

# CHI-CHATTER

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GCHB DESTINY'S MAXIME YOU ARE THE GREATEST

OWNED & HANDLED EXCLUSIVELY BY CHRISTY WREN-SMITH

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Finished in the TOP 20 Breed Standings after only coming out October 1st, 2020



12/11/2020

Chihuahua Club of America Regional Specialty

Judge Robert Hutton

Best of Variety Long Coat

*Who's Chihuahuas*

Owner: Heather A. Bondra • Breeder: Susan Sparkman • Handler: Christy Collins  
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## CHI-CHATTER

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**Notice:** Letters to the Editor will not be printed in the Chi-Chatter; the membership is welcome to address their concerns to the Board.

## ON THE COVER

GCHB Destiny's Maxime You Are The Greatest  
Bred by Lynn Brady

Max is a lovely dog with a fantastic temperament. He is CHIC certified and Embark cleared. Thus far he has placed BOV 34 times and BOS 14.

In 2017 he ranked #22 breed and #19 GCH points; 2018 #28 in GCH points.

This little man was invited to NOHS finals in both 2017 & 2018 finishing #6 then #8 by taking several NOHS Groups.





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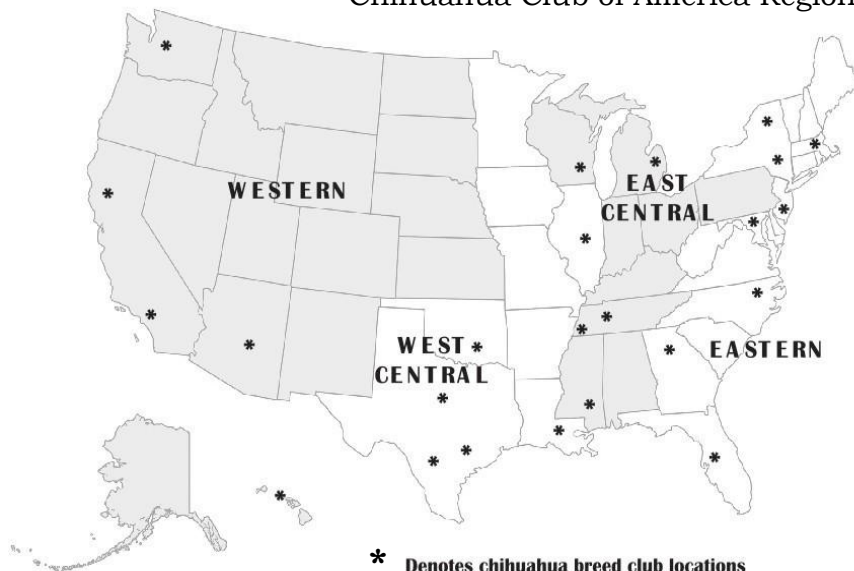
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## From the President



I hope everyone is surviving the Winter. As I write this, Texas is covered in snow and a deep freeze has hit our nation. Our little dogs aren't all that happy with the cold weather but I am enjoying seeing the videos of these little ones running through the snow on my FB feed. Shows are opening up so I see many of you are making plans to travel. Please remember, safety first and best of luck.

As this Covid 19 still has it's grip on what we can do, I'm happy to see our Specialty Clubs continue to put on their shows when possible. I want to thank everyone for supporting these clubs through trophy donations and attendance. Coming together for the sake of our breed is more than gratifying to witness.

Your CCA BOD and Committees are hard at work. Plans for the 2021 National Specialty are in the works. Keep informed of happenings on the CCA Members FB Group. Volunteer when you can. This is your club. We need you.

Stay Healthy and Happy,

*Jenny Hauber*

Virginia (Jenny) Hauber, CCA President

## Editor's Pen

I ask that everyone, please, understand the extremely late Chi Chatter(s) is a result of the times we are currently living in, courtesy of the c-word. Covid continues to cause long delays and ravage the postal workforce. According to our government powers-that-be: "There is no end in sight".

"You've got mail." Somewhere. Probably.

I have made sure that every issue of the Chi Chatter is available on the club's website in the members section. As soon as issues are completed, I upload it to the website so everyone has instant access to it. Having trouble logging into your CCA account? No problem! Email me at [SouthDixieChis@att.net](mailto:SouthDixieChis@att.net) and I will fix it for you.

Hope y'all enjoy the 2021 Winter Issue! (when it shows up!)

May all your ribbons be blue or better!

*Michele Misurelli-Gillis*

Michele Misurelli-Gillis, Chi Chatter Editor & East Region VP





## CCA MINUTES & REPORTS

### Meeting of the Officers and Board of the Chihuahua Club of America

August 4, 2020

#### Meeting Minutes

Meeting Called to Order by President Lauren Payne at 7:00pm Central time.

Motion to Record the meeting made by Lynnne Bunten, seconded by Grace Sette. Approved unanimously.

Meeting Recording started at 7:02 pm Central Time.

Lynnne Bunten made a Motion to accept the minutes of the July meeting as published/corrected, seconded by Grace Sette. Passed unanimously.

**Secretary's report:** AKC correspondence forwarded, ACE Award nominations, virtual dog show, guidelines.

#### Treasurer's Report

\$630 donations for trophies  
for Orlando  
\$135 membership fees  
\$50 BOB Plaques  
\$42.90 handbook sales  
\$188.95 chi chatter  
subscriptions  
\$1,068.95 ads for Chi Chatter  
\$300 Top Twenty  
Total income \$2,226.85

#### Expenses:

\$27.36 Pay PAL charges  
\$551.73 Bear and Associates  
Total Expenses \$ 579.09  
Net Income \$1,647.76

#### CCA Accounts

\$ 12,659.61 checking  
\$ 17,690.99 smaller Ameriprise account as of June  
\$ 52,472.45 larger Ameriprise account as of June  
\$ 70,163.44 in Ameriprise as of June

#### WEB Committee Report August 2020

We have made additional improvements to the Web site. The store has been reorganized and the ability to donate to the CCA

fund of your choice has been added (whether health, juniors, general fund, trophies etc.).

We did encounter a critical error when testing a plug-in program to accommodate the request of offering gift subscriptions to the Chi Chatter which did cause our site to be down for 24 hours. Additional expertise was required to repair the conflict which the committee absorbed personally. The ability to order gift subscriptions is currently on the web site offering the option to gift a subscription by selecting different billing and shipping addresses. All new members have been added to the members only section of the CCA website.

Respectfully submitted by:

Marcy Blank, Web Committee Chair

#### West Central VP report Willo Barfield.

Willo Thanks the membership for communicating their concerns with her.

Willo read 4 anonymous letters from members-

**Chi Chatter, Michele Gillis :** Mail is running extremely behind. If any member still has not received their Chi Chatter, Michele asks that member call or email her and she will mail out a copy.

**Rescue Report Lynnne Bunten :** Lynnne is receiving inquiries from the website and is able to respond to them quickly. Lynnne asks members to let her know of reputable rescues in their area of the country. Thank you to Marcy for a copy of the most recent Roster.

#### Election Chair Report-Kathy Bornemann on behalf of

**Racheal Miller Election Chair :** Racheal Miller forwarded the Election Ballot Instructions for our review and reminds members to sign the envelope where indicated when returning their completed ballot. Racheal Miller is available if any member has a question or needs help understanding the Ballot instructions.

#### NEW BUSINESS

Discussion pertaining to the \$27.36 PayPal charges. Suggestion to add additional fee to Membership dues for those choosing to use PayPal to cover the additional PayPal charges to CCA. Discussion about the Not For Profit document of Determination from the IRS has been applied for.

Willo Barfield requests the CCA club business be placed in the front of the Chi Chatter magazine.

**2019 Top Dogs Recognition:** Grace Sette says in the fall edition of the Chi Chatter, it is ok to accept ads from anyone, it is not strictly for the 2019 recognition dogs. Grace says she has 26 people indicating interest.

**Canine Health Foundation balance:** Lauren Payne explains, this is an organization research site; people donate money and pick a breed and CHF manages the funds. Every year, the CCA Health committee reviews the research that is going on and we must contribute 5% of our Breed funds to a specific study. If we do not designate a study, the AKC will choose one for us.





## MISSION STATEMENT

- TO encourage and promote quality in breeding of pure-bred Chihuahuas and if at all possible to bring their natural qualities to perfection.
- TO encourage the organization of independent local Chihuahua Specialty clubs in those localities where there are sufficient fanciers of the breed to meet the requirements of the American Kennel Club.
- TO urge members and breeders to accept the standard of the breed as approved by the American Kennel Club as the only standard of excellence by which Chihuahuas owners shall be judged.
- TO do all in its power to protect and advance the interests of the breed and to encourage sportsman- like competition at dog shows and trials.
- TO conduct Sanctioned Matches, Specialty Shows, and Obedience Trials under the rules of the American Kennel Club.
- TO promote the qualities of The Chihuahua breed to the members and general public through publications, educational seminars,



## Chihuahua Club of Greater Milwaukee Heidi Chiappetta CCGM Secretary

The Chihuahua Club of Greater Milwaukee will be holding our Specialty shows on Friday July 30, 2021. The Waukesha KC all breed shows will be held on Saturday July 31 and Sunday August 1. Just a short drive away are the Burlington Kennel Club shows, Monday August 2 and Tuesday August 3 in nearby Elkhorn, WI. Our judges for the Specialties include Mr. John Ioia for the first show and Mr. Richard Powell for the second show. Our Sweepstakes judge is Mr. Jeff Crouse. Junior Showmanship and National Owner Handler Series will be offered as well during both specialties.

