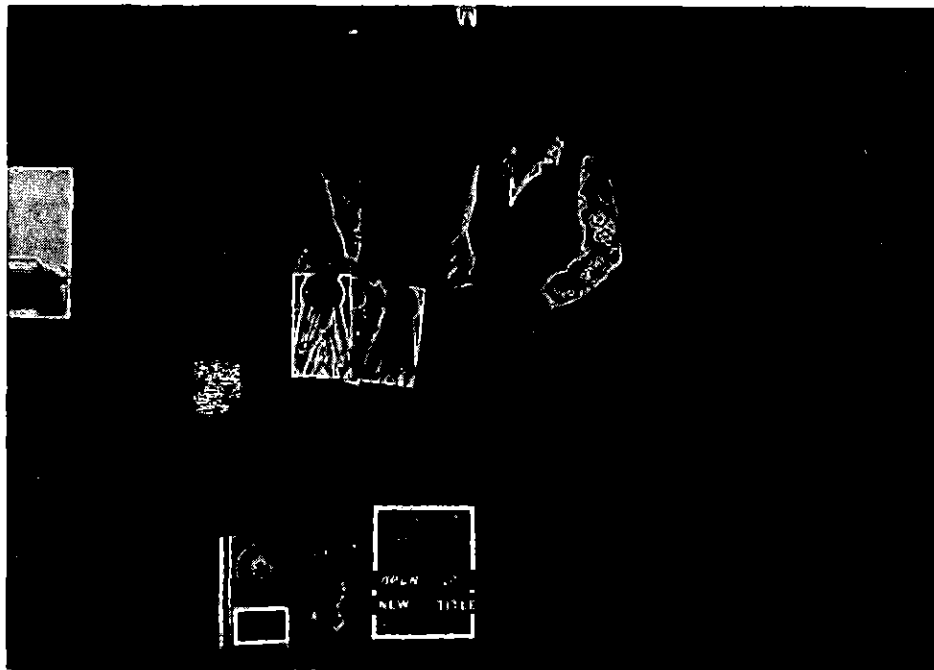




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With the enclosed membership dues, I agree to abide by the Vizsla Club
of Illinois Constitution and By-laws.

MEETING MINUTES

The regular meeting of the VCOI was called to order by President Roy Greffin at 9:20pm on 11/13/87. Secretary Gwen Tomlinson read the minutes from the previous meeting. Lois Greffin motioned, Rose Crago seconded, to accept the minutes. Passed by a voice vote. Treasurer Iris Pechota related an adequate bank balance.

Fall Field Trial Chairman Jim Busch reported that the trial broke even and was a success. Also the Fun Trial made money. He suggested a standardized field trial financial report so a more accurate assessment might be made in the future. There was one dog disqualified for lack of a reg. number on the entry form. Jim suggested we read our insurance policy to see what it covers. Roy Greffin said that according to Terry Musser we are covered for everything. Rose Crago suggested that we include this information in the trial book. Harry Ruffner volunteered to check out the insurance policy if given a copy.

Geno Woehrle, National Events Combined Chairman awarded plaques in appreciation for assisting with the Nationals to Lois & Roy Greffin, Cheryl Woehrle, Kathy Harmer, George Peirce, Gwen Tomlinson, Rose Crago, Sue & Randy Boggs, Ann & Tony Lucas, Linda & Jim Busch, and Cris & Tom Gaulke. He said that we had all worked together and pulled it off and deserved a pat on the collective back (VCOI). Many favorable comments have been heard and it is a matter of record that this Nationals had the largest entry for both the field and show events.

Roy called on Ann Lucas as Hunting Test Chairperson to report. Ann said that pending AKC approval a Sanctioned A test is planned for Feb. 21st, (ED. NOTE: THE AKC HAS DENIED OUR REQUEST FOR APPROVAL DUE TO ANOTHER BREED HUNTING TEST WHICH IS ALREADY SCHEDULED IN THIS AREA ON THE 21st.) with Junior, Senior and Master Hunter being offered. It will be on the west grounds at DesPlaines, open to all pointing breeds, with quail and pheasants being used. Judges are Geno Woehrle, Vern Fasse, Jim Busch and Tony Lucas. We will need gunners, bird planters and someone to total points.

The nominating committee for 1988 Officers and Board members is Rose Crago, Ann Lucas and Geno Woehrle.

