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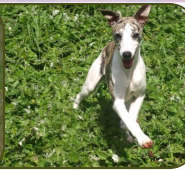
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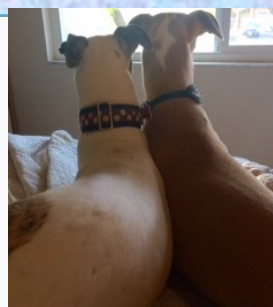


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# Club News and Notes Pages

## General Membership Meeting, 9/14/15 Vallejo, CA

Members present: Jean Balint, Guin Borstel, Brad Briscoe, Charlotte Fielder, Martha Fielder, Tina Graham, Jen Haas, Justine Kay, Debby Knutson, Kellee Livingston, Marrienne Lu, Eryn Lucas, Andrea Meyer, Julie Nunes, Ed Odron, MJ Odron, Rick Ragan, Kim Robinson. Guests: David Kay, Steve Nunes.

The meeting was called to order by President Brad Briscoe at 9:40 AM.

### Officer Reports:

President's Report: President Briscoe recapped all of the events coming up before the end of 2016; the Jubilee Dinner & Fun Day, CWA racing, the 20th Anniversary Specialty show in Pleasanton, AKC Lure Coursing in Dixon, and our Holiday Party.

Secretary's Report: No report

Treasurer's Report: Kellee reported that there is a little less than 22 K in the bank account currently.

### Committee Reports:

Coursing: Tina reported that she and her team are working on our November event (11/14-15). Jerry Alley will be one of our judges with the other judges pending. The event to be held in Dixon once again. Erynn reported on several fields in the Modesto area that may be appropriate for coursing events, however she would like members of the coursing committee to look at the fields to see if they would work.

Show: MJ acknowledged the committee heads for this event. She reminded us that there will be a special wine and cheese reception after the Specialty judging. Brad will be bringing the trailer over to the show grounds on Wednesday. MJ reminded those members present to let Donna know what they would be bringing for the Potluck lunch and to remember to bring their whippet treasures to Dee for the Silent Auction.

Racing: Bonnie reported that the race flyer is out. Jean and Bonnie have been over to the field and it is beautiful, as they have been watering it all summer. Jean will be sending out an email reminder about the lunch for both days. Marrienne and Jen are donating trophies for both days.

SPEED: Guin reported that the August/September issue is with the proofreader.

Whippetbilia: Marrienne reported that she will have Whippetbilia at both the races and at the Specialty.

Nominating Committee: Chair MJ Odron reported that the Nominating Committee submitted the following slate for 2016: President: Debby Knutson, VP: MJ Odron, Secretary: Guin Borstel, Treasurer: Delia Zarges, Board: Brad Briscoe, Jen Haas, Marrienne Lu, Ed Odron, Kim Robinson. Brad asked if there were any further nominations from the floor and there were none.

Old Business: Debby updated on the Jubilee Dinner. To date 30 people will be attending. Cocktail hour will be at 6PM followed by dinner at 7 PM. Jen recapped plans for the Fun Day, which will begin at 10 AM. Lunch will be pizza.

New Business: Erynn Lucas brought up the fact that since it appears that there are not enough workers among Club members for events such as coursing, why don't we hire someone to put on these events, like a show secretary? Discussion ensued and this was tabled as not feasible. The next meeting will be our Annual Meeting and will be held after the Wine and Cheese reception at the Specialty on 10/18. Discussion ensued regarding dates for the Christmas/Holiday Party, which will be held at Jean and Vince Balint's in Fairfield. December 5th or 6th were tentatively blocked out for this event, with a final decision to be made on the exact day at the Annual Meeting. Brags commenced.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:11 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Guin Borstel, Secretary.

