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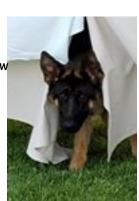
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BIG BOO BOO last month. I identified one of the puppies peeking out from under the t ablecloth at the Specialty Show on page 24 as being Amanda's new puppy. I was guessing and I guessed wrong (that's why I don't gamble). The puppy is Lorrie Nerney's new puppy Seerria.



Thanks to Betty Winthers for contributing the pictures on pages 18-20 for our "Highlights of the Past" featuring some of her GSD dogs winning at shows and also pictures of some of the more popular judges who judged for many years.

And, yes, Betty showed her own dogs, as did many of us in those days and up to about 1990 or later. In this area there were only about 2 or 3 professional handlers, plus a few who came in for certain shows. If we had had to rely on professional handlers, there would have only been a few dogs entered in the shows. This in the days of entries being much larger than they are today. One of our specialties had such a large entry, we had to hire a second judge.

Check out the Brags on page 12. When are you going to send in one? I know you have something to brag about. Don't be shy!

The flyer for the Temperament Test on July 15 is on page 11. This is always a popular event and a fund raiser for the club. Dogs have to be 1 year old. If they didn't pass at a previous test, they are welcome to try again. People have fun at this test, not only showing their dog in it but also jumping in and helping out when someone a break. On page 15 you'll find the flyer and entry form for the club's annual Herding Instinct Test held at Ewe-Topia in Roy on August 11. This is another test where the dogs need no previous training, it is a test to see if your dog has an instinct to herd. I've heard many stories of people who had dogs that herded their cats, chicken, kids, so why not let yours try their "paw" at herding?

Pages 16 and 17 covers the story about the van stolen in California that had 14 show dogs in it (who thankfully were all recovered with no injuries), written by Amie McLaughlin. It carries a warning to be ever vigilant when you are traveling with your dogs — or even going down to the local stores and leaving your dog(s) in the car. I found this article on Facebook, so some of you may have already seen it.

On Page 21 you'll find AKC urging fanciers to be vigilant in reading and responding to emails and cites an instance where a breed club was used to solicit money for a non-existent person who is not a member of this particular club.

Unfortunately we have no new litters to list in the Litter Box this month. This doesn't happen very often but... Maybe we should consider letting members advertise older dogs they may have for sale — or are looking for. Looking for a dog through this avenue would mean a goodly number of people could be on the lookout for you, instead of you by yourself asking your friends if they know of a dog. Let me know what you think and I'll propose it to the Board if you think it is workable.

There may not be an August issue of the NSN. If this is the case, I'll combine August and September. I am having back surgery in the latter part of July and don't know if I'll be able to sit long enough afterwards to put a newsletter together.

Have a fun Fourth of July, and a safe one. 🐾





The President's Report, by Amanda Hackbarth

I hope everyone had a great Fourth of July and were able to do something fun with your dogs!

I don't really have too much to report, except for club activities we have coming up. The temperament test is on July 15th at Carco Park in Renton. If you have no plans, come on out to the tests. Hopefully you'll have a dog or two to take through the test. Tell your all-breed friends about the tests too.

If you missed going to your July meeting and you're signed up to help at the temperament test or taking the tests, I'm planning an "after the tests" picnic . We did this years ago and it was a lot of fun to hang out with other members and our dogs enjoying each other's company. Bring your own chair and a side salad or dessert to share with the group, the Club will provide hot dogs. If you would like a veggie dog please bring it with you.

On August 11th we have our annual AHBA herding instinct tests at Ewetopia. We'll offer our fabulous BBQ hamburger lunch with delicious side dishes provided by our club members. We will need the usual side salads (potato, pasta, coleslaw).

Kerry said we've been invited to the "All Around Dogs" at the Washington State Fair this year. If you would like to take your well behaved dog for lots of petting at the education booth, contact Kerry <u>vonsudlich@aol.com</u> to get signed up. The dates are August 31st thru September 3rd. This is opening weekend and it will be very busy.

We would like anyone helping at the booth or other club activities to have a 90th anniversary t-shirt. Contact Kerry for available sizes and prices. It's nice to show our club spirit and honor our big anniversary!

Be sure to check out page 22 to see all of our wonderful club members and businesses that donated to our specialty trophy fund. THANK YOU – your donations were very much appreciated especially for our 90th anniversary. Next year we're hosting the Furturity and an extra show on Friday for obedience, rally and conformation.

