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CAN. AM. CH. CHRISCENDO CALVIN KLEIN

Ch. Shadomountin One Man Show



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COVER STORY

CAN. AM. CH. CHRISCENDO CALVIN KLEIN

On the front cover, we are pleased to feature our Can. Am. Ch. Chriscendo Calvin Klein. A study of his pedigree is a tapestry of our better dogs. Calvin is sired by our top producer, Ch. Millamor's Rock Medallion, but his dam is sired by a double Medallion grandson and out of a Medallion great granddaughter.

Calvin has just returned from a 6 month stay with Ken and Eleanor Miller where he was more assessable to American breeders. We hope that those who used him will have great success with his puppies. His first puppies here at Chriscendo were out-

standing, as he continues to live up to his heritage.

The much admired Ch. Chriscendo Cloudbuster, completed his championship with BOW at the Canadian Specialty last spring. The following weekend he won his first Best in Show in Canada. Calvin's daughter Ch. Chriscendo Calendar Girl also won a Best in Show her first time out as a Special, also as a puppy. Another son, Chriscendo Cognito, completed his championship in four straight shows, at 6 months, 2 weeks old. Another daughter, Am. Ch. Enjay's Electric Cute, bred by Jean

Jenkins, owned by Burt Halsey, is doing some lovely winning in the U.S.

We look forward to some new and exciting Calvin kids this Summer. We continue to strive to work together with other breeders to produce dogs who will be assets to the breed. "We should all be concerned about the future, we will have to spend the rest of our lives there."

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Champion #14

Animation's Sunny Bunny



Shown going **Best of Breed** for a **5 point major** at the Michigan Pom Specialty from the Bred by Exhibitor Bitch class at 7 1/2 months of age. Thank you *Mr. Edd Biven*.

Best of Opposite Sex over a Special at Marion KC at 6 1/2 months of age for 2 pts.
Thank you *Mrs. Victor Olmos Ollivier*

Sunny finished with 4 majors at 8 months.
Thank you *Frank Oberstar, Mary McCoy, Sharon Kroghand and Dawn Vick Hansen*.

(See pedigree Behind New Tittlists)

TAILS TO TELL

By Gail A. Garvey

*from the
editor*

Blood, Sweat, and Fears

The first thing I'd like to do is thank all the people who have been so supportive of my new position as the editor of the *Pomeranian Review*. It is one thing to have the support of friends and family, but I am getting encouragement from people (all over the United States and Canada) that I don't even know. I've had phone conversations and letters from many wonderful people, most of the comments have been favorable, the larger size seemed to be the major controversy. Again, my sincere thanks, the encouragement is much appreciated.

The one frightening comment I've heard a couple of times now is "if this is what an issue looks like on a rush basis, I can't wait to see what it will look like when you have more time to do it!" Believe me, we spent many nights until 1-2am trying to get this first issue to look the way it did. It was a rush job, but we spent an enormous amount of time getting it to what appeared to be somewhat polished. I'm afraid there won't be many major changes from what you've already seen. I hope that's not a disappointment. With time, the magazine will evolve, and hopefully for the better. But let me throw something at you. If you can think of something that you think would make the magazine 'spectacular', send me a note with your thoughts. It can't hurt, and you never know what might show up in a future issue!

New York City: Hey! Bring the ENTIRE family!

For the first time ever I went to the Westminster show. I absolutely do not, and will not drive in the city. My 9 year old daughter, April, and I decided to take the train. The ride from Long Island isn't bad. The ride is a couple of hours long with one change of trains. Once we got into Penn Station in New York City, it was up a few flights of stairs and your at Madison Square Garden, sounds simple right?

Well don't forget about the *strange* and *colorful* people you might meet on the way. We weren't off the train for more than a minute, when approached by a totally "normal" looking middle age woman, who asked if we were going to Westminster and could she follow us in? That seemed harmless enough, until she began calling herself my mother and my daughters grandmother. She then gave us *play money* and told us we could use this money to get into the show. My daughter and I tried desperately to lose this woman in the crowd, but she was sticking to us like glue, telling us that we owed it to her to wait for her, seeing as she gave us all this money! She also talked about

how nice it would be for the three of us to go to Disney World together! Thank god that once we got into line to buy tickets and the crowds got larger, she disappeared. WELCOME TO NEW YORK!

Somewhere over the Rainbow...

After purchasing my tickets I could feel the excitement generating off people standing in line. I looked around at the beautiful pictures of past Winners, and started to feel the energy and excitement! I couldn't wait to get through the doors and be a part of the thrills and excitement of Westminster. My daughter unfortunately, had other ideas of what was "exciting" and dragged me through all the vendor areas to collect free samples (we must have lugged around half a dozen bags). I really enjoyed the vendor tables with all the beautiful art work and jewelry, though I must say that everything was priced incredibly high. There were plenty of food vendors which also kept my daughter happy.

I finally managed to get into the exhibit area, and found it to be crowded, but there was definitely a special feeling here. The best I can explain it would be to say I felt like Dorothy did upon entering the Land of Oz! I didn't know where to go first, I seemed drawn to go to the ring where the biggest crowds and most noise was. I guess being afraid of missing that BIG WIN, which may later that evening become the Group Winner, or better yet the BIS Winner! I also found myself wandering through the bench area (a few times), admiring all the beautiful dogs that are on display just for our personal pleasure (or so it seems). This may be an awful place for the person showing the dog to have to spend the entire day, but let me tell you, it was wonderful as a spectator.

One of the day's highlights, for me (of course), was watching the Pomeranian competition. The BOB winner "Ch. Tomho Champagne Wishes," put on a little side show that delighted the spectators. During competition he didn't seem to miss a beat, but became an absolute clown after winning BOB. He seemed to know that he had won and decided to "show off" a little, kicking his feet and practically doing flips in mid air. I thought this was great, although his handler didn't seem amused!

I didn't stay for the group competition. I hadn't bought tickets ahead of time for seats and thought it would be easier to see the rest on television. Watching it that evening, I felt more a part of it than ever before, I also wished I had stayed for the entire show.

I felt I didn't get to see enough while we were there, there just wasn't enough time to see everything. Oh well, there's always *next year!*

Gail



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UPDATES

By Mary Vickers

*from the
president*

Life is just a bowl of cherries. Isn't that an old adage that sure covers a lot? The APC is in a bowl of cherries and sometimes there are pits.

Right now, March 14th, my 32nd day as President, there are a few pits. I think I should go back to obedience and call them *b r o a d j u m p s*! It seems like I keep jumping over things. Every time I jump someone moves those boards further apart! Hopefully, as I jump, I land safely. Hopefully, as I land, I complete the exercise. The only question is, do I get a perfect score? I have broad shoulders, a good front assembly and some good training. Is that enough? No, it's not.

Obedience is a team sport. It is the dog and the handler. Fifty percent of what walks into the ring is human. Although the team has many hours of training behind it, the human side, the handler has more. The handler has gone through hours of floor instruction, many seminars and countless informal hours of talking and learning with other people.

Right now on this 32nd day, I can't decide if I am the obedience dog trying to do a good job and please it's master - the APC members. Or if I am the handler. If the handler, then I am lucky, I have many people surrounding the ring wanting me to do a good job. Standing at ringside are fellow officers and board members, individual friends, many acquaintances and many unknown APC members.

The AMERICAN POMERANIAN CLUB is a sport and a club. It is a nationwide group of people, who are bound together by their admiration of one thing - the Pomeranian. Those truly interested in the breed join this group, when they join, they are in a sense pledging to support this group and whatever it faces. They may disagree, they may voice their opinions, but they are together in a brotherhood - in a club.

When they pay their dues and join, they take on many responsibilities. One of the things that is not mentioned in writing anywhere, but is an undercover responsibility to that club, is loyalty.

I could expound on this subject, but I think I am just going to bring it up and let you question it.

When I became President, I knew what I was facing. I knew it would be hard acting as leader for this club. It has many problems, I had planned to act on them immediately

if not sooner, and I did.

The Review was a major problem. I worked hard on the March issue, as did our gracious and ingenious editor and her husband. I figured that the May issue would have a few more problems, but most would be solved by your support in ads and articles. I did what I could. What you see hear in this issue are your results. If it appears a little flimsy; if it appears not to have covered the intended subject, you forgot to support it.

The July issue is going to be a little different. Already there are ads and articles coming in to the editor's mailbox. It will be back on track.

Another problem I was facing was just the way things are done. The organization of things so to speak. I met this head on and it is going well. A few problems here and there, but nothing that can not be handled.

The third major problem is the finances. Here I want to stop and say thank you, officially, to every officer, every board member, every member, who came forward to help. Thank you is not enough. The hurdle has not been crossed yet, but worse can not happen. We have Al Williamson, Bev Poplar, Chip Galloway, Mike Jones and Gary Ward all who have extreme money managing experience and are very long-sighted to guide this club through a very shaky time.

I said in New York that this is not the "Vicker's Pomeranian Club," if it were I would be sitting pretty, as everything done would benefit me. If you placed an ad in the Review it would go to put dinner on my table, if you made a trophy donation it would pay for my limo to the Specialty. This is not "my" club. It is the AMERICAN POMERANIAN CLUB, it is YOUR club. I pay dues as a member, I am YOUR elected president who is trying to do the best for this club, this breed. It is YOUR club, this is YOUR magazine.

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P.S. I mentioned in Updates (March/April Review) that the 1989-90 board voted a new standing rule to have membership meetings at the Summer Specialty. We would have liked to have a club meeting in Oklahoma, but it cannot be done formerly, because of the by-laws. Although, it may happen informally! Details to follow in next issue.

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This is the only notice you will receive about this special promotion, yet it will run until May 1st 1992. You may use your credits any time between now and the November 1992 issue! At the end of one year this program will be re-evaluated. We hope this can be continued as a regular policy of the **Pomeranian REVIEW** for **MEMBERS ONLY!**

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APOLLOETTE



Apolloette Carbon Copy

(Ch. Apolloette Gone-A-Lot x Apolloette Katrina)

Copy is shown going BOB (over Specials) from the puppy class under Judge Dr. Samuel Draper for a 3pt major. The day before at the Northern California Pomeranian Club Specialty, *Copy* also took the breed from the puppy class, under judge Frank Oberstar, for a 4pt major. These were *Copy's* second and third shows and he already has both his majors.

We have several male puppies for sale - Great Elms bloodlines.

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Recording Secretary Report

By Happeth A. Jones

The annual membership meeting was held on February 10, 1991, at the Loew Summit Hotel in NYC. The meeting was held during the annual banquet. Attending were 59 members and 20 guests.

President, Dolores Watts called the meeting to order. She thanked her board and the APC membership for their support the past two years. Dolores made a personal thank you to Audrey Roberts for doing such a good job. Dolores also apologized for the Pom Review being so late. She called on Corresponding secretary, Audrey Robert, who then gave the results of the election.

President

Mary Vickers

1st Vice President

Audrey Roberts

2nd Vice President

David Watts

Recording Secretary

Happeth A. Jones

Corresponding Secretary

Francis Stoll

Treasurer

Al Williamson

Board Members

Sally Baugniet

John Cribbs

Carol Galavich

Margaret McKee

Jean Schroll

Tony Tellez

The new board was seated. President Mary Vickers stated that she wants communication between the membership and the board. She emphasized that she wants an open board and more membership participation.

Sally Baugniet reported that the APC education table at the Specialty made \$284.00. There are a lot of key chains and address books that have "1991 Winter APC Specialty" printed on them, that are still available. Janice Luginsland reported on the Skin Seminar, Janice stated the club still hasn't broke even but is very close.

Mary Vickers reported that John Cribbs will be unable to serve as board member or as circulation manager. The club is in need of someone to replace him.

Diane Johnson reported that the board has received a bid to reproduce the Pom Review at its current size and at an 8 x 10 size, the 8 x 10 would be \$600.00 cheaper. Diane made a motion, "if the board deems a quality product at a more reasonable price for going to this size will you agree to that?" The motion was seconded. There were a show of hands from the membership, the motion was passed.

