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CHINESE CRESTED FANCIERS ASSOCIATION



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From the crew at
Sunberry Kennels

YOUR CRESTED REVIEW

Front cover pictures

Top Photo

Left dog: "Madonna" **Whispering Lane Girl Gone Wild**

Right dog: "Zach" **Daretobebare Hold That Pose**

Bottom right photo

Ch. Sunberry's Oops A Daisy

DOB: May 10, 1996 to Feb 2011

Sire: Ch. Sunberry's Hsing Chan Chun Jen

Dam: Gail-DonsFluff Puff.

Owner /breeder: Grace Westerson



Contributions to the **Crested Review** are always welcome!

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Welcome to the inaugural edition of the online magazine the Crested Review.

We are excited to be able to offer you this fine publication free of charge via email or directly from the Crested Review website each quarter.

This newsletter is a project initiated out of the desire to find a way for Chinese Crested fanciers and enthusiasts to share information, knowledge, adventures and our lives with this most wonderful breed – the Chinese Crested Dog!

Our goal is to make the most of each publication so that they are both informative as well as entertaining and to have it come out quarterly. All efforts and work used to create this newsletter are strictly from volunteers who have taken the time to provide information through contributions that focus on the designated topic of each edition. There are also contributions from groups and Chinese Crested Clubs that provide us with the details of the special-

ties that have occurred so that the subscribers are kept informed as to results of events related to the breed. We encourage clubs to share their results of events with the Crested Review so that other fanciers may benefit from the knowledge without having to go through hours of research to acquire.

It is only by sharing that we can truly help each other and ensure the continuous improvement to the breed's health, confirmation and abilities.

With that in mind we are putting out a caveat that the efforts and contributions to the newsletter are from individual whose motivation is to share without necessarily being professional writers, graphic designers, translators, or veterinary medical specialists. That being said we believe it is important to offer our efforts so that the crested enthusiasts may benefit from the valuable knowledge and experience that many have acquired over time.

This first edition explores the Chinese Crested dog in their role as animal assisted therapy dogs. Chinese Crested dogs are very well suited for the various roles a therapy dog can have from assisting as a hearing aid dog to comforting people in nursing homes.

The focus of our spring edition will be grooming Chinese Crested tips and tricks. Since

the Chinese Crested dog has unique grooming needs it would be invaluable for those who have tested and tried various methods to share with others what works best for them. This is a great way to help those who are newer to the breed or who have just never been able to get it quite right! Of course pictures are invaluable to assist in illustrating methods and techniques.

We will also explore the various standards for the breed that exist around the world with the purpose of providing a comparative tool that can be used to assess a specimen for confirmation. It will likely become the Judges handbook when they take assignments away from their comfort zones.

We hope you enjoy this publication. Please feel free to e-mail suggestions for future content to: crestedreview@yahoo.ca. We encourage everyone to think about submitting pieces for publication. It is a great place to announce new litters, new champions, major accomplishments and share interesting articles!

The next edition is planned for March 20, with a deadline for submissions of March 10th, 2014.

I would also like to wish everyone a very Happy Holiday season and may the new year be a wonderful one!

Can. Ch Swifthaven Im Sexy N I Know It

(AKC Major pointed)

“Player”



Breeders:
Melissa and Krista Cadieux

Owner/Handler:
Melissa Cadieux

PACIFIC NW CHINESE CRESTED CLUB, INC—SPECIALTY

Saturday, October 5th, 2013

At the Enumclaw Expo Center, Enumclaw, Washington, United States

Judge: Mrs. Joan m. Zielinski Auburn,
29625 144TH AVE SE, AUBURN, WA 98092-9381
Email: stoans@gmail.com

Best in Specialty & Best of Breed:

GCH STORYTIME'S ROCKY ROAD FOR GINGERY. (Dog)
TS05550901. DoB: June/18/2011. Sire: GCH CURIOS
HIT THE ROAD GINGERY - Dam: CH GINGERY'S CHICK-
LET. Breeder: Arlene Butterklee, Judy Temple. Owners:
Mark Field, Arlene Butterklee, Judy Temple Agent: Victor
Helu



Best of Winners, Winners Dog Best & Bred by Exhibitor:

SWIFTHAVEN I'M SEXY N I KNOW IT. (Dog) (Player) . DoB: June/10/2012. Sire: CH LEMIZ
AJATIAZA'S GRAN TORINO - Dam: SWIFTHAVEN THAT'S WHY I'M HOT. Breeder: Krista
Cadieux, Melissa Cadieux, Owners: Melissa Cadieux

Winners Bitch :

CH. JOVANCREST'S JEWEL OF KAUNOTAR. TS08032601. Dob: March/12/2011. Sire: ROMP-
FORD KAUNOTAR OF YORKHOUSE - Dam: FACE IT I AM THAT GOOD N'CO. Breeder: Jodie
Vanthournout. Owners: Jodie Vanthournout

Reserve Winners Dog:

WHISPERING LANE BETTER THAN SEX .(Roche) TS05230602. DoB: December/4/2011. , Sire:
Ch Wispering Lane Boot Scootn' Boogie - Dam: Ch Wispering Lane Hot On Ur Heels . Breeder:
Mark Baldwin, Carol Baldwin. Owners: Stephanie Eckstein, Grace Westerson

Select Dog:

CH ROOKEY HERO'S ROCK'IN & ROLL'IN AT RAFFICA. TR95450301. DoB: Sept/15/2009. Sire:
CRESTARS COLEEA TOMZIAK - Dam: LEMIZ HEAVENLY AT COLEEA. Breeder: Sun Hyung-Choi.
Owners: Sue Games, Sandy Fry, Sue Miller (Dog)

Select Bitch:

CH GINGERY'S ROSITA. TS08461806. DoB: July/4/2011. Sire: GCH SOLARIS TICKLE MY FANCY
GINGERY - Dam: CH TOPSHELF BONSAI BELLA LUNA. Breeder: Bridgette Cole, Arlene Butter-
klee. Owners: Arlene Butterklee Agent: Victor Helu.

Reserve Winners Bitch:

ZHEN N ZEN MAGIC DRAGON. TS16183204. DoB: January/12/2013. Sire: GCH KORIDAWNS
IN YOUR WILDEST DREAMS - Dam: CH CRESTAR'S JELAINE PHOEBEPF. Breeder: Diane Hale,
Jennifer McManus, Carol Clouse. Owners: Allen Nowatski, Gloria Busselman

PACIFIC NW CHINESE CRESTED CLUB, INC–SPECIALTY (CON'T)

Best Puppy :

ZHEN N ZEN MAGIC DRAGON. TS16183204. January/12/2013. Sire: GCH KORIDAWNS IN YOUR WILDEST DREAMS - Dam: CH CRESTAR'S JELAINE PHOEBEPF. Breeder: Diane Hale, Jennifer McManus, Carol Clouse. Owners: Allen Nowatski, Gloria Busselman

Best Veteran:

CH JEWELS ICED LATTE' ABOVE THE CLOUDS. TR19425101. DoB: Nov/29/2003. Sire: CH JOKIMA JUST A KING - Dam: CH CHARS LADY OF LOTHLORIEN. Breeder: Michel A. Nyman, Julie Wells. Owners: Sharon Wong, Michael Wong

Award of Merit:

CH. ROMPFORD KAUNOTAR OF YORKHOUSE. (Kenny) (Dog) TR70971801. Dob: Jul/22/2007. Sire: SOFTAIL THE EAGLE HAS LANDED - Dam: ROMPFORD U CANT HIDE BEAUTIFUL. Breeder: Marie Dubois. Owners: Outi Divin

Award of Merit:

GCH ZEN'S DOUBLE ENTENDRE AT ZHEN. (Dog) TS01535203. Dob: Nov/15/2010. Sire: CH MOONCREST SANTANA - Dam: CH CRESTARS JELAINE PHOEBE. Breeder: Diane Hale, Jennifer McManus. Owners: Shannon Lundrigan, Carol Clouse

Award of Merit:

CH PEGASUS PLAY IT AGAIN SAM AT REIMAR. (Dog) TS12123502. Jun/2/2012. Sire: GCH DE-JAVU B CAREFUL WHAT U WISH FOR - Dam: GCH SILVER BLUFF LEICEISTER SQUARE. Breeder: Tracey Watson, Mark Watson, Owners: Sharon Jacobsen, J. Robert Jacobsen, Tracey Watson, Mark Watson

Best Junior Handler:

Martina Devin

Resource: <http://www.barayevents.com/results.phtml?action=listevents&sid=724>



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ROCKY

Rocky is currently listed as #2 all-systems effective 9/30/13



Best in Specialty Show:

GCH STORYTIME'S ROCKY ROAD FOR GINGERY

To date Rocky has 4 Best in Toy Shows,
5 Best in Specialty shows, 7 Gr1, and a
National Best of Opposite Sex.

Rocky completed his championship July 2012 and ended the year #17 all-systems (less than half-year of showing).

PLAYER



**Best of Winners, Winners male &
Best Bred by Exhibitor:**

SWIFTHAVEN I'M SEXY N I KNOW IT. (Dog)

JEWELS



Winners Bitch :

JOVANCREST'S JEWEL OF KAUNOTAR.

ROCHE



Reserve Winners Dog:

WHISPERING LANE BETTER THAN SEX



Select Dog:

CH ROOKEY HERO'S ROCK'IN & ROLL'IN AT RAFFICA

ROSITA



Select Bitch:

CH GINGERY'S ROSITA.

KENNY



Award of Merit:

CH. ROMPFORD KAUNOTAR OF YORKHOUSE. (Dog)



Best Veteran:

CH JEWELS ICED LATTE'
ABOVE THE CLOUDS.

PACIFIC NW CHINESE CRESTED CLUB, INC—SPECIALTY

Best Junior Handler:

Martina Divin (age 9)

With her partners

Ch. Kaunotar Gold digger

(Daisy)

CH. ROMPFORD KAUNOTAR

OF YORKHOUSE

(Kenny)



LET'S TALK ABOUT THERAPY DOGS—BY Arlene Kotick

As a professional dog trainer with over 30 years experience in the training field it never ceases to amaze me when I see a service dog of any kind helping or guiding a human.

The Seeing eye dogs, the Hearing dogs for the deaf, dogs for the disabled, so focused on their owners ignoring all sorts of distractions and temptations. But there is a special category for the dogs that I am involved with and they are called Therapy Dogs. These dogs visit retirement homes, hospitals, and any where else they are needed.



I have been involved with the Therapy dogs for over 20 years . My first one was Ginny Mae a pug that was the best ever. Certified by St. John,s Ambulance and retired at the age of 11. Then came another pug Bradi Lou and my hairless boy a Chinese Crested by the name of Bentley and my bulldog Saydee Rose. Unfortunately I lost Ben last Dec at the age of almost 13 and Bradi 11 weeks later. But this article will be about the training and what goes into the making of a Therapy Dog.

The dog has to first have some obedience training and know basic commands. They must have a great temperament and love people. They should be well socialized and not be frightened of a wheel chair, walker canes or loud noises. They are taught not to jump up on people or grab at any food they may have. They must be confident in all situations knowing their handlers will keep them safe.

I took a 4 year course in sign language and taught my dogs to understand the basic sign language commands. My hairless boy because he was so small was a big hit at the centre . He and Bradi learned 10 signs and the residents were thrilled. My bully also knows 10 signs but responds only when she wants to. I was given a book "Your dog can sign" and taught my dogs to sign certain commands which really impressed the residents. I have been a volunteer at the centre for over 10 years and volunteer there once a week with my bulldog.

My dogs are certified now through Therapeutic Paws of Canada . In order to become certified they first get their CGC (canine good citizen) certificate at the obedience school and then an evaluator evaluates them to see if they truly can be Therapy Dogs. Fortunately all my dogs have made it so far. I now own 2 Chinese Cresteds along with my bully. My puppy a powderpuff named Truffles Rayna is now 7 months old and hopefully after the completion of her obedience training and when she is a year old I will have her tested.

My hairless boy, Twister Bennett, a beautiful Canadian Champion retired from the show ring came to me last August, and he will be tested as well. Having these "Angels on a Leash " is special. Service dogs yes, but in their own way, the joy that Therapy dogs bring cannot be measured. Their goal in life is to bring a ray of sunshine and smiles to those in need and to me there is no greater gift an animal can give. Arlene Kotick

LETS TALK ABOUT THERAPY DOGS

In hospice environments, therapy dogs can play a role in palliative care by reducing death anxiety. Here Chinese Crested dogs excel in the performance of their duties.



“A dog will teach you unconditional love. If you can have that in your life things won’t be too bad.”

Robert Wagner

FRASER VALLEY DOG FANCIERS—SURREY, BC—SPECIALTY



Sunday, October 13, 2013 under judge:

MR STEPHEN HUBBELL

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Born in Pasadena, California, Steve's background in art covers a large range starting out as an illustrator at the age of 18. He has worked in industrial art, been art director of advertising agencies and owned his own art service, all in Southern California. During this period, he also owned a dog breeding kennel and was an all-breed dog handler, licensed by the American Kennel Club.

In 1971, Steve and his family moved to the small, picturesque mountain community of Weaverville in Northern California, where he has pursued a fine arts career in earnest. His love for animals and understanding of anatomy shows in his paintings and bronzes, and Steve has illustrated anatomy books on horses and dogs. He has been an American Kennel Club dog judge since 1969 and currently judges all breeds at shows around the world. All this has been a terrific background for his dog art.

Steve has had shows in many areas including New York and other venues all across the United States, and has won many awards. He is held in high esteem in the art world, and his work is in collections around the globe.

For more info: <http://www.hubbelldogartist.com/>

Best of Breed:

CAN CH. WHISPERING LANE DIAMONDS R FOREVER, Sire: Am. Ch. Whisperinglabe This'llmakeyawhis-tle—Dam: Whispering Lane The Huntress. Breeder/Owner: Mark & Carol Baldwin (AKA: Marilyn)

Best of Winners and Best Opposite:

WHISPERING LANE WHEN WE STAND TOGETHER . Sire: Am.Ch. WhisperingIn'Boot Scootn' Boogie - Dam: Can Ch. Whispering Lane Diamonds R Forever. Breeder: Mark & Carol Baldwin Owner: Grace Westerson, Stephanie Eckstein & Carol Baldwin

Winners Female:

WHISPERING LANE WHEEL OF FORTUNE. (Vanna) Sire: **Whispering Lane People Will Talk** Dam: Whispering Lane Spectacular View . Breeder/Owner: Mark & Carol Baldwin Handler: Stephanie Eckstein

Reserve Winners Female:

WHISPERING LANE HALO, Sire: Am.Ch. WhisperingIn'Boot Scootn' Boogie Dam: Can Ch. Whispering Lane Diamonds R Forever. Breeder: Mark & Carol Baldwin Owner: Stephanie Eckstein & Mark & Carol Baldwin

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MARILYN



Best of Breed:

Can Ch. Whispering Lane Diamonds R Forever

CHAD



**Best of Winners and Best Opposite:
Whispering Lane When We Stand Together**

VANNA



Winners Female: Whispering Lane Wheel Of Fortune.

