

# California Brittany Club



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# ON POINT



Well 2014 is coming to an end, CBC had a great year and thanks to everybody. Merry Christmas to all Brit fans and a prosperous New Year.

I would just like to give credit to all those who volunteered. Joy Ory, our Membership Chairman and Willie Match Chair, has increased our membership significantly, and has volunteered to remain in this capacity again for 2015. After several years as our Web Master, Myra Dawn Ellis has chosen to take a break. We thank her for all the hard work she has done for CBC. Jeri Conklin is stepping up as our new Web Master. Karen Nelsen is returning in 2015 for the Quarterly Newsletters. Carolyn Cape for her expertise, as our Treasurer. Linda McDonald for all her hard work with Shows and Raffles. Linda Dixon for a great Awards Banquet. Bill Landress for Field Trial Chairman. All of your Board of Directors, thank you. Deana Miller for being our Willie Match/ Club Championship and Awards Banquet Chairman for 2015.

2015 promises to be a challenging year, not only for our club, but for everyone else as well. Entries for events have been down, judges are hard to get and costs continue to rise.

Hope to see all of you and our Trial in January and again we will be hosting the Chukar Classic on the 27 & 28 of January. See Ya there!

**Ed**



## JANUARY 2015

☺ Next Newsletter Publication will be April 2015 - Deadline is March 15th. Send ideas, brags and info to Karen Nelsen. See address & phone number info on the last page.

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## MAJOR CLUB EVENTS

JANUARY 27-29

The ABC Chukar Classic

JANUARY 30-

FEBRUARY 1

Field Trial

Premiums on CBC and  
ABC websites

Come out and join the fun

## California Brittany Club Field Trial

Oct. 24-26, 2014

Spanish Ranch, New Cuyama, CA

By Linda McDonald

The California Brittany Club held their fall field trial at the historic Spanish Ranch in New Cuyama, CA. Dan and Pam Doiron graciously allow the club to use their beautiful ranch for our trial. The ranch is covered with oak trees and chaparral. We run a single course up and down Kelly Canyon, through the oak trees. The canyon sides range up to give the dogs the opportunity to show themselves on the hills. A road meanders up the canyon, so participants and visitors can ride the dog wagon and observe the action.

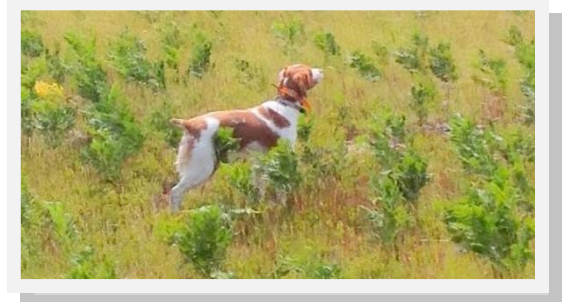
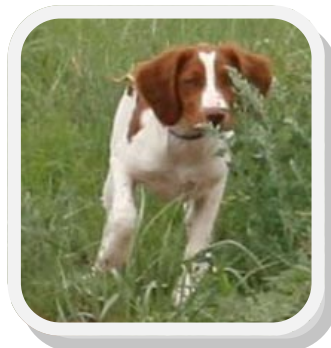
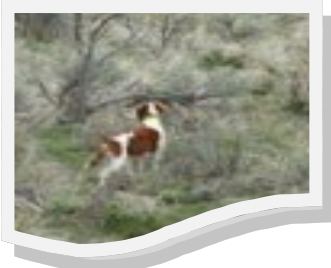
The ranch has a lovely cabana and kitchen that host the meals and gathering ... luxury for west coast field trials! So many club members were involved in food preparation and cleanup, but Joy Ory, Cindy Leffingwell, Margaret Horstmeyer, Mary Brown, Linda McDonald and Carolyn Cape spent time to be certain that the meal plans put together by Peggy Doiron were on time and delicious.

Saturday night was the annual Happy Hour to celebrate our club's dogs. Joy Ory took the reins to ensure that it was a savory success. We celebrated Mary Brown's and Shellie Sytsma's, **DC Copely's Red River's** new FC and DC titles, Jay and Alice Benoit's, **FC Leona Valley's Annie Get Your Gun's** new FC, Tim and Joy Ory's, **FC Ory's Doc Holliday's** new FC and Ed and Linda Dixon's, **Kiger Hill's Louee** for his 4<sup>th</sup> place at the 2013 National Open All Age.

Judges Ed Dixon, Joe Gower, Wayne Hale, Ellis Hertz and Lynn Merrell spent long hours in the saddle to judge our dogs through all sorts of weather from hot and sunny to chilly and windy as a storm moved into the area, hopefully bringing some much needed rain to the drought stricken area.

