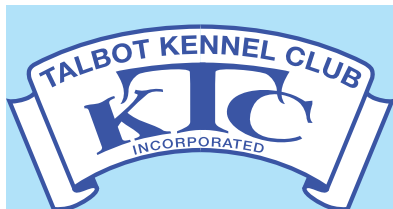


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My Fellow Members



Tom Harding, President

We have entered exciting times at Talbot Kennel Club. In January we will be in our new facility in Ridgely. It is a beautiful new building with over twice the usable space. The new building can help our club continue to grow and should give our members and students a great place to train.

It has been a busy fall. We added a third day to our November agility trial and the Eastern Shore Classic had another good year. I wanted to personally thank the members that help bring these shows to fruition and thank the volunteers that

helped make the shows run smoothly.

Our 2012 classes finished on November 16 and we have six weeks to leave the Packing House in Cordova. There is a lot to do, so please volunteer when you can. Our building transition team consists of myself, Pam Helmer, Pam Johnson, Linda Syner, and Ivette White and we will be coordinating activities for the move and will be sending out calls for volunteers.

The club general meeting/Christmas party was held on December 3rd and was the last official activity at the old building in Cordova.

Tom Harding

Dear Members:

I know you've been training and/or traveling and honing your skills with poochie. So, let us celebrate with you!

Do you have a notable picture or incident to share? Did Fluffy pass that water balloon in front of your in-laws during the family BBQ? Do you have a gorgeous garden in spite of the drought? Is the book you're reading worthy of your recommendation? What did you do over your vacation?

Send your information and pics if you have them to me, Diane Horowitz, via email at dwhorowitz@verizon.net or by postal service at Talbot Kennel Club, 405 West Bell Road, Unit 6, Ridgely MD 21660.

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Talbot Kennel Club Eastern Shore Classic

This Cluster Musters Luster

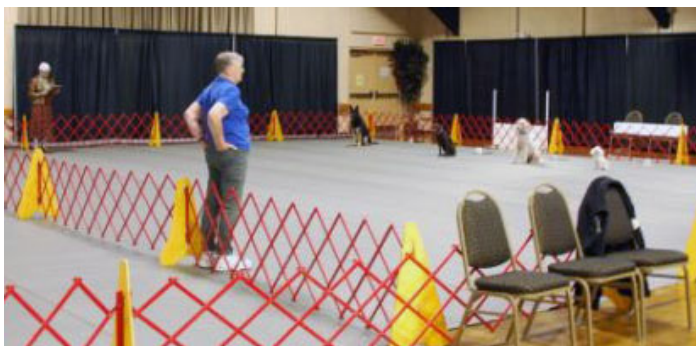
The Eastern Shore Classic has once again seen the cream of the crop (and I don't mean just corn). Not only did we have increased entries for Talbot Kennel Club, but I'd say we're the "pick of the litter". As I looked at the dogs this year, what I saw was certifiable by the investment I had made in our catalogue. I was literally watching the Canine Oscars. The Group winners vying for Best In Show were all among the Top 5 of their respective breeds to be invited to compete at New York City's Westminster Kennel Club in February! No offense, but given the choice, I'd choose something from Tiffanys over Claires; Jimmy Choo's over Crocs; Perry Cabin over EconoLoge.

The purpose of these shows is to let spectators learn which dog best suits their wants and needs for that perfect family companion. Would you not agree that once they see such responsible quality, the host kennel club's job gets easier?? Looking at the caliber of entrants, I'd say that TKC did such a great job, we deserve a raise, an Oscar, AND Jimmy Choo's for all!!

But alas, we are more than happy just to have a huge, bright, and comfy facility to sharpen our skills; to attract and maintain excellence; and to have the fun in doing so!



TKC Conformation class students Sophie and Leslie Storm entered our Eastern Shore Classic cluster. Each presented a Pomeranian to be judged. Pictured is Sophie with puppy bitch "Showin's Lady Cosette", and her Mom with puppy dog "Showin's Conan the Barbarian". In their first show, each took Second Place in their class! Congratulations and hoping to see you hone your skills at TKC's January class session which will be held at our NEW facility in Ridgely.



