



Sheltie Connection

UTAH SHETLAND SHEEPDOG ASSOCIATION AUGUST 2010

Club Meetings are the 3rd
Wednesday of each Month
@ 7:00 P.M.

Board will meet 1 hour prior
to the club meeting. The
location for the meetings:

Alta Groomery
8052 S 700 E
Sandy

Bring a chair to sit on

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President's Message Julene Matthews

Greetings club members,

We all should be having a great time as this is of course the "dog days of summer". Right up our alley...

I just wanted to briefly touch on our responsibility to educate people on not just what a sheltie is about and why we love them, but we need to help people who are receptive to the message how to be better dog owners. We want to be cordial, not invasive and represent our breed well and represent the dog world. Take a few minutes with a person who is asking questions and without handing them all of the information on our own dogs, and household, answer questions in a way that will make people want to be a part of being better dog owners themselves.

Remember to be a good neighbor, and don't be critical of others who may be less sensitive to their neighbors. Try to bring people into our fight against animal rights agenda's and make them a compatriot in this battle. Every day I find a way to educate at least one person in dog care. I want people to feel good about how they care for their dogs and animals and try to help them know how to accomplish that effectively.

We'll see you at the club picnic. Please take note of the change of venue for the picnic. Hope you all can come!

Thanks again and have a wonderful August!

*** 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 contact Cheryl Sorensen so that she can send a card.

We're on the web!
www.utahsheltie.org

Announcements

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



Editor's note:

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Please send submissions and

Letters to the Editor:

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Also for address and e-mail changes,
please notify

Barbara (above)

Notice

Anyone who has puppies for sale, or is looking for a puppy or older dog, please contact Cheryl Sorensen at sequoya@etv.net or Tomi Hamblin at famesheties@comcast.net

Also check out the puppies and bitch for sale on pages 3,4,5, and 6

**We want to wish the following
Members a very
HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

5 Diane Orr
11 Chrissy Weatherston
18 David Calderwood
26 David Polster
28 Barbara Ray



We wish to thank Dana Quinney for providing the beautiful Sheltie graphics. Her graphics always make the newsletter so much more enjoyable!!

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

LOOK WHAT THE STORK DROPPED OFF



Ch Sea Haven Etched In Silver X Mistybrook Curvaceous (Ch. Macdega Notorious X Ch. Imagine Dangerous Curves)

7 puppies in all. 5 girls and 2 boys. There are puppies from this litter available to approved companion homes and there might be a show prospect available.



Ch Lacewood The Star Maker X Akadia Poetry Bi Moonlight (Ch. Anysworth Silver Moonlight X Ch. Akadia Totally Intoxicating)

6 puppies in all. 5 girls and 1 boy. There are puppies from this litter available to approved companion homes and there might be a show prospect available.

Lacewood Shetland Sheepdogs

TRICIA HARRIS -- LACEWOODSHELTIES@COMCAST.NET

PUPPIES...

AUTUMN SHELTIES



Bi-Blue Male



Blue Merle Male
mis-marked neuter contract



Tri-Colored Male
will be too large to show
neuter contract only



Tri-Colored Male
will be too small to show
Neuter contract only



Tri-Colored Male



Tri Female

All pet/performance puppies are sold on a spay/neuter contract only. First shots and wormings done. For more information please contact:

Cherie Hyde, 801-226-0701, cghyde@comcast.net

FOR SALE

Autumn Shelties is offering for sale Autumn Darkness Falls "Katie"

Tri-colored white/bi-factored major pointed bitch for sale. Proven

Cherie Hyde
801-226-0701
cghyde@comcast.net



AutumnShelties.com

Chandelle Shelties

Announces the arrival of 2 special litters



Litter # 1 is out of Akadia's Sunkist Promise by Ch. Paray's Cambridge. There are 2 boys and 3 girls-all sable and white. Some of these puppies will be available for sale to a good home.



Litter # 2 is out of Lacewood Electra by Ch. Lacewood The Star Maker. There are 4 boys-one bi-blue, one bi-black and two tri-colors. Some of these puppies will also be available for sale to a good home.

Contact Judy Williamson at 801-224-0976 for further information.

