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Front cover: Center: Jodi - Bottom left: Amber
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Back cover: Top: Windy - Center: Jil
Bottom: Micky

* PRESIDENT'S CORNER *

Jur January meeting has come and gone and a new group of Officers and Directors were selected for 1973. I'm sure that all people elected will join with me in thanking those of you who voted and for your confidence in us for the forthcoming year. I regret that my first official act as President is to inform all of you of the resignation of Betty Solberg as editor of our Monthly Bulletin. has been editor as long as I can remember and has certainly had a positive influence on all people within the Illinois club. She will be missed by all members. Miss Linda Towar has agreed to serve as interim editor until the new Board meets to consider Betty's successor. Betty will still send out the membership packets to people interested in joining our club, and to new puppy owners. So when you sell a puppy, PLEASE send their name and address to Betty and she will send them the information about our club.

Our Breed Imp. Comm. is working on a new cover of for the Monthly Bulletin. We need black and white snap shots of your dog. Any Vizsla that has earned a championship (bench or field) or any obedience degree is eligible for our cover. Many of you have spent much time and money in attaining titles for your dog. If you are a member in good standing and your dog satisfies the requirements above, please send me a snapshot and short write up about your dog. Our members want to see our famous Ili. dogs on our cover. Your part is to send the picture — we will do the rest.

The big club activity coming up is the annual Spring Field Trial in March. Dur F.T. Chairman Darrell Crosswhite has done an excellent job of organizing and coordinating the multitude of jobs that are involved in running a first class trial. It is a pleasure for me to serve on his Committee. Darrell has several surprises planned that have never been done before. Look for a more complete

write up elsewhere in this issue. And please all of you, try to support our trial in any way that you can. It is the revenue generated by field trials that gets us over the humps from time to time and helps to support most of the other activities of our club.

Ken Crago

* BALLOT REPORT * - 59 Ballots cast.

President:

Ken Crago, 46 - Jim Busch, 13

Vice President:

Phil Rosenberg, 34 - Dennis Cakora, 25

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Board Members: - (*) 2 years

* Tony Lucas, 45 - * John Pecora, 38 - * Lew Simon, 30 Pete Ingraffia, 15 - Jim Stone, 11 - Dorothy Rosenberg, 11 - MaryAnn Ingraffia, 9 - Beverly Pecora, 7 Ann Lucas - 4 New Officers and Directors will be found inside the

New Ifficers and Directors will be found inside the front cover sheet.

March 3-4, V.C. of Southern Calif. - Colorado V.C.

March 10-11-12 - Conestoga V.C., Maryland

March 17-18 - V.C. of Greater Cleveland, Nebraska V.C.

Puget Sound Vizsla Club, sanctioned, in Rochester, Wa.

March 24-25- - - Vizsla Club of III.

March 31 - April 1 - Hawkeye Vizsla Club.

April 7-8 ---- Vizsla Club of America Trial

April 21-22 --- Miami Valley Vizsla Club, Ohio

April 28 - 29 - - Eastern Iowa Vizsla Club.

May 12-13 -- V. C. of Central New England.

More trial dates will be published as we get them.

^{*} SPRING 1973 FIELD TRIAL DATES *
Submitted by Tony & Ann Lucas

I need a partner to share "Daisy", an experienced Field Trial Horse stabled at Bong. Half of Trailer included. \$ 300 - or make deal on horse alone Jim Busch - 439-9425

* SECRETARY'S CIRCLE * by Sharon Simon

The regular monthly meeting of the Vizsla Club of Ill. was held on Jan. 17, 1973 at the home of the Pecora's with 33 members and 4 guests present.

The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read

and approved.

The Tellers were excused to go count the ballots. Linda Tavor effered to obtain the refreshments for the February meeting.

Comm. Reports - Darrell Crosswhite reported that the trial is all set for March 24-25 at Green River. They have the judges, AND they ask for support from all Club members. The drawing will be held at the Clubs monthly meeting at the home of the Pecor's on March 21st.

The President announced that Ken Crago was now chairman of the Breed Imp. Comm. for the National Club.

John Pecora reported that the Clubs Specialty will be held June 2, at Fox Valley, St. Charles, Ill.

Under old business - Jim Busch reported that as the Breed Clubs Representative to contact other Breed Clubs to try to avoid dates, he had composed a letter to be sent out. He read this letter with a discussion following.

The President introduced - Butch & Susan Mills, Dick and Ellie, - guests, Art Creaney, a new member and Ken & Jane Wierschem - members who haven't attended in quite some time.

