



PACIFIC RIM BLOODHOUND CLUB "PAWPRINTS"



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Note: The March 2007 and May 2007 issues of Pawprints incorrectly listed Katie Cole as a member of the board and Tina Kocar as Vice President. The correct appointments are as printed above.

President's Message

Hello fellow PRBC Members & Friends,

Hope you all had happy and safe 4th of July!!!! First, I want to thank Sid & Lynn Harty on hosting the very successful "2nd Annual Clyde Reed Memorial Trailing Trial" and to send out a huge CONGRATULATIONS to all the new Trailing Title recipients. WELL DONE!!!!

Second, I hope that you can all attend the PRBC Meeting and the ABC Meeting that will be held sometime during the festivities at our Regional Specialty on August 4th. The meetings are open to anyone that is interested.

Finally, I am looking forward with great anticipation to our upcoming 10th Anniversary ABC NW Regional Specialty on August 4th. Suzi and her very hardworking crew have put together what I am sure will be a very memorable event with lots of exciting activities. Please check out all the information regarding the days events at the PRBC website. Hope to see you all next month.....Cindy



Cindy's boy, Axe, hanging out on the roof...you'll have to ask her for the "entire story!" ☺ Rest assured, his feet are now planted firmly on the ground! What will these hounds think of next?

Meeting Minutes: Valley Ford, WA May 25, 2007:

Members: Laurie Adomite, Stacey Poler, Janis Hardy, Sid and Lynn Harty, Sonnya Crawford, Tim and Sheri Whetstine, Suzi Paine, and Betty Seigal

Guests: V. Scholla, Mc. Scholla, C. Comeenes, D. Cromeenes, S. Cromeenes.

Stacey Poler called the meeting to order at 6:48 PM.

President's Report – No report

Treasurer's Report – No report update will be included in newsletter: Reported Printed July 2007:

Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club

Balance in checking: \$3,995.31

Balance in savings: \$1,520.75

CD: Renewed on 06/06/07 @ 2.90% \$12,443.96 (transferred \$2500 from savings) Maturity date is 12/06/08.

Pacific Rim Bloodhound Rescue Committee

Balance in checking: \$3,572.22

Interesting facts:

Laurie Adomite has continued her monthly donations of \$20 to PRBRescue as well as her \$200 adoption fee for Dakota.

Since 3/28/06, adoption fees total \$2,990.00 During this period, Grays' Harbor Vet Services has donated \$151.49 and discounted services on 15 rescues. Total care for this period of 14 months: \$5,266.41.

Secretary's Report -- We have new members Marie Taylor and Kevin Doty. They will be a wonderful asset to our club and our breed. They have a 10 month old female bloodhound, Dawn. They are interested in showing and trailing. They own and breed Saint Bernards and are very involved in the breed. The current newsletter is up on the website.

Rescue Report --- We have a new hound, Otis, coming into Rescue on Sunday—He is a 3-year-old male. He is coming into Rescue due to a divorce. The owner is meeting us after the show on Sunday and Janis is transporting him to Western Washington. Suzi and Laurie noted that we have 2 more young hounds possibly coming in from Oregon. They are coming into Rescue due to their owner having cancer. Janis advised that we have an interested party in Grays Harbor County that would like to help with fostering. She is currently involved in SAR. An application and home check will need to be approved before she will be allowed to foster. We have started a Yahoo group for our new Adopters to discuss issues and post brags. It has been very successful. <http://pets.groups.yahoo.com/group/>

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PRBCrescue/ Stacey has updated the Rescue Success Stories on our website. <http://www.pacificrimbloodhoundclub.org>
Sara Leslie-Grant has copied many of these success stories onto our PetFinder.com page. <http://www.petfinder.com/shelters/WA300.html>

