

Ruff Notes

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Monterey Bay
Dog Training Club, Inc.



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January 2022 PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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Wow we are in 2022 already! I hope this finds you healthy and ready to move forward into the New Year! Monterey Bay Dog Training Club is all systems go!

Thank you to EVERYONE for pulling our December Obedience and Rally workshops together. The setting worked very well and those who attended gave us high praise. Thank you to Candace for organizing our Holiday luncheon. The Hideout was wonderful and the food matched in tastiness! We will be there again in January. Look for details in this Ruff Notes edition. I am looking forward to hearing about the Walkabout Harnesses.



Lastly, it is so sad for the animal community to lose Betty White. She was very active with Morris Animal Foundation serving as a Trustee from 1971-2013, as Canine Division Vice President from 1973-1982, and as Board President from 1982-85. She sponsored more than 30 animal health studies to improve the health of cats, dogs, horses and multiple species of wildlife, including California sea otters and mountain gorillas. Hug your dogs and cherish every minute we are privileged to have them with us!

Terri Gregson
President

Monterey Bay Dog Training Club, Inc. Gifts from the Heart Project from past years



2017
Club President Donna Gorman with Vet Client who had 2 older dogs and a cat that needed medications.



2018
Club President Luane Vidak, Amanda White with Jean the pup, Michelle Pressel, DVM, DACVIM, and Sarah Weagle



2019
Our Club collaborated with Birchbark and Dr. Judy Force to help pay for dental services.



2020
Dr. Stephen Kalff with June who had been hit by a car. The Birchbark Foundation also contributed to the surgery and medical attention June needed.



2021
Our partnership this year helped a small dog named Tuffy who was rushed to the Pacific and Santa Cruz Veterinary Specialist.

For the past 18 years in memory of Marilyn Runyan, a long time member, the Monterey Bay Dog Training Club has made a momentary donation to a local Veterinarian Clinic or Foundation on behalf of a Recipient/Pet Owner as our “Gifts from the Heart Project”. In the past our donations have paid for services, lab work, surgery, and medicines. Our donation is usually presented around Valentine’s Day.

We need your help in determining where our donation will go this coming new year, 2022. Do you know a Clinic or Veterinarian that can use our support? Email Candice at cmclaren1010@sbcglobal.net

SAVE THE DATES

- January 15 – General Meeting, TBD
- March 19 – General Meeting, TBD
- April 3 – VST, CSUMB
- April 30 & May 1 – Scent Trial, Hollister
- May 21 – General Meeting and Morris Animal Foundation Walk
- June 17 – 19 – Agility Trial, Prunedale
- July 16 – Annual Meeting
- July 30 – Obedience & Rally Trials, Watsonville

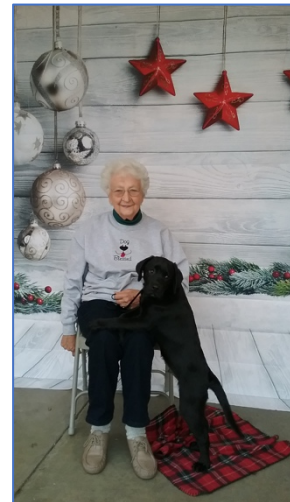


MEMBER BRAGS



Zsuzsi I'm pretty thrilled that Zsuzsi Q passed her canine good citizen. She is afraid of other dogs and of strangers 😊
.....(Diana Galvan)

Zak Happy to report that ZAK will be 6 months old the 1st week in January and that all the baby teeth are finally gone. Best of all, I've managed to retain all 10 fingers. There was a time I wondered if I would be able to make that brag. On that happy note, Zak and Luane wish you all a very Merry Christmas.....(Luane Vidak)



Safari earned her Silver Masters Jumpers Preferred title in November at the Nor Cal Golden trial. That's 50 JWW Qs in preferred. Not bad for a dog that is 12 years and 3months old. Such an amazing teammate. I love her to the moon and back.....(Michelle Pressel)

2021 MBDTC Annual Award Winners

CERTIFICATES	
Award	Winner
President's Award	Linda Lang
Board Appreciation Award	Irene Fukutome
Sportsmanship Award	Barbara Skaggs
Most Improved, in honor of Phoebus CDX	Finn / Barbara Skaggs
MXJ	Kiara / Marion Bashista



PLAQUES		
Award	Dog	Handler
Handler with Most Trial Placements		Imo Lawton with 22 points
High Aggregate Score, Degree in 1 st 3 Trials	Austin - 578	Imo Lawton
2 Degrees in 12 Months	Austin- CD, CDX	Imo Lawton
Master Agility Champion (MACH)		No award this year
Utility Dog Excellent (UDX)		No award this year
Obedience Trial Champion (OTCH)		No award this year
High Combined, Open & Utility		No award this year
AKC 200		No award this year
Highest Scoring Jr. Handler		No award this year

