

# CBC NEWSLETTER

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## LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

First of all, let me say a very hearty thank you to Linda Langford and Myra-Dawn Ellis for using their considerable computer skills to bring our CBC newsletter up to date! We hope you all enjoy the new format. We do have a little problem and need your help. **WE NEED A NAME...** so we are having a little contest to find one. Get your thinking caps on and send in those fabulous entries to me at [abouttimesk@yahoo.com](mailto:abouttimesk@yahoo.com). The winner will receive... fame, our sincerest thanks and a small prize from the committee.

Still time to get your reservations in for the **AWARDS BANQUET ON JULY 28<sup>TH</sup>!** Event will be held at Eagle Glen Golf Club in Corona. \$26 for Adults, \$13.00

for young people. Send checks and reservations to Linda Dixon – address and phone are on the back page before July 11th.

### SYMPATHIES

We sadly lost a long time CBC member, Stub Moore on April 24<sup>th</sup>. There was a memorial service at his home in Visalia, on May 20<sup>th</sup> – which would have been his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. Stub obtained his first Brittany in 1957 and was the proud owner of 1993 ABC Chukar Champion FC Jetta's Bad Sam.

We also send condolences to Susan Kerns and her family on the loss of her sister, Sarah Messick on June 20th. Susan has suggested donations to the Flat

Coated Retriever Foundation, c/o Cheryl Kistner, FCR Foundation Treasurer, 70 Oakwood Lane, Lincolnshire, IL 60069. If you donate, please specify that funds are to go to the Cancer Health Fund.

### GOOD NEWS

David Evans finally got his gift ... his lung transplant on April 16<sup>th</sup>! It was a joy to see him at our CBC Specialty doing so well. We wish him continued success with his recovery. It's so good to see Lynda smile again too!  
-Sharon Kalionzes



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I would like to thank all the club members who have pitched in to make it very special for me being the president of the best Brittany club in the United States. What I have learned from all of you about our breed has overwhelmed me, coming from a strictly field background, I didn't realize how special Brit-

tanys are. Not only to the field trialers and hunters, but to all the people that do so many different activities with their dogs. What's really great about our club is all the help and moral support we can give each other and all that I have been receiv-



ing, not only as president but especially as a rookie in the show ring. Maggie and I are as tired and mentally spent after a weekend dog show, as we are after a weekend field trial. It's a lot harder than it looked to me a year ago... But I still feel that Brittanys should be bird-dogs first ( HaHa )  
- Bill Landress

### SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- *Linda Dixon has assumed the responsibility of Secretary-Treasurer effective immediately. Please forward all Renewals, and other business to her until end of December, 2002.*
- *Send photos and Brittany artwork to [abouttimesk@yahoo.com](mailto:abouttimesk@yahoo.com) for possible inclusion into future newsletters.*
- *Next Newsletter Publication will be early September. Send ideas and info to Sharon Kalionzes, see address & phone info on back.*
- *If you have interest in the job of Club Historian, please contact Bill Landress, 559-791-7318*

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## CALIFORNIA BRITTANY CLUB SPECIALTY SHOW & SWEEPSTAKES

### CALIFORNIA

Arcadia, CA

June 1, 2002

by Linda Langford

Dogs and handlers were at the top of their game, enjoying the cool breezes and abundant shade on a beautiful summer day in Arcadia, CA. Our spacious ring was decorated by a tremendous trophy display, garnered by Cindy Leffingwell and Toni Avedissian, courtesy of the generous donations from club members and friends. There were toys

**BEST IN PUPPY  
SWEEPS:  
TANTARA'S  
WALK IN THE  
PARK**

**BEST OF OPPOSITE  
SEX  
IN PUPPY SWEEPS:  
SWIFT RIVER'S  
DESTINY'S CHILD**



Linus Keating and K-9 at the 41st Annual Specialty Show.

for all the dogs and beautiful Brittany weathervanes to honor the top competitors. Excitement mounted as our judge, Mrs. Marilyn Spacht from Birmingham, AL narrowed her selection, giving the final nod to "Vic", CH LONE OAKS DELTA FORCE, a 2 year old male owned by Beve & Ron Bemis, and handled by Amy Rodrigues. Best of Opposite Sex was awarded to "Desi", CH BURFORD'S BRNZ DESERT ROMANCE, a 3 year old bitch owned and expertly handled by Linda McDonald. It was a big day for Nancy Hewitt, as her 9-12 month puppy dog "Walker" TANTARA'S A WALK IN THE PARK, captured the coveted Best of Winners AND Best in Sweepstakes awards. And a special sentimental win was awarded to Winners Bitch, "Ms-T", SHILOH'S UPTOWN GIRL... who showed her stuff for her proud owners Lynda Evans & Pennie Peterson. Everyone was celebrating David Evan's return to his first dog show after his recent lung transplant. Special thanks to Mrs. Daisy Schapheer from Lancaster, CA who judged Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes.

Many, many thanks go to the members and friends of the California Brittany Club whose efforts and contributions allow us to continue to enjoy our breed with an inde-

pendent specialty show. Special thanks to the committee members, Toni Avedissian, Bill Hacker, Bill Landress, Cindy Leffingwell, Agnes Rodrigues, Leah Schirokoff, Nancy Schmieder and Margaret Waite, your hard work, dedication and energy made this day a success. Also thanks to our photographer Vicki Rittner and our ring steward Lee Meadows.



