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Lexi in the Leaves!!



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President's
Message

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Greetings!

As we wind down another year, don't forget to renew your PSCA membership before December 31st. All current members should have received a form in the recent packet from Karen Majka. If you need another form, you can find one at www.pyrshepclub.com on the Club Info page.

Good luck to those attending Eukanuba! The PSCA is sponsoring medallions to the breed, obedience, and agility winners. I will be setting up the Meet the Breed booth and could use some people with their Pyr Sheps to offer assistance for an hour or two on Saturday and Sunday. Even if you can't commit to a block of time, be sure to stop by the booth and meet some of your fellow club members. Please email me at Kathy@burgerhaus.net to let me know of your availability, or just drop by as you can. It's a great time to educate the public about our wonderful breed. As always, your help is appreciated!

Plans are well underway for our 2016 National Specialty in Concord, NC. From what I am hearing, many of you are making your plans to attend. Sue Snyder is chairing this event and a Facebook page (2016 Pyrenean Shepherd National Specialty) has been set up for the latest information and to answer your questions.

Wishing you joy in the upcoming holidays!

Kathy

2016 PSCA National—Sue Snyder, show chair

2016 PSCA National Specialty Speedway Classic of the Carolinas March 31 – April 3, 2016

Cabarrus Arena & Events Center
4751 NC Hwy. 49 North
Concord, NC 28025

Tentative Schedule

Thursday, March 31:

Conformation Supported Entry

Welcome Party after BIS. The location is a private room attached to the obedience area. Everyone is invited. Bring some finger food to share. PSCA will provide nonalcoholic beverages, plates, cups and utensils.

TCQ evaluations will be held during the Welcome Party.

Friday, April 1:

Conformation Supported Entry

Obedience: This obedience trial will count for the Pyrenean Shepherd National Specialty. There will be high scoring awards for each class as well as overall obedience prizes.

Rally: This Rally trial will count for the Pyrenean Shepherd National Specialty. There will be high scoring awards for each class as well as overall Rally prizes. If you enter both Advanced and Excellent classes you will be competing for the High Scoring RAE prize. If you enter only Advance or only Excellent your will only be competing in those classes.

Banquet: 6:30pm at the host hotel. The Calendar contest will begin at this banquet. One half of the Basket and Chinese Auction will be held tonight.

Saturday, April 2:

Conformation Supported Entry

Agility: This Agility trial will count for the Pyrenean Shepherd National Specialty. There will be high scoring awards for each class as well as overall agility prizes.

Awards Banquet: 6:30pm at the host hotel. Performance awards and Versatility awards will be handed out. The 2nd half of the Chinese Auction will be held tonight.

Sunday, April 3:

National Specialty Conformation Show
Puppy and Veteran's Sweepstakes
Junior's Competition
Special Attraction Classes.

Please contact Sue Snyder if you
would like to help
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CLUB NEWS

Joni Monney-McKeown has accepted the Awards Committee Chair position. She will be handling the applications for the Hall of Fame, Record of Merit, and Versatility awards. The forms are located on the club website at www.pyrshepclub.com. Recognition and awards are given out at the Annual Awards Banquet held at the National Specialty. Please direct all inquiries to Joni at terra.blue.dogs@gmail.com.

We are looking for photos to use on the club website. These need to be candid—no professional photos please. Please send photos to Kathy Burger at Kathy@burgerhaus.net

CLUB NEWS— 2016 PSCA AGILITY TRIALS

Hi Everyone,

Just a head's up to save the date for the 2016 PSCA AKC Agility trial. It will be held June 17-19, 2016 at the Soccer SportsPlex in North Olmsted, OH. This is the same location as the 2015 trials and is on the southwest side of Cleveland. It has turf footing, A/C, on-site RV parking, and snack bar. We will have goody bags, prizes for Top Pyr Shep Std/JWW each day and a prize for the Top Pyr Shep of the 3 day weekend!! More prizes will be announced closer to the date! The Red Roof in Westlake, OH is where several PSCA members stayed last time and it's just a few minutes from the shores of Lake Erie.

Entries open April 15, 2016 (first received so enter promptly) and close on May 27, 2016. Judges are Mary Mullin and Sally Gichner. We will have Std, JWW, FAST and T2B.

I will need volunteers for the Trial Committee. Those on the committee get "paid" by the Trial Superintendent. It's about \$6 a day and the "money" can be used for vendors at the show, food at the snackbar, or saved for entries at a future trial put on by the same Superintendent. We need a minimum of 5 people per day so let me know if you'd like to help as soon as possible. Three of the people need to be on site at any time and the others just need to be accessible in case a hearing is needed so you won't be tied to the show site all day.

