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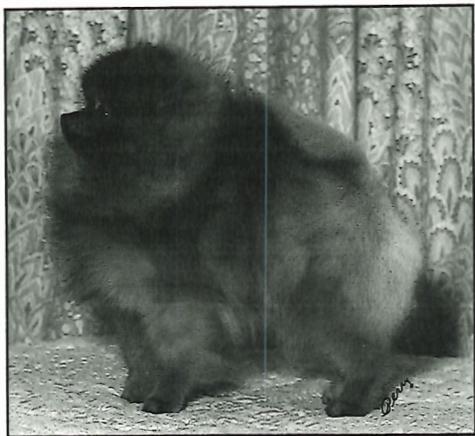
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Ch. Blake's Just Me And My Shadow

Cover Story

"Shad" received his first points on August 16, 1992, and finished his championship on October 24, 1992 at 10 months of age under Judge Helen Lee James and very, very stiff competition.

We would like to thank all of the judges for his wins, especially Jean Fancy and James Reynolds for his four-point majors.

Also, thank you Jackie Rayner for your expert handling and TLC. Shad and Jackie are impatiently waiting for new coat so that he can begin his specials career. Shad is standing at stud; call Jackie for details.

We would like to congratulate Marlene Penney and "Gator" on his big wins. Thanks Marlene for loving Gator.

Future Kennel Visits

July Issue...Dorothy Bonner of Bonner Pomeranians

September Issue...Charlotte Creed of Southland Pomeranians

Bonner Kennel Visit

Because Dorothy has been ill, Joan Reilly will write her kennel visit. Joan asks that you send anecdotes or other information that she can incorporate in the Visit. Dorothy will very much enjoy being remembered. Send to:

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Some flexibility possible in deadline. Prior notice required.

Reservations and Deposit required on all Covers

**Minutes of APC Board Meeting
Marriott Hotel, New York
February 5, 1993
Happeth Jones, Secretary**

President Mary Vickers called the meeting to order. In attendance were Mary Vickers, Al Williamson, Dave Watts, Happeth Jones, Sally Baugniat, Jean Schroll, Sam Zaneoff, Fran Stoll, and Margaret McKee. The minutes of the last meeting were read.

Committee reports:

Corresponding Secretary: (See General Membership Meeting).

Treasurer: Al Williamson reported that January, 1993, started with \$4,825.09 in checking. Total receipts were \$6,360.50. Total expenditures were \$527.86. Ending balance for January \$10,657.73. Savings account has \$7,303.89. Total assets at end of January are \$17,961.62.

Pomeranian Review: Dudley Roach reported that the Jan/Feb issue made a profit of \$1,418.29, and he expects to make around the same profit with the next issue. The printer will be billing APC directly. Dudley stated that the March issue is b/w but that the next five issues will be color. He said that the response for the smaller size has been tremendous.

Show Chairman: (See General Membership Meeting)

Awards Committee: (See General Membership Meeting)

Membership Committee: (See General Membership Meeting)

Public Relations: Lois Hamil reported that **Dog World** is not getting very good ad responses. The ads in **Dog Fancy** are getting excellent results. Fran still needs an updated breed booklet.

Penny and Jim Dees, Kelly Reimschiissel, Mitsuo and Marit Hattori were accepted for membership.

Unfinished Business:

*93-02-01: That the Recording Secretary carry motions through second readings even if they're accompanied by seconds, unless a deadline must be met. Yes 8 - no 1.

*93-02-02: That we let the issue of the poll stay as it is as Dudley has received enough comments so that we do not have to spend the extra money for a mail out. 9 yes - 1 no.

It was discussed that the statistics Jean is going to do in the **Review** must note that there is a difference between the APC awards system and the statistics.

New Business:

*93-02-04: Motion to drop the ad in **Dog World**. 10 yes - 0 no.

*93-02-05: Motion that Fran Stoll, as corresponding secretary, send a thank you letter to Brenda Hutton and Jerrie Freia for the marvelous work they have done. 10 yes - 0 no.

Dave Watts asked the Board if the Edna Girardot Trophy can be dropped as it is so difficult to deal with. Mary mentioned that there are some people who have two legs on it. Sam Zaneoff will check it out with AKC.

*93-02-06: Motion that we charge \$35.00 for first class PR for the next couple of issues and the new Board can decide if we need to get more. 8 yes - 2 no.

Mary Vickers asked the Board to come up with a list for AKC's "Committee on Criteria for Change in Appearance of a Dog by Artificial Means" questionnaire.

The Board spent time on the By-law revisions. Suggesting some changes and voting and approving Sections up through Article III, Section 2. The revisions will take further work and when final version is approved, they will be submitted to the membership.

**APC General Membership Meeting
Marriott Hotel, New York
February 6, 1993**

President Mary Vickers called the meeting to order. The minutes from the last year's membership meeting were read and approved.

Corresponding Secretary: Fran Stoll reported that she signed approval to hold Specialties for 22 Pom Clubs. She sent 18 letters to Judges, Club members and AKC. She sent out 365 information booklets; received 60 pieces of mail; and mailed and

received ballots for 1994 Judges and election of club officers and directors.

Treasurer's Report: Al Williamson reported that the annual financial report shows \$54,333.36 in receipts and \$49,795.99 in expenditures. Resulting in a profit for 1992 of \$4,537.37.

AKC Breeder Referral Contact: Brenda Segelken reported that she sends lists of breeders from the Roster. She asks that if one doesn't want to be on a list she must have this in writing.

APC Registrar: Jean Schroll gave out the awards for ROM, ROMX, and Gold Club for BIS wins.

Awards: Judy Shearer stated that her awards statisticians for the 1992 year were Evelyn Blake, Patty Griffin, and Linda Gallacher with Mary Vickers doing back up. Certificates were made and donated by Dudley Roach, conformation awards donated by the Ohio Pom Club and obedience awards were donated by Linda Gallacher all at no cost to the Club.

Local Club Committee: Diane Johnson stated that there is little response or interest from the local clubs for this committee.

Membership Committee: Mary Vickers read a lovely letter that Jerrie received from the son of Mrs. Tankesley of Dixieland Kennels.

Public Relations: Publicity has been placing ads for information in general on the Pomeranian breed and ads for the **Pomeranian Review** and APC in **Dog Fancy** and **Dog World**.

Show Chairman: Dolly Trauner said the show is not over so she reported on the TBR show. This activity brought in \$418.50.

Election: Fran Stoll read the results of the election. There were 260 ballots returned. The following were elected to office:

President, Dolly Trauner; First Vice-President, Emily Untalan; Second Vice-President, Jim Shearer; Treasurer, Al Williamson; Recording Secretary, Beverly Henry; Corresponding Secretary, Fran Stoll. The Directors are Sally Baugniet, Happeth

Jones, Sharon Masnick, Brenda Turner, Mary Vickers, and Margaret McKee.

The new officers then took office.

President's Message

by Dolly B. Trauner
2025 Lyon Street
San Francisco, CA 94115

In accepting the election to the post of President of APC, I addressed the membership as follows:

"The good ship APC, with Mary as its captain and a good crew aboard, has successfully navigated a two-year trip. There may have been troubled waters at times, but with skill, hard work, and due caution, the ship has reached safe harbor.

