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AKC Meet the Breeds 2021

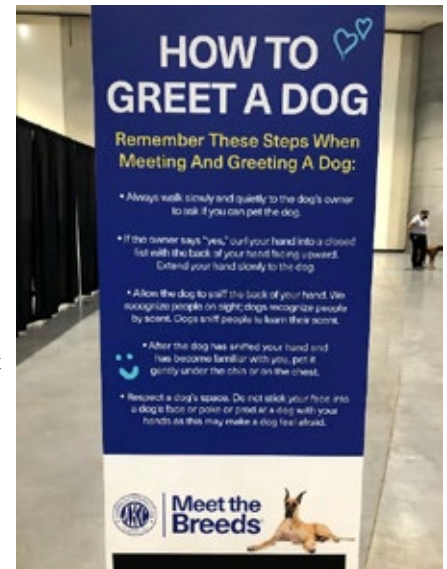
Submitted by Tomomi Mikawa

It was an honor and a great pleasure to represent our beloved breed at this year's AKC Meet the Breeds ("MTB") that was held at the San Diego Convention Center on August 14th and 15th. As BCOA members were informed at the May Annual Meeting in Ohio, AKC had originally planned to have a tour during the months of August through November, visiting a total of eight cities across the US, including Dallas, Philadelphia and Tampa. It seemed to be a bold move for AKC as there had only been two MTB events annually in the previous years (New York City and Orlando). I am sure volunteers in other regions were just as excited about this year's events in their respective cities as we were in Southern California; however, the entire tour was cancelled due to the COVID-19 Delta surge following the inaugural event in San Diego.

With that said, I am so happy to report that the San Diego event went very well. We were in the middle of hearing news reports of rising infection rates in the U.S. and anxious that our event might be cancelled at the last minute, or that it might not draw many visitors even if it did take place. Despite the minimal promotion, AKC informed us that five to six thousand visitors showed up and enjoyed meeting nearly a hundred different breeds. The convention center was very spacious and the

well-planned layout made it friendly for socially distanced interaction. Following all federal and local health and safety protocols in place at the time, everyone wore masks. We felt pretty safe.

They had an exhibitor-only lounge where volunteers and staff could have complimentary lunch and/or take a coffee break. There was a designated area just outside the hall where



our dogs could have potty breaks. From the demo ring and souvenir shops to the VIP section, visitors, especially families with children, were able to experience memorable encounters with purebred dogs that many said they had never seen or heard about before.

We received many compliments and excellent feedback on our booth. Hundreds of people

enjoyed meeting our wonderful Borzoi ambassadors. We brought a total of ten Borzoi of ages between seven months and seven years, and in different colors; eight of them covered our 10'x30' booth on Saturday and seven on Sunday. It was really a splendid demonstration of team work and I thank the following volunteers who joined me in helping out and actively engaging in conversations with everyone who visited our booth:

- Randi Chylinski with her puppy Ziggy
- Sanny Pan and Elaine with Max, Neptune, Bugatti, and May May
- Joy and Scott Sargis with Blaze
- Mary Ann Montgomery and Alex with Spirit and Brenja

Ziggy, Spirit, Brenja, Max, Neptune, Bugatti, Blaze, May May, and my girls, Viola and Lavinia, are all impeccable ambassadors and made us owners very proud! Visitors commented that our booth was approachable and welcoming, which was my pri-



Lavinia and Ziggy – they were extremely patient, affectionate and happy with visitors. Some kept coming back and would not leave our booth!!

BCOA 2021 Conformation Statistics

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to September 30, 2021

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	7306
2 GCHB CH Soyara's Devilish Delilah	P Hlatky/G Hlatky	F	6219
3 GCHS CH Korsakov's Wild Sweet Love At White Sage CGC	M White	M	755
4 GCH CH Crown Jewel Katarina Of Majenkir	J Durdin	F	590
5 GCHB CH Coburn Téine Riju Leisel SC SCN SIN SHDN	A Midgarden	F	533
6 GCH CH Svora's White Stag	S McFadden	M	427
7 GCHG CH Majenkir Thunderstruck White Storm Rising	M Yoesel/M Yoesel/L Holberg	M	340
8 GCHB CH Korsakov Love A Mystery At Lost Key SC DCAT RATN CGC TKP	R Robins	M	333
9 GCHS CH Del Sol Oxota Fire And Ice	S Van De Water	F	261
10 GCH CH Morozova Rey's Summerlane Wind Rider	K Novotny/A Quinn/J Adams	M	255

Breed Standings

1 GCHB CH Soyara's Devilish Delilah	P Hlatky/G Hlatky	F	853
2 GCHS CH Majenkir Bookstor Spellbinder	K Staudt-Cartabona/K Spey/H Spey	M	344
3 GCHS CH Korsakov's Wild Sweet Love At White Sage CGC	M White	M	197
4 GCH CH Coburn Téine Riju Leisel SC SCN SIN SHDN	A Midgarden	F	190
5 GCH CH Morozova Rey's Summerlane Wind Rider	K Novotny/A Quinn/J Adams	M	118
6 GCHB CH Kyrov's Sword Dance	A Sorbie/R Fundom	M	95
7 GCHB CH Korsakov Love A Mystery At Lost Key SC DCAT RATN CGC TKP ...	R Robins	M	86
8 GCH CH Jubilee Sambuca Seven	C Gredys	M	85
9 GCH CH Crown Jewel Katarina Of Majenkir	J Durdin	F	85
10 GCH CH Krasivi Volga	Y Dixon/L Schultz	M	83

Registry of Merit Certificates awarded in 2021

Submitted by KC Artley

Sire:

Ch Aldemoor Citation SC CGC ROM

GCH Golightly Rosa Vetrov Eirwen ROM-C

CH Oronzova Virshina Play With Fire CD JC FCH CGC AXJ MX ROM-C.

GCHB DC Sylvan Pimlico CDX BN RE SC BCAT CGCA CGCU TKN ROM-C

GCH DC Windrift Tahoe Chances Are SC FCH ROMX-C (from a ROM-C)

Dams:

DC Imagine Chryseis Of Troy BN RI SC CGC ROM-C

GCHB Soyara's Karmen Fantasy ROM-C

GCHB Sylvan Elance Summertime's Limelight ROM-C

GCH Starswift Lightning Quick SC FCH ROM

DC Téine Rainbow Glacier SC RN FCH ROMX

GCH Windrift Need You Tonight JC ROM-C

mary goal. Special thanks go to puppy Ziggy, who had amazing stamina and patience with all visitors, and her owner, Randi, both of whom worked two full days with us. A heartfelt thank you to Sunny, who drove back and forth both days and brought her four beautiful Borzoi.

It was just a pure joy to witness big smiles on so many people's faces as they petted and cuddled our ambassadors, saying, "Didn't know their coat is so soft!" or "We had never seen one before – thank you for bringing them!" Many asked about what their temperament is like, how much exercise they might require, and so forth. These are all important questions to ask and consider before any serious prospect owner decides to own one.

I am so thankful to AKC and to our parent club for this precious opportunity to educate the public on our special breed and to promote responsible pet ownership. I truly hope that the tour will resume safely in 2022 and will continue for many years to come.

We only had to bring our dogs and portable educational materials/handouts as AKC provided dramatic photos, tables and folding chairs. We added more for decoration, including:



BCOA Centennial plate and photos of the drill, ribbons and rosettes, AKC CH certificates, challenge trophy, stuffed animals, Visualization of Borzoi (great material to show colors), old ads, standard, website links to BCOA/BCOC/NBRF, puppy photos, old Borzoi Connection issues, sets of nesting eggs from Russia, slip lead, etc.



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From Affenpinschers to the Yorkshire Terrier and everything in between, AKC Meet the Breeds® gives pet lovers the unique opportunity to meet and play with more than 150 different dog and cat breeds in booths individually decorated to depict each breed's country of origin, historical purpose/function, and attributes as a family pet, all while learning about responsible pet ownership and which breeds may be right for them.

www.akc.org/sports/akc-meet-the-breeds/



I've been re-doing all the National Specialty result pages, including photos of ALL the placements instead of just the first-place ones as in the original PDFs.

Please take a few minutes to see if you have any of the missing photos from 1928 to 2017 and send them to

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New Title Holders published to October 2021

Submitted by K.C. Artley, kcartley@earthlink.net

The following data is provided electronically by the AKC to BCOA. After formatting the file and removing the owner's address, I add the ROM titles, and the titles for the organizations that BCOA recognizes (ASFA, LGRA, etc) from those organizations' websites. Format for the Aristocrat is Name, Sex, Registration number, Date of Birth, Color, Sire, Dam, Breeder, Owner, Date title finished. The AKC started providing the Stud Book date with New Titles file received in October 2021.

Conformation Champion (CH)

CH Agust's Wild In The Country (D)

HP58337303, 02-Aug-2019, Red, by Valeska A Thousand Kisses Deep & CH Agust's Crystal Pyramid CD BN SC BCAT CGCU TKI, br/ow: Marie Alice Agun, 18-Sep-2021

CH Avalon Perlova Mhd Bad Case Of Lovin You JC (B) HP57216903, 14-Dec-2018, Sable Gold, by GCHB 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: Emily Killian, 17-Sep-2021

CH Bella Luna Total Eclipse Of The Moon (B) HP55648403, 03-May-2018, Gold, by GCHB CH Laureate Higgs Boson & CH Adrienne Bella Luna Once In A Lifetime JC, br/ow: Elizabeth A Moon, 16-Aug-2021

CH Bibikov's Queen Of Storms At Thunderstruck (B) HP55918503, 25-May-2018, Apricot, by CH Majenkir Full Circle & CH Bibikov's Little Miss Independence, br: Frances Wright, ow: Frances Wright & Marie Yoesel & Mark Yoesel, 18-Sep-2021

CH Borzkas Accelerate JC (D) HP54712401, 10-Apr-2017, Brindle, stud book 1-Dec-2021, by Lynx Ray Of Shine & Justso Hippo At Hell's Gate, br: Ande Uvaag, ow: Rebecca Neal & Sandra Moore, 16-Sep-2021

CH Cavallierik Lily Silver Frost (B) HP56421503, 04-Dec-2017, White, by Gordets Cavallierik Mraja & Ksar Christmas Song At Cavallierik, br: Olga Barkovskaya, ow: Susan Pennington & J Randel Tinchler, 27-Aug-2021

CH Cavallierik Ostozhenka (B) HP57527701, 22-Aug-2018, Red, by Patriarshie Prudy Rimskij-Korsakov & Pugovka, br: O D Barkovskaya, ow: Lois Hough & Anna Marie Calabrese, 12-Aug-2021

CH Chrysalis Thief Of Hearts (D) HP57859002, 13-Apr-2019, Black & Tan, by GCH Estet Classic Yarolik At Chrysalis & GCH Chrysalis The Call Of Wings BN CD, br/ow: Pamela J Leitchnam, 15-Aug-2021

CH Crown Jewel Alexei Of Majenkir (D) HP59623102, 18-Mar-2020, White, by GCH Majenkir Bookstor Tsuper Glider & GCHG Crown Jewel Valentina Of Majenkir CA, br: Jean Durdin, ow: Wendy Wilkinson & Jean W Durdin, 14-Aug-2021

CH Crown Jewel Atticus Of Majenkir (D) HP59623101, 18-Mar-2020, White, by GCH Majenkir Bookstor Tsuper Glider & GCHG Crown Jewel Valentina Of Majenkir CA, br/ow: Jean Durdin, 25-Sep-2021

CH Dunroving Axl Rose Melockoff (D) HP57235305, 04-Dec-2018, Red, by GCH Windrift Wild Accusations JC & GCH Phaedra Ushara DE CGC, br: Corissa Fanning, ow: Gale Snoddy, 19-Aug-2021

CH Echovesna's Master Of The Universe (D) HP56342801, 19-Jul-2018, Red, by Am/Can CH P O S H Echovesna's Islaev ROMX-C & GCHS Echovesna's Keeper Of The Flame, br: Harriet Goldner, ow: Sharon Johnson, 19-Sep-2021

CH Esperance Ellen's Eternity At Fairyland (B) HP58477903, 16-Aug-2019, White, by GCH Majenkir Bookstor Tsuper Glider & GCHB Ellen's Estee Lauder SC, br: Tomomi Mikawa & Ellen Hall, ow: Qingyu Pan, 28-Aug-2021

CH Glacier's Taste The Rainbow BCAT TKN (B) HP55862503, 30-Apr-2018, Silver Sable, by CH Elance Master And Commander & CH Glacier's Dream Within A Dream, br: Lisa & Allan Durand, ow: Lila Holberg & Lisa Durand, 07-Aug-2021

CH Highgarden Sword In The Stone At River Bend (D) HP54990103, 03-Feb-2018, Sable Red, by CH Highgarden Téine Simply Fabergé JC & CH Katz Kamikaze JC, br: Amy Sikula, ow: Marilyn Kivela, 26-Aug-2021

CH Howff Carbonel Firefly At Akanni (B) HP54038302, 13-Apr-2017, Black & Tan, by GCH Akanni's Prince Madoc Howff Carbonel & GCHB DC Avalon Oxota Cinquedeas SC FCH, br: Leigh & Vicki Littleton, ow: Amy Balthrop & Vicki Littleton & Amy Sikula, 08-Aug-2021

CH Islehaven Blakely (D) HP51081908, 04-Apr-2016, Sable Gold, by GCH Islehaven Camano & GCH Laureate Perchance To Dream At Islehaven, br/ow: Phyllis Potter, 11-Sep-2021

CH Kazar Zafir (D) HP59414001, 10-Sep-2019,

Gold, by Tarijemiran Hidalgo & Stravi She Sells Sanctuary, br: Ole Terje Hovland & Ness Hovland & Erik Nils, ow: Elaine Misko, 25-Sep-2021

CH Ksar Makara At Raynbo (B) HP58485806, 27-Jul-2019, Silver Brindle, by CH Raynbo's Gallant Fox & CH Ksar Mary Christmas, br: Susan Pennington, ow: Jennifer Zucker & Susan Pennington, 09-Sep-2021

CH Laureate Cot In The Act (D) HP51860404, 10-Aug-2016, Black & Tan, by GCH Laureate Party Of Two JC & CH Laureate Hutton Unconformity, br: Monica Barry, ow: Pascale Smith, 28-Aug-2021

CH Maskova's Winters White Rose (B) HP51551501, 24-Jun-2016, White, by CH Maskova's Masquerade At Dukemans & GCH Raynbo's Moonstone Rose At Maskova, br/ow: Elisabeth & James Szymanski, 05-Sep-2021

CH Mielikki Atomic Blonde TKN (B) HP59633601, 24-Feb-2020, Red Brindle, by GCHG Mielikki Hinote Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC & CH Runtuff Téine New York's In Love GRC, br/ow: Renee McCartin, 28-Aug-2021

CH Oronzova Gallifrey At Dendy (D) HP57078504, 02-Dec-2018, Red, by CH Oronzova Virshina Play With Fire CD JC MX AXJ CGC FCH ROM-C & GCH Oronzova Steppes Solar Fire RN SC CGC TKN, br: Suzanne & Ron Deghi, ow: Maggie & Joe Michael & Suzanne Deghi, 15-Aug-2021

CH Oxota Riverrun Khatanga Runtuff RN JC TKN (B) HP51959702, 27-Jun-2016, Black & Tan, by Aureus Archernar SC & GCH DC Oxota Avalon Switchblade RN SC CGC TKN FCH ROM, br: Karla Smith & Kristen Suhrenbrock & Leonore Abordo, ow: Leonore Abordo & Karla Smith, 19-Sep-2021

CH Raynbo Dancella Mystere Tsplash Of A Rose (D) HP59792604, 07-Nov-2019, Cream, by CH Naletai Sokolow & GCHS Raynbo Dancella Primrose, br/ow: Jennifer Zucker & Theresa Euser & Linda Barad, 18-Sep-2021

CH Sedona Legacy Of The Rising Sun (D) HP50712806, 08-Oct-2015, Silver Sable, by GCHS Avatar Sedona Evermore & CH Sedona Deja La Meilleure, br: Tamara Carey, ow: Becky Ranger & Tamara Carey, 30-Sep-2021

CH Steppes Effervescent Spirit (B) HP54659709, 20-Oct-2017, Black & Brindle, by Aashtoria's Striped In Platinum & CH Steppes Dark Side Of The Moon, br/ow: Monika Stachon & Robin Stachon, 15-Aug-2021

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

CHAMPION



Ch. Symar Tell It To The Marines

Gunner finished his championship handled by his favorite Junior Handler Audrey Boyer. They will be seen in the Breed and Jr's rings around Northern California. CHIC # 163859, Holter on file, full dentition.

