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A New Phase of the Borzoi Arrhythmia Project

Submitted by Nancy Hopkins, Health Chair

The Borzoi Arrhythmia Project has reached a point where we need to initiate a new phase. In Phase 2, the Borzoi Arrhythmia Project will focus on specific families that have either shown extremely aberrant cardiac rhythms or have demonstrated multiple sudden deaths. Specific dogs will be identified to be implanted with a cardiac recording device, called a LINQ device. This device is about the length of a AAA battery but thinner and will be slipped just below the skin along the rib cage. We have already checked with AKC to make sure that implanted dogs will not be excused from the show ring and thanks to Prudence Hlatky and Patti Widick Neale, judges have been notified that they might feel an implant when examining Borzoi. With the owners' permission, three dogs have been identified for implantation for the initial part of Phase 2.

While Phase 1 is still ongoing, Phase 2 was needed due to the complexity of Borzoi arrhythmias. To date, we are still unsure what type of disease process is causing the arrhythmias we are seeing in Borzoi

Holter reports. The Sudden Death Survey results were not clarifying. While there was a significant amount of sudden death reported in our breed, the age of death did not show a clear pattern that could help our researchers better understand a possible cause. Through our Holter investigation, we know that Borzoi have arrhythmias. Arrhythmias are not normal in breeds of dogs that do not have widespread cardiac disease. However, the majority of Borzoi with

arrhythmias have not shown indication of dangerous arrhythmias suggesting the need for medical intervention. And yet, these dogs or their relatives have suffered sudden death. More than likely, the actual lethal arrhythmias are occurring only rarely, at specific ages, or during certain activities. In the Fall 2020 edition of *The Aristocrat*, the article "Dropping Dead Borzoi - What Human Medicine Can Tell Us" explained the difficulty human medicine has when trying to definitively diagnose people who have deadly arrhythmias caused by channelopathies. Because of this information, part of our problem in clearly identifying the cause of sudden death may be that our dogs suffer from one of the more difficult to diagnose channelopathies. While we do not yet know if Borzoi have some form of genetic channelopathy or if these sudden deaths are being caused by arrhythmias due to structural changes in the heart muscle because of occult cardiomyopathy, the identification of the type of arrhythmia that has the potential

to kill Borzoi is of importance. Isolating fatal arrhythmias may help characterize the nature of the disease that can lead to sudden death, giving us the information needed to help us move toward a more formal study.

If there are owners/breeders who are Holtering their own dogs who believe they may have a Borzoi who could be a candidate for implantation of the LINQ device and would like to participate in Phase 2 of the Borzoi Arrhythmia Project, please contact Nancy Hopkins at celestialbz@mac.com.

As stated above, Phase 1 of the Borzoi Arrhythmia Project is ongoing. Those who have already sent Holter data on their dogs into BCOA Health should continue to update Nancy Hopkins on the cardiac health of the participating Borzoi by sending in any additional Holter reports these dogs have gotten as well as any other information on the dogs' cardiac status such as echoes,

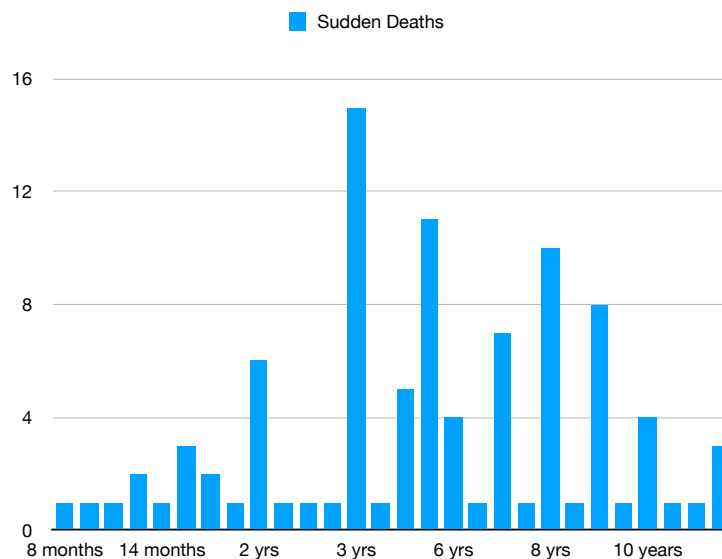
cardiologist reports, general veterinary diagnoses, etc. New participants are also still encouraged. One of the things that will be important for us to determine is how many of the participating Borzoi develop cardiac disease over their lifetime and what type of cardiac disease they become afflicted with. This is important because one possible reason for the lack of a clear peak in age for Borzoi sudden death from our Sudden Death Survey may be that we are dealing with multiple types of cardiac diseases that can cause sudden death. Following the dogs in our Borzoi Arrhythmia Project for life will add to our understanding.

Also, please continue to notify BCOA Health about any sudden deaths you may unfortunately experience with your dogs.

I also want to stress that any Borzoi that faints or suffers from idiopathic seizures should be Holtered as these are symptoms of the presence of dangerous arrhythmias in humans and Boxers. If caused by arrhythmias, these events are essentially near-sudden death occurrences where the heart was able to recover normal rhythm during a life-threatening arrhythmia sequence. In the case of fainting, please take these occurrences seriously. In the case of seizures, Holtering will be just one way to confirm or rule out a possible cause for a devastating diagnosis.

Another project that is in development that Borzoi owners/breeders need to be aware of is a heart pathology project being planned

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From The BCOA Archives

Showing Borzoi in 1959

Compiled by KC Artley, from the AKC Gazettes, the BCOA Aristocrats, BCOA meeting minutes, and show catalogs.

I. General (Borzoi registrations, point scales)

In 1959, 178 Borzoi were registered, so Borzoi were ranked 67th out of 114 breeds. (Beagles in 1959 had 62,948 registered). In May 1959, there were 4 regions in the country, plus Hawaii, for the Schedule of Points. In California, the point scale for Borzoi was increased to 2/2 3/3 4/4 5/6 6/8. In the other regions, the Schedule of Points for Borzoi were the minimum 2/2 3/3 4/4 5/5 6/6. A class dog or class bitch who beat a champion for Best of Breed or Best Opposite Sex did not get additional points for defeating the champion.

In 1959, there were 449 all-breed shows plus 361 independent specialties. Most shows were bench shows. The top ten shows were the International Kennel Club of Chicago (with more than 2000 entries); Westminster; Harbor Cities, CA; Santa Barbara, CA; Westchester, NY; Kennel Club of Philadelphia, PA; Santa Ana Valley, CA; Del Monte, CA; National Capital, Washington, DC; Orange Empire, CA. There were no independent Borzoi specialties. There were 4 specialties for Borzoi held with all-breed shows. There was at least 1 Borzoi entered in 186 shows.

In 1959, Borzoi were ranked 53 out of 114 breeds, with 640 entries. Per a BCOA report, Borzoi placed first in the group 6 times, second 5 times, third 9 times, and fourth 26 times.

The 1959 BCOA Annual Awards: Best of Breed with 25 points to Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel, owners Mr & Mrs Lyle Gillette, with 25 points, one group 1 and two other group placements. Best Opposite Sex with 8 points to Ruiske of Woodhill, owner Mrs M F Hilsmier. Best American Bred with 14 wins, to Vigow of Tam Boer, owners Mr & Mrs Leonard Tamboer. Mrs Wm. H Woodcock's Ch Mariska of Suntan was a close runner-up for the BOS award with 7 points, and the Everhart's Trezor Briansk also had 7 points.

II. Borzoi Clubs (Officers and Show Results, and Westminster results)

(Results list the registered name and owner name only. For other information about the dog, see the alphabetical list of dogs and bitches in part III)

Westminster, Feb 9, 1959, judge H H Hartley, 2 class males, 5 class bitches, 5 champions

Open Dogs

1. Winners Dog (1 point) Teddy Bear of De-Lee, Franchonn L DeCraene
2. Reserve Winners Dog Colby of White Swan, White Swan kennel

American Bred Bitch

1. Baby Doll of Tam Boer, L & E Tamboer

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Open Bitch

1. Best of Breed/BW/Winners Bitch (4 points). Bibsy of Tamboer, owner David R Harmon (pictured)
2. Reserve Winners Bitch Andrea Alexis, Harriet Crane
3. Warhills Mountain Topaz, C G Perry
4. Tasha of Tam Boer, L & E Tamboer

Best Opposite Sex Ch

Vigow of Romanoff III, Lena Tamboer

Best Brace Ch Elena of Tamboer and Ch Elizaveta of Tamboer, Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer.

Midwest Borzoi Club Specialty April 4, 1959, with the International Kennel Club of Chicago all-breed show.

Judge V D Johnson. 4 class males, 5 class bitches, 3 champions

American Bred Dog

1. Warhills Amber Roi, H M Ferguson & W W Shepard
2. Elegance of Twin Elms, Mr & Mrs G M Sohr

Open Dog

1. Winners Dog (3 points) Swanlake Eric of Kashan, C E Anderson
2. Reserve Winners Dog Bratislav of Twin Elms, Mr & Mrs G M Sohr

American Bred Bitch

1. Warhills Myrthe of Malora, H M Ferguson & W W Shepard

Open Bitch

1. BOS/BW/Winners Bitch (4 points). Tzarina Borgia of Frontier, Mr and Mrs G M Sohr (pictured)
2. Reserve Winners Bitch Bibsy of Tam-Boer, David Harmon
3. Natasha of Shore Acres, Mrs J P Adams.
4. Warhills Mountain Topaz, C G Perry

Best Of Breed Ch Tobolskoie Krasnoje Selo, C W Miller

Officers for the Midwest Borzoi Club elected April 1959: President Henry Machkl, First Vice-President Mrs Harriet Lindsey, Second Vice President R L Smith, Secretary Mrs Villa L Smith, Treasurer Charles Miller Jr.



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(photo credit: Alicia McCabe/Huan Borzoi)

You always loved being first to the finish line...

Until we meet again, run Indy Go, RUN!

MBIF FC Perlova Avalon Indy Go Zoiboyz SC SGRC LCM

26 Jun 2016 ~ 29 Oct 2020

2017 & 2018 ASFA II Borzoi BOB winner (Saturday) & 2 x Winner of the Locket Trophy

Tied for BOB 2018 BCOA LGRA National and awarded Second Place

#1 AKC LC Borzoi for 2018

#2 LGRA Borzoi for 2018

#6 ASFA LC Borzoi for 2018

2019 BCOA LGRA National Best of Breed (finishing his SGRC) and the Power Paws winner!!

Four AKC Best In Field wins, including his last one at ORCA June 8, 2019

Indy presented with no symptoms until his sudden death. His postmortem lists the cause of death as Lymphangiectasia.

Loved by everyone who met him, we are all devastated by his loss.

Bred by Leigh Paintin/Perlova and Sandra Moore-Doby/Avalon

Indy Go is owned & cherished by Tom Golcher and KC Thompson/Zoiboyz

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BCOA National Specialty May 23, 1959, with the Monmouth kennel club all-breed show at Oceanport, NJ. Judge Mr Selwyn Harris. 12 class males, 13 class bitches, 5 champions, 2 stud dogs

Bred By Exhibitor Dogs

1. Hussar of Don, Lydia A. Suchoff
2. Colby of White Swan, White Swan Kennel

American Bred Dogs

1. Reserve Winners Dog Vigow of Tam-Boer, Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer
2. Ajaz of Baronoff, Katherine F McCluskey
3. Tovarich of Wildtraum, William Schlosser
4. Amurat's Kinjal, Judith Freehafer
- Haljean's Beau Geste II, Clarence R DeCraene Sr
- Amurat II of De Ray, Fannie DeCraene
- Delphi of Teck, Mrs Ellison D Thompson

Open Dogs

1. **Winners Dog** (5 points)
Dutchie of Tam-Boer, Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer (pictured)
2. Denton's Vanja, Mrs. Lawrence Denton
- 3.. Djumber von Bergland, Mr and Mrs C R DeCraene Jr



Puppy, 6 to 9 Month Bitches

1. Catherine The Great of Kailyn, Roy Maitland

Puppy, 9 to 12 month bitches

1. **Reserve Winners Bitch:** Ananka of White Swan, White Swan Kennel
2. Vodka of Don, Lydia A Suchoff
3. Mysterious Bodiel of De Ray, Fannie DeCraene
4. Sascha of Baronoff, Weldon J and Katherine E McCluskey
- Haljean's Tiranka, Evelyn R Kahl

Bred By Exhibitor Bitches

1. Liza of Don, Lydia A Suchoff

American Bred Bitches

1. Lee T of Tam-Boer, Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer

Open Bitches

1. **Best of Opposite Sex/BW/Winners Bitch** (5 points) Bibsy of Tam-Boer, David Harmon
2. Little Joker of Tam-Boer, Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer
3. Andrea Alexis, Harriet S Crane
4. De Craene's Liebchen, Clarence R DeCraene Sr
- Haljean's Gypsy of Kai-Lyn, Lora Y Richmond

Best of Breed Ch Nicky The Great of Tam-Boer, Jessie Hamersma

Other Champions shown

Ch Nicholas Siberius (D), Mrs Grace J Dusenbury
Ch Sunday of Tamboer (B), Robert D and Joyce Larsen
Ch Vigow of Romanoff III (D), Lena S Tamboer

Ch Rachmaninoff (D),
Weldon J and Katherine E McCluskey (pictured)

Stud Dog

1. Ch Amurat v Merdody, Clarence R DeCraene Sr
2. Ch Rachmaninoff, Weldon J and Katherine E McCluskey



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Borzoi Club of California Specialty, June 20, 1959, at the Harbor Cities all-breed show in Long Beach, CA. Judge Alva Rosenberg. The benches were beautifully decorated in the purple and gold club colors and the club received First Award for Benching. 15 class dogs, 19 class bitches, 11 champions

Puppy Dog

1. Perchinoff Zagor OZcerlov, Mr & Mrs A Petker
2. Ard Beths Blaze, E L & E J McEimeel
3. Perchinof Gorki OZcerlov, W R Connass

Novice Dog

1. Romneys Merlin of Malora, Mr & Mrs F E Butcher
2. Peter Dark Star of Malora, Mr & Mrs C T Jackson

Bred By Exhibitor Dog

1. Oakshades Don Paco of Marbob, J E & E Y Forry

America Bred Dog

1. **Winners Dog** (5 points) Suntan Marloff of Alpine, William Kelley
2. Gardean of Grador, I V Walton
3. Llebas's Crescendo, W R & F C Schrieber
4. Nikolai of Swan Lake, Mr & Mrs J W Blanton

Open Dog

1. **Reserve Winners Dog** Llebas's Sonata, I V Walton
2. Whirlaway of Sleeping Bear, Mr & Mrs J W Blanton
3. Fabian of Rancho Gabriel, Mr & Mrs S W Cox
3. Llebas's Prelude, I Walton

Puppy Bitch

1. Perchinoff Zinaida OZcerlov, M L Taylor & R B Colstand
2. Perchinoff Zanoza OZcerlov, A Kay

Novice Bitch

1. Anastasia Markova De Redski, J A Rodriguez

Bred By Exhibitor Bitch

1. Oakshades Dona Junia CD, J E & E Y Forry

American Bred Bitch

1. Llebas's Concerto, I V Walton
2. Gradalinda of Grador, D G & A E Sweet
3. Campaigners Alix, R Smith
4. Oakshades Dona Ysabel, J E & E Y Forry