"We are about to embark on a new voyage, with a new skipper at the helm. However, many of the old crew will still be on board to help guide the ship through uncharted waters, and to avoid storms and shoals...so we won't run aground.

"It is **your** ship. It belongs to you all. This skipper and crew are here to do your bidding. We need your advice and instructions on the direction you want your ship to go...which new lands to visit, which new passengers to take on board.

We will do our best to serve you well, and to return your ship at the end of this voyage in as good a condition as we find it today."

Quite a few familiar faces return to the Board, or as Chairmen of a Standing Committee, such as the Bylaws and Standing Rules Revisions Committee chaired by Jean Schroll. The Breed Standard Committee is again chaired by Sally Baugniet, whose original work was never allowed to be completed due to pressure from AKC to meet the deadline for publication of the 1991 **Complete Dog Book**.

Our new Board Members are First Vice President, Emily Untalan, from Tigard, Oregon. Though relatively new in Pomeranians, Emily formerly owned and trained her own Labradors for Field Trial competition. She has had considerable business experience that will be an asset to the Club. Next is Second Vice President, Jim Shearer, from Sugarcreek, Ohio, whose wife Judy, continues as Chairman of the Awards Committee. A third new face is Beverly

Henry from Carrollton, Texas, in the position of Recording Secretary. Beverly is also the one to contact for information about the upcoming Summer Specialty in September--now being referred to as the Texas Jamboree for 1993. Can I learn to square dance in time to get in on the fun? In addition, we are pleased to welcome Directors Sally Baugniot, Sharon Masnick, Margaret McKee, Happeth Jones, Brenda Turner, and Mary Vickers.

Combining Health and Skin Disease under one heading, the new Chairman of the Health and Genetic Problems Committee will be Renee McGrath, DVM, MS, of Greenfield, IN. The Ways and Means Committee will be co-chaired by Mary Vickers and Peter Galindo.

As more and more members acquire home computers, many are discovering the ease, speed, and economy of communication with one another by means of an electronic bulletin board called Prodigy. It offers E-Mail for private correspondence and a public board for open discussion on a vast array of topics. I've been told that the Pom board is the most heavily used of any of the breed boards for serious subject matters, as well as just chit-chat.

Desktop publishing abilities are being acquired by some members. Dudley Roach, the **Pom Review's** new editor, demonstrated his ability with the Premium List and Catalog for the 1992 and 1993 Annual Specialties, but had prepared those items for NCPC for the past 3 or 4 years. So it was no surprise to those of us in his area that he could produce a magazine of the quality of the first issue of the **Pom Review** for 1993. We find Happeth Jones, Beverly Henry, Jerrie Freia, and Brenda Hutton, **Pom Review** Circulation Manager, also involved with desktop publishing, and there may be others not yet heard from. (Hellooo, out there! Let us know who you are!)

My main message to the membership is this: Please tell me what this administration can do to make you feel you are an important and needed participant in all this Club's activities. It is your Club, for without your membership the Club would not exist. It is the **American Pomeranian Club**, not the Club of any special region. I think the makeup of the new Board and the Committee appointments reflect this.



Membership Report

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STUD ISSUE

As you know, **July** has traditionally been the **Stud Issue** of the **Review**. Breeders look forward to this issue so that they can plan the special breeding which will produce the elusive Best in Show or High in Trial winner which we all strive for.

The **Review** is pleased to offer one-third page, 3-generation pedigree, and a picture of the dog for \$30.00.

This is money well spent because the **Review** goes to the majority of serious Pom breeders across the country. We hope you will take advantage of this opportunity to present your stud to the Pomeranian fancy.

Notice

Many of the Pom sketches used in the advertisements of this publication were drawn by Chris Hartz of Chriscendo Pomeranians. They cannot be used in any way other than in the Review.

Bev-Nor Pomeranians

Bev-Nor Poms offers puppies by our newest Group I and Specialty Winner Ch. Bev-Nor's Special Edition (son of Ch. Bev-Nor's Statesman--Top Producing Stud Dog--APC--1992). We also offer a stunning red orange daughter to a show home.

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Correction Page

Page 35...The Morans live in Astatula, Fl.

Page 30... A/C Ch. Rhynstone Ravishing Rick was BISS at the Pomeranian Club of Ontario not the Pomeranian Club of Canada.

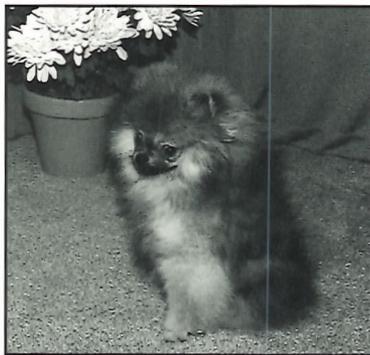
Page 37... The contact person for the Columbia Pomeranian Club is Jean Schroll 12950 New Era Road; Oregon City, OR 97045.

"Forever a Whole New World"

(Pictured at 5 months of age)



FOREVER YOURS Pomeranians



Abu's pedigree includes Ch. Odyssey's Keno Wiz, Ch. Great Elms Prince Charming II, and Ch. Chiscendo Cachet.

Congratulations Chris and John Heartz--your influence in Pom-dom is far and wide.

Marge Kranzfelder

(415) 572-0149

Odyssey Pomeranians

Award of Merit Winner at
Westminster Kennel Club, 1993



Ch. Odyssey's Shadow of Keno

Thank you, Judge Edd Bivin!

"Shadow" looks for a bright future.

More Keno kids starting this Spring.

Owner:
Agus Kosasih

Co-Owner / Breeder / Handler:
Janet Manuszak-Lucido
(209) 276-9443

Specialty Report

Dolly B. Trauner

It snowed most of Friday, the day before the 73rd Annual APC Specialty. The Show Committee, Board members and exhibitors began arriving to a warm welcome by the hotel staff. It seems they all love our little Poms and look forward to this annual event. Again, using the hotel's brass stanchions, Ground Chairman Jim Shearer measured out and attached handsome white plastic chain as ring rope, borrowed courtesy of the Ohio Pom Club. Judy, his wife, added gorgeous arrangements of red silk flowers and streamers to each stanchion. Chief Ring Steward, Julie Moreno, helped direct hotel staff in placing tables and chairs, while Ring Stewards Jean Schroll and Nancy Wharton checked on ring supplies. Trophy Chairman Sally Bagniet arranged the Club's drape over the hotel's tiered tables, and with assistant Maureen Quinlan began unpacking the array of trophies to be given out over the next two days. Mary Vickers held her last Board meeting, but much of the business was deferred for the new Board's attention.

Saturday dawned sparkling clear and bitter cold. Ice was everywhere underfoot and parkways had turned into toboggan runs. Some were closed due to multiple pileups, causing delays everywhere. Stewards for the Obedience ring were again supplied by courtesy of the Obedience Stewards' Club. A trip usually taking one hour for Obedience Chairman Marie Carlough took three hours this time. Obedience Judge Pat Scully graciously accommodated to the late arrival of the jumps and proceeded with judging some classes out of order until Marie arrived with the equipment. Ms. Scully made the Obedience instructive and enjoyable for exhibitors and spectators by her detailed explanation of the nature and purposes of the various exercises being performed.

