

## Cuyahoga Valley Golden Retriever Club

# Gold'N News



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### *Mark your calendars!*

#### **Next meeting:**

No "official" meeting this month as we get ready to head up to the National!

We will have the final meetings with Don Wednesday August 20th (zoom) and Saturday August 20th (in person)

#### **Upcoming Events:**

CVGRC sponsored agility at CAPS August 13-14th

Even though this is so close to the National, we hated to give up this sponsorship opportunity. If you can help for a couple hours, we could use you!

#### **Volunteers Needed:**

CVGRC sponsored agility at CAPS August 13-14th

We need some volunteers to help. Contact Andrene if you can offer some time.

**For the National-** in September: volunteers to steward Obedience and/or Rally -contact Joan Durback if you can help [ndurback@aol.com](mailto:ndurback@aol.com)

**For the National-** Sue Sanvido could use some help at the raffle table. Can be any day Monday – Friday and for as many hours as you can spare. Once you know when you are showing, please see if you can help out.

## Message from the President

Thanks to everyone who helped out at the Heart Clinic at the Madison Show July 16th.

The Awards Picnic was held July 25th. The dogs and owners who received awards are listed on page 5.

We are definitely down to “crunch” time! Many thanks to all the club members who have been working so hard to make this National happen!

~Vicki

## 2022 National News



### 2022 GRCA National - Update

<https://2022.grcanational.com>

National Meetings (mark your calendar!)

In person) (Saturdays)  
August 20th

Zoom meetings (Wednesdays)  
August 17th

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Campbell and Zoe by the Rose of Sharon

~Joan Durback



So fun to get puppy updates! “Piper” is from my March litter (Tell’en x Geni). They wanted the “fun” one!

~Cappi Mercer



## 2022 CVGRC Officers

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Tara Perby: Librarian, Awards, Field, Historian, Treasurer, Membership

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2022 Chairs:

Agility

Tracking

Public Education Coordinator

GRCA/CBGRC Delegate

Care and Concern

### Board Members

Donna Edwards (22)

Karen Bodner (22)

Karen Hardy (23)

Kathy Sutliff (23)

All committee chairs..if you want something in the newsletter, or added to the website, please send dates, information, and/or premiums to [cmerc900@mac.com](mailto:cmerc900@mac.com)



Sonny has a new baby brother to babysit. His name is Koda and he (supposedly) belongs to son Nathan.

~Gwen and Chris Eyerman



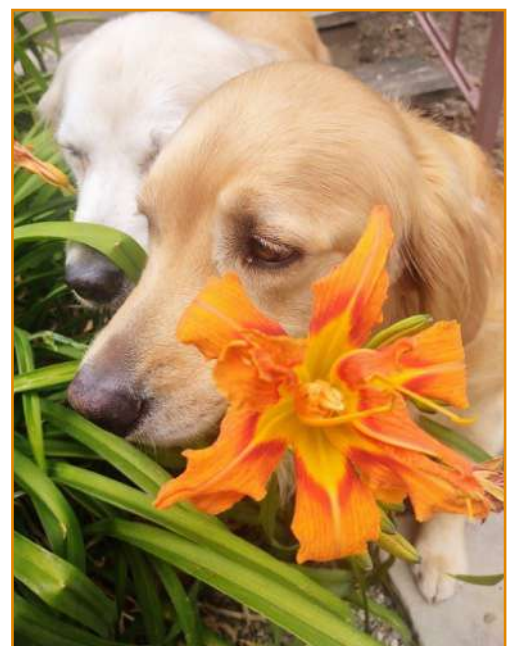
## Happy August Birthday!

Chris Eyerman 26th  
Steve Harmon 24th  
Kathy Koenig 27th  
Debbie Lowe 25th  
Micayla Mingus 26th  
Betty Quay  
Karen Phillips 4th  
Christy Thomas 15th  
Kathy Sutliff 27th  
Larry Zoul



Rugby, at the 2010 National in Greeley, CO

*~Beckie Gang-Jordan*





### “Score”

MACH Crossroad's Seventh  
Inning  
Stretch,CD,BN,SH,RE,MXB,M  
JB,XF,ADHF,CCA,WCX,VC