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BCOA 2020 Conformation Statistics

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to November 1, 2020

Submitted by Caryl Dumaine, caryldumaine@gmail.com (source: Canine Chronicle)

NOTE: The FIRST owner listed must be a BCOA member to be included in these standings

All-breed Standings

	Owner(s)	Sex	Points
1 GCHS CH Majenkir Bookstor Spellbinder	K Staudt-Cartabona/K Spey/H Spey	M	1347
2 GCHS CH Crown Jewel Princess Eugenia Of Majenkir	J Durdin	F	884
3 GCHB CH Soyara's Devilish Delilah	P Hlatky/G Hlatky	F	751
4 GCHB CH Kyrov's Scottish Lilt At Horse And Hound	P Buffington/K Seymour	F	574
5 GCHS CH Aruzia Joyous Pennyroyal At Rivervue	V Jones	F	421
6 GCHS CH Majenkir Thunderstruck White Storm Rising	M Yoesel/M Yoesel	F	347
7 GCH CH Del Sol Oxota Fire And Ice	S Van De Water	F	276
8 DC Téine Runtuff Suffragette City SC	J Bobrowski.....	F	207
9 CH Sylvan Ballyhoo	P Neale/C Neale	F	165
10 GCH CH Crown Jewel Zhivago Of Majenkir.....	J Durdin	M	155

Breed Standings

	Owner(s)	Sex	Points
1 GCHS CH Majenkir Bookstor Spellbinder	K Staudt-Cartabona/K Spey/H Spey	M	217
2 GCHS CH Crown Jewel Princess Eugenia Of Majenkir	J Durdin	F	177
3 GCHB CH Soyara's Devilish Delilah	P Hlatky/G Hlatky	F	127
4 GCHG CH Fiery Run Rider On The Storm BCAT	E Tolley/D Nutting	M	118
5 GCHB CH Kyrov's Scottish Lilt At Horse And Hound	P Buffington/K Seymour	F	86
6 GCH CH Tantezampe Kilimanjaro Trek At Rey	K Novotny	M	62
7 GCH CH Del Sol Oxota Fire And Ice	S Van De Water	F	58
8 CH Val-Thor Golightly Cha Cha Slide	B De La Rosa	F	36
9 GCH CH Howff Carbonel Evolgo Of Avalon JC	L Littleton/V Littleton	M	32
10 GCHS CH Majenkir Thunderstruck White Storm Rising.....	M Yoesel/M Yoesel	F	30
10 GCHS CH Korsakov's Wild Sweet Love At White Sage CGC	M White	M	30

BCOA FINAL 2020 National Owner-Handled Statistics

BCOA member-owned Borzoi

Submitted by Deb Vidaver-Cohen, vidaver@att.net

NOTE: The FIRST owner listed must be a BCOA member to be included in these standings

Dog Name.....	Owner Name.....	Sex....	Pts
1 GCH CH Tantezampe Kilimanjaro Trek At Rey	Kathleen Novotny	Dog	445
2 GCH CH Wolfblitz The Red Rocker	Laurie Courtney/Steve Courtney	Dog	410
3 GCH CH Justart Majenkir Noble Kinsman	Molly Anne Forsyth/Suzanne Morrison Forsyth	Dog	210
4 GCH CH Russkiy Azart Diamant Di Yalmea Too Hot To Handle JC FCAT	Jill Zamowski/Katrina Averill	Dog	150
5 GCHB CH Korsakov Love A Mystery At Lost Key BCAT RATN CGC TKP	Rhonda Robins	Dog	140
6 GCH CH Jubilee Sambuca Seven	Cindi Gredys	Dog	110
7 CH Kirov Windrift Fly So Free SC.....	Barbara Ewing/Nancy Reimer	Bitch	110
8 GCHB CH Raynbo's Seabiscuit At Shalomar	Marina Pearce/Roni Zucker/Jennifer Zucker	Dog	105
9 CH Horse And Hound Full Of Hope	Pamela Buffington	Bitch	65
9 CH Jubilee Limoncello Di Capri	Karyn Convertini/Cindi Gredys	Bitch	65
9 GCHB CH Oxota RiverRun Tangmalangaloo Avalon RN JC CGCA CGCU TKN.....	Leigh Paintin/Ken J Paintin	Dog	65
9 CH Svora's White Stag	Shirley McFadden	Dog	65
9 CH Sylvan Ballyhoo.....	Patti W Neale/Christopher Neale	Bitch	65
9 CH Sylvan Elance Mirror Mirror.....	Patti W Neale/Christopher T Neale	Bitch	65
10 GCH CH Svershin Dancella Zstarryella At Raynbo	Linda Barad/Jennifer Zucker	Bitch	60

BCOA 2020 Obedience Rankings

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi through September 30, 2020

Corrections to June Mintchell, PO Box 31, N Manchester, IN 46961, rmintchell@yahoo.com

The first person listed as the dog's owner by AKC must be a BCOA member to be included. To be ranked #1 overall at year's end, a dog must have at least 3 QS from the regular classes and all QS from the regular classes will be averaged for that dog. To be ranked #1 in any particular class at year's end only 1 score is needed.

NOVICE

1. Zabava Dendy Let It Be Me CD, BN, RI, THDA, CGCA, CGCU, TKN, J Browne..... 188.5 1

BEGINNER NOVICE (optional titling class)

1. Fiery Run Winter Soldier RN, E Tolley & D Nutting 186.75 4

BCOA 2020 Rally Rankings

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi through September 30, 2020

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Started in 2016 was the offering of an OVERALL #1 dog in rally. Same rules apply to rally as to obedience. A minimum of 3 scores are needed to be the OVERALL #1 dog. All of the dogs scores from the REGULAR rally are averaged so if a dog competes in more than level all of his scores are rolled into one. Just like obedience, only 1 score is required to be #1 in any given class.

RALLY EXCELLENT

1. GCH Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Desertwinds Journey BN, RE, JC, CGC, W & T Merendini 81.67 6

RALLY ADVANCED

1. GCH Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Desertwinds Journey BN, RE, JC, CGC, W & T Merendini 90.8 5

2. CH Islehaven Sentinel BN, RI, FDC, SCN, SIN, SBN, SHDN, CGCA, CGCU, TKE, L Beisswenger .. 78 1

RALLY NOVICE

1. Téine Girl In Velvet Combat Boots RN, JC, CGC, L Abordo 95 1

tie DC RiverRun Oxota Fire In The Glen Avalon RN, MC, CGC, T Wismer, T Williams, & K Smith ... 94 3

tie CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon RN, CGCA, M & D Eelman 94 3

tie Konza Lythe Day Dreamer CD, CGC, TKE, E Baldrige 94 2

5. Oronzova Fire In The Sky RN, CGC, S & R Deghi 90 3

6. Starswift Legacy Of The Force RI, SC, BCAT, THD, M Burton & J Bobrowski..... 89.33 3

7. Sylvan Road To Happy Destiny RN, ACT1, CGC, TKI, L Avant..... 89 3

8. CH Freckashpeng Raisa RN, R & G Clancy 87.33 3

9. Avalon Wings Of The Wind Oh! Excalibur JC, CGC, S Moore & S Grant 74 1

RALLY INTERMEDIATE (Optional titling class)

2. CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon RN, CGCA, M & D Eelman 93 2

3. Fiery Run Winter Soldier RN, E Tolley & D Nutting 90 2

4. CH Freckashpeng Raisa RI, R & G Clancy 89.67 3

5. GCH, DC Wildhunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN, RI, FDC, SC, SWN, SIA, SBA, DEA, DMA, CGCA, CGCU, TKP, A Duncan & D Darling 83 2

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

CHAMPION



BIF CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka, JC, CGC, TKN, RN, SC

El Sol finished with a 5 pt mjr, the only points not from BBE. CC, CM, FCh & GCh ptd. Sire of our STORMY WEATHER I litter, full dentition, CHIC #, Holter Normal. El Sol has his sire's impossibly thick feet and classic aloof outlook in an athletic and elegant package.

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Russkaya Volnitsa Molodez II (imp. Rus.)
Russkaya Volnitsa Mazai, CH Hare
Russkaya Volnitsa Mushmula FT Hare & Fox
Russkaya Volnitsa Maslina FT Hare

Zharkov Quest For Fire, ROM
BIF, DC Avalon Victorian Pyre, CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, TT, GRC, DT, RE, V-FCH, ROMX, VLAA
Avalon Polychromatic, ROM
BIF, BISS, GCH, DC Oxota Avalon Switchblade, CGC, TT, RTD, SC, FCh, DCh, RN, DT, VLAA, TKN, ROM
8x MBIF, DC SilkenSwift Blaze's Dark Fire, SC, LCM7, GRC, ROM, ASFA HOF
Avalon Tigress In The Dark, CC, CM, FCh, SC, ROMX, GRC, V-FCH
Stillwater British Echo, FCh, SC, ROM*

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New Title Holders

Earned August to September 2020

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Conformation Champion (CH)

CH Bibikov's Mission Statement CGC (D)
HP55918508, 25-May-2018, by CH Majenkir
Full Circle & CH Bibikov's Little Miss
Independence, br: Frances Wright, ow: Diana
Dunigan & Frances Wright

CH Bon-Ton's Lagniappe Zaktarulon BCAT
(D) HP53106101, 20-Feb-2017, by GCHG
Lagniappe Cajun Zydeco Bon-Ton BCAT
& CH Edenrock Calaron Zenda Bon-Ton,
br: Cynthia & Michael Michalak and Dedra
& Gregory Jones, ow: Cynthia & Michael
Michalak

CH Chrysalis Jubilee Amaro (D) HP54812901,
11-Nov-2017, by GCH Estet Classic Yarolik
At Chrysalis & GCHB DC Jubilee Drop Of
Golden Sun SC FCH, br: Cindi Gredys, ow:
Pamela Leichtnam

CH Glacier's American By Birth (D)
HP55862506, 30-Apr-2018 by CH Elance
Master And Commander & CH Glacier's
Dream Within A Dream, br/ow: Lisa Durand
& Allan Durand

CH Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Enchanted Journey
To Jags (B) HP48679409, 05-Dec-2014, by
CH Aashtoria Aruzia Java Chip ROM & GCH
Borscana Melissa Loveletter BN RE JC OAJ
OJP ROMX-C, br: Christine Danker & Lorrie
Scott, ow: Julie Hagen

CH Justart Majenkir Felicitations (B)
HP56977801, 21-Nov-2018, by GCHS
Majenkir Bookstor Spellbinder & GCH
Justart Hot Commodity, br: Stuart McGraw &
Justine Spiers & Karen Staudt Cartabona, ow:
Mark Yoesel & Marie Yoesel & Justine Spiers
& Stuart McGraw

CH Katz-Kyrov's Maybe It's Maybelline (B)
HP47147209, 01-Apr-2014, by CH Kyrovs
Crescendo ROMX-C & CH Katz Fifth
Avenue Fashion JC, br: Kitty Sawyer & Amy
Sorbie, ow: Kitty Sawyer

CH Kinobi Angels Of Fenway At Bel Vento (B)
HP57891107, 09-Jun-2019, by CH Kyrov-
Horse And Hound Heed Your Heart Kinobi
& Kinobi Sneak Preview SC, br: Rebecca
Peters-Campbell, ow: Victoria Cassano

CH Rey's Summerlane Night Wind At Regius
(D) HP57703006, 29-Mar-2019, by GCH
Tantezampe Kilimanjaro Trek At Rey & CH
Summerlane Lightning Ridge Black Opal JC,
br: Kathleen Novotny & Anne Quinn & Janet
Adams, ow: Doreen Carlstad

CH Sylvan Ballyhoo (B) HP55688802, 17-Mar-

2018, by GCHB DC Sylvan Pimlico CDX
BN RE SC BCAT CGCA CGCU TKN & CH
Sylvan Marisol, br/ow: Patti & Christopher
Neale

Grand Champion (GCH)

GCH Konza Sojourn In A Gadda Da Vida SC CA
(B) HP52752202, 18-Nov-2016, by DC Katz
Kir Royale SC & CH Konza-Plum Creek
Cizeta, br: Shain Miller & Kay Cassella, ow:
Kelley Frary & Kay Cassella

GCH Paradise Spirit Spellbound (D)
HP53307804, 25-Mar-2017 by GCHG
Konza-Plum Creek Bugatti At Elance
ROMX-C & CH Konstantin's Summer
Rain, br: Susan Motisi & Kristi Arnquist, ow:
Alexandra Tevebaugh

GCH Secret Garden All Things Possible (D)
HP50598703, 31-Mar-2015 by Secret
Garden Peace Perfect Peace & Secret Garden
Mysterious Ways, br: Mary Richter, ow:
Delores Swan

GCH Svershin's Birkovitch @ Novgorod High
Noon (D) HP55219103, 11-Mar-2018 by CH
Maskova's Heart Of The Rose Svershin JC &
CH Svershin Twin Elms Adele SC, br: Terry
Anne Doane, ow: Janice Haldi & Lyn Snyder
Hoflin

Grand Champion Bronze (GCHB)

GCHB Del Sol Oxota Fire And Ice (B)
HP52997902, 01-Feb-2017 by CH Oxota
Riverrun Gypsy Rover Avalon JC SC FCH &
CH Del Sol Red Queen LCM GRC, br: Susan
Van De Water & Leonore Abordo, ow: Susan
Van De Water

GCHB Estet Classic Timofei (D) HP52994203,
17-Oct-2016 by Donskoi Vigow & Estet
Classic Monisto, br: Olga Gorbatsjova &
Natalie Kawements, ow: James Modica,
Jeffrey Winton & Olga Gorbatsjova

GCHB Justart Majenkir Status Symbol (D)
HP56977803, 21-Nov-2018, by GCHS
Majenkir Bookstor Spellbinder & GCH
Justart Hot Commodity, br: Stuart McGraw
& Justine Spiers & Karen Staudt- Cartabona,
ow: Shigeru Iwakiri & Justine Spiers & Karen
Staudt-Cartabona

GCHB Oxota RiverRun Tangmalangaloo Avalon
RN JC CGCA CGCU TKN (D) HP41718709,
04-Oct-2011 by DC Avalon Victorian Pyre RE
SC CGC FCH VFCH VLAA GRC ROMX &
DC Valinor's Circuit De Monaco At Riverrun

RN SC FCH VFCH VLAA ROMX, br: Karla
Smith & Sandra Moore & Leonore Abordo,
ow: Leigh & Ken Paintin

Grand Champion Silver (GCHS)

GCHS Soyara's Devilish Delilah (B) HP50099006,
23-Sep-2015, by CH Soyara's Smoke And
Mirrors & GCHB Soyara's Karmen Fantasy, br/
ow: Prudence & Gregory Hlatky

Beginner Novice (BN)

Fiery Run Winter Soldier RN BN (D)
HP49675005, 06-Mar-2015 by GCH Sedona
Aleksandrovich & GCHS Wildwood Fiery
Run Out Of My Dreams, br: Dr Elizabeth
Tolley & Dr David Nutting & Dr Kay
Henderson & Dr Wyatt Delfino, ow: Dr
Elizabeth Tolley & Dr David Nutting

Rally Advanced (RA)

Tufftoo-Myli Blame CGCA RN RI RA FCH (D)
HP49253305, 11-May-2015 by GCH Kyrov-
LeReau Heaven Sent & CH Roscommon Into
The Mystic, br: Ernest Cheely & Joyce Mabry,
ow: Georgia Hardesty & Ernest Cheely

Rally Intermediate (RI)

CH Freckashpeng Raisa RN RI (B)
HP54688601, 29-Jul-2017, by Secret Garden
King & CH Mayvale's Regal Sensation, br:
Paul Allard & Steve Pedro, ow: Robin Clancy
& Gerald Clancy
DC Imagine Chryseis Of Troy BN RI SC
CGC (B) HP33366804, 23-Oct-2008 by CH
Aldemoor's Citation SC & CH Krestovskaja
Anastacia RA SC GRC FCH JOR ROM br:
William Neill & Peri Neill, ow: Peri Neill

Rally Novice (RN)

Firebird Juls Triquetra Seren RN JC CGC
FCH (B) HP49600803, 26-Apr-2015 by
Technetium's The Asgard Heimdall O'Ryhka
JC & Firebird Juls Fight Fire With Fire RN
CGC, br: Corrine Miller & Julia Hislop, ow:
Jose Huerta & Julia Hislop & Corrine Miller
Firebird Téine Absolute Altitude RN JC CGC (D)
HP48435603, 09-Nov-2014 by GCHB Del
Sol Endless Endeavor Wns LCM & Firebird
Juls Jump In The Fire CD RN JC, br: Corrine
Miller & Natalya Miller & Anne Midgarden,
ow: Corrine Miller & Natalya Miller
Firebird Téine Absolute Magnitude RN JC CGC

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

AKC RN



DC RiverRun Oxota Fire in the Glen Avalon MC,FCh, ORC, SGRC2, RN

While running games are still her favorite, she was able to slow down enough to get her RN.

