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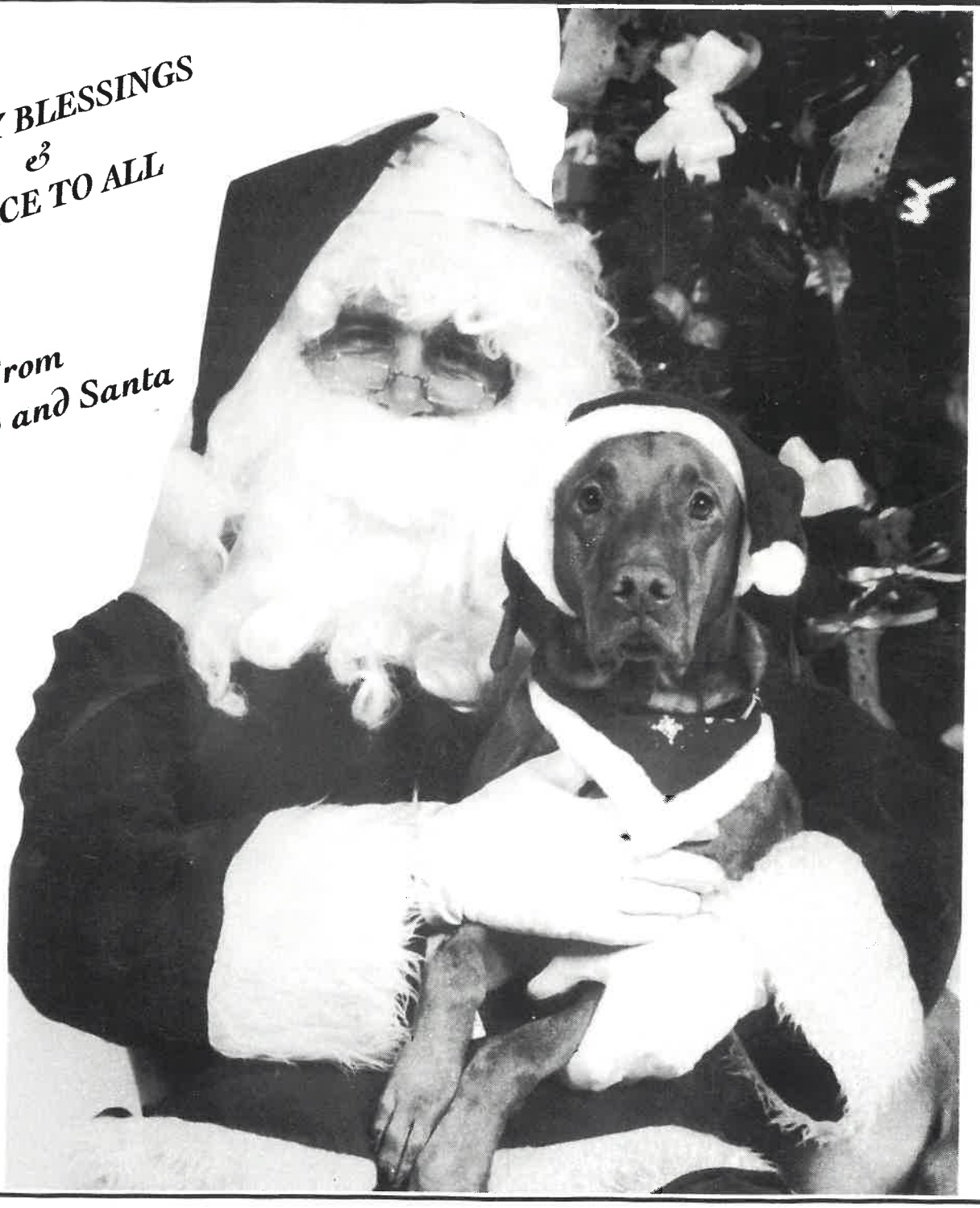

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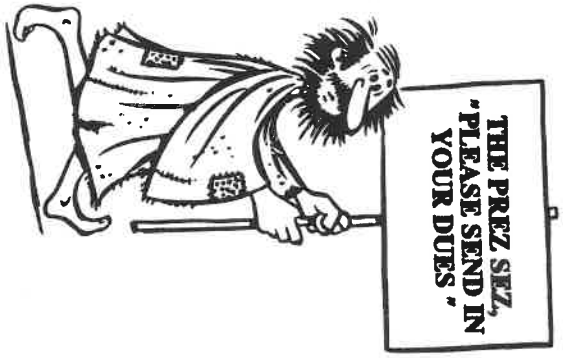

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General Information

The VIZSLA NEWS reserves the right to reasonably edit all materials submitted for publication. Some of the opinions expressed herein and facts stated do not necessarily express or reflect the opinion of the Vizsla Club of America, Inc.

The listing of dogs or kennels in the Stud dog or Breeders Index does not constitute an endorsement by the VizslaClub of America. Persons using this listing must decide for themselves which dog breeder is most suitable for their purpose. The VCA has resolved that all breeding stock is to be radiographed and that only those animals which are OFA certified free of hip dysplasia are to be used for breeding purposes. Prospective breeders and puppy buyers are urged to inquire as to the OFA certification of both the sire and the dam prior to any purchase. Breeders on either list must be VCA members.

Resolution

The VIZSLA NEWS is the official publication of the Vizsla Club of America, Inc. It is published for the entertainment and education of club members. With the exception of official Club business from the President, Board of Directors, and committee chairmen, only letters and articles of entertainment and education will be printed. Material that is contrary to the goals and policies of the American Kennel Club and the Vizsla Club of America, Inc., or that criticizes or is detrimental to members of the Club, dogs, or the judging of dogs, will not be printed. This policy is not to be construed as forbidding opposing viewpoints or constructive criticism. If the Editor considers a member's article or letter to be in opposition to this policy or detrimental to the club image, and after discussion with the contributor, an agreement cannot be reached regarding the content, the editor will refer the matter to the Vizsla News Committee for resolution. All items submitted are the property of the Club and will remain on file for possible future use. If a member desires that pictures be returned, they must be accompanied by a self addressed stamped envelope, or $2.00 to cover their return.

Resolution

The Vizsla Club of America calls for all breeding stock to be radiographed and specifies that no dog or bitch with the slightest evidence of hip dysplasia be used for breeding purposes. In keeping with this resolution, the Vizsla News will not accept ads for any Vizsla as breeding sock that does not have an OFA number. Ads for litters of puppies will not be accepted unless the sire and dam had OFA numbers at the time of breeding. Complete OFA numbers must be sent in with each ad request and will be printed in full. OFA requirements do not apply to dogs appearing in news articles. Instructions for OFA diagnosis may be obtained for a fee, from the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals, 2300 Nifong Blvd., Columbia, Missouri, 65521 Phone (314) 442-0418

Resolution

The officers and the Board of Directors of the Vizsla Club of America, Inc., in cognizance of the respective responsibilities to protect the breed and foster it's development, do hereby condemn crossbreeding of pure bred Vizlas and falsification of registration documents. All persons following the fancy of Vizlas are enjoined to subscribe to this ethic in the best interest of the breed.

Resolution

The Officers and Board of Directors of the Vizsla Club of America, in cognizance of the respective responsibilities to protect the breed and foster it's development, do hereby condemn the breeding of dogs with serious genetic defects including: epilepsy, PRA (Progressive Retinal Atrophy), Von Willebrand's Disease, entropian and cranial muscular atrophy.

Resolution

Though the VCA may publish registration numbers, ratings, listings, gradings or other identifying information provided by various other organizations, the VCA takes no repsonsibility for either their accuracy, or the method from which they were derived.

Resolution

Advertising in the Vizsla News by any other organization or individual is not to be construed as an endorsement of that organization or individual by the VCA.

Code of Ethic of the Vizsla Club of America

Sportsmanship, VCA members shall always conduct themselves in a manner which will reflect credit upon themselves, their Vizlas and the sport of purebred dogs, regardless of the location or circumstance.

Protect and advance the development of the Vizsla through continued improvement of soundness, stable temperament natural hunting ability and conformation as set forth in the official Vizsla Standard.

Health: VCA members shall maintain the best possible standards of canine health, cleanliness and veterinary care in an atmosphere conducive to the stable development of their dogs.

Breeding: VCA members shall breed only with the intention of improving the breed by breeding only those Vizslas who conform to the Standard as recognized by the American Kennel Club, exhibit soundness, stable temperament and natural hunting ability.

Breed only those dogs who are free of serious hereditary defects including, epilepsy, progressive retinal atrophy, VON Willebrands, entropian & cranial muscular atrophy, and who are over two years of age and have been x-rayed and OFA certified as free from hip dysplasia.

Sales: VCA members shall not breed, sell, or consign puppies or adult dogs to pet shops or other commercial ventures such as lotteries or raffles.

Honestly evaluate the quality of the Vizsla sold and fairly represent that evaluation and urge puppy purchasers to spay or neuter all pets which for any reason will not be used for breeding.

Not release puppies under seven weeks of age, furnish details on feeding, care, inoculations, pedigrees, and written sales agreements.

Screen all prospective buyers to assure that puppies have safe and loving homes; supply assistance and support to puppy buyers for the life of the dog.