Mary Vickers reported that there has been some confusion on sponsoring new members, the sponsor must be an APC MEMBER for two years, the sponsor does not have to know the applicant for two years. Sponsors cannot be in the same household and must live in the same geographic

area as the applicant.

The Championship certificates and the Hall of Fame Gold Club, ROM, ROMX certificates will be mailed with the roster.

Proposed new committees:

Public Relations Committee:

Primary purpose is promotion and communication of the APC. This committee also will be doing a few things to encourage membership participation.

Ways and Means Committee:

Primary objective is to make money. Works on three levels,

1. General one shot items such as raffles
2. The opening of the POM SHOPPE, a mail order group of special artistic items relating to Poms. We need artistic members of APC to get together and design things.
3. Publishing an Annual Pom Yearbook.

Mary Vickers spoke to the membership about her hopes for the club, she stated, "I will do my best, absolute best, to make this work and I really hope that you will too ... I cannot alone run this club. This club is your responsibility ... please join me."

A motion was made for adjournment. The general membership meeting came to an end. The board meeting was held immediately afterward.

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order immediately after the general membership meeting.

Attending Board Members:

Sally Baugniet
Audrey Roberts
Mary Vickers
Jean Schroll
Al Williamson
Happeth Jones
Carol Galavich

Missing Board Members:

Dave Watts
Francis Stoll
Margaret McKee
Tony Tellez
John Cribbs

Old business:

Prior minutes were not available. The formatting of the APC standard has been sent to AKC. The new vote on membership dues passed and has been sent to AKC. Judges list for the 1992 Specialty has been sent to AKC. Oklahoma will not be able to have the first obedience at their Specialty. A motion was made for the Des Moines Specialty, seconded and passed. The bids for the Pom Review were 1. \$5100.00; 2. \$4919.00; 3. \$4100.00 for reg size; and \$3500.00 for 8 x 10, (editing costs on #3 not included). The board will obtain the full bid on #3.

The board felt that Marlin Presser did such a good job as show chairman, they appointed him for next year. Mike Jones was appointed as parliamentarian. Olga Baker will

Star Haven Pomeranians



Ch. Stylestepper Mark of Oakridge (right), Star Haven's Rock N' James Brown (left).

Thank you judge, *Mary McCoy* for a memorable day! *James* is Winner's Dog for 2pts while dad shows the Kid he still has the "stuff" and takes BOB at the Wisconsin Kennel Club Show on Jan. 20, 1991.

FLASH: The exciting 9 month old puppy "*James Brown*" makes a clean sweep at the Pom Club of Greater Des Moines Specialty on Feb. 16, 1991. Going BEST PUPPY IN SWEEPS and BOB in the regular classes. Thank you judge, *Dorothy Nickles* for giving *James* a 5pt major and BOB to finish him on his championship.

WOW!!! *James* does it again! BOB at Southeastern Iowa Kennel Club the day after the Specialty under judge, *Mrs. William Lehnig*.

A special thank you to Nadine Hersel, my boys love you and always want to stay with you.

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continue as Gazette columnist and Sam Zaneoff will continue as AKC Delegate. More study needs to be done on the Veteran Sweepstakes. The Audit Committee reviewed the treasurer's report. They had one question that was cleared up, everything was approved.

The judges for the 1993 slate were nominated. They are:

<i>Regular classes</i>	<i>Sweepstakes</i>
Lorraine Masley	Jean Schroll
Norman Patton	Diane Johnson
Ronald Rella	Audrey Roberts
Dawn Vick Hansen	Carolyn Crockett
Frank Oberstar	James Shearer

New Business

Cheryl Wagner was voted in as a new board member. A new membership application was approved. Twelve new applicants - 7 approved - 4 failed to comply with new sponsorship rules - 1 failed to get the required number of votes. Charges were presented on an APC member, after

the entire board has seen the charges it will decide whether the board should pursue. All proposed committees were approved.

Ways and Means Committee
Public Relations - Lois Hamil, Chairman
Obedience - Linda Gallagher, Chairman
Local Clubs - Diane Johnson, Chairman
Board of Examiners
Audio Visual
Archives/Historian/Library
Awards Committee (needs chairman)
Membership Committee (needs committee members)
By-laws Committee

Motion to adjourn, seconded and carried.

Respectfully submitted

A.K.C. DELEGATE REPORT

By Sam L. Zaneoff

Since this is my first attempt at writing my report to all of you as representative and delegate to the AKC, I would like to first thank Mary Vickers our newly elected President, our Officers and Board of Directors for asking me to continue to serve as your delegate to the AKC. I consider this a great honor, especially since I've served for many years as a Board Member and Officer of our club. It is, and always will be my pleasure to do anything asked of me for the club that has been such an important part of my life.

At the March 12th meeting of the delegate body of the AKC there was brought before us proposals that will be voted on at our next meeting in June. These proposals deal with changes being made in the Bred by Exhibitor Class, and are as follows. In order to be eligible for entry in this class, the dog must be owned wholly or in part by the person, or by the spouse of the person who was the breeder, or one of the breeders of record. If an eligible dog has been

breeder, or one of the breeders of record, or by a member of the immediate family of the breeder or one of the breeders of record. The dog would still have to be handled in the ring by a breeder or a member of a breeders immediate family. Further, this change would in all likelihood greatly increase the use of this class, and would eliminate the necessity of a breeder requiring a co-owner in order to keep the dog eligible for the Bred by Class. The AKC Board carefully considered this proposal and recommended its adoption at our next meeting. Another proposal is being considered and recommended its adoption is as follows, the three time disqualification rule was intended to eliminate situations whereby dogs were continually being disqualified and reinstated because of different interpretations of a breed standard, or because of a testicle descending as a dog matured. However, when it comes twice to the attention of the AKC that a dog is blind or deaf, or that it has been advised that

entered in the class, it then must be handled in the class by the

the dog is no longer eligible to compete. These are clear-cut conditions and, if verified the AKC does not feel that it should wait for three different judges on show committees to find the condition to bar the dog.

The board is proposing that the rule be clarified to provide that a dog that has been disqualified as being blind, deaf or castrated, spayed or changed in appearance by artificial means, except specified in the standard for the breed will be barred from future competition, unless the dogs show eligibility has been reinstated by the AKC. This would give the owner the opportunity to prove that the judge or show committee was in error in disqualifying the dog. The three time disqualification rule would still apply to disqualifications under breed standard, or to males which are found to not have two normal testicles located in the scrotum. Also at this meeting was an election of three new officers to the AKC board. Elected were, Mr. William Bergreen, Mrs. Judy Daniels and Mr. Sills.

Again, I wish to express my gratitude to the club, its officers and board members for the distinguished honor serving you as AKC delegate.

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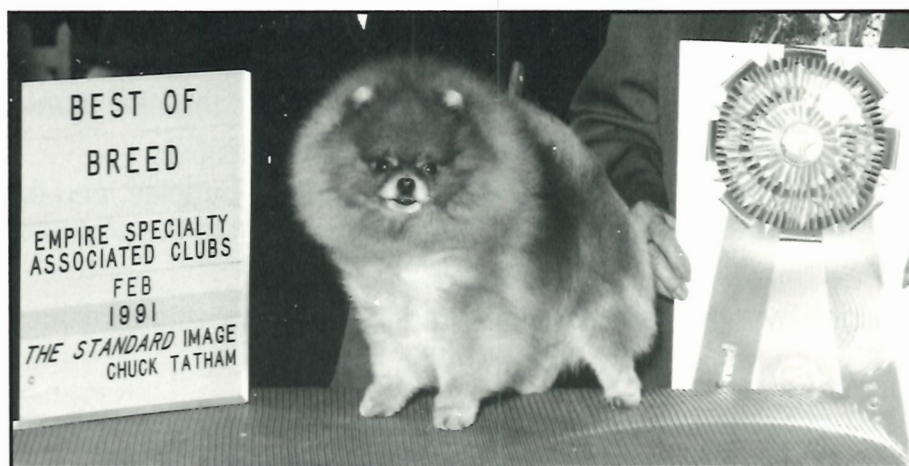
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American Pomeranian Club's National Specialty February 10, 1991

By Marlene Presser



BEST OF BREED
Ch. Shyacres Our Man Friday

Puppy Sweepstakes Judge Mr. Maynard Wood



BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES
Express Enterprise

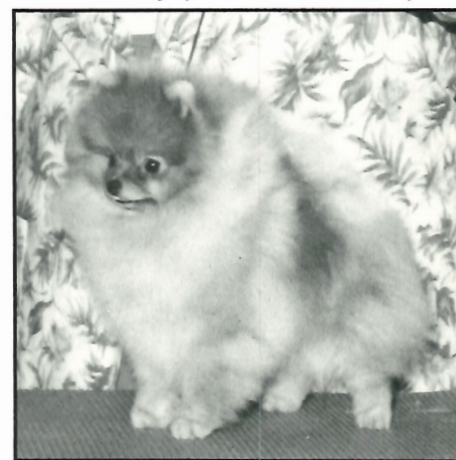
- Puppy dogs 6-9 months**
1st place - Express Enterprise
(Kara Greenwood)
2nd place - Tomho Mud In Your
Eyes (Tommi Hooban)
3rd place - Teakwood's How Bout
Hoover (Laureen Ivey)

4th place - Rhynstone Ravishing Rick (Joyce Urban)

- Puppy dogs 9-12 months**
1st place - Silver Meadows Jus'
A Lil Teddy (Jacqueline Klein)
2nd place - Lynnwright's Dick
Tracy (Donna Lynn Wright)
3rd place - Rhynstone Montrey
Jack (Joyce Urban)
4th place - Adine's Dance To My
Beat (Diane Ward)

- Puppy bitches 6-9 months**
1st place - Jan-Shar's Pretty
Woman (Sharon Hanson)
2nd place - Tomho Mud Wrestler
(Tommi Hooban)
3rd place - Pinehaven's Just An
Illusion (Gale Sharland)
4th place - Whisper Ln' An
American Beauty
(Mark & Carol Baldwin)

Puppy bitches 9-12 months **1st place** - Cenla Annie Laurie O'Friday (A. C. Williamson)



BEST OPPOSITE SEX IN SWEEPSTAKES
Cenla's Annie Laurie O'Friday

- 2nd place** - Merrymont Spring
Fever (S. R. White)
3rd place - Glen Iris Very Special
Eliza (Sue & Buddy Sauls and Dr.
Cheryl Jackson)
4th place - Gray Dawn's Cotton
Candy (Marsha Hartman)



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BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES

Express Enterprise
(Kara Greenwood)

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX IN SWEEPSTAKES

Cenla Annie Laurie O'Friday
(A. C. Williamson)

Regular Classes

Judge Ms. Martha Jane Ablett



BEST OF WINNERS

Teakwood How Bout Hoover

Puppy dogs 6-9 months

1st place - Express Enterprise
(Kara Greenwood)

2nd place - Whispering Lane
Promises Kept (Mark & Carol
Baldwin)

3rd place - Rhynstone Ravishing
Rick (Joyce Urban)

4th place - Whid-Don's High
Performance (Barbara
Whiddon)

Puppy dogs 9-12 months

1st place - Mosaic Micro Star
(Jeanne Stafford & Riki Barker)

2nd place - Adine's Dance To My
Beat (Diane Ward)

3rd place - Great Elms Ring
Master (Jose Cabrera)

4th place - Lynnwright's Dick Tracy
(Donna Lynn Wright)

Novice Dog

1st place - Posmark's Midnight
Blue (Maleta Walls)

Bred by Exhibitor Dogs

1st place - Teakwood's How Bout
Hoover (Laureen Ivey)

2nd place - Rhynstone The Main
Event (Joyce Urban)

3rd place - Philbrook's Devilish
Dudley (Susann Stackhouse)

4th place - Pomsprings Tickle Me
too (Elizabeth Dupuis)

American Bred Dogs

1st place - Cassio's Flash In The
Pan (J. S. Brewster & M. A.
Reed)

2nd place - Pombreden's Heavny
Town Crier (Barbara & Robert
Breden)

Open, Black, Brown & Blue Dogs

1st place - Grafenhorst's Gucci
(Nicole Szary)

2nd place - Phyner Black Aladdin
(Diane Carlson)

Open, Red, Orange, Cream & Sable Dogs

1st place - Rhynstone Montrey
Jack (Joyce Urban)

2nd place - Hapian's Little
Yankee Boy (Happeth Jones)

3rd place - Chriscendo
Cloudbuster (Christine Hertz)

4th place - Piccolo Of Point Loma
(Pauline Hughes)

Winners Dog

Teakwood's How Bout Hoover
(Laureen Ivey)

Reserve Winners Dog

Express Enterprise
(Kara Greenwood)

5 point major!