She has her very first Canadian point at the Supported entry on Sunday October 13th. She showed really well. Had a great time. The Whispering Lane dogs won everything at the show. Handled in Canada by Stephanie Eckstein



Happy Holidays
May this season bring you the gifts
of peace, hope and joy.

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Giardia Infection: The Root Cause of Chronic GI Issues

Your veterinarian may have just told you that your pet has giardia. And the news may have come as a complete surprise since you had no idea there was anything wrong with your dog (or less often, your cat). That's because the majority of pets with giardia show no obvious signs of infection. For those pets who do experience symptoms, the most common is diarrhea that can be acute, chronic, or on-and-off. What happens with a lot of dog owners is, about the time they're ready to call the vet about their pet's loose stools, the situation seems to correct itself. Diarrhea caused by a giardia infection can come and go, which causes many pet parents to write off the occasional loose stool as the result of indiscriminate eating or a random food sensitivity.

This is exactly why so many cases of giardia go undiagnosed – sometimes for months or even years.

Eventually, a dog with a long-standing giardia infection can suffer a severe, debilitating episode of bloody diarrhea that causes dehydration. Most of these pets don't lose their appetite, but they often do lose a noticeable amount of weight. This is because the parasitic infection in the GI tract is interfering with digestion and absorption of nutrients from the food they eat.

Giardia Is Often the Root Cause of Chronic GI Issues

In my experience, the giardia parasite is the root cause of many cases of chronic GI inflammation in dogs and cats. I see a lot of patients in my practice who are referred for inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) who were also giardia-positive as puppies or kittens. I also see many referrals for chronic GI issues like persistent diarrhea or malabsorption who test positive for giardia.

Many people aren't aware that giardia is abundant in the environment. It's in puddles,

ponds, rivers and other cool, moist environments.

Scientists don't know a lot about this one-celled organism. We do know it is frequently found in dogs and cats, most wild animals, and even in many people living in third world countries. Puppies bred in puppy mills and dogs living in cramped quarters with lots of other dogs also often carry the giardia parasite. While exposure to giardia is common, acquiring disease from the parasite is less common. The disease is zoonotic, however, which means it can be transmitted from animals to humans and vice versa.



How Your Pet Gets Infected

Your dog can be exposed to giardia by ingesting an infected cyst lurking in another animal's feces. Contamination occurs either directly or indirectly through contact with infected cysts, and the most frequent point of transmission is when a dog is exposed to contaminated water.

Once a giardia cyst makes its way to your dog's small intestine, it opens to release the active form of the parasite. These organisms have the ability to move around and attach to the walls of the intestine, where they reproduce.

Eventually, the active forms of the parasite encase themselves in cysts and pass from the dog's body in feces. The infected poop then contaminates water sources, grass, soil and other surfaces.

Another way transmission can occur is if a dog with giardia licks his behind and then licks another pet or a human.

Diagnosing Giardia

In case you think you can learn if your pet is infected by looking at his poop, don't bother. The giardia parasite is microscopic and can't be seen with the naked eye.

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There are a few things you should know about giardia testing. One is that parasite testing done in-house (at your vet's office) rather than at an independent laboratory is not nearly as accurate. Estimates are that up to 30 percent of in-house tests return a false negative. This means there are a lot of pets walking around with giardia who tested negative for the infection.

National veterinary labs like Antech and Idexx use standardized equipment that returns consistently reliable results, so if you're having your pet tested for giardia, I recommend asking your vet whether he or she tests in-house or sends samples out for analysis.

Another tricky issue with diagnosing giardia is that the parasite isn't shed every time your pet poops. This means there can be cyst-free stool samples from infected animals. If one of these samples happens to be the one collected for analysis, it won't show any evidence of giardia, even though your pet is infected.

I recommend an ELISA or PCR test for giardia for any pet with a history of GI issues. A fecal ELISA or PCR test is preferable to a fecal flotation test because it checks for the presence of giardia antigens. A fecal float only detects giardia cysts, which may or may not be in the particular stool sample being tested.

Unfortunately, many vets don't routinely run the ELISA or PCR test and instead, use only stool sample results that may or may not pick up evidence of infection. So make sure to ask your vet for a fecal antigen test in addition to a fecal float.

Resolving an Infection

The giardia parasite is becoming resistant to many anti-protozoal drugs, which means more and more pets are becoming what we call *persistent carriers* of the infection.

What I do in my practice is run monthly fecal float tests for three to four months after completion of treatment, sometimes followed by an ELISA test to make sure the infection is fully resolved. The ELISA test can be giardia-positive for up to six months after treatment because it takes awhile for the antigens to clear out of the bloodstream. This is why I don't run them immediately after treatment completion.

A few fecal floats will give you and your vet the most accurate information about whether the infection has been successfully treated. The reason for more than one test is, again, because giardia cysts aren't passed in every stool, so a test immediately following treatment may be negative, but a test a week later could be positive. If you stop after one fecal float, it's very difficult to be absolutely sure the infection is gone.

DOs and DON'Ts for Preventing a Giardia Infection or Recurrence

Don't kennel your pet in close quarters with other animals.

Do clean up your pet's poop outdoors, and don't walk your dog in areas where other animals relieve themselves.

Don't allow your pet to drink from outdoor water sources.

Do drop off a fecal sample with your vet twice a year for testing. This will help identify the presence of a parasitic infection before digestive function is compromised.

If your dog's fecal intestinal parasite analysis is negative, don't routinely deworm your dog. No dewormer on the market kills every parasite in existence, and since no drug is entirely safe, there are always risks associated with giving medications. The same caution applies when it comes to natural dewormers. Don't use them "just in case," assuming one medication or herb will knock out roundworm, hookworm, coccidia, whipworm and giardia. It won't.

http://healthypets.mercola.com/sites/healthypets/archive/2013/08/30/giardia-infection.aspx?e_cid=201308...

Can Ch. Crest-vue Pin-up Girl at Swifthaven

(AKC Major Pointed)

“Tiffany”



Breeder: Karen Fischer-Smith

Owner/Handler: Melissa Cadieux

HEALTHY TREATS RECIPE - DOG BISCUITS¹

Crunchy Honey Cinnamon Dog Biscuits

Ingredients:

1/2 cup vegetable oil
1/2 cup honey
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 egg
2 tablespoons milk
2 1/2 cups whole wheat flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon

Directions:

1. Preheat your oven to 375 and lightly grease a couple of baking sheets.
2. In a large mixing bowl, add the oil, honey, vanilla, cinnamon, milk and egg. Once you've got that mixed, stir in the flour and baking powder. Mix until a dough forms.
3. On a lightly floured surface, dump out the contents of the bowl and then knead it until all of the ingredients are incorporated and it can be spread using a rolling pin. Roll the dough out to about a 1/4" thickness and then either cut using cookie cutters or a pizza cutter.
4. Place the uncooked biscuits on your baking sheets and bake for 13-15 minutes.
- Store at room temperature in an airtight container

This recipe was included with dog treats that were received as gifts at the borzoi National. My

Welcome to our judge!

I started working with dogs in 1954 as a dog bather at a French Poodle Shop in Houston, Texas. I attended my first dog show in 1955 and then decided I wanted to show dogs.

I became an All-Breed licensed handler in 1968. I showed dogs professionally for some 33 years, then, I retired, and became a judge. During that time, I bred Poodles, Cocker Spaniels, Italian Greyhounds, Maltese, Yorkshire Terriers, Salukis, and Afghan Hounds. I never bred more than 4 litters of any of one breed. As a handler I helped many of my clients with their breeding programs, including choosing studs, and picking puppies.

I started judging in 1990, with the Hound Group. Since that time I have added the Sporting Group, Toy Group, and Non-Sporting Group. I judge 4 Groups: Best in Show, Junior Showmanship, and Miscellaneous. I have judged in Australia, Canada, Finland, Indonesia, Japan, New Zealand, Sweden, Taiwan, and Thailand.

As of now, I judge between 60 and 70 shows a year.

Thank you for inviting me to judge your specialty.

Eugene Blake



LOWER MAINLAND DOG FANCIERS –ABBOTSFORD–BC

Chinese Crested Regional Specialty Oct 25th, 2013
Judge: Mr. Eugene Blake

Best Breed

AM. CAN.CH. ROMPFORD KAUNOTAR OF YORKHOUSE. (Dog) (Kenny) TR70971801. DoB: July/22/2007. Sire: SOFTAIL THE EAGLE HAS LANDED - Dam: ROMPFORD U CANT HIDE BEAUTIFUL. Breeder: Marie Dubois. Owners: Outi Divin

Best Opposite

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Winners Dog: & Best Puppy

FUNDOKLIA-VOLGYI KASZANICS QUEBEK Sire: Fundoklia-V0lgyi Kaszanics E'hungaricum Dam: Chantal Dandy Mate Owner: Paula Nagy

Res. Winner Dog:

WHISPERING LANE WHEN WE STAND TOGETHER Sire: Am. Ch. Whisperln' Boot Scootn Boogie Dam: Can Ch. Whispering Lane Diamonds R Forever Breeder/Owner: Carol J and Mark Baldwin Handler: Stephanie Eckstein

Winners Female & Best Winners

WHISPERING LANE WHEEL OF FORTUNE (Vanna) Sire: Whispering Lane People Will Talk Dam: Whispering Lane Spectacular View Breeder/Owners: Mark & Carol Baldwin Handler: Stephanie Eckstein

Select Bitch

CAN. CH. WHISPERING LANE DIAMONDS R FOREVER Sire: Am Ch. Whispering Ln Thisl Makeyawhistle Dam: Whispering Lane The Huntress Breeder: Mark & Carol Baldwin Owner: Carol & Mark Baldwin and Stephanie Eckstein



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LOWER MAINLAND DOG FANCIERS –ABBOTSFORD–BC

National Booster: Oct 25th

Judge: Mr. McCoy

Best of Breed:

WHISPERING LANE WHEEL OF FORTUNE (Vanna). Sire: Whispering Lane People Will Talk. Dam: Whispering Lane Spectacular View. Breeder/Owners: Mark & Carol Baldwin
Handler: Stephanie Eckstein

Best of Opposite:

WHISPERING LANE WHEN WE STAND TOGETHER. Sire: Am. Ch. WhisperIn' Boot Scootn Boogie. Dam: Can Ch. Whispering Lane Diamonds R Forever. Breeder/Owner: Carol J and Mark Baldwin. Handler: Stephanie Eckstein

Winners dog:

WHISPERING LANE WHEN WE STAND TOGETHER. Sire: Am. Ch. WhisperIn' Boot Scootn Boogie, Dam: Can Ch. Whispering Lane Diamonds R Forever. Breeder/Owner: Carol J and Mark Baldwin Handler: Stephanie Eckstein

Winners Bitch:

WHISPERING LANE WHEEL OF FORTUNE (Vanna) Sire: Whispering Lane People Will Talk. Dam: Whispering Lane Spectacular View. Breeder/Owners: Mark & Carol Baldwin
Handler: Stephanie Eckstein

Best Puppy:

FUNDOKLIA-V0LGYI KASZANICS QUEBEK. Sire: Fundoklia-V0lgyi Kaszanics E'hungaricum. Dam: Chanttal Dandy Mate. Owner: Paula Nagy



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Best of Breed & Winners Bitch:

at the Lower Mainland Dog Fancier National Booster- Oct 25th under Judge: Mr. McCoy

Winners Female & Best Winners:

at the Chinese Crested Regional Specialty—Oct 25th Judge: Mr. Eugene Blake



WHISPERING LANE WHEEL OF FORTUNE (VANNA)

Best in Specialty Show—Best of Breed:

at the Chinese Crested Regional Specialty Oct 25th

under Judge: Mr. Eugene Blake

KENNY



AM. CAN.CH. ROMPFORD KAUNOTAR OF YORKHOUSE.

LOWER MAINLAND DOG FANCIERS —ABBOTSFORD—BC

Winners Dog & Best Puppy:

at Chinese Crested Regional Specialty Oct 25th under Judge: Mr. Eugene Blake
and **Best Puppy** at the National Booster: Oct 25th under Judge: Mr. McCoy



FUNDOKLIA-VOLGYI KASZANICS QUEBEK

VISITING PETS AND ANIMAL ASSISTED THERAPY

What is a therapy dog or therapy pet?

"Visiting Pets" "Therapy Dogs" "Therapy Pets" are just some of the names given to describe programs in which animals help people just by visiting with them. As participation in such programs grows so does the vocabulary describing different aspects of pet visiting. For example, the preferred use for the term "Animal Assisted Therapy" is for formal treatment programs, usually involving one particular animal and handler assigned to one particular client. The handler and the health care provider consult on specific goals to be accomplished, and plan how to accomplish those goals. The preferred use for more informal programs is "Animal Assisted Activities."

