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Some of my best leading men have been dogs and horses.
 Elizabeth Taylor

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Flat Coated Retriever

Sporting Group



The Flat-Coated Retriever is a versatile family companion and hunting retriever with a happy and active demeanor, intelligent expression and clean lines. In silhouette the Flat-Coat has a long, strong, clean, "one piece" head, which is unique to the breed. He is affectionate and patient with family and friends as well as being an active and outgoing dog.

Background: The Flat-Coat arrived out of the desire to create a selectively-bred bird dog. The breed cites in its ancestry the Retriever Proper, a cross-breed emerging from the Large Newfoundland, setter, sheepdog, and spaniel-like water dogs, in addition to various other breeds. By 1918, the Flatcoat's popularity was overtaken by the modern Labrador Retriever, and by the end of the 1920s by the Golden Retriever. At times, particularly during the two World Wars, registrations dwindled to dangerous levels. The Flatcoat's most famous patron was H. R. Cooke, who for over 70 years kept the breed in his fabulous "Riverside" kennel – a kennel perhaps unique among those for any breed of dogs in numbers, quality and awards won in the field and on the show bench.

Approved September 11, 1990
Effective October 30, 1990

Show Ring: Height: Preferred height is 23 to 24½" for dogs, 22 to 23½" for bitches. **Weight:** Lean, hard condition. **Head:** Long, clean, well molded head. **Eyes:** Set widely apart, medium sized, almond shaped, dark brown or hazel. **Ears:** Relatively small, well set on, lying close to the side of the head and thickly feathered. **Bite:** Scissors bite preferred, level bite acceptable. Broken teeth should not count against the dog. **Nose:** Large open nostrils. Black on black dogs, brown on liver dogs. **Color:** Solid black or solid liver. **Coat:** Moderate length density and fullness, with a high luster. The ideal coat is straight and flat lying. A slight waviness is permissible.

Tail: Carried happily but without curl as a smooth extension of the topline, never much above the level of the back. **Feet:** Oval or round. **Judging:** The Flat-Coat moving freely on a loose lead and standing naturally is more important than judging him posed. Honorable scars should not count against the dog.

Breeding and Whelping: There are generally few problems. The average size of the litter is between 6 and 8. Removal of dewclaws is optional on front paws. There are no hind dewclaws.

Disqualifications: *Yellow, cream or any color other than black or liver.*

Severe Faults: Wry and undershot or overshot bites with a noticeable gap must be severely penalized. Unprovoked aggressive behavior toward people or animals.

Recognized Problems: There is a low incidence of hip dysplasia but **luxating patellas** are a common problem. **Epilepsy** and **diabetes insipidus** are documented in this breed. **Histiosarcoma** is a cause of early death.

Old Age: Flat Coated Retrievers have a life span of 10 - 14 years.

From: Ross D. Clark, DVM & Joan R. Stainer. Medical and Genetic Aspects of Purebred Dogs; AKC. The Complete Dog Book (20th ed.) and the AKC web site.

March Meeting

The next meeting of the DKC membership will take place on **Monday, March 16th**. Do plan to attend and bring a dish for our potluck dinner.

Dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m. Bring a friend to share at 7 and furry friends are welcome at 7:30.

March Program: The speaker for this meeting will be Scott Pitts from Cargill Animal Nutrition. He will talk about Pet Food Technology and their new Loyall pet food.

If you have program ideas, please contact Michelle Lennon:
rottwy1rNC@aol.com

COMMITTEE CHAIRSConformation Classes/Breeder Referral**Nancy Adams**Obedience Classes**Mary Florence**Spring Show**Connie Howard**Fall Show**Jan Gray**Agility Trials**Tracy Fletcher**Obedience Trial**Jan Gray**Tracking**Jack Sappenfield**Membership/Newsletter**Terri Toohil**Cheer, Rentals(building/land)**Dana Pritchett**Obedience equipment & Yard Sale**Sharon Pitz**Social**Jeanne Stringall**CGC Program-/Maintenance (outside)**George Beglane**Librarian, Recycling**Denise McDonald**Agility classes**Lisa Roberts**Education**Kirk Ridge**Legislative Liaison, Tail Waggers**Joanne Harrar**

Anyone who has 6 months as a Candidate Member and has done 2 services in the past year is eligible to become a Regular Member. Just mail the Regular Member form found on our website to Terri Toohil. [All info on form.]