Puppy Bitches 6-9 months

1st place - Merrymont Primrose
Path (Carolyn Turnage)

2nd place - Whisper Ln' An
American Beauty
(Mark & Carol Baldwin)

3rd place - Tim Sue's Sparkling
Lights (Tim & Sue Goddard)

4th place - Millamor's Marrike
(Eleanor Miller)

Puppy Bitches 9-12 months

1st place - Merrymont Spring
Fever (S. R. White)

2nd place - Bev-Nor's Grand
Finale (Steve & Gloria Carlin)

3rd place - Pinehaven's Curtain
Call (Gale Sharland)

4th place - Cenla Annie Laurie
O'Friday (A. C. Williamson)

Bred By Exhibitor Bitches

1st place - Pinehaven's Just An
Illusion (Gale Sharland)

2nd place - Watt's Little Lindee
Lou (Dolores Watts)

3rd place - Dover Holihouse Ho
Lea' Terra (Kathryn Hartz, D.
Ninotoski & Patricia Foley)

4th place - Teakwood's Apple
Annie (Laureen Ivey)



BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX

Pinehaven's Just An Illusion

Open, Black, Brown & Blue Bitches

1st place - Lil Shaver's
Devastation (Karen & Kathy
Shaver)

Open, Red, Orange, Cream & Sable Bitches

1st place - Pomaunok Earth
Angel (Fran Bosman & Gloria
Setmayer)

2nd place - Shyacres Kiddy Kan
Doo (Dolores Watts)

Annual Stud Dog Register

Don't breed to the dog next door, unless he is part of the *REVIEW'S "Stud Dog Register."* The Annual Stud Dog Register continues to be published in the July issue **BIGGER & BETTER** than ever.

As before, stud cards will continue to be three on a page. Many subscribers across the nation, across the world, clip the Review's Stud Register (picture, pedigree and owner info) to keep for years to come! The cost of a stud card is now \$15 for each entry, plus \$15 for photo reproduction. At \$30.00 it is an economical way of showing off your dog. Because of the increased size of the Review, your stud card will be larger than ever. Pictures will be closely cropped to show off the dog. Color photos reproduce very well, 35mm are acceptable, while glossy black and white are better yet. Polaroid pictures are not accepted. The description beneath the photo is limited to 20 words and three lines max. Please send non-returnable copies of pedigrees neatly typed or hand **printed**. Remember to include the color of your stud.

Don't wait! Send in all of your stud cards NOW!!!



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The ***Pomeranian* REVIEW** is pleased to honor the
APC's VIP AWARD WINNER TOP STUD
with a complimentary stud card.

Am Can Ch Chriscendo City Lights ROMX

City Lights was tied for this award in 1990 and an outright winner in 1991!

**City Lights was bred by Chris & John Hartz and co-owned by them with
Tim & Sue Goddard. He resides with the Goddards.**

3rd place - Watts Scotia Little
Bonnie-B (Virgil & Laurey
Seavey)

4th place - Golden Aires Billy
Jean (Bonnie Harris)

Winners Bitch

Pinehaven's Just An Illusion
(Gale Sharland)

Reserve Winners Bitch

Watt's Little Lindee Lou
(Dolores Watts)

5 point major!

Veteran Dogs

1st place - Ch. Chriscendo City
Lights (Sue Goddard &
Christine Hartz)

2nd place - Ch. Silver Meadows
Mr. Randy (Claire Flesner)

Veteran Bitches

1st place - Ch. Scotia Shamrock's
Sue Ellen (Dolores Watts)

2nd place - Ch. Silva Lade
Almond Joy (Larry & Diane
Johnson)

Best Of Breed

Ch. Shy Acres Our Man Friday
(W. A. & Lisa Smart and
Audrey Roberts)

Best Of Winners

Teakwood's How Bout Hoover
(Laureen Ivey)

Best Of Opposite Sex

Pinehaven's Just An Illusion
(Gale Sharland)

Stud Dog

1st place - Ch. Chriscendo City
Lights (Sue Goddard &
Christine Hartz)

Brace

1st place - Piccolo of Point Loma/
Ch. Nice Guy Of Point Loma
(Pauline Hughes)

Skin Conditions Seminar Report

A dedicated and interested group of over 40 attendees gathered on Feb. 9, 1991 at the Loews Summit Hotel in New York to listen to information on skin conditions of the Pomeranian. Guest speaker was Clint Lothrop, DVM, Associate Professor with the Department of Environmental Practice at the University of Tennessee.

Mr. Lothrop gave a 3 hour presentation which covered the various types of possible skin conditions that occur in canines. The last session of his presentation and slide show dealt specifically with adult onset growth hormone responsive alopecia as it occurs in the Pomeranian. He showed "before" slides of what is commonly seen in severe cases of the "skin condition" and "after" slides of dogs that were recoated. He left everyone with much information to assimilate and discuss and decide how we as breeders and members of the parent club wish to proceed.

Mr. Lothrop suggested that formulating a protocol for specific tests to be done by veterinarians might be the first place to start. The results of these tests could then be sent to him for his research. He also needs pedigree information for genetic research.

The afternoon session was a question and answer session with the following panel: Sue Goddard, Chris Hartz, Olga Baker with Janice Luginsland as moderator. The honesty and integrity of the breeders

on the panel is to be commended. Many of the various treatments, home-made and otherwise, were openly discussed.

The new APC president, Mary Vickers, has a serious and dedicated interest in anomalies specific to the Pomeranian as well as the board. The task now lies with the Board and general membership to carry this project forward.

Special thanks needs to be given to the committee - Sue Goddard, Chris Hartz, Dana Plonkey and Janice Luginsland. Mary Vickers headed up the video production and distribution. Chris Hartz generously donated her lovely artwork for the cover of the packet which unfortunately did not carry her name. Bonnie Stetson and Executive Services of Akron, Ohio were responsible for securing a donor for the printing, etc. of the packet saving APC several hundred dollars.

Printed packets are still available at \$10 each by sending a check made out to: Janice Luginsland, Rt 1, Box 97, Americus, KS, 66835 (316) 443-5157.

Videos are also available at \$20 each by sending a check made out to the *American Pomeranian Club* and sent to:

Mary Vickers
2818 Jefferson Dr.
Alexandria, VA, 22303
(703) 960-7755

CENTRAL ARKANSAS
POMERANIAN CLUB
By Pat Barnett



The CAPC held their 4th annual specialty fun match Dec. 1, 1990 with an entry of 21 lovely Poms. Trophies were beautiful ceramic spoonrests with Pom figurines, made by Laverne Anderson. CAPC President Babe McCombs served as ring steward, assisted by Charles McNiece.

Bronya Johnston patiently judged our Sweeps babies, and Erika Moureau enjoyed her job judging the regular classes.

Sweepstakes

Judge, Bronya Johnston



BEST IN SWEEPS
 Cenla's Friday At Tiffany's

Puppy Dogs 3-6 months
1st place - Glen Iris Pure Magic

Puppy Dogs 6-9 months
1st place - Glen Iris Distant Winner

Puppy Bitches 3-6 months
1st place - Tim Sue's Sparkling Light

Puppy Bitches 6-9 months
1st place - Cenla's Friday At Tiffany's

BEST IN SWEEPS
 Cenla's Friday At Tiffany's
 (Sandra Mueller)

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX
 Glen Iris Distant Winner
 (Cheryl Jackson/Joel Taylor)

Regular Classes
Judge, Erika Moureau



BEST PUPPY IN MATCH
 Glen Iris Pure Magic

Puppy Dogs 3-6 months
1st place - Glen Iris Pure Magic

Puppy Dogs 6-9 months
1st place - Glen Iris Distant Winner

Puppy Bitches 3-6 months
1st place - Tim Sue's Sparkling Light

Puppy Bitches 6-9 months
1st place - Cenla's Friday At Tiffany's

Open Bitches
1st place - Glen Iris Southern Rain

BEST PUPPY IN MATCH
 Glen Iris Pure Magic
 (Cheryl Jackson/Joel Taylor)

BEST ADULT IN MATCH
 Glen Iris Southern Rain
 (Cheryl Jackson/Joel Taylor)

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX
 Tim Sue's Sparkling Light
 (Sue Goddard)



BEST ADULT IN MATCH
 Glen Iris Southern Rain

Our congratulations to the winners!

Match chairman Nancy Bartholomew wishes to thank the judges for a job well done, the exhibitors for your support, and the club members for their hard work on making this match a huge success.

Our Club started out slowly, quite small, but has been growing steadily with a lot of new members recently. CAPC has been working towards AKC sanctioning and hope to get approval soon to hold B matches.

Members finishing Poms in 1989 were: Brenda and Terry Turner with Jamel's Texas Kane "T K" and Babe McCombs with Mi Babe Soft Landing "Bump." Babe also has 14 pts (both majors) on her bitch Mi Babe Charming Heiress. Dee and Charles McNiece have a lovely major pointed boy out, A Reynolds Tidy Wolfie, Pat and Barney Barnett have a couple of beautiful "High Lights" kids out, Bar-net High Wins "Baby" and Bar-net High Fashion "Susie" and several of us have puppy hopefuls waiting impatiently for their turn in the ring.

Make plans now to come to Arkansas next December for our next Specialty match during the Razorback Circuit, we always have majors! Y'all Come.

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Dimonde  *Kennel*



Dimonde's Crown Prince

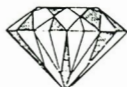
(Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II x Dimonde Solitaire of Emcee)
whelped 10/27/91

"Ollie" is pictured here going Group I Puppy under
Judge Herb Rosen at the Catoctin KC match on 1/27/91.

Thank you *Skip Piazza* and *Olga Baker* (and of course, Prince) for helping me to produce such special pups. A special thanks to Skip for all the advise, encouragement and help in the ring. Thank you *Morris Carson* for letting me have the dam of these two beautiful boys.

Breeder/Owner/Handler

Diane M. Downey
20435 Ambassador Terrace
Germantown, MD 20874-3828
(301) 540-3828

Dimonde  *Kennel*



Dimonde's Heir Apparent

(Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II x Dimonde Solitaire of Emcee)
whelped 10/27/91

"Nicolas" is shown here going Group I Puppy at the Carroll Kennel Club
match on 3/3/91 under Judge W. Henry Odum III.

Thank you David for the beautiful handling job you did with this little Prince.

Breeder/Owner

Diane M. Downey
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Handler

David Sullivan
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Feb. 10, 1991
Entry 142
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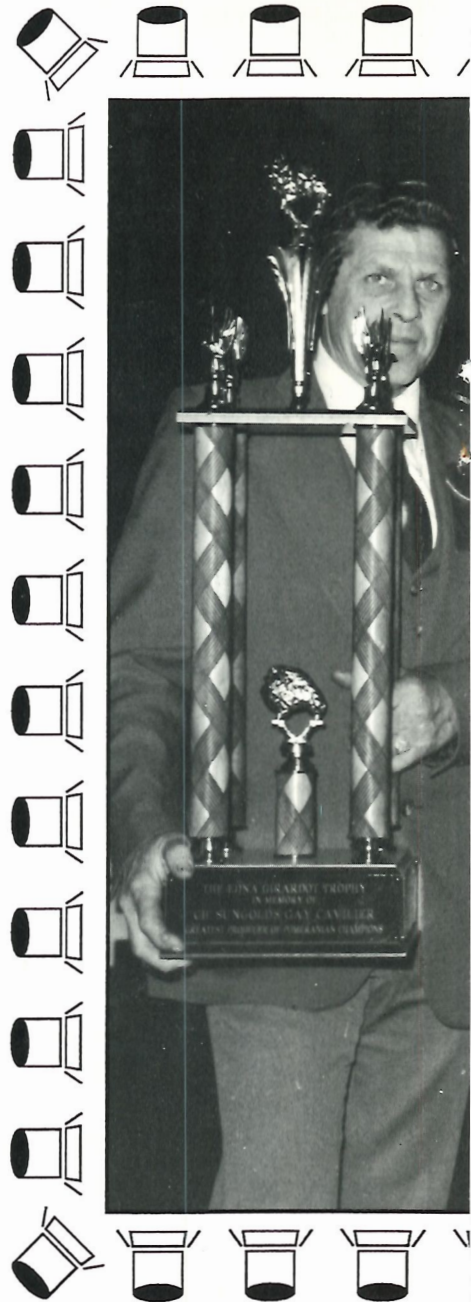
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***Amer. Ch. Shy Acres Our Man Friday & Committee!
 ou Bill, Lisa, and Adrian - The Dream Makers!
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Handler:

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Shyacres Congratulates...

