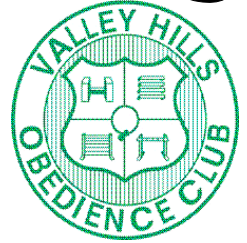




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FEATURES

Scores & Brags...Upcoming Events
Important Dates...and much more!

Featured Exhibitor of the Month



Congratulations to Sarah & Rupert

Sarah Sykes and Rupert were awarded the Lucy Wade Memorial Trophy last month at the Golden Retriever Club of America Awards Banquet. This is a special perpetual trophy awarded for the Highest Scoring Novice A dog handled by a member of the Golden Retriever Club of America.

All of us at VHOC are very proud of you both!

Co-Editors: Carole & Ann Hills (818) 832-9952 or tonkanuki@aol.com

49th Annual Obedience Trials and

4th Annual Agility Trials

Saturday, December 4 and

Sunday, December 5, 2004

Obedience, Agility, Rally & Wild Card

Woodley Park, Section #1, 6350 Woodley Ave, Van Nuys, CA
Show Hours (both days) 7:00 a.m.– 7:00 p.m.

**Premium List available at www.garvinshowservices.com
Obedience entries close Noon, Wednesday, November 17, 2004**

If you can help at the trials, please contact Obedience Trial Chair, Laurie Burnam 818-784-8440 or bellaluna@pacbell.net or Agility Co-chair Kim Simons at duckdogs@earthlink.net. **ASAP!!**

We will need every member, their family and friends to help make it a smooth and successful weekend. Let us know if you wish to work in a specific area; otherwise you will be placed where needed.

We urgently need volunteers for the following jobs:

Friday: Set up rings on Friday— **starting at 2:00 p.m.:** (1 rally, 2 agility and 3 obedience)

Sat. & Sun.: Raffle with Jan Slotar. Lunches with Linda Brooks. Trophies with Sarah Sykes. Catalog with Carole Raschella.

Sunday: Tear down rings, jumps, etc., and load up truck. Drive to storage and unload truck; return chairs.



Submission deadline is the 10th of each month

SCORES & BRAGS

OBEDIENCE

October 9-10, 2004 Bakersfield Obedience Training Club

Teri Chang & Layla	Novice A	186	2nd Place	1st Leg— High Scoring ILP
Teri Chang & Layla	Novice A	185.5	3rd Place	2nd Leg
Barbara Morris & Echo	Novice B	196+	2nd Place	High Scoring Working Dog & High Scoring Senior Handler
Barbara Morris & Echo	Novice B	195.5	3rd Place	
Flo Walberg & Ian	Utility B	196.5	1st Place	
Flo Walberg & Ian	Open B	198	2nd Place	High Combined
Flo Walberg & Ian	Utility B	196	4th Place	
Flo Walberg & Ian	Open B	199	1st Place	High in Trial

October 13, 2004 Golden Retriever Club of America National Specialty, Malibu, CA

Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Novice A	189.5	3rd Place	1st Leg
Teri Chang & Layla	Novice A	187.5	4th Place	3rd Leg— CD Title!

October 24, 2004 Pasanita Obedience Club

Barbara Morris & Echo	Novice B	195.5	2nd Place	
Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Novice A	198	1st Place	High Scoring Sporting Dog & High Scoring Golden Retriever!
Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Rally Novice	100	1st Place	
Flo Walberg & Ian	Utility B	198.5	2nd Place	

October 30, 2004 San Gabriel Valley Kennel Club, Irwindale, CA

Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Novice A	192	2nd Place	3rd Leg— AKC CD Title!
Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Rally Novice	98	4th Place	

October 31, 2004 Antelope Valley Kennel Club, Irwindale, CA

Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Rally Novice	100	2nd Place	
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November 6-7, 2004 ASCA Obedience Trial, Cheviot Hills, CA

Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Novice A	192	1st Place	3rd Leg— ASCA CD Title!
Sarah Sykes & Rupert	Novice A	193.5	1st Place	High Scoring Other Breed!!

