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THE NEWSLETTER OF THE NCWFA

FALL 2025



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GAIL!**



FIRST SHOW DOG...  
FIRST CHAMPION...  
FIRST FIVE-POINT-MAJOR...  
FIRST GROUP PLACEMENT...  
WHAT A GREAT DAY!



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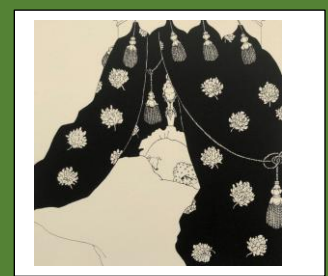
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# THE ROVER REPORTER

Gorgeous Gimlet [Erynn Lucas] is on Fire! In addition to our Specialty win, he topped the group at Wine Country, has several other group placements and is firmly lodged in the Top 20 for 2025!



Fabulous Roma [Charlotte Fielder & Vicki Hutton] finished her championship in September and won a Group 1 and a Group 2 her second weekend out as a special!



Celebrating a new Grand Champion – Miss Riley [Melissa Bates & Cheryl Grubaugh] finished in September!



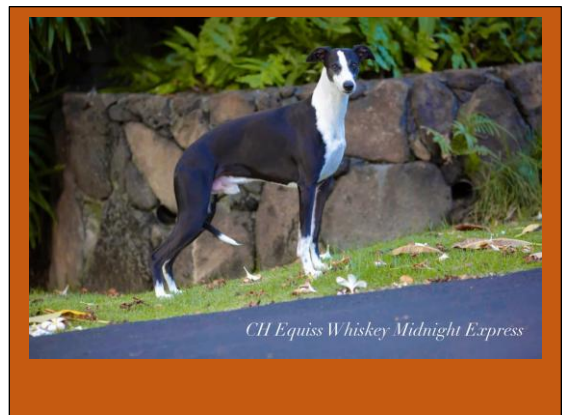
Another new GCH is Edith Ann [Libby deMille] who completed her title at the Harvest Moon Classic shows! Edie was also BOS at the Western Regional Specialty & Select & BOBOH at the SCWA show a few weeks before the HMC events! Pretty Vixen [Libby deMille] won BOB at the SCWA Specialty in early October! Vixen is very close to her Bronze GCH!



Winning his first CWA meet at our Fall Frolic meet in September was the speedy & handsome Phoenix [Alice & Phil Dominguez]. Way to go Phoenix!



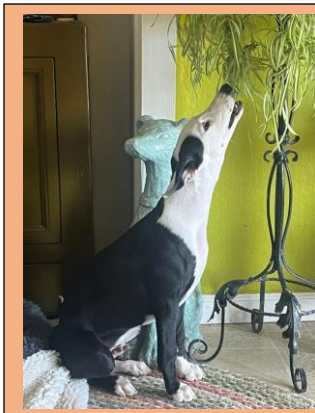
Handsome Chase [Sutanto Widjaja] can now put a C-H before his name; he completed his show title in October! Aloha!



# THE ROVER REPORTER

Adorable new puppy alert  
[Black and White Version] –

Walton [Jennifer Sorenson]  
has arrived in the North Bay  
and things may never be the  
same! Look for this guy at the  
shows and performance  
events in the spring!



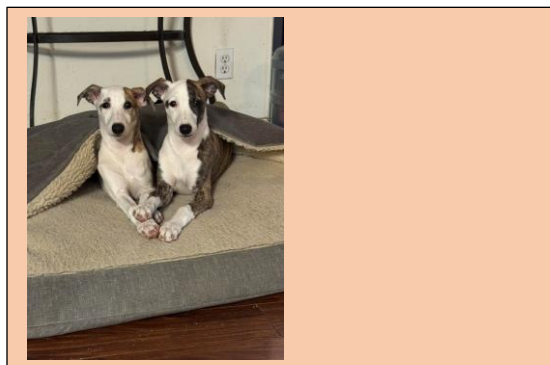
Adorable new puppy alert [Red and White Version] –

Dreamer [Jill Hopfenbeck] has already made a splash at  
the shows – BPIS in Gridley!

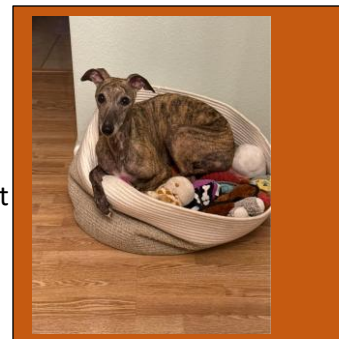


Adorable new puppies alert times 2 [Brindle Version] –

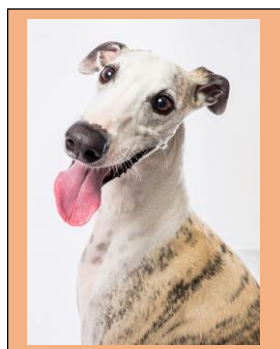
Calypso & Persephone, who are Juno's daughters, are  
currently creating chaos in Che Rivera & Audrey Boyer's  
home!