"Chase"



Amer. Can. Ch. Shyacres Steeplechaser

(Ch. Tynan Starchaser O'Pomsprings x
Ch. Shyacres Will O'Coompaw)

What a way to finish! Group I out of puppy class! Congratulations to owners Skip Piazza and Cheryl Wagner! Look for "Chase" as he begins his Specials career! Good Luck!

"Kiddy"

Shyacres Kiddy Kan Doo

(Ch. Cenla Cosmic Kid x
Ch. LLL Kan Too Chunky Queen Bee)

Congratulations to owner Dolores Watts on her many nice wins with *Kiddy*! Especially on her 2nd place in Open Bitch at the APC National Specialty! Good Luck!

This breeding has been repeated.

Breeder

Audrey M. Roberts/Shyacres
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Cenla Annie Laurie O'Friday

(Ch. Shyacres Our Man Friday x Cenla Sugar Dumplin)

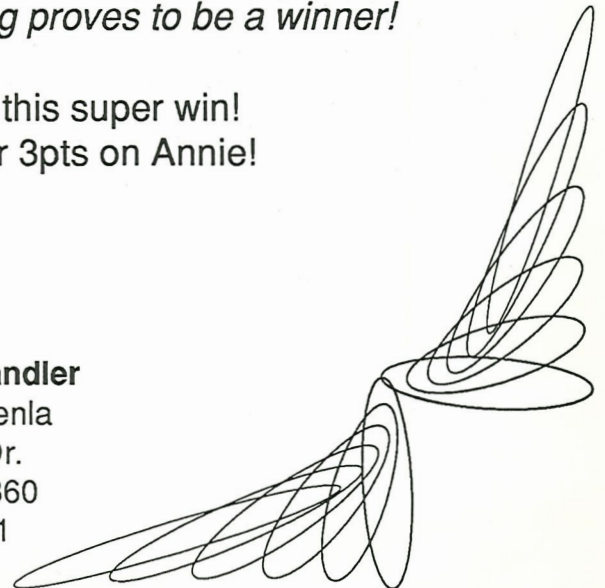
American Pomeranian Club
National Specialty Sweepstakes
Feb. 10, 1991
Entry 57 (29-28)
Best Opposite Sex!

First Friday daughter to hit the show ring proves to be a winner!

Thank you Maynard Wood on this super win!
Thank you Mr. Tom Conway for 3pts on Annie!

Sometimes Handler:
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Puget Sound Pomeranian Club

By Janell Reich



The Winter Specialty was great, I attended for the first time and was pleased to meet many people. A fine job was done by Marlene and Marlin Presser, the show committee.



WINNERS BITCH AND BOW
Sungold's U Can

The Skin Disease Seminar was very informative, good job Mary, Janice and all. The video and packet are well worth purchasing for yourself and your club. We are going to try and plan some fund raisers to send the proceeds to the research via APC.

Congratulations new APC officers, we have a good bunch of people. The day after the Specialty the four of us from Washington (Anna LaFortune, Sylvia Harbin, Jane Reed and myself) explored the Big Apple and then went to Westminster. Try it next year, you'll like it!

Included in my report are two photos that were left out of the last issue, from our Summer '90 Specialty.

A correction from our Summer show results in the last issue:

Winners bitch and Best Of Winners

was "Sungold's U Can" handled by Anna LaFortune, owned by Steve Gonzales.

We are currently planning our summer outdoor Specialty for Saturday, August 24, 1991 in Woodinville, Washington (near Seattle). The next day on the same grounds will be Sammamish KC All Breed Show. See our ad elsewhere in this issue. RV's welcome! Remember there will be obedience too!

We are also applying to have our Specialty the day before the 1992 APC Specialty at Brush Prairie. Columbia Pom Club will be putting it on and their Specialty will be the following day, then Saturday, Sunday and Monday will be All Breed



BROOD BITCH
Emcee's Solid Gold Felicia

Shows. That's six straight days of shows! Remember there will be obedience at the Specialties Wednesday, Thursday (APC) and Friday, we hope Columbia will be approved by then.

Have a good Summer and good luck at the Summer Specialty!

COLUMBIA POMERANIAN CLUB WEBFOOT REPORT by Jean Schroll

I have not been keeping up with all the wins lately by our Club members. I did think I sent an article for the March issue of the Pom Review, but there has been so much going on about the Review I've forgotten.

I cannot find where I reported on our Jan. 1991 Specialty so this may be old news, since I have not gotten the March Review yet, and my memory about what I wrote is not much good unless I see it in print. Unfortunately, I cannot find it on the computer, so I hope the computer hasn't goofed and left me sitting here red faced. Oh well, it won't be the first time.

Emily Untalan has finished a bitch with all majors, and also has both majors on another bitch she owns, nice going Emily! We had some International Shows here and Ray Mooney, Emily Untalan, Gladys Van Horn and Dorothy Trosino all finished dogs at the three day affair, congratulations to all!!! The International Shows are quite different from ours, each dog is rated individually by three separate judges and all entered can be finished depending on the judges decision.

For the first time, ever, since I've been showing dogs a show in our area was cancelled. Seattle was unable to have their winter show because they could not find a place to have it, their usual place was being remodeled and their alternative place was on a Naval Base but, because of the war they could not use it, and time was too short to try and locate some place else. That's all for this time.

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THANK YOU, JERIBETH KENNELS

Pretty Is As Pretty Does...



...And "Cracker" is pretty fantastic!

Jeribeth Mister Firecracker - another great Pom by Great Elms Firefighter (out of Ch. Sir Lancelot's only full sister) knocking 'em dead in the obedience ring. Three shows and three qualifying scores, including one first place in a class of 36. Thanks Olga, for a super dog with tremendous heart and fabulous disposition. Look for us in Open soon.

Ch. Apple' Traveling Diamond
Ch. Cedarwood's Image of Diamond
Cedarwood's Pitti Patti
Ch. Great Elms Firefighter
Cedarwood's Gold Nugget
Great Elms Sweet Candy
Great Elms Dolly
Ch. Cedarwood's Image of Diamond
Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II
Great Elms Sweet Candy
Jeribeth M'Lady Guinevere
Ch. Pedron's Mark of the Dragon
Ch. Jeribeth's Chula Dragonette
Gad's Chula Orange Mist

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POM PATTER

Did you just get a fantastic win???

No time to get photos in the mail,
 the deadline is tomorrow!

But you want the world to know! What do you do?
 We have a new place for you in the *Pomeranian Review!*

Put it in the all new and exciting
"POM PATTER" section at the mere cost of \$10.00.
 The best news is there's NEVER A DEADLINE!

If it arrives before we go to print AND there's still
 room in the Pom Patter section. IT GOES IN
IMMEDIATELY!! (otherwise it will make the next issue.)

"CH. SHY ACRES OUR MAN FRIDAY,"- the
BOB winner at the APC National Specialty, just took a
BIS on 3/17 at the Chattahoochee Valley KC's All
 Breed Show!

* All Pom Patter announcements are limited to 50 words
 maximum. All Pom Patter announcements will be in their
 own section, not to be confused with classifieds.

Flee Fleas!

From David R. Edwards

Most of us are finding out that all of the toxins that are in different flea/tick shampoos are doing more harm than good. So what do we do to help keep those pesky insects off our loveable Poms? I have talked to several local Veterinarians and they all seem to share my concerns over introducing all sorts of toxins into the dog's system via the skin. The more chemicals we use on the dog the more apt we are to add to the levels of toxin in their little systems. For example; most flea/tick shampoos recommend that you let them stand on the dog for up to ten minutes, that is ten minutes too long to allow the toxins in the shampoo to work through the pores of the skin and spread through the dog's system.

I have come across a very simple and safe formula for controlling fleas and ticks and what better time than now, with the season upon us. It can be made from ingredients found in every home and is safe for pups as well as adults. Why not try a more natural way to cut back on the fleas and ticks and give your poor little one's system a much needed break!

In a 12 ounce bottle mix 3 ounces of apple cider vinegar, 4 1/2 ounces of water and 4 1/2 ounces of Ivory Liquid dish soap. I would suggest not using this shampoo every week as it may dry the skin. As we do not bathe our breed that often, you should have no problems using it at least once a month.

The Pomeranian Club of Greater Baltimore, Inc.

by Diane M. Downey

It seems that we have quite a lot to tell you about since our last club news was printed. To begin, let me acquaint you with our current club officers:

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Dianne Johnson

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Lynn Galloway

Corresponding Secretary

Nancy Marshall

Membership Secretary

Toni Dickerson

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The PCGB has issued a newsletter for nine years now called "*Poms on Parade*" (or the POP as we commonly call it). The POP is edited by Dianne Johnson with the assistance of Nancy Marshall and Toni Dickerson. The circulation manager is Christine Capian. The six bi-monthly issues are devoted to particular subjects as the "*Pom Review*" now is. The February issue is devoted to the stud dog, April is for the brood bitch, June is puppy month, August is obedience time, October is filled with club award winners, and December is for wishing one and all, Happy Holidays. Non-members are welcome to subscribe and/or advertise.

On the show front, the PCGB was asked to decorate the ring for the 1991 APC National Specialty which was held this February in NYC. We were commended for the decorations and had a wonderful (if tiring) time

doing them. Thank you for the opportunity. A special thank you from this club member to those club members who did all the work.

Speaking of Specialties, we are proud to announce that we have applied for, and have been granted the honor of hosting the 1995 APC Summer Specialty. Mark your calendars, fluff up your Poms and come join us in '95 for more fun in the Baltimore-Washington area.

We would also like to take this opportunity to congratulate our club members on their wins in New York.

1991 APC National Specialty

Sweeps 9-12 month puppy dog

4th place Adine's Dance To My Beat
(Diane L. Ward)

Sweeps 6-9 month puppy bitch

4th place WhisperLn' An American Beauty
(Mark & Carol Baldwin)

Regular 6-9 month puppy dog

2nd place WhisperingLane Promises Kept
(Mark & Carol Baldwin)

9-12 month puppy dog

2nd Adine's Dance To My Beat
(Diane M. Ward)

6-9 month puppy bitch

2nd WhisperLn' An American Beauty
(Mark & Carol Baldwin)

Bred by Exhibitor Bitch

2nd Watts Little Lindee Lou
(Dolores A. Watts)

Open ROCS bitch

2nd Shyacres Kiddy Kan Doo
(Dolores A. Watts)

Veteran Bitch

1st Ch. Scotia Shamrock's Sue Ellen
(Dolores A. Watts)

2nd Ch. Silva Lade Almond Joy
(Diane Johnson)

Reserve Winners Bitch

Watts Little Lindee Lou
(Dolores A. Watts)

1991 Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show

Bred by Exhibitor Bitch

2nd Shyacres Kiddy Kan Doo
(Dolores A. Watts)

Reserve Winners Bitch

Shyacres Kiddy Kan Doo
(Dolores A. Watts)

We would also like to thank club member *Skip Piazza*, for participating in the "Parade of Champions" at Westminster with Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II. You and Prince made us all very proud, and served to remind everyone that Poms may be small, but they're also top dogs.

