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VIZSLA CLUB OF ILLINOIS, INC.

THE BULLETIN



FIELD CHAMPION BROOK'S "WILLIE" WHOMPUM

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THE VIZSLA CLUB OF ILLINOIS, INC. endorses the efforts of organizations
such as the Vizsla Club of America, and the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals
(OFA) to eliminate hip dysplasia in dogs, and encourage all of it's members
to use ONLY CERTIFIED NORMAL BREEDING STOCK AT ALL TIMES!

CLUB MEETINGS:

Are held every third Wednesday in the months of January, March, May,
July, September, November. Board of Directors Meetings on Alternate months.

WHERE: The Home of The Pecora's
237 S. Judson St.
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TIME: 8:30 P.M.

DRESS: Casual & REFRESHMENTS SERVED

NEW VIZSLA OWNERS AND GUESTS ARE WELCOME!

Calendar of Events

Nov.	16	Kalamazoo K.C. Dog Show, Western Mich. University	Webb, Supt.
	19	V.C.O.I. GENERAL MEETING - FILM SCHEDULED - Nominations for 1976 Officers & Board of Directors	
	23	Goldcoast K.C. Match - see article inside	
	22	Monroe K.C. Dog Show, Dundee, Mi.	Crowe, Supt.
	30	Michiana K.C. " " South Bend, Indiana	Jones, Supt.
Dec.	6	VCOI CHRISTMAS PARTY - see article	
	7	Ingham County K.C. Dog Show, Lansing, Mich.	Crowe, Supt.
	6	Kankakee Kennel Club Dog Show, Kankakee, Ill.	Webb, Supt.
<u>1976</u>			
Jan.	11	Ann Arbor K.C. Dog Show, Ypsilanti, Mi.	Jones, Supt.
	17	Wheaton K.C. Dog Show, Wheaton, Ill.	Webb, Supt.
	25	Wisconsin K.C. Dog Show, Milwaukee, Wis.	Webb, Supt.

(VCOI will offer a trophy at the Wheaton Show - B.O.W.)

Since our last issue of "THE BULLETIN", we have THREE newly titled dogs that belong to members of The Vizsla Club of Illinois, all of which were amateur handled to their championships (pending AKC approval) by their owners:

Field Champion BROCK'S "WILLIE" WHOMPUM, Owner/Handler Tony Lucas

Dual & Am. Fld Ch. JODI'S JUMP-N-"BING BANG" BUCZ, Owner/Handler James Busch

Ch. BROCKWOOD'S "ROC O" DEZ-TSINDEE, Owner/Handler Maryann Ingraffia

Secretary's Report by Ann Lucas.....

The September 18th meeting of the Vizsla Club of Illinois, Inc. came to order at 8:45pm.

The Treasurer's report was read...Joe Malicek made a motion to accept as read and was 2nded by John Ewers.

Specialty Show Chairman John Pecora said the NEW CHAIRMAN and CO-CHAIRMAN were JOYCE SMITH and MARYANN INGRAFFIA. Discussion followed on how to go about getting trophy donations and what time of year is best to have the specialty show.

Field trial report....Jim Busch said he spent the day at the Green River Wildlife Area laying out courses...Cover was extremely heavy with one path throughout....Entries included 18 Limited Gun Dogs, 20 Open Gun Dogs, 18 Derbys, 13 Puppies, 22 Amateur Gun Dogs.

A brief report on the August 20th Board of Directors meeting was given.....Nominating Committee for the 1976 election are Dorothy Rosenberg, John Pecora and John Ewers....Phil Rosenberg reported on the Field Trial Clubs of Illinois meeting, a trial coverage insurance policy is being offered to the Ill. clubs.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30pm with a motion made by John Pecora and 2nded by Helen Malicek.

The field trial drawing followed.

Also,...Hats Off to LINDA BUSCH, who acted as our Field Trial Secretary, ran the food concession, and also Marshalled the Puppy Stake for our past fall fld. trial..

DECEMBER 6, 1975

TIME: 7:00 P.M.

Dinner Served at 7:30 P.M.

COST: \$9.00 per person

PLACE: SHARKO'S RESTAURANT in Villa Park
Located on Route 38 (Roosevelt Rd) about
3 blocks west of route 83 (Private Room)

The Dinner will be Family Style (ALL you WANT TO EAT) - soup, roast sirloin of beef, fried chicken, mostaccioli, potatoes, cooked vegetable, coleslaw, rolls and butter, desert and coffee. If you care to indulge, we will have our own bar, with a professional bartender to make any kind of drink you wish. Liquor not included in dinner cost, but the entertainment IS; featuring, this year, "CATCH 5", a group of five musicians who will entertain us with hours of music for dancing, plus vocal and comedy routines. There will be table decoration gifts, door prizes and game prizes, again this year. There is such a fun filled evening planned, we probably won't have enough time for all, but we'll give it hell trying.

SANTA CLAUS is ready and waiting to come to the Party, WHAT ABOUT YOU!!!! Members and Friends are welcome. Reservations, along with the full amount of \$\$\$ have to be in by November 30th. For additional information or extra directions, call me at 627-8739. Mail checks to: Miss Iris Pechota
1-9-721 Fairfield
Lombard, Illinois 60148

(MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW - SEE YOU ALL THERE)

LETTER TO THE BULLETIN.....