Londyn Rose was awarded  
her High Combined title by  
CWA! With four ARX points  
at the October RCRA Boofest  
race meet, LR just needs .5  
points for her title!



The Milecross Story of O siblings have been on a Fall  
winning streak...Wilson [Red Carey] has three new dock  
diving titles to brag about – DMX, AS & HDS! He also has  
a new personal best distance off the dock of over 27  
feet! Bird [Donna O'Toole & Guin Borstel] flew to an  
Owner Handler Group 3 at Wine Country!



Bird's baby boy Dash [Lynne Armstrong] is now up to  
eight points in the show ring. He was awarded his first  
major at the Skyline Dog Fanciers show!



# CLUB NEWS & NOTES

## NCWFA General Membership ZOOM Meeting September 16, 2025

**Members Present:** Lynne Armstrong, Melissa Bates, Gail Back, Guin Borstel, Heather Borstel, Red Carey, Patti Clinton, Cheryl Grubaugh, Deborah Gordillo, Silvio Gordillo, Jill Hopfenbeck, Marrienne Lu, Erynn Lucas, Andrea Meyer, Tessie Parker, Jennifer Sorenson, Jay Tibbitts.

The meeting was called to order by President Erynn Lucas at 6:03 PM. Erynn let the membership present know that Jen Haas's husband Syrus passed away earlier today. Ed is unable to attend tonight's meeting due to a physical therapy appointment.

### **Officer's Reports**

**Secretary's Report:** No report.

**Treasurer's Report:** The combined account balance is \$13525.00, which includes the WHF reimbursement for March's cardiac clinic.

### **Committee Reports**

**Show:** Guin reported that all is ready for next month's specialty in Santa Rosa. Donna Wilhoite oversees hospitality, including the potluck lunch and breakfast treats. Che Rivera will oversee the silent auction, which will be featuring items from Jean Balint's estate and much more. Guin will provide the gate code to those who need to get into the parking lot adjacent to our ring once she has it; probably on Wednesday once Todd and Donna arrive.

**Racing:** Jay reported on Jen's behalf that we have 30 dogs entered each day, so we will have a full set of points available on Saturday & Sunday. We will be having a potluck lunch each day and there will be no theme for the lunches. Bonnie Moore is judging the match on Saturday, but we are still looking for a volunteer to judge on Sunday. Cheryl volunteered to judge on Sunday.

**Lure Coursing:** Jay reported on behalf of Jen that plans are underway for our January 10-11, 2026 AKC lure courses in Elverta at Gibson

Ranch. These events to be co-hosted by RACE. More information to follow on lure coursing.

**Fast CAT:** No report.

**Old Business:** Erynn presented the 2026 BOD slate as forwarded from Nominating Committee Chairperson Kim Robinson.

President – Erynn Lucas

Vice President – Jen Haas

Secretary – Guin Borstel

Treasurer – Jay Tibbitts

Directors: Cheryl Grubaugh, Marrienne Lu, Andrea Meyer, Ed Odron, Tessie Parker.

Erynn reminded the membership that floor nominations can be made in writing to the Secretary or from the floor in person at the Annual Meeting next month.

Erynn explained the reasons for the necessity of renting a Porta Potti for our race meets this weekend. The bathroom key that the head of custodial gave to Jean many years ago has been lost. The college will not provide a new key, which is not unreasonable since Jean was not officially supposed to have a key anyway, and they quoted us \$550 for weekend custodial service to open the restrooms on Saturday & Sunday. Since we can't guarantee that there will be another event at the College that may be paying to have the restrooms opened, we have decided to rent a PP from Harvest Sanitation to provide facilities for our race meet participants.

**New Business:** Our next meeting will be the Annual Meeting to be held on Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> after the Specialty show, with the exact time to be announced after the judging program comes out. Jennifer invited all who will be coming to the show & meeting to a paella party at her house after the meeting.

Braggs commenced.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:34 PM.

## NCWFA Annual Meeting, October 18, 2025, Santa Rosa CA.

**Members Present:** Lynne Armstrong, Gail Back, Melissa Bates, Guin Borstel, Brad Briscoe, Red Carey, Libby deMille, Cheryl Grubaugh, Jen Haas, Jill Hopfenbeck, Vicki Hutton, Marrienne Lu, Erynn Lucas, Andrea Meyer, Donna O'Toole, Tessie Parker, Maria Quist-Shorey, Che Rivera, Katie Sanderson, Jay Tibbitts, Donna Wilhoite.

