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Cover Story

Our cover story is one of breeding Poms for 17 years. Because of travel, we have never really been able to start a line of our own. But Rosie is now the result of four generations of our own females, and our foundation male, Jestom's Red Robin. Red Robin, now 10 years old, is a son of Ch. Lennis' Tar Baby of Great Elms. Bred to Am/Can. Ch. Jestom's Miss Irresistible, Rosie and two other similar puppies were produced.

We hope to continue producing along similar lines and we have especially high hopes for Rosie's future.

JESTOM POMERANIANS

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Photo by Jessie Stephens.

Yips & Yaps

GOOD FOOD?

I am a two Pom owner and lover and I subscribe to the Pom Review.

In the most recent issue, I read the article written by Sissy McGill of Solid Gold Kennels entitled "I Was Killing My Dog." In the article she described the undesirable ingredients present in dog foods and the harm they do. She did a lot of research and mentioned that she had found a dog food which is all natural and much better for the dog's consumption. She did not mention the name of the product of the company (if applicable) that makes it.

I was wondering if this was intentional on her part. I am sure all dog owners and lovers including myself, would like to know from where they can get decent food for their pets. Would it be possible to get a reply on this?

My dogs are strictly pets. I do not breed or show, but I would still like to know the food to buy in order to keep them healthy and

strong for a longer life. My dogs have experienced some of the symptoms described in her article. My first thought was worms, but the vet said it wasn't; that they were healthy. Then I read the article a week later. How can feed companies get by with putting that junk in pet foods? It should be a crime! Why do they use names that common people can't understand for the ingredients and what those ingredients do?

I would appreciate your help on this. What dog food was it that Sissy finally found for her dogs?

Sincerely,
Sandy S. Young
Jacksonville, AR

There has been quite a bit of interest in the above-mentioned article. The last address I continued on p. 8.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

by Olga Baker
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The Pomeranian world seems to be going a little "mad" these days! Are you watching as Poms from all across the country are winning Groups, Bests in Show and innumerable group placements? And we're not talking about one or two dogs, folds. I've had telephone calls just in the past several weeks from three different close Pom friends whose Poms just won Toy Groups, coincidentally all three are *puppies*. A couple have won two groups each! And we are not talking about the top winning Poms here (those wonderful creature keep on setting the toy dog world on fire, too), but these are new stars on the horizon. I find this mind-bogglingly wonderful.

You Pomeranian people are doing lots of something right. It makes everyone quite proud and even a little pompous to see our breed right up there winning, being admired and a breed to be noticed and contended with — even in the upper echelons of dog shows. Another phone call just informed me that a parti-color Pom had just won a group! Imagine this — the first time in history! Incredible and wonderful! Time was when someone mentioned "that group-winning Pom", everyone pretty well knew which *one* dog they were speaking of at any one time. Now, we find multi-pomeranian group dogs everywhere, winning the big stuff.

Don't you newer Pom lovers misinterpret this, by the way. We don't mean to imply that a group dog is easy to come by. It seems lots of people have them — no big deal, right? WRONG! These dogs, breeders and owners represent untold hours and years of work, hardship, training, studying and so forth. Fine quality animals don't just happen, further supporting my contention that you Pom people are truly to be commended. I congratulate you!!

Smile a lot and mean it. Let's all continue to enjoy dog shows and enjoy dog people, and never ever consider dog shows as anything other than a terrific hobby, a neat sport, a fine

avocation and most importantly a fun thing to do!

Thanks to everyone for your fine Club support.

IN MEMORIUM

Ruth H. (Mrs. Robert) Bellick passed away on Saturday, May 16, 1987 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gregory, with whom she had lived since the death of her husband. Ruth had been in very poor health for a number of years but was able to celebrate her 75th birthday last October with a gathering of her entire family and a few close friends. She will be remembered by many as the second Editor of the Pomeranian Review and as the co-owner of the famous Eng. Am. Can. Ber. Ch. Pixietown Serenade of Hadleigh. She was also one of the six founder and charter members of the Bay Colony Pomeranian Club.

AKC VIDEOS

A letter from Nancy Barr, Production Manager of the AKC Videos, states that the Pom video will be taped this year on October 6th in New York City. Pomeranians who have won Best in Show awards have invitations to be present, if they check with the AP Committee immediately (Dorothy Bonner, Olga Baker, Christine Hartz). Owners must pay their own expenses and the AKC will be entirely in charge of the taping. There will be a script meeting in New York in July for the Committee in preparation for the actual shooting in October.

AMERICAN POMERANIAN CLUB, INC.

This club is devoted to encouraging the owning, breeding and exhibiting of the Pomeranian dog and the protection and advancement of the breed.

We are currently offering membership to all who are interested in these principles and aims.

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Prestigious Pomeranians



Prestigious Throw A Parti

(Ch. Pomirish Robin's Top Shelf x Prestigious Parti Girl —
a double granddaughter of Ch. Blossomview's Madam Butterfly)

Best in Match at the Sooner Pomeranian Club Fun Match. Pictured here the following day taking a 4 pt. major and BOW at Oklahoma City. Thank you Mrs. James Clark.

A big thanks to the lovely Mrs. Mildred Patrick for the beautiful grooming, presentation and TLC given to him.

Sherry and Earl Steinmetz
10016 Marsh Lane
Dallas, TX 75229
(214) 358-5549 Eves — 398-5981

Prestigious Pomeranians



Ch. Prestigious Pee Wee Parti

GROUP 1

The Number 1 Parti Color Pom of all time.

A very special thanks to Mrs. Margaret Young.

Sherry and Earl Steinmetz
10016 Marsh Lane
Dallas, TX 75229
(214) 358-5549 or 398-5981

Yips and Yaps, from p. 4.

have for Sissy McGill is: 9490 Loren Dr. La Mesa, CA 92041. In the late '70s she was making a natural, herbal dog food in the Southern California area. Other products were available as well. She has written several articles on the benefits of natural treatments for pets. As space allows I will include them, as this seems to be an area of interest.

From John Cribbs

From time to time I receive letters from our fellow readers about the Pom Review. Here is one I would like to share with you. It says so much in plain English:

"Thank you so much for another year of the Pom Review. I have ordered this magazine now since 1978 and have enjoyed the articles that are so very helpful. Also, to see these beautiful balls of fur, to watch them grow in a book and learn about them so far away. This magazine makes it possible for many of us to reach other people that are an important part of breeding programs and keep them the best possible!

Just a short note of thanks,
Linda Spady

GAINES INTRODUCES FIFTH EDITION OF "BASIC GUIDE TO CANINE NUTRITION"

Genetics and environment are important factors controlling the health, functions, abilities and accomplishments of the dog. Proper nutrition is often the vital link in assuring a dog's genetic potential.

Now in its fifth printing, Gaines Pet Foods Corp's "Basic Guide to Canine Nutrition" provides the reader with a resource on the principles of dog nutrition and advice on feeding dogs throughout their lives — from whelping through old age.

The 95-page book has been used as a practical reference by veterinary clinicians and colleges of veterinary medicine since its first printing in 1965. It has been rewritten and edited by Dr. James Sokolowski, DVM, PhD., Manager of the Gaines Nutrition Center, and his staff, to take into account the vast array of commercial dog foods available today and to "bridge the gap" between the science of nutrition and the art of feeding.

The book is divided into five sections. A chapter titled "Essential Nutrients and their Role in Metabolism" includes a chart

outlining signs of mineral deficiencies and excesses. "General Considerations in Canine Nutrition" offers a review of terms related to the study of nutrition, as well as special nutritional considerations, including factors that may affect nutrient utilization.

The section on "Commercial Pet Foods" offers an explanation of the rules and regulations that govern what is put on a dog food label, a look at pet food ingredients and why they are added, and a nutritional and caloric comparison of the dry, soft-dry, soft-moist and canned dog food categories.

"Practical Feeding and Management Practices" explores present day feeding programs for dogs based on their physiological status and stage of life. The chapter on "Nutritional Therapeutics" examines the accomplishments and limitations that exist in therapeutic diets for canine ailments including renal failure, disorders of the alimentary tract, diabetes mellitus, cardiac disease and obesity. The chapter also looks at factors altering digestion and absorption of nutrition.

To receive your copy of the fifth edition of "Basic Guide to Canine Nutrition" send a check or money order for \$6.95, payable to Gaines Pet Foods Corp, to:

Basic Guide to Canine Nutrition
P.O. Box 8177
Kankakee, IL 60902

The Gaines Company sent me a copy of their Basic Guide to Canine Nutrition for review in the Pom Review. I am most happy to do so, especially in light of the interest shown in the last article published on nutrition.

The first chapter is a weighty one, giving the needs for all the different nutrients in the canine body. The best part of the chapter is the chart which names the nutrient and gives the results when there are deficiencies or excesses in each particular nutrient. You can really see the importance of each item.

The second chapter is General Considerations in Canine Nutrition including discussions of digestibility, the caloric, nutrient requirements in dogs, and practical considerations of nutrition. Again the most handy and helpful parts are the charts where a great deal of material is synthesized into one manageable source.

My favorite chapter is on Commercial Pet Foods which explains the hows, whys and wherefores of pet food productions. The best continued on p. 18.

Can. Ch. Chriscendo Cachet



(Ch. Coy's Top of the Mark x Can. Ch. Chriscendo Cashmere)

"Peaches" is shown winning on the very competitive Tar Heel Circuit, handled by John. She is a multiple Group winner as a puppy in Canada, now with 12 points (1 major). A few weeks later she free whelped a lovely female puppy by Ch. Millamor's Rock Medallion.

We send congratulations to:

Chriscendo Calvin Klein (co-owner with Eleanor Miller) on their recent Group 1st (at just 9 months of age). **Can. Am. Ch. Chriscendo City Lights** — (Co-owned with Sue Goddard) on his two Group winning sons, Ch. Dignity's Chris O' Lights (Dignowity) and Tim Sue's Highlights (Goddard/Luginsland).

Please note our new address

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Ch. Janesa's Chatawa Big Orange



(Ch. Theldun's Almond Fudge x Janesa's Sunkist Runner)

Congratulations to Ann and OJ. Watch for OJ and Ann in the obedience ring next. OJ is the first champion for Janesa's Sunkist Runner.

Loved, owned and handled by:

Ann Terry
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Bred by

Janesa's Poms
Jerrie Freia
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(504) 384-7466

Janesa's Renee



(Ch. Bev-Nor's Toastmaster x Janesa's Sunkist Runner)

What a weekend! First day Renee was handled by John Lewis for 2 points and a BOB. Second day, handled by her breeder/owner for a 3 point major and a BOS. Next weekend, 2 points and BOW and BOS.

Renee has one new brother and two sisters growing up.

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Jerrie Freia
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Ch. Janesa's Sunkisted



(Ch. Bev-Nor's Toastmaster x Ch. Janesa's Roulette)

Congratulations to Polly and Tuffie. Tuffie is the third champion for his sire, "Master" and the first for Ch. Janesa's Roulette.

Loved, owned and handled by
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Janesa's Hi-Struttin' Daisey



(Ch. Southland's Toasted Fudge x Ch. Janesa's Roulette)

Pictured taking a 3 point major. Watch for her in the ring after she recovers from a broken leg suffered at ringside the following weekend.

Daisey congratulates her half sister, Southland's Step Aside Boys on her major win.

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APC Summer Specialty Show

Judges Critique

By Darrell W. Baker

The Parent Club's Summer Specialty was one of those talked-about events, with people in attendance from all parts of the nation. It was my privilege and pleasure to have been selected to judge for the California hosts. My fellow dog show judge for the San Diego Specialty the following day was Mrs. Thelma Brown, a much-admired and respected judge and lady. She and I had an in-depth discussion of the two days of dog shows as we shared a head table spot at the Club's dinner. We were in full agreement that quality abounded at these two exhibitions, beginning with the young dogs and all the way through to the Specials classes.



Winners Dog and Best of Winners went to Great Elms Firestarter, owned by Skip Piazza and Jon Marcantonio.

I saw a few exhibits with some bite and teeth problems . . . a few with ears not quite where I prefer them to be and a little larger than I like . . . some interesting colors . . . a limited number with some cowhocking or improper movement, but purely a minor problem. Most were excellent dogs. As judges, we must keep the various faults we see in proper perspective and count these anomalies purely as faults. The old adage that all dogs have faults is true certainly. California's shows however were show places of excellent, wonderfully groomed and presented Pomeranians, causing me to take



Winners Bitch went to Tammy's Dancing Bear, owned by Tammy Wulstein.

more time not only in judging, but also in enjoying the dogs, because Pomeranians are, after all, my number one breed.

Deadlines preclude extensive commentary here. The show will be reported elsewhere. If I fail herein to mention your dog, please do not misinterpret my intent.

Puppy entries were large and quite exceptional, dogs and bitches. The Winners Dog, Great Elms Firestarter, owned by Skip Piazza and Jon Marcantonio, emerged from a tight contest with my Reserve Dog, Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales, owned by Dolores A. Watts, a puppy that I later learned was the Sweepstakes winner. Tammy's Dancing Bear, owned by Tammy Wulstein, was selected Winners Bitch and, in my opinion, well-deserved. Reserve to this beautiful Pom was a fine black and tan girl owned by Wanda and Dudley Roach.

Judges frequently comment that there were many dogs shown that they would like to take home. I avoid that statement, primarily because my experience has been that Olga too frequently does just that — takes one home. Now that I am safely back, I can in good conscience take that statement. I must comment on the Veterans, as the two classes (dogs and bitches) captured the crowd and maybe even a damp eye or two. The familiar



Best of Breed went to the Veteran Dog, Ch. D-Nee's Darin' Duffie, owned by Nadine Hersil. Handled by Jackie Liddle. Judge, Darrell Baker.

call names of the two dogs, "Duffie," owned by Nadine Hersil, and "Josh," owned by Anna LaFortune showed like youngsters. Both were in excellent condition and appreciated by the crowd. The bitch class of oldsters included a little 8 year old, owned by Kim Dickinson, and a 10 year old, slightly overweight gal, owned by Erin Hundley. Ch. Rap's Enchantress of Beaver and Ch. Que Sera Gigi of Golden Glow showed off and were respected by the crowd.

Best of Breed competition included three or maybe four dogs I singled out mentally as top contenders, with others also presented nicely,



Best of Opposite Sex went to Ch. Tim Sue's Angel Sabrina, owned by Tim and Sue Goddard.

each a candidate for the purple and gold ribbon. The Veteran Dog, Ch. D-Nee's Darin' Duffie showed magnificently and was in top form, and was my choice for best of the day. Best of Opposite Sex was a very sound and huge coated bitch, Ch. Tim Sue's Angel Sabrina owned by Tim Goddard.

I wish to thank the California people for inviting me to judge their special event. It was an honor and an assignment especially enjoyed.

REGULAR CLASSES **Judge, Darrell W. Baker**

Puppy Dogs 6-9

Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales, Dolores Watts

Puppy Dogs 9-12

Pomirish Victor's Challenger, Sally Baugniet

Bred By Exhibitor Dogs

Pop Corn of Point Loma, Pauline Hughes

American Bred Dogs

Tellez Simply Thumb Print, Tony Tellez

Open Dogs, Black, Blue, Brown

Jubilee's Winning Ways, Lorene Bradbury &

Nitsa Traylor

Open Dogs, ROCS

Great Elms Firestarter, Skip Piazza & Jon

Marcantonio

Winners Dog — Great Elms Firestarter

Reserve Winners Dog — Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales

Puppy Bitches 6-9

Watts' Little Black N Tandy, Wanda and

Dudley Roach

Puppy Bitches 9-12

Lana's Mandy, Lana Ejchorszt

Novice Bitch

Gloria's Juliet Love of Mort, Alexandra Gonos

Bred By Exhibitor Bitches

Watts' Little I'm A Raisinette, Dolores Watts

Open Bitch, Black, Blue, Brown

Phyner Black Minikin, Dolly Trauner

Open Bitches, ROCS

Tammy's Dancing Bear, Tammy Wulstein

Winners Bitch — Tammy's Dancing Bear

Reserve Winners Bitch — Watts' Little Black N Tandy

Veteran Dogs

Ch. D-Nee's Darin' Duffie, Nadine Hersil

Veteran Bitches

Ch. Rap's Enchantress of Beaver. Kim Dickinson

Best of Breed — Ch. D-Nee's Darin' Duffie
Best of Winners — Great Elms Firestarter
Best Opposite Sex — Ch. Tim Sue's Angel
 Sabrina, Tim and Sue Goddard

APC SPECIALTY SWEEPSTAKES
Judges Critique
 by Olga Baker

I can add little to Darrell's critique. I had a wonderful time judging the Sweepstakes entries and I continue to be a very avid fan of Sweepstakes competition in Specialty shows. I'm disappointed always when there is no puppy competition.

This event, hosted by the San Diego Pomeranian Club, was extraordinary and especially rewarding for me to judge. Future Pomeranian stars abounded here on a really wonderful show site, colorfully laid out on big tennis courts, with plenty of space, convenient access to everything, lots of grooming areas for exhibitors, nice ring arrangements. Everything to make everyone comfortable. Even the weather cooperated. Sunny California was not quite so sunny, with a nice overcast sky that provided cool breezes and comfort. Perfect.

Puppies are notorious for getting to the dog show and embarrassing exhibitors, amusing spectators. This time they did not cooperate very well. They all showed, walked on lead and behaved! Quite an exception to the normal rule of puppies balking, not walking, sitting down at inopportune times, screeching when you tug them — just generally being brats. Something happened at San Diego. They all acted like show dogs. My four choices for first place ribbons were beautiful Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales in the Puppy Dog 6-9 class. Owned by Dolores Watts. Cute-stepping Pomirish Victor's Challenger, owned by Sally Bagniet from the 9-12 class. The Puppy Bitch 6-9 class went to the delightful black and tan, Watts' Little Black N Tandy, owned by Wanda and Dudley Roach. Another really lovely girl won the 9-12 class, My-Joy Cassie of Apolloette, owned by Sue and Larry Chewning. Best in Sweepstakes was Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales. Best Opposite went to Watts' Little Black N Tandy.

I loved them all, but felt so really good with my placements as they returned for the finals, I decided maybe I might be a pretty good Pom judge some day! (bet there are some pros and



Best in Sweepstakes winner Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales, owned by Dolores A. Watts. Judge, Olga Baker.

cons on *that!*)

Thank you nice people for letting me judge and handle your Sweepstakes entries. It was truly my pleasure and it is such a nice compliment to have someone enter a dog for you to examine, indicating that you are at least interested in my opinion. Wonder if all judges feel this way . . .