## Annual Membership Meeting, 10/18/15 Pleasanton CA

Members present: Bruce Arnold, Susan Arnold, Jean Balint, Guin Borstel, Heather Borstel, Erin Campbell, Libby de Mille, Charlotte Fielder, Martha Fielder, Tina Graham, Jen Haas, Angela Hagen, Sarah Herrick, Justine Kay, Debby Knutson, Robert Lattuga, Kellee Livingston, Marrienne Lu, Erynn Lucas, Andrea Meyer, Chirleen Michelini, Bonnie Moore, Ed Odron, MJ Odron, Donna O'Toole, GeorgeAnn Proia, Don Proia, Rick Ragan, Kim Robinson, Sharron Simmons, Denise Stokowski, Duncan Waldrop, Jan Waldrop, Donna Wilhoyte, Todd Wilhoyte, Delia Zarges.

The meeting was called to order by President Briscoe at 2:57 PM. The minutes of the last meeting were approved by the membership present.

### Officer Reports:

President's Report: Thanks to MJ and Ed and their committee members for a wonderful Anniversary show. He reminded all of lure coursing next month.

Secretary's Report: No report.

Treasurer's Report: Kellee reported that the auction today made over 800 dollars. The bank balance, without the auction proceeds is close to 23 thousand dollars.

### Committee Reports:

Coursing: Tina reported that things are running a little late for the November event planning. By Monday the premium lists should be approved and sent out. Our judges are Jerry Alley (Saturday), Kathy Kelley (Sat/Sun), and Jayme Jones (Sunday only), with Linda Boe acting as a back-up if Kathy's health prevents her from judging.

Racing: Bonnie and Jean reported on the recent CWA meets. Both events were small but were a lot of fun, with all members present pitching in to make the weekend a success.

Rescue: Guin reported that Cassy was



A banner image featuring a wooden whippet sculpture in a planter box with green foliage. The text "Whippet Whispers by the Rover Reporter" is overlaid in a blue, stylized font.

# Whippet Whispers by the Rover Reporter

## All the News that's fit to Print!

*The NCWFA Gang did REALLY Well at our Specialty weekend...*

Pretty little Finis (Ed & MJ Odrón) was BW for her second major on Friday before our Specialty! She followed this up with another point in Dixon.

Ms. Vesper (Erin Campbell) was awarded BOB at the NCWFA Specialty show. Vesper was also BOB at the Friday Skyline show. Vesper is now in the whippet Top Ten!

Boss (Martha & Charlotte Fielder) was awarded SD on Friday to complete his GCh and went one better at the Specialty, winning BOS!

Niko (Kim Robinson & Rick Ragan) was WD at the Specialty! Sadly the entry was one off from a major, so this redhead is still looking for that finishing win.

The rest of the Kimera family (Erin Campbell) did great at our show. Deacon was Select Dog at the Specialty & his mother Maya was Best Veteran!

Tally (Justine Kay) was Select Bitch!

Veteran Hallie (Andrea Meyer) won Best in Veteran Sweeps!

Spiffy brindle Molly (co-owned with her breeder Lib-

by deMille) was Best in Puppy Sweeps!

Skye (Sharron Simmons), who is Vesper's sister, was RWB at the Friday show!

*There were some triumphs at racing...*

Pretty Peaches (Charlotte & Martha Fielder) was high combined both days at CWA racing. She also had a Top Ten finish each day. Her kennelmate Captain won an ARX point on Sunday. Woo Hoo Captain!

The Evil Sisters Miss Jane and Miss Bennett (Jean Balint) were back in fast form with two Top 10 finishes at our CWA races.

*NCWFA whippets win on the road...*

Carolina (Kellee Livingston) was RWB and Best BBE at the MAWA show in Atlanta, the same weekend as our Specialty.

*And our whippets excel in areas usually reserved for those pesky scenthounds...*

Mr. Comet's (Bonnie Moore) sniffer really works well. He got his NoseWork 1 title in October! Big Mo (Cheryl Boyer) also has a good sniffer and was awarded her NW1 title in November!

*ROVER hears a lot, but she can't know everything! To be sure your brags & news appears in the ROVER REPORTER please drop Rover an email at [milescross@gmail.com](mailto:milescross@gmail.com).*

*Meeting Minutes continued from page 3.*

placed the weekend of our CWA meets. Her name is now Cricket and she is living in San Francisco.

Show: MJ thanked all for their great efforts in making this a wonderful Specialty event.

SPEED/Website: No report.