Phil Rosenberg presented Tony Lucas with a plaque for being President for years 1969 to 1972.

Tony gave a short speach. The pictures of the 1972 Christmas Party were on display that were taken by Dr. Pete Morrison.

The newly elected officers were announced by the out going President Tony Lucas. They can be found elsewhere in this issue. (Thought for February)

A cold in the head causes less suffering than an idea.

* TOP TEN VIZSLA FIELD DOGS - JAN. THRU OCT. 19	9 72
Compiled by Phil Rosenberg	
1972 ALL-AGE/ GUN DOG	Points
1. Dual Ch. Sir Lancelot, Bill Goodman, N.J.	201
2. Randy Duke, Bart Boglioli, N.J.	157
3. Marcihazi Buszke, C. Beling, N.J.	89
4. Dual Ch. Weedy Creek Lobo, H. Wingerter, low	a 51
5. Dual & Am. F. Ch. Amber's Windy Autumn,	
Phil Rosenberg, III.	49
6. Dual & Am. F. Ch. Pirolin, Carl Zezza. Vt.	47
7. Apache Van Raider, Corky Kobman, Ohio	46
8. Ch. Chuba of Czuki Barat, Dick Bakotic, Ill.	45
9. F. Ch. Rebel Rouser Duke, Hank Rozansk, Neb.	r. 37
10. F.Ch. & Am. F.Ch. Jodi of Czuki Barat,	
Lew Simon, Ill.	35
10. F.Ch. Hubertus Aprod, Denes Burjan, N.J.	35
TOP TEN PUPPY /DERBY DOGS	
1. Earls Red Rogue, Earl Moore, Iowa, 3/26/71	149
2. Bratts F.K. Gippen, Kent Mileikis, Mass.	
1/4/71	86
3. Barats Red Regal, Dave Robison, Ill. 11/8/79	
4. Bratts F.K. Valentine, Tom Kepler, Penna.	
1/4/71	56
5. Kalons Hunyadi Csilla, Nandor Szayer, N. J.	
6/4/71	. 48
6. Arras Booger Red, Tony Lucas, Ill. 1/26/71	46
7. Pipers Mister Zackary, Harry Piper, Minn.	15
2/21/71	43
8. Brandy Snifter of Westy, P. Wolverton, Colo	· North To
7/4/71	22
9. Teks Joey Dezso Barat, L. Tekavic, Calif.	1 (1)
10/25/7	1 16
10. Bratts F.K. Spanky, Carl Richey Sr., Vt.	Ċ,
1/4/71	15
TOP -TEN-FACTS:	-3
I hope everyone will take notice of our Breed'	S
two new Dual and Amateur Field Champions, Piro	
Amber's Windy Autumn. Congratulations Carlo &	
Phil & Dorothy, it's not every day I can pat m	
on the back.	

* NOMINEE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE VIZSLA CHIB OF AMERICA

I wish to thank you, the members of the Vizsla club of Ill. for allowing me to be President of our club for the past four years. Vizslas are a large part of my life, and have worked hard for me. Being President has given me an excellant opportunity to work for Vizslas.

We had an enjoyable evening at the annual Christmas Party Dec. 9th. Many thanks to Fred Austin for making the arrangements which made the party a big 2 34 -81100088.

Congratulations: to Dr. & Mrs Peta Morrison. Their male Vizsla Big Buck, finished his show championship in December, handled by Bunny Cuthbertson. "Buck" is, also, the past recipient of our " Dog of the Day Award" at one of our fun trials.

Congratulations, also to Ken Crago the new Chairman of the Braed Improvement Committee of the Virsla Club of America. I know that Ken's experience as a member of our State Breed Improvement Committee will be valuable to him in his work with the .V.C.O. .

I would now like to ask you for your support. I have been asked to run for the office of the President of the Vizsla Club of America. This is an honor for me and I would do my best for the Club and the Vizslas if elected. So when the National Club sends out it's Ballots. VOTE FOR TONY LUCAS. I would certainly appreciate it folks. Tory Lucas.