<i>Donskoi Vigow</i>	<i>Donskoi Chudak</i>
<i>GChB Estet Classic Tihomir</i>	<i>Manitias Violet</i>
<i>Estet Classic Monisto</i>	<i>Of Golden West Hearty Taifun</i>
	<i>Estet Classic Baronessa</i>
	<i>Ch Sunburst Victory</i>
<i>Sunburst Die Fledermaus Prince</i>	<i>Ch Sunburst Syskiou at Rushwind JC</i>
<i>GCh Sunburst Elicit Dream JC</i>	<i>Ch Chataqua's Valimir of Kyrov SC ROMX-C</i>
	<i>DC Sunburst Halston at Thistledown SC</i>
	<i>Ch Sunburst Amazingrace Troybhiko</i>

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CH Summerlane's Silver Maple@Topflight Khanzade (B) HP50363904, 27-Sep-2015, Silver Brindle, stud book 01-May-2021, by GCH Elance Summerlane Tigerwing JC & CH Horse And Hound L'Aquila Radost, br: Anne Quinn & Lynda Cattoni Sarman, ow: Suzanne Newsom & Katrina Averill & Beverly Bingham, 18-Sep-2021

CH Sunburst Katz Red River Dancer (B) HP49855802, 19-Aug-2015, White, by CH Katz Golden Haze & Sunburst Dream Dancer, br: Garnett Thompson, ow: Mavis Miner & Ryan Miner, 22-Aug-2021

CH Sunburst Symar Paladin JC (D) HP54200202, 08-Aug-2017, Black & Brindle, by GCH Oxota Avalon Halberd SC LCM CGC & CH Sunburst Ellicit Dream JC, br: Sydney Burnside & Mark Burnside & Garnett Thompson, ow: Chris Moyer & Kelly Brunarski, 20-Aug-2021.

CH Svershin's Zalanía SC CA (B) HP53350401, 26-Apr-2017, Gold, by CH Maskova's Heart Of The Rose Svershin JC & GCH DC Svershin Twin Elms Anzhelina SC CA, br/ow: Terry Doane, 12-Sep-2021

CH Sylvan Elance Summerlane Dark Opal (D) HP60729303, 13-Mar-2020, Red, by DC Sylvan Seabury Virago SC FCH ROMX-C & GCHB Sylvan Elance Summerlane's Limelight ROM-C, br: Patti Neale & Christopher Neale & Anne Quinn & Cherie Hunchak, ow: Emily Killian, 17-Sep-2021

CH Symar Tell It To The Marines (D) HP57103805, 14-Nov-2018, Black & Tan, by GCHB Estet Classic Tihomir & CH Sunburst Ellicit Dream JC, br: Sydney & Mark Burnside, ow: Barbara Simpson & Sydney Burnside & Audrey Boyer, 12-Sep-2021

CH Windrift Sweet Dreams (B) HP53907105, 17-Jul-2017, Red, by GCH Windrift Wild Accusations JC & GCH Windrift Incantation, br/ow: Jonathan & Nancy Reimer, 05-Sep-2021

CH Windrift You Only Live Once (B) HP58382108, 30-Aug-2019, Sable Gold, by GCH Windrift All In The Game JC & GCH Kirov Windrift Twilight Glow JC, br: Jon & Nancy Reimer, ow: Delores Swan & Nancy Reimer, 07-Aug-2021

CH Zabava Kaigan Versailles (D) HP58036701, 23-May-2019, Cream, by CH Zabava

Mercury JC & GCH Zabava Northern Lights, br: Karyn Convertini & Kristina & Irina Terra, ow: Irina Terra & Kristina Terra & Patricia Wiseman, 21-Aug-2021

CH Zooropa Laureate Taza Sweet Dreams (B) HP58494605, 01-Jun-2019, White, by Sw/Nor/Fin/Dan Borzowski's Phenomenon & GCH Zooropa Adrienne She Moves Eyes Follow, br: Patty Anderson & Patricia Silverman & Monica Barry, ow: Beth Collins & Tom Collins & Patricia Silverman & Dick Hafner, 05-Sep-2021

GCH Raynbo Dancella Gifted Rose At Mystere (B) HP59792602, 07-Nov-2019, Silver Brindle, by CH Naletai Sokolow & GCHS Raynbo Dancella Primrose, br: Jennifer Zucker & Theresa Euser & Linda Barad, ow: Theresa Euser & Joe Euser & Jennifer Zucker & Linda Barad, 09-Sep-2021

GCH Raynbo Dancella Revelation Knight Of The Rose (D) HP59792607, 07-Nov-2019, White, by CH Naletai Sokolow & GCHS Raynbo Dancella Primrose, br: Jennifer Zucker & Theresa Euser & Linda Barad, ow: Jill Venturo & Linda Barad, 18-Sep-2021

GCH Starswift Lightning Quick JC SC FCH ROM (B) HP41803107, 09-Nov-2011, Black, by FC SilkenSwift Black Lightning MC CGC LCM SGRC4 SORC ROM x Téine Geneva, br/ow: Jamie Bobrowski, 22-Aug-2021

GCH Steppes Oxota Legend JC SC CGC (D) HP49066705, 30-Mar-2015, Silver Sable, by GCH Oxota Avalon Halberd SC CGC FCH LCM & CH Roztropna Rada Polot, br: Leonore Abordo & Monika Stachon & Robin Stachon, ow: Denise Ross, 17-Sep-2021

GCH Windswept Mielikki Quacks Like A Duck (D) HP52235106, 28-Sep-2016, Red, by GCHG Mielikki Hinote Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC & GCH Coquetel Margareta Windswept, br: Gail Rathbun, ow: Janice and Robert Tyler, 03-Sep-2021

GCH Zabava Nobel Prize (D) HP49852206, 14-Jun-2015, Gold Sable, by CH Rising Star Danilov O'Sunbarr JC ROMX-C & GCHS Zabava Ostrov

Casablanca ROMX-C, br: Irina Terra & Kristina Terra, ow: Tami Marshall & Kristina Terra & Peggy Marshall, 11-Aug-2021

**April 9, 2022 Tuscaloosa Kennel Club
hosting BCOA TSE #2022116706**

**Puppy Sweepstakes
Veteran Sweepstakes
Sweepstakes Judge:
Rachel Rehberg, Deco Hounds**

**April 10, 2022 Birmingham Kennel Club
hosting BCOA TSE #2022116708**

**Puppy Sweepstakes
Veteran Sweepstakes
Brace competition
Sweepstakes Judge:
Joyce Law, Katushka Borzoi**

Show Superintendent: Onofrio LLC

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Grand Champion (GCH)

GCH Enchanté Razzle Dazzle Em (D) HP45494112, 14-Jun-2013, Gold, by CH Enchanté Baron Romauld & GCH Paradise Spirit Amazing Grace Enchanté, br/ow: Mary Sue Marcyn & L Scott Sumeracki, 14-Aug-2021

GCH Lythe Konza Dances With Wolves (D) HP54960208, 14-Jan-2018, Gold Sable, by GCHG Konza-Plum Creek Bugatti At Elance ROMX-C & GCH Lythe Norwegian Wood, br: Kay Cassella & Melanie Richards, ow: Melanie Richards, 28-Aug-2021

Grand Champion Bronze (GCHB)

GCHB Coburn Téine Riju Leisel SC SCN SIN SHDN (B) HP56527801, 22-Aug-2018, Silver, by DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWME SHDME & DC Windsatin Dragons Maiden SC FCH, br: Patricia Shaw, ow: Anne Midgarden, 22-Aug-2021

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BCOA 2021 Obedience Rankings

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to September 30, 2021

Corrections to Dean Eelman, dkeelman@att.net

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GRADUATE OPEN

Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN RM RAE NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN
- Karen Haberkorn258.53 1

OPEN

Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN RM RAE NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN
- Karen Haberkorn245.7 2
CH Katz O'Nellie Of Woodacres' CD BN RE FDC CGCA CGCU TKN - Rebecca Smith237.9 2

GRADUATE NOVICE

RACH Iorek's Merlyn CD BN GN RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman212.85 1
Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN
- Karen Haberkorn202.68 2
CH Novgorod Arnov Orlitsa Mikhaylova CD CGC - Lyn Hoflin202.4 2

NOVICE

Del Sol Riju Keeper Of The Flame BN RN JC SWD SWME SHDN - June Mintchell197.5 1
Woodacre's Ruby Too Of Svora BN FDC CGC - Rebecca Smith and Shirley McFadden195.5 2
Karitonova Majenkir First Time For Everything BN RA CGC - Kimberley A Horn Janek and Cathy Gaudette192 2
GCH CH Chrysalis The Call Of Wings CD BN - Pamela Leichtnam187 1
GCH DC Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Journey To Tahoe CD BN RA SC CGC - Steven Artley and Kay Carol Artley183.5 1
CH Freckashpeng Raisa RA BN-V CD-V - Robin Clancy and Gerald E Clancy183.33 3
CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE - Linda Beisswenger177.88 4
CH Sedona Reignstorm Willow Wind BN RI - Darcy Ferrentino and Tamara Carey176.5 1
Fiery Run Winter Soldier BN RI - Dr. Elizabeth A Tolley and Dr. David F Nutting170 1

BEGINNER NOVICE

Kansai's Ferlinka Three Nines JC BCAT RATN CGCA CGCU TKI - Debra West and Karen Murray154.4 1
CH Freckashpeng Raisa RA BN-V CD-V - Robin Clancy and Gerald E Clancy154.4 3
Fiery Run Winter Soldier BN RI - Dr. Elizabeth A Tolley and Dr. David F Nutting154 1
DC Téine Fendi Sandals RA SC CGC - Sheryl I Amburgey and Harry Van Vliet151.6 2
Kirov Windrift Flying Ace O'Tahoe RI MC CGCA CGCU - Steven Artley and Kay Carol Artley147.47 3
Avalon Wings Of The Wind Oh! Excalibur RN JC BCAT CGC - Sandra Moore and Sunny Grant145.6 2

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RALLY MASTER

RACH2 Iorek's Bambi CD RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	135.37	13
RACH Iorek's Merlyn CD BN GN RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	133	10
CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	128.1	4
Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn	127.58	24

RALLY EXCELLENT

RACH2 Iorek's Bambi CD RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	128.5	13
CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	125.35714	7
Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn	123.80952	21
RACH Iorek's Merlyn CD BN GN RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	123.76	10
CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE - Linda Beisswenger	101.4	4
GCH CH Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Desertwinds Journey BN RE JC CGC - Mrs. Wendy Sue Merendini and Mr. Thomas Joseph Merendini	94.9	1

RALLY ADVANCED

FC Téine Mirage At Riju CDX BN GO RA SC SWM SCME SEME SBME SHDA CGC - June Mintchell	120	1
Karitonova Majenkir First Time For Everything BN RA CGC - Kimberley A Horn Janek and Cathy Gaudette	118.8	1
RACH2 Iorek's Bambi CD RM4 RAE4 CGCA TK - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	118.15	13
GCH DC Hemlock Hollow Aruzia Journey To Tahoe CD BN RA SC CG - Steven Artley and Kay Carol Artley	117.6	1
RACH Iorek's Merlyn CD BN GN RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	117.24	10
CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	114.69	7
Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn	114.23	21
CH Freckashpeng Raisa RA BN-V CD-V - Robin Clancy and Gerald E Clancy	113.6	3
CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE - Linda Beisswenger	107.2	3
FC Starswift Legacy Of The Force RA SC BCAT THD DN CGCA TKA - Mrs. Martine Marie- Josee Burton and Ms. Jamie Lynn Bobrowski	101.6	3
CH Téine Geronimo From Gryffyns Aeyrie RA JC - Teresa J Burks	99.6	1
DC Kirov Windrift Fly Above Tahoe BN RI SC CGCA CGCU - Kay Carol Artley	98.4	2
DC Téine Fendi Sandals RA SC CGC - Sheryl I Amburgey and Harry Van Vliet	96.8	3

RALLY INTERMEDIATE

Iorek's Just Dance RI - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	108.9	3
GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN RI FDC SC BCAT SWN SIA SEA SBA DEX DMA CGCA - G Ariel Duncan and Diana Darling	105.6	1
Kirov Windrift Flying Ace O'Tahoe RI MC CGCA CGCU - Steven Artley and Kay Carol Artley	102.3	3
Silkenswift Remember Me At Lorisart RN SC TKN - Ms. Lori Miller	97.9	1
DC Téine Fendi Sandals RA SC CGC - Sheryl I Amburgey and Harry Van Vliet.....	95.7	5
CH Sedona Reignstorm Willow Wind BN RI - Darcy Ferrentino and Tamara Carey.....	93.5	1
CH Avalon Ww Dazzle In The Dark BN RI MC BCAT CGCA - Sunny Grant and Sandra Moore	89.1	4
Fiery Run Winter Soldier BN RI - Dr. Elizabeth A Tolley and Dr. David F Nutting	86.72	6
CH Coburn's Fire In The Sky RI FDC CGC TKN - Linda Beisswenger	82.87	3

RALLY NOVICE

Svora Weigh Up Suzyanna At Plum Creek - Mr. Robert T. Bates	100	1
Melockoff's Million Dollar Baby TKI - Gale Snoddy	100	1
Iorek's Just Dance RI - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	99.67	3
Woodacre's Ruby Too Of Svora BN FDC CGC - Rebecca Smith and Shirley McFadden	98.5	2
Kansai's Ferlinka Three Nines JC BCAT RATN CGCA CGCU TKI - Debra West and Karen Murray	95	1
CH Coburn's Fire In The Sky RI FDC CGC TKN - Linda Beisswenger	90	2
Avalon Wings Of The Wind Oh! Excalibur RN JC BCAT CGC - Sandra Moore and Sunny Grant	86.5	2
CH Dunroving Arlo Guthrie - Ms. Corissa Anne Fanning	86	1
GCH CH Sapphire Konstantonovsky Ruble RN - Dr. Teresa J Burks	85	1
Mielikki Heart's Way - Renee McCartin	83	1
DC Mielikki Gett Off RN SC CGC TKN - Renee McCartin and Kathleen Poniatowski	81.5	2
CH Dunroving Adventure Awaits - Ms. Corissa Anne Fanning	81	1
Vitrina Vera - Valori Trantanella	76	1

Top 5 Rally Dogs January 1 to September 30, 2021

1 RACH2 Iorek's Bambi CD RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	127.34	39
2 RACH Iorek's Merlyn CD BN GN RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	124.67	30
3 Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN - Karen Haberkorn	122.13	66
4 CH Iorek's Supreme For Oberon BN RE CGCA - Melissa Eelman and Dean Eelman	121.82	18
5 CH Freckashpeng Raisa RA BN-V CD-V - Robin Clancy and Gerald E Clancy	113.6	3

Top 5 Obedience Dogs January 1 to September 30, 2021

1 Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN Karen Haberkorn	231.05
2 CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE - Linda Beisswenger.....	177.88
3 CH Freckashpeng Raisa RA BN-V CD-V - Robin Clancy and Gerald E Clancy	168.87
4 Kirov Windrift Flying Ace O'Tahoe RI MC CGCA CGCU - Steven Artley and Kay Carol Artley	147.47