A leisurely lunch break ensued before the first classes of Sweepstakes were called. Sweepstakes judge Dianne Johnson was patient and gentle with those youngsters still unsure and not yet able to take it all in stride. The quality of the 44 entries was such that it must have been difficult to pick winners from among so many that deserved to win.

The event that everyone had been looking forward to, the 2nd Annual Tack Box Rat Show, was next on the schedule. Wendy Feist, whose fame as a TBR judge was not yet widely known, adjudicated on an entry

whose quality ranged from the sublime to the ridiculous! An outstanding entry was Happie Jones' Ch. Liber-Ratchee, dressed in flowing white satin cape and seated at his piano--complete with candelabra; the whole ensemble on its tractable stage. Another hot contender from Louisiana whose name I didn't catch was a delinquent renegade from a Hell's Angels motorcycle mob. Dressed in *de rigueur* black leather pants and jacket, he cut capers on his down-sized Harley Davidson that would turn Evil Knieval pea green with envy. Neither of these multiple BIS winners took home the cheese (so to speak). The nod for top spot went to a homebred whose handler, Peter Galindo, outdid all others in style and manner of presentation--not to say, in bribing the judge!

A cash bar at the lower level gave all a chance for refreshment and relaxation before trooping into the meeting room for potluck snacks and the Annual Meeting, the Minutes of which appear elsewhere in this issue. The newly elected Officers and Directors were introduced to the members present. Following adjournment of the Annual Meeting, the new Board held its first meeting, the Minutes of which also appear in this issue.

Frank Oberstar's first assignment was an entry of 4 in Junior Showmanship, followed by the Regular and Non-Regular classes for the breed. The wins in all segments of this Specialty are listed elsewhere. Suffice it to say that the Pom world can be proud of the quality of dogs, and the caliber of showmanship, exhibited once again at this top annual event for our breed. Ch. Starfire's Totally Tempting, bred and owned by Jose Cabrera, and presented by Pamela Campbell, was Mr. Oberstar's choice for the top spot over others with enviable win records.

The banquet this year was conducted buffet style. The only complaint heard was that the selection of desserts ran out of Pecan Pies too soon! I don't know if anyone tried the bread pudding for which the Marriott is famous; I had it in the restaurant the next day and it is mmmmm-mmmm good. Judy Shearer presented the awards for the Top Winners, Top Breeders and Top Exhibitors--and other certificates for the numerous new championships and obedience titles earned by our members. There remained a number of items from the Silent Auction table, one of them an original painting by Audrey Roberts of Poms in the Kitchen--one of them trying to drink milk out of an old fashioned milk bottle (Ma, I thought all milk came in cardboard cartons!). As auctioneer, Peter Galindo

gallantly rose to the occasion and whipped the crowd into a frenzy of bidding, sending Olga Baker home with a red sweatshirt bearing the logo for "Obedience University" emblazoned in white on its front.

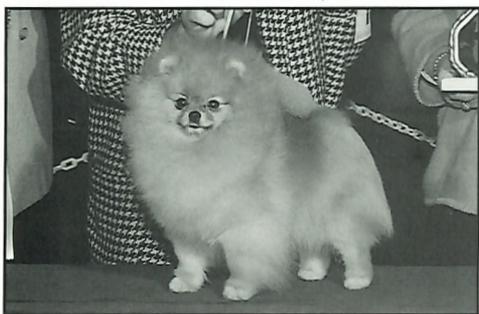
So ended the 73rd Annual Specialty and Meeting--the 4th one held at the LaGuardia Marriott Hotel. It would appear that, again, there was no financial loss on the event. A detailed financial report is being prepared and will be published.



Winners Bitch
Dar's Foxridge Ming's Cendree



Best of Breed
Ch. Starfire's Totally Tempting



Best of Opposite Sex
Ch. Chriscendo Classica



Winners Dog, Best of Winners
Absolute's Magic Mountain

Sweepstakes Judging Critique

by Dianne Johnson

I look forward each year to the American Pomeranian Club Specialty. This year was extra special for me because you the members voted to have me judge the Sweepstakes. What an honor to be respected by your peers enough to have them want your opinion of their darling puppies and hopeful up and coming champions.

I look forward each year to seeing friends and colleagues from across this wonderful nation, who are dedicated to the Pomeranians. Friday, as we prepared to leave for New York the weather was beautiful, warm (for February) and sunny. Saturday and Sunday the weather left a lot to be desired, but who cared? We didn't have to leave the hotel. Monday was again sunny but a lot cooler--nice for traveling.

Saturday, as I watched the first class file into the ring, I thought WOW! These really look nice--then as I started examining them individually, I must say I was impressed. All the puppies I placed and several of the ones I didn't place should have very proud parents. I'm sure that most of them will finish their championships.

The winner of my 6-9 puppy class was Wee Heart's Fan the Flames bred by Cassandra Ready Evans and owned by Cassandra and Marlene and Marlin Presser, a very nicely put together Pom of heavy sable color with good balance and movement. He seemed to be a little more interested in playing and pitching woo with the ladies when he came back in the ring for best in Sweeps than he did in showing. Many times I have had puppies (especially young male puppies) completely forget all their training when they entered the

ing. But I loved his spirit; I thought he was marvelous.

My first place 9-12 puppy dog was Someday Ieza Corker bred by Lorene Bradbury and owned by Lorraine Hartup. He is a heavy coated orange with a beautiful head and expression; he moved nice and was showing nicely, and he was ultimately my Best Opposite Sex in Sweepstakes.

The 6-9 bitch class was my largest class as well as having the most quality puppies. I wish I could have given more than just four ribbons in this class. My winners was Suber's Impressive Indeed bred by Suzanne Berney and owned by Sue and Diana Downey. She is a lovely orange sable in beautiful condition and showing as if she had been doing it all her life. She had to work hard to win this class because all placements were in close contention for first prize. She was also in close contention for Best in Sweeps.

When the 9-12 bitch class walked into the ring, my eyes immediately went to a beautiful orange lady that was practically hollering, "Hey, look me over!" When it was her turn on the table, I was even more impressed. What a lovely bitch! I would have loved to stick her in my pocket and headed for home. She was G. Elms Little Mandy Gal V Watts bred by Ruth Beam and owned by Dolores Watts. She was my Best in Sweepstakes.

As I was judging this Sweepstakes, my heart began to fill with pride about the achievements of you, the Pomeranian breeders. You are doing a marvelous job improving the quality of our wonderful Poms. Type was exceptional so judging was not reduced to sifting through the dogs of type trying to find soundness. I found on the whole heads to be very nice with good expressions and pretty faces and very appealing. Coats were good overall; the quality was not too cotton like, and on the most part good condition. The rears have improved quite a bit over the years making it a pleasure not to be standing in a ring full of cowhocks.

There are two areas that definitely need the attention of dedicated breeders. They are bites and low in shoulders.