Encourage owners to become involved in Vizsla activities, the Vizsla Club of America and regional Vizsla clubs.

Accepted by the Board of Directors and the General Membership October 24, 1992

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THE EDITORS CORNER

FROM YOUR MANAGING EDITOR

MARGE MEHAGIAN

At the October 1994 Board Meeting, the decision was made to begin using an outside source to edit the Vizsla News. We hope you like this first issue.

It is our hope to deliver to you a quality magazine in a timely manner. Please adhere to the deadlines printed here. In order to have up-to-date information, we must stick to these dates.

Presently, in order to assist with this transition of editors, I have been named "Managing Editor" of the Vizsla News. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need assistance with your ads or if you have any questions. Also, please remember that payment must accompany all ads.

Marge Mehagian (602) 943-3205

Issue	Deadline
March/April	**January 20th**
May/June	**March 20th**
July/August	**May 22nd**
September/ October	**July 22nd**
November/December	**September 22nd**

THE NEXT ISSUE OF THE VIZSLA NEWS (MARCH/ APRIL) WILL CONTAIN PICTURES AND RESULTS FROM THE 1994 NATIONAL EVENTS. Please get your ads in as early as possible. Don't be left out, this will be a very special issue.

FROM YOUR EDITOR

HOW TO KEEP ME A HAPPY CAMPER

BERNEE BRAWN

Type all pedigrees;
I will not be held responsible for mistakes in interpreting hand-written pedigrees.

Give me an idea of what you want your ad to look like;
If you leave it up to me I'm sure I will like it, but it may not be what you had in mind.

Deadlines are serious business;
If you want your newsletters in a timely fashion, I must (or shall I say WE must) try to stick to the deadlines. If you have something that you know will be late, you must let me know ahead of time so I can plan.

Send good photos;
Your photos must be screened (a picture is taken of your picture) to be printed. My printer can handle this process for you. If your photo is fuzzy, then the finished product will be fuzzy. Either Black and White or color may be used, but make sure the contrast is good. Red reproduces as black and the shadows on a Vizsla blend in quite nicely with a dark background, leaving you with a blob instead of a beautiful dog. If in doubt between two pictures, send both and I can pick what I think will reproduce the best.
If you have any questions concerning the Vizsla News, please contact Marge Mehegian.
Please send all address corrections to Don Parmelou.

Guidelines for Regional Reporters

Linda Promaulayko V.P. and Chair of Guidelines Committee

In April of this year the VCA News Committee approved a report submitted by myself which has redefined the regions of the country for reporting purposes in the VCA News.

These divisions are as follows for your review.

The committe needs you, the membership, to help us find reporters to fill the areas of the country that now have none. They are the Ohio Valley Region, Sunbelt, and Mid West. Please note that each region will only be asked to report two times a year, therefore the gathering of information should be easier as there is more time to do so.

The VCA News committee also adopted a new process by which all reports will be reviewed by the news committee before publication. The committee will be reviewing content for any information that does not meet the "Guidlines for Regional Reports" as adopted by the B.O.D., earlier this year.

It is the belief of the B.O.D. and this committee that these reports are an important part of our newsletter. It's very important for us to spread the word about what activities our four legged friends are enjoying all over the country.

Until the three reporter positions are filled, the areas of the country that fit into these divisions will not be reported on. So please send me your suggestions and let's spread the word about our four legged friends.

New Regional Division for Regional Reports

North East Region:
Connecticut Valley Vizsla Club
Vizsla Club Greater New York
Vizsla Club Cent. New England

South East Region:
Vizsla Club No. New Jersey
Conestoga Vizsla Club
Tampa Bay Vizsla Club

Ohio Valley Region:
Miami Valley Vizsla Club
Vizsla Club Greater Cleveland
Gateway Vizsla Club
Vizsla Club of Michigan

North Midwestern Region:
Vizsla Club of Illinois
Twin Cities Vizsla Club
Vizsla Club of Wisconsin

Midwestern Region:
Nebraska Vizsla Club
Show-Me Viz Club of KansasCity
Vizsla Club of Eastern Iowa
Hawkeye Vizsla Club

Sunbelt Region:
Texas Gulf Coast Vizsla Club
Trinity Valley Vizsla Club
Rio Salado Vizsla Club

North West Region:
Vizsla Club of No. California
Puget Sound Vizsla Club
Lone Cypress Vizsla Club
Vizsla Club of Utah

South Pacific Region:
Vizsla Club of Southern Calif.
Central California Vizsla Club
South Coast Vizsla Club

I have arranged the regions by activity levels according to time of year. There are as follows:

Issue:	Reports:
May/June	North East
Sept./Oct.	Ohio Valley / North West
Jan./Feb.	South East
July/Aug.	Mid West
Nov./Dec.	Sunbelt
March/April	South Pacific/ North Midwest

Guidelines for Regional Reporters

Regional reporters shall submit for publication in the VCA News reports and articles of interest about "Vizsla" happenings in their area of the country.

The following is a list of material deemed appropriate for publication by Regional Reporters:

a. Local field trial and show results. These reports should be accompanied by a write-up about judges dinner/ lunch/raffles and calcuttas.
b. Fun Day results
c. V.C. Test results
d. Hunting Test results
e. Agility Day results
f. Clinics
g. Educational seminars (summation of)
h. Stories about Vizsla experiences while hunting, vacations, training, whelping, breed rescue, etc...
i. Local Dog legislation
j. Community activities: Companion dog work in hospitals andwith elderly and children.
k. Seeing eye work

Regional Reporters shall not publish:

a. Anything that could be a paid ad.
b. Planned breeding or litter announcements.
c. Campaigning dogs or people.
d. Opinions: Theirs or those of others
e. Anything that could be perceived as controversial in nature.
f. A single dogs win at a show. The entire show results must be reported. (ex: BOB, BOW W.D., W.B.)

AKC DELEGATES REPORT

Lynn Worth, AKC Delegate

September 16, 1994

To begin with, I would like to say that in regard to the communication received by all regional Vizsla clubs from me containing a questionnaire aboout field trials and hunting tests designed by the AKC Delegates' Standing Field Trial Committee—we are still looking for replies. If you-or your club-has yet to respond, please do so. Even though we will be considering replies at the Committee meeting in December, it is not too late to make your opinions known.

The following was passed with a strong majority at the September 13th AKC Delegates' meeting:

Rules Applying to Registration and Discipline—Amendents to Chapter 3, Section 4: delete sub-paragraph(c) and substitute the following: "An application to individually register a member of a registered litter shall be valid for a period of twelve (12) months from the date of issue of the application. An application to individually register a member of a registered litter filed with The American Kennel Club more than twelve (12) months from the date of issue of the application may be considered for registration provided the applicant supplies such required information and remits such penalty fee as shall be determined by the Board of Directors. No application to individually register a member of a registred litter will be accepted after twenty-four (24) months from the date of issue of the application, except when the delay in filing the application for individual registration results from a American Kennel Club investigation or inquiry, an action of law or other hardship circumstances satisfactory to The American Kennel Club and the applicant remits such penalty fee as shall be determined by the Board of Directors."

The annual reports of the various Delegate Committees contained the following information:

Parent Clubs Committee—a questionnaire sent to all parent clubs identified some problems commonly caused by specific AKC rules and policies which the committee will address in the coming year as well as the receipt of suggestions and concerns to be pursued as well. The information received will be consolidated and sent to all parent clubs.

Obedience Clubs Committee—responses to their questionnaire showed the desire for more AKC Obedience seminars without a lengthy lead-time, more AKC "Show & Go" practice matches, various replacement exercises for the CGC Test, an AKC manual for Obedience Trials, suggestions for new Tracking titles, and more publicity and promotion of Obedience activities.

Health Education and Health Research Committee—a questionnaire sent to all parent clubs designed to determine which health problems were of greatest concern to each breed, what support systems are being used by parent clubs to address their breed's health problems, identify other efforts being used to support ongoing research efforts for pure-bred dogs. 114 of the 136 parent clubs (84%) responded! The data showed the following—68% of clubs had a health committee—44% used a Breeder's Code of Ethics and many requested information about establishing tax exempt foundations to help support their breed's health problems.

The results of the questionnaire produced the following recommendations:

1. Disseminate appropriate scientific information about the top three health problems via Delegates, papers and Gazette articles. (These top three were determined to be: 1. Cancer 2. Thyroid 3. Epilepsy)
2. Solicit research proposals specific to most common dis eases
3. Establish time table for acceptance of research proposals submitted to AKC for funding
4. Distribute a nontechnical report on results of research to Delegates AND establish a new breed class for all dog shows that would have health related eligibility require ments set by each parent club to verify freedom from certain genetic diseases and that this information will be readily and visibly available.

This committee also identified a need for more parent clubs to have a Breeders Recognition program—ie—awards for breeders who have a depth of pedigree showing health clearances. This committee encourages the use of a Code of Ethics—not merely having one.

It has been suggested and will be taken up by the Delegates Committees - the following:

1. A three tiered registration format;
   -Level 1. Basic Registration: the "normal" registration to be received when a puppy is first registered.
   - Level 2. Intermediate Registration: allows a dog to participate in any AKC event. The dog must be microchiped and the microchip number filed with AKC.
   -Level 3. Full Registration: allows a dog to be bred. To obtain this registration, a DNA analysis of the individual dog must have been performed and the results filed with AKC. Additional registration fees will be required for all levels.