Why don't you join us with your future Westminster winners for our spring match, which will be held in the first part of June (exact date, location and judges to be announced upon AKC approval)? In addition to the normal breed and obedience classes, we will also be holding a "Pom Parlor Tricks" class, as well as costume class. The proceeds of this match will be donated to Pets on Wheels.

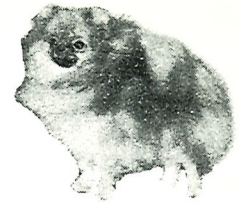
Speaking of donations, did you know that the PCGB has pledged \$500 to the Canine Health Fund to help research Pomeranian skin problems? We have also challenged all other Pom clubs to match this donation. So, polish up your auction gavels and handi-crafts, start baking those cakes and cookies, and please show us up with a larger donation to this worthy cause.

Finally, we would like to congratulate *Gail Garvey* on her selection as the new editor of the "Pomeranian Review," we know she will do a wonderful job and I personally look forward to working with her, and her staff.

Hope to see y'all at our Spring match and in '95.

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A special thanks to Chris Hertz for allowing us to have *Phil* for show and use in our kennel. *Phil* is at stud to approved bitches. Puppies available from full Emcee, Chip-A-Way and Chriscendo breedings. Inquiries Invited.

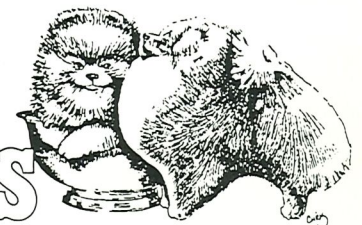
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(all regular & non-regular classes)
Mrs. Lynda Torrance (Pro-Handler)
(puppy Sweepstakes)

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- ★ Pomeranian Club of Ontario Specialty - Sept 1st (judge, Shirley Limoges)
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- ★ Transportation to and from hotel/show sight
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OBEDIENCE NEWS

By Brenda K. Hutton

By now your Oklahoma plans are made and with any luck, this issue arrived before you left. As we know now, there is no obedience, but, **HARK**, I bring news of a planned **AMERICAN POMERANIAN NATIONAL SPECIALTY OBEDIENCE TRIAL**.

Word has been received from the Puget Sound Pomeranian Club with the following information: "We are applying (with APC's blessing!) to have our Specialty with Obedience the day before the APC summer specialty in July of 1992 in Brush Prairie, Washington. The schedule would look like this:

Wed, July 8 Puget Sound Pomeranian Club Specialty with obedience

Thur, July 9 APC Summer Specialty with obedience

Fri, July 10 Columbia Pomeranian Club Specialty with obedience/trial or match

In addition, there are 3 days of all-breed shows the weekend before. And, there are three more days of all-breed shows (I'm not sure if there is obedience at the all-breeds) Saturday through Monday on the same grounds as the Pom specialties. All this will take place near Vancouver, Washington and across the river from Portland Oregon, very near the airport.

The Puget Sound Pomeranian Club also announces their 2nd Obedience Trial at their upcoming specialty, Saturday, August 24, 1991 in Woodinville, Washington which is a suburb of Seattle. Hope some of you can go. Good luck to this hard-working ambitious group.

NEWS FROM NOVICE A

As I first mentioned in the April, 1989 issue, busy APC member Jerrie Freia (Janesa) has entered the obedience world, and she's now finished her first Companion Dog, **CH. JANESA'S HI-STRUTTIN DAISEY** Breeder: owner). A telephone call received relates they completed their third leg March 26 at Alexandria Kennel Club. *Congratulations Jerrie!*

APC member Valerie Widgren of Colorado also wrote to tell us about her very first CD on **JERIBETH MISTER FIRECRACKER** (Breeder: Olga Baker, by Ch. Great Elms Firefighter x a Prince Charming daughter (who is a full sister to Sir Lancelot). Showing in Colorado, they received a 193.0 at the Southern Colorado KC 12/2/90 under

Paul Gjevre, a 188.0 and 1st place at the Plum Creek KC 2/16/91 under Gerald Fletchall, and a 191.0 at the Colorado KC 2/17/91 under Jean Rassbach. *Congratulations to Valerie!* What did you think of Obedience vs. Conformation?

I've just been waiting to tell you about Larry and Karla Smith and their first CD dog, **BARON VON WOLF SMITH** (breeders: Flossie and Charles Butts). All during the month of September they were burning up the mats with a 196.5 and 1st place at Louisville KC under Kent Delaney, a 187.0 and 3rd place at Indianapolis OTC, another terrific 196.0 and again 1st place Greater Lafayette KC under Velma Janek, **ANOTHER** 196.5 and **ANOTHER** 1st place at the Hoosier Kennel Club under C.D. Maurer, and a 189.0 at Terre Haute KC under Dr. R.C. McGill. Whew! I'll bet they had a **REAL GOOD TIME!** *Kudo's, kudo's!!*

Carol Fatheree has her first CD with **RA-JOY'S DIXIE DARLING** (breeder: Ann Nobles). Their record includes a 185.0 and 4th place at Beaumont KC, a 191.0 and terrific 1st place at Brazos Valley KC under K.B. Miller, and another 191.0 at Austin Kennel Club.

The co-owning team of Deborah Hanson and Barbara Mahoney also have their first CD with **TIFFINI SABL** (breeder: Salvatore Cusumano). Leg #1 started last June with a 179.5 at Staten Island KC. After some refinements, they finished off a weekend in September with a 183.0 at Suffolk OTC and a 184.0 at Nassau DTC.

NEWS FROM NOVICE B

Due to the previous editor of this magazine's creative editing, the scores and titles of two APC members, Lois Morkassel and Linda Gallacher, were combined in the January issue. Here is the correct information reprinted:

APC member Lois Morkassel out of Fargo, North Dakota has a new CD on **KASSELS GARDEAN SIR FUR** (breeder: owner, out of Ch. Theldun's John John x Kassel's Dandelion Down CDX). In April, May and July they earned legs at Minnesota River Valley KC, Sioux Empire KC and Twin Ports DTC of 188.5, 190.5 and 182.0. *Good job, Lois!*

Another member of the APC, Linda Gallacher has another CD to her credit, this time on **SUNSWEPT**

Code of Ethics



1. I agree to follow the regulations as set forth by the American Kennel Club as they pertain to my purebred dog operations.
2. I will furnish a signed registration application or transfer with each puppy sold unless a written agreement is made with the purchaser at the time of sale that papers will be withheld.
3. I will not sell my puppies to pet shops or commercial pet mill establishments, nor will I donate puppies for raffles or auctions.
4. I will not crossbreed or advertise for sale puppies that have been crossbred.
5. I will not give stud service to unregistered bitches.
6. I will advise the purchaser of my puppy to have the puppy checked by a veterinarian within 2 days (48 hours) of the sale (additional time allowed if the puppy is sold on a Friday or Saturday). I will refund the purchase price or take the puppy back and replace it, if it is found to be unfit.
7. Except for unusual situations, I will not sell my puppies at less than eight weeks of age.
8. I will maintain the best possible standard of health and care in all of my dogs and see that puppies are immunized and checked for parasites.
9. I will price my puppies within the breed range.
10. In my breeding program I will keep alert for and work to control and/or eradicate inherited problems and conditions that are particular to my breed, and breed as closely as possible to the standard of the breed.
11. I will represent my dogs as honestly as possible to prospective buyers and try to assist the serious novice in his understanding of the breed.
12. I will try at all times to show good sportsmanship and keep in mind that the good of the breed comes before any personal benefits.

DAUNTLESS (breeder: Owner by Ch. Autumn's Red Blaze of Bi-Mar X Lady Di's Life of the Parti CDX). Last March they pulled a 193.5 at Timberland Valley Dog Fanciers Association; 195.5 and 2nd place at Chintimini KC under Miss P. Scully and a 195.0 and another 2nd at Willamette Valley KC under Mrs. P.A. Weaver. Thanks, Lois, for the telephone call alerting me to this mix-up.

Last July at the Baltimore specialty, Mary Jones and I had the pleasure to room one night with Barbara McKenney and **ANNON'S KILLER CUPCAKE** (breeder: Ann Cannon by Ch. Annon's Magnum Force of Scamp). I'm pleased to report that at that time this duo had their first leg, a 187.5 from Old Dominion KC of Northern Virginia. At the Baltimore specialty they not only got leg #2 with a 196.0 under Hal Cash, but also tied for **HIGH IN TRIAL**. They've now completed their title with a 191.0 and 2nd place at Warrenton KC under Mrs. H.J. Moseley. *Way to go, Barb!*

Linda Gallacher writes of Ann Griffith and her newest Pom, **OLLIE BLUE BLUSTER**, co-owned by R. Morris. They earned their first leg 8/10/90 at the Puget Sound Pomeranian Specialty with a 191.5 and 1st place, followed January 1991 at the Portland Cluster Shows with a 191.5 (4th place) and a 190.5, both days earning the trophy for High Scoring Pomeranian. She also writes Ann is now tracking with Ollie and should be ready to certify this spring (1991).

Linda also write about Marcia Schultz from Bend, Oregon. "Her dog, **ADAIR'S MIGHTY MITE**" earned scores of 178.5, 181.5 and 190.5. This is Marcia's first Pomeranian as she has owned cockers in the past."

Owner bred **MC'S MYSTIC MARCI ONYOX BAR** (breeder: Martha J. Chastain out of M C's Chocolate Keisa Bar CDX) has a new CD. Last August they started with a 191.5 and 4th place in Columbus, Indiana. They followed during the fall season with a 186.0, 189.0 and 178.0.

Her littermate owned by Derek Traugher, **DEREK'S CODI CINDERS BAR**, attended the same shows as his sister and earned a 183.0, 173.0, 192.0 and a 188.5. *Congratulations to both Derek and Martha. Any more puppies in this litter???*

NEWS FROM OPEN A

As just mentioned above, Linda Gallacher and **SUNSWEPT DAUNTLESS** just finished their CD. Well, in the meantime, a letter has just arrived announcing that they've just completed their CDX! *Good job Linda!!* Their record is comprised of a 191.5 and 2nd place at Portland KC, 1/12/91 a 194.5 and 3rd place at Sammamich KC, 1/13/91 a 197.0 and 1st place at Puyallup Valley KC, 1/14/91 a 197.0 and 2nd place Tacoma KC and in February a 191.5 (approximate) good enough for 4th place at Longview/Kelso.

After these shows she explains that he's developed a problem (just like his mom) of going directly to heel with-

out fronting first. "I'm really proud of this guy! I've entered him at the Western Regional and will enter the Classic when the premiums are out. Hope I can solve our front problem soon. His heeling has been beautiful every show (between 38.5 and 39.5). We are also TRYING to track. He's eager, pulls out on his line, knows what he is looking for, but he quarters badly and I can't seem to fix it! Any ideas?"

Since there are other trackers who might have a similar problem, I'll answer you here Linda. I would suggest walking right beside him on the track on a very short line so that he can't get off the track. Verbally praise him when he keeps his nose down on the track. When he try's to quarter (for those just starting to track, quartering is when the dog keeps criss-crossing the track instead of staying on it in a straight line) put pressure on the line and command his to track, but don't let him get more than a foot or so off the ck. As he stays on the track without attempting to quarter, fall into line behind him, a very short distance at first and increase the distance as he successfully stays on track.

Two years ago we heard about Rhonda Freeman and **THE GINGERBREAD GIRL CDX** (breeder: Mrs. Frank Davis) earning their CD from Novice A. They've now gone on to complete their CDX with some nice scores. In November of 1989 they started with a 193.5 at Mid-Continent KC of Tulsa. March of '90 they earned leg #2 with a 189.0 at Tulsa DTC. Last October they finished with a 192.5 and 4th place at Greater Kansas City DTC with an insurance leg the next day. *Congratulations!*

Last July we heard about Dawn Robertson and **SUNWAY'S BLACK BREEZE CD** (breeder: Nadine Carriker) and their many accomplishments. Last March we heard about their **HIGH IN TRIAL** at the September Pomeranian Club of Greater Des Moines and 1st place at Wichita DTC under G.W. Fletchall. They've now followed-up with a 194.0 and 2nd place at Greater Emporia KC under H.W. Kohlman and a 196.0 and 1st place again at Grand Island KC under Herb Semper. Very nice job, indeed! *Congratulations, Dawn.*

One last note. It has come to my attention that Ann Tyler and **CH. JANESA'S CHATTAWA BIG ORANGE** (Breeder: Jerrie Freia) has a double accomplishment. Not only have they completed a Companion Dog title from the States Kennel Club, but this dog also went **BEST IN SHOW** at a States Kennel Club show. *Congratulations to both Ann and Jerrie!*

As always, call me and you'll probably get the answering machine, but I sure love hearing from you. Happy heeling and terrific tracking!