**Guests Present:** Donna Bennett, Mike Bennett, Sharon Clark, Michelle Ewing, Judy Kuang, Lorrie Pruett, Laura Taylor, Sue Vernon, Todd Wilhoite.

The meeting was called to order by President Erynn Lucas at 3:32 PM. She thanked all for coming and supporting the Specialty today. Erynn reminded everyone that the auction is closing at the completion of the meeting, so open your wallets.

### **Officer's Reports**

**Secretary's Report:** No report.

**Treasurer's Report:** Jay reported that the combined account balance is \$14347.00.

### **Committee Reports**

**Show:** Guin repeated Erynn's thank yous to all for coming out and supporting the NCWFA's 29<sup>th</sup> Fall Specialty & congratulated all the winners. She has already been in communication with the Harvest Moon Classic's Specialty Coordinator, and we have been assured that we will have four days of whippet-breeder judges in 2026.

**Racing:** Jen reported that we had two wonderful days of racing in September with 30 dogs racing each day. Our next race meets are scheduled for the first weekend of April. Guin mentioned that the restrooms were open on both Saturday and Sunday due to tennis league activity on the courts.

**Fast CAT:** Marrienne Lu & Guin Borstel will be taking over from Kim Robinson as Fast CAT Co-Chairs. Discussion ensued and it was decided that we will have two days of Fast CATs at Solano College on the first weekend of February.

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**Membership:** Guin mentioned that dues for 2026 are due starting now with a deadline of January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026. There are payment boxes on the NCWFA website home page for dues payment.

**Lure Coursing:** Jen reported on our upcoming AKC Lure Trials at Gibson Ranch in Elverta on January 10 – 11, 2026. These events are co-hosted by RACE.

**Old Business:** Election of Officers – 2026. Secretary Guin Borstel reported that no floor nominations had been received by the deadline. Erynn asked for any floor nominations from the membership present. As there were none put forth, Guin cast the ceremonial vote to elect the slate as submitted.

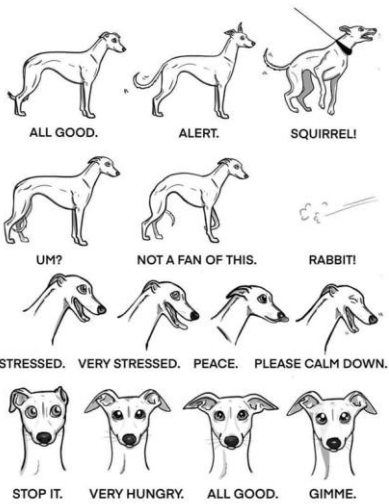
Braggs commenced.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:51 PM.

- Guin Borstel, NCWFA Secretary.



## Whippet vocabulary



## SLEEPING BAGS BY BODY GEAR FOR PETS

WEB: body gear for pets on e-Bay

CONTACT: [bodygear@msn.com](mailto:bodygear@msn.com)

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MED BAG	\$34	for 20# or less
LG BAG	\$59	for 50# or less
XL BAG	\$69	for 60# or less



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### Recommended Veterinarians

<b>Dr. Craig Brown, DVM</b> <i>Look Ahead Veterinary Clinic</i> 1451 Clark Road Oroville, CA. 95965 530-534-0722 Endorser: Libby de Mille	<b>Dr. Nancy Ramsey DVM</b> Winters, CA 530-795-5243 Specialty: House calls in Sacramento, Davis, Fairfield, Vacaville area Endorser: Sarah Herrick
<b>Dr. Eleanor Dunn DVM</b> <i>Grand Lake Veterinary Hospital</i> 3331 Grand Ave. Oakland, CA 94601 510-350-8538 Endorsers: Brad Briscoe & Susan Moore	<b>Dr. Lori Siemens, DVM, DACVM</b> <i>SAGE Concord</i> 2055 Meridian Park Blvd Concord, CA. 94520 925-627-7243 Specialty: Cardiology Endorser: Andrea Meyer & Delia Zarges
<b>Dr. Richard Keinle, DVM, DACVM</b> <i>Mission Valley Veterinary</i> Cardiology 1810 Wayland Lane Gilroy, CA. 95020 408-842-6080 Specialty: Cardiology Endorser: Brad Briscoe	<b>Dr. William St. Lawrence DVM</b> <i>Village Square Veterinary Hospital</i> 884 Portola Rd. Portola Valley, CA 94028 650-851-3244 Endorser: Guin Borstel
<b>Loomis Basin Veterinary Clinic</b> 3901 Sierra College Blvd. Loomis, CA. 95650 916-652-5816 Specialty: 24 Hour Specialty Clinic Endorser: Libby deMille	<b>Andrew Sams DVM DACVS</b> <i>The Sams Clinic</i> 489 Miller Ave. Mill Valley CA 94941 415-380-0500 Specialty: Board-Certified Orthopedic Surgery Specialist Endorser: Guin Borstel

