



# THE MIDWEST BORZOI CLUB BULLETIN

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**Our thanks to Barbara Danieli, for the many hours she spent, over several years, doing a great job as the MBC recording secretary.**

### ***Future MBC EVENTS - pending AKC approval -***

Sunday May 25, 2014, MBC designated **Specialty** at the Kalamazoo kennel club show, outdoors, at the fairgrounds in Kalamazoo Michigan. Borzoi breed judge Shirley McFadden (Svora Borzoi). Borzoi puppy & veteran Sweepstakes judge Gary Nash (Frostfire). Non-regular classes for Veterans, Stud Dogs and Brood Bitches. Each Puppy and Veteran Sweeps entry will get a \$5 cash prize plus a toy, as well as money for any sweeps win. Part of a 5 day cluster of 5 all-breed shows. Borzoi trophy supported entries Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Monday. For trophy list, see the Midwest Borzoi Club website [www.midwestborzoiclub.org](http://www.midwestborzoiclub.org) MBF superintendent.

Saturday August 9, 2014, MBC concurrent Specialty show at the Cudahy all-breed show, Grant park, South Milwaukee Wisconsin. Borzoi judge Patricia Murphy (Oaklara Borzoi), sweeps judge Veni Harlan. August 10, 2014, MBC trophy supported entry at the Racine show. Roy Jones superintendent.

Sunday, May 17, 2015, MBC Independent Specialty, indoors, at Sawmill Creek Resort, Huron Ohio (on the shores of Lake Erie). To be held the day after the Borzoi Club of America's National Specialty (same site). Borzoi judge: TBD. Sweepstakes judge: TBD. Show Secretary: TBD.

**MBC Specialty** at the Lima kennel club show, November 16, 2013. Judge Prudence Hlatky. 4 class males, 15 class bitches, 2 veteran bitches, 8 male specials, 5 bitch specials shown.

**Best of Breed: GCH Aashtoria Wildhunt Hidden Agenda CGC**, HP 23793001, 11-15-06 By Ch Mascha's Nepal Of The Wild Hunt SC - Ch Svora's Secret Rendezvous JC, Dog. Breeder: Robin Riel & G Ariel Duncan. Owner: Robin & Charles Riel & Stuart McGraw.

**Best Opposite Sex: CH Melockoff's Status Symbol**, HP 22787706. 07-19-06 By Ch Melockoff's Soul Man - Anuschka Od Nebeskeho Rybnika JC. Bitch. Breeder/Owner: Gale D Snoddy.

**Select Dog: GCH Laureate Adrienne Executive Decision At Mystique**, HP 33926104. 04-06-09 By Ch Blackmoor Dust In The Wind - Ch Laureate Adrienne Learning To Fly. Dog. Breeder: Monica E Barry & Jan A Leikam. Owner: Ameera Hoffman & Raphael Finkelstein.

**Select Bitch/Best Veteran: GCH Auroral Rising Star Iroquois**, HP 22820304. 09-01-06 By Ch Auroral's Across Time Sirius - Ch Rising Star's Liberty Bell. Bitch. Breeder: Nadine Johnson. Owner: Jon & Jenni Steele.

**Award of Merit: CH Auroral's Artemus**, HP 32925001. 12-18-08 By Ch Auroral's Ajax - GCH Auroral's Rising Star Iroquois. Dog. Breeder/owner: Jon & Jennifer Steele.

**Award of Merit: GCH Chihawk Echovesna I Luv You**, HP 37769102. 04-11-10 By Echovesna Koral Good Vibrations - Ch Echovesna Chihawk First Luv. Bitch. Breeder: Breeder: Tami Marshall & Harriet Goldner & Peggy Marshall. Owner: Tami & Peggy Marshall.

**Award of Merit: CH Aruzia Moonstone Of Rivervue**, HP 38370803. 08-13-10 By GCH Aruzia Priority One JC - GCH Borscana Coyote Letrans JC. Dog. Breeder: Lorrie & John Scott. Owner: Virginia E Jones.

**Award of Merit: CH Eclipse Save Me Superman**, HP 38596402. 07-05-10 By DC Teine Windmaster Of Foxwood SC - Ch Katz Capricious Charm JC. Bitch. Breeder/Owner: Christopher Moyer & Kelly Brunarski.

6 - 9 Month Puppy Dog.  
1 & **Reserve Winners Dog. Akanni's Gryllus On Aeaea**, HP 45323606. 05-05-13 By Ch Howff Carbonel Bakai - Teine Bat Out Of Hell. Breeder: Amy Balthrop & Anne Midgarden, owner: Amy Balthrop & Michael McKeen.