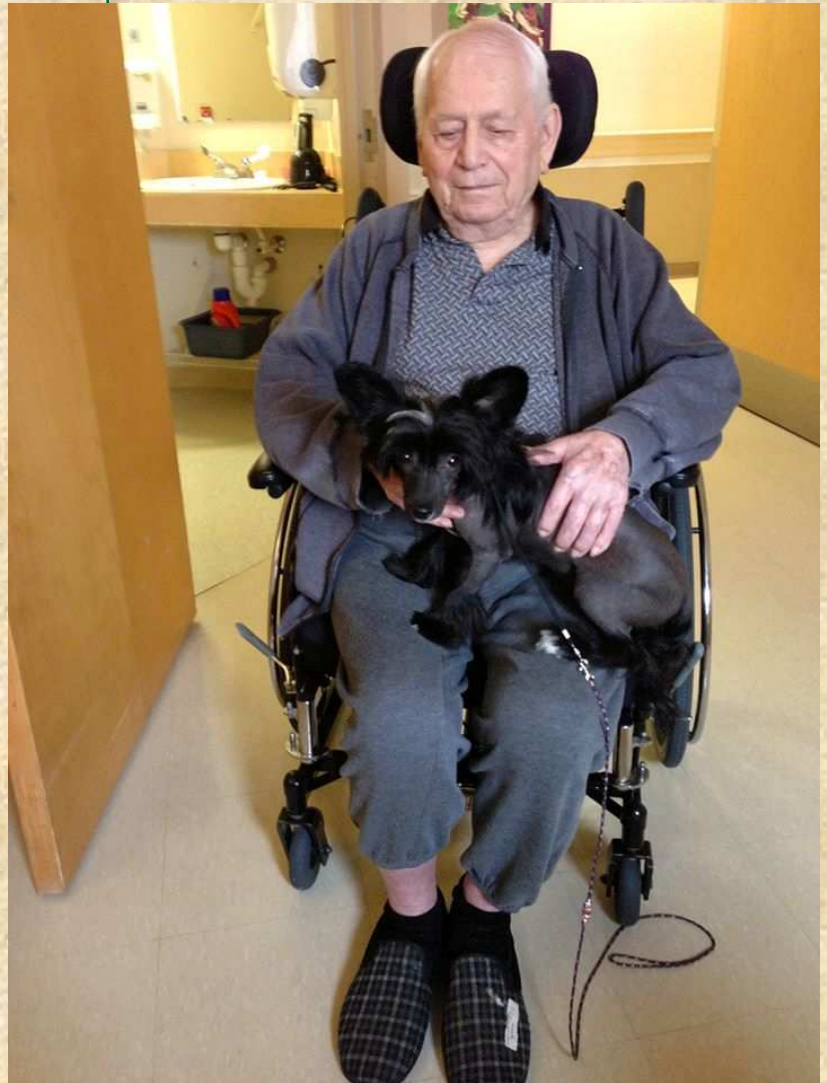
You will see a great variety of terms as groups struggle to find terms that are descriptive without being confusing. The most commonly used term for a dog visiting in residential care facilities is "therapy dog," but I prefer "visiting dog" when the visit is general, with no specific plan for a specific individual. The term "visiting dog" avoids bothering those for whom "therapy" has a narrow and technical sense, and yet it is easily understood.

Why take animals visiting in health care facilities?

Visiting with animals can help people feel less lonely, and less depressed. Visits from dogs can provide a welcome change from routine, or the renewal of old friendships. People become more active and responsive both during and after visiting with animals.

An animal visit can offer entertainment, or a welcome distraction from pain and infirmity. People often talk to the dogs, and share with them their thoughts and feelings and memo-

ries. Animal visits provide something to look forward to. Stroking a dog or cat can reduce a person's blood pressure. Petting encourages use of hands and arms, stretching and turning.



The pet makes it easier for two strangers to talk. It gives people a common interest and provides a focus for conversation. Many people in hospitals or group homes have had to give up pet ownership and they miss the casual acceptance a pet gives them. A dog pays little attention to age or physical ability, but accepts people as they are. The benefits continue even after the visit. The visit leaves behind memories not only of the visit, but of past experiences. It offers something for people to share.

LET'S TALK ABOUT CHINESE CRESTED AS THERAPY DOGS

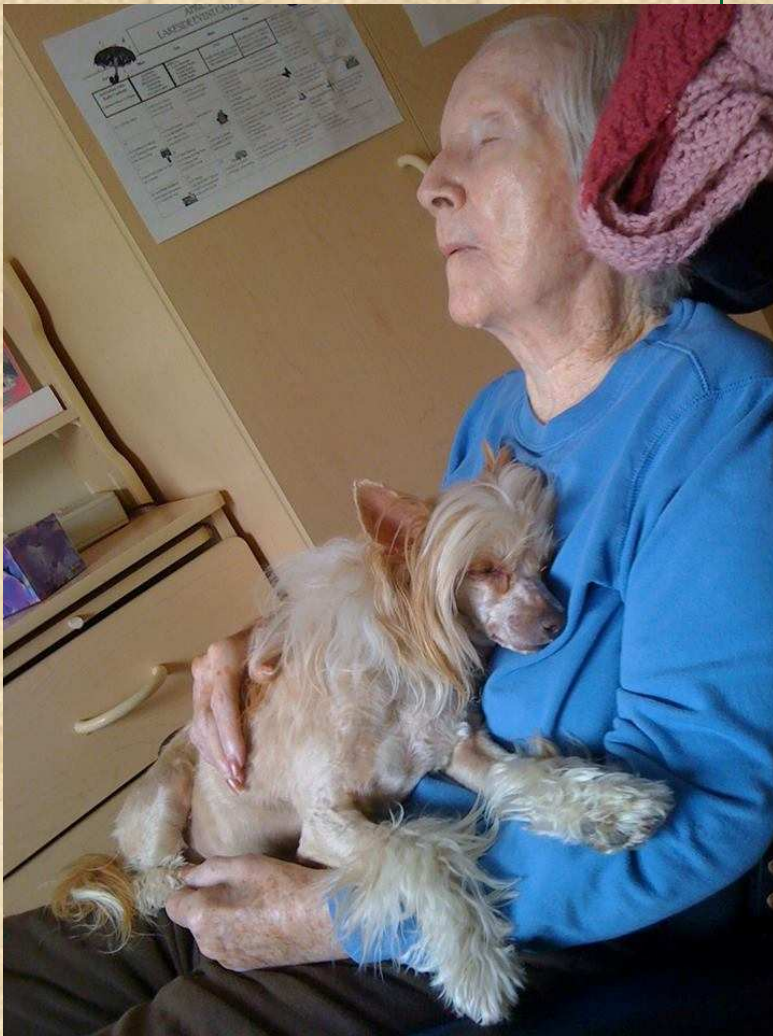


"Dogs are not our whole life, but they make our lives whole." Roger Caras

VISITING PETS AND ANIMAL ASSISTED THERAPY (CONT'D)

Can other kinds of pets participate?

Yes, most domestic animals can be suitable for visiting. The essential elements will be the same. In discussing therapy pets I will usually refer to dogs because they are by far the most common pet visitors. In most cases evaluation of whether the pet is a good prospective visitor will be the same regardless of the species.



What makes a good therapy dog?

Visiting dogs must be social. The point of the program is the interaction between the dog and the people you are visiting. If the dog does not enjoy the visit the interaction will be less than ideal. The person needs to feel ac-

cepted by the dog. A doggie rejection could make the visit more hurtful than no visit at all. A good therapy dog is calm, tolerant and friendly. The visits should be pleasurable for both of you. Don't try to force therapy work on a dog.

Visiting dogs must be polite. It is rude for a person to challenge another for walking down a public street. The same is true for your dog. That it is natural for one dog to challenge another does not mean its polite. It is also rude for one person to touch another without permission. How would you react if some stranger on the street walked up to you and kissed you? A polite dog does not touch a person unless invited.

The balance between calmness, and friendliness is a difficult one. Even an excellent obedience dog may not be a good visiting dog if it shows little interest in meeting people. An aloof dog may be calm, but may cause people to feel rejected. A very friendly dog may have the best of intentions but may cause injury. A dog that is full of energy and always ready to work may be too active for most situations.

Any breed of dog can participate. My visiting dog, Oso, is a large breed terrier mix. I can take credit only for his schooling. The temperament that makes him suitable is natural to him, and the reason I chose to become involved. His girlfriend, Tanith, is also well schooled and well socialized. Her natural exuberance, however, is not well suited to the kind of visits we do. Maturity may make the difference for her. When I decide whether a dog is suited for visiting I think about what I'm asking them to do. If I'm asking them to constantly restrain themselves, when that is not their nature, I'm not sure they can enjoy visiting. It is important to that the dog is comfortable with the behavior required of it.

LET'S TALK ABOUT CHINESE CRESTED AS THERAPY DOGS



VISITING PETS AND ANIMAL ASSISTED THERAPY (CONT'D)

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Getting Involved in Animal Assisted Therapy

Getting involved in Animal Assisted Therapy is not simply a matter of showing up at the door of the nearest care facility. You will need to ensure that your dog is ready, to find appropriate facilities to visit, and protect yourself from potential liability.

A wide variety of human care facilities now open their doors to properly qualified dogs. This is a welcome change from earlier policies forbidding dogs as unclean, unsafe or even merely inappropriate. These attitudes are not, however, gone. The experience of a facility with one dog will affect its attitude toward all dogs. Every person visiting with their dog should keep this in mind and strive to be an outstanding ambassador for all.

OK. You like the idea. But before you pop in on your nearest care facility you will need to learn more. Is it right for you, and your dog? Does your dog have the personality to enjoy the visits and be safe? There are several organizations that will evaluate your dog for visits that you arrange. Other organizations will evaluate your dog for group visits where your primary obligation will be to show up as promised. If you pass these evaluations then normally insurance will be available to cover visits made under the organization rules.

The best way to get involved is to join a group that can help evaluate your dog, provide some structure, and offer financial protection in the form of insurance. A hospital, convalescent home, or other care facility is more likely to allow visits by organized groups than individuals. Getting involved with a group also gives you an opportunity to learn, with a lower risk of a truly serious mistake. If you are part of a group your schedule is more flexible. You don't risk disappointing people with no visit at all just because you can't attend. As you gain experience you can get your dog evaluated for independent visits, ones that you arrange yourself.

Acronyms

ATT stands for "Animal Assisted Therapy"

AFT stands for "Animal Facilitated Therapy"

AAA stands for "Animal Assisted Activities"

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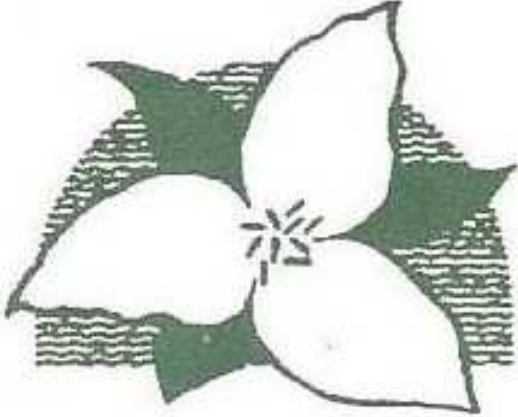
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Sunday November 3, 2013
Judge: Mr. Kenneth Edh*

CHINESE CRESTED - TOY DOG CLUB OF ONTARIO

Friday November 1, 2013

Toy Dog Club of Ontario – Chinese Crested Breed Results

Judge: Pamela Bruce



Total Competitors 18 (4-5-3-3) and 3 baby puppy (2-1)

Best of Breed & Best in Specialty: 204

CH BODESWELL PIXIETAIL ROCKFORD, Male, XN375442. DoB: 28/Jul/2010. Sire: Ch Legends There's a New Sheriff N Town. Dam: Ch Let's Go Pain the Town N'Co. Breeder: Nancy Patterson, C. Inward, Julie Milton, J. Milton. Owner: Nancy Patterson & Craig Inward.

Best of Opposite Sex: 203

CH. BODESWELL PIXIETAIL CAT'S MEOW, Female, XN375428. DoB: 28/Jul 2010. Sire: Ch Legends There's a New Sheriff N Town. Dam: Ch Let's Go Pain the Town N'Co. Breeder: Nancy Patterson, C. Inward, Julie Milton, J. Milton. Owner: Nancy Patterson & Craig Inward.

Best of Winners & Winners Male: 229

BELEWS LES BONS TEMPS ROULER, Male, ERN13001024. DoB: 15/Aug/2010. Sire : Wickhaven He's Got Game. Dam: Royal Evening Out with N'Co. Elsewhere. Breeder: DeLisa Parker. Owner: DeLisa & Michael Parker, Sharon Frampton.

Best Puppy in Breed: 143

CH BOPAR SUN OF SAN DIEGO, Male, AC512706. DoB: 8/Feb/2013. Sire: Ch. Crest-Vue So Grin'N Bare It. Dam: Bopar Bella of My Heart. Canada. Breeder/Owner: Chantal Leclerc

Select Male: 360

CH CHINESEBLUE'S NUMBER ONE(SWE), Male, 1114657. DoB: 7/Jan/2011. Sire: Ch Twice As Nice Pirateincognito. Dam: Ch Chineseblue's Highlight, Elsewhere. Breeder: Anna Larsson. Owner: Johanne Cayer. Handler/Agent: Genevieve Lafrance.

Select Female: 230

CH COLLIWOOD'S ECHOES THE CLOUDS, Female, ERN 12002302. DoB: 4/Jun/2011. Sire: Colliwood's Scandalous Levi J. Dam : Dokkum Send in the Clouds, Elsewhere. Breeder/Owner: Linda M. Collins. Agent/Handler: Ellen Arlow.

Winners Female: 228

BELEWS THAT VOODOO THAT YOU DO, Female, ERN13001025. DoB: 19/Mar/2013. Sire: Belews Beau Tied Heart. Dam: Belews Sooner Or Later. Elsewhere. Breeder/Owner: DeLisa & Michael Parker

Reserve Male: 231

COLLIWOOD'S SCANDALOUS LEVI J, Male, ERN 11001267. DoB: 11/Sep/2009. Sire: Jorivan's Famous Amos. Dam: Shirkara Firestar of Colliwood, Elsewhere. Breeder/Owner: Linda M. Collins.

Reserve Female: 153

DESERTSUN'S IN IT TO WIN IT, Female, Listed. DoB: 5/Mar/2013. Sire: Ch. Crest-Vue So Grin N'Bare it. Dam: Ch. Crest-Vue's First Class Flirt, Canada. Breeder/Owner: Neil & Diana Edwards. Agent/Handler: Tom Curley & Diane Bell.

Best Baby Puppy: 142

TOKELRY BOPAR DIVA CASTAFIORE, Female, Listed. DoB: 29/Jun/ 2013. Sire: Tokelry Yoko Uno. Dam: Jewells Goodnight Dreamer, Canada. Breeder: Johane Murray. Owner: Chantal Leclerc.