Whippetbilia: Marrienne reported that she and Robert were briskly selling tickets for the Basket Raffle, with the drawing to be held tomorrow. She had sold several tee shirts.

Nominating Committee: MJ read the slate, which was also read at the previous meeting. Brad asked for nominations from the floor, of which there were none. The slate was accepted by acclamation.

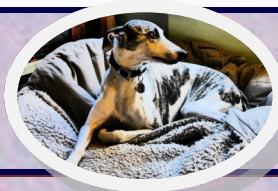
Old Business:

Jubilee: Debby reported on the Jubilee dinner, which was wonderful. Marrienne and Bonnie won the gold jewelry. Everyone had a great time. The Fun Day was also a success. Missy Waldrop was the winning whippet with the highest number of points accumulated at the Fun Day events.

New Business: Dr John Fitzpatrick stopped by to report that at the 2016 Mensona KC in August the Podengo Club will be bringing in two FCI foreign judges for their National Specialty. One of the judges is also a whippet breeder. If we wish to support the whippet entry at these shows, we can let him know early in 2016. We will discuss this opportunity at a later meeting. Kellee was thanked by Jean for all her years of service as race secretary and Treasurer and wished her luck in North Carolina. Erynn Lucas reported on a promising possible coursing field in Ripon. Tina will arrange to look at the field in the spring. Jean asked if shelves could be put into the trailer, since currently loading it is a huge issue after every event and she felt that shelves would speed the packing process. Discuss-

*Meeting Minutes continued on page 5.*

# Club News and Notes Pages



## Recommended Veterinarians

The following veterinarians are recommended by the members listed as reputable whippet/light hound 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. Craig Brown, DVM

*Look Ahead Veterinary Clinic*

1451 Clark Road  
Oroville, CA. 95965  
530-534-0722

Endorser: Libby de Mille

### Dr. S. Gary Brown, DVM,

DACVS

1618 Washington Blvd.  
Fremont, CA 94539  
510-657-6343

Endorsers: Libby de Mille  
& Justine Kay

### Dr. Lauren Knoble, DVM

& Dr. Eleanor Dunn DVM

*Grand Lake Veterinary Clinic*

3331 Grand Avenue.  
Oakland, CA. 94610  
510-350-8538

Endorsers: Brad Briscoe &  
Susan Moore

### Dr. Nancy Ramsey DVM

Winters, CA

530-795-5243

Specialty: House calls in  
Sacramento, Davis, Fair-  
field, Vacaville area

Endorser: Sarah Herrick

### Drs. Conner & Thompson

*Camino Real Pet Clinic*

1317 Bayswater Avenue  
Burlingame, CA 94010  
650-344-5711

Endorser: Judy Benson

### Dr. Richard Keinle, DVM,

DACVIM

*Mission Valley Veterinary Cardiology*

1810 Wayland Lane  
Gilroy, CA 95020 (also  
practices @ BAVS, San  
Leandro, CA /510-483-  
7387)

408-842-2899;

[rdkeinle@garlic.com](mailto:rdkeinle@garlic.com)

Specialty: Cardiology  
Endorsers: Guin Borstel &  
Brad Briscoe

### Loomis Basin Veterinary Clinic

3901 Sierra College Blvd.  
Loomis, CA 95650  
916-652-5816

Specialty: 24 Hour Special-  
ty Clinic

Endorser: Libby deMille

### Dr. William St. Lawrence DVM

*Village Square Veterinary Hospital*

884 Portola Rd.  
Portola Valley, CA 94028  
650-851-3244

Endorsers: Guin Borstel &  
Kellee Livingston

### Dr. Lori Siemens, DVM,

### DACVIM

[www.healinghearts.net](http://www.healinghearts.net)

PO Box 1898  
Diamond Springs, CA  
95619

916-254-0399

Specialty: Cardiology

Endorser: Delia Zarges

### Blue Ravine Animal Hospi- tal

421 Blue Ravine Rd. Suite  
300

Folsom, CA 95630

916-984-0990

Fax 916-984-6510

Endorser: Libby de Mille

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Specialty: Cardiology

Endorsers: Guin Borstel &  
Kellee Livingston

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ian that you just love?  
Ask them if they want to  
be on our list. It's great  
marketing for them  
AND it helps your fellow  
whippet fanciers find a  
trusted, sighthound-  
savvy practitioner!*