Amateur-Owner- Handler Dog.  
1. Teine India Ink, HP 37444606. 03-22-10 By Ch Teine Intrepid JC - FC Teine Singularity SC. Breeder: Anne Midgarden, Owner: Cathy L Canaday-Craft & Anne Midgarden.

Bred By Exhibitor Dog  
1. **Winner Dog. Melockoff's Wayward Heart**. HP 36669102. 12-19-09 By Phaedra Ederlezi - Ch Leicro's Russian Ztargirl JC. Breeder/Owner: Gale D Snoddy.

Open Dog.  
1. Coquetel the Bard, YL440242CAN. 06-07-11 By Ch Blackmoor Kallisto - Ch Coquetel Ode To Belskaya. Breeder: John & Julia Munro. Owner: John Munro & Julia Munro & Genevieve Munro.

6 - 9 Puppy Bitch.  
1. C'Lestial All That Glitters, HP 45234605. 05-12-13 By C'Lestial Pure Perfection - Romal Opel. . Breeder: Patricia J Sullivan & Liz Green. Owner: Liz Green & Amy Balthrop.

2. Akanni's Atargatis On Sirenuse, HP 45323605. 05-05-13 By Ch Howff Carbonel Bakai - Teine Bat Out Of Hell. Breeder: Amy Balthrop & Anne Midgarden. Owner: Amy Balthrop & Michael McKeen.

9 - 12 Month Bitch.  
1. Avalyn's Nikita Dream Catcher, HP 44700903. 02-12-13 By Majenkir Bookstor Fyodor Fine Art - Avalyn Everything My Heart Desires. Breeder: Lynne Bennett & Rachel Bennett. Owner: Barbaranne Benjamin & Lynne Bennett.

12 - 18 Month Bitch.  
1. Starswift American Dream. HP 44209803. 11-11-12 By DC Teine Twist Of Fate SC - GCH DC Avalon Victoria Cross BN RN SC. Breeder/Owner: Jamie Bobrowski.

Bred By Exhibitor Bitch.  
1. Chihawk Dream Enchantress, HP 40623505. 03-25-11 By GCH Aashtoria Wildhunt 4 Your I's Only - CH Chihawk Stealing Home JC. Breeder/Owner: Tami & Peggy Marshall.

2. Starswift Lightning Quick JC, HP 41803107. 11-09-11 By FC Silkswift Black Lightning CGC SC - Teine Geneva. Breeder/Owner: Jamie Bobrowski.

3. Coquetel The Lyricist, YL434988CAN. 06-07-11 By Ch Blackmoor Kallisto - Ch Coquetel Ode To Belskaya. Breeder/Owner: John & Julia Munro.

Open Bitch.  
1. **Winners Bitch/Best of Winners: Majenkir The Sorceress Of Avalyn**, HP 21517101. 06-04-06 By Ch Majenkir Tretiak Of Avalyn - Ch Majenkir My Faith Of Avalyn SC. Breeder: Lynne Bennett & Karen Staudt-Cartabona. Owner: Lynne Bennett & Rachel Bennett.

2. **Reserve Winners Bitch: Riju Flying High Yoshi**, HP 41189101. 07-14-11 By Ch Riju Teine Fun & Games CD RN JC - Ch Teine Lunar Eclipse CD RN. Breeder: June Mintchell & Sandra Hilbert. Owner: Sandra Hilbert & Tyler Hilbert.

3. Dipaul's Calamity Jane, HP 32633802. 07-03-08 By Ch Rising Star DiPauls Brigadoon - Ch Rising Star On The Wings Of A Dove. Breeder/Owner: Paul & Diane Spohn.

4. Nickolai Khurik Mystral Wind At Highgarden, HP 41000104. 06-17-11 By DC Teine Nicolaus Copernicus SC - Ch Nickolai Olovo Alyss CD. Breeder: Bonnie Nichols. Owner: Amy & Charles Sikula.

7 & Under 10 Years Bitches.

1. CH Auroral Rising Star Iroquois, HP 22820304. 09-01-06 By Ch Auroral's Across Time Sirius - Ch Rising Star's Liberty Bell. Bitch. Breeder: Nadine Johnson. Owner: Jon & Jenni Steele.