Bylaws Committee Report: The committee is working and a full report will be available at the August meeting. **Regional Committee Report:** Suzi said that the Regional will be on August 4th. The premium list is getting worked out and will be in the mail soon. Everything is going very smoothly. Sonnya mentioned that Pfizer and Zymox have donated items that can be used either for prizes or raffle prizes. Laurie has purchased 2 denim shirts that Sonnya will embroider with the 10th Anniversary logo as samples so that we can begin taking orders. We will deliver the ordered shirts at the Regional. Laurie discussed the 50/50 Raffle. We have a \$2K goal. This year the tickets are 2-part tear-apart tickets. An order form is in the latest PRBC newsletter. It was discussed to put an order form in the ABC newsletter. Laurie will contact Lynn Aguirre. Laurie encouraged everyone to sell tickets to family members and co-workers. Suzi advised that the Bloodhound Parade of Honor is a HUGE part of the Regionals this year. She would like everyone (Rescues, Trailing hounds, Pets, and Show hounds) to be part of this event. 100% of the proceeds will go Rescue. This is an opportunity for all dogs to get recognition. She would like everyone to consider this a "Best Friends" Parade and to have fun with it. The entry fee is \$15.00. It was discussed to waive the entry fee for this year's new Adopters and their Rescue hounds.

Old Business:

Banner: Kris is working on the new banner. It will be bigger and more noticeable.

Trailing Trial: Lynn Harty thanked everyone for coming. Lynn said that this is an opportunity for new friends and old friends to come together to share their love for the breed. She presented awards to the titlist. (See Trailing Trial summary in newsletter) Stacey thanked Lynn and Sid for this wonderful event. Everyone seconded the motion! Janis noted that this event is a wonderful tribute to Clyde Reed. As though on cue, the hounds began singing as Janis was talking. We are all sure that the hounds were singing their praise to Clyde.

Rest Area Fundraiser: Janis advised that she will have a sign up sheet available at Regional for the Silver Lake Rest Area fund raiser.

New Business: There will be no Fall trailing trial this year. We need to begin planning for next year. Possible dates and locations were discussed. Stacey noted that we need to begin thinking about forming the Nominating committee. The positions are President, Vice president, Secretary, and Treasurer. The committee must be formed by Sept. 1 and the slate needs to be announced by October 1. Stacey said that anyone interested in being on the committee or being nominated for a position can contact her. Suzi motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:37pm. Stacey seconded.



Rescue Update

July 2007

A Brief Summary of those dogs currently in Rescue:

Flo is a very sweet, somewhat timid girl who has had a run of bad luck. She is about 15 months old and has lived in at least 4 different homes. She came to us from the Tacoma Humane Society. She is a very good girl- crates well, is not dog aggressive, travels well and loves meeting new people. She walks pretty well on a leash and is good for baths and nail trims. She has shown no aggression issues towards dogs, cats or food.



Hoshi came to us from Arkansas. She is an approximately 18 month old red female. We don't know much about her, but she has proven to be very sweet, loveable, and a bit more vocal than most.

Redd is a 3 year old neutered male bloodhound. He is a VERY well mannered, quiet boy. He is good with other dogs and children. He is interested in cats- will chase them if they run- but is nice to them. He is a very big boy weighing in at 133lbs. He is well behaved for baths and walks well on a leash. His previous family could no longer keep him when they moved so he is now looking for his new "forever home".



Howie is the old man of the group. He is a 7 year old intact male A good Samaritan in Idaho realized that he needed help and came to his rescue—taking him out of a bad situation and contacting us so that we could find him a home. He is a very timid, but sweet boy. He is vocal when outside in his run, but calms down when he comes inside. He is good with other dogs, cat and seems to be fine with children. He didn't show signs of food aggression or any other aggression in any of the tests we did.



Jean Duffet and Jim Lakehomer adopted one of our newest additions, Duke, last week. Duke was barely in Rescue for 12 hours before he found his new home. Jean and Jim had been patiently waiting for a rescue bloodhound for several months. They knew that they had found the perfect match when Duke came along. Duke joins their black and tan coonhound, Salsa.

Results of the 2007 Clyde Reed Memorial Trailing Trial

By Lynn Harty, Trailing Trial Chair

Over Memorial Day weekend, forty-eight guests – 28 humans, 20 canines – traveled from points in Washington, Oregon, and Idaho and such far-flung locations as British Columbia, Canada, and Texas to take part in the Clyde Reed Memorial trailing trial in



Halt! Who goes there?"