I was a little disappointed in the number of bad bites I found. Remember an undershot mouth is a major fault and overshot is a minor fault. I also found a few wry mouths. This is an important undertaking for Pom breeders. Teeth can be a problem in toy dogs. To begin with their small sized muzzle can cause a problem with placement of teeth as well as quality of dentition. Don't forget there are dogs with excellent dentition as well as good

bites, and good teeth are inherited so make that an important part of your overall requirements when choosing your stud dogs and brood bitches.

I urge Pom breeders to recognize the problem of "low in shoulders" and work diligently to correct such an unappealing structural fault. This fault throws the whole balance of the dog out of kilter and destroys the overall movement. It keeps the head and neck from flowing smoothly into the shoulder and destroys the topline. End of soap box.

I had someone question me, so I will tell you my theory about Pomeranian size. If I have before me a Pom that has good type, structure, and movement and no major faults, I don't care if it weighs 3 pounds or 7 pounds, it is within the standard and should not be discriminated against because of personal preference to large or small Poms.

As I close this letter, I want to thank you all from the bottom of my heart for such a wonderful time in the Big Apple at the American Pomeranian Club, Inc. 73rd Annual Specialty.



**Best in Puppy Sweepstakes
G Elms Little Mandy Gal V Watts**



**Best Veteran in Sweepstakes
Ch. Homestead's Spit 'N Polish**







TBR Show Critique

by Wendy Feist

I was honored to be allowed to judge this year's Tack Box Rat Show. My very capable ring stewards were Carolyn Crockett and Olga Baker. These fine ladies kept things orderly and kept me on my toes. They filled in as cooper scoopers and garbage collectors, and, or some unknown reason, spectators felt a need to toss some in the ring. All of which was very recyclable.

There were many lovely rats to choose from this year. My favorite was a difficult one, but alas, I could only choose one best rat! My choice was a stylish, yet pleasantly simple specimen owned by new Second Vice-President Jim Shearer. This rat has a profuse coat and proper nose and tail. With a most proper set of feet a judge has yet to judge!

My best Opposite Sex to Best of Breed went to a bedazzling beauty owned by Erika Moreau. This rat bitch I must say was dressed to the nines!

My Winners rat and Best of Winners rat went to a very unusual specimen to judge. Both owner and rat were a unique team to say the least. My Winners Bitch rat was a lovely blue specimen owned by Patricia Foley, who as we all know is famous for her exotics, and in the rat show she was true to form.

I must thank Julie Moreno for all her assistance in the collecting of fines and other unmentionables. Show Chairperson, Dolly Trauner, was the best! She made it a special event. She provided rats (at a fee of course) to those who forgot theirs. She and her helpers took entries and the list goes on! As new APC President, she will truly get the job done! This pair had some truly insightful advice.

I am proud to announce that this year's TBR show earned the APC a record breaking \$418.50! We all had a fun time, and it was through the participation of all involved that made it an event to remember.

The overall quality of my entries was fantastic. A few areas could be worked on. Looser leads, no scissoring, no rats smoking, no hair weaves, and dyeing of rats needs to be worked on. I did have a great concern over the lack of exhibitors knowing the sex of their

rats! Come on, People, it's just a matter of knowing the birds and bees! Gosh! And for those who don't know all rats must be spayed or neutered! This is very disruptive as you well know how prolific this breed is--stud servicing in the rings is forbidden!

My list of more memorable fines: (I hesitate to list, but in fairness to those who asked for it, here it is.)

- **Stealing.** This was a problem this year. The fine was one to five dollars depending on the number of offenses.
- **Touching.** A few exhibitors had a problem keeping their hands to themselves. Need I say more?
- **Obscene language and gestures.** You know who you were. Such carried a five dollar fine for each offense.
- **Assaulting the judge.** This is a \$10.00 fine and no exceptions. (The judge has healed nicely.)
- **Criticizing the judge by exhibitor or onlooker.** This offense carried a fine, each fine given according to the comment.
- **Making the judge blush.** This carried a five dollar fine.
- **Grooming a non-rat.** This rule was strictly enforced and carried a one dollar fine.

This event encourages good, not so clean fun! For those who don't know how all this works, here it is. The spectators and the exhibitors alike are encouraged to bribe the judge and ring stewards as this action can weigh heavily on the judge's decision! The standard will be available later in the year. I am pleased to announce that I am chairing this event next year in New York! The trophies will be big, big, big! You will all be surprised so save your dollars and get to work on your prospects! If you would like to donate to the trophy fund, or have a trophy you would like to donate, let me know. All will be mentioned in the premium list and catalog.

Ringside involvement was outstanding, and I want to thank you all. I'll never forget it! The time just flew by. I hear it took two hours to judge this event. It must be remembered that this is an important fund raiser for our Club! And we all have a good time in the process, and next year....well...stay tuned and watch your mail boxes for details for next year.

Obedience News

by
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I have had no correspondence from readers recently, but the **Gazette Awards** issues brought news of heavy Pom obedience activity October through December.

My own dogs have had somewhat of a vacation from training lately. Pogo had a problem with the skin on the pads of his feet actually peeling off, leaving raw spots that were painful for him to walk on. My Vet has still not found the cause, but Pogo's feet are finally doing better. Bizzy was spayed. I had decided not to breed her again until she had earned her UD. Then I realized that she would be way too old to whelp puppies when that momentous day occurred! I had the surgery done while she was in a sweet, loving, eager-to-please mood. Someone told me that I might lock in these personality traits! I can only hope!!! At the Columbia Pomeranian Club Specialty we had a breakthrough! She not only jumped the Bar jump--she jumped it twice. The following weekend, I thought we might actually have a chance. However, Bizzy had other ideas. When I sent her for her glove on the directed retrieve exercise, she ran out to the correct glove, sniffed it, stared at it for a moment...and then ran happily back to me without the glove. Incidentally, she did a beautiful job on the rest of the exercises, including the directed jumping!

The Columbia Pomeranian Club Specialty had only myself and Ann Griffith entered with 4 dogs in the regular classes. This was not a large enough entry for a qualifying leg, not that it mattered. None of our dogs managed to earn a qualifying score. Our two non-regular entries and Ann's brace did a nice job. My "Sundae" (Sunswept Hot Fudge Sundae UD) was High Non-Regular from the Veterans Class closely followed by Ann's Ollie Blue Bluster CD from Graduate Novice. Ollie will be out in Open very soon.

Alice Lessard has a new puppy in her life. I understand that this little "Keno" son is just dynamite! Be watching for "Odyssey's Just Do It" in both the conformation and obedience rings. Alice says little "Nike" is just what she had been looking for. Another dog that could excel in both rings!

Exciting news! Another Pom has earned her UD! Lindsey of Dover-Holihouse UD finished with 5 qualifying scores in October

and November after earning her first leg June. I met Lindsey when she was just puppy. At the time she belonged to Diane Bauman (owner/trainer of OTCH Noah's Ab Ka Dabra). Diane was in Washington to do seminar and had brought Lindsey along. Being very "into" partis, I was very taken with the orange and white girl. Congratulations to owner Bonnie Buchanan!

Lindsey is the second dog bred by Kathryn Hartz and Patricia Foley to finish a UD (Sandy Winchatz's Dover-Holihouse Fire N' Ice finished in '91.) These ladies have been very supportive of obedience, not just in placing many good dogs in obedience homes, but also offering wonderful obedience prizes at a number of specialty shows. I'm sure all Pom obedience exhibitors join me in offering these two a big thank you!