Redcoat

Brags from the Redcoat dogs

Himark Blue Diamond of Redcoat CDX RE AX AXJ OF "Captain" earned two double Qs and over 50 MACH points at the GSDOC trials in Farmington.

Ch. Soraj Chances Are CD RAE AX AXJ OFP "Chance" earned a master standard leg at the same trials.

Himark Black Diamond of Redcoat "Tennille" turned one on Friday and gave out treat bags to all her canine friends.

Redcoat A Fortune In Cash CD RAE OA NAJ NF "Kilo" had some nice runs, but no Qs.

Congratulations Jane and dogs!!



Something has arrived!



Clan Duncan Luna Moth

Our beautiful Glitter is now home from her stay at Davishall Shelties. She has four little girls by Ch. Lynroc Heart and Soul. Her first puppy to be shown, Davishall Incognito, was Best of Breed at his first two shows. Glitter will begin her show career after this litter.

Clan Duncan

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Animal Rights

What you should know

By David Calderwood

Puppy Uniform Protection and Safety Act

There are animal welfare groups very concerned about the Federal PUPS bill (Puppy Uniform Protection and Safety Act). See: <http://www.thedogpress.com/Columns/Guests/0810-PUPS-Hutchins.asp> According to the NAIA (National Animal Interest Alliance), the PUPS bill is highly unlikely to get a hearing this year. If we push on it too much now we could accidentally supply grist for the HSUS mill and enable it to get traction. It's always a possibility that it could get attached in the middle of the night to another bill and no amount of strategy can stop that sort of inside deal.

The NAIA has as alert written and ready to fire off to everyone if things heat up. It's expected that they'll push the bill next year. Meantime the NAIA doesn't want to use up the energy of the grassroots people. They can only get rallied so many times before getting tired. Quote from the NAIA: "we don't like to use up people unnecessarily. It's hard to get them back when they're really necessary"



For Sale:

LINDA CORNELLA has December 2003 through Fall 2004 Sheltie International Magazines and 2007 Pacesetter Magazines for sale. If you are interested in buying any of them, please email her at royalhill@msn.com

BARBARA RAY has a dog bath tub for sale. This is made of thick durable plastic (the kind children's playgrounds are made of) included is a plastic coated grate for the floor and faucet. Price is \$200.00. She also has several wire crates for sale in an assortment of sizes from Sheltie size to German Shepherd size. Prices vary. If interested please email saltcityshetlies@msn.com



SUMMER PICNIC

**This year we will have our annual club picnic at the
Sandy Main Street Park
Located at 60 East 8720 South
Sandy**

**The club will provide the meat and drinks. This is a
great time to come out and bring your dogs or puppies
and mingle with the other members.**

**Please contact Barbara Ray to let her know if you will
be attending and let her know what you will be bring-
ing.**

SEE YOU THIS SATURDAY!!!

Remember your dogs can't do a lot of things for themselves
and that they depend on you to make their life a quality life!

A Pet's Ten Commandments

1. My life is likely to last 10-15 years. Any separation from you is likely to be painful.
2. Give me time to understand what you want of me
3. Place your trust in me. It is crucial for my well-being.
4. Don't be angry with me for long and don't lock me up as punishment. You have your work, your friends, your entertainment, but I have only you.
5. Talk to me. Even if I don't understand your words, I do understand your voice when speaking to me.
6. Be aware that however you treat me, I will never forget it.
7. Before you hit me, before you strike me, remember that I could hurt you, and yet, I choose not to bite you.
8. Before you scold me for being lazy or uncooperative, ask yourself if something might be bothering me. Perhaps I'm not getting the right food, I have been in the sun too long, or my heart might be getting old or weak.
9. Please take care of me when I grow old. You too, will grow old.
10. On the ultimate difficult journey, go with me please. Never say you can't bear to watch. Don't make me face this alone. Everything is easier for me if you are there, because I love you so.

Take a moment today to thank God for your pets. Enjoy and take good care of them.

Life would be a much duller, less joyful experience without God's critters. We do not have to wait for Heaven, to be surrounded by hope, love, and joyfulness.

It is here on earth and has four legs!

Calendar of Events

August 14, 2010 — Club Picnic

No club “meeting” in August!!

September 15, 2010 — Club Meeting

October 20, 2010 — Club Meeting

November 17, 2010 — Club Meeting

December — Christmas Party

