Best In Specialty Show
Multiple Group Winning Champion
Hylan Sho Tru Snow Update
BISS MULTIPLE GROUP WINNING

CHAMPION HYLAN SHO TRU SNOW UPDATE

SAM CELEBRATED HIS SECOND BIRTHDAY IN A CAPITAL WAY BY BEING AWARDED "SELECT" BY MRS. ANNIE ROGERS CLARK AND MR. CAMPBELL AT THIS YEAR’S NATIONAL SPECIALTY. HE WAS A GRAND FUTURITY WINNER IN 1992 AND A CHAMPION OF RECORD AND GROUP FIRST WINNER AT 13 MONTHS OLD. IN 1993 HE WAS A CONSISTENT GROUP WINNER AND BISS WINNER. HE RANKED AMONG THE TOP LHASAS WITH HIS HALF BROTHER BIS, BISS CHAMPION HYLAN SHO TRU STORM BIRD, WHO IS RANKED NUMBER 1. WE ARE VERY HONORED TO HAVE BRED THEM.

HYLAN SHO TRU LHASA APSO
MIDGE HYLTON - PAT KEEN
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WE HAVE FED GENERATIONS OF WINNERS SCIENCE DIET.

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CH. ANBARA SAN JO

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and all who participated in her successful career.
We are very proud!

Bred, Owned and Loved By:

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"Maggie" dreams about Science Diet

SAN JO
Leslie Ann Engen
206/788-5454
Dear ALAC Members:

The holiday season is upon us and oh, what a crazy time of the year it can be! What happened to those old fashioned days when things were simple and joyous? Do I sound like a grump? Well, I certainly do not mean to be. It just seems like everything is more hectic and commercial these days. I wish all of you, your family and dogs a happy and healthy holiday season and New Year.

The 1994 National is coming along quite well. Pat Keen has been diligently working on many aspects of coordinating the Specialty together and should be commended. I hope that everyone plans to attend and I anxiously anticipate our first National Grand Futurity competition. I believe that a National Sweepstakes is also planned and that should also be an exciting event.

Our 1995 National is also starting to take shape. I believe that our judge Jane Forsyth has been contacted and her contract has been signed and that Cleveland, Ohio has been selected as our show site, with a location that is convenient to the major airport. Bill Russett has spent lots of time working on the site selection and he should also be commended.

Our Code of Ethics was approved by the membership and I am personally pleased that we are starting to make progress in that area. We are still in need of someone interested in the Rescue effort and I would hope that there are members who are willing to help. Please contact me if you can be of any assistance.

If you notify either Carolyn, Amy, Susan or myself with a change of address, please remember to include your telephone number. Otherwise, when the roster is published your new address will appear with your old telephone number.

Again, wishing each and everyone a very happy and healthy holiday season. Until next time.

Steve Campbell
ALAC President

Secretary's Column

One of my favorite things about Christmas (I know it's low on the list after church, trimming the house, shopping, cooking, eating, but exciting just the same) is the fact that Westminster is just around the corner. I make my sister, who has cable, record the televised Group judging for me and each year, as she hands me the tape, she says the same thing, "why do you watch this stuff?!" At least Regis Philbin isn't doing the color commentary anymore! Anyway, along with the festivities of the show is an often traditional ALAC Board meeting. I'm telling you all this so that any items of business, important issues you wish brought to the Board's attention, etc. may be added to the agenda in time for the meeting. Contact me if you have such an item and I will be happy to make sure it is brought before the Board. If you are in the area, JOIN US! This Club is yours and though general members cannot vote at Board meetings, they may contribute to the discussion. WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU! Enclosed in this issue are the minutes from the July general business and Board meetings. If you have any questions or comments, contact any Board member.

The American Lhasa Apso Club Code Of Ethics was accepted by the membership and tabulated as follows:

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If anyone needs a copy, contact myself or Chairman Cindy Butsic.

The Best of Holidays to You and Your Families!
Sire: Am/Can Group Winning Ch. San Jo Rumors Flying  

Dam: Ch. San Jo Anbara Fancy Pants

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Leslie Ann Engen  
Bred and Co-Owned By:  
SAN JO  

"Dudley" plays with Science Diet
ALAC Reports...

June O'Brien has 6 dogs of Pat Chenoweth's (Chen Kennels). They will require medical attention and rehabilitation. If you want to inquiry about their progress please contact June either through ALAC or directly (916-743-7266 after 8pm PCT).

If anyone would like to make a contribution in memory of Pat Chenoweth or Rena Wilkes (also deceased this year) please send it to Carolyn Herbel, and earmark it for The Dorothy Benitz Fund. This fund is used to help out Lhasa owners in times of need or emergency. Pat was once helped by The Benitz Fund when she had a major fire at her home. The victims of Hurricane Hugo, and a family whose motor home burn when they came to the National have been helped.

1995 National Specialty Judge

Mrs. Jane Forsyth has been chosen by the membership to judge our 1995 National Specialty doing regular classes, non-regular classes and Junior Showmanship. She has accept this assignment and has agreed not to judge Lhasas for 6 months prior to the National in June 1995.
Art-Est Lhasas
wishes you a
Merry Christmas

Ch. Art-Est Blackberry Shortcake
(Ch. Kinderland Ta Sen Art-Est Kyi ex Ch. Art-Est Keeping The Faith)

Our newest champion "Shortcake" and her kennel mates wish all our Lhasa friends Happy Holidays and a Happy New Win in 1994. "Shortcake" was trained, conditioned and handled by Michelle Miller.

Art-Est Lhasas
472 Cricket Hill Trail
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Art & Esther DeFalcis
(404) 979-0070
FAX (404) 985-1881

Shortcake will leave Santa Claws sweets and Science Diet on Christmas Eve
In Memoriam

Pat Chenoweth

July 26, 1928 - November 13, 1993

Pat Chenoweth died Saturday, Nov. 13th, 1993.
A matriarch of the breed, Chen Kennels, and "a legend in her own time."

Contributions to the ALAC Dorothy Benitz Fund in the memory of Raena or Pat may be sent to Carolyn Herbel

In Memoriam

Raena Wilks
The next pages are in memory of our beloved Remus

Joymarc's Remus of Kimberly

December 1989 - July 1991

Champion Kimberly's Samson of Do-Lang is Remus' son.

The two young boys - Kimberly's Brandy Alexander and Kimberly's Bourbon Street are Samson's sons and Remus' grandsons.

Remus we miss you but have these and our other son and daughters to remember you by.

We are very proud of our new champions;
Ch Samson of Do-Lang and Champion Rockie To of Do-Lang.

Kimberly's Kennel Joy P. Davis III & Doris G. Davis PO Box 6662 Asheville, NC 28816

Remus' kids love Science Diet
Kimberly's Kennel presents their new champion

Ch Kimberly's Samson of Do-Lang

Samson finished in 2 months with 3 majors.

We want to thank Jean Lade for her loving care and great showing.

Samson misses and loves her.

Shown by Jean Lade

Samson loves Science Diet
Kimberly’s Kennel is happy to show Ch Samson of Do-Lang sons and Remus’ grandsons:

BEST OF WINNERS
FORSYTH KENNEL CLUB
JUNE 18, 1993
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Kimberly’s Brandy Alexander
Shown by Jeffrey Burrell & Jay P. Davis III
Bred by Doris G. Davis and Dot Primm
Owned by Jeffrey Burrell (Rt 1 Box 806, Canton, NC 28716) and Doris G. Davis

Kimberly’s Bourbon Street
Shown by Jeffrey Burrell & Jay P. Davis III
Bred & Owned by Doris G. Davis and Dot Primm
Grooming: The Tools of the Trade

by Denise Olejniczak

Before any grooming program can be initiated, the proper tools must be obtained. Just as a carpenter requires the correct tools for his trade, so does the groomer. Prior to beginning your grooming program you should assemble the following equipment:

Pin brush
Face Comb
Belgian Greyhound Comb
Slicker
Scissors
Spray bottle with diluted conditioner
Nail Clippers
Quick-Stop
Latex Bands for topknots
Knitting Needle or Letter Opener for making parts
Cornstarch in a shaker canister

Pin Brushes: The correct pin brush is the most essential tool for any grooming program. The pins should be anchored in a soft, pliable base. This allows the pins to move through the hair with the least amount of resistance, which allows the dead hair to be easily removed without breaking the hair shaft. The best pin brushes I have found are the Scalpmaster 125 and the All Systems Large Pin Brush. In my experience, the All Systems Brush is the Rolls Royce of pin brushes. Not only is the base soft and pliable, but the pins are longer in length than the Scalpmaster. The Scalpmaster Brush has stiffer, shorter pins, however, it is an ideal brush for thicker coats. Each groomer has their preferences, however, do not let price dictate the type of brush you will buy. You will be acting in a "penny-wise pound-foolish" manner. The extra cost of either of these brushes over the more inferior types of brushes on the market is well worth it if your goal is to have a long, luxurious coat.

Combs: The Belgian Greyhound or Greyhound-type of comb are the best for the Lhasa coat. These combs have dual teeth placements, course (wider set) on one side and medium (narrower) on the other. The less expensive combs are quite acceptable, however, check the teeth for smoothness. If there are many imperfections and sharp, raised areas this comb is not for you. These sharp areas can snag the undercoat, and literally rip it out or cause breakage of the guard hairs.

Face Combs: A face comb is used as the description states...on the face! The teeth of a face comb are spaced closer together. The ideal comb has dual placement of teeth, medium on one end and fine (closer together) on the other. When combing through the beard on your Lhasa Apso, you can first comb through gently with the medium side of the comb; and, then once debris is loosened comb through with the fine end of the comb to remove debris.

Slicker Brushes: Slickers are used very sparingly on Lhasa coats. The only time I use one is to fluff the hair on the feet. When used on the body coat, the slicker brush will break the guard hairs and remove an excess of undercoat. All Systems has recently introduced a line of excellent slicker brushes. The pins are a little longer than most others available, and the base is more pliable.

Scissors: Scissors come in all shapes and sizes. There are ball tipped scissors for trimming hair in the facial area. Curve shanked scissors for trimming feet. Straight shank for most any use. And thinning shears for specialized trimming. If you are just beginning, a good pair of straight shank scissors is probably your best investment.

Nail Clippers: There are many different types of nail clippers; the scissor style, the pilers style, or the guillotine style. All work well so which you use will be a matter of preference. Always make sure you have Quick Stop or some other clotting powder in case you cut the nail too close to the quick and it begins to bleed.

Conditioner: When brushing your Lhasa Apso, you must always use some sort of spray in conditioner. Brushing the coat without a conditioner will cause a build up of static in the coat. The friction from the static build-up will create breakage and damage to the delicate ends of the hair shafts. In addition, the excess static will make the coat mat quicker between brushings. The conditioner that you use does not need to be anything fancy. There are many preparations which can be purchased already diluted and ready for application. Or, you can dilute whatever coat conditioner you use in a spritzer bottle with the same results. The most important thing is to use some type of conditioner when brushing.

Latex bands: Never use rubber bands for banding Lhasa coats. Rubber bands are too harsh on the coat and will cause breakage. Always use latex, and cut the band out when removing rather than pulling it out. Latex bands come in many sizes and weights. The general rule is to use a weight that is heavy enough to hold the hair, but light enough to break if the dog should rub or scratch excessively. It is much easier to put in new bands, than it is to grow new headfall.

Cornstarch: Cornstarch can be placed in a shaker and used for spot clean ups between baths. It can be used on males to clean urine off their side coats; on females to clean rear skirts; or for both sexes if there is stool caught on rear skirts. It can also be brushed onto the facial area with a blusher brush to clean tear stains and food build-up.
Kimberly's Kennel proudly presents their new champion

Ch Kimberly's Rockie Tyo' Do-Lang

Shown and loved by Jean Lade.
Rockie misses her and will always love her dearly.
Our thanks to Jean for our two champions this year and her friendship.

Bred and owned by Jay P. Davis III & Doris G. Davis

Shown by Jean Lade
Rockie Jumps for Science Diet

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- Ch. Gene's Hi Strider of Elessar
- Ch. Wynsippi Kim-Mieh of Talisman
- Ch. Clay's Toqua of Tara Huff
- Ch. Ruffway T'Ang Chu
- Ch. Tara Huff Maapo
- Ch. Kuchi's Tara of Wynsippi
- Ch. Tara Huff Yarbro's Chances R
- Ch. Hale Alii Drangonslayer
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- Yarbros Wheezy O Sugar Spice
- Ch. Yarbros Tiger Lilly
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- Tara Huff Miss Ebony
- Tara Huff Nuu Phomo

CH. LOTUS EMPIRICAL TUFF BID
Breeder: Patti Lotus
Owner Dr. Jerry & Sylvia Meisels, P. Lotus

- Ch. Galaxy's Suntory
- Galaxy's Over the Rainbow
- Galaxy's Littlest Bandit
- Ch. Galaxy's Spectacular Bid
- Galaxy's Omar Khayyam
- Galaxy's Scarborough
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- BIS Ch. Galaxy's Showboat, ROM
- Galaxy's Tangerine
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- Ch. Galaxy's Red Blockbuster, ROM
- O-Hi's About-Samra
- O-Hi's Peaches N'Cream

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- Galaxy's Cardinal Sin
- Galaxy's Amber Banshee
- Ch. Galaxy's Lotus Elsie
- Ch. Galaxy's Spectacular Bid
- Galaxy's Princess Ardalla
- Galaxy's Golden Tamara
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- Krackerjack's Brandywine, ROM
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- Krackerjack's Brandywine

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- Ch. Barcon's the Avenger, ROM
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- C. Khabaheh Kash'a Thehis, ROM
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- Ch. Shen's Kristafar, ROM
- Ch. Kiki-Ari Nick-K Ni Snickers
- Muffie Greer
- Ch. Jedi's American Spirit
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- Krackerjack's Brandywine

CH. SHE TSABO'S PEARL 'N LACE
Owner: Dawn Kittleson

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- ShiSedo's the Boss
- Ch. ShiSedo Echo
- Ch. ShiSedo Tsabo's Jericho
- Ch. ShiSedo's Omen, ROM
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- Ch. Shi Sedo's Autumn Haze
- ShiSedo's Helena
- ShiSedo's Omen, ROM
- Ch. ShiSedo's Ceala Chula
- Ch. Syung's Ceala Shesa Ladi, ROM
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wish everyone a very
Merry Christmas

We celebrate 4 New Zealand Champions in 1993 and “Top Gun” well on his way to being a New Zealand Grand Champion

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PROUDLY PRESENTS . . .

GROUP WINNING BISS
CH MARLO PHANTOM

Phantom is shown here winning the Group at Reno under Judge Di Ann Ligon. We would like to thank her and Judge Dolores Maltz for a Group III at Bonanza KC, making this a very exciting weekend! We would also like to thank Lynn Lowy for sharing this wonderful boy with us.

