



May 7, 2009

Governor's Reports

Region 1 Rebecca Peters-Campbell

No report provided

Region 2 Jane Schreiber

BCOA TSE

September 19, 2009

Atlanta KC

Judge: Gwen Post

Sweeps judge: Sandra Moore

Memorial Day weekend the club will be holding ASFA field trials.
July 4th an AKC "B" match is planned in Conyers, GA.

BCOA TSE

October 24, 2009

Kennesaw KC, Inc.

Marietta, GA

Judge: TBA

Sweeps judge: Tammy Ream

This show will be supported by the BCGA club. A dinner is planned following the judging for those attending the show.

Potomac Valley Borzoi Club

Borzoi Specialty- 30th Anniversary

October 24, 2009

Middleburg KC, Leesburg, VA

Judge: Dr. John Reeve-Newsom

Sweeps judge: Priscilla White-Lineker

PVBC will be celebrating its 30th Anniversary at this Specialty. The club will be awarding special anniversary trophies with the club logo and anniversary designation on each trophy. As always, the Club will provide a delicious lunch following the judging for all exhibitors and a silent auction of donated Borzoi "must haves". A Region 2 BCOA meeting is planned in conjunction with the lunch.

BCOA TSE

October 25, 2009

Middleburg KC, Leesburg, VA

Judge: Lynn Schanzle

Sweeps judge: Amelia Gredys

BCOA TSE

November 7, 2009

Decatur KC, Huntsville, AL

Judge: TBA

Sweeps judge: Lydia Pruett

Next year the club in Atlanta hopes to hold a **BCOA TSE** for its Spring Field Trial.

Region 3 – R.Lynn Shell-Whitlock

No report provided

Region 4 – Lorrie Scott

It has been a rather calm period in our region. BCNC just had their spring specialty. The weather was very nice, entry was just a bit down from last year and all had a great time. Their fall specialty will be held October 17, 2009 in Pleasanton with Carol Spritzer judging regular classes in a beautiful location. The following day will be a BCOA TSE and on Monday BCNC is supporting the entry.

BCOC will be having its summer specialty July 24, 2009 in Lompoc with Barbara Ewing judging regular classes and Mary Childs judging sweepstakes. BCOC will be supporting entries this fall October 31, 2009 at the San Gabriel Kennel Club show and then to start the New Year 2010 off BCOC is having a TSE at the Inland Empire Hound Club show in lovely Indio (Palm Springs). Both rescue organizations BRNC and SCBR continue to assist those borzoi in need of homes. Looking forward to seeing everyone in Frankenmuth in just a few weeks.

Region 5 – Jim Anderson

Region 5 news is sparse. Recruiting new members, and keeping some of the existing ones on board is a challenge. There are not many new Borzoi owners, breeders, etc. stampeding into the region. Some of the Borzoi people I have spoken to (non BCOA members) do not see any real benefits of membership. It is too bad the Club can not come up with a way to charge dues that not only provide membership in BCOA but also include the Borzoi Connection and some sort of really nice welcome to the Club packet. The packet might include information that really spells out the goals of the parent club, maybe an explanation regarding the importance of preserving the standard. I do understand most of this information, and more, is available on the BCOA web site. However I wish more could be done to attract, and keep, members.

Since I have cancelled my trip to the Nationals I will take this opportunity to wish everyone going good luck, and have a great time!

Region 6 – Joyce Katona

The entries have closed and Region 6 is busy with the final arrangements for the National. Many Specialties and TSE's are in the works in several states in the region this year. As Region 6 Governor, I plan to attend and hold a BCOA members meeting at at least one Specialty in each state offered. Below is a list of what is scheduled, some of which have not yet been approved.

Sunday, May 24

Midwest Borzoi Club independent Specialty

Frankenmuth, Michigan

Regular classes judge Dr Edna Martin

Sweeps judge Kathryn Wright – Kajai

Friday, June 5

Greater Twin Cities Borzoi Club Independent Specialty

Jordan, Minnesota

Regular classes judge Ms Kalen Dumke - Nonsuch

Sweeps judge Ms Sally Stephens - Snopaw

Saturday, June 6

BCOA TSE

Greater Twin Cities Borzoi Club

Jordan, Minnesota

Regular classes judge Rd. J. Donald Jones
Sweeps judge Robin Casey

Sunday, June 7
BCOA TSE
Greater Twin Cities Borzoi Club
Jordan, Minnesota
Regular classes judge: Anne Fleming
Sweeps judge: Pat Cunningham

Saturday, July 11
BCOA TSE
Borzoi Club of Greater Omaha with Nebraska Kennel Club
Omaha, Nebraska
Regular classes judge: TBD
Sweeps judge: Marcella Zobel - Go Lightly

Sunday, July 12
BCOA TSE
Borzoi Club of Greater Omaha with Nebraska Kennel Club
Omaha, Nebraska
Regular classes judge: TBD
Sweeps judge: Shirley McFadden

Saturday, August 8
BCOA TSE
Cudahy Kennel Club
Wisconsin
Regular classes judge: TBD
Sweeps judge: Janis McFerrin

Saturday, August 22
BCOA TSE
Sugarbush Kennel Club
Chagrin Falls, OH
Regular classes judge: Elizabeth Muthard
Sweeps: Dr. Gregory Gomori

Sunday, December 13
Midwest Borzoi Club Specialty
Western Reserve Kennel Club
Cleveland, OH
Regular classes judge: Dr. Richard Meen - Kishniga
Sweeps judge: Pamela Leichtnam - Chrysalis