DC SilkenSwift Blaze's Dark Fire
Aharkov Quest for Fire
CH Khanzade Zharkov True Image
BIF DC Avalon Victorian Pyre FCh, GRC, RE, V-FCh, VLAA, ROMX
CH Avalon Celtic Cross
Avalon Polychromatic
Stillwater Serendipity
DC Golightly BSA Victor
DC Aragorn's Barron GL Jedediah
Aragorn's Sandra Day OConner
BIF DC Valinor's Circuit de Monaco at RiverRun RN, FCh, V-FCh, GRC, VLAA, ROMX
CH Perchotin's Czarewitch
FC Mehta's LX at Mustang
CH Kelcrest Brolin Heat Wave

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We Honor Those Who Have Left Us This Past Year

Walter O. Ford

May 27, 1956 – April 21, 2019



Walter had a wonderful life. He was a loving husband, partner, best friend, great brother and uncle as well. Walt lived in the moment with an enthusiastic view of life. His strengths were his tolerance and his patience as well as his perseverance. Walter was always available to help the family and many friends with whatever was needed to be done. His love of music and remarkable knowledge of each band and the members was amazing. This love of music caused MANY blown speakers in his vehicles and homes. From the family summer home in Ocean City, NJ, Walter became an excellent boat captain. He loved to ride his motorcycle and was so happy that he was able to ride a Harley on a 20-day adventure on Route 66 in September of 2018. He was accompanied by his brother, nephew and best friend. He also enjoyed snow and water skiing. Walter was a Master Plumber for more than 35 years. He was also known as the MIGA (make it go away) guy. His bosses could count on Walter to make problems disappear. Growing up, his family had Boxers. Later he had a Golden Retriever but it was in the summer of 1991 that Walt got his first Borzoi named Valerie and Walter and Anne fell in love with the breed. They raised 13 Borzoi that achieved Dual Champions, Champions, #1 AKC Lure coursers, placements in BCOA triathlons, and earned titles in Obedience, Agility and Rally and many other titles. Walter was an active member in the Borzoi Club of Delaware Valley, Suburban Dog Training Club, Kruisin Kanines Agility Club, Borzoi Club of America and the defunct PHAST (Philadelphia Area Sight Hound Trials) Club. In addition, Walter was a Mason of the Friendship-Williams Lodge and a Lulu Temple Shriner. Walt is sorely missed by all who knew him.

Dennis Williams

Oct 20, 1944 - July 10, 2019

Dennis was a Christian minister as well as a band director and talented musician. He and his wife Nancy bred several litters of Borzoi under the kennel name "Dashadon". His first Borzoi came from the Neales in Florida. Dennis loved each of his Borzoi whether he bred them or not. He was extremely proud of all of their accomplishments. Dennis was the co-chair of two BCOA supported events in association with the Lost Dutchman KC in Mesa, AZ. He kept most of the Borzoi he bred selling very few. They all had a life-long home with Dennis and Nancy. Dennis and I were competitors as well as friends. The Borzoi community in AZ is very small so we got to know each other quite well. The last litter they bred was one of their bitches to my Am Int Ch Seabury's Skyracer.

Ralph Jamison

September 9, 1945 – August 22, 2019



Ralph Jamison passed away after courageously battling Parkinson's disease with his typical optimistic spirit. The weekend before, he was able to attend our BCDV picnic where many of us shared a meal and conversation with Ralph. He was a beloved member, joining the club in the late seventies, contributing in many capacities, and always with a positive attitude, humor and sound judgment. Ralph served on many committees, as a board member, President and VP, and marched with our Drill Team.

Ralph will be sorely missed by all who knew him in the Borzoi community. Always a gentleman, he had a keen eye for evaluating puppies, Borzoi structure and movement, and enjoyed many judging assignments. Over many years he bred several litters using "Mascha" as his kennel name, producing specialty and group winners.

In lure coursing "Mascha" was the first Best in Field-winning Borzoi; in rally obedience he put Excellent level titles on two dogs; and in agility Ralph and Neo shattered the tire jump!!!!

Ralph loved to discuss our breed in depth with anyone sharing a love of Borzoi. He never preached; rather, he would engage others, encouraging them to think deeper, often leading to a greater understanding. He leaves us with an endless supply of fun stories and reminiscences to share (go ahead, ask one of us!).

Ralph taught history and social studies mostly, but could teach any class when called on and was beloved by his students. He was an avid golfer and tennis player, ran track in his youth, and loved the challenge of the *NY Times* crossword puzzle. Ralph's talents included drawing and painting and a deep appreciation of opera. He was very proud when a Borzoi he bred appeared on stage at 'the Met' with Renee Fleming (and sang along), inspiring the book *The Dog That Sang at the Opera*.

As we remember and miss our friend we smile, knowing Ralph is reunited with his many Borzoi at the Rainbow Bridge, no doubt creating a traffic jam.

Jane Eloise Stauffer Schreiber
December 6, 1940 - November 29, 2019



Jane began lure coursing with a Basenji, Joey, in 1983. Through lure coursing, she met her future husband, Peter, and together they continued their journey with Borzoi. Keeping coursing ability at the top of their priorities, along with correct conformation, their first Borzoi were from the Windhound kennel of Aatis and Ping Lillstrom. In 1986, they began their annual trips to Wyoming and New Mexico for open field coursing, which continued until Jane's health began to decline. She continued to attend lure coursing trials and cheer for the Phoenixx team. The Phoenixx breeding program produced many champions and top lure coursers including the littersisters Lady and Nugget. Nugget went on to a successful career as a brood bitch, producing two litters sired by DC Téine Windmaster

of Foxwood ROMX, which contained multiple champions, open field and lure coursing winners, and earned her ROMX status. The last Phoenixx litter was whelped in 2008.

Jane held numerous positions in the clubs that she served and was ASFA Region 8 Director, ASFA First and Second Vice President, BCOA Regional Governor and BCOA Vice President, as well as numerous positions in regional lure coursing clubs.

Joy Windle
April 5, 1946 – June 14, 2020



Perhaps more than anyone else, Joy was the most nuanced, multi-talented, wise and intelligent person in the breed; a breed that has many fine people in it. She had the most generous of spirits.

Joy was the oldest of seven children, and like eldest children, she had a take-charge way about her. She grew up in Conestoga, PA and often described a bucolic, homey life when she described her childhood, where the elder generation were looked up to as role models and revered. They had done their work well on Joy. It was during her childhood that her great love of dogs flourished, as there were many varieties of beagles and coonhounds on the family property. Joy's first dog of her own was a Chesapeake Bay Retriever named Butch.

Joy attended Penn Manor High School and went on to study English at Ursinus College. She then went on to a long career teaching English and later drama at the West Chester Area School District, where she also directed school theater productions. She never had children of her own and married Rhys Wiggins late in life, only to lose him to cancer in 2007. Many of her students wrote touching, life-changing testimonials about Joy and the influence she had on their lives.

Joy came into Borzoi almost accidentally, through a student who had a rescue Borzoi, Yana of Baranoff, in 1979. It immediately changed her life. After her initial adoption of the first Borzoi, she went on to have 23 more dogs which included more Borzoi, Scottish Deerhounds, Whippets and recently a Rescue Greyhound. That is not including all the puppy litters.

She had many notable accomplishments in the Borzoi world; accomplishments that really set her apart and made her unique and unforgettable. Primarily they

Harriet J. Goldner
September 19, 1949 – June 3, 2020



Harriet, or Henri as she was known to her family and friends, was an art teacher for the Cleveland Metropolitan School District for 40 years. Henri was born in Butler, PA, and grew up in Cleveland. She was the cherished only child of Irene and Joseph Tishler.

Her passion was dogs, specifically Borzoi. She was a long-time breeder who was loved and respected among her peers. In her lifetime, she produced 90 champions.

She is survived by her beloved partner, Thomas R. Strunk, and her many devoted friends.

are her roles as a club woman and officer in two clubs: Borzoi Club of Delaware Valley (BCDV), and Borzoi Club of America (BCOA), where she held many responsible positions over the years. In addition, there was her work as editor of three books: *Being Borzoi*, *Forever Borzoi*, and *A Puppy's Journey*. A group of individuals volunteered to work together and the first two books were produced in rapid succession, including stories, art work and photographs. These books were an enormous success and the profits were donated to Borzoi health or Borzoi rescue. The third book, chronicling the development of a Borzoi puppy through its first year of life, was produced by Chris Danker. *Being Borzoi* won the Arthur Frederick Jones Award for Excellence for the Purebred Writers Alliance of Writers, 2007.

In BCDV, Joy was involved with many club projects, committees and offices. She was President, Vice President, Corresponding Secretary, Trophy Chair for the annual BCDV match, supported entries, and specialty shows for many years. She arranged for the club's trophies for 2020 which the club hopes to use in 2021 in her memory. Joy also was the editor of the Borzoi Bark, the BCDV newsletter. She created the club's website, Facebook page, and marched with the club's original BCDV Drill Team, an extraordinary dog event.

Joy sat on the Executive Board of the Borzoi Club of America as the Recording Secretary for many years, and worked tirelessly at the national specialty shows. She could always be seen running around wearing many hats. Many people will never forget her warm welcome and support when they joined BCOA.

As if all that wasn't enough, she also would travel out to California to be the most incredible and proficient ring steward at the Lompoc shows and specialty.

From her beginnings in rural Lancaster County, PA, Joy's life embraced a large reach. She touched many people, from her beloved family, to her friends, to her professional colleagues and the students she taught, and later, to her new family that we all join when we choose to live with Borzoi, and then, she had Rhys. She had boundless love and generosity for all of them and a generosity of spirit that always shone through. That is why her decision to end her medication this past summer was so sad, knowing that this beacon would grow dark. Selfishly, we all wanted more Joy, not less, and that's why losing her has been so hard.

Her sister Christine Wenrich writes: "I was never allowed to crack a tear in front of my sister. She would sing 'don't cry for me Christina' (to the tune of Don't Cry For Me Argentina). I would remind her that my name was Christine, not Christina! The fact is that she is worth every tear. She is deserving of every tear. And there have been plenty. But I still hear her singing... 'don't cry for me Christina'."

One of her students writes: "Joy Windle was my favorite teacher and mentor, one of my biggest fans, and a cornerstone to how I was able to grow up in education and learning, plus be able to pass it along to the future generations." That student went on to become a teacher himself.

Joy will be missed by many for many years to come.

Irving Bonios

December 1937 - July 2020

Irving was a dapper gentleman, always with a smile on his face. He always had a kind word or would say nothing. He died this past summer after a long illness at the age of 84.

His first love were his Borzoi and he was approved to judge the Hound Group as well as the Toy Group and Best in Show. In later years, he bred Papillons but always came back to his Borzoi. Irving and his wife, Nancy, favor the old English style Borzoi and bred under the kennel name Karistan.

Their best known dog was Ch. Egdon of Karistan. Several other dogs that Irving bred are pictured in BCOA Yearbooks of the mid-seventies.



Good-bye Irving ! Your Borzoi friends miss you.

Jennifer Luise Frank

1970 – August 3, 2020

Jenn Frank of Annwn Borzoi was a dedicated teacher, and loved her Borzoi, her students and her family. She could always be counted on for a thoughtful and compassionate discussion on most any topic. She would always make time for people. While she suffered her own trials and tribulations as we all do, she never took her frustrations out on anyone. The world at large and the Borzoi world specifically is a bit darker without her candle. Godspeed Jenn, and prayers for your friends and family.



Sally Stephens – April 2019 and Carl Stephens – Oct 2020

Carl And Sally Stephens were SnoPaw Malamutes and Borzoi, located in Lake Stevens, WA, having Mals for several years before getting their first Borzoi from good friends Lois and Evelyn Olmen of "Glaciers" Malamutes and Borzoi. Ch Glaciers Snopaw Kasilof was a big sable and white boy with a very nice, open side-movement.

In 1982, they got a lovely gold with white Borzoi bitch, DarMorev's Sea Sprite SnoPaw, aka Bubbles. They bred their only litter in 1985, with a pup going back to the Booths and one to Barb Solga. At this time, they retired to Roseburg, OR on a lovely piece of property surrounded by an orchard. Carl found a wonderful part-time job as head groundskeeper and handyman at a local golf course, allowing him to putter to his heart's content.

Sally continued to be active in Borzoi in a limited capacity; some showing but mostly supporting local clubs and always coming up to the Seattle area every summer to visit and enjoy the dogs and friends at the big August combined specialties. She was always more than happy to help hold dogs ringside.

Their last two Borzoi were two lovely, lively youngsters from Rey and Yvonne McGehee of Valeska Borzoi; littermates "Grushka" Valeska Sweet Horizon and "Miko" Valeska Enchanted Country. They went back to the McGehees when Carl and Sally moved into a retirement center.

They are missed.



As they transitioned out of showing and breeding Malamutes they proved their love of the breed by providing a home for a few of the Malamute club's pups from their Dwarfism project. Sally also did some judging assignments at their specialties over the years.