Judge Marilyn C. Spacht  
And  
Ring Steward Lee Meadows

### PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES

Judge: Mrs. Daisy Schapheer

Puppy Dogs 6 - 9 months

1. ROCKET'S RED BLAZE
2. SANDBAR'S PROSPECTOR

Puppy Dogs 9 - 12 months

1. TANTARA'S A WALK IN THE PARK
2. LOKI'S JEST MISCHIEF
3. CASTLE'S WHO'S YO DADDY

Puppy Bitches 6 - 9 months

1. SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S CHILD
2. SANDBAR'S ANGELIQUE
3. SWIFT RIVER'S SURFER GIRL

Puppy Bitches 9 - 12 months

1. CASTLE'S ALL THREE WISHES

**BEST IN PUPPY SWEEPS:  
TANTARA'S WALK IN THE  
PARK**

**BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX  
IN PUPPY SWEEPS:  
SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S  
CHILD**

### VETERAN

#### SWEEPSTAKES:

Judge: Mrs. Daisy Schapheer  
Bitches 10 to 12 years  
1. CH ROJA'S ANTE-UP MH 7/6/1990. Breeder: Joseph V. Calafato. By CH Beline's Le Duc Sky-Diver -- CH Verlyn's Nickel Ante. Linda Langford and Agnes Rodrigues.  
2. CH SANDBAR'S DIXIELAND JAZZ, 10/2/1990. Breeder: owner. By DC Booker Cooker -- Sandbar's Centerfold. Barbara S Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua.

Bitches Over 12 years

1. FC/AFC BLAZING CAN-DEE , SF281127 5/25/1988. Breeder: Lou Lanham & Bob Lanham. By FC Beans Blaze -- DC Lobo's Cotton Candy. Barbara Robben and Jerry Rosenberg.

**BEST IN VETERAN  
SWEEPS:  
CH ROJA'S ANTE-UP MH**

### SPECIALTY CLASSES:

Judge: Mrs. Marilyn C. Spacht

Puppy Dogs 6 - 9 months .

1. SANDBAR'S PROSPECTOR, 9/14/2001. Breeder: Barbara S. Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua By CH Twnactn Jordean All In One MH -- CH Sandbar's Dixieland Jazz. Barbara S. Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua
2. ROCKET'S RED BLAZE, 11/24/2001. Breeder: David B. Jones. By Chief's Rock Hard Like Bandee -- Chief's Caddo Peak Maiden. Dan & Diane Dale

Puppy Dogs 9 - 12 months

1. TANTARA'S A WALK IN THE PARK, 7/21/2001. Breeder: Lyn L. Vergati. By CH Hope's Autumn Sno Storm -- CH Tantara's Cover Girl. Nancy J. Hewitt
2. LOKI'S JEST MISCHIEF, 8/7/2001. Breeder: Amy Schneider. By CH Magic Sir-Ly You Jest -- CH Loki's Up To Mischief. Sue and Glen Reilly
3. CASTLE'S WHO'S YO DADDY, 7/15/2001. Breeder: owner. By CH Castle's Let's Make A Deal -- CH Castle's Magic Moments. L.J. & B.J. Castillo

Open Dogs

1. SANDBAR'S DRUM MAJOR, 9/24/999. Breeder: owner. By CH Twnactn Jordean All in One MH -- CH Sandbar's Dixieland Jazz. Barbara S.

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Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua

2. FC SCIPIOS RUSHING RIVER, 4/6/1998. Breeder: Larry N. & Barbara J. Marsh. By Grandviews Rowdy -- FC Mini River Jolene. Larry and Barbara Marsh

3. TULE RIVER'S TRAVELING SAM, 12/3/1999. Breeder: Justin Landress & Pennie J. Peterson & Bill Landress. By FC Sam-Dee's Traveler -- FC Tule River's Full Moon Maggi. Barbara Robben and Jerry Rosenberg

4. CASTLE'S PRIME CANDIDATE, 5/15/1999. Breeder: owner & Bev Millette. By CH Millette's Joe Cool -- CH Castle Millette Lady In Redd. Ignacio and B.J. Castillo

WINNERS DOG  
& BEST OF WINNERS  
TANTARA'S A WALK IN THE  
PARK

RESERVE WINNERS DOG  
SANDBAR'S DRUM MAJOR

Puppy Bitches 6 - 9 months

1. SWIFT RIVER'S SURFER GIRL, 11/12/2001. Breeder: Frances Phillips & Nancy Morabito. By DC Jordean Tough Stuff MH-- CH Swift River's Time To Spare. Rich and Helen Harbour

2. SANDBAR'S ANGELIQUE, 9/14/2001. Breeder: Barbara S. Weddell & Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua. By CH Twnactn Jordean All In One MH -- CH Sanbar's Dixieland Jazz. Barbara S. Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua

3. SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S CHILD, 11/12/2001. Breeder: Frances Phillips & Nancy Morabito. By DC Jordean Tough Stuff MH-- CH Swift River's Time To Spare. Pennie Peterson

Puppy Bitches 9 -12 months

1. CASTLE'S ALL THREE WISHES, 7/15/2001. Breeder: owner. By CH Castle's Let's Make a Deal -- CH Castle's Magic Moments. L.J. & B.J. Castillo

Bred By Exhibitor, Bitches

1. ROJA-EXEBRIT ON RAPPAHANNOCK JH, 6/16/2000. Breeder: owner & Larry R. Kerns. By DC AFC Ojibwa's Rebel of Cimmaron -- CH Roja's Tuolumne Gold. Susan Kerns and Linda Langford