The Chihuahua Club of Greater Milwaukee will hold our annual meeting on Friday July 30 as well. A light lunch will be offered between shows. This is a great time to support Chihuahua Specialty shows.

Please plan on coming to Waukesha next summer. Please note that we need your support and entries to be able to continue holding specialties. Judging is inside and air conditioned with ample room for set up and crating. There is also plenty of room for RVs, hookups and a dump station are available. Please join us in 2021!

## Chihuahua Club of Greater Phoenix

The club has been closed down because of the Covid 19 virus since right after our two Specialties in February 2020. When we were released here in Arizona from quarantine we have had two membership meetings, in June and again in July, with potluck and puppy playtime at our President Michelle Herod's home in cool Prescott. During the June meeting we began making plans for our next Specialties: one in November 2020 and our spring, in Arizona, one in early March 2021. Our clubs concurrent specialty is on Saturday November 21, 2020, in conjunction with the Fiesta Dog Shows Cluster, November 19-23, 2020. We are all looking forward to these quickly approaching shows.

Beverly LaFleur  
CCGP secretary





## Southern California Chihuahua Club Report

Greetings Friends!

Last month we did not have a SCCC report, as everything out here in California seemed to be shut down. We really had little to share! *However now*, we are hopeful that things will be turning around soon, and we are beginning to get started on the early planning of our 2021 Specialty! Fingers crossed! We have many older folks in our club, so in order to keep everyone safe and healthy we have been unable to hold our regular meetings. Our member, Dale Van Camp has been sending out our newsletter faithfully each month and that has helped to keep us connected.

For the past few years Suzanne Stephens-Troung has been our wonderful show chair. This year her hands are full with her two little ones and her families business so she has had to step down. Dale Van Camp and I will attempt to fill in as best we can. We thank her for many years of service to the SCCC.

Be watching for further updates about our Specialty. We are working on an April 2021 date. We will keep you posted!!

Sincerely,  
Christie Foulk President



## MEMBER CLUB Benefits

- THE CHIHUAHUA CLUB OF AMERICA WOULD LOVE TO ADVERTISE IN YOUR SPECIALTY CATALOG.

PLEASE CONTACT OUR CCA SECRETARY RACHEAL MILLER AT [CCABODRMILLER@YAHOO.COM](mailto:CCABODRMILLER@YAHOO.COM)

- THE CHIHUAHUA CLUB OF AMERICA WILL OFFER A BOB OR BOV TROPHY PLAQUE AND A HIT PLAQUE (IF OBEDIENCE IS OFFERED AT THE LOCAL SPECIALTY) TO CCA MEMBER CLUBS FOR PRESENTATION AT THEIR SPECIALTIES. CCA REQUIRES THAT MEMBER CLUBS PUBLISH THE TROPHY PLAQUES IN THE PREMIUM LIST FOR THEIR SPECIALTY SHOW. A COPY OF THE PREMIUM LIST WILL NEED TO BE SENT TO THE CCA 'S AWARDS CHAIR KYLE POTTS [KYLEPOTTSTX@AOL.COM](mailto:KYLEPOTTSTX@AOL.COM)
- KYLE IS HAPPY TO HELP, ANSWERS ANY QUESTIONS, AND MAKE SURE YOU GET YOUR PLAQUES. FULL DETAILS ON HOW TO OBTAIN PLAQUES CAN BE FOUND AT [WWW.CHIHUAHUACLUBOFAMERICA.ORG/CCA-MEMBER-CLUBS/AWARDS-RECOGNITION](http://WWW.CHIHUAHUACLUBOFAMERICA.ORG/CCA-MEMBER-CLUBS/AWARDS-RECOGNITION).

- IF YOUR CLUB WOULD LIKE TO ADVERTISE IN THE NATIONAL SPECIALTY CATALOG, PLEASE CONTACT THE ADVERTISING CHAIR LISTED IN THE PREMIUM LIST PRIOR TO THE OCTOBER SHOW.

- THE CHI-CHATTER WILL COVER YOUR SPECIALTY SHOW! SEND RESULTS, WIN PHOTOS, CANDIDS, EDITORIALS, AND MORE CAN BE SUBMITTED BY EMAILING THE EDITOR AT [SOUTHDXIECHIS@ATT.NET](mailto:SOUTHDXIECHIS@ATT.NET)

# Membership



## CCA MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Membership Committee Members  
Belinda McCormick Chair

Tina Bregman • Kathy Hulstein • Sarah DeVilla  
Annette Waldkoetter

*Welcome*  
New Members

**YOUR  
MEMBERSHIP  
MATTERS**

## New Pending Membership Applications

### STEPHANIE LUCAS

Sponsors:  
1) Michelle Herod  
2) Donna Jensen

### Nancy Muller

Sponsors :  
1) Jennifer Kable  
2) Jean Pratt

### Dawn Peachey

Sponsors:  
1) Jolie Chandler  
2) Michael Dunnington

### Kelley Witter

Sponsors:  
1) Sponsors. Lynn Hurd  
2) Suzanne DelPriore

### Brad Gleason

Sponsors:  
1) Belinda McCormick  
2) Penny Tuominen

### Lisa and Ted Schade

1) Belinda McCormick  
2) Lisa Nave

*Come join us!*



MINA ANDERSON  
TERRY LEE ANTHON  
VIOLA BURGOS  
SYLVIA FARKAS  
DARWIN DELANEY

MYRLE HALE  
MARTHA HOOKS  
WILLIAM HOOKS  
MAX HURD  
DICK DICKERSON

JAMES LEHMAN  
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NANCY SHONBECK  
EDITH SYKES  
SHALLYEEA TRAUTWEIN

CCA Constitution ARTICLE I – Membership SECTION 1. Eligibility. Lifetime Membership – May be conferred upon members of long standing by recommendation from the Board and ratified by 2/3 vote of the membership present at the Club's spring or annual business meeting. Lifetime members have full office holding and voting privileges but do not pay dues. Lifetime membership shall not be conferred upon more than one person (or two if husband and wife) in any Club official year.





Dear Members of the Chihuahua Club of America,

The following positions on the CCA BOD are open for consideration to qualified Members:

- 1) **Treasurer**
- 2) **East Region VP- (New England) NY, NJ, DE, MD, VI, WV, NC, S.C, GA, FL,**
- 3) **Western Central Region VP-TX, OK, AR, LA, MO, IL, MN, IA**
- 4) **Board of Director**
- 5) **Board of Director**

**All Qualified Applicants:**

1. Must be a CCA member in good standing, a citizen of the United States and a member for at least one year.
2. Club and/or committee experience is helpful.
3. A willingness to actively serve the best interests of the CCA. Candidate will be required to attend the CCA general meeting and be present and active for all CCA BOD meetings.
4. For open VP positions, eligible candidates must reside in the states under their Jurisdiction to apply.

For a complete description of each CCA BOD position: <https://chihuahuclubofamerica.org/cca-constitution-by-laws/>

All Applications along with your qualifications must be received no later than May 1st, 2021 by the Nominating Committee. Email: [HargerChis@yahoo.com](mailto:HargerChis@yahoo.com) with your interest and qualifications.

Best Regards,

*Lesley Harger*

Nominating Committee Chair



## IN MEMORANDUM Debra Ammons

MARCH 11, 1957 - DECEMBER 11, 2020

Deb and her husband Dan resided in Fletcher, North Carolina. Deb bred Chihuahuas for over 30 years under the kennel prefix "Debdans". She joined the CCA in 1993.

CCA expresses our deep sympathy to her family.



### Chihuahua Club of America



#### Looking for Volunteers

*Do you have extra time?*

*Do you have a special talent?*

*Maybe a Committee?*

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### NOTICE

#### CORRECTIONS TO THE CHI CHATTER

Correction to Top 20 section: The ad for GCH Sette's Come Il Numero Sette was inadvertently edited out of the final proof. The Top 20 ad appears in this issue.

Correction to Dallas Chihuahua Club results: CH Bornemann MRB should have a third breeder listed: Willo Barfield.





## GCHP TIMELESS STELLA BY STARLIGHT AT AERO

OWNED BY KYLE POTTS & ALLYNID "LYNNIE" BUNTEN • BRED BY KYLE POTTS

HANDLED BY LOIS DEMERS ASSISTED BY MARINA ROSE



**Please join us in Sunny Southern California!!**

**We are excited to invite you to our  
87th annual Southern California Chihuahua Club Specialty!**



**When:**

**Saturday April 24, 2021**

**Where:**

**Industry Hills Exposition Center  
1600 Temple Avenue  
City of Industry, California**

**Jack Bradshaw Superintendent**

Conformation Judge will be Keiko Shimizu  
Puppy & Sweeps Judge will be Janice McClary  
Ring Steward : Jill Hopper

This show will be Concurrent with the Conejo Kennel All Breed Club. Lake Mathews Kennel Club will also be sharing the venue this week with multiple opportunities for majors! As always we will be having a wonderful raffle as well as silent auction items. A light lunch buffet will be offered to our exhibitors. This venue is an open-air covered venue. We will be following all required Covid 19 safety precautions. Look for premium list online and on Facebook. Many Thanks to Royal Canin who is helping sponsor this event!!