Dear Maryann:

Just a note to thank you for sending along so many copies of recent Bulletins to use in our display at last week's Ducks Unlimited Banquet. Since this is Black Lab Country, we wanted to do all we could to educate Mid-Wisconsin regarding what we consider a better all-around hunting dog and companion...

Sincerely,

Penny Mihaly
(Mrs. A. Mihaly)

Editors Note: Our thanks should go to Penny Mihaly for distributing the extra copies for the VCOI. If any of you have such occasion as the Ducks Unlimited Banquet and would like to distribute extra copies of the Bulletin, please let us know. There are times our printer submits more copies than we are in need of.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR NOVEMBER MEETING - FILM "QUESTION OF HUNTING".....

Come to the November Meeting and enjoy a film on hunting which will take only 28 minutes. Much of the business end of our meetings will be out short to allow time for the educational and entertainment portions.

Thanks... Pete Ingrassia

VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA PUBLICATION, "THE VIZSLA NEWS", has a new Editor Mrs. Gail Day, 11030 Agua Vista, North Hollywood, California 91602. If you have a newsworthy article, we're sure she'd appreciate receiving it. GOOD LUCK TO YOU, GAIL....

HEY FIELD TRIALERS, WHAT'S HAPPENING!! Know the VCOI dogs have been doing good and can only print what you send us.. DON'T BE SHY..... That's a message to you members who live in other states, as long as you are a member of our Club, let's hear from you..

TOP TEN ALL-AGE/GUN DOGS

Jan thru June 1975

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1. F. A. Am.F.Ch. Randy Duke, Bart Boglioli, N.J.	173
2. Dual 9 Am.F.Ch. Rippl of Webster Woodlands, A.Crago, Ill.	119
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1. Randy King, Francis Boglioli, N.J. 8-11-73	168
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9. S n L's Cas See Mer, Lucas & Seelye, 8-23-74	38
10. Rebel Rouser Rusty, D. Barr, 7-5-73	29

TOP TEN FACTS: Question - Can a Vizsla compete on the same level with the other Continental Breeds in Open Competition?

Answer - Some say yes, others say no; others just shrug their shoulders, they don't know.

Here are some facts and figures from my records on one particular Vizsla Dog who is winning quite frequently. Years 1972 thru 1975, the dog, Randy Duke:

Placements-	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.
Open Competition	40	41	24	13
Closed Competition	5	1	2	

Draw your own conclusions!

KING SOLOMON'S RING
by Konrad Z. Lorenz

taken from the Readers Digest..... Submitted by Sharon Simon

"Let us not say to ourselves that we need the dog as a protection for our house. We do need him - but not only as a watchdog. I have often stood in need of my dog's company, and I have derived, from the mere fact of his existence, a great sense of inward security. In the almost film-like flitting-by of modern life, a man needs something to tell him, from time to time, that he is still himself, and nothing can give him this assurance in so comforting a manner as the four feet trotting behind."

Thanks Sharon for thinking about us.

by Jim Busch

The Fun Trial for the VCOI members was held on Labor Day at our Farmette. The Puppy, Derby, and Hunting Dog were again for Vizslas only. The Finished Gun Dog was for all Vizslas and other broke pointing dogs belonging to VCOI members GWP Club of Ill. The judges were Craig McKenzie and Lynn Hadlock. GWP club members who participated were Bill Hadlock, Art Ciolkowski, D. Bednar, and Mike Allen.

Judy B, 9 months old Vizsla puppy owned by Jim Busch was selected as the Dog of the Day. This coveted award is presented to the firstplace dog in any event which comes the closest to meeting the requirements of the event in which it was entered.

Special trophies went to three dogs who had unusual achievements. Cocoa- O/H Art Ciolkowski received the "tall corn award." Cocoa found the hole in the back fence and disappeared into the 10 ft. corn that goes on and on and on. Stolberg's Rusty earned the "Shady Lane" award as the dog most affected by the 90 degree heat. Jim Busch's Apollo got the "Please Come Home" award after he disappeared from the bird field in hot pursuit of a running pheasant and failed to return and then.... after returning disappeared again in hot pursuit of a flying pheasant. Gary VanDerStuff's Winston and Charlie Wolf's Marco won the "Tag Team" award for excessive togetherness.