Amanda President GSDCWS







<u>AUGUST</u>

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Meeting Dates

| <u>Monthly Meeting Dates</u> (1st Thurs of Month) | <u>Board Meeting</u> (3rd Mon of Month) |
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| September 6, 2018 | September 17, 2018 |
| October 4, 2018 | October 15, 2018 |
| November 1, 2018 | November 16, 2018 |
| December 6 | December 19, 2018 |
| January 3, 2019 | January 21, 2019 |
| February 7, 2019 | February 18, 2019 |



...**Club Meetings**...guests are always welcome to attend and enjoy our meetings, picnic, auction, and parties. See driving directions to hall on page 10.

2018 Temperament Test - July 15 Held at Carco Park in Renton, WA. No prior training required to enter the test. See page 11 for more details and for an entry blank. Entries will also be taken the day of the test. If you know anyone with a dog that's at least 1 year old, ask if they would be interested in entering — all breeds are accepted. It's also fun to work at the Temperament Test if you'd like to join us, whether or not you enter a dog or not.

Herding Instinct Test - August 11, held at Ewe-Topia in Roy, Washington. No prior training necessary for this test. See page 15 for the flyer and entry blank for the test. This is a fun event, and no prior training is necessary. All herding breeds are accepted. The club has a super lunch for \$5 each; free for those who bring a food donation. Barbequed hamburger and/or hot dogs. Check with Amanda if interested.

Western Washington Fair - August 31 -September 3. Need people to man the club's educational booth at the Fair this year. Fun venue, plus you get a free pass to get in the Fair for that day.

October Meeting/Auction - This is always a fun meeting when we are pitted against one another during the auction. There are always all kinds of useful, fun, and interesting items to bid on. Sometimes you can score something that will help you with your Christmas list later in December.

Fidbits

Caroline Fawsett, one of our newer members, jumped in and really helped out with the judges for our specialties. She picked up and took back Vicky to the airport; picked up Sue Mayborne at the Clipper's dock downtown, then back to the airport on Monday morning, only to find her flight was delayed. Sue decided to cancel it and go home the next day. She stayed with Caroline that night and then Caroline took her over to the airport the next day. That is a first for the club, luckily for us Caroline was a good sport about it all. Sue was lucky — I am sure there are some who would have just dropped her off at the airport anyway and let them work it out themselves. We owe Caroline a big THANK YOU!!

Love the name of Amanda and Scott's new puppy — Maverick. That was one of my favorite tv programs and I met James Garner at Universal Studios once. Love that name...

Last month when I was in Staples I asked one of the guys in the computer department why there are horizontal lines in the pictures in the NSN. He said to clean the heads and I came home and did so -4 times....and there are still horizontal lines. The printer does well otherwise if it would just do better on the color pictures. Anyone out there have a good idea - other than to buy a new one?

Followed the drama of the stolen van in Redding, California, that had 14 dogs in it. Cindi McInturf's laptop was in the van and it was pinged in Cascade and she continued to let people know where it was.

And then finally on Thursday, a note from Joan Fox on Facebook from the Redding Police department say[ng the van and the 14 dogs had been recovered. On Thursday, the 7th, there was an entry that the dogs and van were found. The next day there was a story about the whole

by Dalene

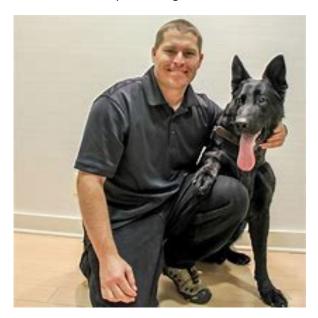
incident written by Amie McLoughlin and put on Facebook. Thinking maybe you didn't all see this, I am reproducing it on page 16-17-...just so you can see what happens when a bunch of people (in this case, dog people) stick together and help one another out. Actually, when you stop and think about it, we as "dog people" are members of quite a large network.

Taking a tip from Jesse Jones on Ch. 7, I signed up for Informed Delivery with the post office it's free (at USPS.com). When you sign up, they send you in the morning a scanned copy of mail that will be delivered to you that day. Not everyone is like my place which is 500' from my mailbox, but this way I can see if there is anything important and pick it up earlier than I might otherwise have done. They said they only send you scans of regular mail in #10 (business) envelopes, but they included part of a Jo-Ann's flyer one day along with a regular piece of mail. This came up on Ch. 7 because a couple had not received any mail for a week — found out someone had been taking it and then used information in it to charge over \$20,000 to them. It's easy to do and free ... what more can you ask for?