See you there!

*PS. Don't forget your sunscreen!*

## GCH *Weestar I'll Remember You*

# Dani

From the very beginning there was that something special about Dani!! From her very first steps in the CCA puppy match to her finishing in just four shows at just seven months old on the dot! She is a once in a lifetime bitch.



She is as delightful in the show ring as she is in our grandchildren's laps! Beautiful temperament in a beautiful sound body!! She is the whole package! I want to thank her best fans, Conni Robinson and Paula Murray for always encouraging me!!

## *Weestar Chihuahuas*

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# CCA Breeder Member Education

WITH DR. CLAUDIA WALLER ORLANDI, PH.D.

## Kennel Blindness

**A**s part of the critical process of choosing a sire and dam, as well as deciding which puppies to keep, below we address the topic of kennel blindness.

*"The breeder, to be successful, must look his dogs ...not only in the face, but in the body, front and running gear. Even to themselves many breeders will not acknowledge their failure when they fall short of their objective...and in an effort to convince others of the perfection of their dogs, [they] convince...usually only themselves." Onstott*

### DEFINITION

Found in many kennels of purebred dogs, kennel blindness is a "disease" which renders a breeder incapable of seeing faults in his own dogs. Kennel blind breeders tend to twist and distort the standard to justify the dogs they breed.

### PROGNOSIS

Because serious faults can become set in a couple of generations, unless quickly diagnosed and treated, kennel blindness can be fatal to a successful breeding program.

### SYMPTOMS

**1. An inability to see and appreciate the good qualities in a competitor's dogs. Kennel blind breeders tend to focus on negative features in dogs other than their own.**

Suggestion: Re-read your breed's standard keeping in mind that most standards delineate the essential aspects of a breed, allowing breeders the freedom to express their own concepts of the non-essentials. In this way a range of excellence may be produced in a breed without sacrificing each dog's ability to fit into the standard.

**2. The belief that you have bred the "perfect" dog.**

No "perfect" dog has ever or will ever be bred in any breed. Even your best can always be improved upon.

Suggestion: Realize that your concept of what is ideal may change. Experience with a breed may gradually change the priority a breeder gives to certain features. A stickler for correct heads may gradually start emphasizing angulation and movement, realizing that the latter are also essential aspects of the breed.

**3. Blaming the fact that your dog is not winning on bad judging, politics, or anything except the possibility that there may be something wrong with your dog.**

Kennel blind people always have an excuse for why their dog didn't win. While some of their reasoning may be legitimate, consistently losing under a variety of judges usually means a dog does not fit the standard in one or more important aspects.

Suggestion: If your dog is not winning, ask several knowledgeable people to evaluate your dog. Tell them to be honest and listen with an open mind.



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### RISK FACTORS

Kennel blindness is more apt to be a problem for the following:

- **Breeders who do not have an 'eye' for a dog.**

Some breeders are simply not born with an 'eye' for a dog. Despite having read and studied their breed's standard, they are incapable of correctly evaluating structure and movement.

- **Novice breeders who are strongly affected by a dog's temperament and personality.**

Many kennel blind people think all puppies are cute. These owners usually decide to breed their dog, not to improve the breed, but because they love his personality and want more puppies just like hi



- **Breeders who have produced quality animals in the past but are now struggling to stay on top.**

Many successful breeders who have had past super stars are usually looking for their next big winner. They may be more prone to over-looking faults in their animals.

- **Breeders working with small numbers of dogs.**

Because small breeders have less to choose from, they may not want to open their eyes to problems in their breeding program.

- **Breeders whose every waking moment revolves around dogs.**

Making dogs a "live or die" situation can affect objectivity.

## CHARACTERISTICS OF PEOPLE WHO ARE NOT KENNEL BLIND

They are truly objective and rarely satisfied with their own dogs, criticizing them more harshly than others would.

Regardless of time and effort already spent, they are ready to remove from their program dogs that do not pan out, even to the point of starting over with new foundation stock.

They have an 'eye' for a dog and can appreciate a beautiful one regardless of who bred or owns it.

## TIPS FOR CURING KENNEL BLINDNESS

If caught in time, kennel blindness can be cured before it has a lasting, detrimental effect on your breeding program. Following are some tips:

- **Avoid over-emphasizing a certain feature in your breeding program to the detriment of overall correctness.**

One breeder may be a stickler for fronts and another for toplines. The danger here is that by focusing on just one feature we can become "blind" to other faults that may be creeping into the breeding program.

- **To assess your kennel blindness level, ask someone whose opinion you respect to objectively evaluate your dogs.**

Some of the best people to ask are knowledgeable breeders who are not kennel blind themselves. Be sure this person really understands the standard and request that they honestly critique the virtues and faults in your dogs. Ask more than one qualified person and compare their evaluations with your own.

If you are falling short of your objectives, it is most important to admit it to yourself. As difficult as it is to admit failure, the realization that our dogs do not possess certain virtues can be the first step in devising a plan to obtain what we really want.

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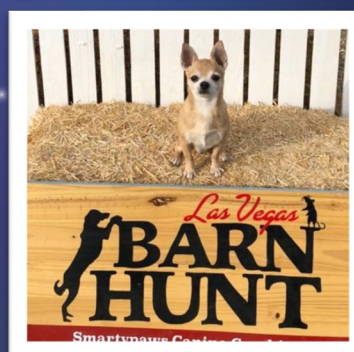
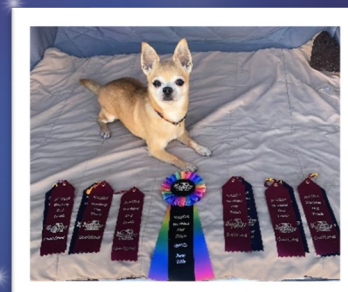
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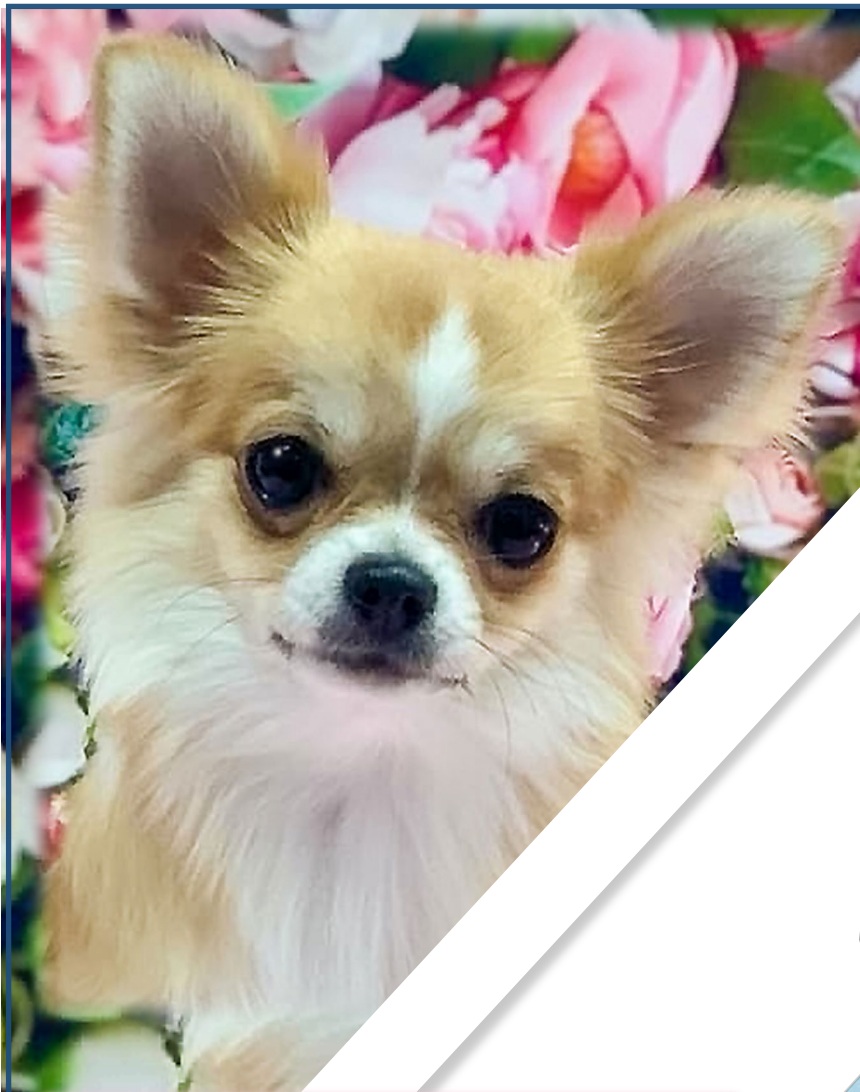
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## CCA Health Committee News

By Dr. Anne Vargo, DVM CHPV

Chihuahua Club of America Health Committee Chair

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I frequently get asked about vaccinations from both puppy owners and breeders. I know that vaccinations are a hot button issue and these are my personal and professional vaccination recommendations with the hope to provide education. My goal is to help further educate breeders to give their puppies a head start on appropriate vaccinations, as well as breeders to encourage new puppy owners to continue their vaccinations for preventable diseases as they go to their new homes and start venturing out into the world. I have had Chihuahuas for nearly 18 years, other breeds for even longer, and all have been vaccinated regularly, even those with well-maintained chronic conditions such as a heart murmur and arthritis, and with proper precautions, even my Chihuahua that has vaccine reactions. Vaccine waivers are considered on a case-by-case basis based on medical need. As always, consult your veterinarian with specific questions and individual cases you have questions or concerns about. I follow the American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA) vaccine protocol recommendations since they are an industry standard.

