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Whippet Whispers by the Rover Reporter

"All the news that's fit to print...and then some!"

So much exciting news to report from our recent Specialty weekend. You can see the actual show results on page 6 and beyond, but the NCWFA Crew did us all proud. At the big Skyline show which started off the weekend, House (Erin Campbell) was WD to finish his show title, at the young age of only 14 months. Libby deMille's beautiful Zest won the bitch major, and now needs only two points to finish. Brady (Angie Hagen) won BOS, and Deacon (Erin Campbell) was Select Dog, and Select Bitch was awarded to Harper (Angie Hagen). All in all, a great day for the Fanciers! At the Sunday Del Valle show, which is our Supported Entry, House (Erin Campbell) was BOS in Sweeps, and Luci (Ed Odron) was WB & BW for a big major. Deacon was again Select Dog. Way to go Gang!

At the Specialty itself, fun was had by all! Our Silent Auction raised \$818.00 this year, and Marianne's raffle raised \$124.00. Whippetbilia sales for the weekend were over three hundred dollars! Lunch was

great, with many gourmet dishes to choose from. Don McGuire's fabulous cake, complete with NCWFA Logo, was again the hit of the day! We got so many compliments from

out-of-town visitors (including our judges) on our great lunch and fabulous atmosphere of camaraderie.

In the ring, the NCWFA Gang was again in the ribbons at the show. Venerable Veteran Bryce (Donna Wilhoyte) was BOS in Vet Sweeps. His cousin, Tilly (Donna O'Toole) was Best Veteran in Show. That gorgeous redhead, Tally (Justine Kay) was WB & AOM! Missy (Jan Waldrop & Charlotte & Martha Fielder) was Reserve, for the second year in a row! I know Jan likes those divided pewter dishes!:) Deacon (Erin Campbell) was BOS, earning him the Mr. Consistency Award



Brady



Tilly

for the weekend, and Natasha (Brad Briscoe) was Select Bitch. It was a super day!

Kenzie (Libby de Mille) finished her show title in September. Way to go Kenzie!

Captain (Charlotte & Martha Fielder) was Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show at Grass Valley! This is the second time Captain has won Best BBE!

NCWFA Members also do great "on the road": Sweetie (Ed & MJ Odron) picked up her second major, a big four-pointer at the AZ Whippet Association shows in Tucson. This girl only needs a few points to finish now! Her cousin Luci (Ed Odron) was WB at another AZ show this weekend, to complete her championship. Natasha (Brad Briscoe) also trekked to these shows, and she was Select Bitch at the AZWA Specialty show. Sage (Kellee Livingston) took some time out on her big cross-country trip to show in VA. She was awarded the points twice in a row and went on to 2 major reserves! Sage also stopped for some AKC coursing, and she was second at her very first trial, for three points.

At our CWA races, The Mighty Bolt (Jean Balint) continued his winning streak, by triumphing at both meets. Rover believes these were his twentieth and twenty-first meet wins. Niko (Rick Ragan & Kim Robinson) picked up five ARX points at our meet weekend, putting him closer to his CWA race title.

Lynne Armstrong's girls, Starr & Billie have been racking up Top Ten placements racing lately—Starr on the oval track and Billie at the sprints. However, both ladies are most engrossed in being "aunties", as Lynne has midwived and been raising Lacerta's litter of very fast little whippies.

There will be a full report on our November lure courses in the next issue, but the big news of the weekend was that Bella (Delia Zarges & Melina Hovanski) completed her AKC FC at seven years young!



Captain & Charlotte



The Cake!



Missy!



Martha & pup

Rover hears a lot, but she can't be everywhere! To be sure your whippet's big news makes it to Whippet Whispers, send all news, gossip and brags to Rover @: [milesccross@gmail.com](mailto:milescross@gmail.com).