The following is a Facebook entry from French Mark:

Chopper, the famous German Shepherd SEAL Dog passed away last night at the age of 13 years. Chopper has been credited with saving the lives of hundreds of soldiers while deployed in the military. Later his Navy SEAL handler, Trevor Maroshek was able to adopt him. Chopper later became Trevor's emotional support dog and became a therapy dog for injured and disabled.

Because of this experience, Trevor Maroshek later founded the SEAL Dog Foundation. The (Continued on Next Page) Seal Dog Foundation has devoted its energy to passionately serve all veterans and their families by providing specially-trained therapy dogs for veterans with combat-related injuries like PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder), TBI (Traumatic Brain Injury) and other disabilities. Trevor and Chopper's publicity has truly promoted the breed of the German Shepherd Dog!



There are numerous videos publicly available on YouTube featuring Chopper and his handler. The Smithsonian Channel dedicated an entire episode entitled "SEAL Dog" which told this great story. Below is the URL for a video that was aired on the Today Show.

https://youtu.be/xX2mfhLvpq0 Navy SEAL And Canine Partner Share Unbreakable Bond | TODAYJ

If you are at all interested in this story, go to the URL above and meet Trevor and Chopper. Very interesting.

I am always amazed when someone has lost their GSD or are looking for one, or just writing about theirs that they don't know how to spell "Shepherd". When I had classes, many people signed up with GSDs and spelled it "Shephard". Since people around here might see or know of the Shepard Ambulance company, I always put it to that...but what's the excuse for those who don't live in this area?

It seems weird not having a meeting this month, I keep thinking about what to take for the snack table.

But we have lots you can do to get your "doggy" fix. The Temperament Test is on July 15 at Carco Park, registration will begin at 9:00, the test at 10:00. Contact Kerry Southern at (360) 893-1622if you have any questions, or call me at (253) 852-0605. We will be taking entries the day of the trial. And don't forget the hamburger barbeque after the test for those who entered and those who worked at the test.

I know Amanda mentioned in her President's Report about the club participating in All Around Dogs at the Fair this year on August 31 to September 3. At the last minute I received a flyer on this event, printed on page 23. We used to participate in this fun event years ago until the Fair discontinued it. If you sign up for it, you don't have to work all 4 day...,Kerry will have a schedule of 4-hour time slots for each day and you can pick the one most convenient for you. It is fun to be in the booth and meet all the people who stop by. Your dog should be well groomed and friendly to young and old alike.

The other perk of working at the booth is you will have a pass to the Fair for the day you are working. So you can work at the booth for 4 hours and then you're free to wander around to check out the exhibits and rides (if you are so inclined — I'm not in the "ride mode" anymore).

The pre-games for the Seahawks will begin in August, I'll have their full schedule in the next issue. Just in case I don't make it for August, here are the preseason games:

- * At home, the Colts August 9, 7:00, PM
- * At the Chargers Aug 18, 7:00 PM
- * At the Vikings August 24, 5:00 P
- * At home, the Raiders August 30, 7:00 PM



Have a young or old dog to train in obedience? Can't find a class that's convenient for you, whether it's location or time of day? These three DVDs are your answer.

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Using the DVDs, you can train when its convenient for you, no worry about missing a class and getting behind. You can watch a segment over several times until you're sure you understand it before working with your dog. You can also call me if you have any questions. Once your dog knows the exercises, you can take him/her out to work in public to

PRICE - \$75 for complete DVD set (plus \$4 postage) Claíburne Kennels

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Cleared For Take Off with Scott and Amanda Hackbarth Jax too of course



Charlotte Thomas, Breeder Vomhausvianden.com Post Falls, Idaho



Journeys With Jax

By Jax Von Vinzant

Life at home has been a crazy one with the addition of little Maverick. He's kept Amanda and Scott on their toes chasing after him to drop items that he shouldn't have in his mouth and the potty training. But we're all a lot happier that he's a little older and we're on a routine now.

Amanda is really excited that he will finally have his last puppy shots and we can start traveling around more. Our vet said it would be safe to take him to places like hardware stores for some socialization before his shots which made Amanda happy but not places like dog parks. That was fine because we don't do dog parks anyway.