### WHAT ARE AAHA VACCINE GUIDELINES?

Developed by experts in the profession, AAHA guidelines provide cutting-edge information and frequent updates that help veterinary professionals face the demands of a continually shifting industry to ensure pets receive the best possible care.

- The American Animal Hospital Association was established in 1933 and helps set the standard of veterinary excellence.

## Understanding

## Vaccines

- They develop evidence-based protocols for cats and dogs followed by formal external peer review with the goal of providing the most current and non-biased information.
- Expert opinion provided by the AAHA Canine Vaccination Guidelines Task Force includes individuals with extensive experience in primary care practice, academia, shelter medicine, public health, and veterinary law related to clinical practice.

### SPECIAL NOTES TO CONSIDER

- Serious vaccine reactions are rare. The risk of contracting a dangerous disease by not vaccinating a dog outweighs the potential for vaccination side effects. Still, seek veterinary attention if your dog begins vomiting and scratching, develops hives, facial swelling, or has difficulty breathing within a few hours of being vaccinated. Long-term side effects, like behavioral changes, immune-mediated diseases, and other complex conditions, have not been formally linked to vaccinations. Studies continue on this topic.
- Separating out vaccines is recommended. The more vaccines given at one time, the more likely for a vaccine reaction.
- No vaccines should be given closer than every 2 weeks, allowing for the immune system proper time to respond. Similarly, vaccine series should be re-started if more than 6 weeks has lapsed since the initial vaccination.
- An animal can be 'premedicated' prior to vaccination to lessen or eliminate adverse reactions.
- You and your veterinarian should be reporting any adverse reactions to the manufacturing company.
- I do NOT advocate for half-dose vaccines.

*This chart is based on starting vaccines as a puppy and has been modified from the AAHA Vaccine Guidelines to be user friendly*

<b>Bordetella +/- Parainfluenza, Adenovirus</b>  <b>**Intranasal vaccines</b> are preferred and may be combined with parainfluenza and adenovirus-2 vaccine	-A single intranasal dose is indicated for dogs at risk of exposure and is generally administered between 8 and 16 weeks of age. -The intranasal vaccine may be administered as early as 3 to 4 weeks of age in puppies at risk of exposure to infected dogs.	-Where risk of exposure is sustained, administer a single dose 1 year following the last dose administered, then annually thereafter. -There is no known value in administering the intranasal vaccine every 6 months.	-Onset of protective immunity has been shown to be as early as 48 to 72 hr following a single intranasal inoculation. -Maternally derived antibody does not interfere with the immune response following mucosal vaccination. -Unvaccinated, young dogs <6 months of age appear to be at greater risk for complications from infection and may be considered a priority for vaccination if there is a clear risk for exposure.
<b>Influenza</b>  <b>**Canine Bivalent Influenza Virus-H3N8 and H3N2 preferred</b>	-Initial dose may be administered to dogs 6 to 8 weeks of age or older, followed by a booster 2 to 4 weeks apart.	-Where risk of exposure is sustained, administer a single dose within 1 year following completion of the initial series, then every year thereafter.	-Vaccination is recommended in dogs being housed in boarding kennels, day-care facilities, frequenting dog parks, and dog shows. -Begin initial vaccination series 4 weeks prior to interaction with large numbers of dogs.
<b>Lyme</b>  Borrelia burgdorferi	-Initial dose may be administered to dogs 8 to 9 weeks of age or older, followed by a booster 2 to 4 weeks apart (as labeled).	-Where risk of exposure is sustained, administer a single dose 1 year following completion of the initial 2-dose series, then annually thereafter.	-Dogs traveling into Lyme-disease-endemic areas may be at increased risk for exposure and infection. -Begin initial vaccination series 4 weeks prior to travel or expected tick exposure. <i>-Note: Appropriately administered topical or oral tick preventive is expected to significantly reduce risk of infection and helps prevent other tick borne diseases.</i>
<b>Rattlesnake</b>  Crotalus atrox (Western Diamondback Rattlesnake)	-Dosing requirements and frequency of administration vary among dogs depending on body weight and exposure risk. Follow the manufacturer's recommendations.		-The vaccine should only be administered to dogs with a defined risk for exposure.
<b>Canine coronavirus</b>	-Not recommended.		-This vaccine should not be administered under the premise that it will either limit or prevent COVID-19 in a pet.

- I DO give full doses to all of my own personal dogs and patients regardless of size.
- Vaccines are not medication doses. Vaccine requirement is determined by the amount of antigen needed to turn the immune system on.
- Giving partial doses of vaccines increases the likelihood of vaccine failure. The same small dogs/puppies that people worry about vaccinating have limited reserves and can make it riskier if they were to contract a potentially fatal disease like parvo.
- Get a rabies vaccine for your dog- it's the law. Rabies is a fatal and preventable disease that can be spread to humans by contact with saliva, so it's mandatory in all 50 US states. Learn the specifics about the rabies laws in your state at [rabiesaware.org](http://rabiesaware.org).
- You can perform antibody titers for rabies, but most states legally do not accept this in place of proof of a rabies vaccination, especially in human bite cases.
- There are "core" and "noncore" vaccines. Vaccinations are designated as either core, meaning they are recommended for every dog, or noncore, which means they are recommended for dogs at risk for contracting a specific disease.

- Vaccine plans are individualized and vaccine requirements are dependent on your dog's lifestyle, environment, and travel. Your veterinarian may reclassify a "noncore" vaccine as "core" depending on your dog's age, lifestyle, and where you live.
- Titers, or quantitative antibody testing, can help determine your dog's protection from some diseases. Titer testing can be useful when a dog's vaccination history for distemper, adenovirus, and parvovirus is unknown- a positive result typically means he is considered protected. However, no test is 100% accurate, so in areas where these diseases are high, your veterinarian may still recommend vaccinating.
- In most States, a veterinarian does NOT have discretion to waive rabies vaccination in patients with an existing or prior health disorder.
- Antibody testing for the purposes of determining protection from infection is valid only for canine distemper virus, canine parvovirus, and canine adenovirus.
- In general, don't vaccinate pregnant dogs. Proper Vaccine storage and safe handling:
- Refrigerated vaccines should be stored at temperatures between 36° F and 46° F (ideally 40° F). For specific, detailed



storage and handling protocols for individual vaccines always refer to the manufacturers' product information and package inserts, or contact the manufacturer directly. While exposure to any inappropriate conditions can affect the potency of refrigerated vaccines, a single exposure to freezing temperatures (32° F or colder) will destroy some.

- Do not store any vaccine in a dormitory-style or bar-style combined refrigerator/freezer unit under any circumstances. These units have been shown to pose a significant risk of freezing vaccines, even when used for temporary storage.
- A single-dose vial contains ONE dose and should be used ONE time for ONE patient.
- The Center for Disease Control (CDC) recommends drawing up vaccines only at the time of administration. Once vaccines are inside syringes, it is difficult to tell them apart, which can lead to administration errors.
- Contamination and growth of microorganisms can occur in syringes with pre-drawn vaccine that does not contain a preservative. In addition, vaccine components may interact with polymers in a plastic syringe over time, potentially reducing vaccine potency.

### **REASONS VACCINES CAN 'FAIL'**

Failure to immunize maternal antibody interference; administration of vaccine at a volume and/or dose less than that prescribed by the manufacturer; "non-responder"; inactivation of vaccine antigen (allowing reconstituted infectious vaccine to stand at room temperature for > 2 hours), mixing of incompatible vaccines in the same syringe. Improper handling and administration.

A revision of the entire AAHA Canine Vaccination Guidelines is presented in an online format at: [aaha.org/CanineVaccinationGuidelines.PreventableDiseases](http://aaha.org/CanineVaccinationGuidelines.PreventableDiseases) (A Brief recap):

### **RABIES**

Rabies virus is a deadly disease that attacks the nervous system. The virus is secreted in saliva and is usually transmitted to people and animals by a bite from an infected animal.. Once the rabies virus enters the body, it travels along the nerves to the brain. Animals with rabies may show a variety of signs, including fearfulness, aggression, excessive drooling, difficulty swallowing, staggering, paralysis and seizures. Aggressive behavior is common. Once the outward signs of the disease appear, rabies is nearly always fatal.

### **CANINE DISTEMPER**

A contagious and serious virus that is often fatal. Puppies and dogs most often become infected through airborne exposure (through sneezing or coughing) to the virus from an infected dog or wild animal. The virus can also be transmitted

by shared food and water bowls and equipment, and mother dogs can pass the virus through the placenta to their puppies.