Club News and Notes Pages

Annual Membership Meeting, 10/19/2013

Member's Present: Jean Balint, Brad Briscoe, Guin Borstel, Heather Borstel, Erin Campbell, Libby deMille, Charlotte Fielder, Martha Fielder, Tina Graham, Jen Haas, Justine Kay, Debby Knutson, Russell Kunkel, Robert Latuga, Marianne Lu, Kellee Livingston, Don McGuire, Andrea Meyer, Donna O'Toole, Ed Odron, MJ Odron, Rick Ragan, Kim Robinson, Denise Stokowski, Jan Waldrop, Donna Wilhoyte, Todd Wilhoyte, Delia Zarges. Applicants Present: Susan Arnold, Bruce Arnold, Barbara Lawson. Guests Present: Suzy Hughes, Chris House, Iva Kimmelman, Christy Nelson, Bobby Paust, Kesia Reineke.

The meeting was called to order at 2:58 PM.

The minutes of the September meeting was accepted as published in the last issue of SPEED.

Officer's Reports:

President's Report: Brad asked all of our guest to introduce themselves. Brad asked for a round of applause for MJ for a job well-done for the Specialty. He reminded us that our work for the year is not yet done, with lure coursing in exactly one month.

Secretary's Report: No report.

Treasurer's Report: No report.

Committee Reports:

Coursing: Brad reported that as per discussion at the last meeting, the dates for the lure trials were successfully moved up a week, to November 16-17th. Our judges will be Kathy Kelly, Jayme Jones & Ginny Kosinski. Jean Balint volunteered to coordinate the potluck lunches for the weekend.

Show: MJ thanked all of her committee heads and workers that make her look good. She also

thanked both of our judges, both of whom were in attendance.

Racing: Jean thanked all for their support at our September races. We finally have fielded enough trained race whippets to have our "own" meet, without the help of out-of-towners. Even though there was torrential rain on Saturday, we had a successful meet.

Rescue: Guin recapped the situation in Redding and that there has been no movement to this date. At this point, we are having to let the authorities take the next step with this person and their dogs.

Speed: Guin reported that SPEED will be out soon with info on the show and racing..

Whippetbilia: Marianne reported that she sold quite a bit of Whippetbilia today and hoped to sell even more tomorrow. She reminded all that there was a raffle set up with some great prizes, with all proceeds to Rescue.

Old Business: The 2014 Officer/BOD slate was presented. There were no nominations from the floor. Guin made a motion to elect the slate as presented. Jen Haas seconded the motion. The slate was elected as presented.

New Business: Debby Knutson gave a donation to Rescue of 10% of her Haute Houndz proceeds from the weekend (note: \$175). Brad brought up that Lenore had provided two different dates for the Holiday Party. Discussion ensued, and the Holiday party will be on Sunday, December 8th at 12 noon at Lenore's. Brad presented the flyer he had received from the WSCS, soliciting our club to hold a Specialty event in conjunction with their Lompoc event. Christy Nelson spoke as a former member of WSCS about the whippet history with this event, and the pros and cons of working with them for a Lompoc specialty in the Summer. Discussion ensued, and Mary Jean resolved to look into the feasibility & AKC stipulations for doing this.

Bragg ensued.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:25 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Guin Borstel, Secretary.



We will be voting on our 2014 NCWFA Specialty Sweepstakes Judge at the Holiday Party, December 8th. The candidates are as follows:

Nancy Billups (Cloud Nine Whippets, TX)

Shellie Juden (Elida Whippets, CA)

Betty Nightengale (Wild Oats Whippets, NC)

Leslie Vasquez (Headliner Whippets, NV)

From Our Specialty Judge....

The Northern California Whippet Fanciers is one of the best examples of how a club should be run. I sat in during their meeting after judging and the honest affection the members have for each other reminds me of the "way it used to be" and how it needs to be in the future for all our endeavors to move forward. Thank you one and all for a very memorable experience and thank you for the honor of evaluating so many really good examples of lovely whippets. I so much enjoyed looking into all those sweet faces.

