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**From TCVESSA's President: Liz Pike**

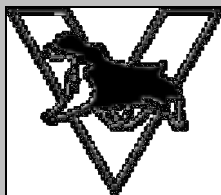
*Happy Fall to All TCVESSA Members!*

*I hope to see all of you at the upcoming Fall Membership meeting on November 13<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 to 3:00 at Total Recall in Hugo. It promises to be a fun event and a terrific time to reconnect with friends, both old and new. We've brought back the ever popular Pot Luck and will have plenty of room for you to bring your four legged friends and to participate in puppy (aka, beginner) agility and get some coaching to hone your handling skills. We are truly fortunate to have such an active membership and I look forward to connecting with all of you soon.*

*I recently read the attached article from "Best in Show Daily", an online magazine. It speaks to the foundation of our sport – volunteers - and really hit home for me because I believe we all have a part to play in making our club successful, welcoming new members, and creating a positive environment. Everyone has talents to share - and I welcome your interest in getting involved or more involved in making TCVESSA an even better club. Take a look at the article, and if it inspires you to volunteer- Hip Hip Hooray!*

*All the best,*

*Liz*



## As the Wheels Turn – Dog Club Membership 101

Posted By Laura Reeves PHA

In [Dogs & People Learn! The Scene](#)

Wait! what? Join an all-breed club? Attend a meeting? Help at the show? Seriously?

Yes. Really. It's something every participant in the fancy really should do. Anyone who is not now or has not been an active member of a show-giving club, either an all-breed club or a national or regional breed club, has not earned the right to complain about shows, show sites, judges, or pretty much anything else.

I understand we're all busy. Trust me. I get it. I'm also the Hospitality Chair for my breed's National Events this year, which take place just a couple weeks before my all-breed club's show. And yes, I have a job and a couple side projects (like this column) and a family. And, even, every now and then, a life! The same goes for every active participant in the clubs to which I belong.

Certainly I'm not suggesting everyone over-commit the way I do (in fact, I strongly recommend against it!) but this sport rests on its people. I hear lots of complaining about how AKC doesn't do this or that club didn't do thus and so. Well, kids, who do you think is going to actually do the work? We are. You and me and Bobby McGee, figuratively speaking.

It's called giving back to the sport. And it's not just for the long-timers. Many of us are reaching critical mass in the burnout stage. We need new voices, new brains, new eyes, new (and younger) backs. Volunteering for a club introduces participants to the inner workings of the show. It helps people learn, meet new folks in the community, contribute new ideas and fresh blood (and sweat and tears). If you just acquired your first show dog (or obedience or agility or hunt test or field trial.... all the same principles apply outside of conformation) what better way to learn the ropes than by helping out?

You aren't liable to be enlisted as show chair at your first meeting. Hopefully, your club leadership will listen respectfully to all input, but your ideas may not be immediately implemented. That is not reason to give up. I can assure you, speaking as one who served a number of years as National Events Coordinator for my breed, the volunteer in charge of poop patrol and clean up at the end of the week (no experience required) was my VERY favorite person on the team.

Learning and growing in a club will inevitably bring you more opportunities, which will continue to progress depending on your skill set, your willingness and your dependability.

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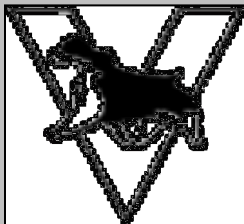
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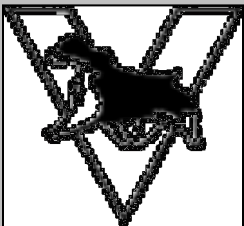
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So, a few tips about how each and every person reading this can contribute to improving the state of the sport.

