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20th of each month.
Club Meetings are the
3rd Tuesday
of each Month.
Board will meet 1 hour
prior to the club meeting.

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NOVEMBER 2007



Sheltie Connection

President's Message....

Jim Newman

Over the years I have been a member several dog clubs, and held office with these clubs but never President. I even thought it might be fun to be President of a club someday. Now that reality has caught up to me; I now wonder what I have gotten myself into. So on-the-job-training starts with my first president's message.

"The year that is drawing toward its close has been filled with the blessings of fruitful fields and healthful skies. To these bounties, which are so constantly enjoyed that we are prone to forget the source from which they come, others have been added, which are of so extraordinary a nature that they cannot fail to penetrate and soften the heart which is habitually insensible to the ever watchful providence of almighty God."

Part of President Lincoln's
 Thanksgiving Day Proclamation
 October 3, 1863.

My message this month is that you reflect on your personal "...bounties, which are so constantly enjoyed that we are prone to forget... Whether it is your wife/husband, family, home, friends in and out of the club, your shelties that bring to you their unconditional love, or whatever it is you take for granted. Reflect on it and show your appreciation and thankfulness.

I hope this Thanksgiving Day, you all have a joyous holiday and receive the blessings you desire.

Jim

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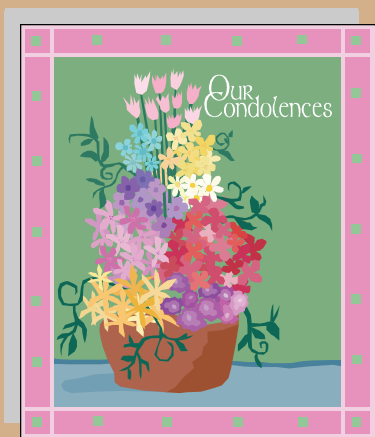
**The Pickering Award will be voted on at the
 November Club Meeting. The announcement of
 the winner will be at the Christmas Party.**

USSA WEBSITE

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.UTAHSHELTIE.ORG
YOU CAN DOWNLOAD PAST NEWSLETTERS THERE



Condolences



The Utah Shetland Sheepdog Association wishes to express it's deep sorrow at the passing of Mel & Shelley Stanley son, Peter Stanley.

Notice

Anyone who has puppies for sale, or is looking for a puppy or older dog, please contact Barbara Soderborg.

You can reach Barbara at 801 561-4616 or email at utahshetlandsheepdogs@hotmail.com

WELCOME

To new Member:

Happy Birthday

We want to wish the following members a very happy November

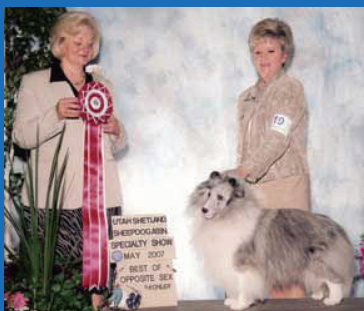
- 2 Sheila Priwo
- 5 Ava Jane Pickering
- 7 John Sittner
- 10 Jo-Ann Edlefsen
- 11 Becky Finlayson
- 11 Shannalee Waller-Michalsky
- 13 Jim Melton
- 16 Kay Vigos
- 18 Jan Vigos-Johnson
- 22 Fred Priwo
- 23 Jim Newman
- 26 Rick Hamblin
- 28 Una Wickes



* If we miss your birthday please let us know so that we can add you to our list.



Sheltie Specialty Photos





Tyson is now retired after finishing his RAE title in Boise, Idaho

"Tyson" ASCA-OTCH Hill Views Ain't Misbehavin,' UD, RAE, 8/10 UDX, ASCA-UD, U-CDX, CGC finished his RAE Rally Obedience title in Boise Idaho on October 11th 2007. Tyson is only the 2nd sheltie with an RAE title.