Handler: Carol Smith Rice

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JALYN
Jean Tinnes
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3172 Sunset Court
Norco, CA 91760

Co-Owner/Breeder
MARLO
Lynn Lowy
310-859-3930
Here is our beautiful Sunshine going Best of Breed over four specials for a very exciting win at Rio Hondo KC. Thank you Judge Joanne Schuller, and the following Judges for Breed wins; R. Stephen Shaw, Robert Graham, Richard Guevara, Dr Houpt, Joe Walton, and Sunny Dutton, Group 3.

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Connie Smith
The ALAC Obedience Committee has a beautiful album for obedience Lhasas. This album is displayed at the ALAC National Specialties and other major shows.

You are all very proud of our obedience Lhasas and are sure you are too. I hope you will decide to become part of this Lhasas In Obedience Album.

All you need to do is send a photo and a "write up" about your obedience Lhasa. The album pages are approximately 8" x 10". You may have one or two pages per obedience Lhasa. For example, if the photo is large, your "write up" will be on the adjacent page. The actual photo you send will be used. Please type your "write up" as it will be used "as is".

The photo may be a show photo, a home photo, an action photo, or any other type. The "write up" may be on your personal or kennel stationary.

In your "write up" we definitely need:

• Full name of Lhasa
• Highest Obedience Title
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• Owner and Address

Other optional information you may wish to include: special awards, scores, shows and judges, breeder, sire and dam and the advantage of living with an obedience Lhasa.

Please send your photo and "write up" to:

ALAC Obedience Committee
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CH MISTI ACRES’ I GOT DA SPIRIT
BIS AM CAN CH MISTIS PLAY IT AGAIN SAM ROM***
CH SAKYA KAMARU
CH MISTI’S SHESA LADI
Schu Schu

"Hallie"

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CH RU nap MIL AL AS / CHU ROM
CH SUNSET GOLD HO SHAN
CH SUNSET GOLD MEH-LO-D
CH KINDERLAND TA SEN TANterra
BIS CH MISTIS PLAY IT AGAIN SAM ROM***
CH KINDERLAND TA SEN CANDY TUFT ROM***
Kinderland’s Ta Sen Isla ROM****
'Feller'

Shown above going Best of Winners under Mrs. Lynwood Walton.
Feller finished under Mr. Dennis Grivas at the National Capital Lhasa Apso Club Specialty with a 5 point major.

33rd Champion for Sire: Am Can Orlane's Scirocco ROM***
1st Champion for Dam: Ch Kinderland Ta Sen Tanterra

Kinderland Ta Sen

Susan S Giles and Ellen Lonigro • 2373 Wheatlands Drive • Mankin-Sabot, VA 23103 • 804-749-4912

*pending AKC confirmation

We feed Science Diet
Champion Obedience List thru Gazette 6/93

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Ch. Reiniet Tashi Kylin CD
Ch. Pon Go CD
Ch. Crest O Lake King Jorge CD
Ch. Kyi Chu Sharif CD
Ch. Kyi Chu Inshalla CD
Ch. Tiffany's O-Bin-An of Green Pond CD
Ch. Khayam Li Ching CD
Ch. Lord's Little Lulu CD
Ch. Kyi-Chu's Last Hurrah CD
Ch. Ruffway Daphne CD
BIS Ch. Orlane's Span-Kieh CD
Ch. Honeydew Tomi Tut CD
Ch. San Jo's Shennanigan CD
Ch. Wellington's Shady Deal CD
Ch. Dalai Wagtag CD
Ch. Chiz Ari Wellington Starlot CD
Ch. Fleetfire Red Rover Red Rover CD
Ch. Joymarc's Lady In Red CD
Ch. Summerhill's Pride of Joy CD
Ch. Bei Jing-Shansi Lovemi Calico CD
Ch. Bala's Sugar Sweet CD
Ch. Lin Dalai's John-Boi of Joy CDX
Ch. Dandi Jin Rik'I CDX
Ch. Crest O Lake Marshe of Robtell CDX
Ch. Lamplite's Image In Charcoal CDX
Ch. Knolwood's Flying Dutchman CDX
Ch. Bei Jing-Lovemi Divinity CDX

UD Titles with Gazette publishing date through 6-93

1953: Sargent (before Lhasas were registered by AKC)
1957: Americal's Sandur (D) - Mrs. Dorothy Wood
1972: Ching Ching Choti (D) - Edward T. Jones
1976: Mee-Tu of Charmel (B) - Mrs. Melodye Haverly (has CAN CDX)
1977: Haywood's Alana Pansette Tu (B) - John Haywood
1979: Ming-Tu of Charmel
1980: Sesame Shing Chaa Lee
1981: Saccone's Sasha
1985: Halcyon's Golden Kismet - Betty Wathne
1986: Princess Sukl-Too - Jean Foster
1987: Watcher Under Freelflyt Objex - Janine Grinta
1987: Nuseng Tacin My-T-Luv Bear - Florence Kantor
1989: Alexandria Dancer - Diana Serlo
1989: Shoe Son of Leather Bear - John & Florence Phipps
1989: Pooh's Tigger: Steve & Merna Winchester
1990: Miz Muffonger - Patricia & Ariel Franceschi
Here's our beautiful Gizzy. She's as sweet as she looks, flies around the ring, has a correct tight reverse scissor bite, level topline and total dentition. She's pictured with Carlos DeBango for her 2nd 3 point major. Many thanks to Mr DeBango who said we have a beautiful "Specials" bitch.

Thanks also to:
- Lewis Bayne 3 point major Chovis Portales KC.
- R. Stephen Shaw 1 point Salina KC Kansas
- Helen Lee James 1 point Sangre De Crosto KC NM

We need only a single to finish.
Gizzy sends congrats to dad, Tommy, on his Group 1 in Reno.
Thanks C. L. what can we say!

Her brother "Wolfie" sends kisses.

Pete & Linda Perry
701 E Pine #139
Compoc CA 93436

Gizzy love Science Diet
The meeting was called to order at 7:05 by President Stephen Campbell.

In attendance:
Stephen Campbell, Susan Giles, Amy Andrews, Carolyn Herbel, Ray Sledzik, Cindy Butsic, Richard Camacho, Victor Cohen, Larry Bruton, Lynette Clooney, Becky Kraus, Janet Whitman, Joyce Johanson

Absent:
Brenda Schmelzel, Dorothy Kendall

The meeting agenda was outlined and several new items added. Steve noted that correspondence had been received from the Twin Cities Lhasa Apso Club prior to the meeting.

Secretary's Report, Amy Andrews. Assorted correspondence was read and reviewed. Amy asked for clarification of "family membership" and the allowed number of votes eligible for each household. She was informed that each household is allowed as many voting members as have paid dues. Amy moved and Susan seconded that the minutes of the February 93 meeting be accepted as corrected. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report, Carolyn Herbel. February 2, 1993 through June 25, 1993: starting checkbook balance $23,581.41. Receipts totaled $23,124.61. Expenses totaled $27,840.45. Ending checkbook balance was $18,865.57 with committed funds to Futurity, Trophy, Yearbook and Benitez committees in the amount of $7,234.95 leaving a general fund in the amount of, $11,630.62. Amy moved and Richard seconded that the Treasurer's report be accepted as corrected by Carolyn. Motion passed. Ray and Carolyn have put together a request for tax exempt status. At this point, it appears the request will go through. Susan will relay the Board's request that a revised membership list for the handbook be sent as soon as possible to the general membership by Handbook chairman Jenny Drastura.

AKC Delegate's Report, Ray Sledzik. Report will be presented at the general meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS
By-laws, Don Evans. The executive officers will pool Board and General membership suggestions and report back to the Board. Several of Don's questions were addressed and answered. Richard moved and Susan seconded the By-Laws revision draft dated May 27, 1993 be reviewed and proof-read in executive committee and they, in turn, will report back to the full Board. Motion passed. The need for the list of Standing Rules was brought up. Lynette is trying to fill in gaps of missing minutes with other previous Board members who may have copies. Ray wanted new and current standing rules list started to assist Don in his committee.

Code of Ethics, Cindy Butsic. Committee report was reviewed. Several issues discussed. Ray moved and Joyce seconded the Code of Ethics report be accepted with changes to section 3 and the deletion of the Grievance section. Motion passed. The committee was assigned a new task of composing a sample copy of each of the following contractual agreements used by breeders:

- sales (puppy and adult, show and pet), stud, and spay/neuter agreements

Membership, Joyce Johanson. Procedure for handling a challenged membership (negative vote on new membership application) was discussed. Joyce's written proposal and Carolyn's counterproposal were reviewed by the Board. Joyce moved and Becki seconded that Carolyn's proposal be accepted with the appropriate changes. Motion passed. The committee's new procedure reads as follows:

If the membership chairman receives a negative vote on a new applicant, no action is taken unless a board member wishes to challenge the acceptance of the new membership. The method of challenge shall begin with a board member sending to the membership chairman, in writing, the reason(s) for challenging. The written challenge is in turn sent to each of the other Board members appraising them of the challenge and its reason(s). At this time, and by a deadline designated by the chairman, any Board member who wishes to contribute information about the membership applicant may do so. In the case of a challenge, the person being challenged shall have the right to respond to the challenge and this shall be in writing and handled by the Chairman. After all information is returned to the membership chairman, it is sent to the entire Board along with a request to vote yes or no on the membership application. This ballot shall be in writing and the "no response is a yes vote" premise shall not apply.

Education, Lynn Jamison. Lynn wanted guidance on how to handle requests for "breeder lists". Some of these requests were not area specific and often do not even mention the breed. She was told to refer them to the Secretary. The committee is coordinating a Canine Good Citizenship demonstration for 1994 National Specialty week. A sample of the committee's cover letter to public inquiry on Lhasas was enclosed and news that Chris Roper, a handler, has been added to the committee to answer the appropriate questions.
Lippy is seen here, showing off her breeder Robyn White-Lilly, after going Winners Bitch and Best of Winners under Judge Robert High for a 3 point MAJOR. Thank you Judge High for awarding true Elegance and Style.

It was a good day for brother and sister who both received a Major. The day before, dad goes Breed and a Group II. Lippy is looking for her last Major to finish so she can go on as a Special. Watch for Lippy's half brother, sister and first cousins this spring in a ring near you.

THE PARTI HAS JUST STARTED!

Lippy owners and handles
Kathy Dickson - OK'E

Breeder and Co-owner
Robyn White-Lilly - WHITEHOUSE

Lippy parties with Science Diet
Rescue. Debbie Burke. Debbie’s report was received. She stated she couldn’t take over the committee as chairman but offered assistance. Janet will contact AKC requesting information on breed rescue programs. Amy mentioned that Cheryl Clamp agreed to discuss the need for a new chairman with the Colorado Club, who runs a very successful rescue program. Cheryl will report back to the President if any members are interested in coordinating this committee.

Obedience. Brenda Schmelzel’s report was read, including a motion, seconded by Carolyn Herbel, that ALAC recognize the title Canine Good Citizen (CGC), in Lhasa Apso pedigrees. 5 Yes, 2 No. Motion passed.

Breed Video Flyer issue. Letter dated April 23, 1993 received from Heather Hamilton, Director of Marketing Services for AKC, was read. It stated the photo on the flyer will be replaced with the next printing, approximately early June 1993.

Visitation to Suspended ALAC Members. Ray Sledzik reported on a visitation attempt to Ruth Deck. She thanked him but declined. Ray said he told her if she changed her mind, he and an ALAC board member would like to visit and talk with her.

Awards. Eddie Hutcheson’s report was read. It contained several points and recommendations regarding the Yearbook committee. Eddie suggested the Yearbook publish every eligible champion, ROM Sires/ Dam, etc. for the issue year gratis and charge only for the book, saying the Shih-tzu Club prints an Annual in this manner. He feels this would increase sales and interest in the Yearbook. Amy Andrews, Yearbook chairman, countered that the committee would have a year delay in publication with the increase in typesetting needs, removing the timeliness the committee has finally attained. The cost of the Yearbook would skyrocket to over $14,000.00, all of which would have to be made up in sales. She stated the Shih-tzu club DOES charge for advertising, $35.00 per page, and showed the Board a copy of their Yearbook. Its page size is only 5 1/2 x 8 1/2", the paper is not glossy, and the photos are xeroxed rather than engraved. Victor Cohen interrupted and stated that he did not want to see ANY change in the Yearbook at this time. The Board agreed and the subject was closed.

Dorothy Benitez Fund. Carolyn moved and Joyce seconded this committee name be changed to The Benitez/Wilks Fund.

Membership Drive. Carolyn moved and Joyce seconded this committee name be changed to Membership Promotion.

Gallery of Past Specialty Winners. It was brought to the attention of the Board that a past motion was made to include the Gallery in the Handbook. Susan stated that some of the photos were no longer available but would contact Jenny Drastura, Handbook Chairman, regarding their publication in the next handbook printing.

ALAC Representative to OFA. Amy read the motion by mail, which passed, naming Susan Rich as ALAC Representative to OFA. Sue Rich wishes to publish articles on hip dysplasia in the Bulletin, including the list of all Lhasa Apso OFA numbers. It was noted that the Gazette currently publishes new OFA and CERF numbers quarterly. Amy showed a copy of the OFA application, highlighting the clause signed by each applicant stating they authorize the release of the OFA number, including its evaluation, to AKC, corresponding breed club, and referring veterinarian. Carolyn noted AKC is already publishing OFA numbers in the Gazette and on certified pedigrees. Ray expressed a concern that ALAC may be subconsciously pushing members to OFA certify their dogs. Amy moved and Richard seconded the OFA list publication issue be brought up before a vote by the general membership through a general mailing, after the publication of Susan Rich’s article(s) on hip dysplasia and OFA in the Bulletin. Motion passed.

Yearbook, Amy Andrews. Report was read. The committee is now up to date and broke even prior to sales at the National. An increase in advertiser eligibility (85-7 had 16%, 88-90 had 22%, 91-2 had 25%) was noted. Amy outlined additional incentives she’s considering for the next issue:

1. reducing the price of the yearbook to $20 from $25.
2. continuing to make the yearbook available at the National; for those who are not attending, $3.50 postage and mailer fee will be added.
3. she asked the Board to allow her to consider additional cost incentives (should the committee continue to be cost effective) such as reducing the per page fee, continuing to offer a $5 reduction off the yearbook with one ad, offering a free issue with 2 or more ads.
4. the publication of “dog only” photos from the photographer at the National Specialty (WD, WB, BOB, BOS).

Carolyn noted it would be best to contact the National winner’s owners and ask for a photo of their choice. If the inquiry is not answered, then the photo taken at the National will be used. Amy reiterated to the Board that her goals for the committee were not of a “moneymaking” nature but rather a service, and noted that the yearbook should be at least cost effective, paying for itself. It was moved and seconded the report be accepted as corrected.
Hallie joins her brother, Ch Barker’s Delirious & Ch Misti Acres Barker’s Mania in being the third in her litter to finish this year. She is shown winning her third major (5 points) at the NCALAC Specialty. Thank You Mr. Grivas!