^{* &}quot; THE SHOW SCENE " * - J- by Diane Stocke

Michiana K.C. South Bend, Indiana. - Dec. 3, 1972 Judge: Mr. Halold F. Hardin - Entries 2-1-1 Open Logs

^{1.} Big Buck - 0: Dr. Pete Morrison, H: Bunny

Cuthbortson. Winners

2. Gypsy's Beau Aristo of Hanover, O/H Diane Stocke

Reserve

Open Bitches:

1. Tavolyi arany Leany, O/H Diane Stocke, Winners B.O.B - Ch. Linden's Junai, O. D. Cakora, H: Bunny Cuthbertson, B.O.W & B.O.S. Big Buck

Kankakee K.C. Kankakee, III. Dec.9th. 1972 Judge: Mr. Robert G. Wills - Entries - 5-2-1 Open Dogs

- 1. Big Buck, O: Dr. Pete Morrison, H: B. Cuthbertson (W)
- 2. Timarka's Tiger Tripper, O/H Stephen Grubb (R)
- 3. Gypsy's Beau Aristo of Hanover, 0/H-Diane Stocke
- 4. Jodi's Jump-N-Bing-Bang Bucz

Puppy Bitches

- 1. Jodi N-Tishs aropec Star, 0/H- John Pecora Open Bitches
- 1. Tavolyi arany Leany, O/H-Diane Stocke-Winners B.O.B. Ch.Linden's Junai,O: D.Cakora,H. B.Cuthbertson B.O.W. & B.O.S. Big Buck

Stone City K.C. Lockport, Ill. Dec. 17,1972 Judge: Mr. E.W. Tipton, - Entries 1-1-0 Open Dog:

- 1. Gypsy's Beau Aristo of Hanover, O/H-Edward Stocke Open Bitches
- 1. Tavolyi Arany Leany, ●/H- Diane Stocke B.OB. & B.O.W. Tara B.O.S. Big Boy

POSSIBLE BREAKTHROUGH IN HEARTWORM DISEASE * Taken from Friskies Research Digest.

Miss Kim Christy, a 1971 finalist in national science fair competition, has provided a most promising lead to the eventual control and eradication of heartworm disease in dogs, according to a number of news sources. Working under the training and counsel of Dr. Norman L. Garlick, professor and chairman, Department of Laboratory Animal Medicine, Medical University of South Carolina, this 16 -year-old, "straight A." Charleston high school sophomore applied an experimental drug in a new way to dogs with advanced heartworm disease and found that it would eliminate all microfilariae in the

majority of dogs in five to six days without inducing shock or any other toxic clinical manifestations.

Practically all dogs are free within 14 days; a very small percentage require a second dose. the dogs remain free of the larvae for 3 to 4 weeks. Subsequent single administrations repeated at the first sign of reappearance of microfilariae again eliminate the larvae for similar periods. Evidence is accumulating that the drug will also prevent the development of later stage larvae introduced by infected mosquitos. The drug is fenthion, supplied in an experimental formulation by Chemagro Corporation, Kansas City, Missouri. A small measured amount, based upon body weight, is applied topically to the skin in the dorsal cervical area. Clipping is contraindicated.

Miss Christy credits Dr. Garlick with the original idea for her project, but the work and observations have been all her own. Miss Christy's method has already been incorporated into research at the Medical University. Drugs which are contraindicated in heartworm -infected dogs (to the extent that testing has progressed) are being given without inducing death or undesirable side effects when administered two weeks after the microfilariae are eliminated. The adult Dirofilaria immitis are not killed, nor are they seemingly affected to any detectable degree by Kim's method. Subsequent treatment with adult filaricides is not contraindicated. Kim is now studying adult female worms to find out if there are internal changes or if the larvae are dying at time of birth.

Manchester, England - Sheba, a 4 year old German Shepherd dog, in May of 1972 gave birth to 24 pups, breaking the world record of 23 set in 1945 by a Fox-hound in the United States.

Screenings: Waiting for some people to finish talking - is like looking for the end of a roller towel.

* Major Year In Dogdom - - by Adele Dow Submitted by Helen Malicek

New Year's Eve is the traditional time for reviewing events of the year. And in the dog world, 1972 has brought it's share of significant happenings.

A survey of the years events would have to include:

- * Dr. Stephen W. J. Seager's important progress in his research on preservation of frozen canine semen. The project is now far enough along so that Seager hopes the frozen semen will be generally available with in a year or two. This has the potential to revolutionize dog-breeding techniques.
- * AKC recognition of two more breeds, the Akita and the Bichon Frise, bringing the total number of breeds recognized in this country to 118.
- * Guide-dog organizations recognized that urban stress has taken it's toll on dogs guiding the blind in cities. Many dogs had to be replaced or retrained.
- * The AKC's stern warning against showing dogs that had been given any drug affecting the nervous system, either to stimulate, sedate or tranquilize. In the event such drugs were prescribed by a veterinarian as neccessary for a dog's health, the AKC warned that the dog must be withheld from all competition until all possible effects had worn off.
- * After years of struggling to control indiscriminate breeding, poodle breeders achieved their goal and poodle registrations started to decline - a clear indication that puppy mills are losing their stranglehold on the breed.
- * The heartwarming news that the work of the American Dog Owners Assn. is taking hold. This dedicated group of 4,000 dog lovers is headed by Duncan Wright who has traveled from coast to coast investigating reports of inhumane treatment of dogs. Several puppy factories have been shut down as a direct result of the association's efforts.
- * Heartworm, a sometimes fatal disease spread by mosquitoes, was found to be a growing menace to dogs everywhere. At one time largely confined to Southern coastal areas, the disease now has been found