Certified Hunting Dog awards were earned by:

1. Miss Kelli's Little Boy Cocoa - Art Ciolkowski
2. Mueller's Wampus Hadlock - Bill Hadlock
3. Ch. Hadlocks Duffey - Bill Hadlock
4. Tanya Larkspur - Tom Walworth
5. Zodiac II - Phil Rosenberg
6. Michael's Shag Bank - Mike Allen
7. Ms. Amy Renee - Darrell Cunningham

This has been done from memory, if there are any mistakes, please let me know and we will make the necessary adjustments. Other placements -

Puppy

1. Judy B - Jim Busch
2. Thom's Amber Haans - Tom Walworth
3. Sundown Mista Dillon - Mike Florian
4. Webster Woodlands Cassie - Ken Crago

Derby

1. Cunningham's Rusty Rebel - Darrell Cunningham
2. Amber'N Dukes Arocep Flame - John Pecora
3. Brook's Berry Mist - Tony Lucas
4. Blazer Babe - Russ Blazer

Finished Gun Dog

1. D & Am, F. Ch. Amber's Windy Autumn - Phil Rosenberg
2. D & AM, F. Ch. Rippi of Webster Woodlands - Ken Crago
3. Ridgeland Beau Bandit - Phil Rosenberg
4. Ch. Hadlock's Duffey - Bill Hadlock

Hunting Dog

1. Ms. Amy Renee - Darrell Cunningham
2. Gyptar's Sir Nikki of Hanover - Steve Gibbs
3. Golden Britta of Bartlett - Mike Florian
4. Count Brok of Darien - Hugh Morrow



PUPPY STAKE



FINISHED GUN DOGS



DERBY STAKE

(FUN TRIAL PICNIC)



HUNTING DOG STAKE



LINDA WITH RIBBONS MADE BY HER & BEV PECORA * SUCH TALENT!



"TIME OUT FOR A PUFF" SAYS GUNNER, SHARPSHOOTER

VIZSLA CLUB OF ILLINOIS FALL FIELD TRIAL,

by Jim Busch

The Vizsla Club of Illinois held it's fall field trial at the Green River Wildlife area on Sept. 20-21, 1975. Ninety-four dogs competed in five stakes which consumed every minute of daylight available. Mother Nature co-operated with a cloud covered sky, which kept temperatures down, but robbed us of precious daylight hours and necessitated the adding of two judges, Harold Wingerter and Shirley Rothan, to render decisions in the Puppy stakes. THE VCOI owes them and Dr. Paul Rothan and Jim Arrasmith, who substituted for the ailing Len Hartl, tons of thanks for the Herculean task of Judging this huge trial which they handled with fairness and wisdom. The trial featured a Puppy Stake for Vizslas Only (a first for the VCOI), which was won by Judy B, a 10month old bitch owned and handled by Jim Busch. Judy running in her second trial bested a field of eleven Vizslas to garner top spot by virtue of pure heart and hustle. The Open Gun Dog and Amateur Gun Dog featured a bird field in the center of the Course (another first for the VCOI), and odd numbered braces running the course back the other. While some of the competitors thought it was difficult to get the dogs moving again after working the birdfield, it was my observation that it was the proximity of the Club house and parking lot and the encountering of sandburrs as you left the birdfield which caused some of the difficulty. The handlers themselves also caused some of the problem in that after working the birdfield they continued over-handling their dogs as they continued on the course. The judges observed that because of a slight variation of the course depending on which way the brace was being run, dogs which horse tracked instead of hunting stuck out like a sore thumb, i.e. the freshest horse track went the wrong way. Vizslas did well in these two stakes winning first place in each. Brook's Willie Whompum topped a field of 24 (13 Vizslas, 1 GWP, 5 GSP, and 5 Weim.) to finish the requirements for his field championship. Willie had already placed 2nd in the Open Limited Gun Dog on Saturday and came through with this brilliant win for owner/handler Tony Lucas in the final stake of the weekend. Tony playing it cool and smart, held Willie out of the middle stake of the Trial and struck for the juglar to scoop up top honors in the Amateur Gun Dog.

The Open Gun Dog (11 Vizslas, 2 GWP, 4 GSP, and 3 Weim) was won by that always deadly Dual & Am. F.Ch. Rippi of Webster Woodlands, who had already scored a 4th in the Open Limited Gun Dog. Ripci, running in the first brace on Sunday A.M. brilliantly worked his way through the course now studded with 16 loose birds. Everyone was happy that they didn't have to face all those birds in the first brace. Rippi, owned and handled by Ken Crago, converted this encounter with the bird-crate back course into another brilliant victory adding another blue to his already impressive string of victories.

The Derby featured a course in which the odd numbered braces headed straight away into the back areas of Green River and the even numbered braces came back. Rebel Rouser Winneshiek Mac snatched a third place from the field which included 9 Vizslas, 4 GWP, 3 GSP, and 1 Weim., The Judges indicated that there was only an eyelash of difference between First and Third Place in this stake. Kelly Donham, owner and handler of Mac can be proud of the job that Mac did in this stake.

Thanks must be given to all who helped make this trial the success that it was. Many, Club member and non-club members alike, worked their fannies off. There are three though who must get special recognition. Keith Crago, John Roach, and Jimmy Busch. These three young men planted birds for two days in the three Gun Dog Stakes. They never lost a bird and no dogs were lost as a result of poorly planted birds. Some dogs went birdless, but when this happened, subsequent braces faced a bonanza of birds in the birdfield (I personally watched two successive braces of dogs produce a total of 14 birds out of the birdfield). Few adults could have

done as well as these young men. The future of our breed, club, and nation is secure with talented young men as these growing up.