All three of these puppies finished with Specialty wins - all three with at least three majors - and all three owner-handled!

Good luck to Barker’s Paranoia, holding at 14 points, as he resumes his show career with Carmen Spears for owner Renee Martin!

How could we resist repeating this breeding - we hope for January puppies.

Breeders:
Drs. Randy and Sandy Barker
Lacle Ridge
Rt 1 Box 559C  Doswell VA 23047
804-227-3286

Barker Uhasa Apsos®

Hallie howls for Science Diet
Membership Promotion Committee. New chairman, Ann Burton, was absent but expressed a desire to place ads in dog publications to promote ALAC membership. The survey to non-renewed members is ready to be mailed. The survey will be sent after the second dues notice is mailed. Last year's non-renewals will be mailed at the same time.

Awards. Eddie Hutcheson was absent but several questions posed for him by Larry Bruton were answered by the Board:
* Only US and ALAC titles will be listed on an awards plaque
* Plaques will not be awarded for local specialty wins.
* AKC typographical errors in the Gazette are best clarified by the owner sending a copy of the AKC registration papers along with the award application.
* Alteration of a dog’s original name will not be accepted.
* Progressive plaques. This issue was tabled but it was noted that up to three names may appear on the same plaque.

The use of the Awards Presentation machinery, though available through the Hotel, did not have the rental fees included in the budget proposal. Larry mentioned he would not be interested in compiling a presentation for equipment other than what was used this year. The Board advised the Show committee to make contractual arrangements with subsequent hotels to get a better rental rate for equipment for future presentations.

Local Club Liaison. Michael Santora made the following requests through Amy:
* Approval of the new BOW plaque requisition form. The Board asked that the applying club mail Mike a premium list AFTER the plaque was sent.
* Mike wanted the definition of a ‘regional club’ and a ‘local club’. All Lhasa clubs other than ALAC are regional clubs
* Regional clubs are eligible for only ONE plaque per year.
* The two leftover discs from the TCLAC-hosted specialty should be sent to Carolyn for the raffle.

Show Committee, Victor Cohen. Vic thanked the 1994 committee for their work thus far -- AHEAD of schedule -- and presented the following report:
1. Grand Futurity runoff at the National will take place for the first time. ALAC will be adding a sweepstakes competition to take the place of a regional futurity.
* Schedule: cocktail party, then Grand Futurity competition, then the Awards dinner.
* The Robert Griffing plaque will be redesigned in line with its new one-per-year status. Futurity finalists will receive a plaque at the National during a ceremony in the ring prior to judging.
* A picture board with photos of the finalists will be on display in a conspicuous place (hospitality room?) during Specialty week.
* request for an $800.00 budget was presented. Joyce moved and Richard seconded that an $800.00 budget be granted for the 1994 Grand Futurity runoff expenses. 12 Yes, 1 No. Motion passed.
* Nomination of Futurity Judges. It was suggested to the Board that requesting three (3) signatures is too cumbersome and difficult and the procedure be changed. Carolyn moved and Becki seconded that only nominator and nominee signature be required on the Futurity judge nomination form (starting with 1995 nominations). Motion passed.
* Discussion of the relevance of opening the Grand Futurity judge nominations and revoting lead to the decision to let the vote stand.

2. 3 to 18 month ALAC sponsored Sweepstakes. Ray moved and Lynette seconded the show committee reconsider the 3-6 month sweeps class. 10 Yes, 1 No. Motion passed. A list of Sweeps judges will be compiled by the show committee from names of people who have attended the ALAC judges seminar. This list will be sent to the membership for final selection. Larry moved and Richard seconded the acceptance of the Show committee’s recommendation for the selection of the ALAC National Specialty Sweepstakes judge. 12 Yes, 1 No. Motion passed.

3. Location. Region #2 - Midwest North. Joyce moved and it was seconded, due to the inability to find an available hotel, the Chicago area be abandoned and the Show committee be allowed to look into other major cities and their surrounding areas. Motion passed.

4. Discussion commenced surrounding offering a poster copy of the Best Of Breed perpetual trophy painting. No decision reached as the perpetual trophy is not offered by ALAC but instead by a private contributor.

Motion made to adjourn at 12:20am.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy J. Andrews
Secretary
Sire: Mul. Grp. Wng. Am/Fin Ch. San Jo All Gussled Up
Dam: Mul. BIS/BISS Ch. San Jo's Shutterbug

SAN JO SHUTTER SPEED

His nose in the air - and rightfully so -
"Speedy" thinks he is wonderful!
Having taken on all competition from the puppy class
he now has his first major and seven points.
(We think he is wonderful too!)

Speedy sounds out for Science Diet!
Misti Acres Barker's Mania

SAM CH Mist's Play It Again Sam ROM™ x CH Barker's Bear Essence ROM eligible

I would like to thank the following judges for recognizing the fine qualities of Sam’s newest Champion:

- Mrs. Rosalie Anderson 3 point major (shown)
- Jane Forsyth 4 point major
- Norman Herbel 5 point major
- Betty Munden 4 point major

And to thank the breeders, Randy and Sandy Barker for letting me love and show Manny.

Owner-Handler
Bev Drake

Breeders
Randy & Sandy Barker

MISTI ACRES
11576 Harford Rd  Glen Arm, MD 21057  410-592-6636

Manny goes bonkers for Science Diet
Sam is so proud of his Group placing son, Kopper turns it on in the show ring. Ranked 7th with limited showing he is a joy to own and show.

After the National Kopper traveled to Canada with his friends Peter & Arlene Oley and got his Canadian Championship in four shows with a Group III. Thank you both so very much for taking such good care of Kopper.
CH. TRA-MAR'S THE TERMINATOR X BERANO'S SANDEE OF MOKIEMA ROM

"SMUDGE" was Winners Dog and Best Of Winners at Westchester Lhasa Apso Kennel Club Speciality.

"SMUDGE" finished with two 5-point major specialty wins.

He is the seventh champion for mom "Sandee".

A big heart and hand felt thank you to all who helped and cared. Mary, Stephanie, and Carol - it wouldn't have been possible without you.

"SMUDGE" is owned, bred, and handled by:

BENBRIDGE
MARILYN B. RICCIOTTI
112 CLUBHOUSE ROAD
WEST GREENWICH, RI 02817
(401) 397-7543

MOKIEMA
MARY POWERS
291 PLEASANT STREET
CANTON, MA 02021
(617) 828-0553

* PENDING AKC CONFIRMATION
Ch. Tra-Mar's The Terminator x Berano's Sandee Of Mokiema ROM

"Shanteal" is shown above winning BOB under judge John Maderios

"Shanteal" was Winners Bitch at the ALAC National Specialty.

John and Lorraine we knew you could do it!!!

A big thank you for giving us a day to remember.

Puppies are planned this winter sired by Hylan Sho Tru Man Dated.

"Shanteal" owns:
SHANTEALA
John & Lorraine Ruliera
P.O. Box 591
24 Highbrook
Thornton, NH 03223
(603) 726-3878

Bred By:
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AND
MOKIEMA
Mary Powers
American Lhasa Apso Club, Inc. Futurity
Official Entry Form

Entry Fee: $10.00 to nominate a litter for the year beginning ______, 19__ and ending ______, 19_.
Make checks of money orders payable to the American Lhasa Apso Club.
Mail Entries with FEES to: Ann Lanterman
ALAC Futurity Chairman
1746 Bellevue Way N.E.
Bellevue WA 98004
Telephone: (206) 454-7081

IMPORTANT: Read carefully instructions accompanying this form. Please TYPE or PRINT clearly.
COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS WITHIN HEAVY BLACK LINES.

Whelping Date: Number of Males: Number of Females:
Breeder: Place of Birth: State:
Sire:
Dam:
Name of Person Making Entry: Phone Number:
Street Address City, State, Zip:

AGREEMENT

I (we) acknowledge that the “Rules Applying to Registration and Dogs Shows” have been made available to me (us) and that I am (we are) familiar with their contents. I (we) agree that the Club holding this show has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the Club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the show and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons or trophies, I (we) agree to hold this Club, its members, directors, officers, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person mentioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and for any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the Club or any of the parties aforementioned.

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this bitch or dog being qualified or that I am the only authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this Futurity, and further agree to be bound by the “Agreement” accompanying this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and agreement.

A self-addressed, stamped envelope must be included with this form. The envelope will be used to return the form above which will be proof that you futurity nomination has been recorded. This acknowledgement will be returned to you within 30 days of the postmark of your application.

In the event that this form is not returned to you within 30 days of your date of application, you will have 14 days to file an appeal to have your litter nominated. Failure to file an appeal within the prescribed time will forfeit any further consideration for the litter in question. Appeals must include all information and dates pertaining to the nomination of the litter and MUST be sent by CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED to the ALAC Futurity Appeals Board:

Ms. Marie Allman, 111 Ivy Street, Freeport TX 77541

Decision of the Appeals Board is final. In no instance will any litter that exceeds the 90 day nomination period, the 30 day processing period and/or the 14 day appeal period be considered for futurity nomination. A self-addressed, stamped envelope MUST be included with an appeal.
These Golden Boys of Shellinor really had the time of their lives, and their breeder/owner/handler never had so much fun at a dog show! Thank you judge W. Everett Dean Jr. . . . it was a thrill for us.

Shellinor Lhasa Apsos
Norma T. Perna
11820 Gainsborough Rd., Potomac, MD. 20854

'Rufus' and 'Cruiser' are 'dubly' fond of Science Diet
What's The Worst That Can Happen
by Bernie Brown

The most common question asked of me over the years has been, "How do you keep from getting nervous on the day of the show?" Let me give you the routine I give a typical Bernie's Brownie (one of my students) prior to show day.

I train on the hard side. I speak louder than I have to. I nit-pick more than is necessary. I demand of my students more, from a rule standpoint, than the AKC regulations call for. I demand that, in their handling, my students please me as though I were a very strict judge.

I do this because I want my students to say, "If I can put up with him every week, there's nothing a judge can do to me on the day of the trial that's going to unnerve me."

But let's assume that this assault on the brain and nervous system doesn't work. What is the worst thing that can happen to you in this weekend trial? You flunk. Now let's assume you flunk. What happens?

Will AKC forbid you from showing? Will the local vet put your dog to sleep? Will a hit man break both your legs when you leave the ring? Will your husband or wife divorce you? Will you lose your job? Will the finance company repossess your car?

Actually, the worst and only thing that will happen, should you flunk, is that you will lose your entry fee. And the AKC, being of sound financial mind and eager to make a buck, will allow you to enter once again and, once again, pay another entry fee.

In fact, should you continue to flunk, the AKC, in all its kindness, will still allow you to contribute more and more entry fees and enter more and more shows. You may continue this method of conduct until one of two things happen: the dog gets his degree or you end up in the poorhouse.

When you put all this into its proper place, what is the importance of a dog show? How important is it that you win a blue ribbon, earn a green ribbon or even that you flunk?

In either case, your life will not change, those around you will continue to live, and your dog will not know the difference.

I have won two regional Gaines Super Dog titles, placed in 14 Gaines Regionals and Classics, have won 328 High in Trials, and I have earned Ken-L-Ration Dog of the Year four times. I am also the all-time OTCH point leader. The day after receiving each of these awards I was startled not to see my picture and a story about me on page one of the Chicago Tribune. I was not interviewed on Nightline by Ted Koppel. People on the street did not mob me and demand my autograph.

The only real comment I received came from my peers, who felt I was overscored and should not have won in the first place. The days that I have flunked, I was still ignored by the press and the general public. The only difference was that my peers felt I finally got what I truly deserved.

So, if you put all this in its proper perspective, it's only a dog show. If you do well, fine. If you do poorly, it's still okay. There will be another show tomorrow. Dog shows are always there. Life goes on in either case. The winning of a blue ribbon, a green ribbon or the flunking of a Novice, Open or Utility class does not rank among one of the most important or monumental events of your life.

I always tell my students, "You always have me, your teacher, to vent your frustrations on should your dog not do well. And isn't that worth the price of the lesson and the dog show?" (Reprinted from the May/June 1993 issue of Good Dog!)
Multiple Group and Specialty Winning

Ch. Zhantor Cappuccino

- Group 1, Wenatchee Kennel Club, Judge Robert Wilson
  BOB Judge Dr. Harold Orenstein

- Group 3, Bel-Vernon Kennel Club, Judge Dorothy Welsh
  BOB Judge Elaine Rigden

Don and Naomi Hanson

Chino is blown over by Science Diet

206/943-6067
I have this mental picture of a group of Buddhist monks trying to fight off the boredom of a Tibetan Winter. After a long period of thought, one of them stands up, shakes the kinks out of his legs, and says to his brother monks, "I know what we can do: Let's create the world's most helpless creature. Something small and cuddly and utterly dependent upon people. Let's make ourselves a Lhasa Apso!"

Thus was invented the ancestor of my business partner and constant companion, Sable; an eighteen-pound female Lhasa with a gourmet's appreciation for Southern-style breakfasts and a constant need for maintenance.

Sable occupies herself at times with the world's most counterproductive attempt at grooming. She stands up, gives herself a good shake to make her long hair fly outward, and then goes to work on any part of her coat that doesn't feel quite right. She tries to use her teeth to straighten things out, but the inevitable result is a series of knots and tangles. On a quiet afternoon with no other distractions, Sable can turn herself into a total mass of misery.

It took years of experimentation before I found the tools necessary to put things right. My most important implement is a hairbrush with widely spaced plastic fingers that have little round balls on the ends. The plastic fingers are flexible enough to give way when I encounter a stubborn tangle, and the rounded ends protect Sable's sensitive skin from pokes and prods. The technique I use is to brush all of her hair the "wrong" way, and then work it back down a little at a time. By repeating this operation a few hundred times, I usually manage to get all the tangles out. It amazes me that each day's brushing yields such a large mound of loose hair. When we're finished with our little grooming session, I have a pile of dog hair that I can just barely hold in my hand.

One of the side effects of my dog's self-grooming efforts is the accumulation of dried saliva on her coat. In combination with the natural hair oils, it soon ferments and surrounds her with a foul smell that signals her approach when she walks into a room. It isn't so bad in the daytime when everyone moves around, but it makes for some unpleasant evenings when Sable cuddles up to her humans at bedtime.

The remedy, of course, is a bath. Or in Sable's case, a friendly shower with the undersigned. Sable tolerates showers well because she likes the feeling of being lathered up with perfumed shampoo. She stands there while I massage the shampoo into her coat and I can almost hear her sigh with pleasure when I use the pulsating shower head to assure that all of the soap is rinsed away. The first rinse usually comes off almost black with a mixture of dust and hair oil, so we go through the lather-and-rinse routine several times, until both of us are squeaky clean.

As I've mentioned before, Sable likes to be rubbed with a terrycloth towel and she absolutely loves the electric dryer. I use the lowest heat setting and I constantly fluff her coat with my fingers to get the air stream underneath her long hairs.