It attacks the respiratory, gastrointestinal, and nervous systems and signs include ocular and nasal discharge, fever, coughing, lethargy, reduced appetite, and vomiting. As the virus attacks the nervous system, infected dogs develop circling behavior, head tilt, muscle twitches, seizures, and partial or complete paralysis. The virus may also cause the footpads to thicken.

### **CANINE ADENOVIRUS/HEPATITIS**

Infectious canine hepatitis is a contagious disease of dogs with transmission through ingestion of urine, feces, or saliva of infected dogs. ○ Signs vary from a slight fever, congestion, severe depression, coagulation disorders, and death. In ~25% of recovered dogs, bilateral corneal opacity develops 7–10 days after acute signs disappear and usually resolves spontaneously.

### **PARVOVIRUS**

Canine parvovirus is a highly contagious virus that can affect all dogs, but unvaccinated dogs and puppies younger than four months old are the most at risk. The virus is spread by direct dog-to-dog contact and contact with contaminated feces, environments, or people. The virus can also contaminate kennel surfaces, food and water bowls, collars and leashes, and the hands and clothing of people who handle infected dogs. It is resistant to heat, cold, humidity, and drying, and can survive in the environment for long periods of time. ○ Signs include lethargy; loss of appetite; abdominal pain and bloating; fever hypothermia; vomiting; and severe, often bloody, diarrhea. Persistent vomiting and diarrhea can cause rapid dehydration, and damage to the intestines and immune system can cause septic shock. Most deaths from parvovirus occur within 48 to 72 hours following the onset of clinical signs. Vaccination and good hygiene are critical components of prevention.

### **LEPTOSPIROSIS**

Leptospirosis is a disease caused by infection with *Leptospira* bacteria, various strains. These bacteria can be found worldwide in soil and water. Common risk factors include exposure to or drinking from rivers, lakes, or streams; roaming on rural properties (exposure to potentially infected wildlife, farm animals, or water sources), and contact with rodents or other dogs. Bite wounds or breeding can also transmit leptospirosis as well as transplacental.

Leptospirosis is a zoonotic disease, which means it can be spread from animals to people. Infection in people can cause flu-like symptoms and can cause liver or kidney disease. ○ The signs of leptospirosis in dogs vary. Some do not show any signs of illness, some have a mild and transient illness, while others develop severe illness and death. Signs may include fever, shivering, muscle tenderness, increased thirst, changes

in the frequency or amount of urination, dehydration, vomiting, diarrhea, loss of appetite, lethargy, jaundice (yellowing of the skin and mucous membranes), swollen legs, or painful inflammation within the eyes. The disease can cause kidney failure with or without liver failure, and severe lung disease. Leptospirosis can cause bleeding disorders; nosebleeds; and pinpoint red spots (which may be visible on the gums and other mucous membranes or on light-colored skin).

### **INFECTIOUS TRACHEOBRONCHITIS (KENNEL COUGH)**

Canine Infectious Respiratory Disease Complex (CIRDC), also known as infectious tracheobronchitis or canine kennel cough, is commonly seen where dogs are in close contact with each other and is a highly contagious multifactorial disease characterized by acute or chronic inflammation of the trachea and bronchial airways.

Canine respiratory coronavirus and canine pneumovirus have also been implicated in CIRDC. ○ Signs include harsh dry coughing fits, retching and gagging, fever, nasal discharge, anorexia, and progression to bronchopneumonia possible.

### **CANINE INFLUENZA**

Canine influenza, dog flu, is highly contagious and easily spread from infected dogs to other dogs by direct contact, nasal secretions (through barking, coughing or sneezing), contaminated objects (kennel surfaces, food and water bowls, collars and leashes), and by people moving between infected and uninfected dogs. ○ The symptoms of a CIV infection resemble those of canine infectious tracheobronchitis ("kennel cough"). Dogs infected with CIV develop a persistent cough and may develop a thick nasal discharge and fever (often 104-105 °F). Other signs can include lethargy, eye discharge and reduced appetite. Canine influenza infections can cause mild to severe illness in dogs including pneumonia.

### **LYME DISEASE**

Lyme disease (Lyme borreliosis) is an illness that affects both animals and humans and is the most commonly reported vector-borne illness in the United States. It is transmitted through tick bites (Deer tick) and the disease can be difficult to detect, causing serious and recurring health problems. Deer ticks are found in forests or grassy, wooded, marshy areas near rivers, lakes or oceans.

Lyme disease is a reportable disease.

People with pets should use reliable tick-prevention products, consider lyme vaccination, and avoid tick-infested areas.

Pets infected with Lyme disease may not show any signs for 2-5 months. After that time, typical symptoms include fever, loss of appetite, lameness, joint swelling, decreased activity, and possibly kidney failure and death.

### **RATTLESNAKE VENOM**

Southern California is home to a native population of rattlesnakes (genus *Crotalus*) that can harm pets. Risk can be highest between the months of May and September in certain areas. Signs associated with rattlesnake envenomation include shock, infection, coagulopathies, and anaphylactic reactions. After vaccination, dogs are reported to experience less pain and have a reduced risk of permanent injury from rattlesnake bites. It is essential to note, however, that the vaccine does not eliminate the need to seek emergency veterinary care after the pet is bitten. Even a vaccinated dog may still go into shock and need lifesaving medical care, including an injection of antivenin to neutralize the toxicity of the venom. The vaccine also does not provide protection against venom from the Water Moccasin (Cottonmouth), Mojave Rattlesnake or Coral Snake.

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## PERFORMANCE

### *Out of the Chute...*

#### **Master Agility Championship Title**

by Joyce Gutshall

What is required to earn a Master Agility Championship? (MACH)

Earning a MACH is an impressive achievement for a Chihuahua. A breed championship shows that a Chihuahua meets the requirements of the breed standard. An agility championship demonstrates training, athletic ability, and a true partnership with its handler.

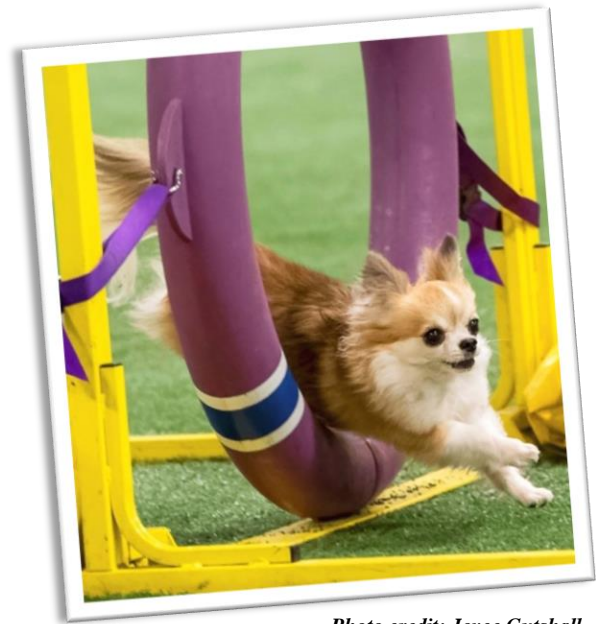
Dogs can't begin to compete in AKC agility until 15 months of age. Of course, training begins as a puppy and many people start with STAR puppy, followed by CGC and Rally Obedience. Before beginning any agility training excellent basic obedience skills must be mastered. It is generally accepted that jumping not begin until one year of age, so many Chihuahuas won't be ready to compete until they are about two years old.

Competition begins in Novice and three qualifying runs in both standard and jumpers must be earned before moving to Open. Once in Open three qualifying runs in both standard and jumpers are required in order to advance to Excellent. After three qualifying runs in both standard and jumpers in Excellent, finally Masters level is reached. As the levels increase so do the number of obstacles and the handling challenges. When competing at the Masters level a perfect score of 100 is necessary in order to qualify.

To get a MACH a dog must earn the following:

- 20 double Q's at Masters level (qualify in both standard and jumpers on the same day)
- 750 points

Double Q's at the Master's level are extremely difficult to achieve as the courses get more difficult at each level. Even so for many Chihuahuas the 750 points are more difficult to earn than the 20 double Q's.



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***Rizzo the Renowned  
#1 Ranked Preferred Chihuahua  
2020 AKCAgility Invitational***

***PACH4 Rossmoyne's Rizzo The Renowned  
MXP12 MXPC MJP14MJPB2PAX4NFP  
Owned, trained, and handled by Brenda Landis  
Bred by Joyce Gutshall***

MACH points are earned by exceeding the standard course time which is based on the length of the course. One point is earned for every second under standard course time a run time is. In the 8" Masters Division the standard course time for the standard course is 2.50 yards per second plus 5 seconds for the pause table. Jumper's standard course time is 2.30 yards per second. A fast Chihuahua can generally expect earn 8-10 points per jumpers run and 18-25 points per standard. Qualifying rates vary throughout a Chihuahua's career but most people would be fairly happy with a 50% Q rate. This is a lot of information about a very involved process. Let me try to put it in perspective. Assuming a 50% Q rate with a fast Chihuahua it would take approximately 80 days of competition (160 runs) to earn a MACH.