You may call Brenda at (517) 485-5183. If you're shy of answering machines why not track her down by writing to: Brenda Hutton, 102 Tudor Lane, Lansing, MI 48906.

Behind The New Titlists

Three generations of new Pomeranian titlists belonging to members of the American Pomeranian Club will be printed free, if sent by the owner. Please send the dog's name, color, sex, breeder's name and owner's name, on a separate sheet of paper, typed or printed neatly. Pedigrees will not be returned! Send copies only. Mail all information to the editor, Gail A. Garvey, Expedition Publishing, PO Box A, Mastic Beach, NY 11951.

Ch. Queenaire Sunflower

Orange Female
Breeder: Dudley & Wanda Roach
Owner: Patty Griffin/Dudley Roach

- Ch. Great Elms Timstopper's Image ROM
- Ch. Great Elms Timstopper Too ROM
- Great Elms Wee Julie
- Ch. Great Elms Chip Of Gold
- Cedarwood's Gold Nugget
- Great Elms Sweet Candy ROMX
- Great Elms Dolly
- Ch. Queenaire Gambling Man
- Ch. Queenaire Gambling Dude ROM
- Queenaire Luvy Duk ROM
- Ch. Queenaire Bright Promise ROM
- Chula Queenaire Chance
- Ch. Foxaire My Sweet Promise ROM
- Magot's Sidney Liss

Ch. Merrymont Sat'rday Nite Live

Orange Sable Male
Breeder/Owner: Patty Griffin

- Ch. Apple's Traveling Diamond ROM
- Ch. Cedarwood's Image Of Diamond ROM
- Cedarwood's Pitti Patti
- Ch. Merrymont Sat'rday Nite Fever ROM
- Ch. Coble's Traveling Bear
- Yolanda's Traveling Tequila
- Apple's Traveling Alspice
- Ch. Apple's Traveling Diamond ROM
- Ch. Cedarwood's Image Of Diamond ROM
- Cedarwood's Pitti Patti
- Merrymont Nut'N Honey
- Ch. Model's Timstopper's Echo
- Ch. Great Elm's Honey Of Lenette
- Great Elm's Honeybun ROM

Ch. Merrymont Flash Dance

Red Female
Owner: Dudley & Wanda Roach
Breeder: Patty Griffin

- Ch. Apple's Traveling Diamond
- Ch. Cedarwood's Image Of Diamond ROM
- Cedarwood's Pitti Patti
- Ch. Merrymont Sat'rday Nite Fever ROM
- Ch. Coble's Traveling Bear
- Yolanda's Traveling Tequila
- Apple's Traveling Alspice
- Ch. Model's High Voltage
- Ch. Model's Bit Of Whiz
- Wood's Sun Goddess
- Ch. Queenaire Signature ROM
- Ch. Queenaire Coup D'Etat
- Queenaire Cabaret
- Queenaire Windsong

Ch. Animation's Sunny Bunny

Orange Female
Breeder/Owner: Lorinda Vasuta & Darren Lane

- Jewel Ken Crumpet N' Cream
- Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy ROM
- Jewel Ken's Little White Dove
- Ch. Animation's Atom Ant
- Ch. Emcee's Solid Gold Diamond
- Ch. Emcee's Suss'Anna ROM
- Hillsboro's Little Missy
- Ch. Shirwood's Golden Nugget
- Ch. Devenny's Mason Dixon Dandy
- Annon's Mischief Maker
- Ch. Animation's Elaroo
- Ch. Cinquay Yankee Doodle Dandy
- Ch. Animation's Tweety Bird
- Ch. Emcee's Suss'Anna ROM

Ch. Blossom Heights Firecracker

Orange Sable Male
Breeder/Owner: Arlene & John Benko

- Annon's Image in Black N' Tan
- Ch. Annon's Spittin' Image
- Annon's Dark Lady Tina V Scamp
- Am Can Ch. Homestead's Spit N' Polish
- Am Can Bda Ch. The Pines Hells A Poppin
- Ch. Homestead's Pretty Petal
- Ch. Homestead's Daisy Dumpling
- Dixieland Disco Music Man
- McGuire's Fantasy Super Star
- Pittard's Lovely Tashia Girl
- Blossom Heights Bolero]
- Dixieland's Disco Music Man
- McGuire's Love Disco Girl
- Skylark Love Charm

Ch. Star Haven's Rock 'N James Brown

Orange Sable Male
Breeder/Owner: Janice Young

- Ch. Millamor's Trademark
- Ch. Millamor's Mark Tradition
- Ch. Millamor's Sparkling Music
- Ch. Stylestepper Mark of Oakridge
- Ch. Brown's Rock 'N Robin
- Ch. Dancing Rockette of Oakridge
- Ch. Wee Dancing Robin of Oakridge
- Annon's Marquis De Tartan
- White Haven's Bill Cody
- Cherokee's Gypsy Moonbeam
- Star Haven's Cameo Appearance
- White Haven's Mistique Eli
- White Haven's Irish Special
- Kagi Gypsy Zan

THE BITE

By Happeth A. Jones

Orpha Edwards, bundled up against the cold, walked in a narrow alley that separated the backyards of the neighboring homes. At 15 below zero it was too cold for man or beast to be outside. Orpha ordinarily would not walk when it was this cold, but with the weather turning for the worse, a trip to the store became necessary. After purchasing her items she took the short cut home, back through the alley.

It was the cold that made her notice the dog. She had walked past his pen before but a dog in a backyard is not unusual. He only registered in her mind as just another facet of the suburban background. As she walked by, he came out of his make shift shelter. Surprised that a dog would be out in such cold weather she stopped and said, "hello pretty boy, oh what a pretty boy you are."

He was a lovely dog with expressive brown eyes and a pretty gold color. His hair was long but not as long or as thick as a Collie's. His ears were erect and he had a face that resembled a Samoyed. The pen was about six by five feet. In one corner was a flimsy dog house with only three sides, the front was open to the wind, and snow had blown in. A thick chain was attached to a stake in the ground with the other end to his collar.

He came up to the side of the fence that was closest to her. She

could see that even with his thick coat he was shivering. "Go back in the house sweetheart, you are going to freeze to death out here," she ordered. He jumped up on the fence and pushed his muzzle through the wire. Orpha walked closer to the fence holding her bag from the store

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in her left arm, with her right hand she reached out to pet him. He wagged his tail, but as she reached down he became frantic trying to get at her bag. "Oh, ho! You smell my bologna, o.k. here you go." She reached in her bag and brought out the bologna and dumped the whole pound in his pen. He gulped the bologna down and then whined and begged for more, she watched for awhile until the cold became too much for her.

All of Orpha's seventy years of life had been spent around animals. She had grown up on a farm near a little town in Nebraska called Minersville. The town no longer existed, but her country ethics were still a part of her. Orpha would never think of going to the Humane Society to report someone for keeping a dog in this condition. Her background had convinced her that a person did not interfere in his neighbors business.

Orpha's three room cottage was

cozy and warm; inside awaited her family, a little Pomeranian named "Tucker" and a Canary named "Lyrics." Orpha kept herself in good condition by going on daily walks, she easily walked one or two miles a day except in the extreme cold. While she put away her packages Orpha kept thinking about the dog, he had looked so thin and unkempt, she decided on her next walk she would check on him.

During the next six months she brought food to him once or twice a week. His face reminded her of a Samoyed so she started calling him "Sammy," he never seemed to have a water dish so she started bringing him water. When the spring weather came and Sammy started shedding his winter coat, she then could see just how terribly thin he was. After that she started walking past his pen every day, always bringing him food and water.

The first week of June Orpha's son came to visit her for a week, and she didn't go for her usual walks. After her son left, Orpha came down with the flu, for two weeks she wasn't able to see

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Sammy or bring him any food or water. Orpha worried about Sammy and was anxious to see him. The first day she felt well enough, she put some water

in a jar and looked for something to bring for him to eat. Orpha found some left over steak which she cut up and wrapped in a napkin, the steak wasn't enough, but the only dog food in the house she needed for Tucker. She finally just

grabbed a couple of slices of bread and a light cardigan sweater and left to check on Sammy.

When she reached the pen he looked pitiful. His ribs were sticking out his hair dirty and matted. He looked like he hadn't eaten since she had last fed him, "Sammy, come on boy, I've got some food for you," she called as she bent over his pen, he was frantic! She threw down the bread and watched him gulp it. Next Orpha tossed out the steak and as the steak fell to the ground the napkin stuck to her hand, she gave her hand a

"his teeth cut even further into her hand, the bite was deep and painful."

small shake but the napkin still stuck to her hand. Sammy swallowing the last of the steak saw her hand and the napkin moving, lunging quickly, so the food wouldn't get away his jaws closed around her hand.

The sudden pain startled her and she pulled her hand back sharply, with her movement his teeth cut even further into her hand, the bite was deep and painful. She looked down at the dog, "Sammy! Look what you have done!" She reached in her pocket and pulled out a handkerchief, wrapping it around her bleeding hand she walked home.

The bite wouldn't stop bleeding so she called a cab and went to her doctor. The doctor cleaned and stitched the wound and looking at Orpha said, "this has to be reported to the Animal Control Office." "Why? The dog wasn't vicious, he was only trying to get the food off the napkin I was holding."

"Mrs. Edwards there has been a lot of rabies in the raccoon population," he answered her. "This dog was kennelled outside he could easily have been bitten by a raccoon. The Animal Control people will see if he has been inoculated and they will hold him for ten days for observation. I have to notify them." Reluctantly she nodded her assent.

The ten days went by slowly, she worried about Sammy and felt uneasy that he had to be placed in a shelter. It was a relief when the Animal Control officer called to report that Sammy did not have rabies. The next day Orpha rushed to his pen anxious to see him, only his pen was empty. For the next week she walked to his pen every day, and still no Sammy.

Finally she called the Animal Control office to see when he would be released. When she asked about him, the Animal Control officer said, "Mrs. Edwards I am very sorry, that dog was put to sleep."

"What do you mean put to sleep? You didn't kill him, surely you didn't kill him?"

"He didn't have a license or his shots and he couldn't be released without them, when his owners didn't claim him, we had to do it."

Orpha cried, "oh how could you do this? The bite was an accident and he was o.k., he didn't have rabies or anything else. Oh God, how could you do this?"

The Animal Control officer tried to calm her down. In the end the officer could only explain that the dogs are held for so many days and then, if not claimed, are killed.

Orpha was heartbroken, she felt that she had caused Sammy's death. On her daily walks she avoided the alleys and walked on the sidewalks in front of the homes.

One day she was walking past the home of Sammy's owners, on a sudden impulse she went to the front door and knocked. A young woman about age thirty answered the door. Orpha said, "hello, I'm Orpha Edwards the woman your dog bit, I just wanted to tell you that I didn't mean for him to be killed. I didn't

even want the bite reported. I feel just awful about causing his death."

"Mrs. Edwards please don't be upset," the young woman said. "We decided that it was for the best."

"I know I shouldn't have fed him, but he always seemed so hungry."

The young woman looked exasperated. "The kids were supposed to feed him but you know how kids are, they would forget. I kept yelling at them but they just kept forgetting," she smiled and said, "but don't you fret about it Mrs. Edwards, as I said before it was for the best. My husband has lost his job and the Animal Control wanted us to pay for shots and a license, my husband Ben and I talked it over and decided that it was better if we left him there."