## NCWFA Breeder Listing

Available pups/adults as of 11/15/15. For more current info, please check <http://newfa.com/breeders-listing>

*(If you have a puppy or adult to place, or if you want your information listed as a contact, you MUST contact Guin, the webmistress, in order to have your listing activated at [newfainfo@gmail.com](mailto:newfainfo@gmail.com) or 415-826-8853. Your listing will appear on the Website & in SPEED until you contact Guin to change it.)*

NCWFA Member	Puppies?	Adults?	Information?
<b>Guin Borstel</b> <i>Milescross Whippets</i> <a href="mailto:milescross@gmail.com">milescross@gmail.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Brad Briscoe &amp; Denise Stokowski</b> <i>Lakota Whippets</i> 510.339.7427 <a href="mailto:briscoebrad@msn.com">briscoebrad@msn.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Erin Campbell</b> <i>Kimera Whippets</i> 408.248.3844 / 408.496.6469 <a href="mailto:Erin@houndtogs.com">Erin@houndtogs.com</a>	YES	NO	YES
<b>Cheryl Boyer</b> <i>Avita Whippets</i> 650.361.1770 <a href="mailto:ccboyer@gmail.com">ccboyer@gmail.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Libby deMille</b> <i>Taliesin Whippets</i> <a href="mailto:taliesinwhippets@aol.com">taliesinwhippets@aol.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Martha Fielder</b> <i>Crestfield Hounds</i> 707.252.1404 <a href="mailto:charlottefielder@me.com">charlottefielder@me.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Frank Herald</b> <i>WhippetShire</i> 530.367.3088 <a href="mailto:voyagers@sebastiancorp.net">voyagers@sebastiancorp.net</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Andrea Meyer</b> <i>Santa Rosa, CA</i> <a href="mailto:alynnmyr@gmail.com">alynnmyr@gmail.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Mary Jean &amp; Ed Odrón</b> <i>Hounds of Majeod</i> <a href="mailto:majeod@aol.com">majeod@aol.com</a>	NO	NO	YES
<b>Sharron Simmons</b> <i>Nipomo, CA</i> <a href="mailto:sadewhip@hotmail.com">sadewhip@hotmail.com</a>	NO	NO	YES

sion revolved around the advisability of the Club purchasing a new trailer. Debby asked the Board to meet later to discuss shelves or a trailer purchase, so as not to take up more meeting time on this. President-elect Debby Knutson thanked Brad for his many years of service as President and also for pulling trailer for all those years. Brags ensued.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:35 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Guin Borstel Secretary.

# NCWFA 2015 Title Holders

**Wirtu's Full of Zeal, NW 1 - Bonnie Moore**  
*NoseWork 1 title awarded in October 2015.*

**DC Avita Moet & Chandon, CAVX, MC, FCh, TD, CD, RA, CGC, CL1-H,S,F, RATO, NW1 - Cheryl Boyer**  
*Rat Open title awarded in September 2015.*  
*NoseWork 1 title awarded in November 2015.*

**CH. Princeton's Back In The Saddle - Angela Hagen**  
*AKC Championship title awarded in June 2015.*

**GCH. Endeavor's Tequila Sunrise at Taliesin - Justine Kay**  
*AKC Grand Championship title awarded in June 2015.*

**CH. Windborn's At Your Service - Erynn Lucas**  
*AKC Championship title awarded in June 2015.*

**FC. Kindred Night Music, MC - Mimi Dygert**  
*AKC Field Championship title awarded in May 2015.*

**UKC & IABCA CH Kettlecove N Hamrya Leaping Lily RE, NF, OAJ, SC,CA,CGC,NW2, BN, CLT1-R,CLT1-H, CLT1-F, CLT1-S, CLT2-F, CLT2-H - Sandy Holley**  
*AKC Rally Excellent title awarded in May 2015.*  
*AKC Agility Open Agility Jumpers title awarded in May 2015.*