No more dog show talk, but I must take this opportunity to extend sincere gratitude to all those who made the California shows and events special for everyone. There were untold people working in the background keeping guests comfortable, providing absolutely everything anyone could want. Sweet Beverly Griffiths and June Smyth did hospitality and it could not have been lovelier. They even fed everyone lunch both days, right there at the hotel show site. Beverly seemed to be always caring for somebody — getting food, coffee, something, almost to the exclusion of her seeing the dog shows! Little Kim Dickinson was everywhere organizing, busying over everyone, being so blooming cute (as she always is) and being the foreman of all activities. There were so many others. "Duke" our ring steward, did a terrific job and was so fun to be with. A special "atta-boy" should go to Anna LaFortune. She did trophies and advertising. The trophies were so very, very special that I even made a little "scene" until they finally gave me one of the precious Pom magnets. Those hand-painted plates Anna made were coveted by everyone there.

This is a judges' critique section, not a

sounding board for just everything, but I must also extend appreciation to Mr. Peter Galindo for taking charge of these two shows skillfully and seeing that everything ran properly from start to finish. As Show Chariman, he really works! Masochistic, obviously.

Kim and Beverly and the others planned one of the loveliest events I've ever experienced as social activity for their specialties — the beautiful cruise along the gorgeous bay on a spacious paddle-wheel boat with a dinner to *die for*. The shore is splendidly lighted and quite spectacular at night and everyone thoroughly enjoyed that evening. The bus trip from hotel to dock (and back) was just as dog gatherings should be. Good friends, new friends, many acquaintances enjoying one another, acting goofy and singing, carrying on. Just everyone, camaraderie very much envied by those in other breeds. Aren't Pomeranian people fantastic?

Thanks again to you wonderful California people. We'll never forget that one!

SWEEPSTAKES

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Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales, Dolores Watts

Puppy Dogs 9-12

Pomirish Victor's Challenger, Sally Baugniot

Puppy Bitches 6-9

Watts' Little Black N Tandy, Wanda and Dudley Roach

Puppy Bitches 9-12

My-Joy Cassie of Apolloette, Sue and Larry Chewning

Best in Sweepstakes — Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales

Best Opposite in Sweepstakes — Watts' Little Black N Tandy

SAN DIEGO POMERANIAN CLUB SPECIALTY

Puppy Sweepstakes

Judge, Mrs. Dora Henderson

Puppy Dogs 6-9

1. Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales, Dolores Watts.

Puppy Dogs 9-12

Bev-Nor's Echo, Frances and Kenneth Freeman

Puppy Bitches 6-9

1. Suncrest Lil Farrah Facet, Kim Dickinson

Puppy Bitches 9-12

1. My-Joy Cassie of Apolloette, Sue and Larry Chewning

Best in Sweepstakes — My-Joy Cassie of Apolloette

Regular Classes

Judge, Mrs. Thelma R. Brown

Puppy Dogs 6-9

1. Apolloette Lucky of Gambler, Marlene and Marlin Presser

Puppy Dogs 9-12

1. McKamey's Enchanting Magic, Norma McKamey

Bred By Exhibitor Dogs

1. Pop Corn of Point Loma, Pauline B. Hughes

Open Dogs Black, Blue, Brown

1. Jubilee's Winning Ways, Lorene Bradburn and Nitsa Trayler

Open Dogs ROCS

1. Prestigious Throw A Parti, Sherry and Ed Steinmetz

Winners Dog — Prestigious Throw A Parti

Reserve Winners Dog — McKamey's Enchanting Magic

Puppy Bitches 6-9

1. Apolloette O' So Sassy, Marlene and Marlin Presser

Puppy Bitches 9-12

1. Watts' Little Country Bumpkin, Sharon Shipek

Novice Bitch

1. Gloria's Juliet Love of Mort, Alexandra Gonos

Bred By Exhibitor Bitches

1. Jubilee Whisper of Mica, Lorene Bradburn and Sandra Logan

Open Bitch, Black, Blue, Brown

1. Phyner Black Minikin, Dolly Trauner

Open Bitches ROCS

1. Alexandra's Starlight, Alexandra L. Gonos

Winners Bitch — Jubilee Whisper of Mica

Reserve Winners Bitch — My-Joy Cassie of Apolloette

Veteran Dog

1. Ch. D-Nee's Darin' Duffie, Nadine Hersil

Veteran Bitch

1. Ch. Rap's Enchantress of Beaver, Kim Dickinson

Best of Breed — Ch. D-Nee's Darin' Duffie

Best of Winners — Prestigious Throw A Parti

Best Opposite Sex — Jubilee Whisper of Mica

JUDGE'S CRITIQUE

by Mrs. Thelma R. Brown

The San Diego Pomeranian Club Specialty, held the day after the National Specialty in San Diego, brought together a fine collection of Poms representing a wide geographical spread. It is a rare opportunity to assess the current status of a breed when this occurs and I was fortunate to have that opportunity.

The quality in the puppy classes was quite outstanding. Several of the puppies, not placed on the day will have great potential in their owners' breeding programs if they mature as promised.

Open dog ROCS class was large and with enough quality that I made a cut to indicate this prior to making the placements. Winners Dog was Prestigious Throw A Parti, owned by the Steinmetz from Dallas, TX. Reserve Winners Dog was a sound stylish puppy with good leg length, McKamey's Enchanting Magic, owned by Norris McKamey of Le Claire, Iowa.

The bitch quality was high throughout the entry with the Bred By Exhibitor class especially nice, as sometimes happens at a Specialty. This is a class which always deserves a long look for quality in depth is found here.

In this case, Winners Bitch came from Bred by Jubilee Whisper of Mica, owned by Lorene Bradbury and Sandra Logan, Fresno, CA. Reserve Winners also from Bred by, was My-Joy Cassie of Apollette, owned by the Chewnings of Tracy, CA. I understand the Reserve Bitch also won the Sweepstakes.

Veteran Dog and Bitch brought out great quality entries. The dog winner 7 years, the bitch 8 years, both in gorgeous condition which speaks well for Pom staying qualities.

The Specials class was a grand sight and the rindside acknowledged their quality with applause as each was moved. A very nice gesture. The cut in this class brought out the Veteran dog and two brothers who are from litters two years apart.

Final Best of Breed was Ch. D-Nee's Darin' Duffie from Veterans. Absolutely sound, with great depth of coat color and showing every minute, he was outstanding. Best of Winners was the dog, Prestigious Throw A Parti and Best Opposite to the very nice Bred by Bitch, Jubilee Whisper of Mica.

In thinking back over the quality of the large entry, several things stood out. Fronts were generally quite good, bone was straight and movement in most cases true. Rear angulation and movement was better than expected. There were almost no dogs with really stilted rears and moving away, hocks were sturdy. Bodies were substantial and well ribbed with nice firm toplines. In all these areas, the breeders have done a good job.

My concern was with the heads. Always within a breed you get a range of type but I see a drift toward broader, flatter heads that I feel you as Pomeranian breeders should assess before it becomes a problem.

My sincere thanks to everyone who showed me their lovely Poms. I enjoyed judging them and appreciated your courtesy and good sportsmanship. Also, a big thank you to the San Diego Pomeranian Club, who are small in numbers but very big in warmth and hospitality.

Yips and Yaps, from p. 8.

chart is entitled "Pet Food Ingredients and Why They Are Added." I looked at Artificial Color, Caramel Color and Titanium Dioxide. It is added because "U.S. Food and Drug Administration approved color for human and pet food products." That's just great! There is no reason to add artificial color other than FDA said they could!

This chart at least makes some sense of the multi-syllabic words on dog food bags. I'm not sure, as in the instance noted above, that I'm altogether comfortable with what I see here, but at least it's here.

The last chapter gives suggestions on feeding practices and management, again with very helpful charts and graphs. For show people, most of the information is pretty basic. It might be a good resource for your pet people. At least you'd have a book to copy information from, rather than saying, "Just do it like I say, because I say to."

If you don't have a resource at hand that deals directly with canine nutrition, this one would be a good one to obtain. It never hurts to be able to look up the function of some element in your dog's diet, without going to the library. For those who are actively breeding and showing however, I wouldn't make this my only resource.

Jubilee Whisper of Mica



(Ch. Moonshadow's Mica x Jubilee Nightsong)

Lorene Bradbury, the lovely lady who breeds beautiful dogs for everyone else, decided to keep this one and have me show her. Whisper is 9 months old and has 3 majors. When she gets her last two points she will be Lorene's first homebred and owned champion. We thank Mrs. Victor Olmos-Ollivier (5 pts.), Mrs. Denny Kodner (3 pts.), Mrs. Thelma Brown (5 pts. and BOS over Specials, San Diego Specialty).

Good luck to other Mica and Boo babies — Lessard Shangrila of Jubilee (10 points, owner Alice Lessard), Jubilee's Winning Ways (2 pts., owner Nitsa Traylor), Odyssey's Onyx of Jubilee (2 pts., owner Janet Manuszak).

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Wee Heart's

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Ch. Wee Heart's Just-E-Nuff

Winners Dog and Best of Winners from puppy class. Needs only 4 points to finish.

Thank you, thank you, thank you Judge Miss Virginia E. Sivori for these lovely wins.

Wee Heart's Mercedes Benz

Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex from puppy class.

Thanks to our many Pom friends for all the support and compliments. A special thanks to Jane McDaniel and Jean Haas for helping handle. Thank you all!



Ch. Wee Heart's Bit of Gold Dust

Best of Breed and on to Toy Group First!

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Ch. Wee Heart's Rose Royce

Rose thanks judges Mrs. Keke Blumberg (2 pts.), Mr. James Moran (3 pts.), Mr. William Usherwood (3 pts.), Mrs. Michelle Billings (2 pts.), Mrs. Toddie Clark (2 pts.), Mrs. Paula Hartinger (2 pts.) and Mrs. George Wanner (4 pts.) going BOS over a special in Atlanta. All by 9 months of age.



Ch. Wee Heart's Just-E-Nuff

Justin thanks Mr. James Moran (3 pts.), Mr. Kenneth Miller (4 pts.), Mr. Merrill Cohen (2 pts.), and Miss Virginia Sivori (2 pts.). He has 11 points and both majors.

Thank you to all these fine judges! Thanks also to Dr. Harold Collings for the 3 points on Rose Royce. You're a super handler! Thank you Bonnie Crain for handling Rose also.

For a Pom bred to win, contact Wee Hearts. Puppies available by Ch. Dustee and Just-E-Nuff, mostly Great Elms and Scotia lines.

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Dallas Fort Worth Specialty Show

BY PEGGY HENDRICKS

March 20 the Dallas-Fort Worth Pomeranian Club, Inc. hosted its 1987 Spring Specialty. This show was held in conjunction with the combined specialties at Amon Carter Square in Fort Worth, TX with an entry of 45 dogs and a total entry of 66.

Our Sweepstakes began at 5:00 p.m. judged by Sue Goddard, who used her many years of experience, devotion and knowledge of our breed in the placing of the 21 adorable puppies as follows:

Puppy Dogs 6-9

1. Tellez Simply Thumb Print, Tony Tellez
2. Reggie's Spark for Kentucky, Lynn Hohenshell

Puppy Dogs 9-12

1. Great Elms Firestarter, Skip Piazza & Jon Marcantonio
2. Collier's Pretty Boi Floyd, Lula Mae Collier
3. De Artas Gold Cricket, M. Deane Rinehart & Nina Epps
4. HHH Sunny Side Up, Peggy Hendricks

Puppy Bitches 6-9

1. Shadomountin Baby Angel, Kathy M. Bucher
2. Southland's Justa Dreama, Polly Ferguson & Charlotte Creed
3. Prestigious Top Trick, Sherry & Earl Steinmetz

4. Texican's Berry Mouse, Erika & Jennifer Moureau

Puppy Bitches 9-12

1. HHH Cagey Cadette, Peggy Hendricks
 2. Berry's Sassy Sue Sie, Erika & Jennifer Moureau
 3. Prestigious Prize Possession, Sherry & Earl Steinmetz
 4. Tomanoll's Dolly Dimples, Opal Mosher
- Best in Sweepstakes** — Great Elms Firestarter
Best of Opposite Sex — HHH Cagey Cadette

A big thank you to Sue from the club for her expert judging and for all the years of support she has given to our club.

Regular classes began at 6:00 p.m. with Mary McCoy judging the entry of 16 dogs, 12 bitches and 8 Best of Breed — a task Mrs. McCoy handled with expertise. After careful deliberation she made the following placements:

Puppy Dogs 6-9

1. Tellez Simply Thumb Print, Tony Tellez
2. Cheelan Starpower, Karen Holder
3. Reggie's Spark For Kentucky, Lynn Hohenshell
4. Carousel's Glass Tiger, Linda Gustafson

Puppy Dogs 9-12

1. Great Elms Firestarter, Skip Piazza & Jon Marcantonio



Best in Sweepstakes went to Great Elms Firestarter, owned by Skip Piazza and Jon Marcantonio.



Winners Dog went to Tomanoll's Mucho Mucho Mucho, owned by Opal Mosher.

2. De Artas Gold Cricket, M. Deane Rinehart & Nina Epps
3. Collier's Pretty Boi Floyd, Lula Mae Collier
4. Bev-Nor's Echo, Frances & Kenneth Freeman

Open Dogs

1. Tomanoll's Mucho Mucho Mucho, Opal Mosher
2. HHH Sunny Side Up, Peggy Hendricks
3. Cenla's Cosmic Kid, A.C. Williamson
4. Creider's Winterhawk, Norma Creider

Winners Dog — Tomanoll's Mucho Mucho Mucho Reserve — Great Elms Firestarter

Puppy Bitches 6-9

1. Shadomountin Baby Angel, Kathy Bucher
2. Prestigious Top Trick, Sherry & Earl Steinmetz
3. Southland's Justa Dreama, Polly Ferguson & Charlotte Creed
4. Texican's Berry Mouse, Erika & Jennifer Moureau

Puppy Bitches 9-12

1. HHH Cagey Cadette, Peggy Hendricks
2. Prestigious Prize Possession, Sherry & Earl Steinmetz
3. Tomanoll's Dolly Dimples, Opal Mosher

American Bred Bitches

1. Beau's Black Beauty, Deborah Schoenfelt
2. HHH Kiss 'n Kate, Donna Motley



Winners Bitch, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex and Best Puppy in Classes after taking Best Opposite Sex in Sweepstakes, HHH Cagey Cadette took it all! Owned by Peggy Hendricks.

Open Bitches

1. HHH Honeysuckle Rose, Peggy Hendricks
2. Rockwood's Pagan of Dee Nay, Ruby Dah
3. Berry's Sassy Sue Sie, Erika & Jennifer Moureau
4. Scotia Wee Coquette Contessa, Nan Shellman

Winners Bitch — HHH Cagey Cadette Reserve — HHH Honeysuckle Rose

Best of Breed went to Ch. Great Elms Princess Charming II, owned by Skip Piazza and Olga Baker. Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex and Best Puppy in Classes went to HHH Cagey Cadette.

We wish to thank Mary McCoy for her help in making this year's spring specialty another success.

The after show dinner was held following the show at the Great Oaks Inn. Guests of honor were Mrs. Mary McCoy and Mrs. Susan Goddard. Each in turn spoke to the attending members and exhibitors, expressing their thoughts as they judged each precious Pomeranian, a great ending to a perfect evening. Thanks again to our judges and all the faithful exhibitors who made this a successful show.

Best wishes to all at the shows and we hope to see you at our Fall Specialty, September 1987.

If you are not on our mailing list and would like to be added please contact me. We would love to include you.



Best of Breed went to Ch. Great Elms Princess Charming II, owned by Olga Baker and Skip Piazza.

Watts' Pomeranians



Ch. Watts' Little Ebony of Scotia

(Ch. Watts' Little Peter Tan Mo-Best x Watts' Little Crisco of Scotia)

Champion #18

Midnite, as she is affectionately known around the kennels, is champion #4 for her dam, Watts' Little Crisco of Scotia. Crisco is one of those bitches, though never having been in the show ring, is worthy of a #1 place in her role as a top Brood Bitch.

Many thanks to the judges who played a part in Midnite's championship, and a special nod to Sue Whaley for showing her.

I would also like to take this opportunity to congratulate Midnite's full brother, Ch. Watts' Little Love Bug, who finished recently and to her half brother, owned by the Pressers in California, Ch. Apolloette's Coast to Coast, who also finished recently.

See pedigree in Behind The New Champions.

Puppies Occasionally

Watts' Pomeranians



Ch. Watts' Quizmaster Billy Joe

(Ch. Scotia Commander's Gin Fiz x Ch. Scotia Dandy's Treasure Chest)
Champion #19

Billy Joe is shown finishing his championship under judge Mrs. E. N. Hellerman, going BOW for a 4 point major. Billy Joe is a very sound little guy with a temperament that rates a 10. Many thanks to those judges who pointed him along the way.

Finishing this little guy was especially meaningful to me as I know how much it pleased Edna to add yet another Champion to her long list of champions.

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BAY COLONY POMERANIAN CLUB

by Claire Flesner

We at Bay Colony are having a great Spring season!

First, our Spring Match brought out a record number of entries. There were some 40 plus entries. What a sight! Puppies were everywhere! I can't recall seeing so many puppies for each class, not even at the APC Sweepstakes. Our judge James R. Butler was kept busy and enjoyed every minute. In the obedience ring we had 8 entries. Judge Noreen Bennett put the little ones through their paces.

On May 9 we had our annual Specialty show. Again we had a record number of breed entries — 36. The one obedience Pom, Stasia Fox, owned by Eileen Stopa, got her first leg toward her CD. The breed was judged by Mrs. Betty Moore of Texas. Bay Colony winners were Claire Flesner's Silver Meadows Mr. Randy, who went Reserve Winners Dog and Tommi Hooban's Ch. Tomho Alabaster Coyote, who went Best Opposite Sex. Best of Breed went to Ch. Clairmont's Carolina Delite, owned by Lance Bryson. Winners Dog and Best of Winners went to Dolores Watts' Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales. Winners Bitch went to Mat Ruman and Lynn Waller's Jan Le's Martha Magic of Aldon.

After the judging the annual buffet of the BCPC was held. The Richardson family was in charge of the buffet this year — all three of them, Betty, Fran and Brandy (3 generations). Everyone ate too much and loved every minute of it.

It was good to see our club president there. Gladys Dykstra broke a hip in March, but she was there walking with the help of a cane. We all wish her well and complete recovery soon.

Many club members are on the show trail. The three Richardsons have been burning up local matches with their obedience Poms, all of them getting high scores and high scoring dogs. My Silver Meadows Mr. Randy got BOW in Scarborough, ME for 2 points in April and BOW in CT in May for another point.

Have you hugged your Pom today?

LOCAL CLUBS COMMITTEE

by Claire Flesner

Proposal: I suggest to the President and recommend to the APC Board that a Local

Clubs Committee be formed.

Rational: Your attention is called to our Constitution, Section 2 (b) . . . "encourage the organization of independent local Pomeranian Specialty Clubs." As an officer in a young, local Pom club, I could write pages about the need for some help from the APC.