Maverick has been doing some herding at Ewe-topia. He sure likes herding. Joe was sitting watching him herd one afternoon. He said "I don't know if you have a therapy dog, but he's definitely a herding dog"!

Amanda's taken him to McLendon's hardware a couple of times while she was shopping for some plants. He's been to Wilco Farm Supply a few times too. They might want to make him their official door greeter. Amanda is very happy with his temperament and how he wants to meet people, especially kids. Now he just needs to polish up on his manners. He likes to jump up on people which is not allowed for a future therapy dog. Hopefully he'll have his basic obedience down and he'll be ready for his therapy dog test next year.

I have a public service announcement. I'm sure you all know how dangerous foxtails are to us dogs. You've probably heard of them getting into dogs ears, noses and paws. My American Staffie friend, Tugboat, had a bump appear one day on the side of his face? The vet treated it as a insect bite seeing she couldn't see anything suspicious after taking a sample of the lump. The lump went away then appeared much larger a few days later. They put him under to see what was going on and that's when they found a little foxtail. Now poor Tug has stitches, a drain and the cone of shame to wear for about two weeks! This was a pricy surgery too. If you have foxtails growing in your yard get rid of them. Give us a good going over from paws to ears after walks. It will hopefully help avoid a costly vet bill.







Kindness to All



Two-year-old threw a tea party for the police officer who saved her life.

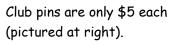


A bride and groom asked their grandmas to be their flower girls.



Have you seen the new t-shirt design celebrating the club's 90th anniversary? It depicts the 5 different logos the club has used over our 90year history. Check with Kerry to buy one or come to the next couple meetings. Available while they last. On Saturday's specialty show in May, members who bought one at the May meeting were wearing them.

CLUB PINS AVAILABLE



Buy a couple so you don't have to be changing them from one jacket to another

Pins are available from Amanda or Dalene.

Driving Directions to Manhattan Community Hall





From I-5 driving north: Take the Orilla exit, turn left at end of exit, follow <u>S 188th</u> on across Highway 99 and through tunnel under the runway; stay on this road, which becomes Des Moines Memorial Drive, until you come to the light at 8th Avenue S, turn left, then right on South 186th, right on 4th Avenue S., and right on South 183rd (which is really a gravel driveway at this point), drive to the end to Manhattan Community Hall.

(You are basically making a big circle after you turn onto S. 186th as the hall is at the end of a dead end road.)

From I-5 driving south: Take the Orilla exit, turn right, follow from <u>S. 188th</u> above.

There are other ways to drive there, but these are the simplest. Phone number at the hall is **206-433-9900** if you get lost, whether following these directions or your own, and y. If you want to Google it, the address is 18300 - 4th Avenue South, Burien, WA.



All Breed/Mix Breed

Temperament Test

(Dog must be 1 yr. old)

July 15, 2018

Dalene McIntire, Evaluator <u>Location: Carco Park, Renton</u> <u>Exit 4 on Hywy 405</u>

> Cost per dog: \$30.00 Check in at 9:00 Tests begins at 10:00

To ensure your entry send in pre-entries by July 11, 2018 to:

Kerry Southern 16509 245⁴ St E Graham WA 98333 Limit of 40 degs

For more information call: Kerry Southern vonsudlich@aol.com 560-895-1622

Temperament Test Entry

Sponsored by the German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State, Inc.

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Call for availability of entries day before test. Refunds will not be made for dogs not present for the test.

In consideration of being permitted to participate in a Temperament Test sponsored by the German Shepherd Dog Club of America. Inc., and the above named regional club, the undersigned agree that the GSDCA and the named Regional Club are not responsible for any injurise or damage suffered by persons or animals participating in any capacity, I waive any right of action against the CSDCA & GSDCWS and will hold the GSDCA & GSDCWS harmless if any action or tack or action by my dog(s) or by me results in any action against the sponsoring club(s).

BRAGS



DíWaíds Southern My-Ahh Gírl

My-Ahh, and I went to Union Gap for the Three Rivers Ratters Barn Hunt Trial June 2-3rd. Sat. we won second place in the Senior class, Sunday we took first and HIC (High in Class) Senior has 3.5 minutes to find the 4 tubes with live rats, (calling an empty or litter tube, gets you disqualified). My-Ahh finished finding the 4 live rats, completing her tunnel and climb, in 3.34 minutes! Finishing two of the three legs needed for the RATS title!