Iva

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The following veterinarians are recommended by the members listed as reputable whippet/sighthound practitioners. Please use common sense when choosing a vet for your whippet. This listing herein in no way constitutes any endorsement by the NCWFA.

Dr. Jean Metzler
Orangevale Veterinary Hospital
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916-987-2055
Specialty: Reproductive
Endorser: Donna Wilhoite

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Endorser: Libby de Mille

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Fremont, CA 94539
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Endorsers: Libby de Mille & Justine Kay

Dr. Lauren Knoble, DVM & Dr. Eleanor Dunn DVM
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3331 Grand Avenue.
Oakland, CA. 94610
510-350-8538
Endorsers: Brad Briscoe & Susan Moore

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Specialty: House calls in Sacramento, Davis, Fairfield, Vacaville area
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1317 Bayswater Avenue
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Specialty: 24 Hour Specialty Clinic
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884 Portola Rd.
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Fax 916-984-6510
Endorser: Libby de Mille

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NCWFA Breeder Listing

Available pups/adults as of 11/16/13. For more current info, please check <http://ncwfa.com/breeders>

(If you have a puppy or adult to place, or if you want your information listed as a contact, you MUST contact Paula, the webmistress, in order to have your listing activated at webmaster@ncwfa.com or 650-355-0544. Your listing will appear on the Website & in SPEED until you contact Paula to change it.)

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Guin Borstel <i>Milescross</i> milescross@aol.com	NO	NO	YES
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Erin Campbell <i>Kimera Whippets</i> 408.248.3844 / 408.496.6469 Erin@kimerawhippets.com	YES	NO	YES
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SHOW RESULTS:

NCWFA Specialty Show & Sweepstakes, Saturday, October 19th, 2013.

Puppy Sweepstakes, Judge: Dr. Suzy Hughes (SnowHill) - 14

1/BSW SUMMIT WONDERSTRUCK AT COUNTRYWIND. 01-03-13 Owner: Susan Vernon & Amanda Clevenger & Catherine Harker

1/BOSSW SUMMIT LIVIN' ON THE EDGE. 02-13-13 Owner: Leslie Smith & Susan Vernon

Veteran Sweepstakes, Judge: Dr. Suzy Hughes (SnowHill) - 4

1/BVSW CH TIVIO'S FALLING IN LOVE.05-30-06 Owner: Gary Quick & Lynn Quick & Tracy Hite

1/BOSVSW CH GRAND PRIX'S SERAPHIC SC. 03-14-02 Owner: Donna Wilhoyte.

Regular Classes, Judge: Mrs. Iva Kimmelman (Merci Isle Whippets) (17 - 28, 17 {6,11} 5 NR)

6-9 DOGS

1 SUMMIT LIVIN' ON THE EDGE. 02-13-13 By DC Summit Above The Rim - Ch Summit Wild Oats Winner Takes It All. Owner: Leslie Smith & Susan Vernon. Breeder: Susan Vernon & Amanda Molinari.

2 OXFORD ERIN GO BRAGH AT CLADDAH. 03-17-13 By Ch Sunbeam Rembrandt Of Endeavor JC - Ch Oxford Rowingdale Love Story. Owner: Brooke Brown. Breeder: Teresa Sullivan & Dianne Bowen.

9-12 DOGS

1 TOBRICA'S IN THE SPOTLIGHT AT COUNTRYWIND. 11-03-12 By GCH Countrywind's Wham Bam Thank You Maam - Ch Starline's Haute Couture At Starseeker. Owner: Catherine Harker. Breeder: Victoria Campbell & Sara Lopez. (Mandy Clevenger, Agent).

2 PRINCETON'S TEAR DROPS ON MY GUITAR OF SUMMIT. 01-03-13 By GCH Oxford Rowingdale Fearless - Ch Countrywinds De La Madonna. Owner: Angela Worden & Traci Hagen. Breeder: Susan Vernon & Amanda Clevenger.