You walk into the Obedience arena and witness several dogs just sitting in the ring. So, what's the big deal? In this particular competition (Open B), the handler must put the dog in a "sit" position; walk away, and leave the room. The dog must remain there for several minutes. The dog must still remain sitting as it sees its handler come back into the room and return beside the dog (and this is just a portion

of the exercise)! Seriously? Really? It's unimaginable! I can't get my dog to sit long enough to put Fido's leash on. To watch this was so worth the admission. Awe-inspiring entertainment! Pictured is Pat Killalea keeping an eye as Judge Minta Williquette tallies up qualifying scores for the following entrants who gave award winning performances: German Shepherd #80 Yorktowne Von Konigsdorf UDX4 OM3 owned by Jodie Martin Johnson; Labrador Retriever #88 OTCH Cresthill's Sprinkle of Justice UDX2 OM3 RA JH; Pioneer's "The Don" of Shangri La UD OAP NJP RN; and the ultimate winner, Toy Poodle #110 CH OTCH Saratoga's Sophia UDX4 OM6 AXJ OF. Check out www.talbotkennelclub.org for the Obedience class schedule and be part of such a win-win situation!



It's one thing to compete in TKC's handling class amongst your student peers; it's quite another to find yourself in the ring amongst Mike Scott, Mark Desrosiers, and Zack Helmer—ALL Professional Handlers! She was taught and learned well. Jerry Rollyson presented CH Glenwood Chua's Doroteia RE CD during the Best of Breed competition in the hope of attaining more points towards Teia's Grand Championship. Mike Scott won the ribbon. Jerry and Teia were both grace under fire. They won our hearts and our respect!

TKC Breed Show, November 7, 8, 2012

Wednesday's Best In Show Winners

HOUND: BEST IN SHOW



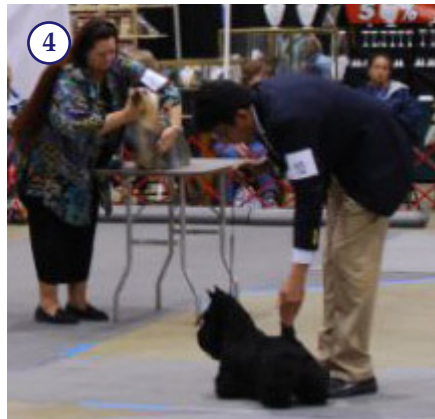
- ① HOUND: BEST IN SHOW
American Foxhound #8
CH Kiarry's Pandora's Box
Owned by Ellen Charles & Lisa Miller.
Lisa was also the handler.



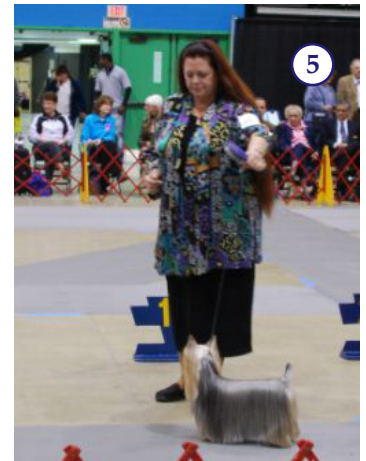
- ② SPORTING: English Springer
Spaniel #15
GCH Wynmoor Champagne Supernova
Owned by Florence & Fink &
McWilliams & Kerfoot & Streng.
Handled by Robin Novack.



- ③ WORKING: Saint Bernard #7
GCH Jamelle's Aristocrat V Elba
Owned by Linda & Edward Baker.



- ④ TERRIER: RESERVE BIS
Scottish Terrier #10
GCH Lomondview Clementina
Owned by Daphne & John Eggert.
Handled by Ernesto Lara.



- ⑤ TOY: Silky Terrier #14
GCH Snow Glen's Tesoro Cover Story
Owned by Diane Adamcik & Debra Caselli &
Pam Laperruque.



- ⑥ NON-SPORTING: Dalmatian #7
GCH Spotlights Ruffian
Owned by Barbara & Jim Lyons.



- ⑦ HERDING: German Shepherd #9
GCH Babheims Captain Crunch
Owned by Janet and James Moses & Deborah Stern &
C. Navarro & Maria Deschamps.