NEW TITLE HOLDERS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 10

FCH (B) HP48435605, 09-Nov-2014 by GCHB Del Sol Endless Endeavor Wns LCM & Firebird Juls Jump In The Fire CD RN JC, br: Corrine Miller & Natalya Miller & Anne Midgarden, ow: Corrine Miller & Natalya Miller
CH Imagine N Aldemoor Cathouse Thursday RN (B) HP50199205, 21-Oct-2015 by GCH Jubilee Glacier Ozlandia SC FCH & DC Imagine Chryseis Of Troy BN RI SC CGC, br: Peri Neill & Sandy Simmons-Gamble, ow: Peri Neill
CH Imagine N Aldemoor Donovan's Reef RN (D) HP50199201, 21-Oct-2015 by GCH Jubilee Glacier Ozlandia SC FCH & DC Imagine Chryseis Of Troy BN RI SC CGC br: Peri Neill

& Sandy Simmons-Gamble, ow: Peri Neill
DC RiverRun Oxota Fire In The Glen Avalon RN JC MC CGC FCH SGRC (B) HP41718706, 04-Oct-2011 by DC Avalon Victorian Pyre RE SC CGC FCH VFCH GRC ROMX & DC Valinor's Circuit De Monaco At Riverrun RN SC FCH VFCH VLCM ROMX, br: Karla Smith & Leonore Abordo & Sandra Moore, ow: Tina Wismer & Tim Williams & Karla Smith
Starswift Legacy Of The Force RN SC BCAT THD CGCA TKA (D) HP54591502, 17-Oct-2017 by GCH DC Starswift Let Freedom Ring BN RE SC BCAT THDX CGCA FCH VFCH & CH Starswift Lightning Quick SC FCH, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Martine

Burton & Josee Burton & Jamie Bobrowski

Agility Course Test 1 (ACT1)

FC Zoiboyz Lolita RN SC ACT1 CGC TKN
FCH (B) HP55942906, 06-Jun-2018, by GCH DC Avalon Druid Dance Willowind FDC SC BCAT THD CGCA CGCU TKN & DC Aliza At Zoiboyz Rosa Wetrow SC CGC TKN LCM, br: Tom Golcher & KC Thompson, ow: Linda Pocurull & KC Thompson

Farm Dog Certified (FDC)

Woodacre's Ruby Too Of Svora FDC CGC (B) HP58277604, 26-Jun-2019, by CH Svora's White Stag & CH Blackmoor Sedona Hearts On Fire, br: Shirley McFadden & Gary Gideon, ow: Rebecca Smith

NEW TITLE HOLDER

RALLY INTERMEDIATE DOCK ELITE EXCELLENT BCAT



GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity of Ryhka
SC BN RI TKP SWN SIA SEA SBA DEX DMA CGCA CGCU FDC BCAT

Oona appears here in her role from the classic Chuck Jones feature (1957) "What's Opera Doc" performing the aria: "Kill Da Wabbit".

CH Crescents Grock ROM
CH Mascha's Nepal of the Wild Hunt SC ROM
CH Z'Esprit of the Wild Hunt CGC ROMX
GCHP Aashtoria Wild Hunt Hidden Agenda CGCA ROMC
CH Chataqua's Valimir of Kyrov SC ROMX-C
CH Svora's Secret Rendezvous JC ROM
Am CH Babotjka's Fantaziya JC SC ROMX-C (import from Sweden)

DC Tour De France of the Wild Hunt CD CGC FCH LCM JOR ROMX
GCH & DC Ashtoria Irshbrook Wldhnt LeMans RA SC FCH GRC RO
Am CH Babotjka's Fantaziya JC SC ROMX-C (import from Sweden)
Ch C'lestial Xcelerator of Ryhka
CH Osdow av Fjascho JC
DC C'lestial High Voltage SC FCH SORC SGRC
C'lestial Midnight Fire FCH ROM

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Junior Courser (JC)

Avalon Wings Of The Wind Oh! Excalibur JC CGC (B) HP58413302, 28-Jun-2019, by CH Avalon Ebeko Howff Carbonel SC & CH Avalon Ww Dazzle In The Dark RI BN SC CGCA FCH, br/ow: Sandra Moore & Sunny Grant
Northern Tier Finest In The Shop JC (B) HP58686106, 13-Sep-2019 by CH Mielikki Dragonheart & Avalon Jezzabelle, br: Erin Jennen & Justin Wagner, ow: Sunny Grant & Justin Wagner & Erin Wagner

Senior Courser (SC)

Connor JC SC (D) PAL275316 ,26-Feb-2018, by unknown & unknown, br: unknown, ow: Ron Mandsager & Ruth Mandsager
Jedawn Zoiboyz Resolute Fireball SC (B) HP51814201, 27-Jun-2016, by GCHB DC Zoiboyz Eclipse Of The Heart SC CGC TKN FCH ROM-C & FC Jedawn's Show Girl SC FCH, br: Dawn Hall & Leslie Walenta & Shannon Jimenez & KC Thompson, ow: Dawn Hall & Shannon Jimenez & KC Thompson
Kinobi Fly Me To The Moon SC (D) HP55882702, 14-May-2018, by GCH DC Avalon Druid Dance Willowind FDC SC BCAT THD CGCA CGCU TKN & GCH DC Attaway-Kinobi Gala Margarita SC, br: Rebecca Peters-Campbell, ow: Teresa Shuster
Starswift Reflections Of His Legacy SC (D) HP54591501, 17-Oct-2017, by GCH DC Starswift Let Freedom Ring RE SC BCAT THDD CGCA FCH VFCH & CH Starswift Lightning Quick JC SC FCH, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Kathleen Lucy & Jamie Bobrowski
CH Téine Fendi Sandals RN JC SC CGC (B) HP56255405, 17-Jul-2018, by CH Borzowski's Magical Mirage JC & FC Téine Zharkov Kismet SC, br: Anne Midgarden, ow: Sheryl Amburgey & Harry Van Vliet

Master Courser (MC)

GCHS DC C'Lestial All That Glitters MC CGC (B) HP45234605, 12-May-2013, by C'Lestial Pure Perfection SC FCH & CH Romal Opel, br: Patricia Sullivan & Liz Green, ow: Victoria Cassano
DC C'Lestial Fontana Di Trevi JC MC FCH CGC (B) HP51794404, 19-Jul-2016, by CH C'Lestial Bachelors Button JC & CH C'Lestial Powder Keg Of Ryhka, br: Liz Green, ow: Victoria Cassano

BCAT (100 yard test run)

GCH Paradise Spirit Chariots Of Fire BCAT (D) HP53307809, 25-Mar-2017, by GCHG Konza-Plum Creek Bugatti At Elance ROMX-C & CH Konstantin's Summer Rain, br/ow: Susan Motisi & Kristi Arnquist
Paradise Spirit Surprise Package BCAT (B) HP53307811, 25-Mar-2017, by GCHG Konza-Plum Creek Bugatti At Elance ROMX-C & CH Konstantin's Summer Rain, br: Susan Motisi & Kristi Arnquist, ow: Lily Butcher & Susan Motisi & Kristi Arnquist
Starswift Justice For All RN CGC JC SC BCAT (B) HP44209801, 11-Nov-2012, by DC Téine Twist Of Fate SC FCH ROM & GCH DC Avalon Victoria Cross BN RN SC LCM VFCH, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Kathleen Lucy
Starswift Legacy Of The Force RN SC BCAT THD CGCA TKA (D) HP54591502, 17-Oct-2017 by GCH DC Starswift Let Freedom Ring BN RE SC BCAT THDX CGCA FCH VFCH & CH Starswift Lightning Quick SC FCH, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Martine Burton & Josee Burton & Jamie Bobrowski
GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN RN RI FDC SC BCAT SWN SIA SEA SBA DEA DMA CGCA CGCU TKP (B) HP51414701, 27-May-2016 by GCHP Aashtoria Wildhunt Hidden Agenda CGCA ROMX-C & CH C'Lestial Xcelerator Of Ryhka, br/ow: G Ariel Duncan & Diana Darling
DC Wild Hunt Savoir-Faire BN RA MC LCX BCAT CGCA CGCU TKN FCH (B) HP42278207, 24-Jan-2012, by GCH DC Ashtoria Irishbrook Wildhnt LeMans RA SC FCH GRC ROM & DC Ashtoria Wildhunt Mystery Unveiled RN SC FCH SGRC ROMX, br/ow: G Ariel Duncan

DCAT (100 yard test run)

Spryfeat Ambitious Zander On The Run RN JC CAA DCAT CGC TKI (D) HP53223804, 15-Apr-2017 by DC K-C Windsheer Wheel In The Sky SC & FC SilkenSwift Shimmer In The Night MC LCX CGC FCH, br: Frank & Wendy Erdman, ow: Charlotte Yealey

Scent Work Buried Master Elite to finish the SWME title

Del Sol Riju Keeper Of The Flame RN JC SWME SHDN (D) HP54113402, 28-Jun-2017 by DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWM SCME SIME SHDE & CH Del Sol End Of Reason Wns LCM3 SGRC2 VFCH, br: Susan Van De Water, ow: June Mintchell

Scent Work Detective (SWD)

Del Sol Riju Keeper Of The Flame RN JC SWD SWME SHDN (D) HP54113402, 28-Jun-2017 by DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWM SCME SIME SHDE & CH Del Sol End Of Reason Wns LCM3 SGRC2 VFCH, br: Susan Van De Water, ow: June Mintchell

Scent Work Interior Advanced (SIA), Exterior Advanced (SEA) and Buried Advanced (SBA)

FC Téine Mirage At Riju CDX BN GO RA SC SWN SIA SEA SBA SHDN CGC (B) HP49108202, 19-Feb-2015, by DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWM SCME SIME SHDE & CH Zharkov Téine Black Jade JC, br: Anne Midgarden, ow: June Mintchell

Scent Work Exterior Advanced (SEA)

GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN RN RI FDC SC BCAT SWN SIA SEA SBA DEA DMA CGCA CGCU TKP (B) HP51414701, 27-May-2016 by GCHP Aashtoria Wildhunt Hidden Agenda CGCA ROMX-C & CH C'Lestial Xcelerator Of Ryhka, br/ow: G Ariel Duncan & Diana Darling

Scent Work Container Novice, Scent Work Interior Novice, Scent Work Exterior Novice & Scent Work Buried Novice to finish the SWN title

Konstantin Russian Burgandy CD BN RE NAP OJP FCAT SWN CGC TKN (D) HP50960708, 10-Jan-2016 by GCHG Greyhaven This Rough Magic SC CGC FCH & GCH Konstantin's Summertime BN RI, br: Karen Haberkorn & Lois Hough, ow: Karen Haberkorn

Canine Good Citizen (CGC)

Bibikov's Mission Statement CGC (D) HP55918508, 25-May-2018, by CH Majenkir Full Circle & CH Bibikov's Little Miss Independence, br: Frances Wright, ow: Diana Dunigan & Frances Wright
Indigo CGC (B) HP59247302, 24-Dec-2019 by Rose Hill Gryffyns Runaway Train & Rosehill Kachina Striptease SC, br: Sherita Tabner, ow: Brenda Williams
Prairie View Katz Venissa@Topflight CGC (B) HP58764501, 06-Oct-2019 by GCH Coburn's Gold Strike & CH Katz Peace Train, br: Kitty Sawyer & Erica Wolf, ow: Suzanne Newsom
Russian Sapphyre Boris Roulette CGC (D) HP59763107, 15-Jan-2020, by GCHS Greyhaven Fall Of Night @ Russian SC CA

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BCOA 2020 Open Field Coursing

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to January 31, 2020

NACA results January 1, 2020 to November 13, 2020

Submitted by Karen Ackerman

NOFCA Top Ten

1. Avalon Perlova Ready Set Go, Margot, L. Turner	72
2. Ch. SVershin's Zariyev at Petya, K. Berry	51
3. K-C Windsheer Trial By Fire SC, Deedee, C. Enz/D. Mills	32
4. Kirov Windrift Fly So Free, Sophie, B. Ewing/N. Reimer	24
5. BIF Oxota Molodezovna Hatsya JC, Hotsi, L. Paintin	14.5
6. Perlova Avalon Boldly Go, Kirk, D. Ross	14
7. Valeska Rarest of the Rare CC,CM, Layla, L. Turner	10
8. CH Kachina Story Book Love, CC,CM, Desiree, C. Enz	7
9. Kirov Kachina Porsche Turbo Carrera, Porsche, C. Enz/B. Ewing	5

With regard to the top ten for open field coursing, these rankings only reflect those BCOA members participating in NOFCA hunts. Results are based on NOFCA News website. Submit any corrections to Karen M. Ackerman, PO Box 507, Upton, WY 82730.

NACA

Since the beginning of 2020, the North American Coursing Association had the following BCOA members and their hounds compete in open field coursing. All of the Borzoi listed below have accumulated points toward their open field titles.

Satara Aria Ramblin Man At Phoenixx, JR, P.& J. Schreiber
CH Téine Zharkov Feliks at Phoenixx, Felixx, P. & J. Schreiber

CH Novgorod Arnov Olenka Mikhaylov, Lennie, L. Hoflin
GCH Novgorod Puschenka Tristanova, Princess, L. Hoflin

Valeska Little Soul, Dushka, R.& Y. McGehee
Valeska Radiant Soul, Razboi, R. & Y. McGehee
Valeska My Oh My, Barhatka, R. & Y. McGehee
Valeska Soulful Dress, Silk, R. & Y. McGehee

Akanni's Spectacular Spectacular SC, Satine, A. Balthrop

Majenkir Justart Iconic Evening's Hot Commodity, Evie, W&K Ackerman/K Staudt-Cartabona
Majenkir Bookstor Artful Lass At Varykino, Lyra, W&K Ackerman/K Staudt-Cartabona

These results were submitted by Linda Sanders, NACA Recorder. Please submit any corrections to Karen M. Ackerman, PO Box 507, Upton, WY 82730.

