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THE BULLETIN



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THE VIZSIA CLUB OF ILLINOIS, INC. endorses the efforts of organizations such as the Vizsia 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 HORMAL BREEDING STOCK AT ALL TIMES!

CLUB MEETINGS:

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

WHERE: The Home of The Pecora's

237 S. Judson St.

Bensenville, Illinois (312-595-0349)

TIME: 8:30 P.M.

DRESS: Casual & REFRESHMENTS SERVED

NEW VIZSLA OWNERS AND GUESTS ARE WELCOME!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- JAN. 17 Wheaton K.C. Dog Show (VCOI donates trophy to B.O.W.)
 - 21 Vizsla Club of Illinois ANNUAL MEETING New Officers elected
 - 25 Wisconsin K.C. Dog Show, Milwaukee, Wisc.
- FEB. 1 Muncie K.C. Dog Show, Mincie, Indiana Webb, Supt.
 - 8 Macomb County K.C., Warren Mi. Jones 15 Marion K.C. Dog Show, Marion, Indiana (entry close 1/28) Jones
 - 15 So. Eastern Iowa K.C., Ottumwa, Iowa Jones

 - 29 Belle-City K.C. Show, Belleville, Ill. Jones

MARCH

- 6-7 V.C.O.I. Spring Field Trial (see article)
- Crowe. 7 Detroit K.C. Show, Detroit Mi. 14 Genessee County K.C. Dog Show, Flint, Mich. Crowe 21 Dubuque K.C. Dog Show, Dubuque, Iowa (entry closes 3/3) Onofrio
- IF you know of an event coming, Fld. trial, Show, Match, or whatever, Let us know - thanks.

WELCOME NEW HEMBER

James Voris, Schaumburg, Illinois McDermotts have moved to Endwell, New York - Good Luck, and keep in

The Presidents Corner

touch.

The time for the changing of our panel of officers and directors is here again. (It's strange how the years are starting to ass faster and faster and January seems to occur more frequently these days.) At the November business meeting. your nominating committee, effectively chaired by John Pecora, presented the

Slate as follows: President: Phil Rosenberg Vice President; Pete Ingraffia

Secretary: Ann Lucas

Treasurer: Iris Pechota Board Members: Helen Malicek, Tony Lucas, Beverly Pecora

Because we had one person only nominated for each office, a formal election was unnessary and all of the candidates were elected by acclamation. I wish all of you well and hope you will enjoy your tenure in office as much as I have. The Vizsla Club of Illinois has many activities planned for 1976. These in-

clude fun trial(s), field trials, picnics, show, entertainment at meetings, and of course, the Annual Christmes Party. There is much available to you take advantage of it and enjoy yourself along with our fine Breed.

Before closing, a special thanks must go to Iris Pechota--one of the real backbone in our Club. This year's Christmas Party was again organized by Iris and was a Hugh Success. My tenure as President would not have been possible without people like Iris and to her and the rest of the '76 slate of officers ---GOOD LUCK!

FEATURED ON OUR COVER THIS MONTH 1s CHAMPION BROOKWOOD'S "ROC O" DEZ-TSINDEE, owned and handled to his title by Maryann Ingraffia. "ROC O," bred by Pete Wonser out of V.C.O.A. National Specialty Winners and Top Producers,

Ch. Debreceny Dezso x Ch. Timarkas Tsindee of Amber, CD. First time show, RCC O earned major points, then finished at The International Kennel Club,

Chicago, Ill, under Judge Charles Kellop going best of Winners both days of a two show week-end. He is a good looking outgoing male who's first love is the field.