Placements for the entire trial were as follows:

Open Limited Gun Dog - 19 starters

1. Miss Keli's Tonya GWP) O/H Ken Wyderka
2. Brook's Willie Whompum (VI) O/H Tony Lucas
3. Checkmate's Dandy Debbie (GSP) O/H Jack Starr
4. Rippi of Webster Woodlands (VI) O/H Ken Crago

OPEN DERBY 17 starters

1. Vacari's Toma Hawk (GSP) O/H Phil Affrunti
2. Hanlock's Know Know Peggy Sue (GSP)
O/H Lynn Hadlock
3. Rebel Rouser Winneskiek Mac (VI)
O/H Kelly Donham
4. Withheld

OPEN GUN DOG - 20 starters

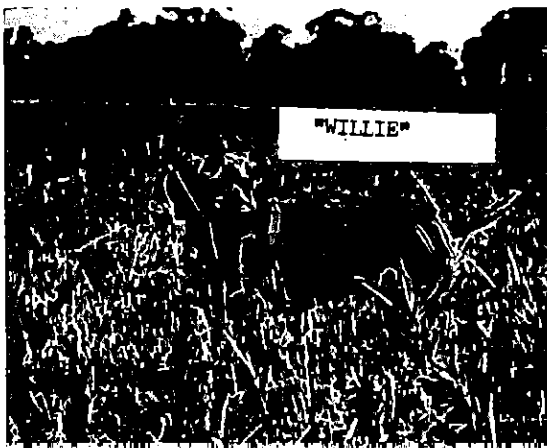
1. Rippi of Webster Woodlands (VI)
O/H Ken Crago
2. Anuhe Kuah'ea Lio(GSP)O/H D. Smythe
3. Amber Sunshine Cherie (VI)
O/H Dr. Gerry Paluska
4. Eljo's Piroaska Paprika (VI)
O/ M.Fowler, H/H. Wingerter

OPEN PUPPY - 11 starters

1. Judy B (VI)O/H Jim Busch
2. Dobie (VI) O/H R.Bakotic
3. Cline's Olympia Blitz (VI)
O/H J. Cline
4. Webster Woodlands Cassie(VI)
O/H K. Crago

AMATEUR GUN DOG - 24 starters

1. Brook's Willie Whompum(VI)
O/H Tony Lucas
2. FCH. Erdenreich's Viktor Grief
(GSP) O/H Burt Fletcher
3. Jodi's Jump-N-Bing-Bang Bucz
(VI) O/H James Busch
4. Eljo's Piroaska Paprika(VI)
O/M. Fowler, H/H. Wingerter



BEST WISHES FOR MANY
HAPPY YEARS IN THEIR FORTH-
COMING MARRIAGE - Nov. 29th.

DR. & MRS. GERRY PALUSKA

Judge: Maurice Baker

SHOWS

Open Dogs:

1. Brookwood's Roc O'Dez-Tsindee - O/H Maryam Ingraffia (BEST OF WINNERS)
2. Beautar's Nutzi Fagan O Hanovr - O/H Diane Stoeke reserve

Open Bitches:

1. Piper's Sunburst Abigale - O/H Judith Ciganek (Winers)
2. Puff the Golden Dragon - O/H Joyce Smith (reserve)
3. Dust N Miss Mini of Hanover -O/H D. Stoeke

Best of Breed: Ch. Chip Off Rip of Crested UD- O/H J. Cepulis

Best of Opposite Sex - Pipar's Sunburst Abigale

Sept. 21, 1975 - Steel City Kennel Club, Gary, Indiana Judge: J.D. Jones

Open Dogs:

1. Brookwood's Roc O'Dez-Tsindee - O/H M. Ingraffia (BEST OF WINNERS)
2. Beautar's Nutzi Fagan O Hanovr - O/H Diane Stoeke (reserve)

Open Bitches:

1. Dust N Miss Mini of Hanover - O/H D. Stoeke (Winners)
2. Puff the Golden Dragon - O/H J. Smith (reserve)

BEST OF BREED: Brookwood's ROC O

Best of Opposite Sex - Mini

Oct. 5, 1975 - Janesville-Beloit K.C. - Janesville, Wisc. Judge: Vincent Perry

Open Dogs:

1. Brookwood's Roc O'Dez-Tsindee - O/H M. Ingraffia (BEST OF WINNERS)

Open Bitches:

1. Puff the Golden Dragon - O/H Joyce Smith (Winners)
2. Timarka's Tcharo - O/H Carol Wonsor Reserve

BEST OF BREED: Chip O/ J. Cepulis H/ Bob Eldridge

Best of Opposite Sex - Puff the Golden Dragon

Oct. 12, 1975 - Skokie Valley Kennel Club, Arlington Hts, Ill.