Orpha was speechless. All she could think of was poor Sammy hungry, thirsty and left alone with owners that didn't care enough to buy a license to keep him alive. Finally, she looked the woman straight in the eye and said, "it was for the best, no living creature should have to live like that dog did!" The young woman

drew back startled. Orpha stared hard at her for a minute then turned and walked away.

On her walks Orpha tried to avoid Sammy's house.

When she did walk by the house she averted her eyes. Two weeks later as she was passing the house some movement caught her eye. On the porch tied with a thick rope around his neck was a small puppy. He went to the end of his rope wagging his tail, obviously glad for some human company. Orpha stood looking at him her lips compressed in a thin line. After a few minutes she walked over and petted the pup and then turned and walked away. No one else would have heard her, but the pup with his acute canine hearing heard the whispered voice, "this time I will report it."

"You didn't kill him, surely you didn't kill him? Oh God, how could you do this?"

POMERANIAN STANDARD

I. GENERAL APPEARANCE: The Pomeranian in build and appearance is a cobby, balanced and short-coupled dog. He exhibits great intelligence in expression and is alert in character and deportment.

Elaboration: The total balanced dog should have good shoulder layback and enough neck so as to carry the head proudly and high. It should have enough leg for the ground to be seen beneath it. The Pom has the look of fitting into a circle.

Any deviation from the ideal described in the standard should be penalized to the extent of the deviation. Structural faults common to many other breeds are as undesirable to the Pomeranian as in any other breed, even though such faults may not be specifically mentioned in the standard.

II. SIZE, PROPORTION AND SUBSTANCE:

Size: The weight of the Pomeranian for exhibition is from 3 to 7 pounds. The ideal size for show specimens are 4 to 5 pounds.

Elaboration: Contrary to some breeds of dogs, many Pom breeders prefer a male to fit into the lower end of the standard weight. The reason given most often is to lesson problems during whelping. Poms do have more than their share of whelping problems even though there may be some free whelping 3 pounders. Don't forget, if it is acceptable to put up a 3 pound Pom, it should be acceptable to put up a 7 pound Pom, even though the 4 to 5 pound range is preferred. Just because the Pom is a toy, 3 pounds is not better than 7 pounds. Keep in mind that 5 pounds is mid way between 3 and 7.

Proportion: The Pomeranian in build and appearance is a cobby, balanced, short coupled dog. The legs are of medium length in proportion to a well balanced frame.

Elaboration: The distance from point of shoulder to root of tail is no greater than the distance from withers to ground. The proportion of height to length is important in having the total look of the Pom fitting into a round circle. We do not want a "dumpy" Pom, that is, a long backed, low legged Pom, or a Pom that is too leggy.

Substance: The body is well ribbed and rounded. The brisket is fairly deep and not too wide.

Elaboration: The depth of the chest should reach the elbow. The standard says nothing about bone. Many people would agree that, proportionately, bone as fine as that of the Italian Greyhound would be too fine and yet we do not want bone so heavy as to appear out of proportion to the

total dog. Poms should have medium bone and always in proportion to the overall size of the dog.

III. HEAD: Well proportioned to the body, wedge shaped, with a fox like expression.

Elaboration: The fox like expression refers to the alert characteristic of the Pom. However, in comparing the head and expression to two other "looks" which are sometimes seen in Poms, the bear or mouse look is not proper or consistent with the proper head type.

Eyes: Bright, dark in color, and medium in size, almond shaped and not set too far apart nor too close together. Pigmentation around eye rims must be black, except self colored in brown and blue.

Elaboration: Often we see a Pom with the incorrect round eye shape. This and any deviation in pigmentation will be penalized to the extent of deviation.

Ears: Small, carried erect and mounted high on the head and placed not too far apart.

Elaboration: Some Poms with a wide skull have very wide set ears, somewhat similar to the Westie's ear set. The Pom ears should be set close together. It is impossible to see them set too high. This contributes to the alert fox like expression.

Skull: Not domed in outline. A round, domey skull is a major fault.

Elaboration: The coat on the Pom's skull is shorter and more tightly packed than the body coat. This may give the appearance of a domey skull. Feel the skull from stop to occiput, gently with your thumb. Do not confuse profuse head hair with proper shape and stop.

The width of the skull is approximately equal to the distance from the stop to occiput. The skull is always in proportion to the muzzle. The whole head is in proportion to the total dog.

Muzzle: There is a pronounced stop with a rather fine but not snipey muzzle. Pigment around the lips must be black, except self colored in brown and blue.

Elaboration: The muzzle length from the tip of the nose to the stop is approximately one-third the distance from stop to occiput. A very long, heavy muzzle is a course muzzle. A short, wide, Chow type muzzle does not fit into the "rather fine" category.

Bite: The teeth meet in a scissors bite in which part of the inner surface of the upper teeth meet and engages part of the outer surface of the lower teeth. One tooth out of line does not mean an undershot or overshot mouth. An under-

shot mouth is a major fault.

Elaboration: Many Poms, having been bred down from a larger sized Arctic breed, have a problem fitting all 42 teeth in their tiny mouths. The standard heavily penalizes an undershot mouth but does not penalize an overshot or level bite to the same extent.

Some Poms might have missing teeth. This could be from teeth that are pulled to make room for proper alignment, or pulled because of infected teeth. If the teeth are not cared for, it could affect the health of the whole dog. Poms are noted for tooth loss as early as 3 years of age.

Nose: Pigmentation on the nose must be black, except self colored in brown and blue.

IV. NECK, TOPLINE AND BODY

Neck: The neck is rather short, its base set well back on the shoulders.

Elaboration: The length of the neck should be proportionate to well laid back shoulders. As an extension of the spinal column, the neck shall be long enough to carry the head proudly and high.

Topline: is level

Body: The body is cobby, being well ribbed and rounded.

Chest: The brisket is fairly deep and not too wide.

Tail: The tail is a characteristic of the breed. It turns over the back and is carried flat, set high.

Elaboration: A low set tail gives the appearance of a long backed Pom. Some Poms may have a curl at the tip of the tail bone. A fault is not specified for this, but a straight bone would allow the hair at the tip of the tail to extend forward. A straight, high, flat tail set contributes greatly to the total balance of the Pom.

V. Forequarters:

Shoulders: The Pom is not straight in shoulder, but has sufficient layback of shoulders to carry the neck proudly and high.

Forelegs: The forelegs are straight and parallel, of medium length in proportion to a well balanced frame.

Pasterns: The Pomeranian stands well up on toes. Down in pasterns is a major fault.

Elaboration: Pasterns are strong and parallel to each other.

Dew Claws: Dew claws on the forelegs may be removed.

Feet: The Pomeranian stands well up on toes.

Elaboration: The Pomeranian has small compact cat like feet which turn neither in nor out.

VI. HINDQUARTERS:

Angulation: Hindquarters and forequarters should be of equal angulation.

Legs: The hocks are perpendicular to the ground, parallel to each other from hock to heel, and turning neither in nor out. Cowhocks or lack of soundness in hind legs or stifles is a major fault. Dew claws, if any, on the hind legs are generally removed.

Elaboration: The legs are of medium bone with moderately bent stifles. Unsound stifles are a problem in Poms. A very unsound stifle will be obvious if the patellas can be seen slipping in and out when the dog is gaing. If this causes the dog to limp, of course it must be excused.

Feet: The Pomeranian stands well up on toes.

Elaboration: It's cat like feet turn neither in nor out.

VII. COAT: Coat type on head, legs and tail differ from body coat.

Head coat: Head coat is tightly packed and shorter in length than that of the body

Body coat: Double coated; a short, soft, thick coat consisting of guard hairs which must be harsh to the touch in order to give the proper texture for the coat to form a frill of profuse, stand off, straight hair. A soft, flat or open coat is a major fault.

Elaboration: A ruff around the neck is created by a correct coat. A coat that droops probably is lacking in enough undercoat to hold the guard hair up to a stand off coat, or has improper soft guard hair. A long drooping Pekingese type coat is incorrect on a Pom.

Tail coat: It is profusely covered with hair.

Elaboration: Long tail hair, combed toward the head and over the body coat, adds greatly to the over all beauty and balance of the Pomeranian. Some Poms have such a long plume that the hair parts and falls to the side. This should not be faulted.

Leg coat: The front legs are well feathered and the hindquarters are clad with long hair or feathering from the top of the rump to the hocks.

Elaboration: The leg coat is tightly packed and much shorter in length than the body coat. Front leg feathering extends from the point of the elbow to the bottom of the pastern. Leg coat on some Poms is more compact, giving a heavy bone look. Run your hands down the legs to feel the leg, pastern and foot.

Trimming: Trimming for neatness is permissible around the feet and up the back of the legs to the first joint; trimming of unruly hairs on the edges of the ears and around the anus is also permitted. Over trimming (beyond the location and amount described in the breed standard) should be HEAVILY PENALIZED.

Elaboration: Trimming the foot for neatness can show off the tight cat like feet and strong pasterns for the well up on toes look. Knowledgeable trimming is many times done to disguise weak pasterns and slightly toe out feet. Trimming, along with brushing the hair up on the feet and pasterns, can also be done to give the look of more bone and balance to the dog.

Abundant ruff around the neck may make larger ears look small. Improperly trimmed ears may make the ear appear larger than it really is. Feel the ear from the base, to ascertain ear size.

Often hair on the ruff around the ears is evened off

to eliminate the scraggly look. This is somewhat beyond what the standard calls for but not really sculpturing. Some people brush the bib up and shape it. Trimming around the anus is allowed. How far around is not spelled out. The hair and feathering around the hindquarters is often thinned discreetly so the dog does not look longer than it is. Some of the hair near the base of the tail that might fall over the anus is sometimes discreetly trimmed away.

Other areas that are trimmed and sculptured on the Pom have not been mentioned - but are very obvious that sculpturing has been done. It is up to the judge to determine how much trimming is beyond that which is allowed in the standard and penalize accordingly. Keeping in mind - **THIS BREED IS NOT TO BE SCULPTURED!**

VIII. COLOR:

Classifications: The open classes at Specialty shows may be divided by color as follows: Open Red, Orange, Cream, Sable; Open Black, Brown & Blue; Open Any Other Allowed Color.

ACCEPTABLE COLORS TO BE JUDGED ON AN EQUAL BASIS; Any solid color, any solid color with lighter or darker shadings of the same color, any solid color with sable or black shadings, parti-color, sable and black & tan. Black & tan is black with tan or rust, sharply defined, appearing above each eye and on the muzzle, throat and forechest, on all legs and feet and below the tail. Parti-color is white with any other color distributed in even patches on the body and a white blaze on the head. A white chest, foot or leg on a whole colored dog (except white) is a major fault.

Elaboration: Our standard allows any solid color with

sable or black shadings. A black mask is allowed. Some judges remember an earlier standard that penalized a black mask. This is not to be penalized.

The reason for the major fault listed under "Color" is to remind you that a Pom having a white chest, foot or leg on a whole colored dog (except white) is a mismarked parti-colored Pom. Do not confuse this with the acceptable "lighter shadings." In addition to these colors listed as acceptable, some additional colors such as brindle, other colors with tan markings and beaver do on occasion appear in the ring. Since there are no disqualification appearing in the standard, they must be faulted as a deviation of color.

IX. GAIT: the Pomeranian moves with a smooth, free but not loose action. He does not elbow out in front nor move excessively wide nor cowhocked behind. He is sound in action.

Elaboration: The Pom also should not move excessively close in the rear. It should reach with its front legs and drive from the rear. Front movement should in no way resemble a hackney gait. In side movement, the front should reach at least as far as the nose. The proper gait for the Pom should be a forward motion.

X. TEMPERAMENT: He exhibits great intelligence in expression, and is alert in character and deportment.

Elaboration: A Pomeranian is very active, brave and friendly. It was bred down from a big dog and still acts big. The Pom would challenge another dog, no matter what size. But, a Pomeranian owner will tell you there is no sweeter, more friendly, dedicated dog than theirs. □

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The Pom Query

In each issue there will be a question(s) to the readers regarding the Pomeranian. Share with us your views, personal experiences and the way you have dealt with the situation.

Our first two part question to the readers follows the Sept/Oct. issue's theme, which is geared towards those precious pups.

a) How do you turn away an unwanted, insistent buyer?