New Titles: MSJ 4/17/2021  
NAC 2021

Kathy Koenig

### “Cash”

Crossroad's Xpensive Hobby,  
JH,CGC

New Titles: OAJ 1/23/2021  
NF 5/14/2021  
AXJ 5/16/2021  
AX 5/30/2021  
SH 6/26/2021  
SH 6/26/2021  
OF 11/20/2021

Kathy Koenig

### “Flash”

Dauntless One Golden Flash,  
SCN, BN, THDN,  
CGC,RN,CGCA,CGCV,BCAT,CA  
,TI,RI,DS

New Titles: CD 4/11/2021  
DCAT 8/21/2021

Karen Bodner

### “Lark”

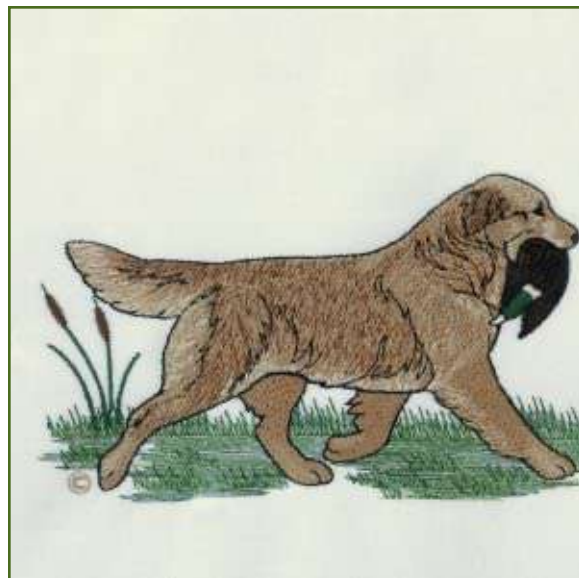
MACH Crossroad's  
Meadowlark,RE,CDX,MH,M  
XS,MJC,MFB,T2B2,VCX,WC  
X,CCA

New Title: MJP 11/28/2021

Tara Perby

# 2021

# Award Winners



### “Darcy”

Sheaman Pebwin Dreams Come  
True,CGC,TKN

New Titles: DJ 5/23/21  
CCA 10/27/21

Karen & Richard Hardy

### “Puff”

Hillock's Magic Dragon CGC,  
TKN, JH, BN

New Titles: CD 3/6/21  
RN 11/7/21

Dianne Ross

### “Hailey”

Gideon's Y Not? CGC, TDN

New Titles: SIN 9/25/21  
SCN 9/25/21

Karen & Richard Hardy

### “Boo”

Gideon's Trick or Treat, CA, CGC

New Title: NAP 10/15/21

Vicki White

### “Viva”

Profile Legacy of Spicewood, JH,  
WC

New Title: WCX 9/5/21

Carolyn Durway

# Brags and news



California Red Ale at Koodori  
NA NAJ NF

Calli is on a roll!

Novice Fast 6/10/22 judge Roger O?  
Sullivan at PDS

Novice JWW 6/18/22 judge Suzy  
Schmitz at PDS

Novice Standard 7/16/22 judge Alex  
Davis at CABTC/Capps Field house.

We are so proud of this girl!!

*~Karen & Dan Groth*





Asher takes WD and Best of Opposite at Canfield

*~Lisa Schultz*



Violet making a grab at 19'3 at the gated dock & this is incredible considering she wasn't tracking or jumping past novice until the end of may/June. She's figured out the game and somehow made dock diving even more addictive and fun in such a short period of time. Regionals will be our last event until next spring and I'm not sure who will miss it more

*~Micayla Mingus*



And for some unknown reason we felt the need to do the "puppy thing" again. This 8 week old terrorist arrived last week and he's fitting in quite nicely I think. His full name will probably be Topbrass Jet Assisted Takeoff, JATO for short.

Our Topbrass Nicky the Kentucky Kid finished up his AKC Junior Hunter qualifications at the Cuyahoga Valley Golden Retriever Club hunt test in Chardon Ohio. Now the real training work begins for Senior.

*~Rex & Linda Gary*







Henna got 2 Started passes at the High Flyers HRC test. Her first ribbons!! Minx got a 2nd started pass, her 1st was 3 yrs ago. We moved up to Seasoned and got our 1st pass today. I overcame my phobia of gun handling. This may be my new addiction.