August 2007 Idaho Falls, Idaho

8/17/07 5th leg

Excellent B 86 qualified

Advanced B 98 4th place

8/18/07 6th leg

Excellent B 100 3rd place

Advanced B 100 2nd place

8/19/07 7th leg

Excellent B 94 qualified

Advanced B 93 qualified

September 2007 Farmington, Utah

9/15/07 8th leg

Excellent B 94 4th place

Advanced B 99 1st place

9/16/07 9th leg

Excellent B 98 2nd place

Advanced B 99 2nd place

October 2007 Boise, Idaho

10/11/07 New Title

Excellent B 93 2nd place

Advanced B 93 4th place

10/12/07 Retirement

Excellent B 94 1st place

Advanced B 97 1st place

I just want to thank Marie Miles of Hill View Kennels for selling us Tyson all those years ago. Also to Tyson thank you for letting me enjoy the ride at the end of your leash you are an amazing show dog and we have had a great career enjoy retirement. Here are a few special achievements over Tyson show career. For me the one that sticks out the most is from 2003 when Tyson went High In Trial and High Combined at the shows in South Jordan and we had to go into the group ring to demo and get our ribbons. Tyson scored a 199 in Open B and 198.5 in Utility B. In 2004 it would be the Nationals in Utah we placed 4th in the Utility B class with a 196 awesome competition great dogs, it was during the Nationals that I found out from the ladies at the Sheltie Pacesetter that Tyson was National ranked for 2003. Tyson never finished his UDX but he did get 8 legs of the required 10 for the title. In July 2006 Tyson did finish his ASCA-OTCH (Obedience Trial Championship) Tyson is the first Sheltie in the State of Utah with this title and only the 3rd all breed dog in the State of Utah with an ASCA-OTCH. He also went from Rally Novice title to RAE title in under 7 months he also qualified every ring he went in.

I also want to thank everyone that has supported us over the years I know that Obedience does take a backseat but your support has been appreciated. I also want to thank our trainer Barbara Honeycutt of Willow Creek Dog Training Center in Sandy for her support during the good and the bad training sessions, we could not of gotten where we are with out her.

As Tyson now starts to enjoy retirement laying on the couch, getting back scratches from Ron which he loves, you might just see the old boy as he will travel with us to some of the shows and maybe if they offer Veteran Obedience he just might be in the ring. As one career ends a new one will begin look for Akadia Wildfire "Cody" in the rally rings his debut will be March 2008.

Chrissy Weatherston

Braggs

Another news is that our blue bitch Norwood Saloona, Sonya took AOAC Bitch 2nd place in 12 -18 months class at the ASSA National and her ad is in the sheltie pacesetter. There is a small article about her and we are very proud of her. Many who do not have pacesetter that I will tell you what the judge (David Calderwood) have to say about her. We are growing her out for her new winter coats before she goes back to the shows to finish her last few points.

Norwood Saloona- This was a very pretty bitch with gorgeous type. Her expression and eyes were even better than the first place bitch. She had a tight lipline, a round muzzle and a dark eye. She stood well in front and went around well but could have had a better topline going around. She was sound going away and was a beautifully balanced bitch.

Braggs from Clan Duncan Shelties

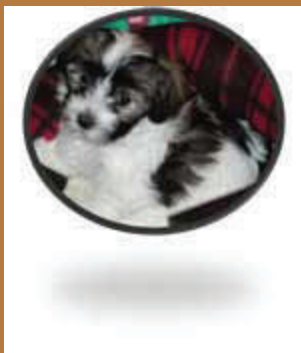
We have a new litter: 2 tri males, 1 tri female by Clan Duncan Black Sea ex Int. Ch. Calypso Tropicalia. Callie is an Armani daughter.
Dana

Milo, Am/Can/Intl Ch Apple Acres Chain Lightning He has sired 5 Champions to date.

Havanese litter

I have two boys for sale if anyone is interested.

Barb



Dear Club Members,

As a member of the club, I am writing this hoping that individual Sheltie Club members will find a way to donate some funds towards helping my grandson Ty Short to get to Long Beach CA on the 1st & 2nd of December 2007 for the Eukanuba Invitational Dog Show.

Ty has been Best Junior Handler two years in a row at our Specialties. Ty has supported the club shows by showing my Shelties for both years in Breed and also Juniors.

He has qualified for the Eukanuba Cup with his Rough Collie Champion Slugger. I am hoping that the individual club members will be able to donate/support Ty and his Collie for the upcoming shows.

We would appreciate any funds that the club members might donate.

Thanks
Joanne Adams
HiValley Shelties
Afton, Wy 83110



HiVALLEY SHELTIES

Is so proud of:

AKADIA IONA PIECE OF HEAVEN



"Kaylee" co-owned with myself and Shannalee Michalsky, bred by Tammy Blakely, did great at the Boise shows. A Major reserve the first day, led to her first points: a 3 Point MAJOR the last day..