This committee might be composed of delegates from local clubs both old and new. It could have as its primary responsibility to communicate local clubs' activities (similar to what is being done through the Review) to all interested parties, but act more like a resource board for help, knowledge, guidance, etc. There are many clubs which do not file a report in the Review.

This committee would have and keep track of all local Pom clubs, whatever stage of activity they are in; active, dead, non-sanctioned. This might eliminate some of the load on the Corresponding Secretary, but it would be advantageous to have her on this committee.

It could also foster new clubs through their AKC process and growth via communication with others in the same situation.

This committee could direct and guide new/local clubs as far as education, the Standard, AKC policies, APC policies, etc. (Gee folks, what are we going to do about the non-sanctioned club(s) that have the class known as "7-Ups" for those Poms over 7 pounds???)

The above proposal was approved by the American Pomeranian Club at the annual board meeting in February. I was appointed to be chairperson of this committee.

This is the first time, to my knowledge, that an attempt has been made to involve the local clubs with the APC and vice versa. This should be beneficial to both parties.

The local clubs, through this committee, can share all sorts of experiences, solve some of our problems and become more involved in promoting our beloved breed.

There is no way this committee could hold meetings as such, as the local clubs extend from New England to Hawaii. This will be a correspondence-type committee.

What I am asking from the local clubs is a delegate to serve on this committee. Help is needed to get this project off the ground and make our voices heard in the APC.

Your involvement and cooperation in this with me will be deeply appreciated. Any

Shy Acres



Winners Bitch and Best Opposite Sex at Pomeranian Club of Greater Houston. Thanks, Darrell Baker!



Ch. LLL Kan Too Chunky Queen Bee



Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite, Galveston K.C. Thanks, Mrs. Hellerman! Also not pictured, Best Opposite, Houston K.C. Bee is currently bred to Ch. Mac's Maybe I Will, her grandfather.

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suggestions or comments you might have are welcome.

All the above material was sent out in April to our known local Pom Clubs. Up to now, only the San Diego Pom Club has replied to my letter and supplied me with some excellent suggestions!

How about the rest of you Pom Clubs? There are some twenty or so more clubs and I would like to hear from each of you.

Our Pom world could benefit greatly from this committee. Isn't the Pom the reason we are all reading the Pom Review? Think about it!

**POMERANIAN CLUB OF GREATER
BALTIMORE, INC.**
by Dianne Johnson

February was a most exciting month for the PCGB because we received approval from AKC to hold B-OB matches. We have all worked so hard to get this approval. We were also granted permission from APC to host the Summer Specialty in 1990. We are all planning to continue our hard work and if the Gods smile on us favorably, maybe we will be able to hold our first Specialty at the same time.

Another source of excitement is our futurity. The entries closed March 13 and we are anxiously awaiting the day of judging — September 13. It will take place at our annual picnic and the futurity stakes is \$400.00. The judges are Sharon Dwier, Marlene Scott Halsey and Burt Halsey.

We have some new champions in our club. Ch. Watts Little Blackjack, bred by Sharon Greenly Rae and owned by Dolores Watts; Ch. Moe-Best Sugar Kane, breeder/owner Terri Moebuis; and Ch. Lynnwrights Ms. Sallekenmar, bred by Cindy Silhan, owned by Mary Ellen Snyder.

Outstanding winners were Skip Piazza and Olga Baker with Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II with a Best in Specialty Show at the Dallas Fort Worth Specialty and an all-breed Best in Show the next day at Fort Worth Kennel Club. Prince also has several Group Firsts and placements.

Dolores Watts was Best of Winners at Bay Colony Specialty with Silva Lade Outlaw Josey Wales. Both Skip and Dolores are leaving this week for the shows in California, along with Bess Roberts and perhaps a couple other

PCGB members. Good luck to all and have a good time.

COLUMBIA POMERANIAN CLUB
by Emily Untalan

Everything is swinging into full motion here as the show season gets underway. We now have new coats and grown "teenagers" in the ring who are collecting their wins. Masterpiece of Mark's, a very cobby, heavily coated black and tan owned by Averil Asbeck, picked up a nice 5 point major in Richland, WA April 25. On her first outing, Wendy and Victor Feist's Feisty's Spice of Life went 2 for 2 at Moses Lake, WA April 21 and 22. This is a bred by who was sold and returned because she was unsatisfactory! Gladys Van Horn's Singleoak's Woolly Bully was Winners Dog at Moses Lake for 2 points and again at Walla Walla, WA for 5 points. Laura Untalan has a new champion, Autumn's Roman of Bi-Mar. Her Ch. Autumn's Red Blaze of Bi-Mar accumulated three more BOBs on the Eastern, WA circuit. The other four days were split between Ch. Sungold's Knick-Knack and Ch. Apolloette Moonlight Gambler. The weather was sunny and warm during the days, however the desert evenings and early mornings were another matter. There was ice in the dogs' bowls! Laura's Boo added another BOB at Whidbey Island on May 2 and again at Central Point May 10.

How about our new point system starting May 15? Division 4 (Oregon, Washington, etc.) needs twice as many dogs for a five point major as anywhere else in the U.S.! Are we being discriminated against? We're right up there with the Labs and Afghans. The only breeds requiring more dogs are German Shepherds, Dobies and Shelties. Our Specialty entries last year were as follows: APC, NY — 93; APC, OR — 80; Columbia PC — 73; Houston PC — 42; NCPC — 38; Western PC — 23; PGD, IA — 21; Hawaii 12 and 10. We have been having very large turn outs in Poms for our all-breed shows over the past two years, which may explain the increase in requirements. Gossip has it we may be seeing other things in the ring to fulfill those requirements, however. It reminds me of a young man who told me last year that his bitch (and a very nice one at that) had one major and 27 single points. Those points cost him \$364.50 in entry

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The club elected new officers in April. They are as follows: President — Emily Untalan; Vice President — Paul Fund; Secretary — Laura Untalan; Treasurer — Averil Asbeck. Board Members are Jean Schroll, Victor Feist and Gladys Van Horn.

Before I end this column, congratulations to Linda Gallacher and her new CDX Pom. She added that title in Klamath Falls, May 9.

POMERANIAN CLUB OF GREATER HOUSTON

by Barbara Dignowity, Olga Baker, and Tony Tellez

It's been awhile since you've heard from us so we have lots to catch up on.

Our Spring Specialty on March 13 was a great success and found Fred and Barbara Dignowity with their chef's hats on, in the show site parking lot cooking spaghetti sauce and pasta. Thanks to all the members who contributed to the success of the show and the dinner.

We have been fortunate in having several new members join our Club. We're happy to welcome John and Diana Ayers, Sonny and Riki Barker, Jr., Lois Benko, Thomas and Dori Upton and Patty Wein. Lois is from Austin and involved in obedience and she also has a couple of possible "stars." They are boys of her concentrated Pepperoni (El Paso bloodline). Well, Olga Baker just bought one of the two boys and Olga says her phone rings at least three times a week with Lois inquiring about the baby. New mothers are like that.

Carolyn Crockett got a fat 4 point major on a beautiful little male owned by fellow member, Karen Holder. Star is just a youngster, but holding his own nicely in the show ring. Carolyn is also presently handling the little super star, Killer, owned by still another buddy and member, Norma Gad. Consistently getting BOBs and nice Group placements, he's looking good.

Olga Baker and Skip Piazza are now owners of the star of the Dallas-Ft. Worth Specialty. His appropriate name is "Prince Charming." Nothing less than a BIS for this elegant specimen. He took the Breed at Dallas, and at Fort Worth he took Breed, Group 1 and Best in Show! The next day he was Group 2. What a wonderful weekend! Those who witnessed all

this excitement report that Olga handled it with calm, poise and no undue show of emotion whatsoever. Yeah — right! The very best (in show) to you, Olga and Skip. Prince has been in Pennsylvania and is now enroute to Texas to reside in Houston for awhile.

Molly Miller finished a really good looking girl, "Aurora" recently and just prior to that, finished another beauty, "Cupcake." Congratulations, Molly!

Erika Moureau has a beautiful little girl who finished with 4 majors named Berry's Sassy Sue' Sie. Way to go, Erika! Congrats to you, too!

The Dignowitys, Barbara and Fred, are understandably overjoyed at the accomplishments of their own private little Group dog, "Chrissy." Although still quite young, he and his handler, Erika Moureau, have added up lots of BOBs and fine Group placements. "Chrissy" often cuts up in the ring to the delight of the spectators and the total dismay of his owners and handler.

Wonderful Mildred Patrick is fresh from recent back surgery and back in the ring — naturally! Pom people, while the most wonderful in the world, also often show questionable judgement on such things as sickness and other minor priorities. Anyhow, Mildred put some terrific wins on "Barney." He is a neat male owned by some of our newest Houston members, Sherry and Rowdy Steinmetz. One 4 pointer we know of, plus some other wins. Sorry, but info is sketchy on this. Sherry and Rowdy, as you know, are those ambitious and dedicated folks in Dallas who are working zealously on breeding quality Parti colors. We are so glad to have these nice guys in our Houston Club.

Tony and Connie Tellez have a cute little male (right now at home growing coat). Tony is our new Club President and dedicated beyond belief. He and his staff — Darrell Baker, Barbara Dignowity and Carolyn Crockett — keep us all "whipped" into shape and managing the Club's affairs beautifully.

Peggy Doyal has several lovely girls and we do mean "several." She's even got a new little boy. You'll no doubt be seeing them in the ring soon. Some of the girls are "Chrissy's" half sisters and one of them resides with "Chrissy" at the Dignowity's. Good going, Peggy!

While we're convinced you'll believe we're making this up, still another of our Club

Anadors



Anadors Country Courtney

(Anador's Decent Exposure x Pomirish Little Matilda)

Courtney is pictured above, owner handled, under judge Jane Kay. Thank you Mrs. Kay and also judges Sally Baugniet, Edna St. Hilaire and Mrs. Frasier for her recent wins in the U.S. and Canada.

I thank and wish the best to recent Anadors Pom buyers — Riki Barker (Mosaic Poms) of Texas, with Cinculas Cinder of Anadors and Anadors Silverpepper Lining, to Shirley Uphouse (Talismen Keeshonden Kennels) of Florida with Anadors Sgt. Pepper, and most recently to Canadian handler, Richard Lake with Anadors Happy Tyme Tobie, who won the Toy Group and Best Toy Puppy at Lakehead in Thunder Bay on May 2 from 9-12 puppy class, under Pom breeder-judge Sandra Nelles Edwards.

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members, Nancy and Edd Wharton of Amarillo just reported that their little bitty guy named "Sepp" just won a Group. The very next day he got a Group 2 at some out west shows! Imagine that — Group wins from the classes on a kid! The Wharton's weren't too excited or anything. The Bakers reported somewhere between 12 and 15 calls from the proud owners to talk about it. And who can blame them — that's exciting. We know every time "Chrissy" wins there just aren't enough people to brag to. Good luck in the future, Whartons!

Then, never to be outdone, we got a wonderful bit of news from our ex-friends, Sue and Tim Goddard. (Ex-friends because the Houston people are still trying to decide if we'll ever forgive them for leaving Houston!) Anyway, their pretty class male, "High Lights" just won a Group with Janice Luginsland handling him.

Here we are reporting on 5 Houston members' dogs winning and placing in Groups. Now this is pretty incredible. Sure makes it sound easy, doesn't it? Oh, so what's just a little ole Group placement? Do you realize that many serious dog people go through their entire life never even receiving any Group placements, let alone a Group win? I would say the majority never experience such excitement. Yet here we are reporting on Killer, Chrissy, Prince Charming, Sepp and High Lights. Nothin' to it, right? WRONG! It says, and I compliment you all, that Houston people are breeding and showing excellent dogs. That's admirable and deserves at least a couple of "Atta boys!"

At this writing, many of our Houston dogs and their owners are headed for San Diego. We know Killer and Prince Charming and Star will be there. We wish everyone a BIS. They're all deserving.

Well, in the beginning we told you we had lots to report. It took three of us to write this article.

Don't forget our Summer Specialty in August. See our ad in this issue. It will be at the Astro Dome on August 6. An after show dinner will be at the Stables Steakhouse near the Dome. Take advantage of our three day all-breed dog shows under one roof and air-conditioned. (Can't imagine life without it.) Ya'll come.

FLASH An urgent call came into the Dignowity house this morning from Sherry

Steinmetz reporting the Rowdy lead Ch. Prestigious Pee Wee Parti to a Group 1! This small miracle occurred in Denton, TX on May 10. Pee Wee is the first parti to win the breed, let alone be a multi breed winner — and now the first parti in history to win a Group Let's make that six super fantastic dogs we're report on this time!

OHIO VALLEY POMERANIAN CLUB

by Barbara Stoffer

Our first meeting was held in Sugarcreek, OH on March 27, 1987 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Shearer. Several Pom fanciers from all over Ohio were in attendance.

Following the suggested AKC club procedures as closely as possible, our first meeting brought forth many interesting and excellent ideas.

Temporary officers were appointed as follows: Chair person — Lorinda Vasuta; Secretary — Judy Shearer; Treasurer — Fran Johns. A regular election of officers will be held at the July meeting.

Shari Stoffer is in charge of putting together an outline for a constitution, to be discussed at the next meeting. Darren Lane is in charge of drawing up a club logo. Plans for a late summer Fun Match were made, to be further discussed at our next meeting.

Membership dues were agreed upon at \$10.00 for adults and a Junior membership of \$5.00 for 16 years and under.

With our second meeting we had more Pom people joining us and we would like to encourage anyone interested in our Pom Club to contact our temporary Secretary, Judy Shearer, 523 Miller Ave., Sugarcreek, Ohio 44681. Anyone joining during the first 3 months will be considered Charter members.

At each of our meetings we have had an open and very friendly atmosphere, with everyone having ample opportunity to voice their opinions and make suggestions. We will offer a referral service within the club for members wishing to sell their Poms. Edie Allen will be in charge of the Referral List.

Future meetings will be held in Cambridge, OH at the Bonanza Restaurant Banquet room. They will be the 3rd Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. We're hoping to hear from many of you Pom people. We need you to help realize our goals.

Tim Sue Pomeranians

*Am. Can. Ch. Chriscendo City Lights
sends congratulations to*



Tim Sue's High Lights

High Lights has 2 Group Firsts and a Group Fourth with co-owner Janice Luginsland. Special congratulations to Ch. Dignity's Chris O' Lights (bred/Owned by Barbara and Fred Dignowity) on his multiple Best of Breeds and Group placements.

And to new Ch. Wharton's Seppl Von Honig — another Group winning son (at 8 months), bred and owned by Ed and Nancy Wharton.

Hey! We are waiting in the wings and looking good!



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Jan-Le Kennel

Am/Can Ch. Theldun's John John

A Johnny-Come-Lately? Not on your life! Johnny is the result of decades of conscientious breeding by the much respected breeder, Thelma Dunn. We have a special pact with Thelma, especially with regard to our Johnny. This line has been the foundation of many top winning lines and we at Jan-Le are pleased to have Johnny as part of ours. With only limited use, he has produced some outstanding get, some of which are:

Sire of:

- **Am/Can Ch. Ken-Nor's Don't Letem Kid Ya** (Duane Gaulke)
Multiple Group winner, 1982 Westminster Winners Dog and 1982 #5 Pom in Canada with very limited showing.
- **Can. Ch. Ken Nor's Maker of Fools** (Til Labovitch and us)
Group placer and called "Maker of Legs"
- **Can. Ch. Highview's Short Stuff**
Group winner. The little guy with no back.
- **Can. Ch. Jan-Le's Too Hot To Touch** (Ron and Elaine Terry)
Multiple Group winner and 2 Best Puppy in Show, all from the puppy class. She is a double on Johnny.
- **Ken-Nor's You Gotta Be Kidding** (Arlene Dobson)
Pointed, both majors.
- **Jan-Le's Cedarhurst Flambe** (Arlene Dobson)
Canadian pointed.
- **Jar-La's This Is Ridiculous** (Arlene Dobson)
Canadian C.D.

Grandsire of:

- **Can. Ch. Gaulke's Pepper Upper** (Owned by us)
Multiple Group winner, Best Puppy in Show, #6 Pom in Canada, #2 Bitch 1985. Dam of Jan-Le's Too Hot To Touch.
- **Jan-Le's Danny of PomLair** (Heather Griffen)
Canadian pointed.
- **Can. Ch. Ken Nor's Charlotte Amber** (Ron and Elaine Terry)

There are many more Johnny kids out there who are outstanding winners and producers, however there is only so much room on one page!

JAN-LE KENNELS

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We Feed Science Diet.

Am/Can Ch. Theldun's John John



(Dunn's Little Tomstopper x Theldun's Bonnie Heather)

Put in a picture of "Johnny" without his usual long, dense and very harsh coat . . . why not? He has the soundness that we lack in so many of our Poms today. We wish to honor him and some of his children in this issue.

Due to lack of time on my part and Johnny's age, he is not at public stud.

We also wish to thank Thelma Dunn for Theldun's Tia Marie. She has been bred to A/C Ch. Ken Nor's Don't Letem Kid Ya.

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Queenaire, Reg.

Let us introduce you to our new dogs with whom we are so pleased . . .



Ch. Great Elms Chip of Gold

We are truly grateful to Bob Goodrich and Ruth Beam for allowing us to purchase Chip. It fulfills a long-standing ambition. Chip was sired by Ch. Great Elms Timstopper Too and out of Great Elms Sweet Candy. He finished his championship by going BOB over specials and on to Group 2.

Watts' Little Black N Tandy. Tandy is a lovely black and tan bitch who was sired by Ch. Moe-Best Special Order and out of Ch. Watts' Little Ebony of Scotia. We will be showing her soon. Thanks, Dolores for letting us have her.

Queenaire Diamond Apple. Star is a gorgeous orange male who will make us proud in the show ring. When he puts the ring procedure together, you will be hearing about him. Star is sired by Ch. Apple's Traveling Diamond and out of Foskey's Foxy Lady, a daughter of Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Diamond. He was bred by Patty Griffin and owned by Joyce Apple.

Queenaire Starburst. Mikey is a tremendous 4 month old son of Ch. Cedarwood's Image of Diamond and out of Ch. Chip A Way's Diamond Keepsake, a Ch. Emcee's Terrific Wee Chips daughter. Mikey was bred and owned by Patty Griffin. Thanks Patty and Joyce for making it possible for us to own these lovely dogs.

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Queenaire, Reg.

Our recent show record includes . . .



Ch. Creider's Queenaire Bonanza

Beau completed his championship November 22 with four 4 point majors.



Ch. Queenaire Pale Rider

Rider finished his championship November 20 with his third 5 point major. He is now owned by Rosewood Kennels.