2. GCH Coquetel ode To Belskaya, HP 20131501. 08-20-05 By Nickolai Gambler Clairidge - Coquetel Invite To Eternity. Breeder/Owner: Julia & John Munro.

**Puppy Sweepstakes.** Judge Barbara Danieli. 1 puppy dog and 3 puppy bitches shown.

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12 - 18 Month Bitch. **Best In Puppy Sweepstakes. Starswift American Dream.** HP 44209803. 11-11-12 By DC Teine Twist Of Fate SC - GCH DC Avalon Victoria Cross BN RN SC. Breeder/Owner: Jamie Bobrowski.

**Veteran Sweepstakes.** Judge Barbara Danieli. 3 veteran bitches shown.

**Best In Veteran Sweepstakes: GCH Frostfire Amulet**, HP 19825603. 01-12-06 By Ch Majenkir Talisman - Ch Borscana Secret Sphere. Breeder: Dr Gary Nash, Owner: Dr Gary E Nash & Michelene Nash.

2. GCH Coquetel ode To Belskaya, HP 20131501. 08-20-05 By Nickolai Gambler Clairidge - Coquetel Invite To Eternity. Breeder/Owner: Julia & John Munro.

3. Aria's Corinth At Windrift JC RN, HP 18467508. 10-03-05 By DC Kirov Desperado At Aria LCX RN - DC Svoras Whirlaway SC. Breeder: Rita Rice & Richard Terry. Owner: Nancy Reimer & K C Artley

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MBC TSE at the Dayton Kennel club show, November 15, 2013. judge Amy Sorbie. 5 class males, 11 class bitches, 5 male specials, 5 bitch specials shown.

**Best of Breed: GCH Sylvan Silver Springbok**, HP 37438802. 04-11-10 By Ch Steppelands Final Mikhail Of Abidjan - GCH Sylvan Vitrina Finian's Rainbow JC. Bitch. Breeder/Owner: Christopher & Patti Neale.

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**Winners Bitch** from the Bred By Exhibitor class: **Majenkir The Sorceress Of Avalyn**, HP 21517101. 06-04-06 By Ch Majenkir Tretiak Of Avalyn - Ch Majenkir My Faith Of Avalyn SC. Breeder: Lynne Bennett & Karen Staudt-Cartabona. Owner: Lynne Bennett & Rachel Bennett.

**Winners Dog/Best of Winners** from the open class: **Lothlorien Make Mine Black Zharkov**, HP 33749401. 01-18-09 By Ch Lothlorien Darius Zharkov - Teine Cosmic Connection. Breeder: Katie Kaltenborn & Shirri Peak. Owner: Anne Midgarden & Katie Kaltenborn.

**Reserve Winners Dog** from the BBE class: **Riju Fun & Games JC**, HP 41189102. 07-14-11 By Ch Riju Teine Fun & Games JC CDX RA - Ch Teine Lunar Eclipse CD RN. Breeder: June Mintchell & Sandra Hilbert. Owner: June & Rich Mintchell.

**Reserve Winners Bitch** from the open class: **Riju Flying High Yoshi**, HP 41189101. 07-14-11 By Ch Riju Teine Fun & Games CD RN JC - Ch Teine Lunar Eclipse CD RN. Breeder: June Mintchell & Sandra Hilbert. Owner: Sandra Hilbert & Tyler Hilbert.

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## **FINALS - Top 10 - AKC Coursing Trials, 1 September 2012 - 31 August 2013**

(43 dogs owned by MBC member competing).

1. DC Oxota Avalon Tanforan O'Starswift SC - Jamie Bobrowski & Leonore Abordo, 45 points.
  2. FC Teine Art Deco SC - Anne Midgarden, 39 points.
  3. FC Windrift Edge Of Night MC LCX FCH - Jon & Nancy Reimer, 34 points.
  4. Windrift Tahoe Comic Relief SC FCH - Jon & Nancy Reimer 28 points.
  5. FC C'Lestial Wild & Wonderful Of Ryhka MC LCX LCM2 - Diana Darling & L. Green, 27 points.
  6. (tie). FC Konstantin's Summer Breeze, Karen Haberkorn, 23 points.
  6. (tie) FC C'Lestial Starlight Express @ Ryhka SC FCH ORC - Diana Darling & Liz Green, 23 points.
  8. (tie) FC C'Lestial Beau Sancy At Starswift SC FCH GRC ORC - Jamie Bobrowski & V. Lang, 18 points.
  8. (tie) GCH La Verite Texas Hold 'Em SC - Pat Hardy, 18 points.
  10. Windrift Tahoe Celebration SC - Jon & Nancy Reimer, 15 points.
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## **FINALS - Obedience & Rally Rankings, 1 September 2012 through 31 August 2013**

### Beginner Novice

1. Ch Calaron Charley's Angel UDX, RE, SC, Karen Haberkorn, 1 score, average score 196.5.
2. Highgarden Teine Septimus Severus FCH, Marilyn Kivela, 1 score, average score 191.
3. CH Aruzia Bright Moon Over Tahoe CGC, RN, JC, SC, BN, Steve & KC Artley, 3 scores, average score 178.3.