The AKC Agility Program is in effect as of August 1, 1994. Write to AKC for rules.

For those of you who were wondering what the Earthdog tests are all about—they are, in effect, the same as Hunting and Herding Tests for those appropriate breeds. Their purpose is to offer Terriers and Dachshunds a standard gauge to measure natural ability and trained hunting ability in regard to den work and quarry(following game to ground and work its quarry).

Items of note—

*The AKC Board voted to revoke the policy providing listings of agents' names in show catalogs beginning January 1, 1995.

*AKC has a new puppy pamphlet—a 4 page brochure titled "Before You Buy A Dog". Write to AKC Customer Service, 5580 Centerview Drive, Raleigh, NC 27606 for a copy as well as a new exercise and nutrition pamphlet titled "Keeping Yur Dog Fit and Trim".

*AKC has implemented a new phone system to make your calls trouble-free. This will be published in an upcoming Gazette—or write me for a copy.

Lynn Worth, AKC Delegate,
P.O. Box 1755, Clarksville VA 23927 (804) 374-0720

STUD DOG INDEX

CALIFORNIA
CH. RUSSET LEATHER SON OF SUTIAO
OFA#3580G29M
&
CH. RUSSET LEATHER SUTIAO DAWN, CDX
OFA#2654G24M
Ed & Beverley Wanjon, Russet Leather Vizslas,
29236 San Francisquito Cyn. Rd., RR #2, Santa Clarita,
CA., 91350, 805-296-9682

ILLINOIS
NFC/DC/AFC CORKY - frozen semen collected
OFA #VZ-2950F27MT
Dave & Debbie Lee, Pheasant Meadow Vizslas
Route 1, Box 292-D Monticello, IL., 61856
(217) 762-9942 (20 miles from Willard Airport)

KENTUCKY
CH. CLASSIC BARRY BAKANAL
OFA#4021G24M
Marcia Polley,
300 Woodridge Road
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AM/CAN CH. PANDERRE'S ROZSDAS CSILAG,
AM/CAN CD, JH
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NEW JERSEY
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OFA #VZ-3363G24M
Nancy & Chet Anderson, Anderson's Golden Vizslas,
1410 9th Street, North Bergen, NJ 07047
201-865-4924

CH. ECHO FALLS SUNDANCE KID
OFA #VZ-4037G24M
Lynn & David Fass, Devon Sunrise Vizslas,
618 Sunrise Way
Neshanic Station, NJ., 08853 (908) 369-5699

CH. DORRATZ DOUBLE TROUBLE, UD, SH, VC
OFA #VZ-3139E24M
fresh chilled & frozen semen available
Doris & Paul Ratzlaff, Dorratz Vizslas,
30 Brandywine Place, Oakland, NJ., 07436
201-337-4111

OHIO
CH. BEHI RED CHIEF, JH - frozen semen collected
OFA #VZ-3142G24M
Randy & Sue Boggs, Snow Ridge Vizslas,
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Madison, Ohio 44057 216- 428-1077

VIRGINIA
DC AFC NFC HODAG'S HUNTER, UD,MH - fresh chilled & frozen semen available
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Jack & Bettylou Sharkey, 815 Rapidan Ct.,
Alexandria, VA., 22304 703-751-9466

WISCONSIN
BIS BISS CH RUSSET LEATHER WAR CLOUD, JH, CGC
Shawn & Rick LaPointe, Shawnric Vizslas
S-7222 Norrish Rd.
Eau Claire, WI., 54701
715-834-8159

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Reignbo Vizslas
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Pheasant Meadow Vizslas
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Topaz Vizslas
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Jamestown, NY., 14701 (716) 488-1786

OHIO
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7580 Warner Rd.
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Hennagold Vizslas
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SOUTH CAROLINA
Foxsea Vizslas
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VIRGINIA
Willo Runn Farm
Dorothea Romano, Rt. 1, Box 180F,
Glasgow, VA 24555

The Versatility Program was started by the VCA in the early 1980's to test and award Vizslas who can perform in multiple areas, and to encourage amateur Vizsla owners to participate with their dogs. Specifically, the program recognizes Vizslas who excel in conformation, field, and obedience.

The Breed Standard describes more than physical characteristics; it describes the Vizsla as "a natural hunter" with "above-average ability to take training." The program requirements reflect this description.

A dog can qualify by participating in Versatility Tests given by local Vizsla Clubs, or by obtaining equivalent American Kennel Club (AKC) titles. The Versatility Program awards separate certificates for conformation, field, and obedience, and the program's highest award-the Versatility Certificate-to Vizslas who have qualified in all three areas.

Overview of the Versatility Program

Nancy Staley -Versatile Chairman , and Beth Nash

Local Vizsla Clubs hold Versatility Tests following the procedures established by the VCA. The requirements of each test are described below. The tests are non-competitive: each dog is scored individually and is graded "pass" or "fail." To earn a certificate in conformation, field, or obedience, a dog must pass the test three times under three different judges. To enter obedience and field test, the dog must be at lease six months old; for conformation tests, the minumum age is 12 months. Judges are chosen by the local club and usually are club members who are experienced in one or more of the areas to be tested. A fee of $2.00 must be paid to the VCA for each entry in each test. Because the tests are non-competitive, they can be expecially enjoyable activities for newer Vizsla owners, particularly when experienced handlers help them get involved. Like other club activities, the tests offer opportunities to have fun with the dogs and share training skills with other owners.

The Conformation Test requires the Vizsla to be a good representative of the Breed Standard, and to have no disqualifying faults. As part of the test, the dog must be measured with a wicket and must be within the height requirement of the standard. At least one measurement must be taken when the Vizsla is 18 months of age or older. The test is usually given in a setting similar to a conformation ring and requires the dog to be gaited on a leash at a trot. In addition to conformation and height, the dog's temperament is evaluated.

The Field Test is primarily an evaluation of the Vizsla's natural hunting ability. The test requires the dog to hunt with purpose, find and point a bird, and retrieve a shot bird at least 3/4 of the distance back to the handler. The dog may be collared while on point and does not need to be steady to wing or shot. An experienced gunner is provided to shoot the birds. The dog is evaluated on its hunting ability, the quality of its point and retrieve, and its responsiveness to the handler. This test requires a good hunting field and experienced gunners. The birds may be any upland game bird; usually quail, partridge, or pheasants are used. The course is run for 15 to 20 minutes, and each dog is run singly.

The Obedience Test requires the most training of the dog. The requirements are similar to the Novice exercises for the AKC Companion Dog (CD) title. The dog must heel on lead and off lead with appropriate halts and changes in pace. The dog may sit or stand at the halt as long as it is consistent. The dog must perform an off-lead stand for exam and a recall; the recall may be to a sitting or standing position. The test includes a three-minute stay exercise which is performed as a group; the dog may be in the sit, stand, or down position for the stay exercise. The dog is judged on how closely its performance matches the standard set in the AKC Obedience Regulations.

When a dog has qualified in a test three times, the VCA Versatility Chairman awards a Conformation Certificate, Field Dog Certificate, or Obedience Certificate, and the dog is entitled to use the appropriate initials (CC, FC, or OC) after its name. Vizslas may also qualify for any of the three certificates by obtaining the corresponding AKC titles: Breed Champion for the Conformation Certificate; Field Champion, Amateur Field Champion, Senior Hunter, or Master Hunter for the Field Dog Certificate; and Companion Dog for the Obedience Certificate. A fee of $3.00 to the VCA is required with each AKC title certificate. A dog that has fulfilled the requirements in all three areas is awarded a Versatility Certificate and is entitled to use the initials VC after its name.

In the history of the Versatility Program to date, 269 Conformation Certificates, 170 Field Dog Certificates, 127 Obedience Certificates, and only 87 Versatility Certificates have been awarded. The number of dogs with Versatility Certificates is roughly equal to the number of Dual Champions in the breed. Obtaining a Versatility Certificate should be considered a great honor to both the dog and the owner. For breeders, it confirms that they are producing dogs that truly reflect the meaning of the Vizsla Breed Standard.

The following Versatility Certificates were awarded at the 1994 Nationals:

81. Ch. Matchpoint's KC Coffee MH, CD - Karen Coffee
82. Ch. Oakleaf's Everwhen Chances R SH, CD - Judith Richey
83. Ch. Brylynn's Sierra Sunset - Antony Smid
84. Mehagian's Poco Bueno Sh - Marge Mehagian
85. Ch. Mehagian's Prize Package JH -Marge Mehagian
86. Ch. Reilloc's Tory Kalandor CD, SH - Kiz Kozlowski & Linda Collier
87. NFC, DC, AFC Hodag's Hunter MH, UD - Jack & Elizabeth Sharkey

VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MINUTES
OCTOBER 22, 1994

Meeting was called to order at the Ramada Inn, Hagerstown, Maryland at 9:02 a.m. by President Richard Hilderman. Roll call was taken. All members present except for Cindy Hibler.

The minutes from the 1993 Board of Directors meeting were approved as written and published.

President Hilderman updated the Board of Directors on the status of the lawsuit. He also commended the Host club for doing such a great job at this year's National Events and urged everyone to support their efforts.