Ch. Queenaire Signature

Pixie wound up her championship with a 5 point major.

Our sincere thanks to the judges who put these dogs up.

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'87 has been a very good year

Ch. Animation's Sweet Pea



(Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy x Ch. Animation's Babe From Toyland)

Sweet Pea finished in only four months of showing with an impressive record.

- 11-23-86 Michigan Pom Specialty, WB, BOW Mr. Lou Durocher, 3 pts.
- 12-12-86 Richland County KC, BOB, Mrs. Merle Smith, 3 pts.
- 12-14-86 Western Reserve KC, BOB, Mrs. Dorothy Welsh, 3 pts.
- 2-22-87 Kennel Club of Niagra Falls, WB, BOW, Mr. John Loftus, 3 pts.

Sweet Pea is now retired to motherhood, due to whelp in May.

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Akron, OH 44310

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our third '87 champion

Ch. Animation's Atom Ant



(Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy x Ch. Emcee's Suss'Anna)

Atom is our fourth finished champion from this breeding. He finished at 1 year 4 days of age, is heavy coated, clear orange and already has two litters on the ground.

- 11-23-86 Michigan Pom Specialty, WD (from puppy class) Mr. Lou Durocher
- 1-17-87 Livingston KC, WD, BOS, Mr. John Lusk
- 1-18-87 Pontiac KC, WD, BOS, Mr. Lou Durocher.
- 2-22-87 Kennel Club of Niagra Falls, WD, BOS, Mr. John Loftus
- 3-16-87 Bloomington KC, BOB (over a special), Mrs. Dorothy Welsh
- 3-22-87 Steubenville, BOB, Miss Martha Jane Ablett
- 3-29-87 Laurel Highlands, BOB, Dr. Leon Seligman
- 4-12-87 Delaware OH K.C., BOB, Group 4, Mrs. Robert Sharp.

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Our champion

Ch. Animation's Sylvester The Cat



(Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy x Ch. Emcee's Suss'Anna)

Our champion, "Baby" finished in a surprizingly small number of shows. We would like to thank the following judges who made this possible with their votes of confidence:

Mrs. Merle Smith
Mrs. William Lehnig
Mr. Alvin E. Maurer, Jr.
Dr. Leon Seligman

Mrs. Paula J. Bradley
Mrs. Lorraine Heichel Masley
Mrs. Dorothy Welsh
Mr. Robert Sharp.

A special thank you to Lorinda for giving us your unselfish help, patience and encouragement with Baby and Punky Brewster. Thanks for being a good friend.

Owners

Betty F. Lepera and Jamie
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Breeder

Lorinda Vasuta
Animation Kennels

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ANADORS MANITOU Am/Can CD

Cream Sable Male

Owner: Lois Morkassel

Breeder: Ann Welshinger

Ch. Sisson's Duke's Little Big Man

Sisson's Silver Dollar

Joda Choas Katrina

Ch. Anador's Silver N Smoke

Ch. Pomirish Finally A Man

Pomirish Little Matilda

Scotia Double Gr Da O'Cavilier

Sisson's Goldpepper Gino

Anadors Goldpepper Daniel

Ellendale's Tina

Ch. Anadors Goldpepper Calico

Ch. Pomirish Cav's Bit O' Hadleigh

Anadors Crystal Candy

Anadors Cavalier Taffy

CH. ANIMATION'S ATOM ANT

Orange Male

Breeder/Owner: Lorinda Vasuta, Akron, OH

Jewel Ken Flaming Fantasy

Jewel Ken Crumpet N' Cream

Adkin's White Camellia

Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy

Adkin's White Christmas

Jewel Ken's Little White Dove

Lady Snowball of Coram

Ch. Model's Truly A Diamond

Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Diamond

Model's Solid Gold

Ch. Emcee's Suss'Anna

Ch. Lennis' Tar Baby of Great Elms

Hillsboro's Little Missy

Lennis' Little Love

CH. ANIMATION'S SWEET PEA

Cream Female

Breeder/Owner: Lorinda Vasuta, Akron, OH

Jewel Ken Flaming Fantasy

Jewel Ken Crumpet N' Cream

Adkin's White Camellia

Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy

Adkin's White Christmas

Jewel Ken's Little White Dove

Lady Snowball of Coram

Jewel Ken Crumpet N' Cream

Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy

Jewel Ken's Little White Dove

Ch. Animation's Babe From Toyland

Lil' Mr. Duffy

Honey's Tootsie Angel

Angel's Lil' Honey Bee

CH. AUTUMN'S ROMAN OF BI-MAR

Male

Owner: Laura Untalan, Portland, OR

Breeder: Mary Rosenbaum

Ch. Tomanoll's Tiny Town Talk

Ch. Tomanoll's Tiny Teddy Bear

Ch. Tomanoll's Juliet

Ch. Bi-Mar Sundance Kid

Int. Ch. Sunray's Lil Beaver

Bi-Mar Kandi Kane

Bi-Mar Cricket by JJ of Andrews

Ch. Tomanoll's Tiny Town Talk

Ch. Tomanoll's Tiny Teddy Bear

Ch. Tomanoll's Juliet

Bi-Mar Misty

Ch. Golden Glow Nip

Bi-Mar Carmel Candy

Bi-Mar Kandy Kane

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Pomsprings Poms



Pomspring's Tickle Me Too

(A/C Ch. Great Elms Shining Starr x Can. Ch. Scotia Tickles Me Pink)

Introducing our little Cougar, the gratifying result of a very special breeding! Pictured at 4¼ months.

Breeder/owner
Mrs. Elizabeth Dupuis
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Canada K0C 1A0
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CH. BONNER'S PENDART CHAMPAGNE

Orange Male

Breeder/Owner: Dorothy Bonner, San Antonio, TX

Ch. Bonner's Darlastyle Xmas Toy

Ch. Bonner's Kristin Starmist

Ch. Bonner's Pepper-K Goldmist

Bonner's Starlyn Modart

Ch. Bonner's Stylepepper Preshus

Bonner's Styletless Modiste

Bonner's Peppertess

Ch. Bonner's Darlastyle Xmas Toy

Ch. Bonner's Kristin Starmist

Ch. Bonner's Pepper-K Goldmist

Bonner's Starlyn Gorg'us Penny

Aristic Pepper Pod's Gorgeous

Bonner's Little Miss Gorgeous

Bonner's Sunfire Mischief

CH. DOO-SHAY'S HOOLIGAN SABRA

Red Female

Breeder/Owner: Shannon Johnson, Holly, MI

Ch. Model's Truly A Diamond

Wood's Wee Gold Dandy

Ch. Tomar's Precious Gold Mendy

Lyn-Lee Dimitry of Pixie's

Julie's Star Ben

Pixie's Misty Dawn

Silver Meadows Cinder Mist

Bonner's Starpuff Power

Chesai Sunpower Cyclone

Collier's Golden Charlene

Mercer's Allyssa of Doo-Shay

Ch. Mercer's Touch O Duke

Mercer's Marisa Touch

Mercer's Gayla Dee

CH. HHH HONEYSUCKLE ROSE

Orange Female

Breeder/Owner: Peggy Hendricks, Grand Prairie, TX

Ch. Emcee's Ship Off The Ole Block

Ch. Mac's High Pockets

Ch. Mac's Jennifer Jangles

Ch. HHH High Speed Bandit

Ch. Mac's Mister Beaux Jangles

Sherry's Precious Beaux-peEP

Sherry's Happy Surprise

Ch. Sheeba's Little Corn Duke

Ch. Count De Shawn

Delight's Little Trixie

Hendrick's Ima Honey

Leo Lee

Peg's Lit'l Miss Priss

Lit'l China Copper's Love Bug

KASSEL'S DANDELION DOWN Am/Can CD

Orange Female

Owner: Lois Morkassel, Fargo, ND

Breeder: Betty Jo Mason

Pombreden's BT Disciple O God

Vilamero Blue Boy Pombreden

Pombreden's My Blue Heaven

Sir Szilagy John Boy

Ch. Purtee Skoshi Tom-Tom

Gorin Cute Danna

Cute Doll of Hadleigh McKamey

Palmer's Petro of Blossom View

Ch. Edan's Fire Cracker

Gold Gem's Contessa

Mason's Baby Doll

Crone's Dandy Andy

Mason's Lil Bit O' Heaven

Crone's Bee Jay Girl

CH. SKYLARK FAIRY GOLD

Red Female

Breeder/Owner: Nancy C. Parker, Antioch, CA

Skylark Radiant Banner

Skylark Wiskey

Ch. Skylark Gold Carolin

Ch. Skylark War Banner

Skylark Radiant Banner

Skylark Gold Punkin

Jewell's Glowing Tasha

Ford' Silver

Cool Whip

Cotton Candy XXIII

Lucy XXIII

Ch. Skylark Parade Banner

Tootsie XXVIII

Orange Puff II

CH. SOUTHLAND'S TOASTED FUDGE

Red Sable Male

Breeder/Owners: Charlotte Creed and Beverly Norris, Pineville, LA

May Morning Social Lion

Ch. Theldun's Almond Fudge

Ch. Dunn's Little Tina Preshus

Ch. Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge

Ch. Lennis' Tar Baby of Great Elms

Bev-Nor's Sweet and Sassy

Britton's Little Miss Muffett

May Morning Social Lion

Ch. Theldun's Almond Fudge

Ch. Dunn's Little Tina Preshus

Ch. Southland Happy Birthday Bil

Ch. Theldun's Almond Fudge

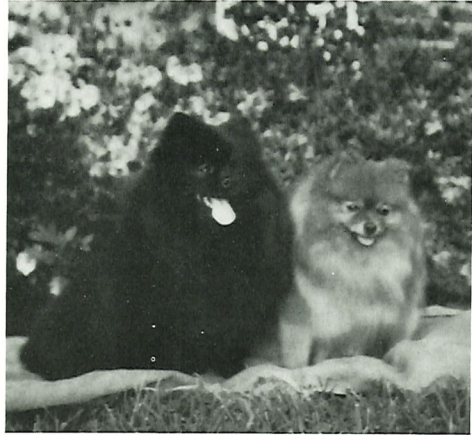
Ch. Bev-Nor's Tudge Delight

Bev-nor's Sweet and Sassy

Marie Glen Pomeranians

Fudge's Midnight Lace Marie Glen's Copper Creation

Lacey (Ch. Theldun's Almond Fudge x Well's Lady is a Vamp) was bred to Tru Kep's Star Sensation. Mitzi (Ch. Bev-Nor's New Creation x Vamp's Earthly Starburst) was bred to Ch. Theldun's Dandy Sensation. Both produce gorgeous red and orange pups. Both due in June.



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Attention! Obedience Trial Enthusiasts

Introducing Marie Glen's First Place, sired by Ch. Theldun's Dandy Sensation. Buddy is my miracle pup. He was born a runt in a premature litter. His only mother was yours truly. Buddy conquered his long fight for life and now, to my surprise at age 7 months, he is a very healthy 10½ pounder. I'm sure you will agree that it would be a shame to waste his potential being just my pet. Buddy deserves to be a champion, or at least given the opportunity to try. His attributes are a fantastic pedigree, an enormous coat, sound bones, vibrant orange color and perfect bite, not to mention he's just plain beautiful.

CH. THELDUN'S NEW FUDGE RECIPE

Red Sable Male
Breeder/Owner: Thelma M. Dunn, Aberdeen,
MD

Ch. May Morning Bravo Bravo
May Morning Social Lion
May Morning Solitaire

Theldun's Diamond Solitaire

Ch. Blair's Solitaire
Ch. Tunn's Little Tina Preshus
May Morning Sweet Mary Ann
Cedarview's Little Teddy Bear
Cedarview's Bronze Charm
Cedarview's Goldie Melinda

Cedarview's Bronza Q B Doll

Luell's Chippewa Warrior
Pomrun's Wee Wande of Cedarview
Swavely's Penny Serenade

CH. TNT CLASIC STYLE-N-BASIC BLACK

Black Female
Breeder/Owner: Dolores Stanger and Marcia
Doane

E.Ch. Wynwright's Mid-Boy
E. Ch. Home James of Rosskear
Caret Dustett

Gold Blackacre James Bud II

Ch. Gold Blackacre Sungold Honey
Gold Blackacre Sungold Cupid
Passfield Peachie of Gold Blackacre
Ch. Winkel's Red Hot Pepper
Ch. Ceerae's Dandy Star
Ch. Ceerae's Star Gold Honey

Ch. Don-Ra's Starette of Dandy

Ch. Varney's Cavalier Ringmaster
Don-Ra's Lollipop
Minnick's Rock Candy

CH. WATTS LITTLE EBONY OF SCOTIA

Black and Tan Female
Breeder/Owner: Dolores Watts, Brandywine,
MD

Ch. Theldun's Tim Dandee of Edney
Ch. Moe-Best Special Order
Postscripts Aft R Noon Delight

Ch. Watts Little Peter Tan Mo-Best

Ch. Moe-Best Special Order
Ch. Moe-Best Constant Attention
Pomesto Cassandra
Tono's May Morning Echo of Highland
Ch. Zodiac Cavalier Commander
Ch. Cavy's Sensational Conquest

Watts Little Crisco of Scotia

Scotia Happy Go Lucky Corey
Scotia Corey Meg's Story Cook
Robins Meggie of Scotia

CH. SUNGOLD'S COURSE U CAN

Orange Female
Breeder/Owner: Anna LaFortune, Lemon
Grove, CA

Ch. Tomanol's I Got Legs

Ch. Mac's Maybe I Will

Ch. Mac's Jennifer Jangles
Ch. Amberil Trade Secret

Ch. Cherokee's Summer Fashion

Ch. Cherokee's Amber Fashion

PUGET SOUND POMERANIAN CLUB

by Jessie Stephens

Our greatest amount of energy has lately been put toward our point show. For our members who have long worked toward this goal, we so wish for it to become a reality. Our meetings now are so productive and interesting. With some newer members who have so much to give, we all enjoy our plans.

Other activities have involved a food drive for Senior Citizens, which has been responded to very well. Several members supported a "Run with Rover" event to aid the guide dogs to the blind. Ours was the only club as a whole which supported this event. To those who chose to give of their time, a hearty thank you.

Recently we were lucky enough to have Leslie Rodgers, the well-known judge from Canada attend a meeting. He kindly gave us some time for a question and answer session. Hopefully he can come back some time and give one of his talks for which he is so famous.

We have also implemented a gift exchange at each meeting to net us some cash. The idea has been well received and plans for future club education are well underway.

We were able to get together with Sally McGilbry of the famous Golden Glow Kennels in January for her birthday. She is always such a delight. One of our charter members, Viola Children has been breeding Poms for 60 years, so along with Sally, they can tell you a lot about the past. Viola still has time for new people in the breed and is still breeding herself. We only hope that the newer people will be inspired by their dedication to the breed, that they may be remembered as happily as Sally and Viola are.

The San Diego specialties are over by now, so congratulations to all and on to the July Specialty, July 14.

Kassel's Dogs



Kassel's Dandelion Down Am/Can CD

Dande earned her Am. CD in the first 3 trials in which she was entered, April and June 1986.

She also earned her 3 qualifying legs for a Canadian CD in 3 days of trials at Portage La Prairie for July 4th fireworks — while she was 30 days into her first pregnancy.

We still have 2 neutered males out of this litter still looking for homes (x Ch. Theldun's John John).

Breeder: Betty Jo Mason

Anador's Manitou Am/Can CD

Man earned his CD in his first 3 trials plus 2 back-up legs (with higher scores once the pressure was off) in Aug. and Sept. 1986.

He also earned his Canadian CD in 3 days of trials in Winnepeg, October 1986.

Breeder: Ann Welshinger



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Clairmont



Ch. Clairmont's Darin' Delite

(Ch. Cedarwood's Image of Diamond x Ch. Dianti Delite of D-Nee's)

Megan and Molly were the only two puppies in their litter. Both are now finished. Megan finished with 3 majors under A. Treen (3 pts.), K. Miller (4 pts.), H. Smith (4 pts.).

Many thanks for all the help and support from my friends Pam Campbell and Joyce Apple with my first two homebred champions.

Congratulations to Mattie Coble on finishing Ch. Coble's Traveling Bear (Ch. G.E. Model's Timstopper x Apple's Traveling Elvira), handled beautifully by Joyce Apple. Congratulations also to Patty Griffin on her free whelped litter of four by Ch. Cedarwood's Image of Diamond out of Ch. G.E. Honey of Lenette.

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Clairmont



Ch. Clairmont's Carolina Delite

(Ch. Cedarwood's Image of Diamond x Ch. Dainti Delite of D-Nee's)

This is my *first* homebred champion. Molly finished her first weekend out in 4 shows with 4 majors (5-4-4-4), taking BOB over specials two days and BOS the other two days — at eight months of age!

Her first weekend out as a special she went BOB under F. Hogan and Group 2 under Mrs. R. Forsythe. The next day she was BOB under Mrs. Forsythe and Group 3 under Mr. Richard Koester. Later, Molly was BOB four days in a row with a Group 3 and 4 thrown in.

We hope this is just the beginning for this lovely young bitch.

FLASH! — Molly goes BOB at the Bay Colony Specialty under judge Betty Moore.
FLASH FLASH — Molly is Group 1 at Oak Ridge KC on May 16!

Breeder/Owner
Lance Bryson

Agent
Pamela Campbell

As I See It . . .

by Thelma R. Brown

While a Pomeranian is a toy dog, still he belongs to the Spitz family of canines, a very old and well defined group of dogs with some generally identifying characteristics which are commonly shared by all Spitz breeds. These are the wedge shaped head, high set prick ears, almond shaped eyes set in the skull where it starts to curve to the side. Other common traits are high set, tightly curled tail and a stand-off coat with dense undercoat.

Since the Pomeranian is the smallest of the Spitz breeds which range from the big Malamute down through many groups and breeds, he has his Spitz type somewhat modified by his diminutive size, as in all toys. His head will demonstrate a bit more stop (Standard — “pronounced stop”), and his muzzle will be fine as befits a toy dog (Standard — “muzzle fine but not snipey”).

There is a set of characteristics which I call dwarfing characteristics, in all breeds diminished in size. There are large round skull (apple headed), big round eyes, tiny foreface in proportion to skull, bowed front legs, poor hindquarters with slipping patellas and bowed rear movement.

These are the qualities which creep in when size is diminished excessively. Breeders of toy dogs with one of more of these traits need to select against them. Some toy breeds have gone the route of incorporating those qualities into their breed type, as the Chihuahua with the large rounded skull and the Pekingese with the dwarfed, bowed front legs. The Pomeranian fancy has chosen to go with a miniature of the larger spitz breeds so their standard puts in parameters beyond which breed type becomes breed faults.