Ed Dixon, Paul Doiron, Joe Gower, Wayne Hale and Dan Doiron planted birds and drove the dog wagon. Dan Doiron's son, A.J. and Tim Ory stepped up and drove the dog wagon, as well.

Paul Doiron chaired another great trial, assisted ably by secretary, Myra-Dawn Ellis. We were tickled to have Jason Staley and his family come down from Idaho to run their string. Their one year old daughter is a scout and handler in the making! Also, from Idaho, old club members, Tom White and Margaret Horstmeyer trekked down to run their dogs. It was a great trial, with great food and time together with good friends, old and new, and our wonderful Brittanys.



## PLACEMENTS ...

### OPEN ALL AGE ~ Ellis Herz & Wayne Hale

- 1 - **FC AFC MINIS' MIDNITE SMOKE**, (M) BRITT by DC AFC 2XAmFld CH Redlines Tequila Smoker x Rebel-dogg's Mini-Me; o Ed & Linda Dixon, h Ed Dixon
- 2 - **DC AFC 3XAMFLD CH MEGASMOKE GRAND FINALE**, (M) BRITT by DC AFC 2XAmFld CH Redlines Tequila Smoker x NFC DC AFC Microchips of Nutmeg; o Myra-Dawn Ellis, h Paul Doiron
- 3 - **FC AMFLD CH K NINE'S ON THE LOOSE**, (F) BRITT by NAFC FC AFC AmFldCH Maxwell's Blew By You II x K Nine's Guns & Roses; o Linda McDonald, h Paul Doiron
- 4 - **NAFC DC AFC MTB CABO RITA DE SCIPIO**, (F) BRITT by DC AFC Terra's Cabo Wabo x DC AFC TJ'S Single Shot of Scipio; o M. Horstmeyer & Tom White, h Tom White

### OPEN GUN DOG ~ Joe Gower & Lynn Merrell

- 1 - **FC BLEW BY YET?**, (F) BRITT by NAFC FC AFC AmFldCH Maxwell's Blew By You II x K-Nine's Coyote Ugly; o Daniel R. Doiron, h Paul Doiron
- 2 - **SPICE'S WHIZ KID**, (M) BRITT by NAFC FC AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Mikey's Spice Girl; o Jerry & Carolyn Cape, h Paul Doiron
- 3 - **HIDEAWAY RED'S GRACE UNDER FIRE**, (F) BRITT by NGDC FC San-Dee's Blazing Shane x FC AFC Hideway Red's Bess Bet; o Cortnee Staley, h Jason Staley
- 4 - **QUAIL ROCK TOO TOUGH**, (M) BRITT by NAFC FC AFC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x FC Wishful Thinking; o Ellen Weinfurter, h Paul Doiron

### OPEN PUPPY ~ Ed Dixon & Lynn Merrell

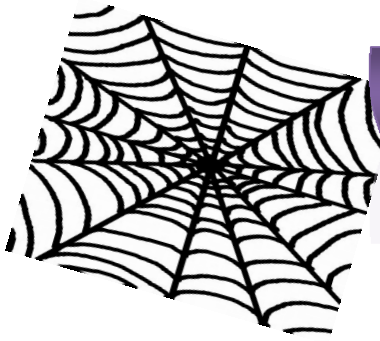
- 1 - **JANEE'S I'LL SET THE LIMIT**, (F) BRITT by Maxwell's Outer Limits x Decan's Uncontained Blaze; o Cortnee Staley, h Jason Staley
- 2 - **KINWASHKLY'S SMARTY MARTY**, (F) BRITT by FC 2XAmFldCH MVP Redline's High Octane JH x CH Kinwashly Brightest Star; o Leslie Andreas, h Paul Doiron
- 3 - **WILLOWICK COAL MINER'S DAUGHTER AT ALCHEMY**, (F) BRITT by GDC CH Copley Paper Dragon x CH Willowick Light By Fire; o Ellen Ewart & Kellie Miller, h Jason Staley
- 4 - **CAMELOT'S COPPERS ROLLIN' FOUR DICE JH**, (M) BRITT by Copper's 12 Gage SH x CH Elkhorn Jack's Misdemeanor (Misty) JH; o Jeri K Conklin & Roy D Stockton, h Paul Doiron