1. Join a club. Dues are rarely onerous. Unlike at work, the people you meet already share a passion. Either for the same breed or purebred dogs in general.
  2. Volunteer for any one of the highly critical jobs at the show. Clean up. Or catalog sales. Or marking grooming spaces. Or judges transportation. Or hospitality. Or ring steward. Or trophy donations. Or media relations.
  3. If you have a great idea for a fundraiser or other labor intensive project, volunteer to organize it. Its with refreshments for the judges to each ring.
  4. If you say you'll do something, for the love of all that's holy, DO it. In as timely and efficient a manner as possible with as little complaining as you can manage.
  5. Old-timers, you folks need to be willing to let go of your fiefdoms a little. Training the replacement volunteer for your job is a tremendous gift to the fancy.
  6. Club officers, especially for those Breed clubs with restricted membership, consider ways in which to grow your roster. Reaching out to new owners and instilling in them the love and fascination for your breed and ways they can contribute to its future health and well-being is a good thing.
  7. Be realistic about your available time and don't bite off more than you can chew. This enables you to not become so stressed that the your volunteer time is taking a toll on your mental health.
  8. Personalities, petty jealousies, cliques, ancient histories and axes to grind are all part and parcel of the gig. I have found that a smile and sincere compliment goes a long, long way toward accomplishing a goal. When all else fails, quit banging your head against the brick wall and go around it...
  9. Just like we learned in kindergarten... Play nice in the sandbox. Share your toys. Don't bite.
- In the Year of Living Well, the purebred dog fancy is stronger when we are inclusive, inviting, encouraging and helpful. Go check it out. Join a dog club and pitch in. You might be surprised by how much more depth it brings to your enjoyment of the sport.



## TCVESSA FALL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> 2016  
11:00am to 3:00pm

LOCATION: **TOTAL RECALL SCHOOL FOR DOGS**

17285 Forest Blvd North (Hwy 61), Hugo, MN 55038

**Pot Luck – bring a dish to share**  
(drinks and paper goods will be provided)

**Two activities to choose from:**

Puppy/Beginner Agility

Conformation Coaching

*Fun for Everyone*

*All Springers are Welcome!*

Contact Liz Pike at [liz.westring@genmills.com](mailto:liz.westring@genmills.com) for additional information

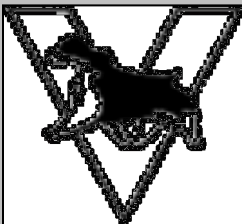
### UPCOMING EVENT

## 2016-2017 TCVESSA ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2017  
6-10 PM

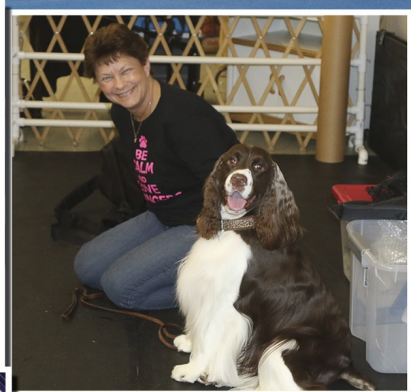
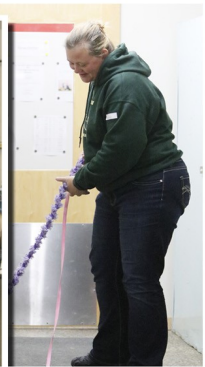
THE ROASTED PEAR  
9690 COLORADO LANE N  
(HWY 610 & ZANE)  
BROOKLYN PARK, MN 55445

MORE INFO WILL BE MAILED SEPARATELY IN JANUARY 2017  
AWARDS FORMS CAN BE FOUND ON THE WEBSITE  
START GATHERING YOUR INFO



Fun candid from this past year's club activities.

Photos by Joan Beck



**TCVESSA BOARD MEETING MINUTES: April 26, 2016**

The meeting was called to order by President Liz Pike at 7:04 pm. Officers present were Jamie Schommer Secretary, Courtney Hansen Vice President, B.A Breese Treasurer. Directors present were Alice Musburger, Kathy Patregnani, and Julie Roberts.

**Minutes** of the previous meeting were reviewed and unanimously approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** BA Breese reported a balance of 10,517.77, and there are no outstanding bills.

**Secretary's Report:** . The second reading of a membership application for Janice and Steve Johnson was made and approved.

**Specialty May 21 & 22, 2016**

Julie Roberts reported 19 electrical spaces reserved this far. Julie will come set up for grooming Friday before the show with help from Jennifer Eaton. B.A. volunteered to pick up the "turtles" from Ziegler and return them.

Still waiting on a few things to come in, and Alice is still making tugs, but our trophies are almost all covered as of now.

Welcome bags will be started when we get an estimate of exhibitors in so we don't make so much excess. Items in the bags were discussed, including using clickers Alice Musburger had donated a few years ago, adding a membership application and a little note, something from Penny at Laser Lites, and treats to be donated by Rhonda Meath.

\$831.94 was approved for ribbons for the specialty.