THE November 19th meeting of the VCOI with 15 members present came to order at 9:00pm at the home of John Pecora...... Guests were Mr. Al Foster and Mr. Don Carlson...... Iris Pechota volunteered refreshments for the January meeting Secretary's report from the Sept. meeting was given Helen Malicek made a motion to accept. 2nded by John Ewers....... Treasurer's report was given. Dorothy Rosenberg made motion to accept as read, 2nded by Beverly Pecora COMMITTEE REPORTS: The Christmas party will be Dec. 6th and will include a family style dinner-games-gifts(everyone gets a fift) SHOW SPECIALTY committee reported the show will be at the Fox River Valley K.C. in Palatine May 29th (pending AKC approval). Maryann Ingraffia made a motion that the VCOI shall offer a trophy for the highest scoring Vizela in obedience at the P.R.V.K.C. the same day as the Spec. show. John Ewers 2nded. All ayes..Individual donations are preferred for each class and names will be printed in the show catalogue. Anyone wishing to donate for their favorite class can contact Maryann Ingraffia. See cover...... NEW BUSINESS.....Jim Busch, Maryann Ingraffia, and Tony Lucas were congratulated and toasted on their airman, Dorothy Rosenberg, Secretary .. committee members. John Pecora, John Evers, Tony Lucas, Maryann and Pete Ingraffia..... A question of whether we had a permanent date in March or not was caked. No one knew at this time. We are down for a fun trial wknd in Feb. at DesPlaines..... Nominating Committee reported people running for offices are President: Phil Rosenberg,-V.P.: Pete Ingraffia, Secretary: Ann Lucas and Treasurer: Iris Pechota On the Board: Helen Malicek, Beverly Pecora, and Tony Since no one is running against another person for an office the club may handle the election alittle bit different to save time and expense....... Hotton to adjourn at 10:00pm was made by John Pecora about the pro's and con's of hunting, an educational movie good for both hunters and non-hunters to see

ANNOTHER WINNER

Good Nature is the beauty of the mind and, like personal beauty, wins almost without anything else; sometimes, indeed, in spite of positive deficiencies.

A dog's tombstone near Chevy Chase, Md. bears this epitaph: DEAR MASTER: I've explained to St. Peter I'd rather stay here, outside of the pearly gates. I won't be a nuisance, I won't even bark. I'll be very patient and wait. I'll lie here and chew a celestial bone, no matter how long you may be. I miss you so much. If I want in alone, It wouldn't be heaven for me"



CONTACT TONY LUCAS, 404 N. Park St., Westmont, Ill. (312) 964-1219 60559 PUPPIES DUE EARLY FEBRUARY

F.Ch. Hubertus Aprod D.Ch.& Am.F.Ch. Sir Lancelot Neshanica

SIRE: Ftc., Am.F.Ch. BROOK'S WILLIE WHOMPUM

Ridgeland's Copper Gypsy Du.Ch.&Aftc. Brook's Amber Mist Ridgeland's Olca Selle

Distelfink's First Raitt Ftc. & Aftc. Randy Duke Mid-Summer's Fawn

Ch. Brook's Berry Mist

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HEART WORM STUDY HAS ENCOURAGING RESULTS. as printed in Dec. 1975 issue of "Hunting Dog" Magazine, submitted by Joyce Smith

A study to improve methods for the diagnosis of heartworms in dogs has been completed at the Papanicolaou Cancer Research Institute, Miami, with encouraging results.

Norman H. Altman, V.M.D., reported the purpose of the study was to develop a means to induce microfilariae (the immature stages of the heartworm) to circulate in dogs infected with the disease. This would make it easier for veterinarians to diagnose heartworms using standard laboratory techniques currently available.

One of the more common methods of diagnosis is through finding these immature stages of the worm circulating in the blood. A dog may be heavily infested with the parasite and require treatment but have circulating levels of microfilariae too low to be detected.

The study to improve methods of neys. Dogs with heartworms ma diagnosis was funded by The Seeing lethargic, usually have a cough. Eye, Inc., Morristown, N. J., may have skin trouble, loss through Morris Animal Founda-weight, dull hair coals and I tion, Denver.