Lois motioned, Tony seconded to adjourn the meeting. Passed by a voice vote.

EDITOR'S CORNER

CONGRATULATIONS to Dave Lee of Minnesota and Ch. Solo on their finish as Runner-Up in the National Shoot to Retrieve Association's NATIONAL TRIAL in November. Haven't gotten all of the details from Dave, but I understand that Solo gave the eventual winner a real run for the title. GOOD SHOW!

Our condolences go out to Ann and Tony Lucas on the death of Tony's uncle in December.

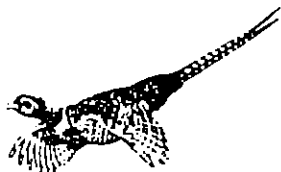
January is traditionally a time to look back on the past year, as well as to look ahead to the new year. The VCOI certainly had a year full of events, with two big field trials, a very successful specialty show, three fun trials PLUS hosting the 1987 National Events. Whew! Now that's a lot of action, and that doesn't include pheasant season, which saw many VCOI members and dogs converging on Green River Conservation Area. (Our freezer is full! Does anyone have any good pheasant recipes?)

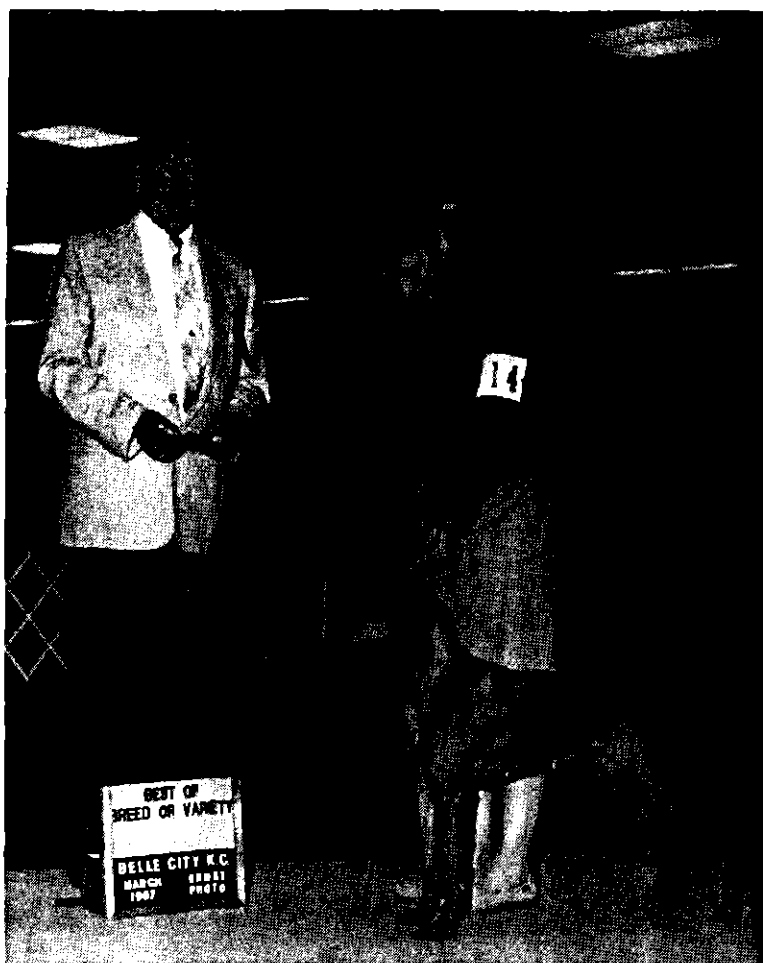
So where is the VCOI headed in 1988? In addition to our usual events, we are investigating dates for a Sanctioned "A" Hunting Test. What else? Well, that depends on all of us. What kinds of events would be beneficial to club members and our Vizslas? What kinds of events would you be willing to help plan, organize and participate in? If you have an idea, come to our next club meeting to share it! Let's make 1988 a great one for the VCOI!

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COVER PHOTO

Congratulations! to new CDX title-holder Ch. Kalypso Kopy Kap Kodi, CDX and owners Gwen Tomlinson and Howard and Jayne Coneybeare. Gwen and Kodi are pictured at the National Specialty Show in October when he finished his CDX in grand fashion taking 1st place in Open A with a score of 192. Kodi scored 191 1/2 and 192 1/2 in achieving the 1st and 2nd legs on his title. CONGRATULATION, GWEN & KODI!