In the section under skull in the Pom

Standard, it calls for wedge, pronounced stop, but not domed. Eyes, medium in size, almond shaped, not set too wide apart nor too close. This calls for a moderately long, wedge shaped head since the short very broad skull will have more dome and eyes will be set far apart and looking forward as in the Shih Tzu rather than a bit closer together and smaller as in the Schipperke or Keeshond, who have a similar head type and belong to this same Spitz group.

The section in the Standard on ears again demonstrates the same concern. . . . “Small, carried erect, mounted high on the head and placed not too far apart.” The broadly rounded head will have ears placed out at the sides which when viewed in the full ruff will give the appearance of set far apart. If the skull is the proper moderate wedge, the ears will be up tight on top when at attention.

When judging heavily coated breeds, there are certain guidelines which a judge will look for. One will be eye placement to give a clue to breadth and shape of head. Another will be width between ears and those two will sketch for him a clear indication of head structure before the dog is touched.

One of the great charms of the Pomeranian breed has always been the alert, quizzical expression which constantly questions, “what is it?” This is not present in the broad faced dogs with the large eyes. Theirs is a rather soft expression which is not so typically Pom.

Over the history of the breed, the size has steadily diminished. In breeding the smaller dogs, fanciers should be alert to the need for constant care so that they not drift into a different type of head than that originally present in the breed.

McKamey's Sundawn Kennels
proudly presents



Ch. McKamey's Ideal Countess

(Ch. McKamey's Ideal Style Stepper x Ch. McKamey's Countess Gold Ideal)

Wow, what consistency! Four majors on two weekends under four different judges, our homebred girl took Best of Breed twice, and four Best of Winners. Thanks to the judges, R. Wills, BOB, 4 pts.; D. Doane, BOB, 3 pts.; D. Hansen, BOW, BOS, 4 pts.; C. Winslow, BOW, BOS, 4 pts. We thank the able handling of Nadine Hersil who showed her to her wins.

New litters expected by Ch. Daja Justa Rocksample, a Ch. Moonrock son, Ch. McKamey's Ideal Sunstation, Ch. McKamey's Ideal Style Stepper. Loveable puppies for pets, loving and show ring.

Mrs. Norris McKamey
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Le Claire, IA 52753
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Autumn's Pomeranians



Ch. Autumn's Red Blaze of Bi-Mar

"Boo" is a consistent breed winner here in the Northwest. He is definitely one of a kind.

This is probably the best picture I have seen of him. Because he is so short backed and carries such a thick, coarse coat, to me he always looks "scrunched" up in his breed photos.

His first litter is now old enough to evaluate and he has managed to repeat himself perfectly. His puppies are definitely Boo-type.

Owner/Handler

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My Partner and Mom

Emily Untalan
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Autumn's Pomeranians



Ch. Autumn's Roman of Bi-Mar

This late starter (whelped 6/11/85) finished in less than two months, completely out of coat. He may look small, but is an extremely cobby, orange sable with proper coat and weighs in at five plus pounds. He is a half brother to Ch. Autumn's Red Blaze of Bi-Mar and Ch. Bi-Mar Bit of Tassajara. Roman will remain here at Autumns, as I am very pleased with his progeny. See pedigree in Behind The New Champions.

His record: Salem, OR — 4 pts.; Yakima, WA — 5 pts.; Monroe, WA — 2 pts.; Olympia, WA — 3 pts.; Klamath Falls, OR — 2 pts.

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Harbin's Pomeranians

Ch. Harbin's You Sweet Talker "Betty"



(Ch. Emcee's Sparkling Jody x Ch. Harbin's Touch of Class)

Best of Winners and Best Opposite Sex at Seattle Kennel Club to complete her championship and celebrate her first birthday — all in the same day. Thank you Mrs. Betty Moore.

Betty would like to send congratulations to her two half brothers and sister:

Ch. Emcee's Final Edition (Ch. Emcee's Chips Ahoy of Coy x Ch. Harbin's Touch of Class) on completing his championship. Owned by Sally Jenkins.

Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Prince (Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II x Ch. Harbin's Touch of Class) on his three straight majors. Not bad for an 8 month old puppy. Owned by Dr. Morris Carson.

Ch. Tillabay's Anny Bananny (Ch. Emcee's Sparkling Jody x Tillabay's Cotton Candy) on completing her championship with back to back 5 pt. majors. Owned by George and Jane Reed.

Harbin's Pomeranians

Am/Can Ch. Harbin's Time To Pop The Cork
"Corky"



(Ch. Emcee's Chips Ahoy of Coy x Ch. Tiffany's Star of India)

Sends congratulations to his littermates:

Ch. Chip's First Edition — "Caesar" on his Group 2 at Olympia Dog Fanciers. Caesar is owned and nicely shown by Karen Powers. Good job, Karen!

Ch. Harbin's Diamond Solitaire — "April" on completing her championship in such style. April is owned by Carolyn Roberts and Patricia Whitaker.

These three beauties give Ch. Tiffany's Star of India five champions to her credit, plus 5 grandchildren.

Irene N. and Sylvia I. Harbin
(206) 365-1748

10759 Sand Point Way N.E.
Seattle, WA 98125

La Petite Poms

Ch. Emcee's Fancy Gold Bug

Little Bug is shown going Best of Opposite Sex under Mrs. Betty Moore for a 3 pt. major.

A very special thanks to Carolyn Roberts for breeding such an adoring Pom. I love him.

Breeder

Carolyn Roberts
Rt. 1, Box 108A
Bluff City, TN 37618



Little Bug is shown here going Best of Winners under Mrs. Paula J. Bradley for a 4 pt. major.

We had lots of fun on the Florida Circuit. Little Bug is the proud father of two boys and one girl.

Owner/Handler

Ywonnelee (Lee) McGhee
457 Staten Street
Jonesboro, GA 30236



La Petite Poms



Ch. Emcee's Fancy Gold Bug

A special thanks to the judges that liked Little Bug —

Mrs. Dawn Vick Hansen (WD, BOW, 1 pt.)

Ms. Martha Jane Ablett (WD, 1 pt.)

Mrs. Paula J. Bradley (WD, BOW, 4 pts.)

Mrs. Robert Forsythe (BOW, BOS, 2 pts.)

Mrs. Barbara K. Camp (WD, 1 pt.)

Mrs. Betty Moore (WD, BOS, 3 pts.)

Mr. Edward B. Jenner (WD, BOW, 2 pts.)

Sr. Antonia Quiroga (WD BOW, 3 pts.)

Congratulations to Cassandra Ready on your Group 1 with Wee Heart's Bit of Gold Dust (Dusty), and a sincere thanks for all your help.

Lee and Lowell McGhee

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HELPFUL HINTS

by Margaret McKee
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JLES: I've seen it happen twice at specialties — one a Tibetan Terrier Specialty and, more recently, at a Pom Specialty. An exhibitor entered a dog in the regular classes which was co-owned by the Sweepstakes Judge. Sorry folks, you can't do that! *Rules Applying to Registration and Dog Shows*, Chapter 14, Section 14, paragraph 1, "No judge or any person residing in the same household with a judge shall exhibit or act as agent or handler at a show at which he is officiating as a judge and dogs owned wholly or in part by such judge or any member of his household shall be ineligible to be entered at such show." Paragraph 4, "The above shall apply to judges of Sweepstakes or Futurities held with licensed or member shows exactly as it does with judges of regular competition shows." That's pretty clear. It is not the responsibility of the show superintendent or the show secretary to screen entries for violations. After the fact, AKC would disallow awards and demand the return of any ribbons and trophies. Ignorance is no excuse, because every time you sign an entry form, you are acknowledging the fact that you have read the rules. This rule applies to entering a dog in conformation which might be co-owned by a judge officiating in obedience. Chapter 14, Section 14 doesn't preclude entering a dog under a judge with whom you co-own another dog, but the wisdom and ethics of such a move could certainly be questioned.

TRAINING: Anyone who trains a dog in any capacity must be flexible, patient and creative. He cannot know just one method or technique and expect all dogs to respond equally well. Pooh Bear had a terrible time learning scent work. We had begun by putting out one scented article with several articles that no dog in his right mind would retrieve — grass doorknob, giant pine cone, hair brush, large wooden block. This was easy and Pooh

was having a good time. Then the instructor suggested a tie-down board. Now, I've never thought much of the tie-down board but thought it wouldn't hurt to try it. The wrong article was tied loosely on a six inch string (a mistake?). Pooh raced out to the board, snatched the first article he came to, and turned to run to me. When the slack was gone, the metal article clanged against his teeth. Pooh Bear thought this was a severe correction. He was terrified of scented articles. Indeed I spent months teaching him to retrieve a wooden dumbbell happily again.

When we began to work on scent again, I took it slow and easy, using the inductive/positive methods that had worked so well for Tiara. He just didn't catch on that there was any difference between the articles. I tried food on the article. Bologna rubbed on the article and a bite of bologna when he brought the right one. No progress. How could I get the idea across to him that he *had* to use his nose? Finally, about ten months after the original set-back, I hit upon the idea of hiding the articles. Now Pooh had been taught to look for his dumbbell in high grass in Open training, so he understood that.

I began by having him find one scented article in deep grass. Fine. Then I partially hid the scented article under dead leaves. Next the article was completely hidden by the leaves. Great, he understood this game, "I can't see it but I can smell it." Now when I added one or two unscented articles under the leaves, he continued to bring back the right one. Gradually, I began to get careless about hiding the articles under the leaves; they became more and more visible. Occasionally he'd pick up the wrong one. "Unh uh, baby, that's not it. Find *mine*." He accepted this verbal correction and continued to look. Break through!

Pooh also was slow learning the stand signal. Then our instructor pointed out that the dog will always hear the judge say, "Stand you dog" in the ring. So instead of giving commands to the dog, I pretended to be the judge and said, "Stand you dog" before giving the signal. It really helped.

Val's problem has been the basic retrieve. I had used the method in Bill Koehler's Open book on Gem and Pooh Bear, and it worked like a charm. Both are happy, reliable, eager retrievers. So I confidently began teaching Val the same way — and hit a wall. There was

Doo-Shay

Doo-Shay's Hooligan Sabra battles it out with LLL Bit O Gold Jigger!



Doo Shay's Hooligan Sabra

LLL Bit O Gold Jigger

Judge Dawn Vick Hansen, thanks for a wonderful day.

Shannon, Jr. with Jigger. Shannon, Sr. with Sabra. They're neck and neck with 11 points each.!

Sabra: (Ladies first!) She has several BOBs and has been "turned on" with showing for about 7 months now. In a few months she will go for the gold and be bred to Jigger.

Jigger: Undefeated thus far! First time out, 5 pt. major at the NY Specialty (thanks to Jeanne Stafford). He also has a BOB over a special at 11 months. Thank you Janice Luginsland for this very handsome showman. We will continue to make you proud as we hope to carry on as a special soon.

Puppies will be available to loving show homes.

FLASH — Sabra finishes with back to back majors under David Patton and H. Tyler. Thank you David B Gibbons, our dedicated handler.

Shannon and Doug Johnson

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rofound resistance at every step. Back up, art over. I taught him "Hold it," quickly and asily. Fine, he holds great. He heels, jumps, nd comes with it in his mouth. Good, he kes jumping. Knowing he is going to get to mp, he'd open up and take the dumbbell. lowly, we've progressed to a 4 ft. retrieve ith my hand near the tossed dumbbell. ventually, we'll make it. Once he's retrieving e'll have all the Open work, but he and I ave to live that long!

In conformation, most dogs take to baiting adily. But sometimes a client's dog comes in at won't take food from your hand, let alone lert for the proffered tidbit. For Mighty, I and fed him every mouthful he got for a eek. He got the idea.

Cagney was a much more difficult case. I ad to start with sitting beside her cage while ne age. Even that made her nervous. Then I aned over the exercise pen while she ate. ext I put my hand near her dish; then on it. inally I reached the point where I could hand ed her her supper. All that just to get to uare one!

If it is important to you, there must be a ay to teach it. Be creative. Ask others for uggestions. Try to see things from the dog's oint of view. Be willing to try something ifferent, even if it seems a little off the wall. With patience, you can do it.

CO-OWNERSHIP: I've read several articles r recent years on the subject of co-owning ogs — all quite negative. That's a shame. here must be advantages to such an rrangement, because so many dogs are o-owned. For the buyer, a co-ownership may ean a lower price or getting a dog whose reeding or potential he especially wants. For he breeder, it means keeping his name on a promising animal or seeing that certain goals uch as a championship or a puppy back are eached. I was driving to a show with a friend everal years ago when she asked, "What does o-ownership mean? What does it allow me to lo?" Knowing that her latest Yorkie was o-owned with the breeder, I was shocked she didn't know what her rights were.

Basically, co-ownership means what the arties involved say it means. For every o-owning situation, there should be a written contract or sales agreement which spells out exactly the rights and responsibilities of each arty. Who pays for training, entry fees, and handling bills? Who pays routine care and vet

bills? Who keeps the dog? Who pays for show pictures, advertising? If it's a bitch, who decides when she is to be bred and picks the stud? Who pays stud fees? Who whelps puppies? How and when are puppies to be divided? If a male, who manages stud service and gets stud fees?

You see, so many variables and each one needs to be considered *before* the deal is made, and spelled out in the contract. That is the only way to avoid confusion, fights and unhappiness.

I have co-owned several dogs for different reasons and all have been satisfactory arrangements. On Val, I gave Rachal the co-ownership as a reward for finishing his CD. I still have all the financial responsibility, except she paid his entry fees when she showed him in Juniors. When I bought Pooh Bear back, I gave his former owner a co-ownership simply to recognize the fact that he owned the dog when he was shown to his championship. Otherwise, the dog is fully mine. Nevertheless, Greg's ex-wife thought she should get free stud service because he co-owned the dog!

Fran and I have co-owned Bruiser for about 3 years. Fortunately, Fran and I had been friends as well as client and handler for years so we were able to anticipate some of the questions the contract needed to cover. For example, knowing Fran's reactions to medical emergencies, I specified that I would whelp and raise to seven weeks all of Bruiser's pups. Fran and I have a good working relationship, and a detailed contract keeps it that way.

If you're buying a dog and the breeder is going to keep a co-ownership, find out what the breeder wants and get it in writing. Don't let anybody tell you, "That's understood" or "Everybody knows that." Noble-sounding phrases like, "I just want to protect the dog," "I want to make sure he finishes his championship," or "That's only so he'll always have a home with me" are vague. Is the co-ownership forever or just until the breeder gets the puppy back? Does the breeder plan to chip in on the cost of showing the dog to the championship? To CD? Do you have the right to sell your share to someone else? Don't just discuss it verbally. Each of you should have a signed copy of your contract to go along with your sense of fair play and a willingness to compromise.

HHH Pomeranians

proudly presents our newest champion



Ch. HHH Honeysuckle Rose

Roseanne is 4½ pounds of curiosity. Better known at home as "Nosie Rosie," she was retrieved from numerous places around the house as a puppy including the kitchen cabinets, the refrigerator and the dishwasher, if left open for more than two minutes. The fun and enjoyment she gave us as a puppy only increased as she began her short show career. Roseanne achieved her championship at the age of 9 months, having won 4 majors, a 2 pt. award, 3 Best of Winners, 3 Best of Opposites, Sex and a Best of Breed over 2 specials.

We would like to express our gratitude to the judges who saw her merits: Denis Grivas, Dr. All Kirk, Sari Tietjen, Merrill Cohen and Ann Clark.

FRIENDS: We often read criticism of dog people in these pages, including this column. Writers have given examples of dishonesty, pettiness, selfishness, excessive competitiveness or rudeness. Sure there are crumbs among us, and occasionally even our good friends do something to irritate us. But when the chips are down, real dog people come through.

Two weeks ago my daughter's Gordon Setter puppy was killed. A devastating blow. I only told two people. The next day friends began calling to express their sympathy. Cards arrived in the mail. One friend called to ask if she could plant a rosebush on the grave, and four people offered to co-own promising puppies of various breeds with Rachal. Dog people truly are the greatest.

MAX, THE OBEDIENCE CAT: I've often recommended proofing in this column. I once got help with proofing from an unexpected source: Max was a grey kitten who belonged to the people across the street. I first noticed him when I was practicing Open with Pooh Bear in the front yard. Max sat in his yard watching intently. A few days later he was at the edge of his yard. Next day he crossed the street to sit at the edge of our yard and watch.

It wasn't long before Max began participating. He was a very smart cat and quickly figured out not only what the obedience routines were, but how he could join in. While heeling with Pooh, Max got up in the Linden tree, hissed, and jumped down behind us. When I tossed the dumbbell, the cat raced out to it and dared Pooh Bear to take it. It was a bluff, but Pooh wasn't sure and I got in some good corrections.

Max knew which way Pooh would come over the high jump by where I stood to begin the exercise. He got on the opposite side of the jump, right next to it, out of sight. As Pooh cleared the jump, Max would leap up and swipe at him. It startled Pooh, but he had to keep going after the dumbbell. On the broad jump, Max lay down between the hurdles and again ambushed Pooh as he jumped. No "tiptoeing through the tulips" on this exercise for Pooh! When the neighbors moved away, I really missed my partner in obedience training.

"I Remember When . . ."

by Dorothy Bonner

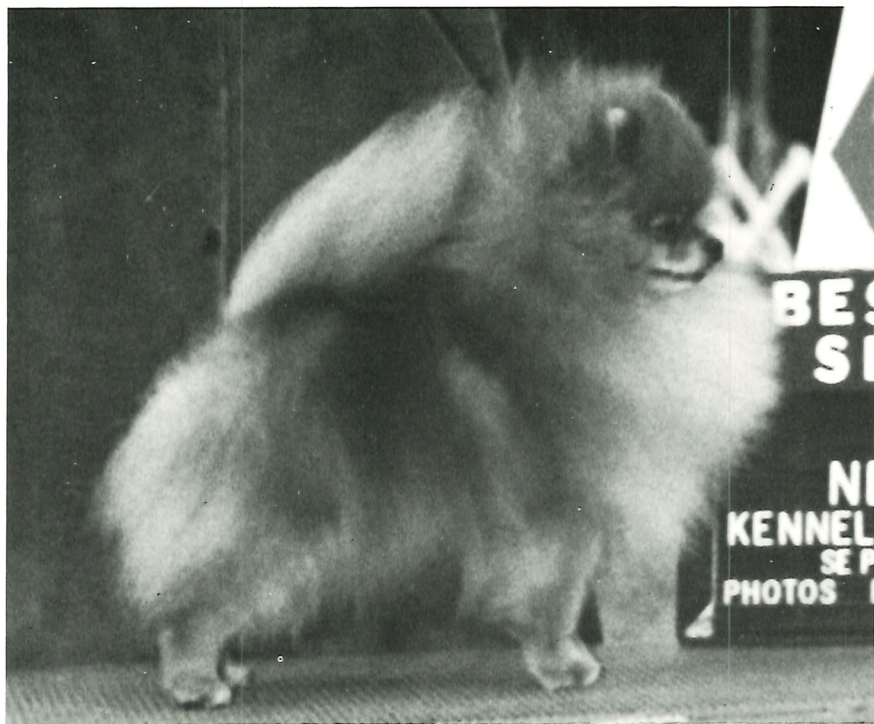
Involvement in book keeping is definitely not for me. Math was always a difficult subject in school and the feeling was one of relief when the required amount had been acquired for a University journalism degree. During the years of a large and successful dancing school, all income was simply posted, leaving the remaining work to a professional at income tax time. Finally, a full time book keeper was hired. She bought an expensive set of leather-bound ledgers, which she kept in the most meticulous order. After a year, when she threatened a strike for more salary, I let her go and she wasn't even missed. Pages of neat figures were torn out of the largest ledger and it became a Pom record book. The main section was used as a journal where day to day events were posted. Another section was for litters whelped, enumerated with information on what had happened to each Pom. Those sold were listed with their buyers, complete with addresses, and those retained, with additional information. Another section was devoted to breeding, dates, and the male used. This sturdy record book has served for over 40 years and is still being used in a reglued but serviceable condition. No breeder could have better records.