**Have a whippet-savvy general practitioner or specialist vet that you love? Contact Guin @ [milescross@gmail.com](mailto:milescross@gmail.com) to add them to the list!**

### Breeder Listing

NCWFA MEMBER BREEDER	PUPPIES?	ADULTS?	INFO?
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Guin Borstel The Milescross Whippets <a href="mailto:milescross@gmail.com">milescross@gmail.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
Brad Briscoe/Denise Stokowski Lakota Whippets 510-326-2305 <a href="mailto:briscoebrad@msn.com">briscoebrad@msn.com</a>	YES	NO	YES
Erin Campbell Kimera Whippets 408-394-7891 <a href="mailto:erin@houndtogs.com">erin@houndtogs.com</a>	NO	YES	YES
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Active Members can be listed for free in the NCWFA Breeder Listing. Contact Guin @ [milescross@gmail.com](mailto:milescross@gmail.com) to update, add or delete a listing.

## IT'S DUES TIME!

**It is once again Dues Time! Your 2026 NCWFA membership dues are due by 1/1/2026.**

You can pay online at <http://ncwfa.com> [scroll down to the bottom of the home page] or via check to: Guin Borstel, NCWFA Membership Chair, 4745 25<sup>th</sup> St, SF CA 94114.

Dues are as follows: \$15/Associate, \$20/Active, \$30/Dual Associate, \$40/Dual Active.

**Thank You!**



# 2025 NCWFA FALL SPECIALTY TROPHY DONOR BOOSTER PAGE

BOB: Jeanne Lambertsen & Kathy Thomas, Watch Me

BOS: Erin Lucas, VonLuka

SB: Libby deMille, Taliesin Whippets

WB: Brad Briscoe, Lakota & Sharon Clark

RWB: Libby deMille, Taliesin Whippets

Best Puppy: Ed Odron, Hounds of Majeod

Best Veteran: Che Rivera & Audrey Boyer, Renaissance Whippets

BOS in Puppy Sweeps: Libby deMille, Taliesin

BOS in Vet Sweeps: Delia Zarges

BOW: Brad Briscoe, Lakota & Sharon Clark

SD: Che Rivera & Audrey Boyer, Renaissance Whippets

WD: Cheryl Grubaugh, Elentari Whippets

RWD: Guin Borstel, Miles Cross Whippets

BOB/NOHS: Donna O'Toole, Clark, Ling & Bird

Best BBE: Libby deMille, Taliesin Whippets

Best in Puppy Sweepstakes: Lorrie Pruitt & Tango

Best in Vet Sweeps: Andrea Meyer, RiverMyst

6-9 dogs – Bonnie Moore

9-12 bitches – Vicki Hutton

BBE puppy dogs – Jill Hopfenbeck

BBE bitches – Jill Hopfenbeck

Am Bred dogs – Marrienne Lu

Open bitches – Debby Knutson

Vet dogs 10 + - Delia Zarges

Performance bitches – Jay Tibbitts

Brace – Debby Knutson

General Trophy Fund: Katie Sanderson

6-9 bitches – Vicki Hutton

12-18 dogs – Bonnie Moore

BBE puppy bitches – Jill Hopfenbeck

AOH dogs – Lynne Armstrong

Am Bred bitches – Marrienne Lu

Vet dogs 7 10 – DiMi

10 + Vet bitches – Delia Zarges

Stud dog – Cheryl Boyer

9-12 dogs – Bonnie Moore

12 – 18 bitches - Tina Galzignato

BBE dogs – Jill Hopfenbeck

AOH bitches – Lynne Armstrong

Open Dogs – Marrienne Lu

Vet bitches 7 10 - DiMi

Performance dogs – Jay Tibbitts

Brood bitch – Cheryl Boyer



# NCWFA FALL SPECIALTY SHOW RESULTS

**NCWFA 29<sup>th</sup> Fall Specialty, Del Valle Dog Club, Santa Rosa CA, Saturday, October 18, 2025**

**Puppy Sweepstakes: Judge – Sutanto Widjaja – 5 [3 – 2]**

**Best in Sweeps: MILESCROSS A KESTREL FOR A KNAVE. 07-18-24 By GCH DC Summit Good Vibrations MC BCAT - CH Milescross Odalisque. Owner: Maria Quist-Shorey & Guinevere Borstel & Donna O'Toole, Hollister, CA 950239336. Breeder: Donna O'Toole & Guinevere Borstel.**

**BOS in Sweeps: MILESCROSS MAKE WAY FOR DUCKLINGS. 07-18-24 By GCH DC Summit Good Vibrations MC BCAT - GCH CH Milescross Odalisque. Owner: Donna O'Toole & Guinevere Borstel, Santa Maria, CA 934555820. Breeder: Donna O'Toole & Guinevere Borstel.**