BBE DOGS

1/W/BBE/BW (5 Points) RUNNER'S HE'S CORONADO. 04-04-12 By GCH Fanfare's Cordova At Runners - GCH Runner's She's Capricious. Owner: Christy Nelson & Isabell Stoffers. Breeder: Christy Nelson & Isabell Stoffers.

2 PRINCETON'S BACK IN THE SADDLE. 10-18-11 By Ch Starline's Sovereign - Ch Oxfords Dynesty. Owner: Angela Worden, Modesto, CA. Breeder: Angela Worden & Dianne Bowen & Lori M Lawrence.

3 CRESTFIELD CAPTAIN COURAGEOUS JC. 10-12-11 By GCH Oxford Rowingdale Fearless - Crestfield Surprise Edition. Owner: Martha Fielder & Charlotte Fielder. Breeder: Martha Fielder & Charlotte Fielder.

4 SUMMIT SPEAK NOW OF COUNTRYWIND. 01-03-13 By GCH Oxford's Rowingdale Fearless - Ch Countrywinds De La Remarkable. Owner: Susan Vernon & Amanda Clevenger & Catherine Harker. Breeder: Susan Vernon & Amanda Clevenger.

OPEN DOGS

1/R SPORTINGFIELD ALL THINGS GOOD. 01-20-12 By Sporting Fields Saint All The Way - Sporting Fields In A Love Song. Owner: Mary Ingerson & Dionne Butt & Amanda Giles, Santa Rosa, CA 954078070. Breeder: Dionne Butt & Amanda Giles. (Michael Stone, Agent).

2 KIMERAS PANAMA RED. 12-11-10 By Ch Headliner The Big Time - Ch Kimeras Under The Mayan Sun. Owner: Richard Ragan, Fairfield. Breeder: Erin Campbell DVM.

3 BOHEM FINAL ACT. 11-24-11 By GCH Counterpoint Painted By Bohem SC - GCH Charlamar Sashays In White Linen. Owner: Meredith McCown, Paso Robles, CA 934464409. Breeder: Bo Bengtson.

4 PRIORY'S AULD BRASS DE SUD. 09-05-11 By Ch Talk Of The Nation De Sud - Ch Congo Mambo De Sud. Owner: Andrea Meyer & Katharine Armato, Santa Rosa, CA 95403. Breeder: Katharine Armato & Saulo Biscoto Jr & Robert Studley Jr. (Mandy Clevenger, Agent).

6-9 BITCHES

1 OXFORD WATERFORD AT CLADDAGH. 03-17-13 By Ch Sunbeam Rembrandt Of Endeavor JC - Ch Oxford Rowingdale Love Story. Owner: Susan Baiata & Dave Cunha & Dianne Bowen & Teresa Sullivan. Breeder: Teresa Sullivan & Dianne Bowen.

2 RAINIER'S CLASS ACT AT ENDEAVOR. 04-12-13 By Ch Talk Of The Nation De Sud - GCH Endeavor's White Roses On Nysa Hill. Owner: Jeanne Shepard & Linda Stewart, Seattle, WA 98103. Breeder: Jeanine Shepherd & Linda Stewart.

9-12 BITCHES

1/BP LISHIMA'S ROCK FEST. 12-27-12 By Ch Lorricbrook Celtic Hot Shot - Lishima's Fancy Pants. Owner: Sherry Hamilton, Acton, CA 93510. Breeder: Sherry Hamilton & Jenny McCartney.

2 COUNTRYWIND'S FETISH OF TOBRICA. 11-03-12 By GCH Countrywind's Wham Bam Thank You Maam - Ch Starline's Haute Couture At Starseeker. Owner: Catherine Harker. Breeder: V Campbell & S Lopez. (Mandy Clevenger, Agent).