* VIZSLA PUPPIES FOR SALE *

Richard Olsen, 1026 Spafford St., Antioch, Ill. 60002- Ph: (312) 395-3163 - 6 month old Futurity nominated male puppies (2) All permanent shots, raised with children, Field training started, could run in puppy stakes of Spring Trials. Sire: Dual Ch. Weedy Creek Lobo - Dam: Lucky of Czuki Barat. Sire & Dam both OFA approved. Sire & Dam of the 1st & 3rd place National Futurity dogs, 1970 and 1st place Nat. Futurity dog in 1971

Diane Stocke, 6610 Appletree St. Hanover Park, Ill. 60103 - Ph. 289-5994 - both sexes, whelped Aug. 28, 1972, Sire: Ch. Ed's Golden Gypsy of Hanover, Dam: Sangchen Katrina of Tiny Acre - Hunt & Show

Karleen Gengler, 248 Tanglewood Dr. Elk Grove Vlg., Ill. 60007 - Ph: 439-3590 - Both sexes, whelped Jan 14,1973 - Oldest pups in 1974 futurity, Sire: Dual Ch. Weedy Creek Lobo - (Sired every field futurity winner so far) Dam: Ridgeland's Iskva Selle (mother of first futurity winner - grand-mother of Dave Robison's "Barat's Red Regal - now in top ten Vizsla puppy-derby) Available Feb. 25th.

David Tulos, 3511 Giddings S.E. Grand Rapids, Mich. 49508 - Ph: 1-616-452-3848. Both sexes, whelped Jan. 15, 173 Sire: Ch. Gold-In-Hills Fitsko C.D. Dam: Ch. Freska's Gold-In Hills Magyar C.D. both sire & dam OFA approved

Joyce A. Smith, 4608 Sycamore Ln., Rolling Meadows, Ill. 60008 - Ph: (312) 259-5679 - Reservations now being accepted for Feb. 14, litter. Sire: Ch. Lucky-E's Hunt'N Fun U.D.T. (he is the first and only Vizsla in history of breed to be a Ch. U.D.T. - Dam: Ch. Hell Cat Reidi - (dam of Linden's Rusty Devil, & Ch. High Point's Buckskin.

Wanted - Good home for two three year old Vizslas.

1 male - 1 female - Good home more important then money. Female is spayed and would make a good pet.

Male has field and show potential. Sire; Ch. Old Weird Harold - Dam is Shanda Darocz - Gran Sire is Futaki Darocz. Both are used to children, and are LOVERS.

If interested contact - Ken & Jane Wierschem. 590 Phillips Circle, Antioch, Ill. 60002- Ph. 395-4181

Mark your calendar for April 15, 1973, thats the date of our Super Fun Trial and Fun Day. It will be held at the section of Bong Wildlife Area known as the -- Ponderosa !!

There will be Wing and String competition for puppies. Bird field competition, Back Course Training Field with Birds - where you can run your dog for 20 minutes, help will be there if you need it. There will be Conformation and Obedience Training sessions with an instructure. AND, there will also be a HORSE RACE. A DAY OF FUN HAS BEEN PLANNED, SPPLAN ON ATTENDING. THERE IS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE.

Editors note:

Starting next month, Linda Tovar will be taking over my job as editor of the Bulletin, and Jim Busch will be taking over George's job as Publisher. I have sold my home out here in the wide open spaces, and will be moving back to Chicago. I will be moving into a small apt., and just won't have room for all the equipment it takes to get the Bulletin out.

I have enjoyed being editor, especially the last few years when so many of you have been sending in articles for the sulletin. Please keep them coming in for Linda.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank
the many people who have been sending me those
beautiful cards and letters. You have been very kind.
It has helped me very much, it's nice to know that
others care.

Betty Solberg

^{*} Jim Busch Reporting on the Spring Fun Trial

* VIZSIA CLUB OF ILLINOIS, INC. *
SPRING FIELD TRIAL + Darrell Crosswhite reporting.