*~Tara Perby*



Back to field July 24th for Cash. Success at the Buckeye Retriever Club's "Singles" trial today!! 1st place at the "Unsteady" stake!!!

*~Kathy Koenig*



Henry and Darcy going for a "Personal Best" at The Gated Dock. Darcy is well on her way to her DJA title!

*Karen and Richard Hardy*





Wall-E got a personal best on Friday, then another personal best at [Christmas in July NADD Qualifier](#) at [The Gated Dock](#). And to top it off, he placed 2nd in HydroDash and earned an invite to the regional championship!

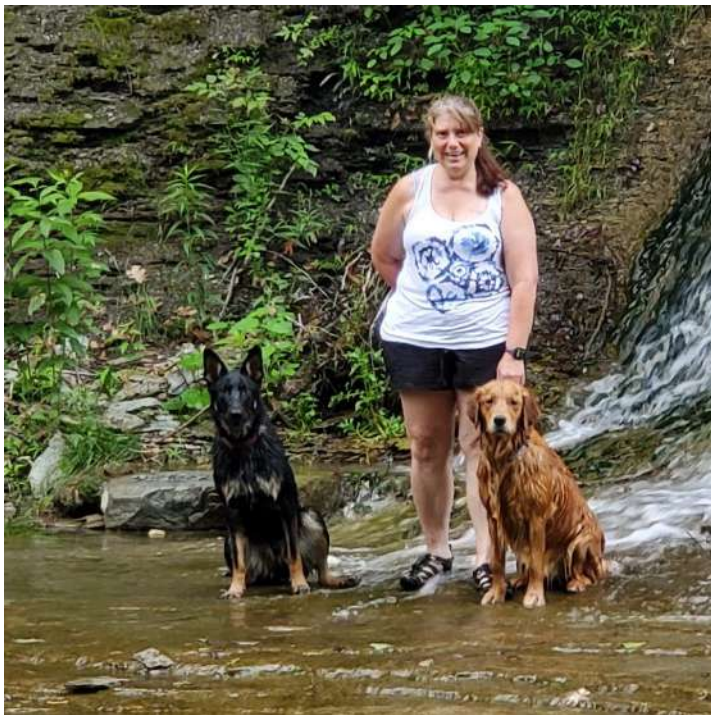
~Cappi Mercer



And we have a new obedience title! His handler needs some practice (it's MY first obedience title also!) but when this boy is on, he's so much fun! Very proud of him... new building, scary new things (like these lanterns I asked him to sit by) and a girl in season at home. He earned his 3rd leg and even took first place!

~Cappi Mercer





Cassie is my first golden retriever. Although German Shepherds were my first love, I don't think I could be without a golden in my life!

*~Thelma Kraut*



Our favorite past time is anything that includes water!



Darcy is working on her DJA title, and has several jumps in the DS range, and is also within a splash of finishing her HydroDash title. Her jumps at Canfield qualified her for the regionals in both distance and HydroDash.

*-Karen and Richard Hardy (with junior handler grandson Henry!)*



## Fun Matches No Longer Limited to Only Club Members

Match Regulations were changed to allow fun matches to be available for all exhibitors, not just members of the club. AKC clubs are encouraged to hold fun matches open to the public to introduce new dog owners to their club and the sports. Fun matches may be held in conjunction with a licensed event (on the same day and location), or they may be an independent event. This change is effective immediately.

## Rally to Allow More Participation in the Rally "A" Classes

Rally Regulations were modified to allow exhibitors who have earned the Obedience Beginner Novice (BN) title to be eligible to enter the Rally "A" classes (Rally Novice A, Rally Advanced A and/or Rally Excellent A). This change is effective for trials held on or after October 3, 2022.

## Virtual Scent Work Test Made Permanent

The Virtual Scent Work Test was launched August 1, 2021 as a pilot program. It has provided exactly what it was designed for which was to serve as an introduction to Scent Work and allow owners to take part in a fun activity they can do from home. In looking at the participation level of this program, 120 unique breeds plus Canine Partners have earned VSWT titles. The program has experienced participation from all 50 states plus Canada, the U.K and Australia. Of the dogs that have earned a VSWT title, 10% were from dogs that have not previously earned an AKC sport title (excluding a CGC title). At the expiration of the pilot program period, August 1, 2022, the Virtual Scent Work Test will be designated a permanent program. For comments or questions, contact [scentwork@akc.org](mailto:scentwork@akc.org) or 919-816-3844.