GCHB Howff Carbonel Evolgo Of Avalon JC GRC (D) HP51842201, 20-May-2016, Black & Brindle, by GCHB Zharkov Téine Jansen & GCBH DC Avalon Oxota Cinquede SC FCH, br: Leigh Littleton & Vickie Littleton & Sandra Moore, ow: Leigh & Vickie Littleton, 08-Aug-2021

GCHB Kinobi Angels Of Fenway At Bel Vento (B) HP57891107, 09-Jun-2019, Black & Tan, by CH Kyrov-Horse And Hound Heed Your Heart Kinobi & Kinobi Sneak Preview SC, br: Rebecca Peters-Campbell, ow: Victoria Cassano, 05-Sep-2021

GCHB Scheremetjew's Lucy Honeychurch FCAT (B) HP52742404, 10-Jan-2017, Sable Red, by GCHS Vento Danza Versachi Of The Wild Hunt Hunt & GCH Scheremetjew Lyra's Vega SC ROM-C, br/ow: Karen Johnson & Julia Johnson, 03-Sep-2021

GCHB Windrift Something To Talk About (D) HP53907110, 17-Jul-2017, Sable Red, by GCH Windrift Wild Accusations JC & GCH Windrift Incantation, br: Jon & Nancy Reimer, ow: Delores Swan, 01-Aug-2021

Champion Silver (GCHS)

GCHS Justart Majenkir Status Symbol (D) HP56977803, 21-Nov-2018, Cream, by GCHG Majenkir Bookstor Spellbinder & GCH Justart Hot Commodity, br: Stuart McGraw & Justine Spiers & Karen Staudt- Cartabona, ow: Shigeru Iwakiri & Justine Spiers & Karen Staudt-Cartabona, 11-Sep-2021

Master Excellent Jumper Preferred (MJP)

CH MACH2 Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN FDC JC MXG MJG MJP DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA ATT (B) HP48679406, 5-Dec-2014, Silver Sable, by CH Aashtoria Aruzia Java Chip ROM-C & GCH Borscana Melissa Loveletter BN RE JC OAJ OJP ROMX-C, br: Christine Danker & Lorrie Scott, ow: Lou Avant & Colleen Allen, 12-Sep-2021

Graduate Open (GO)

Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN (D) HP50960708, 10-Jan-2016, Sable Red, by GCHG Greyhaven This Rough Magic SC CGC FCH & GCH Konstantin's Summertime BN RI, br: Karen Haberkorn & Lois Hough, ow: Karen Haberkorn, 25-Sep-2021

Graduate Novice (GN)

CH Novgorod Arnov Olenka Mikhaylova JC BCAT CGC (B) HP47440202, 29-May-2014, White, by CH Novgorod's Mikhayl Romulevich CD CGC & GCH Novgorod's Katya Ivanova, br: Lyn Hoflin & Janice Haldi, ow: Lyn Hoflin, 19-Sep-2021.

Companion Dog. (CD)

GCH Chrysalis The Call Of Wings CD BN (B) HP44761406, 16-Feb-2013, Black & Tan, stud book 1-Sep-2019, by Firequest Beowulf & GCH Chrysalis Endless Night, br: Pamela Leichtnam & Janis McFerrin, ow: Pamela Leichtnam, 30-Sep-2021

CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE (D) HP51081903, 04-Apr-2016, Black & Tan, by GCH Islehaven Camano & GCH Laureate Perchance To Dream At Islehaven, br: Phyllis Potter, ow: Linda Beisswenger, 13-Aug-2021

Rally Advanced Excellent 4 (RAE4)

RACH Iorek's Merlyn CD BN GN RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN (D) HP52608002, 10-Jul-2016, Gold, by Velikij Pravda & Vega Shelk Landysa, br: Anna Akerstrom, ow: Melissa Eelman & Dean Eelman, 26-Aug-2021

Rally Master 4 (RM4)

RACH Iorek's Merlyn CD BN GN RM4 RAE4 CGCA TKN (D) HP52608002, 10-Jul-2016, Gold, by Velikij Pravda & Vega Shelk Landysa, br: Anna Akerstrom, ow: Melissa Eelman & Dean Eelman, 26-Aug-2021

Rally Master 2 (RM2)

Konstantin Russian Burgandy CDX BN GO RM2 RAE2 NAP OJP FCAT SWN SBNE SCE SIA CGC TKN (D) HP50960708, 10-Jan-2016, Sable Red, by GCHG Greyhaven This Rough Magic SC CGC FCH & GCH Konstantin's Summertime BN RI, br: Karen Haberkorn & Lois Hough, ow: Karen Haberkorn, 06-Aug-2021

Rally Excellent (RE)

CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE (D) HP51081903, 04-Apr-2016, Black & Tan, by GCH Islehaven Camano & GCH Laureate Perchance To Dream At Islehaven, br: Phyllis Potter, ow: Linda Beisswenger, 14-Aug-2021

Rally Advanced (RA)

DC Téine Fendi Sandals RN RI RA JC SC

CGC FCH (B) HP56255405, 17-Jul-2018, Red, by CH Borzowski's Magical Mirage JC & FC Téine Zharkov Kismet SC, br: Anne Midgarden, ow: Sheryl Amburgey & Harry Van Vliet, 27-Aug-2021

Rally Intermediate (RI)

Iorek's Just Dance RI (D) HP56281202, 18-May-2018, White & Red, by Iorek's Obi-Wan & Iorek's Arya Stark, br: Anna Akerstrom & Isabelle Akerstrom, ow: Melissa Eelman & Dean Eelman & Olivia Brown Abernathy & Katrina Averill, 29-Aug-2021

Rally Novice (RN)

Avalon Wings Of The Wind Oh! Excalibur RN JC BCAT CGC (B) HP58413302, 28-Jun-2019, Black & Brindle, by CH Avalon Ebeko Howff Carbonel SC & CH Avalon Ww Dazzle In The Dark BN RI MC BCAT CGCA, br/ow: Sunny Grant & Sandra Moore, 21-Aug-2021

C'Lestial Free Spirit RN CGC (D) HP53477503, 18-May-2017, Gold, by FC C'Lestial Noble House The Big Red 1 JC SC & CH C'Lestial Dream Catcher SC FCH, br: Liz Green, ow: Katie Yonts, 08-Aug-2021

Del Sol Imagine Affogato RN SC CA BCAT (B) HP59394011, 22-Oct-2019, Black, by CH Del Sol Hermes Boots FCH GRC & CH Del Sol Firebolt Of Coburn Wns LCM2, br: Susan Van De Water, ow: Peri Neill, 17-Sep-2021

Iorek's Just Dance RN (D) HP56281202, 18-May-2018, White & Red, by Iorek's Obi-Wan & Iorek's Arya Stark, br: Anna Akerstrom & Isabelle Akerstrom, ow: Melissa Eelman & Dean Eelman & Olivia Brown Abernathy & Katrina Averill, 26-Aug-2021

DC Mielikki Gett Off RN SC CGC TKN SGRC2 (B) HP51699801, 19-May-2016, Brindle, by DC Téine Twist Of Fate SC FCH ROM & DC Mielikki Dir Shepard At Silkenswift RN BN RA SC LCM VFCH, br: Renee McCartin & Bonnie Dalzell, ow: Renee McCartin & Kathleen Poniatowski, 22-Aug-2021

Junior Courser (JC)

Ivanhoe's Triple Crown Winner The Drunken Horse JC CGC (D) HP60528605, 29-Jun-2020, Red, Fire Falcon Impuls I Splendor & CH Ivanhoe's Just A Whisper Of Smoke, br Lori Chandler, ow: Jordan Miller, 26-Sep-2021

Kelcorov's On The Rocks JC BCAT (B)

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NEW TITLE HOLDER

CH



CH Oxota RiverRun Khatanga RunTuff, CGC, JC, TKN, RTD, RN, SSR

“Khanga” finished her bench title from BBE with 3 majors - CH #31 for Oxota (bred/co-bred). What she lacks in plastic drive she makes up for in charm. GRC & NOFCA ptd (winner of multiple Mixed Hunts). CHIC #151952, Normal Holter on file, full dentition.

CH Oaklara Shadow Of The Moon
MBISS CH Oaklara Shadow Dancer
CH Oaklara's Joslyn
Aureus Archernar, SC
CH Oaklara's Shazam
CH Oaklara Caffé' Latte' CGC, FCh, SC
Oaklara Kahlua Borzowen
Zharkov Quest For Fire ROM
BIF, DC Avalon Victorian Pyre, CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, TT, GRC, RE, DT, RTD3, V-FCH, ROMX, VLAA
Avalon Polychromatic ROM
BIF, BISS, GCH, DC Oxota Avalon Switchblade, CGC, TT, SC, FCh, DCh, RN, DT, VLAA, RTD3, TKN, ROM
8x MBIF, DC SilkenSwift Blaze's Dark Fire, SC, LCM7, GRC, ROM
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 HOLDER

FC



FC Oxota I Am The Storm, JC, SC, ATT

“Halle-Houdini” finished her FC with 3 majors - FC #16 for Oxota bred/co-bred - in 5 trials in 4 different time zones. She is great fun to watch run, and best of all a pleasure to live with. We hope for many adventures together. OFA eyes Normal, DM Clear, Holter Normal, scissor bite, full dentition.

*C.I.B., RU W 2006, RU W 2009, EU VW 2012, Multi-CH & GCH Zagar iz Razdolia, FT Hare & Fox
Russkaya Volnitsa Molodez II (imp. Rus.)
RU CH Russkaya Volnitsa Mushmula, FT HARE & FOX
BIF CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka, CGC, JC, TKN, RN, RTD, SC, ATT
BIF, DC Avalon Victorian Pyre, CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, TT, GRC, RE, DT, RTD3, V-FCH, ROMX, VLAA
BIF, BISS, GCH, DC Oxota Avalon Switchblade, CGC, TT, SC, FCh, DCh, RN, DT, VLAA, RTD3, TKN, ROM
Avalon Tigress In The Dark, CC, CM, FCh, SC, ROMX, GRC, V-FCH

Silkenswift Midnite Talyn, FCh, SC
BIF, FC Silkenswift Black Lightning, CGC, LCM, MC, SORC, SGRC4, ROM
FC Silkenswift Burning Bright, FCh, SC
BIF FC Starswift FV Saga, FCh, JC, SC, GRC, DT, SSR
CH Lothlorien Darius Zharkov, LCM
Lothlorien Made to Order Zharkov, FCh
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NEW TITLE HOLDER

NATIONAL FIELD CHAMPION



BIF NFC Oxota Storm on the Mountain, JC, SC

“Billy” arrived at the 2021 AKC NLCC with his JC, and left with ALL the marbles! The 3rd Borzoi to ever win this prestigious national competition, we are deeply honored to have his talent recognized at just 22 months of age. CH ptd from BBE, DM Clear by parentage, full dentition, scissor bite.

MBISS CH Oaklara Shadow Dancer
Aureus Archernar, SC
CH Oaklara Caffè' Latte', CGC, FCh, DCh
CH RiverRun Oxota Ket RunTuff, JC, CGC, RN
BIF, DC Avalon Victorian Pyre, CGC, SC, FCh, DCh, TT, GRC, RE, DT, RTD3, V-FCH, ROMX, VLAA
BIF, BISS, GCH, DC Oxota Avalon Switchblade, CGC, TT, SC, FCh, DCh, RN, DT, VLAA, RTD3, TKN, ROM
Avalon Tigress In The Dark, CC, CM, FCh, SC, ROMX, GRC, V-FCH

Silenswift Midnite Tallyn, FCh, SC
BIF, FC Silenswift Black Lightning, CGC, LCM, MC, SORC, SGRC4, ROM
FC Silenswift Burning Bright, FCh, SC
BIF, FC Starswift FV Saga, FCh, JC, SC, GRC, DT, SSR
CH Lothlorien Darius Zharkov, LCM
Lothlorien Made to Order Zharkov, FCh
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Avg
Score #Qs

Premier 20"

MACH2 CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA..... 100 2
Lou Avant DVM and Colleen Allen

Masters Standard 24"

MACH2 CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA..... 100 4
Lou Avant DVM and Colleen Allen

Masters Standard Preferred 20"

MACH2 CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA..... 100 9
Lou Avant DVM and Colleen Allen

Masters Jumpers 24"

MACH2 CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MXS MJS DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA..... 100 10
Lou Avant DVM and Colleen Allen

Masters Jumpers Preferred 20"

MACH2 CH Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN JC MX MXB MXJ MJB DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA 100 5
Lou Avant DVM and Colleen Allen

Open Standard 24"

Wolflitz Rock You Like A Hurricane of Yurika NA NAJ. Debra Maurine Fraker 100 1

Open Jumpers 24"

Wolflitz Rock You Like A Hurricane of Yurika NA NAJ. Debra Maurine Fraker 95 1

Novice Jumpers 24"

Wolflitz Rock You Like A Hurricane of Yurika NA NAJ. Debra Maurine Fraker 97.5 2

Masters Fast 24"

FC Kirov Strike It Rich At Highpoint CDX RE MC LCX2 AX AXJ XF CGC TKI .Anne R. and Walter O. Ford 1Q

BCOA 2021 LGRA Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to November 5, 2021

Submitted by Dawn Hall, news4me@gmail.com

1	Legend	Starswift Legacy Of A Legend At Mystique SC GRC.....	Finkelstein	18.00
2	Zadira	CH Avalon Keep On Dancing BCAT SGRC	Cecere.....	12.00
3	Wes	Jubilee Trust The Plan At Aldemoor GRC	Simmons-Gamble.....	10.50
4	Lorelei	Svora's Gentlemen Prefer Blondes GRC	McFadden.....	9.50
5/6/7	Fauna	Ravenna Fauna Fandango GRC	Dumaine	6.00
5/6/7	Margot	Avalon Perlova Ready Set Go	Turner	6.00
5/6/7	Sky-T	Aria Absinthe Spirit In The Sky	Turner	6.00
8	Eastleigh	Northern Tier City On Fire.....	Wagner/Wagner	5.50
9/10	Bashert	Kirov Skorost Sveta At Mystic JC GRC	Hoffman/Bobrowski.....	5.00
9/10	Henry-L	Vitrina Endeavor	Lord/Trantanella.....	5.00
11	Kissy-M	Mielikki Gett Off SGRC2	McCartin	4.00
12	Kirk	Perlova Avalon Boldy Go GRC	Ross	3.50
13/14	Sky-D	Oronzova Fire In The Sky RN CGC TKN	Deghi	3.00
13/14	Tango-BE	Islehaven Sentinel GRC	Beisswenger	3.00
15	Pixie-W	Runtuff Riverrun Manic Pixie Dream	Wisner/Williams/Suhrenbrock	2.75

BCOA 2021 AKC Lure Coursing Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi, January 1 to September 30, 2021

Submitted by Leonore Abordo, oxota@yahoo.com

Rank	Name	Owner(s)	Bowens
1	Halle	Oxota I Am The Storm SC ATT	Leonore Abordo 56
2	Phantom	DC Téine Phantom Of The Opera SC LCX	Anne Midgarden DVM 49
3	Ryder	Runtuff Riverrun Pale Ryder SC BCAT	Pamela Larson Mohn 44
4	Audra	FC Oxota Taken By Storm SC	Jamie Bobrowski 36
5	Langley	FC Zoiboyz Langley SC CGC TKN	KC Thompson & Tom Golcher 24
6	Pixie	Runtuff Riverrun Manic Pixie Dream SC	Tina Wismer DVM & T Williams and K Suhrenbrock 23
6	Legacy	FC Starswift Black Lightning's Legacy MC	Jamie Bobrowski 23
6	Trance	Satara Chant In The Night SC	Danielle Snyder Steenkamp DVM and R Rice 23
9	Billy	Oxota Storm On The Mountain JC	Karla Smith DVM & L Abordo 22
9	Bashert	CH Kirov Skorost Sveta At Mystique SC	Ameera & Kevin Hoffman and R Finkelstein 22
9	Satine	Akanni's Spectacular Spectacular SC	Amy Balthrop 22

BCOA 2021 ASFA Lure Coursing Borzoi

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi through September 30, 2021

Submitted by Leonore Abordo, oxota@yahoo.com

Rank	Name	Owner(s).....	Bowens
1	Khaleesi	Aria Axxium's Cold Wind In August @ Ryhka FCh	D. Darling/R.Rice 49
2	Zip	Avalon Perlova Go Darkly LCM3	S. Van de Water MD /S. Moore 47
3	Langley	FC Zoiboyz Langley FCh,CGC,TKN	KC Thompson & T. Golcher 32
4	Tintaglia	FC Chaya Sars The Black Ice Dragon "Tintaglia" @Ryhka LCM,SC	D. Darling 31
5	Rhayne	FC C'Lestial Rainbow Room @ Ryhka LCM2,SC	D. Darling 29
6	Abbie	Lynx The Abernathy Pearl FCh	R. Silguero/C. Judd 18
6	Imp	Ch Del Sol Mission Impossible FCh	S. Van de Water MD 18
8	Trevi	DC C'Lestial Fontana Di Trevi FCh,MC	V. Cassano MD 17
8	Quantum	Ch Weston's Black Heart Of The Matter@Ryhka FCh	D. Darling 17
10	Chase	Ch Del Sol Oxota Chase The Fire LCM	S. Van de Water MD 16

BCOA 2021 NOTRA TOP 10

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi as of November 2, 2021

Submitted by Karla Smith, gazehound_vet@yahoo.com

Call Name	Name	Owner	YTD Points
Zadira	Avalon Keep on Dancing ORC	S. Cecere 6	
Mischka	Avalon Krasavitsa Moya JOR	Randi Jackson 3	
Bek	Avalon Ebeko Howff Carbonel JOR	Sandra Moore 2	
Makya	Avalon Perlova MHD Phantom Dream Lover	Greene 1	
Zia	Avalon Perlova Phantom Singularity	Moore/Paintin..... 0.5	

DON'T FORGET!!!