American Bred, Bitches

1. SHILOH'S WHOA NELLIE JH, 7/30/2000. Breeder: Pennie Peterson. By FC Sam's Dee's Traveler -- DC Shiloh's Blazin Shadie Sadie. Karen Nelsen

Open Bitches

1. SHILOH'S UPTOWN GIRL, 7/30/2000. Breeder: Pennie Peterson. By FC Sam-Dee's Traveler -- DC Shiloh's Blazin Shadie Sadie. Lynda Evans and Pennie J. Peterson

2. IM A BIRDFINDIN' BABE, 10/5/1998. Breeder: Julie Warshefski and Robert R. Youngs. By NFC FC AFC Highbrow's Red -- Homeacres Gold Dust. Craig Lewis

3. SANDBAR'S SOUTHERN BELLE, 2/14/1998. Breeder: Barbara S. Weddell & Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua By CH Twnactn Jordean All In One MH -- CH

Sandbar's Dixieland Jazz. Barbara S. Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua

4. REMINGTON'S RUSTY RIDGE QTKT, 11/13/2000. Breeder: owner. By DC AFC Award's Rusty Ridge Jake MH-- CH Tantara's Remington Hunter. Myra-Dawn & Dale Ellis

BEST OF BREED:  
CH LONE OAK'S  
DELTA FORCE

BEST OF OPPOSITE  
SEX:

CH BURFORD'S  
BRNZ DESERT  
ROMANCE

WINNERS BITCH  
SHILOH'S UPTOWN  
GIRL

RESERVE WINNERS  
BITCH

ROJA-EXEBRIT ON  
RAPPAHANNOCK JH

Field Trial Dogs

1. DC AFC ROJA'S GAMBLING CHIPS, 12/29/1995. Breeder: Owner & Joseph Rodrigues. By DC Chips of Gold II -- CH Roja's Ante-Up MH. Linda Langford

and Agnes Rodrigues

2. DC OXBOW'S CHIEF RIVERDANCER, 11/28/1997. Breeder: Paul Doiron and Peggy Doiron. By DC Jordean Tough Stuff MH-- Redlines Golden Girl. Margaret & Don Waite

Veteran Dogs

1. CH MILLETTE'S URSA MAJOR, 4/8/1992. Breeder: Beverly Millette. By CH Millette's Mr. Wonderful -- CH Millette's Molly Brown. William Hacker

Veteran Bitches

1. CH KATELIN KADEE SH, 6/5/1993. Breeder: Linda R. & Paul D. Mooney. By CH Woodland's Jacob Ladder -- CH Jordean Midnight Lace. Margaret & Don Waite



Beve Bemis and "Victor"  
CH Lone Oak's Delta Force

## BEST OF BREED

CH LONE OAK'S DELTA FORCE ,

7/21/1999. Breeder: Linda Mooney & Paul Mooney. By CH Burford's Delta Flyer -- CH Jordean Dirty Dancer. Beverly Perdue-Bemis and R.L. Bemis. Dog. Amy Rodrigues, Agent.

## BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX

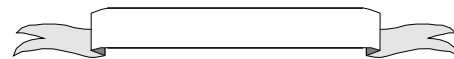
CH BURFORD'S BRNZ DESERT ROMANCE,

7/8/1998. Breeder: Lynda Evans and David L. Evans. By CH Shiloh's Blazin Ironman -- CH Burford's Romance On the Delta. Linda McDonald . Bitch.



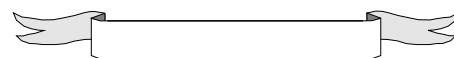
Nancy Hewitt  
A Happy Mom

Congratulations are also extended to Nancy Hewitt and "McKenzie", CH TANTARA'S TOAST OF MANHATTAN UDX NAJ OA who won High Brittany at the Supported Entry at KC Pasadena on Sunday, June 2. A score of 197½ earned her 2nd place in Open B. They now have 88 OTCH points (100 points required), well on their way to closing the gap!



"There is no  
psychiatrist in the  
world like a puppy  
licking your face."

- Ben Williams





## San Diego Brittany Club

### SWEEPS WINNERS

PUPPY SWEEPS,  
Judge: Lee Meadows

6 to 9 months Dogs.  
1. SANDBAR'S PROSPECTOR Barbara Weddell and Sandra Weddell-Jacqua  
6 to 9 months Dogs.  
3 TANATARA'S WALK IN THE PARK Nancy Hewitt

6 to 9 months Bitches  
2 SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S CHILD Pennie Peterson  
3 SANDBAR'S ANGELIQUE Barbara Weddell & Sandra Weddell-Jacqua  
4 SWIFT RIVER'S SURFER GIRL Helen & Rich Harbor

VETERAN SWEEPS,  
Judge: Lee Meadows

7-10 yrs Dogs  
2 DC JORDEAN TOUGH STUFF MH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
12 yrs and over Dogs  
1 CH CALYPSO PATCH OF SKY Beverly Perdue Bemis

7-10 yrs Bitches  
1 CH KATELIN KADEE Don & Margaret Waite  
10 -12 yrs Bitches  
1 SANDBAR'S DIXIELAND JAZZ Barbara Weddell & Sandra Weddell-Jacqua  
2 FC/AFC BLAZING CANDEE Jerry Rosenberg & Barbara Robben