BCOA 2020 NOTRA TOP 10

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi as of October 29, 2020

Submitted by Karla Smith, gazehound_vet@yahoo.com

Call Name	Name	Owner	YTD Points
1 Zadria	Avalon Keep on Dancing ORC	Cecere	10.00
2 Sky	Aria Absinthe Spirit in the Sky	Turner	3.00
3 Margot	Avalon Perlova Ready Set Go	Turner	2.00
3 IndyGo	Perlova Avalon Indy Go Zoiboyz JOR	Thompson, Golcher	2.00
3 Apollo	Avalon Keeper of Dreams JOR	Greene	2.00 *
5 Bruce	Avalon Dark Knight Willowind Delsol ORC	Doby, Moore, Ocasio	1.50

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NEW TITLE HOLDERS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 16

FCAT DEA DMX & GCH Russian Konstantin Cabernet JC BCAT, br/ow: Lois Hough & Emma Lloyd & Anna Maria Calabrese
 Starswift Everlasting Legacy BN RN RI CGC (D) HP54591503, 17-Oct-2017, by GCH DC Starswift Let Freedom Ring BN RE SC BCAT THDD CGCA TKA FCH VFCH & CH Starswift Lightning Quick JC SC FCH, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Jerrie Jarvis & Jamie Bobrowski
 Woodacre's Ruby Too Of Svora FDC CGC (B) HP58277604, 26-Jun-2019, by CH Svora's White Stag & CH Blackmoor Sedona Hearts On Fire, br: Shirley McFadden & Gary Gideon, ow: Rebecca Smith

Canine Good Citizen Urban (CGCU)

CH Barynja Of Ferlinka Von Alshmina BCAT CGCA CGCU TKN (B) HP49229302, 15-Sep-2014 by Of Golden-West Hearty Taifun & Rose Of Heaven Sokolow, by: Nadja Koschwitz, ow: Debra West
 Kansai'z Ferlinka Three Nines JC BCAT CGCA CGCU TKN (D) HP52990007, 15-Nov-2016 by CH Vasart Nagrazhday & CH Kansai'Z Windsheer K-C Playstation, br: Karen Murray & Leah Lanier & Kasey Parks, ow: Debra West & Karen Murray

Trick Dog Novice (TKN)

CH Highgarden Sherlock Hound Story JC CAA DCAT TKN (D) HP49272206, 19-May-2015 by DC Téine Twist Of Fate SC FCH ROM & GCH Téine Rhyolite At Tiassa SC, br: Amy & Charles Sikula, ow: Lee Warden
 Kansai'z Ferlinka Three Nines JC BCAT CGCA CGCU TKN (D) HP52990007, 15-Nov-2016 by CH Vasart Nagrazhday & CH Kansai'Z Windsheer K-C Playstation, br: Karen Murray

& Leah Lanier & Kasey Parks, ow: Debra West & Karen Murray
 Mielikki Cloak & Dagger TKN (D) HP59633605, 24-Feb-2020, by GCHG Mielikki Hinote Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC & CH Runtuff Téine New York's In Love, br: Renee McCartin, ow: S Frances Butler
 Mielikki The Spy That Loved Me TKN (D) HP59633606, 24-Feb-2020, by GCHG Mielikki Hinote Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC & CH Runtuff Téine New York's In Love, br: Renee McCartin, ow: Jamie Hein & Renee McCartin
 Oronzova Fire In The Sky RN CGC TKN (B) HP57078506, 02-Dec-2018 by CH Oronzova Virshina Play With Fire CD JC MX AXJ & GCH Oronzova Steppes Solar Fire RN SC CGC TKN, br/ow: Suzanne & Ron Deghi
 GCH CH Oronzova Steppes Solar Fire RN SC CGC TKN (B) HP48188102, 21-Aug-2014, by GCH Oronzova Fireworks Festival SC AX AXJ & CH Steppes Dark Side Of The Moon, br: Monika Stachon & Robin Stachon & Suzanne Deghi, ow: Suzanne & Ron Deghi
 Oxota Storm Chaser TKN (D) HP59435506, 04-Dec-2019 by CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka RN SC CGC TKN & FC Starswift Fv Saga SC, br: Leonore Abordo, ow: Cindy Wolpin & Rick Wolpin
 Silkenswift Remember Me At Lorisart JC SC TKN (B) HP47532103, 22-Feb-2014 by CH Téine Dark Crystal RN JC SC CGCA CGCU RATN FCH & FC Silkenswift Bright Focus SC FCH, br: Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Lori Miller
 Silkenswift Time And Again At Lorisart JC RATN TKN (B) HP47532105, 22-Feb-2014 by CH Téine Dark Crystal RN JC SC CGCA CGCU RATN FCH & FC Silkenswift Bright Focus SC FCH, br: Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Lori

Miller & Bonnie Dalzell

Trick Dog Intermediate (TKI)

CH Barynja Of Ferlinka Von Alshmina BCAT CGCA CGCU TKI (B) HP49229302, 15-Sep-2014 by Of Golden-West Hearty Taifun & Rose Of Heaven Sokolow, br: Nadja Koschwitz, ow: Debra West
 Kansai'z Ferlinka Three Nines JC BCAT CGCA CGCU TKI (D) HP52990007, 15-Nov-2016 by CH Vasart Nagrazhday & CH Kansai'Z Windsheer K-C Playstation, br: Karen Murray & Leah Lanier & Kasey Parks, ow: Debra West & Karen Murray
 Mielikki The Spy That Loved Me TKI (D) HP59633606, 24-Feb-2020, by GCHG Mielikki Hinote Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC & CH Runtuff Téine New York's In Love, br: Renee McCartin, ow: Jamie Hein & Renee McCartin

Trick Dog Elite Performer (TKE)

Avalon Perlova Mhd Sweet Fire Of Love CGC TKE (B) HP57216905, 14-Dec-2018 by GCH Oxota RiverRun Tangmalangaloo Avalon RN JC CGCA CGCU TKN & CH Avalon Dolce Tigrecilla Willowind BN RE SC BCAT THDA CGCA CGCU TKI, br: Javier Ocasio, Leigh Paintin & Sandra Moore, ow: Sandi Taylor

Dock Novice (DN)

Starswift Legacy Of The Force RN SC BCAT THD DN CGCA TKA (D) HP54591502, 17-Oct-2017 by GCH DC Starswift Let Freedom Ring BN RE SC BCAT THDX CGCA FCH VFCH & CH Starswift Lightning Quick SC FCH, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Martine Burton & Josee Burton & Jamie Bobrowski §

BCOA 2020 Agility Rankings

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to September 30, 2020

Corrections to Chris Danker, hemlock@nycap.rr.com

Masters Standard 24"

MACH CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN		
CGCA CGCU TKA, Lou Avant and Colleen Allen	100	(6)

Masters Jumpers 24"

MACH CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN CGCA		
CGCU TKA, Lou Avant and Colleen Allen	100	(10)

Excellent Jumpers Preferred 20"

CH Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Enjoy The Journey RE BN NA NAJ NAP OJP JC, Christine and Paul Danker	100	(1)
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BCOA 2020 AKC Lure Coursing Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi through October 15, 2020

Submitted by Leonore Abordo, borzoi_oxota@yahoo.com

Rank	Name	Owner(s)Bowens
1	River DC Mielikki Calabria Riverrun Into Darkness SC	Ashley Sydow 27
2	Sky Aria Absinthe Spirit In The Sky	Linda Turner 22
2	Margot FC Avalon Perlova Ready Set Go SC	Linda Turner 22
4	Luna CH Jubilee Stonecreek Anisetta SC CA	Krista Hunt, DVM and C Gredys 20
4	Augustus CH Resolute's Augustus Mccrae Jedawn At Full Tilt SC CGC TKN	Ashley Sydow 20
6	Langley Zoiboyz Langley SC CGC TKN	KC Thompson & Tom Golcher 19
7	Jack Kinobi Jumpin' Jack Flash	Susanne Cecere and R. Peters-Campbell 15
8	Leisel Coburn Téine Riju Leisel SC SCN SIN SHDN	June Mintchell and A. Midgarden, DVM 14
8	Fireball Jedawn Zoiboyz Resolute Fireball SC	Dawn Hall and KC Thompson 14
10	Legacy FC Starswift Black Lightning's Legacy SC	Jamie Bobrowski 13

BCOA 2020 ASFA Lure Coursing Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi through September 30, 2020

Submitted by Leonore Abordo, borzoi_oxota@yahoo.com

Rank	Name	Owner(s).....Bowens
1	Tintaglia FC Chaya Sars The Black Ice Dragon "Tintaglia" @Ryhka FCh,SC	D. Darling 34
2	Rhayne FC C'Lestial Rainbow Room @ Ryhka LCM,SC	D. Darling 33
3	Langley Zoiboyz Langley FCh,CGC,TKN	KC Thompson & T. Golcher 25
3	Abbie Lynx The Abernathy Pearl FCh	R. Silguero & C. Judd 25
5	Quantuum Weston's Black Heart Of The Matter@Ryhka FCh	D. Darling 23
6	Sir Lancelot GCh,DC C'Lestial Red Lantern @ Ryhka LCM2,VLCM2,SORC2,LGX	D. Darling and L. Green 16
6	Dolly FC Gladkii Veter Coat Of Many Colors FCh, SC	R. Silguero & C. Judd 16
8	Zip Avalon Perlova Go Darkly LCM	S. Van de Water and S. Moore 13
9	Chase CH Del Sol Oxota Chase The Fire LCM DCh	S. Van de Water MD 12
10	Firebolt Ch Del Sol Firebolt of Coburn WNS LCM2,GRC	S. Van de Water 8
10	Fireball Jedawn Zoiboyz Resolute Fireball	D. Hall/KC Thompson/S Jimenez 8

BCOA 2020 LGRA Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, through November 1, 2020

Submitted by Dawn Hall, newfs4me@gmail.com

1	B-1853	Zadira	CH Avalon Keep On Dancing BCAT GRC Cecere	16.00
2	B-1880	Mason	Bibikov Thunderstruck Arcade Of Storms Yoesel/Yoesel/Wright	5.00
3	B-1832	Mischka	Avalon Krasavitsa Moya GRC Jackson	3.75
4	B-1711	Michael	Kirov Run Like Hell GRC Mills	3.00
5	B-1869	Wes	Jubilee Trust The Plan At Aldemoor Simmons-Gamble	3.00
6	B-1770	Dylan	CH Avalyn's Thunderstruck Eye Of The Storm Yoesel	2.00
7	B-1891	Eastleigh	Northern Tier City On Fire Wagner/Wagner/McCarting	2.00
8	B-1848	Freya	Built For Speed Imperial Yoesel	2.00
9	B-1753	Tango-BE	Islehaven Sentinel Beisswenger	2.00
10	B-1875	Fauna	Ravenna Fauna Fandango Dumaine	1.75

Open Bitch

1. **Best Opposite Sex/Winners Bitch** (5 points) Mariska of Suntan, Mr & Mrs W H Woodcock
2. **Reserve Winners Bitch** Oakshades Dona Blanca, J E & E Y Forry
3. Gratachka of Grador, D G & A E Sweet
4. Milka of Rancho Gabriel, J R Boyd

Best Of Breed Ch Walzoff Perchinoff, Mrs Martha L Taylor

Best Brace (and on to BIS Brace) Whirlaway of Sleeping Bear and Nikolai of Swan Lake, Jack Blanton

Stud Dog Ch Walzoff Perchinoff with 5 of his 8 month old pups, bred by Martha Taylor and Helen Colstad

Elected officers of the Borzoi Club of California, April 1959, president J E Forry, vice-president F E Butcher, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs M Cox, directors Mrs W H Woodcock and William Schreiber Jr.

The Borzoi Club of Northern California's first specialty show held October 25, 1959, in conjunction with the Sacramento kennel club all-breed show, judge Derek Rayne, 9 class dogs, 11 class bitches, 8 champions

Novice Dog

1. Mishka Maximilian, Irene Goluhev

American Bred Dog

1. **Winners Dog** (5 points) Gradean of Grador, Isabell Walton
2. **Reserve Winners Dog** Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel, W E & B L Thompson
3. Corps de Ballet Igor, Mr & Mrs K I Scharzt
4. Krilat of Rancho Gabriel, Mr & Mrs J M Frampton Jr

Open Dog

1. Llebas's Crescendo, William F & Frieda C Schrieber
2. Ramadan Cygene, C Aloishin
3. Llebas's Prelude, I V Walton
4. Mythe Grishka of Alpine, Mr & Mrs A Heldenbergh

American Bred Bitch

1. Llebas's Nocturne, Isabell V Walton
2. Corps De Ballet Patchka, R Lete
3. Kassatka of of Alpine, G Winters
4. Hera of Rancho Gabriel, N Warren & B E Sheldon

Open Bitch

1. **Best of Winners/Winners Bitch** (5 points) Llebas's Concerto, Isabell Walton
2. **Reserve Winners Bitch:** Milka of Rancho Gabriel, J R Boyd
3. Patrikevna of Alpine, Mr & Mrs J L Johnson
4. Gratachka of Grador, D G & A E Sweet.



Best Of Breed Ch Hollister of Ranch Gabriel (D), P & L Gillette (also Hound Group I).

Best Opposite Sex Ch Zvezda Petrovna of Alpine (B) , C Alioshin (also Best Local Borzoi) (Both BB and BOS pictured bottom left)

Other Champions shown for Best of Breed

Ch Yermak's Ekatrina (B), G. Pitcock

Ch Mythe Marova of Alpine (B), B. Potter

Ch Zlato O'River Ranch (D), D Bilodeau

Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine CD (B), P & L Gillette

Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD (D), P & L Gillette

Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine (B), P & L Gillette.

Stud dog 1. Ch Hollister of Ranch Gabriel, P & L Gillette

Brood Bitch 1. Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine, P & L Gillette

Brood Bitch 2. Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD, P & L Gillette

Best Brace: Ch Hollister of Ranch Gabriel and Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD

Best Team: Llebas's Prelude, Llebas's Concerto, Nocturne and Gradean of Grador

Officers of the Borzoi Club of Northern California: Secretary-Treasurer Phyllis Johnson

III. Borzoi Shown in 1959 (new titles, sire/dam/breeder/birth date when known)

New Conformation Champions

Ch Bronze Falcon of Woodhill (D) H688009 (title 10-1959) by Ch Black Falcon of Twin Elms H363656 (stud book 8-56) x Ch Tania of Ladoga H103370, owner N B Wood

Ch Corps De Ballet Maestro (D) H481542 (title 7-1959) (stud book 4-58) by Tsar Boly of D'Lisa H233445 x Corps de Ballet Sisone H311779 (stud book 8-55), owner L D Galloway

Ch Dutchie of Tam-Boer (D) H674986 December 6, 1956 (title 7-1959) by Vigow of Romanoff II H168556 x Lady Gretchen of Tam-Boer H438849 (stud book 10-55), breeders/owners Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer

Ch Falconette of Woodhill (B) H688011 (title 5-1959) by Ch Black Falcon of Twin Elms H363656 (stud book 8-56) x Ch Tania of Ladoga H103370, breeder/owner Nellis Hilsmier

Ch Hasi Murat of Suntan (D) H407969 (title 1-1959) (stud book 8-57) by Ch Mythe Mazeppa of Alpine H201840 x Ch Bellona of Rydens H29826 (English import), owner Marion Woodcock

Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel (D) (pictured) H710264 (title 2-1959) (stud book 12-58) by Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD H356617 (stud book 10-57) x Aida of Rancho Gabriel H496619 (stud book 10-57) breeder/owners L & P Gillette

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

CGC & TKE



Avalon Perlova MHD Sweet Fire of Love TKE CGC

Having Evie in my life has made the last year not only bearable but FUN! Thank you to her breeders and to her fabulous sire and dam for my funny, sweet and brilliant EVIE!