The Proposed Slate :

President	George Beglane
Vice President	Dee Wallace (May not be able to run for President.)
Treasurer	Roger Akers
Corresponding Secretary	Ann Carter
Recording Secretary	Peggy Schmidt
Director	Lisa Roberts
Director	Thomas Givens
Director	Terri Toohil
Director	Jan Gray
AKC Delegate	Linda Wozniak

Remember that people can submit a written nomination (see by-laws) and make nominations from the floor at the April meeting (see bylaws).

Upcoming Rally Classes

WANT TO HAVE FUN
WITH YOUR DOG?

Join Rally class....New Day and New Time. **Classes start Tuesday March 24th, 2009 at 6:30PM.**

Dogs must know "sit, down, stay and walk on loose leash"

Contact Nancy Akers at r.akers@verizon.net or 919-471-0670 or Jeanne Stringall at Hunter07292002@yahoo.com or 919-479-8479 for more information.

Watch for the class applications on the DKC website soon.

March Show-N-Gos

Stewards and Judges needed for our March Show-N-Go's! No experience necessary as you can be paired with someone who can show you what to do and answer questions. Experienced people accepted even if you are not working your own dog!

Saturday, March 7**NOVICE- 2 rings****Sunday, March 8****OPEN & UTILITY**

To volunteer for Saturday contact Denise McDonald 336-504-0655
paulgirlbeerdog@yahoo.com

To volunteer for Sunday contact Dana Pritchett 919-618-3522
dpritchett2@nc.rr.com

Canine Good Citizen Test

The club held another successful CGC test on Saturday, February 21, 2009. We had ten teams take the test, of which nine passed. I could like to thank the following volunteers for giving up their Saturday morning to make this a successful test. Bonnie Nichols, Emilie Beglane, Jane Birch, Jeanne & Brian & Hunter Stringall, Lois Schultz, Peggy Schmidt, Sally Ridge, Sue Ivy, Terri & Cindy Toohil, Karen Morgan, Terri Smith and Bonnie Allen.

*George Beglane***DKC School Visit**

Durham Kennel Club was well represented when 6 of our members went to visit a school on February 13. The teacher of the 21st Century Aftercare program, Cathy Culbreth, contacted us about doing a presentation to her

No DKC Membership Meeting in February

Since we have our Awards Banquet in February, there is no membership meeting.

Proposed New Members

The following will be voted on as Candidate Members at the March Members Meeting: **Jacob Jesse, David Weant, Patty McEwen, Terry Murphy, Kathleen Ryan and Angie Taverna.**

The following will be voted on as a Regular Member at the March Members Meeting: **Brenda Vogel.**

children about AKC and what it means to be a pedigree dog.

George Beglane and Bentley, Martha and Jeff Traylor with Star and Casey, Vern Bell with puppy, Emily, and Kirk and Sally Ridge with Levi showed 2 groups of 30 children each what the different breeds were designed to do and why they are judged to have certain physical traits to do their work.

We all enjoyed the time with the kids and the dogs were great. We plan to do another visit to a school before the end of the school year.

Kirk Ridge

Lucille Schreiner

Lucille Schreiner passed away on Valentine's Day.

Her family is not going to have a funeral and they are telling people who ask, to make a donation to DKC in her mother's name.

She would like for us to use the donations to sponsor a class at our December Obedience Trial

Thanks to Our Awards Banquet Committee

Much work went into creating a wonderful experience for all at the annual Awards Banquet.

The DKC would like to thank the committee members for their hard work and many hours of preparation: Lisa Roberts, Roger Akers, Nancy Akers, Nancy Zawadowski, Diane Divine, Denise McDonald, Carolyn Wolfe and Linda Kerr.