### Open

1. CH Rijju Teine Fun & Games CDX, RA, JC, Rich & June Mintchell, 6 scores, average score 196.6.
2. CH Paradise Spirit Me N'Bobby Mcgee CDX, RAE, Karen Haberkorn, 4 scores, average score 194.4.
3. CH Rijju Teine Catch Me If You Can CDX, RA, JC, June Mintchell & Anne Midgarden, 2 scores, average score 193.3

### Novice Obedience

1. DC Teine Rainbow Glacier CD, RN, Anne Midgarden, 3 scores, average score 195.7.
2. GCH DC Aria's Aramon At Tahoe CGC, CD, BN, RE, JC, SC, FCH, Steve & KC Artley, 1 score, average score 180.

### Rally-Novice.

1. DC Teine Rainbow Glacier CD, RN, Anne Midgarden, 2 scores, average score 99.5.
2. Windrift Tahoe Catch A Star RN, Steve & KC Artley, 2 scores, average score 94.5.
3. CH Aruzia Bright Moon Over Tahoe CGC, RN, JC, SC, BN, Steve & KC Artley, 6 scores, average score 87.2.

### Rally-Advanced.

1. CH Paradise Spirit Me N'Bobby Mcgee CDX, RAE, Karen Haberkorn, 11 scores, average score 97.5.
2. CH Windrift Elizabeth At Tahoe CGC, JC, SC, RE, BN, Steve & KC Artley, 2 scores, average score 74.

### Rally-Excellent.

1. CH Paradise Spirit Me N'Bobby Mcgee CDX, RAE, Karen Haberkorn, 4 scores, average score 94.3.
  2. CH Windrift Elizabeth At Tahoe CGC, JC, SC, RE, BN, Steve & KC Artley, 4 scores, average score 74.25.
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## **MEMBER NEWS**

### **Steve & KC Artley // Tahoe:**

In conformation, Windrift Tahoe Catch A Star won a 4 point major at the Licking River Ohio show, handled by Steve, and 2 more points at the Agathon show, handled by KC. "Rachel" also earned her rally-novice title.

## **Ginger Jones // Rivervue**

I do have a bit of exciting news here at Rivervue. The end of August, I imported a lovely borzoi bitch from the Borscana kennel in Sweden. Her name is Borscana Akka Tierra and she was named after the T-bird ultralight plane, so I call her "Birdie". She will be 6 months old on December 1<sup>st</sup>, just two weeks too young for our MBC specialty in Columbus – how disappointing! Her first shows should be in Novi this coming January. I'm really looking forward to showing this very promising youngster!

Other news my way, CH Aruzia Moonstone of Rivervue, Stoney, has had an exceptional showing season this fall. At the Kalamazoo cluster he was Best of Breed one day and Select Dog the other 3 days, garnering enough points now to put him more than half way to his Grand Championship. He also received an Award of Merit at the MBC Specialty in Columbus under breeder judge, Prudence Hlatky, his second MBC Specialty Award of Merit this year. I'm very proud of his accomplishments to date at only 3 years of age!

Early fall saw the edition of a large 6 foot chain link kennel area and a big adjoining fenced paddock area. Everybody is very happy with the new accommodations!! Not so sure I'm looking forward to cutting all that grass come summer, but winter snow will be a blast! Best holiday wishes to all!!!

## **Roger and Joyce Katona // Anotak**

It has been quite some time since Roger and I shared our news in the MBC Bulletin, life can get in the way at times. We had some great wins during 2012. One of the most memorable was last December when at the Richland County Kennel Club show under judge William Usherwood, Luxor went Best of Breed, Polar, our Bred-By dog, went Winners Dog and Best of Winners and Bred-By bitch, Brilliance was Winners Bitch and Best Opposite Sex all winning 4 point majors! That was so much fun, great wins and a great photo with all three included!