**Veteran Sweepstakes: Judge – Sutanto Widjaja – 1 [0 – 1]**

**Best in Sweeps: MILESCROSS DREAMY DUSKY WING SC BCAT. 07-02-15 By GCH Snow Hill Mindbender SC - Grand Prix's Girl With The Dragon Tattoo JC. Owner: Guinevere Borstel & Heather Borstel, San Francisco, CA 941143526. Breeder: Guinevere Borstel & Heather Borstel.**

**All Specialty Classes: Judge – Donna Bennett - 35 [5 - 9; 18 (9 - 9)] 3 NR.**

**WD: EXCELSIS CITATION FDC BCAT ATT CGCA CGCU TKI FITS. 10-15-20 By Sporting Fields Cheering Charm - Sporting Fields Just A Kiss. Owner: D'Arcy Downs Vollbracht, Golden Valley, AZ 86413. Breeder: Simon Simaan.**

**RWD/Best BBE: MILESCROSS A KESTREL FOR A KNAVE. 07-18-24 By GCH DC Summit Good Vibrations MC BCAT - CH Milescross Odalisque. Owner: Maria Quist-Shorey & Guinevere Borstel & Donna O'Toole, Hollister, CA 950239336. Breeder: Donna O'Toole & Guinevere Borstel.**

**WB/BW: SUNQUEST ICED OUT. 09-19-24 By CH Endeavor's In The Spotlight At Taliesin - GCHS CH Starline Windborn Rejoice Rejoice. Owner: Michelle Ewing & Lawrence Ewing, Riverside, CA 92506. Breeder: Michelle Ewing Lawrence Ewing.**

**RWB: LAKOTA'S DAISY DUKE. 03-02-22 By GCH CH Lakota's Warlock Of Amberwind'S JC - CH Lakota's I'M Your Huckleberry. Owner: Sharon Clark & Frank Bradley Briscoe, Scotts Valley, CA 950663443. Breeder: Frank Bradley Briscoe.**

**BOB/Gr 3: GCHB CH LONGLESSON TOAST THE NIGHT. 02-07-24 By CH Bo-Bett's Pajama Party - GCHS CH Longlesson Dark Side Of The Moon. Dog. Owner: Erynn Lucas, Riverbank, CA 953672050. Breeder: Lisa Bernhardt & Thomas Kirstein & Ania Kelly & Longlesson Knl.**

**BOS: GCHB SUMMIT MERITAGE UDDERLY DIVINE. 09-29-22 By CH Adagio Jilzan Ansel Adams - GCHB CH Summit Stripe A Pose SC. Bitch. Owner: Laura Taylor & Susan Vernon & Sutanto Widjaja, Dove Canyon, CA 926793747. Breeder: Laura Taylor & Susan Vernon.**

**SD/BOBOH: GCH SUMMIT IT TAKES TWO TO TANGO. 11-27-23 By CH Bo-Bett's Pajama Party - CH Delcrown Summit Waltzing Matilda. Dog. Owner: Lorrie Pruet & Susan Vernon, Petaluma, CA 949521690. Breeder: Susan Vernon & Adrienne Dente.**

**SB: CH ENDEAVOR AND THAT'S THE TRUTH AT TALIESIN. 02-06-24 By CH Wunder Forgetmenot Adonis - GCH CH Taliesin's Key To Happiness At Endeavor. Bitch. Owner: Linda Stewart & Libby De Mille, BROWNS VALLEY, CA 959180204. Breeder: Libby De Mille & Linda Stewart.**

**AOM: CH WARRIOR'S EDGE OF THE NIGHT JC BCAT. 02-14-23 By GCHB CH GCHB CH Kimera Im Your Wingman BCAT DS CGC TKI BCAT CGC TKI - Warrior's Shooting Star. Dog. Owner: Red Carey, Shingle Spgs, CA 956828715. Breeder: Marcie Brunner & Matthew Brunner.**

**AOM: CH ABBEY SMOOTH SAILING. 07-08-21 By CH Abbey's Innkeeper - GCH Abbey's English Affair. Bitch. Owner: Dr Jill Hopfenbeck & Shirley Cooney, Grass Valley, CA 959498500. Breeder: Dr Jill Hopfenbeck & Shirley Cooney.**

**AOM: GCHS CH KIMERA THIS SIDE OF PARADISE BCAT. 12-31-19 By GCHB CH Kimera Im Your Wingman BCAT DS CGC TKI - GCHS CH Kimera Vesper Lynd. Bitch. Owner: Melissa Bates & Cheryl Grubaugh & Erin Campbell, Fair Oaks, CA 95628260. Breeder: Erin Campbell DVM & Kathy Thomas.**