Dog Owners More Likely To Share Germs With Pets By Not Washing Hands Than By Sleeping With Dog

ScienceDaily (Jan. 30, 2009) — Dog owners who sleep with their pet or permit licks on the face are in good company. Surveys show that more than half of owners bond with their pets in these ways.

Research done by a veterinarian at Kansas State University found that these dog owners are no more likely to share the same strains of E. coli bacteria with their pets than are other dog owners.

Dr. Kate Stenske, a clinical assistant professor at K-State's College of Veterinary Medicine, studied this association as part of her doctoral research at the University of Tennessee. The research is scheduled to appear in an upcoming issue of the American Journal of Veterinary Research.

Stenske said the finding that these human-animal bonding behaviors aren't more likely to spread germs is good news because there are physical and psychological benefits of pet ownership.

"I became interested in the topic because there is such a strong bond between dogs and their owners," Stenske said. "If you look at one study, 84 percent of people say their dog is like a child to them."

Stenske said surveys also show that nearly half of all dog owners share food with their dogs, and more than half allow the dog to sleep in the bed and lick them on the face.

"We also know diseases can be shared between dogs and people," Stenske said. "About 75 percent of emerging diseases are zoonotic, meaning they are transferrable between humans and other animals. With these two pieces of knowledge, I wanted to examine the public health aspects of such activities."

Stenske's study centered on E. coli bacteria, which is common in the gastrointestinal tracts of both dogs and humans.

"People have it, dogs have it, and it normally doesn't cause any problems," she said. "But it can acquire genes to make it antibiotic resistant."

The study examined fecal samples from dogs and their owners and looked at the bacteria's DNA fingerprints. Stenske found that 10 percent of dog-human pairs shared the same E. coli strains. She also found that the E. coli had more resistance to common antibiotics than expected, although the owners had more multiple-drug resistant strains than their pets.

"This make us think that dogs are not likely to spread multiple drug-resistant E. coli to their owners, but perhaps owners may spread them to their dogs," Stenske said. "What we learn from this is that antibiotics really do affect the bacteria within our gastrointestinal tract, and we should only take them when we really need to -- and always finish the entire prescription as directed."

The research showed that bonding behaviors like sharing the bed or allowing licks on the face had no association to an increase in shared E. coli. However, Stenske said the research did show an association between antibiotic-resistant E. coli and owners who didn't wash their hands after petting their dogs or before cooking meals.

"We should use common sense and practice good general hygiene," she said.

From: Kansas State University.
<http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2009/01/090127131652.htm>

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mar. 15, 2009 at Quail Roost

TD Test

Jack Sappenfield 919-598-5318

Mar. 20, 2009

Raleigh Fairgrounds

DKC Spring Show

CONFORMATION SHOW REPORT **Please Note: ONLY AKC WINS WITH AKC TITLES ARE LISTED IN SHOW REPORTS.**

OWNER'S NAME	CALL NAME (BREED)	SHOW & DATE	CLASS	P T	HIGHEST WIN	SPECIAL MERIT
Linda Kerr & Kimberly Scarey	Cruiser (Pembroke Welsh Corgi)	Hendersonville KC (02/13)	Open Dog	5	BOS	

PERFORMANCE SHOW REPORT: OBEDIENCE, TRACKING, HERDING, FIELD TRIALS, LURE COURSING AND AGILITY, ETC.