BRAGS are FREE! So where is yours? Just send your brag or email them to me. Everyone has something to brag about, right?



Píctured above is My-Ahh finding a tub

DiWaid's Southern My-Ahh Girl,(CD, PCD, TKI, RE, RATO, TDI, HCT and CGC) taking first -place and HIC at Barn Hunt Trial, Senior class, 2 minutes and 34 seconds (have 3 min. 30 sec. to find 4 rats, tunnel and climb)! She achieved a second place the previous day, now has 2 out of the 3 legs needed to have her RATS title!







Photo of the Month



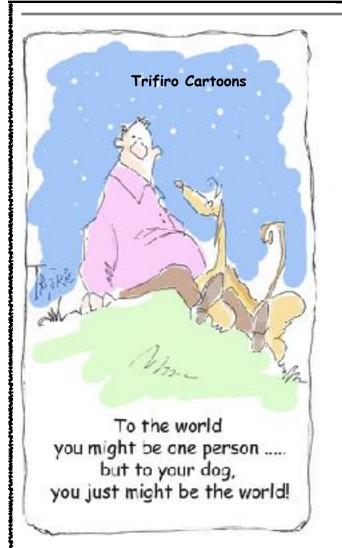






Submitted by Donna Sater

To submit your puppy or dog picture for publication on this page in a future issue, send it either electronically or by snail mail to Dalene McIntire. (<u>dalenemcintire@q.com</u>). Address is on the newsletter masthead. REMINDERS: Working at club activities earns points toward your club shirt and jacket. However, it is up to you to make sure the chairman has your name on the list of workers so you will receive credit. It is also your responsibility to make sure you sign the roster at all club meetings if you want your points for attending. Printing your name will ensure it is readable.



LUNA'S SPACE



Another day at the dog shows, some more ribbons



Okay, Sun - Bring It On !!

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Owner/Handler Signature

Date

Amie McLaughlin 4 hrs

Copied from Facebook

So it's taken me a while to collect myself enough to put a post out there.

I want to start by saying thank you from the bottom of my heart to all of the people who supported and showed love throughout this whole ordeal.

To all the naysayers, I want you to hear this whole story and put yourself in our shoes.

I will start from the very beginning. We arrived at In N Out Burger to run to the restroom and quickly order food to eat on the road. Tony and Lexi got out to walk in, and I stayed in the van to put my makeup on and water and check on dogs. I finished what I was doing. We left the van running with A/C on for the dogs. I opened my door, pressed the lock button, shut my door, and walked in. Little to my knowledge at the time, with these new vans, if a door is open when you press the lock button, they do not lock.

I walked in to go to the restroom and make sure they knew what I wanted. I talked to them for a few minutes, and less than 6-7 minutes later Tony went out to check on the dogs. He came running back in and said the van had been stolen. My heart absolutely dropped to the floor. My absolute heart and soul dog was in that van, along with my other two fur kids and all of our clients fur kids, who are our life and family.

We automatically called 911 and told them what happened. Many people there at the restaurant saw us panicking and asked what was wrong. Two very sweet girls offered to take me to go look around town to see if it was still driving in the vicinity. Not having any vehicle to do that ourselves, I said yes. They drove me all over the town to where they thought they may be driving. After about 25 minutes they said they had to go home and they brought me back. When I got back a police officer was there talking to Tony. All we could do at that point was call everyone and talk to the police and tell them everything we could. I informed them that they had my laptop and my wallet and debit and credit cards. I proceeded to check location settings on the laptop, to no avail as they had not opened it yet. I also checked my bank statements and nothing had been used yet.

By this point Anna Maria Gray showed up to help in any way she could. She drove Tony to the store to get chargers for our phones, and we stayed with the manager at the restaurant. They returned and we proceeded to keep searching everything we could. After a little while, I checked my email and saw two messages of declined transactions. At that time the officer had come back to check on us. I immediately told him and showed him the emails. He then told me they were online transactions and that with them being declined, there was no way to track them.

Then Dale McElvy, one of Zion's owners showed up. Shortly after that is when I got the ping on my laptop. It said "Cascade, CA". Little to my knowledge at the time, that in Redding there is a Cascade Park. I also saw a small dot on the map located about 20 minutes away from where we were. We called to police and told them were I saw the dot. Dale then took us all to that area and we drove around. They had cops all out searching the area, in addition to a helicopter. We were searching until midnight, and by that point we couldn't see to search anymore. We got a motel room and attempted to rest a little. Which was not really doable. The next morning at 5am we met up with Cathy Ken KC Johnson and Roman Kokotek to help us look.