As some of you may know, sadness struck us this past June when we lost Cloud, CH Rainmaker Forever More CD, SC, FCH at age 13! He did everything we ever asked of him and was successful in many venues. When he was 7 years old, we showed him as a special. He began in July and in just 6 months, ended up #8 borzoi by year's end garnering many group placements. I'm so grateful to have his longevity in our bloodlines. It warms my heart to see him and his traits in his grandkids that we have. Cloud was my heart dog and I think of him and miss him each and every day.

We skipped the big shows last winter to breed Mandalay, GCH Anotak Mandalay Bay SC to CH Majenkir Regal by Design. She was bred the weekend of the Eukanuba show and whelped the day of Westminster judging! It had been 4 years since we had a litter and as a result, we have two 9 months old girls. They are all legs right now but watch for them at select shows in 2014.

As for some more current news, I attended the Borzoi Club of Greater Omaha's Specialty show on November 16 and came home with a new AKC Champion. Our Essence X Nearctic boy is now known as Champion Anotak Polar Icecap. Polar finished with FOUR majors, a 3, two 4's and a 5 pointer. The Specialty judge, Steven Evans (Mistraka Borzoi, Australia) also deemed him first Award of Merit. What made it even more fun was that it happened on my birthday! The stars indeed aligned for that moment, a birthday wish come true! Roger and I are very proud of our boy.

In the meantime, I have been busily working to lock down the basics for the 2015 BCOA National in Huron, Ohio. I hope to make it the best ever! Anyone interested in helping, please contact me.

## **Jon & Nancy Reimer // Windrift**

Congratulations to Achilles and Shay Estrada on finishing their boy Logan, Ch Windrift I Am the Wolverine, in October with four majors. His next weekend out, he took a BOB over strong competition. We wish him many more BOB wins.

We went to the ASFA regional weekend in September and Hope, Windrift Tahoe Comic Relief SC, ran excellently - first and BOB on Friday at the GLIWA trial, first5 and BOB on Saturday at the regional, and 2nd at the MWCC Sunday trial to finish her ASFA field championship. Way to go, Hope!!

Since our youngsters are still growing coat, we showed two of our veterans this fall. Katy, Ch Windrift Katlyn, took 4 majors and almost completed her Grand Championship. We also showed Kari, Ch Windrift Karibbean Queen JC, who won 5 points, 1 major, towards her Grand Championship.

## **Ameera & Kevin Hoffman & Raphael Finkelstein // Mystique**

The year has been extremely difficult here at Mystique Borzoi. We have been dealing with our father being ill and in the past month and half it has been more so. on a more positive note, our boy Echelon, aka. GCH Laureate Adrienne Executive Decision At Mystique was awarded Select Dog at the MBC Specialty in Columbus, Ohio under judge Mrs. Prudence Hlatky. We were showing in some very tough company and couldn't be more proud of our boy who always shows his heart out for me. Thanksgiving weekend we have were awarded Select Dog at the Michigan Hound Show under judge Ms. Ann Roth and also on Saturday, under our judge Ms. Laura Hyatt we were also awarded Select Dog. We will be taking the rest of December off and will show again in Novi in mid-January. We are also in the midst of getting things set up with Miss Jamie Bobrowski to co-own our new boy Spirit - aka Ubiquitous Spirit Mohave Bohemia, imported from the Czech Republic. When not showing, we try to get all our boys out for nice long walks whenever possible at our special place Crosswinds Marsh or Downtown Belleville for a shorter walk. We also enjoy seeing folks' beautiful borzoi and news on Facebook. What a world it has opened for all. It has been great seeing so many great dogs and people worldwide. We wish everyone a Happy & Healthy Holiday and a Great New Year 2014. We look forward to seeing you all at a show soon!!!

## **Delores Swan // Edenrock**

It's been a while since I reported any news about the dogs owned by Penny Keiffer and I, so we've got quite a bit to talk about. Our little Maida, GCh Edenrock Ice Maiden at Calaron (Ch Shelmar Carjo Icing On T'Cake x Ch Calaron's Dreamsicle) finished her championship at the end of last year and since has accumulated 13 BB's, 7 BOS's, 2 G2, 1 G3, and 1 G4, all while going through 2 full coat blows. We were hoping to finish the year strong but right now she's down to skin, guard hairs, and freckles so she'll be home for awhile growing coat. While she was doing all of that the rest of the guys were also busy.