The Danny Story

From start to finish



I'm am very proud to announce that our club has a new conformation Champion Caledon Daff's Dream Maker

Not being able to attend meetings that much due to health issues and not having internet. I really want to express my gratitude to everyone along the way for helping Danny and I reach our goals. Many thanks go out to Barbara & Everett Aulback- Caledon Kennels for trusting in me & for letting me have such a wonderful little Tri boy.

Cheryl Sorensen for her knowledge & expertise in the wonderful world of Shetland Sheepdogs. Without her mentoring handling skills and & grooming none of this would have been possible. I will cherish the memories of your travels and the bonds of friendship we have made.

And to Peggy Newman for her grooming and handling of Danny when ever it was necessary.

And Al Harris who got Danny's first points dues to an injury in Cheyenne & Laramie Wyo. And Danny's fist major in Blackfoot Id.

Marie Miles- What a gal! Helping me with Danny on different occasions and having faith in Danny. In ending I would like to thank Danny for his conformation title. Danny, you truly have lived up to your name CH. Caledon Daff's Dream Maker.

Remember two things, have faith in yourself and faith in your dog and your dreams may come true as mine have.

Danny's future I hope to special him out. Perhaps do some obedience and agility. And someday be a Dad to select ladies. Most important just be a little Shetland sheepdog. The greatest thing about Dog Showing is the people you meet and the places you go and how everyone seems to want to help each other. Many Thanks Denny

See ya at the shows



Clan Duncan Cherden Equinox

GALEN gets going!

Galen now sports six points. Recently, Galen got to experience a fire evacuation in southern California. That will be something he can tell to his grandpuppies!

We love our bright little clown!

Clan Duncan

danaq@aol.com

www.kennelcity.com

Ch. Denian's Deuces Are Wild



Standing,,,, or in motion

**number 7 sheltie (Sept)*

5 Group 1st

Above the rest

**At Stud at Akadia Shelties
for another year!!!*

2007 — ASSA

12-18 MONTHS,
AOAC BITCH-2nd



Photo at 13 months by Jessica Starbuck

Norwood Saloona

(Shadow Hill's Polaris ex Ashbury Hey Tonight)

At 13 months, "Sonya" has won 3 Specialty majors and back-to-back Best In Sweepstakes.

Thanks go to Ala Luhrs and Peter Denbow for this wonderful girl, and thanks to Julie Desy and her team for these wins!

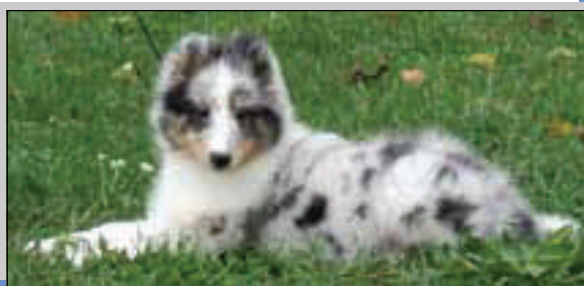
Royal Hill Shelties

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Royal Hill No Wonder
"Naava"



5 weeks old



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Naava, is a blue merle. These pictures were taken at 11.5 weeks old and she was born on July 22, 2007. Mike and Linda are the breeder (Royal Hill Shelties). Her full name is Royal Hill No Wonder and we are growing her out and hope she will be ready at the shows when she is mature and ready. We also hope she will go to the National too. We do have high hopes for this little girl. Her dam is Ch. Royal Hill's Gabriella and her sire is BISS Ch Kambria Color Wonder. Watch out for her when she is ready to go to the show rings.

CAN CH WEATHERMANS CHRISTMAS SPIRIT



JOY

wins her first
US points,
a 3 pt major!



Proudly owned by
Akadia Shelties,
Gail Dickson and new
sponser, Joanne Byars



Thanks Joanne for all that you do...

all dogs pictured are either here
because of Joanne or she
put majors on them in
the last year



Thanks for the countless hours
of entertainment in the
thousands of miles we have been



Akadia Just Heavenly Kaylani



*We just wanted to brag about our cute little sable girl.
She went WB, BOS all three days at the South Dakota
shows. She now has 7 points and a group 4!!!*

*Tricia Harris
Lacewood Shetland Sheepdogs
www.lacewoodshelties.com*

and

*Shamalee Michalsky
Akadia Shelties
www.akadiashelties.com*

Three Inches

Tomorrow on their six-week “birthday,” the puppies in our newest Sheltie litter will take turns standing on the grooming table for their first official measurements. We’ve been evaluating this litter informally since birth—head detail, eye shape, length of hock, tailset, angulation, temperament. And now size.