CH BOPAR SUN OF SAN DIEGO

Best of Breed & Best Puppy in Breed

Friday November 1, 2013 Trillium Dog Fanciers Specialty
Judge: Mr. David Markus

Best Puppy in Breed

Friday November 1, 2013
Toy Dog Club of Ontario –
Judge: Pamela Bruce

Sunday November 3, 2013
Lakeside Toy dog Fanciers
Judge: Mr. Robert Hutton



BELEWS LES BONS TEMPS ROULER

Best of Breed

Sunday November 3, 2013
Lakeside Toy Dog Fanciers Specialty
Judge: Mr. Robert Hutton

Group 4th
Judge: Eugene Blake

Best of Winners & Winners Male

Friday November 1, 2013
Trillium Dog Fanciers Specialty
Judge: Mr. David Markus

Toy Dog Club of Ontario
Judge: Pamela Bruce



BELEWS LES BONS TEMPS ROULER

Best of Breed

Sunday November 3, 2013
Lakeside Toy Dog Fanciers Specialty
Judge: Mr. Robert Hutton



TRILLIUM DOG FANCIERS SPECIALTY –CHINESE CRESTED

Friday November 1, 2013 Trillium Dog Fanciers Specialty

Judge: Mr. David Markus

Total Competitors 9 (2-4-2-1)and 3 baby puppy (2-1)

Best of Breed: 143

CH BOPAR SUN OF SAN DIEGO, Male, AC512706. DoB 8/Feb/2013. Sire: Ch. Crest-Vue so Grin'N Bare It. Dam: Bopar Bella Of My Hear, Canada. Breeder/Owner: Chantal Leclerc.

Best of Opposite Sex: 230

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Best of Winners & Winners Male: 229

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Best Puppy in Breed: 143

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Best Baby Puppy: 142

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CH COLLIWOOD'S ECHOES THE CLOUDS

Best of Opposite Sex

Friday November 1, 2013
Trillium dog Fanciers
Judge: Mr. David Markus

Select Female

Friday November 1, 2013
Toy dog club of Ontario
Judge: Pamela Bruce

Select Female

Sunday November 3, 2013
Chinese Crested Club of Ontario
Judge Mr. Kenneth Edh

Lakeside Toy dog Fanciers
Judge: Mr. Robert Hutton



CH CHINESEBLUE'S NUMBER ONE(SWE)

Friday November 1, 2013—Toy Dog Club of Ontario—Judge: Pamela Bruce



Select Male



Sunday, November 3, 2013

JUDGE

Mr. Kenneth Edh

Petrejusvägen 49, 3tr, Se-121
38 Johanneshov, Sweden



Kenneth Edh was born in Stockholm, Sweden in 1948. I talk Swedish, English, German and French. My kennel name is „Kenmark“.

I'm judging since 1978 starting with my first FCI group 10 (Greyhound, Sighthound) followed by FCI group 8 (Retriever, Spaniel, Water Dog) and group 9 (Companion and Toy Dogs) in 1980. I have judged in Sweden, Denmark, Norway, Finland, Iceland, Netherlands, France, Portugal, Spain, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, Malta, Germany, Belgium, Greece, Hungary, Slovenia, England, Ireland, USA, Australia, New Zealand, Columbia, Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Thailand, Barbados, Russia, Canada, Philippines, Estonia, Latvia, Slovakia, Poland and Japan.

I took part on various committees of the Swedish Kennel Club, such as the Breeding Standards Commission 1985-2001; for the time being I'm member of the Judge Nomination Committee of the International Swedish Judges` Association. At present I'm still president of the Swedish Mountain Dog Club and the Swedish Russky Toy Club. I have been president of the Swedish Afghan and Chinese Crested Club, board member of the Swedish Greyhound Club (East) from 1976 until 1989.



Beside the dogs I'm a great admirer of operas and very interested in theatre, literature and art and I love visiting auctions.

Breeds I was concerned with were Whippet, Pekingese, Brussels Griffon and Chihuahua. Because of a duly completed time table as a judge and a full time job for the Swedish Kennel Club I'm momentarily not able to breed or maintain dogs, but perhaps one day I will start anew. I'm missing dogs very much.

<http://www.tibethunde-ktr.de/en/person/edh-kenneth>

COLLIWOOD'S SCANDALOUS LEVI J

Reserve Male

Friday November 1, 2013
Toy dog club of Ontario
Judge Pamela Bruce

Trillium Dog Fancier
Judge: Mr. David Markus

Sunday November 3, 2013
Chinese Crested Club of Ontario
Judge: Mr. Kenneth Edh.



CHINESE CRESTED CLUB OF ONTARIO 2013 SPECIALTY –LINDSAY, ON

Sunday, November 3, 2013

JUDGE: Mr. Kenneth Edh
Petrejusvägen 49, 3tr, Se-121
38 Johanneshov, Sweden

A Teacher by profession, Kenneth has Chihuahua's now, and has had Whippet, Griffon Bruxellois, and Pekingese. First licensed to judge at CC-level in 1978, he graduated to an All Rounder. Fluent in English, German, Swedish and French, Kenneth has judged in all the Nordic countries, Iceland, the Nederland's, France, Portugal, Spain, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, Malta, Germany, Belgium, Greece, Hungary, Slovenia, Russia, England, Ireland, USA, Australia, New Zealand, Colombia, Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Thailand, Barbados, and the Philippines.

<http://www.dogjudges.info/profile?id=320>

Total Competitors 25 (9-8-5-3)and 4 baby puppy (3-1)

Best of Breed & Best in Specialty: 204

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Best of Opposite Sex: 203

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Best of Winners & Winners Female: 595

PXIETAIL'S VERY BERRY CHERRY, Female, AE506043. DoB: 7/Mar/2013. Sire: Ch Legends There's a New Sheriff N Town. Dam: Ch. Jewels Peach Blossom, Canada. Breeder: John & Julie Milton. Owner: Julie Miton.

Best Puppy in Breed: 595

PXIETAIL'S VERY BERRY CHERRY, Female, AE506043. DoB: 7/Mar/2013. Sire: Ch Legends There's a New Sheriff N Town. Dam: Ch. Jewels Peach Blossom, Canada. Breeder: John & Julie Milton. Owner: Julie Miton.

Select Male & Award of Merit: 144

CH CREST-VUE SO GRIN'N BARE IT, Male, 1123026. DoB: 20/Jun/2010. Sire: Lemiz Souldrop Indefatigable. Dam: Crest-Vue's What'Cha Expect. Elsewhere. Breeder: Karen Fischer-Smith. Owner: Chantal Leclerc.

Select Female: 230

CH COLLIWOOD'S ECHOES THE CLOUDS, Female, ERN 12002302. DoB: 4/Jun/2011. Sire: Colliwood's Scandalous Levi J. Dam : Dokkum Send in the Clouds, Elsewhere. Breeder/Owner: Linda M. Collins. Agent/Handler:Ellen Arlow.

Winners Male:151

ZHEN N ZEN YOU'R SO FINE, Male, 1122798. DoB: 12/Jan/2013. Sire:Koridawn In Your Wildest Dreams. Dam: Crestars Jelaine Phoebe. Breeder: Carol Clouse, Jennifer Mcmanus, Diane Hale. Owner: Suzanne Dugas.

CHINESE CRESTED CLUB OF ONTARIO 2013 SPECIALTY –LINDSAY, ON

Sunday, November 3, 2013

Reserve Male: 231

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Best Baby Puppy: 142

TOKELRY BOPAR DIVA CASTAFIORE, Female, Listed. DoB: 29/Jun/2013. Sire: Tokelry Yoko Uno. Dam: Jewells Goodnight Dreamer, Canada. Breeder: Johane Murray. Owner: Chantal Lercer.

Best Veteran: 405

GCHX WAVERCREST HOTSHOT CORNERPOCKET, CGN. Male SA094362, DoB: 27/Jan/2006, Sire: Ch Nauset Absolutely Dramatic. Dam: Ch Wavecrest Little Luna Tick. Breeder: Jenna Lostale, Owner: Gail Parker & Jenna Lostale.

Studd Dog: 137

CH JEWELS RINGLEADER CGN, 1110254. DoB: 13 Mar 2010

Best Brace: 137 & 138

CH JEWELS RINGLEADER CGN, Male, 1110254. DoB: 13 Mar 2010
CURLIOUS TIME TO CELEBRATE, Male, AC494711 DoB: 12 Feb 2013



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Winners
Male

Sunday November 3, 2013
Chinese Crested Club of Ontario
Judge: Mr. Kenneth Edh

ZHEN N ZEN
YOU'R SO FINE



CH CREST-VUE SO GRIN'N BARE IT



Select Male & Award of Merit

Sunday November 3, 2013
Chinese Crested Club of Ontario
Judge: Mr. Kenneth Edh

TOKELRY BOPAR DIVA CASTAFIORE

Best Baby Puppy

Friday November 3rd

Toy Dog Club of Ontario-Judge: Pamela Bruce

Trillium Dog Fanciers-Judge: Mr. David Markus

Sunday November 3rd, 2013-Ontario CC Club

Judge: Mr. Kenneth Edh



LAKESIDE TOY DOG FANCIERS—CHINESE CRESTED

Sunday November 3, 2013

Judge: **Mr. Robert Hutton**

Total Competitors 16 (5-6-3-2)and 3 baby puppy (2-1)

Best of Breed: 229

BELEWS LES BONS TEMPS ROULER, Male, ERN13001024. DoB: 15/Aug/2010. Sire : Wickhaven He's Got Game. Dam: Royal Evening Out with N'Co. Elsewhere. Breeder: DeLisa Parker. Owner:DeLisa & Michael Parker, Sharon Frampton.

Best of Opposite Sex: 112

CH BOPAR DIVENTY BEACH OF SAMANA, Female AC512227 DoB: 8/Feb/2013. Sire: Ch. Crest-Vue's so Grin'N Bare It. Dam: Bopar Bella Of My Heart. Breeder: Chantal Leclerc. Owner: Diane Vendittoli.

Best of Winners & Winners Male: 232

NATURAL'S ALL IN A DAY'S WORK, Male ERN13001022. DoB: 30/August/2011. Sire: Woodlyn Last Comic Standing. Dam: Wickhaven Mto Addicted To Love, Elsewhere. Breeder: Tom & Sharon Frampton, JaneAyers, Eleanor Groves. Owner: Tom & Sharon Frampton.

Best Puppy in Breed & Select Male: 143

CH BOPAR SUN OF SAN DIEGO, Male, AC512706. DoB 8/Feb/2013. Sire: Ch. Crest-Vue so Grin'N Bare It. Dam: Bopar Bella Of My Hear, Canada. Breeder/Owner: Chantal Leclerc.

Select Female: 230

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Reserve Male: 231

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Reserve Female: 552

CURLIOUS KEPT UNDER WRAPS, Female, AC494423. DoB: 12/February/2013 Sire: Ch Jewels Ring-leader, CGN Dam: Dh Dokkum Reach Past The Clouds, CGN Rn, Breeder: Kate Barnett. Owner: Mandiee O'Brien & Kate Barnet.

Best Baby Puppy: 246

PUFFIN MAN OF STEEL, Male AI509034 DoB: 14/June/2013. Sire: Ch. Hampshire N Wind At Romford. Dam: Ch Puffin Rare Edition, Canada. Breeder: Helene L. Belanger & Steve Kelly. Owner: Steve Kelly & Loui Reyes.

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CH BOPAR DIVENTY BEACH OF SAMANA

Best of Opposite Sex

Sunday November 3, 2013 -Lakeside Toy dog Fanciers
Judge: Mr. Robert Hutton



NATURAL'S ALL IN A DAY'S WORK

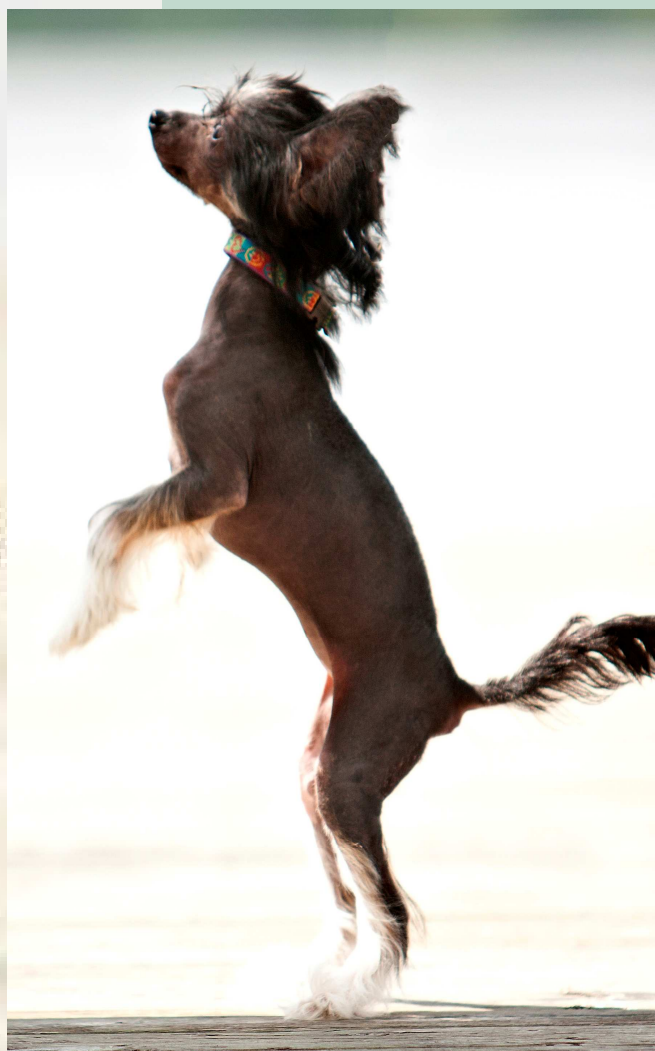
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Winners Dog

Sunday November 3, 2013
Lakeside Toy dog fanciers
Judge: Mr. Robert Hutton



CURLIOUS KEPT UNDER WRAPS

Reserve Female



Best Baby Puppy

Sunday November 3rd
Lakeside Toy Dog Fancier
Judge: Mr. Robert Hutton

Happy Holidays



Clark - Puffin Man Of Steel

Best Bred By Exhibitor

Breeders: Tom & Sharon Frampton,
Jane Ayers, Eleanor Groves



NATURAL'S ALL IN A DAY'S WORK

Seasons Greetings



Secret Haven Kennel

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS—REMOVING PET ODORS

Everyone at some point in their lives has entered a pet-friendly home and thought 'pee-uw, it stinks in here!'. Oily, dirty dogs, cats with that lingering fishy smell, cough-inducing kitty litter reeking of ammonia, and everyone's favorite – the carpet that has been peed on too many times without a proper cleaning!

Does your house smell of pet odor? And if so, how do you sufficiently remove the offending odors without removing your pets?