OWNER'S NAME	CALL NAME (BREED)	SHOW & DATE	CLASS	SCORE	LEG	PLACE	TITLES & AWARDS
OBEDIENCE							
None							
RALLY							
Sandra Hellberg	Bryce (Sheltie)	Forsyth KC (12/6)	Ex	93	1	1	
"	"	Durham KC (12/12)	Ex	88	2		
"	"	Durham KC (12/13)	Ex	94	3		RE!!!
AGILITY							
Sandra Hellberg	Bryce (Sheltie)	BTCA (1/18)	Ex A JWW	100	1	1	
"	"	BTCA (1/17)	Ex B Pref Std & JWW	Q		1	#3 for PAX!!!
"	"	BTCA (1/18)	Ex B Pref Std & JWW	Q		1	#4 for PAX!!!
"	"	BRAC (1/23)	Open FAST	Q	2	2	
"	"	BRAC (1/24)	Open FAST	Q	3		OF!!!
Anne Fitzgibbon (handled by Ann Carter)	Calum (Border Collie)	BRAC (1/24)		QQ	20		MACH!!!
Cathy Wells	Luka (GSD)	Youngsville (2/21)	Nov A Std	100	3	1	NA!!!
Maria Walker	Dax (Rottweiler)	Youngsville (Feb)	Open JWW	87	3	1	OAJ!!!
"	Boch (Rottweiler)	Youngsville (Feb)	Nov P JWW	100	1	1	
"	"	Youngsville (Feb)	Nov P Std	100	1	1	
"	"	Youngsville (Feb)	Nov P Std	100	2	1	
Sharon Pitz	Aurora (Golden Retriever)	Youngsville (2/22)	Nov B Fast	Q	Q	3	

Show wins are now being given directly to Terri Toohil: ttoohil13@aol.com, 919-471-8303.

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB 2008 AWARDS

Breeders Certificates

Joanne Harrar & Carolyn Wolfe	Bonnyvale's Special Addition RN	Addie	Keeshond	Rally Advanced
Nancy Adams	Lochnaw the Laird	Hoku	Beagle	Champion
"	Merry Music Lindy Hop at Lochnaw	Lindy	Beagle	Champion
Mary Francis Davis	Fox Run Todd's End	Archie	Border Terrier	Novice Agility, Novice Agility Jumper, Open Agility Jumper
"	Fox Run Master Martin	Martin	Border Terrier	Rally Novice, Junior Earthdog
Nicki Camerra	Meadowfarms Polaris Good Gracious	Grace	Mastiff	Companion Dog
Denise and Mark McDonald	Sam's Orion Twinkle Twinkle	Star	Golden Retriever	Companion Dog
Maria Walker	Rustic Acres Hopehill's O Dax CD NAP NJP PT RA	Dax	Rottweiler	Rally Excellent, Novice Agility, Novice Agility Jumper, Open Jumper Preferred, Open Agility, Open Agility Preferred, Agility Excellent Preferred, Excellent Agility Jumper Preferred
"	Rustic Acres De Diana Aestas NA NAJ RN	Abby	Rottweiler	Rally Advanced, Rally Excellent, Herding Started A Course Ducks, Open Agility Jumper
"	Rustic Acres Summer Knight NJP RN	Mickey	Rottweiler	Open Jumper Preferred, Novice Agility Preferred, Rally Advanced

Canine Good Citizens

Starbuck's Frostfire Cercee	CiCi	Weimeraner	Jack Sappenfield
Nor Loch Designer Edition	Levi	Collie	Kirk Ridge
CH Bonnyvale's Holiday Special	Specs	Keeshond	Joanne Harrar & Carolyn Wolfe
CH Bonnyvale's Special Agent	Shadow	Keeshond	Joanne Harrar & Carolyn Wolfe
Bay Breeze Bailey's Bell	Bailey	Toy Poodle	Bonnie Nichols
CH Brackenhill Sam I Am	Sam	Border Collie	Terri Toohil
Silverhills Rustic Acres Boch	Boch	Rottweiler	Maria Walker

