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NCAMC SPECIALTY #1 & #2 – May 9, 2015

**5 + 5 + 5 =
New
Champion
+2 Grand Sweeps
& Puppy Group 1**



NCAMC SUPPORTED ENTRY – May 10, 2015



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May 8, 2016

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OFA/CERF: none provided

Owned by Jerry & Sharon Weston

Breeder: Michele Coburn

OFFICERS REPORTS

President's Report

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Just home from AMCA's 6th Annual Erie PAAll-Breed Agility Trials, three full days of some of the best agility competition in the northeast. Laura Heft, Agility Committee Co-Chair, organizes three different weekends each year in NY and PA, with the proceeds funding the malamute-only agility trial at the National Specialty. Agility trials are pretty labor intensive, with scoring and timing, moving equipment and managing all the competitors for 330 runs a day, so experienced workers are critical. This past weekend's hard working AMCA-crew included Laura Heft (Chair), Peggy Anderson, Pam Renock, Sandy Madaio, Karen Vanderburgh and me. We have some dedicated mal-agility folks, but I would especially like to recognize Sandy and Karen, who have Corgis and Shelties, respectively, but joined AMCA just to help us put together good trials. That sort of sportsmanship is typical of agility folks.

Summer is flying by, and it's time to start preparing for the annual membership ballot in October! Please check your updated e-mail address by logging in to the AMCA web site, especially if you've made a change in the last few months. Each year the Judges Nomination Round voting reveals several outdated or misspelled emails. Please report these or any other glitches to Stacey, so we can get them corrected before the membership election ballot in October.

Please send all membership changes and issues to Stacey Moore at 432-413-1985 stacey.culaw@yahoo.com She has extra issues if needed.

Recording Secretary

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Motion #16: 2015/16: to change the name of the Conformation/Membership Awards Committee to Conformation Awards/Statistics Committee. (Fusco)

Background: This will accurately describe what the committee does by removing the reference to membership and adding that this committee also tracks and compiles the statistics.

FOR: All

Motion 17: 2015/16: that SR I-6 be amended to include the words "or club." The amended SR would read as follows (changes in italics):

I-6. The AMCA Board shall each year accept nominations for the Outstanding Service Award, which shall recognize an outstanding deed or exceptional service to the breed *or club* by an individual member or members jointly. Nominations may only be made by AMCA members and must be received by the designated committee Recording Secretary by 1 August. Voting shall be conducted as part of the Annual Ballot. (Oct06/Jul16) (Levesque)

Background: The idea behind this is that those who go above and beyond for the club should be recognized for their outstanding service and as having done something positive for the breed by virtue of serving the parent club.

FOR: All

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Treasurer's Report - May-June 2016

	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16	Change
Bank Accounts	71,632.52	89,780.09	85,407.58	-4,372.51
Reserve Funds	29,022.99	29,204.20	29,192.19	-12.01
Committee Total	<u>22,334.59</u>	22,776.84	22,921.84	<u>145.00</u>
	\$122,990.10	\$141,761.13	\$137,521.61	-\$4,239.52

Revenue				
	2015 Year	May-16	Jun-16	2016 YTD

Newsletter/Directory

Advertisements	3,607.25	1,090.00	25.00	1,520.00
Newsletter/Directory	13,315.00	1,359.50	70.00	10,753.22
Subscriptions/Add. NL	119.00	10.00	0.00	57.00
Mail/Delivery	3,030.00	158.00	0.00	1,704.97
Breeders List	2,700.00	451.67	25.00	2,584.06
Newsletter/Directory Total	22,771.25	3,069.17	120.00	16,619.25

Membership

Application	533.00	120.00	0.00	400.00
Membership Fees	5,550.01	715.85	30.00	6,015.52
Late Fees	1,055.00	160.00	20.00	660.00
Membership Total	7,138.01	995.85	50.00	7,075.52

Pass-Through

National Specialty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
AMAL/CHF Donation	3,938.00	747.00	0.00	5,493.76
NS/RS Trophy Donation	1,655.00	120.00	0.00	1,515.00
Legislative/Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pass-Through Total	5,593.00	867.00	0.00	7,008.76

Committees' Total	2,174.44	3,866.00	0.00	7,229.27
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Other Revenues

Affiliate Clubs	390.00	0.00	0.00	275.00
National Specialty	27,920.00	15,000.00	0.00	15,000.00
Purina Partnership	797.07	0.00	0.00	0.00
Miscellaneous/Interest/Fees	461.06	7.26	7.78	38.62
Other Revenues Total	29,568.13	15,007.26	7.78	15,313.62

Subtotal Receipts	\$67,244.83	23,805.28	177.78	\$53,246.42
Reserve Fund	\$27.59	181.21	145.00	\$296.18
Total Receipts	\$67,272.42	23,986.49	322.78	\$53,542.60

Expenses				
	2015 Year	May-16	Jun-16	2016 YTD

Newsletter/Membership

Print-Basic	11,245.29	0.00	882.18	3,648.68
Newsletter/MD coordinator fee	4,665.00	0.00	350.00	1,075.00
Prep-Mail & Supplies	5,290.00	0.00	400.00	1,200.00
Mail/Delivery/CD	3,329.16	0.00	374.21	859.85
Bulk Postage	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Newsletter artist fees	60.00	0.00	150.00	175.00
Newsletter/Membership Total	26,589.45	0.00	2,156.39	6,958.53

Officer/Board/Delegate	1,995.71	1,017.04	145.00	1,762.79
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Pass-Throughs

National Specialty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
AMAL Donation/CHF	4,143.00	0.00	0.00	3,005.00
NS/RS Trophy Donation	1,787.00	0.00	470.00	1,595.00
Legislative/Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pass-Through Total	5,930.00	0.00	470.00	4,130.00

National Specialty	662.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
Affiliate Clubs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Donations	1,250.00	0.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Bank/CC Processing Fees	845.64	55.24	8.34	759.45
AMCA MEM/AKC Expense	1,282.87	0.00	0.00	324.52
Elections Costs	1,487.85	0.00	715.56	715.56
Insurance	1,690.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
External Financial Review	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Web Site	248.36	0.00	30.00	90.00
Miscellaneous/Legal/Other	3,140.82	53.41	37.01	675.46
Committee's	2,164.66	4,089.75	0.00	7,995.12
Other Expense Total	12,772.70	4,198.40	1,790.91	11,560.11

Total Expenses	\$47,287.86	5,215.44	4,562.30	\$24,411.43
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1) This report shows treasury funds reported as of 6/30/16

2) The "Pass-Through" lines contain funds collected by AMCA for others. They are held temporarily in the General Fund but are not owned by the General Fund.

AMCA Calendar of Events

(Prepared by Ruth Levesque, Vice President & Specialty Events Coordinator)

AMCA Specialties & Affiliated Club Specialty Events

Area/Host / Kennel Club	Dates	Location / Closing	Supt / Event Contact	Judging Panel	Competition
PNW Snow King AM Fanciers Affiliate Club Independent Specialty	8/27	Cascade Air Field Snohomish, WA Closes 8/10	Baray Events Services P O Box 508 Burlington, WA 98233 Denise Tyng, Show Chair DeniseTyng_art@icloud.com	Lisa DeRoulet Cindy Crawford-Gorath	C PS/VS
GL Great Lakes AMC Independent Specialty w/Weight Pull	9/30	Monroe Cty Fairgrounds Monroe, MI Closes 9/14	Specialty Dog Shows, LLC 4891 Ballantrae Rd Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301 Jan Slusher 517-605-2029	Diane Anderson Jennifer Remazki Tricia Till	C PS/VS JR
RM AMCA Regional Specialty	10/25 & 25	Hotel Elegante Colorado Springs, CO Closes 9/28	BaRay Event Services, Inc. P O Box 508 Burlington, WA 98233-0508 dogshows@barayevents.com 360-755-7086 Robert Pratt, Chair valhallamals@falconbroadband.net	Cheryl Paterson Cynthia Neely Sara Karl Susan Oviatt-Harris Karen Lamb	C PS/VS Jr. Show OB RA
RM AMCA National Specialty	10-26 thru 10/29	Hotel Elegante Colorado Springs, CO Closes 9/28	BaRay Event Services, Inc. P O Box 508 Burlington, WA 98233-0508 dogshows@barayevents.com 360-755-7086 Robert Pratt, Chair valhallamals@falconbroadband.net	Ruth Zimmerman Terry Toussaint Susan Oviatt-Harris Karen Lamb Janet Cherne	C/Jr. Show PS/VS OB RA 4-6 Mo.
IL/WI AMCA Area Specialty w/Skokie Valley KC	12/10	Donald Stephens Convention Ctr Closes 11/23	Jack Onofrio Dog Shows P O Box 25764 Oklahoma City, OK 73125-0764 405-427-8181 Kevin Kelly, Chair skokievalleykc@gmail.com	Lourdes Carvajal Pending	C PS/VS

* Pending AKC approval

SUPPORTED ENTRY EVENTS

Area/Host / Kennel Club	Dates	Location / Closing	Supt / Event Contact	Judging Panel	Competition
GL Great Lakes AMC Supported Entry w/Monroe KC	10/1 10/2	Monroe Cty Fairgrounds Monroe, MI Closes 9/14	MB-F, Inc Janette Slusher	Judy Horton Tracy Selis Ken Murray	C PS/VS C No sweeps
NE AMCA Area & Yankee AMC Supported Entry events w/Windham Cty KC, South Windsor KC, Springfield KC	11/25 11/26 11/27	Eastern States Expo Ctr West Springfield, MA Closes 11/9	MB-F, Inc. Ruth Levesque	Lawrence Sinclair Janina Laurin Terry Temple Marion McNeil Linda Clark Kent MacFarlane	C PS/VS C PS/VS C PS/VS
IL/WI AMCA Area Supported Entry w/Skokie Valley KC	12/11	Donald Stephens Conv Ctr Rosemont, IL	Jack Onofrio Dog Shows Kevin Kelly	Denise Dean Pending	C PS/VS

AGILITY TRIALS

Area/Host	Dates	Location / Closing	Trial Secy/ Event Contact	Judging Panel	Classes
AMCA All-Breed Agility Trials	9/2 9/3 9/4	Syracuse Obedience Training Club 6392 Deere Road Syracuse, NY 13206 Opens 7/6 Closes 8/19	Libby Loughnot, Event Sec'y 8205 Yukon Dr. Cicero, NY 13039 315-727-7903 sotctreasurer@gmail.com Premium available at: http://sotc.info/HTML/SOTCevents.html Pam Renock, Trial Chair amcatrialchair@gmail.com	Rob Robinson (all three days)	9/2: T2B Exc/Master only: STD, JWW and FAST 9/3 & 4: All levels: STD, JWW
AMCA National Specialty Agility Trial (Alaskan Malamutes ONLY)	10/23	Norris Penrose Event Center 1045 Lower Gold Camp Road Colorado Springs, CO Opens 7/20 Closes 9/28	Kelly Misegadis, Event Sec'y 4050 Haven Ln Colorado Springs, CO 80917 719-649-8910 hoosierboston@yahoo.com Wendy Corr, Trial Chair onakalmal@aol.com	David Nauer	All levels: STD, JWW, FAST

Updates to this event calendar will be made when the required AKC paperwork has been received from the Show Chairs and submitted to AKC for their approval by the Vice President.

Committee Reports & Special Report

Working Dog Certification Committee

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Happy trails and happy summer!

Big CONGRATULATIONS to our latest recipients of AMCA Working Dog titles! Wow, look at all of the countries represented with working Malamutes- Norway, England, Denmark, Ireland, Sweden and the USA. Well done to all of the hard working dogs and their owners from around the globe!

Working Lead Dog

#164 Kwest's Trickster Spirit, CA

Owner(s)

Nichole Royer

Working Team Dog

#1372 Ch. Greyrock's Echoes Of The Past
#1373 Greyrock's Forever And Ever
#1374 Mtn Home's Kickin' Ash N Chasin' Flames
#1375 Nordiclight's LilMud NTh Tires, CGC
#1376 Kwest's Trickster Spirit, CA
#1377 Kwest's Kwoth The Raven, CGC, CA
#1378 Yellowsnow Malamutes Bright Hope
#1379 Kwest's Curious Spirit, CA
#1380 Kwest's Out Of My Mind, CGC
#1381 Kwest's Reddy For Action, NJP
#1382 Kwest For A Working Girl, CGC, CD, RA
#1383 Kwest's Spirit Of The Ancients, CGC
#1384 Inupiat's Amma Taki
#1385 Inupiat's Qulit Moon
#1386 Inupiat's Qulit Sakari
#1387 Cinnamon Snowbear Illa Kuvianartok
#1388 Icicle Creek's Revolution
#1389 Icicle Creek's Lookin' For A Boy
#1390 Yellowsnow Malamute California Spirit
#1391 Sockeye Onn Fergus Mac Roich
#1392 Sockeye Onn Fionn Mac Cool
#1393 Sockeye Onn Anu
#1394 Snowcreek Hardworking Maya
#1395 Nice Boy Gizmo Malamute Sanctuary
#1396 Snowcreek Arctic Red Boss
#1397 Nordiclight's Snowcreek Aisha
#1398 Trap Line Quick Kee-nai
#1399 Snowcreek Frost-Ice Demon
#1400 Snowcreek Extreme Balto
#1401 Snowcreek Great Surprise Chill
#1402 Trap Line Two Rivers Smykke
#1403 Dreamwolves I Am Legend Of Blacksummit
#1404 Packice Orsa At Blacksummit
#1405 Candrakanta Moon Child At Icemoon

Owner(s)

Chris Hibner
Chris Hibner
Roy & Sue Fuller
Nichole Royer
Nichole Royer
Nichole Royer
Nichole Royer
Nichole Royer & Sharon Duensing
Nichole Royer & Sharon Duensing
Eva Kifri
Hollie Lohff
Hollie Lohff
Caroline Hager
Caroline Hager & Uwe Hager
Lars Holmboe
Lars Holmboe
Kathleen & Daniel Fraser
Kathleen & Daniel Fraser
Torhild Ringerike
Steve & Ruth Whitfield
Steve & Ruth Whitfield
Steve & Ruth Whitfield
Henriette & Michael Hallengreen
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Henriette & Michael Hallengreen
Torhild Ringerike
Ryan Reader & Samantha Robotham
Ryan Reader & Samantha Robotham
Nora & Bob Raby

Working Weight Pull Dog

#784 North Spirit Born To Explore
#785 Celticice Sestertius Toms
#786 Celticice Denarius Xhanxi
#787 Sledog Indian Monsoon
#788 Sockeye Onn Oengus Mac N'Og
#789 Ch. Masasyu's Mighty Hammer

Owner(s)

Bob Wadey
Bonnie Lindsell
Paula Pyper & Gary Roach
Nicola Singh
Diane Jackson
Lori A. Hicks

#790 Dreamwolves I Am Legend Of Blacksummit
 #791 Packice Orsa At Blacksummit

Ryan Reader & Samantha Robotham
 Ryan Reader & Samantha Robotham

Working Pack Dog

#833 Dreamwolves J'Adore At Orsamals
 #834 Chayo Sparkling Diamond
 #835 Icewolf Hugo Boss
 #836 Ch. Lueldar Dixie Chick
 #837 Lueldar Midnight Runner
 #838 Amaqut Leading The Pack
 #839 Sockeye Onn Oengus Mac N'Og
 #840 Winterstarz Rocket J Dog
 #841 Candrakanta Moonlight

Owner(s)

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 Diane Jackson
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Back Cover, Color, Non-Member..	120.00
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Center spread - B & W (2 Pages) Member	70.00
Center Spread - B & W (2 Pages) Non-Member..	90.00
Center Spread - Color (2 Pages) Member..	165.00
Center Spread - Color (2 Pages) Non-Member..	185.00
Design Fee	35.00
Half Page B & W- Member..	15.00
Half Page Color - Member	40.00
Half Page B & W, Non-Member..	35.00
Inside B & W- Member..	25.00
Inside B & W, Non-Member..	45.00
Inside Color, Member	75.00
Inside Front Cover, Color, Member..	100.00
Inside Front Cover, B & W, Member..	75.00
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Inside Front Cover, Color, Non-Member..	120.00
Inside Color, Non-Member..	95.00
On Line Puppy Ad	25.00

AREA REPORTS

GREAT LAKES

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Motown Working Alaskan Malamute club held an all-breed weight pull at the Detroit Kennel Club Show on June 25-26. The showcase center was a cool 65 degrees that made weight pulling comfortable.

There were 14 dogs pulling the first day and 12 dogs pulling the second day. Breeds included Malamutes, Siberian Husky, St. Bernard, Pharaoh Hound, Shar Pei.

On Saturday BOOTSTRAP a Malamute handled by Raissa Hinman, took the most weight pulled at 2,464 pounds. BENTLEY the Pharaoh Hound had the highest percentage at 40.21%. This dog was handled by Kendra.

On Sunday, again BOOTSTRAP took most weight pulled at 2,464 pounds and he also took high percentage at 32.86%.

Both days attracted a good crowd of spectators who cheered on every dogs effort. We also did some public education about our breed and weight pull.

Our next major weight pull will be at the Monroe County fairgrounds under the Monroe Kennel Club on September 30th and October 1st.