It takes at least an hour and a quarter to accomplish the whole routine of brushing, bathing, and drying. An hour and a quarter during which I would rather be doing almost anything else. It's a chore that I don't particularly enjoy, and there are times when I put it off. I look the other way while Sable chews at her coat, and I try to ignore her worsening aroma. Eventually, however, things get to the point where I just can't stand another day in the house with a stinky dog and I bow to the inevitable.

How in the world do wolves get along in the wilderness? Are they driven crazy by tangles in their coats? Do they get so stinky that they can't even stand each other? What do they do when an attack of fleas turns their skin raw? I think about wolves every time I sit down on the family room floor with my plastic hairbrush in hand and my tangled dog poised for another grooming session.

Perhaps a copy of this magazine will eventually find its way to Tibet. I can just see some Tibetan native sitting by his fireplace, looking through the window at falling snow, and laughing to himself. "What's so funny?" asks his wife. "You'll never believe this," he replies. There's some guy in Florida who has a Lhasa Apso." (Reprinted from the May/June 1993 Good Dog!)
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Mea munches Science Diet
In Italy last year only 44 Lhasas were born. It is a small number if we think about the Yorkshire terrier, Shih Tzu or Maltese puppies. Even if Italian Lhasa breeders are young people - like Mr. Stefano Paolantoni and Mrs. Emanuela Scicluna - they are already experienced. Both kennels wanted American bloodlines for their dogs.

I have met the smiling owner of the kennel "della Pietra Aurea". ("The golden stone"), Mrs. Emanuela Scicluna.

"When did you first meet the Lhasa Apso?"

Emanuela: "I was a child when I first saw a dog show. Everything was nice. The sun was shining, the grass was green but I remember the Lhasa Apsos; gorgeous in their coat, tender in their expression, charmed in the coated heads, astonishing when they walked...It was a shock! A good shock but a shock. I promised myself that one day I would have bred this breed with love and passion."

"What would you say to an ordinary owner of a Lhasa?"

Emanuela: "I would say to him: even if you don't want to take your dog to dog shows, brush and comb your Lhasa every day. The cure of the coat is a very important thing. Luckily Lhasa has a magnificent coat, why make him less attractive only for our laziness?"

"At what ages do you evaluate your puppies for show and pet quality?"

Emanuela: "Not before five months. There is a problem about the teeth. I know that some breeders of some countries sell a puppy of one as a 'future champion'; maybe they are wizards. I prefer to wait."

"What is your breeding program?"

Emanuela: "I prefer to wait."

Continued...
Art-Est Lhasas will be relocating in the near future and therefore must offer for sale proven, champion males and females. We are offering Lhasas that are a part of our successful Register of Merit breeding program. We have produced some of the finest Lhasas in the United States. Without formally "specialing" our Lhasas, we have achieved group placements and even a Group 1 from the classes. We not only produce winners, we produce producers! Ch. Art-Est She-Ma, Ch. Art-Est Genteel Gizmo, Ch. Art-Est Most Valuable Player, and Ch. Kinderland Ta Sen Nite Satin are Register of Merit sires and dams. Kyl, Joseph, Sally, Faith and others already placed, are champion producers. Ch. Art-Est Major League and Ch. Art-Est Blackberry Shortcake, our newest champions, are also offered for sale.

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What funny dog breeds could you come up with if you let your mind run wild? Talk about out-crosses! Here are some mixed-up breeds:

Pekingese + Lhasa Apso = Peekasso
(An abstract dog.)

Great Pyrenees + Dachshund = Pyradachs
(A puzzling breed.)

Pekingese + Dachshund = Peking Dach
(Owned by Chinese restaurateurs.)

Beagle + Scottish Deerhound = Beadeer
(A dog always asking for something.)

Kerry Blue + Bloodhound = Blueblood
(Favorite of high society.)

Collie + Lhasa Apso = Collipso
(Owned by Harry Belafonte & Jacques Cousteau.)

Sheepdog + Lhasa Apso = Shebap
(Popular in the Fifties.)

Poodle + Great Pyrenees = Poopyree
(A wonderful-smelling dog.)

Samoyed + Norwich Terrier = Samwich
(A dog not well-bred or poorly-bred, but between bred.)

Pointer + Irish Setter = Pointsetter
(Traditional Christmas pet.)

Lhasa Apso + Rottweiler = Lhasaweiler
(A dog with an exceptionally long life span.)

Malamute + Airedale Terrier = Malairier
(A dog with a chronic tropical disease.)

Irish Water Spaniel + Springer Spaniel = Irish Springer
(A dog fresh and clean as a whistle.)

Maltese + Beagle = Maltese Eagle
(Known for its small role, movie.)

Kerry Blue Terrier + Skye Terrier = Blue Skye
(A dog for optimists.)

Smooth Fox Terrier + Chow Chow = Smooch
(A dog who loves to kiss.)

Airedale + Spaniel = Ariel
(A dog that brings in good TV Reception.)

Labrador Retriever + Curly Coated Retriever = Lab Coat Retriever
(The choice for research scientists.)

Samoyed + Rottweiler = Samreiler
(A Japanese attack dog.)

Newfoundland + Basset Hound = Newfound Asset Hound
(A dog for financial advisors.)

Dalmation = Collie = Dali
(A surrealistic dog.)

Collie + Afghan = Collighan
(A softwater dog.)

Terrier + Bulldog = Terrbull
(A dog that always flunks obedience training.)

Keeshond + Setter = Keester
(Can't get this dog off its duff.)

Dalmation = Collie = Dali
(A nice dog, but it takes all night to walk him)

Bloodhound + Labrador - Blabador
(A dog that barks a lot.)

Chihuahua + Whippet = Chiapet
(Ordered from TV ad, 3 for $19.95)

Greyhound + Collie = Gollie
(You must see it to believe it.)

Reprinted from Good Dog! March/April 1993
Rocky went into the ring determined to come out a winner. There was considerable tension among the spectators. The decision was made by Judge Emil Klinckhardt and Rocky left the ring a NEW CHAMPION. What a day after chasing the title for 8 months.

During the interview after the win, Rocky thanked Judge Emil Klinckhardt for naming him Winners Dog and Best of Winners for his final major toward his Championship. He also thanked all the people who encouraged him on his way to this win. He especially thanked his coaches, Ney and Debbie Greene of Bearinger Lhasas for sticking by him and keeping him in shape.

After this win at the Bexar County Kennel Club on August 20, 1993, Rocky said that he can be seen from time to time in the ring going for the next notch on his belt—Best of Breed!!!

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Bred by:
Barbara Trujillo and
Linda Robbins

Rocky would step in the ring any day for Science Diet.
The meeting was called to order by Vice-president Susan Giles in the absence of President Stephen Campbell. Board members in attendance:
Amy Andrews, Larry Bruton, Cindy Butsic, Richard Camacho, Lynette Clooney, Victor Cohen, Susan Giles, Carolyn Herbel, Joyce Johanson, Becki Kraus, Ray Sledzik, Janet Whitman

Board Members absent:
Steve Campbell, Brenda Schmelzel, Joan Kendall

General Members present:
Donna Peterson, Nancy Plunkett, Harlene Rowe, Richard and Carmen Spears, Ann Swantee, Linda Tackett, Marvin Whitman, Bobbie Wood

Karen Berson, Ronnie Ellen Fischer, Daryl Martin

President's Message, Susan announced she would be conducting the meeting and extended Steve's apology for his absence.

Secretary's Report, Amy Andrews. Previous annual meeting minutes were approved as corrected. Amy outlined the receipt of the following correspondence: a mammary cancer survey from Tufts University, formulation and adoption experience of our Code of Ethics, Midlantic Insurance Specialist, a petition from Briard rescue requesting AKC adopt a mandatory tattoo system, a letter from University of California, Davis, requesting from Tufts University, formulation and adoption experience of our Code of Ethics, Cindy Butsic. Highlights of changes to the AKC By-Laws, Don Evans. Several issues are still to be addressed.

AKC Delegate, Ray Sledzik. AKC elections were reviewed. The local clubs as AKC member clubs issue was tabled and, as it stands, it appears local clubs will not be offered any AKC assistance is being coordinated for judge's education. The membership was advised to watch for notices in the Bulletin for next year's slide presentation. The committee is looking into progressive plaques or kennel plaques.

COMMITTEE REPORTS


ALAC Bulletin, Susan Giles. Susan thanked Esther DeFalco, Marianne Nixon, and Denise Olejniczak for their volunteer work on the Bulletin.

Awards, Eddie Hutcheson. The membership was advised to watch for notices in the Bulletin for next year’s slide presentation. The committee is looking into progressive plaques or kennel plaques.

ALAC Show Committee, Victor Cohen. Vic reported the contracts for 1994 are signed and the judge, Marianne Nixon, is hired. Grand Futurity Run-off competition from six (6) regions will take place for the first time in 94:
* Best Puppy and Best Adult in Futurity from each region will be invited to participate (12 finalists) and will be contacted directly by Futurity Chair Ann Lanterman through engraved invitations.
* Each finalist will be presented and introduced at the banquet
* The redesigned Robert Griffing plaque will be the award
* A picture board featuring each of the finalists and last year's run-off winner (when applicable) will be set up in the hospitality room for Specialty week
* Six (6) sign boards, one for each region, will be set up in the ring
* Commemorative plaques for each of the finalists will be offered.
* The committee received Board approval for a budget of $800.00; $300.00 will be a one-time expense for the picture board
* The committee received Board approval to change the Futurity judge nomination procedure. Now only two (2) signatures will be required on the form, those of the nominator and nominee.
* The committee asked for cooperation from the Board in getting appropriate photos to the chairman in time for display at the National. An ALAC sponsored sweepstakes will be held at the National to fill in the gap of the regional futurity. Puppies four to eighteen months of age are eligible.

1995 Specialty, Victor Cohen. Region 2 is the next rotation. Chicago is not an option due to cost. The membership was polled for suggestions and requests.

Breed Standard, Norman Herbel. Norman reported the committee's work on blueslip color and marking choice is done. The committee was unable to meet during specialty week but will correspond over their next project. Computer imaging with AKC assistance is being coordinated for judge's education.

By-Laws, Don Evans. Several issues are still to be addressed. The Board will meet in executive committee. Standing rules are being composed from previous minutes to assist the committee and avoid redundancy.

Code of Ethics, Cindy Butsic. Highlights of changes to the
rough draft were given. The committee will be obtaining contract samples covering stud service, spay/neuter agreements, sales contracts and offer them for membership example and/or use.

Education/Health, Lynn Jamison. Susan thanked Lynn for her Bulletin articles and education pamphlets. Lynn gave an oral report surrounding Canine Good Citizenship highlights and information for the program slated for 1994. She also detailed her procedure for breeder referral.


Futurity Secretary, Ann Lanterman. Ann outlined her report to the Board dated June 2, 1993.

Futurity Promotion, Becki Kraus. Becki outlined her June 3, 1993 report. To date, she has received no comments, questions or ideas from the membership. She and Ann are currently working on staging, set-up, etc.

Handbook, Jenny Drastura. Not present. No report. The membership was notified of the new roster and officer pages which will be printed and distributed.

Local Club Liaison, Michael Santora. Not present. His letter to the liaisons was read by the secretary.

Logo committee, Pat Hufnall. Pat displayed and introduced the committee's new items to the membership.

Measurement Certification Program, Nancy Plunkett. Sixty-four (64) dogs were measured with 45 certified.

Membership, Joyce Johanson. For the past fiscal year, 74 new members, 23 are household. There were 12 individuals and 6 households reinstated.


Catalog Advertising, Pat Keen. Pat reported an approximate income of $3,200.00. She would like to continue with the advertiser sections and color-coded pages.

National Specialty Finance, Carolyn Herbel. No report.

Trophies, Bobbie Wood. Bobbie read the report submitted to the Board by her and Naomi Hanson.

Obedience. Brenda Schmelzel. Not present. Her report and a letter to the membership was read by the Secretary.


Roster, Steve Campbell. Not present but passed a reminder through Susan. Members who have moved should be sure to submit their new address AND PHONE NUMBER to him.

Yearbook Editor, Amy Andrews. Amy read her report, including some new advertising and purchasing incentives she is considering:

- reducing the asking price of the yearbook from $25 to $20.
- current issue will continue to be released at the National. Those who preordered books will pay a postage/mailer fee of approximately $3.
- continuation of pre-publication discounts to advertisers
- including "dog only" photos (selected by the owner) in the columnized National Specialty and Futurity results
- depending on the current issue's final financial report, possibly reducing the per page cost from $60 to $50 for single ad, continue the $5 discount off yearbook price with a single page ad, advertisers with 2 or more different dogs could get the issue free. She restated the committees incentive as an historical document, not a profit-maker.

Yearbook Distribution, Dot Primm. Not present. No report.

Yearbook Promotion, Richard Camacho. All issues are available during the entire Specialty week. The number of 1976 and 1977 issues is very low.

Futurity Host Club Secretary, Debbie Burke. Debbie verbally solicited host clubs for 1994. She will send out letters later in the year if there is no response.

Elections. The Secretary read the election results:
(The officers ran unopposed.)

President Stephen Campbell 260
Vice President Susan Giles 255
Secretary Amy Andrews 270
Treasurer Carolyn Herbel 246

(AKC Delegate Ray Sledzik has another year to serve.)

Board of Directors— in order of votes received

1 Larry Bruton 197
2 Rebecca Kraus 182
3 Joyce Johanson 181
4 Richard Camacho 178
5 Cindy Butsic 171
6 Ann Lanterman 167
7 Nancy Plunkett 156
8 Janet Whitman 156
9 Brenda Schmelzel 152
10 Barbara Wood 147
11 Linda Kendall Smith 123
12 Janie Sheridan 95

UNFINISHED BUSINESS
None

NEW BUSINESS
None

Comments from the collective:
“loved the adult handling class”
"when past winner of Specialties are published, can Canadian titles be included"

Pat Collier motioned for adjournment, seconded by Bobbie Wood. Meeting adjourned at 9:00pm

Respectfully submitted,

Amy J. Andrews, Secretary
Being a Biologist and Physician, I have always been fascinated with the physiologic and evolutionary aspects of the Lhasa Apso. How did this little dog come about? So the thesis of my presentation is that the Lhasa Apso is a truly unique product of his environment...in much the same way as are the Eskimo breeds.

Secondly, I hope to show you how the Apso’s physical and mental characteristics represent a survival strategy.

Last I will attempt to relate these survival strategies to the relative importance of various characteristics which comprise breed type, and the importance of maintaining that natural type.

What makes a Lhasa Apso? In a word, Tibet.

Many breeds are obviously man made, with little evidence of natural selection for a particular environment. The Tibetan breeds are more obviously the product of nature. There are four recognized Tibetan breeds. Of these, the Lhasa Apso most clearly displays the 'Made in Tibet' stamp.