Individual Plaques

ONE TITLE				
CH Meadowfarms Polaris Oaklane Envy Us CD	Noah	Mastiff	Nicki Camerra	Companion Dog Excellent
CH Titan's PM River RN AXJ OA	River	Vizsla	Anne Standen	Agility Excellent
Edy AX MXJ	Edy	Border Collie	Jenny Gleis	Master Agility Excellent
Abott Heat Lightening	Electra	Golden Retriever	Sharon Pitz	Rally Novice
Hallmar's Serenity Now	Jada	Weimaraner	Helen Sanderford	Tracking Dog
Liberty's Midnight Skye CDX	Skye	Labrador Retriever	Tammy Abernethy	Utility Dog
Moselyn Naughty Nick	Nick	West Highland White Terrier	Lynn Reagan-Hull	Rally Novice
My Tribe's Abken Maroon Storm	Stormy	Bouvier des Flandres	Emmy Wolters	Champion
One Ash Come Beck To Carolina	Beck	Golden Retriever	Denise McDonald	Rally Novice
OTCH MACH Tystar's Third Edition HXBs HXAs	Zoe	Border Collie	Sally Gleis	Herding Champion
Silverhill's Rustic Acres Boch	Boch	Rottweiler	Maria Walker	Rally Novice
Sunflect's Singin' With Pride MX MXJ	Casey	Springer Spaniel	Jan Barnett	Companion Dog
Elfinsilk's Houzabout Me Too	Mimi	Silky Terrier	Paulette & John Hicks	Champion
Bonnyvale's Special Addition RN	Addie	Keeshond	Joanne Harrar & Carolyn Wolfe	Rally Advanced

CH Brackenhill Come Fly With Me TD	Jet	Border Collie	Marge White	Companion Dog
Chateau D'Vie Joyride O'Mon Ami	Chevy	Belgian Tervuren	Joyce McHenry	Rally Novice
Kingsland Black In Fashion RN	Alex	Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	Joyce McHenry	Companion Dog
Meadowfarms Polaris Good Gracious	Grace	Mastiff	Nicki Camerra	Companion Dog
HC MACH2 Mihran Aztec UD HXAsd HXBsd	Tec	Border Collie	Lisa Roberts	Utility Dog Excellent
Sierra Danes Mask of Zorro CD RE	Zorro	Great Dane	Patty Thomas	Companion Dog Excellent
Merry Music Lindy Hop at Loch-naw	Lindy	Beagle	Nancy Adams	Champion
Starbuck's Frostfire Cercee TD	CiCi	Weimaraner	Jack Sappenfield II	Companion Dog
Maple Spring We Be Jammin' RE MX MXJ	Jam	Border Collie	Randall Wiseman	Master Agility Champion
MACH Reflections First Noel	Ellie	Australian Shepherd	Erin Campbell	Master Agility Champion 2
Starbuck's Thyme To Tango	Kate	Weimaraner	Jack Sappenfield II & Henrietta Jenrette	Champion
Calum CD HSAs AX MXJ	Calum	Border Collie	Ann Fitzgibbon	Master Agility Excellent
CH MACH Applegarth Explorer RE SE NF	Scout	Border Terrier	Mary Oppermann	Master Agility Champion 2
Bobwynn's Magyar Distinction	Orlando	Vizsla	Jack Sappenfield II & Carol J. Wynn	Champion
CH Rolin Ridge's View To A Thrill CDX RE AX MXJ OF	Bond	Belgian Sheepdog	Stacy Garvin	Master Agility Excellent
Lochnaw The Laird	Hoku	Beagle	Nancy Adams	Champion
TWO TITLES				
Crescent Back To Glory RN	Glory	Golden Retriever	Sharon Pitz	Rally Advanced, Companion Dog
Applegarth Kiss and Tell	Flirt	Border Terrier	Mary Opperman	Novice Agility, Novice Agility Jumper
Bryn Du Ceana AX AXJ	Kenna	Border Collie	Anne Fitzgibbon	Master Agility Excellent, Master Agility Excellent Jumper
Wakan Hope For Freedom RE JC MX MXJ	Hope	Basenji	Paige Collier Wiseman	Companion Dog, Rally Advanced Excellent
Bel-Jack Brooklyn UD RE HSAs HSBs AX AXJ NF	Brooklyn	Border Collie	Wanda Moriarty	Master Agility Excellent, Utility Dog Excellent
Wildgayle Imperial Onyx CD RN	Onyx	Standard Poodle	Kim Tyndall	Rally Advanced, Rally Excellent
Daddy's Lil' Angel Weaver RN AX AXJ NF	Weaver	American Foxhound	Amanda Stipe	Master Agility Excellent, Master Agility Excellent Jumper
Brackenhill Sam I Am	Sam	Border Collie	Terri Toohil	Champion, Pre-trial Tested
Cabryn Angelsong Ebonique RA	Ebony	Miniature Poodle	Rena Mansi	Companion Dog, Rally Excellent
Majavin Honor's Twice As Nice CD	Hunter	Golden Retriever	Brian Stringall	Companion Dog Excellent, Rally Novice
Making Trouble Mosely UD ME NJP NAP	Moseley	West Highland White Terrier	Lynn Reagan Hull	Rally Novice, Rally Advanced
Dixieland Dew-Da AX AXJ	Dew	Shetland Sheepdog	Dot McClenny	Master Agility Excellent, Master Agility Excellent Jumper
MACH2 Triple H Yoda of Red Mountain CD RE XF	Yoda	Pembroke Welch Corgi	Thomas Givens	Master Agility Champion 3, Master Agility Champion 4
Lock-Eye Billie Jo AX AXJ HSBs HSAs	Bill	Border Collie	Debbora Schweers	Master Agility Excellent, Master Agility Excellent Jumper
CH OTCH MACH Edenvale PM Triple Play NF	Logan	Vizsla	Anne Standen	Rally Novice, Rally Advanced
CH Dunraven Dressed Casual AX AXJ ME	Levi	Border Terrier	Jeanne Simmons	Master Agility Excellent, Master Agility Excellent Jumper
Silhouette's Meant To Be Tucker NA OAJ	Tucker	Brussels Griffon	Anne Standen	Open Agility, Excellent Agility Jumper

