Her **Versatile Puller Advanced** (VPA) title required five pulls each on two different surfaces. She completed her **United Weight Pull Champion** (UWPCH) title by earning 100 total points. I believe she is the first UWPCH Schipperke (waiting UKC verification).

Although she hasn't tried pulling a cart on rails or a sled in snow, we are probably done with competition weight pulling. I will continue her strength training. It will be interesting to see if it changes her Fast CAT times this year. I have been thinking of building a cart for a carting title. Look for weight pull trials in your area. Give it a try.

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These Two Brothers Have Bright Futures Ahead!



ROCKY

Willow's Moving Mountains

DOB: June 30, 2023
MPSIIB Clear

Owned by:
Diane & Terry Johnson

Rocky and I made the long flight from California to Ohio to join in the fun at the SCA National. He was in the ribbons in all five of the classes he was entered in, including 1st Place in the 9-12 Futurity Class.

We both had a great time!

Sire: GCHB Aria's Malibu Moon Dam: Willow's Listen to the Silence

LUFFY

Willow's Moving With The Tides

DOB: June 30, 2023
MPSIIB Clear

Owned by:
Danya "Momo" Esposito
and Diane Johnson

Rocky's brother Luffy also made the trip to the National from Florida. He did really well, winning his 6-9 Puppy Dog class at the National.



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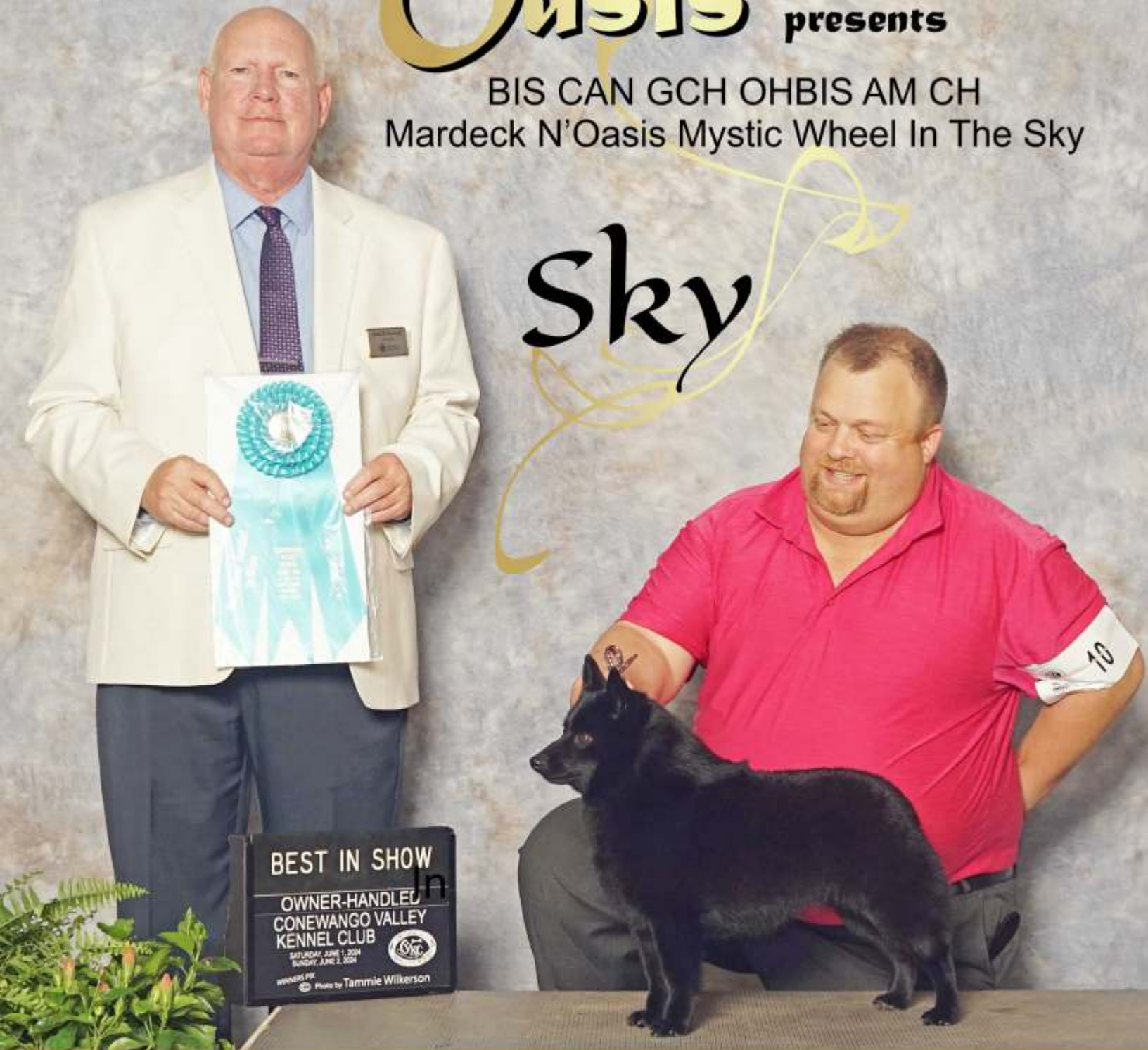
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This is for you Brenda...