Tibet is situated on a high plateau (average elevation 16,000 ft.), bounded in the south and west by the Himalayas, (29,000 ft.), and north, by the Kunlun Shan, (25,000 ft.). The climate of the entire plateau is an arctic desert. The only agriculture takes place in the high valleys, watered year round by glacial runoff from the surrounding ranges. For uncounted centuries, the Tibetan people have lived and developed their domestic animals in this isolated, inhospitable land; a life ruled by the mountains.

The domestic animals of the region are very little different from the wild forms from which they came. The reason for this is undoubtedly that the environment allows very little tampering with Nature. The Yak is certainly not a creature that one would choose to CREATE as a beast of burden. Yet in the high passes of the Himalaya, this domesticated wild ox, is the only animal capable of the job.

The altitude, extremes of temperature, lack of rainfall, and the rugged terrain itself, make the Tibetan Plateau perhaps the harshest inhabited area on earth. Each of these factors exerts its own influence on the creatures that live there. I
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would like to examine each one of these challenges of nature, and its influence on the structure and temperament of the Lhasa Apso.

I. CLIMATE

The closest thing we have in the USA, to the climate of the Tibetan plateau, is the summit of Mt. Whitney in California. This barren granite rampart juts abruptly up from the Mojave Desert to a height of 14,495 ft., still almost 2000 ft. less than the Tibetan plateau. At this height, there is perpetual cold wind, while the sun beats down ferociously from an indigo sky. Even when the daytime temperature a few miles away in the desert, rises to 120 F., the air on the mountain top can drop to sub-zero levels at night. The atmosphere at this height is so thin, and oxygen so scarce, that some healthy young people can suddenly develop pulmonary edema and die unless promptly evacuated to lower altitude. This is the kind of climate that shaped the Lhasa Apso.

The Lhasa Apso was developed probably more by happenstance than by design. Knowing what we do about the Tibetans, it is unlikely that they did selective breeding as we understand it. The Tibetans lived a humble and rigorous life, and could offer little in the way of creature comforts to their pets. Much like the Eskimos' dogs, the Apsos shared the hardships of their masters' lives and survived or died according how well they met the challenges of the environment, and the ravages of disease and parasites.

The first demand of the Himalayan - Tibetan climate is that an animal be able to conserve heat. Heat is produced as a byproduct of metabolism, the burning of food calories. The tissue with the greatest metabolic activity is muscle. Bone and fat are less metabolically active. Fat, however, has excellent insulating qualities. It follows that a cold adapted animal would have a body with a substantial muscle and fat mass, and less bone mass than a closely related strain adapted to a temperate climate.

On the other hand, heat is lost to the environment mainly through the body surface. The surface area of the body, like any other area, is directly proportional to its height times its length. Long legged, lean animals have greater surface areas than short legged stocky animals. To limit heat loss, the body must be as compact as possible and the extremities as short as possible. Heat loss can also be limited by insulation of the surface. Both subcutaneous fat, and an efficient, dense, double coat, will help conserve heat.

To summarize the strategy of heat conservation: Maximize the mass, (muscle), minimize the surface area, (shorter extremities, compact body), and insulate, (coat, fat).

The second climatic challenge is that of heat and solar radiation. The same coat which insulates against cold can protect against heat and extremely bright UV radiation. A hat and umbrella would be helpful. (Heavy headfall, tail over the back?) Panting, which uses the surface of the lungs to expel heat, is quite efficient at desert humidity.

The strategy for heat and solar radiation is: covering, (coat, tail over the back, headfall) and respiration (large lung surface).

II. ALTITUDE

High altitude places unique demands on animals. Some of the adaptations seen in human populations are poorly understood even today. To live comfortably at 16,000 ft. requires not only an increased respiratory capacity, but changes in the cellular chemistry as well. All mountain populations have developed a typical physique - short, stout extremities, and long torsos with enlarged thoracic cavities. Most mountain dwellers have also developed significantly higher red blood cell counts, and higher hemoglobin concentration, in order to extract more oxygen from the thin air.

The strategy for animals at high altitude, as for people, is: high respiratory capacity (large lungs, good airways), structural efficiency (elimination of non-essential excess body mass) and sometimes, chemical accommodation.
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Thank you judges, Bob Candland, Dr. William Houpt and Joe Walton

Breeder/Owner: Judy O'Dell
Co-Owner: Carole Braun

Cinder loves Science Diet
The Tibetan terrain can be summed up in three words, 'up and down'. The plateau must not be thought of as a flat, albeit high surface. Millions of years ago, the drifting subcontinent of India slowly crashed into the Asian continent, throwing up the Himalaya, and uplifting the Tibetan plateau, a geologic process that continues today. The entire uplifted area is wrinkled by innumerable smaller mountain ranges. The surface is arid, rocky and dusty, and there is not much level ground. Man and animal must have good climbing apparatus, strong and sure-footed. Feet must be tough and well protected. Bodies must be built for stamina rather than speed; for walking, climbing and jumping rather than trotting or running on level ground, as plains animals do.

The terrain strategy can be summarized as: good feet, strong climbing and jumping equipment.

Putting it all together, let's see how our Lhasa Apso displays his 'Made in Tibet' or rather, 'Made BY Tibet' imprint.

The adaptive strategies were:

- **For cold and heat**: maximize the mass (muscle), minimize the surface area (shorter extremities, compact body), and insulate (coat, fat)
- **For altitude**: high respiratory capacity (large lungs, good airways), structural efficiency (elimination of non-essential excess body mass)
- **For terrain**: good feet, strong climbing and jumping equipment.

Let us examine the Lhasa, point by point as the standard does, and determine what impact the biologic imperatives of Tibet have had on Lhasa Apso type.

**CHARACTER: GAY AND ASSERTIVE, BUT CHARY OF STRANGERS.**

To fulfill his function as a sentinel, the Lhasa Apso needs to be a calm, watchful, alert, and independent dog. Suspicion of strangers is an attribute prized by the Tibetans, but with his intimate friends he is extremely sensitive, affectionate and playful. The Lhasa cannot be a waster of energy, a nervous, hyperactive dog. He must not be surly, skulking or fearful. He is a naturally dignified and sensible companion, but he is not characteristically overanxious for approval from his owners.

The ideal showdog has a somewhat different personality. He should be very dependant and tractable, anxious to please, with a tendency to hyperactivity. Lhasas of a typical temperament often do not make good showdogs. (What sensible person or animal spends an afternoon alternately standing posed and running in circles in the company of a bunch of other fools doing the same thing?) The question is, should we try to change this breed characteristic for the showring?

**SIZE: VARIABLE, BUT ABOUT 10 OR 11 INCHES AT THE SHOULDER FOR DOGS, BITCHES SLIGHTLY SMALLER.**

A mountain animal is not necessity of any particular size. However, the Lhasa's function as an indoor sentinel would suggest a handy size. In fact, the Lhasa is about as small as a dog could be and still be viable in the Tibetan climate.

The outdoor showing tends to exaggerate the length and cut the apparent height of dogs, especially small dogs. Breeders have responded to this pressure by selecting for a taller, squarer dog. The height of most of the Lhasas in this country has increased to the point where a correct sized Lhasa looks abnormally small.

**COLORS: ALL COLORS EQUALLY ACCEPTABLE WITH OR WITHOUT DARK TIPS TO EARS AND BEARD.**

No particular color confers a survival advantage to a domestic animal. The strong sunlight makes dark eye and nose pigments favorable, as it sunburns less easily.

**BODY SHAPE: THE LENGTH FROM THE POINT OF SHOULDERS TO POINT OF BUTTOCKS LONGER THAN HEIGHT AT WITHERS, WELL RIBBED UP, STRONG LOIN WELL DEVELOPED QUARTERS AND THIGHS.**

The Lhasa has evolved the body shape that enables him to survive in Tibet. He is of necessity a rectangular dog. Heat conservation demands
Ch She Tsabo's Pearl 'N Lace
(Ch Shi Sedo Tsabo's Jericho x Shi Sedo's Helena)

Pearl is pictured going Best of Breed over two Specials for a 4 point major!
Pearl is handled by Barb Beissel

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two things: that muscle mass be maximized for heat production, and that appendages be kept as short as possible to minimize heat loss. Although just considering heat alone would give us a spherical dog, he also has the problems of breathing and moving.

The lungs have to be as voluminous as needed for the size of the dog, and capable of considerable expansion. The best shaped chest for this purpose is not a barrel, which lacks the ability to expand, but rather a moderately rounded chest with long slanting ribs. Chest capacity is achieved by elongation of the chest cavity. However, excessive body length increases surface area and heat loss. The tendency to extreme length (for respiratory capability) is held in check by the need to conserve heat. The Lhasa body shape is the result of a beautifully balanced series of compromises, and avoids all extremes.

As mentioned earlier, the show ring has tended to change the shape of the dog to a taller, shorter bodied type. In accomplishing this change, essential heat producing mass has often been sacrificed, along with the length of rib cage so necessary to survival in the animal's native environment.

Rugged terrain requires good jumping equipment. A strong, short loin provides the necessary strength. From the heat requirement, we already know the dog must be relatively massive, mainly from muscle. However the need for efficiency (no excess baggage) and agility (no such thing as a mountain klutz) limits the amount of mass. The compromise is a dog which has more muscle than normal for its size (feels heavier than expected) and at the same time has less (and shorter) bone than is normal for that amount of muscle.

While the standard is silent on the subject of movement, the environment dictates an efficient and economical gait. At home as a companion and guardian, the Lhasa likes to perch on a high wall where he can watch for intruders. However, when traveling with his human, the Lhasa Apso is quite capable of covering long distances over rocky mountain passes, running ahead of the slower yaks and horses. He proceeds by leaps and bounds, picking his way slowly where necessary, and galloping for short stretches. His hind quarter must be built for leaping and pivoting, capable of placing his hind feet well under his body, and should include a moderate bend of stifles. His loin must be strong and very flexible, never weak or hollowed, and the croup moderately (normally) angled, not flat or tipped up. (A knowledgeable horseman, buying a hunter, looks for a good rounded croup, and rejects an Arabian type, with a flat croup better suited to the trot.)

The modern show ring has tended to standardize gait for all breeds to "that gait which looks best-moving-in-a-small-level-circle-at-a-fast-trot". The trot is not the best gait for a leaping animal. While no one could object if a correctly built Lhasa also has a beautiful gait at the trot, this has very little to do with being the best (typiest) Lhasa. Strength, agility, sure-footedness, endurance, and economy of movement are the hallmarks of the Lhasa, and exaggerated action in any gait is atypical.

**COAT:** HEAVY, STRAIGHT, HARD, NOT WOOLLY NOR SILKY, OF GOOD LENGTH AND VERY DENSE. This is, of course, the very coat that the Lhasa needs for protection and insulation.

A certain amount of felting of the undercoat may be advantageous to the animal as a method of wind proofing. The correct straight, hard, double coat would still leave most of the topcoat open. Incorrect silky or woolly coats would offer little protection.

The modern show ring has tended to standardize gait for all breeds to "that gait which looks best-moving-in-a-small-level-circle-at-a-fast-trot". The trot is not the best gait for a leaping animal. While no one could object if a correctly built Lhasa also has a beautiful gait at the trot, this has very little to do with being the best (typiest) Lhasa. Strength, agility, sure-footedness, endurance, and economy of movement are the hallmarks of the Lhasa, and exaggerated action in any gait is atypical.

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The correct Lhasa coat is the most obvious casualty of the showring. Handlers prefer a softer more voluminous coat, which can be sculpted to conceal or alter the outline of the dog. In Tibet, these coats would constitute a serious unsoundness, which is probably why travelers report seeing so few animals with this type of coat there.

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Neillie and Dapper Dan traveled to Las Vegas and came away big winners!
Both finished with 4 point majors under Judge Ruth Davidson.
We would like to thank her and handlers, Jan Bridgeforth (showing Nellie) and Pauline Waterman (showing Dapper Dan), for this exciting win. Watch for Dapper Dan as a Special next year.

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‘Dapper Dan’  
Jean Tinnes  
Ellen Voss

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Did we have fun?

RWD - National Capital Specialty - Judge Stephen Campbell, Handled by Brad Reese
Group 4 - Sugar Grove KC - Judge Rose Ellen Fetter, Owner Handled.

Others who helped us have fun: J. Alexander (Major), R.E. Fetter (BOB/Group 4),
J. Allen, C. Allen, Dr. R. Berndt, A. Hussin (BOB), S. Thorn, P. Carr (Major/BOB, with Brad).

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MUZZLE OF MEDIUM LENGTH; A SQUARE MUZZLE IS OBJECTIONABLE.
The Lhasa muzzle is a compromise between shortening to conserve heat and the requirement for a nasal chamber of adequate length to warm and humidify the inspired air. At one third of the total head length, it falls mid-way between the normal 1:1 head of the wolf type, and the extremely foreshortened heads of some ornamental breeds. The bite is the one which most often goes with this slightly modified head. Not mentioned is the fact that our little Tibetan could use a complete set of good strong teeth. These would come in handy if he has to pick up an occasional rodent to supplement his diet.

HEAD: HEAVY HEAD FURNISHINGS WITH GOOD FALL OF EYES, GOOD WHISKERS AND BEARD; SKULL NARROW, FALLING AWAY BEHIND THE EYES IN A MARKED DEGREE, NOT QUITE FLAT, BUT NOT DOMED OR APPLE SHAPED; STRAIGHT FOREFACE OF FAIR LENGTH. NOSE BLACK, THE LENGTH FROM TIP OF NOSE TO EYE TO BE ROUGHLY ABOUT ONE THIRD OF THE TOTAL LENGTH FROM NOSE TO BACK OF SKULL.
The description of the face coat is exactly what our Tibetan needs to protect him from the cold, wind, dust and sun. The skull is the type expected on a modified head of these proportions. The straight fore face is important. It provides the most efficient air passages. Not mentioned in the standard is the need to avoid extreme snippiness, as seen on some Lhasas today. Besides the unpleasant expression and bad dentition that a very narrowed muzzle creates, narrowing of the airway is certain to be detrimental. The nose leather and nostril have to be of good size. A small, pinched nose would be lethal at high altitude. There is another feature of the head, not mentioned in the standard, which is important to the Tibetan Lhasa. The prominent malar bone brings the eye into a more frontal position than on most dogs, and protects the eyes from dust, injury, cold and desiccation. This is a feature of the heads of all four Tibetan breeds, and has a lot to do with the uniquely 'Tibetan' expression they share.

A large infusion of non-Tibetan stock occurred in this country in the 30's and 40's which has exerted a strong influence on this breed. Very early descriptions of the breed mention a 'head like a ...terrier'. Undershot was mentioned as undesirable, and the nose was described as 'pointed'. This is still the head found today in Tibet. Unfortunately there are so few dogs left in this country who have correct heads that Judges have very little opportunity to study them. We often see dogs whose heads exhibit a strong foreign influence of non Tibetan origin. Judges should be aware of this and try not to award top honors to an animal with a really atypical head-piece.

It has been argued that the head 'doesn't matter on a Lhasa because it is not a head breed'. This argument is a transparent bid for acceptance of poor type. In point of fact, the standard spends about one third of its words describing the head.