Kathy Raidt will be in charge of the rescue raffle, and will be willing to manage the club raffle as well. Prizes for this were discussed and decided based on revenue the raffle brought in the previous year (\$280.00). We will have three prizes this year: a springer weather-vane, a \$100 gift card, and a statue donated by Liz Pike.

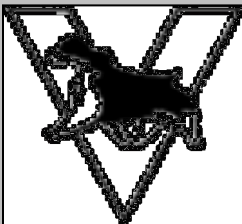
Exhibitors may arrive to set-up on Friday between 4-6 pm , we will arrive around 2:00 pm. We will hold a ring rental for a \$5 donation to the club for 5 minutes in the ring. The plastic sheeting for the floor at On The Run will be provided by Michelle and we will pay her for it.

Alice has volunteered to pick up the photography podium from Joan Beck, and Liz will check with the photographer about decorations. If needed Liz will bring flower baskets.

Courtney and Kathy will each bring 2 coolers for beverages.

Liz asked for volunteers to be the outside ring steward on Sunday. All other ring stewarding duties are covered. Josh Schommer will ring steward obedience so that B.A. can be outside ring steward.

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It was discussed that the Saturday breed show felt rushed last year and that we will be more relaxed and give more time between sweeps and regular judging to allow people to get their dogs ready. We had time constraints last year due to the judge needing to be at the airport early. This will hopefully make the social hour at a more reasonable time and not right after we have finished with lunch.

### **AGILITY**

Kathy Patregnani has already purchased and cooked food for our upcoming agility trial in June. Kathy requested approval for \$1,100 (three checks for \$300, and one for \$200 totaling \$1,100) so she can send in paperwork for our 2017 trials to AKC. This was approved, B.A. will send Kathy the checks made out to AKC.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### **New Business**

The updated membership form is on the website. It was discussed that the form should be revamped before the fall push, and a suggestion was made to remove the portion for dog names and to consider giving more space to add interests, hobbies, etc. that people may have that would benefit the club (graphic design, etc.). The updated membership roster will be sent out via the VOX.

Courtney asked about displaying the award plaques at the specialty, and Alice suggested we have a table or display that shows our members doing things with their dogs and have membership forms there. Joan has the archives, and would like for somebody to take them off her hands. Alice will pick that up from her. We discussed whether the club needs a new historian, which will be saved for a future meeting.

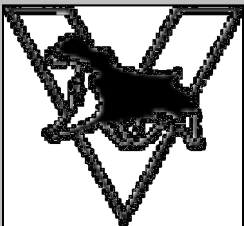
Mary Dahl has reached out and volunteered to be our Sunshine Chair, which consists of sending cards to members who have gone through a trauma, lost a loved one, etc. Jamie currently does this duty, as did Maryevelyn Monty as secretary and membership chair. All were in agreement that this is a good volunteer opportunity to give Mary, and Liz will send her an e-mail outlining the duties. We agreed we will do our best to inform her of any members we see in need, and will publish this in the VOX so members can also do that as they see fit, but that she will also have to be on the look out.

We have had issues for several years with names of dogs, or people being misspelled on awards. Alice informed us that Brian Schaffer had his name misspelled this year on his mugs, and was upset. Liz approved having 2 new mugs made for Brian, but the discussion followed about how to prevent this. Kathy said that when she does awards she sends an email stating the information she will be putting on the award with a note to respond with any changes or confirmation in 48 hours, and suggested we also do that, as people send in forms with illegible handwriting or missing information and then we have members upset when things are not spelled correctly.

**Next Meeting:** Will be decided via e-mail.

**Meeting Adjourned: 8:27 PM**

Respectfully submitted, Jamie Schommer TCVESSA Secretary



**TCVESSA BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

July 6, 2016

**Officers and Directors Present:** Courtney, Kathy, Carmen, Julie, BA, Alice, Liz

**The meeting was called to order at 7:15 pm**

**Approval of the Minutes** of the April 26<sup>th</sup> meeting: Kathy wanted to correct the statement that she gives the Parent Club award winners 48 hours to get corrected awards info to her; she indicated that she typically allows two weeks. Courtney moved to approve the minutes with the corrections, BA second – all agreed. Minutes approved.

There were no new membership applications to review.

**Treasurers Report:** We currently have \$11,062.15 in the treasury. Not unexpectedly, the Specialty lost money; we did have leftover prizes that can be used at future events.