## Event Committees Are Not to Address Social Media Complaints

Effective July 1, 2022, Event Committees **shall not entertain** social media complaints, regardless of where the post is made or the content of the post. These matters are to be addressed by the AKC via the Code of Sportsmanship and Code of Sportsmanship Enforcement Policies (both are available at <https://www.akc.org/rules/policy-manual/akc-board-administration-policies/>). Exhibitors should contact the Compliance Department ([compliancediv@akc.org](mailto:compliancediv@akc.org) or 919-816-3546) for questions about how to file such a complaint.

# American Kennel Club News

## Clarification on Run Off for Best of Breed in Lure Coursing

The Regulations for Lure Coursing Test and Trails were modified to specify when there are multiple stake winners, they must all advance and be randomly drawn into the Best of Breed run rather than be run off against each other first to determine which one dog would be the overall stake winner and advance to the Best of Breed run. This clarification will prevent misinterpretation leading to dogs having the undue burden of running an additional time. This change is effective for trials held on or after August 1, 2022. For comments or questions, contact [lurecoursing@akc.org](mailto:lurecoursing@akc.org) or 919-816-3908.

## Obedience and Rally Clubs Allowed to Publish More Prizes in Premiums

The Obedience and Rally Regulation were modified to allow clubs to publish prizes in the event premium list that are being offered only to members of clubs or owners of specific breeds. This change is effective immediately.

## Replacing Judges on a Conformation Judges Panel

For varying reasons, we have recently had an increase in situations where conformation judges are not able to fulfill part or all their assignment. Please remember that a judge cannot be removed from a breed assignment to fulfill an open assignment. Additionally, if a judge that is licensed for a breed is available (either already on the panel or added to the panel) for assignment without conflict or overload, the judge must be used to fulfill the assignment. Please contact AKC Conformation Event Operations at [EventPlans@akc.org](mailto:EventPlans@akc.org) or 919-816-3579 if you need assistance. On the weekend, please call 919-816-3955.

## MYRA SAVANT-HARRIS

### ADVANCED CANINE REPRODUCTION & PUPPY INTENSIVE CARE SEMINAR



#### WHEN

**October 22nd & 23rd 2022**

**9:00 AM to 4PM Saturday—9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Sunday**

#### WHERE

**Beaver County Kennel Club**

**580 Jackson Street, Rochester, PA 15074**

#### Author and Speaker on:

##### Canine Reproduction, Whelping, Breeding and Puppy Care

Myra Savant-Harris is a dog breeder and Registered Nurse with many years working in labor, delivery and neonatal ICU. Along with her interest in genetic research and experience in dog breeding, she brings a wealth of knowledge and techniques to help you in your breeding program. She is a sought-after and highly informative, entertaining speaker who has published several books.

Seminar covers sperm—in every conceivable way including counts & how to maximize your stud dog's capabilities. It includes the bitch's repro system from first heat to spay and includes all the information you'll need to coordinate the stud dog's capabilities together with the bitch's timing for breeding. There is also a lengthy amount of time devoted to whelping, stuck puppy and post partum care. Myra covers puppy from the beginning until the puppy leaves your home for placement. Questions from attendees invited and Myra tries to address all of the problems brought to her attention.

## ADVANCE RESERVATIONS

**\$125 - before September 15, 2022**

## GENERAL SALES

**\$150 after September 15th**

**(if space is available)**

***Make Checks or Money***

***Order***

***Payable to BCKC***

## SPONSOR

**The Beaver County Kennel Club**

**Continental Breakfast and Lunch will be Provided**



## QUESTIONS

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mbaum3@live.com**

**412-298-3694**

All correspondence will be answered as soon as possible

Mail Form and Check to: **Maurene Baum 312 Moosehead Dr. Imperial, PA 15126**

Registration Confirmation will be emailed

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Address

Email

Phone

The Beaver County Kennel Club will sponsor a seminar on Advanced Canine Reproduction and Puppy Intensive care with acclaimed speaker and author Myra Savant-Harris, October 22 & 23 2022.

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