Judge: Charles F. Hamilton

Open Dogs:

1. Brookwood's Roc O'Dez-Tsindee - O/H M. Ingraffia (BEST OF WINNERS)
2. Kays Piroška Golden Bullet - O/Marily Fowler H/C. Smith (Reserve)
3. Count Brok of Darien - O/H Hugh Morrow

Open Bitches:

1. Puff the Golden Dragon - O/H J. Smith (Winners)
2. Dust N Miss Mini of Hanover - O/H Sandy Masters-D. Stoeke (Reserve)
3. Arras Booger Red - O/H A. & Ann Lucas

BEST OF BREED - Brookwood's Roc O Dez-Tsindee -O/H M. Ingraffia

Best of Opposite Sex - Puff the Golden Dragon O/H J. Smith

SPECIALTY SHOW - 1976

Plans are in the making for next year's specialty show by Maryam Ingraffia and Joyce Smith. Fox River Valley K.C. has accepted the VCOI to hold it's Specialty in conjunction with their show. They will have a new location - Harper College, Palatine, Illinois. The grounds are thought of as far superior to any they've had before in so far as parking and size of showing area. A letter has been sent to VCOA requesting permission to hold our show on that date, which I believe to be Saturday the 29th of May 1976. We will proceed and keep everyone up to date with the plans thru this BULLETIN. This year we will be asking for TROPHY DONATIONS. Instead of a general trophy fund, we would like for the individual trophies to be donated by individuals, breeders, kennels, show exhibitors, etc. We plan to have their name published in the premium list and definately in the Show Catalogue. It's a good way of advertising, breeders, showing your

by writing, or calling 312-766-2984. Hopefully, in a few weeks, we can let you know approximately how much a trophy will cost, and what the deadline for printing will be. One thing for sure, The Kennel Club will probably have an early deadline of January 1976. Please let us know as soon as possible.

DOG SHOWS

Stone City Kennel Club - International Amphitheatre - Fri 10/31/75
Judge: Mrs. Winnifred Heckmann entries: 5/4/2

OPEN DOGS:

1. Brookwood's ROC O'Dez-Tsindee - O/H Maryann Ingrassia (BEST OF WINNERS)
2. Diamond K's Lusty of Hanover - O/K.Lowers, D.Stoake Handler: Joel Evans (Res)
3. Court Brok of Darien - O/H Hugh Morrow
4. RKeys Pirooka Golden Bullet - O/Marilyn Fowler Handler: Cristel Smith

OPEN BITCHES:

1. Missentop's Zabelle - O/J & D Louv - Handler: Erica Isaacs (WINNERS)
2. Mahagian Misty Moonlight - O/R & H Falk - Handler: ? (Res)
3. Dust N Miss Mini of Hanover - O/S.Masters & D.Stoake - H/ S. Masters
4. Puff the Golden Dragon - O/H Joyce Smith
BEST OF Breed: Ch Chip off Rip of Crestedj - O/J.Cepulis H/Bob Eldridge
Best of Opp. Sex Ch. Taunee's Cariann O/Lynn Worth H/Bob Stebbins

International Kennel Club - International Amphitheatre - Sat 11/1/75
Judge: Mr. Charles Kellogg ent. 7/6/2

AMER. BRED DOGS:

1. Diamond K's Lusty of Hanover - O/K.Lowers & D. Stoake H/ Diane Stoake

OPEN DOGS:

1. Brookwood's ROC O'Dez-Tsindee - O/H Maryann Ingrassia (BEST OF WINNERS)
2. RKey's Pirooka Golden Bullet - O/M.Fowler Handler: Cristel Smith (Res)
3. Beautar's Nutsi Fagan O Hanovr - O/H Diane Stoake
4. Piper's Tijuana Red - O/Val Piper - H/ ??

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH:

1. Dian Agi - O/H Elisabeth S. Walton

OPEN BITCHES:

1. Missentop's Zabelle - O/J & D Louv - Handler: Erica Isaacs (Winners)
2. Mahagian Misty Moonlight - O/ R & H Falk - Handler: ? (Reserve)
3. Dust N Miss Mini of Hanover - O/S.Masters & D.Stoake H/ S.Masters
4. Puff the Golden Dragon - O/H Joyce Smith
BEST of Breed: Ch.Chip off Rip of Crestedj O/J.Cepulis H/Bob Eldridge
Best of Opp. Sex: Missentop's Zabelle - open bitch
BEST OF WINNERS: BROOKWOODS ROC O

Note: This two show weekend at the same location provided us with entries from Connecticut, Minnesota, Michigan, Wisc., Cal., & Illinois. Hope that Stone City comes back to the Amph. again next year.

COLCOAST KENNEL CLUB B-JB Match - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1975
Confirmation and Obedience - Unbenched indoors - Union League Club Garage
Chicago, Illinois
Entries close 11/12/75 - Judge: Mr. John Cramer - Sporting Breeds
Contact: Match Secretary: Carol Jacobs, 64 W. Ohio St., Chicago, Ill.
60610

GOLDCOAST KENNEL CLUB obedience classes start Dec. 17th
Registrations close Dec. 5th. Novice and Advanced. Instructed by
John Hasibar - Course \$35.00, for information call: 664-4664
Also, CHICAGO AREA Conformation School - classes start Dec. 4th.
Phone 664-4664 .



DUAL CHAMPION - AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION
(PENDING A K C VERIFICATION)

JODI'S JUMP-N-BING-BANG BUCZ

Needing for almost a year only a Major Open Win to complete the requirements for his Field Championship, Bing Bang finished in a blaze of glory at the Vizsla Club of Greater Cleveland Field Trial (Fall '75) by winning the Open Gun Dog on Saturday and returning Sunday to win the Open Limited Gun Dog. These two brilliant victories in 80 degree heat and cover like a tropical jungle capped his winning career which began at the VCGC Spring '74 trial (his first broke dog stake) with a one point Open Gun Dog win in freezing temperatures and on terrain which featured snow, water, ice, and hoofprint pocked ground.