EYES: DARK BROWN, NEITHER VERY LARGE AND FULL, NOR VERY SMALL AND SUNK.
With shortening of the head there is a tendency toward a prominent, round eye. This tendency is checked by the fact that such an eye would be easily injured by cold, drying wind, dust, sun, and the very headfall needed to protect the eyes. Dark pigment is less susceptible to solar damage.

EARS: PENDANT, HEAVILY FEATHERED
The Lhasa ear is rather small, nestled close to the warmth of the head, under a blanket of headfall. This is the very best ear he could have for protection from weather, dust or injury. A large, low set hound type ear would freeze easily, and is susceptible to parasites and infection.

LEGS: FORELEGS STRAIGHT; BOTH FORELEGS AND HINDLEGS HEAVILY FURNISHED WITH HAIR. FEET: WELL FEATHERED; SHOULD BE ROUND AND CATLIKE WITH GOOD PADS.
The running gear of our little Tibetan is of utmost importance. Well protected with hair, his legs must be short, strong and well muscled. They should have great resilience and elasticity. The pasterns and hocks are well let down. The Apso is more catlike than terrier-like in his legs and in his movement. Not only are the tops of his feet
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Thanks Lisa, an ex-Lhasa junior handler, for taking time out of your busy schedule,
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A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR:

Hello, Newsletter Editors! Thanks so much for taking the time to let us know you are still interested in the Canine Connection. It was really nice to hear how many of you find it useful and we are so glad you are sharing the news with your club members.

If the change of address or change of editor that you requested is not correct, please send me the label that was on the outside of this envelope with the correct changes, and I will take care of it immediately: Sheryl Smith, AKC 51 Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10010.

Keep in mind November 15 -19 is National Education Week. This is the perfect opportunity for your club to obtain publicity for all of the great educational programs it has been offering. Information and a "mock" press release was sent to all PECs. If you need additional information, please call (212) 696-8265.

Reminder: If your club is doing something really outstanding that you think the AKC should know about, please let the public Education Department know. It will help us in selecting our future Community Achievement Award winners.

PUBLIC EDUCATION

The Public Education Department has a new holiday message... "Puppies are NOT stocking stuffers!" in the form of a button. These buttons can be ordered from Sprit and Spin by calling (908) 241-0904. They can be distributed at upcoming shows and events. Prices (including shipping and handling) are as follows:

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The AKC would like to congratulate its newest "Community Achievement Merit Award Program" winners. These awards were announced at the September Delegates Meeting.

Ms. Sylvia Landsman of the William Penn West Highland White Terrier Club
Mr. Jim Jensen of the Montgomery County Kennel Club
Ms. Maggie Shirk of the Oklahoma City Kennel Club

This program was developed to support and recognize the outstanding public education efforts conducted by local dog clubs and their members. Thanks and keep up the great work!

PUBLIC RELATIONS

The Public Relations department has a new, free brochure: "Winter Care for Canines." This brochure contains general winter and holiday tips that all responsible dog owners should be aware of. To receive your free brochure, write to the AKC, 5580 Centerview Drive, Raleigh, NC 27606.

Our newest radio PSAs are available. We have five live spots (not pre-recorded) stressing the importance of winter care and informing the public of AKC's free "Winter Care for Canines" brochure. To receive a radio kit to get the PSAs placed on your local stations, please contact Sheryl Smith at (212) 696-8265.

The AKC honored Congresswoman Susan Molinari by naming her "Honorary New York State Chairperson of "Best Friends' children's Education Program." Congresswoman Molinari received a proclamation from AKC Vice-President of Communications Wayne Cavanaugh in recognition of her tireless efforts on behalf of children's education in New York State.

The Best Friends program has now been requested in over 10,000 schools!
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covered with hair, but the soles of the feet as well. Thick masses of hair grow from between his pads, giving additional protection against cold and sharp stones.

The (highly controversial) 'Interpretation of the Standard' which was recently put out by ALAC, states that the feet should turn out. I think that this is a rather transparent attempt to confer acceptability on the type of animal that some people are showing. An efficient canine may indeed turn his feet out a little, but certain things tend to change from acceptable to desirable once they become part of the official body of published writing on the breed.

**TAIL AND CARRIAGE: WELL FEATHERED, SHOULD BE CARRIED WELL OVER THE BACK IN A SCREW; THERE MAY BE A KINK AT THE END. A LOW CARRIAGE OF STERN IS A SERIOUS FAULT.**

All Tibetan dogs have large tails over their backs. The Apso uses his tail as parasol in the hot sun, and at night as a blanket, to cover his nose or tuck around his privates. Such a valuable appendage has to be carried up out of harm’s way.

The tail set is not mentioned in the standard. Much is made by show breeders of a high tail set. A very high set tail goes with a somewhat hollowed back and a flat croup. This is correct construction for a trotting animal, and looks very beautiful when presented at that gait. (Think of an Arabian horse.) However attractive this construction might appear in the ring, a flat or tipped up croup and a hollowed back are not good conformation for a jumping animal. Judges should take care not to place undue emphasis on features which are really not typical of this breed.

No mention is made in the standard of a level topline either. Almost everyone seems to find the level topline desirable. Indeed there is a tendency lately to desire a sloping topline like a setter. But before we make the level topline a sine qua non of quality, we ought to ask what use this would be to the animal. A general consideration of the construction of jumping animals would incline us to believe that efficient conformation for a Lhasa would include being a little high in the rear. Do you suppose that is why we see this ‘fault’ so often? In fact, the English breeder and judge, Lady Frieda Valentine, who acquired her first Lhasa in the early 30’s and judged many of the early dogs, felt that this was an important aspect of Lhasa type. In her judging in the last few years of her life, she often complained that the dogs had lost their ‘poops’. (Referring to the raised poop of a boat, rather than our more elemental use of the word)

I think that after careful consideration of the evidence, most everyone would agree that the Tibetan environment that has been the major force in producing this remarkable, tough little creature. I guess the most natural question to follow is, ‘Now that we took him out of Tibet, what will we do with him?’. Will we continue to value him as the marvelously integrated series of natural adaptations that he is? Will we select for the same qualities that nature did, and keep him true to type? Or will we follow the prevailing tendency (in all breeds) to change type based on what seems to be the current fad in the showring until he is just another little hairy showdog with no biologic relationship to his origins.

I can only hope the owners, breeders and judges of Lhasa Apsos will continue to study him, cherish him, and judge him for the truly wonderful thing he is. Too often the influential breeders are the ones most anxious for wins in the show ring. As a result, rapid changes in type can occur in response to the pressure to win. Only the Judges can turn the tide of breed type degradation, by learning what true breed type is, and withholding honors from atypical specimens. At the very least, a knowledge of the true nature of the breed can help breeders and judges to form a more realistic view of the relative importance of particular ‘faults’.

The Lhasa Apso is a wonderful work of nature: a canine expression of the Himalayan environment. Like an endangered species, the true Lhasa Apso is worth preserving for the very fact that he is a primitive and authentically natural breed. No true animal or nature lover could argue otherwise. Breeders and judges must work together to
POPPIN

Wishes All of His Friends Happy Holidays
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Mi-Ling came to us at only six months old, a beautiful little golden ball of fur. It was no time at all till we learned she was meant to be a Queen. She was our first attempt at showing a Lady. She came up with all the problems you normally have and some of her own. She had one outstanding career in her lifetime "Being Mi-Ling and giving to us her Love and Devotion, in her own Special way." She also managed to find time to be a SHOW GIRL AND FOR MOTHERHOOD.

Mi-Ling ended her journey thru life a year ago this January. I cannot feel sad, she worked so very hard everyday of her life to make sure we knew she loved us and wanted only to please us. To remember her in any way but with happiness and joy would be to dishonor her. She left us the most precious gifts of all, her Children and wonderful memories.

I don't know why we were allowed such a devoted friend and companion but it is said, COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS. Thank you Mi-Ling for blessing our lives with twelve wonderful and exciting years.

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preserve him or lose these qualities forever.

The good news for those of us who value his natural qualities is that a remnant population of true Lhasa Apsos is still alive, well and typical in the Himalayas, evading extinction for the moment at least. With the easing of travel restrictions in Chinese territories, visitors have recently brought photos and accounts of Tibetan dogs. I feel strongly that all breeders have an obligation to seek out and study the pictures and accounts of animals who are now coming once again from Tibet.

I have personal communications with several recent visitors to the Tibetan Refugee Camps in Nepal, Bhutan and northern India. These photos from various countries bordering Tibet show Apsos of good type, very similar, in fact, to the Tibetan imports of the 30's and 40's. It is encouraging that the latest photos and reports from the Himalayas show that our Lhasas of good type have not yet strayed too far from their origins. I hope soon to receive some slides of Lhasas in the Tibetan camps, but my European friend could not get them duped in time for this article.

LIGAMENT RUPTURES REQUIRE PROMPT CARE

Rupture of the cranial cruciate ligament is the most common cause of lameness attributed to the stifle joint in the dog and may be one of the top five causes of all lameness in dogs, according to Dr. Janna Johnson, a small animal veterinarian at the University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine at Urbana.

There are a number of reasons why this ligament may rupture, the most common being weakening from the degenerative changes that the ligament undergoes as the dog gets older. Often an older dog will be performing what is usually a normal activity and suddenly become three-legged lame or hold one of its back legs tucked up underneath its body.

Other causes for cranial cruciate ligament rupture include trauma, such as being hit by a car; having a foot fixed in position, and then rotating or hyperextending the stifle (similar to the injuries many football players incur); and unknown causes in young, large breed dogs. If a dog will not bear weight on any limb or holds a limb in flexion, it should be seen by a veterinarian immediately.

Treatment for most cases involves surgery, especially if the animal weighs more than 30 pounds. Recovery ranges from two to four months and begins with a period of cage rest, where the animal may remain bandaged. Leashed activity follows to increase muscle mass and endurance. If everything goes well, the dog can soon be allowed to return to its normal activity.

As estimated 90 percent of dogs treated for cranial cruciate ligament rupture recover satisfactorily, although it may be a career-ending injury for working dogs, said Johnson. In middle-aged dogs, approximately 20 to 40 percent will experience ligament rupture in the other stifle joint since they will be using it more during recovery. This is especially true in obese dogs, so weight control is important.

Another predisposing factor to cranial cruciate ligament rupture is a knee cap prone to dislocation, which is common in small and Toy breeds. A normal veterinary checkup should pick up this trait. Although certain sizes and shapes of dogs may be more prone to this injury, any breed or sex of dog can be affected. (Lydia Miller, information specialist, University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine)
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WHITEHOUSE JQ ADAMS OF OSAJ

Quincy went Winners Dog in St. Joseph, Mo to his sister's WB, BW for his second major. We want to thank all the Judges who have made our Quinncr a winner!

1 Point - James Frank
2 Points - Dr. Samuel Draper, Albuquerque, NM
3 Points - R.W. High, St. Joseph, Mo
4 Points - Georgia Buttram, Texarkana, Ar
5 Points - ?????

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Kikyu Devastasia

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Ch. Orlane's Span-Kieh, CD
Ch. Green Pond Sparkle Plenty
Ch. Solitude's Pernickerty
Ch. Tara Huff Lamto Chepo
Ch. Chee-Nas O'Raven Lady Jane
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Our young boy is just starting his show career and already has six points.

Pictured with Judge Sunny Dutton receiving his first major.

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Sire: Ch. Tai-Chi's Vouvray ROM*
Dam: Tabu's Special Delivery
Height: 10 3/4" * Length: 14 1/2" *
Percentage: 34.9 % longer than tall *
Weight: 15 lbs.
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Thank you Mr. Desmond Murphy for this exciting Best of Breed win for a 4 pt. major! Be sure to watch this elegant young bitch of correct type as she continues her show career...

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In our small kennel this spring a drama took place that focused on some of the special natures of Lhasa Apsos. Along with the grace and glamour, that is obvious in the show ring, something very special was marked by the two dogs in the following true story. Since most all of the readers are Lhasa people, let me introduce the characters.

_Nut-N-Honey_; a tough little dog turned brood bitch that held a dominate role in the kennel and family. A special treat to her was fresh banana slices, and no banana was peeled in the house without her attention. Her share was justly due since she proudly presented lots of healthy pups. She had produced 17 pups, in two litters, that ranged from 5½ to 7 ounces at birth and managed their care and protection constantly and alone -- except for one special dog/pup. During the second week of her second litter she began to permit 15 month old Timer to enter the sanctity of her brood cage, observing the nursing and watching over her nine blind mice, while she went out through the doggy door to take care of her toilet.

_Show Time;_ (Timer) had come to our kennel six months earlier. Life had dealt this youngster some rabbit punches for no good reason. He was born of the second mating of champions that had produced a similar brother in a previous litter. Casper, the brother, had finished his championship in a few weeks and was sold to a Japanese business man -- Lhasa exhibitor. Great expectations were held for young Timer but in spite of the care that his breeder used with him everything went wrong. First he had been placed in a show home that led to neglect and a ruinously matted coat. Then he was clipped down and sent to a pet groomer. Decisions, my wife's and mine, wrapped her in a soft towel and carried her to the car. Our house guest drove for me while my panicked mind, and poorly controlled voice, tried to give directions to the emergency veterinarian clinic. The attending vet checked her and listened to my report that she had been attacked by a coyote. The vet told me that he would stitch her wounds and give her blood and/or fluids and told me to leave and he would call us. With a prayer that leaving would somehow help, I returned home.

When I came back into the house my wife told me that she had gone to the back year, after we'd left, and discovered Timer lying on the wrong side of our 5½ ft. chain link gate. She found similar wounds on his throat and he was shocky with fear. Because timer was growing a new thick coat his wounds had not been as deep as Honey's, so he was bedded in a soft safe indoor cage and we settle waiting to hear from the clinic.

The answers to what had happened grew from the evidence. The coyote did not get the meal it was seeking -- something had prevented it from taking the small bitch. The larger dog must have made a choice of himself -- that forced the attackers attention to a second quarter. Neither dog had retreated to the safety of the house through the doggy door. Honey had faced the intruder because she had a hot temper and assertive, chary of strangers -- add playful with a highly developed sense of humor, that can include the occasional (intentional) funny stunt, graceful in movement and noble in a groomed coat, loyal and courageous.

He is our Hero.

Submitted by: Jack Speer, Claremont, Ca.
MARVON LHASAS
Proudly Presents
CH. SUMMERHILL'S SWEET N SASSY

Thank you Bob Candland for awarding Sassy Winners Bitch to finish her championship at Sun Maid Kennel Club where her littermate Ch. Marvons Raphael finished his championship earlier this year at the spring show.