Share any bad experiences you've had selling pups.

b) How has the AKC's "limited registration" affected your puppy sales?

Send your response to the editor c/o: *The Pom Query*

* Answers received to the Pom Query will be printed in the appropriately themed issues.

YIPS & YAPS

Submitted by Morris Carson

As a breeder and exhibitor of Pomeranians for about 18 years, I find that I always learn new lessons along the way. Many lessons have to do with the raising and showing of dogs; and others have to do with people whom I meet and to whom I sell my dogs. Some are life-long friends and prove to be grateful, but there are a few who become glory seekers and use a breeder and misrepresent him.

There is no way I can guarantee any dog I sell. This is why I as a breeder have a written contract saying: Seller will not assume any responsibility after three days for anything that might happen to the dog or for any physical disability that might occur in the future. After three days the dog belongs to the buyer and all responsibility and liability now belongs to the buyer and the said buyer will not hold Emcee Pomeranians and it's owners responsible for anything that might develop in the future. Buyer may return the dog for a full refund of original purchase price, excluding shipping charges, handling charges and crate charge if said dog is returned in good condition within the three day time limit.

Most breeders that I know exercise every effort to fulfill their responsibilities, but they can not be over run or taken advantage of by novice exhibitors and glory seekers.

I call to mind one instance in which a couple dropped by my home and purchased a puppy which was, I believe, around 5 months old. When he was approximately 14 months old, they became dissatisfied with his potential for show and returned him with the one stipulation that he be provided a good home. No expectation of a refund of purchase was ever mentioned at this time. Upon examination of the returned Pom, I found him to possess all characteristics and attributes necessary to attain a show championship. I did find that the Pom had not been well cared for physically or mentally. I could have resold this Pom for a tidy sum, but felt that he had gone through enough and I kept my word and placed him in a home.

Although I felt no compulsion to do so, I decided in good faith to relinquish my co-ownership in another Pom (previously purchased by the same couple) so that they would have full value of the second Pom. (Incidentally this Pom has since been sold and has completed his championship in near record time).

One lesson well learned is that when someone wants a Pom "you have the best," "you are wonderful," etc; etc. However, when they can't have what they want, they turn and try to besmirch your name and reputation.

People will not settle their differences but will let the little innocent Poms become the victim.

As a result, this couple began to call Pom breeders, friends, exhibitors and handlers to complain. They even called my attorney and implemented the following actions:

1. Reported me to the Veterinary Medicine Board for pretending to be a veterinarian as I used the title "Dr."
2. Reported me to the Interstate Commerce Commission as I shipped a certain dog on an airline without proper health certificate.
3. Reported me to IRS as they "heard" that I was not reporting dog income on my tax return.
4. Reported me to the American Kennel Club, God only knows why....
5. Reported me to a Police Investigator in the county in which I live.

At no time was a law suit filed. For the record, I have met with each of the above and they have taken no action but have found the above matter to be one of a vendetta marked by bitter hostility.

I have continually been harassed over the telephone and in person. The latest incident occurred on Feb. 10th at the APC Specialty in New York, in front of Pom breeders, exhibitors and handlers from all over the United States and Canada, this couple created a scene, several times during which they demanded "their money" to which they are not entitled. Finally this "smart gentlemen" angrily and vociferously used profanity. Not even do unearned show wins entitle anyone to use vehement harassment which was humiliating, denigrating and damaging to my reputation as a breeder and exhibitor of Pomeranians. Perhaps, it's time for enlightened exhibitors to get "smart."

Submitted by Happeth Jones

A few years ago I attended my first hospitality room at the National Specialty. It was very disappointing, there was no food, the tables isolated us from each other, and for someone new there was no easy way to get acquainted with other members. Some members when they saw this left and went to the hotel restaurant to eat.

Olga Baker wrote to the Review and asked members to help make a better hospitality room and she asked everyone to bring a covered dish representing their state. The response from the membership was wonderful! The men and women of this club traveling from all over the United States brought coolers loaded with food on airplanes, and this is not an easy task. Our hospitality get-togethers are now wonderful smorgasbords of fine food and camaraderie.

In my opinion the *Pomeranian Review* has slowly been going the way our hospitality get-togethers used to be. It has been duller reading and many issues are thinner. The editors are usually blamed for this fact but the real reason

(I'm afraid) is us. If we, the membership don't write and submit articles to the Review what is there to read? If we the membership don't send in our ads the magazine gets thinner. Less ads, the Review won't be able to pay for itself and the club loses money. You have wonderful stories to tell and your ads help support this club. Don't get discouraged and go to the hotel restaurant, let's get together and make the *Pomeranian Review* a smorgasbord of stories, ads, Yips & Yaps and most important of all we need your **INPUT, PARTICIPATION and LOYALTY.**

Submitted by Margaret Ontiveros

The San Diego Pom Club held it's Fall Specialty on November 9th with Virginia Sivori judging the regular classes. As secretary, I had the rare privilege of spending two days with this lovely lady (as her driver). We talked about Poms (including the importance of black & tan; her mother Elsie, is 96.... still alive and alert) and the people who have loved Poms from the early days of the American Pom Club. We also talked about the Progressive Toy Club in New York. Ms. Sivori is a wealth of information and a good judge. She and other such knowledgeable people, should be tapped and video taped so there vast knowledge will not be lost to those of us that are relatively ignorant of the people and events of the early years of Poms in our United States Of America. They must not be forgotten.

Submitted by Lois Hamill

I attended the Skin Disease Seminar held in N.Y. in conjunction with the APC Specialty on February 9th. The morning session was informative for me, but then I'm still a novice. The background information on fleas, allergies, pyoderma, seborrhea, etc was given to help identify what growth hormone-responsive dermatosis is not. Unfortunately, Dr. Lothrop among others wasn't watching the time closely. By the time he got to the main topic, less than an hour remained. The presentation on growth hormone-responsive dermatosis was hurried and sketchy. Despite the fact that Dr. Lothrop stayed beyond the 1:00 pm deadline, many questions were left unanswered.

One of the last topics that Dr. Lothrop touched upon was his interest in continuing research on the skin conditions in Pomeranians. He said he would be happy to accept funds from the APC, but requested that one person be the point person to represent APC. He wouldn't be able to handle a deluge of money, questions, mail, samples, etc.

At the beginning of the seminar, Janice Luginsland mentioned that she had done some research before selecting Dr. Lothrop as the keynote speaker. I take this to mean that Dr. Lothrop is not the only researcher working on skin problems in Poms. The September 1990 issue of "Dog World" discusses a five year study on inherited diseases in dogs. Funded by the AKC, Morris Animal Foundation and the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals, the research is being done at the University of Michigan and Michigan State

University. One of the researchers named from Michigan State University is George Padgett, DVM.

On September 24, 1990 the Genodermatosis Research Foundation, Inc. (GRF) was recognized as a non-profit corporation. This foundation was set up by poodle people, but its focus is genetically inherited skin diseases, in all breeds. The GRF contacted many local and national breed clubs hoping to make this a combined effort. Poodles aren't the only breed with inherited skin conditions. The more information shared across breeds, the better. Granted some conditions will be breed specific, but others will affect multiple breeds, while others may be the same condition with variances in symptoms from one breed to another. If only one breed is involved, it is hard to make comparisons.

The GRF's first project is to determine the mode of inheritance of sebaceous adenitis (SA) in poodles through a test breeding of two affected dogs. This project is funded in part through the Poodle Club of America. One of the researchers is the same George Padgett (Michigan State University) working on the five year genetic study mentioned above. Poms have been diagnosed with SA. More importantly I think, is the fact that some of the same researchers are involved in more than one project, and have access to all the results.

Diane Laratta of Ohio is chair of the Education Committee for the GRF. She has told me that the next meeting of the GRF is on Saturday, April 13th, in Ann Arbor, Michigan. If there is a Pom person able and willing to attend this meeting, (s)he would be welcomed.

During the afternoon discussion on skin diseases, reference was made to Dr. Lothrop's request for funds. It sounded like people were ready to run right out and send him money. I think the APC through its Medical Committee should consider Dr. Lothrop's work as well as the GRF and others. It may be that several people are doing similar work, or that they are approaching the problem from different directions. The committee would have to decide what direction it feels is most beneficial for our membership.

Whoever we might choose to fund should have a specific goal to research, a plan for how to accomplish the goal/a way to prove or disprove the initial hypothesis, and a detailed estimate of costs. If progress is to be made, it is more likely to be brought about in an organized fashion with specific goals and steps, research building upon or complimenting research and good communication. Strong support from breeders as well as individual dog owners will also be necessary. It would be beneficial to dog and human alike, if tests could be developed to identify affected dogs as well as carriers of genetically inherited skin problems.

If anyone would like to contact me about any of the above, write: 4 Domenic Dr., Chelmsford, MA 01824 or call (508) 250-0139

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Advertising Tips

Do you see **RED** everytime you look at your photos?

More photo hints (and clarifications): When you attend a show, you may think that red is a nice flashy color that helps you stand out from the crowd, and it probably does. The problem doesn't show up until you take those excellent win photos and try to have them reproduced in black and white for an advertisement.

In most cases we either reduce or enlarge your photo (depending on what part of the photo you want to actually appear in your ad) and a black and white negative halftone image is made for use in the *Pomeranian Review*.

Through the black magic of photography, all shades of red reproduce darker than other colors! This means that your nice bright red outfit turns either black, or a very dark shade of grey!

To avoid this problem, **STAY AWAY FROM RED OUTFITS!** Also think about where the show will be held, and under what lighting conditions your photo will be taken.

Bright colors don't have to be red! You'll look just as sharp in a light yellow, blue, green, tan, etc. (if you are going to wear pink, make sure it's a very light shade). The

brightest color would be white, if you dare!

So now you're all prepared. You're wearing white, and you know your photo will come out fine against dark backgrounds, right? What happens when you find out your photo is about to be taken in front of a white tent, outdoors, or directly in front of a freshly painted white wall indoors! Be prepared! Bring along a darker sweater or jacket.

Many times you can't depend on the background at indoor shows. If you notice your photo is about to be taken without there being a colored wall or drape directly behind you (within ten feet or so), you can bet the background of the indoor flash photo will be dark. Wear light colors in this situation.

If you prepare for both light and dark backgrounds, and pay attention to the set-up of the where the photos are going to be taken (watch the group competing ahead of you), you'll know exactly what to do. Go in dressed in your light colored clothes, or put your darker jacket or sweater on before you enter the ring!

If you've been showing (and winning!) for a while you'll get a good confirmation of what we're saying by looking at your old show photos.

You'll really get a good feel for red shades if you've worn red in any of them and placed advertisements using the same photo for a black and white ad!

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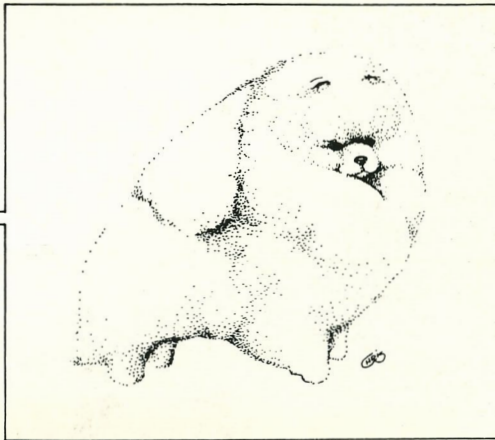
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Mignon Murray	12/16/90	Lehigh Valley KC	1 point
Charles Deer	01/12/91	Greater Lowell KC	1 point
Etta Orenstein	01/13/91	Merrick Valley	2 points

A heart felt thanks to Mary Florence & "the boys" (including the Bla'k) for making Rascal what he is today.

Onward to obedience!

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Can. Ch. Chriscendo Contender

(Ch. Chriscendo Calvin Klein x West's Destiny of Medallion)

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We salute Brad's sire Ch. Chriscendo Calvin Klein. Brad is a litter brother to Ch. Chriscendo Cloudbuster. He finished very quickly in Canada, with a Group 1st and several placements. Watch for him at U.S. shows this year.

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