HIS STUD FEE will be \$250.00 for anyone who wishes to breed to him. HOWEVER, if the bitch has been approved by The Breed Improvement Committee of the VCOA, the fee will be \$125.00.

IN THANKS TO THE BREED, which has provided 10 years of competition and enjoyment, we are offering free stud service to the first ten bitches who request service and who meet the following requirements:

1. Approved by the VCOA Breed Improvement Committee
2. Competed in any two of Field, Show, or Obedience

Since we feel that everyone competes with a dog that he is proud of, wins are not necessary. Frank & Cynthia Hibler of Bedford, Ohio have accepted our offer and have bred Ch. Masha's Super Sara to Bing-Bang. The litter will be due the end of November, and therefore, will be 23 months old for the 1977 Fall Nationals and Futurity. Other breedings are scheduled and more information will be forthcoming. For pictures and pedigree contact:

JAMES V. BUSCH, R.R. #1, Poplar Grove, Illinois 61065 Phone: 815-765-2934

W H O I S J U D Y B ?

Pd. Ad.

- BACK:** To honor another dog's point by stopping on sight or command
- BACK CAST:** Turn back and hunt to the rear.
- BACKCOURSE:** Area covered in a trial before reaching birdfield.
- BIRDFIELD:** Area where birds are planted in a field.
- BIRD SENSE:** Natural ability to know where birds are.
- BLINK:** Avoid pointing a bird.
- BRACEMATE:** The accompanying dog in a brace.
- BREAK:** Move forward after establishing point when the bird has not moved at flush of bird.
- BREAKAWAY:** Start of a heat in a trial.
- BROKE:** Steady at wing and shot.
- BUMP:** Flush of bird by dog.
- CALL BACK:** Additional performance after completion of first series sometimes requested by judge for determination of placements.
- CAST:** A portion of the race; a movement toward an objective.
- CHECK CORD:** Long rope used as training aid.
- CLEAN BIRDWORK:** Pointing and holding correctly.
- COLLARING:** Taking a dog by the collar to send him on after a point and fly.
- CONFORMATION:** Build of a dog used in speaking of shows.
- CREEP:** Move slowly on point when bird has not moved.
- CUT COURSE:** Leave part of the course un hunted to prematurely work birdfield
- DELAYED CHASE:** Manners good at flush but subsequently chases birds.
- DELAYED SHOT:** Shot fired well after bird is beyond normal shooting range.
- FLAG:** Violent motion of tail while on point OR hair on end of tail.
- FLUSH:** To cause bird to fly.
- GALLERY:** Spectators at a field trial.
- GUNSHY:** Afraid of gun, evidenced by running away or quitting hunting.
- HACK:** Continually gives commands to keep a dog close.
- HEEL:** Walks by person's side.
- HONOR:** (See back.)
- LIMITED:** Restricted in range.
- LINE RUNNING:** Running in straight lines without hunting.
- MARK:** Observe where a dead bird falls.
- MARSHALL:** Assistant to the Judge in a trial.
- MECHANICAL:** Works by direction only, not showing any initiative.
- OUT OF JUDGEMENT:** Gone from sight too long in a trial.
- PATTERN:** Overall form of a dog's race.
- PICKED UP:** Withdrew from competition after an error.
- PICKUP:** The end of a brace in a trial
- PLANTED BIRDS:** Man-raised birds released (usually with head under wing) for training dogs or in the birdfield at trials.
- POTTERING:** Spending much time smelling old scents.
- QUARTERING:** Covering the ground consistently in a right to left pattern in front of handler.
- RACE:** A dog's complete ground coverage.
- RANGE:** Distance the dog is ahead of the handler.
- RELOCATE:** Move up following a moving bird after establishing point. Usually done at handler's command.
- RETRIEVE:** Bring back a down bird.
- ROADING:** Following a moving bird or hot scent OR exercising a dog with a harness.
- RUNNING GEAR:** The dog's legs.
- SECOND SERIES:** (See Call Back)
- STAUCHE:** Usually used with "on point" meaning not moving after once establishing point.
- STEADY:** Usually used with "at wing and shot" meaning the dog does not chase birds.
- STEAL POINT:** Moves in front of pointing dog and points.

TICKED; Spots smaller than belton and not as numerous, being mostly on muzzle and front legs.

TRAIL; Follows a moving bird OR follows another dog in motion

UNPRODUCTIVE; Said of a point where no bird can be found.

UNSTEADY; Breaks point or breaks at wing or shot.

WING; The flight of a bird.