Kathy P asked for approve to purchase approximately \$600 in Agility ribbons and \$320 in MACH bars. Julie moved to approve the \$920 expenditure; Courtney seconded and all approved.

Kathy requested \$200 to replenish the food tote with paper and plastic supplies (plates, bowls, plastic ware). Julie moved to approve and BA seconded. All in favor.

**Debrief of the 2016 Specialty and June Agility Trial**

We received great feedback on the Specialty. People love the venue and want to continue to use On the Run in 2017.

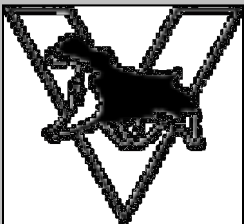
It was noted that we should make sure that the judges have a member to host them for dinner during the evenings that they are in town. Kathy shared that is the responsibility of the Agility Trial Chair to host the judge and we will incorporate that practice into the Specialty as well.

Welcome Bags – it was discussed that the Welcome Bags should be distributed early on the first day of the Specialty and should be personally handed by a club member who also thanks the participants for coming to the show.

There was feedback that we should have lunch options that are Gluten Free. Rather than offering more choices, we will indicate that anyone with special dietary needs can contact the Chair person to arrange for a lunch.

We thanked Alice Musburger for the OUTSTANDING Display of club activities, photos, and memorabilia. It displayed at both the Specialty and the June Agility trial and was admired by all.

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## New Business

### Fall Membership Meeting

We discussed potential dates and places for our Fall Membership meeting. With the closure of Pet Junction, we have limited choices. Kathy offered to approach Total Recall to see if they could offer us a discounted fee and successfully negotiated for a \$175 fee (half price) as long as the club will clean up after the event. We are tentatively booked for Sunday, November 13, pending approval by the Board.

We discussed several options for the meeting – fun match, grooming demo, and conformation seminar. We are looking for ideas!

NOTE: In August, we will appoint the nominating committee.

### 2017 Specialty Planning

We agreed to return to On the Run – Liz to contact Michelle. Julie will lead a small sub team to propose Conformation and Sweeps Judges for 2017. Kathy is confident that she will be able to find local judges for 2017 but may need to look for non-locals in 2018 because the local judges will be at a training seminar (Alvin Eng was a potential obedience/rally judge).

We discussed several ideas for potential “special attractions” at the Specialty – shave down class, wet dog class, Extravaganza, Springer ‘wannabees”, Pee Wee handling class etc. More to come on this!

Annual Awards: Alice to bring together a small group to talk about awards and criteria and will be reporting back to the board with recommendations.

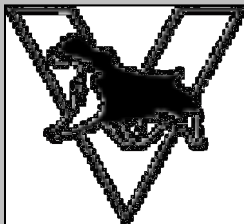
VOX – The Vox is published quarterly and we want to encourage people to submit articles and information. We discussed moving to 100% emailing of the VOX; according to our By-Laws, we will need to ask members to agree to receive email communication on the membership application/renewal and as such we will need to update the renewal form. Check with Jamie to see if she has a record of people who agreed to receive info by email.

We briefly discussed the Annual Awards Banquet and agreed to host it again at the Roasted Pear.

State Fair Demos: TCVESSA will put on demos on Friday, Sept 2 , 9 to 3:30, at the Minnesota State Fair. Participants can do any type of dog sport – conformation, rally, obedience, agility, hunt, etc. - and will receive free admission to the State Fair. Courtney and Carmen have a benching date. Alice and Carmen will participate and Kathy will see if she can get some field dogs. We will put out a general call to the membership. Liz will make a banner and Liz/Courtney will check on logoT-shirts for participants.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Liz Pike TCVESSA President



**TCVESSA BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

August 9, 2016

**Officers and Directors Present:** Courtney, Tekla, BA, Liz, Carmen

**The meeting was called to order at 7:12 pm**

**Approval of the Minutes** – moved by BA, second by Carmen. All in favor.

There were no new membership applications to review.

Application changes – add a request for the birthday of members, add a question regarding willingness to have all correspondence by email. Include the request for the names of dogs but note “ for new members only” Liz – send email to Jon if he uses these names and titles for anything? Renewals new to go out in October

**Treasurers Report:** We currently have \$9777.25. in the treasury.

**Old Business**

**State Fair Demo** – T-shirts should be delivered by 8/15. There are a few extras. Liz to get the banner and t-shirts to Courtney. Carmen will also bring battery operated fans.