Oasis presents

BIS CAN GCH OHBIS AM CH
Mardeck N'Oasis Mystic Wheel In The Sky

Sky



In 2023 after just 4 months of being shown, Sky finished the year ranked as the #1 Schipperke in Canada and #19 Non-Sporting Dog.

Now back in the States with her co-breeders & co-owners, she is off to a great start already. During the Conewango Valley KC shows in Dunkirk, NY on Saturday Sky was awarded BB and OH Group 2nd. On Sunday she earned BB, Group 3rd, OH Group 1 and then OH BIS! Sky is looking forward to more treats and rewards at upcoming shows.

Co-bred & Co-owned by:
**Larry Wolfe, Melanie Pacanowski
and Marnie Layng**

larry33westave@yahoo.com

Ch Kleingaul's Mightaswell

Midas



Sire: Ch Kleingaul's Gatekeeper Dam: Telstar's Party Time At Kleingaul

1st Veteran Dog - 10-12 Years at SCA Parent Club Specialty
and the SCA National Specialty shows.

Midas began his show career at age 10 Years.

Finishing his AKC
Championship for Kathy is my honor!

Breeder: **Kathy Gaul-Montgomery**

Owner/Handler: **Lee Ann Stusnick**



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Should host National in even years.

(As of 5/22/2024)

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WESTERN REGION

(AK, AZ, CA, CO, HI, ID, KS, MT, ND, NE, NM, NV, OK, OR, SD, TX, UT, WA, WY)
Should host National in odd years.

CASCADE SCHIPPERKE CLUB

Website: www.cascadeschipperkeclub.org
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LONE STAR SCHIPPERKE CLUB

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Upcoming Events

UPCOMING EVENTS

Colonial Schipperke Club

Fast CAT events (a total of six events) will be held Friday, May 31st through Sunday, June 2nd at the Walkersville Volunteer Fire Company, 79 West Frederick St., Walkersville, MD. These events are open to All AKC breeds along with All American Dogs. Two events will be held each day. Entries open Friday, 4/19. Event Secretary is Ching Yu (ching@cyu.com). Any Fast CAT questions should be directed to Stephanie Woodrow at stephaniewoodrow@gmail.com.

Specialty

Howard County Fairgrounds - West Friendship, MD Saturday, October 12, 2024

Howard County Fairgrounds - West Friendship, MD Saturday, January 25, 2025

Erie Canal Schipperke Club

Sampson State Park - Romulus, NY Regional Specialty, Saturday, September 28, 2024

Illiana Schipperke Club

Fast CAT & Specialty August 29-31, 2024 Amana Colonies Convention Ctr & RV Park - Amana, IA

Agility Quad City Dog Center - Davenport, IA Friday September 13 & 14,

Roberts Centre - Wilmington, OH Wednesday April 23, 2025

Schipperke Club of Greater St. Louis

Agility Trial

June 14-16, 2024 All-breed agility trial held Dog Sports at Kim', Caseyville, Illinois,

Trial secretary, Theresa Corcoran, Game On K9 Events, Theresa@gameonK9events.com

<https://gameonK9events.com>

Specialty

Conformation & Jr. Showmanship - Purina Farms - Gray Summit, MO Saturday September 21, 2024

Purina Farms - Gray Summit, MO Friday February 28, 2025 Specialty

Southern Michigan Schipperke Club

Monroe County Fairgrounds - Monroe, MI - Friday July 05, 2024 Specialty, Jr. Showmanship, Sweepstakes, 4-6 Month beginner Puppy

Michigan State University - East Lansing, MI Friday November 29, 2024 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy, Jr.