### SPECIALTY SHOW WINNERS

BRITTANYS  
Judge: Mr. Charles E. Trotter

Puppy 6 to 9 months Dogs.  
1 QUAIL ROCK TOUGH ENOUGH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
2 SANDBAR'S PROSPECTOR Barbara S. Weddell & Sandra A. Weddell-Jacqua  
Puppy 9 to 12 months Dogs.  
2 TANTARA'S A WALK IN THE PARK Nancy J. Hewitt  
Bred by Exhibitor Dogs.  
2 BRITTANY'S RAMBLIN TOO STRONG Jenelle Larson  
Open Dogs.  
2 SANDBAR'S DRUM MAJOR Barbara S. Weddell & Sandra A. Weddell-Jacqua

4 FIRST TIME FLYER Rich Harbour  
Puppy 6 to 9 months Bitches.  
2 SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S CHILD Pennie Peterson  
4 SWIFT RIVER'S SURFER GIRL Helen & Rich Harbour  
Bred by Exhibitor Bitches.  
1 BRIT'S RAMBLIN QUEEN OF HEARTS Jenelle L. Larson  
3 ROJA-EXEBRIT ON RAPPANHANNOCK JH Susan Kerns and Linda Langford  
Open Bitches.  
4 REMINGTON'S RUSTY RIDGE QTKT Myra-Dawn & Dale Ellis

Field Trial Dogs.  
2 DC AFC ROJA'S GAMBLING CHIPS Linda Langford and Agnes Rodrigues  
3 DC OXBOW'S CHIEF RIVERDANCER Margaret & Don Waite  
Hunt Test Bitches  
2 CH KATELIN KADEE SH Don & Margaret Waite  
Veteran Dogs.  
1 DC JORDEAN TOUGH STUFF MH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
Best of Opposite Sex  
CH ROJA'S TUOLUMNE GOLD, NA Susan Kerns & Linda Langford  
Judges Award of Merit:  
CH LOKI'S STORM IN THE NIGHT Toni & Bob Avedissian

and Nancy Schmeider  
CH SANDBAR'S CASANOVA Barbara S. Weddell & Sandra A. Weddell-Jacqua  
CH LONE OAK'S DELTA FORCE Beverly Perdue-Bemis and R.L. Bemis  
Stud Dog  
2 DC JORDEAN TOUGH STUFF MH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
Brood Bitch  
1 CH LOKI'S MISCHIEF IN THE Gail J. and Nancy Schmeider  
3 CH SANDBAR'S DIXIELAND JAZZ Barbara S Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jacqua

### CABRILLO KENNEL CLUB, SUPPORTED BRITTANY ENTRY

May 18th 2002  
Judge: Mr. Lewis W. Bayne

Puppy 6 to 9 months Dogs.  
1 QUAIL ROCK TOUGH ENOUGH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
Puppy 9 to 12 months Dogs.  
1 TANTARA'S A WALK IN THE PARK Nancy J. Hewitt  
Bred by Exhibitor Dogs.  
2 BRITTANY'S RAMBLIN TOO STRONG Jenelle Larson

Open Dogs.  
1/W/BW FIRST TIME FLYER Rich Harbour  
2/R SHILOH'S SOMEWHERE IN TIME Pennie J. Peterson  
Puppy 6 to 9 mo Bitches.  
3 SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S CHILD Pennie Peterson  
4 SWIFT RIVER'S SURFER GIRL Rich and Helen Harbour

Bred by Exhibitor Bitches.  
1 BRIT'S RAMBLIN QUEEN OF HEARTS Jenelle L. Larson  
2 ROJA-EXEBRIT ON RAPPANHANNOCK JH Susan Kerns and Linda Langford  
Open Bitches.  
4 REMINGTON'S ARCTIC LEGACY Myra-Dawn & Dale Ellis

Veteran Dogs.  
1 DC JORDEAN TOUGH STUFF MH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
Best of Breed & Group 1  
CH LONE OAK'S DELTA Beverly Perdue-Bemis and R.L. Bemis



## ABC SUMMER SPECIALTY SWEEPS WINNERS

May 19th, 2002  
Del Sur Kennel Club, Inc.  
Judge: Mr. Kim Griffith

### PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES

Puppy 6 to 9 months Dogs.  
1 QUAIL ROCK TOUGH ENOUGH Ellen Weinfurtnar

Puppy 6 to 9 months Bitches.  
1 SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S CHILD Pennie Peterson  
3 SANDBAR'S ANGELIQUE Barbara S Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua  
4 SWIFT RIVER'S SURFER GIRL Rich and Helen Harbour

**VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**  
Judge: Mr. Kim Griffith

7 to 9 years Dogs.  
4 DCH JORDEAN TOUGH STUFF MH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
9 to 11 years Dogs.  
1 CH MILLETTE'S URSA MAJOR William Hacker

7 to 9 years Bitches.  
1 CH KATELIN KADEE SH Margaret & Don Waite  
11 years and older Bitches.  
BOS CH SANDBAR'S DIXIE-IELAND JAZZ Barbara S Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua



Best of Breed  
DC Roja's Gambling Chips "Vegas"

BRITTANYS  
Judge: Dr. Elliot More

Puppy 6 to 9 months Dogs.  
1 QUAIL ROCK TOUGH ENOUGH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
Puppy 9 to 12 months Dogs.  
2 TANTARA'S A WALK IN THE PARK Nancy J. Hewitt