In April we had quite a scare when it was reported that one of the puppies we had sold was out running the streets in his owner's town. Thanks to all the wonderful dog people out there he was only out for about 15 minutes when the news hit the internet, and by that time his owner was already picking him up. However, due to some personal developments his owners were no longer able to keep him so Ronny, Edenrock Calaron Cimarron (Ch Edenrock Black Ice of Calaron x Ch Edenrock Calaron Bethany) came back home. Since I had wanted to keep him in the first place I was thrilled. He slid right back into place as if he'd never left. Then in early May he went to his very first 3 day weekend and took WD/BOS the first two days, and RWD the third. He's now at home growing coat and maturing.

In June we took Cally, Edenrock Calaron Calista (litter sister to Ronny) to Woodstock and Wheaton, IL and came home with 4 WB and 2 BOS. The following weekend she took WB the first day and 2 RWB's the next two days. She's also at home growing coat and maturing now.

In July it was decided that since all the kids were still growing up we'd bring Darinya out. Darinya is one of the two Ukrainian imports we brought over from the Iz Kitez Grada kennels of Julia Stepanova, and is just an absolute love. She quickly accumulated almost everything she needed to finish but majors have been extremely scarce around here so she still needed those. Off to Waukesha, WI she went and took her last needed single on Saturday, and RWB on Sunday. The majors still aren't happening and now she's also blowing coat so it looks like she won't be finishing until next year. August in Wisconsin is always the MBC/BCOA specialty and/or supported shows so we were all looking forward to good sized entries and majors. On Friday Ronny won the 12 – 18 class, Darinya took first in open, and Maida took Select. On Saturday Ronny was Best Opp in Sweeps and first in his regular class, Darinya was RWB, and our Veteran Beth, Ch Edenrock Calaron Bethany was 1<sup>st</sup> in her Veteran Sweeps class and Select. On Sunday Ronny was again Best Opp in Sweeps, Darinya was 2<sup>nd</sup> in open, and Beth took another Select. On Monday we only took two with us, Ronny who again took his class, and Maida who took BB and a Group 4. A week later Maida went to Elgin, IL and took another Breed win along with a group 3.

September started out badly as the handler who was supposed to be covering for our handler while she was at the Border Collie National, failed to show up at the Kenosha shows. Luckily a lovely lady who trains with us at the Kennel Club was able to step in at the very last moment and do a really nice job with Maida for us to pull out a Select. And on Sunday Maida was again Select, this time piloted by a friend who has Rhodesian Ridgebacks. A week later Maida and I made the drive up to Manitowoc, WI where she was Select on Saturday, and BB on Sunday. But her coat was beginning to go so I knew we were just about done for the year. We did go to Freeport, IL for the Sunday show but despite ringside opinions to the contrary Maida didn't win. We had wanted to show to Ron and Carol Spritzer in Kankakee, IL, and we had made entries to the 4 days in Springfield, but we ended up missing all of those shows as Maida had decided to leave all her coat on the floor. We're frantically bathing her weekly hoping to get something back in for the Skokie shows in December but that's not much time to get all her coat.

In the meantime we're working on Maida's brother Harry, Ch Edenrock Black Ice of Calaron, to come back out to obtain his grand championship, and to see how he'd do as a special. Harry was shown so sparingly (finished in 9 shows) that very few people have had a chance to see him. He's been very slow maturing but looks pretty good right now so we're going to see what happens.

We hope everyone has a wonderful Holiday season and wish everyone good luck in the coming year.

## Karen & Kalen Dumke // Nonsuch

We've been pretty quiet here the past few months due to our youngsters being out of coat, and looking like teenagers. We did finish the Grand Championship on our home bred Nonsuch Lac Du Bay. She always wants to go with us when we leave for the shows and is very disappointed when she has to stay home!

Our Swedish import, Ch Borscana Contraband will be coming out after the first of the year for his Grand Championship. He has produced very well for us! He was at the Supported entry back in August in Cudahy, WI where he took a lovely BOB win, while his daughter, Nonsuch Susan Blanchard (Cresset) was BOW for a major from the puppy class. Everyone have a great Holiday Season!

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### **New AKC titles** (dogs owned by MBC members, or bred by MBC members)

#### AKC Conformation Champion (CH).

CH Avalyn Warlord At Frostfire (D) HP34331402 11-May-2009 by CH Majenkir Regal By Design x CH Avalyn Nakai Kishka, br: Lynne Bennett & Nancy Katsarelas, ow: Gary & Michelene Nash.