Valleyford, WA, hosted by Sid and Lynn Harty in partnership with Inland Empire Bloodhound Search and Rescue and the Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club. Now in its second year, the trailing trial was held in honor of the late Clyde Reed, life member of the American Bloodhound Club and a founding member of Northwest Bloodhound Search and Rescue. The May 25th trailing trial was an excellent beginning to a weekend devoted to trailing bloodhounds, show bloodhounds, honorary bloodhounds (i.e., an Aussie, a Maltese mix, a Saint Bernard, and a Border Collie), and to the people who love them.



Suggested morning wear for the well-appointed trailing judge.

Weekend guests (human) included Laurie Adomite, Mark and Vickie Scholla, Chris and Denise Dixon, Marie and Glenna Taylor, Walter and Debbie Colk (Walter, Debbie, and Brewster won the prize for longest distance driven: a whopping 900 miles from their home in Prince George, British Columbia!), Stacey Poler, Janice Hardy, Jen Gray and Phil Roth, Cheryl Cromeenes and sons, Betty Seigal, Sonny Crawford, Mike Maguire, Tim and Sheri Whetstone, Mike Henslee, and Vince Bialkowski. Trailing judges Sid Harty, Kim Bialkowski, Suzi Paine, and special guest judge Keith Pikett rounded out the company. On the trail and in the show ring, the hounds were on task, and the humans managed to keep up: no small feat for us two-legged creatures.



Red and Bear: "You steer, and I'll work the pedals."



Here come the judges!



All work and no play...



Hot dog or cigar? Only Lynn Harty knows for sure."

Qualifying EECs:

Sabrina's Red Beauregard, owned by Sabrina Scholla and Vickie Scholla, handled by Mark Scholla.

Mark's Red Belvedere, owned by Mark Scholla and Desirae Scholla, handled by Mark Scholla.

Lucky Charms Rebel Rose, owned by David and Denise Dixon, handled by David Dixon.

Nunya's M-Azing Morning Mist, owned by Ryan and Stacey Poler and Kevin Doty and Marie Taylor, handled by Marie Taylor.

Qualifying MTs:

Sadie Bug Red Mouse of Griffin, owned by Jenet Gray and Philip Roth, handled by Philip Roth.

Pinehollows Ice Follies, owned and handled by Janis Hardy.

CH. Jo-Li's Amaizing McClintock, CD, RN,CGC owned by Ryan and Stacey Poler, handled by Stacey Poler.

Brewster, owned by Walter and Debbie Colk, handled by Walter Colk.

Qualifying MTI:

Seigal's Serendipity Sarabelle, owned by Gordon and Betty Seigal, handled by Betty Seigal.



Janis Hardy and Follie, new MT titlist



Stacey Poler and Maizey new MT titlist



Walter and Debbie Colk and Brewster, new MT titlist



Betty Seigal and Sarabelle, new MTI titlist

A featured attraction of the weekend was a trailing seminar conducted by trailing judge and law enforcement officer Keith Pikett. Keith's business is bloodhounds as he and bloodhounds Clue, James Bond, Jag, and Quincy are an indispensable part of the Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office and log upwards of 1,000 trails per year. Primary advice from Keith to all handlers is this: First, when laying training trails, handlers *must* know the exact configurations of each trail. A best practice for handlers is to walk and map trails with their runners and to mark turns, other changes of direction, and any additional obstacles. In this way, handlers can concentrate on their dogs' reactions when confronted with such things,



Trailing seminar with Keith Pikett

thereby building an internal dictionary of their dogs' individual trailing characteristics. Other tips included generating dogs' enthusiasm for their work, correcting dogs' wandering attention immediately, and ... practice, practice, and, yes, more practice.

