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VCOI SPRING TRIAL

We kicked the Spring Trial Season off in style at our March 11-12 trial at DesPlaines. Congratulations go out to Jim Busch and **DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch.**, as they put the finishing touch on Askim's Amateur Field Champion Title with a win in the Amateur Gun Dog Stake. (Askim was hot - as he also won the Amateur Limited and Open Limited stakes for a near sweep!) Congrats also to the Puppy and Derby winners, **Buck's Creek Magda**, handled by Mike Maloney, and **Vypor**, handled by Joel Lundin.

As usual, the trial was a smooth-running affair, capably handled by Trial Chairman Geno Woehrle and first-time Secy. Mark Johnson, who did an outstanding job. Many thanks to Rhonda Johnson for her great judges' meals and help "on the inside", to Joel Lundin and George Peirce for sitting tall-in-the-saddle as marshals, and to gunners Geno Woehrle and Bill Lyman. Special thanks to our club judges Roy Greffin and Bill Elliott and to all the members of the Field Trial Committee for their hard work and help.

MANY of the placements went to VCOI dogs - a sign of things to come?? Placements were as follows:

OPEN GUN DOG

- 1st - **Ch. Askim's Diamond Reo**, h/ Paula Abbott
- 2nd - With-held
- 3rd - **DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny**, h/Roy Greffin
- 4th - **Ch. J/K's Genuine Risk**, h/Ken Fales

OPEN DERBY

- 1st - **Vypor**, h/Joel Lundin
- 2nd - **Reckless Curly Busz**, h/Jim Busch
- 3rd - **Downwind's Solitary Man**, h/Verne Fasse
- 4th - **Rebel Rouser Diamond Rerun**, h/Paula Abbott
- H.M. - **Askim's High Spirited Abby**, h/Geno Woehrle

Amateur Limited Gun Dog

- 1st - **DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch.**, h/Jim Busch
- 2nd - **Ch. Russett Duke's Tawney Tamerlane**, h/Roy Greffin
- 3rd - **Ch. Askim's Diamond Reo**, h/ Paula Abbott
- 4th - With-held



Amateur Gun Dog

- 1st - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch., h/Jim Busch
- 2nd - Redwing's King Conan, h/Roy Greffin
- 3rd - Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge, h/Mark Johnson
- 4th - Ch. J/K's Genuine Risk, h/Ken Fales

OPEN PUPPY

- 1st - Buck Creek's Magda, h/ Mike Maloney
- 2nd - Buster Keeton, h/Jim Busch
- 3rd - Willy's Bullet, h/Bill Lyman
- 4th - Mehagian's Lot's of Sunshine, h/Lee Johnson

OPEN LIMITED GUN DOG

- 1st - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch., h/Jim Busch
- 2nd - DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny, h/ Roy Greffin
- 3rd - With-held
- 4th - With-held



NEW FIELD CHAMPION! Pictured above is FC Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge, who completed his Field Champion title with a win in Open Limited Gun Dog at the Hawkeye Trial. With Fridge are Mark & Rhonda Johnson, owners.

MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 8:25pm by President Randy Boggs. Tony Dewar motioned, seconded by Tony Ordonez to accept the meeting minutes as printed in The Bulletin. Iris Pechota gave the Treasurer's Report indicating a favorable balance.

Roy Greffin reported on the Hunting Test which was very successful with 83 entries. Randy Boggs reported on the Fun Trial. The Fox Valley Hunting Dog Championship was won by Askim.

Geno Woehrle reported on the Field Trial for Mark Johnson. He thanked Rhonda Johnson and Lois Greffin for handling the food, George Peirce and Joel Lundin for marshaling and all others who did their part. Mark did a good job as Secretary and we made money. Several club members took placements.

Tony Dewar reported on the Fall Hunting Test, to be Sept. 16th or 17th (the Weimaraner club will hold a test the other date). Bill Lyman will serve as Chairperson and Tony Dewar will be the Secretary. A committee meeting was set for April 2, 1989.

The VCOI Specialty Show is July 22, 1989 (Saturday). Kathy Harmer sent thanks to those who supported the trophy fund.

NEW BUSINESS. Ann Lucas said that Mark had suggested we computerize club and breed information. Discussed options for doing this. Randy Boggs indicated the Board of Directors will discuss the suggestions.

Jim Busch motioned that the club hold a Junior-only Hunting Test on July 22, 1989. Scott Szafran seconded the motion. Roy Greffin will serve as chairman and Lois Greffin as Secretary.

Jim Busch motioned, seconded by Roy Greffin that Jim chair the Fun Trial July 23rd at his farm.