**Specialty Judges** - Courtney sent names to Julie. Julie, Tekla and Courtney will finalize names for concurrence at next meeting.

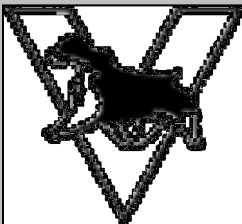
**Fall Meeting** – We are confirmed for November 13<sup>th</sup> at Total Recall. We agreed to bring back the Pot Luck. There was some discussion about using this as a fund raiser – for instance, an all-breed obedience to bring people in.

**New Business**

Nominating Committee – solicit input from current board as to interest in remaining on the Board. BA or Courtney were willing to be the Board member on the committee. In addition to the Board member, we need two other members for the committee. Members to ask: Janice, Jon, Kay G, Carol Hitz, Shirley. Send note out to membership to let them know the process is happening.

**Because we need to finalize the judge decisions, we will have our next meeting on Tuesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>.**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm



## TCVESSA Board Meeting Minutes

09/06/2016

Officers and Directors Present: Liz, Jamie, Courtney, BA, Julie, Carmen, Alice

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm

Approval of Minutes – Moved by Courtney, second by BA. All in favor.

There were no new membership applications to review.

Application changes – Jamie to see how we can fit birthday, dogs names, and question about receiving correspondence via email. Renewals to go out in October.

Treasurers Report – We currently have \$9548.13 in the treasury with no outstanding bills.

### Old Business

State Fair Demo – Everybody who participated seemed to like the banner and t-shirts. There was some discussion that we should prepare something in the future about the breed standard, temperament, what its like to live with a springer, etc.

Specialty Judges – Julie gave several names and suggestions. After some discussion it was decided that Liz would start to solicit judges for the 2017 specialty. For regular classes Linda Robey, Dr. Dana Ann Smith Massey, or Steve Dainard. Dana Cline was discussed for a possible future judging assignment (2018). For sweepstakes Linda Friedow, Ann Lafernier, or Renee Holt. Sue Bossheart was discussed for 2018 since she is local and we will likely have to fly in obedience judges that year due to local judges being at some kind of education that weekend.

Fall Meeting – We discussed our options for things we will be offering at this meeting, several were discussed and we decided to pursue puppy agility and a handling mentoring session.

Nominating Committee – Discussed being transparent with the membership, sending out a note as we go along to keep them updated on where we are in the process. All current members of board/governors have shown interest in staying on in their position for 2017,

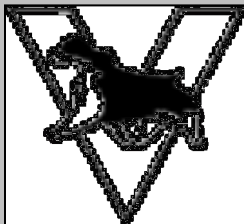
### New Business

Awards proposal – Alice is working to ensure everything has consistent verbiage, getting rid of unnecessary clauses, etc. We do not have an award to acknowledge select dog/bitch, and our current Best of Breed and Best of Opposite award criteria are being looked into as well. Discussed getting the CGC titles verified somehow.

Agility Trial – Courtney is volunteer coordinator for our October 21-23 trial. Jamie will send a reminder to membership looking for help all weekend but especially Sunday for clean up. We will be having collars and snoods made by Maggi, tug toys made by Courtney, and a few other vendors along with an excellent worker raffle.

Next meeting was set for Thursday, October 6th at 7:15pm.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm



**TCVESSA BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

October 6, 2016

**Officers and Directors Present:** Courtney, Alice, BA, Carmen, Julie, Tekla, Kathy

The meeting was called to order at 7:20 pm

Approval of the minutes from the 9-6-17 meeting: The meeting minutes were not available so we were unable to approve them. They will take to them to the next meeting

Membership update - no new membership applications have been received.

Treasurer's report: our current balance is \$9755.27

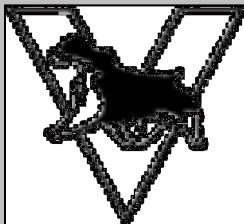
**Old Business**

- Specialty Judges/Conformation– both sweeps judges have accepted the assignment (Ann LeFerner and Linda Friedow). Regular Classes: Dana Smith Massey has accepted for Sunday.
- b. Specialty Judges – Obedience and Rally - Hired Chuck Cline and Chuck Anderson (obedience only); Sarah Lenard (Rally on Saturday pm)
- c. Fall membership meeting
  - Advertisement/ note to membership, Facebook and Website
  - We will have a Pot Luck
  - Events – Puppy Agility and Conformation Coaching
- d. Report of the nominating committee - BA reported that all of the current Board members are interested in staying on the Board.