A report from the self-titled Valley Hills "Novice A Team": (Sarah & Rupert, Stephanie & Zoie and Teri & Layla) who were at it again Oct. 30th and 31st at the Antelope Valley Obedience Trial in Irwindale. Despite the gopher hole infested grounds, Sarah and Rupert finished their CD on Saturday in 2nd place with a score of 192. Having recently completed CD titles of their own, Stephanie & Zoie and Teri and Layla made an appearance, along with Sarah and Rupert on Sunday. Apparently the dogs were in full Trick-or-Treat mode, and their motto seemed to be, "Hey, no treats in the ring, we'll throw you some fun tricks!" as they gave us some creative performances! (It turns out that a gopher hole is the exact same size as a Whippet Head and a Golden Snout! -- who knew?!?) Still, we all qualified and even placed, but definitely look forward to stronger performances next time! Our scores? Well, let's just say that in academic circles, we all had "Bs"... and that's all we're going to say!

Renee Thurber is proud to announce the completion of another title on her pointer, Pants. Ch Cottonwood Oreille Dungarees, JH, completed her championship on Oct. 25 at the San Gabriel Kennel Club All-Breed Show by getting a 5 point major! Pants was shown by her co-owner, junior handler Danielle Davis, who went on to place in Open Juniors on Saturday and won the Open Juniors class on Sunday.

Also, from Lori & Mike Walker: "Roxy was lure coursing in Emmett, ID Oct. 23-24 and took BOB 2 days and got a Best in Field, running against a Saluki on Saturday." Nice going Roxy!!

Ed. Note: Please update Lori & Mike's address on your Membership Roster: 16202 SE 229th Pl., Kent, WA 98042 Phone: 253-639-9921

AGILITY

October 23-24, 2004 Golden State Rottweiler Club, Lakeview Terrace, CA

Teri Chang & Layla	Novice Pref. JWW	100	1st Place	1st Leg
Teri Chang & Layla	Novice Pref. Std.	100	1st Place	1st Leg
Ann Hills & Tonka	Open Standard	90	1st Place	1st Leg
Ann Hills & Tonka	Open Standard	100	1st Place	2nd Leg
Ann Hills & Tonka	Open JWW	100	1st Place	3rd Leg Open Agility Title!



OBEDIENCE EVENTS:

DECEMBER

- 4-5 Valley Hills Obedience Club. **O only**. Woodley Park, Van Nuys. Garvin Show Services, Supt. (503) 558-1221. Cl. 11/17
- 4-5 Burbank Kennel Club. **S only**. LA Valley College, Van Nuys. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 11/17
- 10-12 Shoreline Dog Fanciers Assoc. **S/O**. Long Beach Convention Ctr, Long Beach. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 11/24

JANUARY

- 20 City of Angels Pug Club. **S only**. Seaside Park, Ventura. James Garvey, Sec. 818-909-4643. Cl. 1/5
- 21 So. Calif. Collie Club. **S only**. Seaside Park, Ventura. Laura Reynolds, Sec. 909-685-5803. Cl. 1/5
- 22 San Fernando KC. **S only**. Seaside Park, Ventura. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 1/5
- 22 Los Padres Collie Club. **S only**. Seaside Park, Ventura. Judy Wilson, Sec. 916-923-6360. djm@akc.org. Cl. 1/5
- 23 Ventura Co. Dog Fanciers Assoc. **S/O**. Seaside Park, Ventura. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 1/5
- 28 Cardigan Welsh Corgi Club. **S/O**. Nat'l Orange Show Grounds, San Bernardino. Eileen Parr, Sec. parrkees@aol.com. Cl. 1/12
- 28 So. Calif. Beagle Club. **S/O**. Nat'l Orange Show Grounds, San Bernardino. Daphne Bell, Sec. 323-256-8932. Cl. 1/12
- 28 Miniature Pin. Club. **S/O**. Nat'l Orange Show Grounds, San Bernardino. Garvin Show Services, Sup. 503-558-1221. Cl. 1/12
- 28 So. Cal. Chihuahua Club. **S only**. Nat'l Orange Show Grounds, San Bernardino. Janis McManigal, Sec. 951-684-2920. Cl. 1/12
- 28 Sierra Dachshund Breeders Club. **S only**. Nat'l Orange Show Grounds, San Bernardino. Eileen Parr, Sec. parrkees@aol.com. Cl. 1/12
- 29-30 Orange Empire DC. **S/O**. Nat'l Orange Show Grounds, San Bernardino. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 1/12