NEW TITLE! Another new VCOI champion! **Ch. Rustic Way's Ria Vadasz** finished on Nov. 14th, 1987 at the Lima Kennel Club Show. She is pictured above going Best of Breed at the Belle City Show. Proud owner is Debi Sauriol of Delphi, In.

In Memory of **BROOKS ROUGE MAGDA** 12/22/71 - 10/24/87

Maggie taught me all I know about bird hunting and also helped Duke get started. Duke says he's just a little jealous now that Maggie can hunt birds every day, while he has to wait for the weekends.

Chuck Boegel

A look back at 1987





1987 National Amateur Field Champion
'85NFC, FC Sam's Starbuck



Placements!

MORE FALL FIELD TRIAL RESULTS

VIZSLA CLUB OF MICHIGAN, 9/26/87-9/27/87

Amateur Limited Gun Dog

2nd - DC/AFC Popple Dungeon What a Dickens, h/Debby Fridlund

3rd - DC Askim, h/Jim Busch

4th - Willie's Pal Gus, h/ Tony Lucas

Open Derby

1st - Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge, h/Mark Johnson

4th - Linden's Durango Kid, h/Denny Keeton

Open Puppy

1st - Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge

3rd - Keystone's Ishah, h/Debby Fridlund

Miami Valley Vizsla Club, 10/10/87-10/11/87

Open Gun Dog

1st - DC Askim

Open Derby

1st - Linden's Dakota Ranger, h/Denny Keeton

4th - Linden's Durango Kid

Amateur Gun Dog

1st - DC Askim

2nd - Camarily Sand Dollar, h/Bob Sloane

Amateur Limited Gun Dog

1st - DC Askim

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Open Limited Gun Dog

1st - DC/AFC Popple Dungeon What a Dickens

Open Puppy

1st - Camarily Cameo, h/Bob Sloane

3rd - Keystone's Ishah

Cincinnati Weimaraner Club

Open Derby

1st - Linden's Durango Kid

3rd - Linden's Dakota Ranger

HAWKEYE VIZSLA CLUB

Open Limited Gun Dog

2nd - DC/AFC Camarily Sandman, h/Bill Gibbons

AKC PUBLICATIONS

The American Kennel Club offers subscriptions to its publications which are of interest to fanciers of pure-bred dogs. The monthly magazine published by the AKC is **Pure Bred Dogs/American Kennel Gazette**, a full-feature magazine which covers topics of general interest, Specialty Show reports, and Breed columns. Along with the magazine, you receive each month a listing of AKC approved shows, obedience trials, field trials and hunting tests. The yearly subscription rate is \$18 per year. To order a Gazette subscription by phone, call (212) 696-8226. To order by mail, send a check or money order for \$18 with your name and address to: Pure Bred Dogs/American Kennel Gazette, 51 Madison Ave., New York, N.Y. 10010.

Newer on the scene is **The Hunter's Whistle**, a bi-monthly newsletter which provides information on Hunting Tests and other field activities, as well as general articles on pet health, book reviews, training tips, etc. Subscription cost is \$6 per year. To order, send a check or money order for \$6, along with your name, address and phone number to: American Kennel Club, Attn: Hunter's Whistle, 51 Madison Ave., New York, N.Y. 10010.

There are also other less-well known publications including the Stud Book Register, booklets outlining the rules and regulations for Field Trials, shows, etc. For information on these, call the AKC at (212) 696-8226.

Show Wins

Polar Kap's Rosie Vizion, o/Gwen Tomlinson & Kathy Harmer
WB/BOW/BOB - Kenosha KC, WB/BOW/BOS - Freeport KC,
WB/BOW/BOS - Rock River KC, WB/BOW/BOB - Stone City KC,
WB/BOW/BOS - Janesville/Beloit KC, WB/BOB - International
KC of Chicago, WB/BOS - Kishwaukee KC, WB/BOB - Fox River
Valley KC, WB/BOW/BOB - Goldcoast KC, WB/BOW/BOB - York-
ville KC, WB/BOW/BOB - Skokie Valley KC

Polar Kap's MVP, o/Michael Carroll & Mark Disanti
WD - Janesville/Beloit KC

Ch. Polar Kap's Four on the Floor, o/Kathy Harmer
BOB - Janesville/Beloit KC, BOB - Kishwaukee KC

Dallery's Hunter, o/Karen & David Perry
WD/BOS - Goldcoast KC

Upcoming Events

SHOWS (*Obedience Trial in conjunction with Show)

Monday & Tuesday, 2/8/88 and 2/9/88, Westminster KC, New York City, Benched. The group and Best in Show judging for this show is often broadcast on the cable channel USA Network.