Recently a retired Army family wrote that their male Pom, bought from me some seven years ago, had moved with them all over the world. They were now retired and hoped to use him at stud but registration papers had long since been lost without any remembrance of his parentage or other details. The age clue made his records easy to find and all of the information necessary was sent to the AKC to issue duplicate papers. This story had a happy ending because of the faithful old record book.

The
Stud Register
1987

Ch. Coy's Top of the Mark

Multiple Best in Show Winner



(Ch. Millamor's Mark of Dixieland x Cedarwood's Linda Leigh)

Well known in the show ring, Topper is now gaining quite a reputation with the "ladies." An interesting blend of the best of Millamor and Great Elms lines, pedigree on request.

Topper sends congratulations to his daughter Can. Ch. Chriscendo Cachet on her recent U.S. wins.

COY'S POMERANIANS

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TNT Pomeranians

When the TNT Poms that we show went to New York for the Specialty and Westminster, they had one thing in common that set them apart from *all other Poms* entered at the two events — they were the only ones that were either imported from England or had heavy English breeding in their pedigrees. The four Poms had a combined entry of five classes and rolled on to set the following record. The Specialty placing is on the first line and Westminster is on the second line.

Class	Name	Specialty Garden	English Connection
BBE Dog Am Bred	TNT Davey Crockett	RWD First	Ch. Rosskear's Home James gr.son x Ch. Hadleigh's Honeygold GG grda
Open Dog	Rosskear's Fly By Night	First Second	Imported from England.
Open Bitch Black,Blue	TNT Classic Style N Basic Black	First RWB	Littermate to Davey Crockett
Veteran Bitch	Ch. Don-Ra's Starette of Dandy	First	Ch. Hadleigh's Honeygold (7th gen) x Am. bred lines
Brood Bitch	Ch. Don-Ra's Starette of Dandy	First	Get used was the Crockett kids

Our winning boys are featured in full page ads in this issue, along with TNT's Fascinatin' Rythm, a young dog purchayed by Karen Shaver. The winning ladies will be featured in the next issue. A very big thank you to Pamela Campbell for showing Raymond for me at the Specialty. She got acquainted with him on the way into the ring and went on to do an outstanding job handling. Also, thank you to Donna Megehard and Carol Galavich for helping with the Brood Bitch Class.

We are happy to announce the arrival of three litters of puppies and a select few will be available to show homes:

Ch. TNT Davey Crockett x C'KAS Simply Sinsation Star (ptd) This is a half sib breeding and will be an outstanding cross. It doubles up on Ch. Don-Ra's Starette of Dandy and outcrosses to Ch. Jabil's Simply Sinful and Ch. Rosskear's Home James. There will be 1 bitch and possibly 1 male available.

Ch. Bi-Mar's Sunny Go Lucky x Bi-Mar's Summer Sunshine(ptd) have a nice daughter that is not for sale.

TNT The Devil Made Me Do It x C'KAS Sable Gem of Mi-Lo This breeding brings together the old Millamor/Mi-Lo lines with the Jabil and Edney, while adding a dash of Hadleigh. There will be one female available. In several months there will be several young pure English puppies available to the right homes.

Ch. Rosskear's Fly By Night x Berfnie's Ivontobealone (ptd) have 2 males and the first Raymond daughter yet. Congratulations to Bob Burna! (Wouldn't you know the only girl would be in someone else's litter?)

Inquiries Welcome.

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TNT Pomeranians

is proud to introduce our English import — the last Rosskear imported to this country!

Ch. Rosskear's Fly By Night



Raymond is a lovely red-orange with an ultra short back, excellent bone and soundness, a true double coat with superb texture and a sweet disposition. Proven sire.

He sends a special thank you to the following judges: Francis Thornton (BOB), Betty Dexter (WD, BOS), Mildred Heald (WD, BOW), Max Riddle (BOB, 5 pts.), Sari Tietjen (WD, BOW, 3 pt.), William Bergum (2nd in Open Dog, Garden), Paula Hartinger (1st, Open Dog at Specialty).

E. Ch. Wynwright's Mid-Winter Boy
E. Ch. Mycariad A Winter Flutter at
Rosskear

Caesarea Solitaire
Ch. Rosskear's Fly By Night

E. Ch. Mycariad Man in a Million at
Wynwrights
Wilmscote Miss Charming At Rosskear
Wilmscote Waltz Cloud

TNT Pomeranians

introduces our stunning homebred champion

CH. TNT Davey Crockett

Davey's a cobby, orange-red 5/8 English (Rosskear & Hadleigh) bred dog who combines showmanship, style, type, soundness with excellent movement and disposition. We could rave about him for ages but will let his pictures do it all for us.



A special thank you to the following judges for their confidence in Dave and giving him his wins from the puppy or bred by exhibitor classes: Mrs. William Lehnig (BOB), Mr. Jack Nickerson (BOS, BOW), Keke Blumberg (BOS, BOW), Jane Kay (WD at '86 Michigan Specialty), Sari Tietjen (BOB over specials), Mr. Cyrus Bernfield (WD), Mrs. William Bergum (1st, Am Bred, Garden), Paula Hartinger (RWD, APC Specialty).

- E.Ch. Wynwright's Mid Boy
- E.Ch. Home James of Rosskear
Garet Dustette
- Gold Blackacre James Bud II
- Ch. Gold Blackacre Sungold Honey
- Gold Blackacre Sungold Cupid
- Passfield Peachie of Gold Blackacre
- Ch. TNT Davey Crockett**
- Ch. Winkel's Red Hot Pepper
- Ch. Ceerae's Dandy Star
- Ch. Ceerae's Star Gold Honey
- Ch. Don-Ra's Starette of Dandy
- Ch. Varen's Caviler Ringmaster
- Don-Ra's Lollipop
- Minnick's Rock Candy

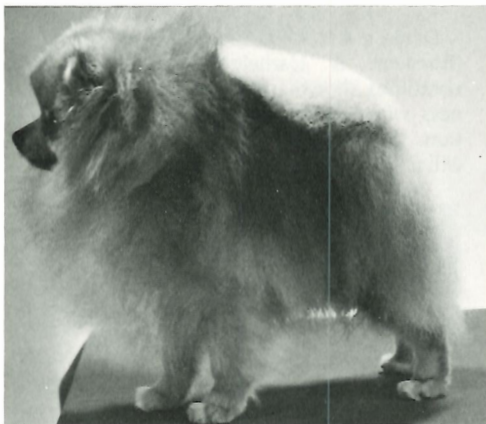
TNT Pomeranians

introduces our newest star

TNT The Devil Made Me Do It



Watch for us in the Bred By Exhibitor class this fall!



- Mi-Lo's Red Pepper
- Mi-Lo's Mischief Teddy
- Mi-Lo's Mischief Lacie
- Mi-Lo's Teddy Treviano CD
- Ch. Mi-Lo's Mischief Robin
- Mi-Lo's Mischief Kandee
- Mi-Lo's Mischief Jeanie
- TNT The Devil Made Me Do It**
- A/C Ch. Jabil's Simply Smashing
- Ch. Jabil's Simply Sinful
- Jabil's Sun Goddess
- C'KA Simply Sinsational
- Ch. Ceerae's Dandy Star
- Ch. Don-Ra's Starette of Dandy
- Don-Ra's Lollipop

Toot-Toot's show career was put on hold last year after my husband's heart attack. Watch for him this fall — he'll be the cobby, well balanced light orange with the tremendous coat and movement who will delight in demonstrating 52 ways to misbehave — and his excuse will be *the devil made me do it!* Proven sire (the devil made him do that too!)

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Lil Shaver Pomeranians

Amy Lou, my first Am/Can black champion, and I are proud to announce the purchase of



TNT Fascinatin' Rhythm

C.B.'s show career is off to a flying start with his new owner Karen Shaver. In a total of 6 weekends in the US and Canada, he needs only 1 pt. to finish in the states and 2 pts. to finish in Canada. I'd like to thank the following judges for their votes of confidence in this young male and for helping him to achieve this outstanding show record: Mr. Sandy Schwartz (4 pts.), Tom Baldwin (WD), Robert Reedy (WD, BOW), William Bergum (3rd, Open Dog, Westminster), Denis Grivas (BOB, major), Langdon Skarda (WD, BOS, major) John Eileff (WD).

Mi-Lo's Mischief Teddy
Mi-Lo's Teddy Treviano CD
Mi-Lo's Mischief Kandee Sue
TNT Fascinatin' Rhythm
Mi-Lo's Jimmy Boy
C'KAS Sable Gem of Mi-Lo
Elleen's Miss Love A Lot II

Due to "Final Four Fever" (Syracuse U basketball) CB and I have taken a brief hiatus to recuperate. CB is always owner-handled.

Karen L. Shaver

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EMCEE'S POMERANIANS

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Ch. Emcee's Chips of Diamond

Marlene and Betty Carson
9826 Waltham Drive
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Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Prince

"El Rey" finished his championship at 8 months at Gloucester. The next day, moved to Specials, he went BOB over 4 Specials and on to a Group 3. Shown here winning a 5 point major at Baltimore KC under judge Toddie Clark, with his handler Marlene Scott Halsey.

"El Rey" is at stud to approved bitches. Stud fee \$250.00. Our thanks to Irene and Sylvia Harbin, his breeders, for this special Pom

Ch. Cedarwood's Image of Diamond
Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II
Great Elms Sweet Candy
Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Prince, "El Rey"
Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Diamond
Ch. Harbin's Touch of Class
Ch. Harbin's Black Gold of India

Watch for Marlene and El Rey!

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Handled exclusively by
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Ch. Precious Petite's Touch of Riple Jason

Jason is a full brother to Ch. Precious Petite's Riple Supreme, the #2 Pom. He is a multiple Group placer.

For Sale. Also, he is at stud. Price or stud fee on request.

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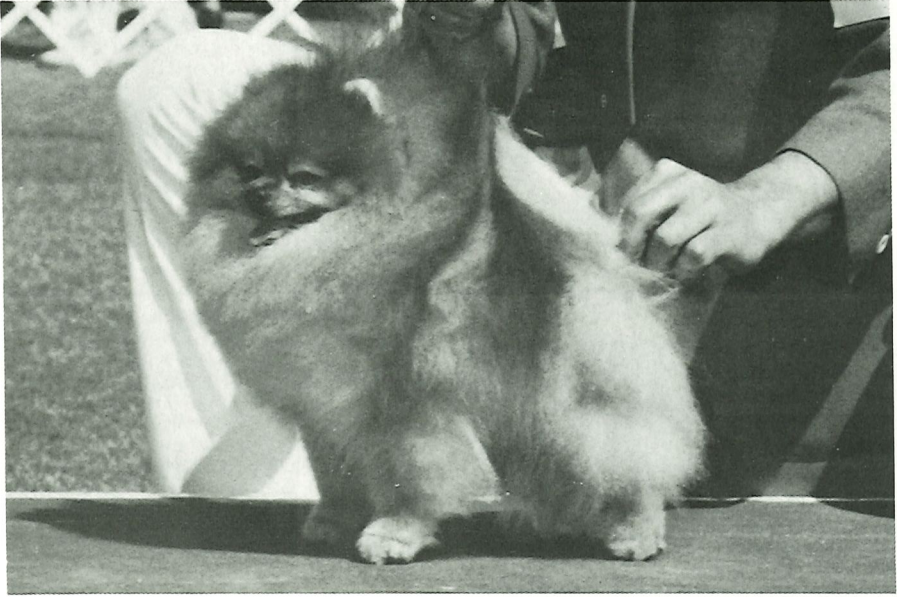
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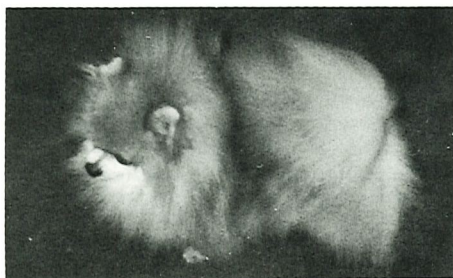


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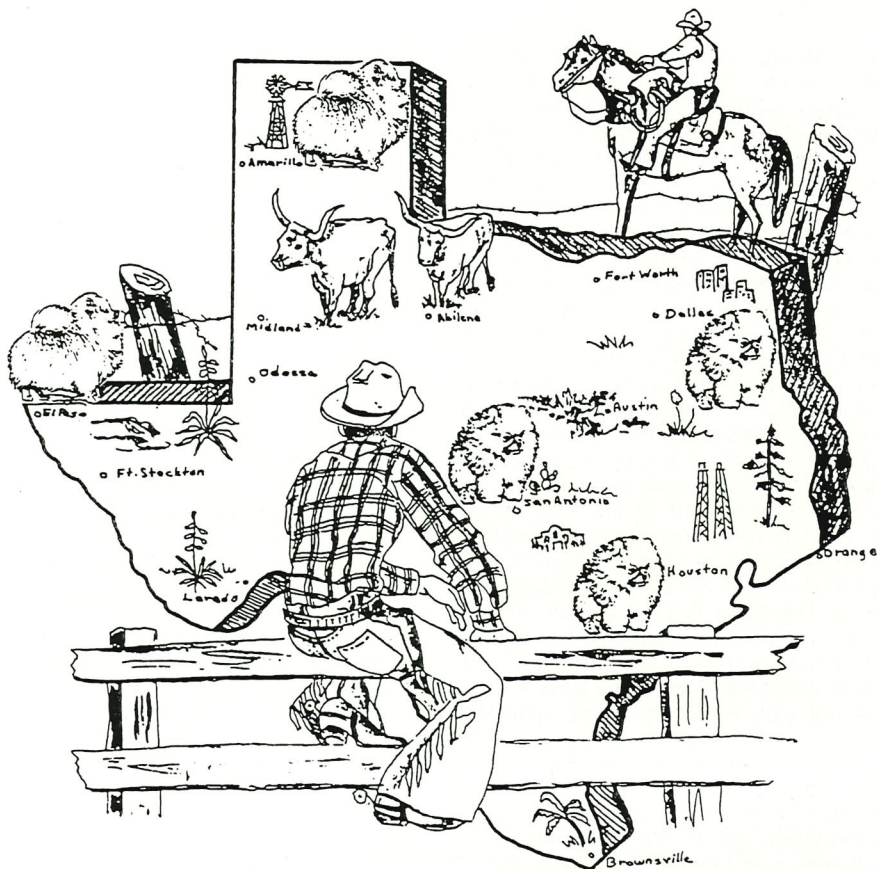
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New Friends

by Emily Untalan

I recently met a lady I have come to admire greatly. Her name is Connie. Over a year ago her young children bought her a Pom bitch. When the bitch came into her second heat, she found me and we arranged for a breeding with one of my non-champions. Connie and Lady came to the house and she immediately changed her mind when she saw my red Champion. Unfortunately, he won't (and I mean he *will not*) breed a virgin who objects to the act. But Connie had fallen in love with the red color, so arrangements were made to breed to my Champion's half brother, also red and a Champion. Time passed, as those sixty some days do, and Lady free-whelped a litter of four on a Friday at 3 p.m. (Wasn't she considerate — mine always whelp in the middle of the night!) I was away for the Eastern Washington circuit and didn't return until very late Sunday night. Monday morning Connie called and had run into trouble. One girl had died and the other three were not nursing. She had called her vet and he said that it was o.k. as they could go for 36 hours without nursing. However, she felt that they seemed very weak. I asked for directions to her house, gathered up my puppy equipment and successfully found my way there. With scales as the first order of business, we weighed them all then I proceeded to show her how to tube feed. They were weak but not too weak to object to the tube going down. Eventually, with tummies full, I was able to learn that she had been up every two hours since Saturday, literally squeezing milk from the mother into their little mouths. Lady's teets were not extended enough for the pups to get a good hold. Three hours later I left and Connie and Lady had worked out a schedule.

Tuesday p.m. Connie called and was upset

because she had lost another female. It seemed she had a bloated stomach and the others were bloating. I had no answer for her and could only advise she call my vet. She had already called four other vets and they all suggested she just let them die, but Connie would not. She wasn't going to just sit by while the rest of her litter died. There had to be something she could do that wasn't mentioned in all the books she had purchased and read prior to Lady's whelp. My vet suggested a liquid to aid in the release of gas, called a friendly something or other, related to bacteria. She rushed off to find that, found a substitute and gave them a couple of drops. I had a Pom Club meeting that evening and asked around about what other members had experienced. Only a handler had an answer. Connie is a God loving woman and she must have picked up the conversation, as that is exactly what she did. Mind you, here is a lady who has never whelped a litter in her life, yet she was able to analyze the problem and immediately proceed with the solution. What she did was re-insert the tube and extract the gas! It worked! She now has two babies who are happily nursing on their own. This is one week later and both Connie and Lady are happy about their achievements. Connie loved every minute of her labors and though she is exhausted, she would gladly repeat it, if it meant saving only one. She had found her strength and was able to go on. She loves her Pom and rightly so as Lady is very intelligent and they have worked as a team.

Connie, you deserve a big round of applause and God loves you for your devotion to His animals.

By the way, Connie is currently a member of no club, but I shall soon see to that!



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Ch. Nanshadow's Not-Worth-A-Penny

Penny is shown taking breed under Judge Sadie Thorn at 10 months of age. She will be out for some very limited showing until she is bred this fall. Be sure to watch for this girl (now a dark orange sable) at the shows this summer!

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Ch. Nanshadow's Hurricane Juan

Juan is shown taking his majors, both times going Best of Winners over some very difficult and beautiful competition. Juan has the showmanship that makes him a joy to show.