The CHIC Requirements Have Changed!

Cardiac auscultations alone will not qualify for a CHIC as of June 1, 2021. Borzoi must get an ACA as their cardiac clearance in order to qualify for a CHIC number. Below is the listing of CHIC requirements.

- [Eye Examination](#)
Eye Examination by a boarded ACVO Ophthalmologist [!\[\]\(31b03e46ee8a80a1f1467b8c03bd76e8_img.jpg\)](#)
- [Autoimmune thyroiditis](#)
OFA evaluation from an approved laboratory [!\[\]\(7d9665ff04f9d2270c38081c6215a724_img.jpg\)](#)
- [Cardiac Evaluation](#)
Advanced Cardiac Exam [!\[\]\(7cea648fec4dfc1e99934873e9173b69_img.jpg\)](#)
- [Degenerative Myelopathy](#)
DNA based DM test results from an approved lab [!\[\]\(48ceb66414885cacc3f139b4fa359213_img.jpg\)](#)
- [Hip Dysplasia](#) (Optional)
OFA Evaluation [!\[\]\(01a1fc700f38e6e09ee62e6a9c54d804_img.jpg\)](#)
PennHIP Evaluation (min age 12 months)
- [Elbow Dysplasia](#) (Optional)
OFA Evaluation [!\[\]\(833c1865792a2399365d8193854ceab7_img.jpg\)](#)

Also, do not forget, if you are doing screenings and are seeking a CHIC number for your dog, you MUST mark the box providing OFA with permission to place your dog in the OPEN DATABASE! Do not forget this.

Be Ready for the National! Don't be left out of the Asa Mays Award!

If you have placed a screening exam in the closed database in error and need to change it to the open database, never fear! There is a form for that. On the OFA website, go to OFA Application Forms (<https://www.ofa.org/application-forms>) and scroll down to the Miscellaneous Forms and download the "Semi-Open to Open Database" form. Mail this completed form to OFA and your exams will become eligible for CHIC consideration.

NEW TITLE HOLDER

SCENT WORK ADVANCED & SCENT WORK BURIED EXCELLENT



GCHS DC Chihawk Maschas Dream Of The Wildhunt, BN RE FDC SC SWA SBE THDN CGCA CGCU TKI ATT VLAA

At over ten years of age, Paloma is still showing off her Scent Work skills! But wait ... there's more: in her usual glamorous style, Paloma won the 2021 BCOA National Specialty Veteran Sweepstakes!

Ch Crescents Grock, ROM
Ch Mascha's Nepal of the Wild Hunt, SC, ROM
Ch Z'Esprit of the Wild Hunt, ROMX
GCHS Aashtoria Wild Hunt 4 Your I's Only, RA, TDI, ROMX-C
MBISS CH Chataqua's Valimir of Kyrov SC, ROMX-C
Ch Svora's Secret Rendezvous, JC, ROM
Ch Babotjka's Fantaziya, SC, ROMX-C

DC Windrift Believe In Magic JC SC FCH ROMX
CH Chihawk Windrift Sir Liam JC
CH Chihawk Tahoe Tomb Raider JC
CH Chihawk Stealing Home JC ROM
CH Seventh Dynasty Of The Wild Hunt JC
CH Chihawk Tahoe Tomb Raider JC
Tahoe's Brite Chihawk Rose JC SC

Owners

Valerie Holmes & Ariel Duncan
Hounds of the WildHunt

Moorsetown, New Jersey • Valentineday@comcast.net

Breeders

Tami Marshall and Peggy Marshall
Chihawk

NEW TITLE HOLDER

SCENT WORK ADVANCED & SCENT WORK BURIED EXCELLENT



GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN RI FDC SC DCAT SW

In 2021 Oona became a Specialty Best of Breed Winner. Then she finished her four advanced elements giving her the Scent Work Advanced title. Now at the Scent Work Excellent level, she just earned her first title. OH OONNA!

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 Wildhunt Hidden Agenda CGCA, ROM-C
MBISS 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

DC Tour De France of the Wild Hunt CD CGC FCH LCM JOR ROMX
GCH & DC Ashtoria Irishbrook Wildhnt LeMans RA SC FCH GRC ROM
Am CH Babotjka's Fantaziya JC SC ROMX-C
CH C'lesital Xcelerator Of Ryhka
CH Osdow av Fjascho JC
DC C'lestial High Voltage SC FCH SORC SGRC
C'lestial Midnight Fire FCH ROM

Owners

A Duncan, D Darling, V Holmes
Hounds of the Wild Hunt

Cherry Hill, New Jersey • Ariel@wildhunthounds.net

Breeders

Ariel Duncan & Diana Darling
Wild Hunt & Ryhka

NEW TITLE HOLDER

DOCK ELITE EXCELLENT II AND DCAT



BISS GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN RI FDC SC DCA

Oona, the Number One ranked Dock Diving Borzoi for 3 consecutive years, has a 2021 season average of 26'7" and a personal best of 27'6" Oona is the only Borzoi to earn the Dock Elite Excellent title and now the DOCK ELITE EXCELLENT II. OH OOOONA!!!

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 Wildhunt Hidden Agenda CGCA, ROM-C
MBISS CH Chataqua's Valimir of Kyrov SC ROMX-C
CH Svora's Secret Rendezvous JC ROM
Ch Babotjka's Fantaziya, SC, ROMX-C

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

Owners

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Hounds of the WildHunt

Cherry Hill, New Jersey • Ariel@wildhunthounds.net

Breeders

Ariel Duncan & Diana Darling
RYHKA

HP58037206, 01-Jun-2019, Cream, by Kelcorov Golightly He's Magic & CH Kelcorov's Winter Is Coming SC BCAT CGC, br: Bunny Kelley, ow: Carly Ryan & Phil Ryan, 01-Aug-2021

Maskova's Our Miss Brooks Of The Wild Hunt JC (B) HP60056505, 20-Apr-2020, Cream, by GCH Maskova's Guardian Rose & GCH Maskova's Mascha Morning After Of The Wild Hunt, br: Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan & James Szymanski, ow: Valerie N Holmes & Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan, 25-Sep-2021

Maskova's School Of Rock Of The Wild Hunt JC (D) HP60056502, 20-Apr-2020, Cream, by GCH Maskova's Guardian Rose & GCH Maskova's Mascha Morning After Of The Wild Hunt, br: Elisabeth Szymanski & G Ariel Duncan & James Szymanski, ow: G Ariel Duncan & Elisabeth Szymanski & Mary McDonald, 25-Sep-2021

Mielikki Cloak & Dagger JC TKN (D) HP59633605, 24-Feb-2020, Black & Tan, by GCHG Mielikki Hinote Secret Agent Man RN TKN SGRC & CH Runtuff Téine New York's In Love GRC, br: Renee McCartin, ow: S Frances Butler, 26-Sep-2021

Rosehill Fulltilt Expelliarmus JC (D) HP61020703, 30-Aug-2020, Red, FC Rosehill Kachina Little Deuce Coupe At Full Tilt SC TKN & Rosehill G-A Canu Feel The Luv 2nite, br: Sherita Tabner & Ashley Sydow, ow: Jennifer Gysler & Kevin Gysler & Keith Hicks, 26-Sep-2021

Saxafrax Wild Rushes Adrienne Luck Of The Draw JC (B) HP59116804, 12-Oct-2019, Gold, by CH Adrienne Zooropa Massandra Palace & CH Adrienne Laureate Shantar Going All In, br: Maren Couch & Janie Leikam & Monica Barry & Elyse Kufeldt, ow: Jessica Eschler & Ian Eschler & Elyse Kufeldt & Maren Couch, 25-Sep-2021

Swanmanor Orlitza O'Darkwing JC (B) HP58716403, 20-Sep-2019, Black & Tan, by Swanmanor's Namesake Neverending Hero & GCHB K-C Windsheer Peek-A-Boo, br: Torrea Leborn & Kasey Parks & Leah Lanier & Peter Kim, ow: Torrea Leborn, 15-Aug-2021

Senior Courser (SC)

Oxota I Am The Storm JC SC (B) HP59435503, 04-Dec-2019, Brindle Sable, by CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka RN SC CGC TKN ATT & FC Starswift Fv Saga SC, br/ow: Leonore Abordo, 05-Sep-2021

Lure Courser Excellent (LCX)

DC Téine Phantom Of The Opera SC LCX (D) HP52761701, 18-Oct-2016, Black, stud book 1-Apr-2020, by Technetium's The Asgard Heimdall O'Ryhka JC & CH Katz Latosca Rose At Téine SC, br/ow: Anne Midgarden, 05-Sep-2021

BCAT (100 yard test run)

Dreamway My Stardust Melody JC BCAT (B) HP53330204, 07-May-2017, Black & Brindle, by Katz Sunburst Red River Runner & CH Téine Zharkov Best Of Luck, br: Melissa Patterson, ow: Ursula Davis, 25-Sep-2021

Lunnaja Raduga Raskudryavaya Berezka CA BCAT (B) HP61753801, 24-May-2020, Gold Sable, by Lunnaja Raduga Yanitarny Blues & Amulet Moi Bravo Baronessa, br: Elena Balakireva, ow: Olga Hislop & Nicholas Scroggins, 04-Sep-2021

Runtuff Riverrun Pale Ryder JC SC BCAT (B) HP55011902, 21-Dec-2017, Gold, by GCH DC Téine Zharkov Lucky Number SC & DC RiverRun Oxota Fire In The Glen Avalon RN JC MC CGC FCH SGRC, br: Kristen Suhrenbrock & Karla Smith & Tina Wismer & Tim Williams, ow: Pamela Mohn, 26-Sep-2021

Wildestarr's Harvest Sunrise Scout BCAT (D) HP52736804, 24-Nov-2016, Black & Tan, by Symar Surfing In A Hurricane Of Sunburst & Sunburst High Desert Flier, br: London Wilde & Dave Starr, ow: Mary Kartz, 03-Sep-2021

DCAT (100 yard test run)

Ivanhoe's Revenge Of The Babadook DCAT (D) HP57742904, 23-Apr-2019, Fawn, by Fire Falcon Impuls I Splendor & Tarasov's Love Potion, br: Avery Chandler, ow: Victoria Lloyd, 25-Sep-2021

CH Karitonova N Foxfire Grand Illusion DCAT (B) HP54157203, 17-May-2017, Sable, by GCHS Belisarius Jp Hat N Tails & CH Majenkir Bookstor Timeless Glamour At Karitonova, br: Kimberley Janek, Robert Janek, Robert Urban and Megan Anderson, ow: Kimberley Janek & Robert Janek & Sierra Marvin, 22-Aug-2021

FCAT (100 yard test run)

CH Highgarden Sherlock Hound Story JC CAA FCAT TKN (D) HP49272206, 19-May-2015, Brindle, by DC Téine Twist Of Fate SC FCH ROM & GCH Téine Rhyolite At Tiassa SC, br: Amy & Charles Sikula, ow: Lee Warden, 19-Sep-2021

Coursing Ability (CA)

Berkshyr Fancy Colours CA (D) HP59808601, 23-Apr-2020, Mahogany Brindle, by CH Estet Classic Luchezar & GCH Estet Classic Prichuda At Berkshyr, br: Mike & Diane Bilak, ow: Andrea Scasserra, 26-Sep-2021

Lunnaja Raduga Raskudryavaya Berezka CA BCAT (B) HP61753801, 24-May-2020, Gold Sable, by Lunnaja Raduga Yanitarny Blues & Amulet Moi Bravo Baronessa, br: Elena Balakireva, ow: Olga Hislop & Nicholas Scroggins, 04-Sep-2021

CH Svershin's Zhivago Saddle The Wind CA (D) HP53350406, 26-Apr-2017, Silver Sable, by CH Maskova's Heart Of The Rose Svershin JC & GCH DC Svershin Twin Elms Anzhelina SC CA, br: Terry Doane, ow: Carol Hill, 12-Sep-2021

Twin Elms Saddle The Wind At Last JC CA (D) HP49001701, 24-Dec-2014, White, by CH Svershin Twin Elms Anton JC x CH Twin Elms Svershin Nisza, br: Suzan Breaz & Terry Doane & Dave Lewandowski, ow: Carol Hill & Terry Doane, 12-Sep-2021

Scent Work Handler Discrimination Excellent Elite (SHDME) (This is the first borzoi to have earned every AKC Scent Work title)

DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWME SHDME (D) HP41189103, 14-Jul-2011, Black & Tan, stud book 1-Nov-2014, by CH Riju Téine Fun & Games CDX RA JC & CH Téine Lunar Eclipse CD RN, br: June Mintchell & Sandra Hilbert, ow: June Mintchell & Anne Midgarden, 11-Sep-2021

Scent Work Container Novice Elite (7 Aug 2021) & Scent Work Exterior Novice Elite (8 Aug-2021) & Scent Work Buried Novice Elite (8 Aug-2021) to finish Scent Work Novice Elite title

DC Riju Enjoy The Ride CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWME SHDME (D) HP41189103, 14-Jul-2011, Black & Tan, stud book 1-Nov-2014, by CH Riju Téine Fun & Games CDX RA JC & CH Téine Lunar Eclipse CD RN, br: June Mintchell & Sandra Hilbert, ow: June Mintchell & Anne Midgarden, 08-Aug-2021

Scent Work Detective (SWD)

FC Téine Mirage At Riju CDX BN GO RA SC SWD SWM SCME SEME SBME SHDA CGC (B) HP49108202, 19-Feb-2015, Black & Tan, by DC Riju Enjoy The Ride

Texas A&M Cardiology Borzoi research update

Sonya R. Wesselowski, DVM, DACVIM (Cardiology)

Dr. Sykes, Dr. Saunders and I have very much enjoyed our jump into the Borzoi world over the past year, and want to provide an update on our progress and future research goals with regard to this fantastic breed!