What is PACH?

PACH is basically the same exact thing except instead of jumping 8" those Chihuahuas only jump 4". Why would anyone think that a 6" Chihuahua should have to jump 8"? It doesn't seem responsible or fair to ask that of any Chihuahua. No other breed is expected to jump higher than its height.



The AKC website states that Chihuahuas typically have a height of 6-9". Also from the AKC website: "The following jump height divisions shall be used in all trial Regular classes: 8 Inches - For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers."

When a dog does finally earn a MACH or PACH, they are customarily permitted a "victory" lap around the course and are awarded a jump bar and a large ribbon. They will usually pose with the judge for a picture. At an upcoming trial they will bring a cake or other treat to share and fellow competitors will sign the MACH bar. I provide that MACH cake or treats for any Chihuahua bred by me who achieves this milestone. Thus far I have done this six times and I am looking forward to the seventh!

And if that accomplishment isn't enough for the achievement driven competitor, there is an even higher level yet to achieve! AGCH – Agility Grand Champion. A truly formidable goal for any Chihuahua. To earn the AGCH title, the following number of qualifying scores must be earned:



*Rizzo earning his PACH Photo credit: Joyce Gutshall*

Master Standard & Master Jumper with Weaves – 100 qualifying scores from each class

- Time 2 Beat – 75 qualifying scores
- Premier Standard and Premier JWW – 50 qualifying scores from each class
- Master Fast – 75 qualifying scores

It truly is a lifetime achievement award. These awards are a way to recognize each of the teams who have demonstrated their relationship and depth of skill over their agility career.



*The author Joyce Gutshall of Rossmoyne Chihuahuas from Pennsylvania.*

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*Above:* The 1956 Westminster Kennel Club Show  
Waiting for ring time, owner Ella Abrams of  
Teaneck, New Jersey keeps Nina Mia Vi in a jar  
to protect her from drafts.



*Above: Circa 1940* Chihuahuas on their way to a show  
in their “display case”.



*Above Circa 1930s*, more show Chihuahuas in  
a display case ready to go to the show. Even  
today we shield and protect our Chihuahuas.  
Not to this extent thou; at least not all of us!



# AKC Gazette - Chihuahuas Breed Column

“The Model Dog”  
By Virginia “Jenny” Hauber



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## The “Model” Dog

No dog shows so what are you gonna dog? Training our dogs continues but the fun of going to a dog show is on hold. We are now seeing several shows popping up! YES! But in the meantime, I found something exciting and fun to do with my little dogs.

It was years ago when I attended my first National Specialty. One of the vendors had these cute little clown-like collars so of course I bought one and put it on my dog while we watch the show. Time after time I got comments; “Bet he hates that.” “Why would you do that to your dog?” So being new to Nationals, I took the clown collar off and never put anything but show collars and leashes on them again.



*Goldie modeling the latest in winter fashion.  
Photo Credit: Jenny Hauber*

Then Goldie was born. Being a show breeder, I always placed my tiny dogs in pet home as I did not keep any dogs that I considered too small to breed. With each placement, I would think how much I would love to have a tiny one but it just wasn't practical. Twenty plus years later, Goldie was born. She had a twin sister, both so tiny and so beautiful. Perfect show quality girls but much too tiny to breed. So I decided to place one and KEEP one for myself. What a wonderful decision. This barely 3lb dog stole

my heart and has become the ruler of all the bigger dogs. Goldie is the epitome of the tiny little pet to be carried in your purse.

By the time Goldie was born, I was an established breeder known for my quality dogs. I was now secure enough and didn't need to let others tell me what I should or should not do with my dogs. I decided that I wanted to dress my little girl up and carry her around just like I'd seen in the movies.

Goldie LOVES dressing up. At first I could hardly find any little dresses to fit her but as she grew, she finally fit in the extra extra small clothes. Who knew these tiny little dresses could be so expensive! There are designer dresses with hats to match costing more than my own. I was given one of these gorgeous designer dresses but then I scanned the internet for more affordable outfits and sweaters. I found so many cute things and Goldie has her winter and summer wardrobes.

During the Holidays we are especially excited because there are so many fun doggie clothes out there now. The costumes are hilarious and everyone enjoys seeing the dogs dressed up. I get people stopping me in the stores asking about Goldie and admiring her outfit for the day. It's fun for mommy to show off her little darling!

Of course not all dogs enjoy being dressed up but when you have those special ones who do, it can be so much fun finding those perfect outfits, taking photos and having strangers admiring your beautiful little dog. Goldie loves when we get a new dress in the mail. She watches me unwrap it and then can't wait to try it on and prance around as though she were the Queen.

What a wonderful new dog world I discovered.  
Try it. You'll like it!

-Virginia (Jenny) Hauber  
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## What's in the Gene Pool?

### The founding of the breed - the Gene Pool

Let's pretend these 11 dogs are the "founders" of your breed - they are the first dogs entered into the studbook. All subsequent members of the breed are descended from these dogs only. The breed has a closed gene pool.

All of the genetic variability that will ever exist in your new breed is present in these dogs. Mutations probably won't add new, useful genetic variation because most mutations are detrimental. If the mutated gene is dominant and detrimental, it will likely be weeded out very quickly. If the mutation is recessive, it is not expressed unless an animal is homozygous for the allele by inheriting a copy from each of its parents. In the heterozygote condition, a mutated recessive allele can lurk in the genome for generations without ever causing a problem. So, unless additional "founders" are added to the population at a later date, all of the genes you will ever have to work with in your breeding program are present in these dogs.

In each of these dogs there are at least a few (and perhaps many) recessive genes that could cause genetic disorders. But these disorders will only be expressed if a dog is homozygous for the disease allele - it must have TWO copies, one from each parent. As long as the disease genes are rare in the population, very few animals will ever display the illness.

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## Can the gene pool get bigger? (No!)



Okay, starting with your 11 founder dogs, let's let them reproduce. To keep it simple, we will let them produce only identical copies of themselves - clones.

Now we have 27 dogs, all of which are exact copies of one of the founders. What has happened to the size of the gene pool?

### Nothing

You now have more dogs, and you now have more copies of the genes found in the dogs that had more offspring, like that busy gray dog with the red tongue. So, the frequency of particular alleles is different in this population than in the founders, but the number of different alleles in the population is exactly the same. (We're ignoring the possibility of a mutation for now.)



What if the dogs reproduce normally instead of producing clones? In sexual reproduction, each puppy receives one set of genes from each parent. And, each puppy receives a different mix of parental genes, so each one is a bit different. Also, each parent dog has a different number of offspring and might mate multiple times with different dogs.

So the frequency of the various alleles in the population could be very different in this new population than in the founders.

But again, even though there are now more dogs in the population, the gene pool does not get bigger.

In fact, it doesn't matter how large this breed gets - it might someday grow to thousands of dogs - but as long as the stud book is closed, the gene pool will never be larger than it was when the breed is founded.

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### Can the gene pool get smaller? (Yes!)

The gene pool of a closed breed can never get bigger. But it can get smaller.

What if dogs with black ears were less fertile, or had higher puppy mortality, or had some other biological problem? The frequency in the population of the genes causing the black ears would be reduced by natural selection - black-eared dogs would contribute fewer copies of their genes to the next generation. Eventually, by genetic drift (chance) or natural selection, the genes in black-eared dogs would become rarer and rarer and might eventually be eliminated from the population entirely.

What if breeders didn't like black ears, so all the puppies with black ears were spayed or neutered and sent to pet homes? Those alleles will become less frequent in the population, and they might be eliminated completely because of artificial selection courtesy of the breeder.

The gene pool gets smaller when genes are completely eliminated from the population. It is unlikely that a gene will be restored by chance mutation, and the only other way it can be restored is if an animal is introduced into the breeding population that carries that gene and who reproduces successfully.

In purebred dogs, when the stud book is closed, no new alleles can be introduced into the breed. The loss of an allele is permanent and reduces the heterozygosity in the genome for that gene.