I would like to express my thanks to Audrey Roberts for being such a good friend and for making Juan and Penny possible. I would also like to extend my deepest sympathy to Audrey on her loss of Shy Acres Tap Dancer, who was probably the most perfect puppy I have ever had the privilege to see. I have no doubt that she will do it again.



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Ch. Nanshadow's Hurricane Juan

Congratulations to Diana Simo-nis on her litter out of Juan that is going to be in the show ring this winter, and on her lovely new LLL bitch that will be starting the shows this summer. Good luck to Armetha Reynolds who is expecting two litters sired by Juan in June and July.

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Stepper is shown taking her first major over specials from the puppy class.

She is Lil Toasty's first born. We would like to congratulate his second born, Janesa's Hi Struttin' Daisey on her first major. The next weekend she broke her leg and will be out a while, but hopefully back in the ring soon. Watch for other Lil Toasty kids in the ring soon.

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Ch. Southland's Toasted Fudge

(BIS Ch. Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge x Ch. Southland Happy Birthday Bil)

Lil Toasty is producing in the style for which he was designed. Congratulations to his first offspring now hitting the ring —

Southland's Step Aside Boys — 3 pt. major and BOS over special, bred and owned by myself.

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Janesa's Hi Struttin' Daisey — 4 pt. major, bred and owned by Jerrie Freia.

And another lovely daughter with 2 points at exactly 6 months of age, bred and owned by Vicky Leitner.

Four major pointed as puppies and the fifth pointed at 6 months!

Southland would also like to congratulate Porter and Dickey Washington on their recent group placements with Ch. Southland's Toast to Prancer, and Barbara Humphries on her Gr. 3 on Ch. Ida's Touch of Bev-Nor in tough competition. Speedy now has 3 Gr. 1s, 1 Gr. 2 and 1 Gr. 4 at 1½ years of age with only limited showing. Speedy is owned by Dorothy Hagemen, Ida Traver and Charlotte Creed and is being specialed by Barbara Humphries.



Ch. Ida's Touch of Bev-Nor

(Ch. Bev-Nor's Toastmaster x
Ida's Lil Magnolia Blossom)

"Speedy" returns to the ring in style with back to back Group 1s followed by a Group 2 on the tough Florida Circuit. He now has 3 Group 1s, 1 Group 2 and 1 Group 3, at the tender age of 16 months. Speedy has been leased by Dorothy Hagemen and will be shown by Barbara Humphries. Watch for this super boy. Everyone says he's going to be a great one!

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Ida's Ms. Pris By Bev-Nor

(Ch. Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge
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Ms. Pris thanks Judge Ed Jenner for this 4 pt. major and BOW from the 6-9 puppy class. Watch for this super girl in the ring, and her litter brother making his debut soon.

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If You're Going To Go, Go First Class

BY AL GROSSMAN

When people seek the services of a doctor or a lawyer they usually look for one with a good professional reputation and avoid the "quacks" and "shysters." When shopping for major purchases, brand names and quality are sought in preference to the unknown and untried.

Then *why*, oh *why* does the novice breeder select an often unproved or less than adequate breeder as their mentor? It is so often a case of the blind leading the blind!

This is not universal by any means. There are many novices who have had the good fortune of enjoying the association of respected, successful breeders. From them the novice receives a valuable education about many aspects of breeding and showing dogs as well as the basic rules of sportsmanship. Often times this association comes about purely by chance or propinquity. Very seldom is it sought. Perhaps the novice feels hesitant about seeking such contact out of fear of being rebuffed.

The experienced and successful breeder neither needs nor wants the "coat tail crowd" — those that look to him for every assurance, opinion and reflect his exact thoughts back to him. Through experience it is not difficult for this breeder to discern fairly easily those worthy of his time and efforts. Novices are *not* expected to know it all and those who act as though they do are quickly given the cold shoulder. Novices are expected to ask questions and shouldn't feel their questions will be regarded as silly.

Perhaps it is from fear that the big breeder will not want to bother with him that makes the novice seek out second best. Or, more than likely an association with a lesser light breeder is sought because in the eyes of the novice *any* accomplishment looms large beside his own insignificant fumbling beginnings. To the novice the word "champion" is truly the magic word — this before he develops the ability to discern that there are champions, and then *there are champions*.

There are many breeders both successful and near successful who are more than happy to lend a helping hand. They have usually

reached their own pinnacle of success due to another's assistance along the way. However, whereas successful breeders desire to help those deemed worthy, many not so successful breeders encourage the association of novices and all. In fact, the more the merrier. To gather a group of disciples around gives man less than successful breeders a prop for their sagging egos. It's not uncommon to find these breeders with their own personal retinue accompanying them everywhere, hanging onto their every word and taking all they have to say as the gospel truth. They are seen at the dog shows, clustered around the breeder's crates, listening only to him. They pay no attention to the other dogs, rarely watch the judging where they might learn something and have eyes only for the dogs belonging to their "friend."

The disciples end up with very little true knowledge of the breed which they originally sought. Actually, they have been "used" rather than helped. They are often kept within the fold by being made to feel obligated as a result of free stud services, gifts of dogs and "deals". If they would only look around them and see the light they would realize that free stud services are not offered on *good* dogs. Good dogs are not given away that possess monetary value and for which there is demand and deals rarely work out to everyone's satisfaction.

Many of these people have long ago lost sight of their original goal and have become enmeshed in all sorts of dog activities that lead them nowhere. These are the ones who throw in the sponge and become yet another "five year statistic." (The average person lasts only this long in the Dog Game.) Very few go on to become successful breeders on their own for that requires independent thought and they have not been conditioned to do this.

It should not be too difficult to establish criteria of some sort to distinguish between those breeders capable of assisting the novice and those who use the novice to further their own interests. First off, what constitute success? What assurance can the novice obtain that his would-be mentor has

something to offer? Is it because he has bred a champion? Realize, please, that many a champion is the result of luck in breeding or persistence in showing. Maybe he has bred several champions. Then ask, what kind of champions? Did they finish quickly in good competition or were they dragged through to their titles winning against inferior competition? Also, ask how others regard these champions. Do other well known breeders desire their offspring or breed to them, or does their "popularity" result from the novice and pet trade? Is this person known only in their own locale or known throughout the state and country as well?

Answers to these questions, honest answers that is, should provide the beginning breeder with some insight as to where they should look for assistance. Then there is the matter of integrity. Does this breeder constantly knock dogs belonging to others? Does he start or perpetuate rumors based on heresay or inconclusive evidence? Does he, when selling his stock, "guarantee" that eight week old puppies will finish their championships? Does he imply that his stud dogs will sire top quality regardless of the bitches bred to them? Does he profess expert knowledge of bloodlines with which he has had no experience? If the answers to most of the questions is yes, look elsewhere for your guidance. If you chose these kinds of people your chances for success are slim and none.

To become completely dependent upon another for your success in dogs will, in the long run, not serve you well. To be a good breeder you must be able to think independently and, when ready, begin to make your own decisions — to buy that puppy, to line breed correctly, to keep *that one great puppy*. Learn all you can from your competent mentor and then go out and apply that knowledge on your own. Of course you will make mistakes, who doesn't? Remember, you can learn as much from failure as you can from success. Go over the dogs who are winning; find out why. Ask questions when you don't understand something. Have an inquiring mind. And by all means watch the judging and learn by observing where the judge puts his hands, what he comes back to when he goes over a dog a second time. Many "signal" the ringside what they are looking for.

Now you will find some top breeders who

are leery of helping a novice. That is because they have had some bad experiences. They have run into the know it alls, the stubborn ones who will do it their way only, and the troublemakers. There are also unfortunately, always novices out there who, in order to make a quantum leap to stardom, set out to accomplish something that has never been done before. Maybe an experienced breeder with a good knowledge of genetics may hazzard such a venture, but the rank novice is headed for disaster. And when he crashes on the rocks he blames all but himself.

Let us say you have been fortunate enough to get yourself a good mentor and have learned your lessons well. You set out on your own and dame fortune has smiled upon you. All is wonderful, you are a winner and you bask in the reflected glory of your winning dogs. Great, except something is not quite right! You have the uncomfortable feeling that all your winning is not going over too well with your fellow exhibitors. Where did you go wrong? After all, isn't the idea of this whole thing to be a winner? Let's look into that part of the game a bit more.

Much emphasis has been placed on the importance of being a good loser but little or nothing is said about the difficulty of being a good winner. To be a good loser is not difficult, in fact it happens frequently to most of us. But acting appropriately as a winner, is something else indeed.

At any show whether it is a Specialty or All-Breed, there can only be a few winners. Should one exhibitor's entries account for more than one win, the left over pickings become even smaller. This means only a small number of people go home perfectly happy from a dog show. The vast majority console themselves that there will be another day or at least the judge did a conscientious job and gave them a fair shake.

Let's face it, we would rather win on any given day rather than lose. In the dog game we have learned that a top dog probably will win 3 out of 5 times and be close when he loses. The average competitor will probably finish in 15-20 shows, winning perhaps six times. So you see, losing is the norm. However, we go into each show with the expectation of winning and as a result we get disgruntled when we don't. Turn to the person standing next to you and remark about the poor job of judging that old Nicholas



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Applebee is doing today and chances are you will get full agreement. What's so strange about that? However, point out that old Nicholas is really on the ball today and is picking the top ones and you will most likely get a baleful stare. Remember there are many losers and only a very few winners on that day.

You learn that it's hard to be a winner by any standard. Everyone's goal is to be a winner and get to the top. However, for many that winning spirit can get us into trouble with our peers and reaching the summit can become a hollow victory. Your dog has won, you're thrilled, elated, on cloud nine and you want to shout about it from the rooftops and let the world know about your accomplishments. But you don't, or you have learned not to because, let's face it, *you* are happy but most of the other exhibitors are not! So you adopt the reserve of the English and smile inwardly. To have your dogs' wins greeted by indifference or snide remarks takes the wind out of your sails and much that should be joyous becomes just the opposite. So, after coming up against the "wet dish rag" form of enthusiasm, you keep your happiness to yourself to be taken out later and savored privately. While it will have to suffice it's not what it should be like. The losers of the day, on the other hand, are walking around muttering under their collective breaths that they were robbed or the judge was stupid or both. Perhaps some day there could be a cartoon that poses the question, "Guess who the losers at the dog show are?" Not too long ago a top winning Special went up for the breed and one of the losers came over to the handler and said, "Nice win, too bad he didn't deserve it." Comments like this can help to make a winner's day.

As you can see being a winner is not easy no matter how desirable this position looks from afar. To come up with winning dogs year after year places many breeders in the position of being a prime target for all the unsuccessful, jealous and petty breeders still striving for success. Because of some quirk or another of human nature, it seems that people feel the need to elevate their own kennel's status, not necessarily by breeding better dogs, but by downplaying those belonging to others. Everyone, at one time or another, has been guilty of this to some degree. However, the driven ones give little heed to the feelings of

others and strive to demean their accomplishments at every turn. Perhaps this is their way of lessening the threat to their aspirations.

The point should be made that this type of behavior is not solely confined to those engaged in dog activities. It is evidenced even more clearly in the business world by price cutting, false advertising and disparaging your competition. It's frowned upon by the Better Business Bureau. In Dogdom, we have no BBB, only unenforceable club codes of ethics.

By now you must recognize that a healthy competitive spirit and a thick skin are prerequisites to success in the dog game. Obviously when competitive spirit meets competitive spirit, some sparks are going to fly. Think of it as two Terriers being sparring against each other in center ring. It's a good show, but when it's over, it should be over!

In order for any one breeder in an area to attain success, others must, by necessity, lose out along the way. This cannot be helped for it takes many losers to make a winner. Those on the threshold of success might do well to remember that the time will come when they must come face to face with some of these same losers as they lose their grip on the top rung and slide downward. No matter how good we are as breeders, there comes a time when not every success is topped with yet another success and we lose our momentum and backslide a bit.

Very few, if any, have the good fortune of having their cake and eating it too. That is to say, few breeders can continually enjoy success without ruffling some feathers of their losing breeder acquaintances. Some people just can't take the slings and arrows that come their way as the winner. They have thin skins and suffer grievously. What to do? Some breeders just up and quit. To them it's just not worth it. Maybe they feel they have achieved what they set out to do and don't want to settle for second best. Many learn to compromise. That is they can share the winners mantle with others without feeling they are a failure. These are the ones who survive. Their accomplishments and abilities are recognized but they no longer hold a monopoly on success. As a result they have a degree of popularity with their fellow breeders and have gotten away from the fusillade allowing them to enjoy their hobby.

These "old timers" no longer have to prove themselves in every outing. The "comers," on

Merrymont

Merrymont's Lil Red Bearon

This 4 pound bundle of energy will start his show career when his coat comes in, but has been practicing at matches. He has two Best Puppy in Match, both over major pointed puppies. Thank you, Joyce for trusting him to me.



Ch. Coble's Traveling Bear

Tad wished to congratulate his sire completing his championship local Bear is owned by Mattie Coble.

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**PACIFIC
NORTHWEST
NEWS AND
VIEWS**

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There's a heatwave in the Northwest. So where am I going for vacation? South to San Diego to the National Specialty, of course! Hope I see all of you there, and that you have as much fun as we did in Portland last year.

Some wonderful Pomeranians are still being seen at this year's Northwest shows. In British Columbia at the Lions Gate cluster shows So Hi's Memento of Cavilier was Best of Winners twice from the puppy class. He is bred by Virginia Niehouse and owned by Phyllis Andrews. Am/Can Ch. Harbin's Time To Pop The Cork was Best of Breed one day for breeder/owners Irene and Sylvia Harbin. Can. Ch. Luxton's Forever Perry Pickle was Best of Breed the other two days. Harbin's You Sweet Talker took a Winners Bitch for Irene and Sylvia Harbin and Sha-Mar's Silys Summer Odyssey took a Winners Bitch for breeder/owner Alesha Marie. This lively black later finished her Canadian championship.

In Eastern Washington, Masterpiece of Marks, bred by Pete Casteneda and owned by Averil Asbeck took five points. Feisty's Spice of Life, bred by Emily Untalan and owned by Victor and Wendy Feist took two points at two shows. Gladys Van Horn's Singleoak's Woolly Bully also won a five pointer. On three days, Ch. Autumn's Blaze of Bi-Mar was Best of Breed, with Ch. Sungold's Knick-Knack and Ch. Apolloette Moonlight Gambler taking two breeds each. Congratulations to all.

Two new champions were finished at the Seattle Kennel Club show under judge Alexander Schwartz. Tillaby's Anny Bananny, owned by Jane Reed and Karen Powers' lovely male out of Ch. Tiffany's Star of India are the new stars. Both are sired by Jessie and Tom Stephens Ch. Emcees Chips Ahoy of Coy. Another new champion is Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Prince, bred by Irene Harbin and owned by Betty and Morris Carson. The sire is Great Elms Prince Charming and the dam, Ch. Harbin's Touch of Class. El Rey will soon be

seen with Marlene Scott Halsey.

We are very fortunate to have two very active Northwest Pom Clubs. They really do some things right. Both put out very interesting newsletters. Portland's Columbia Pom Club is busy preparing for their July and December Specialties. The Puget Sound Club has been very active in community projects. Each member brings a can of dog food to their meeting. The food is then donated to senior citizens to help them keep their pets. Cash donations are also being received, as well as dog food coupons. These coupons are given to the animal shelter to help reduce costs. They also participated in a fund raiser called "Run With Rover" which was fun as well as profitable.

If You're Going, continued.

the other hand, strive and claw their way at every step. These are the ones who "work" the judge and demean the competition. This aggressiveness is what makes them tick and can lead to success but at what cost? Many of you have run across such people in the dog show game. The desire for recognition is one thing but you can carry the craving for success too far and alienate everyone around you.

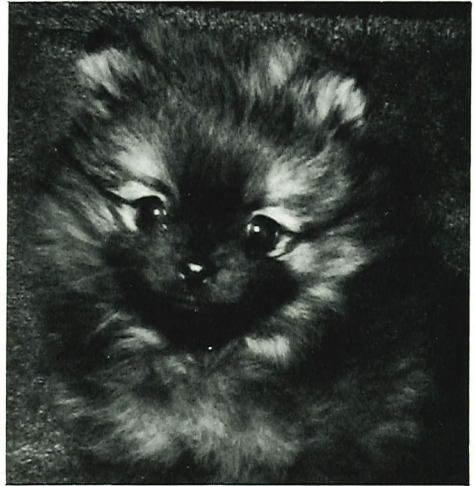
Once you have climbed that mountain and become "top dog," you may well find out that it's very lonely on top of that peak. There just isn't much room at the top; the kind of personality that's driven you there doesn't allow for sharing the top perch. This fact is usually not recognized by those hell-bent for election on getting there. It can only be truly understood by those who have experienced this heady sort of success with all of its accompanying drawbacks.

It doesn't have to be like this. In fact, in many instances it's not. However, there are too many cases where this is the norm in the Dog Game. They love you when you're a point maker. In fact your dogs are not bad and, with a little help, might do some real winning. On the other hand just as soon as you do start that real winning — well, it should be all too familiar.

Chez Jo Dandee

Gracious, generous, helpful and an all around lovely lady, Thelma Dunn is all of these and more. With her help and the cooperation of her Ch. Dnadd, and of course my Fudge Ripple's Jo-Jo, we came up with a stunning, sassy red sable female pup, Shea. This breeding has been repeated and two other litters are due.

Thelma, thanks for showing me the right way!



Willow Brook Poms

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Ch. Sungold's Corse U Can

(Ch. Mac's Maybe I Will x
Ch. Cherokee Summer Fashion)

Can Can is in whelp, bred to half brother by Willy (Dam: Ch. Sungold's Portrait of Quesera).

Pedigree in Behind The New Champions.

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MONORCHIDISM

by Donia Cline

It might be interesting, especially to some of our younger enthusiasts, to read what I had written long before monorchidism was considered a fault and a disqualifying one, by the American Kennel Club. It rather dates me, but after I had traced monorchidism in a line of Boston Terriers and also one in Dachshunds for a laboratory in the east, the late Bert Heath, who was the owner and publisher of KENNEL REVIEW, asked me to write on the subject. The following article first appeared in the September 1951 issue of that magazine, page 24. "Time and again, I have been asked how I feel about monorchids. Most of my friends know how I feel and it is natural for me to carry on with the ideas I learned as a child, when my father had some very good trotting horses. It was for dead sure that no good mare was ever bred to a monorchid stud. The horse was simply gelded and put to work in whatever capacity he was best suited for. It (monorchidism) is considered a bad trait which reproduces down through the generations, and I have seen it happen in dogs.