If any questions, email Karen Majka - Trial Chairman at AgilityCairn@aol.com

Hope to see lots of you there!!!

GOOD LUCK TO EVERYONE GOING TO EUKANUBA!!!

New Titles Earned... July—Sept 2015

Champion

CH La Brise Breakfast At Tiffany'S
 CH Thimble Farm Cirque D'Aneou CGC
 CH Chaparral's Printemps AX MXJ XF
 CH Elflocks' Bet On Roulette

Grand Champion

GCH CH Arizes Du Pic D'Arbizon
 GCH CH La Brise Jumpin Jiminy BN RAE AX MXJ OF
 GCH CH Rpk3 La Brise Chanson D'Amour
 GCH CH Thimble Farm Cirque de L'Esprit RN
 GCH CH La Brise Jolie Caroline CGC

Beginner Novice

Thimble Farm Chippewa Joie De Vivre BN RA

Rally Novice

Chaparral's Deja Vu RN MX MXS MXJ MJS OF T2B
 CH Goldenbear St-Lary-Soulan De La Brise RN

Rally Advanced

La Brise Cassiopeia BN RA NA AXJ NF CGCA

Novice Agility

La Brise C. America RN NA CGC

Open Agility

Hourquette Des Forges De Thor OA OAJ CA CGCA
 La Brise What A Knockout BN RE OA NAJ NF
 Madcap Lodestar CD BN PCD RN OA OAJ OF

Agility Excellent

Traceur De Terra-Blue AX OAJ
 La Brise Zip, Zap, Zoom! RN AX AXJ

Master Bronze Agility

Chaparral's Le Petit Sorcier MX MXB MXJ MJB T2B
 Westhill Jeremie De La Brise BN RAE MX MXB MXJ MJB MXF

Owner

Dr. Patricia Princehouse
 Karen Defreitas & Valerie A Davis
 Anna Burbank
 Anna Burbank

 Dr. Patricia Princehouse & Cindy Wilmoth
 Toni A Lugosky
 Nancy Taylor & Patricia Princehouse & Scott Taylor
 Valerie A Davis
 Mrs. Alice Partin Reid

 Valerie A Davis

 Nancy Necker & Edward Necker
 Dr. Patricia Princehouse & Cindy Wilmoth

 Sue Abraham

 Mrs. Diana P Childress

 Terri Walker & Diane Overstreet
 Toni A Lugosky
 Stephanie Lowe & Betty L Wathne

 Kathleen Brown
 Taryn Marci Hodge

 Diana Weymark
 Toni A Lugosky

New Titles Earned... July—Sept 2015

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Master Silver Agility

MACH Bien Aime Coeur De Lion CD RAE MXS MJS XF T2B
 MACH La Brise Sam TDX MXS MJG MXF T2B
 MACH Vivace De La Brise MXS MJG XF

Owner

Irene Holtzer
 Jenny Cuccinello
 Spencer J Harrill & Barbara J Harrill

Master Silver Agility 2

MACH5 La Brise It Takes A Madcap Gadget MXS2 MJG2 MXF TQX T2B9

Brenda Farrington & Danny Farrington

Master Century Agility

MACH3 La Brise Brynwil L'Ariel MXC MJC T2B
 MACH3 Chasseur De La Brise MXC MJC2 MXF MFB TQX T2B2

Kim Wilson
 Katherine Fijal & Dr. Patricia Princehouse

Novice Agility Jumper

Etoile De La Foret NA NAJ
 La Brise C. America RN NA NAJ CGC
 Mumford RN NA NAJ CGC

Erika Flagg
 Mrs. Diana P Childress
 Diana PM Childress

Open Agility Jumper

Chaparral's Bravissimo Figaro OA OAJ
 CH Bellocq Du Pic D'Arrouyette NA OAJ
 La Brise Valentine's Speed Of Dogwood Cottage TD OAJ
 La Brise What A Knockout BN RE OA OAJ NF

Andrea Petitto & William Toohey
 Susan Buttivant
 Kathleen Monje & A Greg Smith
 Toni A Lugosky