Two other dogs have earned their Utility leg. "Penny Lane Is In MY Heart CDX" earned second leg with a 184 and first place (this dog earned its first leg with a 192.5 which was also first place). I have this dog listed with two different owners. Does anyone have any further information they can send me on this dog? She was shown in Tennessee and Alabama last fall. "Driftwood Love That Boy CDX" owned by Marian Lazzara earned his first Utility leg in style with a score of 196 and first place. They defeated 40 other dogs in the Utility A class! Super job, Marian!

New Obedience Titles from the January and February **Gazette** are as follows:

New UD:

Lindsey of Dover-Holihouse UD owned by Bonnie Buchanan and bred by Kathryn Hartz and Patricia Foley earned their UD with a 2nd, 3rd, and 4th placement from Utility A. Super job, Bonnie!

New CDX:

Miss Royal Red CDX owned by Earl and Vivian Anderson, bred by Stanley and Diane Hall finished her CDX with 3 first placements and 2 second placements. This great team has just finished their CD in November of '91! Can't wait to see how they do in Utility!

Pomirish Sugar Cane CDX owned by Marian Lazzara and Sally Baugniet and bred by Sally finished with scores in the 190's and a first and fourth placement. Marian is keeping herself busy with a dog in Utility and one in Open. She also co-owns one the new CD's but I don't know if she showed it or not. Let me know Marian! You have done your usual great job of training these dogs.

Silver Meadows Beau Jangles CDX owned

by Eleanor and Charley Hamilton and bred by Jacquelyn Klein finished their CDX from the Open B class with scores in the 180's. Congratulations!

New CD:

Annon's Peterbilt CD owned by Jerusha Furvin and bred by Ann Cannon really burned up the rings competing for their CD. They earned 2 firsts, 3 seconds, and 1 fourth inough, east coast competition! I have watched Jerusha competing at Gaines events with her OTCH Border Collie. This will be a team to watch.

Benjamin's Licorice Kisses CD is owned by Gail Culver and bred by Tina Vaughan. This team earned their title with scores of 185, 189, and 189.5 from Novice B. I met this pair at the Timberland Valley KC show last fall. Ben is a darling little Pom with a very unusual Brindle coloring. Gail hopes to have Ben trained for Open this year. Keep up the good work you two.

Ellie Mae's Chubby Checkers CD is owned and bred by Eleanor Wolfe. I wrote about this beautiful little black and white Parti in the last issue. Good luck in Open, Ellie Mae!

Gregory's Egyptian Princess CD is owned by Rosemary and Gregory Evans and bred by Joann Shifflett. This little lady finished her CD from the Novice A class with scores in the 180's. The Evans are now showing another dog in Novice and we'll soon be hearing about another CD! We'll look forward to seeing you in Open!

Meaghan O'Flaherty CD owned by Judith Niles and bred by Carolyn Elliott finished their CD from the Novice A class with scores of 190.5, 180, and 177. Good job.

Menage Sonata Foxy Lady CD is owned by Sulie Greendale-Paveza, Lori Fink, and Marian Lazarra and was bred by Lori Fink. I'm not sure which of the owners is showing this dog. They have done a really nice job, with scores in the 190's and a first place from the Novice B class. Well done!

Rusticglen's Zippity-Doo-Dah CD is owned by Jodie Durbin and bred by Dawn and Jane Consic. I love the name. This team finished their CD with scores in the 190's and 2 fourth placements from Novice B.

Sunswept Fifty Fifty CD is owned and bred by me. I wrote about Panda in the last issue.

Please let me hear from you!



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Thank you to all the Judges for the recognition you've given Jackie.

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Bam Bam, Pictured with Frank G. Nishimura, and handler, Madeline Patterson, after taking Toy Group I on 1/22/93 at the Tualatin Kennel Club Show. Thank you, Mr. Nishimura. Many thanks to all the "Oregon aunts and uncles" who made this win possible. Without your participation, this would not have been as wonderful and thrilling.

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Ch. Kneisler's Toasty Miz Kayla

Kayla is pictured here with handler Patsy Wade, PHA. Thank you Patsy and Judi for her last 8 points. I would also like to thank the following judges for seeing a Champion in her: M. Bryant, A. Czech, J. Sturm, S. Thorn, and B. Brooks.

Kayla is my first Champion for the year with several more close behind her! Watch for us at the Spring and Fall shows.

I have a few promising puppies available to the proper homes--mainly nicely bred Bev-Nor, but also a few nicely bred LLL / Millamor pups.

See Pedigree in Behind the New Titlists.

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Showing Dogs: A Miss America with Fur Contest

by Kristi Shearer

My mother-in-law, God rest her sanity, likes dogs--little dogs. Dom Deluises, or something like that. Her mother has a bumper sticker on her car that says, "Ask me about my raddogs."

Now, I really am a dog lover, but these ty-bitty things are not dogs. They are fur balls with eyes. I have lymph nodes bigger than these things.

I like big dogs because you can squeeze 'em and hug 'em. If you squeeze and hug these little buggers, you end up with Pomeranian jelly in your hand.

When I hadn't been married too long, I made the mistake of telling my mother-in-law that I had always wanted a St. Bernard.

"Oh, yuck!" she said. "Do you want some ugly, hairy thing slobbering all over you?"

"I married your son, didn't I?"

And that's another thing that makes me mad.

My mother-in-law also breeds these dogs. She takes her females to other breeders for stud service and provides her own stud service.

Well, in lieu of paying a huge stud fee, I decided to marry Kim instead. When I expressed dissatisfaction with her son, my mother-in-law refused to take him back.

"What do you want from me?" she asked. "You got two good breedings out of him."

Yeah, in 10 years of marriage.

My in-laws travel all over taking their dogs to dog shows. If you're unfamiliar with dog showing, just think of it as Miss America with fur and a strange "perfume."

I remember the first time my mother-in-law had a dog qualify as a champion. There was champagne and food, good cheer and laughter--for her. I could just imagine what her mother was thinking: "Look at Miss Leashjerker over there. Living it up, while I'm imprisoned

in this stupid thing. How come I do all the work and she gets all the fun. Maybe she's just jealous that I'm prettier than she is."

If a Martian were to land in the middle of a dog show, with all the Air Streamer campers, grooming paraphernalia and assorted canines and their owners, they'd have quite a tale to tell their leaders. I can just imagine their report:

"The Earthlings have a curious way of dealing with their young offspring. To begin with they put them on long cord-like things they call leashes, parade them around other Earthlings, who then choose their favorite. These 'favorites' are then shoved into a small carton-like object while the older Earthlings gorge themselves on food and beverage."

What would happen if the dogs decided to turn the tables on us? I can imagine my mother-in-law standing on one of the exhibition tables having her legs and teeth checked and evaluated. In fact, I think I'd rather like to see her in that position. I think I'd kinda like to be the judge even.

If dogs ruled the world, these are things we just might see:

- President George Keeshond would promise two fire hydrants in every garage.
- Our Vice-President might even have an intelligent thought in his head.
- The hit shows of the season might be "Designing Dams," "Home Training Improvement," and "Knots-in-my-Fur Landing."