CH Bon Ami Perfect Timing Nickolai (D) HP38429507, 27-Jul-2010 by GCH Zharkov Teine Jansen x Nickolai Olovo Kalseru br/ow: Kelly Patti.

CH Chihawk Echovesna I Luv Me (D) HP37769103, 11-Apr-2010 by Echovesna's Koral Good Vibrations x CH Echovesna Chihawk First Luv, br: Tami Marshall & Peggy Marshall & Harriet Goldner, ow: Tami Marshall & Peggy Marshall & Jaime Geist.

CH Eclipse Save Me Superman (B) HP38596402, 5-Jul-2010, by DC Teine Windmaster Of Foxwood SC ROMX x CH Katz Capricious Charm JC, br/ow: Christopher Moyer & Kelly Brunarski.

CH Jubilee Oil Baron At Val-Thor SC (D) HP38823702, 19-Jul-2010 by GCH Katushka-Jubilee Movado x CH Jubilee's Dunamai Sozo CD RE, br: Cynthia Gredys & Joyce Law & Amelia Gredys, ow: Betty De La Rosa & Cynthia Gredys.

CH Windrift I Am The Wolverine JC CGC (D) HP37892403, 3-Jun-2010, by GCH Aashtoria Wildhunt 4 Your I's Only RA x CH Windrift Keepin' The Faith, br: Jonathan & Nancy Reimer, ow: Shay Estrada & Achilles Estrada.

#### Rally Novice (RN).

Windrift Tahoe Catch A Star RN (B) HP34110704, 21-Apr-2009 by DC Tahoe's High Bidder SC FCH VFCH x DC Kirov Windrift Fire & Rain MC FCH, br: Jonathan & Nancy Reimer and Steven & Kay Artley, ow: Steven Artley & Kay Artley.

#### Junior Courser (JC)

Svershin Twin Elms Anton JC (D) HP42490005, 12-Feb-2012, by CH Petya Svershin Time For A Kiss SC x CH Twin Elms Svershin Ariel SC, br/ow: Suzan Breaz & Terry Doane.

Starswift Lightning Quick JC (B) HP41803107, 9-Nov-2011, by FC SilkenSwift Black Lightning MC CGC LCM SGRC3 SORC x Teine Geneva, br/ow: Jamie Bobrowski.

Windrift Undercover Agent JC (D) HP42688702, 28-Feb-2012 by GCH DC Windrift Tahoe Chances Are SC x CH Windrift Karibbean Queen JC, br/ow: Jonathan & Nancy Reimer.

#### Senior Courser (SC)

Highgarden Teine K-C Viking Voyage SC (B) HP42162801, 18-Dec-2011, by GCH DC K-C WindSheer Stayin' Alive CD RN SC FCH CGC TDI x DC Baruschka's Krassiwaja SC, br: Amy Sikula & Anne Midgarden, ow: Kasey & Dale Parks & Leah Thorp.

CH Jubilee Renaissance Visions SC (D) HP40366906, 21-Mar-2011 by Jubilee Glacier Tinman x CH Renaissance Stones Of Iron, br: Chris Swilley & Robin Casey & Cynthia Gredys, ow: Cindi Gredys.

Konstantin's Summer Solstice JC SC (D) HP40693904, 22-Jun-2011 by CH Paradise Spirit Me N' Bobby Mcgee CDX RAE x CH Calaron Charley's Angel UDX RE SC BN, br/ow: Karen Haberkorn.

Starswift Lightning Flash At Zoiboyz SC (D) HP41803101, 9-Nov-2011, by FC SilkenSwift Black Lightning MC CGC LCM SGRC3 SORC x Teine Geneva, br: Jamie Bobrowski, ow: Tom Golcher & K C Thompson.

Teine Swan Song SC (B) HP41486501, 23-Aug-2011 by CH Teine Unstable Force SC x DC Windnsatin Zig Zag SC FCh, br/ow: Anne Midgarden.

Field Champion (FC).

FC Konstantin's Summer Breeze JC SC (B)  
HP40693908, 22-Jun-2011 by CH Paradise Spirit Me N'  
Bobby Mcgee CDX RAE x CH Calaron Charley's Angel  
UDX RE SC BN, br/ow: Karen Haberkorn.

Advanced Canine Good Citizen (CGCA).

Highgarden-Teine Sophie Of Woodacres CD BN RN  
CGCA (B) HP42162803, 18-Dec-2011 by GCH DC K-C

Windsheer Stayin' Alive CD RN SC x DC Baruschka's  
Krassiwaja SC, br: Amy Sikula & Anne Midgarden, ow:  
Rebecca Smith.