Excellent Agility Jumper

La Brise Zip, Zap, Zoom! RN OA AXJ
 Hourquette Des Forges De Thor OA AXJ CA CGCA

Taryn Marci Hodge
 Terri Walker & Diane Overstreet

Master Excellent Jumper

Goldenbear's Genevieve De La Brise RN AX MXJ XF CA CGC

Pamela Vojtas

Master Excellent Jumper Preferred 4

MACH3 PACH Aramis De La Brise BN RA MXG MJC MXP4 MXPB MJP4 MJPB PAX
 MXF MFB TQX

Karen Majka

Master Bronze Jumper

Fripon De Terra-Blue AX MXJ MJB NF

Barbara Dumbaugh

Master Silver Jumper

Next Chapter De La Brise MX MXJ MJS OF T2B

Jason Tomlinson & Kathy Tomlinson

Master Silver Jumper 2

MACH3 La Brise Smokin' Hot Fast MXC MJS2

Jason Tomlinson & Kathy Tomlinson

New Titles Earned... July—Sept 2015

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Master Gold Jumper

MACH Bien-Aime Joie De Vivre CD MXS MJG XF

Owner

Denise Visco

Master Gold Jumper 3

MACH7 Encore Diva De Bien-Aime MXS2 MJG3 MXF MFB TQX T2B5 CA

Joan Cain Pizitz

Master Century Jumper

MACH La Brise Colter De La Prairy MXS MJC MXF T2B4 CA

Katharine Streitwieser

MACH Vivace De La Brise MXS MJC XF

Spencer J Harrill & Barbara J Harrill

Master Century Jumper 2

MACH3 Chasseur De La Brise MXG MJC2 MXF MFB TQX T2B2

Katherine Fijal & Dr. Patricia Princehouse

Agility FAST Novice

Fripon De Terra-Blue AX MXJ MJB NF

Barbara Dumbaugh

Tempete De La Foret NA NAJ NF CGC

Regina Libby

Agility FAST Open

Gulliver's Travel Du Pic D'Espade AX MXJ OF

Irene Holtzer

Agility FAST Excellent

MACH Bien-Aime Joie De Vivre CD MXS MJS XF

Denise Visco

Goldenbear's Genevieve De La Brise RN AX AXJ XF CA CGC

Pamela Vojtas

Chaparral's Deja Vu RN MX MXS MXJ MJS XF T2B

Nancy Necker & Edward Necker

Agility Master FAST Excellent

MACH Bien Aime Coeur De Lion CD RAE MXS MJS MXF T2B

Irene Holtzer

MACH La Brise Colter De La Prairy MXS MJG MXF T2B4 CA

Katharine Streitwieser

Time 2 Beat

Elan De Terra-Blue MX MXB MXJ MJB T2B

Janet Melton

Time 2 Beat 5

MACH2 La Brise Colter De La Prairy MXS MJC MXF T2B5 CA

Katharine Streitwieser

Time 2 Beat 9

MACH4 La Brise It Takes A Madcap Gadget MXB2 MJG2 MXF T2B9

Brenda Farrington & Danny Farrington

Triple Q Excellent

MACH4 La Brise It Takes A Madcap Gadget MXB2 MJG2 MXF TQX T2B9

Brenda Farrington & Danny Farrington

New Titles Earned... July—Sept 2015

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Master Agility Champion

MACH Chaparral's Le Petit Sorcier MXB MJB T2B

Owner

Diana Weymark

Master Agility Champion 2

MACH2 La Brise Colter De La Prairy MXS MJC MXF T2B4 CA

Katharine Streitwieser

Master Agility Champion 5

CH MACH5 Gitan Roi De Bien-Aime CD BN RAE MXB2 MJG2 XF T2B CA CGCA

MACH5 La Brise It Takes A Madcap Gadget MXS2 MJG2 MXF TQX T2B9

Terri Walker & Diane Overstreet

Brenda Farrington & Danny Farrington

Canine Good Citizen

Thimble Farm Cirque D'Aneou CGC

La Brise Chanson De Roland RN AX MXJ OF CA CGC

Mon Ange Bleu Two Heart De Bien-Aime CGC

Picasso Von Der Happy-Horse-Farm CGC

Tottakai Nikolai NA NAJ CGC

Renoir De La Foret CGC

Karen Defreitas & Valerie A Davis

Sarah Herring

Debra Huff & Terri Walker

Nan E Frantz

Terri Walker & Peggy Wood

Regina Libby & Richard Libby

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!

SHEEP PEN INFORMATION

Winter: Issue 1 (January)

Deadline – Dec. 15

Spring: Issue 2 (April)

Deadline – Mar. 15

Summer: Issue 3 (July)

Deadline – June 15

Fall: Issue 4 (October)

Deadline – Sept 15

ADVERTISING

Full Page Ads are \$35.00

Half Page Ads are \$20.00

All ads should be submitted camera ready.

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