Heartworm disease in dogs is death. widespread throughout the country. The disease can cause serious have found that dexamethasor damage to the dog and is difficult to corticosteroid drug, did incr treat once it reaches advanced the number of microfilariae stages. Early diagnosis and treatment are therefore important.

For heartworms to go through their various stages of development in a dog takes from four to six that may be used in diagnosis months. The diagnosis is based on not effective and and can even c finding the immature worms, which the number of circulating worr are the end product of the life cycle. decrease. so by the time the immature worms can be detected the parasites have projects, this one raised many c been in the dog for at least three, and perhaps five or six, months,

The worms actually obstruct the The Seeing Eye, Inc., and M flow of blood in the heart and may

stamina. The disease can resul

Dr. Altman and his research t culating through the blood, ma diagnosis more accurate.

They also found that other d that may be used in diagnosis

Dr. Altman said, "As with tions which have yet to answered. Thanks to the suppo Animal Foundation, I can con also affect the lungs, liver and kid- to work in this important area

VIZSLA CLUB OF ILLINOIS LIBRARY, contains many excellect books, available to members to use. Again, we wish to remind you this collection of books is for your enjoyment, whether your need be educational or pure reading pleasure. We have added copies of AKC's GAZETTE, which feature Show, Field Trial & Obedience articles. Always, Good Reading under Breed Section is column by May Carpenter, reporter from Vizsla Club of America.

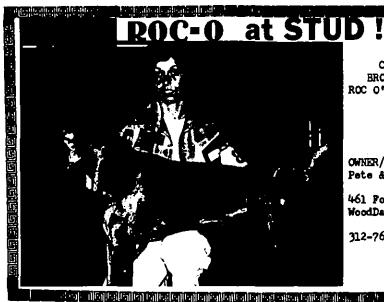
A Book you'll want for your own is "The Decade of Vizslas". It is a pricele: book, a work of many many hours of research and compiling of facts by dedicated people - with over 200 pictures and pedigrees - Dual Champions, trial placements, futurity winners, Show Champions, Field Champions, Top Winners, Top Producers, Obedience Degrees between the years 1960 - 1970. You can send for a copy of your own by sending \$11.50 plus 75# postage and handling to:

Mrs. Barbara Berlenbach 15 Middle Court Mill Valley, California 94941 Judge: Harold K. Bishop

SWONE

BEST OF BREED - Ch. Brookwood's Roc O'Dez-Tsindee O/H Maryann Ingraffia OPEN BITCH: 2nd. Puff the Dragon - O/H Joyce Smith

Kankakee Kennel Club 12/6/75 Judge: R. Renihan 3-1-0 Open Dog, B.O.B. "Red" O/H Phil & Dorothy Rosenberg



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MATCH RESULTS

Goldcoast Kennel Club B-OB MATCH Nov. 23, 1975 Judge: John M Cramer

Puppy 4-6 mo. class B.O.B. "Milton Sunshine" O/H Helene Magiciek Open Dog - Diamond K's Lusty of Hanover O/H D.Stoeke B.O.B. Open Bitch - Puff the Golden Dragon O/H Joyce Smith

Coming Match: submitted by Joyce Smith SUNDAY FEB. 15, 1976

The Park Shore Kennel Club, Inc. presents a sanctioned MAM Match for all breeds, and Junion Showmanship classes. The Show will be from 8:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M. and held at Buffalo Grove High School Fieldhouse, 1100 W. Dundee Rd., Buffalo Grove, Ill. (Route 68 and Arliagthn Hts. Rd.) Entry fee: \$4.00, closing date FEB 5th. Mail Entries to Nancy Fingerhut, Match Chairman, 825 Hazel Ave., Deerfield, Ill. 60015 or CALL: 945-4819 or 679-4646 (There will be an extra copy of this premium list at club meeting on the 21st of January if needed. This is a good epportunity to start young dogs on entering the show circuit this coming season. Matches are competitive practice sessions-no AKC points are given, ribbons are, and they'll give the baginner an idea of what to expect at an AKC All-Breed Show.