Best of Opposite Sex  
CH Burford's Just In Kase "KC"

Send your  
litter info to  
[abouttimes@yahoo.com](mailto:abouttimes@yahoo.com)

## ABC SUMMER SPECIALTY WINNERS



Bred by Exhibitor Dogs.  
2 BRITTANY'S RAMBLIN TOO STRONG Jenelle Larson  
Open Dogs.  
1/W/BW FIRST TIME FLYER Rich Harbour  
Puppy 6 to 9 months Bitches.  
2 SWIFT RIVER'S DESTINY'S CHILD Pennie Peterson  
4 SANDBAR'S ANGELIQUE Barbara S Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua  
Bred by Exhibitor Bitches.  
2 BRIT'S RAMBLIN QUEEN OF HEARTS Jenelle L. Larson  
3 ROJA-EXEBRIT ON RAPPAHANNOCK JH Susan Kerns and Linda Langford  
Open Bitches.  
2/R REMINGTON'S ARCTIC LEGACY Myra-Dawn &

Dale Ellis  
Field Trial Dogs.  
1 (Best of Breed and Group 2) DC AFC ROJA'S GAMBLING CHIPS Linda Langford and Agnes Rodrigues  
2 DC OXBOW'S CHIEF RIVERDANCER Margaret & Don Waite  
Veteran Dogs.  
1 DC JORDEAN TOUGH STUFF MH Ellen Weinfurtnar

Best of Opposite Sex:  
CH BURFORD'S JUST IN KASE David L. and Lynda Evans and Rashelle Brown

Judges Award of Merits  
CH LOKI'S STORM IN THE NIGHT Toni & Bob Avedisian and Nancy Schmeider

CH LONE OAK'S DELTA FORCE Beverly Perdue-Bemis and R.L. Bemis Stud Dog  
2 DC JORDEAN TOUGH STUFF MH Ellen Weinfurtnar  
Brood Bitch  
1 CH LOKI'S MISCHIEF IN THE NIGHT Gail J. and Nancy Schmieder  
3 CH SANDBAR'S DIXIE-IELAND JAZZ Barbara S Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua



Best of Winners  
FIRST TIME FLYER "Rookie"

## THE PREGNANT PAWS

DC Traveler's Reign of Terra has been bred to FC Redline's Tequila Smoker. DC/ AFC Microchips of Nutmeg has been bred to NAFC/FC/ AFC Lea's Running Jayhawk. Results to follow in mid-August & early September! For more information, contact

Margaret & Tom White,  
[TOMIMAGING@aol.com](mailto:TOMIMAGING@aol.com) or  
(909) 880-2818



CH Sandbar's California Poppy has puppies available out of CH Castle One in a Millennium, for more info, contact Sandbar Sporting Dogs. Art & Barbara Weddell, Scott & Sandra Jaqua at 714-761-3094 or [jaqua@pacbell.net](mailto:jaqua@pacbell.net)

## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, JUNE 1, 2002

President Bill Landress called the General Meeting to order at 2:58 PM on June 1, 2002. The meeting was held at Arcadia Park, Arcadia CA in conjunction with the California Brittany Club 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Specialty Show.

**Secretary Report:** Craig Lewis read the minutes of the last General Meeting. The minutes were approved as read.

**Treasurers Report:** Craig Lewis reported that the club had an income of approximately \$10,000 with expenses of \$14,000. Craig thanked the club for supporting him while a member of the Board of Directors and stated that he must resign from the office of Secretary/Treasurer effective immediately. The treasurers' report was approved as read.

**Committee Reports:**

**Field Trial Chairman -** Marc Rittner announced that the Tracker Collar raffle was a huge success to the club and thanked all of those who participated. The raffle netted over \$1,400 for the club. At that time, the show judge drew the winning ticket for the collar. The winner was Ellis Herz.

Marc gave his report on the spring field trial and thanked the various committee members and those who helped to make the field trial a success. Marc also encouraged members to utilize the wrangler horses when they are pro-

vided at field trials, since this is a large expense for the club, and they were underutilized at the spring trial.

**Specialty Show:** Linda Langford and Nancy Schmieder thanked everyone involved with today's show. The figures are not complete but Linda stated that so far the raffle brought in \$488, the catalog sales were \$120 and the ads topped \$220.

**Willie Match:** Myra-Dawn Ellis will chair this event. She said it will be held at El Dorado Park in August and additional information will be forthcoming.

**Club Championship:** Bill Landress has not been able to select a chairman for this event and will therefore assume this responsibility. He is planning on holding the championship in late summer.

**Awards Banquet:** Linda Dixon is taking reservations and money for this event. The date is July 28<sup>th</sup> at the Eagle Glen Golf Club in Corona CA. Bill Landress ask everyone to please send their points into Craig as early as possible.

Jerry Rosenberg asked about the status of the Quail Conservancy. Bill Landress explained that their proposed plan takes time however Bill will contact David Gould for further information.

**New Business:**

**Revised By-laws:** Marc Rittner was chairman for the

by-laws committee. Marc explained that the by laws revisions were presented to the Board of Directors who approved the changes that are presented here today for the memberships approval. After some discussion, Bill Hacker moved to accept the changes as accepted by the board. The motion passed.

Barbara Robbin then made a motion to grandfather in the existing associate members for a period of one year. This motion passed.