"I do not like monorchids as studs, nor do I ever consider one a top show specimen. I am rather tired of the old 'wheeze' in defense of monorchids that they can reproduce and that they are fertile studs. O.K. — so they are fertile. So is the dog with an overshot mouth, the one with a bad tail, the dip behind it's withers and the one that had a bad accident as a puppy and lost a leg, and the one with a blind eye, etc. The mongrels running the streets are considered the most fertile and prolific of all dogs and you can get a stud service from them any time — no charge. I know of several occasions where services were 'got' even without the wanting, simply because the mongrels were such rambunctious studs. I never found out if these boys were monorchids or not, and no one seemed to care, because the whole thing was just awful anyway and no pedigrees were wanted. Neither were the puppies, which ten to one arrived healthy and mongrel.

"Another 'wheeze' during monorchid discussions is usually that how is one to tell that a bitch can produce. Up to this point, a

judge doesn't have time on the day of judging, to breed her and wait out the 63 days for her to whelp to find out. Neither has the AKC made it a rule for male entries to carry a Vet's certificate to prove that he is a fertile stud and so the judge can't possibly know, but it is not unusual for a certificate to be handed to a judge in the showing of a monorchid, to prove that he has produced. It doesn't make sense to say there is nothing in the Standard against it, because there is nothing in the standard that says anything about a dog only having one eye, or one ear, or three legs instead of four, and there is nothing in the Standard that says if a dog is born with a good bite and set of teeth, but the teeth have been ruined by distemper, a judge should overlook the bad teeth.

"I have been very fortunate up to now, in not having had a monorchid, but I have had a lot of bad luck with dogs I have bred and owned where teeth have been ruined by distemper and where perhaps a dog has not grown to the size the present day judges desire. I have not tried to win with them because I would not get very far. Judges are not likely to ask if a dog can sire puppies or if a bitch can produce them. It is the job of the judge to select to the best of their ability, the dog which comes nearest to perfection of its breed and every Standard clearly states that a dog must be sound.

"Mr. Webster's New International Dictionary, second edition, unabridged says that 'sound' means free from flaw, defect, or decay; perfect of the kind; complete; thorough. Naturally, it is supposed that all dogs and bitches coming into the show ring will be able to reproduce. This is more or less up to the honor of breeders and exhibitors, so far as they may know, but an altered dog or bitch is not eligible so far as AKC rules are concerned. No one would knowingly buy a three-legged dog as a show specimen, or one that lacked an ear, or an eye and yet, unfortunately, a lot of unsuspecting folks have bought themselves a monorchid, because they don't know what it's all about.

"Due to the fact that the evidence is in a rather remote section of the dog, it is not easy

continued on p. 104.

Great Elms Kennels, Reg'd.

I wish to thank the Officers and Board Members of our APC for the gorgeous etching of a Pom on glass. It is outstandingly beautiful. I appreciate it more than words can express.

I especially thank Sam Zaneoff who had the etching packaged and shipped to me.

Congratulations to Ken Griffith for his new champion, Beaver of Lenette, sired by our Ch. Model's Timstopper's Echo.

Congratulations also to Dudley and Wanda Roach for their new champion, Great Elms Chip of Gold, 11th champion sired by Timstopper Too (from his final litter).

The best of luck to Skip Piazza and Olga Baker in the show ring with Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II.

Nothing For Sale.

Dear Friends,

I apologize for not answering the nice letters I receive, but with no help in kennel, house or yard and being 74 years old, I've slowed down to a snail's pace. I cannot write letters when I'm tired, and when I stop work I'm tired.

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OBEDIENCE NEWS

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Recently I received the nicest phone call from Alice Lessard in California. She was very excited about how her dogs have been doing and about all the fun things that happened in New York. Yes, she's planning to attend if the first ever Pomeranian Obedience Specialty is held in Des Moines in 1988. She does want me to be sure to correct one slightly incorrect statement in the last Review. In the last issue it was reported that she has retired Geisha to concentrate on showing in conformation. Yes Geisha is retired; she is showing Zany in breed. Zany incidentally now has 10 points. But, Zany will also be coming out soon in the Novice B ring. Alice has set for herself the goal of Zany earning both her CD and CDX within the same year.

Bobbie Williams in Valpo, IN reports her Daphney has finished her UD with a 182. Daphney's average scores for her titles were: CD — 191; CDX — 191; and UD — 186. Great going, Bobbie! This is Bobbie's first UD on a Pomeranian.

Claudia Frank reports some bad news. "For over a dozen years I've been a regular Pom Review reader. Happily I was able to contribute good news and titles won to the obedience column for many years. As time passed Gala UD and Viva UDT did their winning from the Veteran's class.

"Today I have very sad news to pass along. Silvkress Viva UDT passed away on March 5. We knew she had a heart condition and had been able to keep her in excellent health, but congestive heart failure took her in only a few hours despite the wonderful efforts of our very caring vets. She was 10½ years old. A super wonderful pixie, we miss her terribly! She is survived by her mother, Gala UD, who is now nearly 13 years old. Gala is in excellent health and we hope to have her for many years."

Things have been a little slow and there aren't many show results. Linda Blank from Oregon both bred and showed Cavalier Smokey Bear to his CD. No scores are

available. And then there's Abra. January 18 she placed 2nd in both Open B and Utility, both times to housemate Reggie (Golden Retriever). But, on Jan. 24 she got a 197 from Open B and 3rd place while Reggie took first place with a 200. Abra then took Utility B with a 200, tied with Reggie, and won the run-off for HIT with a 200+. Looks like the girls really showed their stuff! Feb. 15 she was out again at Staten Island CDTC to take 1st place in Open B with a 198.5. Now for the bad news. Abra is now retired. Diane writes, "Abra retired after the Ohio Circuit. She no longer wanted the stress of having to practice obedience every day. It was entirely her choice, and I felt it only fair to comply with her wishes. My next dog is a Keeshond rescued at 3½ years of age. I am her 5th home. She is trained through Utility now and will start showing in Novice next winter. There is however another Pom on the scene (Anyone surprised?) Lindsey (now 5 months) is doing very well. She seems to thrive on jumping and retrieving. I am making a short documentary film about Abra which will be available on half inch VHS video film by June. (It's actually a school project, but if it comes out well enough, I'll make it available to clubs, etc.)."

A woman was overheard to grill Diane, "I heard you got rid of Abra to a pet home! How could you???" Diane's reply was, "Yes, Ma'am, she went to Diane Bauman's pet home." Those of you attending the Specialty in New York in 1986 were lucky enough to be able to see Abra in action, but maybe with a little bit of coaxing we'll be able to talk Diane into at least bringing her when we have our first obedience specialty.

Lilae Shope sends news on Shope's Cupid, Belladonna. Belle is showing in Open B while preparing for Utility work. Her first shows out she received a 195 and 196.5. Good job Lilae! Belle also won H.S. Toy from Open B at the Lancaster, PA show. She won by defeating a Toy Manchester Terrier. Do you think a Manchester is a toy? The people at the show did until Lilae remembered some recent advice to read page 10 in the Regulations. If you haven't lately, it just takes a minute.

In my last column I mentioned in the section about Diane that she gives many seminars throughout the country. I just had the opportunity to attend one in March near Chicago. It was informative, entertaining, thought-provoking and completely enjoyable.

Ea-Don's Pomeranians



Ch. Ea-Don's Mister Sandman

Sandman is pictured above with Judge Sharp winning his championship before his first birthday.

Special thanks to Jerome Cushman of HiLane Kennels for getting us started in breeding and showing.

Additional thanks to the *many* friends we have made, especially Angie Nezbet of Mai-T-Toi and Tommi Hooban of TomHo. We appreciate all the encouragement, support and knowledge you have all shared with us.

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Not only that, but we had a Pom Party! Unbeknownst to each other in advance, there were in attendance no less than 8 poms, including Diane's newest. Joining Diane and myself were Ruth Ellis from Arpin, WI, Ruth is an APC member, breeder, exhibitor and obedience trainer and exhibitor. New to me was Carol Watson from Lawton, MI who had had Lhaso Apso for years both in breed and obedience; and Virginia Huckabee from Ft. Worth, TX. Virginia bought her Teddy from a pet shop and went to training classes locally. After being taught to yell and beat on the dog when he made a mistake, she quit, and it took her six months to get him over the fright. After hearing about Diane's methods she was so impressed that she talked hubby into sending her to the seminar, all alone, and that's her treat for the year. We should be hearing more on Teddy on the future.

I hope you enjoy the picture. We were so astonished at having so many poms that we asked the first person with a camera to snap one for us. She turned out to be a friend of Susie Piatta in Iron Mountain who has Feather. Thank again to Carol Carlson for taking the picture for us. Also at the seminar but not in the picture was Bobbie Williams from Valpo, IN. She had come with her Sheltie but left Daphney home, or we would have had 9 poms. Finally we were able to listen to someone who had some insight into the special problems of training toys. Friendships were made that I hope will last for years to come.

The answering machine is in, so don't be bashful. If you want to talk Poms, report obedience news and don't have time to write, give me a call at (517) 485-5183. All calls are returned, I promise. Till next time, here's hoping your dog is always a happy heeling dog!

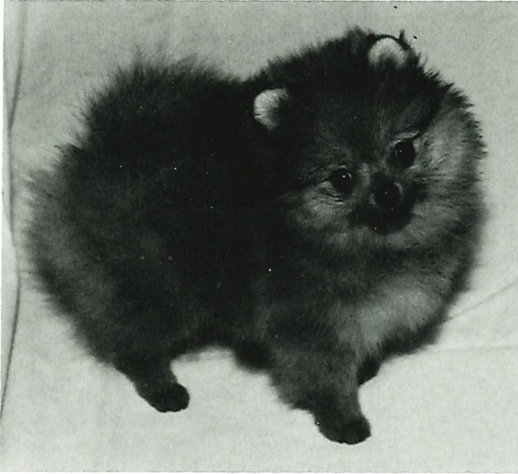
Monorchidism, from p. 100.

for the novice to detect the deficiency. It would be easy enough if the dog had only one eye and the other one was just not there. The customer could just be told that it's O.K. because the other eye is back there in the dog's head. It just hasn't come out yet but he can sire puppies. Tell it to Sweeney, but don't tell it to me. I like all of everything to be where it's supposed to be and that includes both eyes and both orchids."

Although I wrote this article a long time ago, I still feel the same about monorchids. Several articles have stated that the AKC rule disqualifying monorchidism is the "rule that breaks a breeder's back." I can say it has never broken my back because I would never breed to one, I would not own one or show one, and in all the years I have been judging, I would never put one up. It was not many years after I traced the lines in the two breeds which we owned that the AKC made it a rule that monorchidism was a disqualification. While there was no rule about whether one should use one at stud, it did put the brakes on using monorchids. Although I have not researched it, I don't hear as much about it these days. I would now like to see a rule that if anyone has a monorchid stud, it be stated on the dog's registration and a full explanation given to anyone using him. If it is not a trait to be carried on down the line of breeding, then I don't see how anyone can account for the fact that it keeps popping up (not in all of the get). All dogs can carry the gene and in line breeding, this can be carried in the bitches and then passed on. Of course not all of the puppies will show up with the fault, but sooner or later, as in humans, the deficiency will pop up. In humans, we call it a hereditary trait and that is what I call it in dogs. One well-known judge, who is a veterinarian, explained the problem can cause cancer in male dogs.



Deborah's Poms



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ACROSS CANADA

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As I write this column, I want you to know, our place is a mess! We have just moved and everything is in a box, somewhere. The things I need are always in a box under or behind one I won't need for at least a year! My husband, John, is the most organized person in the world (unlike me) so he is a very handy person to have around at a time like this. I'd better get on with the news . . . if I can find paper, or an envelope.

I am sure Jenny Noonan is on Cloud 9 about now because she has just won her first Best in Show on Ch. Tiniest Toy's Fine and Dandy (bred by Carol Galavich). Could this be the start of something big?

Happy to report that Elizabeth Dupuis, whom some of you might remember meeting in New York last year, is the proud mother of a new baby boy (yes, a real one, not a puppy!) Congratulations to the parents from all of us. Elizabeth recently finished Tynan Star Chaser O' Pomsprings, handled by Wendy Paquette, Elizabeth, of course, being "heavy in whelp." "Chase" was out only four weekends. He was bred by Natalie Dunfee, and sired by multiple BIS winner and Top Pom in Canada, Can. Am. Ch. Great Elms Shining Starr, and out of Tynan Brasin Rasin (who I believe is sired by Morris Carson's darling black male he had a few years ago).

Natalie is doing very well with a puppy of her own, also sired by Shining Starr, Ch. Tynan Timepiece. He finished very quickly and won at least one Best Puppy in Show.

Which reminds me, some of you may not even know what a Best Puppy in Show win is! If you think about a Specialty, often they will choose a Best Puppy, where the first place winners from the puppy classes compete. In Canada that Best Puppy award is given at every show, in every breed. The Best Puppy in Breed winners compete against the others (after the Group) for a Best Puppy in Group, then the seven Puppy Group winners (after

BIS) compete for Best Puppy in Show. There are no points awarded, but it's great practice and if your puppy is nice he gets a lot more exposure to the ring in one day than the 3 minutes in the breed ring — and practice makes perfect!

Back to Natalie. She also has another nice puppy she's just starting called Tynan Pacemaker, sired by Michele and Frankie McDonald's Can. Am. Ch. Emcee's Sparkling Chip.

Dorothy and Walter Jones also have a new puppy out, named Onabrook's Sheer Delight. He is half finished as I write so may be done before you read this. He is sired by Ch. Millamor's Rock Medallion.

Another Medallion son, Ch. Maracaibo Matador, owned by Kay and Fred Baxstrome recently came back from the Tar Heel Circuit with 7 U.S. points. He is a multiple BIS winner in Canada.

Also on the Tar Teel was my own bitch, Can. Ch. Chriscendo Cachet who now just needs a major to finish. This one is sired by Ch. Coy's Top of the Mark.

I don't know how many of you remember the male puppy I brought to New York, Chriscendo Calvin Klein, who didn't do a lot of walking that day. You know the old story, "he walks perfectly at home." Well, Eleanor Miller now co-owns him and I don't know if he just likes Eleanor or Florida better but she already has a Group 1 on him and he's only 9 months old!

We had a nice visit in the Maritimes from Ruth Lowe (Pandalowe Kennels) of Drumheller, Alberta recently. Ruth has relatives in Nova Scotia and couldn't resist dropping in to a dog show while in the area. It's nice to meet some one you "know" from the newsletter. Ruth brought pictures of her dogs, her kennel set-up and of her miniature horses. Such a nice lady!

I must end this and begin the search for a stamp . . .

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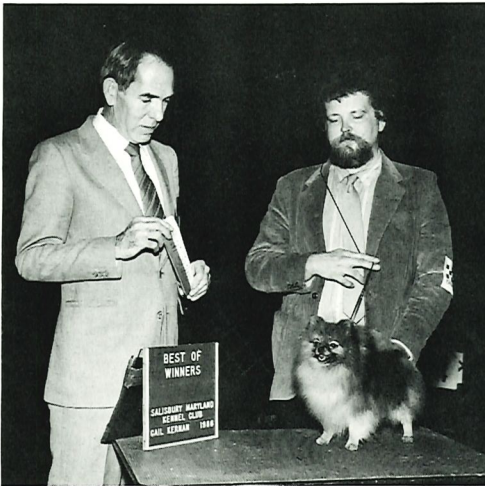


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Currently being shown, Tru-Kep's Star Sensation, a Ch. Theldun's Dandee Sensation son. Both majors, needs only single points to finish.

Theldun Pomeranians
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A 3½ lb. lovely black and tan boy.

Thank you Ann Cannon for letting me have Rowdy to start my breeding program for black and tans.

Also, thanks Cassandra Ready for Wee Hearts Heaven Can Wait, a half sister to Ch. Wee Heart's Bearly An Angel. Expecting beautiful black and tan puppies from these two this fall.

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De Arta's Kennels



De Arta's Gold Cricket

(Ch. Dixieland's Rock of Millamor
x De Artas Dancing Delite)

Thanks Nina for all your never ending patience, understanding and guidance, plus your knowledge of breeding — but most of all your friendship.

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JD's Bella Donna

Pictured at 6 months of age.

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Pictured at 5 months of age.

We have a few show prospect puppies for sale. Pedigrees on request.



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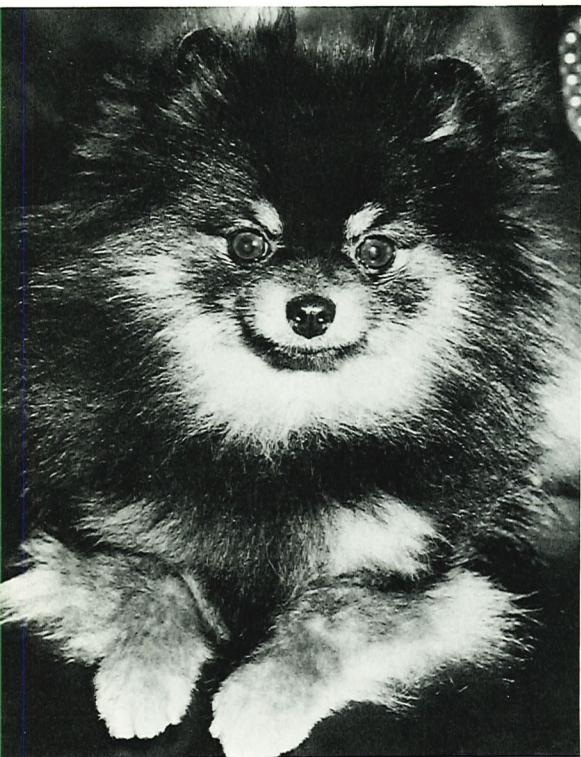
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Ch. Wee Heart's Bearly An Angel

(Annon's Ebony Mark II x Wee Heart's I'm No Angel)

Bearly finished on February 14, 1987. All my thanks to Cassandra Ready of Wee Heart's for this beautiful valentine! She has already stolen our hearts. We hope to have puppies by Bearly and Wee Heart's Just-E-Nuff by the time this is printed.

Owner
Molly Gray

Breeder
Cassandra Ready

Wee Heart's Angel of Mercy

(Annon's Ebony Mark II x Lynne's Surely Good As Gold)

Mercy has 5 pts. and went reserve to her half-sister Bearly on Valentine's Day. My thanks to John and Lil Cribbs for their kindness in letting me have my first homebred girl back.

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Ch. Mee-Gee's Masterpiece

(Ch. Texican's Wee Will O' Mee-Gee x Stansoe's Hidden Treasure)

We would like to thank Polly Ferguson for letting Masterpiece come home with us, and Hiram Stewart for presenting him beautifully to both of his majors. Finally, we would like to recognize those judges who have helped finish this work of art — Mrs. Denny Kodner (BOB), Jean Lepley, Keke Blumberg, Marilyn Ellis (BOB), Mrs. R. Forsythe, Virginia Sivori, Mary McCoy, and Margaret Young. Look for MP's son, Glen Iris Ivanhoe with Hiram Stewart.

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