Thursday's Best In Show Winners

TERRIER: BEST IN SHOW

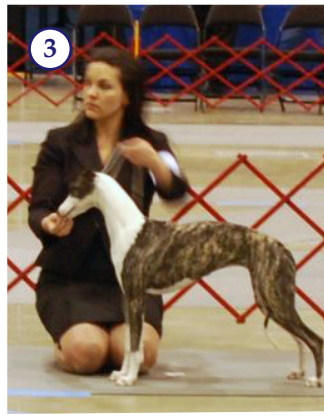


- ① **TERRIER: BEST IN SHOW**
Scottish Terrier #10
GCH Lomondview Clementina
Owned by Daphne & John Eggert.
Handled by Ernesto Lara.
- ② **SPORTING: Irish Setter #9**
GCH Northwinds First Reign
Owned by Rebecca and Jeff Arch &
Nancy and Don Keane.
- ③ **HOUND: American Foxhound #8**
CH Kiarry's Pandora's Box
Owned by Ellen Charles & Lisa Miller.
Lisa was also the handler.
- ④ **WORKING: Saint Bernard #7**
GCH Jamelle's Aristocrat V Elba
Owned by Linda & Edward Baker.
- ⑤ **TOY: Silky Terrier #14**
GCH Snow Glen's Tesoro Cover Story
Owned by Diane Adamcik & Debra Caselli &
Pam Laperruque.
- ⑥ **NON-SPORTING: Miniature Poodle #8**
CH Surrey Sugar Baby
Owned by Debbie Burke & Ron Scott.
Handled by Kaz Hosaka.
- ⑦ **HERDING: RESERVE BIS:**
German Shepherd #9
GCH Babheims Captain Crunch
Owned by Janet and James Moses &
Deborah Stern & C. Navarro &
Maria Deschamps.



Puppy Best In Show Winners

1 BEST PUPPY IN SHOW



- ① **NON-SPORTING: BEST PUPPY IN SHOW**
Dalmatian #9
Snapshots Don't Spill the Beans.
Owned by Linda J. Davis.
Handled by Jessy Sutton.
- ② **SPORTING: Golden retriever #52**
Yukon's Drunk on You High On Summertime:
Owned by Charlene & John Devons.
Handled by Mark Desrosiers.
- ③ **HOUND: Whippet #30**
Sporting Fields Shameless
Owned by Jane Cooney Waterhouse &
Dionne Butt & Amanda Giles.
- ④ **WORKING: Cane Corsos #9**
Italica's Locked N Loaded
Owned by Zoe DeVita & Suzanne and Albert Taurone.

- ⑤ **TERRIER: Sealyham #15**
Goodspice Eaven Only Knows
Owned by Ores Chever Jr.
Handled by Margery Good.
- ⑥ **TOY: Pug #11 Kinetta's The way It Was- Blk**
Owned by Kay, Dean, and Phoebe Pappas.
- ⑦ **HERDING: Old English Sheepdog #8**
Larame Mittened Monarch of Balmoral
Owned by Sarah Patton & Chris Lawrenz.

BRAGS - New Champ, Wins, Titles

Some brags from the December meeting included:

At the TKC agility trial at Spring Cove Farm, Ashley Cook ran Diane Spalding's Riki to get a double Q #6 for 55 points. With all that adrenaline behind her, she went on to run Robin Valliant's Katrina to an Open Fast 2nd leg and Title; Open STD Title-1st place; Open JWW 2nd leg - 2nd leg; and their first T2B Q for 10 points! Whew!!



Throughout the Salisbury cluster Breed Show, Robin Valliant & Ecco earned Best Of Breed one day and Select the remaining four days!!



Proud breeder/mentor Linda Motta watches Ashley Cook as she stacks Jinxy during the Portuguese Water Dog supported show. They would go on to take 2nd Place in Sweepstakes! They also were awarded 2nd Place in their class both days of the TKC Breed Show. The remaining days of the cluster were used to get their Canine Good Citizen Title, and their 1st and 2nd Rally Novice legs! Not bad for their first time in that ring AND at nine months old!

CH Glenwood Chuva's Doroteia CD, WWD, RE, CGC received her Bronze Register of Merit at the Portuguese Water Dog Clubs National event.



Teia is owned by Jerry Rollyson and Co-owned by Audrey Hiebler.

PWDCA presents these awards each year to Porties who have earned certain number of titles.

There are four classifications for the Register of Merit, Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum. Past winners from our club were Robyn Valliant with Ecco, and Linda Motta with Gussie.

AKC initiated a new Conformation title named Grand Champion for those who were not quite ready (or willing) to retire. Tonka begged and pleaded. A shrewd negotiator, it was decided that Mitchel & Diane Horowitz would only enter him in American Chesapeake Club supported shows.



Apparently, at 11 ½ yrs old, he's still got it! In just a few limited entries, he got his GCH title. The day he earned it, he not only won Best of Breed from his "veteran" class, but Judge James Reynolds chose GCH Chesabar's Copper Mine as Best Veteran In Show! Woo Hoo! Soon we'll be asking Honey BooBoo who?? We're honkin' for Tonka!!

Sorry No Photo. Terry Meserole & Jake earned a first leg towards ADV Rally B at Point of Rocks on October 5th with a score of 90!