3 TIVIO'S WHITE SHOULDERS. 11-26-12 By Ch Tivio's Hand Painted JC - Ch Obailee's Pegaso. Owner: Gary Quick & Lynn Brown-Quick. Breeder: Gary Quick & Lynn Brown Quick & Stacey Davis & Tracy Pierce Hite.

4 LISHIMA'S CHANTILLY LACE PRETTY FACE. 12-27-12 By Ch Lorricbrook Celtic Hot Shot - Lishima's Fancy Pants. Owner: Gail Gilbert & Sherry Hamilton, Livermore, CA 94550. Breeder: Sherry Hamilton & Jenny McCartney.

12-18 BITCHES

1 SUMMIT JOMYR LA DORADA. 06-30-12 By Ch Talk Of The Nation De Sud - Ch Ammardan Jomyr Gemstone. Owner: Dr Todd Miller, Louisiana, MO 63353. Breeder: Dr Todd Miller & Susan Vernon. (Mandy Clevenger, Agent).

2 TRIPLESTAR BERETTA JETFIRE MOSAIC. 07-08-12 By Ch Lishima's All Fired Up At TripleStar SC - Winway Francie Fairchild At TripleStar. Owner: Marcella Zobel & Shauna Summers & Philip Zobel. Breeder: Shauna Summers.

BBE BITCHES

1 SUMMIT WONDERSTRUCK AT COUNTRYWIND. 01-03-13 By GCH Oxford's Rowingdale Fearless - Ch Countrywinds De La Remarkable. Owner: Susan Vernon & Amanda Clevenger & Catherine Harker. Breeder: Susan Vernon & Amanda Clevenger.

2 SUMMIT IRONWOOD CHA-CHING!. 09-09-11 By GCH Kamadas Instant Millionaire - Ch La Signora Cristabel. Owner: Susan Stephens & Sue Vernon. Breeder: Sue Vernon & Jennifer McEachern & Dr M McEachern.

3 LISHIMA'S FANCY PANTS. 06-27-09 By Ch Sportingfield All That Jazz - Ch Festiva's Hot Chick. Owner: Sherry Hamilton & Jenny McCartney. Breeder: Sherry Hamilton & Kelly Riney & Amanda Clevenger.

4 ENDEAVOR'S INHERIT THE WIND. 08-03-12 By GCH DC Endeavor's Kick Off At Meisterhaus SC - Taliesin Soul Food. Owner: Dale F Noble & Linda Stewart & Libby DeMille. Breeder: Libby De Mille & Linda Stewart.

OPEN BITCHES

1/W/AOM (5 Points) ENDEAVOR'S TEQUILA SUNRISE AT TALIESIN. 04-18-12 By Ch Endeavor's Private Account At Nysa Hill SC - Ch Endeavor's Spellbound At Taliesin. Owner: Justine Kay. Breeder: Libby De Mille & Linda Stewart & Thomas Bankstahl.

2/R CRESTFIELD BLONDE BOMBSHELL. 10-12-11 By GCH Oxford Rowingdale Fearless - Crestfield Surprise Edition. Owner: Janice Waldrop. Breeder: Martha Fielder & Charlotte Fielder.

3 TALIESIN PINK MARTINI AT ENDEAVOR. 04-18-12 By Ch Endeavor's Private Account At Nysa SC - Ch Endeavor's Spellbound At Taliesin. Owner: Libby De Mille. Breeder: Libby De Mille & Linda Stewart. (Mandy Clevenger, Agent).

4 OXFORD PRINCETON I DON'T WANT TO MISS A THING. 10-18-11 By Ch Starline's Sovereign - Ch Oxfords Dynasty. Owner: Deana Jaffe & Sydney Jaffe & Dianne Bowen. Breeder: Angela Worden & Dianne Bowen & Lori M Lawrence.