Having taken a brief rest from their trailing adventures, several of the human/hound teams donned their Sunday best and strutted their stuff at all-breed dog shows held in Spokane, WA, on Saturday, May 26th, and Sunday, May 27th. On Saturday, BOB went to CH. Nunya's MGH This Spudz For U ("Spudz"), owned by Stacey Poler and Suzi Paine and handled by Suzi. Spudz, his usual handsome and debonair self, drew many admiring glances in the breed and group rings. Also on Saturday, BOS/WB honors went Nunya's M-Azing Morning Mist ("Dawn"), owned by Ryan and Stacey Poler and Kevin Doty and Marie Taylor and handled by Stacey. On Sunday, Dawn, this time handled by Marie, was given the nod for BOB. Stacey and Marie are very pleased with Dawn, who, at the tender age of 11 months and with limited



Suzi and Stacey with Spudz and Dawn



showing, has 11 points and both majors. Keep an eye out for this lovely up-and-coming girl.



Sonny Crawford's Lizzie, all stressed out at ringside

Sunday afternoon was the scene of many wistful good-byes, as everyone loaded up and began their journeys home. Thanks go to the judges, participants, and wonderful volunteers, all of whom contributed their time and talents to make this year's trailing trial weekend a great success. We have all promised to mark our calendars for Memorial Day 2008, and we extend a big Pacific Northwest welcome to any of you out there who would like to join us.



Rainbow Bridge Welcomes Another Beloved Hound



Ch Sapphire's AC Cobra April 1997—July 2007

AC will be greatly missed by the Stockwell family and all who knew her.

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Janis Hardy is proud to announce that Ms. Follie earned her MT on Memorial Day weekend, just finished and passed the last of her 3 feild tests for "mission ready" status, and is now clear to respond and start the real training!!!



Betty Siegel is also proud to announce that her girl Sarabelle earned her MTI on Memorial Day weekend!

Stacey and Ryan Poler's Maizey finally did it! At five years young and with two litters under her belt, she earned her MT at the Clyde Reed Memorial Trial in Valley Ford which completed the requirements for her Working Dog Hall of Fame title. Way to go HOF CH Maizey CD RN MT CGC!



Marie Taylor and Kevin Doty: After entering Dawn into the EECT at Harty's on Memorial Day Weekend, as well as entering in conformation at Spokane, Dawn came into heat, big sigh, money down the drain. Except I didn't tell Dawn. She competed with the enthusiasm only available to a girl in full flaming heat (yep the tail up) in the conformation ring winning both her majors. And as the very last competitor at the Trailing Trial she completed her EECT. She again proved that she doesn't wear out - unless there is a lap and lazy boy available. Thank you to Stacey for getting that first major and to the Harty's for their hospitality and energy!



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Please plan to attend the upcoming
2007 PRBC Meetings!

- August 4th at the Northwest Regional Specialty in Auburn, WA
- November at Monroe Shows

More finalized dates and times will be announced.

MAIL IN THOSE ENTRIES!

Please do not forget, you cannot enter your dog in the NW Regional Specialty online. Entries are only accepted via snail mail.

SHOW SECRETARY
Beth McKinney

909—208th Ave NE, Sammamish, WA
98074-6628
(425) 868-2829 * BCMRK@aol.com

ENTRIES CLOSE AT 6 PM
WEDNESDAY, July 18, 2007

Regional Dates to Remember:

July 18
Entries Close

July 20
Banquet Reservation Due

July 25
Parade Entry Due

August 4
2007 NW Regional

August 5
WWHA Hound Specialty

<http://www.pacificrimbloodhoundclub.org/specialties/2007regional.html>

Litter Announcement



Sire:
HOF BIS
Ch Flessner's and Tigger Too

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Dam:
Ch Tru-Luv's Moment of Truth

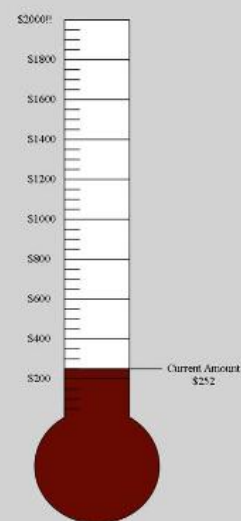


5 B/T Puppies Born June 20 2007
4 Girls and 1 Boy
Please Contact Katie Cole
for more information
artribbon@comcast.net

Don't Forget The Raffle!