*Zharkov Quest For Fire ROM
BIF DC Avalon Victorian Pyre CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, TT, GRC, DT, RE, V-FCH, ROMX, VLAA
CH Khanzade Zharkov True Image FCh
SBIS NOHS BIS GCHB Oxota RiverRun Tangmalangaloo Avalon CGC, JC, RN, CGCA, CGCU, TKN
BIF, DC Aragorn's Barron GL Jedediah FCh, SC, GRC
BIF, DC Valinor's Circuit de Monaco at RiverRun CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, GRC, DT, V-FCH, RN,
Aragorn's Sandra Day OConner CC, CM

DC WindnSatin Ty Slezi of Zemny FCh, SC, SGRC
DC Avalon WNS Rising Sun FCh, SC, ORC, GRC, BN
Avalon Culloden Heather
LatAm CH, PanAm CH, PR GRCH, CH Avalon Dolce Tigrecilla Willowind BN, RE, SC, TKI
MBIF, DC SilkenSwift Blaze's Dark Fire SC, LCM7, GRC, ROM
Avalon Tigress in the Dark, FCh, SC, ROMX, GRC, V-FCH
FC Avalon Rumor of Angels CGC, FCh, MC, GRC, ROMX*

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Breeders

**Sandra Moore-Doby, AVALON
Leigh Paintin, PERLOVA
Javier Ocasio MHD**

Ch Little Joker of Tam-Boer (B) H633609, May 18, 1956 (title 7-1959), by Vigow of Romanoff II H168556 x Snow Witch of Romanoff H304138 (stud book 12-56), breeders/owners Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer (pictured)



Ch Llebasí's Sonata (B) H692139 (title 6-1959) by Ch Gotchina of Grador H276810 (stud book 4-56) x Ch Golupka of Alpine H277857 (stud book 4-56), owner Isabell Walton

Ch Mariska of Suntan (B) H407973 (title 6-1959) by Ch Mythe Mazeppa of Alpine H201840 x Ch Bellona of Rydens H29826 (English import), owner Marion Woodcock

Ch Med-O-Land's Petrova (B) H459896, December 15 1954 (title 3-1959) by Nananhal's Bistri H189202 x Zanoza of Topau H373739 (stud book 6-55), breeder Leslie G Kaufman, owner Burton Axe (pictured)

Ch Riuske of Woodhill (D) H688010 (title 10-1959) by Ch Black Falcon of Twin Elms H363656 (stud book 8-56) x Ch Tania of Ladoga H103370, owner N B Wood

Ch Trezor Alupka (B) H666098 (title 2-1959) by Ramadan Righ H497490 (stud book 6-57) x Ch Firebird of Malora H430091 (stud book 6-57), breeder R Everhart, owner Dr Charles Conally

Ch Trezor Boris (D) H674215 December 17, 1956 (title 2-1959) by Ch Winjones Janda H183045 x Ramadan Koraleva Chevry H503844 (stud book 6-57), breeder/owner R O Everhart

Ch Trezor Briansk (D) H674216 December 17, 1956 (title 11-1959) by Ch Winjones Janda H183045 x Ramadan Koraleva Chevry H503844 (stud book 5-57), breeder/owner R O Everhart

Ch Tzarina Borgia of Frontier (B) H579591 (title 7-1959) by Saiga of Grador H276812 (stud book 12-54) x Sovona of Frontier H393001 (stud book 8-56), owners Mr and Mrs G M Sohr

Ch Vigow of Tam-Boer (D) H705158 (title 11-1959) by CH Vigow of Romanoff III H626007 (stud book 10-57) x CH Elena of Tam-Boer H503111 (stud book 10-57), breeders/owners L & E Tamboer

Ch Warhill's Amber Roi (D) H747741 (title 11-1959) by CH Jaguar Jehan of Malora H460540 (stud book 2-57) x Kotias of Mettler Hobby Farm H274717 (stud book 12-56), breeders/owners Harry Ferguson & Bill Shepard

New Obedience titles (Companion Dog)

Dentons Matvey CD (D) H806010 April 4, 1958 (title 6-1959) by Ch Nicholas Siberius x Ch Lisa Denton breeder Mrs Lawrence Denton owner J H Gamber

Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine CD (B) H403524 (stud book 12-58) (title 5-59) owner P & L Gillette

Karenina of Twin Elms CD (B) H782744 (title earned Jan 1959) owner L S Filippo

Lady Tasha of Kamaroff CD (B) H864259 born 1958 (title 12-1959) a gold with silver shadings by Ch Rachmaninoff x Ch Mazar Zorka of Pavlov Crest, owner Mrs Roy W (Gladys) Dykstra

Ch Millrock's Bronze of Malora CD (D) (title 3-1959) owner I L Miller

Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD (D) H356617 (title 8-1959) owner L & P Gillette

List of Males

**won minor points in 1959, **won major points in 1959*

Abberfraws Tornado (D) J J Hayes

Ajaz of Baronoff (D) H696692 May 23, 1957 by Ch Rachmaninoff x Nijinsky of Baronoff owner Katherine F McCluskey

Alex of Tam Boer (D) H705165 March 28, 1957 by Vigow of Romanoff III x Ch Elena of Tam-Boer breeder/owner Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer

Alexis Jet Star of Malora (D) Mr & Mrs C T Jackson

Allens Black Dimitri (D) R K Allen

Amurat's Barnaigh Boy (D) Mrs A S Hobbs

Amurat's Kinjal (D) H863814 December 26, 1957 by Ch Amurat v Merdody x Haljean's Moonlight of Malora breeder Jeannette F Whisler owner Judith Freehafer

Amurat II of De Ray (D) H890263 December 26, 1957 by Ch Amurat v Merdody x Haljean's Moonlight of Malora breeder Jeannette F Whisler owner Fannie DeCraene

Ch Amurat v Merdody (D) H594632 May 28, 1951 by Ch Anselmi v Smoorenburg x Antje v Urbanshof breeder Frau Charlotte Merdody owner C R DeCraene

Ard Beths Blaze (D) E L & E J McEimeel

Barso The Great (D) R Frank

Black Boris of Woodhill (D) N B Wood

Black Toris of Woodhill (D) N B Wood

Bratislav of Twin Elms (D) Mr & Mrs G M Sohr

****Bronze Falcon of Woodhill (D) N Wood (multiple group placer)**

****Brown Falcon of Woodhill (D) H688009 by Ch Black Falcon of Twin Elms x Ch Tania of Ladoga, N B Wood**

Chuda of Alpine (D) Mrs G C Potter & C Aloishin

Colby of White Swan (D) June 21, 1957 by Djumber von

Bergland x Fandanga von Bergland breeder/owner White Swan Kennel

****Corps De Ballet Star (D) R Lete**

Corps De Ballet Petrouchka (D) R Lete

Corps De Ballet Allegro (D) R Lete

Corps De Ballet Encore (D) R Lete

Corps de Ballet Igor (D) Mr & Mrs K I Schartz



**Corps De Ballet Maestro (D) H481542 (stud book 4-58) by Tsar Bolyl of D'Lisita x Corps de Ballet Sisone, owner L D Galloway
 *Dani Boi of Rolling Meadows (D) Mrs J C Lindsey
 Delphi of Teck (D) H258667 April 24, 1952 by Ch Balvan O'Baron's Wood x Zarin v d Teck breeder Karl H Schmid owner Mrs Ellison D Thompson

*Dentons Matvey CD (D)
 April 4, 1958 by Ch Nicholas Siberius x Ch Lisa Denton breeder Mrs Lawrence Denton owner J H Gamber (pictured)



*Denton's Vanja (D) H806013
 April 4, 1958 by Nicholas Siberius x Ch Lisa Denton breeder/owner Mrs. Lawrence Denton

Dewsia Grador (D) C W Lortscher Jr
 Djumber von Bergland (D) June 3, 1954 by Ch Asmalady von Merdody x Ch Banjani von Bergland breeder Hanna Muller owners Mr and Mrs C R DeCraene Jr

**Dutchie of Tam-Boer (D) H674986 December 6, 1956 by Vigow of Romanoff II x Lady Gretchen of Tam-Boer breeder/owners Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer

*Elegance of Twin Elms (D) Mr & Mrs G M Sohr
 Fabian of Rancho Gabriel (D) Mr & Mrs S W Cox
 Ch Fast And Fair of Sleeping Bear (D) Mr & Mrs H Mackh
 Friendship Acres Décor (D) Mr & Mrs Mackh
 Golden Charm of Kashan (D) C E Anderson

*Gradean of Grador (D) I V Walton
 Ch Gotchina of Grador (D) D G Harris

*Gradoon of Grador (D) I V Walton

**Haljean's Beau Geste II (D) H517225 July 2, 1955 by Haljean's Beau Geste x Haljean's Starlight of Malora breeder Jeannette F Whisler owner Clarence R DeCraene Sr

Haljean's Count Chris (D) R Bralove
 Haljean's Mischa of Martov (D) J D Martz III

*Hasi Murat of Suntan (D) H407969 by Ch Mythe Mazeppa of Alpine x Ch Bellona of Rydens owner Marion Woodcock (group placer)

*Helios v Bergland (D) H908715 (import Germany) by Polongai Porchai Krasnoje Selo x Charis V Bismarckturm owner James Barr

*Hollister of Ranch Gabriel (D) H710264 by Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine CD x Aida of Rancho Gabriel breeder/owners L & P Gillette

*Hussar of Don (D) June 9, 1958 by Ch Amurat v Merdody x Laska of Romanoff breeder/owner Lydia A Suchoff

**Igor of Chiltern (D) E C Yasuna

Ilja V Bergland (D) J Barr

Jolly Josif of Finstock (D) J M Bolton

Krilat of Rancho Gabriel (D) Mr & Mrs J M Frampton Jr

**Kuban Kuzma (D) Mrs V Martinson (multiple group winner)

Le Marquis de Aiglon of Malora (D) H S Strickland

Llebasi's Crescendo (D) W F & F C Schrieber

Llebasi's Prelude (D) I Walton

**Llebasi's Sonata (D) I V Walton

Mikolai Po of Sunbarr (D) C W Miller

Ch Millrock Bronze of Malora CD (D) Iris L Miller (group winner and multiple group placer)

Mishka Maximilian (D) Irene Goluhev

*Mischa of Twin Elms (D) Mr & Mrs G Sohr

M'Temby Kahr of Malora (D) Dr & Mrs Vinikas

Mythe Grishka of Alpine (D) Mr & Mrs A Heldenbergh

Nadmen of Rancho Gabriel (D) S Orona

Ch Nicholas Siberius (D) H619531

June 2, 1956 by Vigow of Romanoff II x Alcyone Delves breeder Elizabeth Allison owner Mrs Grace J Dusenbury (group winner and group placer) (pictured)



Ch Nicky The Great of Tam-Boer (D) H633610 May 18, 1956

by Vigow of Romanoff II x Snow Witch of Romanoff breeders L & E Tamboer owner Jessie Hamersma

Nikolsk of Mettler Hobby Farm (D) Mrs V Wilson

Nikolai of Swan Lake (D) Mr & Mrs J W Blanton

Oakshades Don Diego (D) J E & E Y Forry

**Oakshades Don Paco of Marbob (D) H726117 June 10, 1957

by Ch Zonazo Perchinoff CD x Marbob's Toniscott of Malora CD breeder/owners James E & Elizabeth Y Forry

Pal Joey of Hansburg (D) R E Johnson

Peter Dark Star of Malora (D) Mr & Mrs C T Jackson

**Perchinof Gorki OZcerlov (D) W R Conness

Perchinoff Zagor OZcerlov (D) Mr & Mrs A Petker

Prince Igor of Malora (D) E F & E B Oneil

*Prometheus of Rancho Gabriel (D) H849740 by Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel x Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine CD breeders L & P Gillette owners W E & B L Thompson

Ch Rachmaninoff (D) H298873 November 27, 1951 by Nayan of Romanoff x Neuhoff's Roxanna of Millvale breeder/owners Weldon J and Katherine E. McCluskey

Ramadan Cygene (D) C Aloishin

**Riuske of Woodhill (D) H688010 by Ch Black Falcon of Twin Elms x Ch Tania of Ladoga owner N B Wood (group winner, multiple group placer)

Romneys Merlin of Malora (D) Mr & Mr F E Butcher

Saten of Kai Lyn (D) L Y Richmond

Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine (D) P & L Gillette

*Sundance of Malora (D) M A & D Thompson

*Swanlake Eric of Kashan (D) C E Anderson

Ch Taras Bulba of Suntan (D) J E & E Y Forry

*Tchaikofsky of Baronoff (D) M McCluskey

Teddy Bear of De Lee (D) F L DeCraene

*Tersai of Gwejon (D) H857930 by Barasha HHF of Gwejon x CH

Czarina HHF of Gwejon CD breeders/owners Mr & Mrs J M Pinette

Tien Shan of Twin Elms (D) E H Mayer

Tiran of Gwejon (D) Mr & Mrs Pinette

Ch Tobolskoide Krasnoje Selo (D) (import Holland) breeder Mr Van Der Molen owner C W Miller

*Tovarich of Wildatraum (D) June 9, 1958 by CH Amurat

v Merdody x Laska of Romanoff breeder Lydia A Suchoff
owner William Schlosser
Trezor Abrek (D) F Hammersmith
**Trezor Boris (D) H674215 by Ch Winjones Janda x Ramadan
Koraleva Chevry breeder/owner R O Everhart (multiple group
placer)
**Trezor Briansk (D) H674216 by Ch Winjones Janda x Ramadan
Koraleva Chevry breeder/owner R O Everhart (group placer)
Tschida of Bev Tra (D) B Traglio
Vala Rama Farms Figurehead (D) Dr & Mrs C H Conally
Vala Rama Farms Fountainhead (D) Dr & Mrs C H Conally
**Vigow of Tam-Boer (D) H705158 March 28, 1957 by Ch
Vigow of Romanoff III x Ch Elena of Tam Boer breeder/own-
ers Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer
Ch Vigow of Romanoff III (D) H626007 May 27, 1952 breeder
Romanoff Kennels by Vigow of Romanoff II x Baba Yaga of
Romanoff owner Lena S Tamboer
Vladimar of Rolling Meadows (D) Mrs J C Lindsay
*Vodka Abdou of Shore Acres (D) J Abdou
Ch Walzoff Perchinoff (D) born 1950 by Ch Rubles Perchino
x Ch Lady of Bolshoi breeder Charles Colstad owner Mrs
Martha L Taylor
**Warhills Amber Roi (D) H747741 July 25, 1957 by Ch Jaguar
Jehan of Malora x Kotlas of Mettler Hobby Farm breeders/
owners Harry M Ferguson and William W Shepard
** Warhills Gonchaya (D) H M Ferguson & W W Shepard
Warhills Razor Edge (D) Mrs Grace Conally
Whirlaway of Sleeping Bear (D) Mr & Mrs J W Blanton
Ch Yermaks Rurick (D) Mr &
Mrs S Cox (pictured)
Ch Zlato ORiver Ranch (D)
Mrs A N (Dixie) Bilodeau
(group 4)



List of Bitches

*won minor points in 1959

**won major points in 1959

Ananka of White Swan (B)
July 20, 1958 by Ch Black Falcon x Fandanga von Bergland
breeder/owner White Swan Kennel
Anastasia Markova De Redski (B) J A Rodriguez
Anastasia of Bev Tra (B) B Traglio
*Andrea Alexis (B) H619532 June 2, 1956 by Vigow of Romanoff
II x Alcyone Delvos breeder Elizabeth Allison owner Harriet
S Crane
*Aral of Alpine (B) A Goschke
Baby Doll of Tam Boer (B) December 6, 1956 by Vigow of
Romanoff II x Lady Gretchen of Tam Boer breeder/owners
Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer
**Barinoff Promise True (B) M M Taviner
*Bianca of Twin Elms (B) S Sohr
Biristava of Antar (B) R & C R Webb
**Bibsy of Tam-Boer (B) H705163 March 28, 1957 by Ch Vigow
of Romanoff x Ch Elena of Tam-Boer breeders Leonard and