Colleen and Dave Belanger report that the Haunted Howl crew is busy adding some alphabet soup to their registered names.

DEUCE, **Spiritrun's Uppin The Ante**, finished his UKC weight pull title and received his super dog recognition. He also finished his novice nosework titles in exteriors and vehicles at the Centerville dog show.

The UKC Premier was fruitful with CRICKET, **Spiritrun's Perfect Gift**, finishing her Barn Hunt Instinct title and her Barn Hunt Novice title. She gave a good try at weight pull but was a bit distracted and ran out of time. DEUCE,

Spiritrun's Uppin The Ante, earned a leg in senior barn hunt taking high in class and five championship points in weight pull. MADISON, **Spiritrun's Utter Maddness**, received an open leg in barn hunt. COUPE, **Aanbuaqs Little Deuce Coupe**, gave a good try in weight pull.

At the Detroit Kennel Club show COUPE pulled 995 in Novice with a bit of bribing and some sneaky tricks.

ILLINOIS/WISCONSIN

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We are so proud, we could just explode. Our girl STARZ is a Champion. Now known as **CH ThunderKloud T' Secret's In T' Starz**, she finished her championship at the Badger KC show on Sunday, May 8, under judge Paula Nykiel. I had thought the Saturday judge would be our best chance to finish her, but that was not to be. Instead, STARZ held out to finish on Mother's Day. I should have known. Our dogs always do something nice for us on either Mother's Day or Father's Day. Our first special took his Group 1 on Mother's Day. I had finished ROWDY on Mother's day and finished SPICY on Father's Day. Why would STARZ do anything different? STARZ, as usual, did it with a flourish. She was awarded WB, BOW and BOS over specials, took the Best Owner Handled ribbon and went on to win the Owner Handled Working Group. What an amazing day.

STARZ took a week off and then we headed over to Michigan for the GLAMC specialties thanks to a lovely invitation from Bev Pfeiffer to ride along with her. I moved STARZ up to the Best of Breed class and went with the thought that it would be good experience for her. At the first of two specialties that day, she showed nicely, but was not terribly animated. At the second specialty in the afternoon, she had had a nice nap and was ready to rock; and rock she did. She showed great and came out of the ring with a Best of Opposite win on her first day out as a special. Thank

you to all of the Michigan folks who put on a great show with cool prizes. It was nice to see many friends that I only get to see maybe once a year.

And though I hate to point out the obvious, the year is half over and we're looking towards cooler temps in the fall and weight pull season. The Alaskan Malamute Club of Wisconsin will start their pulling season in September. The first couple of months pull schedule is as follows:

September 24
Harnisfaeger Weight pull in Ashippun, WI
October 9
Friends of Nature Weight Pull, Oconomowoc, WI
October 15
Kettle Moraine Country Store Weight Pull, Kewaskum, WI
November 6
At the End of the Leash Weight Pull, Mukwonago, WI

For more information and the full schedule of pulls you can go to the club's website at <http://www.amcw.org> You can also contact Ken Marsicek at kmarsicek@wi.rr.com.

Send me news, folks. I'd love to spread the word about the accomplishments of dogs other than my own. I know you're out there. I can hear you breathing.

Until next month. . . .

NEW ENGLAND

We need an AR for New England "If no one volunteers for this area, your joys, woes and adventures will not see the light of day in the AMCA Newsletter. We really want to read about YOU and your dogs."

No Report

NEW YORK / NEW JERSEY

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The NY/NJ Area Report has been silent for a while, so let's catch up. Patty Bryce writes that SHILOH, **U-CH Lakopac's Shiloh of the Yukon CGC**

RN UKC RO1, WCR LP ADE Level 1A AOE RL 1X CDSP SN-C, ASN-C, CPE Level 1 has been very busy. In the beginning of the year in Obedience she achieved two Beginner's Novice legs. In February she earned her CDSP SN-C title and by May her CDSP ASN-C. In Conformation SHILOH made the 2015 Top Ten Alaskan Malamutes was invited to the Top Ten Finals in Michigan. In June, she completed her UKC Rally/Obedience Level 1 title. KODA BEAR, **U- Ch. Koda Bear of the Yukon AKC CGC, RN, UKC RO1, WCR LP AOE L 1A, RL 1X, RLC CDSP SN-C**, has been busy as well. Obedience wise in June, he received his CDSP SN-C title and on June 11 and 12, he completed all three legs to earn his UKC Rally Level 1 title.

Paula Honigman writes that LOLA, **Uyak Lloyd Neck** is now **CH Uyak Lloyd Neck** after she attended the NY/NJ Area Specialty Show New Paltz the last weekend in June, where she picked up 12 more points including two five point majors to finish.

Maria Dinwoodie has some news from the Salt City Cluster, Syracuse back in March/April. She reports that DOMINO, **Snobuc's Never Say Never Again** was WB and BOB to complete her championship on the first day of the cluster. At the supported entry on Saturday, eight month old HAZEL, **Snobuc's Haze Gray and On Her Way**, was in the ring for the first time in the ring achieved WB and BOS for the 3 point major. Later that day JAMES, **CH Snobuc's Shaken Not Stirred, RN** completed his Beginners Novice title with a second placement. Later in June at the Genesee Valley Kennel Club Shows in Rochester, puppy ALICE, **Snobuc's Watching Over Me** was WB and BOB both Saturday and Sunday.

Michele Izzo, a new AMCA member, has a new foster failure, STORMY, who is a rescue from CHAAMP. STORMY finished the first round of basic obedience and is going back for round two. In weight pulling news, BOE, Abernaki's Flying Solo, went to the IWPA Weight Pulling Championships out in Michigan and came back a silver medal on snow.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST

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We start off with Michele Coburn sharing that for the first time she entered in the 4-6 month puppy competition at the Chintimini Kennel Club Show with KATIE, **Peace River's Hallstatt Fairy dust & Fireball**. I will say it was not the playdate we were thinking it would be with the three littermates in the ring together. I do believe mine was the worst behaved; she has a bit of a mind of her own, but we kept saying it was for the experience, right? LOL

Chintimini weekend also brought a big brag for ONNA, **CH Peace River's Dream Girl At Hallstatt RN**. I am certain that Mom Laura Maffei will be bragging with the specifics, but I am over the moon proud of this team earning their rally novice title in three days, first time out with all scores over 90!

DIVA, **SGCH Peace River's Bling It On**, came home with a Select and BOS for that weekend. DIVA then thought a trip to Louisville with Julie Despot was a good idea. She went Select three days and BOB one day. Then, my traveling girl took off to Lewiston, bringing home four BOB wins for a sweep of that weekend. She followed that up with two BOB wins at Walla Walla and a wonderful Group 2! (See Something To Howl About)

Sadly I end my report with a Black Ribbon. RAVEN owned and loved by my Son and Daughter in Law passed this morning at the age of 11. She was a beautiful wooly girl out of my Emily and was with me when she quietly passed in her sleep. "Give your Mommy kisses for me when you cross the Rainbow Bridge."

Laura Maffei shared the following in April and I missed it: "It has been time to start ONNA, **CH Peace River's Dream Girl at Hallstatt** in Rally so we went to Albany, Oregon for the Chintimini Kennel Club's show April 1-3. We were entered in Rally Novice all three days because I was hoping to get a qualifying score (or maybe two) during this show to start her performance career. Instead, we unexpectedly finished ONNA's Rally Novice title with

two placements (a Second and a Third) and all three scores above 90!

The Chintimini KC also had a 4-6 Month Puppy Match, and three of the Mick-Onna puppies competed: MICA, **Hallstatt's Ominous Silence at Svalbard** won the breed and got a puppy group 2. His sister KATIE, **Peace River's Hallstatt Fairy dust & Fireball** was puppy OS and TAKARA, **Hallstatt "X" Marks the Spot** got to run around the ring with her siblings. It was a family affair and super fun for those of us who participated. I'm very proud to have co-bred the MICK-ONNA pups with Michele Coburn.

Laura Maffei also sent this news: "It's been a busy month in the Rally ring for me and TAI, **Canamarok's Angel's Taizen CD BN RE CGC**. We attended the Mt. Hood Keeshond Club's trial on April 10, in Salem, Oregon, and earned our sixth Rally Advanced Excellent leg, with a Second Place in Rally Excellent. On April 30-May 1, we traveled to Pendleton, Oregon, for Walla Walla Kennel Club's shows and earned three more Rally Advanced Excellent legs (that's three double-Qs), with four of our six scores in the 90s! It was hard work having six entries in a little over 24 hours, but TAI was a trooper and had fun with it, too."

Sharon Weston wrote in to share the following; "May has been an exciting month for our youngster, EZ! He was BB both days at Olympia Dog Fanciers earning a Group 1 and....Best In Show on Sunday! To say we were overwhelmed is the understatement of the century. EZ adores his wonderful handler, Shea Skinner, so showed like a grownup! The next weekend in Klamath Falls he was again BB both days with a Group 4 on Saturday. We say thanks to all who have expressed such great compliments about this very special boy. Although he has made us very proud in the show ring, his greatest accomplishment to date is his role as a therapy dog to my husband."

I'm, sitting here writing this report on the 4th of July and listening to all of the fireworks. The dogs are in and eating dinner and dusk is just upon us. We start off this month with some reports from Lynden Washington attending

the first Northwest Cluster Shows. A big thank you to the two clubs that put this show on it these four days of shows. The location was great and I had a wonderful time with some new friends and some old. It was great to see John and Jane McCauley. I know most of you remember them and their beautiful Sable boy TEDDY. We had a great time at the show our ADELE, **BluMoon's Rumour Has It CGC**, picked up a number of points winning WB/BOW/BOB on Friday May 20 under Judge Joan Zielinski, then Winners Bitch on Saturday May 21 under Judge Dennis Miller, Reserve Winners on Sunday May 22 under Judge Walter Pinsker and then WB/BOW/BOB on Monday May 23 under Judge Charles Olvis. We had a short break and then ADELE went on to win Winners Bitch at the Tacoma Kennel Club Show under Judge Lee Brown on June 12. Now to find that illusive major to finish!

Cindy Neely writes: "MYA, **Jazzland's Another Little Piece of My Heart** went to her first show in Puyallup at six months three days and showed like a champ, taking WB and her first major. This was just a few weeks after her daddy, COOPER, **CAN CH Taolan Quest Total Eclipse** was BOW on Sunday at the Elma shows, for his first major as well. (See Major Reports).

Michele Coburn writes: "It has been an amazing May and June at Peace River. Olympia Dog Fanciers in Elma was where we started out with PEARL, **Peace River's Black Pearl** who earned her second major under Judge Janet Sinclair. To top the weekend off, EZ, **GCH Peace River Rogue You Just Gotta Believe** owned and loved by Sharon and Jerry Weston awed friends and family by taking BIS under Judge Janet Pardue. So, off to the Spokane /Coeur D'Alene shows I went with Julie Despot and a van full of Peace River girls. Of course the plan was to finish PEARL's Championship as she only needed two singles, but baby KATIE, **Peace River's Hallstatt Fairydust and Fireball** would have none of it day one. Her first real AKC show at six months, two days, she took BOB over her special Aunt DOLLY for a major. DOLLY got Select.

Day Two in Spokane, PEARL prevailed, but the points broke due to attendance,

so only 1 point. DOLLY, **CH Peace River's She's Got This**, in her bikini went BOS. Then it was on to Coeur D'Alene where Miss PEARL finished BOS/WB under Mrs. Joan Zielinski. Tuesday in Coeur D'Alene it was KATIE again BOS/WB for two more points. DOLLY went Select both days in Coeur D'Alene,

So, we came home from that trip with a new champion, a baby with five points and a major. WOO HOO. We took a few weeks off and then headed to Canby, Oregon, Clackamas Kennel Club. That was fun as all three siblings were in attendance and were pretty sure it was play time. They did hold it together somewhat with the results being: BOB: DIVA, **GCH Peace River's Bling it On**, BOW/WB: KATIE, **Peace River's Hallstatt Fairydust and Fireball**, BOS/WD: HARRY **Battlefield Supernova**. DIVA went on to thrill us all with a Group 4 that day. Sunday at Clackamas: BOB :DIVA, BOW/BOW/WD :HARRY, WB: KATIE, and, DIVA again took a Group 4. (See Something to Howl About, and Major Reports).

Thanks everyone looking forward to next month's news. If you didn't see it, please be sure to check out Something to Howl About and the Major Reports.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN

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No Report

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I'd like to start by saying hello to all our Southern Area members and, introduce myself. My name is Ronda Allen and I am your new Area Reporter. I hope we get to know each other better by hearing about your world and how it relates to our club and our breed. I think we would all like to know the goings on in each of our lives, learn of your accomplishments, of your

Alaskan Malamutes wins, adventures, what makes them special to you, their contributions to the breed, and just plain old fun. After all an Alaskan malamute is a multi-faceted canine and many things go into what makes them who they are. So, that being said let me begin.

Suzanne Bedell chaired a fantastic specialty in Perry, GA back in April. It was the first show she chaired, but she organized not only the specialty, but also several special events and trials including; obedience, agility, barn hunt, dock diving and a few other great events we don't normally get to see. She topped off the day with a cook out which was lots of fun and camaraderie. There were some fantastic athletes representing Alaskan Malamutes from all parts of the country. It had to be difficult to judge, from the youngsters in Sweeps to the beautiful Best Veteran and a young bitch who took Best of Breed and deservedly so. I was at the show as a spectator and marked my catalog so there is a report on all the winners. Unfortunately, I did not get this position in time to enter a complete Area Specialty Report. I apologize to all those entered whose names were not included as entries.

Myrtle Beach had two major shows the end of April and May 1. Results will be in the major show reports section. There was several major shows around in May that some of our southern area Alaskan Malamutes attended. In Concord, NC there were four days of shows, one held by the Carolina Working Group Association. Lisa Staley's dog took BOB three of the four days. There was also a specialty with sweeps in the Great Lakes where Ann Mayberry Welch entered her girl, **GCH Ixa's Dontcha Wish Your Girlfriend Was Hot Like Me** who was awarded Select Bitch for 4 GCH points. Suzanne Bedell and Bonnie McMahan Howen co-own a junior dog, **Kasaan Kumata's Bring'N Home T' Fortune** who was Best in Sweepstakes from Mr. Keith Olsen and then walked away with a southern swagger, for WD/BOW and a 3 point major under Mr. Dana P. Cline. On the next day **GCH Ixa's Dontcha Wish Your Girlfriend Was**

Hot Like Me once again was awarded Select Bitch for four more GCH points by Mrs. Kimberly Meredith-Cavanna. Congratulations to all.

I hope we will be able to add that one of my fur kids will be entered in if anyone becomes a fur kid again instead of a naked one! I may have to take them out in their skivvies before there are no other shows around us.

Hopefully, next month will be a better area report for the south. This month, mostly because of the time limitation I had researched shows that our southern dogs entered and reported major shows as I could. There are no howls as no one knew to let me know about their new champions or other new titles. I will be sure to include everything that is given to me. So, for now, enjoy your summer and I will be back in two months.

MIDWEST

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Greetings from the Midwest! It has been horribly hot and humid out my way. I hope the rest of you have had much cooler weather than I have.

Lynda Ste. Jhourre sent in the following report two months ago. However I had already sent in my report so I will place it in this report. She writes below:

“Andrea Koehlert and Lynda Ste. Jhourre report that BRAVO, **Multi BIS NOH Am/Int CH Love Spirit Stormy** took three Best of Breeds and two Group 1s, followed by a Best In Show NOH at the Kansas City Cluster. He then took a Group 3 at the Manitowoc Cluster two weeks later. It was fun while it lasted. His coat is falling out now and he probably won't be back until Fall! He is more than half way finished to his AKC Grand Championship at age 19 months. “

Lynda senthas sent in a report for the next issue. Since I was not able to get the last one in there will be a little repetitive information. She writes below for this issue.

“Last month our BRAVO, **Multi Best**

In Show, NOHS Am/Int Ch. Love Spirit Stormy, **CGC, TT** received the Top Puppy Award for 2015 from The AMCA along with Top Midwest Class Dog and Number 3 Class Dog AMCA. This past spring we had a few results to brag about.

We went to the Kansas City Shows in March where BRAVO won Best of Breed and Best Owner Handler for the three days we were there, along with Two Group 1s and a Best in Show! A few weeks later in Manitowoc, we took a Best of Breed one day and a Group IV Owner Handler and we left early because of the storm. In Jordan MN we took Best of Breed two days in a row but again, we left early because of the terrible heat. We showed in Fargo the first week of June, and won Best of Breed and Best Owner Handler three days in a row along with a Group IV, Group 1 and another Best in Show! Last weekend in Cambridge we showed only one day and took Best of Breed over two top gorgeous specials. Way to go BRAVO and Andrea with such a young dog. “

Big huge congrats to BRAVO, he is doing so great.

Rachel Bautista sent in an e-mail to brag about her NAYA. Rachel is very proud of NAYA as in May, at one of the Topeka shows, NAYA took a Best of Breed over a special. Way to go Rachel and NAYA. A big huge congrats for the two of you.