MACH2 Ryladd The Chips Are Flying UD NF	Chipper	Shetland Sheepdog	Tracy Fletcher	Open Fast, Excellent Fast
Gold Dust NA NAJ	Dust	Border Collie	Paige Collier Wiseman	Open Agility, Open Agility Jumper
THREE TITLES				
CH Southpaw A Song For U Far Away	Bailey	Golden Retriever	Donna Chappell Pace	Companion Dog, Rally Novice, Rally Advanced
Cashel's Herd A Rumor	Rumor	Border Collie	Wanda Moriarty	Companion Dog, Herding Started A Course Sheep, Rally Novice
Tahnee's Northern Lights CD RN AX MXJ	Aurora	Golden Retriever	Sharon Pitz	Companion Dog Excellent, Master Agility Excellent, Rally Advanced
CH Cashel Semi Sweet VCD2 AX AXJ RE NAP NJP	Semi	Staffordshire Bull Terrier	Brona Hicks	Master Agility Excellent, Open Agility Preferred, Open Agility Jumper Preferred
MACH Brae Carel Shepherd's Heart CD RAE PT	Shep	Shetland Sheepdog	Nancy & Roger Akers	Companion Dog Excellent, Master Agility Champion 2, Herding Started A Course Sheep
Triple H Mischief Maker CD AX AXJ	Dobby	Pembroke Welsh Corgi	Lorri Givens	Master Agility Excellent, Master Agility Excellent, Jumper Novice Fast
MACH2 Scentsible Silkhope Tate CDX RE ME OF	Tate	Border Terrier	Sally Eure Redding	Master Agility Champion 3, Excellent Fast, Rally Advanced Excellent
Starbuck's Breeze'N Along RA	Mia	Weimaraner	JoAnn M. Michaels & Jack Sappenfield II	Champion, Companion Dog, Rally Excellent
FOUR TITLES				
Lytstryke All Wired Up UD MX MXJ HXAs HIBs	Sony	Border Collie	Mary Whorton	Herding Excellent B Course Sheep, Utility Dog Excellent, Obedience Trial Champion, Novice Fast
Wildgayle Izaak Divine CD RN	Zaak	Standard Poodle	Diane Divine	Novice Agility, Novice Agility Jumper, Open Agility Jumper, Rally Advanced
FIVE TITLES				
Neyland's Wide Retriever CD MX MXJ MXP MJP	Neyland	Labrador Retriever	Lorri Givens	Master Agility Excellent Preferred 2, Master Agility Excellent Jumper Preferred 2, Master Agility Preferred 3, Master Agility Excellent Jumper Preferred 3, Preferred Agility Excellent
CH Applegarth Sorceress CD RE MX MXJ NAP NJP SE	Tess	Border Terrier	Mary Oppermann	Open Agility Preferred, Open Agility Jumper Preferred, Agility Excellent Preferred, Excellent Agility Jumper Preferred, Master Agility Excellent Preferred
Wistwin Sandyhill's Go 4 Broke NA NAJ NF	Bryce	Shetland Sheepdog	Sandra Hellberg	Open Agility, Open Agility Jumper, Rally Novice, Rally Advanced, Rally Excellent
SIX TITLES				
Firemark's All Wound Up SH AX AXJ NF	Spinner	Golden Retriever	Karen Stewart	Companion Dog, Companion Dog Excellent, Master Agility Excellent, Master Agility Excellent Jumper, Open Fast, Excellent Fast
SEVEN TITLES				
MACH3 Sandyhill's Against the Odds UD RE PT XF	Vinny	Shetland Sheepdog	Sandra Hellberg	Master Agility Champion 4, Novice Agility Preferred, Novice Agility Jumper Preferred, Open Agility Preferred, Open Agility Jumper Preferred, Agility Excellent Preferred, Excellent Agility Jumper Preferred
CH Taywil's Kickin' Aster RA NAJ TD	Pree	Lowchen	Laura Boyce	Companion Dog, Novice Agility, Open Agility Jumper, Excellent Agility Jumper, Versatile Companion Dog 1, Novice Fast, Tracking Dog Excellent
EIGHT TITLES				
Rustic Acres Hopehill's O Dax CD RA NAP NJP PT	Dax	Rottweiler	Maria Walker	Novice Agility, Novice Agility Jumper, Open Agility, Open Agility Preferred, Open Jumper Preferred, Agility Excellent Preferred, Excellent Agility Jumper Preferred, Rally Excellent
TEN TITLES				
MACH3 One Ash ST. Pauli Girl UD NAP NJP OF RAE	Pauli Girl	Golden Retriever	Denise McDonald	MACH 4, Open Agility Preferred, Open Agility Jumper Preferred, Agility Excellent Preferred, Excellent Agility Jumper Preferred, Master Agility Excellent Preferred, Master Agility Excellent Jumper Preferred, Master Agility Excellent Jumper Preferred 2, Novice Fast Preferred, Open Fast Preferred