As we started searching around everywhere we could think, we got a call from a man who thought he had followed our van the day it was stolen going up to Shingletown. We instantly drive up that way. We went to a gas station where the man said he saw the van go past. We went in and the guy inside showed us security footage. We watched the 2 hour time frame after the van was taken and the

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man said it would have passed by and much to our dismay we did not see our van. We then headed back to Redding and got another tip from a woman who said she had seen what she believed was our van and gave me the street names. I automatically said thank you so much and called the police. They took the street names and asked if we could come to the station. I then called Roman and asked him to go to where the lady had said she saw it.

We went to the station and they took us upstairs. They put us in a room and left. About 15 minutes later they took Tony away for questioning and me away for questioning. They asked for all the details that I knew and the officer walked out. A few minutes later he walked in and said "they found your van and your dogs are ok". I broke into tears. I followed him out and saw Tony also in tears. Ken had already left when he saw someone say something on Facebook. He didn't even know where he was going. We called him, Dale, and Roman and told them all where they found it

We arrived to a street with woods on one side and houses on the other. There was police tape across a small dirt road and cops everywhere. All we asked was if the dogs were ok. They said they were and that they were watered and pottied.

That still didn't settle us until we were able to physically see them. We saw two vans from the humane society drive out and were informed the dogs would be taken there. We instantly hopped in cars and drove there. They took all the info on the dogs and checked them out. Then after what seemed to be an eternity, they started bringing dogs out a few at a time, who they were comfortable taking out of their crates. The tears started flowing when Kasey, Zion, and Iceman all came out and just couldn't contain their excitement. They then brought Binna, Skipper, Vanna, and Kai'a and I couldn't contain my excitement with Binna up in my face and Skipper wagging his tail so hard and Vanna climbing in my lap. We then went back where they had Cruz, Ash, Meena, Blaze, Maya, Meghan, and Jack. We took each one out and hugged them and told them we

loved them.

We loaded each dog up into air conditioned cars and proceeded to Lori Rickard and her husband Tom's house. They were so amazing to allow us to walk dogs there and provide us with such care and help. Thank you guys from the bottom of our hearts.

That evening we rented a van and loaded up the dogs who had not gone home with their owners, and headed home. Getting home and getting these dogs happy and settled, was so much more important than the dog show.

So as an ending to my little story, I want to thank everyone for their love and support and everything you have all done. The dog community is amazing. You all play such a huge part in finding these dogs. I don't care about all the things these lowlife people stole, and they took basically everything. All I care about is the lives of these dogs. I am forever grateful that these dogs are here today. Thank you, thank you, thank you to all of the owners for your love and support.

I will respond and thank everyone personally, I just needed to say this and let everyone know how important you all are and how much you mean to us.





HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PAST 12-



Left: The trophy table at a previous GSDCWS show from Amanda.

Below: The first GSDCA NW Regional Futurity show hosted by the GSDCWS in 1958. Judge is Virginia McCall (of Long-Worth Kennel fame). If you look closely you will see Betty Winthers in third place in the lineup of this class...Thank you Amanda and Betty for contributing to our "Highlights From The Past".





🥦 HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PAST 🔬 🚙

Thank you to Betty Winthers for submitting the pictures on this page and the next to support our "Highlights From the Past".

Shown on the right is Betty winning Reserve Winners Bitch at the club's 1965 specialty show under well known judge Robert Williamson. She is showing her Can. Ch. Lobets Scarlet Lady of Vonulk.





Betty showing her Can. Ch. Lobet's Scarlet Lady of Vonulk in 1960, this time under Judge Bob Hamilton, presenting her a blue ribbon at another GSDCWS specialty show.

We also have to thank Betty for submitting these pictures which also contain pictures of some of the country's best and well known judges at that time.

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Some HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PAST 10-10



Betty showing her Von Winther's Quotation, winning a non-regular class under judge Fran Ford (he and his wife Joan were the owners and breeders of the famous GV Lance of Fran-Jo). This is at a Futurity hosted by the GSDC of Oregon, year unknown. Do you know?