We have initiated both prospective and retrospective Borzoi research projects thus far. The prospective project has enrolled approximately 70 dogs to date and will allow us to create breed-specific normal echocardiography reference ranges for Borzoi and to better understand and report the frequency of cardiac diseases found in clinically healthy Borzoi. This project will culminate with Dr. Saunders and me performing echocardiograms at the 2022 Borzoi National Specialty.

The retrospective project we have initiated will allow us to compile data from veterinary cardiologists across the United States who have seen and treated Borzoi at their practices to better quantify the types and severity of cardiac disease that are diagnosed in the Borzoi breed that may require medical intervention.

Additional work that we hope to pursue includes longitudinal assessment of a subset of Borzoi to monitor mild echocardiographic changes (for example: trace or mild valve leaks) and better define whether they may be a variant of normal for this highly athletic breed (similar to what has been reported in athletic humans) versus actual pathology that may go on to progress over time.

Lastly, we have uncovered several cases of dilated cardiomyopathy (DCM) and I am currently engaged in discussions with a geneticist regarding a collaboration to search for a Borzoi-specific dilated cardiomyopathy mutation that could lead to a future genetic test for the breed, if successful. While we have a small internal grant that is funding the current prospective project, we do need to recruit additional financial support to continue to pursue the longitudinal work and the genetic research.

If anyone would like to support our Borzoi research we would gladly accept donations to our Texas A&M Cardiology Heart Trust Fund with an earmark towards Borzoi research. To donate, please visit:

www.vetmed.tamu.edu/giving/opportunities/heart-trust/
and click on the "Give now" link.

Make sure to add a note in the additional comments box at the bottom of the donation page to let us know you are donating in support of Borzoi clinical research.

You can also contact Monika Blackwell, one of our development officers,
at mblackwell@txamfoundation.com for additional help.

We look forward to seeing many of you next year in Texas!

NEW TITLE HOLDERS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 22

CD PCD BN RA SC SWD SWME SHDAE
SHDE & CH Zharkov Téine Black Jade JC,
br: Anne Midgarden, ow: June Mintchell,
18-Sep-2021

Scent Work Container Advanced to finish Scent Work Advanced (SWA)

GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity
Of Ryhka BN RI FDC SC BCAT SWA
SBE DEX DMA CGCA CGCU TKP (B)

HP51414701, 27-May-2016, Sable Red, by
GCHP Aashtoria Wildhunt Hidden Agenda
CGCA ROMX-C & CH C'Lestial Xcelerator
Of Ryhka, br: G Ariel Duncan & Diana
Darling, ow: G Ariel Duncan & Valerie
Holmes & Diana Darling, 18-Sep-2021

Scent Work Exterior Advanced to finish Scent Work Advanced (SWA)

GCHS DC Chihawk Maschas Dream Of The

Wildhunt BN RE FDC SC SWA SBE THDN
CGCA CGCU TKI ATT (B) HP40623502,
25-Mar-2011, Black & Tan, by GCHS
Aashtoria Wildhunt 4 Your I's Only RA
ROMX-C & CH Chihawk Stealing Home
JC ROM-C, br: Tami Marshall & Peggy
Marshall, ow: Valerie Holmes & G Ariel
Duncan & Ralph Jamison, 19-Sep-2021



Scent Work Buried Excellent (SBE)

GCHS DC Chihawk Maschas Dream Of The Wildhunt BN RE FDC SC SWA SBE THDN CGCA CGCU TKI ATT (B) HP40623502, 25-Mar-2011, Black & Tan, by GCHS Aashtoria Wildhunt 4 Your I's Only RA ROMX-C & CH Chihawk Stealing Home JC ROM-C, br: Tami Marshall & Peggy Marshall, ow: Valerie Holmes & G Ariel Duncan & Ralph Jamison, 18-Sep-2021
GCH DC Wild Hunt Quantum Singularity Of Ryhka BN RI FDC SC BCAT SWA SBE DEX DMA CGCA CGCU TKP (B) HP51414701, 27-May-2016, Sable Red, by GCHP Aashtoria Wildhunt Hidden Agenda CGCA ROMX-C & CH C'Lestial Xcelerator Of Ryhka, br: G Ariel Duncan & Diana Darling, ow: G Ariel Duncan & Valerie Holmes & Diana Darling, 18-Sep-2021

Canine Good Citizen (CGC)

Aria Absinthe Arion At Satara CGC TKN (D) HP59535208, 15-Jan-2020, 03-Aug-2021, Brindle, by CH Satara's Neon Tiger Of Ryhka SC & GCH Aria's I've Got Rhythm, br: Rita Rice & Kim Ketelsen & Sophia Linck, ow: Danielle Snyder Steenkamp, 03-Aug-2021
Aria's Fire Spirit Of Earth Sea SC CGC (B) HP52016603, 05-Jul-2016, Sable Gold, by GCHS DC Zoiboyz Encore SC FCH & CH Majenkir Red Caliente, br: Rita Rice, ow: Summer Jackson, 04-Sep-2021
Karanoff Zenobia CGC (B) HP61936508, 27-Dec-2020, 21-Jul-2021, Silver Sable, by CH Karanoff Areion & CH Horse And Hound Full Of Grace, br: Ray Gray & Karen Klein, ow: Randi Chylinski, 21-July-2021
Oxota Electric Storm CGC (D) HP59435505, 04-Dec-2019, Black & Brindle, by CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka RN SC CGC TKN ATT & FC Starswift Fv Saga SC, br: Leonore Abordo, ow: Ann-Marie Holmes, 02-Apr-2021
Paradise Spirit Stardust CGC (B) HP53307805, 25-Mar-2017, Cream, GCHG Konza-Plum Creek Bugatti At Elance ROMX-C & CH Konstantin's Summer Rain, br: Susan Motisi & Kristi Amquist, ow: Mary Anne Szollar, 17-Dec-2020
Satara's As You Wish TKN (D) HP58587708, 07-Oct-2019, Sable Red, stud book 01-Aug-2021, by Valeska Tashtigo & CH Satara's A Dustland Fairytale JC TKN, br: Danielle Steenkamp & Pieter Steenkamp, ow: Lorie Hunter, 10-Aug-2021
Topflight Khanzade Here Comes The Sun CGC (D) HP61717502, 25-Nov-2020, White,

by CH Gladkii Veter Once&Future King & Summerlane's Silver Maple@Topflight Khanzade, br: Suzanne Newsom & Katrina Averill & Beverly Bingham, ow: Suzanne Newsom & Katrina Averill, 12-May-2021
Topflight Twist And Shout CGC (B) HP61717501, 25-Nov-2020, White, by CH Gladkii Veter Once&Future King & Summerlane's Silver Maple@Topflight Khanzade, br: Suzanne Newsom & Katrina Averill & Beverly Bingham, ow: Suzanne Newsom, 18-Aug-2021

Advanced Canine Good Citizen (CGCA)

Karanoff Zenobia CGCA (B) HP61936508, 27-Dec-2020, Silver Sable, by CH Karanoff Areion & CH Horse And Hound Full Of Grace, br: Ray Gray & Karen Klein, ow: Randi Chylinski, 12-Sep-2021

Canine Good Citizen Urban (CGCU)

Satara's Just Right CGCU TKN (B) HP58587709, 07-Oct-2019, Gold, by Valeska Tashtigo & CH Satara's A Dustland Fairytale JC TKN, br: Danielle & Peter Steenkamp, ow: Stevie Tripple & Danielle Steenkamp, 27-Aug-2021

Trick Dog Novice (TKN)

Oxota Electric Storm CGC TKN (D) HP59435505, 04-Dec-2019, Black & Brindle, by CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka RN SC CGC TKN ATT & FC Starswift Fv Saga SC, br: Leonore Abordo, ow: Ann-Marie Holmes, 17-Sep-2021
Satara's Just Right CGCU TKN (B) HP58587709, 07-Oct-2019, Gold, by Valeska Tashtigo & CH Satara's A Dustland Fairytale JC TKN, br: Danielle & Peter Steenkamp, ow: Stevie Tripple & Danielle Steenkamp, 11-Aug-2021
Satara's Never Never CGC TKN (D) HP58587706, 07-Oct-2019, by Valeska Tashtigo & CH Satara's A Dustland Fairytale JC TKN, br: Danielle & Peter Steenkamp, ow: Mariah Underwood, 05-Aug-2021
Steppes Mojave Aster CGC TKN (D) HP58529810, 05-Jul-2019, Gold, by GCHB Tantezampe Kilimanjaro Trek At Rey & CH Steppes Baltic Amber, br: Monika Stachon & Robin Stachon, ow: Carly Blaughner, 25-Aug-2021
Valeska Stand By Me At Thunderhawk TKN (D) HP62305304, 05-Apr-2021, Red, Satara's As You Wish CGC TKN & Valeska I Lightly

Sparkle, br: Yvonne & Rey McGehee, ow: Lorie Hunter, 14-Sep-2021.

Trick Dog Intermediate (TKI)

Oxota Storm Chaser TKI (D) HP59435506, 04-Dec-2019, Black & Cream, by CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka RN SC CGC TKN ATT & FC Starswift Fv Saga SC, br: Leonore Abordo, ow: Cindy & Rick Wolpin, 24-Sep-2021

AKC Temperament Test (ATT)

Oxota I Am The Storm JC ATT (B) HP59435503, 04-Dec-2019, Brindle Sable, by CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka RN SC CGC TKN ATT & FC Starswift Fv Saga SC, br/ow: Leonore Abordo, 03-Sep-2021
CH Oxota Molodezovich Mintaka RN SC CGC TKN ATT (D) HP50194903, 11-Oct-2015, Brindle Sable, stud book 01-Jun-2020, by Russkaja Volnitsa Molodez II & GCH DC Oxota Avalon Switchblade RN SC CGC TKN FCH ROM, br/ow: Leonore Abordo, 03-Sep-2021
Southern Winds Princess Esmarelda Alia FCAT JC CGCA CAA FCAT THDA TKI ATT (B) HP48305306, 05-Oct-2014, Cream, by Halfords Sir Ivan Of Mangum & Southern Winds Kiska, br: Barbara Halford, ow: Charlotte Yealey, 03-Sep-2021
CH Spryfeat Ambitious Zander On The Run RN JC CAA DCAT RATN CGCA TKI ATT (D) HP53223804, 15-Apr-2017, Silver Brindle, by DC K-C Windsheer Wheel In The Sky SC & FC Silken Swift Shimmer In The Night MC LCX CGC FCH, br: Frank & Wendy Erdman, ow: Charlotte Yealey, 03-Sep-2021

Therapy Dog Novice (THDN)

CH Islehaven Sentinel CD BN RE FDC SWN SHDN THDN CGCA CGCU TKE (D) HP51081903, 04-Apr-2016, Black & Tan, by GCH Islehaven Camano & GCH Laureate Perchance To Dream At Islehaven, br: Phyllis Potter, ow: Linda Beisswenger, 30-Sep-2021

Farm Dog Certified (FDC)

CH MACH2 Hemlock Hollow's Journey To Rule Sixty-Two BN RN FDC JC MXG MJG MJP DJ DN CGCA CGCU TKA ATT (B) HP48679406, 5-Dec-2014, Silver Sable, by CH Aashtoria Aruzia Java Chip ROM-C & GCH Borscana Melissa Loveletter BN RE JC OAJ OJP ROMX-C, br: Christine Danker & Lorrie Scott, ow: Lou Avant & Colleen Allen, 17-Apr-2021 §

“Vigow”



MBIS MBISS RBIS GCHG MAJENKIR BOOKSTOR SPELLBINDER

Bred and owned by Karen Staudt-Cartabona, Karen Spey & Howard Spey MD.

**Vigow was # 1 All Systems 2020 and
#1 All Breed (through Oct) & #1 Breed (through Sept 2021)**

Vigow is the sire of CH & major-pointed get, including
MBISS RBIS GCHS JUSTART STATUS SYMBOL “JACK” • #3 Borzoi All Systems
owned by Shigeru Iwakiri, co-owned & co-bred by Justine Spiers & Karen Staudt-Cartabona.

BCOA 2021 Open Field Coursing

for BCOA member-owned Borzoi January 1 to October 31, 2021

Submitted by Karen Ackerman

NOFCA Top Ten

1	Avalon Perlova Ready Set Go, Margot, L. Turner	39.5
2	Ch. Kachina All For Love, CC,CM, Kindle, L. Turner/C. Enz	38.0
3	K-C Windsheer Trial By Fire JC, Deedee, C. Enz/ D. Mills	15.0
4	Ch. Oxota RiverRun Khatanga RunTuff,CGC,SC,TKN,RN,JSR, Kanga, L. Abordo/K. Smith	10.0
5	Perlova Avalon Giddy Up Go, CC,CM , Giddy, L/K Paintin	7.5
6	Kirov Kachina Porsche Turbo Carrera, Porsche, E. Enz. B. Ewing	5.0
7	BIF FC Oxota Molodezovna Saiph, CGC, JC, RN, SC, Saiph, K. Smith/L. Abordo.....	2.5
7	Aria Absinthe Spirit in the Sky, Sky, Turner	2.5

With regard to the top ten for open field coursing, these ratings only reflect those BCOA members participating in NOFCA hunts. Results are based on NOFCA News website covering hunts held from January 1, 2021 through January 31, 2021, inclusive. Submit any corrections to Karen M. Ackerman, PO Box 507, Upton, Wyoming 82730.

NACA

Since the beginning of 2021, 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.

Katashka's Starfire at Cherry Hill, Nala, K. Plache

CH. Téine Zharkov Feliks At Phoenix, Felixx, P/J. Schreiber

Majenkir Bookstor Artful Lass at Varykino, Lyra, W/K Ackerman & K.Staudt-Cartabona

Valeska Radiant Soul, Razboi, R. & Y. McGehee

Valeska Soulful Dress, Silk, R. & Y. McGehee

Valeska A Thousand Kisses Deep, Ataman, R. & Y. McGehee

The points were earned at hunts held between January 1, 2021 and October 31, 2021. These results were submitted by Linda Sanders, NACA Recorder. Please submit any corrections to Karen M. Ackerman, PO Box 507, Upton, Wyoming 82730.

BCOA 2021 Junior Showmanship Statistics

January 1, 2021 to October 31, 2021

Barbara Tyler Lord - BCOA Junior Showman Chair, Warwindfarm@gmail.com. As per Canine Chronicle

Lila Holberg - 263 points
Raina McCloskey - 124 points
Emily Wendland - 49 points
Leah Graham - 34 points
Faith Rogers - 12 points

Hannah McCloskey - 6 points
Sophia Chestnut - 6 points
Hailey Gillotti - 5 points
Elise Patti - 3 points
Skylar Sowiecki - 3 points

Note to ALL BCOA Club Members and Juniors: Please reach out to me privately with any contact information you may have for any of the above listed Junior handlers currently not listed as BCOA club members. I will use this information to reach out to the non-club member junior handlers handling Borzoi in AKC junior showmanship competition and invite them and their families to join the Borzoi Club of America.



CH Sylvan Elance Summerlane Dark Opal (left) CH Avalon Perlova MHD Bad Case of Lovin You JC

Basil and Wren earned their championships in style - both finishing on the same day! We are looking forward to what the future holds for these two!