Richard also reminded the Board of Directors that each member should only submit two agenda items. A motion was made by Al Lucas to allow more than two in the future. Motion passed.

Secretary Marge Mehagian requested that in the future, each agenda item be submitted on a separate sheet.

Treasurer Don Pamerleau reported a balance of $39, 499.83. This included Breed Rescue funds totaling $5,902.23 and advance funds due to be reimbursed from the host club totaling $5,000.00.

These figures did not reflect activity relating to the Vizsla News.

It was also noted that the membership application should be revised. The membership chairman will be responsible for this.

Don also raised the question of whether sales tax should be collected at the Nationals for items sold. He will investigate.

Committee reports were accepted as submitted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

John Hannum reported on the clarification of Massive White in the Breed Standard and submitted this alternative; It was moved by Randy Boggs and seconded by Florence Duggan that the standard should state:

> White on the forechest, preferably as small as possible and white on the toes is permissible. White anywhere else on the dog is a disqualification. *Approved unanimously*
>
> Disqualification: White anywhere except the forechest or white extending above the toes.

John is also working on an illustrated standard of the breed. Richard stated that when reviewing statistics from AKC since 1988, 15 Vizslas were disqualified. Of the 15, only 5 were disqualified for unacceptable color or markings.

It was noted at this time that any changes in the Breed Standard which when approved by AKC would prohibit any further changes for five years.

This proposal will be sent to the general membership for a vote next summer with the election ballot. Add: long hair to ballot also.

Pedigree Books - Rhonda Johnson requested some help and direction with this endeavor. Sandra Parady will work with Rhonda and act as a liaison to the Board of Directors.

Liability Insurance: Don Pamerleau reported that coverage is needed for:

1. National Events
2. Supported Events
3. Sponsored Events

Mark Johnson recommended and moved that we identify exactly what sort of coverage is required so that everyone involved is covered. It will include costs and alternatives for protection of club assets and the VCA Board of Directors. The president will appoint a chairman. *Passed*

NEW BUSINESS

Sandra Parady presented a proposal to co-host the 1995 National Events in CA by the Vizsla Club of Northern CA and the Central California Vizsla Club. It was moved by Al Lucas to accept the proposal. *Passed.*

Anne Denehy reported that the 1996 National Events are scheduled to be held in the Midwest. No bid has yet been received.

Pat Carnes moved that if no bid is received from a Midwestern Club, Anne Denehy should actively pursue a bid from the Eastern Region. She will contact Michigan ASAP as a possibility.

Vizsla News

After discussion of current problems and review of samples submitted by several professional publishers, Marge Mehagian moved and Linda Promaulayko seconded that we recommend that a professional outfit, specifically, Bernee Brawn, be hired to edit the Vizsla News bi-monthly as submitted in her proposal for a period of one year. *Passed.*

Marge Mehagian was named Managing Editor by the committee.

Pat Carnes moved to have Linda Promaulayko (Vizsla News Committee Chair) write a letter to all regional reporters directing them to read the guidelines and agree to abide by them. *All in favor.*

Guidelines for the Vizsla News Editor:

I. The Vizsla News Managing Editor need not be a member of the Vizsla Club of America.

II. The Vizsla News Editor position is a special need position and shall be appointed by the board and shall serve at the discretionof the board.

III. The editor of the Vizsla News shall publish the Club's newsletter, "The Vizsla News", on a regular basis.

IV. The Editor of the Vizsla News, if a club member, shall serve as a member of the Vizsla News committee. If the editor is a professional printer, any recommendations, suggestions, or changes to the newsletter must be reviewed by the News Committee before implementation.

V. The editor of the Vizsla News shall follow the "resolutions" set down by the board. They are outlined on the inside cover of the Vizsla News.

VI. The Managing Editor shall forward all regional reports and articles to the News Committee for review of content before they are printed.

It was moved by Randy Boggs to empower the Vizsla News committee to run the Vizsla News with the intent that expenses are kept within budget and to make recommendations to the VCA Board of Directors for approval. *All in favor. Passed*

Additional resolutions to be included in the News:

1. Though the VCA may publish registration numbers, ratings, listings, gradings or other identifying information provided by various other organizations, the VCA takes no responsibility for either their accuracy, or the method from which they were derived. *Passed*

Pat Carnes moved we print:

2. Advertising in the Vizsla News by any other organization or individual is not be construed as an endorsement of that orga nization or individual by the VCA. *All in favor. Passed*

Pat Carnes moved that those who advertise in the Stud dog or Breeders Index will be required to sign an agreement to abide by the code of Ethics of the VCA. The Managing Editor will monitor. *Passed.*

Richard agreed to advice Marcia Hostetler that she, as standing Show Chairman, was responsible for notifying the Vizsla News of approved specialties.

In addition, Randy Boggs will continue to notify the News about upcoming field trials. The motion was made by Randy Boggs. *Passed.*

Nominating Committee

1. Jan Bouman moved that all nominees' names for the 1996 Nominating Committee be sent to Marge Mehagian postmarked no later than January 1, 1995. *Passed*
2. Procedures will remain the same except that resumes will be printed in the March/April issue of the Vizsla News.

Biannual Elections

Randy Boggs moved that Don Pamerleau chair an election committee to consider 2-3 approaches to facilitate the procedures with quotes on costs. Concern for costs of annual elections prompted this item. A report is due by March 15, 1995. Biannual elections will be held in 1995. *Passed.*

Written Ballots

Dave Hall moved that if a board member wishes to propose an item, he will be responsible for sending the item to the other board members describing

the item and an explanation of his reasons.
The directors will then have a minimum of two weeks to respond pro or con to the initiator their reasons why and any suggested changes to the proposal. The proposed changes will be made available to the initiator who put forth the original proposal. He will then have one week to amend the proposal. The proposal in its final form, along with all comments received from the directors, shall then be sent to the directors with a ballot for voting. The ballot will be sent by the secretary. *Passed.*

Breed Rescue

The board approved the committee submitted by Rick Davis. The Executive Committee will consist of:

Rick Davis
Kathie Harman
Kate Payne

Don Pamerleau moved that Breed Rescue be considered a standing committee. *Passed*

Three Tier Registration

Randy Boggs moved that we direct our AKC Delegate, Lynn Worth, to tell AKC that the VCA supports the concept of the three tier registration as stated in Perspectives, September, 1994.

The Three Tiers are:

1. Paper Registration
2. Microchip identification
3. DNA Identification

A discussion was held regarding the establishment of a disease registry for Vizslas. Linda Promaulayko moved that Randy Boggs write an article for the News regarding this item and also to write to each local club to see what king of a response he receives to determine if the members are interested in this type of program. *Passed*
Discussion was held about the feasibility of holding a hereditary disease screening clinic at our National Events. Marge Mehagian moved that the Breed Improvement Chairman, Florence Duggan, create a column regarding genetic and other health issues brought to the attention of this board. This column will appear in the Vizsla News and also be sent to all local clubs for inclusion in their newsletters if they wish. She will inquire if there is any interest in holding a screening clinic in 1996. *Passed.*

Meeting resumed at 9:00 a.m. Sunday morning. Cindy Hibler present at 11 a.m.

Because AKC will send information packets to the top 60 breeds (Vizslas are #58) it was suggested that we supply copies of our "Presenting the Vizsla" flyer for inclusion in the packet. Mark Johnson moved that we authorize our delegate to supply AKC with one year's supply when this program is implemented. *Passed*
Pat Carnes moved that she be permitted to order 1,000 flyers with the current information on them in order to initiate the program. *Passed*

NATIONAL EVENTS ISSUES

Field Trial Issues

Judges Selection:

Al Lucas moved that the Host Club shall compile a list of 6-8 potential judges and submit them to the Selection committee for approval. *Passed*
Randy Boggs moved that all other changes or clarification's presented in his report be accepted into the field Trial Guidelines. *Passed*
Clarification: There is no runner up to the National Field Champion or National Amateur Field Champion. There are placements only for second, third or fourth place.
Discussion of single site for our National Field Trial was initiated by Mark Johnson. Mark was instructed to mail a questionnaire to the Board of Directors for a reaction to this item.
Judges cannot have a dog in the kennel of a pro trainer and judge our Nationals" will be deleted in the National Events Guidelines.