Elizabeth Tamboer owner David Harmon
**Black Eye Susie of Tam Boer (B) W Gobeloff
Ch Bur Mars Larina of Suntan (B) L G & C H Calkins
Campaigners Alix (B) R Smith
Caprice of Sleeping Bear (B) P J Helmar
Catherine The Great of Kailyn (B) H898206 September 13, 1958
by Kai-Lyn's Morengo of Malora x Haljean's Gypsy of Kai-
Lyn breeder Lora Y Richmond owner Roy Maitland
Corps De Ballet Odette (B) R Lete
Corps De Ballet Patchka (B) R Lete
Countess Bruna of St Etienne (B) A M Ferguson
Countess Diana of St Etienne (B) A M Ferguson
Ch Czarina HHF of Gwejon CD (B) by Ch Kuzjani of Millvale x
Seiga of Hensey Hobby Farm owner Mr & Mrs John (Gwen)
Pinette
Dagmar (B) H S Semple
**De Craene's Liebhcin (B) H890264 December 26, 1957 by Ch
Amurat v Merdody x Haljean's Moonlight of Malora breeder
Jeannette F Whisler owner Clarence R DeCraene Sr
Dewsa Nadja (B) C W Lortscher Jr
Dinky of Tam Boer (B) L & E Tamboer
Donia of St Etienne (B) C Burnichon
Ch Elena of Tam Boer (B) L & E Tamboer
**Elmuer Zoi Tamihof (B) V B Elmer
Enchanting Zorina (B) R H Bromley
**Falconette of Woodhill (B) H688011 by Ch Black Falcon of Twin
Elms x Ch Tania of Ladoga breeder/owner Nellis Hilsmier
*Fleurette of Woodcourt (B) H639390 (import from England) by
Horst of Woodcourt x Nita of Rydens owner S Brewster
*Gradalinda of Grador (B) D G & A E Sweet
Gratachka of Grador (B) D G & A E Sweet
Gratina of Grador (B) I V Walton
*Grosa of Alpine (B) H275875 (stud book 9-59) by Ch Saturn
Petrovitch of Alpine x Ch Uda Adams owner Joe & C Wheeler
*Haljean's Gypsy of Kai-Lyn (B) H791198 March 14, 1957 by
Haljean's Duke Kasoss x Haljean's Moonlight of Malora
breeder Jeanette Whisler owner Lora Y Richmond
Haljean's Tiranka (B) H835906 June 29, 1958 by Dark Hazard
of Malora x Haljean's Mystery breeder Jeannette F Whisler
owner Evelyn R. Kahl
Hera of Rancho Gabriel (B) N Warren & B E Sheldon
*Hoheit v Bergland (B) J Barr
Inga of Finstock (B) J H Bolton
Jasnaja v Bergland (German inport) by Polongai Porchai Krasnoje
Selo x Palma Von Bergland breeder Zabel owner M M Cokefair
Jerels Amber Dawn (B) J A & E N Karrer
Karenina of Twin Elms CD (B) L S Filippo
Kassatka of Alpine (B) G Winters
*Kassatka of Rancho Gabriel (B) E & J Weaver
Kathryn of Macmait (B) R M Maitland
*Krasivia Mado of Tac Mar (B) M A Tachwell
Krilatka D Oregon (B) M Langlois
Lady Tasha of Kamaroff CD (B) H864259 by Ch Rachmaninoff x
Ch Mazar Zorka of Pavlov Crest owner Mrs Roy W (Gladys)
Dykstra
*Lebidiska of Rancho Gabriel (B) H714084 by Ch Yermak's





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Obedience & Rally: Shirley Spall

Sweepstakes Classes: Carol Kubiak-Zamora, Phaedra

AKC Lure Coursing & JC Tests: Katie Kaltenborn & Kirby Overcash

Futurity: To be determined

EVENTS

Sunday May 23: AKC lure coursing at Hisey Park in Waynesville, Ohio

Monday May 24: LGRA at Hisey Park; Obedience/ Rally practice at Roberts Center

Tuesday May 25: Obedience & Rally and Futurity at Roberts Center

Wednesday May 26: Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes, judge Carol Kubiak-Zamora, Health Clinics & Seminar

Thursday May 27: Triathlon, Altered, Regular Dog Classes, Health Clinics, Roaring 20s Borzoi Promenade - wear your top hats, zoot suits, feather boas & flapper dresses and walk all your Borzoi in a Borzoi promenade!

Friday May 28: Bitch Classes, Annual Meeting and Luncheon, Educational Seminars

Saturday May 29: Veteran Classes, Juniors, Best of Breed, Stud Dog & Brood Bitch, Awards Banquet

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Rurick x Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine owners E M & E E Dadun
 Lee T of Tam-Boer (B) H705164 March 28, 1957 by Ch Vigow of Romanoff III x Ch Elena of TamBoer breeders/owners: Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer
 Little Iodine of Tam Boer (B) Mrs F M Coray
 **Little Joker of Tam-Boer (B) H633609 May 18, 1956 by Vigow of Romanoff II x Snow Witch of Romanoff breeders/owners: Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer
 *Little Sweetheart of Tam Boer (B) L & E Tamboer
 Liza of Don (B) June 9, 1958 by Ch Amurat v Merdody x Laska of Romanoff breeder/owner: Lydia A Suchoff
 Llebas's Anna Pavlova (B) I Walton
 Llebas's Concerto (B) I V Walton
 Llebas's Nocturne (B) I V Walton
 Malenka Sirotko of Warhill (B) H M Ferguson & W W Shepard
 *Mariska of Suntan (B) by Eng Am Dan Ch Mythe Mazeppa of Alpine x Eng CH Bellona of Rydens breeders/owners Mr & Mrs Wm H Woodcock (group placer)
 *Marya of Malora (B) F H & J H Walters
 **Med-O-Land's Petrova (B) H459896 December 15, 1954 by Nananhal's Bistri x Zanoza of Topau breeder Leslie G Kaufman owner Burton Axe (group placer)
 Med O Land's Zorka (B) Burton Axe
 **Milka of Rancho Gabriel (B) July 1957 by Ch Yermak's Rurick x Ch Obvorozevat of Alpine owner J R Boyd
 *Moja Diewotzka Piatnica (B) Mrs J H Gamber
 Mysterious Bodiel of De Ray (B) H890265 June 29, 1958 by Dark Hazard of Malora x Haljean's Mystery breeder Jeannette F Whisler owner Fannie DeCraene
 Najka of Woodhill (B) Mrs E J Pion
 Natasha of Shore Acres (B) Mrs J P Adams
 Nichola Alida (B) R Geneslow
 *Oakshades Dona Blanca (B) J E & E Y Forry
 *Oakshades Dona Juno CD (B) J E & E Y Forry
 Oakshades Dona Ysabel (B) H726123 June 10, 1957 by Ch Zonazo Perchinoff CD x Marbob's Toniscott of Malora CD breeder/owners James E & Elizabeth Y Forry
 Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine (B) by Aragan of Alpine CD x Ch Uda Adams breeder Mrs Potter owner L & P Gillette (group placer)
 Patrikevena of Alpine (B) Mr & Mrs J L Johnson
 Perchinoff Ciadona OZcerlov (B) J A Legere
 **Perchinoff Zinaida OZcerlov (B) M L Taylor & R B Colstand
 Perchinoff Zanoza OZcerlov (B) A Kay
 Persephone of Rancho Gabriel (B) D & E G Johnston
 Prekrasneie Frankie of Tac Mac (B) M A & D Thompson
 Ch Princess Anya of Woodhill (B) N B Wood
 Romneys Black Magic of Malora (B) Mr & Mrs F E Butcher
 *Sascha of Baronoff (B) H876153 June 8, 1958 by Ch Rachmaninoff x Ch Mazar-Zorka of Parlov Crest breeder Robert G Beck owners Weldon J and Katherine E McCluskey
 *Sasha of Sharramoer (B) Mrs N D Coombs Jr
 Ch Sunday of Tamboer (B) H674989 December 6, 1956 by Vigow of Romanoff II x Lady Gretchen of Tamboer breeders Leonard and Elizabeth Tamboer owners Robert D and Joyce

Larsen
 Tamahlia of Fergovia (B) V L Smith
 *Tammy of Vala Rama Farms (B) Dr Conally
 Tamyra of Malora (B) E F & E B O'Neil
 Tasha of Tam Boer (B) L & E Tamboer
 The Golden Star of Malora (B) D Hartman
 **Trezor Alupka (B)
 H666098 by Ramadan Righ x Ch Firebird of Malora breeder R Everhart owner Dr Charles Conally (multiple group placer) (pictured)
 **Trezor Angela (B)
 H666097 by Ramadan Righ x Ch Fire Bird of Malora breeder/owner Russell O Everhart
 Troika of Woodhill (B) H688012 by Ch Black Falcon of Twin Elms x Ch Tania of Ladoga owner Nellie B Wood
 Twins Elms Talia of Pom Purr (B) Mrs D McFadyen
 *Tzarina Borgia of Frontier (B) H579591 by Saiga of Grador x Sovona of Frontier owners Mr and Mrs G M Sohr
 Ch Valia of Tam Boer (B) L & E Tamboer
 Vodka of Don (B) June 9, 1958 by Ch Amurat v Merdody x Laska of Romanoff breeder/owner Lydia A. Suchoff
 *Walhof Fraun (B) H478640 (stud book 10-57) by Vassily Czarowitz x Sophie breeder Louisa Kaufman owner C E Anderson
 *Walhof Tatiana (B) L Kauffmann
 Warhill Black Sapphire (B) H M Ferguson & W W Shepard
 **Warhills Myrthe of Malora (B) H M Ferguson & W W Shepard
 Warhills Mountain Topaz (B) C G Perry
 Warhills Silver Noir (B) R J Cooper
 Ch Yermaks Ekatrina (B) G V Pitcock
 Yermaks Zarya of Alpine (B) G Collins
 Yelsmorb Tamara (B) E M Bromley
 Yelsmorb Zronska (B) E M Bromley
 Zanoza of Topau (B) J V Smith
 *Zcerlovs Zoltka (B) M L Taylor.
 Ch Zvezda Petrovna of Alpine (B) C Alioshin



IV News (litters, Borzoi purchased, wins)

(from the Borzoi columns in the *AKC Gazette* written by Mrs Lawrence (Erma) Denton, BCOA Secretary-Treasurer and from the *Aristocrat* written by editor Gwen Pinette).

The C T Jacksons of New York have moved to California with 4 Borzoi, their striking brace of Malora males, Terry the white bitch of eastern breeding and the male Ch Kennelly's Nicholas Alexis.

Mr James Barr of Wisconsin imported Solo of Barnaigh, a white bitch with black markings and tan trim.

The R. Webbs of West Hartford CT welcomed Birstava of Antar, a Woodley bitch.

Mr & Mrs C Endicott of Grosse Pointe MI, have purchased Trezor Czarevna from the Everharts. Born August 16, 1958 the white female with dark markings is by Ch Jaguar Jehan of Malora x Trezor Angela.

A Bromley Borzoi has a new home with Mrs Elmuier of Albany. This white bitch has a flashy mixture of silver, black and gold markings.

Ch Llebasi's Sonata finished her championship in June. Her owner Isabell Walton, said that Sonata is the first to finish from the well-known "Symphony in Black and White" team.

The Gillettes of Rancho Gabriel are active obedience instructors. Their Solentse Onyat of Alpine CD got that degree several years ago. Their Ch Garsova Ivanova of Alpine got two CD legs before having a litter last fall, and is now back training along with Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine. Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine won BOB, Best Local Dog in Show and Group IV February 22, which is her 6th group placement. She is the grand dam of CH Hollister of Rancho Gabriel, who recently finished at 19 months of age. August 23, the Gillette's Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine and Ch Hollister of Rancho Gabriel had 5 males and 3 girls. All the males are golden. The bitches are one cream, one spotted and one white like her dam.

The Bernard D'Essens of New York City appeared on TV's "Person to Person" last December with their white Borzoi.

A picture film made in 1935, "The Great Ziegfeld" included 6 Borzoi in the Harriet Hector dance sequence. The Borzoi were owned by Mariette Gregory and Marion Woodcock. The 6 Borzoi worked in unison with Miss Hector and her chorus, without leash and moving position at certain musical beats. The girls danced around and even over the dogs without a break from any of them. The dogs included Show Champions and even a Racing Champion and Princess Natasha who broke the world's record for high hurdle racing over a 5/16 mile track, was among them.

Mrs Hanne Muller owner of Bergland kennels Germany died suddenly. The Bergland kennel was the largest in Germany since World War II.

Iris Miller's Al'louetta of Malora had 3 males and 4 females. Sire Ch Millrock's Bronze of Malora CD.

Isabell Walton took her Ch Melisande of Rancho Gabriel (BCOA BOS 1958) and her daughter Llebasi's Anna Pavlova (by Int Ch Yermak's Rurick, BCOA BOB 1957) to Las Vegas to appear in shows with Mae West.

In Canada, Mrs Audrey Laurie from Montreal, has her 9 months old bitch, Yelmorb Natasha of Sirhan, on her Sunday afternoon half hour TV program "Speaking of Pets". This is a CBC network production, covering all aspects in the field of animals.

At Rancho Suntan, Marion and Bill Woodcock now own 5 Borzoi, all champions. Ch Hasi Murat of Suntan and litter sister Ch Mariska of Suntan, finished in 1959. They also own litter sister Ch Malinki Kukia of Suntan. A litter brother owned by the Forreys is Ch Taras Bulba of Suntan.

On August 6, 1959, at Chicago, the *Dog World* Award of Distinction for outstanding Scores in Obedience, was presented to Denton's Matvey CD owned and handled by John Gamber of Harrisburg PA. This is the first time this award was given to a Borzoi. His scores for a CD were 197 ½, 196 ½ and 197. Matvey was 14 months old when he completed his CD from the Novice A class.

The Allison's Sylvia Carrara had 9 pups, June 25, 4 males, 5 females, sired by Denton's Prince Nicholas. 2 pure white, the rest dark gray and white, and brindle and white.

The Everharts Ramadan Koraleva Chevy and Ch Jaguar Jehan of Malora are parents of 6, one black male, one white male with dark markings, one white female with lemon ears, one female marked much like her sire and the other two females white with dark markings.

The Bromleys' Tamara whelped 7 pups on July 1 – five boys and two girls. They are white with black marks, black with white, and gray-orange.

Ch Bur Mar's Larina of Suntan had 6 males, 1 female on July 1. One red and white, one white with mahogany marks, the rest black and white. The sire is Marge and Sid Cox's Am & Mex Ch Yermak's Rurick. Sadly, Larina, who was born September 22, 1953, passed away of heart weakness on July 3, 1959.

A July litter of 3 pups was born to Grosa of Alpine, owned by Charlotte Wheeler of Stockton CA. Sire Alloshin of Alpine.

The Forrys of Topanga lost their Karloff of Perchinoff CD on the hottest day of the summer. He was the one who started the Forrys on all their club, show, obedience and breed activity. Karl was not quite nine.

Am CH Vigow of Romanoff III, owned by Leonard & Elizabeth Tamboer, completed a Bermuda championship in three shows in October, the first Borzoi to hold this title. He is the second Borzoi to hold championships in two countries. A November magazine honored two Borzois as top producers: Vigow of Romanoff II, owned by L. J. Murr, sired 12 champions and Lady Gretchen of Tamboer, owned by the Tamboers was the dam of eight champions. The Tamboer's litter have a litter sired by Ch Dutchie of Tamboer x Ch Little Joker of Tamboer, who is



the first bitch to win the Hound Group since 1952 in the USA.