Basil's Breeders: Patti & Chris Neale, Anne Quinn & Cherie Hunchak

Wren's Breeders: Javier Ocasio, Leigh Paintin & Sandra Moore

Sky Run Winter Nova
Seabury's Celtic Warrior
Vernor View Christy

Sire: Sylvan Seabury Virago

Seabury's Chrisma
JAY Seabury JP Affectionately
Seabury's Lauralei

Oaklara Espresso
Borzowski's Phenomenon
Borzowski's Hillary Hope
Dam: Sylvan Elance Summerlane's Limelight
Steppelands Final Mikhail of Abidjan
Sylvan Pewter Gazelle
Sylvan Vitrina Finian's Rainbow

Zharkov Quest For Fire
Avalon Victorian Pyre

Avalon Polychromatic
Sire: Oxota RiverRun Tangmalangaloo Avalon

Aragorn's Barron GL Jedediah
Valinor's Circuit de Monaco at RiverRun
Mechta's LX at Mustang

WindnSatin Ty Slezi of Zemny
Avalon WNS Rising Sun
Avalon Rumor of Angels
Dam: Avalon Dolce Tigrecilla Willowind
SilkenSwift Blaze's Dark Fire
Avalon Tigress In The Dark
Stillwater British Echo

Owner: Emily Killian • emilykillian0907@gmail.com

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 23

LGRA Race Meet

Sunday, April 24

AFSA Lure Trial

Monday, April 25

AKC Lure
Obedience/Rally Workshop

Tuesday, April 26

Rally & Obedience Trials
Futurity

Wednesday, April 27

Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes
Health Clinics
Health Dinner Seminar

Thursday, April 28

Triathlon, Altered, &
Dog Classes
Dual Champion Stakes
Member Education Seminar

Friday, April 29

Bitch Classes
Annual Meeting & Luncheon
CGC/CGCA/CGCU Testing
Auction

Saturday, April 30

Veteran & Brace Classes
Junior Showmanship Classes
Pee Wee & Toddler Classes
Best of Breed
Stud Dog & Brood Bitch Classes
Awards Banquet

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From The BCOA Archives

Showing Borzoi in 1955

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I. Registrations, Numbers of Entries, Point Scales

There were 153 Borzoi registered in 1955. (There were 142 Borzoi registered in 1954). Borzoi were ranked 65th out of 112 breeds in registrations. Beagles were number 1 in registrations with 55,091 registered. There were 402 all-breed shows, with a total of 549 Borzoi entries, ranking Borzoi 50th, in number of entries. Cocker spaniels were the number 1 breed with 13,987 total entries. Borzoi were shown in 177 shows winning four group 1, twelve group 2, twelve group 3, and fifteen group 4 (per a BCOA report). 15 Borzoi finished their Championships in 1955, compared to 12 in 1954. There were 388 obedience trials, 21 tracking tests and 525 field trials. Five Borzoi finished CD titles and one Borzoi finished the CDX title. Obedience entries increased for all breeds, with the largest increase in the Novice A classes (which is for owners who have never earned a CD). The breeds with the largest entries in obedience were German Shepherd Dogs, cocker spaniels and collies.

Point Scales. In May 1955, the country was divided into five regions: East/North, South/West, the Pacific Northwest (WA OR ID MT UT WY NE ND SD), California and Hawaii. For all regions, the points for Borzoi were set at the minimum:

- 2 dogs or 2 bitches for 1 point.
- 3 dogs or 3 bitches for 2 points.
- 4 dogs or 4 bitches for 3 points.
- 5 dogs or 5 bitches for 4 points.
- 6 dogs or 6 bitches for 5 points.

The AKC Gazette listed over 900 AKC Licensed Handlers. The 1955 AKC Gazettes published ads for winners at shows, new champions and, by breed, kennel ads for puppies and stud service. Under Borzoi were kennel ads for Mrs. E Louise Clark, Sleeping Bear Borzoi, Glen Arbor, MI; Andrew J Cunningham, Frontier Borzoi, Buffalo, NY; Weldon McCluskey, Baronoff Borzoi, Woodbury, NJ; and Mrs. Marion Woodcock, Suntan Borzoi, San Gabriel, CA.

A few shows had one set of classes for Borzoi, with dogs and bitches shown together. Only one Borzoi was awarded Winners and earned the points. There was no Best of Winners awarded. To determine points, the number of non-champion dogs and bitches were added together. So an entry of 2 dogs and 2 bitches (non-champions) got the one winner a 3 point major. BOB and BOS were awarded. At the same show, a few other "low entry" breeds had just one set of classes, with dogs and bitches shown together. One has to assume that the show premium would have listed

which breeds would have the dog and bitch classes combined. For all shows, when a class dog or class bitch beat a champion for BOB or BOS, the class animal did not get any extra points (unlike today's rules).

II. Borzoi Show Results

Borzoi Club of California Specialty January 22, 1955, held with the Golden Gate Kennel Club. 1237 dogs in the all-breed show. 7 class dogs, 6 class bitches, 1 champion shown to Borzoi judge Louis Murr.

9-12 MONTHS PUPPY DOGS

- 1 Corps de Ballet Igor, Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth I Schwartz Sr
- 2 Corps de Ballet Anton, Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth I Schwartz Sr

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

- 1 RESERVE, WINNERS DOG Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine, H36617, by Ardagan of Alpine CD x Ch Uda Adams, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter, owner Lyle and Phydema Gillette
- 2 Osip Petrovich of Alpine CD, H245626, P J Geer

OPEN DOGS

- 1, WINNERS DOG (5 points) Sointce Petrovitch of Alpine H153505, by Ch Ataman of Alpine x Ch Uda Adams, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter, owner Mrs. A N (Dixie) Bilodeau
- 2 Chief Winemusso, C & E Luhr
- 3 Yermaks Polkan of Alpine, Carla Alioshin

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

- 1 Princess Zorka of Marbob, Marie L Whitney
- 2 Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine, H356618 by Ardagan of Alpine CD x Ch Uda Adams, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter owner Lyle & Phydema Gillette
- 3 Prima Ballerina de Ballet, Mrs. C W Luhr

OPEN BITCHES

- 1, WINNERS BITCH (5 points; pictured) Zcerlov's Zanoza O'Perchinoff, H332993 by Ch Rubles Perchinoff x Ch Lady Bolshoi, breeder Charles Colstad, owner Martha L Taylor
- 2 Miss Chanel of Sleeping Bear H272303 by Ch Nicholas of Sleeping Bear x Ch Musidora, breeder Major and Mrs.





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H96004 x Markina of Mantavani, breeder/owner Mrs. G C
Potter

BEST OF BREED

(pictured)
Ch Walzoff
Perchinoff (D)
born 1950 by Ch
Rubles Perchino
x Ch Lady of
Bolshoi ,breeder
Charles Colstad,
owner Mrs.
Martha L Taylor
**BEST OF,
WINNERS**
Sointee



Petrovitch of Alpine

BEST OPPOSITE SEX Zcerlov's Zanoza O'Perchinoff

*Westminster Kennel Club, February 14-15, 1955, 2035 dogs
in the all-breed show. 1 class dog, 2 class bitches, 1 champion
shown to judge Mrs. S Day.*

OPEN DOG

1, **WINNERS DOG** (no points) Djumber von Bergland, (German
import) June 3, 1954 by Ch Asmalady von Merdody x Ch
Banjani von Bergland, breeder Hanna Muller, owners Mr. and
Mrs. C R DeCraene Jr

PUPPY BITCH

1 **RESERVE, WINNERS BITCH** Swanlake Kasma of Malora,
Beatrice Losinger

OPEN BITCH

1 **BEST OPPOSITE SEX/WINNERS BITCH** (1 point) Strodes
Natasha of Millvale, H D Vaz and D Chanade

BEST OF BREED Ch Dostoevsky of Fleetstone (D) Mrs. A J
Brock

*MIDWEST BORZOI CLUB SPECIALTY with the International
Kennel Club of Chicago, April 2-3, 1955, 1894 dogs at the all-
breed show. 14 class dogs, 9 class bitches, 5 champions shown to
judge A Rosenberg.*

PUPPY DOGS, 6-9 months

1 Black Knight of Whiskey Run, Russell O Everhart
2 Black Jade of Whiskey Run, Lewis H Godfrey
3 Bold Venture of Sleeping Bear, L Goeke

PUPPY DOGS, 9-12 months

1 White Horse of Whiskey Run, by Mr. Guy of Sleeping Bear x
Ziada of Whiskey Run CD, breeder/owner Lewis Godfrey

BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS

1 Zabu of Twin Elms, H276788 by Zork of Twin Elms x Nadja of
Twin Elms CD, breeder/owner Gordon & Sylvia Sohr
2 The Golden Hawk of Malora, Eileen Worthing

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

1 Kosssch Marinsky of Malora, M A & J M Rasmussen
2 Jaguar Jehan of Malora, by Barinoff Ambassador x Lucky

Lady of Barnaigh, breeder Eileen
Worthing, owner Mrs. Russell G
(Cheoh) Everhart.

3 Kimita Kazan of Malora CD H343656

by Barinoff Ambassador x Lucky Lady of Barnaigh, breeder
Eileen Worthing, owner Beatrice Losinger

4 Electras Vega of Kashan, Claire E Anderson

OPEN DOGS

1, **WINNERS DOG** (5 points) Winjones Oosslad, H D Vaz
2 **RESERVE, WINNERS DOG** Malora Timur Sian of Twin
Elms H391573 by Timur Petrovich O'River Ranch x Malora's
Kolpista of Marbob, owner Sylvia Sohr

3 Tobolzkoi Krasnoje Selo (import Holland) H480600 by
Polongai Porchai Krasnoje Selo x Kaskade V Silberhof,
breeder Mr. Van Der Molen, owner Dr Hans J Mueller

4 Boi of Rolling Meadows, H339957 by Ch Kuzjani of Millvale
x Sari, owner Mrs. John (Harriet) Lindsey

PUPPY BITCHES, 9 – 12 months

1 Swanlake Kasma of Malora H432658, Beatrice Losinger

2 Dimity and Lace of Whiskey Run, Lewis H Godfrey

NOVICE BITCH

1 Firebird of Malora H430091 by Barinoff Ambassador x Lucky
Lady of Barnaigh, breeder Eileen Worthing, owner Russell O
Everhart

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES

1 Mona Lisa of Vala Rama Farm, Dr C H Conally

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

1 Kylie Kuana of Malora H379929, owner Beatrice Losinger

OPEN BITCHES

1, **WINNERS BITCH** (5 points) Winjones Jewel, Mary Taviner
2 **RESERVE, WINNERS BITCH** Fast And Furious of Sleeping
Bear, Mr. & Mrs. H Mackl

3 Kotlas of Mettler Hobby Farm , Mr. & Mrs. M Heller

4 Vigowa Krasnoje Selo (import Holland), breeder Mr. Van Der
Molen, owner Dr H J Mueller

BEST OF BREED Ch Winjones Janda (D) (import England),
owner Mary Taviner

BEST OF, WINNERS Winjones Oosslad

BEST OPPOSITE SEX Ch Zelda Shaun of Malora CD (B)
H331351 by Barinoff Ambassador x Lucky Lady of Barnaigh,
breeder Eileen Worthing, owner Beatrice Losinger

*Borzoi Club of California Specialty May 21-22, 1955, held with
the Beverly Riviera Kennel Club show in Santa Monica, CA.
939 dogs at the all-breed show. 14 class dogs, 11 class bitches, 6
champions shown to judge Mrs. B H Godsol.*

PUPPY DOGS 6-9 months

1 Yermaks Rurick H447699 November 18, 1954 by Mythe
Ivanoff of Alpine x Ch Zvezba Petrovna of Alpine, breeder
Carla Alioshin, owner Mr. & Mrs. Sidney W Cox

2 Yermaks Tuman, H447695, November 18, 1954 by Mythe
Ivanoff of Alpine x Ch Zvezba Petrovna of Alpine, breeder
Carla Alioshin, owners Mrs. G C Potter and Carla Alioshin

PUPPY DOG 9-12 months

1 Vrozyats Ivanovich of Alpine, P J Geer





BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS

- 1 Zlato ORiver Ranch H241877 by Ch Atamen of Alpine x Donna Marie of Malora, breeder/owner Mrs. A N (Dixie) Bilodeau
- 2 Bur Mars Vladimir of Suntan, breeder/owners Burton & Marie Norbury

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

- 1 Llebasis Rushan Vodka H236620 by Ch Volk O'Baron's Wood x Ch Bellona of Rydens, breeder/owner Isabell Walton
- 2 Sasha of Sundra, by Ch Midtfn's Boja x Ch Gandil (import from Denmark), owner J & H Sundt
- 3 Boris of Sleeping Bear, M B Blanton
- 4 Bur Mars Zaretaki of Suntan, Mr. & Mrs. E J Neuman

OPEN DOGS

- 1, WINNERS DOG (5 points) Marbob's Don Kazan of Malora H473133 by Barinoff Ambassador x Lucky Lady of Barnaigh, breeder Eileen Worthing, owner Mrs. Marie L Whitney
- 2 RESERVE, WINNERS DOG, Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine H36617 by Ardagan of Alpine CD x Ch Uda Adams, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter, owner Lyle and Phydella Gillette
- 3 Rasboi of Sundra, J & H Sundt
- 4 Suntans Marloff of Alpine, W L Kelley

PUPPY BITCHES 9-12 months

- 1 Ruslana of Marbob, J G Nelson

NOVICE BITCHES

- 1 Zabava of Alpine, breeder Mrs. G C Potter, owner Mr. & Mrs. W L Kelley
- 2 Babochka of Suntan, B M Gentry

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH

- 1 Malinki Kukla of Suntan H407971 by Ch Mythe Mazeppa of Alpine x Ch Bellona of Rydens, breeder/owner William and Marion Woodcock

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

- 1 RESERVE, WINNERS BITCH Garsova Ivanova of Alpine H403524 by Mythe Ivanoff of Alpine x Ch Uda Adams, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter owner Lyle and Phydella Gillette
- 2 Golupka of Alpine H277857 by Ch Saturn Petrovitch of Alpine x Ch Uda Adams, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter, owner Dorothy Harris
- 3 Mariska of Suntan by Eng Am Dan Ch Mythe Mazeppa of Alpine x Am Ch Bellona of Rydens, breeders/owners Mr. & Mrs. William H Woodcock
- 4 Princess Zorka of Marbob, Mrs. Marie Whitney

OPEN BITCHES

- 1, WINNERS BITCH (5 points) Gradina of Grador H276816 by Ch Atamen of Alpine x Krasina of Hensey Hobby Farm, owner Miss Dorothy Harris
- 2 Miss Jet of Sleeping Bear H272304 by Ch Nicholas of Sleeping Bear x Ch Musidora, breeder Major and Mrs. Chester J Clark, owner Mrs. Mae Blanton

BEST OF BREED Ch Walzoff Perchinoff (D) born 1950 by Ch Rubles Perchino x Ch Lady of Bolshoi breeder Charles Colstad owner Mrs. Martha L Taylor

BEST OF, WINNERS Gradina of Grador

BEST OPPOSITE SEX Ch Mythe Marova of Alpine H201834 by Ch Atamen of Alpine x Markina of Mantavani, owner Mrs. G

Clifton Potter

Morris & Essex Kennel Club show in Madison, NJ, June 2, 1955, 2077 dogs in the all-breed show. 3 class dog, 4 class bitches, 2 champions shown to judge Perry Roberts.

PUPPY DOG

- 1 RESERVE, WINNERS DOG Yelmorb Kolchak H499379 by Oregar x Ursula, owner E M Bromley

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

- 1, WINNERS DOG (2 points) Bolshoi's Igor of Briargate, Mrs. J P Walls
- 2 Meyers Kamenoff, C R Hinchin

PUPPY BITCHES

- 1 Martina, Mrs. M E Taft
- 2 Nadja, Mrs. M E Taft

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

- 1, WINNERS BITCH (3 points) Mazar Zorka of Pavlov Crest H261137 by CH Khan of Romanoff x Ch Mazar Lubov of Pavlov Crest, breeder/owner Robert G Beck

OPEN BITCHES

- 1 RESERVE, WINNERS BITCH Lisa Denton H334597, April 2, 1953 by Ivan's Georgi Zhukov x Platina Adams, breeder Ellen E Chambers, owner Mrs. Lawrence (Erma) Denton
- BEST OF BREED Ch Dostoevsky of Fleetstone, Mrs. A J Brock
- BEST OF, WINNERS/BEST OPPOSITE SEX Mazar Zorka of Pavlov Crest

Borzoi Club of America Specialty September 11, 1955, held at the Westchester Kennel Club all-breed show in Rye, NY, 1799 dogs at the all-breed show. 8 class dogs, 8 class bitches, 2 champions shown to judge George G Brooks.