Nancy Anderson moved the Field Trial Secretary must submit the running order to the Breed Standard Qualification committee as soon after closing of entries as possible, so information can be put on forms to facilitate smooth running of the qualifying on the line. *Passed*
Al Lucas moved that all expenditures over $1,000 be approved by the National Events Chairman and the President. *Passed*
Al Lucas moved to increase the High Combined Obedience Trophy value to $100.00 *Passed*
A letter (fax) was received on Sunday from the Gulf Coast Vizsla Club which contained a bid for the 1996 nationals. It was moved by Pat Carnes to thank them for their interest and encourage them to consider making a bid in the future since we already voted on our plans for 1996. Anne Denehy will write to them. *Passed*
It was moved by Pat Carnes that the format of the National Events be extended to include a 7th day, if necessary, and that the order of events be rearranged with the President's approval. *Passed*
Jim Skrintney moved to have Anne Denehy appoint a Permanent advertising chair. Passed
Richard moved to accept the changes for the National Guidelines as presented by Anne Denehy Chair. *Passed*

AKC Corresponding Date Table

Randy Boggs moved that the AKC be requested to review their AKC Corresponding Date Table for the following reasons:

-The corresponding dates throughout the year are based on the first Dog Show weekend. The first Dog Show weekend and the first calendar weekend do not coincide. The first Dog Show weekend is the first weekend to occur in which Saturday's date is not January 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7. The first Dog Show weekend shall be designated #2. (The proposed change would ensure continuity form year to year for obtaining event facilities.) *Passed.*

-The results of AKC's Field Survey were not available. The committee consists of Randy Boggs, Mark Johnson and Al Lucas, Jr. The purpose of the survey is to increase the number of Field Trial Participants, increase the knowledge of Field Trials, and increase the number of folks who are willing to work on Field Events and ultimately improve the quality of the dogs. Al Lucas moved that VCA members are requested to present any issues or concerns to the committee by December 15, 1995. *Passed.*

Sponsored/Supported Guidelines

Florence Duggan moved that we approve the guidelines as corrected. Applications for these events will be presented in advance and approved by the chair of the sponsored/supported events, Florence Duggan and the president. *Passed*
Linda Promaulayko moved that a moratorium put on sponsored/supported events, except for the Gateway Club, until the insurance issue is resolved. *Passed*

Membership Mailing Lists

Marge Mehagian moved that there be a place on the dues envelope which members may check if they do not want to have their name released for outside mailings. The Executive Committee must OK releasing of the membership list. *Passed.*
Randy Boggs moved that when an Honorary Member of the VCA dies, the membership continues with the surviving spouse. At present, we have seven honorary members. *Passed*

Budget

Don Pamerleau presented a budget for 1994-1995. It was determined that $12,000 from the dues and ad money would be designated for the Vizsla News.
Randy Boggs moved we budget $1,000 to be used for the Field Trial committee to promote and enhance these events. *Passed.*
Because of the transition from member to a professional publication, there will be no Vizsla News published in November and December. Al Lucas moved that in its place, President Richard will send a mailing in December, along with the dues envelope the general membership. *Passed.*
Don Pamerleau moved that a new budget request form be designed by the treasurer for next year. *Passed*

BOD Meeting Con't.

TOP TEN RECOGNITION

Al Lucas moved that we instruct Kathy Rust to investigate obtaining a certificate, including costs, and report to the Board of Directors. This certificate would be awarded yearly to final top ten show field and Obedience Dogs. *Passed.*

Historian

Marge Mehagian moved that Chris Sullivan be sent immediately on publication 3 copies of the Vizsla News and all the overrun copies (every quarter). In addition, the standing National Events chairman will be responsible for supplying the historian with a complete packet, including photos and marked catalogues from each National Event.

Canine Buyer Education

Randy Boggs moved that our AKC Delegate propose to AKC that they create a professional packet for mass distribution for the education of potential canine buyers. It would include:

-How to select a breed and breeder
-Promote local animal shelters
-Information on canine behavior, care health defects, genetic defects, etc.

Advertising would be on national TV and in periodicals. *Passed.*

Registry of Merit

Jan Bouman moved that a UDX title be worth 6 points on the ROM scale. *Passed*

Pat Carnes will contact Peggy Davis regarding agility competition.

VCA Packets to Potential Vizsla Puppy Buyers

Pat Carnes will chair a committee to produce a packet to send to those who are interested in acquiring a Vizsla. Richard H. made this motion. *Passed*

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

1. Chris Sullivan will submit an agenda item addressing the subject of Top Producers' Recognition for the 1995 Board Meeting.
2. Jan Simer will act as the Western Section Board of Directors member of the National Events Field committee for 1995. *Passed*
3. Tammy Glines was voted in as a VCA member by the Board of Directors.

The meeting adjourned at 3:46 P.M. on Sunday.

Respectfully submitted,
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1994 NATIONAL SPECIALTY

A STUNNING SUCCESS

John E.E. Hannum

The 1994 VCA National Specialty, hosted by the Conestoga Vizsla Club, was held on October 27-29 in Frederick, Maryland at the Holiday Inn and Conference Center under almost perfect weather. The excellent and highly accessible venue drew exhibitors from all over the United States and Canada, resulting in a record-breaking entry of 377 dogs for a total entry of 637.

The sweepstakes judge, Mr. Frank Washabaugh of Ringoes, NJ, selected Coffee's Moonstone Ramey JH as his Best in Sweepstakes from an outstanding entry of 106 with Caveats Tahoka Cloudburst as Best of Opposite Sex.

From an entry of twenty in Veteran Sweepstakes, an event which left hardly a dry eye in the room, Mr. Washabaugh selected two great old troopers. Best in Veteran Sweepstakes going to Ch. Barben's Peppermint Pattie JH with Best of Opposite Sex to DC/AFC Riverbend Deacon Dandy CD, all to thunderous applause.

Mrs. Arlene Thompson Brown of Ft. Luderdale, FL, the breed judge, then began her search from 65 dogs. She gave the nod for Winner's Dog to Russet Leather Midnite Injun with Reserve Winner's Dog going to Jaybren's Kivalo Nivos. This was followed by an additional 10 Veteran Dogs and 11 Field Trial Dogs, which concluded the day's events.

On Saturday, Mrs. Thompson-Brown resumed judging with 109 bitches giving Winner's Bitch to Brandenburg Concerto Pous One and Reserve Winner's Bitch to Mattapex Mango. This was followed by 8 Veteran Bitches and 6 Field Trial Bitches to round out the single dog classes.

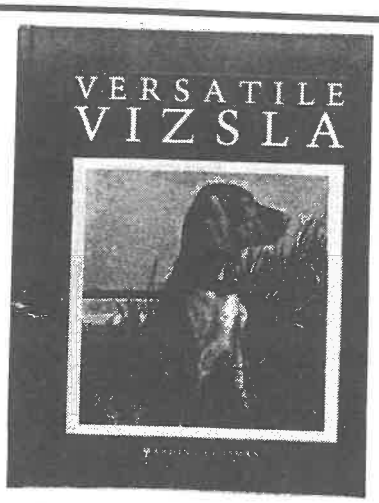
The peice de resistance was an entry of 107 in Best of Breed competition. The eventual winner proved to be Ch Rebel Rouser Lucca SH with Best of Opposite Sex taken by Ch Rhodes The Baroness LaLa JH and Best of Winner's to the Winners' Dog.

Eleven Awards of Merit were given. These went to Am/Can Ch Penlee's Orange Pekoe, Ch Barben's Peppermint Pattie JH, Ch Pirok Mia, Ch Piper Barben's Buttons 'N Beaux, Ch Legacy's Cracklin' Rosey JH, Ch Emerald Legacy's Prime Time JH, Ch Mad's Nyircsaszari Csatar, Am/Can Cyh Boelte's Manhattan Marq, Ch Russet Leather Red Cloud II, Ch Lyons Bayview Summertan and Ch Grouse Pt Semper Fi Chu Lai.

The judging finished with a specacular display of parental talent in the judging of 13 Stud Dogs and 17 Brood Bitches and an equal display of sheer fortitude in five braces. The final event of the day was a Parade of Titleholders, drawing an entry of 84.

The event was not without a few last minute glitches but it went off with style, grace and aplomb, due much in part to the great many people who helped make it a success. Many CVC and VCA members contributed much time, effort and energy to everthing from clean-up to mat laying, to setting up the concession spaces to selling ways-and-means. The work of our Stewards, all dog people but none of whom involved with Vizslas, was superb.

It was nice to be associated with such a resounding success.



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1994 NATIONAL FIELD EVENTS

Clear Spring, Maryland was the site of the 1994 Vizsla Club of America National Field Trial. The same grounds were chosen by AKC for the inaugural running of the AKC Bird Dog Championship last spring. Groomed to perfection by the State of Maryland and Connestoga members, Jim Rowell and Al Lucas, Jr., and with help from Randy Boggs and Mark Johnson, the grounds were among the best on which to evaluate a true gun dog. It offered plenty of objectives, rolling hills, large fields and good birdfields.

The Autumn foliage in the Western Maryland mountains was at it's peat providing a truly beautiful setting. The weather cooperated and stayed dry and cool all four days.

Our expert judging panel of Dick Hawbaker and Regis Cantini for the National and the Derby, and Carlos Alarcon and Gene Dagenhart for the Amateur National and the Puppy was challenged by a large capable entry. Both gun dogs stakes had an entry of 35 dogs, while the Derby had 25 and the Puppy had 17.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

The bird planters and marshalls did an excellent job of keeping things running smoothly. Birds were plentiful and those dogs willing to reach for the objectives were rewarded with lots of birdwork.