**CH. Sportingfields Secret Valentine SC - Marrienne Lu**  
*AKC Championship title awarded in May 2015.*

**CH. Northwind's River Myst de Sud - Andrea Meyer**  
*AKC Championship title awarded in April 2015.*

**GCH. Crestfield Reigning Monarch - Charlotte & Martha Fielder**  
*AKC Championship title awarded in April 2015.*  
*AKC Grand Championship awarded in October 2015.*

**GCH. Kimera Vesper Lynd - Erin Campbell**  
*AKC Championship title awarded in January 2015.*  
*AKC Grand Championship title awarded in April 2015.*

**Avita Cinq a Sept, SC, CGC, RATN - Cheryl Boyer**  
*Rat Novice Title awarded in December 2014.*

**FC Crestfield Prince Valiant SC—Susan & Bruce Arnold**  
*AKC Field Championship awarded in November 2014.*

***Congratulations All!***



# Rescue Round Up

**CASSY**— Cassy was the whippet that was seized by Animal Control in Redding from the substandard breeder up that way, as evidence of neglect. Duncan Waldrop picked up Cassy, who was then called Sassy, and her son, Oliver from Shasta County Animal Control back in May. Cassy was fostered by Kim & Rick, while Sarah Herrick fostered little Ollie. Ollie found a home after two months of socialization (he really needed it!) from Sarah with a wonderful family in South Lake Tahoe, but Cassy stayed with Kim and Rick as the months passed.

To most of us, it looked like Kim and Rick had gotten themselves another whippet. Cass-Cass was pretty perfect in every way. She never even looked at the fence at the Robinson/Ragan home, although she was an obvious flight risk - fence jumper when she was brought into rescue. Kim worked diligently to get Cassy to a good weight and heal up the scars on her neck, which were the result of an untreated staph infection. Cassy loved all of the other whippets at Kim and Rick's and even played gently with the old blind Bichon. And if she jumped on the counters sometimes to see what was up there, well, who was telling? ;-)

As the months passed, we tried to find the perfect home for this perfect girl, but none of our applicants were just right for her. There was always something that wasn't a fit. I knew that the Universe would bring the right home for Cassy to us, if we just waited and were open.

One evening back in early September, I received an application at the rescue email address. This is not an unusual

occurrence as we get about four applications emailed per month. I scanned it quickly and noticed that the applicants lived in San Francisco. I read further and realized these were former NCWFA members who owned two whippets from a breeder I had known really

well, Wendy Gay. In fact, their first whippet was related to mine. As I read on and saw that they were open to any age whip-

pet, had lots of experience with the breed, and I remembered them as being really nice people, I got more and more excited. Was this the home we had been looking for?

I got an almost immediate response to my email to Gaelen and we made arrangements to speak further. Both Kim and I and Gaelen really hit it off. I didn't want to jinx things, but I was really starting to think this home was "the one" for Cassy. Gaelen and her partner Adam came to the fun day with their senior whippet, Chase, and it was love at first sight with Cassy. I did a home check later that week, and they picked up Cass-Cass at the race meet the following Saturday.

Cassy, who has now been christened Cricket (Gaelen and Adam have a very close human friend named Cassie, and they thought this might prove confusing for all concerned), is a true city dog, going to the office near City Hall, taking daily walks with the dog walker bunch to GG Park and the beach, strolling to cafes on the weekend, and of course holding down the bed at home. She has given old Chase a new lease on life, as well.

I know it was hard for Kim and Rick to let this very special girl go, but Miss Cricket is living the life of Riley in SF!



# Race Report by Jean Balint

The NCWFA can once again pat themselves on the back and say we had another great CWA race weekend. The Saturday meet was low in entries but high in quality. The dogs all ran like super stars and enjoyed it greatly. Each one of them thought they had won the meet. However, the actual meet winner was Lucky, owned by a very happy Leslie Rosko. Second, third and fourth were Lucky's litter mates, Strega, Ranger and Cosmo. Fifth and sixth places went to the evil sisters, Miss Bennett and Miss Jane. Handsome Captain ran hard and finished seventh. First time entered and also High Score Combined was Charlotte and Martha Fielder's beautiful little bitch, Peaches. Rounding out the top ten were two lovely Whippets, Missy and Niko. Congratulations to their proud owners.