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December 2020

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### CHAMPION- Long Coat

CH Bramver's Orohime	Lori Block & Bill Block	FL	Chizuru Kadowaki
CH Osiris Malkanorah	Georgia Pennarossa	ITL	Sandra Luduir Fleischman
CH Somoco Jet Propelled Independence	Ms. Jean B. Headley	AL	Jean Headley
CH Tk's Corbyn Stirs Up The East	Ms. Pamela Susan Gani	NH	Kelli Ann Heidt

### CHAMPION- Smooth Coat

CH Guichon's Having A Riot	Junko Guichon	VA	Junko Guichon
CH Mar-El-To's Cha-Cha-Cha	Ingrid Hackett-Mayer	MI	Jennifer A Dunlap-Snyder & Ryan N Snyder

### GRAND CHAMPION- Long Coat

GCH CH Familnaya Tsennot Nensi Rut	Holly Maxwell & Shea O'Connell	NC	LD Zelenkova
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### GRAND CHAMPION- Smooth Coat

GCH CH Confetti Bliss	Paula L McSwain	TX	Paula L McSwain
GCH CH Weestar I'Li Remember You	Christine L Foulk	CA	Christine L Foulk

### GRAND CHAMPION SILVER - Smooth Coat

GCHS CH Dazzles Merry Noelle	Mrs. Ramona G. Craddock	TX	Donna J Jensen
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### GRAND CHAMPION GOLD - Long Coat

GCHG CH Bolding Sir Lancelot Of Chedon	Donna Bledsoe, Ricky Bledsoe, Bevin Towell, Luke Norman	TX	Gary D. Bolding
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## PERFORMANCE:

### Rally Intermediate

Greek Goddess Athena RI	Natalie Binder	WI	
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### Rally Advanced Excellent 3

RACH Temple & Phipps' Angel Gets Her Wings	RM4 RAE3 CGC TKP Donna Brittain	TN	Karen Temple
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### Farm Dog Certified

Jazillion Smiles FDC CGC TKA	Melynda Lowe	TX	
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### Master Excellent Jumper Preferred 17

PACH5 Rossmoyne's Rizzo The Renowned	MXP14 MXPB2 MJP17 MJPS2 PAX5 OFP Brenda Lowe	TX	Mrs. Joyce B Gutshall
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### Agility FAST Excellent

Cupcake's Ob-La-Di Ob-La-Da Life Goes On	BN RN FDC AX AXJ XF BCAT CGC Bridget Kennedy	FL	Jaime Walker
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### Time 2 Beat 2

MACH Hi-Jinx Twisted On The Rocks!	BN RE MXS MJS MXF T2B2 DCAT CGCA CGCU TKN Ashley Cook	MD	
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### BCAT

GCH CH Toltec Last Call S C BCAT	Susan F Payne	FL	Susan Payne
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### Scent Work Exterior Novice

Pearl The Money Pit RN SWN	Stacie Strauss	AZ	Stacie Strauss
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### Trick Dog Intermediate

The Gold Standard SCN TKI	Mari Bailey-Villanueva & Lori Graham	TX	
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<b><u>CHAMPION- Long Coat</u></b>			
CH Avalon's Rhythm And Blues	Jean Nelson & Betty Nelson Pollock	TX	Jean Nelson & Betty Nelson Pollock
CH Blanch-O's Knockin Boots	Christy Collins	IL	John Caponetto & Debbie Mullusky Caponetto
CH Bramver's Illumination	Chizuru Kadowaki	JPN	Chizuru Kadowaki
CH Calmont's Another Rising Star	Shannalee Waller-Michalsky	ID	Sylvia Mattson
CH Chedon's Daughter Judy	Donna Bledsoe & Ricky Bledsoe	TX	Donna Bledsoe & Ricky Bledsoe
CH Dazzles Chasing Dreams With Kingsa	Mrs. Pam Gaskin	AR	Donna J Jensen
CH Destiny's Alexis Sky	Yoshiyuki Ono	WI	Lana Bowes & Kameron Simpson
CH Familnaya Tsennost Nensi Rut	Holly Maxwell & Shea O'Connell	NC	L D Zelenkova
CH Glademist Timeless Bar None	Sheryl Wineburner, Kyle E Potts, Emily Landers, Donna Bledsoe	KS	Kyle E Potts, Donna Bledsoe, Kevin Wineburner
	Jean Pratt	MO	Sheryl Wineburner
CH Jen-Jeans Eye Of The Storm	Barbara Gossett & Doreen Blank	CA	Jean Pratt
CH Jilan Kirin Gilded Lilly	Rachel K Green	CO	Barbara Gossett & Doreen Blank
CH Knockout Drosselmeyer	Cindy Williams & Angela Ferrari	NH	Patricia Lyon & Rachel K Green
CH Knockout Float Like A Butterfly			Rachel K Green
CH Sting Like A Bee			
CH Pepper's Northern Grace	Terry Dudley & Dawn Pepper	IN	Terry Dudley & Dawn Pepper
CH Pepper's Robert Of			
The North Woods	Terry Dudley & Dawn Pepper	IN	Terry Dudley & Dawn Pepper
CH Play The Game (Sandoval)	Barbara K Smith	CA	Dr. Angel Sandoval Flores
CH Schroeder's Twilight Sparkle	Donna Schroeder	MO	Donna Schroeder
CH Timeless N Flo-Davi Utah	Kyle Potts, Florence L Davis	TX	Kyle Potts Florence L Davis, David M
	David M Davis, Tracy Potts		Davis & Tracy Potts
CH White Russian Pls S Lipetskih Ozer	Laurel DeRousse & Lorri Gordon	AR	Dmitrii Kostin
<b><u>CHAMPION- Smooth Coat</u></b>			
CH Catero's Benny's Lil Beanie Bopper	Laurie Catero	OK	Laurie Catero
CH Conemara Bk's Dark Victory	Barbara K Smith & Conni M Robinson	AZ	Barbara K Smith & Conni M Robinson
CH Dazzles Faith	LINDA EVANS	TX	LINDA EVANS & Donna J Jensen
CH Don Quixote De Valle Naranco	Barbara K Smith	CA	Maria De Las Nieves Casanueva Perochena
CH Hidden Valley Itz'Za Burning			
Out Of Control	Anne M Dunn & Brenda DiClemente	TN	Brenda Diclemente
CH Lyon's Toys La Mere Gigogne	Patricia Lyon	GA	Patricia Lyon & Rachel K Green
CH Mar-El-To's Throw Me A Kiss	Jennifer A Dunlap-Snyder & Ryan N Snyder	IN	Jennifer A Dunlap-Snyder & Ryan N Snyder
CH Mataje's Blame It On Keto	Tanya C Wisler & Dr. M Wisler	TX	Tanya C Wisler & Dr. M Wisler
CH Sandy's Babes Hula Girl	Sandra Files	MI	Sandra Files & Diane Kimura-Sugiyama
CH Shinybrook Solar Beam	Terry Jo Terrell & Nancy C Shonbeck	NH	Nancy C Shonbeck
CH Vista T'Seas Mi Blonde Bombshell	Stephanie Schultes & Deborah Long	AZ	Stephanie Schultes
<b><u>GRAND CHAMPION- Long Coat</u></b>			
GCH CH Bellastaff The Candy Man Can	Gina Dattilo	IN	Gina Dattilo & Jennifer A Snyder
GCH CH Dei's Hope Abides	Ms. Josie M. Ornum	CA	Ms. Josie M. Ornum
GCH CH Gt's 24k Magic At Vista	Stephanie Schultes	AZ	Gail Massey
GCH CH Joelles Never Give Up	Lisa Nave	CA	Lisa Nave
GCH CH Loucan & Lynn Creek's			
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GCH CH Rsc Little Boy Blue	Roz Coloma-Guerrero & Sharon H Spence	CA	Sharon H Spence & Alison Gray
GCH CH Sparklchi Eskimo Joe Buttons	Heather A Bondra	MI	Susan Sparkman
GCH CH Viva Bless Your Heart	Mrs. Cecilia Bozzo & Andrew Graham	DE	Cecilia Bozzo
<b><u>GRAND CHAMPION- Smooth Coat</u></b>			
GCH CH Dazzles Texas At Heart	Ramona Craddock	TX	Donna J Jensen
GCH CH Destiny's Swinging On A Star	Deborah Johnston	CT	Lana Bowes & Kameron Simpson
GCH CH Guichon's Chain Smoker	Lois Magette & Pamela Magette	CA	Junko Guichon
GCH CH Sandy's Babes Love			
My Wesley Wow Factor	Sandra Files	MI	Sandra Files

## **GRAND CHAMPION BRONZE – Long Coat**

GCHB CH Lone Pine's E Pluribus	Heidi Elizabeth Chiappetta	IL	Craig E Eugene, Marcy Blank, Linda George
Unum D'Ouachitah			
GCHB CH Neo Fabulous Show Me The Money	Keum-Dong Han	SKR	Keum-Dong Han

## **GRAND CHAMPION SILVER – Smooth Coat**

GCHS CH Dazzles - Benaha's They Call Me The Streak	Callie Hernandez, Terry Hernandez	LA	Donna J Jensen
GCHS CH Sky's The Limit S Lipetskih Ozer	Tina Bregman	NJ	D I Kostin

## **PERFORMANCE:**

### **Rally Intermediate**

Heavenly's Lil Halo RI CGC TKN	Toni Kincaid-Ruddach	WA	
Pyper Dunbar RI CGC	Donna Dunbar	CT	
Sierrakruize's Boba Fett RILori Anne Kruger ON	Elaine Isaksen		

### **Rally Master 4**

RACH Temple & Phipps' Angel Gets Her Wings RM4 RAE2 CGC TKP	Donna Brittain	TN	Karen Temple
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### **Farm Dog Certified**

Wild Blue Beyond Bold FDC	Paige Port	VA	Rachel Shaw
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### **Open Agility**

Pristine Be Still My Wild Heart Luvn Kyfo Manor OA OAJ	Annette Janis	OK	Mr. Kyle Ralph Foster Clarence Lee
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### **Agility Excellent**

Charley Harlow AX AXJ CGC	Janet Harlow	CA	
Cupcake's Ob-La-Di Ob-La-Da Life Goes On BN RN FDC AX AXJ OF BCAT CGC BRIDGET KENNEDY FL			Jaime Walker