The Vizsla Club of Illinois will hold its Spring Field Trial on March 24 and 25 at the Green River Conservation Area near Ohio. Ill.

Stakes will be open to all AKC registered Vizslas, German Pointing Breeds, Brittanys, Gordon and Irish Setters. The stakes will include open puppy, open derby, open gun dog, open all-age, open limited gun dog and amateur gun dog. The open limited gun dog stake will again be a money stake for the first and second'placed dogs.

We have secured excellent judges for these stakes in Ray Bauspies, Bill Breneisen, Vern Inman and Ed Strubs.

As in the past, we will have a drawing on Sunday, March 25th. for a panasonic AG/DC Cassette Recorder with AM/FM Radio. We are asking each member to sell five tickets at \$1.00 each to help support our club. The Club's only source of income other than membership dies is raised through our field trial efforts, so please help the field trial committee in their endeavers. Donations and ticket stubs are to be returned to Jules Kopielski, Ticket Chairman, 4844 W. Chorge Street, Chicago, Ill. 60641 or on the field trial grounds no later than 12 A.M. Sunday, March 25th.

Why not plan on coming to the Vizsla Club of Ill. Spring Field Trial and spend the weekend enjoying the great outdoors watching your dogs, as well as others, perform in competition.

* FROM THE PRESIDENT *

The two vacancies left on the board by the resignation of Phil Rosenberg and Fred Austin will be filled by - Jim Busch and Fennis Cakora.

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"Henceforth, any and all als will be at a cost of \$ 1.00 per ad, in advance and must accompany ad when sent to the editor for print.

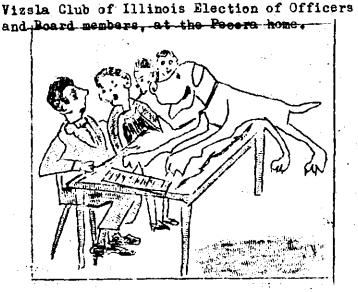
And all ads regarding litter or puppy sales must have sire and dam approved for advertising by the V.C.O.A. Breed Imp. Comm. to be found free of Hip-Desplaysia. Any stud dog listings or dog for sale ads must also be approved.

These requirements are for the Vizsla Club of .

Illinois Bulletin. Only Illinois members may place ads.

I just want to thank everyone who VOTED. I appreciate very much the confidence shown in me by your electing me to the Board of Directors. I will try very hard to do what is best for the Vizsla Club of Illinois, live up to your expectations and execute your recommendations. I would however like to add that I was very disappointed by the number of people who did not vote. Remember one thing, your club is only as strong as it's membership - Let's all pull together in 1973.

Thanks Again - John Pecora



" Go ahead -- YOU tell him he can't Vote! "

* VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA SPRING FIELD TRIAL *
The Vizsla Club of Colorado is having its Spring
Field Trial on March 3 and 4, 1973. The Club is
also hosting the National Spring Field Trial on
April 7 and 8, 1973. Both of these trials will be
en the grounds of the Tamarack Wildlife Area at
Crook, Colorado.

These grounds are located, midway between
Sterling and Julesburg, Colorado, in mile north of
I-80 South at the Crook turn-off. There is a camping area at the grounds entrance. The grounds
manager requests that NO horses be kept at the camping area. There will be corrals furnished closer to
the trial area. Everyone's cooperation on this matter
will be greatly appreciated as this could be a contingency for future use of these grounds for field trials.

The awards banquet and the kickoff banquet will be held at the Platte Valley Inn at Julesburg. The Inn is located at I-80-S and the Julesburg turn-off just north of I-80-S.

If you are planning on attending the trial and staying at the Inn, you should act now and make your reservations so you will be assured of a bed. There are also motels in Sterling including a Holiday Inn. Sterling and Julesburg are equidistance from the trial grounds, in opposite directions. If any further information is needed, please contact me.

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NEXT MEETING Feb 2/

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UP TO DATE MEMBERSHIP LISTS - Maryann Ingraffia, 461 Forest Preserve Drive, Wood Dale, Ill. 60191

MEMBERSHIP PACKETS - Betty Solberg, 4516 N. Paulina St. Chicago, Ill. 60640

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The Vizsla Club of Illinois, Inc. endorses the efforts of organizations such as the Vizsla Club of America, the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals (OFA) and the University of Minnesota, to eliminate hip-dysplasia in dogs, and encourage all it's members to use - ONLY CERTIFIED NORMAL BREEDING STOCK AT ALL TIMES.

ARTICLES FOR THE BULLETIN MUST BE IN BY THE 3rd. OF EACH MONTH.