Betty showing her Ch. Von Winther's Tempest at the **GSDCA NW Futurity** show (hosted by our club) winning the Senior Bitch class, judged by former NW resident Diana (DeeDee) Frost.





May 23, 2018

Dear Presidents & Delegates,

I am writing to you once again to remind you to remain vigilant as you read and respond to emails. Just yesterday, The American Bullmastiff Association became aware of an insidious phishing email purportedly sent on their behalf that employed an emotional plea to compel the reader into taking quick action. In this case, however, there is no "Harley" and of course the American Bullmastiff Association was totally uninvolved and any donations will only further fund a criminal enterprise.

Here is a screenshot of the email that included a link to a "Fundly" website:



As a reminder, be very cautious if you receive an email that has the following characteristics:

- Includes alarming threats, emotional pleas, and/or an urgent call to action
- Claims to come from a recognized source asking to make a payment or verify an account
- Appears to come directly from the CEO or CFO requesting you to take an action such as wiring money or purchasing gift cards
- Includes what appear to be links to cloud-based documents (Dropbox, Google Docs) Please reach out to your members with this sound advice.

If you'd like to learn more about phishing and how to protect yourself, <u>here is some good information</u> from the Federal Trade Commission.

Very Best Regards,

Dennis

German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State Specialty Candid Photos - May 2018





Cindy at the Obedience ring





Must be double handlers?

Above: An array of ribbons from the specialty Below: Team on the stand for examination Right: Luna doing a perfect sit after jumping the broad jump.





German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State Specialty Candid Photos - May 2018



Below: Alicia showing off her raffle win.

Right: Look at that spread!! _

Left: Good Sit at End of Recall

Right: Holding the dog again, Scott?

Below: Team precision, sort of.











Leslee caught playing with the ring ropes again...

German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State Specialty Trophy Donors - May 2018

Saturday Conformation:

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Donna Gonzalez (2) Leslee Hoober (2) John and Anita Sadler (10)

Sunday Conformation:

John and Anita Sadler (2)

Saturday Obedience:

Erika Brennan (2) Patti Burns (3) Cindy Stratton (2) D.B. (1) DiWaid's Working German Shepherds (1) Golden Willow Ranch (2) Tisa Cronin (1) Alicia Hicks (2) Amanda Hackbarth (1) Dalene McIntire (1) Paws-abilities Eugene Pipko (2) Kerry Southern (1) Betty Winthers (1)

<u>Saturday Rally</u>

DiWaid's Working German Shepherds (1) Four Paws Vet Center (1) Golden Willow Ranch (1) Lazy L Shepherds (1) Parlor F Tattoo (1)

<u>Sunday Obedience</u>

DiWaid's Working German Shepherds (1) Golden Willow Ranch (1) Lazy L Shepherds (2) Dalene McIntire (1) Pawsabilities (4) Kerry Southern(1) Cindy Stratton (2) Betty Winthers (1)

Sunday Rally

Di Waid's Working German Shepherds (1)

We all owe a big thank you to those who so generously donated trophies awarded at our specialty shows.

The number behind the name is how many trophies they donated in that category. It does not indicate how much money they donated as some gave a few less expensive trophies and a few gave the more expensive ones. Either way, we're very much in their debt for helping out.

The trophies aren't important to people who have been showing a long time and already have a bunch of them on their shelves at home. But they mean the world to people who are just beginning to show or who haven't been showing for years, so the trophies are our effort to encourage these new and newer people in the sport of dogs.

This year Amanda wanted them to be special since it was our 90th year as an AKC recognized club. In the "old" days that would have meant we've had that many shows, but even before AKC began allowing clubs to have more than one show on a week end, the GSDC of WS still had two shows a year, one on two different week ends. We had one in the spring (May) time and one in the fall. Most of the time the show in the fall was held in conjunction with one of the Kennel Clubs — a bonus for both of us...we didn't have to worry about ring equipment or set up, and they had a larger than normal GSD entry because of the specialty show.

This year we had extra nice trophies, especially those for the bigger wins. So thank you donors very much for helping make this show special.







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Show off dog sports in the demo hall

We're looking for purebred dogs of all types: Carting, assistance, therapy, obedience, agility...



CONTACT Laura Young, Chairperson All Around Dogs

> AllAroundDogs@ outlook.com

> > 425-686-2323



NOTE: The GSDCWS is planning to participate in this activity which covers 4 days at the Fair. Please contact Kerry Southern if you are interested in participating.