Full show results are online at:

<https://www.infodog.com/results/results.htm?evno=2025016308&bno=29400&sdt=10/03/25&edt=11/02/25>

# NCWFA FALL SPECIALTY WIN PHOTOS





*The Rest of the Weekend...*

**Skyline Dog Fanciers I, Santa Rosa CA, Thursday, October 16, 2025**

**Judge – Michelle Scott – 16 (2 – 6; 8 [6 – 2])**

WD: EXCELSIS CITATION FDC BCAT ATT CGCA CGCU TKI FITS

**RWD: MILESCROSS THE SEAHAWK**

WB/BW: KARASAR'S ROYAL REWARD

RWB: SUNQUEST ICED OUT

BOB/BOBOH/GR 2OH: GCH SUMMIT IT TAKES TWO TO TANGO

**BOS: CH ENDEAVOR AND THAT'S THE TRUTH AT TALIESIN**

SD: CH SUNQUEST HEART ON ICE

**SB: GCHB SUMMIT MERITAGE UDDERLY DIVINE**

**AOM: GCHB CH LONGLESSON TOAST THE NIGHT**

**Skyline Dog Fanciers II, Santa Rosa CA, Friday, October 17, 2025**

**Judge – Edmund Dzuik- 19 (5 - 6 ; 8 [6 – 2])**

**WD: MILESCROSS THE MALTESE FALCON @ CASH CREEK**

RWD: SUNQUEST BREAK THE ICE

WB/BW: SUNQUEST ICED OUT

RWB: SUMMIT MERITAGE DRESSED TO THRILL

**BOB: GCHB CH LONGLESSON TOAST THE NIGHT**

**BOS/BOBOH: CH ENDEAVOR AND THAT'S THE TRUTH AT TALIESIN**

SD: CH SUNQUEST HEART ON ICE **SB: GCHB SUMMIT MERITAGE UDDERLY DIVINE** AOM: GCH CH RUSALKA TIME TO PARTY

**NCWFA Supported Entry, Del Valle Dog Club II, Santa Rosa CA, Sunday, October 19, 2025 Judge – Sharon Sakson - 26 [5 - 12; 9 (6 - 3)]**

WD: EXCELSIS CITATION FDC BCAT ATT CGCA CGCU TKI FITS

**RWD: MILESCROSS THE MALTESE FALCON AT CASH CREEK**

**WB/BW/BOB/BOBOH/Gr 4: SUMMIT MERITAGE ON YOUR MARK**

RWB: SUMMIT MERITAGE DRESSED TO THRILL

**BOS: GCHB LONGLESSON TOAST THE NIGHT**

SD: CH SUNQUEST HEART ON ICE

**SB: GCH SUMMIT MERITAGE UDDERLY DIVINE** AOM: GCH SUMMIT IT TAKES TWO TO TANGO AOM: GCHB CH WINDBORN GOLDEN AGE FDC ATT DCAT

## IT WAS A FALL FROLIC AT THE SEPTEMBER NCWFA CWA MEETS!

Our Fall CWA Race Meets, held September 20 – 21, 2025 at Solano Community College, were Autumn Fabulous! We had thirty-two whippets running in the meet on Saturday and exactly thirty on Sunday. Thanks to all who were ready to put in their veterans on Sunday to help get us to thirty, although we didn't end up needing them.

On Saturday, Dutch's Romulus had a very good day, winning the meet and also winning the Pirate Pete Trophy for High In Meet. Link was hot on Romulus's heels in every race and even won in the Fourth Program, coming in at second in meet. Following Link was young Phoenix, who was third in meet. RenneR was fourth and Kathy Kelly's speedy FTE youngster River was fifth and earned five ARX points. The Szabo's yearling Mr. Bentley earned 3 ARX points, followed by Brook's sister River and Jen's Londyn Rose who split the bottom ARX point. Rounding out the meet was our perennial Most Appreciated hound Dasher, who was our Turtle.

River was awarded first in the match by our judge Bonnie Moore. This win made her High Combined and she also was awarded the DPC leg. Second in the match to Trella, third to Londyn Rose and fourth to RenneR. Sunday will forever be known as "Pad-mageddon", as the deceptively lush looking field was dry enough to cause many of our racers to slip a pad or two [or three]. Top contenders Romulus, Link & Lon-



The winner of the Jean Balint Memorial Trophy for High Combined at our Fall Sunday Race Meet was Tiger Lilly [Westwind's Compelling Elegance], owned & bred by Laura White.

dyn Rose were all scratched for pad related reasons. In total, eleven dogs were scratched on Sunday, many for slipped pads.