Oh gosh. Think I'll quit now. I'm "dog tired" and suffering from "flea-bitis."



Future Kennel Visits

July Issue...Dorothy Bonner of Bonner Pomeranians

September Issue...Charlotte Creed of Southland Pomeranians

Tresstique Poms



Tresstique Dawn of Merimaur
(Ch. Chriscendo Calvin Klein x Apple's Traveling Jewel)

My thanks to Judge Charles Deer for appreciating Dawn's good quality!

Dear Jessica:

Congratulations Jessica on your many wins in the Junior ring and your professional handling in the Breed ring.

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Three generation pedigrees of new Pomeranian Titlists belonging to members of the American Pomeranian Club will be printed free if sent in by the owner. Please send the dog's name, sex, owner's name, city, and state, and breeder's name on a separate sheet of paper, typed or printed neatly. Please send copies of pedigrees that don't need to be returned. Mail all information to the Editor.

Ch Absolute's Magic Mountain

Orange Male
Breeder: Robert and Jeanne Blank
Owner: Robert and Jeanne Blank

Ch Bev-Nor's Statesman
Ch Rhea-Na's Country DJ of Jan-Shar
Rhea-Na's Rhapsody in Red

Ch Jan-Shar's Mountain Dew

Ch Model's Timstopper's Echo
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Ch Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge

Ch Bev-Nor's Toastmaster
Bev-Nor's Missy Miss

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Ch Bev-Nor's N Southland's Rambo
Jan-Shar's Semi Sweet
Shell Bark's Jessee Coulter

Ch Glen Iris Mr Ambassador

Red Sable Male
Breeder: C.A. Jackson / J.M. Taylor
Owner: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson

Ch Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge
Ch Southland's Toasted Fudge
Ch Southland's Happy Birthday Bil

Ch Southland's Mr VIP O'Ida

Ch Bev-Nor's Toastmaster
Ida's Princess of Bev-Nor
Ida's Magnolia Blossom
Ch Cedarwood's Image of Diamond
Ch Sharel's Southern Diamond
Sharel's Southern Belle

Jamel's Texas Kala of Sharel

Ch Southland's Fudge Generation
Jamel's Precious Miracle Girl
Sharel's Tootie of Sunkist

Ch Glen Iris Academy Award

Red Sable Male
Breeder: C.A. Jackson / J.M. Taylor
Owner: Janet Cox

Ch Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge
Ch Southland's Toasted Fudge
Ch Southland's Happy Birthday Bil

Ch Southland's Mr VIP O'Ida

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Ida's Princess of Bev-Nor
Ida's Magnolia Blossom
Ch Cedarwood's Image of Diamond
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Ch Tim-Sue's Sparkling Lights

Orange Female
Breeder: Tim and Sue Goddard
Owner: C.A. Jackson / J.M. Taylor

Ch Millamor's Rock Music
Ch Millamor's Rock Concert
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Ch Chriscendo City Lights ROMX

Ch Millamor's Rock Medallion
Ch Chriscendo Chatelaine
Mercer's Melodee Touch
Ch Jolly Wee I'm A Pepper Too
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Ch Jolly Wee Joy of Peppi

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Ch Jolly Wee Macho of Moon Rock
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*We invite our Readers to express their views on all
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Ch Glen Iris Distant Rider

Orange Male
Breeder: C.A. Jackson / J.M. Taylor
Owner: Nina Berry

Ch Millamor's Rock Concert
Ch Chriscendo City Lights
Ch Chriscendo Chatelaine

Ch Tim Sue's Distant Lights

Jolly Wee Duke of the West
Tim Sue's Duchess Sabrina
Ch Tim Sue's Angel Sabrina
Ch Texican's Wee Will O'Mee-Gee
Ch Mee-Gee's Touch of Frost
Ch Brashear's Beau Squirt

Ch Glen Iris Fantasy Frost

Ch Chriscendo Western Express
Wee Heart's Glen Iris Fantasia
Wee Heart's Shady's Shasta

Ch Glen Iris Castle Secret

Orange Female
Breeder: Jackson / Taylor / Stewart
Owner: Maria Kneisler

Ch Texican's Wee Will O'Mee-Gee
Ch Mee-Gee's Masterpiece, CD
Stansoe's Hidden Treasure

Ch Glen Iris Ivanhoe

Ch Chriscendo Western Express
Cherokee's Autumn Orange
Luell's Scarlet O'Hairy
Ch Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge ROMX
Ch Bev-Nor's Toastmaster ROMX
Bev-Nor's Missy Miss ROM

Ch Janesa's Glen Iris Sorceress

Ch Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge ROMX
Bev-Nor's Janesa Toast
Bev-Nor's Missy Miss ROM

Ch Lynnwright's Misery

Orange Female
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Ch Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge
Ch Bev-Nor's Statesman
Bev-Nor's Tess

Ch Bev-Nor's Nuttin-To-It

Ch Great Elms Timstopper Too
Bev-Nor's Missy Miss
Great Elms Honey Bun
Ch Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge
Ch Bev-Nor's Statesman
Bev-Nor's Tess

Ch Bev-Nor's Some Like It Hot

Ch Great Elms Lil Man of Lenette
Bev-Nor's Sparkling Sherry
Molly of Lenette

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Bev-Nor's Sweet and Sassy

Ch Southland's Toasted Fudge ROMX

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Ch Southland Happy Birthday Bil
Ch Bev-Nor's Fudge Delight
Ch Moreno's Critics' Choice
Moreno's Singleton by Choice
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Shamrock's Tarbubble V Allayn

Ch Shamrock's Little Image Maker
Shamrock's Ebony Angel O'Image
Gold Gem's Sabrina Sunrise

Ch BoJay's General Jackson

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Owner: Linda Florer

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Ch Sun-Dot's Ramboling Gambolor
Rommel's Ramboling Tease

Ch Sun-Dot's Ramboling On

Ch Sun-Dot's Ramboling Man
Sun-Dot's Ramboling Sunshine
Sun-Dot's Crystal Belle
Ch Sun-Dot's Strut N Strut
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Pom-Pourri

(Pom News from the United Kingdom and Europe)

by Miss Eve Smail

I am delighted to be able to add something new to the already excellent **Pomeranian Review**. Let me introduce myself to you. I am a British Breeder of some eighteen years in Poms and live in Scotland just outside Edinburg. My **Toybox, Reg.** Poms have achieved many top awards in the UK, and I have several top Champions around the world. Hopefully I can bring you news and views from outside the USA and bring to you items of interest which all Pom lovers love to hear.

It is Christmas Eve as I write, and most British Pom breeders are looking forward to **Crufts Dog Show**, which is the start and highlight of our showing year. To those who have never been to the UK and especially **Crufts**, our shows are on a huge scale despite the size of our country. Most all Breed Championship Shows will have an entry of about 10,000 to 14,000 dogs, and they are held over three and sometimes four days, with different Groups of combinations of Groups on each day. Crufts is held in Birmingham, about 100 miles from London, over four days, and the entry is about 16,000 dogs. There 156 Poms entered under Breed Judge Mr. S. Findlay-Bissitt (Cygol Poms).