SUPERINTENDENTS FOR COMING SHOWS ARE; Roy Jones, P.O. BOX 307, Garrett, Indiana 46738 Onofrio, Jack P.O. BOX 25764, Oklahoma City, Ok. 73125 WESS, 500 North St., P.O. Box546, Auburn, Indiana 46706 Scheduled Judge will be Ellsworth Howell. We requested individual trop donations this year (Nov. '75 issue of Bulletin) but will not discourag those wanting to donate to a general fund. As of this date the follow have donated trophies; their names will appear next to the class in the premium list and show catalog --THANKS LOADS FOLKS:

Associated Kennel Supply, Addison, Illinois

Tony & Ann Lucas

Phil & Dorothy Rosenberg

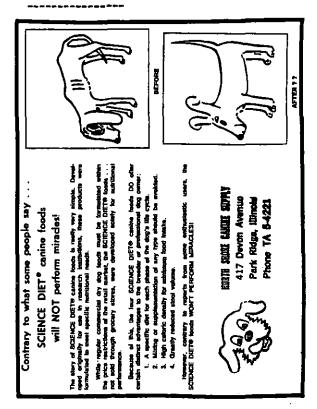
Pete & Maryann Ingraffia Joyce Smith

Fox River Valley Kennel Club

Dimurka Kennels

An additional BEST OF BREED trophy was donated by Joyce Smith - A Beau hand painted head study in color on a walnut plaque. All the regular c will have a prize for 1st place, as well as Winners Dog, Winners Bitch of Winners, Best of Breed and Best of Opposite Sex. And for the first A prize will be awarded on behalf of The VCOI to the highest scoring O ience Vizsla in the Obedience trial that same day. More info as we go

Obedience classes are held by The Northwest Obedience Club and the fir friday of every month they have matches at The Northwest Obed. Trainin Hall, on Brockway, Palatine - entries around 7:30 P.M. - match 8:00 P.



A BARGAIN

You can't buy loyalt they say, I bought it though, other day. You can't buy friend tried and true; Well just the same, bought that too.

I made my bid, and c spot Bought love and fait and a whole job lc Of happiness; so all all The total price was pretty small.

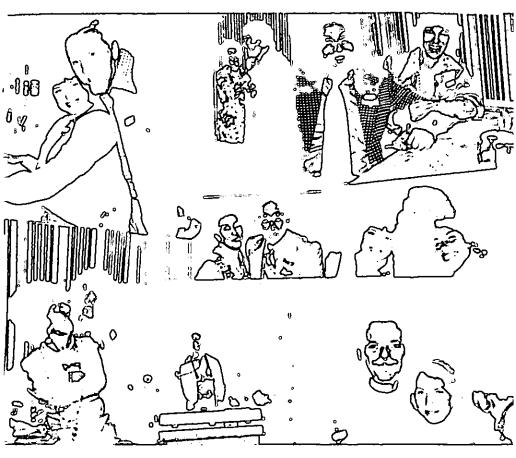
I bought a simple, t ing heart That gave devotion f the start. If you think these t are not for sale Buy a bown-eyed pup a wagging tail!

COMING SHOW, INT'L KENNEL, CHICAGO - Vizela Club of Illinois scheduled to donate trophy to Best of Winners - "A DECADE OF VIZSLAS".....