TRAVELING OR PERPETUAL TROPHIES**Large Wall Plaques****Master Agility Champion**

MACH4 One Ash ST. Pauli Girl UD MXP MJP2 OF OFF RAE	Golden Retriever	Denise McDonald	Jan. 26, 2008
MACH Tailwind Zest	Border Collie	Andy Hartman	Jan. 27, 2008
MACH3 Triple H Yoda of Red Mountain CD RE XF	Pembroke Welsh Corgi	Thomas Givens	Mar. 16, 2008
MACH4 Sandyhill's Against the Odds UD RE PT AXP AJP	Shetland Sheepdog	Sandra Hellberg	Apr. 27, 2008
MACH Maple Spring We Be Jammin'	Border Collie	Randall Wiseman	May 4, 2008
CH MACH2 Applegarth Explorer RE SE NF	Border Terrier	Mary Oppermann	Jun. 7, 2008
MACH2 Brae Carel Shepherd's Heart CDX RAE HSAs	Shetland Sheepdog	Nancy Akers	Jun. 7, 2008
MACH3 Scentsible Silkhope Tate CDX ME RE XF	Border Terrier	Sallie Eure Redding	Jun. 8, 2008
MACH2 Reflections First Noel	Australian Shepherd	Erin Campbell	Sept. 13, 2008
MACH4 Triple H Yoda of Red Mountain CD RE XF	Pembroke Welsh Corgi	Thomas Givens	Oct. 3, 2008

