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## FEATURES

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



*Jan Slotar and her 10-month old Siberian puppy, Irisa, need YOUR help in carrying the load!!*

If you have ANYTHING (new things only--dog items, sports tickets, etc.) that you may be able to donate for the December raffle (money or gift certificates also accepted), please contact Jan & Irisa at (805) 491-9598 or e-mail: [snodogzz@yahoo.com](mailto:snodogzz@yahoo.com).

The following people have donated so far and will be mentioned in the Trial catalog: Linda Brooks, Laurie Burnam, Stephanie Colman, Nancy Giltner, Carole & Ann Hills, Gwen Lucoff, Jan Racey, Carole Raschella, Jan Slotar, Sarah Sykes, Christy Tattersall, and Sandy Walton.

Thanks a LOT in advance. Jan & Irisa



## OCTOBER BOARD & GENERAL MEETING

at Jan & Bill's Home—2606 Yucca Dr, Camarillo

Board Meeting: 11:00 am, General Meeting: 12:00-3:00 pm

**Crufts & Halloween!! And a raffle!! (tickets will be issued upon arrival—no payment necessary).**

There is plenty of room so bring your dogs, chairs, crates and/or x-pens. Jan has 2 Halloween photo props, so dress up your dogs and bring your cameras. ALSO: Watch member Louise Meredith (on the U.S. AKC Team) compete at the Crufts Dog show in England, where Laurie Burnam (assisted by Sandy Walton) videotaped Louise.

### Directions:

*From the 118*—West on 118 to the 23 south. Exit Tierra Rejada & turn right; go to Moorpark Rd. & turn left. Continue to Santa Rosa Rd. & turn right. (no right turn on red light). Go 4-5 miles to Yucca Dr (a signal) & turn right. The house is near the end of the street on the right.

*From the 101*—West on 101. Exit Santa Rosa & turn right. Go 4-5 miles to Yucca Dr. (a signal) & turn left. From the 101 East, exit at Santa Rosa Rd. & turn left. Go 4-5 miles to Yucca & turn left.

Lunch will be available for \$7.50. Please RSVP (attendance and lunch) to Jan Slotar by Oct. 23 at 805-491-9598 or e-mail: [snodogzz@yahoo.com](mailto:snodogzz@yahoo.com)



## SCORES & BRAGS

### OBEDIENCE

August 21, 2004 Top Dog, Huntington Beach  
Laurie Burnam & Scout

Open 192.5

September 26, 2004 KC of Riverside  
Flo Walberg & Ian

Utility B 199.5 1st Place **High in Trial**

### AGILITY

September 4, 2004 West Coast Cocker Spaniel Club

Teri Chang & Jazzie

Exc. B Standard Q

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Exc. B JWW Q **Double Q!**

September 18-19, 2004 Manzanita Agility Club

Laurie Burnam & Scout

Novice Reg/Gambler 2 Qs 2nd Place 5 points

Laurie Burnam & Scout

Open Jumpers Q 2nd Place 10 points

Laurie Burnam & Scout

Open Jumpers Q 2nd Place 10 points

Laurie Burnam & Scout

Open Tunnelers Q 4th Place 10 points

Laurie Burnam & Scout

Open Regular NQ 3rd Place 0 points

Ann Hills & Tonka

Novice Regular Q 2nd Place 5 points

Ann Hills & Tonka

Novice Gamblers Q — — 1st leg

Ann Hills & Tonka

Novice Gamblers Q — — NGC title!

Ann Hills & Tonka

Novice Jumpers Q 1st Place 10 points NJC title!

Ann Hills & Tonka

Novice Tunnelers Q 2nd Place 10 points 2nd leg

September 25, 2004 Hollywood Dog Obedience Club

Teri Chang & Jazzie

Exc. B Standard Q

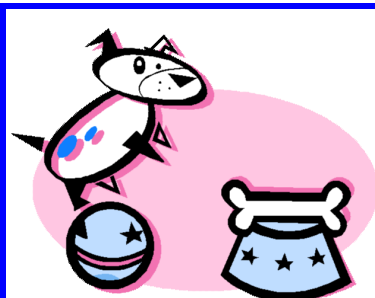
Teri Chang & Jazzie

Exc. B JWW Q **Double Q!!**

More Brags from the Top Dog Competition in Huntington Beach on August 21, 2004

Evelyn "Evie" Johnston writes that she showed in Novice and Open for the L.A. Poodle Obedience Club:

*"Eddy, a very green dog with a couple matches & Sho'n Go's — **Qualified!**  
And **Billie** in open was just a sneeze and sniffs away from final runoffs!"*



### NATURAL SMARTS

Dog psychologist Stanley Coren challenges you to give your dog an I.Q. test. Put a biscuit under the couch or a low chair. If your dog uses his head to get the treat, he's average; if he uses his paw, he's bright; if he doesn't do anything but look mournfully back and forth from the biscuit to you, score him super smart—he knows how to work his owner!