**New Business**

- a. Awards Proposal –Alice presented each award proposal. Each was reviewed and voted on. It was moved to accept the recommendations of the award committee. **The motion carried.**
- b. Agility Trial update - all three days are filled. Kathy will purchase ribbons next week. She has MACH ribbons 😊
- c. Banquet update - The Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet will be held on March 18 at the Roasted Pear

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50



WINS & BRAGS

**IntlCH SVCH Sagewinds Paws Up its Griffin CGCA, GN, CDX, RE, OA, OAJ, AXJP, AXP, DN  
"Griffin"**

**Owed by Carmen Laing**

**St. Paul DTC Trial**

January 3rd Leg AXJP Title

**NADD Dock Diving**

August 5 Legs Novice DN Title

**Bales & Tails**

Oct 2 Legs Novice

**TCVESSA Agility Trial**

Oct	Ex Std Pref	3rd Leg	AXP Title
	Masters Pref	1st Leg	
	Masters Pref	2nd leg	

**International Show**

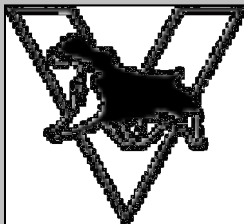
Nov	Open	WD, BOB, Group 1	V-1	INTLCH
	Open	WD	V-1	
	Open		V-1	
	Open		V-1	
	Veterans	3 Shows	Best in Show Veteran	SVCH
	Veterans	1 Show	Reserve Best in Show	

**My-Sun A Kind of Magic CGC, BN, RN,  
"Sage"**

**Owed by Diane Slais**

**TCVESSA Specialty**

May 21	Beg Novice	1st Leg	3rd Place	
May 21	Beg Novice	2nd Leg	3rd Place	
May 22	Beg Novice	3rd Leg	2nd Place	BN Title
May 21	Rally Novice	3rd Leg	1st Place	RN Title



WINS & BRAGS

**IntlCH Eldamars Paws Upon a Star CGC, BN, CD, RN, DJ  
"Elsa"**

**Owned by Carmen Laing & Julie Roberts**

NADD Dock Diving

August		5 Legs	Junior	<b>DJ Title</b>
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Bales & Tails

Oct		2 Legs	Novice	
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TCVESSA Agility Trial

Oct	Novice B Standard	1st Leg	1st Place	
	Novice B Standard	2nd Leg	1st Place	
	Novice B Jumpers	1st Leg	1st Place	
	Novice B Jumpers	2nd Leg	1st Place	
	Time to Beat	1st Leg		

International Show

Nov	Open	WB, BOB	V-1	<b>INTLCH</b>
	Open	WB	V-1	
	Open		V-1	
	Open		V-1	

**Fox Hollow Blue Skies BN, CD, RAE, NA, OAJ  
"Skye"**

**Owed by Diane Slais**

TCVESSA Specialty

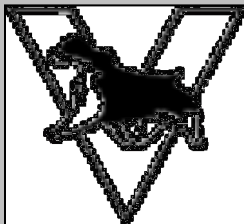
May 22	Novice	3rd Leg	1st Place	<b>CD Title</b>
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**Hirdler Hill's Life in the Fast Lane OA, OAJ, CDX, RA, BN, GN, CGCU  
"Rev"**

**Owned by Brian Schaffer**

TCVESSA

Oct 21	Excellent Jumpers	3rd leg
Oct 22	Excellent jumpers	4th leg
Oct 22	Excellent Standard	1st leg



**CH Briarton Patriot Games BN, PCD, RA, CGC, RATI  
"Duncan"**

**Owned by Kay Glaeser & Cathy VanKempen**

**St. Paul DTC**

April 29	Beg Novice	1st Leg	3rd Place	
	Rally Adv	1st Leg	1st Place	

**TCVESSA Specialty**

May 21	Beg Novice	2nd Leg	2nd Place	
	Beg Novice	3rd Leg	1st Place	<b>BN Title</b>
	Reserve Winners Dog			

May 22	Beg Novice	4th Leg	1st Place	
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**Duluth KC**