VETERAN BITCHES 7-10 YEARS

1/BV CH GRAND PRIX'S HONEY PIE JC. 02-26-04 By Ch Hamrya's Honey Bee JC - Ch Milesross Barbarella SC. Owner: Donna O'Toole & Wendy Gay, Santa Ynez, CA 93460. Breeder: Guin Borstel & Wendy Gay.

2 TIVIO'S FALLING IN LOVE. 05-30-06 By Ch Tivio N Windigo In Like Flynn - Ch Tivio's Fallingwater JC. Owner: Gary Quick & Lynn Quick & Tracy Hite, Tucson, AZ 85704. Breeder: Mary Jean Odron & Tracy Hite & Ed Odron.

VETERAN DOGS 10-12 YEARS

1 CH GRAND PRIX'S SERAPHIC SC. 03-14-02 By Ch Whimsy's On A Wing 'N A Prayer - DC Grand Prix's Demi Tasse SC. Owner: Donna Wilhoyte, Antelope. Breeder: Wendy J Gay.

VETERAN BITCHES 12 YEARS +

1 CH MORLAIS TICKET TO RIDE. 02-14-01 By Ch Whimsy's On A Wing 'N A Prayer - Idover Spiced Teatime. Owner: Erin Campbell DVM & Kim White, Santa Clara, CA 950542543. Breeder: Frank & Sallie Richards. (Stephanie House, Agent).

2 COALBY OF WYNDSOR. 06-12-00 By Ch Slades Bugle Boy Blue - Hazel by Of WyndSOR. Owner: Jean Balint. Breeder: Jean Balint.

BEST OF BREED

BOB (5 GC Points) GCH OXFORD SUNBEAM SLEEPLESS IN SEATTLE. 12-08-08 By Ch Starline's Sovereign - Ch Oxfordtobel Whatsinit For Me. Bitch. Owner: Georgia A Cushman & David A Cushman. Breeder: Dianne Bowen & Danielle Jacobsen.

BOS (5 GC Points) GCH DE KOTANS SUNDAY SERMON. 05-24-09 By Ch Parfiat's Tall Dark And Handsome - Ch Kimera Under The Mayan Sun. Dog. Owner: Erin Campbell. Breeder: Erin Campbell DVM. (Stephanie House, Agent).

SEL (5 GC Points) GCH COUNTRYWINDS VAPOR TRAIL. 12-09-10 By Ch Chelsea Chalcedony - Ch Countrywinds De La Remarkable. Dog. Owner: Catherine Harker & Kathy Plummer. Breeder: Catherine Harker & Jeff Tupper. (Geri Griffon, Agent).

SEL (5 GC Points) GCH LAKOTA'S WITCH WITCH ARE YOU SC. 10-31-10 By DC Amberwind's Casanova SC - DC Kimeras Sunset Limited SC. Bitch. Owner: Frank Bradley Briscoe. Breeder: Frank B Briscoe.

AOM CH SUMMIT HOOP DREAMS. 06-19-10 By Ch Fleetwood Return To Sender - Ch Moongaze Jomyr Some Splanin Ta Do. Bitch. Owner: Susan Vernon. Breeder: Susan Vernon & Aaron Miller & Barbara Wayne.

AOM - WB

* NCWFA Member.



**Pretty girls at the hotel -
Bella, Mysty & Tilly**

A SPECIAL SPECIALTY



PHOTOS BY HEATHER BORSTEL & ANDREA MEYER

THIS PAGE CLOCKWISE FROM TOP LEFT:

1. Don & Brad watch as Natasha snoozes.
2. 14 year old veteran Mysty on the move.
3. Donna O'Toole & Best Veteran Tilly.
4. Jean & Coalby in Veterans (Andrea Meyer Photo).
5. The UC Davis booth & Marianne's Whippetbilia table.
6. BOS in Vet Sweeps Bryce gets examined (Andrea Meyer photo).
7. Libby's Kenzie on the table in Sweeps.