A clean, fresh smelling house without the over chemically scents of many cleaners is possible but it does take some preplanning, the correct supplies, and a bit of elbow grease!

1 The First Step in Removing Pet Odors from your Home

This is the surprise step that few pet owners think about the health of their pet when discussing removing pet odor from their surroundings. However, whether known or unknown, if your pet has a medical condition that is causing the smell, how can you expect to get your house to smell clean and fresh?

Incontinence, urinary tract infections, infected anal glands, chronic diarrhea, ear infections, lip fold dermatitis, leaking lumps, and blocked male cats run the gamut when it comes to health concerns but they all have one common denominator - they all smell bad. Before you spend your valuable time and hard earned money cleaning the house, make sure your pet does not have a treatable medical condition that is causing the malodorous odors otherwise its all for naught!

2 The Easy Clean Ups!

One of the simplest ways to remove pet odor from your house is to regularly wash your pet's bedding as well as anything else he may sleep on. In fact, if he has a favorite spot to lie on the couch or your bed, cover that area with a sheet or washable blanket so clean up is a breeze! His bedding, your bedding, the curtains, the pillows on the couch, the slip cover over his favorite chair, throw rugs, and

his own bed are all washable – take advantage of the washing machine and make sure the fabrics in your house are clean and fur free.

Secrets to clean, odor free fabric? Add baking soda to the wash, do not machine dry the fabrics and if an offensive odor lingers, use a pet waste enzyme neutralizer, available at most pet stores.

Dirty kitty litter is another easy stench to remove permanently. Cats prefer a clean litter box so use clumping litter and clean daily. If the litter box is old and has a few scratches in the bottom, consider purchasing a new one and cleaning the old one up for the recycling bin. Protect the new litter box by making sure litter is layered deep enough and the box is cleaned regularly.

3 Removing Pet Odors from Carpet

Pets and carpet are like kids and playgrounds: all about serious play and covering as much ground as possible! Both dogs and cats love to explore, learning the feel of the new carpet and sniffing out all the thousands of new smells. And along with new smells sometimes comes 'marking' behavior. Although this is normal behavior dating back long before these animals were domesticated, it is a lingering behavior that in our modern, often antiseptic world is no longer socially acceptable.

To clean the smell, you first have to locate the smell. In the case of feces, this is usually easy but dried urine can hide in dark carpets. Your options? Get on your hands and knees and prepare your nose for a serious workout or purchase a black light from your neighborhood hardware store. Black lights make bodily fluids fluoresce, making finding the stain far easier. A word of caution however: black lights show you every bodily fluid stain so be prepared for what could be considered 'too much information'. An old carpet can tell a story, possibly one that was better left unheard!

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If the accident is fresh and your carpet is treated with a stain resistant coating, gently place paper towel over the wet spot and allow moisture to soak up without undo pressure as this only pushes the liquid deeper into the carpet fibers. Once the pooling liquid is soaked up, begin applying pressure to clean up the dregs.

4 To Shampoo or not Shampoo

The jury is out on how good regular steam cleaning is for your carpet. Harsh chemicals break down carpet fibers, shortening its lifespan. However, unpleasant stains and odors shorten a carpets lifespan just as thoroughly. Spot cleaning with a high quality carpet cleaner and pet odor neutralizer are definitely the first steps to help guarantee how long your carpet continues to look good and smell fresh.

If spot cleaning will not help combat pet odors, hire a professional carpet cleaner to tackle the problem. Carpet cleaners are experts at removing pet stains and odors while not over-cleaning and damaging fibers. Replacing wall-to-wall carpet is a huge investment, protect it by hiring professionals to help maintain it.

Is one area of the carpet worse then the rest? Sections of carpet can often be replaced if they are too worn or stained. Have a private carpet layer come into your home and offer suggestions on how to replace damaged areas and provide an estimate on the work.

5 Paint – The Last Resort to Removing Pet Odor

As surprising as it sounds, long term, strong odors can become absorbed by paint. This is especially true for urine no matter whether it is a tomcat spraying the walls or a stinky kitty litter sitting in a small room for too long.

Easiest solution? Repaint. Paint does help seal bad odors in, giving your house a new, cleaner scent appeal. Odorless and odor removing paints are now available as well, perfect for houses with multiple pets and kids!

Removing pet odors from your home takes a bit of work. The most important step, however, is making sure your pet is healthy and happy, then removing the scent in conjunction with possible retraining.

A clean, fresh, pet odor free house is possible, even if your home feels like a zoo sometimes!

<http://www.professorhouse.com/Your-Home/Cleaning/General/Articles/Removing-Pet-Odors/>



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*Seasons Greetings,
May your holidays be merry and bright.*

SHOWCASING VERSATILITY—CC—THERAPY DOGS

Heather Ashcroft lives in the Hamilton area and works at the Humane Society where her lovely Chinese Crested Zelda helps to make a difference with some of the transient residents.

Zelda has always been a special dog. Since the day I brought her home, she has been an old soul even at the tender age of 12 weeks.



I bought Zelda from a breeder who also had cats, and I have had a few rescued felines at home as well. Zelda has always been very comfortable around cats.

After passing her health testing for Zelda became a mom. She has had 2 litters of puppies in her life, 6 pups in total. She was an attentive and natural mother. Zelda even tried to mother my other girl Veruca's puppies for her when she was indisposed.

All my dogs are accustomed to animals com-

ing in and out of my house. Various rescues, fosters, and the occasional visit from family or friends' pets and former puppies makes for a very interesting home environment. Even so, I didn't really expect what happened the night I brought two five-day-old kittens home to foster.

A litter of five motherless kittens were brought into BHS one Saturday morning this spring. I was able to arrange a foster for 3 of them. (Since five is a lot of work for anyone one person, we thought it best to divide the kittens.) I brought the two remaining kittens home for the night. When I got them home, I immediately took them upstairs to get them set up for the night. They were due for a feeding so I got to work. The next thing I knew, Zelda had her head in my lap nosing the kitten I was feeding. She started to lick him and got him to go to the bathroom. She then went over to the cat carrier I had brought them home in and tried to get in with the other kitten to do the same. From that moment on she didn't leave their side. She would cuddle them, groom them, and stimulate them to go to the bathroom just like their mom would have. She slept with them and watched over them even letting them suckle although she produced no milk. She would always check out anyone who wanted to see them when I brought them all to BHS for work and loved the attention the volunteers gave her. Being featured in the local paper didn't even go to her head.

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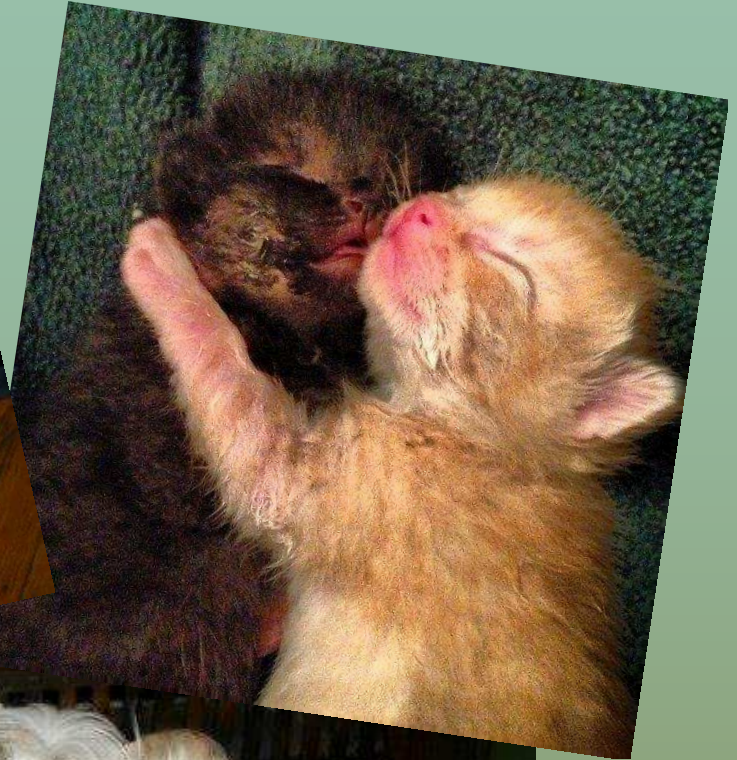
Her first fostered both went to their forever homes very quickly after being brought into the shelter. Since then she has taken on other two kittens. These little calico girls had a rough start and were having trouble gaining and maintaining weight. The smallest girl needed some extra love and attention and who better to give her a fighting chance than mama Zelda. As soon as she came home, Zelda cuddled right up to her and got to work. It was rough going and has been a long fight but these girls have thrived. They have gained weight, grown strong, and I'm thrilled to say have both been adopted together! I know that Zelda misses them when they go but she's always ready and waiting for the next baby that may need her. She is such

an amazing girl and I'm so glad that I am able to share her love with everyone. Heather Ashcroft.



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ZELDA!



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Dog adopts abandoned kittens

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Nikki Wesley/Burlington Post

Chinese crested Zelda has 'adopted' two newborn kittens the Burlington Humane Society recently received. Zelda, 5, has previously had puppies and when the kittens came home, her maternal instincts took over. She stimulates the kittens, allows them to suckle and grooms them.

Burlington Post

It will be a special Mother's Day for a dog named Zelda.

The five-year-old Chinese Crested has "adopted" two young, stray kittens that were abandoned by their mother and brought to the Burlington Humane Society.

Five kittens, only five days old, arrived at the shelter a week and a half ago. Due to their young age, they needed specialized care that included hand feeding. Heather Ashcroft-Hill, an adoption counsellor who is trained as a veterinary technician, took two of the kittens home to care for until they are ready for adoption.

It was love at first sight for Ashcroft-Hill's dog, Zelda.

"I let her see one kitten and let her sniff it, and she immediately started to lick it and nuzzle it," Ashcroft-Hill said. "She went to the other kitten, who was still in the carrier and immediately tried to get in with her, which was hilarious because the carrier was the size of two kittens. I got a bigger container for

them, and she immediately got to work and cleaned them head to foot, and cuddled them."

The two kittens, who have yet to be named, are doing well a week and a half later.

"They are thriving," Ashcroft-Hill told the Post.

Adrienne Gosse, shelter manager at the Burlington Humane Society said the kittens are benefitting immensely from Zelda's love.

"It provides psychological well-being and comfort," she said. "Normally, we just have people hand feeding them and we give them a stuffed animal to snuggle with. That does not compare to the love and attention and affection that Zelda gives them. That makes them well-rounded kittens and helps with their brain and behavioral development."

The kittens will be ready for adoption when they are about eight weeks old. Two of the



remaining kittens went to another foster home, while the fifth kitten died.

<http://www.insidehalton.com/news-story/2909917-dog-adopts-abandoned-kittens/>

LET'S TALK ABOUT THERAPY DOGS



"A dog is the only thing on earth that loves you more than you love yourself." Josh Billings

LET'S TALK ABOUT THERAPY DOGS—LAUREL BROWN

Laurel Brown tells us about her experience.

Hi Michele...Here's my story of how I got started doing pet visits at the nursing home...

My Mother was a resident for three years at the nursing home where I currently do my visits. I paid my mother a visit every day and always brought a dog or two with me. The residents and staff on her floor were accustomed to seeing the kids on a regular basis (I am referring to my dogs of course!). There was another lady making pet visits with her boy Lucky at the same facility as the one I was going to, and when her mother passed away she decided that she no longer wanted to continue making regular visits to the nursing home. The staff came to realize what a benefit those pet visits had on the their residents and that is when the management team approached me about taking over the task of bringing my dogs in for pet visits at the nursing home. I agreed to do it and the rest, as they say is history.



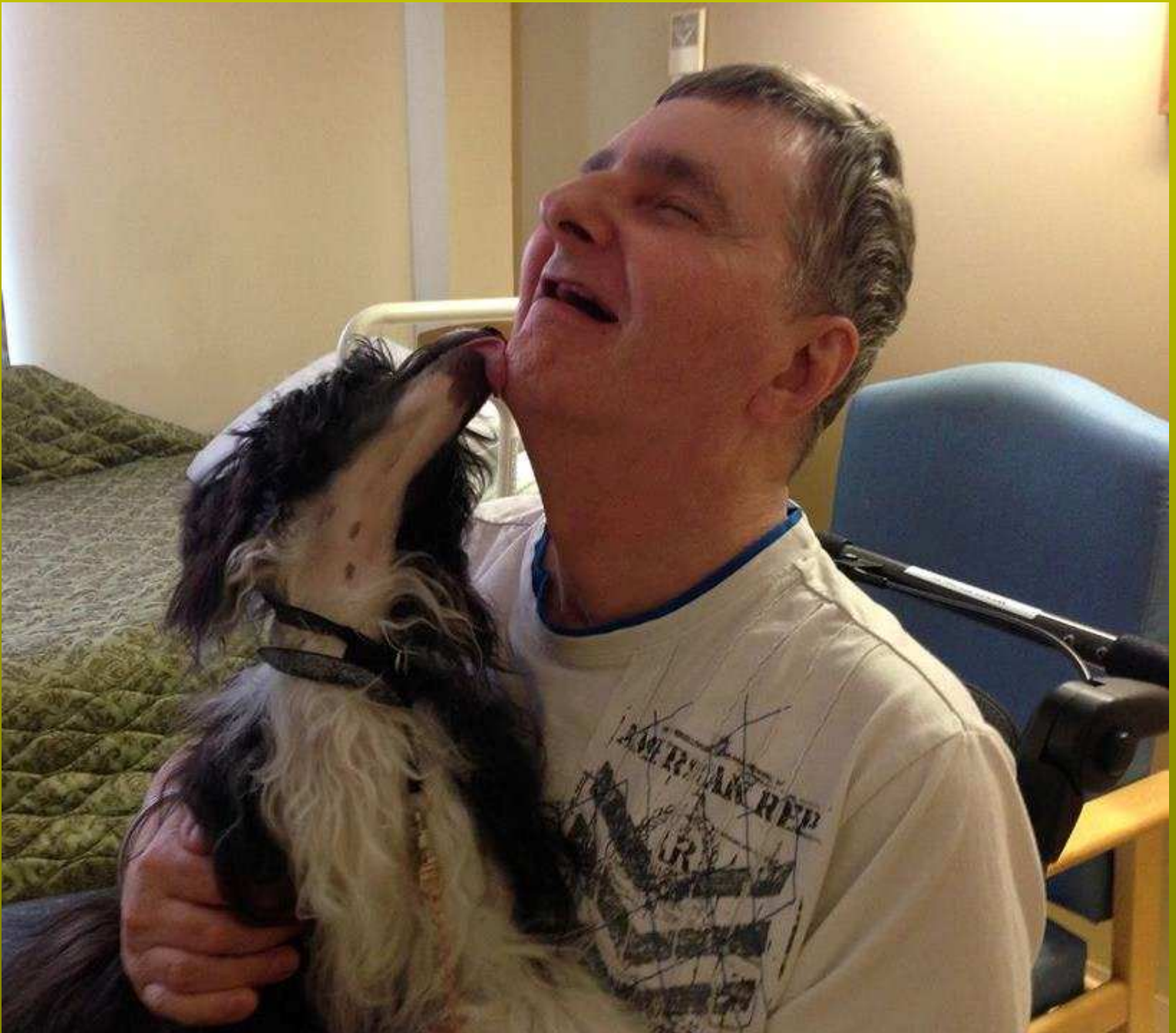
It's now a little over a year since I have become the official pet visitor and the dogs, myself and the residents absolutely love it!! I have been told several times by the Director that the residents have come to depend on our weekly visits every Wednesday morning and the joy that we bring is immeasurable. Many of the residents have been dog owners and, in a couple of cases, have shown their dogs in their former lives, which means we always have lots to discuss! An average call consist of visiting with approximately 15 to 20 residents-both men and women, and I tend to stay for about 2 to 2-1/2 hours at each time.