### **Master Century Agility MACH3**

Gonzo The Great III MXC MJC MXF	Brenda Landis	PA	Mrs. Joyce B Gutshall
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### **Master Century Agility 3 MACH8**

Rossmoyne's She's A Spicy Girl RN MXC3 MJS3 MFS TQX T2B4 TKN Gale Wise		PA	Mrs. Joyce B Gutshall
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### **Master Agility Excellent Preferred 14 PACH5**

Rossmoyne's Rizzo The Renowned MXP14 MXPB2 MJP16 MJPS2 PAX5 OFP	Brenda Landis	PA	Mrs. Joyce B Gutshall
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### **Master Agility Excellent Preferred 23 PACH6**

Rossmoyne's Toot Toot Tootsie RA MXP23 MXPB3 MJP23 MJPB3 PAX7 MFPS TQXP T2BP3 TKN	Gale Wise	PA	Mrs. Joyce B Gutshall
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### **Open Agility Jumper**

Pristine Be Still My Wild Heart Luvn Kyfo Manor NA OAJ	Annette Janis	OK	Mr. Kyle Ralph Foster & Clarence Lee
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### **Master Excellent Jumper Preferred 5**

Carazo's Archangel MX MXJ MJB MXP3 MXPB MJP5 MJPS	Nicolette Carazo & Stephen Carazo	CA	
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### **Master Excellent Jumper Preferred 16 PACH5**

Rossmoyne's Rizzo The Renowned MXP13 MXPB2 MJP16 MJPS2 PAX5 OFP	Brenda Landis	PA	Mrs. Joyce B Gutshall
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### **Master Silver Jumper Preferred**

Carazo's Archangel MX MXJ MJB MXP3 MXPB MJP5 MJPS	Nicolette Carazo & Stephen Carazo	CA	
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### **Time 2 Beat 4 MACH8**

Rossmoyne's She's A Spicy Girl RN MXG3 MJS3 MFS TQX T2B4 TKN	Gale Wise	PA	Mrs. Joyce B Gutshall
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### **BCAT**

Pooh Corner's Boquillas BCAT	Peggy Mitchell	VA	Alicelee Edgerton
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### **Agility Course Test 1**

Pooh Corner's Gotta Wear Shades RI ACT1 CGCA TKA	Ms. Jane Graham	PA	Alicelee Edgerton
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### **Scent Work Container Novice**

Angel Cakes AKA The Jackal SCN	Jill Wilson	MI	
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### Scent Work Novice

Pearl The Money Pit RN SWN	Stacie Strauss	AZ	Stacie Strauss
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### Trick Dog Intermediate

The Gold Standard SCN TKI	Mari Bailey-Villanueva & Lori Graham	TX	
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**LONG COAT BREED STANDINGS**

1. **GCHG CH Timeless Stella By Starlight At Aero**  
K Potts/A Bunten
2. **GCH CH Bramver's Orohime**  
L. Block/B Block
3. **GCH CH Familnaya Tsennost Nesi Rut**  
H Maxwell.S O'Connell
4. **GCH CH Sette's To The Moon And Back At One Love**  
T Bregman
5. **GCH CH Chedon's Stuart Little At Cabaret**  
P Krueger/D Bledsoe
6. **CH Pepper's Robert Of The North Woods**  
T Dudley/D Pepper
7. **GCHS CH Joli Reignon Just Kidding-L**  
L Magette/P Magette
8. **CH Omegas Set To Launch L**  
S Murdock9
9. **CH Lynn Creek's All Of Me**  
M Sanders/L Thompson
10. **GCH CH Bellastaff The Candy Man Can**  
G Dattilo
11. **Bann Idol's Nuclear**  
O Johnson

**SMOOTH COAT BREED STANDINGS**

1. **GCHB CH Knockout Pretty Little Liar**  
R Green
2. **GCHS CH Kirana Malkanorah**  
L Wolfson/R Maser
3. **GCHG CH Destiny's To Infinity And Beyond**  
M Cook/A Parisek/J Parisek
4. **GCH CH Destiny's Drink Till She's Pretty**  
T Stephens
5. **GCH CH Dazzles Texas At Heart**  
R Craddock
5. **GCHS CH South Dixie's A Hard Day's Night**  
M Gillis
7. **CH Bellastaff Jem A Little Sparkle From Heaven**  
G Dattilo/J Simon
  - **CH Sandy's Babes Hula Girl**  
L Montambo/S Files
9. **CHB CH Terlingua Dark Side Dazzler**  
M Dempsey
  - **CH Powder River's Hot N Juicy**  
T Stidham-Lindskov
11. **CGH CH Kingsa's Taking A Wild Chance**  
P Gaskin
  - **GCH CH Time To Take It To The Max Lavida**  
K Sunnenberg/T Dvorak/T DVORAK
12. **Mahogany's Hoosier Daddy Promenade**  
L Hughes

**LONG COAT ALL-BREED STANDINGS**

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K Potts/A Bunten
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L. Block/B Block
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P Krueger/D Bledsoe
6. **CH Pepper's Robert Of The North Woods**  
T Dudley/D Pepper
7. **GCHS CH Joli Reignon Just Kidding-L**  
L Magette/P Magette
8. **CH Omegas Set To Launch L**  
S Murdock9
9. **CH Lynn Creek's All Of Me**  
M Sanders/L Thompson
10. **GCH CH Bellastaff The Candy Man Can**  
G Dattilo
11. **Bann Idol's Nuclear**  
O Johnson

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# NOHS STATS

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## LONG COAT STANDINGS

1. **GCH CH Chedon s Stuart Little At Cabaret**  
DONNA Bledsoe Kyle E Potts Holly Norman
2. **GCH CH Bellastaff The Candy Man Can**  
Gina Dattilo
3. **GCH CH Viva Bless Your Heart**  
Mrs. Cecilia Bozzo Andrew Graham
4. **GCH CH Shar s Rock Star**  
Sharon Massad
4. **CH Lyon s Toys All In The Game**  
Patricia Smith Marcia Martin Patricia Lyon
6. **GCHG CH Vista Lafleur s Lotus T Seas Mi**  
Stephanie Schultes Deborah Long Beverly M Lafleu
6. **GCHB CH Terlingua Fifty Shades Of Charlie Tango**  
Marilyn Dempsey Kathleen Dempsey
6. **CH Julius (Sanchez)**  
Johnnatan Linares Romulo Sanchez Torres
6. **CH Lynn Creek s Indian Outlaw At Benaha**  
Callie Hernandez Callie Coughran Lynn Thompson
10. **Bann Idol s Nuclear**  
Olena Johnson
11. **Loucan s Magic Minerva Renquist Academy**  
Candace Henry Nathaniel Renquist
11. **GCH CH Loucan & Lynn Creek s Little Red Corvette N Galway**  
Evelyn Perrault Rutledge
13. **GCHS CH Lf s Coconut Mojito Terlinga TKN**  
Marilyn Dempsey Kathleen Dempsey
13. **CH Joelles More Money Mo**  
Lisa Joelle Nave
13. **GCH CH Jasmin Noir Marvel**  
Kathryn V Hulstein

## SMOOTH COAT STANDINGS

1. **GCHS CH Kirana Malkanorah**  
Lo Wolfson Roz Maser
2. **GCH CH Starry Night Dr. Drake Ramoray**  
Christine Randall Jacob L Torres
3. **GCH CH Kingsa s Taking A Wild Chance**  
Pam Gaskin
4. **CH CH Toltec Last Call S C BCAT**  
Susan F Payne
4. **GCHB CH Terlingua Dark Side Dazzler**  
Marilyn and Kathleen Dempsey
6. **Phareview Five Minutes T Fame**  
Sharon Massad
6. **GCHS CH Ouachitah Despicable Me**  
Linda George
6. **CH Lynn Creek s Bluemoon Of Kentucky Keep On Shining**  
Debbie Sanders Lynn Thompson
9. **CH Guichon s Having A Riot**  
Junko Guichon
10. **GCHS CH Dazzles - Benaha s They Call Me The Streak**  
Callie Hernandez Terry Hernandez
11. **GCH CH Sheppard s I Walk The Line At Bellachi**  
Fran L Lynn-Kuhlman
12. **CH Bellastaff Jem A Little Sparkle From Heaven**  
Gina Dattilo Jessica R Simon
12. **GCH CH Dartan I Dream Of Jeannie At Viva**  
Cecilia Bozzo
12. **GCHB CH Asansnchiville Cmdr In Chief At Lafleur S**  
Beverly & John LaFleur Anita Sanders
15. **GCH CH Time To Take It To The Max Lavida**  
Kathryn Sue Sunnenberg Tabitha Dvorak TROY DVORAK





Watch for Stuart to be shown in 2021  
with his owners and also Aly Bell  
as part of Team Stuart

Stuart returned to us in  
September and received his  
Championship in 7 shows  
including several BOVs  
over nice specials

Then he went on to finish his  
Grand Championship in 6 shows.



Stuart is #4 Breed & All-Breed  
and #1 NOHS as of  
January 31, 2021 stats  
in very limited show in g.

## GCH CHEDON'S STUART LITTLE AT CABARET



BREEDERS: DONNA & RICHARD BLED SOE

OWNERS: DONNA BLED SOE, KYLE POTTS, HOLLY NORMAN





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