OPP PAGE CLOCKWISE FROM TOP LEFT

1. The trophy table.
2. WD Corry & 2nd in BBE Tyler.
3. WB Tally on the move!
4. BOS Deacon.
5. BOB Meg.
6. Some BOB competitors
7. WB Tally & RWB Missy.
8. The lunch scene with Don's great cake. (dig in O'Toole!)





September CWA Meets

Report by Jean Balint

Photos By Robert Lattuga



On Saturday September 21st, the Weather God looked at the calendar of events and said, "Oh the NCWFA is having a race meet, what can I do to spoil it. Make it 110 degrees, or really cold and windy or perhaps RAIN." Well he decided on rain and the day was an absolute disaster. So when the parking lot became so flooded that we could no longer get back to our cars, we decided that we would have to call the meet after 3 programs. It was apparent, by all the suddenly happy smiling faces, that the right decision had been made. I have never seen people leave so fast or so wet.

However, in spite of the terrible weather, we still had a really good meet. There were 21 dogs who competed with great enthusiasm (and no scratches). Those stoic little whippets just raced down the track and did not notice the torrential rain. All they wanted was to catch their bunny and kill it.

Our meet winner was the Mighty Bolt. Second place was Frank's pretty little Arrow. Best Opposite Sex and getting third place was Bolt's little sister, Miss Bennett. Handsome Niko won the top ARX place with his fourth in the meet. Congratulations to Kim and Rick. Miss Jane ran strongly and pulled out the fifth spot. Finishing in a tie for 6th and sharing the second set of points were Rudy and Harley. Congratulations to Red and Barbara. Miss Darcy was eighth and also High Score Veteran. Rounding out the top ten were Missy in ninth place and First Time Entered, Sage, in tenth. (Kellee was

beaming with Sage's fine showing at her first race meet).

Our match had to be judged the next day because the weather was atrocious. Here are the results of the judging. In first place was Sage. She showed beautifully for her owner, the still beaming, Kellee Livingston. Second went to the very handsome Niko, who is a delight to watch in the ring. Third place went to Hallie. This lovely bitch is like a good bottle of wine, she gets better with age. Bruce, another first time entered dog, took the fourth spot. He too is a very handsome boy. Judging our match was a former Whippet breeder, Cyndi Dell (We were all very impressed with her judging).

The people who salvaged the day were "THE NCWFA HEROS." They did an incredible job of setting up and running the meet in the most dreadful conditions. To each of you I give you my heartfelt thanks and gratitude. You all know who you are and I will name you personally in my following report.

The Weather God decided that he had punished the members of the NCWFA enough and gave us a beautiful day to race our dogs. In fact the day was actually a "PERFECT TEN." We had a wonderful entry of 23 local dogs which made me happy and very proud of our club. Several times in the past we have had to depend on our



wonderful Canadian friends to help us get enough dogs for a decent size meet. Now we finally did on our own. Yeah.

Again the meet winner was Bolt. Running really well and finishing second and Best Opposite Sex was Bonnie's pretty little Cassidy (for her size this bitch is very fast). Third place went to another little contender, Arrow. Frank was very pleased with his Arrow's fine racing this weekend. Fourth and fifth place went to the evil sisters, Jane and Miss Bennett. Top ARX points went to Arrow's fine running brother, Harley. Niko and Captain tied in the next positions so

split the bottom set of points. I should mention that Harley and Niko are getting close to finishing their race title. Veteran litter mates, Mr. Darcy and Miss Darcy rounded out the top ten. Forgive me if I make a little brag but five of the Darcy's off spring finished in the top ten.

Our today's conformation match today was judged by club member, Cheryl Boyer. She found four beautiful whippets for her winners. First place went to Charlotte Fielder's handsome Captain. In second place again, was the always consistent Niko. Third place was awarded to Jen's lovely boy, Nigel (and Jen did a great job showing him). The final placement went to the very pretty youngster Sage. We really did have some top quality Whippets competing in our meets this weekend. Thank you Cheryl for doing a really nice job of judging. By the way, I have to apologize to Kim and Rick for not awarding Niko his prize for being the Top Dual Purpose dog for the weekend. This is the second time this beautiful dog has won this award.