### AMATEUR GUN DOG ~ Ellis Herz & Joe Gower

- 1 - **FC ORY'S DOC HOLLIDAY**, (M) BRITT by NAFC FC AFC AmFldCH Maxwell's Blew By You II x K-Nine's Coyote Ugly; o Tim & Joy Ory, h Tim Ory
- 2 - **FC SELDOM SEEN SLIM**, (M) BRITT by DC AFC 2XAmFld CH Redlines Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee-Do'Dah; o Bill & Cindy Leffingwell, h Bill Leffingwell
- 3 - **FC BLEW BY YET?**, (F) BRITT by NAFC FC AFC AmFldCH Maxwell's Blew By You II x K-Nine's Coyote Ugly; o Daniel R. Doiron, h Daniel R. Doiron
- 4 - **FC HVK'S HIGH FLYING KYTE**, (M) BRITT by DC AFC 2XAmFld CH Redlines Tequila Smoker x Timberline Scip-O'Dee-Do'Dah; o Daniel R. Doiron, h Daniel R. Doiron

### OPEN DERBY ~ Ed Dixon & Wayne Hale

- 1 - **WILLOWICK COAL MINER'S DAUGHTER AT ALCHEMY**, (F) BRITT by GDC CH Copley Paper Dragon x CH Willowick Light By Fire; o Ellen Ewart & Kellie Miller, h Jason Staley
- 2 - **KINWASHKLY MVP SPEED RACER**, (M) BRITT by FC 2XAmFldCH MVP Redline's High Octane JH x CH Kinwashly Brightest Star; o Karen Nelsen, h Paul Doiron
- 3 - **ASPEN'S MILLION DOLLAR BOUNTY**, (M) BRITT by NAFC FC Spanish Corral's Sundance Kid x Blazen Rebel Aspen; o Phillip Emery, h Phillip Emery
- 4 - **COPLEY'S ALL FUN 'N GAMES**, (F) BRITT by GCH DC AFC Diamond Hill Dangeous Man x CH Copley's Wincrest Dirty Martini; o Joy & Tim Ory & Michella Ory, h Paul Doiron



# WEBMASTER NOTES

Hi everyone,

I finally have our new website for the CBC up and running. REMEMBER it is still in construction and changing phase as I get more information and pictures to populate into it. I WELCOME any and all suggestions on ways to make it user friendly. I have never constructed a website before so this has been a huge challenge and I know as time and education allow, it will morph into the best website around. So please don't crucify my efforts on the first go around :-). Compliments always welcome!

New features include drop down menus, new categories (Results; Rainbow Bridge; The Brittany Family...). On pages where there are forms associated, just click on the "download form" button and it will take you to the form. Unless the form came to me able to be written within (Membership Application; CBC Awards Score Sheet) forms will need to be printed off. More software is required to be able to type within the form itself (sorry, am looking into this feature). Am hoping to have the CBC/SDBC Hunt Test premium up soon. Hold the dates - 14,15 February 2015 - it will be a double/double. Also hoping to have the latest newsletter up as soon as I receive it :-). Lots of new stuff under the "More" tab! Enjoy exploring!

The banner on the main page and on several other pages throughout has stayed the same in honor of Myra-Dawn's husband. My goal is to have this website represent the CBC Brittany family and "*The Versatile Brittany*" using photos to show off our many Brittany's doing what they do best (whatever that may be). To that goal - I am hosting a CBC Website Photo Contest (see the next page with info). PLEASE submit your photos **as soon as possible**. I already have several submissions and am really excited! I have populated with some of my own photos till I get new ones. You are always welcome to submit photos of the CBC family.

If you have any questions, please let me know. Thank you in advance for your patience on a growing website, we are both a work in progress :-). Our new website is located at the old website address. Just click on the highlighted blue California Brittany Club below and it will take you to our new site. Enjoy!

**Jeri Conklin**

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# WEBSITE PHOTO CONTEST

**WHAT:** New Website Photo Contest - "The Versatile Brittany"

**WHEN:** Now through January 17, 2015 - Photo Favorites to be named at the CBC Spring Field Trial (January 31, 2015) Photos can be from any year.

**WHO:** Anyone who is a current member of the California Brittany Club is invited to enter; dog in photo must be owned by CBC member (photographer may be family member)

**AWARDS:** Selected photos to be featured on the website

## PHOTO IDEAS:

Competition photos

Hunting favorites

A puppy being a puppy; veterans being a veteran

Creative shots (your Brittany doing what he/she does best - Brittany driving a tractor; Brittany cooking; be creative ....)

**HOW:** Email your photo(s) to webmaster at: [jericonklin@yahoo.com](mailto:jericonklin@yahoo.com)

Subject Line: Photo Contest

Please include the following:

Your Name & Contact Information

Your dog's name/age/gender

Permission to use your photo on the CBC Website at no charge

In an effort to have a website that portrays the versatility of the Brittany, I would like to have your photos as soon as possible to display on the website for all to enjoy.