CHRISTMAS PARTY, 1975

The party began at 7:00 P.M.; Upon entering, already the guessing games started with choosing a specially decorated bell shaped name tag; 6 people won prizes. Our private fully equipped bar was open all night to serve anyones coctail they disired. Before dinner, we had time for some prize winning games, guessing the number of corn kernels in a jar, the number of sheets remaining on a roll of T.Paper which had a few sheets removed and picking some lucky marked match books. Dinner was served Family Style; platters of chicken, beef and mostaccioli, including soup, coleslaw, potatoes, green beans, rolls, dessert and coffee. The food WAS GOOD: some folks had more than one serving. The restaurant gave us excellent, courteous service. After dinner Santa Claus gave us his annual greeting and helped with the treasure hunt. winners had to find Christmas stickers which were hidden in various places in the room; 10 prizes were won in this game. We had 8 extra special raffle prizes, one which was generously donated by Bonnie Stevens, valued at \$35, which was won for a 25¢ raffle ticket. We enjoyed 3 full hours of music, singing and dancing; the musical group featured was "Catch 5". They were really terrific. The group consisted of 5 people who sang, and played a variety of music from "twists" to "polkas" on their instruments - drums, san, electric organ, guitars, and accordion. The party broke up about 1:15 A.M. with the guests going home with full stomaches, tired feet and armloads of prizes. At the cost of \$9 per person, this evening was a "steal". A special THANKS to my committee, the STEVENS FAMIL!, who helped me to make this party a real success.

IRIS PECHOTA



The Big weekend started with the VCQA board meeting Thur, efening and people coming in from all over the U.S. and Canada. Friday began with the field futurity followed by the show in the afternoon and then a banquet in the eve SHCW FUTURITY...Judge, Helen Case .15 entries..

Sitches...2nd Pl. Wegster Woodlands Penny, Breeder: Norene Campbell, owner, K. Craso.

SPECIALTY SHOW. Judge. Bernard Ziessow. . 75 entries ...

Bred by exhibitor, Dogs: 2nd Pl. Ftc. & AmFtc. Brook's Willie Whompum..

Amer. Bred Dogs..lst Pl. Popple Dungeon Tolgyfa.and Reserve..owners, Carlo and Betty Zezza.

Puppy Bitches: 1st. Pl. Judy B. O/H Jim Busch

Novice st. Pl. Webster Woodland Penny O/H Ken Crago
Open Bitches: lst. Pl. Popple Dungeon Lillian O/C. & B. Zezza

Field Dogs. 2nd Pl. DCh. & Ama Ftc. Jodi's Jump N BingBang Bucz, O/H J. Busch Veteran Bitch. .lst Pl. DCh. & Ama. Ftc. Brook's Amber Mist O/H T. Lucas

IN THE FIELD FUTURITY 1st Place went to Spring Creek Shiloh bråd by Dr. G.M. Paluska out of DCh. Weedy Creek Lobo and Amber's Sunshine Cherie and owned by Tom Wieskamp.

FIELD TRIAL PLACEMENTS:
Amateur Gun Dog.. 39 dogs..33 start.
1st. Pl. Ftc. &Ama.Ftc. Brook's Willie Whompum, O/H T.Lucas
Open Limited Gun Dog 32..31start
2nd Pl. DCh. & Ama Ftc. Jodi's
JumpNBing Bang Bucz O/H J.Busch
3rd pl. DCh. & Ama.Ftc. Ambers
"Windy" Autumn O/H P.Rosenberg.



"WINDY" "WILLIE" "BING BANG"

Other Field placements since the Nationals are Vizsla Club of Easter Iowa Open Gun Dog 2nd. "Willie" Am. Gun Dog 1st. "Cherie"...2nd Pl "BingBang"

BEST IN SHOW FUTURITY - Ashby Von Dunn (by Debrecony Dezso-Ch. Juliana's Aranaya)

FIELD FUTURITY WINNER Spring Creek Shiloh (see above)

Letters: Hunters aid conservation

The basters in the United States have, since 1923, contributed more than \$1.1 billion to conservation through license and tag frees, dock stamps and the federal entire tax on firearms. About \$5 per cent of the conservation money in each state is provided by hunters. The hunter not only pays for the conservation of game animals, but the money also goes to aid and protect sen-game species. Lest anyone forget, the "lather of conservation," Teddy Roosevelt, was an avid big game hunter, it is time for the anti-hunting groups to put their money where their moneties are, for the funds that are raised by these various organizations of not go to benefit wildlife.