But size is not just another trait. It’s one for which our standard mandates a narrow three-inch range, beyond which a dog is disqualified from breed-ring competition. Tomorrow’s measurements, and those of the next few weeks, will determine which of several promising puppies will be “grown out” as show prospects and which will go as pets. Already, my experienced eye tells me that one puppy is definitely heading oversize and another will likely be too small.

A variety of breeds, from Collies to toys, contributed to the Sheltie gene pool. As a result, size—particularly oversize—continues to be a major challenge to breeders. Height is a polygenetic (multi-gene) trait of moderate to high heritability, which means it should respond to direct selection. But are breeders really practicing direct selection for size? And what does “direct selection” actually mean?

Direct selection for size should mean choosing breeding animals only from within the range of allowable heights—in particular, not breeding oversize bitches. A hallmark of polygenetic traits is their susceptibility to environmental influences, and an individual’s sex is a primary environmental influence on adult size. Identical “size genes” will produce more size in an environment of male hormones than in an environment of female hormones. This means that male and female Shelties with the same “size genes” will likely have adult heights differing by a half-inch or more, with males being taller. Breeders are much more likely to breed from a non-finished, or non-finishable, bitch than dog, but we thwart our best size-control efforts with every “otherwise lovely” 16-and-a-half-inch brood bitch, who is, at a minimum, the genetic equivalent of a 17-inch male.

Direct selection for size should mean choosing breeding animals that run the full gamut of allowable heights.

Thanks to the science of population genetics, we know that polygenetic traits are “normal distributed” around a “population mean.” This means that if we were to plot heights for the entire Sheltie population, we would end up with a bell-shaped graph with a high midpoint representing the population’s average, or mean, height. Ninety-six percent of the population will have heights within a relatively small area stretching from just below to just above the mean—for Shelties, probably a three- to four-inch range.

From a practical standpoint, this means that if we want most adult Shelties to measure between 13 and 16-inches, the average height of our breeding population should be 14-and-a-half inches. Unfortunately, the true average is probably at least an inch taller. Rarely does one breed a bitch under 14-and-a-half inches, and the vast majority of stud dogs are over 15 inches.

Our breeding decisions are at least partially influenced by what is winning, and this means judges could play a big part in helping us do more to control size. Wicketing dogs that appear oversize is an excellent start, but it’s only a start. If we breeders should use the full allowable height range, judges should choose winners from the full range as well.

Our standard does not specify an ideal size, nor does it differentiate between the heights of dogs and bitches. Dogs must appear masculine, bitches feminine, but all else being equal, a 14-inch male is as correct as one measuring two inches taller. Breeders need to keep and breed good small Shelties—especially smaller males, who have “smaller size genes” than identically sized bitches—but that won’t happen until breed judges put aside their own preferences and start giving equal consideration to correct dogs of every allowable size.

Kim Schive, 493 Westford St., Carlisle, MA 01741; kschive@rcn.com

Why Dogs Bite Kids

By [Andrea Thompson](#), LiveScience Staff Writer

Territorial behavior, anxiety and other medical issues lead dogs to bite children, a new study shows.

To see if there were any common links among [dogs](#) who had bitten a child within a particular four-year period, researchers examined 111 cases of dog bites by 103 dogs, all referred to the same veterinary behavior clinic in Philadelphia. They found several distinctive behavior patterns that related to the dogs' territorial behaviors, and suggested that these were the main causes of aggression in dogs:

- Young children (under 6 years) were more likely to be bitten when a dog felt the kids were threatening to take the dogs' food or toys.
- Older children were bitten when the dog felt the kids were encroaching on its territory.
- Children familiar to the dog were more likely to be bitten while the dog was guarding its food.

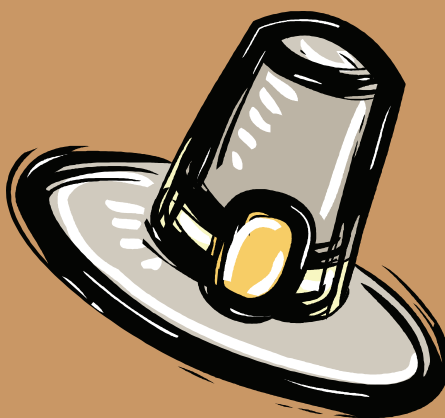
Unfamiliar children were more likely to be bitten while the dog was protecting its territory.