Geno Woehrle suggested that we have club achievement awards and display them. Roy Greffin motioned that we table this discussion until our next meeting. Seconded by Jim Busch.

Ann Lucas moved, seconded by Sue Boggs, to adjourn. Meeting was adjourned at 9:20pm.

TWIN CITIES VIZSLA CLUB SPECIALTY SHOW!

The Twin Cities Vizsla Club will host its second annual Specialty Show and Obedience Trial on Friday, June 9th at the Washington County Fairgrounds, Elmo, Mn. The show secretary is Judy Vossler, 13800 Bellevue Drive, Minnetonka, Mn. 55345 phone (612) 933-7447. Entry Fee \$17.50. Puppy/2nd entry/non-regular classes - \$10.50.

Serving as Bred judge will be Dr. Richard Hilderman, and as Obedience Judge Dan Herald. Make it a week-end and attend the Lake Minnetonka show on Saturday and the Land o' Lakes show on Sunday!

Beetle Bailey



REMINDER



DON'T FORGET OUR NEXT MEETING!

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, 5/17/89 at 8PM at the home of Cheryl & Geno Woehle , 23W727 Maple, Roselle, Il. Call 312-529-0978 for directions.

Placements!

WOW!!! What a spring! THREE VCOI dogs finished field titles - and VCOI dogs figured prominently in the placements at most trials. Askim and Penny really had the hot hands (paws?) - Askim won FIVE gun dog stakes including that elusive Amateur major to add "AFC" to his already impressive list of titles, while Penny took home four gun dog firsts and finished her Open AND Amateur titles in the process. What an accomplishment for "the grand old lady from Illinois", as she was so aptly referred to by Jim Arrasmith when she finished her Amateur title at the Hawkeye trial!

At the other end of the age spectrum, Fridge joined the ranks of VCOI Field Champions at the Hawkeye trial at the age of 2 years, 9 months! What are we going to do for an encore this fall?

It was good to see so many of us out there with puppy and derby dogs, too - the promise of many good field trial seasons to come, I hope.

VIZSLA CLUB OF MICHIGAN

OPEN GUN DOG

- 1st - DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny, h/Roy Greffin
- 3rd - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch., h/Jim Busch

OPEN DERBY

- 1st - Reckless Curly Busz, h/Jim Busch
- 2nd - Behi Red Chief, h/Randy Boggs
- 4th - Buster Keeton, h/Jim Busch

OPEN LIMITED GUN DOG

- 2nd - Redwing's King Conan, h/Roy Greffin
- 4th - FC Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge, h/Mark Johnson

AMATEUR GUN DOG

- 1st - DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny

OPEN PUPPY

- 1st - Buster Keeton
- 4th - Behi Red Chief

AMATEUR LIMITED GUN DOG

- 2nd - DC/AFC Askim, Nstra Ch.
- 3rd - Redwing's Rowdy Roy, h/Roy Greffin
- 4th - Paradox Brmistone Bill, h/Randy Boggs

VIZSLA CLUB OF GREATER CLEVELAND

AMATEUR GUN DOG

- 1st - DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny
- 4th - Camarily Luke, h/Bob Sloane

OPEN PUPPY

- 1st - Camarily Mesquite, h/Bob Sloane
- HM - Buster Keeton

AMATEUR LIMITED GUN DOG

- 1st - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch.
- 2nd - FC Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge

OPEN DERBY

- 1st - Vypor, h/Joel Lundin
- 2nd - Behi Red Chief, h/Sue Boggs
- 3rd - Camarily Mesquite

OPEN GUN DOG

- 2nd - AFC Camarily Grain of Sand, h/Bob Sloane

OPEN LIMITED GUN DOG

- 3rd - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch.
- 4th - AFC Camarily Grain of Sand

MIAMI VALLEY VIZSLA CLUB

AMATEUR GUN DOG

- 1st - Camarily Luke
- 2nd - Linden's Durango Kid, h/Denny Keeton
- 3rd - Russet Duke's Tawny Tamerlane, h/Roy Greffin

OPEN PUPPY

- 4th - Camarily Dixie Melody, h/Bob Sloane
- HM - Buster Keeton

AMATEUR LIMITED GUN DOG

- 1st - AFC Camarily Grain of Sand
- 2nd - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch.
- 3rd - Camarily Luke

OPEN GUN DOG

- 2nd - AFC Camarily Grain of Sand

OPEN DERBY

- 2nd - Buster Keeton
- 3rd - Camarily Mesquite
- 4th - Reckless Curly Busz

OPEN LIMITED GUN DOG

- 1st - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch.