**Nominating Committee:** Bill Landress accepted the proposed slate of officers for 2003 from the nominating committee that consisted of Bill Leffingwell, Jerry Rosenberg and Margaret Horstmeyer. They are:

- President**  
..... Ed Dixon
  - 1<sup>st</sup> VP**  
..... Bill Hacker
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> VP**  
..... Nancy Schmeider
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> VP**  
..... Cindy Leffingwell
  - Secretary**  
..... Margaret Horstmeyer
  - Treasurer**  
..... Linda Dixon
- Bill asked if there were further nominations from the floor and hearing none a motion was made to accept this slate of officers for the year 2003. This motion carried.

**One-hour stakes –** Bill Landress discussed having a one-hour stake in conjunction with the 2003 Spring Field Trial. Our club has been

asked to host the one hour Gun Dog Classic that may become a championship next spring. This stake will have to be held in conjunction with our Spring trial, since we cannot hold a standalone Gun Dog Field Trial, according ABC Policy.

**Proposed Award Changes:** Vicki Rittner made a motion to change the existing awards categories and expand them to be; Open Puppy, Open Derby, Gun Dog, All Age, Show Dog, Dual Dog, Obedience, Junior Handler and Amateur Handler. This proposed change would be for the year 2002 to be awarded at the club banquet in 2003. A motion was made to accept this change. After much discussion, the membership opposed the change and the motion did not carry.

Barbara Robbin made a motion to establish a committee to review the awards categories. Bill Landress ask for volunteers and they are Paul Dorion, Diane Dale, Nancy Schmieder, Susan Kerns and Barbara Robben. The committee will give their report at the general meeting held in conjunction with the Willie Match.

The meeting adjourned at 3:45 PM

Respectively Submitted,  
Linda Dixon  
Acting Secretary

## ABC MEMBER SURVEY

1. Do you currently own or have you ever owned a Brittany? Yes  No
2. Are you currently a member of the American Brittany Club? Yes  No
3. Is your membership a regional one (club)\_\_\_\_\_ Member at large? Yes  No
4. When you think of the American Brittany Club (ABC) what comes to your mind?

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5. Do you participate in any activities with your dog? Yes  No
- If yes, please indicate which of these activities you participate in with your dog:

Huntingo Field Trials  Agility  Show  Flyball  Hiking/camping  Hunt Test

Other:\_\_\_\_\_

If you participate in Field Trials, do you participate in walking\_\_\_\_\_ or horseback handled \_\_\_\_\_ stakes?

Why is this your preference?\_\_\_\_\_

6. Do you belong to any dog other organizations? Yes  No

If yes, will you please tell us what the names of the organizations are? \_\_\_\_\_

What do these organization give to you as a Brittany owner that you feel is valuable?

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7. Which of the following might interest you?

Attend regional club meetings once a month?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Attend regional club Meetings 2 to 4 times a year rather than once a month?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Attend training seminars?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Attend Dog Shows?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Attend Field Trials?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Attend Hunt Tests?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Attend club functions with local vet on the health of your dog?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Attend seminars on breeding and canine genetics?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Do you have other areas of interest?		

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8. Do you enjoy getting the *American Brittany* magazine each month? Yes  No
- If yes, what do you find interesting?

If no, what do you think the *American Brittany* magazine could provide that it does not?

### ABC MEMBER SURVEY, PAGE 2

9. If you attend national events, please tell us which events you have attended and rate them:

		Satisfactory	Good	Excellent
All-Age Nationals/Booneville:	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____	_____
Gun Dog Nationals/Michigan:	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____	_____
National Specialty:	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____	_____
Summer Specialty:	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____	_____
Classics(i.e. Pheasant, Quail etc)	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____	_____
Futurities	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____	_____

What do you like about these events?

What do you think might be done to improve them?

10. If you had 10 minutes with the Board of Directors of the ABC, what would you share with them?

We thank you for your participation in this survey. It will give valuable information to help us to improve the American Brittany Club, and make us more able to protect and promote our wonderful breed. If you have questions or we can be of any help, please do not hesitate to call on us.

American Brittany Club Membership Committee

Diana Kubitz, Chair, Jerry Hogan, Gordon Theilen, Ken Windom, Bob Youngs

For more information you may contact:

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## ABC NON-MEMBER SURVEY

- Do you currently own or have you ever owned a Brittany? Yes  No
- Do you know about the American Brittany Club? Yes  No
- Are you currently a member of the American Brittany Club? Yes  No

If you are a current member and feel any of the questions are appropriate for you to answer please do so.

1. When you think of the American Brittany Club (ABC) what comes to your mind?

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2. Do you participate in any activities with your dog? Yes  No   
If yes, please indicate which of these activities you participate in with your dog:

Hunting  Field Trials  Agility  Show  Flyball  Hiking/camping  Hunt Test

3. Do you know an American Brittany Club member, or how to contact the American Brittany Club or a local member club in your area? Yes  No

4. Do you belong to any dog organizations? Yes  No

5. If yes, will you please tell us what the name of the organization is? \_\_\_\_\_

What does this organization give to you as a Brittany owner that you feel is valuable?