These behaviors were seen in many different [breeds of dogs](#). (A total of 41 breeds were represented in the study.)

Three quarters of the biter dogs studied exhibited anxiety, either by being left by their owners or being exposed to some [loud noise](#), such as a thunderstorm or fireworks. Young children in particular tend to be noisy and make unpredictable movements, which could frighten an already anxious dog and cause them to bite the child, the researchers said.

Half of the dogs also had medical conditions, such as eye problems, liver and kidney disease, and diseases that affected their bones and skin. Study leader Illana Reisner of the University of Pennsylvania and her colleagues suggest that pain from these conditions could have pushed the dogs over the edge, causing them to bite.

The study's results are detailed in a recent issue of the journal *Injury Prevention*.





**This year the Holiday Party will be Saturday,
December 29th
beginning at 5:00 p.m.
Location will be in the same building we meet at
for our monthly meetings**

Our Christmas Party will be December 29th 5:00 at our regular meeting place. A sign up sheet with foods to bring will be at the November meeting. Don't forget....rather than bringing a present for club members we will be giving to Sheltie Rescue. Please bring your Sheltie Rescue items to the Christmas Party or to Barbara Soderborg (before the Christmas Party).

The following are items needed:

Hills Vet Formulas canned food - Duck, Venison, Lamb, Salmon or Whitefish flavors

Hills Vet Formulas Kibble - Duck and Venison flavors

Hills Vet Formulas R/D (any size bag)

Science Diet canned food for adults

Science Diet canned food for mature dogs

Iams Vet Formulas Intestinal Formula - Low Residue dog food (any size bag or cans)

Gift Certificate to Cottonwood Animal Hospital

We also have an envelope you can put cash into. Please be sure to put your name on the back and how much cash you are giving. A gift certificate will be purchased with this money.

Crafts - anyone willing to volunteer their time/talent to contribute a product that can be sold for Christmas or on the website such as dog toys, homemade soaps, lollipops, home-made belly bands or penny pants (for females), blankets, dogs beds, etc will be appreciated.

New or used double-sided fleece dog pads in any size.

Labor - like volunteering time and energy to go and clip nails or wash dogs.

Booth Volunteers - for booths during 2008



I Have A Question

“What type of grooming equipment (brushes, shampoos, etc...) do you suggest to your companion puppy buyers?”

This is easy.....A pin brush and show them one of mine, I like the Vellus mid size but depends on the persons hand what they should use. A slicker brush and a comb...If they want to trim I have them get the thinning shears the small ones, cant do that much damage. Show them how to cut nails and what kind of clippers to get. Shampoo's, usually something like Bio groom but always telling them to use doggie shampoo not human.

Barbara

A good pin brush and a pair of nail clippers with Quick Stop is a must. I use mane and tail shampoo sold in any Smith's can be diluted and I add a touch of Dawn dish soap if they are very dirty.

Tomi

I always suggest a slicker, metal comb and pin brush. A spray bottle to mist with. Toe nail trimmers.

For shampoo, I like the Oatmeal shampoo that you can buy at Walmart. I believe it is made by Hartz. Good shampoo and not that expensive.

Shannalee



I recommend that everyone have a good comb (with wide and a bit narrower teeth), a pin brush, a slicker brush and a poodle comb. Poodle combs are great for when a sheltie is blowing coat. And a spray bottle for misting when you brush your dog. You also need nail clippers and/or a Dremel (grinder) for doing nails. Shampoos, depends on where they want to get them. The ones I really like come from dog show vendors. For buying local Maine and Tail works well for dogs too and you can get it at Wal Mart.

Peggy



Next Months Question:

What are your idea's on shipping a bitch for breeding versus having fresh chilled semen shipped to your home for breeding?