Everyone, staff and residents included adore all the dogs (I bring 2 or 3 each visit), but of course, many have their favourites. They watched Faith grow from a cute and cuddly 10 week old puppy to the beautiful show dog she is now. Faith has a fan-club at the Nursing Home... they always ask about her if she's not in the group I happened to bring in on any given day! I make sure to bring the puppies as the residents just love them to pieces and the puppies are gluttons for all the love and attention they can get!

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Who can resist being slurped with such vigor?

The medical profession has widely acknowledged that stroking and petting animals can have a calming effect, lower blood pressure, and relieve tension.



Photos courtesy of Laurel Brown

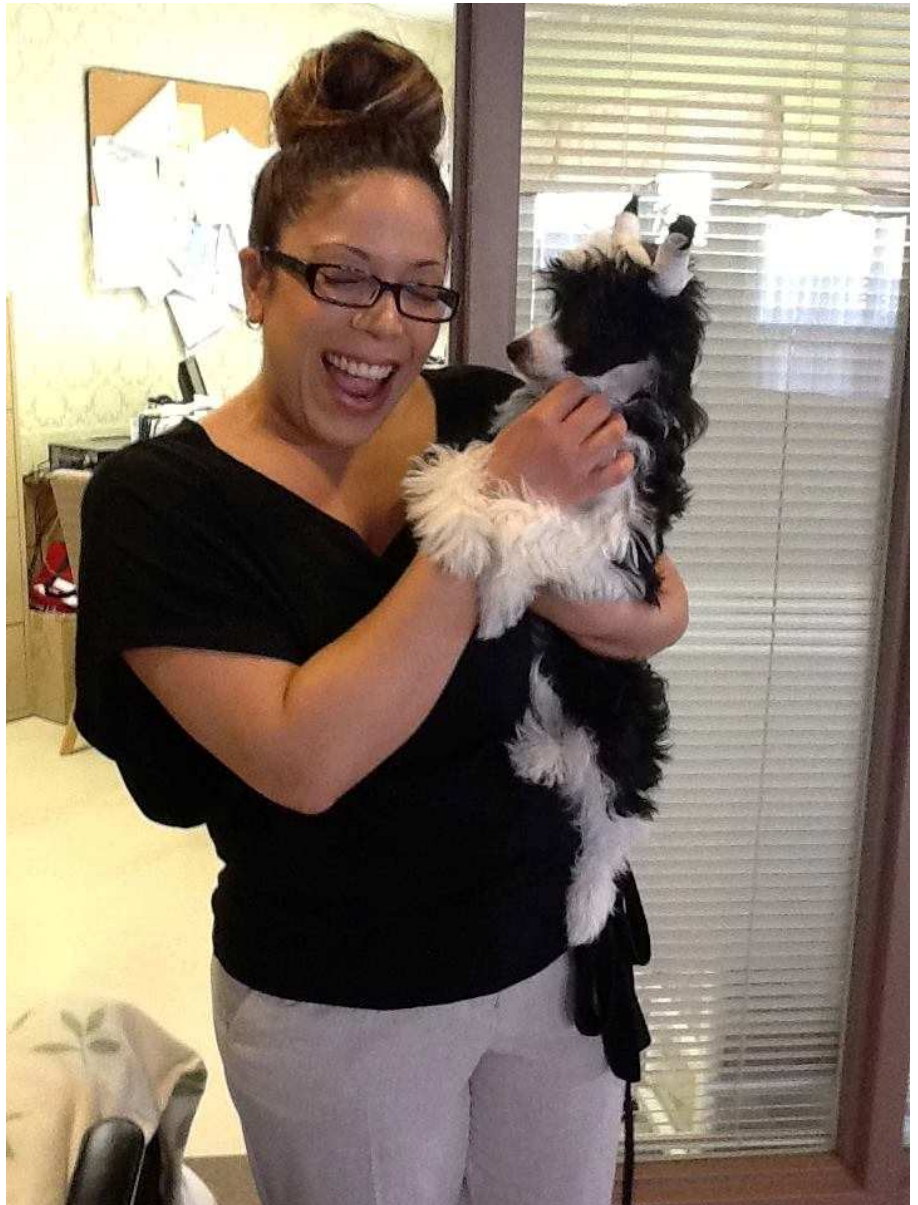
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I also bring my old girls (11 year old) Nikki (Australian Shepherd) and Lemmony (Chinese Crested) They are resident favourites because they just love to cuddle and will hop up on the bed, which Nikki does or in Lemmony's case can snuggle in a lap . I too love these folks and since starting these visits last year I have made many friends (have also lost friends as this, after all, is a nursing home). They have many and varied stories and are always interesting people to talk with. I share stories of the places we go and dog shows we participate in, and how the kids do. The residents always remember and ask "how did we do at the shows and where are we plan to go next" !!! It is interesting to note that their memories are better than mine most days!!!!

The residents always wish us good luck when I tell them we're off to a show, and when I return they want to see/know what "prizes" the kids won... I'll always make sure to bring in any ribbons we might have won or have pictures on my iPad to show them... they love it, makes them part of our successes!

I visit the Alzheimer's wing as well and there's one little Scottish lady there who is 90 years old and she absolutely adores the kids! Can't wait to get them on her lap for a cuddle! The staff at the Home is phenomenal and very supportive, helpful and appreciative of our visits... They've told me that some of their most difficult residents are more relaxed, happy and receptive to necessary care after our visits. It's so very rewarding to see a smile on someone's face when you've been told that a smile from them is a very rare occurrence. Makes me feel that our little contribution is worthwhile. Many of the residents

are very cognizant ... we carry on wonderful conversations... and not just about the dogs ... I've been blessed, had my hand kissed, told "I love you", that we've "saved me or made my day", "love you and your babies", hugged, and cried on. There are in fact a few residents that arrange to have a family



member buy "treats" for the "babies" . How can you not want to spend time with these wonderful people?? I've had family members tell me what a difference I've made to their loved one's life... and all I do is spend about 2 to 2-1/2 hours enjoying these folks, which is in itself a treat for me!

LITTLE ANGELS AT WORK KEEPING WATCH!



Therapy Dogs are used for the benefit, both physical and emotional, of people in hospitals, seniors' residences, nursing homes, day care centres, special needs schools, psychiatric hospitals and many other places where people may be restricted from having pets.

"Dogs are not our whole life, but they make our lives whole." Roger Caras

LET'S TALK ABOUT THERAPY DOGS—LAUREL BROWN (CONT'D)



before I realize how much time has gone by!

The elderly are so easily forgotten or dismissed and believe me, most of them have very interesting lives! I've met truckers, policeman, veterinarian, school teacher and one little gentleman was an Ambassador! I just hope that someday if I get to this stage in my life there's a "pet visitor" who'll spend a little of their time with me so I can reminisce!

The reality is I can't imagine NOT doing this ... in as much as I may bring joy to their lives, they reciprocate tenfold with the joy they bring to my life... Laurel Brown

It means that I probably spend an average of 5 to 10 minutes for each resident I visit.

Sometimes I arrive when they're doing some exercises so I'll have a number of people who want to visit in one place instead of having to go to individual rooms... that's easier and I can spend a little more time with a greater number of resident. I have to admit I get carried away at times and my conversations with the residents often last until it is well into their lunch time



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The most important characteristic of a therapy dog is its temperament. A good therapy dog must be friendly, patient, confident, gentle, and at ease in all situations. Therapy dogs must enjoy human contact and be content to be petted and handled, sometimes clumsily.



My goal in Life is to be as good of a person my dog already thinks I am.

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THERAPY DOG TRAINING—HUNGARIAN METHODOLOGY

The translation was performed by Erica Rózsa who volunteered, but who is not an official translator by profession simply an individual who speaks both Hungarian and English. We believe the intent of the message has been respected.

SANSZ – Segít A Négylábúak Szeretete Alapítvány

SANSZ—The Love of the Four Legged Help Foundation

Written by Ibolya Ármós (in Hungarian)

Hungarian.....

A „SANSZ – Segít A Négylábúak Szeretete” Alapítvány 2007.-ben alakult, azzal a céllal, hogy a tanulók, hátrányos helyzetű rétegek és beteg emberek társadalmi beilleszkedését, készségfejlesztését, gyógyulását támogassa állat-asszisztált terápia segítségével.

Célunk többek közt kutyákkal rehabilitációs foglalkozások tartása mellett, a fogyatékkal élő személyek segítő kutyáikkal történő sportolási (kutyás sportok) lehetőségeinek szervezése és biztosítása. Jelenleg 27 vizsgázott terápiás párosunk van.

English...

SANSZ– The Love of the Four Legged Help Foundation was established in 2007 with the aim to help the social integration, skill development and healing of disabled and sick people and students during animal assisted therapy.

Our goal is beside to keep sessions with therapy dog that we can provide sporting opportunities for handicapped people with their helping dogs. Currently we have 27 certified therapy dogs with dual titles. From this 27 dogs 3 dogs are owned by the foundation.



THERAPY DOG TRAINING—HUNGARIAN METHODOLOGY (CONT'D)

A 27 vizsgázott párosból az Alapítvány tulajdona 3 kutya. Az Alapítvány önkéntesei több területen végeznek állat-asszisztált terápiát szociális-, egészségügyi-, oktatási-, büntetés végrehajtási Intézményekben. Törekszünk arra, hogy minden évben részt vegyünk szakmai etológiai táborban, ahol az állatok folyamatos képzése és szinten tartása, továbbá a kiképzőik etológiai szakmai fejlesztése történik. Az önkéntesek részére módszertani, szakmai továbbképzést szervezünk.

A „SANSZ – Segít A Négylábúak Szeretete” Alapítvány rehabilitációs munkája során számos helyszínen heti rendszerességgel dolgozik, több intézménnyel áll kapcsolatban, akik saját pozitív tapasztalatuk alapján ajánlják a szolgáltatást. Évente 10-15 bemutatót tartunk a módszer (AAA, AAT, AAE) és a szolgáltatás megismertetésére, terjesztésére, elfogadtatására.

Jelenleg 4 segítő kutya átadása van folyamatban: 2 személyi segítő, 1 mozgássérült segítő, 1 terápiás.

The volunteers at the foundation perform complex animal assisted therapy in various institutions like social, health, educational and penal institutions. We try to participate in professional ethologic camps where we train our dogs and maintain their skills as well as developing our professional skills. We further organize methodological and professional training for our volunteers.

The Love of the Four Legged Help foundation works with a number of rehabilitation centers on a weekly basis, and the foundation stays in contact with many institutions, which have recommend these services based on their own positive experiences. We hold 10-15 exhibitions in each year to meet and great with people, to help them understand and promote our methods (AAA, AAT, AAE).

At the moment the transfers of 4 service dogs is in progress: 2 personal assistant dogs, 1 assistant dog for disabled person and one as a therapy dog.



THERAPY DOG TRAINING—HUNGARIAN METHODOLOGY (CONT'D)

A már kiképzett és a kiképzés alatt álló kutyák további referenciaként szolgálnak az Alapítvány munkájáról, továbbá úttörőként szolgál a későbbiekben megvalósulandó fogyatékos személyek sportolási tevékenységéhez. Távolabbi célunk, hogy a fogyatékos személyek számára paragility, K99, parafrizbee, treibball kutyás sportokat biztosítsunk. A sportolás azért is hasznos számukra, mert ezzel az egészségi és mentális állapotuk is javul, a kutya és gazda jó kapcsolata biztosan megtartható, továbbá megoldott a vizsgázott segítőkutyák utókövetés is.

Számos segítőkutya kiképző szervezet működik országszerte, ahol vizsgázott párosok sportolási lehetőségei eléggé korlátozva vannak, szeretnénk értük is tenni.

Segítőkutyák választása és vizsgáztatás

A „SANSZ – Segít A Négylábúak SZeretete” Alapítvány a segítő kutyáit több területről szerzi be. Van olyan segítőkutyánk, akit adott célra menhelyről választottunk és van olyan kutyánk, akit adott tenyészetből, adott párosításból.



The trained dogs and those which are currently being trained are a testament to the pioneering work performed by the foundation for those suffering with disabilities, but mostly serve as a pioneers in assisting those with disabilities in performing sport activities. Our future goal is to provide paragility, obedience, Frisbee dog, and fly ball dog sports for disabled people. Physical exercises are beneficial for disabled people to improve their mental and physical health condition and it also helps maintain the good relationship between the dog and the owner, moreover the follow-up of the certified service dogs can be solved this way.

We also assist a number of service dog training organizations that are operating across the country, where the Combos sports exam facilities are fairly limited, since we want then to do well.

Selecting and testing a service dog

SANSZ—The Love of the Four Legged Help Foundation gets their service dogs from different places. Certain dogs are from shelters for our purpose and we have dogs from professional breeders that are selected for this purpose.