Our 50/50 raffle for the 2007 Northwest Regional Specialty is moving up quickly! Don't forget to get your early bird special on tickets. The ticket order form is included in this newsletter. You need not be present to win!

Current 50/50 Raffle Donations





MARK YOUR CALENDARS
10th Anniversary ABC NW Regional Specialty!
Saturday August 4th



The Regional is held at the Argus Ranch Facility for Dogs in Auburn WA. Full RV hookup RV sites, camping sites, and showers are available. Or, you can stay at the Auburn Valu Inn, 102 15th St NE, Auburn WA, 98003, 1-866-833-8007. Rooms range from \$60 to \$90 per night and there is no pet fee if you let them know you are attending the show weekend at Argus.

Puppy and Veteran Sweepstakes will be judged by **Lisa Ivey** of Jo-Li Bloodhounds, www.jolibloodhounds.com from Skiatook, Oklahoma.

Regular, nonregular and BOB will be judged by longtime ABC member judge **Bill Barton** from Williamsburg, Virginia.

After judging, PRBC will host a ringside lunch, followed by auction/raffles, an ABC and PRBC general meeting, and a Bloodhound Parade open to all Bloodhounds, particularly our working and rescue hounds.

Also join us for the Western Washington Hound Association
and ABC NW Supported Entry Event
Sunday August 5th

Bloodhound classes will be judged by **Edith Tichenor Hanson**, and the Hound Group will be judged by **Bill Barton**. All-hound Puppy Sweepstakes will be judged this year by **Carrie Davis** and **Dave Lewis**. Junior Showmanship, Obedience and Rally will also be offered by WWHA. Giddyup Express will be onsite all weekend serving lattes and delicious lunches. In keeping with our PRBC 10th Anniversary Celebration, very special trophies will be offered for both days. Please consider sponsoring a trophy! Please contact Janis Hardy, burntoast1@aol.com, to sponsor or with questions. Please contact Show Chair Suzi Paine, themaja@comcast.net, with any general questions, or if you would like to volunteer to help with this event!"

ABC NW Regional NEW Show Secretary:

Beth McKinney
 909 208th Ave NE
 Sammamish, WA
 98074-6628
 Phone: 425-868-2829

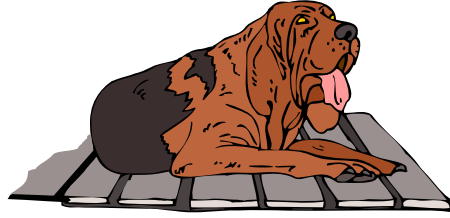
Please plan ahead, we will not be able to submit entries online or by fax.
You must snail-mail your entries to the show secretary.
Secretary for the Hound Classic



BaRay Events
<http://www.barayevents.com>
 P.O. Box3075
 Sequim, WA
 98382

Phone: (360)-683-1507 Fax: (360) 683-6654





Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club Invites All Bloodhounds and their Best Friends to Participate in Our 10th Anniversary Bloodhound Parade!

Please join us for this special event with your beloved pets, working dogs, rescue dogs and show dogs. ALL Bloodhounds are welcome! All Parade participants will receive a beautiful 5-streamer rosette with your hound's name imprinted in gold.

Hound's Name _____
(as you want it to be printed on the rosette)

Your Name _____

Please tell us a little about your hound and what makes him or her special to you! _____

Please send this form with your \$15.00 donation to Bloodhound Rescue to:

Suzi Paine
8810 East C Street
Tacoma WA 98445
Home: 253 535-1408
Email: themaja@comcast.net

Deadline for your parade entry is Wednesday, July 25, 2007.

PACIFIC RIM BLOODHOUND CLUB FUNDRAISING BEGINS!

50/50 drawing tickets on sale now!

[The 50/50 drawing is a cash prize. Total dollar value of ticket sales will be split equally between the winning ticket and Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club (PRBC).]

We have set our goal for \$2,000

Ticket Sales:



\$1 for 1 chance to win



\$5 for 6 chances to win

Special early bird purchase opportunity:



\$20 for 25 chances to win

**Buy early for your best chance to win!*

ATTENTION!!! - 25 chances for \$20 will not be offered the day of the regional

The winner need not be present to win and sales have already started!