## OBEDIENCE EVENTS :

### OCTOBER

- 13-14 Golden Retriever Club of America. **O only**. Calamigos Ranch, Malibu. Onofrio Dog Shows, Supt. 405-427-8181. Cl. 9/10  
15-16 Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club of SC. **O only**. Ramada Inn, Claremont. Eileen Parr, Sec. 760-946-9048. Cl. 9/29  
23 Santiago Shetland Sheepdog Club. **O only**. Featherly Regional Park, Anaheim. Laura Reynolds, Sec. 909-685-5803. Cl. 10/6  
24 Pasanita OC, Inc. **O only**. Brookside Park, Pasadena. Daphine Bell, Event Secretary (323) 256-8932. Cl. 10/6  
29-30 Dalmation Club of SC. **S/O**. Santa Fe Dam Rec. Area, Irwindale. Bradshaw, Supt. 323-727-0136. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 10/13  
29 City of Angels Silky Terrier Club. **S/O**. Irwindale. Eileen Parr, Sec. 760-946-9048. Cl. 10/16  
30-31 San Gabriel Valley KC & Antelope Valley KC. **S/O**. Santa Fe Dam Rec, Irwindale. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 10/13

### NOVEMBER

- 6-7 Aust. Shep. Club of SC. **O only**. (ASCA) Cheviot Hills/Rancho Park, LA. Laurie Burnam, Sec. 818-784-8440 or bellaluna@pacbell.net.  
6-7 Orange Coast GSD Club. **S/O**. Placentia. Marie Bevecqua, Sec. 909-947-1202. Cl. 10/20  
6-7 San Luis Obispo KC. **S/O**. Cal. Mid-State Fairgrounds, Paso Robles. Bradshaw, Supt. www.jbradshaw.com. Cl. 10/20  
13-14 Simi Valley KC. **O only**. Tapo Canyon Park, Simi Valley. Carol Parker, Sec. (919) 259-9671. Cl. 10/27  
14 Inland Empire Akita Club. **Sho & Go**. Fairmount Park, Riverside. Debbie Stewart 909-943-1811 or Daitan8@cs.com.

### DECEMBER

- 4-5 Valley Hills Obedience Club. **O only**. Woodley Park, Van Nuys. Garvin Show Services, Supt. (503) 558-1221. 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

## AGILITY EVENTS:

### OCTOBER

- 12-13 Golden Retriever Club of America. Calamigos Ranch, Malibu. Deb Ascher, Sec. 970-532-3124 or lookoutgld@aol.com. Cl. 9/10  
15 Pembroke Wlsh Corgi Club of SC. Ramada Inn, Claremont. Sarah Fitzell, Sec. 909-776-2072 or flyingcorgi@earthlink.net. Cl. 9/29  
16-17 Samoyed Club of America. Johnny Carson Park, Burbank. Lynda Tjarks, Sec. 818-889-3178 or roguetervs@direcway.com. Cl. 10/1  
23-24 Golden State Rottweiler Club. Gabrieleno Eq. Pk, Lakeview Terrace. Jean O'Neill, Sec. 909-593-9395 or jmo@earthlink.net. Cl. 10/6  
30-31 Dog Agility Club of Ventura. El Dorado Park, Long Beach. Lynda Tjarks, Sec. 818-889-3178 or roguetervs@direcway.com. Cl. 10/16

### NOVEMBER

- 20-21 Orange Empire DC. Bloomington. Doug Hansford, Sec. 661-250-0528 or dhansford@pcmagic.net. Cl. 11/3  
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, x3821 or highdesertagity@yahoo.com.

Cl. 12/8

## HERDING EVENTS:

### OCTOBER

- 16-17 Briard Club of Calif. **HRTS/HRTR**. Stonewall Ranch, Perris. Jan McAninch, Sec. 714-846-5134 or frankmac@worldnet.att.net. Cl. 10/4

### NOVEMBER

- 13-14 Inland Empire Herding Dog Assoc of Calif. Perris. Jan McAninch, Sec. (714) 846-5134 or frankmac@worldnet.att.net. Cl. 11/1

## LURE COURSING EVENTS:

### OCTOBER

- 23-24 Inland Wilderness Hunt Club. Huntington Beach. LCTS/LCTR. Janeane Yeh, Sec. 714-838-9636 or jlyeh@pacbell.net. Cl. 10/8

**V.H.O.C.  
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 Training Director-Thursday.....Loretta Greenberg

**TROPHY DONATIONS NEEDED!!!**

It's not too late to make your trophy donations for the December 4th & 5th Obedience & Agility Trials! General Trophy donations can be accepted up until the close of entries and will be acknowledged in the Catalog. For more information, contact Sarah Sykes & Carole Raschella at 818-702-0841 or sykess@sbcglobal.net. Or you may send a donation check, made payable to Valley Hills Obedience Club, Inc., to Sarah Sykes, 21331 Dumetz Road, Woodland Hills, CA 91364. This is a two-day trial, so we need twice the donations!!

**FRIENDSHIP and MEMORY PAGES**

Friendship and Memory pages are also available for the Obedience Trial Catalog. Honor your canine or other animal companions, past and present, with a Friendship or Memory Listing to appear in the Obedience Trial Catalog. Listings are \$2 per line, one animal's name per line. To submit a listing, contact Sarah Sykes & Carole Raschella at 818-702-0841 or sykess@sbcglobal.net. Please provide your name, the animal's name and breed and/or species information.

We look forward to hearing from you all and thank you in advance for your support!

Sarah Sykes & Carole Raschella, Trophy Chairs



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