When the dust settled on the first series, 12 dogs were called back:

1. FC/ AFC Russet Leather Jade Starr
   FC/AFC Fieldway's Jack Daniels
2. VC Viesoo's Red Fox Express
   Ch Semper Fi Suribachi
3. Semper Fi Lady Chelsea
   FC/AFC Fieldway's Sandhills Kilroy
4. DC Linden's Belle Starr MH
   Desert Storm Brandi Roselle
5. DC AFC Semper Fi Montezuma
   FC AFC Piper's Sippican Gold Rush
6. FC Fieldway's Nitro Flash
   FC AFC NFC NAFC EK's Tripper

After an excellent second series, the judges decided on the following:

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP PLACEMENTS

1. **FC/AFC Fieldway's Jack Daniels**
   O/H Carol Vitato

2. **FC/AFC Piper's Sippican Gold Rush**
   O/H Lucille Jardin

3. **FC/AFC/NFC/NAFC EK's Tripper**
   O: Bruce Lantrip & Al Lucas H: Al Lucas

4. **FC Fieldway's Nitro Flash**
   O: Joe Manning & John Frayne H: John Frayne

OPEN PUPPY

This years Puppy stake was one of the largest in the history of the event and demonstrated a field of great potential.

The Puppy winners were:

1. Keystone's Give Em Hell Harry
O: Iva Fisher H: Dave Pomfret
2. Rebel Rouser N Linden's Cyote
O: Donald & Denis Keeton H: Denny Keeton
3. Masha's Strike It Rich
O: Cindy Hibler H: Danny Burjan
4. Keystn Upwind Stand N Delive
O: Julia Bonar & Lisa DeForest H: Dave Pomfret
HM JD's Just Outa' Reach
O: Carol Vitato H: Dan Burjan
HM Keystone's Upwind Indulgence
O/H Debbie Fridlund

NATIONAL AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

On the third day, the Amateur National began with virtually the same field that competed in the Open. The next two days were cooler and it seemed to improve the performance of the competition. The judges selected the following to come back for the second series:

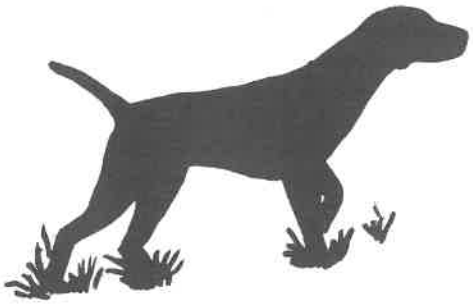
1. CH Semper Fi Suribachi
   Sippican Sam
2. Hodag's Miller Lite SH
   FC/AFC/NFC/NAFC EK's Tripper
3. FC/AFC Fieldway's Jack Daniels
   CH Golden Empire's Texas Topaz
4. FC Viesoo's Red Fox Express
   DC/AFC NFC Hodag's Hunter UD, MH
5. JK Ruff N Reddy
   CH Masha's Sinfully Wild Cheri
6. DC/AFC Riverbend Deacon's Dandy CD
   FC/AFC Piper's Sippican Gold Rush

OPEN DERBY

The Derby was the last stake to start and as the Puppy, some wonderful potential was seen. For the first time since his grandfather, Bandieto, the Puppy winner also won the Derby:

Derby Placements

1. Keystone's Give Em Hell Harry
O Iva Fisher H: Dave Pomfret
2. Mehagian's Million Dollar Baby
O/H Marge Mehagian
3. Mattapex From C to Shining C
O: Pat & Francis Carnes H: Dave Pomfret
4. CH Red Oak's Stormin Norman
O: Laura & Vaughn Bauman H: Laura Bauman



NATIONAL AMATEUR CHAMPHIONSHIP PLACEMENTS

1. **FC/AFC Piper's Sippican Gold Rush**
O/H Lucille Jardin

2. **DC/AFC Riverbend Deacon's Dandy CD**
O: Kitty Pullen

3. **FC/AFC Fieldways Jack Daniels**
O: Carol Vitato

4. **CH Masha's Sinfully Wild Cheri**
O/H Cindy Hibler

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Judges Dinner: Julia Bonar
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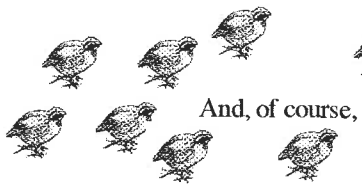

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"Cheri" is owned by Cindy Hibler and Josephine Datis
(our "Kid")

Masha's Strike It Rich

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1994 NATIONAL OBEDIENCE TRIAL

Obedience Trial Draws Large Entry and Audience

By Jack Sharkey Obedience Chairperson

The 1994 National Obedience Trial, using a new scheduling format, gained high marks from both the participants and a most appreciative audience. In an attempt to reduce the distractions and noise level for the obedience dogs and to allow for greater spectator opportunity to watch their performance, the highest level of obedience trialing was held on Thursday evening, with the remainder of obedience sharing the Holiday Inn Ballroom with the Specialty Show on Friday morning.

With 66 obedience entries, the judge, Ms. Joyce Morgan of Austin, Texas, performed her duties in a most applaudable manner. Not only did she keep the trial running smoothly with a very nice tempo, but she also made each participant feel at ease during their performance. Each team was given every opportunity to show their "stuff" and came away with the feeling they were judged most fairly.

This year, both the High in Trial and High Combined Score in Utility and Open B, was won by the same team. The team of Ch. Titan's PM Silhouette, CDX, CGC and Anne C. Standen of North Carolina, scored a most respectable 197.5 out of 200 in Utility A and a 195 out of 200 in Open B. They were pushed by many other teams with very nice scores and according to the judge, had a very high qualification rate. She allowed that this was one of the finest trials that she has ever judged. This statement in turn means a great deal of effort was put in by the trialers in their preparation, the ring stewards for keeping the trial moving, and the ring set-up workers for all their labors. An open thank you to all.

As everyone knows, obedience training is a highly dedicated, time consuming sport on part of both the handler and the dog. To have an appreciative audience cheering on the dogs and handlers was a great uplift to all participants and on behalf of the obedience trialers, a big thank you spectators for your enthusiastic support. It makes the tedious training regimen a lot easier. We would like to see a lot more of you, especially handling your dog in future obedience trials.

Remember, the first Triple Champion was a **VIZSLA!**

1994 NATIONAL RAFFLE AND AUCTION A HUGE SUCCESS

This year's raffle and auction held at the VCA Nationals in October netted our club $5,014.00, with approximately $500 earmarked for breed rescue.

Our very special thanks to Tommie Skrintney for donating a beautiful quilt with Vizslas and quail which brought in $1071.00. Thank you's are also in order for our wonderful salemen, Stan Miller and Steve Shylen, our auctineer and raffler. Tony Smid, and our treasurer, Lois Smid.

Our most special thanks, though, are reserved for you, our members and friends who donated so generously. We have tried to thank everyone, but if we've fogotten to include youR name please accept our apologies. It was a hectic few days.

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Florence Duggan and Linda Promaulayko
1994 Raffle and Auction Co-Chairs.

CONGRATULATIONS....

..TO OUR NEW VIZSLA TITLE HOLDERS!

(August 1994 AKC AWARDS).

AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPIONS

Winneshiek Magda By Spring Creed Bud x Winneshiek Westwind Breeder: Don Gauger & Kelley Donham Owner: Andrew Donham

JUNIOR HUNTERS

Charlotte's Speeding Bullet By Rebel Rouser Johnny Reb JH x Charlotte's Sassafras Tea JH Breeder: Charlotte Schultheis Owner: Elizabeth Davis

Coffee's Moonstone Ramsey By Ch. Matchpoint's Kc Coffee CD MH x Ch. Moonstone'sAva Of Oakleaf Breeder: Catherine Robinson & Gregory Buesgens Owner:Karen Coffee

Ch. Grouse Point's Golden Gable By Ch. Willo Runn's Red Baron x Ch. Keystone' sEmmahezzarae Breeder: Corinne & Carey Miklos Owner: Edith Rysdyk

Kiskadee's Tiger Lilly By Ch. Dorratz Double Trouble UD SH x Ch Kiskadee'sKarmel Sunday CD JH Breeder: Michele Birgl & Jessica Schwartz Owner: Sally & Michele Birgl & Jessica Schwartz

Lady Gingersnap By DC Rebel Rouser ET x Viesoo's Atalanta Breeder: JacauelineDeroo Owner: Joseph Demoura

Love's Rusty Joshua CD By Sir Duke Of Minnesota x Tk's Copper Coin Breeder:Tim Raines Owner: Jeffrey Love

Ch. Matchpoint's Last Mohican By Ch. Sandyacre Poquito Chile Bean UD MH x Ch. Coffee's Tijuana Gelse CD JH Breeder/Owner: Diane Felicetta

Ch. Mehagian's Prize Package By Papago Samsson's Boaz x Goldust AmarettoDe Dawn Breeder: Dawn Wilger Owner: Marge Mehagian

Rebel Rouser Cassandra By DC Rebel Rouser ET x Rebel Rouser SacajaweaBreeder: HF Rozanek Owner: Jerry Kozney

Ripp Cajun D'Moida By Papago Samsson's Boaz x Dunantul Image Of TiffanyBreeder: Karen Walker & Joanne Weldon Owner: Joseph Demoura

Sienna Gold Tidal Victory By FC Fieldway's Jack Daniels x CH. Sienna Gold By Resolution CD JH Breeder: Nancy Baybutt Owner: Kathryn Munhall

Ch. Szizlin Bzer CD By Ch Dirigo Gambler's Marker x Ch. Heelmarks Aint SheCommand'N JH Breeder: Carol & Bruce Phelps Owner: Patricia & Ronald Folz

Thunder Heart's Bess Knows By Ch. Keystone's Runnin' Rebel x Askim's MileHigh Micka JH Breeder: Alyssa Krissen Owner: Chris Corliss

Tripper's Top Gun By FC/AFC Ek's Tripper x Tiger Lillie Breeder: David & Deborah Lee Owner: Manley Crider Jr.