The match was judged by Debby Knutson. Debby did a great job and found four absolutely exquisite competitors, Peaches, Missy, Tally and Thomas.

I would like to extend a very big thank you to Todd Willhoyte who came out just to run the lure for us. He did a great job and we are most grateful to him for giving up his Saturday to come and help at the meet.

Sunday's meet was another fun and enjoyable day of racing. Again our meet was won by a strong running Lucky. His litter mates Strega and Ranger were second and third. Miss Bennett turned in another good performance and finished fourth and sister Jane was fifth. Consistent running Captain was sixth and dear Harley was seventh. Rounding out the top ten were, pretty boy Zenith, Peaches, and FTE Boss. Peaches was again our High Score combined in meet. She had a truly great weekend.

Tina Graham was our match judge and she found four absolutely lovely competitors. Boss was first, Peaches second, Missy third and Thomas fourth. I should mention that the first three were all Crestfield Whippets.

Now it is time for me to thank a truly outstanding team of workers. Because of their hard work and dedication to the club the weekend was a great success. I will begin by thanking Jen Haas who did an incredible job of heading up the set up crew, take down, loading the trailer, helping everyone run dogs and donating all the beautiful trophies for both meets. I give her the MVW award (Most Valuable Worker). Other valuable workers were, Robert, our great lure operator, and Kim who ran the paddock, the practices, and also helped with the boxes. Debby Knutson who for both days was our head finish-line judge and also our conformation judge on Saturday. She had a great team of Guin, Andrea, Jan, and Barbara Lawson. Many thanks to you all for doing an outstanding job. Tina Graham was a tremendous help doing anything that was asked of her. She was a great asset to our team. Other members who worked really hard and deserve many kudos were Rick Ragan, Duncan, Steve, Marriane, Rick Knutson and non-member, Jack Pulley, for running the boxes. Brad thank you so much for bringing the trailer and taking it back to storage. I now have to give a very big thank you to my Darling David, who came out both days with his ATV to do lure return. It really keeps the meet moving and we are able to finish in a timely manner. My last thank you goes to our wonderful race secretary, Bonnie Moore and her assistant Charlotte Fielder. They work beautifully together and have the board set up perfectly for each program. We are lucky to have gotten such a competent person to run our meets. Kellee Livingston picked a good replacement when she retired as the NCWFA race secretary.

Again my thanks and my gratitude to you all.



## Saturday Match Winners



## Sunday Match Winners



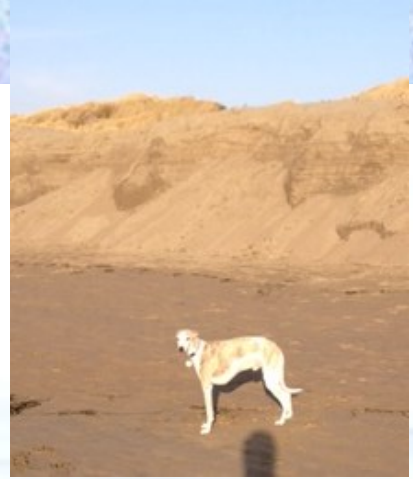
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Robert Lattuga  
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Kim Robinson





## On the Cover

# The Indomitable Shadow



"Early this year, Shadow was diagnosed with a subdermal hemangiosarcoma on his right rear paw. At the end of February, the mass was surgically removed at a specialty clinic. In early April, Shadow underwent one round of ill-advised chemotherapy as well as electrochemotherapy at the same clinic. As a result of the latter, the treated site became necrotic (the skin died) and Shadow started to go down. The incomparable Eleanor Dunn, Shadow's long-time vet, was shocked to see the extent of the damage to Shadow's skin and took action immediately. She painstakingly debrided the tissue (a very painful process which is done under a local anesthetic and needed to be repeated several times), and tenderly wrapped Shadow's very raw skin (think third-degree burn) in a bandage saturated with manuka honey. I am convinced that Dr. Dunn saved his life as, shortly thereafter, Shadow began to rally.