HAWKEYE VIZSLA CLUB

OPEN LIMITED GUN DOG

1st - FC Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge

3rd - Redwing's King Conan

OPEN DERBY

1st - Vypor

4th - Mehagian's Lot of Sunshine, h/Mark Johnson

AMATEUR LIMITED GUN DOG

1st - Paradox Brimstone Bill

3rd - DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch.

4th - DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny

OPEN GUN DOG

3rd - Russet Duke's Tawny Tamerlane

4th - FC Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge

AMATEUR GUN DOG

1st - DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny

TWIN CITIES VIZSLA CLUB

OPEN GUN DOG

2nd - Redwing's King Conan

OPEN DERBY

1st - Vypor

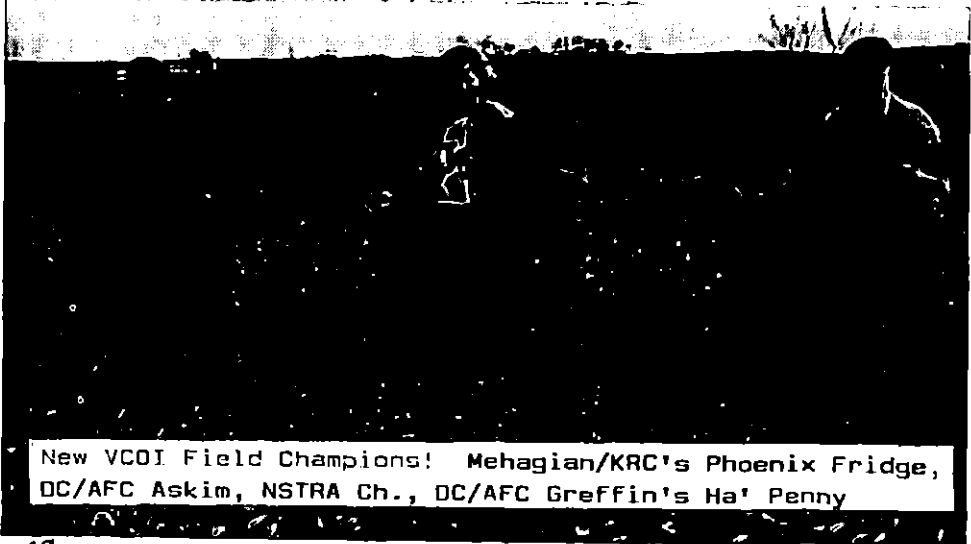
AMATEUR LIMITED GUN DOG

4th - Redwing's King Conan

AMATEUR GUN DOG

3rd - DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny

4th - Ch. Russet Duke's Tawny Tamerlane



New VCOI Field Champions! Mehagian/KRC's Phoenix Fridge, DC/AFC Askim, NSTRA Ch., DC/AFC Greffin's Ha' Penny

Will this summer be a let-down now that Field Trial Season is over? The answer to that should be a resounding "NO!" There's still lots of things to do. Outdoor shows are going to be in full swing and our Summer Specialty weekend is fast approaching. With the addition of a Junior Hunter Test to our slate of activities for the weekend, there'll be something for everyone.

From The Mailbag comes a letter from Chris Welker (formerly Honeycutt). She wrote to share an unhappy experience she had with her bitch Sri's recent litter of puppies, and to pass on the information to others. After moving back from Central Illinois, Chris needed bedding for the puppies and purchased a bag of COMPRESSED PINE. It was untreated and looked very similar to the bedding used in hamster or gerbil cages. Chris used the bedding only ONCE, and within 3-4 hours five of the nine-week old puppies were dead. An autopsy showed the puppies both ate and inhaled the bedding, resulting in their deaths. Chris went on to say the best bedding to use is shredded newspapers or straw. On a happier note, the four surviving puppies are doing fine. Chris kept a male, Eros, and the other three are happy in their new homes. One puppy, Orion had a long way to go - he was air-shipped to Liz Walker in Anchorage, Alaska!! I would like to thank Chris for sharing this with us.

Don't forget your dog's heartworm preventative! Our vet said he has already seen several cases of heartworm in dogs which were probably infected last fall. BE SURE to have your dog checked first!

Please check your mailing label to make sure it has the right address and zip code. A few newsletters have gone astray lately, and I want to make sure everyone gets The Bulletin in time to remind them of the next meeting!

SPECIALTY SHOW UP-DATE!

Be sure to watch for the full scoop on our July 22nd Specialty Show (not July 15 as previously reported) in the next issue of the Bulletin!! It's going to be SOME WEEK-END, so make plans now to join in the fun!