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No New Litters Submitted This Month!



PLEASE NOTE: The listings of litters in this newsletter are a courtesy to members. A listing does not constitute an endorsement of either the dogs or the breeders by the German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State.

Two litters per year may be listed in the "Litter Box" for two months for free. After that there is a charge of \$10 per month. Send info to Dalene (editor) and/or to the club's Web Site, <u>asdcofws.org</u>.

NOTE: New requirements: both the dam and sire of litters posted here must be OFA certified and a copy of certificates sent to editor.

Having OFA hips and elbows is very important and since it can be a selling point (and it is too easy to just say they are), proof must be supplied. Such copies will be kept on file so they need not be supplied with



Lorrie's new puppy, Seerria





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German Shepherd Dog Club of America, Inc. Application for Membership or Renewal

There are two types of mombership. Regular Nembers: Minimum age of 18 years. Must be in good standing with AKC. Applicant (and tensoring members) agrees to acide by the CSDCA by-laws and the Fullis, and Regulations of the American Kennel Club. Two enconsements by carrent members must be provided by new opplicants. Applicants name will be published in the *German Shephord Deg Review*. Provided no bliectons

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To apply and pay ONLINE with a credit card, please go to gadea.org.join-the-gadea/apply-online. You can MAIL this form to : Laura Gilbert, Chair - 557 Dunning Lane. Ghesepeake, VA. 23322

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GSDCA.org

The GSDC of America's website with information on club activities, results of specialty shows, and much more.



ANOTHER WEB SITE OF INTEREST:

GSDCOFWS.org

The GSDC of Washington State's website with information on club activities, etc. There is also a Face Book page under German Shepherd Dog Club of Washington State.

AKC.org

The website for the American Kennel Club where you can look up show regulations; judges' names, addresses, phone numbers, future and past judging assignments; articles of interest about the canine world, check on information for your dog (titles, points, etc).

COMING SHOWS IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST

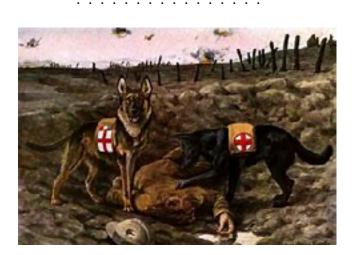
<u>GSDC of Greater Eugene — July 13-14</u>

(2 shows on the 14th) Albany, Oregon EVENT SECRETARY Judi James dba My Dogs Gym 1337 Madison St NE, #165, Salem, OR 97301 (971) 239-5518 EM: rainspring.mdg@gmail.com

2018 Northwest Regional Futurity/Maturity

July 15, 2018. Supt: Foy Trent Dog Shows, P.O. Box C, Sturgeon, MO 65284 Phone: (573) 687-2101, Fax: (888) 685-8989, Email: info@foytrentdogshows.com

Wash. St. Obed. Trng Club - Sept 1, 2, & 3 Kent, Wa. Show Sec'y: Theresa Calter/K9 Events NW, 4705 SW Hinds St. Seattle, WA 98116.





Until AKC simplifies their show calendar or someone else volunteers to look up the dates of shows in our area, I am discontinuing this page. I'll keep the shows listed above until they are in the past. I don't know if anyone even uses this page and it is a time-consuming chore to spend as much time as I do on it if only a few people are even using it. You can look up dates yourself on AKC's web site, maybe you'll be better at it than I am since they changed their format.

I will continue to list the names and contact information of Superintendents as in the list below.

SUPERINTENDENTS:

BaRay Event Services, P.O. Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233 -- (206) 818-3647 dogshows@barayevents.com

MB-F Inc., P.O. Box 22107, Greensboro, NC 27420-2107 (336) 379-9352 mbf@infodog.com

Onofrio Dog Shows, P.O. Box 4660, Portland,OR 97208-4660 (336) 239-1080 - <u>www.onofrio.com</u>

Rau Dog Shows, P.O. Box 6898 -Reading, PA 19610 - (610)-376-1880 www.raudogshows.com

If you wish more information about the shows in this list, go to <u>AXC.org</u> and check the events calendar, or go to the show-giving club's web site.



FROM: Dalene McIntire 11054 SE 192nd Street Renton, WA 98055

Best Newsletter

1967-1970, 1974-1976, 1986,

1990, 2009, **2011-2017**

Second Place

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2002-2007

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