ROCKY and I have not been doing a whole lot in the last two months as it has been far too hot. We did go to a couple of UKC shows in May and he took three group 1s and a group 2. Last weekend we went to the Waterloo shows and he did take back to back Best of Breeds and BOBOH. There was nice class puppy dog against him each day. Last Friday, ROCKY saw a rabbit in the back yard and he was stalking it. It was amazing watching how he could stand so still and then take a few steps at a time. Then he heard firecrackers and he ran in the house. So the rabbit got to live another day. I am proud of my ROCKY.

I hope the rest of you are having a great 4th of July.

WEST COAST

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Dorothea Ragsdale sent me the following news:

“I finally have some brags to share. I now have a new GCH living with me, ZIVA, **GCH Snodanc Save the Last Dance for Me** achieved her grand championship on the Mission Circuit. We started out with a bang- 5/27/16 Antelope Valley KC- BOS for a four point major, 5/28/16 San Fernando KC- SEL- for two points, 5/29/16 San Gabriel KC- BOS- for 5 point major, and 5/30/16 Los Encino KC – SEL – for two points. So my little Ziva made me proud.”

Next news is from Linda and Troy Katlarz:

RIDER, **Mytuk “N” Keno Let It Ride**, got his second major at the Woofstock show “Contra Costa Kennel club”, on June 11th 2016. He has done this on limited showing, and the last two times out he acquired both Majors. We are so proud of this puppy.”

And Chris Hibner shared her news:

“I am so very pleased with both of the Greyrock boys. With very limited showing this year, ECHO, **BPIS CH Greyrock's Echoes Of The Past CGC**, went BOB on Saturday April 23 at Chief Solano Kennel Club under judge Judith Daniels and a BOB Owner Handled. On Sunday April 24, Chief Solano Kennel Club under judge Terry Stacy he placed Best Opposite and BOB Owner Handled. On June 11 at the Contra Costa Kennel Club under judge Luis Sosa, he was Select Dog which left him one point short of his Grand Championship.

“On April 16 at Sacramento Kennel Club under judge Phillip John, JOEY, **CH Greyrock's How U Doin**, went BOB from the classes over the special for his first Major. Then on May 28 at Hangtown Kennel Club under judge Eva Berg, he went WD for his second major and his new championship.” Congratulations to Kevin and Becky Oliver on the success of their boy.

Huge Congratulations to Dorothea, ZIVA, Linda, Troy, RIDER, Chris, ECHO, JOEY, Kevin and Becky on all their brags. Thank you for sending them to me to share with your fellow AMCA members via the newsletter area reports and a couple of you even sent them prior to my solicitation!

I don't have any trial brags, but do have a few things to share.

ARWAH, **ARCH Tanu Kindred Spirit at Modar CD RAE AX AXJ CGC TT WPD WTD RL3 (AOE) RLV (AOE) NW1**, celebrated his 12th birthday on June 8 by going to the beach and running on the sand and waves! I'm delighted to report no ill effects less than four months after his knee stabilizing surgery.

COMET, **ARCH UWP UCH Modar's Yule Pied Comet BN PCD RE AX MXJ CGC TT WPD WTD WWPD**



Comet ready for her performance July 4, 2016



Comet ready to go on parade

AAAM RL3 (AOE) RL1X ATD NW1, pulled a decorated wagon in the 40th Annual Penngrove 4th of July Parade, Northern California's "Biggest Little Parade!" We had fun and she was great with all the crowds. We even got a First place trophy, even though we were the only entry in the dog-drawn vehicle category!

I am going to share a couple websites for interested members. I have no affiliation with any of the vendors. One has a mesh mask similar to the fly shields worn by horses. It covers the entire dog's head, attaching to the collar and preventing foxtails from entering the nose, eyes, ears, mouth. I ran into a neighbor walking her dog with one on. She said she's had it for a while and loves it. The majority of dogs should have no trouble adjusting to this type of "mask." The website is: www.outfoxfordogs.com. Next up is: www.artychokers.com. After buying the "startychoker" which is simply a light weight black nylon buckle base or starter collar, you can add "artychokers" in endless designs. Comet wore a patriotic one in the 4th of July parade and I have two other covers, one with planets and one with a Navajo Indian design. The covers have two snaps with velcro in between to attach to the base collar. I will say that these collars are really made for show, but I would not count on them being sturdy enough to hold or walk a dog that really pulls! They would be a great second collar for Therapy dogs or anyone enjoying decking their dogs out for holidays, seasons, occasions, events. Next weekend I'm going to be attending a two day educational seminar on the mental side of competition, learning mental strategies to help perform under pressure. I've never been able to get over my ring nerves in obedience, so am hoping this will help me manage them better or use them to my advantage. I also earn 13 CEUs toward my next dog training recertification.

****LAST MINUTE NEWS FLASH**** Kevin & Becky Oliver's boy JOEY is going to appear in the Lasher Subaru commercials!!

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Hello from Europe.

The AMCUK held its specialty open show in May and the judges were: Dogs - Joan Sheehan, Bitches - Louise Forster and Stakes - Angela Anderson.

The main results were;

BEST IN SHOW and BEST DOG: Mr. P. and Mrs. M. PAGE **Waytogo Austin Sausimayok for Cedarcreek (Imp POL)**. RESERVE BEST IN SHOW and BEST OPPOSITE SEX and BEST BITCH: Miss S. TOWERS and Mr. N. RIVERS **CH Chayo Cookie Monster for Wintadreama ShCM**. RESERVE BEST DOG: Mrs. KE COPLEY-HOLLAND **Am GCH Adair N Hug Casual Class (Imp USA) NAF**. RESERVE BEST BITCH and BEST VETERAN: Mrs. S. WRIGHTSON **Snobruk Rising Star of Kisnicova**. BEST PUPPY IN SHOW: Mrs. J. BROOK **Snobruk Secret Mission (ai)**. RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW: Mr. I. ELLIOT and Miss A. CAMPBELL **Packice Neiden Winterling**. BEST JUNIOR IN SHOW: Mrs. M. Page and Mrs. D. JARVIS **Cedarcreek Frozen Asset**.

BEST OVERALL RESCUE STAKES: Miss N.J. SINGH **Sledog Dream Maker (ai)**. RESERVE BEST RESCUE STAKES: Mrs. S. WRIGHTSON **Snobruk Rising Star of Kisnicova**. BEST JUNIOR RESCUE STAKES: Mrs. J. BROOK **Snobruk Secret Mission (ai)**.

Dutch member Susanne Gutierrez sent news this month: "At the Danish Kennel Club (DKK) show held in Fredericia on 14 February 2016, under judge Petrus Roosenboom from Belgium, TIKAANI, **DKCH Black Lotus Come On Let's Dance**, earned her third CAC to become a Danish Champion, at the age of 9½ years! TIKAANI was also awarded BOB Veteran, #1 bitch and went on to be awarded Best of Opposite. We thank the judge Petrus Roosenboom for thinking so highly of our wonderful girl. What a wonderful Valentine's Day!" (see Howl About)

News from Dutch member Erna Hartveld-Upmeijer; "Our baby male puppy AKIMA, **Kataum Inua's Akimaruk**, from our last litter was four and a half months old last month, so we were able to take him out to an International show in Uden. AKIMA had great fun, he was wagging his tail as much as he could and having fun meeting all the other dogs. He behaved like a dream, and the judge thought so too. AKIMA won his first two rosettes, best male baby puppy and one for overall best baby puppy. In the Netherlands you can't win any champion points under the age of nine months, but it was a super experience. We are ready to continue showing him after the summer break. His mum NIVI, **Peace River Niviasar** is back in coat after the litter and enjoying her morning walks with her son. Two of our imports JANNA, **Winterstarz Kujannamik** and MAHUK, **Winterstarz Mahuk** are getting a visit from their breeders, who will be in the Netherlands for a few days on a visit from America. We all are looking forward to seeing them here at our home."

News from UK member Joan Sheehan: "I recently had the honour of judging the AMCUK open show which I thoroughly enjoyed. The rain stayed away long enough for us to complete judging and take the photos. I have also been out and about showing with our new boy TYLER, **Cedar creek Frozen River**, co-owned with his breeders Paddy and Marina Page and he's had a couple of nice class wins along the way. I and KIZZY, **Powderhound's Sealed With A Kizz for Amaqqut WWPDX RL2**, did

some Rally Obedience demonstrations at the recent AMCUK Rescue Fun Day which was very enjoyable and gave some rescue owners the chance to have a go. Finally a couple of black ribbons: We are heartbroken to announce the passing of WOMBLE, **Hawkam Leading The Trail via Amaqqut WWPDX WTD**. WOMBLE was the life and soul of the pack, known by many by announcing his arrival at any venue. He won a CC and a reserve CC in the show ring and won his class in the Allerton weight pull championship three times. Such a happy boy, he will be missed. Just three days later we lost his litter sister PORSCHE, **Hawkam Lucky Break WWPDX WTD**. PORSCHE was such a beautiful girl and she gave us the gift of our only litter. Motherhood was her greatest joy and she lived with her daughters until the end. She was a loving girl who could lift you when you were down and give the best cuddles. We find the house so quiet without them."

Polish member Gizela Makarewicz has sent news for some of her breeding this month: **Multi Ch Saggi-To Redbear Illa Kuvianartok**, owned by Edyta Langer, has become a Polish veteran champion and was awarded BISS veteran at the specialty show for group 5 held in June, under judge Mr. Ryszard Waclawik. NEYTIRI, **Divine Dignity Neytiri Illa Kuvianartok** has become a Polish junior champion. Littermate THOR, **Dare To Dream Illa Kuvianartok** has also become a Polish junior champion. ARISHA, **CH Grand Isleta Illa Kuvianartok**, owned by Cvetlana Griszko, was awarded the CAC and

BOB at the specialty show for Group 5 held in June and also the CAC, CACIB and BOB at the CACIB show held the next day, which completes her Serbian championship. (see Howl About).

Our own news this month;

We took RAIN, **Sledog Indian Monsoon WTD***, **WLD***, **WWPD**, along to the Scottish Kennel Club championship show in May, under judge Mr. J. Broadberry, where she placed second in her limit class and VHC in her open class. This qualifies her for Crufts 2017.

At the AMCUK specialty show, NERO, **BVISS BJISS Mountain Home Sledog Pride (imp) WTD WPD ROMWD** won the veteran dog +10 class and then went on to win best veteran male. He also won his import class and the brace class with his grandson DUNK, **Sledog Dream Maker (A.i) WPD**. DUNK also placed second in his post graduate dog class and third in his working certified dog class. DUNK won his stakes open dog class and then went on to win best overall stakes. RAIN was placed VHC in her limit bitch class, second in her stakes open bitch class and second in her working certified bitch class.

Please remember to send me your news. If any member is not receiving my bi-monthly reminder, please let me know.

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SOMETHING TO HOWL ABOUT

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB TITLES & AWARDS

NEW GRAND CHAMPION

GCH SNODANC SAVE THE LAST DANCE FOR ME (B)

Sire: GCH Alcan Come Snodanc With Me ROM
Dam: CH Snodanc Fasten Your Seat Belt
Breeder: Dorothea Ragsdale
Owner: Dorothea Ragsdale
Show: San Gabriel KC
Date: 5/29/2016
Judge: Bonnie Linnell Clarke

NEW CHAMPION

CH GREYROCK'S HOW U DOIN (D)

Sire: GCH Yukonjak's Slate RA CGC
WWPD WPD WTD SAM VAM AAAM TT
Dam: Ootek's Sassie On The Rise
Breeder: Chris Hibner
Owners: Kevin & Becky Oliver
Show: Hangtown Kennel Club
Date: 5/28/16
Judge: Eva Berg

CH THUNDERKLOUD T' SECRET'S IN T' STARZ (B)

Sire: GCH Illusion's Beyond Imagination
Dam: CH ThunderKloud's Can't Keep A Secret
Breeder: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Owner: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Show: Badger Kennel Club
Date: May 8, 2016
Judge: Paula Nykiel

CH PEACE RIVER'S BLACK PEARL (B)

Sire: CH Peace River's In Your Dreams
Dam: GRH Peace River's Bling It On
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Joe and Sandy Pistolessi and Michele Coburn
Show: Coeur D'Alene Dog Fanciers
Date: May 30, 2016
Judge: Mrs. Joan Zielinski

NEW RALLY NOVICE TITLE

CH PEACE RIVER'S DREAM GIRL AT HALLSTATT RN

Sire: CH Peace River's In Your Dreams
Dam: GCH CH Peace River's Bling it On
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Laura Maffei & Michele S. Coburn
Show: Chintimini Kennel Club
Date: April 3, 2016
Judge: Mr. Chip Taylor

NEW CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TITLES

GRCH PEACE RIVER'S ALL THAT AND A BAG OF CHIPS ROM CGC

Sire: Am/Int'l Ch Wencinja's Int'l Man of Mystery
Dam: GCH Peace River's She's All That ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Michele S. Coburn
Date: May 13, 2016
Location: Notta Bear Training Center

CH PEACE RIVER'S SHE'S GOT THIS CGC

Sire: CH Silver Ice lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: GRCH Peace River's All That and a Bag of Chips ROM CGC
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Date: May 13, 2016
Location: Notta Bear Training Center

BEST IN SHOW

CH PEACE RIVER'S ROGUE YOU JUST GOTTA BELIEVE (D)

Sire: Ch Silverice Lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: Ch Peace River's All That And A Bag of Chips ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Jerry & Sharon Weston
Show: Olympia Dog Fanciers
Date: May 8, 2016
Judge: Mrs. Janice Pardue

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CH PEACE RIVER'S ROGUE YOU JUST GOTTA BELIEVE (D)

Sire: Ch Silverice Lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: Ch Peace River's All That And A Bag of Chips ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Jerry & Sharon Weston
Show: Olympia Dog Fanciers
Date: May 8, 2016
Judge: Mrs. Janice Sinclair

GROUP 2

SGCH PEACE RIVER'S BLING IT ON (B)

Sire: Ch Silverice Lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: Ch Peace River's All That And A Bag of Chips ROM

Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Michele S. Coburn
Show: Walla Walla Kennel Club
Date: May 1, 2016
Judge: Dr. Ronald Spritzer

GROUP 4

CH PEACE RIVER'S ROGUE YOU JUST GOTTA BELIEVE (D)

Sire: Ch Silverice Lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: Ch Peace River's All That And A Bag of Chips ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Jerry & Sharon Weston
Show: Klamath Dog Fanciers
Date: May 18, 2016
Judge: Mrs. Rosemary Leist

GCH PEACE RIVER'S BLING IT ON (B)

Sire: Ch Silverice Lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: Ch Peace River's All That And A Bag of Chips ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Michele S. Coburn
Show: Clackamas Kennel Club
Date: June 25, 2016
Judge: Mrs. Beth Speich

SGCH PEACE RIVER'S BLING IT ON (B)

Sire: Ch Silverice Lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: Ch Peace River's All That And A Bag of Chips ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Michele S. Coburn
Show: Clackamas Kennel Club
Date: June 26, 2016
Judge: Mrs. Judith Brown

GROUP 4

CH PEACE RIVER'S ROGUE YOU JUST GOTTA BELIEVE (D)

Sire: CH Silverice Lichen Standing Stone ROM
Dam: CH Peace River's All That And A Bag of Chips, ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Jerry & Sharon Weston
Show: McKenzie Cascade KC
Date: February 26, 2016
Judge: Mrs. Carolyn Alexander

GCH PEACE RIVER'S BLING IT ON (B)

Sire: CH Silverice Lichen Standing
Stone ROM
Dam: CH Peace River's All That And
A Bag of Chips, ROM
Breeder: Michele S. Coburn
Owner: Michele S. Coburn
Show: Golden Gate Kennel Club
Date: January 31, 2016
Judge: Mr. William Shelton

AKC OWNER HANDLER GROUP PLACEMENT**BEST IN SHOW (AKC OWNER HANDLER)****AM/INT CH LOVE SPIRIT STORMYTH, CGC (D)**

Sire: GCH CZ Igual Du Grand Stormyth
Dam: CCH CZ Adore Princess Arctic Storm
Breeder: Katerina Scheuflerova
Owner: Lynda Ste. Jhourre & Andrea Koehlert
Show: Leavenworth Kennel Club
Date: 3-10-16
Breed Judge: Mrs. Paula Nykiel
Group Judge: Mr. Wayne Bower
BIS JUDGE: Mrs. Christie Martinez

RESERVE BEST IN SHOW (AKC OWNER HANDLER)**AM/INT CH LOVE SPIRIT STORMYTH, CGC (D)**

Sire: GCH CZ Igual Du Grand Stormyth
Dam: CCH CZ Adore Princess Arctic Storm
Breeder: Katerina Scheuflerova
Owner: Lynda Ste. Jhourre & Andrea Koehlert
Show: Fargo-Moorhead Kennel Club
Date: 6-3-16
Breed Judge: Mr. Roger Hartinger
Group Judge: Mrs. Ann Hearn
BIS JUDGE: Mrs. Ann Hearn

GROUP 1 (AKC OWNER HANDLER)**AM/INT CH LOVE SPIRIT STORMYTH, CGC (D)**

Sire: GCH CZ Igual Du Grand Stormyth
Dam: CCH CZ Adore Princess Arctic Storm
Breeder: Katerina Scheuflerova
Owner: Lynda Ste. Jhourre & Andrea Koehlert
Show: Leavenworth Kennel Club
Date: 3-10-16
Breed Judge: Mrs. Paula Nykiel
Group Judge: Mr. Wayne Bower