(Please submit answers to Diane at Windabrae@cablone.net)

If you have a question for this column that you would like to receive an answer for, you can submit the question anonymously to Diane at windabrae@cablone.net or mail to Diane Orr, 3910 E 132 N, Rigby, ID 83442

Club Meetings

Our Club meeting for September will be held on **Tuesday November 16th at 7:00 PM** at Sandy Bicentennial Park, in the building in front the pavilion. The Park is located at **8680 South 500 East.**

The board will meet at the same location on the same night at **5:45PM**

The educational program for November's meeting will be **Understanding how a conformation show works. We will discuss how the classes work, and what dogs need to go back in the ring as the classes**



*** If you know of someone in the club who is in the hospital, ill, or of a death in the club or in the sheltie world, please let Barbara Soderborg know so that she can send a card or flowers.
utahshetlandsheepdogs@hotmail.com
 or call her at 561-4616

The club wishes to send
Get Well Wishes
 to the following people:

Everett Aulbach



RECIPE OF THE MONTH: Breath Bustin' Biscuits

ingredients

- 1 1/2 cups whole wheat flour
- 1 1/2 cups Bisquick® baking mix
- 1/2 cup mint leaves -- loosely packed
- 1/4 cup milk
- 4 tablespoons margarine
- 1 egg
- 1 1/2 tablespoons maple syrup -- or corn syrup

directions

Combine all ingredients in food processor, process until well mixed, mint is chopped, and a large ball forms. Press or roll on non-stick surface (floured board or ceramic) to a thickness of 1/4-1/2". Cut into 1x2" strips or with bone-shaped cookie cutter and place on non-stick cookie pan. Bake at 375° for 20 minutes or until lightly browned.

Cool and store in air-tight container.
 Makes about 30 medium biscuits.



*Other News***CLUB MEETINGS**

Just a reminder

Club meetings will be held the third WEDNESDAY of each month beginning January 2008. The November club meeting will be held on the second Wednesday (one week early) since Thanksgiving is on the third week.

Dues Were Due November 1. You have until November 30th to get your dues into the Club. After this date you will have to reapply for membership

JUST A REMINDER:

Your club dues must be sent to the club treasurer before November 30, 2007.

The club has three different memberships available to all members. Please check the membership type you prefer to have.

Individual Membership. Enjoys all the privileges of the Club including voting and holding office. \$14.00

Household Membership. Enjoys all the privileges of the Club including voting and holding office, and is available to a maximum of two designated members of the household. Each designated member is allocated 1 (one) vote. \$18.00

Associate Membership. Enjoys all the privileges of the Club except voting and Holding Office, and is limited to one (1) family member. \$10.00

Make the check out to USSA and mail them to Cherie Hyde at 561 N. 950 E. Orem, Utah 84097. If you make the check for more than the amount that you owe Cherie said she will consider it a donation, so be sure to make the check for the right amount. If you are unable to come to club meetings to vote then please consider the associate membership. That helps the club by lowering the number of people that need to attend the club meeting to achieve a quorum. Thanks

Shetland Sheepdog Calendar

This calendar has pleased thousands of Sheltie fanciers for over 20 years. It contains thirteen beautiful full color reproductions, leather-like cover, brief history and origin, whelping dates indicated on the corresponding breeding day, growth chart, and five year reference calendar.

Go to the club web site to see all the pictures in the calendar.
<http://www.utahsheltie.org/calendar.htm>



Order your 2008 edition now. You can order your 2008 Sheltie Calendar now. They are \$12.00 plus \$2.00 shipping if you need yours mailed. If you want to order a calendar please send an email to utahshetlandsheepdogs@hotmail.com or call 801 561-4616



Year End Award Application Form

Please use this form to apply for awards for any AKC or you earned in 2007. Use one form per dog for any and all titles that dog earned. And don't forget to apply for those CGC awards!! Please be sure to send this form to: Barbara Soderborg, 8526 Colene Drive, Sandy, Utah 84094 on or before November 15, 2007. For questions, call her at (801) 561-4646 or email her at saltcityshelties@msn.com

PLEASE PRINT:

Your Name: _____

Dog's Registered Name: _____

Dog's call Name: _____


Titles Earned: _____

Title Abbreviations

The AKC offers many titles in several events. Dogs who achieve them are entitled to have them listed on pedigrees, certificates, and in event catalogues. These titles become an official part of a dog's record with the AKC.