Sorry No Photo. JoAnn Tolson's patience paid off! After 2 years, it finally clicked for J.D. He earned his STD Novice title in 3 days with two 1st's and one 2nd.

Sorry No Photo. Audrey Hiebler's Allie (Glenwood's Crab Allie Diva) won Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex all three days at the Howard County shows for two points each day. On Saturday, she also won Best of Winners! Allie was presented by Joann Charnik as Audrey is successfully recovering from shoulder surgery!

Kudos for Kindness

Who Ya Gonna Call? Life Savers!

It is with deep appreciation and Super Big Thanks going out to Robin Valliant from Lynn Haneke.

Compounding the sadness Lynn felt from her Dad's passing, Lynn would not be able to host the ever-popular agility demo at Talbot Humane's "Bark in the Park" benefit.

Without hesitation, Robin stepped in to oversee that no one would be disappointed.



Robin Valliant



Pam Johnson

Thanks to all the TKC members who have been vacuuming, dusting, painting, taking up & putting down flooring, climbing on & falling off

ladders, and moving and relocating furniture & equipment to both the old and new facilities!! In her enthusiasm to bring this relocation to fruition much sooner than later, Pam Johnson's thoughts got ahead of her body and has been forced to take it easy. But she has refused to sit on her laurels and continues to make this move happen on time and without delay for our next scheduled class session! So Thanks, Pam and hey! Let's NOT break a leg!

Sincerest Condolences

to
Lynn Haneke
on the passing of her father

and to

Melanie Newell
on the passing of her husband.

From All of Your Friends at TKC

SPRING ECHO DOPPLER CLINIC

with Board Certified Cardiologist
Dr. Luis Braz-Ruivo, DVM, DVSc, Dip, ACVIM

The annual Spring Echo Doppler Clinic for breed screening will be held on Saturday, March 2nd and Sunday, March 3rd at his facility in Bowie, Maryland.

The clinic is OPEN TO ALL BREEDS and cost is \$175 per dog if registered by February 8th and \$200 per dog after this date. A copy of your dog's results will be provided at the completion of your appointment.

Appointments are limited and will fill quickly! Please get your registration in early if you want to ensure you get into this clinic. Appointments will be scheduled on a first come, first serve basis and payment must be received to confirm a spot.

For more information, contact Beth Downey at amity-hallboxers@atlanticbb.net.

PLEASE NOTE - This clinic is being conducted for screening of congenital or acquired heart disease for breeding purposes only. No medical advice will be given to treat any suspected medical condition or to check on the progression of a previously diagnosed cardiac disease.

RAINBOW BRIDGE

A tribute to Trouble—A World Class Border Collie and Beloved Dog of Lynn and Butch Haneke

**International Champion CH. Sequoyahpark Eye O' The Storm CD. NA. NAJ. HCT. CGC
02/16/2000 9/27/2012**

This beautiful dog had a rough start in life. He was born to a show kennel in Denmark and for the first 3 years lived half the month in a kennel and half in the house. He showed there and obtained his Championship in Denmark before traveling to the US for his AKC show schedule.

In the AKC ring he had the honor of showing UNDEFEATED in his quest for his Championship. Not many of us have had a dog so successful that they always won their class. All of that success came at a high price to his mental health. Living in a show kennel made him so upset that he excessively groomed his forelegs. He ended up with a granular tumor that needed surgery. Recovery from the surgery also didn't go well in a show kennel where he wasn't in an E-collar and tore his stitches out. Recovery from further surgery wasn't possible at the kennel and his USA co-owner had too many dogs to take him on. That's where I came in. The last week of May 2004 he came to live with me just until the fall of that year.



After Trouble healed physically we worked on the mental aspect of his recovery. In the fall of 2004 he started obedience and agility classes at TKC. He was obviously happier with me even though he occasionally hit the circuit with Greg Strong for a weekend. By the Spring of 2005 we had 6 days of agility shows and both of our Novice titles. That Spring and Summer we also obtained our CD. His USA co-owner knew Trouble would return to self-mutilating if he returned to Denmark so she helped me keep him here.

Trouble spent every minute of the day with either my husband or myself, even going to work with Butch when he worked on an estate near Pickering Creek.

Trouble was the ultimate Border Collie and instinctively knew how to work sheep. He did obtain his American Herding Breed Association Herding title on sheep and ducks. In our first test he was given 10 minutes to finish moving the sheep thru the course. I had it videotaped and later timed our test at just under 3 minutes. Only 2 dogs out of 10 qualified that day. The judge had rolled his eyes when this "barbie doll" BC came in the ring, but he was very impressed when we worked and noted that on our judging sheet.