PUPPY DOGS

- 1 Yelmorb Kolchak, H499379 by Oregar x Ursula, owner R Bromley

AMERICAN BRED DOGS

- 1 Bolshoi's Igor of Briargate, Mrs. James P Walls

OPEN DOGS

- 1, WINNERS DOG (5 points) Donaij v Schurtannen, (German import) breeder Peter Kaurps, owner Howard G Anderson
- 2 RESERVE, WINNERS DOG Dark Star of Sleeping Bear, H335105 by Abernant x Ch Natasha of Sleeping Bear breeder Chester and Louise Clark, owner Mr. & Mrs. Henry Mackl
- 3 Winjones Paskoss, H D Vaz
- 4 Amurat v Merdody, H594632 May 28, 1951 (import Germany) by Ch Anselmi v Smoorenburg x Antje v Urbanshof, breeder Frau Charlotte Merdody owner C R DeCraene Sr

PUPPY BITCH

- 1 Arlekeen of Frontier, H475495, February 5, 1955-, by Saiga of Grador x Miss Mythe of Sleeping Bear, breeder Andrew Cunningham, owner Lorraine M. Groshans

BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCH

- 1 Nijinsky of Baronoff, H497300, September 5, 1954, by Ch Mazar Lustik of Pavlov Crest x Neuhoff's Roxanna of Millvale, breeder/owner Weldon J & Katherine E McCluskey

AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

- 1 Ludmilla OBarons Wood, Melissa M Cokefair



2 Neuhoff's Roxanna of Millvale, by Sverkai of Millvale x Orel II of Millvale, Weldon J & Katherine E McCluskey

3 Minka of Pavlov Crest, G E & R J Tafflock

OPEN BITCHES

1, WINNERS BITCH (5 points) Lisa Denton H334597, April 2, 1953 by Ivan's Georgi Zhukov x Platina Adams, breeder Ellen E Chambers, owner Mrs. Lawrence (Erma) Denton

2 RESERVE, WINNERS BITCH Mazar Zorka of Pavlov Crest, H261137 by CH Khan of Romanoff x Ch Mazar-Lubov of Pavlov Crest, breeder/owner Robert G Beck

3 Fast and Fair of Sleeping Bear, H272301 by Ch Nicholas of Sleeping Bear x Ch Musidora, breeder Chester & Louise Clark, owner Mr. & Mrs. Henry Mackh

BEST OF BREED

(pictured) Ch Rachmaninoff H298873 November 27, 1951 by Nayan of Romanoff x Neuhoff's Roxanna of Millvale breeder/owner: Katherine & Weldon McCluskey



BEST OF WINNERS

Donaij v Schurtannen

BEST OPPOSITE SEX Lisa Denton

III. New Titles in 1955 (Conformation and Obedience)

In 1955 for new Champions, the AKC only published registered name, registration number, the sire and dam with their registration numbers, and the stud book dates. There are no stud book dates for the sire and dam of imported dogs. The AKC Stud Book was first published in 1953, so dogs and bitches who had produced their first litter prior to 1953 do not have a stud book date. For Obedience titles, the AKC only published the registered name and registration number.

Champion

Ch Corps De Ballet Fouette (B) H311783 (title 9-1955) by Ch Atamen of Alpine H96004 x Nebeca Patrovna of Alpine H153512, breeder/owner Randi L Ete.

Ch Golupka of Alpine (B) H277857 (title 7-1955) (stud book 4-56) by Ch Saturn Petrovitch of Alpine H153509 x Ch Uda Adams H55322, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter, owner Dorothy Harris.

Ch Gradina of Grador (B) H276816 (title 5-1955) by Ch Atamen of Alpine H96004 x Krasina of Hensey Hobby Farm H162452, breeder/owner Dorothy Harris.

Ch Katherine of Ladoga (B) H103371 (title 9-1955) by Boi

A724338 x Pola of Ladoga A717374, owner Henry Mackh.

Ch Lady Malora of Marbob (B)

H346753 (title 7-1955) by Damon's Zander of Marbob H151883 x Anninka of Twin Elms H35459, owner Beatrice Losinger.

Ch Malora Timur Sian of Twin Elms (D) H391573 (title 5-1955) by Timur Petrovich O'River Ranch H157617 x Malora's Kolpista of Marbob H151831, owner Sylvia Sohr.

Ch Mazar Lubim of Pavlov Crest (B) H261133 (title 5-1955) by Ch Khan of Romanoff H74895 x Ch Mazar-Lubov of Pavlov Crest H113859, breeder/owner Robert G Beck.

Ch Mythe Marova of Alpine (B) H201834 (title 4-1955) by Ch Atamen of Alpine H96004 x Markina of Mantavani H36082, breeder/owner Mrs. G Clifton Potter.

Ch Rachmaninoff (D) H298873 (title 4-1955) November 27, 1951 by Nayan of Romanoff H163326 x Neuhoff's Roxanna of Millvale H110257 breeder/owners Weldon J and Katherine E. McCluskey.

Ch Sointce Petrovitch of Alpine (D) H153505 (title 1-1955) by Ch Ataman of Alpine H96004 x Ch Uda Adams H55322, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter, owner Mrs. A N (Dixie) Bilodeau.

Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine (D) H356617 (title 10-1955) by Ardagan of Alpine CD H96005 x Ch Uda Adams H55322, breeder Mrs. G Clifton Potter owner Lyle and Phydema Gillette.

Ch Suntans Malchik of Alpine (D) H221939 (title 11-1955) by Ch Haljean's Nicholai Petrovich A972319 x Malora's Klaudia of Alpine H127853, owner D Spratlin.

Ch Winjones Lebid (D) (English import) H231076 (title 4-1955) by Winjones Ermolai x Winjones Bistri, owner E Edinger.

Ch Zcerlov's Zanoza O'Perchinoff (B) H332993 (title 1-1955) by Ch Rubles Perchinoff H97270 x Ch Lady Bolshoi H14053, breeder Charles Colstad, owner Martha L Taylor.

Ch Zonazo Perchinoff CD (D) H332992 (Ch title 4-1955, CD title 10-1954) by Ch Rubles Perchino H97270 x Ch Lady of Bolshoi H14053, breeder Charles Colstad, owner Miss Jane Forry.

Companion Dog

Kassar of Whiskey Run CD, H421335 (CD title 1-1955) by Ch Jascha A922883 x Scheherazade of Kenywild H92449, owner J C Robbins.

Marbobs Toniscott of Malora CD (B) H473136 (CD title 10-1955) owners James E & Elizabeth Y Forry.



Osip Petrovich of Alpine CD (D) H245626 (CD title 12-1955), P J Geer.

Zabu of Twin Elms CD (D) H276788 (CD title 4-1955) by Zork of Twin Elms H242078 x Nadja of Twin Elms CD H185789, breeder/owner Gordon & Sylvia Sohr.

Ziada of Whiskey Run Hill CD, H320778 (CD title 1-1955) (stud book 3-55) by Ch Jascha A922883 x Scheherazade of Kenywild H92449, owner Lewis H Godfrey.

Companion Dog Excellent

Shandra Shari of Malora CDX (B) H309028 (CD title 4-54, CDX title 11-1955) (stud book 9-54) by Ch Shandhu the Shadow of Malora A947193 x Uhlanita of Ashtonia H62202, breeder Eileen Worthing, owners Dr & Mrs. John L Rendall.

IV News (club news, litters, Borzoi purchased, wins

The BCOA meeting minutes, written by secretary Erma Denton, have been summarized and combined with Erma Denton's comments about the meetings' topics in her AKC *Gazette* columns.

BCOA special board meeting, January 29, 1955, held at the office of Arnold Block, New York City. This meeting was called in response to 3 letters from Arnold Block, Erma Denton and Weldon McCluskey, because of the resignation of Chester Clark from the nominating committee. Present at this meeting were Arnold Block, Erma Denton and Weldon McCluskey, which was a quorum. It was agreed that Erma Denton replace Chester Clark on the nominating committee. Membership applications were received and approved, for Leonard Tamboer, Peterson, NJ and Donald Knode, New York, NY.

BCOA annual membership meeting, February 15, 1955, held at the Hotel Piccadilly, New York City. Mr. Block, vice president, called the meeting to order. Present were Mr. Herbhold, Mr. & Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Hilsmier, Miss Losinger, Mr. Murr, Mr. Knode, Mr. DeCraene, Mr. Adee, Mr. McCluskey and Mrs. Denton. Applications for membership were approved for Miss Beatrice Losinger, Swan Lake Kennel, Scandia, MN; Mr. Michael Hilsmier and Mrs. Nellie Wood Hilsmier, Woodhill Kennel, Ft Wayne, IN. Mr. Block appointed Donald Knode and Weldon McCluskey to a Special Committee to prepare revisions of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Club. The report of the Nominating Committee was presented. Mr. Herbhold objected to the manner in which the ballots were sent out this year, saying they should have contained the Constitutional amendment concerning write-in votes. The secretary read from the minutes of the May 23, 1953 meeting that "a motion was made, seconded and passed to change the By-Laws of the Club to permit election of officers by mailed, sealed ballots. The ballots contain a single slate as prepared by the nominating committee with sufficient space included for write in votes." Mr. Block said there

was no provision made that required the Amendment be include on the ballots. Mrs. Denton stated that the gentleman who was objecting to the ballots had put every obstacle he could in the way of the nominating committee, so that by the time they finished their work, there was barely enough time to get the ballots out and returned from distant points in time to be counted at the Annual Meeting. There were 31 ballots received. Mr. Block appointed Mr. Herbhold and Mr. McCluskey to count the ballots. Number of votes were:
President: Mr. Arnold J Brock - 20

Mr. Louis Murr - 9 (write-in votes)
First Vice President: Mr. Chester Adee - 29
Second Vice President: Mrs. Marion Woodcock - 31
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. Erma Denton - 31
Delegate to the AKC: Mr. Richard A E Herbhold - 29
Board of Governors: Weldon McCluskey - 29, James P Walls - 28, Clarence R DeCraene - 29, Henry Mackh - 28.
Mr. Block asked if there were any objections to the election. There were none. Therefore, the slate, as presented by the Nominating Committee, was duly elected. Mr. Block announced that the Specialty would be held September 11, 1955 in conjunction with the Westchester Kennel Club at Rye, NY.

BCOA board meeting, March 27, 1955, held after the judging of Borzoi at the Kennel Club of Northern New Jersey all-breed show in Teaneck, NJ. Present were Arnold Block, Erma Denton, Weldon McCluskey, Chester Adee, Clarence DeCraene, James Walls. The treasurer's report was approved with a balance of \$745.01. Erma Denton received a request from the Daily News in St John's, Newfoundland, for a photograph of a Borzoi for use in their column on dogs. The Board asked Mr. Brock to send a photograph of Ch Dostoievsky of Fleetstone. There was no report from the Committee on By-Laws Revision. There was a report from the Specialty Committee about the lack of trophy pledges. The secretary was asked to mail a reminder to members to contribute to the trophy fund. The Board voted to offer \$5 cash to the Best of Breed winner at one specialty each year, held by the branch clubs (Mid-West Borzoi Club and Borzoi Club of California).

BCOA board meeting, June 2, 1955, held after the judging of Borzoi at the Morris and Essex show in Madison, NJ. Present were Arnold Block, Erma Denton, Chester Adee, and James Walls. The following applications were approved: Mrs. James (Elizabeth) Forry, Santa Monica, CA; Miss Dorothy Harris, Escondido, CA; and Robert Beck, Livingston, NJ. Mr. Block appointed Mr. Adee to prepare the advertising for the Specialty show catalogue. Mr. Block appointed Mr. Adee to serve on the By-Laws Revisions Committee with Mr. Knode and Mc McCluskey. It was decided to hold a general meeting September 11 after the specialty show to consider the revisions to the By-Laws, and to consider the request by the Denlinger publishing company that the club prepare a manuscript for the firm to publish as the official book for the Borzoi. The AKC has approved the club's Annual Specials (the club's annual awards). The let-



ter to the AKC stated that "the Borzoi Club of America offers to Members only, to be competed for during the year 1955, the following Annual Specials - Sterling Silver Trophy For Best of Breed, Sterling Silver Trophy For Best of Opposite Sex, Sterling Silver Trophy for Best American Bred. Best of Breed Trophy will be awarded to the owner of the Borzoi, dog or bitch, accumulating the greatest number of points (AKC rating) by virtue of being placed Best of Breed or higher. If the dog or bitch awarded Best of Breed is already a champion of record, that dog or bitch will be credited with the number of points it would have been awarded had it been entered in a regular class. Best of Opposite Sex Trophy will be awarded to the owner of the Borzoi, dog or bitch, of opposite sex to the Best of Breed winner, accumulating the greatest number of points (AKC rating). These points are not based on Best of Breed awards. Best America Bred Trophy will be awarded to the owner of the Borzoi, dog or bitch, placing first in the American Bred Class the greatest number of times. In case of a tie, championship points acquired during the year will determine the winner. The above Specials, offered at all shows held under AKC regulations, are void if won by dog or bitch owned by non-members."

BCOA general meeting, September 11, 1955, held after the judging of Borzoi at the Westchester Kennel Club show in Rye, NY. Present were Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Block, Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence (Erma) Denton, Chester Adee, Mr. & Mrs. Weldon McCluskey, Mr. & Mrs. Oliver Alden, Mrs. Grace Dusenbury, Mr. C R DeCraene Sr, Mr. C R DeCraene Jr, Robert Beck and James Walls. Membership applications were approved for Private First Class & Mrs. Benson Saler, New York, NY; David Brueggemann, Milwaukee, WI; Mrs. Carama Chantler, Iskra Kennels Shreveport, LA; Arthur Sweet, Los Angeles, CA and Howard G Anderson, New York, NY. Mr. Adee reported that the report from the Committee on By-Laws Revisions was not complete and will be presented to the membership at the February 1956 general meeting. Erma Denton read the letter from the Denlinger publishing company concerning the specifications for the proposed Borzoi book. A motion was made, seconded and the members voted unanimously to proceed with this project. Mr. Brock appointed Mr. Adee and Mrs. Denton to assist him as the Book Committee to prepare the manuscript.

BCOA board meeting, October 28, 1955, held at the offices of the AKC in New York City. Present were Arnold Block, Erma Denton, Mr. C R DeCraene Sr, Chester Adee and Weldon McCluskey. The membership applications were approved for Mrs. Hedwig Horstig, Flushing, NY and Stephen Lewis, Ithaca, NY. Upon receipt of a letter from the Westminster Kennel Club asking for a trophy donation, the board voted to donate a sterling silver trophy for Borzoi Best of Breed at the 1956 show. After hearing the report of the Bench Show Committee, the board voted to hold the 1956 Specialty in conjunction with the Westchester Kennel Club show. Mr. Block appointed Mr. McCluskey show chairman assisted by Mr. DeCraene Sr as Trophy Chairman. Mrs. Denton reported that the Book Committee had received an offer from Mrs. Mary Taviner to write the chapter on the Breed in

Foreign Countries. The Board voted to accept the offer with the provision that the completed work be subject to the approval of the Book Committee. Mrs. Denton suggested the following people be selected to serve on the Nominating Committee: Chester Adee, Weldon McCluskey and C R DeCraene Sr. Each member of the committee was voted upon separately and no member participated in his own selection. The Nominating Committee selected was unanimously approved by the Board of Governors.

BCOA Annual Awards for 1955, presented at the February 1956 membership meeting. For Best of Breed wins: CH Walzoff Perchinoff, owner Mrs. Martha L Taylor. For Best Opposite Sex wins: Ch Zcerlov's Zanoza O'Perchinoff, owner Mrs. Martha L Taylor. For the most wins in the American Bred class: Bolshoi's Igor of Briargate, owner Mrs. J P Walls.