Canine Good Citizen (CGC).

Morozova's Shades Of Tennessee CGC (D)  
HP34944404 10-Jun-2009 by CH Virshina Joshua  
Man'O Morozova x Stillwater Ice Blue Secret, br/ow:  
Jerry White & Janet Adams.

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## AKC NEWS

### Changes for **AKC Obedience & Rally Trials**, effective **January 1, 2014**;

1. Allow premium lists to measure not less than 5½ x 8½ inches up to 8½ x 11 inches. (*Obedience Regulations Chapter 1, Section 3*)
2. Require clubs to refund the entry fee for females in season. A processing fee may be retained by the club. (*Obedience Regulations Chapter 1, Section 14*)
3. Allow clubs, at their option, to establish a wait list to fill openings created by entries that are withdrawn **prior to the event closing date**. (*Obedience Regulations Chapter 1, Section 27*)
4. Allow dogs to be picked up by their handlers when they are called back into the ring for the awards ceremony. (*Obedience Regulations Chapter 2, Sections 11 & 22*)
5. Allow rally ring sizes to be determined by square footage (2,000 to 3,000 square feet, with a minimum width of 30 feet). This will provide clubs flexibility in determining the location of their rally trial, perhaps allowing them to lower their cost. While the square footage area listed above is the minimum size allowed, a 40' x 50' or 50' x 60' ring size is ideal for rally. (*Rally Regulations Chapter 2, Section 1*)

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### The latest on Transporting Dogs Into Canada

The Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA), which oversees animal imports into Canada, has clarified its regulations regarding the importation of "commercial" dogs, which includes dogs for shows and exhibitions as well as breeding dogs.

**FOR DOGS UNDER EIGHT MONTHS OF AGE ENTERING CANADA FROM THE UNITED STATES**—Dog owners and exhibitors with dogs under eight months of age are now required to present proof of their entry in a dog show, trial, or other competitive event when crossing the American-Canadian border. This is in addition to the already-existing requirements of:

- A rabies certification (does not apply to animals three months old or younger)
- a veterinary certificate of health whether or not they are accompanied by their owner
- a microchip

Individuals without proof of entry in a show, trial, or other event are instead required to contact the CFIA Animal Health Area Office for the province they intend to enter at least 30 days before the dog is imported to apply for the permit and allow sufficient time for processing prior to entry into Canada.

**FOR DOGS OVER EIGHT MONTHS OF AGE ENTERING CANADA FROM THE UNITED STATES**— Dog owners and exhibitors with dogs over eight months of age are required to present a valid rabies vaccination certificate issued by a licensed veterinarian. (Dogs imported for research purposes must meet more stringent requirements.) Individuals interested in taking dogs into Canada for show, trial, or other event purposes are encouraged to refer to the CFIA's Automated Import Reference System (AIRS) at <http://inspection.gc.ca/animals/terrestrial-animals/imports/airs/eng/1300127512994/1326599273148>. The system provides detailed requirements personalized for each user

## **FINALS - Top 10**

### **American Sighthound Field Association Trials, 1 September 2012 - 31 August 2013**

(32 dogs owned by MBC members competing).

1. FC C'Lestial Wild & Wonderful Of Ryhka MC LCX LCM2 - Diana Darling & L. Green, 96 points.
2. Teine Swan Song SC FCH - Anne Midgarden, 76 points.
3. FC C'Lestial Starlight Express @ Ryhka SC FCH ORC - Diana Darling & Liz Green, 68 points.
4. DC Avalon Oxota Cinquedeia SC FCH - Leigh & Vicki Littleton, 62 points
5. FC C'Lestial Tec Firecracker Of Ryhka SC FCH ORC - Diana Darling & Liz Green, 43 points
6. C'Lestial White Chocolate Of Ryhka JC SC FCH - Diana Darling & Liz Green, 36 points
7. (tie) Highgarden Teine Septimus Severus SC FCH Marilyn Kivela 34 points.
7. (tie) DC Oxota Avalon Tanforan O'Starswift SC - Jamie Bobrowski & Leonore Abordo, 34 points.
9. GCH Avalon Oxota Katana Swift And Silent - Marylee Jenko & Sandra Moore, 29 points.
10. DC Clestial Southern Xenon Lights of Ryhka MC ORC FCH - Diana Darling, 27 points.