Phoenix topped the board for his first meet win. He was followed by his beautiful niece Tiger Lilly who started the day as an FTE and went all the way to second place, winning 5 ARX points. RenneR was third, followed by River's brindle sister Brook in fourth, winning 3 ARX points. Tiger Lilly's litter brother Zero rounded out the Top Five with 1 point. Proud breeder Laura White was celebrating all the way home to San Luis Obispo with two ARX point winners and all the other wonderful wins her puppies had on Sunday. Dasher was again a lock for the Turtle.

Match judge Cheryl Grubaugh awarded River first [DPC leg], Tiger Lilly second, RenneR third and Phoenix fourth. Tiger Lilly was High Combined and won the Jean Balint Memorial Trophy!

Thanks to all who help to make our meets successful, especially Bonnie Moore & Jen Haas for the nuts and bolts. Kudos to Teresa Hamilton for the wonderful prizes, to our finish line and foul judges, those who help with set-up and tear down, bring something for lunch, judge the match, and especially those who enter! - GB



Saturday Match [Bonnie Moore/judge] 1. River [HC] 2. Trella 3. Londyn Rose 4. RenneR



Sunday Match [Cheryl Grubaugh/judge] 1. River 2. Tiger Lilly [HC] 3. RenneR 4. Phoenix

PLACE	GRADE	CALL	REGISTERED NAME	OWNER	MEET PTS	ARX	NARX
1	A	Romulus	Wheatland Romulus NARX	Klaassenvanoorschot / Otero	27		5
2	A	Link	Saesi Borealis Rittymmen at Cash Creek PR4 NARX HC SRA	Armstrong	23		3
3	A	Phoenix	FC Phoenix Ashbourne Chez Soi ARX	Dominguez	17.5		1
4	A	RenneR	Hildidan's Fierce Mamba Magic of RenneR PR6 ARX TRP NARX DPCX HC	Gaiser	17		
5	FTE	River	Wirtu As Time Goes By	Kelly	15	5	
6	B	Bentley	Hildidan's Mr. Bentley	Szabo	13	3	
7	FTE	Brook	Wirtu Only Time Will Tell	Kelly	12	0.5	
8	B	Dazzle	Wirtu's Dazzler Girl PR4 TRP ARX	Milam	12		
9	B	Londyn Rose	Wirtu's Promise of Roses PR2 TRP DPC	Haas	12	0.5	
10	B	Teye	Wirtu's Dream Quest TRP PR2 ARX	Kelly	11		
11	B	Curry	Wirtu's She's Courageous PR4 TRP ARX	Kelly/Fielder	10		
12	FTE	Lexi Belle	Runner's Feisty Flying Bandit	Gordillo	10		
13	B	Spirit-J	Dioro Spirit Can You Hear it Callin PR TRP ARX	Johnson	10		
14	C	Ruby	Castlecrest's Ruby	Drake/Tibbitts	9		
15	FTE	Copper	Triplestar On Point	Hamlett/Summers	8		
16	C	Flyck	Hildidan's Flyck of Slick Magic TRP PR3	Gaiser	8		
17	B	Bala	Dioro Delicate Balance PR3 TRP ARX	Johnson	8 (PS3)		
18	B	Keeper	CH Wirtu's Promises to Keep for Crestfield PR3 TRP DPC	Kelly/Fielder	7		
19	C	Starling-M	Wirtu's Starling's Song Quest TRP PR	Milam	6.5		
20	C	PiP-M	Hildidan's Magic PiP of My Heart PR3 TRP	Moore	6		
21	D	Emoji	Hildidan's Mighty Magic Emoji TRP PR5 ARX	Gaiser	6		
22	C	Trella	Wirtu's Promise Me The Stars TRP PR2	White	5		
23	B	Bindi	Wheatland Bindi of VanOorschot ARX SRA TRP PR10	Klaassenvanoorschot / Otero	5 (PS2)		
24	C	Baxter	CH Rivermyst Surfs Up	Meyer	5 (PS3)		
25	C	Theo	CH Obailee Kap's Starlight	Odron/Davis	4		
26	C	Mando	CH Summit The Mandalorian SC	Parker/Vernon	3 (PS3)		
27	C	Harley Quinn	Intrigue Opal of Elentari Kimera DCAT	Gordillo/Bates	2		
28	D	Luna	Laugesen's Arbor Vale Athena Gold	Parker/Laugeson	2		
29	D	Dasher	Dash[er] TRP	Kuang	0		
30	D	Avery	Rivermyst's Glimpses of the Moon TRP	Meyer	0 (PS2)		
31	D	Isa	Hildidans Little Snip Of White Magic TRP PR2	Gaiser	0 (PS2)		
32	D	Portia	Milescross Dreamy Dusky Wing BCAT SC PR	Borstel/Borstel	0 (PS2)		