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6. Have you ever spoken to a member of the local American Brittany Club or been to any of their activities?  
Yes  No

If yes, what type of event(s) did you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

7. If you have been to any of the American Brittany Club functions, did you enjoy yourself and find anything of interest? \_\_\_\_\_

8. If not, what did you find lacking?  
\_\_\_\_\_

9. Would a membership in the American Brittany Club be of interest to you? Yes  No

10. If yes, how would you feel comfortable participating in the local club?
- Attend Club Meetings 2 to 4 times a year possibly? Yes  No
  - Attend training seminars? Yes  No
  - Attend Dog Show? Yes  No
  - Attend Field Trial? Yes  No
  - Attend Hunt Test? Yes  No
  - Attend club functions with local vet on the health of your dog? Yes  No
  - Attend seminars on breeding and canine genetics? Yes  No
  - Do you have other areas of interest?

# ABC NON-MEMBER SURVEY, PAGE 2

11. Would you like to be contacted by a local club to discuss membership or find out about an upcoming to a club function? Yes  No

If yes, please give us the following information?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
City and State where you live: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

If you were a member of the American Brittany Club and are not currently a member of a local American Brittany Club please help us by answering the following questions.

12. What club were you a member of? (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

13. How long has it been since you were a member? \_\_\_\_\_

14. As a member of the local club, did you compete with your dogs? Yes  No

If you did compete, what did you choose as your form of competition with your Brittany? (e.g., dog shows, field trials, hunt tests, puppy events at trials, fun trials or match shows, club fun hunt days)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

15. Did you enjoy getting the *American Brittany* magazine each month? Yes  No

If yes, what did you find interesting in it that helped you with your dog?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If no, what do you think the *American Brittany* magazine could have provided that it did not?

\_\_\_\_\_

If you have a Brittany currently and no longer belong to a member club, please explain briefly what might induce you to join again?

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We will have a  
Trophy Rejuvenation  
& Recycle Center.  
Donate old Trophies

# California Brittany Club

## 2002 Willi Match

**Sunday August 18, 2001  
10:00 a. m.**

**El Dorado East Regional Park  
7550 East Spring Street, Long Beach**

**Judge: Mr. Dean E. Matteson  
from Ontario, CA**

Let me go or  
I'll scream!



I wanna go!  
I wanna go!

Me too!

**Your dogs want to come!**

Come out to enjoy a club fun day with your family and your dogs. The Willi Match is an intra-club competition designed to simulate an actual dog show. All club member Brittanys are welcome, AKC registration papers are not required. Rescue dogs, dogs on Limited Registration, spayed and neutered dogs are welcome!

**Qualifications:** The CBC Willi Match is open to all paid up members of Amateur Status. It is open to Brittanys only. If you're not sure which class is best, someone will be glad to help you. Remember – Spayed & Neutered dogs are welcome!

### WILLI MATCH CLASSES:

Under 3 Months Puppy Dogs	Under 3 Months Puppy Bitches	Field Trial Dog
3-6 Month Puppy Dogs	3-6 Month Puppy Bitches	Field Trial Bitch
6-9 Month Puppy Dogs	6-9 Month Puppy Bitches	Veteran Dog (8yrs & up)
9-12 Month Puppy Dogs	9-12 Month Puppy Bitches	Veteran Bitch (8yrs & up)
12-18 Month Junior Dogs	12-18 Month Junior Bitches	Best of Breed
Novice Dogs	Novice Bitches	Best Puppy
Open Dogs	Open Bitches	Parade of Champions

**Junior Showmanship Competition** will be for youngsters up to and including 17 years old: dog handled may belong to any club member.

**ENTRY FEES:** \$5.00 per dog will be charged for the Adult classes. Puppy, Junior Showmanship, Veterans and Parade of Champions classes are Free.

**PARK ENTRY FEES:** There is a \$5.00 vehicle entrance fee to the park, \$10.00 for motorhomes and a 15 MPH speed limit in the park which is **STRICTLY ENFORCED!** Dogs must be on a leash at all times. Park is open from 1am – 8pm during the summer.

**We will have a potluck lunch and a general membership meeting after the Willie Match.** Bring a dish to serve 6 to 8 persons.

For more information, contact Myra-Dawn Ellis at [Nippon711@aol.com](mailto:Nippon711@aol.com) or call (909) 789-7222.



## MAP TO EL DORADO PARK



From the 605 Freeway, exit Spring Street/Cerritos Avenue. The park entrance is on the West of the 605 Freeway, on the North Side of Spring Street.

Note: If you are traveling SOUTH on the 605 turn Right off the Spring Street Off-Ramp and the Park Entrance will be on the Right.

If you are traveling NORTH on the 605 Freeway, Exit Katella EAST... Turn Right onto Katella and turn LEFT on Los Alamitos then turn LEFT onto Cerritos Ave/Spring Street. The Park Entrance will be on your right, just after you cross over the Freeway.

## FALL FIELD TRIAL SCHEDULE

Below are the Fall 2002 trial dates with the corresponding AKC week numbers.

WEEK #	DATE	CLUB
35	August 31- September 2	Oregon
36	September 7 - 8	Whid Isle & Sierra View
37	September 14 - 15	Washington/Sahuaro
38	September 21 - 22	Inland Empire/Greater Phoenix/Northern CA
39	Sept. 28 - 29	Idaho/
40	October 5 - 6	Golden Empire & Wasatch Front
41	October 12 - 13	Northern Nevada
42	October 19 - 20	Central California
43	October 26 - 27	Southern San Joaquin
44	November 2 - 3	California
45	November 9 - 10	High Desert

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## NEW CHAMPIONS

**CH First Time Flyer** – AKA Rookie took WD and BOW at the Cabrillo and Del Sur (ABC Summer Specialty) shows to finish his show championship. Rookie is owned by Helen and Rich Harbour and was beautifully handled by Amy Rodrigues.