CH THUNDERKLOUD T' SECRET'S IN T' STARZ (B)

Sire: GCH Illusion's Beyond Imagination
Dam: CH ThunderKloud's Can't Keep A Secret
Breeder: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Owner: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Show: Badger Kennel Club
Date: May 8, 2016
Judge: Paula Nykiel
Breed Judge: Paula Nykiel

AM/INT CH LOVE SPIRIT STORMYTH, CGC (D)

Sire: GCH CZ Igual Du Grand Stormyth
Dam: CCH CZ Adore Princess Arctic Storm
Breeder: Katerina Scheuflerova
Owner: Lynda Ste. Jhourre & Andrea Koehlert
Show: Leavenworth Kennel Club
Date: 3-12-16
Breed Judge: Mrs. Linda Clark
Group Judge: Mrs. Debbie Melgreen

AM/INT CH LOVE SPIRIT STORMYTH, CGC (D)

Sire: GCH CZ Igual Du Grand Stormyth
Dam: CCH CZ Adore Princess Arctic Storm
Breeder: Katerina Scheuflerova
Owner: Lynda Ste. Jhourre & Andrea Koehlert
Show: Fargo-Moorhead Kennel Club
Date: 6-3-16
Breed Judge: Mr. Roger Hartinger
Group Judge: Mrs. Ann Hearn

GROUP 4 (AKC OWNER HANDLER)**AM/INT CH LOVE SPIRIT STORMYTH, CGC (D)**

Sire: GCH CZ Igual Du Grand Stormyth
Dam: CCH CZ Adore Princess Arctic Storm
Breeder: Katerina Scheuflerova
Owner: Lynda Ste. Jhourre & Andrea Koehlert
Show: Northeast Wisconsin Dog Show Classic
Date: 3-31-16
Breed : Col. Joe B. Purkhiser
Group: Mr. Elliott Weiss

AM/INT CH LOVE SPIRIT STORMYTH, CGC (D)

Sire: GCH CZ Igual Du Grand Stormyth
Dam: CCH CZ Adore Princess Arctic Storm
Breeder: Katerina Scheuflerova
Owner: Lynda Ste. Jhourre & Andrea Koehlert
Show: Fargo-Moorhead Kennel Club
Date: 6-5-16
Breed Judge: Mrs. Mary C. Murphy
Group Judge: Mr. Carl Gene Liepmann

BEST OWNER HANDLED GROUP 2**CH THUNDERKLOUD T' SECRET'S IN T' STARZ (B)**

Sire: GCH Illusion's Beyond Imagination
Dam: CH ThunderKloud's Can't Keep A Secret
Breeder: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Owner: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Show: Lake Shore Kennel Club
Date: June 26, 2016
Judge: Frank Washabaugh
Breed Judge: Donavan Thompson

BEST OWNER HANDLED GROUP 3**CH THUNDERKLOUD T' SECRET'S IN T' STARZ (B)**

Sire: GCH Illusion's Beyond Imagination
Dam: CH ThunderKloud's Can't Keep A Secret
Breeder: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Owner: Patricia & Thomas McGovern
Show: Packerland Kennel Club
Date: April 3, 2016
Judge: Linda C. More
Breed Judge: Christie Martinez

BARN HUNT NOVICE TITLE**SPIRITRUN'S PERFECT GIFT, CGCA, TDI, RATI, RATN (B)**

Sire: Spiritrun's Perfect Stand
Dam: Spiritrun's Gift of Gab
Breeder: Jennifer and Edmund Remazki
Owners: Colleen and Dave Belanger, Jennifer and Edmund Remazki
Show: UKC Premier
Date: 6-18-16
Judge: Candy Henely

BARN HUNT INSTINCT SPIRITRUN'S PERFECT GIFT, CGCA, TDI, RATI (B)

Sire: Spiritrun's Perfect Stand
Dam: Spiritrun's Gift of Gab
Breeder: Jennifer and Edmund Remazki
Owners: Colleen and Dave Belanger, Jennifer and Edmund Remazki
Show: UKC Premier
Date: 6-17-16
Judge: John Henely



SOMETHING TO HOWL ABOUT

INTERNATIONAL KENNEL CLUB TITLES & AWARDS

NEW CHAMPION - DUTCH

CH BLACK LOTUS COME ON LET'S DANCE (B)

Sire: CH Taolan Traces Of The Cat
 Dam: CH Black Lotus Tigress Xsassy
 Breeder Allan Hersinger
 Owner: Susanne Gutierrez
 Show: Danish Kennel Club (DKK) - Fredericia
 Date: February 14, 2016
 Breed: Petrus Roosenboom (Bel)

NEW JUNIOR CHAMPION - POLAND

DIVINE DIGNITY NEYTIRI ILLA KUVI-ANARTOK (B)

Sire: BISS Shomont Rasin Cain
 Dam: CH Chilam Snowbird Illa Kuvianartok
 Breeder Gizela Anna Makarewicz
 Owner: Gizela Anna Makarewicz
 Show: CAC Show Kalisz - Poland
 Date: June 12, 2016
 Breed: Mr Ryszard Wacławik (PL)

NEW CHAMPION - SERBIA

CH GRAND ISLETA ILLA KUVIANARTOK (B)

Sire: BIS CH Oakiok Magic Boy for Polarny Usvit
 Dam: CH Black Angel Illa Kuvianartok
 Breeder Gizela Anna Makarewicz
 Owner: Cvetlana Griszko
 Show: CACIB show - Serbia
 Date: June 5, 2016
 Breed: Umit Ozkanal (TR)

NEW VETERAN CHAMPION & BEST VETERAN IN SPECIALTY SHOW - POLAND

INT CH MULTI CH SAGGI-TO RED-BEAR ILLA KUVIANARTOK (D)

Sire: CH Nurak of Timber Kennel
 Dam: BIS CH Kotzebues Kringmerk Fantasmagoria
 Breeder Gizela Anna Makarewicz
 Owner: Edyta Langer
 Show: FCI Specialty Show Group 5
 Date: June 16, 2016
 Breed: Mr Ryszard Wacławik (PL)

DARE TO DREAM ILLA KUVIANARTOK (D)

Sire: BISS Shomont Rasin Cain
 Dam: CH Chilam Snowbird Illa Kuvianartok
 Breeder Gizela Anna Makarewicz
 Owner: Gizela Anna Makarewicz
 Show: CACIB Show - Rzeszow Poland
 Date: May 21, 2016
 Breed: Mrs. Barbara Larska (PL)

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Major Show Reports

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IL / WI (submitted by Pat McGovern)

Name of Show: Badger KC 5-6-16

Judge: Eva E. Berg
Total Entry: 18 (9d -9b)
D= 8 (3 pt) B=9 (4 pts)
BOB: GCH Kasaan Snokist Ropin' 'N' 'T' Fortune (D) (D Roberts-Burrill)
WB/BOW/BOS: Fall Moon's Magnificent Mamie of Dreameatcher (B) (P Warrichaiet)
WD: Istari's Imriel Illustrated by Hobbitt (H & J Schultz)
RWD: Storm Sky's Keeper of the Past at Storm Kloud (S Czarapata/J El Dissi/J Gonzalez)
RWB: Sno Quest's Gold N' Girl (A Sautbine)

Name of Show: Janesville-Beloit KC 5-7-16

Judge: Rita J. Biddle, Esq.
Total Entry: 18 (9d -9b)
D= 5 (2 pt) B=9 (4 pts)
BOB: GCH Kasaan Snokist Ropin' 'N' 'T' Fortune (D) (D Roberts-Burrill)
WD/BOW: Vykon's Ixa's Man In The Nets (K Manassa/J Wiczorek)
WB/BOS: Ice Fall's Gun Powder 'N' Smoke (A Sautbine)
Select Dog: CH Gryphon's Moonlighting at Wintuk (L & S Kalous/C Rowe)
RWD: Istari's Imriel Illustrated by Hobbitt (H & J Schultz)
RWB: Storm Sky's Kissed By A Snoman at Storm Kloud (S Czarapata/J El Dissi/J Gonzalez)

Name of Show: Badger KC 5-8-16

Judge: Paula Nykiel
Total Entry: 16 (7d -9b)
D= 5 (2 pt) B=7 (3 pts)
BOB: GCH Kasaan Snokist Ropin' 'N' 'T' Fortune (D) (D Roberts-Burrill)
WB/BOW/BOS: ThunderKloud T' Secret's In T' Starz (P & T McGovern)
Select Dog: CH Gryphon's Moonlighting at Wintuk (L & S Kalous/C Rowe)
Select Bitch: CH Ice Fall's Gun Powder 'N' Smoke (A Sautbine)
WD: Storm Sky's Keeper of the Past at Storm Kloud (S Czarapata/J El Dissi/J Gonzalez)
RWD: Istari's Imriel Illustrated by Hobbitt (H & J Schultz)
RWB: Fall Moon's Magnificent Mamie of Dreameatcher (P Warrichaiet)

Pacific Northwest Area (submitted by Cindy Carriegan)

Name of Show: Olympia Dog Fanciers - 05/07/16

Judge: Mrs. Lawrence Sinclair
8: D=5 (3 pts) B=1 (0 pts) 1 (1D, 1B)
BOB: CH Peace River Rogue You Just Gotta Believe (Weston)
BOS: Peace River's Black Pearl (Pistolesi/Coburn)
WB/BOW: Peace River's Black Pearl (Pistolesi/Coburn)
WD: Jee Jac's Artium of Power Paw (Lauridsen/Allen)
RWD: Orionblu's Got My Majo Working (Reiser/Soares)

Name of Show: Spokane Kennel Club Inc. - 05/28/16

Judge: Mr. Brian Meyer
5: D=1 (4 pts) B=3 (2pts) 1 (0D, 1B)
BOB: Peace River's Hallstatt Fairy dust & Fireball (Coburn)
BOS: Luka of GH Racing Mals JP (Nojima)
WB/BOW: Peace River's Hallstatt Fairy dust & Fireball (Coburn)
WD: Luka of GH Racing Mals JP (Nojima)

Name of Show: Puyallup Dog Fanciers. - 06/11/16

Judge: Ms. Bonnie Clarke
6: D=1 (0 pts) B=4 (3pts) 1 (0D, 1B)
BOB: CH Jazzland Rain On Quileute (Dewing/Dysart/Neely)
BOS/BOW/WD: Jee Jac's Artium of Power Paw (Lauridsen/Allen)
WB: Jazzland's Another Little Piece Of My Heart (Neely)
RWB: Hallstatt "X" Marks The Spot (Maffei/Snyder)



Rocky Mountain Area (submitted by PJ Harrison)

Name of Show: Mt. Ogden Kennel Club Logan Utah

Date: Saturday, May 21, 2016

Conformation Judge: Ms. Linda A. Kraft

Total Entry 26 D=6 B=9 Specials D=5 B=6

B0B: GCH Windswept's The Games Afoot (D) (Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski & Marcia Wild)

BOS: CH Adair'N'Hug All About Herself at Snopeak (Al & Barbara White & Robin Hug)

WD/BOW: Catoico's Creative Genius (Stacey Moore)

RWD: Snowhollow Hawks Rest on Tosi Peak

WB: Powerpaw Moake's Lady Jaye (Mike Moake & Andrea Allen)

RWB: Adair'N'Hug Mts Tumoki's Lake Effect (Joseph & Robin Hug)

SD: CH Adair'N'Hug Fair Winds and Following Seas

CGC (Claudia Hess & Robin Hug)

SB: CH Wolfmountain's Celtus Ferox (Pat & Morty Jenkins & Jaiden Christensen)

REGULAR CLASSES

Puppy Dogs 6 Mos & Under 9 Mos

- 1 Ice Wolf Feel The Force
(Andrea Allen)

Puppy Dogs 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

- 1 Snowhollow Hawks Rest On Tosi Peak
(M. Ellen McKee)

Puppy Bitches 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

- 1 Snowhollow Nez Perce Good Golly Miss Lolly
(M. Ellen McKee)

Twelve to Eighteen Month Bitches

- 1 Adair'N'Hug Mts And I Will Always Love You
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

Bred-By-Exhibitor Dogs

- 1 Catoico's Creative Genius

Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitches

- 1 Powerpaw Moake's Lady Jake
(Mike Moake & Andrea Allen)
- 2 Adair'N'Hug Mts Tumoki's Lake Effect
(Joseph & Robin Hug)
- 3 Obsidian's Black Canary WTD
(Ben & Chari Erickson)
- 4 Inukpak's Angel Fire
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

American -Bred Bitches

1. Valhalla's Restless Hekla
(Rob & Shelly Pratt)

Open Dogs

- 1 Adair'N'Hug Mts The Handsome One Once You Go Black
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

Open Bitches

- 1 Firestorms's Diamond in the Sky
(Madison Robbins)

Rocky Mountain Area (submitted by PJ Harrison)

Name of Show: Mt. Ogden Kennel Club Logan Utah

Date: Sunday May 22, 2016

Conformation Judge: Mrs. Margaret S Jones

Total Entry 24 D=4 B=7 Specials D=7 B=6

B0B: GCH Windswept's The Games Afoot (D) (Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski & Marcia Wild)

BOS: GCH Wolfmountain's Margarita (Pat & Morty Jenkins & Jaiden Christensen)

WB/BOW: Adair'N'Hug MTS Tumoki's Lake Effect (Joseph & Robin Hug)

RWB: Valhallas Restless Hekla (Rob and Shelly Pratt)

WD: Adair'N'Hug MTS The Handsome One Once You Go Black (Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

RWD: Catoico's Creative Genius (Stacey Moore)

SD: GCH Wolfmountain's Warhammer (Pat & Morty Jenkins)

SB: CH Vykons Aluk Busy Bein' Fabulous TT,WTD, WPD (Ben & Chari Erickson)

REGULAR CLASSES

Puppy Dogs 6 Mos & Under 9 Mos

- 1 Ice Wolf Feel The Force
(Andrea Allen)

Puppy Dogs 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

- 1 Snowhollow Hawks Rest On Tosi Peak
(M. Ellen McKee)

Puppy Bitches 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

- 1 Snowhollow Nez Perce Good Golly Miss Lolly
(M. Ellen McKee)

Twelve to Eighteen Month Bitches

- 1 Adair'N'Hug Mts And I Will Always Love You
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

Bred-By-Exhibitor Dogs

- 1 Catoico's Creative Genius

Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitches

- 1 Adair'N'Hug Mts Tumoki's Lake Effect
(Joseph & Robin Hug)
- 2 Powerpaw Moake's Lady Jake
(Mike Moake & Andrea Allen)
- 3 Catoico's Grand Sam Adventure
(Bruce Maxwell & Stacey Moore)
- 4 Inukpak's Angel Fire
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

American -Bred Bitches

1. Valhalla's Restless Hekla
(Rob & Shelly Pratt)

Open Dogs

- 1 Adair'N'Hug Mts The Handsome One Once You Go Black
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

**AFFILIATE & INDEPENDENT CLUB
SPECIALTY SHOWS**

Rocky Mountain Area Specialty	May 20, 2016	Conformation Judge:	23 Total
Logan Utah	(Show 1)	Mrs. Gayle M. Denman	D-6 B-8
			Specials D=2 B=4
			Veteran D=2 B=1

B0B: GCH Windswept's The Games Afoot (D) (Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski & Marcia Wild)
 BOS: CH Vykon's Aluk Busy Bein' Fabulous TT,WTD, WPD (B) (Ben & Chari Erickson)
 WD/BOW: Vallhalla's Brave Vali (Rob & Shelly Pratt)
 RWD: Catoico's Creative Genius (Stacey Moore)
 WB: Adair'N'Hug Mts Tumoki's Lake Effect (Joseph & Robin Hug)
 RWB: Powerpaw Moake's Lady Jaye (Mike Moake & Andrea Allen)
 SD: CH Adair'N'Hug Fair Winds and Following Seas CGC (Claudia Hess & Robin Hug)
 SB: CH Adiar'N'Hug All About Herself at Snopeak (Al & Barbara White & Robin Hug)

REGULAR CLASSES

Puppy Dogs 6 Mos & Under 9 Mos

1 Ice Wolf Feel The Force
(Andrea Allen)

Puppy Dogs 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

1 Snowhollow Hawks Rest On Tosi Peak
(M. Ellen McKee)

Puppy Bitches 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

1 Snowhollow Nez Perce Good Golly Miss Lolly
(M. Ellen McKee)

Twelve to Eighteen Month Bitches

1 Adair'N'Hug Mts And I Will Always Love You
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

Bred-By-Exhibitor Dogs

Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitches

1 Valhalla's Brave Vali
(Rob & Shelly Pratt)
 2 Catoico's Creative Genius
(Stacey Moore)
 3 Powerpaw's Pleasantly Punchdrunk
(Andrea Allen)

1 Adair'N'Hug Mts Tumoki's Lake Effect
(Joseph & Robin Hug)
 2 Powerpaw Moake's Lady Jake
(Mike Moake & Andrea Allen)
 3 Inukpak's Angel Fire
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)
 4 Catoico's Grand Slam Adventure
(Bruce Maxwell & Stacy Moore)