Shadow's resilience was a pleasure to behold, and he has recovered beautifully from his ordeal. As of this writing, Shadow shows no evidence of cancer. He is a happy 12-year-old who loves his romps at Pt. Isabel and Avila Beach, his part-whippet brother, Dominic, his many treats, his naps, and his humans. He communicates his contentment in the nonverbal conversations we have when I look into his soulful eyes, and he steadily gazes back at me with a beautiful and satisfied smile on his face.

Shadow is very deeply loved and brings immense joy to my life. I feel extraordinarily blessed by his presence, and for each and every moment that I get to share with my wonderful whippet!"

**Susan Moore**



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# NCWFA 20th Specialty



BOB  
"Vesper" in  
the Group  
ring.



Best in  
Sweeps  
"Molly"



It's a  
"wrap"!  
Packing  
up the  
ring  
markers

The NCWFA's 20th Specialty Show was a rousing success and a good time was had by all! The weather was great, beautiful whippets abounded, and we enjoyed a wonderful lunch and wine and cheese after the show.

The 20th Anniversary Silent Auction made over \$900 this year and the Basket Raffle (in its second year) brought in over \$350. All proceeds are evenly split between the General Fund and Rescue.

Let's do it all again next year in October!

## It's Membership Renewal Time!

Your 2016 NCWFA Membership is due for renewal by January 1st, 2016. Checks, made payable to "NCWFA", can be sent to Guin Borstel, 4745 25th St, San Francisco, CA 94114 or you can renew your membership online at [www.ncwfa.com](http://www.ncwfa.com).

- ☐ Active Membership Renewal - \$20.00 (Eligible to vote and hold office)
- ☐ Dual Active Membership Renewal - \$40.00 (2 members, same household. Eligible to vote and hold office)
- ☐ Associate Membership Renewal - \$15.00 (Cannot vote or hold office)
- ☐ Dual Associate Membership Renewal - \$30.00 (2 members, same household. Cannot vote or hold office)



# NCWFA 20th Annual Specialty Show & Sweepstakes - Results

## **Puppy Sweepstakes (3 - 8) - Judge: Mr. Curtis Freeling**

Best in Sweeps: TALIESIN TRUE COLORS. 04-04-14 By Ch Cariad's The Full Monty - GCH Sporting Fields Naughty By Nature SC. Owner: Anne Mayea & Libby De Mille & Mandy Clevenger. Breeder: Libby De Mille & Mandy Clevenger.

BOS in Sweeps: SUMMIT FLIGHT OF THE PHOENIX. 03-27-15 By Festiva Dance With Dragons At Summit - Ch Summit Hoop Dreams. Owner: Brian Crowle & Noulai Crowle & Susan Vernon. Breeder: Susan Vernon.

## **Veteran Sweepstakes (4) - Judge: Mr. Curtis Freeling**

Best in Veteran Sweepstakes: CH RIVER NYMPH DE SUD. 09-22-05 By Ch Ableaim I Wanna Talk About Me JC - Ch Calico Sphinx De Sud. Owner: Andrea Meyer & Katharine Armato. Breeder: Katharine Armato & Jimmy Cabailo.

## **Specialty Classes (9 - 24 -15 [9 - 6], 1 - 3) - Judge: Ms. Katrina Hamilton**

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

RWD: SUMMIT FLIGHT OF THE PHOENIX. 03-27-15 By Festiva Dance With Dragons At Summit - Ch Summit Hoop Dreams. Owner: Brian Crowle & Noulai Crowle & Susan Vernon. Breeder: Susan Vernon.

WB & BW: WINWAY SOCIALITE. 03-09-14 By Ch Starline Sovereign - GCH Winway Redford With A Splash. Owner: Dr Susan Fosnot & Valerie Nunes Atkinson. Breeder: Owners.