RALLY EVENTS:

DECEMBER

- 26 Southwest OC. Sho & Go Obedience Rally. Mas Fukai Park, Gardena. \$6/3 Ent. 8 a.m.-12, Judging 9 a.m. Maggie Hall 310-539-6559

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- 29-30 Orange Empire DC. Nat'l Orange Show Grounds, San Bernardino. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 1/12

AGILITY EVENTS:

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- 26-28 Contact Point AC. Seaside Park, Ventura. Karen Moureaux, Sec. (805) 524-6800 or cpagility@aol.com. Cl. 11/12

DECEMBER

- 4-5 Valley Hills Obedience Club. Woodley Park, Van Nuys. Lynda Tjarks, Sec. 818-889-3178 or roguetervs@direcway.com. Cl. 11/17
- 10-12 KC of Palm Springs. Civic Rec. Ind. Eq. City of Industry. Lynda Tjarks, Sec. 818-889-3178 or roguetervs@direcway.com. Cl. 11/24
- 30-31 High Desert AC. Civic Rec. Ind. Eq. City of Industry. Karen Mailloux, Sec. 866-251-5168 or highdesertagity@yahoo.com. Cl. 12/8

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- 1-2 High Desert AC. Civic Rec. Ind. Eq. City of Industry. Karen Mailloux, Sec. 866-251-5168 or highdesertagity@yahoo.com. Cl. 12/8
- 8-9 W.Coast Cocker Spaniel Club. Rec. Ind. Eq. City of Industry. Lynda Tjarks, Sec. 818-889-3178 or roguetervs@direcway.com. Cl. 12/15
- 15-16 Golden State Rottweiler Club. Rec. Ind. Eq. City of Industry. Jean O'Neill, Sec. 909-593-9395 or jmo@earthlink.net. Cl. 12/19
- 22-23 Simi Valley KC. Gabrieleno Eq. Park, Lakeview Terrace. Jean O'Neill, Sec. 909-593-9395 or jmo@earthlink.net. Cl. 1/5
- 29-30 DAC of Ventura. University Prep School, Camarillo. Lynda Tjarks, Sec. 661-867-2773 or Lynda@jumpnfunagility.net. Cl. 1/12

Legend: S=Show (Conformation), O=Obedience Trial, Ent=Entries Accepted, Cl=Entries Close



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New Member Applications approved at the November Board Meeting

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Syndine St. John, PO Box 7687, Northridge, CA 91327
Phone (818) 360-8554 E-mail Snoodies@verizon.net (Irish Setters)

Beatriz "Triz" Tajalliaghdam, 208 Locust Ave., Oak Park, CA 91377
Phone: (818) 889-6047 E-mail beatriz.tajalliaghdam@hcahealthcare.com
(Bullmastiff, English Bulldog, Golden Retriever)

*New applicant members will need to attend only two General Meetings
or VHOC events (trials or matches), to activate their membership.*



SAVE THE DATE

VHOC Annual Awards Banquet

January 16, 2005

*University Club
California State University
Northridge, CA*

Watch for details in December Newsette

**Anyone interested in serving on the Awards
Banquet Committee, please contact Ann Hills,
(818) 832-9952 or E-mail: tonkanuki@aol.com**



ATTENTION: VHOC Members:

*Please update your Roster with the
following changes of address:*

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