The drawing will be held during the PRBC meeting at Argus Ranch during the August 4, 2007 Northwest Regional Specialty.

PRBC 2007 - 50/50 Purchaser Information PLEASE PRINT

Name			
Street Address			
	City	State	Zip
Phone Number	()		
# Tickets Purchased		Check payable to PRBC in the amount of	\$

This year, we are using preprinted, two-part tickets. These tickets have the same number on both the claim and drawing ticket.

Mark one (1):

- Send my claim tickets (will be stapled to your order form)
- Keep my claim tickets and bring them with you to the regional (will be stapled to your order form and brought with me to the regional)

NOTE: For sales by mail - your check *plus* completed contact information on this form must arrive on or before July 28, 2007 to be included in the drawing.

SEND COMPLETED FORM TO:

Laurie Adomite
c/o PRBC 2007 NW Regional Specialty
Fundraising Campaign
1411 Linden Avenue
Springfield, OR 97477

If you have questions, please contact Laurie by email (lauado@comcast.net)

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND
PACIFIC RIM'S 10th ANNIVERSARY
NORTHWEST REGIONAL SPECIALTY

BANQUET

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4TH

Argus Ranch, Auburn, Washington

6:00 pm at RV spaces 1,2,&3

Chef Tim Whetstine and

Sous Chef Tim Crawford

are offering your choice of:

GRILLED CHICKEN or
GRILLED BEEF BRISKET

All dinners will be served with baked potato, corn on the cob, garlic bread, salad and dessert.

Cost of the dinner will be \$15.00 per person and checks are to be made to:

Pacific Rim Bloodhound Club

Deadline for dinner reservations is July 20, 2007.

Please mail this reservation form, along with payment to:

Sonny Crawford

4 Old Beacon Rd.

Montesano, Wa. 98563

YES, WE WILL BE ATTENDING PACIFIC RIM'S 10TH ANNIVERSARY SPECIALTY BANQUET. PLEASE HOLD DINNER RESERVATIONS FOR _____ (NUMBER OF PEOPLE).

NAME(S) _____

CONTACT # AND/OR EMAIL _____

**2007 WESTERN WASHINGTON HOUND ASSN
10th ANNUAL HOUND GROUP SHOW AND OBEDIENCE
AND RALLY TRIAL
SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2007**



LOCATION...ARGUS RANCH 35612-212TH SE AUBURN, WA 98092

www.argusranch.com

Our judges:

HOUND GROUP: William Barton

PUPPY HOUND GROUP: Edith Hanson* VETERAN GROUP: George Bell

OBEDIENCE/RALLY: Pam Weaver JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP: William Barton

ALL HOUND SWEEPSTAKES * BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES: David Lewis

Dogs: 6-9 mos, 9-12 mos, 12-15 mos, 15-18 mos: Carrie Davis

Bitches: 6-9 mos, 9-12 mos, 12-15 mos, 15-18 mos: David Lewis

Our judges:

WILLIAM BARTON: Basset Hounds, Black & Tan Coonhounds, Dachshunds, Am & Eng Foxhounds, Ibizan Hounds, Otterhounds, Pharoah Hounds, Plott Hounds, Rhodesian Ridgebacks

GEORGE BELL: Basenjis, Norwegian Elkhounds, Salukis, Scottish Deerhounds, Whippets

EDITH HANSON: Afghan Hounds, Bloodhounds, Borzois, Greyhounds, Harriers, Irish Wolfhounds

SUPERINTENDENT: BARAY EVENT SERVICES, INC.

Email: dogshows@baravevents.com

Website: www.baravevents.com

Entries close: July 18, 2007

Cost of entry: \$22 first dog; \$17 additional entry

For further information, visit our website at: www.westernwahoundassoc.org

August 4, 2007: Afghan Hounds, Basenjis, Basset Hounds, Bloodhounds and Whippets (August 3 & 4) will hold their specialties on site. Irish Wolfhounds will be off-site.

*** There will be overnight parking with hookups for RVs at this site**