The National Exhibition Centre is a huge complex which amply houses both exhibitors and the many stalls which exhibit every thing doggy you can imagine. The huge scale of the show makes it breathtaking. It was held in London for many years, but this new venue makes life much easier for parking, and the like.

You cannot just enter Crufts; your dog has to qualify at a Championship show throughout the year. A first or second in one of three age classes, or a first, second, or third in the higher classes is required. Easy you might think, but at every Championship show in the UK, you will get between 60 and 150 dogs present on that day, so winning is not so easy. Breeders are also Championship Judges. Who better to judge them than those who breed them. Let me explain the UK system of finishing, or "making up" a Champion. We have 6-9 months puppy, 6-12 month puppy, 6-18 months Junior, Post Graduate, Limit, and Open for each sex. Post Grad and limit are classes which you must not enter a Champion

or dogs which have won a certain number of firsts. Open is the class where all Champions and dogs reaching their Championships have to go. We have no Specials Class. In order to become a Champion in the UK your male female has to beat every other Pom of the sex on that day, including Champions, so you can see how a British Champion is a prized dog which may have had to beat upward dogs!

Class winners come in and compete for a Challenge Certificate or "CC" and you need three under three different judges to become a Champion. There is a Reserve CC offered, but this does not count to a Championship and is used, only should the CC winner be disqualified, to show who the judge considered next in line.

We may also show our dogs in South Ireland. There, the system is a little different. Instead of Challenge Certificates, they are awarded **Green Stars**. These range from one point up to ten points, with five and ten being majors. You need 40 points for a Champion and again all Champions compete against all dogs entered. You may be proud to hear that my own **American and Irish Champion Muller Kazar Sungold Illusion at Toybox** was the top Pom there to date with my own **Irish Champion Toybox Bubbling Over**, being knocked off the top spot by him. Illusion was sent to me by your own Anna LaFortune. Bubbling Over is now in the USA with Ly Heise of Texas, so it really is hands across the water. When you win a Group over here, it is really something as the Toy Group has all members competing, and the number of Toy dogs at a Championship show is 2,000 to 4,500. Group wins do not count towards a Championship in the UK, but they do in Ireland, although they do count towards Dog of the Year and Top Dog.

I will have a six-hour drive to Crufts and an overnight stay. I will spend a lot of money, get tired, and have sore feet. Before the six-hour drive home, I will swear NEVER to do it again...until next year. I will write you an account of the show next time. Pom lovers are the same all around the world; we wish our lives away waiting until that very special new puppy can make it into the ring and want to pack it all in when things go wrong. At the end of the day, we are all still there, thinking, doing, and talking Poms. I hope to talk Pom with all of you soon.

BAYOU VIEW

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Ch. Bayou View Brass Bandit

"**Bandit**" is our most recent Breeder / Owner handled Champion. He finished by taking **Breed** over top specials for a 5-point Major under Mr. Robert Moore (pictured). Special thanks to ringside for noticing him and complimenting us on his super quality, movement, and showmanship. We thank the following judges for appreciating this nice black and tan boy: Shirley Thomas, 3 points; Roy Keiser, 1 point; J. D. Russell, 2 points; Mrs. George Wanner, 1 point; Betty Moore, 1 point; Eleanor Rotman, 2 points; Marilyn Ellis, 3 points; Robert Moore, 5 points.

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JOHN LEWIS

ADAM VERRETT

Color Genetics as Applied to the Pomeranian, Part III

by Shirley Hoffman

For the more than 27 years I have been in the fancy, misunderstanding and confusion have been synonymous with the term "beaver." No one appears to know anything about it. Many attempted to attach significance to the color of the wild beaver. That is futile because the color of that rodent differs from area to area. To my knowledge, the term is not used to describe a color in any other breed although the color is accepted in several of them. It is time to remove the mystery to a degree which leaves no room for doubt.

The present standard says, "The beaver dog is a dark beige." It further states, "eye rims and nose should be self-colored in blues or browns." It neglects to specify that beaver belongs in the brown class. If a standard is going to recognize a color, at least let it describe this color so it may be understood and recognized. Above all, make it a color which is possible in nature. No wonder there is confusion.

One point must be clearly established! The beaver dog is liver, or if you prefer, chocolate in genetic constitution. He can never produce black in any part of the body: ie, coat, skin, nose, lips, eye rims, pads, or nails. He is a chocolate dog belonging to the yellow series, which means he can be any intensity from rich chestnut red through the oranges, and because of the gene c^{ch} to cream, to light lemon yellow if influenced by ee in which case there would be little or no shading (dark to light) on the undersides of the body.

If the animal is orange because of the gene a^v , he can be light orange or a rich red orange with varying degrees of light shading. If the dog is sable in constitution, he will have chocolate tipping on the guard hairs instead of black because he cannot produce black: ie, chocolate-sable, and also showing shading to lighter hues on the underside of the body and tail. Some persist in the belief that beaver can be only chocolate-sable; this is untrue and those ideas should be corrected.

All of these colors are accompanied by varying degrees of liver pigment in the nose, eye rims, and lips ranging from deep pink, fawn, tan, and shades of brown, depending on the degree of dilution exerted by the bb dilution genes. As a general rule, nose color will be more intense in the puppy than in the adult.

Since bb dilution genes affect pigment in all areas of the body, eye color will range from

amber to brown, will be generally lighter color than those of orange, red, and sable dogs with black noses. Burns and Fraser: "A dog which has the formula bb apparently cannot produce any black pigment anywhere in the body; it is, therefore, no use in breeding demanding a black nose or the very dark eyes in such dogs. In fact, in all breeds in which liver is permitted, the standard of points permits brown noses and lighter eyes with the coat color. Rather illogically, the same concession is not always made to liver-nosed yellow dogs: eg, Cocker Spaniels."

Breeders and judges have been conditioned to discriminate against anything but black points on sable, red, and cream Pomeranians; therefore, a beaver is rejected as having poor pigment, scoffed at as being inferior because of his light nose, eye rims, and eyes. They do not have enough genetic knowledge to recognize what they are looking at.

Twenty-three years ago, a breeder of 50 years experience, pointed out to me a Pomeranian with a coat the color of a ripe apricot with liver points as being an excellent beaver specimen. Beaver, then, is any shade of lemon, cream, orange, red, or chocolate sable in which no black hairs appear anywhere on the coat. Nose and eye rim color range from deep pink to shades of brown. Somewhat lighter eyes are permitted.

Summary of Genes

A Series

(A^s) allows the distribution of dark pigment over the whole body surface (Type--Newfoundland, Chesapeake Bay Retriever) black, chocolate, and blue Pom depending on influence of genes other than A^s of course.

(A^v) restricts markedly the areas of pigment and in its most complete expression produces a clear sable or tan dog. (Type--Basenji, Irish Terrier) Sable in this instance does not necessarily refer to the term "sable" as described in the Pomeranian Standard, but rather to all shades of yellow fawn through gold to dark mahogany and may or may not have a few dark or black hairs scattered over the whole body or restricted to certain areas. It may also include individuals which have hair with some dark topping.