RWB & BP: JOMYR CAREFREE SUNSHINE. 11-28-14 By Ch Summit Foxglove To Infinity & Beyond - Ch Jomyr Deco What's In A Name. Owner: Mandy Clevenger & Stephanie House. Breeder: Dr A Todd Miller & Susan Vernon & Rachel Gongre.

BOB: GCH KIMERA VESPER LYND. 09-17-13 By Ch Kimera Oracle Of Watch Me - GCH Kimera Under The Mayan Sun. Bitch. Owner: Erin Campbell DVM & Stephanie House & Kathy Thomas, Santa Clara. Breeder: Erin Campbell DVM.

BOS: CH CRESTFIELD REIGNING MONARCH JC. 04-08-14 By Ch Starline's Sovereign - GCH Crestfield She's Sno Angel. Dog. Owner: Martha Fielder & Charlotte Fielder. Breeder: Martha Fielder & Charlotte Fielder.

SD: GCH DE KOTANS SUNDAY SERMON. 05-24-09 By Ch Parfiat's Tall Dark And Handsome - GCH Kimera Under The Mayan Sun. Dog. Owner: Erin Campbell DVM. Breeder: Erin Campbell DVM.

SB: GCH 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. Bitch. Owner: Justine Kay, Alameda. Breeder: Libby De Mille & Linda Stewart & Thomas Bankstahl.

AOM: (CH)SUMMIT MAGIC TRICKS. 05-11-14 By Ch Festiva's Best Dressed Hottie - Ch Summit Hoop Dreams. Dog. Owner: Susan Vernon. Breeder: Susan Vernon & A Todd Miller.

Best BBE: ONYXX WILD THING. 02-24-14 By GCH DC Endeavor's Kick Off At Meisterhaus SC - Ch Onyx Wild One. Owner: Lynn C & William M Weller. Breeder: Lynn C & William M Weller.

Best Veteran: GCH KIMERA UNDER THE MAYAN SUN. 06-12-05 By Ch Endeavor's Topaz At Glenmadda - Ch Morlais Ticket To Ride. Owner: Erin Campbell DVM. Breeder: Erin Campbell DVM & Kim White.

\* NCWFA Member Dogs in BLUE.

# 50th Anniversary Jubilee Dinner



The NCWFA celebrated its 50th Anniversary with a fun dinner at the Cast Iron Grill in Suisun City. Almost 30 members attended this wonderful event, that was planned by Debby Knutson.

The lucky winners of the two gold and gemstone whip-pet pendants were Marrienne Lu & Bonnie Moore.

*Photos (from top left): Founding members Martha Fielder & Jean Balint. Hostess with the Mostest Debby Knutson. Justine Kay, Julie Nunes & Guin Borstel on the "catwalk". Happy dinner guests. Even happier dinner guests.*



# NCWFA Jubilee Fun Day



The NCWFA Jubilee Fun Day was held on Sunday, September 20th in Fairfield at Solano College. Over 40 whip-pets and mostly whippets competed in five different events, including Bobbing for Hotdogs, the Ball Toss, Find the Liver Under the Blanket, and the Agility Tunnel. Topping all the competitors on this hot day was Missy owned by Duncan & Jan Waldrop. Missy, also known as BeBe, has obviously missed her calling as a liver detection dog!

Thanks to Jean Balint & Jen Haas, who planned this fun, fun day! It was too bad the weather was so very hot and we had to cancel Rag Racing, but the dogs really enjoyed the other events.





# Dash (through the snow) To the NCWFA Holiday Party!



**Sunday, January 3rd  
1 ~ 5 PM @ Jean Balint's**

**Food, Plaques & Fun in Fairfield!**

**Please RSVP with your potluck dish by Monday,  
December 28th to**

**Jean @ 707-425-3314 or [jean\\_balint@icloud.com](mailto:jean_balint@icloud.com).**

**Directions to 2037 San Luis St, Fairfield, CA 94533**

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Turn R onto Dover Ave. Turn R onto San Lorenzo St. Turn  
R onto San Luis St.***

Save the Date - Xmas Party 1/3/16!



**Come to the next NCWFA Meeting, which  
will be at the Xmas Party @ Jean Balint's  
on Sunday, January 3rd from 1-5.  
Info inside!**

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