July 15	Winners Dog	3pt Major		<b>CH Title</b>
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**Anoka KC**

Sept 24	Pre Novice	1st Leg	1st Place	
	Rally Adv	2nd Leg		
Sept 25	PreNovice	2nd Leg	1st Place	
	Rally Adv	3rd Leg		<b>RA Title</b>

**Bales & Tales**

Oct	Instinct Test			
	Novice	1st Leg	3rd Place	

**TCOTC**

Oct 22	Pre Novice	3rd Leg	1st Place	<b>PCD Title</b>
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**Signatures Leap of Faith**

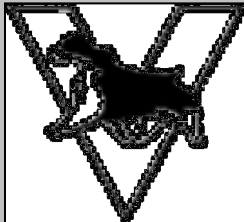
**Owned by Mary Dahl**

**Wright Cty KC**

Oct 8	Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex
Oct 9	Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex

**Sioux Kennel Club**

Oct 28	Winners Bitch, Best of Opposite Sex, Best of Winners
Oct 30	Winners Bitch, Best of Opposite Sex, Best of Winners



**Briarton Heaven Sent Rendition CD, RE, BN, CGC  
"Macie"**

**Owned by Kay Glaeser & Cathy VanKempen**

**TCVESSA Trial**

May 22	Rally Excellent	4th Place	
	Rally Advanced	3rd Place	<b>RAE Leg 1</b>

**Anoka KC**

Sept 24	Rally Excellent		
	Rally Advanced	4th Place	<b>RAE Leg 2</b>

Sept 25	Rally Excellent	3rd Place	
	Rally Advanced	2nd Place	<b>RAE Leg 3</b>

**Anoka KC**

Oct 22	Rally Excellent		
	Rally Advanced	3rd Place	<b>RAE Leg 4</b>

**CH Spellbound's First Edition  
"Booker"**

**Owned by Courtney Hansen**

Sept 10			<b>CGCA Title</b>
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**Hutchinson**

Oct 4	Best of Breed		
	Owner Handler	Group 4	<b>GRCH Title</b>

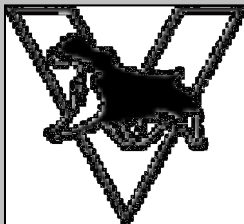
Oct 5	Best of Breed		
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Nov 5	Nosework	Odor Recognition	Birch / Clove
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**CCH Spellbound's First to Fly CGCA  
"Amelia"**

**Owned by Courtney Hansen**

Sept 10			<b>CGCA Title</b>
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**Telltale Seaview Firefly at Starlight CGC, RN  
"Zoe"**

**Owned by Joan Beck**

**ESSFTA National**

Rally Novice	3rd Leg	RN Title
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**Cambridge Kennel Club**

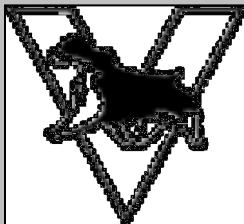
June 26	Winners Bitch	2 pts
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**Milo McGee of Hirdler Hill UD, JH, RN, WD  
"Milo"**

**Owned by Jon Pidde**

**Bloomington OTC**

Nov 4	Utility	3rd Leg	UD Title
Nov 5	Utility		
	Open	UDX Leg	
Nov 6	Utility		
	Open	UDX Leg	





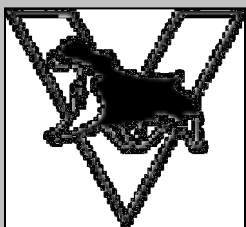
**“Emma”**

**WB/BOB and OH Group 3  
Burlington Wisconsin Kennel Club  
Owned by Jamie Schommer**



**“Niki”**

**PACH Agility Championship  
TCVESSA Trial  
Owned by B.A. Breese**



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**CH Spellbound's First Thru the Looking Glass "Alice"  
&  
GCH Seaview's Notorious "Marshall"**

Bred by Courney Hansen & Janice Johnson

4 Boys & 2 Girls all B/W

**CH Briarton Patriot Games "Duncan"  
&**

**Hirdler Hills Mount Lassen Lucille CGC "Lucy"**

Bred by Joan Beck & Lori Hilleren

3 Girls born July 15

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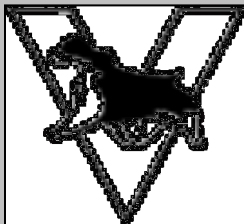
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