1955 BCOA members, as of October 1955

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Mrs. Carla Alioshin, Sacramento, CA
Mrs. Henry Allison, Delaware, NJ
Howard G Anderson, New York, NY
Robert Beck, Livingston, NJ
Mrs. A N (Dixie) Bilodeau, Madera, CA
Donald Bovaird, Bradford, PA
Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Brock, Scarsdale, NY
David Brueggemann, Milwaukee, WI
Mrs. Carama Chantler, Shreveport, LA
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Miss Suzanne de Castel, Washington, DC
Clarence R DeCraene, Sr., Hazlet, NJ
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Mrs. Edna Hillgemyer, East St Louis, IL
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Miss Beatrice Losinger, Scandia, MN
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Pueblo, CO, Miss Iris Lorraine Miller, Omaha, NE; Donald
Spratlin, Littleton, CO, Mrs. Isabell Walton, Laytonville, CA;
Mrs. Robert (Marie) Whitney, San Jose, CA; Kenneth & Edythe
Schwartz, Colusa, CA.

Mid-West Borzoi Club

Officers: President: Henry Mackh, Wayne, IL; First Vice-
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Margarite Martinson, Marysville, New Brunswick, Canada. Mr.
& Mrs. Henry Mackh, Wayne, IL; William Mortimer, St Clair,
MI; Dr Hans Meuller, Chicago, IL; Mrs. G Clifton (Bobbie)
Potter, Stockton, CA; Mrs. John Rendall, St Paul, MN; Robert
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Mr. & Mrs. Gordon (Sylvia) Sohr, Racine, WI; Martha Taylor,
West Los Angeles, CA; Mrs. Marie Whitney, San Jose, CA; Mrs.
Walter H Wieckert Appleton, WI; Mrs. Eileen Worthing St Paul,
MN

Associate Members: Mrs. Russell (Jeanne) Whisler, Haljean
Kennel, Manassas, VA; Miss Iris Lorraine Miller, Omaha, NE.

Obedience wins in 1955.

In Open A, Zora, owner Miss J V Velde, earned a 189, January
8, at the K-9 Obedience Club of Jacksonville. (Zora finished
the CDX a year later). Ziada of Whiskey Run, owner Lewis H
Godfrey, earned a 192 in the Novice B class, January 9 at the
Grand Rapids Kennel Club trial, and earned a 195.5 January 16 at
Northeastern Kennel Club show, to finish the CD title. Also at the
Northeastern trial, Kassar of Whiskey Run, owner J C Robbins,
earned a 192 in Novice B, to finish the CD title. Zabu of Twin
Elms, earned a 193 in Novice B at the Lake Shore Kennel Club
trial April 24 to finish his CD title, owner Sylvia Sohr. Boris
of Sleeping Bear earned a 195 in Novice B, with owner Mae
B Blanton at the Beverly Riviera Kennel Club trial May 21. At
that same show, Bur Mars Onegin of Suntan earned a 176 in
Novice B, owners Burton and Marie Norbury. At the Los Angeles
Kennel Club's obedience trial, November 26, Duke West, owned
by G T West earned a 184.5 in Novice A. In Open A, Shandra
Shari of Malora CDX, earned a 192 at the Land O'Lakes Kennel
Club trial August 7, earned 187.5 at the St Paul Kennel Club
trial September 11 and finished the CDX title with a 192 at the
Minneapolis Kennel Club trial November 13, owners Dr and Mrs.
John L Rendall. In Novice B, Marbobs Toniscott of Malora CD,
earned 191 at Pasanita obedience club trial October 1, earned
191 at Pasadena Kennel Clubs show October 9, and earned 190
at the Southwest Obedience club's trial October 16 to finish her
CD title, owners James E & Elizabeth Y Forry. In Novice B, Osip
Petrovich of Alpine, owner P J Geer, earned 187 October 23 at
the San Joaquin training club's trial in Stockton, CA October 23,
and finished with a 187 at the San Mateo Kennel Club obedience
trial December 4. Also at the San Mateo Kennel Club's trial, in
Novice B was Sointee Onyat of Alpine, who earned a 194, own-
ers Lyle & Phydelma Gillette.

Wins In the Hound Group.

(Note that in 1955, there were few champion Borzoi shown.
Borzoi who won in the group, most often, had come from the
classes). Ch Blue Train of Sleeping Bear (D) won group 2 at
the Wisconsin Kennel Club show April 17, group 1 at Mattoon



September 3, group 4 at the Berrien show June 26, owners Mr. & Mrs. Henry Mackh. Boi of Rolling Meadows (D) won group 4 at Grand Rapids June 25, owner Mrs. J C Lindsay. Jaguar Jehan of Malora (D) won Group 3 at Macomb County February 13, owner Mrs. Russell G (Cheoh) Everhart. Ch Lady Malora of Marbob (B) won group 4 at the Minneapolis Kennel Club show, November 13, owner Beatrice Losinger. Ch Rachmaninoff (D) won group 3 at the Lackawanna Kennel Club at Mt Pocono, PA July 30, owners Weldon & Katherine McCluskey. Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine (D) won group 2 at the Sacramento show October 16, owners Lyle & Phydella Gillette. The Golden Hawk of Malora (D) won group 2 at the Des Moines show March 13, owner Eileen Worthing. Tomline's Teddi Krassai (D) won group 4 at the Colorado Kennel Club show April 17 and group 4 at the Lexington Kentucky show May 8, owners Mr. & Mrs. T J Gregg. Ch Walzoff Perchinoff (D) won group 2 at the Golden Gate Kennel Club show July 10, and group 3 at the Vallejo Kennel Club show July 24, owner Martha Taylor. Ch Zelda Shaun of Malora (B) won group 3 at the Southeast Iowa Kennel Club show May 8, owner Beatrice Losinger.

Ch Prince Mykye of Woodhill (D) owner Michael Hilsmier, won group 2 at the Northeastern Indiana show January 16, group 3 at the Marion Ohio show January 30, group 2 at the Muncie Indiana show February 6, group 2 at the Marion Indiana show February 20, group 4 at the Cedar Rapids Iowa show May 14, group 4 at the Tri-City Illinois show May 15, group 4 at the Illinois Capital Kennel Club show May 28, group 2 at the Illinois Valley Kennel Club of Peoria show May 29, group 4 at the Stone City show June 5, group 4 at the Kalamazoo show June 11, group 3 at the Michiana Kennel Club show June 12, group 2 at the Erie show June 19, group 3 at the Northern Kentucky show September 10, group 4 at the Cincinnati show September 11, and group 3 at the Manitowoc County show September 18. (If such statistics had been kept in 1955, this dog would have been #1 Borzoi for Hounds defeated by group placements).

Two litter sisters won in the groups, from the classes, in Washington and Oregon, both owned by breeder Beverly Traglio. Tasha of Bev Tra won group 4 the Peninsula Dog Fanciers show March 27 and group 3 at the Walla Walla show April 29. Tatyana of Bev Tra won group 1 at Seattle in February 27, group 3 at Olympic Kennel Club April 24, group 2 at the Richland Washington show April 30, group 2 at the Yakima Valley show May 1, group 2 at the Inland Empire show May 2, group 1 at the Lions Kennel Club show in Salem Oregon July 10, and group 3 at the Western Washington show July 30. Their dam, Ch Lady of Romanoff won group 4 at the Lower Columbia Kennel Club show in Astoria Oregon August 28, owner Beverly Traglio.

Other News.

From Erma Denton's Borzoi columns in the AKC *Gazettes*: Yermaks Rurick, a male born November 18, 1954, won a major from the 9-12 class over adults at the Reno show September 25, owners Mr. & Mrs. Sidney W Cox. Mrs. Oliver Alden, formerly

Dr Virginia Maurer, a past President of BCOA, opened a pet shop in St Thomas, Virgin Islands, called Pet's Fancy. The trademark of the shop is, naturally, a Borzoi. The four Borzoi Virginia took with her have adjusted to the climate and are doing well. In production at Columbia is a movie about the 27th U.S. Infantry (The Wolfhounds) called "The Gentle Wolfhound". Mae Blanton's Borzoi Crissy and Nickie are in the movie "The Vagabond King", in production at Paramount. Erma Denton reported on the wins of juniors David Brueggemann, Karen Beck and Robert Beck, who handled Ch Mazar Zorka of Pavlov Crest, and Jane Forry who trained and handled Ch Zonazo Perchinoff CD to both his titles. Erma Denton wrote about her two Borzoi, Nickie and Lisa, helping to sell houses. The Borzoi were at several of the opening days of the Upper Montclair Estates in New Jersey. This new development was on a knoll and had a view of the New York City skyline. The houses were priced at \$40,000 - \$50,000 without the Borzoi. Erma said people enjoyed seeing and petting the Borzoi and she got the opportunity to answer questions about the breed.

According to breeder-owner, Bobbye Potter, "Peter" (Ch Ataman of Alpine) had a serious accident at 9 months of age, which injured his spine. Although unable to move for several days and limping for months afterward, he did recover and earned his championship quickly in just a few months. Peter had a limp in his leg, on and off, for five years. When that leg developed a swelling, he was taken to the University of California at Davis, where x-rays and a biopsy showed cancer. His leg was amputated. This white and black spotted, 114 pounds, 35 inches tall dog, carried on running and playing on three legs. He died on February 25, 1955. 2 days later his buddy and brother, Ardagan of Alpine CD, died. Ardagan had been under treatment for an overactive thyroid gland and for heart problems. (From the editor: Ardagan sired the male Ch Solentse Ternovnek of Alpine, and the bitch Ch Obvorozevat Laska of Alpine, foundation stock for Lyle Gillette's Rancho Gabriel kennel. Ch Ataman of Alpine sired several litters, and 12 of his children became champions).

From a letter to Erma Denton from Carama Chantler about her Iskra Borzoi: "Borzoi at Iskra started via the horse show circuits. Some were trained to ride in the buggy with me doing the fine harness classes. My first purchase was Major B, a grandson of Ch Bistri of Perchino. He was sired by Ch Kopchic O'Valley Farm out of Petersburg O'Valley Farm, she a granddaughter of Ch Bistri of Perchino. Ch Kopchic was sired by Ch Bistri of Perchino out of Ch Schaloste of Perchino. The next, Ch Princess Troubetskoy was by Ch Blistai of F. R. whose grandsire was Ch Kopchic O'Valley Farm. The breeding of these two dogs brought them very close to the immortal Ch Bistri of Perchino.

"Some years later, I purchased Ch Ivanovitch and Narva of Glenwild. The former was by Ch Duke Boris of Cliffview Manor, that was sired by Ch Blistai F. R. and the dam was by the handsome Ch Morvick of Tolstoi. In those days, hounds and sporting dogs were judged in the same group, the sporting group, there-

fore, it was doubly hard to win a group. Ch Ivanovitch's spectacular show career with his groups and best in show wins put the true value on a great hound.

"Soon, Ch Miss Plostri of Vladimir was added to Iskra. She was by Ch Boi O'Valley Farm, that was sired by Ch Appraxin O'Valley Farm, out of the imported Zohra du Zwaenhoek. It is interesting to note that in Miss Plostri's pedigree is Yarki of Perchino and Queen of Olives (English). Yarki was bred to Queen in England en route to this country from Russia.

"Ch Zohra was added to the Iskra roster. I don't know of many breeds, if any, that could boast of completing a championship by winning the group in three successive shows. Her show career is something that we dream about, but seldom acquire. She was a grand daughter of Ch Vlad O'Valley Farm and Ch Boi O'Valley Farm. Her kennel mate, the silver male, Vronsky, was by Ch Ivanovitch, out of Ch Ganna.

"Ch Nastia O'Valley Farm was owned by me in partnership. She was bred to Ch Boi O'Valley Farm and this breeding produced the famous Ch Grosny O'Valley Farm, that, at his first two shows, was declared best in show all breeds at 13 and 14 months of age. His show record could well be the envy of any breeder.

"I chose the English Bransgore for my importations. Brynzga of Bransgore was one of the top winning young males of England, to be imported to this country, as was Brazhnik of Bransgore.

"As space is limited, I chose these few dogs to discuss as they shall always stand out in my mind so vividly. In my opinion we should attempt to produce hounds of the ancient Russian type and refrain from creating these new modern types. The ideal head, the 'Grecian' which is the Russian head, is a sight to behold in beauty. A Borzoi should be powerful enough for the purpose of hunting. Merely a beautiful show specimen without stamina, substance, and the powerful sound 'running gear' fore and aft, is not the true Borzoi."

The AKC Gazette, February 1956, published an article "Russia Supports Active Dog Fancy". This was at the time when Russia was part of the Soviet Union and 'Behind the Iron Curtain'. The author (not named) wrote the Russian Embassy in Washington in 1955 asking for information, and was told the request had been forwarded to the proper organization in Moscow. A reply came from Edmund Shereshevsky, whose title was Senior Research Worker of the All-Union Research Institute of Hunting and Trapping. Mr. Shereshevsky also held the title of All-Union

Expert in Dog Breeding in the U.S.S.R. The resulting article is three pages with pictures, including a picture of 3 white Borzoi, described as "one of the best packs of Russian Borzoi".



Here are some quotes from the article: "Hunting is extremely varied in the wide spaces of the U.S.S.R. That is why many sporting dogs are bred in the country. Very widespread are the sporting Eskimo dogs (European Russia, West Siberia, East Siberia and Karelo-Finnish breeds) which are used in hunting squirrels, martens, sables, the lynx, the elk and other game. In the central Asian republics and in the steppes of the European part of the country different types of greyhounds are used in trailing hares and foxes. In the forest districts of the U.S.S.R., coursing foxes and hares with hounds is a favorite sport. Wolves are hunted with packs of hounds, which are kept by the hunters' societies. However, many dog fanciers breed piebald hounds, which originated from the crossing of the English Foxhound with the Russian Borzoi. Beginning with the 1930s these dogs are bred pure. In the southern part of U.S.S.R., the famous Central Asian, Caucasian and South Russian Wolfhounds are raised. These breeds are used not only for grazing and protecting flocks of sheep, herds of large horned cattle and droves of horses but also as watch dogs in many other districts of the country. The most widespread watch dog in the country is the German Wolfhound, more widely known as the East European breed. The rearing of pure-bred dogs is encouraged by the Soviet state. Nation-wide Standards have been established for the breeds and also rules have been worked out for conducting shows, tests and contests of all breeds. Pedigree dog books are kept. Dogs are considered pure-bred if they had ancestors of the same breed for not less than four generations." §

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The Aristocrat is the official publication of the Borzoi Club of America and is published quarterly in order to inform, educate and entertain the members by providing historical and current information on the Breed and issues affecting the well-being of our Borzoi.

Statement of Intent:

It is the intent that the *Aristocrat*:

- Serve as a record of BCOA and its activities
- To provide a convenient forum for the reporting of statistics on the accomplishments of the members in conformation and performance events.

Policies

- Deadlines for submission of material for the *Aristocrat* are February 15, May 15, August 15 and November 15. A separate Specialty issue may be offered so that the results can be published as soon as possible after the National.
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- Only signed letters or articles will be accepted for use.
- Only Borzoi-related artwork will be utilized for the cover of the *Aristocrat*. If artwork is not available for a particular issue then the Club Logo shall be utilized for the cover.
- The following material will be published in the *Aristocrat* issue immediately following the National Specialty:
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 - ☐ Best Opposite Sex in Conformation
 - ☐ Obedience
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 - ☐ Agility
 - ☐ Open Field Coursing
 - ☐ Lure Coursing
 - ☐ LGRA
 - ☐ Breeder of Top Conformation Borzoi
 - ☐ Top Junior Showman
 - o Photos of the Specialty Conformation and Performance Winners
 - o Judge's critique of Conformation classes
 - o Catalog pages and performance results
 - o Candid photos as available

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