THERAPY DOG TRAINING—HUNGARIAN METHODOLOGY (CONT'D)

A menhelyes programunk: önkénteskedni járunk olyan 16-18 éves antiszociális, állami gondozott fiúkkal, akik maguk is részt vesznek terápiás foglalkozásokban. Az önkéntes foglalkozás során a fiúk foglalkoznak a kutyákkal, tanítják, gondoskodnak róla. A pár alkalmas foglalkozásos végén egy habilitációs kutyakiképző segítségével kiválasztják az „alkalmasnak tűnő” kutyákat, akiket az Alapítvány letesztel. A kiválasztás után kezdődik a képzés, mely 1-1,5 évig tart. A kiképzett kutya átadása ez után történik. Az összeszokás után a páros felkészül a segítőkutya vizsgára.

Magyarországon 2009. decembere óta törvény szabályozza, a segítőkutya vizsgáztatását és alkalmazását. 27/2009. (XII. 3.) SZMM rendelet kimondja, hogy a megkülönböztető jelzéssel ellátott vizsgázott terápiás kutya munka végzés céljából beléphet bármilyen Intézményben, míg a megkülönböztető jelzéssel ellátott egyéb segítőkutya bárhová beléphet a fogyatékkal élő gazdájával.

Szamóca, a terápiás kínai meztelenkutya

Szamóca 2011. 05. 10-én tett sikeres terápiás vizsgát, melyet 2013. májusában meghosszabbítottunk. Terápiás munkáját a Pallagi úti Idősek Otthonában kezdte, ahol az idősek trükköket csináltak vele, sétáltatták, ölelgették és beszéltek hozzá. Voltak sajnos olyan idősek is, akik állapotuk miatt, leestek a lábukról, de őket is fel tudta vidítani utolsó napjaikban a saját ágyukban. Szamóca mérete és természete miatt hospice betegek utolsó időszakában is sok örömet tudna okozni. Szamóca nagyon szereti a gyerekeket és szívesen dolgozik velük, de a pszichiátriai betegekkel, nem tud igazán hatékonyan együttműködni, ami valószínűleg a fajtájának köszönhető.

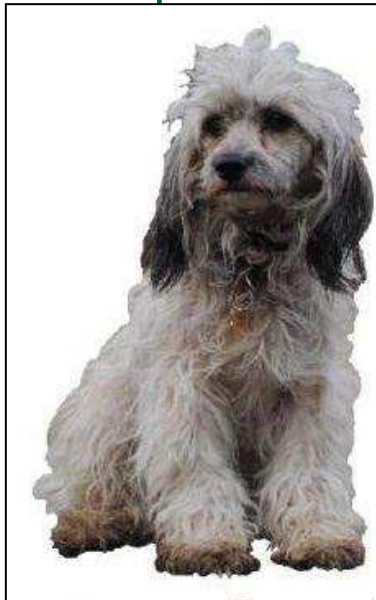
As part of our shelter program, we voluntarily bring with us and train socially challenged boys aged 16-18 who are in state care to become involved in the therapeutic professions. During the therapy work the boys train and teach the dogs and take care of them. After a few occasion with the help of a re-habilitation trainer they select those dogs which seems to be good enough and the foundation test them. After the selection has been made, the training begins, which can lasts for one to one and a half years. The dog goes to the therapist after this and after they get used to each other the pair prepare for the helper dog exam.

In Hungary a law regulates the testing and application of assistant dogs since December 2009. The 27/2009. (XII. 3.) SZMM regulation states that certified therapy dogs with distinctive mark can enter any institution for work and other assistance dogs with a distinctive mark can enter everywhere with their disabled owners.

Szamóca (Strawberries), the Chinese Crested Therapy Dog

Szamóca passed her therapy exam on May 10. 2011, which was extended in May 2013. Her therapeutic work began in Pallagi úti Nursing Home where the elderly were doing tricks with her; they took her for a walk, hugged her and talked to

her. Unfortunately there were some elder people who are bed-ridden because of their condition, but she could comfort them during their last days in their beds. Due to her size and temperament Szamóca was well suited to help patients during their period of hospice care. Szamóca loves children and enjoys working with them but she cannot work effectively with psychiatric patients probably due to her breed and size.



THErapy DOg TRAINING—HUNGARIAN METHODOLOGY (CONT'D)

Az agility sport kezdetei

A történet Birmingham-ben kezdődött 1978-ban. Akkor is, csakúgy mint manapság, a kutyakiállítások - vagy ahogy Angliában nevezik Dog Show - szerves része volt a nagyrészt látogató közönség szórakoztatása.

John Gilbertnek az volt az ötlete, hogy a kutyákat és a gazdáikat egy olyan feladat elé állítja, ami nagyon hasonlít a díjugratásra.

A leküzdendő akadályelemek adottak voltak a díjugratásból, csak át kellett őket méretezni "kutya szintre", és egy adott - best in show ring - területhez kellett rendelni.

Anglia két egymástól távoli pontján élő - akkorra már jól ismert és elismert kutyakiképző **John Gilbert** és **Peter Lewis** - , egymástól függetlenül elkezdte kidolgozni a változtatás módját. Az csak a sors kifürkészhetetlen üzenete az utókornak, hogy ez a két ember egymásra talált - talán nem véletlenül, hiszen mindketten azonos alap elképzeléssel kezelték a munkát. A gondolatuk lényege az volt, hogy miként lehet sporttá fejleszteni az agilityt. Ettől kezdve közösen dolgoztak az ügyért.

Megfogalmazták az első agility szabályzatot. Megjegyzem mindez 1980-81-ben történt és Angliában kisebb változtatásokkal még mindig ez a szabályzat az érvényes. Ezért joggal nevezhetjük **John Gilbertet** és **Peter Lewis** az agility atyjának.



The beginning of agility

The Story started in Birmingham in 1978. Even today the entertainment of the large audience was the part of the Dog Shows. John Gilbert



had the idea that he should challenge the dogs and owners to a task which was very similar to the horse show jumping course.

The items that were provided as obstacles for the dogs to overcome were given from horse show jumping equipment, they just had to sized them to "dog level" and they were given an assigned area—the Best in Show ring.

In two different parts of England there were already two well-known and respected dog trainers **John Gilbert** and **Peter Lewis** -who each independently started developing ways to modify training techniques. As fate would have it these two people found each other - perhaps not totally by coincidence since they were both working with the same basic idea, which in essence was to find ways to develop an agility type sport for those who were physically challenged. From then on they worked together for the same objectives.

They were responsible for creating the first agility rules. All this happened between 1980 and 1981. and those rules are still valid in England with only a few minor changes. Therefore **John Gilbert** and **Peter Lewis** deserve to be called the fathers of agility.

Paragility

Az alapötlet *Alt Sándortól* származik, aki 2002-ben az IMCA-val (International Mix & Breed Championship Agility) párhuzamosan hirdette meg az első ParAgility World Cup-ot. Ezért aztán "*John Gilbert* az agility atyja" analógiájára úgy gondolom, hogy helyes ha kijelentjük, hogy "*Alt Sándor* a PAWC atyja". Amikor az ötlet megfogant még nem is sejtettük, hogy mekkora fába vágtuk a fejszénket.

A kezdeti lépésekben nagy szerepet játszott *Mányik Ricsi (többszörös világbajnok)* és *Tóth Árpád* segítő munkája a speciális feladatok megoldásában.

2002-ben Gyulán valahogy el kellett indítani a sorozatot, ezért az első versenyen még nem a versenyzők sérültségi foka, hanem az agility szabályzat szerinti méretkategória szerint lettek a résztvevők besorolva.

2004-ben végre elkészült a PAWC első szabályzata.

2004-től 2009-ig magyaroké volt a bajnoki cím, ez a sorozat 2010-ben megszakadt, azóta sem sikerült dobogós helyezést elérni a magyaroknak, kivéve a 2013. évet!



Para agility

The basic idea is derived from *Alexander Alt* who in 2002 organized the first Para Agility World Cup (PAWC) in conjunction with the IMCA (International Mix & Breed Championship in Agility). Therefore if we state that John Gilbert is the father of agility it is correct to say that *Alexander Alt* is the father of PAWC. When the idea was conceived, they did not realize how challenging it would be.

In the initial steps Ricsi Mányik (multiple world champion) and Árpád Tóth had a major role in helping to solve specific tasks.

In 2002 Gyula launched the series, however in the first competition the participants were not classified according to their physical limitation or ability level but rather by the size levels as described in the agility rules.

In 2004 the first PAWC rules were completed. From 2004 to 2009, Hungarians held the agility competition titles. There was a hiatus that lasted for three years only to reclaim the podium in 2013 where they succeeded in winning the PAWC title again.

THERAPY DOG TRAINING—HUNGARIAN METHODOLOGY (CONT'D)

Ármós János a 2013. PAWC Világbajnoka

2011-ben ismerkedtem meg ezzel a sporttal. Első versenyem, mely egyben sikerem is, 2012. februárjában Országos Bajnokok lettünk. Ezt az eredményt Mogyorónak köszönhetem, akit feleségem készített fel. Már ekkor rájöttem, hogy sokat kell fejlődnöm, mert tapasztalatlanságomat a kutya korrigálta, rengeteget tanultam és tanultok tőle. Innentől kezdve jártam ki edzésekre rendszeresebben. Sajnos minden edzésen megerősítést kaptam, hogy a laza talaj, ami a kutyák és épek számára ideális, számomra akadályozó tényező. A terep miatt nem tudtam lendületesen haladni, ami rendkívül frusztrálta a kutyát és engem is.

A világbajnokságon egyre nagyobb hangsúly van a sebességen. Jövőre már biztosan nem lesz elég a győzelemhez három hibátlan futam. Ahhoz, hogy a paragility csapat technikai tudása és sebessége is fejlődjön, szükségük lenne egy számukra megfelelő terepre (lehetőleg zárt), ahol rendszeresen edzeni tudunk.

János Ármós the PAWC World Champion in 2013

I was introduced to the sport in 2011. My first competition and success was in February 2012 when we became National Champions. It is thanks to my dog Mogyoró that we were able to achieve those results, who was trained by my wife for the competition. In that time I realized that I have to improve a lot because my inexperience was corrected by the dogs and I have learnt a lot from him. From that time I started to go out to train more regularly. Unfortunately, all the training I have received only confirmed that the loose soil, which is



ideal for dogs and intact people, was hindering factor for me. I could not get the proper momentum required because of the field, which has been extremely frustrating for me and my dog.

At the World Cup there is a growing emphasis on speed. Next year there will certainly not be enough speed to win three flawless races. To develop technical skills and speed the para agility team need a proper field (preferably closed) where we can train regularly.

A jövő

Terveink között szerepel, hogy jövőre az Olaszországban megrendezésre kerülő PAWC-on is részt vehessünk, lehetőleg minél szélesebb Magyar Paragility csapattal.

Eredményünket látva a MAGISZ vezetőségi tagja, aki egyben az IMCA csapatkapitánya is volt (Boróczki Lászlóné Katika), felkérte feleségemet, hogy mentorálja a Magyar Paragility csapatot és igyekezzen megteremteni számunkra a lehetőséget a következő világbajnokságra való felkészülésre. Ehhez nélkülözhetetlen egy megfelelő burkolatú, lehetőleg fedett pálya, az ehhez szükséges akadályok egy része, már rendelkezésünkre áll. A hiányzó akadályokat támogatók útján - elsősorban pályázatokba építetten -, igyekszünk beszerezni.

Egy ilyen minőségű pálya külföldi csapatok számára is edzési lehetőséget biztosítana és a közös edzések alkalmával kölcsönösen tanulhatnánk egymástól.



For more info go to:

<https://www.facebook.com/sansz.alapitvany>

The future

Our plan is to take part the next PAWC in Italy next year with a larger Para agility Hungarian team.



Seeing our result the board member of MAGISZ who is also the team captain of IMCA (Katika Boróczki Lászlóné) invited my wife to be the mentor for the Hungarian Para Agility Team to help us prepare for the opportunity to compete at the next World Cup. For this it is indispensable that we have an indoor course with suitable flooring in order to train. Some of the necessary obstacles are available, and we try to obtain the missing obstacles primarily by announcing invitation for tender.

Such a quality course can also be a training opportunity for foreign teams, and during the

joint training sessions we can learn from each other.

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Best of Breed – 14

CH KORIDAWN N ZHEN FOREVER N BLUE JEANS TS 12004903. 06-06-12

By Ch Olegro Katrin Bristol - Wudnshu Delende W'a Wink N'a Smile For Koridawn. Bitch002E Owner: Lara Hill & Kristina Karraker & Carol Clouse, Belmont, NC 28012. Breeder: Kristina J Karraker.

Best of Opposite – 33

BISS GCH Belews Les Bons Temps Rouler TR 98360505. 08-15-10 By Ch Wickhaven He's Got Game - Ch Royal Evening Out With N'Co.

Dog. Owner: Michael & DeLisa Parker, Kernersville, NC 27284. Breeder: DeLisa Parker.

AOM Winners Bitch – 24

CLOUD NINE'S MARIBOU FEATHER TS 13317301. 06-06-12 By Ch Gemstone's Fortunate Son - Ch Cloud Nine's Total Eclipse. Owner: Wendy J Ryan DVM, Charlotte, NC 28277. Breeder: Wendy J Ryan DVM.

Winners Dog – 27

PAMMARS I GOT MAGIC IN ME TS 12969003. 10-06-12 By GCH Risin Star Diamond In The Ruff - Ch Blackthorn Mona Lisa. Owner: Susan S Giles & Pamela J Charen, Manakin-Sabot, VA 23103. Breeder: Pamela J Charen & Mr Philip M Martin.

Select Dog – 39

CH SHADOWFOX BLU TABOO OF DIVA TS 14216401. 10-06-12 By Ch Diva's Jokers Wild - Diva's Screamin Siren. Dog. Owner: Ramona Baldrige & Noelle Steed, Raleigh, NC 27606. Breeder: Noelle Steed.

Select Bitch – 48

GCH CINONDRA N GEMSTONE'S GOOD GIRLS GO TO HEAVEN CGC TR 87933402. 01-02-09 By Ch Gemstone's Wudnshu Polaris CD RAE AX AXJ OF NAP NJP CGC - Willow's Mercedes Of XO. Bitch. Owner: Susan Cicone & Richard Cicone & Judy Umeck & William Barnhouse, Raleigh, NC 276127355. Breeder: Judy Umeck & William Barnhouse.