Breeder/Owner: Marvon Limas
Marion & Lavonne Brockway
2631 Bronco Lane, Norco, CA 91760
909/737-1424

Co-Breeder/Owner: Summerhill Lhasas
Jan & Doug Bernards
26039 Chanting Cross Rd., Valencia, CA 91355
909/737-1424

Science Diet is always on the menu!
MARVON LHASAS  
Proudly Presents  
THE CRICKET TRIO  
Ch. Misty Acres Sugar Daddy x Ch. Summerhill's Hearth Cricket  

CH. MARVON'S  
MICHELANGELO  
"MIKIE"  
Owner:  
Marion & Lavonne Brockway  

CH. MARVON'S  
RAPHAEL  
"RAPHIE"  
Owner:  
Marion & Lavonne Brockway  

CH. SUMMERHILL'S  
SWEET N SASSY  
Owner:  
Jan Bernards & Lavonne Brockway  

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Science Diet produces!  

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MARVON LHASAS

Presents

CH. SUMMERHILL'S
HEARTH CRICKET

BIS/BISS Ch. San Jo's Shindig, ROM x Ch. Sulan's Victorian Sonnett, ROM

Cricket is proud of her three offspring for making her eligible for her ROM in one litter.

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Marion & Lavonne Brockway
2631 Bronco Lane, Norco, CA 91760
909/737-1424

Breeder/Co-Owner: Summerhill Lhasas
Jan & Doug Bernards
26039 Charming Cross Rd., Valencia, CA 91355

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Tina is pictured going Best of Winners and Best of Opposite Sex under Kathleen M. Grooso and expertly handled by Jan Bridgeford. After this win, Tina packed boots, spurs, an hand and went to Ney and Debbie Greene's home in Texas to finish her career to be handled by Ney and Debbie.

Owner: Marvon Lhasas
Lavonne Brockway
261 Bronco Lane
909/737-1424

Co-Owners: Summerhill Lhasas
Jan Bernards

Joys Lhasas: Deanna Maxwell

Breeder: Joy Lhasas
Deanna Maxwell
28204 Watson Road
Romoland, CA 92380

We win with Science Diet
MARVON LHASAS

HAPPINESS IS

Ch. Misti Acres Sugar Daddy x Ch. Marvon's Bear-E-Special Bear  
Dave x Mandy

MARVON LHASAS

Marvon Lhasa is proud to share this photo of the Sugar and Boo Boo kids and Ariana (Bud's God Child)

The Kids

Ariana (just started sitting up by herself)  
Windy (the fast and funny one)  
Sammy (the perfect gentlemen)  
Mandy (the last born and the first to do everything)

Owner: Marvon Lhasas  
Lavonne Brockway  
281 Bronco Lane  
909/737-1424

Parents of Ariana  
Dave and Mandy Reedl

Right now only three of them eat Science Diet

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This notice is to announce the transfer of ownership of The Lhasa Apso Reporter from Lee Fairleigh to Denise Olejniczak, Brynwood Lhasa Apsos. Lee has recently suffered a mild heart attack and is unable to fulfill his duties as editor for an indefinite period of time.

The premier issue of the magazine should be delivered already to those who are present subscribers. If you are a subscriber and have not received your September/October 1993 issue of the magazine please contact me immediately so that I can rectify the situation.

Because of Lee’s illness the next closing date was pushed back to December 15, 1993. Subsequent closing dates will be January 30, 1994 for the January/February 1994 and March 15, 1994 for the March/April 1994 issue. We will continue to push back the dates until they fall on opposite months of The Bulletin.

We apologize for the delays, and thank you for your patience and understanding during this transition process.

New Reporter Rates

Full Page (B&W with 1 photo) $40
Full Page (B&W camera ready or no photo) $35

Special Introductory Subscription Rate: $25 US or $35 for Canadian and Overseas). This offer is in effect until February 15, 1994 when the rate will change to $30 US; $40 Canadian and Overseas.)

We do offer color covers and ads, please call for prices and availability. In addition, we have a resident artist for custom artwork at nominal fees and many other options available.

The Reporter will offer many informative articles on health and nutrition. The breeder’s forum will express opinions of the breeders on various aspects of the Lhasa Apso standard, structure, breeding, and health problems. There will be judges interviews, articles on handling and grooming and a different top producer will be spotlighted in each issue.

For further information, please contact:

Denise Olejniczak, Editor
74565 Van Dyke
Romeo, Michigan 48065
313-752-5674
Mockingbird Hill Farm
presents a new Champion

CH. HYLAN -HOSHIRA EASTE'R BONNET

Bonnee is a double Stetson granddaughter and a Light-Up's Red Alert great-granddaughter. Linebred on Intrepid, she also comes from a strong bitch line of ROM producers including BISS Ch. Hylan Hoshira Kiss Me Kate. We feel she will be an asset to our breeding program here at Mockingbird. Bonnee was bred by Shirley Ray, Midge Hylton, Pat Keen, and Neil and Johanna Graves, and is owned by Cheryl Meadows and Pat Keen. Shown by Cynthia Sawyer.
In Memorium

Ch. Tagsha Mi Tambu, ROM

"Tammy" was always my "special girl." The one that greeted everyone with a wagging tail, my first champion, my first ROM producer. Her name appears in the pedigree of every champion I have bred. She gave me fifteen years of love and joy. Sadly missed, but never to be forgotten.

Mi, ROM

Joan M. Buck 2002 Millville Shandon Road, Hamilton, OH 45013 513/738-2545

We feed Science Diet
CH MI MOON SHADOW

"Trouble"

Presented by: Lee Fairleigh

Thank you Judge William Fatner

We feed Science Diet

Mi

Joan Buck, 2002 Millville-Shannon Rd., Hamilton, OH 45013 513-738-2545
The Lhasa Apso Club of Westchester, Inc.
Judge: Mrs. Betty (Freeman) Claus
September 12, 1993

Best of Breed ............................................. Ch. Norbulinka Serendipity Sami, Phyllis R. Marcy
Best of Opposite Sex ................................. Ch. Shambala Gen K's Funny Girl, Moses, Woodbury
Winners Dog & Best of Winners .................... Benbridge Mokiema Nite Moves
Reserve Winners Dog .................................. Mokiema's Skullduggery
Winners Bitch ............................................. Misti' Acres Sundancer
Reserve Winners Bitch ................................. Kayla Kaleko Kiss-N-Tell

Puppy Dogs 6-9 Months
1 Ja-Ma 'N SanMar's Beau Jest
   Owner: Dellano, Belluscio, Whitman

Puppy Dogs 9-12 Months
1 Ransi PPouri Bihar Boomerang
   Owner: Goodspeed, Cloutier, Basier, Strong
2 Ransiemk's On The Road Again
   Moses, Cloutier

Dogs 12 - 18 Months
1 Mokiema's Skullduggery
   Owner: Clouner, Ricciotti, Powers

Bred by Exhibitor Dogs
1 Rejina N Kar-Lee The New Yorker
   Owner: Carol Rose & Pat Martello
2 Ta-Mar's Odyssee
   Owner: T. & T. Laliberte

Open Dogs
1 Benbridge Mokiema Nite Moves
   Owner: M. Ricciotti, & M. Powers
2 Dorjon's Teddy Bear
   Owner: Jackie Kuedatich, & D. Sweeney
3 Undeniably Kaleko
   Owner: Debbie Burke
4 Shen Pa Dmar-Khra
   Owner: Dr. Herbert & Laura Shein

Puppy Bitches 6-9 Months
1 Kai-La-Sha India
   Owner: Catherine Marley

2 Ja-Ma's Wild Thing
   Owner: Harmony Savitz
3 Northwind Whoopi Goldberg
   Owner: Cindy Butsic
4 Ja-Ma Hu-Son Heartthrob
   Owner: Janet & Marvin Whitman

Puppy Bitches 9-12 Months
1 Dorjon's Lady Winifred
   Owner: Charles Sileccich

Bitches 12 - 18 Months
1 Kayla Kaleko Kiss-N-Tell
   Owner: Lagosky, Burke
2 Orlane's Starlite
   Owner: Michele Darby
3 Kaleko Showe Lady Chatterly
   Owner: Owens, Burke

Bred by Exhibitor Bitches
1 Mardel Northwind Hey Blondie
   Owner: Schultz & Bustin
2 Karleen Beijing Society Page
   Owner: Carol Rose & Pat Martello

Open Bitches
1 Misti' Acres Sundancer
   Owner: Drake, Bustin, Walworth
2 Dynasty's Mei Fancy
   Owner: Eleanore Gurosh
3 Kai La Sha Fresh Paint
   Owner: Carolyn Blondel, Catherine Marley
4 Rondelay Special Delivery
   Owner: Rita Cloutier
Sire:
Ch. Pawprints
Pup Du-Jour

Dam:
Mt Su Classic
Reproduction

CH. PAWPRINTS
BOSCOE DELIGHT

Owner:
Nona Edblom
1415 NE Circle Blvd
Corvallis, OR 97330

Handled by:
Clay Cody

Boscoe finished his championship going WD for a 3 point major under judge Mr. Lewis Bayne at the Clovis-Portales KC in Lubbock, Texas on September 50th.

Special thanks to you, Mr. Bayne for this very exciting day.

Boscoe also wants to congratulate his Best Friend Mult BIS/Mult BISS Ch. Hylan Sho Tru Storm Blrd "Bud" on his 2nd Best in Show at the Conejo KC on October 23rd.

We feed Science Diet
The Lhasa Apso Club of 
Westchester, Inc.
Sweepstakes
Judge: Mrs. Sue Weiss

Grand Sweepstakes Winner
Kayla Kaleko Kiss-N-Tell
Best Junior in Sweepstakes
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Best Puppy in Sweepstakes
Dorjon's Lady Winifred

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Lhasa Apso Club
of Northern California
Sweepstakes
Judge: Ms. Jan Bridgeforth

Best in Sweepstakes
LADELL PHILS THE BILL
Best Opposite in Sweepstakes
HYLAN SHO TRU SUMMER BREEZE

Puppy Dogs-6 Mos., under 9 Mos.
1 LADELL PHILS THE BILL
2 LADELLS SPARK IN THE DARK
3 LADELLS RICARDO AT ELSHAMARA
4 HYLAN SHO TRU BLACK ICE

Puppy Dogs-9 Mos., under 12 Mos.
1 NORTHWIND RUFKINS LATE NITE DAVE
2 HYLAN SHO TRU STORM BREWIN'

Puppy Bitches-6 Mos., under 9 Mos.
1 RUFKINS EVERYTHING SHE WANTS

Puppy Bitches-9 Mos., under 12 Mos.
1 HYLAN SHO TRU SUMMER BREEZE

Puppy Bitches-12 Mos., under 18 Mos.
1 SAN LO HYLAN KRISNA PEBBLES
LynnLaine Lhasas

Announces:

LynnLaine's Winner Takes All, ROM

In October, 1991, Shortie produced her first litter of puppies --
2 males, 1 female --

By October, 1993, each puppy had finished his Championship . . . .

Making Shortie an ROM producer with her first litter!

Lynn Sabo Chapdelaine
LynnLaine Lhasas
18422 North 66th Lane
Glendale, AZ 85308
602-439-2876

A litter raised on Science Diet
LynnLaine's Lhasas Proudly Showcases

THE LITTER

Gambler  Chen Chen  Shortie  Handsome

(litter pictured at 6 months of age)

LynnLaine Lhasas sends special thanks to Barbara and Frank Trujillo for their friendship, help and encouragement and to Judith and Richard Camacho for their friendship. We would like to congratulate BISS Ch Jaro's Apache Wardancin' Bear (Sire of this litter) on the completion of his ROM.

Bred, Owned & Adored by:
Lynn Sabo Chapdelaine
LynnLaine Lhasas
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Glendale, AZ 85308
602-439-2676

Lynn Laine
Lhasas

These littermates eat Science Diet
Multiple Group Placing  
CH. LynnLaine's The Gambler

(BISS CH Jaro's Apache Wardancin' Bear, ROM X LynnLaine's Winner Takes All, ROM)

Gambler has been taking the Southwest by storm. Shown with Judge Robert High taking a Group II at the St Joseph Kennel club show, Gambler is consistently taking BOB and Group placements . . . and he's just turned two. A Big Thank You to all the judges who are recognizing our young dog's potential. Watch for Gambler being specialed on a limited basis.

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602-439-2876

Handled by:
Wade Koistinen  
602-995-9629

Chen Chen chews Science Diet
Littermate brother, Handsome, finished his Championship in tedious Texas competition, receiving his major under esteemed Judge Dr. Anthony Di Nardo (pictured) at the Texas Kennel Club show and completing his Championship with a 4 point major under noted Judge Joe Walton. Thank you to all the Judges who have appreciated Handsome’s soundness. Handsome is offered for sale at a reasonable price.

Bred, Owned & Loved by:

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Handled by:

Lois DeMers
409-321-4528

Handsome hungers for Science Diet
Littermate sister, Chen Chen, says, "I can do it too!" and she did, finishing with a 3 point major at the Superstition Kennel Club show under noted Judge Elaine Rigden. Chen Chen is pictured winning at the Bonneville Basin Kennel Club with Judge Beverly Lehnig. Thanks to all the judges who have recognized Chen Chen's fine qualities, in spite of her being "spoiled rotten by her mom". Chen is awaiting a breed to her Grandsire, CH Light Up's Red Alert sire of 26th Champions and more almost finished. We're really excited about this anticipated litter.

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Chen Chen chews Science Diet
Making Waves . . . Sister "Katie"

American/Canadian

Ch. My Ty Rainbow Lil Norbulingka

SELECT - THE AMERICAN LHASA APSO CLUB
1993 NATIONAL SPECIALTY

"Katie" placed in the ribbons at the 1991 and 1992 National Specialties. Thank you Judge Anne Rogers Clark for awarding Katie the Select Award this year, her first time out as a Specialty! "Katie" congratulates her brother, "Tracer" as he continues his special career and as she prepares for motherhood.

Breeder/Owner/Handler: Patricia A. Collier 23 Mansfield Ave., Essex Jct., VT 05452  802/979-0392
Multiple Group Placing American/Canadian

Ch. My Ty Rainbow
Sir Norbulingka

"Tracer" is a showman, a dream come true! An elegant mover, a dog to watch! Thank you Judge Ed Sledzik for giving Tracer his first group placement! And, thank you "Kriste" for giving me these two beautiful offspring!!

Tracer is at stud to approved bitches.

Patricia A. Collier 
23 Mansfield Ave., Essex Jct., VT 05452
802/979-0392
Moonwalker's Gift
Finished Undefeated from the

Alan and I are very grateful to Victor this incredibly beautiful & special sisters (one white, one gold). They our hearts.

Thank You Victor! Thank You Ann!
of the Angles
Open Class at 12 Months

Cohen & Ann Lanterman for breeding little red girl (9 1/2") and her two are such a joy in our home and in

Leslie & Alan Bean
26 Sugarberry Circle
Houston, TX 77024
713-077-8186
Gloucester County K.C.
Group 3 - Mr. Swidersky  Best of Breed - Mrs. Hampton

Special thanks to Debbie Burke for presenting Rusty in the Group!