**CALIFORNIA BRITTANY CLUB  
2015 SPECIALTY - FUNDRAISER RAFFLE  
CLARISONIC MIA 3 HOLIDAY SET  
VALUED AT \$250**

**ONLY 100 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD - \$10.00 DONATION PER TICKET**

REDEFINING SKIN CARE  
THROUGH PATENTED  
SONIC TECHNOLOGY



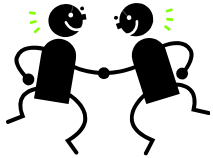
NO VIBRATION | NO SPINNING  
DEVICES + FORMULATIONS  
= AMPLIFIED RESULTS



Checks payable to the California Brittany Club - No need to be present to win  
Drawing to be held no later than May 24, 2015  
Drawing may be held at the Spring Field Trial should all tickets be sold by then!  
Tickets available at CBC events, via email [cabrittanyclub.fundraising@gmail.com](mailto:cabrittanyclub.fundraising@gmail.com)  
and through Jeri Conklin - 661 728 0969 and Joy Ory - 661 296 0276

# WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING?

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



Paul Algra Oxnard, CA      Leslie Bordon Atascadero, CA  
Bill Callander Orange, CA      Cathie Deal Carlsbad, CA  
Katelyn Ford Apple Valley, CA      Rick Herrera Simi Valley, CA  
Charles Pogue San Diego, CA      David Webb Ladera Ranch, CA

### BRAGS FROM THE CONKLINS

Congratulations to Daisy (**Cedaridge Kip's Camelot Shay Tre' JH**) finished with seven juvenile points in 2014 in both Open Puppy/Derby and her amateur points in both Open Puppy/Derby.



Congratulations to Dice (**Camelot's Copper's Rollin' Four Dice JH**) who received placements in Open Puppy and Amateur Walking Derby on his first field trial circuit with Paul & Peggy Doiron.

Thank you to Paul and Peggy Doiron for bringing out the best in Daisy and Dice. Looking forward to a successful Futurity run with Daisy and Dice in January 2015 and a great spring circuit for Dice (Open Derby); Ginny (KWK Windswept Guinevere of Camelot JH) Open Gun Dog and Xena (Copley's Warrior Princess of Camelot) in Open Puppy!

### FROM THE PROUD ORY CAMP:



**FC ORY'S DOC HOLIDAY** began competing in Amateur Gun Dog Stakes

with back-to-back Major Wins at the Southern San Joaquin Valley and California Brittany Club Fall Field Trials at Spanish Ranch. Doc's handler was Tim, and Margaret Horstmeyer scouted at the SSJVBC and Ed Dixon at the CBC. Rock On Doc!!!!



**CH COPLEY'S ALL FUN 'N GAMES (AKA SOPHIE)** During the fall trial season this chatty juvenile earned her Puppy points. Sophie sealed

her conformation title at the Shoreline Dog Fanciers Association of Orange County in Costa Mesa on December 5, 2014, handled by Lynda O'Connor Snyder. Sophie finished with 4 Majors and 2 Specialty Bests in Sweeps. She has returned to Paul and Peggy's string and will be at the Western Futurity in Sonoita!

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**Brittany is a better  
bird dog.**

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### 2015

Jan 2-4 Sahuaro Trial (AZ)

Jan 5-6 Western Futurity (AZ)

Jan 7-8 Western All Age Championship (AZ)

Jan 9-12 Great Phoenix Trial (AZ)

Jan 16-18 Grand Canyon Trial (AZ)

Jan 27-29 Chukar Championship

Jan 30-Feb 1 CBC Trial

Feb 14-15— CBC Double-Double  
Hunt Test

## OFFICERS

### President

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### Willi Match

Joy Ory 661-296-0276

### Breed Referral

Mary Brown [mrybrown@live.com](mailto:mrybrown@live.com)

Please advise of any litters

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Application for New Membership, Renewals and Address Changes

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

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am enclosing dues

in the amount of (*check an amount*)

- \$30.00 (one year)  
 \$60.00 (two years)  
 \$90.00 (three years)

& hereby apply for \_\_\_\_ year(s) active membership in California Brittany Club. I agree to abide by the Rules and Regulations of the American Kennel Club, the By-Laws of the American Brittany Club, and the California Brittany Club.

**Send your membership to:**

**Joy Ory ~ 28930 Shadow Valley Lane ~ Santa Clarita, CA 91390**

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

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

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

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip+4: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Club notices, newsletters, and bulletins may be sent by email.

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Check box to be **excluded** from the club directory.

**Associate Memberships** are \$3.00 per person per year

*Please print clearly*