Reserve Winners Dog and Best Puppy – 21

BELEWS JOHNNY ON THE SPOT TS 15661502. 03-18-13 By Belews Beau Tied Heart - GCH Belews Sooner Or Later CA Owner: Delisa Parker & Michael Parker, Yorktown, VA 23693. Breeder: Delisa & Michael Parker.

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Reserve Winners Bitch -30

BELEWS THAT VOODOO THAT YOU DO TS 15661505. 03-18-13 By Belews Beau Tied Heart - GCH Belews Sooner Or Later CA. Owner: DeLisa & Michael Parker, Kernersville, NC 27284. Breeder: DeLisa & Michael Parker.

Award of Merit - 18

M.T.O. N WINDCREST THIS GIRL'S ON FIRE CAPTIVA. TS 12565102. 06-26-12 By Ch Wickhaven-Mto Can'T Buy Me Love - MTO-Windcrest N Wickhaven Ive Got A Crus. Bitch. Owner: Stephanie H Fedder & Eleanor Groves, Mineral, VA 23117. Breeder: Eleanor Groves & Wes Shank & Susan Groves.

Award of Merit - 32

GCH GEMSTONE'S WUDNSHU TALLADEGA RE AX AXJ NJP NF CGC TR 43971802. 06-09-05 By Ch Willows Teflon Don Gemstone - Ch Blackthorn Wudnshu Thriller. Owner: Dick Cicone & Susan Cicone & William Barnhouse, Raleigh, NC 276127355. Breeder: William Barnhouse & Terri & Rachael Murphy.

Award of Merit - 7

GCH CRESTLINE BUMBLE ARDY TS 10067502.. 04-12-12 By Ch Holliwould Bad Boy - GCH Crestline Olive Oyl. Dog. Owner: Mercedes Vila & Patricia Buckelew & Diana Wilson & Kristy Wilson, Las Vegas, NV 89134. Breeder: Mercedes Vila & Patricia Buckelew & Diana Wilson & Kristy Wilson.

<http://www.infodog.com/RESULTS/2013559711/201355971152000.HTM>

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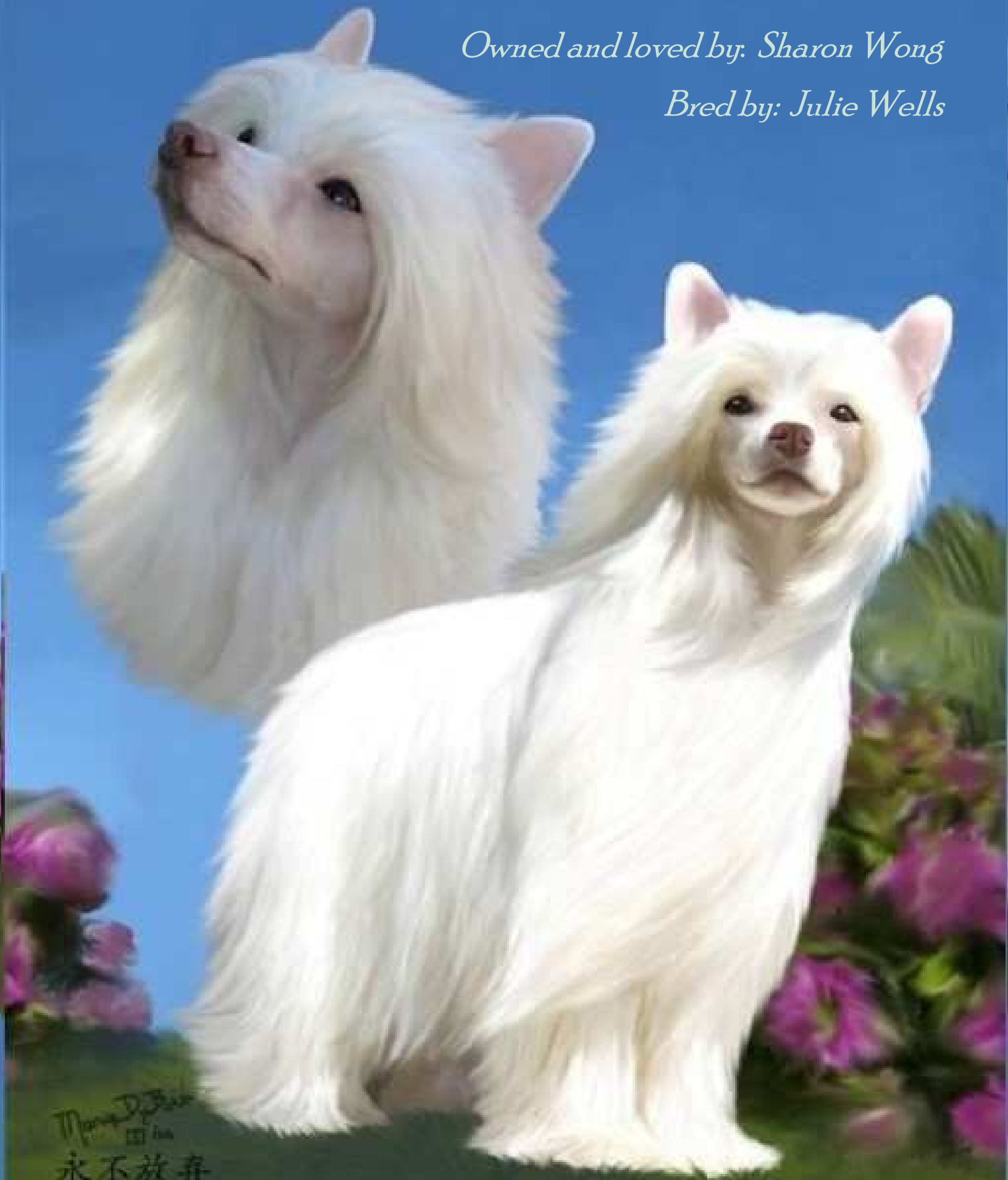
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Owned and loved by: Sharon Wong

Bred by: Julie Wells



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ANIMAL-ASSISTED ACTIVITIES / PET VISITATION

Medical studies prove that pets improve the emotional and physical well-being of humans. It's astonishing what contact with animals can do for a person's emotional and physical health. Simply watching a pet can actually lower stress levels and blood pressure.

A few References for Canadians Programs and Services.

A number of certification programs in AAA and related approaches exist in Canada.

See more at: <http://www.thenaturalconnection.ca/training/aai/aaa-vis.html>

NATIONAL

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE THERAPY DOG SERVICES

For local certification and evaluation for therapy dog handler teams in different cities across Canada, see the link for each province below.

The St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog Program is a community based service offered by St. John Ambulance Volunteers. The program started in June 1992 as a pilot program in Peterborough, Ontario and today reaches thousands of people on a regular basis throughout Canada. It was introduced to Nova Scotia in March, 1999 and to Prince Edward Island in 2000.

Much of the success of the program is directly attributed to the renowned reputation of St. John Ambulance as a charity. St. John Ambulance has been involved in community service for over 900 years, and has recently celebrated its 125th Anniversary in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. St. John Ambulance Therapy Dogs have become a familiar sight in hospitals, retirement residents, long-term and short term care facilities. These four-legged volunteers are accepted in most places where a little care and love is greatly appreciated. –

See more at: <http://sjatherapydog.ca/>

THERAPEUTIC PAWS OF CANADA

Certification available in Ontario, Quebec and Nova Scotia. Dogs/cats and their handlers must pass an evaluation.

Therapeutic Paws of Canada is a non-profit organization of volunteers providing animal resources for human needs (physical, mental, educational, motivational, socialization) through regular visits to hospitals, residences, schools, etc.

See more at: <http://tpoc.ca/>

BRITISH COLUMBIA / TERRITORIES

PACIFIC ANIMAL THERAPY SOCIETY (PATS)

Pacific Animal Therapy Society (PATS) is an animal therapy program which operates primarily on [Vancouver Island](#), British Columbia, Canada. PATS satellite offices are also in Campbell River, Parksville/Qualicum Beach, Port Alberni and Smithers.

Pets must pass a behaviour test administered by a veterinarian prior to being accepted into the program. Multi-species (dogs, cats, rabbits, birds, goats, a llama, a miniature horse, and a snake have all been successful PATS therapy animals).

Sadey Guy is the founder and current director of PATS. She retired from nursing in 1988 and started the pet therapy program on Vancouver Island. Sadey was inspired to start the program by [Toby](#) (PATS logo dog) and several of her own dogs when she saw the difference the dogs meant to the folks in the facilities who had no hope of returning to their own homes.

See more at: <http://patspets.ca/wordpress/>

ANIMAL-ASSISTED ACTIVITIES / PET VISITATION

PETS AND FRIENDS

Serving the Lower Mainland (Vancouver, West Vancouver, North Vancouver, Burnaby, Richmond, Surrey, New Westminster, Coquitlam and White Rock). Therapy animals must pass an evaluation.

Pets and Friends provides and promotes the healing comfort and companionship of animals.

Pets and Friends is a registered not-for-profit society that consists of one part-time Administrative Coordinator, an elected, volunteer Board of Directors and approximately 200 volunteer teams. Each year, our long-running (1982) and highly effective pet visitation program touches the lives of more than 15,000 people in over 200 long-term care facilities across the Lower Mainland.

See more at: <http://www.petsandfriends.org/>

ALBERTA

PET ACCESS LEAGUE SOCIETY (PALS)

Serving Calgary. Multi-species (dogs, cats, guinea pigs, rabbits, ferrets and one horse are all PALS therapy animals). Suitable animals are screened prior to being accepted.

Our Mission is to enhance, through pet visitation therapy, the quality of life of individuals in need who can benefit from the known value of the human-companion animal bond.

PALS is a non-profit, registered, charitable organization located in Calgary, Alberta, dedicated to enhancing the quality of life of individuals through pet therapy. It began under the auspices of the Calgary SPCA in 1982 and became a separate organization in 1985

See more at: <http://www.palspets.com/>

PET THERAPY SOCIETY OF NORTHERN ALBERTA

Serving Edmonton. Eligible dogs and their handlers must pass the Pet Therapy Society Pre-Screening Test, or have earned a Companion Dog (CD) obedience title, Canine Good Neighbour (Canada), or Canine Good Citizen (USA) title from the Canadian Kennel Club, American Kennel Club, or United Kennel Club.

See more at: <https://www.facebook.com/PetTherapySociety>

ONTARIO

CARING CANINE

Serving the greater Toronto area. Dogs and their handlers must pass an evaluation. [Caring Canine is a non-profit organization run entirely by volunteers, and funded with volunteers' membership fees and community donations. They offer free animal assisted therapy \(AAT\) and animal assisted activity \(AAA\) \(also called pet therapy or dog therapy\) to the Toronto communities.](#)

Their *Professor Dogs* (therapy dogs) read with students/children with various needs or challenges to promote healthy self-concept, literacy, empathy, and/or social skills. *Doctor Dogs* spend quality one-on-one time with residents in long-term care facilities, patients, and their families. They collaborate with community partners (e.g. schools, etc.) and also run programs of our own.

See more at: <http://www.dgp.toronto.edu/~irene/td/index.html>

EAST CENTRAL THERAPY DOGS

Serving Peterborough, Minden and Haliburton. Dogs and their handlers must be tested prior to joining. The ECTD goal is to provide the unconditional love of a dog, wherever it is needed.

See more at: <http://www.ectd.ca/>

ANIMAL-ASSISTED ACTIVITIES / PET VISITATION

OTTAWA THERAPY DOGS, INC.

Serving the Ottawa area. Ottawa Therapy Dogs is a volunteer-based, not-for-profit organization that provides animal-assisted therapy throughout the National Capital Region. Each year, more than 1,000 people benefit from our therapy dog programs and services.

Dogs and their handlers must pass an OTDI evaluation.

See more at: <http://www.ottawatherapydogs.ca/>

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE THERAPY DOGS, TORONTO

Local certification and evaluation for the Greater Toronto area.

See more at: <https://www.facebook.com/StJohnAmbulanceTherapyDogs>

QUEBEC

ZOOTHÉRAPIE QUÉBEC

Training program for Pet Therapy.

Zoothérapie Québec a pour mission de **développer, promouvoir et offrir** des programmes et services de zoothérapie qui utilisent le chien pour contribuer à l'amélioration de la santé et de la qualité de vie des personnes de tous âges et de toute condition.

English: Zoothérapie Québec has for mission to develop, promote and offer programs and services of Animal Assisted Therapy using dogs to contribute to the improvement of health and quality of live for people of all ages and status.

See more at: <http://zoothérapiequebec.ca/>

MARITIMES

Though the St. John Ambulance Services

See more at: <http://sjatherapydog.ca/>

USA

WASHINGTON

Pet Partners

Pet Partners' therapy animal program trains volunteers and evaluates volunteers with their pets so they can visit patients/clients in hospitals, nursing homes, hospice and physical therapy centers, schools, libraries and many other facilities.

Pet Partners provides resources for health-care, educational and other professionals so they can learn how to safely and effectively incorporate therapy animals into their practices.

See more at: <http://www.petpartners.org/>

CENTRAL POINT, OREGON

DOGS FOR THE DEAF

Hearing dogs, Autism Assistance Dogs

Dogs for the Deaf strives to be known throughout North America for rescuing and training dogs to assist people with hearing loss, autism, and other challenges. Every dog has value, and all people should have the opportunity to feel safe and independent regardless of their physical or sensory challenges. To that end, each dog that comes to Dogs for the Deaf meets basic characteristics needed for helping people with a variety of needs.

See more at: <http://www.dogsforthe deaf.org/>

LET'S TALK ABOUT THERAPY DOGS

A great deal of research has suggested that interactions with therapy dogs can temporarily affect the release of various neurotransmitters in the brain; oxytocin (a chemical heavily linked with bonding) and dopamine (a chemical associated with reward and motivation) levels are increased, while lowering cortisol levels (an immunosuppressant associated with stress).



Dogs are miracles with paws.
Attributed to Susan Ariel Rainbow Kennedy

UPCOMING CONFORMATION EVENTS – SPECIALTIES

A new Specialty Show has been scheduled for the Chinese Crested Dog.

[# 2014618902]

Chinese Crested Club of Greater Los Angeles

(S/O/JSHW/SWPC) on Saturday 4/19/2014

City: City of Industry, CA

Superintendent: Jack Bradshaw Dog Shows

AKC Link: [http://www.akc.org/events/search/index_results.cfm?](http://www.akc.org/events/search/index_results.cfm?ac-)

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Infodog Link: Not yet listed.

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