<p><u>As a prefix:</u></p> <p>Ch. Champion (confirmation) FC Field Champion AFC Amateur Field Champion NFC National Field Champion OTCH Obedience Trial Champ MACH—Master Agility Champ. HC Herding Champion DC Dual Champ. (Ch. & FC) TC Trip. Ch (Ch, FC, OTCH.) CT Champion Tracker (TD, TDX & VST)</p>	<p><u>As a suffix</u></p> <p>RN Rally Novice RA Rally Advanced RE Rally Excellent RAE Rally Advanced Excellent CD Companion Dog CDX Companion Dog Excellent UD Utility Dog UDX Utility Dog Excellent TD Tracking Dog TDX Tracking Dog Excellent VST Variable Surface Tracker UDTD Utility Dog Tracking Dog UDT Utility Dog Tracking UDTDX—Utility Dog Tracking Dog Excellent UDXTD—Utility Dog Excellent Tracking Dog UDXTDX—Utility Dog Ex. Tracking Dog Excel- lent UDVST—Utility Dog Variable Surface Tracking UDXVST—Utility Dog Ex. Variable Surf. Track- ing</p>
	<p><u>Versatile Companion Dog</u> Versatile Comp. Dog 1 (VCD1) for a dog that has earned: Companion Dog (CD) Novice Agility (AD) Nov. Ag Jumpers (NAJ) Tracking Dog (TD) Versatile Comp. Dog 2 (VCD2) Comp. Dog Excellent (CDX) Open Agility (OA) Open Agility jumpers (OAJ) Tracking Dog (TD) Versatile Comp. Dog 3 (VCD3) Utility Dog (UD) Agility Excellent (AX) Agility Excellent jumpers (AXJ) Tracking Dog Excellent (TDX) Versatile Comp. Dog 4 (VCD4) Utility Dog Excellent (UDX) Master Agility (MX) Master Agility jumpers (MXJ) Variable Surface Tracker (VST) Versatile Companion Champion (CVCCH) Obedience Trial Champion (OTCH) Master Agility Champion (MACH) Champion Tracker (CT)</p>

Thanksgiving Word Search



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Thanksgiving Word Search - 34 Words to find

TURKEY
 CRANBERRY SAUCE
 PIES
 FAMILY
 PLUM PUDDING
 MAIZE
 HARVEST
 YAMS
 INDIANS
 FALL LEAVES
 DINNER
 THANKFUL
 TRADITION
 AUTUMN
 PLYMOUTH
 THANKSGIVING
 MAYFLOWER

DRESSING
 PUMPKIN PIE
 GOBBLER
 MINCEMEAT
 CIDER
 NUTS
 GOOSE
 APPLES
 PILGRIMS
 PARADES
 HORN OF PLenty
 THURSDAY
 CORNUCOPIA
 FEAST
 SQUASH
 GRAVY
 CELEBRARION



BOARD MEETING MINUTES
OCT 16, 2007
Sandy Bicentennial Park
8680 south 500 east

ATTENDEES: Tricia Harris, Diana Beebe, Barbara Soderborg, Jim Newman, Peggy Newman, Judy Williamson, Julene Matthews, Cherie Hyde, Gene Cowley, Carol Cowley,

Conducting: Tricia Harris, President

Minutes: Diana Beebe, Recording Secretary

WELCOME: Tricia Harris welcomed all in attendance and brought the meeting to order at 5:55pm.

BOARD MEETING MINUTES: Jim Newman made a motion to accept the board meeting minutes. Julene Matthews seconded the motion. The motion passed with unanimous vote

PRESIDENTS REPORT: Diane Orr wants people to know if she doesn't respond to you when you email something to her, then assume she didn't receive it and try again. Joanne Adams grandson is going to the Eukenuba and they would greatly appreciate any donations to help him get there

VICE-PRESIDENTS REPORT: Nothing to report

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Barbara Soderborg informed us that we were asked to see if we could change our meeting day to another day. We will bring this to the club

TREASURER'S REPORT: Cherie Hyde read the treasurer report. A motion to accept the treasure report was made by Barbara Soderborg. Judy Williamson seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Cherie had to purchase checks one more time, they were incorrect again. No cost to club

Barbara brought up the cost of mailing out newsletters to the few members in the club. We discussed if it was worth the cost. This will be brought to the club.

OLD BUSINESS: 2008 Specialty:

Judges: It was suggested that Bonnie Lee be hired as an obedience judge for the Specialty

Trailer Inventory: completed and everything was accounted for.

Classified Ads: Tricia didn't get a chance to get this done

2007 Christmas Party: Building is Secure for Dec 29th, at 5:30pm. We will be having the Angel Tree for the Sheltie

Rescue. Barbara Soderborg is bringing the gift cards with the items needed for the Sheltie Rescue to each of the club meetings until the Christmas party.

Trailer Storage: it will cost \$25.00 a month to store trailer at the equestrian center. This will be brought to the club.