**CH Sandbar's Ave Caesar** finished his championship. He is owned by Barbara S. Weddell and Sandra A. Weddell-Jaqua

## HISTORIAN

The club is looking for volunteers to act as club historian. There is a large volume of information in boxes and files that needs to be sorted through, organized, filtered and preserved. If you have ideas or are interested in this job, contact President Bill Landress.

## COMMITTEES

The Committee Chairs are interested in your input. If you would like to participate on ANY of the CBC committees, contact the Committee Chairperson listed on the back of this Newsletter.

## MINUTES FROM BOARD MEETING, JUNE 28, 2002

The board meeting was called to order by President Bill Landress at 5:19 PM on June 29, 2002. The meeting was held at Ed and Linda Dixon's Residence 3200 Rocking RM Lane Norco, CA 92860. Attendees were Bill Landress (Pres), Bill Hacker (2<sup>nd</sup> VP), Linda Dixon (3<sup>rd</sup> VP & Sec/Tres), Past Presidents Bill Leffingwell, Linda Langford, Jerry Rosenberg and Margaret Horstmeyer. Ed Dixon, Cindy Leffingwell, Nancy Schneider, Myra-Dawn Ellis, Tom White and Barbara Robben were present as guests to the board.

The past meeting minutes were read by Linda Dixon and were approved as corrected. The corrections were the elimination of the sentence indicated there was no secretary's report due to the absence of the Secretary and the price of the children's meal at the awards banquet that was noted as \$15.00 and should be \$13.00.

**Treasurers Report:** Linda Dixon reported that the current bank balance was \$7,506.58. She indicated that Jack Bradshaw has not submitted his bill for payment and the Specialty Show P&L is incomplete without that. Linda Langford will fax the bill to Linda right away. Linda D. also noted that since she has received all information from Craig, she has not had the time to compile the level of detail for this report that she knows the board will want. This report will be

forthcoming at the next board meeting.

A motion to accept the treasures report was made by Linda Langford, and seconded by Bill Hacker. Motion carried.

### **Committee Reports:**

**Field Trial** – Bill Landress noted that Marc Rittner has resigned his position as Field Trial Chairman for the fall field trial. Bill asked for volunteers to chair this event. The general consensus was for Bill Landress to assume this responsibility if he is willing. Bill Landress agreed to do this trial and Ed Dixon volunteered to obtain 6 judges for him.

**Specialty Show** – Linda Langford said that Jack Bradshaw was very easy to work with but their costs were very high. The trophy expenses were covered by donations. The raffle brought in \$488. The Judge was very expensive for the number of dogs entered. She asked for recommendations for a judge for next year. The board discussed Jack Bradshaw and what they did for the money billed. Also discussed was the possibility of combining our Specialty Show with the Pasadena show as a cost saving. Linda thought that the Bradshaw bill would be about \$338 and that would mean that the Specialty Show would be about that amount in the red for this year. Linda and Nancy Schneider have several ideas for changes for next

years show. Linda and Nancy will meet and try to brainstorm and present a plan to the next board meeting.

**Willie Match** – Myra-Dawn has Steve Matheson to judge this event. The date is August 18, 2002 at El Dorado Park in Long Beach. Information will be included in the newsletter.

**Club Championship** – Tom White will help Bill Landress with this event. Ed Dixon and Tom White will reserve the date at Prado. The board discussed the possibility of moving the Willie Match to Saturday and holding the Club Championship on Sunday. This possibility will depend on the availability of the judge.

**Awards Banquet** – Linda Dixon said that as of this date there are a total of 43 people who have sent in their money. She has the points and all information from Craig and is in the process of assembling the awards.

### **Old Business:**

The next date to publish the CBC Newsletter will be July 2<sup>nd</sup> or July 3<sup>rd</sup>. It was suggested by the board that a schedule of publication be printed in the newsletter so that the members can be aware of when to submit their articles.

### **New Business:**

The board approved a motion to reimburse Linda Dixon for the purchase of Quicken Software in the amount of \$86.15. Craig Lewis spent many hours incorporating all historical and current accounts into this type of software with many time saving links. This process will be carried on now and in the future.

Linda Dixon asked the possibility of creating an office of Historian for the club. Now that she has all records for both the office of Secretary and Treasurer that go back well over 20 years, the volume and space is tremen-

dous. The board suggested that an article be placed in the Newsletter asking for volunteers.

Linda Langford made a motion for the club to create a separate account for funds and fund raisers

that are earmarked for a specific purpose. These monies would not go into the general fund. This would include the \$1,400.00+ that Marc Rittner's raffle earned that is earmarked for a trailer to hold the club's field trial equipment. Bill Leffingwell made the second and the motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,  
Linda Dixon, Secretary

NOTE:

CLUB  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
WILL NOT BE IN  
AUGUST...

WE ARE  
CONSIDERING  
DATES IN OCTOBER



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Application for New Membership, Renewals and Address Changes

(Look on the mailing label for your membership expiration date.)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am enclosing dues in the amount of

- checkbox \$25.00 (one year)
checkbox \$50.00 (two years), (check an amount)
checkbox \$75.00 (three years)

and hereby apply for \_\_\_\_ year(s) active membership in California Brittany Club. Send your membership to: Linda Dixon, 3200 Rocking RM Lane, Norco, CA 92860.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

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Note: Associate Memberships are \$3.00 per person per year

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