Congratulations to Rusty’s Breeders Sandy & Randy Barker on
New Champion Barker’s Hallucination!

Owners (Eastern Division):
Barb & Don Schwartz
PO Box 701
Gwynedd Valley, PA 19437
215-699-6286

Owners (Western Division):
Carol Bird & Dennis Kaunzner

Rusty romps for Science Diet.
Rusty
Best of Breed - Hatboro K.C.
Thank you Breeder Judge Steve Campbell!

CH. Barker's Delirious
(Ch. Misti's Play It Again Sam ROM x Ch. Barker's Bear Essence)

Owners:
Barb & Don Schwartz
PO Box 701
Gwynedd Valley, Pa 19437
215-699-6286

Breeders:
Drs. Sandy & Randy Barker

Rusty also owns:
Carol Bird &
Dennis Kaunzner

Happy Holidays!
Rusty relishes Science Diet!
Lhasa Apso Club of Northern California
Saturday, September 18, 1993
Marin County Civic Center
San Rafael, California
Judge: Mrs. Victor M. Olmos-Ollivier

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Happy Holidays from Merryway's Miss Ellie!

(CH. Khasa's Piper Me Too x Merryway's Whirleybird)

Thanks Mrs. Lynwood Walton for the recent wins!

Breeders/Owners:
Wayne & Mary Harding
Merryway
155 Edgemont Ave.
Palmerton, PA 18071
215-826-4831

Co-Owners:
Barbara & Don Schwartz

Ellie enjoys Science Diet.
Dee Dee finished in Grand Style this past August. She is a litter sister of BISS Ch. Tiblaterr’s Ty Breaker, and the fourth champion for their sire Ch. Northwind Mardel Panchan Ty, this year.

Dee Dee owns:
Golden Tu Lhasas
Jan and Dean Graunke

1-800-424-6126

Dee Dee dives for Science Diet!
Greater Milwaukee Lhasa Apso Club

6th Summer Specialty Show
Judge: Mr Nigel Aubrey-Jones

Best of Breed ............................. Ch. Tiblaterr's Ty Breaker, R. & J. Brewer, C. Butsic
Best of Opposite Sex, Best of Winners, Winners Bitch ........ Me-O-Mi Pie In The Sky
Winners Dog .............................. Consett Color Collection
Reserve Winners Dog ...................... Do-Lang Kaleko Fraser
Reserve Winners Bitch .................... Mardel Northwind Hey Blondie

Puppy Dogs 6 - 9 Months
1 Mockingbird's Dakota
   Owner: Joe & Cheryl Meadows
2 Northwind Parti All the Time
   Owner: Cindy Butsic

Puppy Bitches 6 - 9 Months
1 Malton's Windswept Mariah
   Owner: M. Schultz & C. Butsic

Bred By Exhibitor Bitches
1 Mardel Northwind Hey Blondie
   Owner: Schultz, Butsic, Strysick
2 Jedi's Little Nash Rambler
   Owner: Dawn Kittleson
3 Darno Blonde Bombshell
   Owner: Norma C. Mileham
4 Hohl's Scherherazade
   Owner: June L. Hohl

Dogs 12-18 Months
1 Golden Tu On the Road
   Owner: Jan. Graunke & C. Butsic

Open Dogs
1 Consett Color Collection
   Owner: Butsic, Petersen, Carlsen
2 Do-Land Kaleko Fraser
   Owner: Dot Primm
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hours after birth, mother and babies were given a clean bill of health. Daily monitoring of the puppies showed normal progress on their individual charts for tracking weight, size and activity. At 5 days old, all four were fat and sassy. Then, six days into their lives, one of the puppies didn’t gain like his siblings. By the seventh day, the pup was still stable at his 5-day weight but was very vocal and agitated. While the brothers and sister nursed, he would be over in one corner of the whelping box or cuddled up under his mother’s neck. Efforts to reposition him to feed with the rest of his mates were to no avail; he would immediately move away to his favorite spot on the heating mat.

At this point, supplemental feedings of Esbilac were bottle fed to the pup. He would take the first couple of drinks and then turn his head away from the bottle. When the nipple was reinserted, he would refuse by clamping his little mouth shut.

Although his mates were starting to look like cute Lhasa puppies, Squirt was looking more and more like a relative of Yoda from Star Wars. Noticeable differences were becoming very obvious. Some of the comments on his chart were:

1) Size and weight gain compared to littermates.
2) Size and shape of his head compared to his body.
3) Fontanelles on mates were almost closed; his was still quite open.
4) Dryness of skin and dullness of coat.
5) Spitting up after formula feedings.
6) Quivering while being fed formula.
7) Refusing to nurse on mother.
8) When being bottle fed, it appeared that he had a rattle when trying to breathe and nurse at the same time.
9) A musky odor to his body.
10) When mates were nursing he was off by himself.
11) Very vocal and active.
12) His stool had a slimy consistency and a real bad odor.

Off to the vet we went again. Her diagnosis was hydrocephalus, and she had to explain what that meant, as I had never heard of the term. (Editor’s Note: Hydrocephalus is an abnormal increase in the amount of cerebrospinal fluid in the ventricles of the brain.) She suggested I get a second opinion. Upon returning home I set up an appointment with the staff at Colorado State University. The earliest appointment I could get was three weeks down the road; I took it.

Squirt spent more time hanging around in my pocket or tucked away safely between my blouse and nice warm sweater than he did with his mother and mates. One day while I was standing at the kitchen counter mixing formula for a litter of pups
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(while puppy-sitting for a friend) that were three weeks older than Squirt, I placed him on the counter top, and he dove into the pan of formula (ground up puppy food, water, corn syrup and a liquid vitamin). When I tried to pluck him out of the pan, he wiggled so that I put him back down. He scurried across the slick counter top and plopped himself back into the pan of liquid mush formula. Then he lapped up the formula like there was no tomorrow. This was his first decent meal; he was 21 days of age.

From that day on he got four feedings a day. His weight started to pick up immediately, and the musky odor of his body slowly disappeared. There was no more crying at all hours of the night, he was content after feedings and was back to being a happy puppy, except for the shape and size of his head, which took till he was 8 months old to match up with his body.

With access to physician's reference books, I was able to do some research and, by process of elimination, figured out that Squirt had symptoms for both hydrocephalus and PKU (the medical term for babies with a lactose intolerance). We kept our second-opinion appointment with CSU, and their extensive testing on Squirt confirmed the diagnosis.

Symptoms can be deceiving to the novice and even to the professional. As you can see from the following descriptions there is only a slight difference between the two.

Hydrocephalus: weak suckling reflex; size of head due to liquid collecting on the brain; open fontanelles; distended scalp veins; thin, fragile and shiny scalp; underdeveloped neck; seizures and headaches; eyes are displaced downward; high pitched, shrill cry; abnormal muscle tone to legs; irritability; anorexia and vomiting; noisy respirations.

PKU (lactose intolerance): no interest in nursing because of the discomfort; macrocephaly (enlarged head) due to malnutrition; open fontanelles (malnutrition); skin on scalp shiny and gray in color, but veins do not protrude; eczematous skin lesions or dry and a musty (mousy) odor, due to skin and urinary excretion of phenylacetic acid; no effect on the neck; quivering while and after nursing; eyes protruded out of skull; a lot of crying and irritability, due to hunger; no effect on legs; expelling formula; noisy respiration only when bottle nursing.

According to The Physician's Desk Reference, "Although blood phenylalanine levels are normal at birth, they begin to rise within a few days." In other words, after exposure to mother's milk, the PKU pup's blood chemistry will change. In the case of Squirt it took five days.

This story has clouds with silver linings, so to speak. Squirt is now living the normal life of a normal Lhasa in a wonderful home with the vet (Sally Todd) that took care of him during his 1½ day stay at CSU.

Canine lactose intolerance is easy to deal with as soon as the pup is put on a diet of dog food and supplemented with another nutritional food for the nursing period.

Here are a few things I have done to treat puppies affected with this condition. Please remember to consult your vet before administering any medications.

First, get them off mother's milk and supplement-feed them. Have available (from health food stores) a product in tablet form, such as "Say Yes to Dairy." This tablet can be crushed into powder and stored into a small container or Ziploc bag and stored in a cool place, such as a refrigerator. Mix only the amount you need with water, based on the size of the puppy (for small pups like Squirt, about ¼ of a tablet), and feed it either through a dropper or a nursing bottle. After the pup has had a chance to digest this, it can be either put to nurse on its mother or bottle fed.

Also have available a good liquid vitamin (such as Lixotinic), and again, use the dose appropriate for the size. These steps should help to keep the PKU puppy up to his littermates.

The Morris Animal Foundation received copies of all my records, data and a copy of the CASU report. If others have come across similar symptoms, the staff at CSU would be more than happy to receive information so that they can create a history.

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Katie and Brewser journeyed to Michigan with Mom and their Maltese friends to cheer them on at the A.M.A. National. Before leaving Mom showed them at the Ann Arbor Kennel Club, under breeder-judge Mrs. Carolyn Herbel and travelled home with more points toward their Championship.

Katie & Brewser love Science Diet
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The Lhasa Apso standings for 1993 are based on a point system as follows:
Best In Show.......................... 10 points
Best In Specialty Show. ........... 5 points (ALAC 10 pts.)
Group 1 ............................... 5 points

In the event of point ties, dog with the highest number of Best of Breeds points are first. After that dogs are listed alphabetically.
Kenwood Lhasas
A FAMILY AFFAIR

Rarely does one have the extreme pleasure of having a whole family of Lhasas win at the same show. We want to thank Judge Dr. Bernard Ziessow for these wonderful awards at Altoona Area KA on Sept. 11, 1993. To our handler Pat Martello thank you for your expert ability.

From left to right: CH. KENWOOD DIOGENES Best of Breed, KENWOOD ALEXANDER THE GREAT Winners Dog, his mother and Donny’s sister KENWOOD HELEN OF TROY Best of Winners & Best of Opposite Sex.

DONNY AND HELEN’S SIRE AND DAM
Sire: Ch. Orlane’s Impudent of Windwick Dam: Orlane’s Patty-Cake

Congratulations to Orlane Kennels on their grandfather CH. ORLANE’S INIMITABLE’s 44th champion Ch. ORLANE’S FOOT LOOSE N FANCY who finished on Nov. 13, 1993.

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29 Miller Road
Wayne, NJ 07470

Handler
Pat Martello
259 West Dryden Rd.
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KENWOOD LHASAS ENJOY THEIR SCIENCE DIET
CH FLORA-BAMA'S IMITATION OF LIFE
(BIS, BISS Ch Rufkins Rudolph Valentino x BISS Ch T-Ritz Jazzin Flora Bama)

finished in August with two 4 point majors at Astroworld. The first of the "Bam-Bam" - "Rudy" pups to earn their championship, Lana sends congratulations to Bogey & Carrie, her littermates who are following in her footsteps. Thank you Peggy Lloyd.

"LANA"

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Another Rising Star
"BOGEY"

sends congratulations to Lana and wants her
to know he’s close behind with 12 points
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Tentative Schedule for 1994 National Specialty

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DON'T FORGET

Dogs Whelped between Jan 1 - Sept 30 are eligible for this years Futurity.

If you have had a litter in the last 90 days make sure that you send you nominations to Ann Lanterman. There is a Futurity form conveniently located on page 36

Futurities will be held during April and May with the Best Adult and Best Puppy going to the National for the Grand Futurity Competition. This is a new format and promises to be very exciting.
In the Bulletin April/May '93 I read an article about "Canine Cataracts", on page 14, and would like to share with other breeders my experience on this disease.

Two years ago I noticed, very shocked, that two of my Lhasas were having eye problems: one was a bitch - nine years old - and the other was a male - seven years old. I took them immediately to the vet, who diagnosed, in the bitch cataracts due to age, and as for the male, the cause was traumatic.

This vet is a young lady, very known in Brazil because of her specialization on dermatology (although she is not only a G.P. but also a surgeon), and has a post-graduation at Cornell University. Dr. Manon Rocha Maia - that is her name - prescribed an eyewash, and at the same time she told me she was studying an Italian eyewash, named BENDALINA, whose medical component is Bendazac lisina, which probably could help my dogs.

Waiting for the results of her studies, I started the treatment, on both dogs, with another eyewash. We had some results, but anyway I could notice that the dogs - who have always been so healthy - were having their behavior changed. They grow less lively, the toys they liked so much to play with were losing their charms, they were having noticeable difficulties in climbing and descending stairs. But at that point, Dr. Manon advised me she had finished the studies, and had had a very good response in treating a German Shepherd, and so she prescribed this eyewash for my dogs.

Well, in three months the difference was remarkable; my dogs' eyes were brighter, they were looking for the toys, the stairs were no more problem to them. I entered the male in a show as veteran (he is now 9 years old), his movements were as fabulous as before, he showed himself pretty sure, and even the judge was impressed by his physical conditions. Of course, we are not talking about miracles, both dogs suffer still from cataracts, but in a very mild way, totally under control. And, above all, they are happier. The BENDALINA can also be found in pills, but Dr. Monon says that dogs should NOT be given pills, only the eyewash. If anyone wants to get in touch with Dr. Manon to ask for more information, here is her address:

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This is the experience that I would like to share with other breeders, because I remember how sad I was to find out about my dogs' eyes problems.
Season's Greetings

'Twas two weeks before Christmas
At Lehigh KC
Sam, his kids, and grandkids
Were out on a spree.
Of Dog Shows and Good Times
They Posed for Perry (Phillips)
To send you Best Wishes
and lots of Lhasa Kisses.

Left to right:
Champions Lucy, Sabrina, Perry, Ice, Sam, Kopper and Poppin

An Italian Interview

Emanuela: "I think quality is better than quantity. A puppy "della Pietra Aurea" must be distinction, class and good temperament. I have bought Lhasas in the States, in England, in Holland but I carefully look at pedigrees and bloodlines. Some of my dogs have been winners and Best in Show and it makes me happy and so I can continue in this way. My Lhasas play all through they day, free, not closed in cages and live in harmony with the Eurasiers, my second breed."

- "What do you like about the States?"

Emanuela: "I like U.S.A.! The dog shows are better than any part of the world. Everything is quiet. No dog barks, the people are warm and competent. Lhasas are known and beloved and for this I love Americans. A special applause for the American handlers!"

- "What do you like about A.L.A.C.?"

Emanuela: "I would like to be a member of this Club because I know it is well organized, I feel that there is a lot of love for our dogs, people can be kind. I would like to go to see its National Specialty. I like to spend days talking about Lhasas with nice people. I hope to find in ALAC many friends. The Lhasa Bulletin is wonderful. In Italy our Club embraces many breeds - we have, in the same Club, Pekingeses, Dalmatians, Shih Tzus, Poodles, Brussels Griffons, Bichons, Pugs etc... - there is no Bulletin. For me the American breeders live in Heaven. I would make a prayer; we need your best bloodlines, be glad to sell your dogs in Europe. Thank you, American Friends?"

Elisabetta Simeone
Season’s Greetings