Showmanship, Specialty

Cascade Schipperke Club

Western Washington Fairgrounds - Puyallup, WA Saturday July 06 & 07, 2024 Sweepstakes, Specialty, Jr. Showmanship

Central Rockies Schipperke Club

2024642204 Arapahoe County Fairgrounds - Aurora, CO Friday June 14 & 15, 2024 Specialty, Jr. Showmanship

Lone Star Schipperke Club

October 5, 2024 Back-to-Back Specialties at North Texas State Fairgrounds, Denton, Texas. Morning and Afternoon Show –4-6 Month Beginner Puppies. Sweepstakes, Conformation and Junior Showmanship. Join us for lunch at our famous Texas Feedbag. Everyone gets a free meal. Overnight parking for RVs. Close to restaurants and right behind a Kroger. Beth Lilly is Show Chair with Lezlie Hall as co-show chair. Caper is Show Secretary. Entries close September 18, 2024.

Schipperke Club of Central Arizona

2024254502 Pima County Fairgrounds - Tucson, AZ Saturday November 16 & 17, 2024 Specialty, Jr. Showmanship

Schipperke Club of Southern California

May 31 and June 1, 2024 Two Concurrent Specialties at Summerfest. Ventura County Fairgrounds, CA: First concurrent show Friday, May 31, 2024, conformation and junior showmanship judge –John Ramirez(P): second concurrent show Saturday, June 1, 2024 conformation and junior showmanship judge –Adrian Quesada. Four all-breed shows May 30-June 2, 2024, same location. Thursday, May 30 Lompoc Valley KC Judge: Ken Roux (P);

Friday, May 31 Channel Cities KC Judge: Sharon Newcomb; Saturday, June 1 Santa Maria KC Judge: Paullet DeLong; Sunday, June 2 Ventura County Dog Fanciers Association Judge: Harry (Butch) Schulman. Thursday and Sunday shows will have supported entries.

Please send updates to Regional Clubs Chair, Leisl
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AKC & DNA

The AKC DNA Program recommends that breeders perform DNA tests that are relevant to their breed. Although the AKC DNA + Health Kit includes over 328 markers for health and traits, not all genetic variants have been validated in every breed. Some tests may have significance in some breeds, but a positive results may not cause disease in another breed. Additionally, some genetic tests are not included in the AKC DNA + Health Kit. Breeders may also choose to make breeding decisions based on genetic tests that are not included in Parent Club recommendations, but may still be relevant to their breed or line.

The AKC offers a comprehensive set of voluntary and mandatory programs to ensure the integrity of the AKC registry, and now includes genetic health and traits testing (including coat colors)!

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<https://www.akc.org/breeder-programs/dna/dna-resource-center/akc-dna-health/akc-dna-health-kit-included-tests/>

The AKC DNA Profile of 201 markers for genetic identity and parentage verification purposes
328 genetic variants for health and traits, including coat color

Results are delivered by our trusted service provider (Neogen) with the highest industry standards. Customers receive 2 pdf reports: one letter on analysis for the AKC DNA Profile of 201 markers for your dog's unique genetic identity, and the other for genetic health and trait results.

The AKC DNA + Health Kit includes over 328 markers for health and traits and every dog receives all markers. However, the AKC DNA Program recommends that breeders perform DNA tests that are relevant to their breed. Some genetic tests recommended by AKC Parent Clubs are not included in the AKC DNA + Health Kit. For more details, visit:

<https://www.akc.org/breeder-programs/dna/dna-resource-center/akc-dna-health/breed-specific-dna-testing-recommendations/>

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