American -Bred Bitches

1. Valhalla's Restless Hekla
(Rob & Shelly Pratt)

Open Dogs

1 Adair'N'Hug Mts The Handsome One Once You
Go Black
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

Open Bitches

1 Firestorms's Diamond in the Sky
(Madison Robbins)

Non- Regular Veteran Classes

Veteran dogs 8 Yrs & Under 10 Yrs

Veteran Dogs

1 GCH Kenia's Rock Solid Adventure
(Stacey Moore)
 2 CH Inukpak's Fire Keeper
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

Veteran Bitch

1 CH Inupak's The Great Western
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

SWEEPSTAKES – Judge Mr Thomas Motter
Entries 7 D= 4 B=3

Best in Sweeps: Catoico's Creative Genius (D) (Stacey Moore)
Best Opposite in Sweeps: Adair'N'Hug Mts and I will Always Love You (B) Robin, Joseph & Katie Jo Hug)

Puppy Dogs 6 Mos & Under 9 mos

1 Ice Wolf Feel The Force
(Andrea Allen)

Puppy Bitches 6 Mos & Under 12 mos

1 Snowhollow Nez Perce Good Golly Miss Lolly
(M. Ellen McKee)

Puppy Dogs 9 Mos & Under 12 mos

1 Snowhollow Hawks Rest on Tosi Peak
(M. Ellen McKee)

Graduate Dogs 12 & Under 18 Months

1 Catoico's Creative Genius (Stacey Moore)
2 Adair'N'Hug Mts The Handsome One
Once You Go Black (Jeanette Rene Prevel ,
Joseph & Robin Hug)

Graduate Bitches 12 & Under 18 Months

1 Adair'N'Hug Mts and I will Always Love You
(Jeanette Rene Prevel , Joseph & Robin Hug)
2 Catoico's Grand Slam Adventure
(Bruce Maxwell & Stacey Moore)

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES – Judge Mr Thomas Motter
Entries 3 D= 2 B=1

Best Veteran in Sweeps: CH Inukpak's Fire Keeper
Best Opposite in Sweeps: CH Inukpak's The Great Western

Veteran Dogs 8 yrs & Under 10 Yrs

1 CH Inukpak's Fire Keeper
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)
2 GCH Ch Kenia's Rock Solid Adventure
(Stacey Moore)

Veteran Bitches 8 yrs & Under 10 Yrs

1 CH Inukpak's The Great Western
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

Junior Showmanship Competition

Entries - 5

Judge Mrs Gayle M Denman

Novice Intermediate

1 Thomas Pratt Valhallas Restless Hekla (owner Rob and Shelly Pratt)

Open Intermediate

1 Coby Kearl CH Snodanc Snoangel at Stormrunner (owner Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski)
2 Megan Christensen CH Wolfmountain's Celtur Ferox (owner Pat & Morty Jenkins & Jaiden Christensen)

Open Senior

1 Justin Scoffield GCH Windswept's The Games Afoot at Stormrunner (owner Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski)
2 Jaiden Christensen GCH Wolfmountain's Margarita (owner Pat & Morty Jenkins & Jaiden Christensen)

Best Junior Handler

Justin Scoffield

Reserve Best Junior Handler

Megan Christensen

**AFFILIATE & INDEPENDENT CLUB
SPECIALTY SHOWS**

Rocky Mountain Area Specialty Logan Utah	May 20, 2016 (Show 2)	Conformation Judge: Dr Albert P Bianchi	24 Total D-6 B-9 Specials D=2 B=4 Veteran D=2 B=1
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B0B: GCH Windswept's The Games Afoot (D) (Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski & Marcia Wild)
WB/BOS: Obsidian's Black Canary WTD (B) (Ben & Chari Erickson)
WD/BOW: Powerpaw's Pleasantly Punchdrunk (D)(Andrea Allen)
RWD: Catoico's Creative Genius (Stacey Moore)
RWB: Adair'N'Hug Mts Tumoki's Lake Effect (B) (Joseph & Robin Hug)
SD: CH Adair'N'Hug Fair Winds and Following Seas CGC (Claudia Hess & Robin Hug)
SB: CH Vykon's Aluk Busy Bein' Fabulous TT WTD WPD (Ben & Chari Erickson)

REGULAR CLASSES

Puppy Dogs 6 Mos & Under 9 Mos

1 Ice Wolf Feel The Force
(Andrea Allen)

Puppy Dogs 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

1 Snowhollow Hawks Rest On Tosi Peak
(M. Ellen McKee)

Bred-By-Exhibitor Dogs

1 Powerpaw's Pleasantly Punchdrunk
(Andrea Allen)
2 Catoico's Creative Genius
(Stacey Moore)

Open Dogs

1 Adair'N'Hug Mts The Handsome One Once You
Go Black
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

Puppy Bitches 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos

1 Snowhollow Nez Perce Good Golly Miss Lolly
(M. Ellen McKee)

Twelve to Eighteen Month Bitches

1 Adair'N'Hug Mts And I Will Always Love You
(Jeanette Rene Prevel & Joseph & Robin Hug)

Bred-By-Exhibitor Bitches

1 Obsidian's Black Canary WTD
(Ben & Chari Erickson)
2 Adair'N'Hug Mts Tumoki's Lake Effect
(Joseph & Robin Hug)
3 Inukpak's Angel Fire
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)
4 Powerpaw Moake's Lady Jaye
(Mike Moake & Andrea Allen)

American -Bred Bitches

1 Valhalla's Restless Hekla
(Rob & Shelly Pratt)

Open Bitches

1 Firestorms's Diamond in the Sky
(Madison Robbins)

Non- Regular Veteran Classes

Veteran dogs 8 Yrs & Under 10 Yrs

Veteran Dogs

1 GCH Ch Kenia's Rock Solid Adventure
(Stacey Moore)
2 CH Inukpak's Fire Keeper
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

Veteran Bitch

1 CH Inupak's The Great Western
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

SWEEPSTAKES – Judge Mr Dave Clendenon

Entry 7 4 Dogs 3 Bitches

Best in Sweeps: Catoico's Creative Genius (D) (Stacey Moore)

Best Opposite in Sweeps: Adair'N'Hug Mts and I will Always Love You (B) Robin, Joseph & Katie Jo Hug)

Puppy Dogs 6 Mos & Under 9 mos

1 Ice Wolf Feel The Force
(Andrea Allen)

Puppy Dogs 9 Mos & Under 12 mos

- 1 Snowhollow Hawks Rest on Tosi Peak
(M. Ellen McKee)

Puppy Bitches 9 Mos & Under 12 mos

- 1 Snowhollow Nez Perce Good Golly Miss Lolly
(M. Ellen McKee)

Graduate Dogs 12 & Under 18 Months

- 1 Catoico's Creative Genius (Stacey Moore)
- 2 Adair'N'Hug Mts The Handsome One
Once You Go Black (Jeanette Rene Prevel ,
Joseph & Robin Hug)

Graduate Bitches 12 & Under 18 Months

- 1 Adair'N'Hug Mts and I will Always Love You
(Jeanette Rene Prevel , Joseph & Robin Hug)
- 2 Catoico's Grand Slam Adventure
(Bruce Maxwell & Stacey Moore)

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES – Judge Mr Dave Clendenon**Entry 3 2 Dogs 1 Bitch****Best Veteran in Sweeps: GCH Kenia's Rock Solid Adventure****Best Opposite in Sweeps: CH Inukpak's The Great Western****Veteran Dogs 8 yrs & Under 10 Yrs**

- 1 GCH Kenia's Rock Solid Adventure
(Stacey Moore)
- 2 CH Inukpak's Fire Keeper
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

Veteran Bitches 8 yrs & Under 10 Yrs

- 1 CH Inukpak's the Gread Western
(Mark & Marilyn Kolstedt)

AMCA CONTD FRIDAY MAY 20, 2016 (SHOW 2)**Junior Showmanship Competition****Entries - 5****Judge Dr Albert P Bianchi****Novice Intermediate**

- 1 Thomas Pratt Valhallas Restless Hekla (owner Rob and Shelly Pratt)

Open Intermediate

- 1 Megan Christensen CH Wolfmountain's Celtur Ferox (owner Pat & Morty Jenkins & Jaiden Christensen)
- 2 Coby Kearn CH Snodanc Snoangel at Stormrunner (owner Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski)

Open Senior

- 1 Justin Scoffield GCH CH Windswept's The Games Afoot at Stormrunner (owner Cassandra & Lenia Rogowski)
- 2 Jaiden Christensen GCH CH Wolfmountain's Margarita (owner Pat & Morty Jenkins & Jaiden Christensen)

BEST JUNIOR HANDLER**Justin Scoffield****Reserve Best Junior Handler****Megan Christensen**

National Specialty Futurity & Maturity Stakes

Futurity Committee Co Chairs
Kristin Morrison & Andrea Casterline



Upcoming Futurity Event Locations & Eligibility Dates:

- 2016 – Colorado Springs, CO Event: Whelped between May 13, 2015 & April 27, 2016 (Event Date 10/27/16)
- 2017 – Huron, OH Event: Whelped between April 28, 2016 & April 26, 2017 (Event Date 10/26/17)
- 2018 – Orlando, FL Event: Whelped between April 27, 2017 & May 1, 2018 (Event Date 11/1/18)

Futurity Eligibility: Open to all pure-bred Alaskan Malamute litters born between the specified dates listed above that **COMPLETE THE FULL NOMINATION PROCESS**. All Nomination Forms can be found at AMCA's website.

Maturity Eligibility: Open to all pure-bred Alaskan Malamutes who were properly nominated for the previous year's Futurity Stakes and who are within the accepted age ranges (approx. 18 to 30 plus months of age).

There are 3 easy steps to follow to complete all requirements needed for eligibility in one of the Futurity events listed above. IF YOU SUBMIT EACH NOMINATION FORM BY THE SPECIFIED DEADLINE you can be fully eligible for a total of \$15.00 (plus \$5.00 for each additional Individual Puppy Nomination).

Step & Required Form	Deadline	Fee
Step #1: Bitch Nomination	Prior to Whelp	\$5.00
Step #2: Litter Nomination	Prior to TWO months of age	\$5.00
Step #3: Individual Puppy Nomination	Prior to SIX months of age	\$5.00

If you have missed STEPS #1 & #2 DEADLINES you MAY STILL be eligible by paying a PENALTY FEE.

Step & Required Form	Deadline	Fees
Step #1: Bitch Nomination	Prior to TWO months of age	\$5.00
Step #2: Litter Nomination		\$5.00
		\$10.00 Penalty TOTAL: \$20.00

If you have missed ALL THREE DEADLINES you MAY STILL be eligible by SUBMITTING EACH NOMINATION FORM and paying a PENALTY FEE.

Step & Required Form	Deadline	Fees
Step #1: Bitch Nomination	Prior to SIX months of age	\$5.00
Step #2: Litter Nomination		\$5.00
Step #3: Individual Puppy Nomination		\$5.00
		\$50.00 Penalty TOTAL: \$65.00

NOMINATIONS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED WHEN THE PUPPY IS OVER SIX MONTHS OF AGE, NO EXCEPTIONS.

Step \$4 (Final Step): Actual entry into Futurity/Maturity Stakes on the AKC entry form prior to event closing.

FUTURITY RULES AND ALL NOMINATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE AMCA WEBSITE.

To help facilitate filing nominations, each form can now be filled in electronically.

1. Go to the AMCA website @ <http://alaskanmalamute.org/events/futurity>
2. Select the Nomination Form you need and save it to your computer. You can then fill it out electronically and either mail it or send it in my email.
3. Select and submit your payment method. ALL FEES MUST BE PAID PRIOR TO ACCEPTANCE OF NOMINATION.

Send all Futurity Nominations to:
Kristin Morrison, Futurity Co-Chair
30 Kidder Brook Rd, Ashford, CT 06278 (860) 803-0639 kristinmorrison@gmail.com

National Specialty Futurity Stakes



FORM # 1 – Bitch Nomination

Futurity Committee Co Chairs
Kristin Morrison & Andrea Casterline

Upcoming Futurity Events: Check the appropriate box.

Determine event year using the whelping eligibility dates listed below for each upcoming event.

- 2017 – Huron, OH Event: Whelped between April 28, 2016 & April 26, 2017 (Event Date 10/26/17)
- 2018 – Orlando, FL Event: Whelped between April 27, 2017 & May 1, 2018 (Event Date 11/1/18)

Summary of Bitch Nomination Rules:

1. Bitch nominations shall be made by providing this form which must include all information.
2. Bitches must be nominated exactly as ownership is recorded by AKC. If bitch has been leased, the nomination must be made by the lessee and recorded owner must be designed.
3. Bitch nominations must be received by the designated Futurity Chairperson BEFORE PUPPIES ARE WHELPED. **Must be postmarked prior to whelping date;** postmark or email date governs acceptance. If you have missed this deadline you may still submit a nomination by paying a Penalty Fee of \$10. See EXCEPTION NOTE BELOW)
4. All fees must be paid prior to acceptance of nomination.

NAME OF NOMINATED BITCH:		BITCH AKC #:
DATE OF BREEDING:	EXPECTED DATE OF WHELP:	
NAME OF SIRE		
NAME OF BREEDER OR LESSEE	ADDRESS	
EMAIL:	PHONE #:	

***EXCEPTION FOR LATE BITCH NOMINATIONS:** Litters from un-nominated bitches may be nominated as long as litter nomination is received by the Futurity Chairperson before puppies are TWO MONTHS OF AGE. Postmark or email date will govern acceptance. A penalty Fee of \$10.00 plus the Bitch and Litter Nomination Fees of \$5.00 Each (Total= \$20.00) must accompany Litter Nomination Form.

BITCH NOMINATION FEE: \$5.00

Note: Penalty Fee of \$10 will be imposed if form is submitted AFTER THE WHELP DATE (see Litter Nomination Form for payment information).

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Check Enclosed (payable to AMCA Futurity)
- PayPal – Invoice will be sent. Must be paid within 5 days of issuance.

Note: A PayPal transaction fee will be imposed

Send all Futurity Nominations to:

Kristin Morrison
30 Kidder Brook Rd,
Ashford, CT 06278
(860) 803-0639

kristinmorrison@gmail.com

For use by Futurity Committee

Date Received:	Payment Received:	Assigned Bitch Nomination #:
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National Specialty Futurity Stakes



FORM # 2 – Litter Nomination

Futurity Committee Co Chairs
Kristin Morrison & Andrea Casterline

Upcoming Futurity Events: Check the appropriate box.

Determine event year using the whelping eligibility dates listed below for each upcoming event.

- 2017 – Huron, OH Event: Whelped between April 28, 2016 & April 26, 2017 (Event Date 10/26/17)
- 2018 – Orlando, FL Event: Whelped between April 27, 2017 & May 1, 2018 (Event Date 11/1/18)

Summary of Litter Nomination Rules:

- Litter Nominations shall be made for the ENTIRE LITTER by providing this form which must include all information. Prior BITCH NOMINATION is REQUIRED. See EXCEPTION NOTE BELOW if bitch was not previously nominated. Your litter may still be eligible.
- Litters must be nominated exactly as ownership is recorded by AKC. If bitch has been leased, the nomination must be made by the lessee and recorded owner must be designed.
- Litter nominations must be received by the designated Futurity Chairperson **BEFORE PUPPIES ARE TWO (2) MONTHS OF AGE. Postmark or email date governs acceptance.**
- All fees must be paid prior to acceptance of nomination.

NAME OF NOMINATED BITCH:		BITCH AKC #:
NAME OF BREEDER OR LESSEE:	ADDRESS	
EMAIL:	PHONE #:	
DATE OF WHELP:	TOTAL # OF PUPPIES:	
COLOR & SEX OF EACH PUPPY: Use additional page as needed		
#1: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____	#2: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____	#3: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____
#4: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____	#5: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____	#6: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____
#7: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____	#8: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____	#9: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Color: _____

***EXCEPTION FOR LATE BITCH NOMINATIONS:** Litters from un-nominated bitches may be nominated as long as litter nomination is received by the Futurity Chairperson before puppies are TWO MONTHS OF AGE. Postmark or email date will govern acceptance. A penalty Fee of \$10.00 plus the Bitch and Litter Nomination Fees of \$5.00 Each (Total= \$20.00) must accompany Litter Nomination Form.

LITTER NOMINATION FEE: \$5.00
PENALTY FEE: \$10 (Late Bitch & Litter Nomination see * above)
PAYMENT METHOD:
 Check Enclosed (payable to AMCA Futurity)
 PayPal – Invoice will be sent. Must be paid within 5 days of issuance.
 Note: A PayPal transaction fee will be imposed

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For use by Futurity Committee:

Date Received:	Payment Received:	Assigned Nomination #:
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National Specialty Futurity Stakes



FORM # 3 – Individual Puppy Nomination

Futurity Committee Co Chairs
Kristin Morrison & Andrea Casterline

Upcoming Futurity Events: Check the appropriate box.

Determine event year using the whelping eligibility dates listed below for each upcoming event.