Tsavo's Warp - Speed Tachyon By DC/AFC Melto-N-Futaki's Rapstone Red SH x Ch. Tsavo's Dust Devil Breeder: Valerie Smith & Laura Pickering Owner: Valerie Smith

Valley Hunter's Shoshana By Ch. Valley Hunter Southern Magic JH x Matai Leder Breeder/Owner: Jean Matmor

Valley Hunter's Zack By Ch. Valley Hunter's Challenge x Valley Hunter's SandPebble Breeder: Jean Matmor & Doron Matmor Owner: Andrea Galle

Webster's Divine Red Majak By Ch. Quail Meados Of Webster x Abigail IIIBreeder: Allan Maloney Owner: Cynthia Bellows & Tom Bertram

Zsumping Zsaque Flash By Ch. Nyircsaszari Arany Fiu x Neptune's ShiningPenelope Breeder: Daniel Neptune Owner: James & Amy Clark

SENIOR HUNTER

Ch. Oakleaf's Sargas Anastasia JH By DC/AFC Riverbend Deacon's Dandy CDx Ch. Oakleaf's Whistlin' Dixie CD SH Breeder: Linder Kelly Owner: Brian Schumacher

Ch. Reilloc's Tory Kalandor CD JH By Ch. Tsavo's Simply Red JH x Ch. Paradox Reilloc's Ricochet CDX SH Breeder: Linda Collier Owner Lin Kozlowski & Linda Collier

MASTER HUNTER

Paradise Master Of The Hunt SH By DC/AFC Golden Empire's Doctor T CDX MH x Ch. My Friend Flicka MH Breeder: Dan & Lila Montambo Owner: Dan Montambo

(October 1994 AKC AWARDS).

AMATEUR FIELD CHAMPION

Russet Leather Jadestarr By DC/AFC Golden Empire's Doctor T CDX MH x FC/AFCRebel Rouser's Starr Breeder: William Watling Jr. Owner: Adriane & Beverly Wanjon & Larry & Michele Coburn

JUNIOR HUNTER

Fieldmaster Buckwheat By Fieldmaster Ace x Fieldmaster Bess Breeder: Leslie & Erin Sharp Owner: Richard & Georgette Spaccarelli

Gold Run's Classic Calypso By Ch. Oakleaf's Dandy Dalton SH x Ch. Miska's Szivi Voros Vadasz CD SH Breeder/Owner: Nancy Jones

Ch. Jaybren's Madarasz Csatar By Ch. Russet Leather Son Of Sutiao x Ch. Surfstone Jaybren's Szeppe Breeder/Owner: Jean Brennan

Verity's River Hill Rascal By Ch. River Hill's Amos x Ch. Verity's KB of Mt. VernonJH Breeder: Rick & Debi Sorber & Elizabeth Sherman Owner: Jay Markwalder & E. Sherman

(November 1994 AKC AWARDS)

JUNIOR HUNTER

Askim Again By DC/AFC Askim MH x Jb 'N Squirt JH Breeder/Owner: James Busch

Atalissa By DC/AFC Askim MH x Mehagian's Delicia De Mi Vida Breeder: Marge Mehagian Owner: James Busch

Gypsy's Sugar Plum By Redwings King Conan x Visions of Sugar Plums JHBreeder: Chris Cygan Owner: Debby Cygan

Meg Jetstar Duncan By DC/AFC Askim's Diamond Reo TDX MH x Chikaskia's Copper Topper Breeder: Steven Paul Owner: Roger & Glenda Duncan

Ch. Savanna's Copperstone Cola By DC/AFC Melto-N-Futaki's Rapstone Red SH x Savanna Breeze SH Breeder: Lynn Sermon & Michael Jacobson Owner: Jeffery Ruzich

Ch. Shawnric Zorina Luv Me Tender By Ch. Russet Leather War Cloud JH x Ch. Shawnric Tequila Sunrise Breeder: Shawn & Rick Lapointe Owner: Frank & Jan Hollar & Shawn La Pointe

TOP TEN FIELD

August to the November AKC AWARDS
(May 1-August 28 Trials)
1st place = 4 x number of dogs defeated = top ten points
2nd place = 3x number of dogs defeated = top ten points
3rd place == 2x number of dogs defeated = top ten points
4th place = 1x number of dogs defeated = top ten points

OPEN

Only placements in Open Limited Gun Dog and VCA National Ch. stakes are used

1. FC Fieldway's Jack Daniels,	C Vitato FL	234
2. FC/AFC Fieldway's Sandhills Kilroy	J Frayne/J Manning NJ	115
3. DC Mattapex Winsome Girl	P Carnes/K Poitras MD	95
4. DC AFC Reckless Ballofire SH	G Ordonez IL	76
5. FC Mehagian KRC's Penni Paloma	M Mehagian AZ	52
6. Viesoo's Red Fox Express	H Koch WA	48
7. FC/AFC Buster Keeton SH	J Busch L	46
8. Rebel Rouser Maggie May II Ch Sierra's Wooden Nickel CD JH	D Rowse	42
9. FC/AFC Magma's Mentowin DC/AFC Mehagian KRC's Phoenix Fridge	D&P Anthony CA	42
10. DC/AFC Fourwinds Rebel Rouser Gator	R Morgan/B Van Kruininger	36
	M Johnson IL	36
	T&D Hagen MN	33

AMATEUR

Only placements in Amateur Limited Gun Dog and VCA Am. Ch. stakes are used

1. FC/AFC Fieldway's Sandhills Kilroy	J Frayne/J Manning NJ	219
2. AFC Dodge City's Doc Adams SH	C&C Conner	105
3. FC/AFC EK's Tripper	A Lucas/B Lantrip VA	91
4. DC/AFC Camarily Mesquite	R&M Sloane AZ	84
5. FC/AFC Shotgun Danny Dude	G Jagoda MI	80
6. FC/AFC Baker's Darlin' Sportin' Ginny DC/AFC Morning Shy Mista Bone JH	S Baker/E Herz CA	74
7. FC/AFC Magma's Mentowin	J&L Dutemple IA	74
8. DC/AFC Reckless Ballofire SH	R Morgan/B Van Kruininger	72
9. DC Linden's Belle Starr MH	G Ordonez IL	68
10. Ch Sierra's Wooden Nickel CD JH	D&L Keeton OH	60
	D&P Anthony CA	56

PUPPY/DERBY

Only placements in Open Puppy and Open Derby stakes will be used. A dog may remain on the listing until the AKC Awards has reported the results from the last trial in which it was eligible to compete in Derby

1. Idaho Ranchhand	W Brundage CA3-18-93	330
2. Piper's Sippican Oliver Twist	L Jardin MA 9-16-92	307
3. Rebel Rouser Diamondback	P Abbott NE 3-09-93	252
4. Oakridge Wildfire Viper JH	J&M Seyer WI 7-07-92	248
5. Rebel Rouser Copper Head	B Bergneyer NE 7-31-92	182
6. Ch Verity's Fireball Des Nebels JH	Furth/Sherman MD 7-20-92	173
7. Lifo Riley	G Ordonez IL 3-31-93	168
8. Tequila Sunset	D Burjan NJ 3-18-93	140
9. Copperfield's Easy Money	E&C Kottmeier MO 4-30-93	135
10. Askim's True Morgan	M&K Weis IL 7-31-92	111

TOP TEN SHOW 1994

Kathy Rust
March 1994-November 1994 AKC Awards
January 1 to August 28
(inclusive)

GROUP AND BEST IN SHOW
Points are awarded for Best in Show or Group wins only

		BIS	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
1. Ch Piper Barben's Button'N Beaux (B)	Zahn/Piper	3	10	15	9	5	10,396
2. Ch Pirok Mia (B)	Collins/Folz	1	2	2	3	0	2,475
3. Ch Surfstone Szuka's Iland Cruzr (D)	Taylor/Fowler		2	3	2	2	1,952
4. Ch Rheingold Loge Anton Dvorak (D)	Miller/Shylen		4	0	1	2	1,842
5. Ch Sandy Acre's Russet Chief (D)	Zuercher		1	5	5	2	1,836
6. Ch Barben's Standing Ovation (D)	Zahn		1	1	4	2	1,250
7. Ch Russet Leather War Cloud (D)	LaPointe		2	3	2	0	1,200
8. Ch Russet Leather Red Cloud II (D)	Plakovic/Faulkner/Wanjon		0	1	1	4	1,133
9. Ch Rebel Rouser Lucca SH (D)	Johnston		0	2	1	2	1,052
10. Ch Russet Leather Rawhide JH (D)	Claxton/Wanjon		2	0	0	2	903

VIZSLAS DEFEATED
Points are awarded for Vizslas defeated in Best of Breed Competition