Auditing Committee: Completed on Oct 5th. Everything was in order and looked very good.

Sheltie Calendars: These are now complete and are available for \$12.00

NEW BUSINESS: Revisions to the By-laws. We discussed cleaning up the by-laws from things like clarifications and spelling errors.

There was no other business.

Gene Cowley made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Judy Williamson 2nd the motion. Motion passed with a unanimous vote

The meeting adjourned at 6:30pm



CLUB MEETING MINUTES
OCT 16, 2007
Sandy Bicentennial Park
8680 south 500 east

ATTENDEES: Tricia Harris, Diana Beebe, Barbara Soderborg, Jim Newman, Peggy Newman, Judy Williamson, Julene Matthews, Cherie Hyde, Shirley McLaughlan, Analee Apgood, Tony Plott, Tomi Hamblin, Rachel Holmes, Steve Holmes, Ava Pickering, Ernie Ciampini, Caren Ciampini, Gene Cowley, carol Cowley, Mike Cornella, Linda Cornella, Jim Melton, Barbara Edelbey, Denny Daffron, Sarah Bagdoian, Steve Bagdoian, Pam Perry, Doug Perry, Cindy Wilkinson

Conducting: Tricia Harris, President

Minutes: Diana Beebe, Recording Secretary

WELCOME: Tricia Harris welcomed all in attendance and brought the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Denny Daffron made a motion to accept the September minutes, Tony Plott second the motion. The motion passed.

PRESIDENTS REPORT: Diane Orr wants people to know if she doesn't respond to you when you email something to her, then assume she didn't receive it and try again. Joanne Adams grandson is going to the Eukenuba and they would greatly appreciate any donations to help him get there

VICE-PRESIDENTS REPORT: Nothing to report at this time.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Barbara Soderborg informed us that we were asked to see if we could change our meeting day to another day. There is another group that needs the building every Tuesday Night. Julene Matthews made a motion to change our meetings to Wednesday night. Steve Holmes second the motion. Motion passed with majority vote. November meetings will be on the 14th, the second Wednesday of the month. This is due to the holiday. We will go back to the 3rd Wednesday after the Holiday season.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Cherie Hyde read the treasurer report. A motion to accept the treasure report was made by Peggy Newman. Mike Cornella seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Cherie had to purchase checks, they were incorrect again. No cost to club

Cherie brought up the cost of mailing out newsletters to the few members in the club. We discussed if it was worth the cost. We voted to continue with sending out the news letter to those who need a hard copy. Majority voted to continue sending hard copies. Club Members offered to help with printing and envelopes.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS:

President: Jim Newman

Vice President: Tricia Harris

Corresponding Secretary: Barbara Soderborg

Recording Secretary: Ava Pickering

Treasurer: Rachel Holmes

Board positions: Tony Plott, Steve Holmes, Julene Matthews, Cherie Hyde.

VOTED IN NEW MEMBERS: Sarah and Steve Bagdoian, and Jan Vigos-Johnson, Kay Vigos were voted in. All were voted in and welcomed into the club.

OLD BUSINESS: 2008 Specialty:

Judges: It was suggested that Bonnie Lee be hired as an obedience judge for the Specialty. It would cost \$150.00 to bring her in. Peggy Newman made a motion to Hire Bonnie Lee as the Obedience judge for the Specialty. Julene Matthews second the motion. The motion passed.

Trailer Inventory: completed and everything was accounted for.

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Sheltie Calendars: These are now complete and are available for \$12.00

CLUB MEETING MINUTES**October 16, 2007****Sandy Bicentennial Park****8680 south 500 east**

Specialty Trophies: Tricia Harris suggested we give Crate pads as Trophies. We discussed this and felt that giving a useful gift for trophies would be a good idea. Tricia is checking on pricing and will bring this to the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

There was no new business.

Gene Cowley made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Judy Williamson 2nd the motion. Motion passed with a unanimous vote

The meeting adjourned at 6:30pm

Shannalee, Joanne Adams & Crissy at the Boise Show Group ring in October
"After a long hard weekend of work !!!!!" LOL



Calendar of Events

November 14, 2007 — Club Meeting
 November 30, 2007 — Last Date for Dues
 December 25, 2007 — Christmas Day
 December 29, 2007 — Holiday Party 5pm



Thanksgiving Word Search - Solution

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 B U Q
 B A C I D E R N G
 L S E I P
 Y T N E L P F O N R O H E H C V L T
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