2017 – Huron, OH Event: Whelped between April 28, 2016 & April 26, 2017 (Event Date 10/26/17)

2018 – Orlando, FL Event: Whelped between April 27, 2017 & May 1, 2018 (Event Date 11/1/18)

Summary of Puppy Nomination Rules: (Final step of Futurity Nomination Process)

1. Individual Puppy Nominations can be made from properly nominated bitches and litters by providing this form which must include all information. Prior BITCH & NOMINATION is REQUIRED. See EXCEPTION NOTE BELOW if bitch and litter were not previously nominated. Your Puppy may still be eligible.
2. Individual Puppy Nominations can be made by either current owner or breeder.
3. Puppy nominations must be received by the designated Futurity Chairperson **BEFORE PUPPIES ARE SIX (6) MONTHS OF AGE. Postmark governs acceptance.**
4. Puppies must be at least 6 months of age the day of the Futurity Stakes (see event eligibility dates above).
5. All fees must be paid prior to acceptance of nomination.

AKC REGISTERED NAME OF NOMINATED PUPPY:		AKC# OR LITTER REG #:
NAME OF NOMINATED BITCH:		BITCH AKC #:
PUPPY'S DATE OF BIRTH:	PUPPY SEX: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	COLOR:
BREEDER OR LESSEE INFORMATION		OWNER INFORMATION
NAME OF BREEDER OR LESSEE		NAME OF OWNER
BREEDER'S EMAIL		OWNER'S EMAIL
BREEDER'S PHONE #		OWNER'S PHONE #

***EXCEPTION FOR LATE BITCH & LITTER NOMINATIONS:** Late Bitch & Litter Nominations may be accepted up to the puppy's age of 6 months with a late fee of \$50 + all nomination fees. Example of TOTAL fees:

Bitch Nomination \$5; Litter Nomination \$5; Individual Puppy Nomination \$5 + LATE FEE \$50 = TOTAL OF \$65.

PUPPY NOMINATION FEE: \$5.00

PENALTY FEE: \$50 (Late Bitch & Litter Nomination – see * above)

PAYMENT METHOD:

Check Enclosed (payable to AMCA Futurity)

PayPal – Invoice will be sent. Must be paid within 5 days of issuance.

Note: PayPal transaction fee will be imposed.

Send all
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For use by Futurity Committee:

Date Received:	Payment Received:	Assigned Nomination #:
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TOP 20 RULES

Alaskan Malamute Club of America

As modified per annual meeting vote November 2014, Effective for 2015 Event

This event offers all that attend a chance to view the “cream of the crop.” Each entrant is evaluated individually in his/her relationship to the breed standard, using a scale of points. This procedure is not available at any AKC point show and allows each person in the audience to judge the entrants, using a score sheet at the same time the judges are scoring them.

The entrants are observed from a positive approach; they are not fault judged. The event promotes discussion of the standard, where ideas and views are exchanged. This event will be held prior to the Best of Breed judging of the National Specialty, as knowledge of the results of the National Specialty competition could influence the outcome of the Top 20 judging.

Statistics and Eligibility

The 20 Alaskan Malamutes eligible for the Top 20 Event are based on the following:

1. Top 20 Points are earned at any AKC All Breed Show, Limited Breed Show, or any Independent Specialty Show where AKC points are awarded. The term “dog” herein shall refer to either dogs or bitches with no preference given. One point is awarded for each Alaskan Malamute defeated by going Best of Breed or Best of Opposite Sex to the Best of Breed. Tabulation of points will be compiled from the results published by AKC for the period commencing May 1 and continuing thru April 30th of each year. Corrections published by AKC after April 30th will not be considered.
2. Standings will be compiled monthly and each primary owner of record, who has a dog in the Top 20, will receive e-mail notification showing the standings through that month. A list of the Top 20 dogs will be announced in the AMCA Newsletter. Any discrepancies in the final standings must be reported to the Top 20 Statistician before May 31st. All past winners who qualify for the current Top 20 are eligible to compete.
3. A dog is ineligible to compete in the Top 20 Event if ANY owner(s) of record is judging any portion of the National Specialty or Regional Specialty preceding the National Show. A dog is ineligible to compete in the Top 20 Event if any owner(s) of record is suspended from AMCA or AKC (1) as of April 30th, the end of the qualifying year and/or (2) as of the date of the Top 20 Event. Refunds of entry fees will not be made if ANY owner of record is suspended after the entry fee has been paid.

Trophies and Rosettes

Each dog entered in the Top 20 Event will receive a rosette, being a minimum of two (2) feet in length. Each rosette shall have the entrant’s name, the date and place of the event and the name “AMCA Top 20 Event” imprinted. The AMCA Logo will be imprinted on the rosette button. The rosette may be any color other than that of Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex or Winners Dog/Bitch. A trophy will be presented to the winner. Any qualifying Top 20 owner of record shall have the right to order additional rosettes at a cost to be determined annually by the Top 20 committee. The primary owner of any dog who qualifies, but for any reason chooses not to enter the competition, shall be allowed to order a rosette(s), at a cost to be determined annually by the Top 20 committee.

Invitation to Participate and Entry Fees

1. A formal invitation to participate in the Top 20 event will be mailed to the primary owner of each Top 20 dog, based on the final standings. Included with the invitation will be instructions for entering and deadlines to adhere to.
2. The entry fee for dogs whose primary owners are AMCA members is \$125.00 per dog. The entry fee for dogs whose primary owners are not AMCA members is \$175.00 per dog. To be eligible for the member-discounted rate, the primary owner must be an AMCA member as of April 30, the last date of the qualifying period.

Judges and Judge Selection

Upon receipt of entry fee, the primary owner will be asked to provide the names of one (1) AKC judge, one (1) Breeder judge, and one (1) Handler judge. To assist, the event chairperson will provide entrants with a list of AKC judges who reside within a 200-300 mile radius of the event and the names of any breeder judges who have indicated, to the committee, an interest in judging. A primary owner's nomination is NOT restricted to the list provided. All names submitted by the primary owner MUST conform to the criteria listed in Section A, Section B, and Section C below. The Event Chairperson will contact each name submitted to verify their qualification, confirm with them that they meet all required criteria, and, are available and willing to judge if chosen. All qualified judges names will then be given to a disinterested person, designated by the Event Chairperson, who has absolutely no connection to the event. Random draws for each category will then take place until one (1) AKC judge, one (1) breeder judge, and one (1) handler judge have been selected. The person drawing will sign a statement to the effect that he/she has no connection with the event and that the selection was completely at random. The event chairperson will then contact each of the three (3) judges chosen to verify their availability. If any judge selected is not available, or does not meet the criteria in Section A, Section B, and Section C below, another selection will be made and another statement will be signed that this is the second (or subsequent) selection.

The panel of three (3) judges selected will conduct the judging of the event. The scores will be averaged to determine the winner. In case of a tie, the "Judge's First Impression" score will be used to break the tie, with highest average placement being declared the winner.

The panel of three (3) Judges will represent different categories as stated in A, B, and C below:

- A. BREEDER: One (1) breeder judge will be selected by random drawing from qualified persons who meet all the requisite criteria as breeder judge and who express an interest in judging this competition. The random selection for the breeder judge will take place at the same time as the random selection for the AKC judge. An established Alaskan Malamute breeder must have been breeding Alaskan Malamutes for a minimum of five (5) years and must have produced at least five (5) conformation AKC Alaskan Malamute champions as published in the AKC Awards. Breeder judges must be AMCA members in good standing. Two or more AMCA members of the same household may be nominated; however, the first name selected and approved from the member household shall result in the disqualification of other member(s) from the same household. Breeder judges must not have any connection to any dog entered in the Top 20 competition. Breeder judges must guarantee that he/she does not have any of the following connections to any dog in the Top 20 competition, by signing an informational form to determine such qualification.
1. Breeder judges cannot own or co-own the sire or dam of any dog in the competition.
 2. Breeder judges cannot have bred or co-bred a bitch to any dog entered in the competition.
 3. Breeder judges cannot have bred or co-bred a dog to any bitch entered in the competition.
 4. Breeder judges cannot own or co-own any dog entered in the Top 20 competition.
 5. Breeder judges cannot own or co-own any puppies produced by a dog/bitch in the competition.
 6. Breeder judges may not share National week accommodations with the breeder, owner, co-owner or handler of any Top 20 participant.
 7. Breeder judges are eligible to judge at this event once every ten (10) years and shall not be eligible to judge again until the eleventh (11th) year following their last assignment.
- B. AKC: One (1) AKC judge who is approved to judge Alaskan Malamutes, have expressed an interest in judging this competition, and meet all qualification (above Section A 1-7) criteria of breeder judge listed in the section above as well as the following requisite criteria:
1. AKC judges must be approved to judge at least four (4) other breeds as set forth in the AKC Judge's Directory.
 2. AKC judges are required to give his/her consent to judge at the event, prior to being placed in the random draw.
 3. AKC judge's residence should be within a 200-300 mile radius of the National show site.
 4. No AKC judges may judge the Top 20 Event more than once in any ten (10) year period.
 5. No provisional judges shall be used for the judging of this event.
 6. Conformation judges who are under contract for future National Specialties and associated Regional Specialties shall not be eligible to judge any Top Twenty Event prior to and including the year of their assignment.

- C. HANDLER: One (1) Professional (past/retired or present): The handler judge will be selected by random drawing from qualified persons who have expressed an interest in judging this competition, and meet all qualification (above Section A 1-7) criteria of breeder judge listed in the section above as well as the following requisite criteria:
1. Meets the criteria for membership in the Professional Handlers Association (PHA) though not necessarily a member.
 2. Must have a minimum of five (5) years handling experience.
 3. In the event a Handler judge is not obtainable, a Breeder-At-Large may be used as alternate, that shows an interest in judging this event, is a qualified licensed judge for judging Alaskan Malamutes in their country of domicile, and meet all qualification (above Section A 1-7) criteria of breeder judge listed in the section above

Each judge on the final judging panel shall be asked not to disclose it to anyone; the judges will be introduced at the Top 20 event.

Catalogs

A catalog will be printed for this event. No advertising will be allowed in the event catalog. The catalog must include, but is not limited to, the following:

- A. The cover shall consist of the Top 20 EVENT logo, the words TOP TWENTY EVENT, the event date and city where the event is held.
- B. A list of the final Top 20 dogs in descending order and a listing of the Top 20 dogs that are participating for the current year.
- C. A two-facing page spread of each entrant in the final Top 20 standings who has paid the required fee. There will be no further charge to entrants for these pages.
 - A. The left-hand page shall have the name of the entrant, names of owner(s) and breeder(s) and a write-up about that dog, furnished by the primary owner (even-numbered page).
 - B. The right-hand page shall have a full body photo of the entrant and a four (4) generation pedigree, including the dog's date of birth (odd-numbered page).
 - C. Each dog will be issued an armband number that will correspond with the odd-numbered page of the entrant in the event catalog.
- D. A copy of the scale of points used for the competition is printed in the catalog to encourage this discussion among the audience during the event.

Ring & Judging Procedures

A mandatory meeting of Exhibitors/handlers - will be held prior to the start of the competition. Only one (1) representative, per dog, shall be allowed at the mandatory meeting. An exhibitor/handler who does not check in for the mandatory meeting will automatically be given #1 spot in the competition order and will be the first dog to enter the competition. If multiple exhibitors do not attend the mandatory meeting, all absentee's numbers will be placed in a box and will be drawn to determine their competition order. The first absentee drawn will compete first, the second absentee drawn will compete second, and so forth until all absentee numbers are assigned for the competition. After absentees have been assigned their competition order, completion of the drawing will be conducted to determine the order in which the remainder of the dogs enter the ring. Drawing of those present will be by rank of dog entered, in descending order based on the Final Standings. In the event of a tie in final standings, each dog that is ranked the same will be placed in a separate box and the event chairperson will draw to determine who draws first. After the competition order has been determined, the competing dogs will be divided into groups for the individual judging portion of the competition.

Ring Set Up - The ring will be set up with three (3) judging stations. Each station will include a table and two (2) chairs. A separate trophy table will be set up. At the commencement of the event, the judges and ring stewards will be introduced and escorted to their respective station where they will be provided with a score sheet for each individual entrant and an envelope to place their completed score sheets in.

Ring Procedure & Judging - The Emcee shall announce the dog in the ring as being the entrant on page number ____ (odd-numbered page) in the catalog. The Emcee shall instruct the handler as to where to position and gait his/her dog.

The entrants shall adhere to the following procedure:

- A. Each entrant shall be evaluated individually in his/her relationship to the breed standard, using a scale of points as stated in the event catalog. Points must be scored in whole points only.
- B. The entrants shall be brought in together, in the order drawn for competition, for two complete revolutions around the ring, as an initial introduction and welcome from spectators and judges and will then exit from the ring.
- C. For each group, the first entrant will complete one revolution back to the entrance gate and then walk to his/her assigned judging station. Each remaining dog in the group will do the same. When all the dogs in the group are at their assigned stations, the judges shall proceed with their examinations.
- D. Judges will individually examine and score each entrant at their station. Judge's "First Impression" score will be recorded before the actual hands-on examination takes place and will only be used in the event of a tie. Upon completion of individual examination, judges are asked to be seated at their station to indicate judging on that particular dog is complete. The Emcee will announce when it is time for entrants to move on to the next station.
- E. When all judges have completed their examination of all the dogs in the group, the judges will be moved to the diagonal to observe each dog do two individual down and backs and a 4-point stack to be completed in the center of the ring. The dog will then complete two revolutions around the ring for the judges to evaluate and return to its original station.
- F. After each dog has been moved for the judges, all of the dogs in the group will complete one revolution around the ring together, then exit. After each dog has been moved for the judges, all of the dogs will line up behind the dog closest to the ring entrance. The dogs will then complete one revolution around the ring together and then exit.
- G. When the judges have finished evaluating the first group, the next group(s) will come in following the same procedures until all entrants have been evaluated.
- H. When judging has been completed, all dogs will be called back into the ring one at a time, while their biography is being read, at which time they will be presented with their rosette and a Top 20 Catalog.

Score Sheets and Determination of Winner

When Judges have completed their scoring of an entrant, they will be required to sign the score sheet and turn the score sheet into the ring steward who will check for accuracy and immediately place it in the envelope provided. No score sheets shall be tabulated by the judges or stewards. Following Best of Breed judging of the National Specialty, each score sheet shall be tabulated by a committee, consisting of the Top 20 Event Chairman, one other committee member, the Top 20 Statistician, and, one Board Member selected by the Top 20 committee. The dog with the highest score will be declared the winner. In case of a tie, **the Judge's First Impression score marked by each judge will be averaged to break the tie.**

In the event a judge is determined to be disqualified after the competition has been completed, but before the score sheets are tallied, that judge's score sheet will be discarded for each entrant and the remaining scores will be totaled to determine the winner. Because all judges have signed a contract or agreement before being eligible to judge, after the score sheets have been tallied there will be no recourse from any entrant regarding the winner.

Completed score sheets will be provided to the primary owner of each entrant in the Top 20. The scores will not be made public by anyone involved with this event. If the owner wishes to publish the dog's scores, it will be at his or her own discretion.

Fundraiser - People's Choice Award

As a Top 20 fundraiser, an annual "People's Choice" award will be given. To determine the winner of this award, ballot tickets will be sold. All ballot tickets must be purchased and turned in by the conclusion of judging and prior to the dogs being called back into the ring for the reading of their biographies as stated above. Ballot tickets will be tabulated and the winner announced. The "People's Choice" winner will lead a "victory lap" around the other participants gathered in the center of the ring and will then lead all entrants around for one final lap before exiting the ring.

The Top 20 Committee retains the right to establish additional fundraiser events in any given year.

Cancellation of Event / Additional Fees

At any time the entry drops below 12 entrants, the event may be cancelled for that year.

The event committee may charge a nominal spectator admission fee of \$3.00 per person for those spectators who do not attend the Top 20 dinner gala. In any year when admission may be charged, entrants in the Top 20 event shall receive 4 complimentary tickets for admission only.



TOP TWENTY

Standings through June 30, 2016



Hey everyone!

We have, once again, started a new qualifying year. The Standings below are now for the 2017 Top Twenty Event, to be held in conjunction with the October 2017 National Specialty in Huron, OH. The qualifying year for this event began with the AKC shows held May 1, 2016, and will end with the shows on April 30, 2017. As a reminder, Top 20 points are awarded only to the Best of Breed and Best of Opposite Sex. One point is earned for each Malamute defeated through the Best of Breed competition. Below you'll see the Top 20 Standings through June 30, 2016. As always, if you have any questions, comments, worries or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me. Congratulations to the winners!