		Viz. Def	BB	AVG.
1. Ch Piper Barben's Buttons'N Beaux (B)	Zahn Piper	545	61	8.9
2. Ch Barben's Standing Ovation (D)	Zahn	409	37	11.1
3. Ch Panderre's Rozsdas Csilag CD JH (D)	Kriger	398	31	12.8
4. Ch Rheingold Loge Anton Dvorak (D)	Miller/Shylen	380	26	14.6
5. Ch Pirok Mia (B)	Folz/Collins	348	30	11.6
6. Ch Rebel Rouser Lucca SH (D)	Johnston	276	17	16.2
7. Ch Russet Leather War Cloud JH	LaPoint	204	26	7.8
8.Ch Surfstone Szuka's Iland Cruzr (D)	Tayler/Fowler	201	20	10.1
9. Ch Russet Leather Red Cloud II (D)	Palkovic/Faulmner/Wanjon	183	22	8.3
10. Ch Sandy Acre's Russet Chief (D)	Zuercher	177	34	5.2

SPECIALTY WINS

August 13 Lone Cypress Vizsla Club Judge: G. Bragaw
BOB- Ch Rheingold Loge Anton Dvorak (D) S. Miller/ S. Shlyen

August 19 Connestoga Vizsla Club Judge J.A. Pfeiffer, Jr
BOB- Ch Boelte's Majestic Gent (D) S&D Smith

August 27 Connecticut Valley Vizsla Club Judge T. J. Feneis
BOB- Ch Panderre's Rozsdas Csilag CD JH (D) F Kriger

SECRETARY'S COLUMN

From the AKC;

At the October, 1994 BOD Meeting the policy on back -to -back shows was modified. Formerly clubs could hold back -to -back events only on a Saturday and Sunday. Effective immediately the day restriciton has been eliminated so that any two consecutive days would be permitted.

From the Secretary;

I'd like to thank everyone who supported the 1994 VCA National Events hosted by Conestoga Vizsla Club. It's not possible for everyone to home with a ribbon. But I do hope you enjoyed the sport of participating and the camaraderie of being with so many other Vizsla enthusiats.!

TREASURE'S REPORT

VCA Treasurer Don Parmerleau

Happy New Year. I hope 1995 finds you and all of your four-footed family members prosperous and healthy.

Last year was a time of growth and change for both the VCA and myself. The VCA experienced continued fiscal growth in 1994 and is currently in as good a shape as its ever been in. I on the other hand, as many of know, sold my boarding kennel in July and have moved. I apologize for any inconvenience you may have experienced in trying to reach me after the move. For the record, my new address and phone number are as follows: 7 Dogwood Drive, Annandale, NJ 08801 (908) 713-9644.

Below you will find copies of the Balance Sheet and an abbreviated version of the Profit and Loss Statement presented to the Board at its annual meeting in October. These reports encompass my first full year as Treasurer from 10-15-93 through 10-14-94. Note, these reports do not reflect all of the finances involving publication of the Vizsla News - the Editor maintained a separate account to receive advertising income and pay misc. expenses associated with the News - the activity involving that account is not included here. Also note that of the $39,499.83 listed as assets on the Balance Sheet, $5,902.23 has been specifically for breed rescue.

Until the next issue....if I can be of any help, please feel free to call.

BALANCE SHEET
AS OF 10/15/94- 10//15/94

	Acct.	Balance
ASSETS		
Cash and Bank Accounts		
Assets for Dep.		622.43
Correc. Sec.		0.00
VCA 10469100		33,877.40
Total Cash and Bank Accounts		34,499.83
Other Assets		
Nat'l Events		5,000.00
Total Other Assets		5,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$39,499.83
LIABILITIES & EQUITY		
Liabilites		0.00
Equity		39,499.83
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY		$39,499.83

PROFIT & LOSS STATEMENT
10/15/93/ THROUGH 10/14/94

Category Description	10/15/93-10/14/94
INCOME/EXPENSE	
INCOME	
Add'l Postage '94	680.00
Add'l Postage '95	10.00
Donations	3,905.23
Dues '93	70.00
Dues '94	16,820.00
Dues '95	25.00
HOF Nominations	50.00
Medallion	25.00
Nationals '93	15,311.76
ROM	110.00
Sales	2,367.83
VCA News	866.67
Versatility	219.00
TOTAL INCOME	$40,460.49
EXPENSES	
Advertising	286.00
AKC Delegate	574.20
Bank Charges	166.98
Corres. Secretary	937.63
Dues Collection	343.64
Election - '93	1,200.00
Election - '94	428.70
Gifts & Donation	250.00
Hall of Fame	87.33
Historian	227.97
Insurance	537.20
Law Suit Misc.	13.95
Membership Comm	267.95
MemDirectory1	44.87
MemDirectory2	1,320.65
Misc. Expenses	104.00
Nat. Awards Comm	1,932.64
Nat. Events Comm	375.82
National Events	8.26
President	381.40
Prof. Fees	4,650.65
Rec. Secretary	759.96
Rescue	878.01
Top 10 Rept.	40.00
Treasurer	389.06
V News Comm.	323.52
VCA Store	206.00
Versatility Exp	56.43
Vice-President	174.53
Vizsla News	7,170.49
TOTAL EXPENSES	24,137.84
TOTAL INCOME/EXPENSE	**$16,322.65**

BREED IMPROVEMENT *Florence Duggan*

PennHIP

It is important to keep up with new theories and findings in canine research with regard to dogs in general and Vizslas in particular. Since hip dysplasia is the most common, inheritable problem in dogs, many researchers have studied the problem. Breeders and veterinarians have looked for a long time for a way to reliably predict whether or not a dog would develop hip dysplasia or pass that genetic trait to it's offspring. Generally the disease appears in two groups- a severe form that shows up in young dogs and is characterized by pain and lameness and in older dogs who exhibit stiffness and restricted motion along with sporadic pain as they age.

Dr. Gail Smith, from the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine, has shown that there is a symptom free "carrier" state for hip dysplasia which cannot be detected using standard methods. Dr. Smith's method is called PennHIP and uses a radiographic procedure that uses special positioning of the dog so that passive hip laxity can be evaluated. This looseness of the hip ball is measured while the dog is anesthetized and the degree of looseness is used as a predictor of future appearance of hip dysplasia. Research gathered over eleven years of testing has shown that hip laxity is the primary component in the onset of hip dysplasia. This laxity can be measured in puppies as young as 16 weeks of age.

Although the PennHIP method is not 100% accurate, it was developed using strict scientific protocol. The passive laxity measurement specifically measures joint laxity and allows the individual dog to be ranked quantitatively with other members of the same breed. This ranking allows breeders to see which dogs have the tightest hips and determine which dogs are the least likely to pass hip dysplasia on to future generations.

The PennHIP method of radiographing differs from OFA because it generally requires three separate x-rays or views under general anesthesia during an evaluation. The first x-ray is a compression view in which the hips are pushed into the sockets (this shows the true depth of the sockets). Another view, called the distraction view, uses a device which shows the degree of passive laxity. The third view is called the hip extended view and is very much the same as OFA uses.

Data coming from PennHIP suggests that their method is an excellent diagnostic tool in predicting susceptibility to developing hip dysplasia. Because it can be performed at an early age as compared with 24 months, an owner or breeder may make an early decision about whether a dog can be used for breeding, working or a family pet. The AKC is now moving toward a three tiered registration which directly ties in with current research finding at PennHIP.

If you'd like more information, call or write.

UPCOMING EVENTS

FIELD TRIALS

April 8 — **MIAMI VALLEY VIZSLA CLUB**
Clara Kayser
(513) 528-3903

March 11-12 — **VIZSLA CLUB OF ILLINOIS**
DesPlaines Wildlife Area (West Grounds)
Joliet, IL
Jim Busch
(815) 335-7673

CONESTOGA VIZSLA CLUB
Clear Springs, MD
Terry Lucas
(703) 752-0661

SPECIALTIES

April 2 — **CENT. CALIFORNIA VIZSLA CLUB**
Kern Co. Fairgrounds
South P St. & Ming Ave Bakerfield, CA
Jack Bradshaw
PO Box 7303, Los Angeles, Ca 90022
(213) 727-0136

April 2 — SOUTH COAST VIZSLA CLUB
Cypress College Athletic Field
9200 Valley View Ave, Cypress CA
Mickey Althoue
12031 Vista de Cerros Dr.,
Moreno Valley, CA 92555
(714) 924-1145

August 18 — **CONESTOGA VIZSLA CLUB**
Helen Seelye
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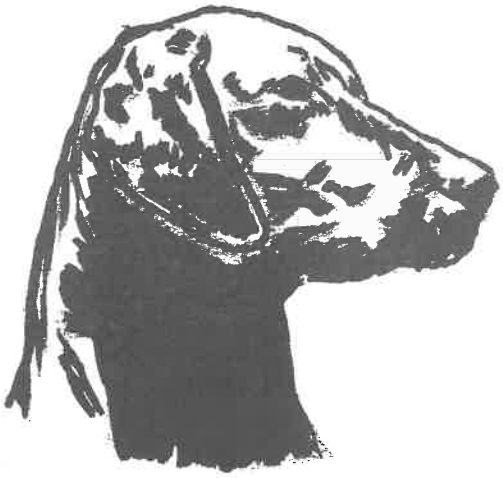

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Application for Membership — The Vizsla Club of America, Inc.

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