Cancer took him at 12 ½ but nothing can take the joy he gave to us away.

Cataway Lavender Blue Niki

March 26, 1997 – August 31, 2012

“SHE MADE A DIFFERENCE”



Although she claimed me at 9 ½ weeks, Niki didn't become mine until she was nine months old. I had no idea what a blessing she would be.

Niki earned many titles in NADAC, AKC, and USDAA agility, but most people remember her as the blue Sheltie in my lap. She earned her CGC and Rally Novice title. But she found her true calling with her TDI Certification. Niki's work with children was sometimes described as a miracle. She worked in three elementary schools helping reluctant first grade readers gain confidence and reading success. At a local nursery school, she spent time with preschoolers helping them get over their fear of dogs. Saturdays often found Niki at a program for young autistic children. There

she was referred to as “our beloved Niki.” With Niki, children who didn't talk and didn't interact with other children, came out of their shell. It was overwhelming when one mother said to me, “you'll never know how long I've waited for a child of mine to call me Mommy.”

A few years ago, when Niki was being “the dog to talk to” at an animal communication class, the animal communicator said, “She has done more in her 12 years than most adults have done in their lifetime.” For three more years Niki continued to work her miracles.

Niki brought me comfort, peace, and unbelievable joy.

“When someone you love becomes a memory, the memory becomes a treasure.” I treasure all of the memories.

Jeanne Ellis



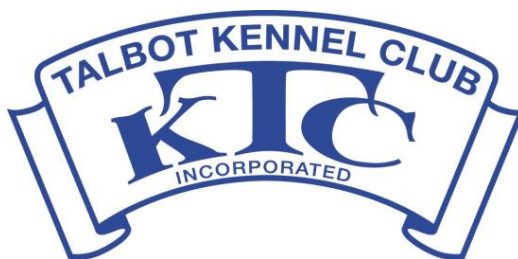
TKC - New Location

- ◆ Quiet are the climate control units.
- ◆ Ample is the floor space to erect a regulation-size trial course or a handling ring OR one of each-together-at the same time.
- ◆ Private is the Loo to compose one's self after a botched run; or politely gloat when you know you've NAILED IT!
- ◆ Solid is the roof which no longer has us Singing In The Rain while IN the building.
- ◆ No more road rash after you're pulled by puppy, or slide down and thru when the steps are wet.
- ◆ Gone is the mold in the air, the walls, and our lungs!

Now that I've whetted your appetite, make sure you come experience the place in person when classes start up in January!

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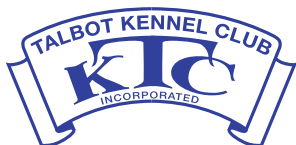


Class Schedule – Winter 2013

All classes will be held at the TKC building, 405 West Bell Road, Unit 6, Ridgely, MD 21660

Monday January 14 ^h	Rings 1 & 2 Agility 4 Competition 5:00 – 6:00 pm Linda Syner 410-634-1112	Rings 1 & 2 Agility 4 Competition 6:00 – 7:00 pm Linda Syner 410-634-1112	Rings 1 & 2 Agility 3 Pre-Competition 7:00 – 8:00 pm Linda Syner 410-634-1112	
Tuesday January 15 th	Ring 1 Conformation 6:30 – 7:30 pm Joann Beavers 410-745-5796	Ring 2 Focus 6:30 – 7:30 pm Anne Decker 410-829-2694	Ring 1 **Star Puppy** > 5 months old 7:30 – 8:30 pm Anne Decker Robin Valliant 410-829-2694	Ring 2 Family Obedience > 5 months old 7:30 – 8:30 pm Lynn Haneke 443-521-0217
Wednesday January 16 th	Rings 1 & 2 Agility 2 Novice Agility 6:30 – 7:30 pm Linda Syner 410-634-1112	Ring 2 Beginner Novice 7:30 – 8:15 Pat Killalea 302-697-9896	Ring 2 Rally 8:15 – 9:00 JoAnn Tolson 410-827-0226	
Thursday January 17 th	Ring 1 Utility 6:00 – 7:00 pm Sally Kepfer 302-242-8199	Ring 1 Open 7:00 – 8:00 pm Sally Kepfer 302-242-8199	Ring 2 Novice 8:00 – 9:00 pm Pam Helmer 410-829-3014	
Saturday January 12 th	Tracking Jan. 12, Jan. 26, Feb. 9, Feb. 23, Mar. 9, Mar. 23 Fair Hill, MD Tom Harding – 410-714-0343			

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