V.C.O.I. Fld. placements

9/27-28/75 Vizsla Club of Gr. Cleveland

Open Puppy 1. W.W. Cassie O/H Ken Crago

3. Barat's Sundown Mist A Dillion O/H Mike Florian

Open Gun Dog 1. Ch & Am.Ch. Jodi's Jump N Bing Bang Bucz O/H Jim Busch

2. Rippi of Webster Woodlands O/H Ken Crago

Am. Gun Dog 1. Spring Creek Sunshine O/H Dr. G.M. Paluska

Open Limited Gun Dog. 1. Ch. & Am.F.Ch. Jodi's Jump N Bing Bang Buca- J.Busch

2. Du.& A.Fld Ch. Rippi of W.Woodlands - O/H Ken Crago

G.S.P. of Nebraska - 32 ent.

Amateur Gun Dog. 3rd. Amber Sunshine "Cherie" - O/H G. Paluska

G.S.P. of Wisconsin

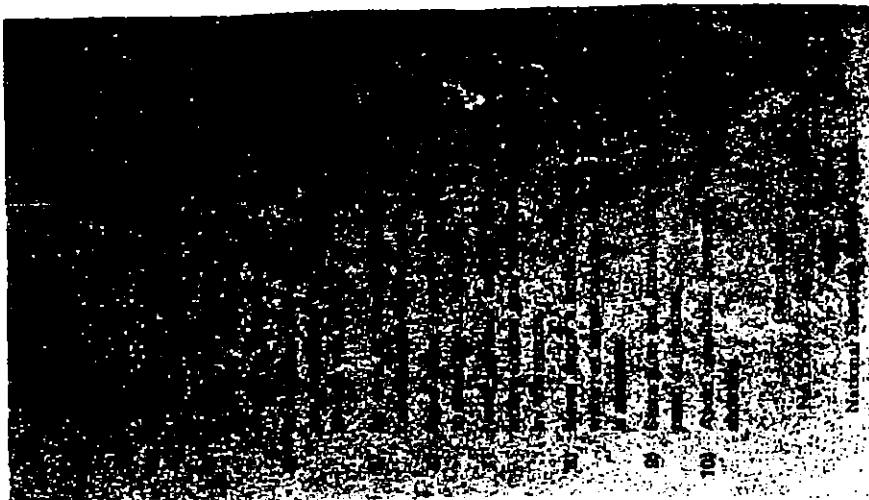
Am. Gun Dog - 2nd. Bing Bang - O/H J. Busch

4th Brook's Willie Whompum - O/H Tony Lucas

Ft. Detroit G.W.P. Club Highland Mich. 10/18-19,1975

O.L. Gun Dog 1. Brook's Will Whompum - O/H T. Lucas

Am. Gun Dog. 1. Brook's Willie Whompum - O/H Tony Lucas



NOW THAT WE'RE IN FULL SWING OF "OPEN SEASON" her in Illinois, good luck to all you hunters - Dorothy & Phil Rosenberg thought some of these questions & ans. taken from Sports Afield's "A Quiz for ringneck hunters" would be of interest....

THE RING-NECKED PHEASANT IS REALLY A WILD CHICKEN FROM THE ORIENT. HIS CROWING RIVAL'S THAT OF A BARNYARD ROOSTER: HE RESEMBLES A GAME COCK, WITH THE SAME WILD EYES, LONG, SPURRED LEGS AND PUGNACIOUS TEMPERAMENT. AS WITH CHICKENS, FLYING DOES NOT COME EASY FOR THE RINGNECK. EVEN WHEN PRODDED BY GUNFIRE, HIS FLIGHT IS SELDOM MORE THAN A FEW HUNDRED YARDS. SNOWBOUND IN ZERO WEATHER, HE CAN SURVIVE FOR WEEKS WITHOUT FOOD -

A family of lions is called a pride, and a family of geese is a gaggle. What's the proper English term for a hen pheasant and her brood of chicks?

A hen pheasant and her chicks are collectively called a NIDE. (Knowing things like that won't help you bag a single pheasant, but most hunters enjoy learning).

In gunning for ringnecks, most misses result from:

- A) shooting too soon
- B) shooting too late
- C) shooting too low
- D) insufficient lead

Insufficient lead is far and away the prime cause of misses, and shooting too low is second. A cock pheasant, with its stubby wings, blocky body and long, trailing tail, looks both larger and slower than it really is. The best pheasant gunners consciously or unconsciously learn to disregard most of the silhouette and concentrate on the head, or at any rate the forward third of the body, so they're leading a solid target instead of just feathers.

It seems as if no lead should be necessary with such a lumbering bird, so certainly (without a tailwind) it's going no faster than:

- A) 25 miles an hour
- B) 30 miles an hour
- C) 35 miles an hour
- D) 40 miles an hour

Well, about 40. A cock riding a good wind can rival a duck. Since even a bobwhite (admittedly a much smaller, trickier target) seldom tops 35 miles an hour, the pheasant is hardly the slowest of upland birds.

Hens are never legal game except on preserves: True or False?

False. In some states (and counties within states) one hen is allowed in the daily limit if pre-season surveys have indicated a high population for the habitat's carrying capacity.

Every wing shooter knows the ringneck is a bird of the cornfields. But if you're not in corn country, there are other fields to try. Can you name at least two other farm crops that are favorite foods?

over much of the national range seem to be most strongly attracted to fields of wheat, oats, barley and soybeans when they're not in the corn. Especially during the first couple of weeks of the season, if you don't limit out in the usual crop fields, try all the nearby hayfields and fairly open areas that have tall grasses and brush.