Saturday, 2/27/88, Waukesha KC, Waukesha, Wi. Closes 2/10/87. Crowe, superintendent.

Sunday, 2/28/88, Burlington Wisconsin KC, Waukesha, Wi. closes 2/10/88. Crowe.

*Saturday 3/5/88, Three Rivers KC of Missouri, Bellville, Il. closes 2/17/88. Sleeper.

*Sunday, 3/6/88, Belle-City KC, Belleville, Il. closes 2/17/88. Sleeper

*Sunday, 3/6/88. Cudahy KC, West Allis, Wi. closes 2/17/88. Sleeper.

^ Saturday, 3/19/88, Evansville KC, Louisville, Ky. closes 3/2/88. Sleeper

*Sunday, 3/20/88, Louisville, KC, Louisville, Ky. closes 3/2/88. Onofrio.

*Monday, 3/21/88, Bloomington, Indiana KC, Louisville, Ky., closes 3/2/88. Onofrio.

*Tuesday, 3/22/88, KC of Columbus, Indiana, Louisville, Ky., closes 3/2/88. Onofrio.

*Sunday, 3/27/88, Dubuque KC, Dubuque, Ia. closes 3/9/88. Onofrio.

Friday, 4/1/88, Kettle Moraine KC, Chicago, Il. closes 3/16/88. Crowe.

*Saturday, 4/2/88, Blackhawk KC, Chicago, Il. BENCHED. closes 3/16/88 Crowe

*sunday, 4/3/88, International KC of Chicago, Chicago, Il. BENCHED. Closes 3/16/88. Crowe

Sunday, 4/10/88, Sandemac KC, Decatur, Il. closes 3/23/88. Onofrio.

*Saturday, 4/16/88, Steel City KC, Hammond, In. closes 3/30/88. Sleeper.

SHOWS

*Sunday, 4/17/88, Lake Shore KC, Hammond, In. closes
3/30/88. Sleeper

TRACKING TESTS

Sunday 4/10/88 - TD test, Gateway Tracking Club,
Edwardsville, Il.

Sunday 3/20/88 - TDX test, Fox Valley Training Club,
St. Charles Il.

Sunday, 3/27/88 - TDX test, Rand Park Dog Training Club,
Barrington Hills, Il.

Sunday 4/3/88 - TDX test, Pecatonica Tracking Club,
Rockford, Il.

Sunday 4/10/88, - TDX test, Gateway Tracking Club,
Edwardsville, Il.

FIELD TRIALS

VIZSLA CLUB OF ILLINOIS, March 5-6, 1988. DesPlaines Wild.
Area, Joliet. Entry forms available at the Fun Trial 2-21
or from Bill Elliott at 815-648-4209

VIZSLA CLUB OF GREATER CLEVELAND, April 2-3, 1988, Killdeer

MIAMI VALLEY VIZSLA CLUB, April 9-10, 1988. Cherrybend.

* SPRING FUN TRIAL - ATTN: NEW PUPPY OWNERS *

* What better way to get you and your dog out of the *
* winter blahs? Come join us at the Spring Fun Trial *
* on February 21, 1988 at DesPlaines Wildlife Area *
* West Grounds (south of Joliet on I-55 to Wilmington *
* Road exit - west to grounds). Starts 8AM. *

* We will be holding a puppy field introduction *
* seminar which will help you get your young dog *
* started on birds. Fun Trials are a relaxed and *
* informal way to help you draw on your dog's natural *
* ability and pointing instinct. *

* Order of events: 1st-Broke Dog Stake, 2nd-Puppy *
* Field Introduction Seminar, 3rd-Unbroke Gun Dog *
* Stake, 4th-Derby (young) Dog. *

* There will be a modest \$5 fee per entry to cover *
* bird costs. Come prepared! Dress warmly and pack *
* a lunch. SEE YOU THERE!?! *