Stacey Moore
Top 20 Statistician
stacey.culaw@yahoo.com

Rank	The Top 20	Points	Area	Owner
1	GCH Windswepts The Games Afoot At Stormrunner (D)	113	RM	C Rogowski/L Rogowski/M Wild
2	GCH Kasaan Snokist Ropin 'N' 'T' Fortune (D)	72	IL/WI	D Roberts-Burrill
3	GCH Catera's Keepin' It World Class (B)	66	PNW	J Dewing/R Dysart
4	GCH Northern Lites Mr. Lincoln (D)	62	GL	H Donovan
5	GCH Ice Fall's Locked "N" Loaded (D)	60	IL/WI	D Roberts/L Ryer
6	GCH Snoklassic Pokerflat Silverice Mr. Freeze (D)	51	WC	A Syar/M Stone
7	GCH Taolanquest Flying Cloud (D)	44	RM	L Newburn/R Pohl
8	GCH Wolfmountain's Warhammer (D)	43	RM	P Jenkins/E Jenkins
9	GCH Vykon's Aluk Busy Bein' Fabulous (B)	42	RM	B Erickson/C Erickson
10	GCH Alcan Disco Dancer At Ranmar (D)	38	RM	A Rubenstein/H Rubenstein
10	GCH Ixa's Dontcha Wish Your Girl Friend Was Hot Likeme (B)	38	SO	A Mayberry-Welch
10	GCH Northern Lites Miss Riley (B)	38	GL	H Donovan
13	CH Banshee's Shining Star (B)	33	ME	C Way
14	GCH Tru North's Eve Of Destruction (B)	29	RM	L Cathey
15	CH Thunderkloud T' Secret's In T' Starz (B)	28	IL/WI	P McGovern/T McGovern
16	CH Snocreek's Lightning Strikes @Ken-Dar (D)	22	ME	D Puhatch/B Martin
17	CH Storm Sky's Kissed By A Snoman At Storm Kloud (B)	21		S Czarapata/J EIDissi/J Ayllon Gonzalez
18	GCH Peace River's Bling It On (B)	20	PNW	M Coburn
19	GCH Banshee's American Adventurer (D)	19	ME	A McGuire/M McGuire
20	GCH Snocreek's Silver Lining (D) The Contenders	18	NY/NJ	M Mustich/B Martin/M Mustich
21	CH Aeon Mytuk Readyto Rumble Wild (D)	16	SO	M Wild/W Lei/A Milburn
22	GCH Wolfmountain's Margarita (B)	15	RM	P Jenkins/M Jenkins/J Christensen
23	CH Adair'N'Hug All About Herself At Snopeak (B)	14	RM	B White/R Hug/A White
24	CH Alcan L.A. Lawman (D)	13	WC	D McComb/G McIntosh
24	Fall Moon's Magnificent Mamie Of Dreamecatcher (B)	13	IL/WI	P Warrichaiet
24	GCH Corazon Wild Wind Pedal To The Medal (D)	13	SO	G Box-Young
24	GCH Silverice's Sensational Celebutante (B)	13	WC	A Syar/M Stone/P Harrison
24	GCH CH Snodanc Save The Last Dance For Me (B)	13	WC	D Ragsdale
24	Obsidian's Black Canary (B)	13	RM	C Erickson/B Erickson

NOTE: No Area is listed when the primary owner is not an AMCA member.

Join the Friends of the Alaskan Malamute Working Dog for an evening with Joe Henderson and tales of his Arctic Explorations



**Saturday, October 22, 2016 and Monday, October 24, 2016
at the Hotel Elegante**

Tickets at the door \$25; Presale \$15

**Send check payable to Joe Henderson, c/o Terry Toussaint,
38647 Misty Meadow Drive, Yucipa, CA 92399**

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Alaskan Malamute Club of America

Calendar Photo Contest!

Winners will appear in the
2017 AMCA Calendar.

- 🐾 \$5 per photo entered
- 🐾 Candid photos only (no professional photos)
- 🐾 Email photos to Julie Edwards: ghostdance@bigbend.net
- 🐾 Send entry fee to Julie Edwards via PayPal or to her PO Box.
- 🐾 Accepting entries now through September 30, 2016.

Image Requirements

Resolution: minimum of 300dpi

Formats: JPG or PNG

Minimum image requirements must be met for ALL photos submitted, or photo cannot be considered for the contest to ensure a high quality product.



Fundraiser sponsored by the AMCA Ways and Means committee for the AMCA general fund.

AMCA Ways and Means Committee

Committee Chair, Julie Edwards

PO Box 1214

Las Vegas, NM 87701

Ways and Means Pay-Pal email: julie@bigbend.net



2016 National Week

Schedule of Events

10/23/16 to 10/29/16

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
Sunday	10/23/2016	8:00 AM	Agility	Off Site
		12:00 PM	Weight Pull Seminar & Weigh In	Outside - Tennis Court
		1:00 PM	Novice and Regional Weight Pull	Outside - Tennis Court
		3:00 PM	Hotel Check In	
		3:00 PM	Grooming Area Open	
		6:00 PM	Welcome Dinner	Hospitality Room
Monday	10/24/2016	8:30 AM	Regional Sweepstakes (Puppy & Veteran))	Ballroom
		TBD	Lunch Break	
		1:00 PM	Regional Dog Classes	Ballroom
		4:00 PM	Regional Obedience Trial	Ballroom
Tuesday	10/25/2016	8:30 AM	Regional Bitch Classes	Ballroom
		TBD	Lunch Break	
		12:00 PM	Regional Best of Breed	Ballroom
		4:00 PM	Regional Junior	Ballroom
		4:30 PM	Regional Rally Trial	Ballroom
		7:00 PM	Seminar (Contracts; Carmen Rowe)	Summit Room
Wednesday	10/26/2016	7:30 AM	Annual Meeting Breakfast	Summit Room
		9:00 AM	Annual Meeting	Summit Room
		11:00 AM	Breeders Ed Seminar (immediately following Annual Meeting)	Summit Room
		1:00 PM	National Obedience Trial immediately followed by Rally Trial	Ballroom
		1:00 PM	Top 20 Meeting	TBD
		3:00 PM	Weight Pull Check In	Outside - Tennis Court
3:30 PM	National Weight Pull	Outside - Tennis Court		
Thursday	10/27/2016	8:30 AM	National Sweepstakes (Puppy & Veteran)	Ballroom
		TBD	Lunch Break/Health Seminar Brown Bag	Atrium
		1:00 PM	Futurity & Maturity	Ballroom
		3:30 PM	Veteran Tournament	Ballroom
		6:00 PM	Top Twenty Judging followed by Dinner	Ballroom / Summit Room
		Friday	10/28/2016	8:30 AM
9:00 AM	Judges Ed Seminar followed by ringside mentoring			TBD
TBD	Lunch Break			
12:30 PM	National Bitch Classes (through AOH)			Ballroom
2:00 PM	Working Dog Showcase			Ballroom
5:00 PM	Rescue Parade Practice Session			Ballroom
6:00 PM	Rescue Parade			Ballroom
7:00 PM	Beer & Wine Social			Atrium
8:00 PM	Auction			Ballroom
Saturday	10/29/2016	8:30 AM	Beginner Puppy (4-6)	Ballroom
		9:30 AM	Conclusion of National Bitch Classes immediately followed by Jr. Showmanship	Ballroom
		TBD	Lunch Break	
		12:00 PM	National Best of Breed followed by Multiple Entry Classes	Ballroom
		6:00 PM	Cocktails	Summit Room
		7:00 PM	Banquet	Summit Room
Sunday	10/30/2016	8:00 AM	Break Down	
		11:00 AM	Check out	

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Extended Deadline: Friday, 9/30

Showcase your kennel or that special dog in the National & Regional Specialty catalog. All prices include necessary design work or submit your camera-ready material. All electronic photos submitted must be at least 300 dpi.

**ALL PRICING INCLUDES ONE (1) PHOTO & ONE (1) LOGO
EACH ADDITIONAL PHOTO or LOGO IS \$25
--REDUCED RATES--**

- Back Cover (COLOR) - ~~\$160~~ **\$120**
- Inside front cover (COLOR) - ~~\$140~~ **\$100**
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- Inside page (COLOR) - ~~\$120~~ **\$80**
- Inside (BLACK & WHITE) - ~~\$75~~ **\$50**
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- each additional photo/logo \$25 X Qty _____
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Name: _____ Kennel Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Cell #: _____ Email: _____

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Catalog Pre-Order

Deadline: Friday, 9/30/16

Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Number of Catalogs x \$20 = _____

If requesting your catalog be mailed after the event, an additional fee will be applied to cover postage. Rates will be determined by location. You will be sent a PayPal Invoice for the additional fee; (catalog will not be sent till fee is paid).

Enter mailing address below **ONLY IF YOU WILL NOT** be picking up your catalog at the event:

Mailing Address _____

Order Online or send payment to Barbara White:

5450 E Willow Creek Rd

Castle Rock, CO 80104

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Catered Events

Deadline: Friday, 10/7/16

Name Making Reservation: _____

Names on Reservation: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

<p><i>Sunday, October 23rd – Welcome Dinner (\$5) (5-7PM)*</i> Colorado BBQ – Pulled Pork & Beef, Salads, Chips, Soda & Cookies</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">_____ # of Attendees x \$5 pp = _____</p>
<p><i>Wednesday, October 26th – Annual Meeting Breakfast (\$20) (7:30-9AM)**</i> Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, French Toast, Hash Browns, Fruit, Juice & Coffee</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">_____ # of Attendees x \$20 pp = _____</p>
<p><i>Saturday, October 29th – Grand Finale Banquet (\$36) (7PM)**</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chicken Saltimbocca with Italian Tomato Demi, Fettuccini Alfredo topped with Spinach and Portobello Mushroom Sauté • Pan Seared Rainbow Trout with Toasted Hazelnut Lemon Butter, Tri Color Orzo blended Rice and Squash Medley • Flat Iron Steak with Blended Mushroom Demi Glaze, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans and Roasted Red Pepper <p>All dinners include Salad, Bread, Dessert, Coffee, Tea, & Iced Tea</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">_____ # of Chicken x \$36 pp = _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">_____ # of Trout x \$36 pp = _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">_____ # of Steak x \$36 pp = _____</p>
<p>Payment Due by October 7, 2016</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Total \$ _____</p>

*Served in Hospitality Room

**Served in Summit Ballroom

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Host a Hospitality Room

Our goal is to have a hospitality room available each morning and on select afternoons during the show week. We are looking for individuals, groups or clubs to help or take on sponsorship of each one. Grab breakfast on the go or enjoy a moment of relaxation before you start your day. PLEASE HELP US CONTINUE THIS TRADITION.

If you are interested in helping us with this, please fill out this form or make your donation using PayPal on the website. Each sponsor will be allowed a poster sized (24"x36") display in the room and our gratitude.

Thank you for your support.



Name(s)/Group/Club: _____

Kennel Name(s): _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Donation Amount Included: \$ _____ Donation Amount Pledged: \$ _____

ALL PLEDGES MUST BE PAID BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH.

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Ringside Seating

Deadline: Friday, 9/30/16

\$20 per Seat

- ❖ Reserved Ringside Seating for all events in the Conformation Ring
- ❖ Available starting Monday morning, 10/23 through Saturday, 10/29
- ❖ Limit 4 chairs per person/per reservation form.
- ❖ Limited total number of reserved seats will be available.
- ❖ Name will be affixed to each chair
- ❖ Adjoining Seating – every effort will be made to honor requests; indicate name(s) below.

Name of Person submitting Reservation: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____ # of Seats Reserved: _____

Names to be affixed to chairs: #1 _____ #2 _____
#3 _____ #4 _____

Set up next to (NAME): _____

TOTAL DUE: # of Seats X \$20.00 = _____

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RV Parking Reservation Form Deadline: Friday, 9/30

**DO NOT SEND MONEY TO 2016 NATIONAL –
THIS IS A RESERVATION FORM ONLY.**

- ❖ RV Parking Fee is \$35\night – TO BE PAID DIRECTLY TO HOTEL.
- ❖ Fee waived for registered hotel guests who are NOT sleeping in RV.
- ❖ DOES NOT INCLUDE ANY UTILITIES. Generators will be allowed.
- ❖ Large paved lot adjacent to show site (east side of building). Do not anticipate any problems accommodating any size rig.
- ❖ Most stalls will be within 200 ft.
- ❖ Awnings, BBQ grills, E-Z ups and X-pens WILL BE ALLOWED.
- ❖ Requests to be parked next to someone else will be honored on first come first serve basis. (Indicate name(s) below).

Name of Person submitting Reservation: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____ # of Nights: _____

Type of vehicle/rig: _____ Total length: _____

Set up next to (NAME): _____

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Reserved Grooming

Deadline: Friday, 9/30/16

The grooming area at the 2016 National will be inside in one of three rooms adjacent or down the hall from the ring. Each grooming site will be approximately 60 square feet, with electricity. All sites will be adjacent to a walkway.

Pricing & Location:

- Foothills Room – Adjacent to Show Hall (6'x10' sites) - \$50/Each (max 2)
- Pikes Peak Room – 250' from the Show Hall (8'x8' sites) - \$40/Each (max 2)
 - Overflow from Pike Peak Room will be placed in the Summit Room – 300' from Show Hall

Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Set up next to (NAME): _____

Indicate below your 1st Preference of Location. ALL REQUESTS WILL BE FILLED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS. If you have a special request or would like to be placed next to someone else, we suggest that reservations be submitted at the same time. We will do our best to honor your request.

Foothills Room \$50 ea. # of Spaces Requested: _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED: _____

Pikes Peak Room \$40 ea. # of Spaces Requested: _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED: _____

Day of Event Grooming Space will be available at no charge on a first come first serve basis.
All dogs and equipment will need to be removed from this location at the end of each day per AKC Rules.

NO POWER OUTLETS PROVIDED.

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Trophy Donations

2016 National Trophy Pledge

Deadline for listing in the Catalog 9/30/16

Your support is needed to make these events special with your donation:

Name: _____

Kennel Name (optional): _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

1st Preference to where donation should be applied: National Regional

Conformation Obedience/Rally Tournament of Veterans Weight Pull

Note: There is no guarantee that your preferred class can be honored due to donations already received. If class has already been taken your donation will be used as part of the general fund. Excess funds for above listed designations will be applied to the General Fund.

1 st Preferred Class to Sponsor (below):	2 nd Preferred Class to Sponsor (below):

In Memory of (optional): _____

Note: No trophy can be donated in "Memory of" or "In Honor" of any living dog or person.

Donation Amount INCLUDED: \$ _____ Pledged \$ _____ Included

Donation Level (will be listed in Catalog):

Diamond \$300 & up Platinum \$200-\$299 Gold \$100-\$199 Silver \$50-\$99 Bronze \$25-\$49

Other Amount (will be designated to General Trophy Fund)

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Make checks payable to "AMCA 2016"
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Mail to:
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Leneia@stormrunner.com

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Tournament of Veterans

Thursday 10/27/16 at 3:30 PM

Event Chair PJ Harrison

Judging Panel: Dr. Eric Liebes, Karen Hukill & a local Handler (TBD)

Deadline Friday September 16, 2016 – Entry Fee \$22

We wish to honor today's veterans who have contributed so much to our breed. Many of the participants of this competition have played a vital role in the foundation of our current pedigrees. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate these malamutes who have contributed so much to our breeding programs.

This event is a competitive event evaluated by a panel of three judges using a point scale. All malamutes at least 8 years of age are invited to participate and compete in their age group, divided by sex. Each entrant will only compete with dogs or bitches within their own age category with the selection of ONE WINNER PER AGE CLASS. There will NOT be an ultimate winner.

We believe that each veteran is special and deserves recognition; therefore, each entrant will be presented with a personalized commemorative award and a ribbon/trophy to each age class winner.

Dog's Full Name: _____

Call Name: _____ Sex: M F DOB: _____ Age: _____ (yrs) _____ (mo)

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Breeder(s): _____

Owner(s) _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

At the conclusion of the Judging Procedure for this event, we will display a PowerPoint Presentation showing photos of each entrant submitted. Each owner is asked to submit a photo of their veteran which can be showcased. It is suggested that the photos are of the veteran in their prime.

Send Entry and Photo to PJ at the location listed below in the box.

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Weight Pull

Event Chair Rob Pratt

Pre Entry Deadline - Friday September 30, 2016 - For Inclusion in the Show Catalog

Dog's Registered Name: _____

Call Name: _____ Sex: M F Weight: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Owner(s) _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Sunday 10/23 Novice Pull See Note* Below Day of Pull \$5	Sunday 10/23 Regional Pull Pre-Entry: \$10 Day of Pull \$15	Wednesday 10/26 National Pull Pre-Entry: \$10 Day of Pull \$15
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Indicate Class

<input type="checkbox"/> Novice		<input type="checkbox"/> Open		
60# or Less <input type="checkbox"/>	61-80# <input type="checkbox"/>	81-100# <input type="checkbox"/>	101-120# <input type="checkbox"/>	>121# <input type="checkbox"/>

NOTE *: A Novice Wight Pull mini seminar will be conducted immediately prior to this event. This is a non-qualifying pull, 1050# max weight. Novice dogs (at least 1 year of age) and novice handlers are encouraged to participate in this event. Leashes may be used.

Handler Agreement: I acknowledge and agree to be responsible for my conduct, and the conduct of my dogs. Further, I shall not hold the sponsors of the pull or the receiving club liable for any injury and/or damage to my dogs, my equipment or myself. I also state that this dog is not on any kind of performance altering drugs and is up-to-date on all vaccinations.

Note: Electronic submission of this form is allowed and by doing so, the above named owner certifies agreement of the Handler Agreement without adherence of actual signature. Name & Date MUST be TYPED IN.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

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Please Join Us At The
Sensational Snow Ball

2016 AMCA Top Twenty Invitational

Thursday Evening, October 27th

Cocktails – 5:00 p.m. – Full Cash Bar

Event – 5:30 p.m.