SHOWS

- *6/4/89 - Fox River Valley KC, Woodstock, Il.
closes 5/17/89, Superintendent - Crowe
- *6/5/89 - Stone City KC, Morris, Il. closes 5/17,
Crowe
- *6/9/89 - Greater Freeport KC, Wheaton, Il. closes 5/24,
Sleeper
- 6/10/89 - Wheaton KC, Wheaton, Il. closes 5/24, Sleeper
- 6/11/89 - KC of Yorkville, Sugar Grove, Il. closes 5/24,
Sleeper
- 6/18/89 - Chain O'Lakes KC, Grayslake, Il. closes 5/31,
Sleeper
- 7/1/89 - Champaign KC, Urbana, Il. closes 6/14, Sleeper
- *7/2/89 - Danville KC, Urbana, Il. closes 6/14, Sleeper
- *7/8/89 - Blackhawk KC, Amboy, Il. closes 6/21, Onofrio
- *7/9/89 - Starved Rock KC, Morris, Il. closes 6/21, Crowe
- *7/15/89 - Chicago Goldcoast KC, River Grove, Il.
closes 6/28, Sleeper
- 7/15/89 - Park Shore KC, Deerfield, Il. closes 6/28,
Sleeper
- *7/22/89 - Kishwaukee KC - VCOI Specialty Show, Belvidere,
Il. closes 7/5, Onofrio
- 7/29/89 - Kettle Moraine KC, Waukesha, Wi. closes 7/12,
Crowe
- *7/30/89 - Waukesha KC, Waukesha, Wi. closes 7/12, Crowe
- *8/12/89 - Cudahy KC, Oak Creek, Wi. Closes 7/26, Crowe

OBEDIENCE TRIALS

- 5/21/89 - North Shore Dog Training Club, Waukegan, Il.
closes 5/3
- 6/10/89 - Milwaukee Dog Training Club, Milwaukee, Wi.
closes 5/24
- 6/11/89 - K-9 OTC of Menomonee Falls, Menomonee Falls, Wi.
closes 5/24
- 6/17/89 - Decatur Obedience Training Club, Decatur, Il.
closes 5/31
- 6/18/89 - DTC of Champaign-Urbana, Decatur, Il. closes 5/31

TRACKING TESTS

TD Tests

- 5/28/89 - Northwest Obedience Club of Suburban Chicago,
Barrington Hills, Il. closes 5/13
- 6/11/89 - Car-Dun-AI Obedience Dog Training Club,
Barrington, Il. closes 5/24

FIELD TRIALS

5/20-5/21/89 - GSP Club of Illinois, Bong Wildlife Area
Kansasville, Wi.

HUNTING TESTS

6/10/89 - Western Michigan Brittany Club, Ionia Wildlife
Area, Ionia, Mich.

6/11/89 - Western Michigan Brittany Club, Ionia, Mi.

6/11/89 - Woodland GSP Club, Ionia, Mi.

SEMINARS

5/21/89 - Dog Agility Workshop, Chicagoland Airedale Rescue
Club, Lincolnwood Obedience Club grounds - introduction to
Agility Training, \$7.50 fee. contact John Cortright, 815-
544-4529

8/5-8/6/89, Educational Conference on Dog Obedience,
Chicago Elk Grove Holiday Inn, Saturday - Obedience Rules
and Judging Seminar, AKC representatives and Judges.
Sunday - Obedience Training Panel - demonstrations and Q&A
session. Fee \$70 for conference, lunches and banquet.
Registration forms available from Front & Finish,
PO Box 333, Galesburg, Il. 61402-0333

Show Wins



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

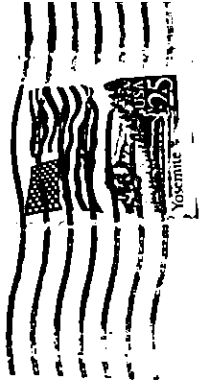
Polar Kap's Dandy Lyon - WB/BOS Blackhawk KC, h/ Kathy
Harmer

Ch. Dallery's Hunter, WD International KC, h/Karen Perry

CONGRATULATIONS!! to Karen Perry and Hunter on the
completion of his championship title at the IKC. Way to
go!

Congratulations are also due to Ch. Polar Kap's Kopy Kap
Kodi on his listing as the #6 obedience dog in the Vizsla
Club of America Jan/Feb 89 issue. Kodi also got two
qualifying legs toward his Junior Hunter title at the VCOI
test and the GSP of Illinois test this spring! Kodi is
handled and loved by Gwen Tomlinson.

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