Now it is time for me to thank "THE HEROS," who made our weekend so successful. Brad, Ed, Russell, Rick, Jen, you did a great job of setting up and taking down the equipment. Todd, thank you for coming on Saturday with no dogs to help set up and run the paddock. You were great and really helped expedite our wet and miserable meet. I must also mention that Ed did a fabulous job running the paddock on Sunday. Russell came both days to help run the boxes and keep us all calm and smiling. Others who helped keep us smiling were Mary Jean, who is a fabulous head finish line judge, Jen, who is a fabulous all round helper, Guin, Marrienne, and Charlotte who always appeared when you needed help and Kim who did a super job running the practice dogs. Another person who kept us smiling was David Kay who did a fantastic job doing the lure-retune on his ATV. That was a big plus in running a speedy meet. Brad, you were great running the lure Saturday and the boxes Sunday. You are a great asset to our club. My thanks to Diane Johnson who came out Sunday and did a super job running the lure for us. Others who deserve my thanks are Robert (who I love but don't tell Marrienne), Val, Bonnie and Janet. They did everything that was asked of them. By the way, if I have missed thanking anyone personally I do apologize (I am getting old and sometimes I forget things that I really should remember). My sincere thanks to everyone for the great food that was brought for our Sunday lunch. It was delicious and greatly

enjoyed by all. Talking about enjoying something, reminds me to thank Rick for bringing the absolutely incredibly fabulous Senorita Bread. OMG, was it SOOO good. I am not willing to tell you how many I ate over the two days of racing.



Saturday Match Winners: Judge Cyndi Dell

1. Sage 2. Niko 3. Hallie 4. Bruce

Finally my thanks to Kellee our super race secretary who did her usual great job running the meet and keeping things going smoothly. Again thank you Kellee, Brad and the rest of the wonderful hard working members for making this another successful CWA weekend.



Sunday Match Winners: Judge Cheryl Boyer

1. Captain 2. Niko 3. Nigel 4. Sage

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On The Cover: The Avita Gang

“How to add three letters to your whippet’s name without hardly trying”

This has been a year to mark for us at Avita. Corky is 15 this year and not one to rest on her considerable laurels, she has taken up nosework and is loving it.



Big Mo is 10 this year and besides completing a rally title and returning to agility, she was awarded the Champion Award of Versatility Excellent by the AWC at the National this year.

Woot is 5 this year and being her wonderful loving goofy self. She has started agility and will likely go for her obedience and rally titles this year.



All three girls added three letters to their official AKC name one afternoon in January. As of 2013, the Canine Good Citizen (CGC) is now an official title that appears as part of the dog’s name. The Avita home girls all took and passed their CGC test in about a half hour one winter. It really is that easy. We want to encourage everyone to go for it!



The home girls are now:

Corky – MBIF, HIT, FC Oxford’s Special Edition, MC, FCh, VCD1 (TD, CD, NA and NAJ), OA, OAJ, RE, Award of Versatility Excellent, numerous agility titles in several venues, CGC

Big Mo – MBIF, HIT, Dual Champion Avita Moet & Chandon, MC, FCh, TD, CD, RA, Champion Award of Versatility Excellent, CGC

Woot – Avita Cinq
a Sept, SC, CGC

I am very proud of each of them as I am of co-owned Momo, Ch Avita Coup de Foudre, SC, who completed her bench championship this year and Chase, Avita Big Love, SC, who is just that one major short of finishing.

Cheryl Boyer, Avita Whippets



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The next NCWFA meeting will be held in conjunction with our Holiday Party, Sunday, December 8th at 12 noon (directions & particulars on Page 14).

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