Consistently successful hunters know wild-food patches frequently attract birds. All of the following are preferred foods, but (assuming equal availability) do you know which two are the top choices?

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| blackberry | <input type="checkbox"/> | sumac | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| lespedeza | <input type="checkbox"/> | foxtail | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | |

Foxtail and ragweed.

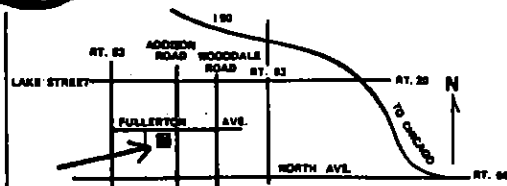
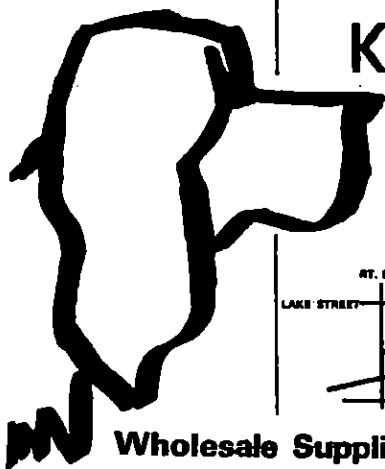
There are open seasons on ringnecks in four Canadian provinces and 36 of our states (not counting states where pheasant hunting is strictly a shooting-preserve deal). The northernmost limit of this "natural" range is:

- just above Canada's border
- 200 miles north of the border
- 400 miles north of the border
- just below the Northwest Territories

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(not winged or otherwise prevented from flying) has been known to run:

300 yards a quarter-mile
a half-mile a full mile

Even allowing for errors or exaggeration in marking and measuring a bird's course a perfectly airworthy rooster has been known to run a full mile.

A big, powerful rooster bursts out of a goldenrod clump and you miss, but you have the sense to watch him down into cover. How far is he likely to fly?

150-200 yards 200-300 yards
a quarter-mile a half-mile

Normal flight after a flush is 200-300 yards (though there are much longer flights now and then) which means most missed birds are definitely worth following especially if you have a dog to work the area where you've marked the bird down.

Ringnecks are most likely to skulk and run early in the season, when there's plenty of thick ground cover to hide a reluctant flier: True or False?

False. Ringnecks hold tighter and flush better early in the season; the thick cover seems to make them feel safe until danger is close, and then they panic and cackle into the air.

The Midwest and parts of the West remain the best pheasant regions but the top states have shifted. Of the following states, which four are the hottest if you're planning a pheasant trip?

North Dakota Idaho Illinois Kansas
Michigan Nebraska South Dakota
Indiana Iowa Minnesota

Idaho, Nebraska, Iowa and Illinois. Last year south-central Idaho was probably the nation's top producer.

The ring-necked pheasant is the only non-native species ever chosen as a state bird. It's the official bird of:

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PHEASANT AND RICE CASSEROLE

2 Pheasant
1 can cream of mushroom soup
1 can cream of celery soup
1 chopped green pepper
1 sm. onion chopped
1 sm. can mushroom bits & stems
and liquid
salt & pepper to taste
2 C. minute rice
1 to 1½ c. pheasant broth

Steam pheasant till meat separates from bones. Remove meat; place in 3 qt. casserole. Add soups; mix well. Add pepper, onion & mushrooms. Season to taste with salt & pepper. Sprinkle rice over mixture. Add broth. Bake at 325° for 1 hour. Yield: 8 servings.

QUAIL POTATOE CASSEROLE

6 to 8 Quail Breasts
1 egg, beaten
Fine bread crumbs
2 cans boiled potatoes
2 cans mushroom soup
1 sm. can mushrooms
salt & pepper to taste

Bread quail breasts by dipping in egg and bread crumbs. Place in skillet; brown. Transfer quail to deep casserole. Slice potatoes on top of quail. Add mushrooms and mushroom soup. Stir to mix potatoes and soup. Season to taste. Bake in 350° degree oven for 45 min. or until quail is done. Add water if necessary. Yield: 6-8 servings.

SAVE THAT DRUMSTICK - ...taken from '74 Sports Afield Alm.

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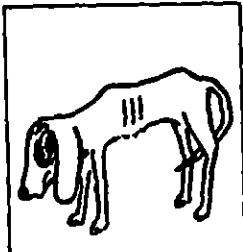
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ON OUR COVER..... FLD. CHAMPION BROOK'S WILLIE" WHOMPUM, (pending AKC approval) was bred by Owner/Handler Tony Lucas, from Outstanding Dam: Dual Ch. & AFC Brook's Amber Mist and sired by Dual, AFC. Can & Mex. Ch. Int.Ch. "Sir Lancelot". "Willie" finished the requirement of field champion at The V.C.O.I. Spring Field trial Sept. 21 with a first place in the Amateur Gun Dog Stake. Congratulations are in order for Tony and his fine 3½ year old male Vizsla.

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