High in Trial at National Specialty (Donated by Nicki Camera)

CH Meadowfarms Polaris Oaklane Envy US CD	Mastiff	Nicki Camera	May 7, 2008
Making Trouble Moseley UD ME RN NAP NJP	West Highland White Terrier	Lynn Reagan-Hull	Oct. 4, 2008

Durham Kennel Club Obedience Trial Champions

OTCH Lytnstryke All Wired Up UDX MX MXJ NF HXAs HXBs	Border Collie	Mary Whorton	2008
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Rally Advanced Excellent (Donated by Carolyn Wolfe and Joanne Harrar)

Wakan Hope For Freedom CD RAE JC MX MXJ	Basenji	Paige Wiseman	2008
MACH3 Scentsible Silkhope Tate CDX RAE ME XF	Border Terrier	Sallie Eure Redding	2008

Preferred Agility Excellent – NEW THIS YEAR-- (Donated by the Lorri, Thomas, Rebekah, and Christopher Givens In loving Memory of Neyland's Wide Retriever CD RE XF)

Neyland's Wide Retriever CD RE XF PAX	Labrador Retriever	Lorri Givens	2008
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Luster Novice Obedience

Firemark's All Wound Up CD NF AX AXJ SH - Karen Stewart - 2008

Telander Open A

Sierra Danes Mask of Zorro CDX RE - Patty Thomas - 2008

White Utility A

Liberty's Midnight Skye UD - Tammy Abernethy - 2008

Thompson Obedience

OTCH Lytnstryke All Wired Up UDX MX MXJ NF HXAs HXBs - Mary Whorton - 2008

Carol Quinlan Rally Trophy

Wistwin Sandyhill's Go 4 Broke RE OA OAJ NF - Sandra Hellberg - 2008

Roberts Novice A Agility

Wildgayle Izaak Divine CD RN - Diane Divine - 2008

Schmidt Novice B Agility

Contact Point's Catch The Wind NA NAJ - Andy Hartman - 2008

Barnett Open Agility

Dust OA OAJ - Paige Collier Wiseman - 2008

One Ash St. Pauli Girl Excellent

No applicants this year.

Pitz Agility

MACH4 Triple H Yoda of Red Mountain CD RE XF- Thomas Givens - 2008

Whorton Agility

MACH2 Applegarth Explorer RE NF SE - Mary Oppermann - 2008

Grimson Tracking

CH Taywil's Kickin' Aster VCD1 RA TDX AXJ - Laura Boyce & Emmett Wiggins - 2008

Kartye Brood Bitch

CH Homesteader's Summertime Heart JH CDX MX AXJ RA - Ann Carter - 2008

Kartye Stud Dog

Summertime's Southern Reign JH CDX MX MXJ RAE - Ann Carter - 2008

Hill Breeders Trophy

Maria Walker - Rustic Acres - 2008

Haines Show Dog

CH Lazybrook Best O Wats Around - Kimberly Scarey - 2008

Fowler Show Bitch

No applicants this year.

Holland Versatility

CH Taywil's Kickin' Aster VCD1 RA TDX AXJ NF - Laura Boyce and Emmit Wiggins – 2008

Gray Versatility

OTCH Lytnstryke All Wired Up UDX MX MXJ NF HXAs HXBs - Mary Whorton – 2008

The Glei Junior Achievement Award

Randall Wiseman

DKC Service Award [Large Wall Plaque]

Jeanne Stringall and Brian Stringall

DKC Good Sportsmanship Award 2007 [Large Wall Plaque]

Sally Gleib

****AND A SPECIAL ON THIS YEAR****

American Kennel Club Award for Canine Excellence - 2008

Honorable Mention - Exemplary Companion Dog

Amberly Martini With a Twist UD RE MX MXJ AXP AJP - Marti

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