ORNAMENTS



Title	Dog	Member
CD, CDX	Austin	Imo Lawton
RAE3	Crystal	Carol Davis
CH	Echo	Mimi Woolem
BN, CD	Finn	Barbara Skaggs
DN, DJ, DS, HDJ	Jerry	Judy Simberg
MXJ, SCN, SIN, SEN, SBN, SWN, SCA, SIA, SEA, SCE, SEE	Kiara	Marion Bashista
SCN, SIN, SEN, SCA, SEA	Maddie	Linda Lang
SIE, SEE, SCE, SBE	Molly	Jan Ragan
UD	Olive	June Laman
SIN, SEN	Piper	Linda Lang
MAJ, FCAT 2, FCAT 3	QT	Pamela Fugitt-Hetrick
SCA, SIA, SEA, SBA, SWA, SCE, SIE, SEE	Rainy	Linda Lang
CDX	Rudy	Bruce Kennedy
MXP3, MJP4; SWN, SBN, SWA, SEA, SCA, SBA, SIE, SEE, SCE	Safari	Michelle Pressel
SWA, SIA, SEA, SBA, SCA, SCE, SIE, SEE	Soleil	Michelle Pressel
RAE 4; ASX2, DSX2	Tom	Craig Simberg
AXJ, OA	Wren	Dale Noble
DCAT	Zest!	Dale Noble

Thank you to Chris Hyde for forwarding this information on to MBDTCC.

AKC CANINE LAW WEBINAR

THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 2022, FROM 7 - 9 PM, PST

PRESENTED BY THE CALIFORNIA AIREDALE TERRIER CLUB

COST: FREE FOR CATC MEMBERS // \$15 NON-MEMBERS

SPEAKER: **MR. LEO B. SIEGEL, ESQ.**

REAL ESTATE / BUSINESS LITIGATION / AKC CANINE LAW

SANTA CRUZ AND SANTA CLARA COUNTIES, CALIFORNIA

Attorney Leo B. Siegel will discuss general AKC canine contracts including:

- **Puppy contracts**
- **co-ownership agreements**
- **whelping services contracts**
- **litigation liability related to dog bites or property damages by dogs.**

Both Leo and his wife, Linda, are accomplished breeders of Doberman Pinschers with several dogs achieving American Kennel Club Champions, AKC Top Twenty Conformation winners, Group winners, Best in Show winners, AKC Doberman Pinscher Sire of the Year award winner, Obedience Trial Champions, Agility champions, and Certified Therapy Dogs. All their dogs are devoted and much-loved family companion dogs. Linda teaches conformation classes at the Monterey Bay Dog Training Club.



Mr. Siegel will answer a selection of previously submitted questions and, if time permits, questions from the audience. Webinar questions for Mr. Siegel must be received by email by **Thursday, Jan. 13, 2022**, to Nancy Strohmaier: WindancerAiredales@gmail.com



RSVP by Friday, January 14, 2022, by sending a CHECK made out to CATC (non-members only) to:

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Important!!! Please include your **EMAIL ADDRESS** for the ZOOM Webinar Invitation, **CATC Members may RSVP by EMAIL to Dierdre.**



January Birthdays



1/1/06	16	Hank	Mix	Edie Losch
1/1/2011	11	Snoopy	Havanese	Marlene Majewska
1/4/2012	10	Tack	Border Collie	Yvette Cook
1/6/2008	14	Web	Border Collie	Yvette Cook
1/13/2013	9	Dolby	Doberman	Diana Galvan

1/1	Bruce Kennedy
1/3	Gary Green
1/6	Kathy Fujita
1/12	Denise Weatherwax





News Release

AKC NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP DOG SHOW PRESENTED BY ROYAL CANIN TO AIR ON ABC JANUARY 2nd

Thousands of dogs put their best paw forward for the title of National Champion

New York, NY- St. Charles, MO (December 15, 2021) –The AKC National Championship Presented by Royal Canin® will air on ABC as a three-hour special on Sunday January 2, 2022 at 2 p.m. ET. The show features thousands of dogs from around the country and the world competing for the coveted title of America’s National Champion.

Hosting the broadcast is AKC Executive Secretary Gina DiNardo and noted sportscaster Carolyn Manno. This year’s AKC National Championship is the largest dog show in North America with 5,051 dogs entered in Conformation from 50 states and Washington, DC and 13 countries. That combined with competitions in Agility, Obedience, the National Owner-Handled Series Finals, Diving Dogs, junior competitions and AKC Fast CAT, brings the total entries to over 8,500. Dogs will compete for multiple titles across various events and more than \$150,000 in prize money, the largest in the world of dog shows.

“It is our honor to be able to continue the tradition of this magnificent show and host top canine competitors from around the world,” said Dennis Sprung, Show Chairman and President and CEO of the AKC. “The athleticism displayed across our sports by these well-bred dogs is truly a sight to see, and we’re thrilled to return to ABC to televise our signature event, the crowning of America’s champion, for dog enthusiasts.”

Jason Taylor, Assistant Show Chairman and Royal Canin Vice President of Marketing adds, “At Royal Canin, we are passionate about breeds and what makes each one unique. We are thrilled to share this passion with dog lovers nationwide as they tune in to watch the AKC National Championship Presented by Royal Canin on ABC. Viewers can look forward to seeing an action-packed show that highlights all of the ways dogs are extraordinary, in addition to learning more about dog sports and responsible breeders.”

Award winning company B Live Productions will once again produce the TV broadcast and the livestream.

Additionally, the road to becoming a champion – in the ring or our hearts – starts at puppyhood. In advance of the TV broadcast of the AKC National Championship Presented by Royal Canin,



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