## NCWFA FALL CWA RACE MEET RESULTS – SATURDAY

# NCWFA FALL CWA RACE MEET RESULTS - SUNDAY

PLACE	GRADE	CALL	REGISTERED NAME	OWNER	MEET PTS	ARX	NARX
1	A	Phoenix	Phoenix Ashbourne Chez Soi ARX PR	Dominguez	22		5
2	FTE	Tiger Lily	Westwind's Compelling Elegance	White	21	5	3
3	B	RenneR	Hildidan's Fierce Mamba Magic of RenneR PR5 ARX TRP NARX	Gaiser	17		1
4	B	Brook	Wirtu's Only Time Will Tell	Kelly	16.5	3	
5	FTE	Zero	Westwind's Zefiro	Westwind's Zefiro	16	1	
6	A	River	Wirtu's As Time Goes By	Kelly	14.5		
7	FTE	Rose	Westwind's Elegant Grace	Hamlett	13		
8	B	PiP-M	Hildidan's Magic PiP of My Heart PR3 TRP	Moore	11		
9	A	Link	Saesi Borealis Rittymmen at Cash Creek PR4 NARX HC SRA	Armstrong	11 (PS4)		
10	B	Bentley	Hildidan's Magic Mr Bentley	Szabo	10		
11	B	Lexi Belle	Runner's Feisty Flying Bandit	Gordillo	10		
12	C	Flyck	Hildidan's Flyck of Slick Magic TRP PR3	Gaiser	10		
13	C	Starling-M	Wirtu's Starling's Song Quest TRP PR	Milam	9.5		
14	A	Romulus	Wheatland Romulus NARX	Klaassenvanoorschot / Otero	8 (PS2)		
15	C	Copper	TripleStar On Point	Hamlett/Summers	7		
16	D	Trella	Wirtu's Promise Me The Stars TRP PR2	White	7		
17	D	Luna	Laugesen's Arbor Vale Athena Gold	Parker/Laugeson	7		
18	D	Harley Quinn	Intrigue Opal of Elentari Kimera	Gordillo/Bates	6		
19	B	Londyn Rose	Wirtu's Promise of Roses PR2 TRP DPC	Haas	5 (PS3)		
20	D	Theo	CH Obailee Kap's Starlight	Odron/Davis	5		
21	D	Emoji	Hildidan's Mighty Magic Emoji TRP PR5 ARX	Gaiser	4 (PS4)		
22	FTE	Logo	Hildidan's From the Logo - Pure Magic!	Gaiser	3 (PS2)		
23	B	Teye	Wirtu's Dream Quest TRP PR2	Kelly	3 (PS3)		
24	C	Keeper	CH Wirtu's Promises to Keep for Crestfield PR3 TRP DPC	Kelly/Fielder	3 (PS3)		
25	C	Mando	CH Summit The Mandalorian SC	Parker/Vernon	3 (PS3)		
26	FTE	Bobby Sox	Wenrick's Longlesson Bobby Sox	Wilson	2 (PS4)		
27	D	Dasher	Dasher TRP	Kuang	2		
28	D	Isa	Hildidans Little Snip Of White Magic TRP PR2	Gaiser	0		
29	B	Dazzle	Wirtu's Dazzler Girl PR4 TRP ARX	Milam	0 (PS2)		
30	C	Curry	Wirtu's She's Courageous PR4 TRP	Kelly/Fielder	0 (SC2)		

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**NCWFA HOLIDAY PARTY & AWARDS MEETING**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2026**

**@THE PARKERS**

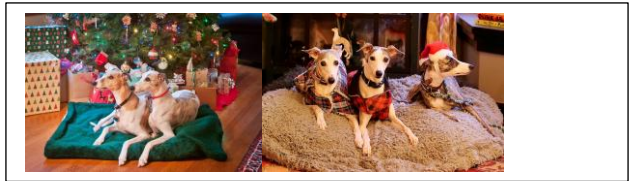
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## **2026 NCWFA TENTATIVE CALENDAR OF CLUB EVENTS**

January 10 -11	NCWFA AKC Lure Coursing Weekend	Elverta CA
January 31 – February 1	NCWFA Fast CAT Weekend	Fairfield CA
April 4 – 5	NCWFA CWA Spring Fling Race Weekend	Fairfield CA
May 30	NCWFA 3 <sup>rd</sup> Summer Specialty Show & Sweeps	Lodi CA
May 30	NCWFA General Membership Meeting	Lodi CA
September 19 -20	NCWFA CWA Fall Frolic Race Weekend	Fairfield CA
October 17	NCWFA 30 <sup>th</sup> Fall Specialty Show & Sweeps	Santa Rosa CA
October 17	NCWFA Annual Meeting	Santa Rosa CA
December TBA	NCWFA Holiday Party & Awards Meeting	Location TBA

**\*\*\*\* Plus, three ZOOM membership meetings to be scheduled \*\*\*\***



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