The Award of Canine Distinction has been issued for Mr & Mrs John M Pinette's CH Czarina HHF of Gwejon CD as she won her Canadian CD in addition to her America degree in her first three trials with high scores. Ch Czarina HHF of Gwejon CD whelped a litter of 2 bitches (a self gray and a white with brown marks) and 1 self black male in November 1959, sired by Ch Jaguar Jehan of Malora. The dam and litter are featured in the November 1959 issue of Popular Dogs and will be in the new Visualizations of the Standards.

Mrs Olive Dewsbury, owner of Dewsa Kennels, Locust Hill Ontario, and one of our Canadian members in Ontario, wrote that her 4-year-old white and tan, Ch Bagatir of Frontier, had 9 group wins & placements in 12 shows. She has had 19 puppies. She is of American bloodlines, Saiga of Grador and Orsk of Mettler Hobby Farm. About 5 years ago, Mrs Dewsbury acquired Ch Dewsa Boreas Secunus, a descendant of the Paterson strain and a female from Mr Cunningham's Frontier kennels in Buffalo NY, and they had a litter.

Nov 21, 1959 Warhill kennels of Cincinnati OH, had 5 males and 3 females. Color ranges from pure white, to red, to brindle. Dam Myrthe of Malora. Sire Ch Warhills Amber Roi, a pale red, who finished at 29 months of age in 1959, and is the first champion bred by them. At 7 months, Roi took reserve at the MBC specialty. At 8 months he took reserve at the BCOA specialty and finished his Championship with two 3 point majors and one 4 point major.

The Woodhill kennels of Neillie Wood Hilsmier have 3 Borzoi champions this year, littermates Falconette, Riuske and Bronze Falcon of Woodhill. Bronze won BOB at the 1959 MBC specialty and Group 1. In May 1959, the matched blacks, Boris and Toris, took Best Hound Brace at Northeastern IN KC. Woodhill now has its 23rd champion.

October 1959, Grace Dusenbury owner of group winner, Ch Nicholas Siberius, reported that he got out the front door and was hit by a car, breaking a hind leg between the hip and the stifle. A steel pin was put it.

Grador kennels owned by Mrs Dorothy Sweet of Escondido CA has a litter by their Ch Gotchina of Grador x Ch Gradina of Grador, a concentration of Glenwild blood. The pups are white with black and white with brown markings.

Phyllis and Jim Johnson lost their prized Osip Petrovitch of Alpine CD this summer.

Mrs Helga Kauffmann, Westwood NJ, wrote that the Borzoi pictured on page 19 of the March issue of the *Ladies Home Journal* in the Mennen baby products advertisement is one from her Walhof kennel. Walhof Tatiana, owned by Miss Louisa Kauffmann chalked up two group placings in Mid-West shows in June.

Mrs Martha L Taylor is the owner of Ch Walzoff Perchinoff (Ch

Rubles Perchino x Ch Lady of Bolshoi). "Popeo" started his career at the Harbor Cities show in 1951, at 10 months of age, where he went from the Novice class to Best of Winners for five points. A month later he won his first Best of Breed at the Santa Barbara show. At 15 months, at his fourth show, he finished his title. Of 62 times shown,



he won 57 Best of Breeds and 7 group placings. During 1955, he was undefeated, winning the Borzoi Club of America Award with 23 points. He was retired for 3 years, then came out to win BOB at the June 20, 1959 BCOC specialty, and to win the Stud Dog class with five of his eight month old pups. "Popeo" was bred by Charles Colstad in 1950 when he mated Ch Lady of Bolshoi, of Romanoff and Adams bloodlines, to Ch Rubles Perchino, one of the last of the many fine Borzois bred by the late Miss Lois Kellogg from stock she obtained from the Valley Farm and Althea Farm kennels when she started her Perchino kennels in 1929. These Borzois are descendants of the old Russian Perchina Kennels of Grand Duke Nicholas and the Woronzova kennels of Artem Bolderoff, some 11 generations.

In the May 1959 *AKC Gazette*, Mrs Denton wrote: "Some former and present owners of famous Borzoi kennels met on April 29, in the Salon de Ligne at the Union Interalliee, Paris, France, to discuss the future of the breed and to give Oliver Perrin, publisher, an opportunity to meet owners of famous kennels in connection with a recently written book that records the historical background of the Borzoi. Mr Perrin has more than just a publisher's interest in the subject for Mrs Perrin's father, Mr Belokopytoff, once had a kennel of 200 Borzois. There were representatives or messages from the old Woronzova kennels of Russia founded in 1856, and owned by Mr and Mrs Artem Boldareff, the latter is one of the few ladies who used to ride with the Perchino Hunt, the Tangmere kennels and the Woodcourt kennels of England, the latter owners, Mr and Mrs Fred Curnow, flew from London to attend; the Bagdad kennels of Belgium; the Seacroft kennels of the United States; and several Borzoi owners now living in France, Col Stedman Shumway Hanks, the author of the book and Mrs Hanks represented the Seacroft kennels which imported the first Borzoi to America in 1890 from the Gatchina or Imperial kennels of the Czar. The book, we understand, relates primarily to Borzois in Europe and will be published in French first."

In her August 1959 *AKC Gazette* Borzoi column, Mrs Denton wrote that Mrs D W George, Hon. Secretary of the Borzoi Club, Dorset England, is BCOA's first overseas member. She bred her first Borzoi litter in 1929, has bred about 100 in all, including the first self black one to become a champion in England, Ch Archliles of Tangmere. Her Tangmere Kennels had to be dispersed at the onset of World War II; food for 50 Borzoi was almost impossible to obtain, the older ones were put away and the young ones placed with

“EVIE” IS: AVALON PERLOVA MHD SWEET FIRE OF LOVE, TKE, CGC



Borzoi folks are familiar with how versatile our breed is, but others may view our dogs as difficult to train. When I first began my Evie search, many people told me how impossible Borzoi training can be, with several of these comments coming from dog trainers. As I began to get to know the breed, I understood the training approach simply needed to be a bit different because of their brilliant, independent minds.

Evie had her first birthday December 14, 2019 and the pandemic took hold in early 2020, so as our shows, classes and visits were canceled, I realized we needed to focus on something positive, so we began to work on light-hearted trick training.

I love all things Harry Potter and an idea began to form in the spring about entering the AKC Trick Dog Extravaganza competition for 2020. Like everything we teach our dogs (and our kids) we start with small tasks or behaviors. For instance, to teach Evie to use the remote control for the Gringotts car, she needed to target the button on top

of the remote with her foot to operate it, then we had to work on the amount of time and pressure she applied to that button so that it didn't zoom across the room. The extra challenge with this one is that she learned cause and effect: her foot on the button made the car move, which, of course, she wanted to chase! Evie also needed to learn to pick up the bag of money and deliver it to my hand.

The sequence is actually taught backwards and becomes a behavior chain. So for that one trick Evie, presses the button, moves to the car, picks up the bag, carries and delivers the bag to me.

Teaching her the sequence of the tricks was actually the easiest part. We broke the sequence down into three tricks and then added another two for a few days before adding another two, etc. Before long she anticipated which trick came next and we moved ahead. For instance, after she digs at King's Cross Station, she turns and runs toward Platform 9 3/4 and then to the Hogwarts Express, all with no direction from me. I think these skills may come in handy in agility. 😊

In late September, we submitted Evie's Magical Dream video to AKC. In December, we were notified that Evie was one of two semi-finalists! The winner was a Border Collie and the other semi-finalist, a Golden named Gryff, was last year's winner.



Our entry also won First Place for Set Design.

We are looking forward to rally, agility and conformation in 2021. Evie and I hope her video makes you smile.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vqUWwhpam5U&feature=youtu.be>

(Editor's note: You MUST WATCH!! This video is wonderful. Helen)



friends. Now, with a pair of Borzois, Mrs George hopes to breed them, and once more use the knowledge she acquired from such eminent authorities as the late Duchess of Newcastle, Mrs Vlasto, Miss E Robinson of Mythe fame, the late Mrs Ruth Huth, and Mrs K McNeil of the Barnaigh kennels in Scotland.

Mrs Denton also wrote: "Word was just received that Kolchak III (Ch Saturn Petrovitch of Alpine) the mascot presented to the 27th U S Infantry Regiment (The Wolfhounds) by the breeder Mrs G Clifton Potter, Stockton CA, died last year. Kolchak II made long trip to his new home in Honolulu several years ago in answer to a plea from the famous regiment for another Borzoi to replace Kolchak I and Kolchak II as mascot. Sgt Hugh F O'Reilly wrote that this friendly and intelligent Borzoi was dearly loved by every member of the 27th and is sadly missed."

V. BCOA Board minutes (summaries), BCOA membership

BCOA annual membership meeting Feb 9, 1959 at the Hotel Piccadilly, New York City (after the Westminster show). Present W J McCluskey, Mrs Groshans, Mrs Tamboer, Miss Hamersma, Colonel Hanks, C R De Craene Sr., Terry De Craene, Ray De Craene, Mrs Suchoff, Mrs Dusenbury, Mr Adee, and Mrs Denton. Votes for officers were counted: president . C R De Craene Sr., 33 votes (4 candidates), 1st VP Mrs Phydella Gillette 40 votes (5 candidates), 2nd VP Mrs Grace J Dusenbury 38 votes (5 candidates), delegate to AKC Chester Adee 41 votes (2 candidates), Secretary-Treasurer Mrs Lawrence Denton 38 votes (4 candidates), and for the four Board of Governors (Colonel Stedman Hanks 39 votes, Miss Harriet Crane 36 votes, Mrs Terry De Craene 36 votes, W J McCluskey 35 votes (10 candidates). Treasury balance \$1599.13. (AKC dues were \$30.00). Approved for 1959, Sterling Silver Trophies for Annual Awards for BOB, BOS and Best American Bred. Must be BCOA members to win these awards. Rules: The Best of Breed award to dog or bitch accumulating the greatest number of AKC points by winning Best of Breed. If the dog or bitch is already a champion, will be credited with the number of points it would have won had it been entered in a regular class. The BOS award to dog or bitch accumulating the greatest number of AKC points by winning Best of Opposite Sex only. If the dog or bitch is already a champion, will be credited with the number of points it would have won had it been entered in a regular class. Best American Bred Class Trophy to the dog or bitch, placing first in the American Bred class the greatest number of times. In case of a tie, championship points acquired by virtue of these awards during this year will determine the winner. The AKC approved these rules.

Board meeting, April 4, 1959 at the home of Miss Harriet Crane, Montclair NJ. Officers present: president C R DeCraene Sr., Second Vice-President Mrs Grace J Dusenbury, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs Lawrence Denton, Miss Harriet Crane, Mrs Ray (Terry) DeCraene and Weldon J McCluskey. Bench show chairperson Terry DeCraene reported on the 1959 specialty to be held May 23, 1959.

Board meeting, June 7, 1959, at the home of Colonel and Mrs Hanks. BCOA officers present: president C R DeCraene Sr., Second Vice-President Mrs Grace J Dusenbury, delegate to AKC Chester Adee, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs Lawrence Denton, Colonel Stedman Hanks, Miss Harriet Crane, Mrs Ray (Terry) DeCraene and Weldon J McCluskey. Treasury balance \$1588.50. Motion passed to accept the donation of an obedience trophy to be added to the annual awards. Reports given on the May 1959 specialty. Motion passed to hold the 1960 specialty with the Monmouth County club in May 1960.

Board Meeting September 25, 1959 at the offices of the American Kennel Club, New York City. BCOA officers present: president C R DeCraene Sr., Second Vice-President Mrs Grace J Dusenbury, delegate to AKC Chester Adee, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs Lawrence Denton, Colonel Stedman Hanks, Miss Harriet Crane, Mrs Ray (Terry) DeCraene and Weldon J McCluskey. Treasury balance \$1620.51. Motion passed to move the Life Membership funds from the special account to the general fund. The Monmouth County kennel club has hired Mrs Statter Day (from the list of judges voted on by the BCOA members) to judge the Borzoi classes at their May 28, 1960 show, which will be the BCOA specialty. The officers met with Mr Neff, executive vice-president of the AKC to discuss the proposed new BCOA Constitution and By-Laws, how to meet the AKC requirements and how to have the BCOA membership vote on the proposed Constitution.

November 30, 1959 board meeting at the Hotel Piccadilly New York City. BCOA members present: president C R DeCraene Sr., Mr W Woodley, Mr L J Murr, Mr & Mrs R DeCraene Jr., Mr & Mrs L Tamboer, Miss L Tamboer, Miss L Suchoff, Mr W W Schlosser and Miss J Hamersma. Due to the absence of secretary Mrs Denton, Mr DeCraene Sr., appointed Mrs J Hamersma to be acting secretary. Discussion of raising dues for a man and wife membership from \$7.50 to \$10.00. Discussion of printing a new Borzoi Booklet, since none have been printed since 1929. Discussion of holding a membership meeting after the annual specialty.

December 1, 1959, board meeting at the office of Mrs Grace Dusenbury, Newark NJ. BCOA officers present: Second Vice-President Mrs Grace J Dusenbury, delegate to AKC Chester Adee, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs Lawrence Denton, Miss Harriet Crane, and Weldon J McCluskey. Purpose of this meeting, was to count the ballots for the new Constitution and By-Laws. Of the 87 BCOA members, 50 ballots were received with 48 voting to approve. (On December 4, the AKC approved the new Constitution and By-Laws).

1959 BCOA Members

Chester Adee, New York NY
Mr & Mrs Henry Allison, Delaware NJ
Miss Katherine Ames, Philadelphia PA
Mr Ian Anderson, Kitwe, Northern Rhodesia
Burton Axe, Philadelphia PA
James Barr, Thiensville WI
Mrs A N Bilodeau, Madera CA
Donald Bovaird, Bradford PA

A NEW PHASE OF THE BORZOI ARRHYTHMIA PROJECT CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3

by the Borzoi Health and Welfare Foundation. A pathologist at Penn State specializes in cardiac pathology and the BHWF is currently in discussion to facilitate procedures for individuals to submit hearts of Borzoi who have died of sudden death for evaluation. As a part of this investigation, the pathologist may also request normal Borzoi hearts for examination to establish baseline measurements. The reason for this initiative is driven by discussions Danielle Steenkamp, DVM has had with various breeders and owners who have had dogs die from what was described as hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM). In fact, this initiative is named after a Borzoi that recently died from HCM, Valentine's Fund.

Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM) is a disease of the cardiac muscle where the muscle wall of the large pumping chambers become thick and stiff, reducing the heart's ability to move blood through the body and the lungs. Just as in dilated cardiomyopathy, the changes to the cardiac muscle can cause arrhythmias that can lead to sudden death. Borzoi health is very grateful to those peo-

ple who have shared necropsy reports with Danielle Steenkamp on their Borzoi with postmortem diagnoses of HCM. In dogs, HCM is considered to be a very rare diagnosis. However, there is a possibility that this cardiac disease may be more common in our breed. Therefore, the postmortem examination of Borzoi hearts has become important. Watch for more information on this initiative at <https://borzoihealth.org>.

I want to stress to every person reading this article that members of the Borzoi fancy have a great deal to be proud of. The amount of people willing to Holter their dogs and share the results has been outstanding. Doctors Meurs and Gelzer have been extremely impressed by the number of submissions. This level of participation will help us with this investigation as it progresses, but it will also help us in the future as we work on other health problems that are of interest to Borzoi owners and breeders. Borzoi breeders definitely show their dedication to all aspects of our breed. Thank you. §

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