Robert M. Masser



"Next time, I'll pack the food!"

1.	F.Ch. & Am.F.Ch. Randy Duke, B.Boglioli, N.J.	264
2.	Dual & Am.F.Ch. Rippi of Webster Woodlands, Crago, Il	1.188
3.	Dual & Am.F.Ch. Jodis Jump N Bing Bang Bucz, Busch, Il	1.131
4.	F. & Am.F.Ch. Brooks Willie Whompum, Tony Lucas, Ill.	130
5.	Dual & Am.F.Ch. Csibesz Rothkopf, C.Starbuck, Calif.	70
	Pride of Holzworth Farm, Paul Holzworth, Iowa	66
7.	Dual Ch. Sir Amber Sam, Hank Schultz, Md.	54
8.	Dual Ch. Arco's Arco John Fife, Calif.	48
	Eljos Piroska Paprika, M. Fowler	48
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	Semper Fi Peleliu, Al Lucas	39
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TOP TEN ALL-AGE/GUN DOGS Jan thru Oct. 1975

SPRING TRIAL

Katakis Cho Cho Tchens, D & T Feltenberger, 6-23-74

The VCOI is holding its spring trial March 6th. & 7th., 1976 at the Des Plaines Wildlife Area, Joliet, Ill. (23 miles south of Route 6 on Route I-55; use Wilmington Exit, second exit south of the Des Plaines River.)

Our judges will be Mr. Darrell Crosswhite and Mr. Terry Trzcinski judging the Open Gun Dog, Open Derby, Open Puppy, and the Open Limited Gun Dog. The Amateur Gun Dog stake will be judged by Mr. James Busch and Mr. Arthur Ciolkowski.

Your Premium Lists will arrive by mail as soon as they are received from A.K.C.. Enter early, and if anyone has any questions about the trial, contact the Field Trial Secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Rosenberg, 202 South Beverly, Wheaton, Ill. 60187. Ph. 653-5148.

If you don't have a dog to enter in the trial, come out to help or just come out to see what a trial is all about - you might enjoy yourself.

Spring Field Trial Dates:

March 6 & 7 Vizsla Club of Illinois, Des Plaines Area March 20 - 21 Vizsla Club of Greater Cleveland March 20 - 21 Nebraska Vizsla Club

April 16, 17, & 18 Vizsla Club of America, National Trial Denver, Colorado

April 24 - 25 Hawkeye Vizala Club

The Most beaten paths are certainly the surest; but do not hope to scare up much game of them. Andre Gide

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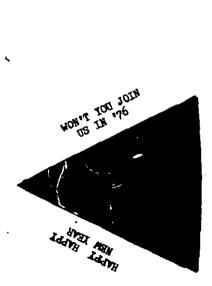
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In order for any dog to be advertised in the VCOI monthly BULLETIE, the dog must be I-rayed and proven free of Hip-Dysplasia, registered with the Breed Improvement Committee, and approved by the Hational Club. This is also true for both Sire & Dam when pupples are advertised. Pupples or litter ads cannot be placed in the Monthly Bulletin unless both Sire & Dam have been X-Rayed and proven free of Hip-Dysplasia, registered with the Breen Improvement Committee, and approved by the Hational Club.





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FEE: FAMILY \$10 SINGLE \$ 7.50 VIZSLA CLUB OF ILLINOIS, INC. APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

and agree to support the Constitution and By-laws of the Mub; to an-

and promote the welfare of the Virsla Breed.

I hereby apply for membership in The Vissla Club of Illinois, Inc. courage high standards in breeding, training and showing of Wisslass

TO: BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Date.......Business......Business.....

(......Females,Males).....

I now own.....Vigslas