Dinner – 30 min. after judging complete

Deadlines: Wine Glasses Orders & Top 20 Catalog Pre-Orders by Wednesday 9/7 – Dinner Reservations – Wednesday 9/21

Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Plated Entrée Choices: (includes 3 People's Choice Awards Ballot Tickets) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chicken Cordon Bleu Herbed Morney Cream Sauce, Orzo blended rice, blanched green beans, & roasted red peppers • Orange Roughy baked with a Cognac Lobster Cream Sauce, with dill & smoked paprika gnocchi, & roasted asparagus with red peppers • Sirloin Steak 8oz. center cut with green peppercorn, garlic demi glaze, herb & parmesan fingerling potatoes, bahama blend vegetables. All courses served with salad, rolls, Carmel Apple Cheesecake, Coffee and Tea	_____ _____ _____	# of Chicken Cordon Bleu X \$45 pp # of Orange Roughy X \$45 pp # of Sirloin Steak X \$45 pp	_____ _____ _____
Pre-Ordered Catalogs – RECOMMENDED (includes 1 People's Choice Awards Ballot Ticket)		# of Catalogs X \$10	
Commemorative Wine Glasses – RECOMMENDED – New (includes 2 People's Choice Awards Ballot Tickets per set of 4)	_____ _____	# of glasses X \$12 each # of sets of 4 X \$40 each	
Reserve A Table for eight (8) guests		# of tables X \$40 each	
<i>Note: PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS BALLOTS WILL NOT BE SOLD DURING THE EVENT. PCA must be picked up the evening of the event, completed & submitted by the end of the First Impression round. ONLY OFFICIAL BALLOTS WILL BE COUNTED.</i>		GRAND TOTAL	

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 Payable to: AMCA Top Twenty
 To: Brenda Manus, AMCA Top 20
 817 94th Street SE, Everett, WA 98208
 Questions? Contact Brenda @ <mailto:top20.amca@gmail.com>

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DOG SLEDDING IN THE ARCTIC WITH THE MALAMUTE MAN

by Matthew Friedman

There I was in the Denver airport waiting for a flight to Fairbanks, Alaska. The security line was so long I missed my initial flight. The next one was not for a few hours. I was traveling to Alaska to join a 2-week Arctic expedition run by Joe Henderson's Alaskan Arctic Expeditions.

My business partners and I had recently sold our company which we worked very hard at for 13 years. My partners all said: "Why in the hell are you going to the Arctic? Why not the islands for some serious R&R?" My birthday was coming up, and my wife Linda asked me if I wanted to have a true adventure in the Arctic like never before. I thought about it, and decided to jump at the opportunity. Now, sitting in the airport, I wondered if my wife wasn't trying to get rid of me, and if the islands didn't sound like a better idea.

Once in Fairbanks I met the other people going on the trip. Joe with his 20 Alaskan Malamutes were in the staging area way up North, waiting for us. Normally Joe does these trips with 4 clients, a guide and himself. For our

expedition, the 3 other clients bowed out for one reason or another. So, it was me, the guide – Rhonda, and Joe – 3 humans and 20 Malamutes. Tamara, the expedition coordinator, Rhonda and I had a great dinner and discussed the logistics of the trip.

I learned that Rhonda was quite an adventurer and provides guided tours of the Boundary Waters of Minnesota. I could also tell she was much better prepared than I for our Arctic experience.

The next morning Rhonda and I took a shuttle up the Dalton Highway, first to Coldfoot, then to Joe's temporary home-base, a shack right off the highway, all total, about a 10 hour trip. We ended up being about 70 miles South of Prudhoe Bay and the Arctic Ocean, deep inside the Arctic Circle. The drive up was beautiful – we took many pictures, seeing Musk Oxen and Caribou along the way. And the Alaskan Oil



*First day – the dogs are eager to get going
One of our campsites during the expedition*

Pipeline was mostly visible during the entire drive.

Once there, all of the beautiful Malamutes were howling away, on their ganglines welcoming us to the Arctic. Joe also greeted us. I had expected Joe to be much bigger and taller, but he was slight of build and not that tall with a bushy beard. My initial take on Joe was that he was a very humble, tough and warm man who was exactly where he wanted to be in life. I read his 2 books before the trip: "Malamute Man: The Brute Force of United Souls" which is a pictorial book with day by day anecdotes of one of his Winter time expeditions, and "Malamute Man – Memoirs of an Arctic Traveler" which is a memoir of his Arctic experiences as well as a bit of an autobiography. Both books are amazing to read and provided me with great expectations for this 10 day trip.

Joe showed us how to set up our tents (especially built for the Arctic) including a wood-burning stove we would be using throughout the expedition. We would spend the night at Joe's home-base and head out the next morning.

In the morning and every morning during the trip, we would break down the tents and gear, and strap all of it down to the 2 sleds that Joe custom built for



Starting a day of trekking



Another day in Arctic Paradise!

these expeditions. Rhonda and I would handle most of the sled packing work, and Joe would attend to feeding and harnessing the dogs.

As I was putting on my Mukluks (special moose-hide and canvas shoes especially made for cold weather wear) that first morning - I was having a hard time keeping my feet warm. I stupidly put in 2 foot warmers between my layers of socks. This did make my feet warm, but as we trekked that day, and as I was mushing and hitting the brakes of the sled I noticed my feet getting very warm. I didn't notice it too much during the sledding but when we ended for the day and I pulled my Mukluks off - serious blisters on both of my feet! How ironic and idiotic of me - burn blisters in the Arctic!

Rhonda recommended duct tape to keep the blisters from tearing. For the duration of the trip I would bandage the blisters in the morning and wrap my feet in duct tape, and then at night, pull all of it off, for the blisters to heal. Though a bit painful it did work - thank god for duct tape!

The first 2 days of our trip went pretty quickly as we sledded through an existing trail that Joe and his previous expedition had paved through the snow. We would alternate between snowshoeing and skiing behind or in front of the sleds, to mushing or riding on the sleds. It was overcast much of the time and was quite cold.

The Arctic is an extraordinarily beautiful place. Mountains were off in the distance to the South where we were headed but the endless white snow was inescapable, everywhere you looked. And the quiet was deafening. There were the equivalent of dunes - many ups and downs as we travelled.

Technically the Arctic is a desert, a very cold and barren desert. We rarely saw any other living things.

After the first 2 days, mostly heading West, we started South towards the Brooks Range along a riverbed with a willow brush forest, which provided the wood we would collect each day to heat our wood burning stoves. It became quite sunny and warm, at least for the Arctic. At this point Joe and Rhonda would break trail with the Alaskan Malamutes right behind them. Rhonda proved to be a great snowshoer and worked alongside Joe, stride for stride. I snowshoed behind the sled and struggled to keep up. Even though I was an athlete, backpacker, etc as a youngster, all of the years in an office was catching up with me.

On the third or fourth day accidentally I sat on my glasses, popping the lense out of the frame and unable to put it back into place. I was able to McGyver the lense back into its place using band-aids and my clip-on sunglasses. Somehow it worked but the clip-ons had to be permanently in place for the duration.

Quickly I learned it was much more enjoyable/warmer to exert oneself in the Arctic than sitting on a sled. My fingers and toes would become especially cold if I wasn't snowshoeing or collecting & cutting wood.

Joe's Alaskan Malamutes are incred-

ible dogs, always ready for an adventure and usually attentive to Joe's commands. I say 'usually' because he had an unprecedented 7 rookies on his team. A rookie means 2 years old, which is the first year Joe will take a dog out sledding. Often times some of the rookies would get tangled, frustrated and sometimes cause a fuss with a neighboring dog along the gangline.

My wife and I have done some dog sledding with our Malamutes. I was surprised that Joe never used the common sledding commands "Gee" and "Ha", but then again, there are almost never any turns to take in the Arctic!

Joe said there are 2 things he looks for when choosing dogs for his sled teams: Intelligence & Metabolism. He often goes for months into the Arctic and the weight of dog food on his trips become very important. I noticed that some dogs wouldn't even eat all of the food given to them if they did not work especially hard that day. That is a far cry from our Malamutes who will eat any and everything they can get their paws on!

Joe's 2 wheel dogs (closest to the sled in the team), Ben & Bear I became very fond of. They are big and beautiful. I especially bonded with Ben.

Every morning and night we would choose food we brought to cook in our tents on our stoves. A typical sampling of meals consisted of cereal and frozen fruit in the morning to pork chops



A hug from Ben!



Joe & Rhonda prepping to break trail
or freeze dried spaghetti and frozen vegetables at night. All of the water we consumed was created by melting snow on our stoves. We typically would go to sleep around midnight and wake up at 6. Waking up at this time was pretty much inescapable as the Malamutes seemed to have their own internal alarm clock and wanted us all to know it. Regardless of how great the tents were designed to keep us warm, they became quite cold by the morning, and getting a fire going both to warm up and to make coffee proved great inspiration to get out of our double sleeping bags each morning.



On the way home

Essentially there was no pitch-black darkness during our trip, but around 10:30 each night there would be a beautiful sunset of a sort on the West side of the sky, coupled with an amazing moonrise on the East side of the sky. I would take pictures of the sun and then the moon, back and forth.

For the remaining days southward we traveled along the riverbed and willow forest and eventually got pretty close to the mountains and the end of the forest. We were one step behind a herd of Caribou for most of the way. In the great Arctic silence it was clear we were

very noisy intruders that the Caribou could easily detect.

Even though it was quite cold at times – maybe 20 below at the coldest, I would reflect on Joe’s Winter expeditions he would do each year. At times during those trips the temperature could get to 100 below and if he encountered a blizzard, hurricane force winds of 75 MPH were not uncommon. It is hard to believe he and the Malamutes could survive that type of weather, but Joe has been doing it for over 30 years and seems impervious to the cold like no other.

The return trip was much quicker as the dogs can run faster than we can. We travelled along the same trail we made, riding on the sleds much of the time. Riding on a sled sounds fun except it was freezing. When we took breaks I had to run around and do jumping jacks to keep up the circulation in my fingers and toes. Even so, my toes and fingers would tingle and go numb.

The final day of the return trip was extremely cold and overcast. It was almost a whiteout – hard to see very far in front of us. The dogs were moving at a quick pace and obviously knew we were close to our end point.

After 10 days of ice camping it was an amazing feeling to get back to Joe’s shack, unpack the sleds and tie out the Malamutes. We warmed up near the stove in the shack, had a nice hearty meal before sleeping one last time in the Arctic.

The next morning we said a final goodbye to Joe and his mighty Alaskan Malamutes, met the shuttle driver and headed back down the Dalton highway to Fairbanks. I was looking forward to a warm shower and a comfy bed. Rhonda and I were tired but elated and enjoyed the long ride. Once again we saw Caribou and the same herd of Musk Oxen - they had only moved 1 mile during our 10 days of trekking.

Once in the Fairbanks hotel I confirmed something I suspected over the past couple of days. All of my fingers were mildly frostbitten. I’m not sure if I accidentally let my hands out of my sleeping bag during one or more nights or if it was just taking my hands out of my gloves/mittens so many times in the bitter cold. Either way, it’s mild and will eventually heal completely. A small price to pay for a once in a lifetime experience!

The Arctic is a truly beautiful yet humbling and brutal place. It is not to be taken lightly but the rewards of experiencing its magnificence are without equal. I hope to experience it another time, and be better prepared. Joe Henderson is an amazing individual who offers a once in a lifetime opportunity to explore a region of our Earth that is not easily experienced. To learn more about him and his Alaskan Arctic Expeditions contact him through his website: www.alaskanarcticexpeditions.com



Cold trip back on the sled!



Hi! I am **Terry Toussaint**, a candidate for President of AMCA.

I served as your AMCA Treasurer from 2004 to 2010 and as a Director from 2012 until now. I also served as the Chair of the Illustrated Standard Revision Committee in 2011 and as an active member of the 2014 National Specialty Committee (San Diego).

Personal:

My wife, Gloria, and I have been involved with Malamutes since we got our first dog, BIS Ch. Glenhaven's Arctic Knight (Juneau), in 1989. We have had the thrill of producing many Champions, Grand Champions, Group Winners, a National Specialty Best of Winners, a National Specialty Select Dog, and a National Specialty Best of Opposite. All of our current dogs have Juneau in their pedigree.

My Priorities:

AMCA should...

- Aggressively pursue breed health research.
- Make membership in AMCA valuable and participation in its activities a rewarding experience.
- Counter anti-breeder and anti-dog legislation and movements nationwide.
- Generate adequate revenue to fund the above.

Some of My Philosophy:

- This is a club of volunteers and each member is valuable. Our Board should actively solicit, consider and respect member opinions.
- We have a wide variety of interests and experiences. Though we are all passionate about our dogs, most of us have competing obligations that we must balance with our club participation.
- We should offer and the club should accept our interests and experience and respect the limitations we face.
- Members should be respectful of other members and their opinions, even when they strongly disagree.
- The two biggest threats to our breed are health issues and animal rights organizations that would do away with breeders and pets.

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ALASKAN MALAMUTE CLUB OF AMERICA—CODE OF ETHICS

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PREAMBLE

The Alaskan Malamute Club of America asserts that its membership has the obligation to preserve the Alaskan Malamute breed without exploiting it. It further asserts that its membership has an obligation to the club to uphold the high ideals set forth for all dog club organizations by the American Kennel Club.

It is urged that dogs and bitches only be bred when it is conscientiously felt that such breeding will result in improvement of the breed.

Club members should strive to breed healthy dogs with good temperaments and place them in suitable homes.

Club members should make themselves aware of health problems that affect the breed so that they may make educated decisions when planning a breeding.

Breeding is a responsibility that does not end when puppies go to their new homes.

Good sportsmanship is a requirement of the AKC and is expected of AMCA members.

Club members should set a good example, and offer assistance and mentoring to prospective and new Malamute owners with regards to care, health issues, training and suitable activities, as well as being a good "dog neighbor".

CODE OF ETHICS

1. Members shall abide by the rules of the American Kennel Club and uphold the Constitution and Bylaws of the Alaskan Malamute Club of America. At large members shall abide by the rules of their country's kennel club.

2. No member shall knowingly be involved in the sale/placement of puppies/dogs through retail or wholesale outlets, mail order businesses, dog dealers/agents/brokers, or act as a finder for such operations. No member shall knowingly be involved in the sale/placement of puppies to any entity whose reason for purchase is resale.

Puppies/dogs shall not be placed through auctions or raffles.

3. No member shall knowingly be involved in the breeding or selling of wolf hybrids.

4. No member shall sell/place any puppy/dog without furnishing registration papers unless both parties have signed an agreement stating when/if and under what circumstances papers will be furnished. If registration papers are not provided at the time of sale, information to identify the puppy/dog, (such as birth date, litter or individual registration number, pedigree, microchip number or tattoo) shall be furnished at that time. If the dog is not registerable the purchaser/adopter shall be so informed.

5. It is recommended that any puppy sold as a pet/companion be registered using the AKC's limited registration application. Dogs/puppies bred by members outside the U.S. should use a comparable foreign limited and/or non-breeding registration where available.

6. Dogs used for breeding shall be cleared of hip dysplasia by OFA, Pen-Hip, comparable foreign registry, or a qualified veterinary radiologist. Dogs should be cleared of inherited eye diseases by CERF, a comparable foreign registry or a qualified veterinary ophthalmologist.

7. It is strongly recommended that members take full advantage of all practical DNA tests when selecting dogs for breeding. No member shall knowingly breed two dogs to each other who are carriers for the same genetic disease. Dogs may be used if their ancestors have been cleared by DNA testing.

8. When available, health screening and DNA testing should be used as a resource to manage, decrease, or eliminate genetic diseases in the breed. In planning a breeding health issues such as, but not limited to, epilepsy, hypothyroidism, allergies, heart disease, coat funk, and orthopedic disorders should be considered. Members are encouraged to store DNA with the Canine Health Information

Center (CHIC) or comparable facility as well as participate in health research of diseases in the Alaskan Malamute.

9. Members shall disclose known genetic status of the puppy/dog being sold and that of its parents. Screening or test results shall be disclosed in a written sales contract signed by the seller and buyer. If any of the above (hips, eyes, CHD, PN) have not been done it shall be so stated. A breeder's policy regarding replacements or refunds due to health issues shall be clearly stated in their sales contract.

10. Breeders should understand and acknowledge that due to unforeseen circumstances they may need to facilitate in re-homing or rescuing dogs they have produced or sold. Purchasers should be made aware of this in their contract

11. Members shall provide secure facilities for their dogs that provide adequate space and protection from adverse or extreme weather. Water and food shall be provided on a daily basis. Facilities shall be clean and dogs shall have regular access to exercise. Members shall provide appropriate health care for dogs in their custody.

12. Health, registration, identification, breeding and sales records shall be kept current. It is recommended that dogs be permanently identified by tattoo or microchip and that breeders permanently identify puppies before they go to their new homes.

13. Members' dogs should be well socialized and have basic obedience training.

14. Advertising and promotion of dogs shall be factual. Members will exercise care in evaluating prospective buyers and do their best to place dogs in suitable homes.



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