(A^b) produces the bicolor varieties (black and tan, liver and tan, and the like). All c



BIS Ch. Absolute's Magic Mountain
Trophy Presenter Fran Stoll

- 1/23 Norm Patton--**Breed** over 3 Specials, 5 points
- 2/27 Frank Oberstar--**BOW at the APC Specialty** (pictured) 5 points
- 2/13 Michelle Billings--**Breed** over 3 Specials, 4 points; Joan Alexander, **Group IV**
- 2/20 Frank Oberstar, **Breed** over top Special; Elaine Mathis, **Group I**; Frank Oberstar, **BEST IN SHOW** to finish, 5 points!

All this at just seven and one-half months of age!! Our thanks to the judges who made this short but sweet journey to his Championship so memorable.

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Dar's Foxridge Ming's Cendree
(Dar's Great Elms Fox of Lenette x Dar's Foxridge Ming Dawn)
Trophy Presenter Sam Zaneoff

Thank you very much, **Frank Oberstar**, for this exciting win at the **National** (pictured Cendree also has majors under **Norman Patton** and **Dolly Ward**. Our thanks to **Susan Ma** for handling **Cendree** at the APC for us!! (Phone: (513) 521-6016)

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The Pomeranian Breeders' Workshop

Purpose

This workshop is hereby formed for the sole purpose of **educating** experienced breeders and novices in all aspects of the care, breeding, and exhibiting of the Pomeranian with the special consideration and guidance of the American Pomeranian Club and the American Kennel Club, and must be done in **an unbiased manner.**

Goals

To perform monthly seminars to act out the purpose of the workshop

To perform monthly socialization classes for the purpose of socialization of Poms and the training of the exhibitor both novice and experienced.

Place of Meeting

Rotation of sites that are to be held in homes of breeders when classes need many Poms for group participation.

A centralized location to be in the city of Los Angeles for classes that do not require Poms for the group.

Guidelines

(1) Each monthly seminar will be conducted by mediators and shall have approximately two hours for such seminar. Subject matter will be discussed at each semi-annual meeting of the General Membership.

(2) The mediator(s) of each class should consist of, but not be limited to one experienced breeder/exhibitor and at least two novices. The mediator(s) **must** give an oral and written presentation and provide time for group participation.

(3) Membership will be accepted on an open basis--no sponsorship needed. No discrimination will be tolerated under any circumstances except in cases deemed harmful to the workshop.

(4) A Coordinating meeting will be held every six months to discuss any improvements, suggestions, or comments on the classes and to ensure that the future classes are implemented. **All** members are allowed at this meeting, and decisions will be based on the majority rule of the members present.

(5) The yearly membership donation will consist of \$20.00 per household and will only be used to purchase or to allow the

(1) This workshop will in no way participate with any Specialty Pom Club or All-Breed Club nor endorse either.

(2) This workshop will in no way participate with any Specialty Pom Show or All-Breed Show nor endorse either.

(3) Membership will not participate in conversations dealing with show wins, puppy sales, stud service, or any similar personal matters during any of the classes.

(4) No one is allowed to use the name of a breeder, their dogs, or their business/personal ethics in a destructive or derogatory manner at **any time**, especially during a seminar. Any person or persons reported using the workshop against another will be expelled from attending any further classes for a period of one year from the time of such action and may only be reinstated upon the consent of the Coordinators.

(5) No one is allowed to use the phrase "I never..." or "I never had..." in any manner that pertains to Poms. Only the phrase, "I have not experienced..." or a similar phrase but without the specific word "never" may be used during a seminar. The penalty for this is .50 cents for each "never" phrase used.

(6) The membership is asked to refrain from all conversation during each class. Please raise your hands if you want to be heard. Each and every one will have a chance to voice his opinion, but all opinions **must** be made in a **positive** fashion only!

All guidelines, rules, and regulations are to remain unchanged and intact to ensure that the sole purpose is carried out and protected from political interests.

Any new guidelines, rules, and regulations shall only be made with the approval of the General Membership and must be in accordance with the existing guidelines, rules, and regulations. This act should only be performed at the Coordinating Meetings.

Positions

All positions will be appointed by the General Membership by majority rule at the General Meetings, and they shall serve a term of two years.

If a position should become available prior to its term limit, the current person shall appoint a replacement who he feels is a competent person to replace him with until the next Coordinator's Meeting (General

Meeting) at which time the General Membership may replace the vacancy.

The **General Coordinator** is the person in charge of ensuring that the guidelines set by the workshop are upheld at all times and remain totally nonprejudiced and unbiased in their approach to matters concerning the workshop. He also works directly with its membership and mediators to ensure a smooth running class.

The **APC Coordinator** works directly with the APC Committees on education, skin disease, and health or any other APC Committee that is needed for the education of its members excluding those whose purpose is in any way political or biased.

The **AKC Coordinator** works directly with the AKC to ensure of updated information on new rules or regulations, and the like...again, only those activities of the AKC that are not in any way political or biased.

The **Mediators** are comprised of both experienced and novice breeders/exhibitors. They shall provide the membership a written and oral presentation of their prospective class and shall also provide for group participation of such class. There is no limit to the mediators involvement except that they must communicate prior to the class to coordinate it smoothly.

The **Librarian** is in charge of keeping inventory of all materials donated or purchased by the workshop and have an ongoing list of who borrows the materials. A one month deposit equal to the amount of the material borrowed is required.

The **Treasurer** is in charge of all donations, fund raising, and the like, and must at all times be ready for an audit called by either the membership of Coordinators. Any transaction of money must have approval of the Coordinators or its membership. The Treasurer must not live in the same household as the Coordinators for safety reasons.

Sample Topics: The Pomeranian Type; AKC Rules and Regulations, Local and State Laws; Grooming the Pomeranian; Conformation Handling (Shows) and Muscle Conditioning; Physical Genetics of the Pomeranian; Color Genetics of the Pomeranian; Breeding the Pomeranian; Whelping the Pomeranian; Neo-Natal Care to Weaning Pomeranian Puppies; Vaccines and Immunology; Socialization of the Pomeranian; and Parasitology.

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Can/Am Ch. Chriscendo Classica
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Can Ch. Foxworth's Photocopy

(Can Ch. Tim Sue Chriscendo Typecast x West's Destiny of Medallion)

With limited showing in the US, owner-handled, "Ashley" has a Group 2, Group 4, and is major pointed. In Canada, she is a multi BIS winner.

Congratulations to our friends, **Chris and John Heartz**. We would like to thank them for letting us have Ashley's sire and dam and for sharing their experience and knowledge with us.



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Fancy Face Poms



Jan-Shar's RJ's Knight Rider
(Ch. Blake's Sir Robert John x Ch. Jan-Shar's Sayde)

Shown owner handled to BOB January, 1993, at McKinley KC Show. Thank you Judge Mrs. Etta B. Orenstein for his win over some very nice Poms. A special thanks to his breeder, Sharon Hanson, for letting us have this gorgeous little guy.

Watch for him in the ring this spring as he continues for his championship.

Also watch for Blake's Tammy Wynette in the ring this summer after maternity leave. Thank you, Evelyn Blake, for this gorgeous little red girl out of Ch. Blake's Sir Robert John x Blakes Sir Kennor's Babydoll (A Ch. Annon's Sir Kennor daughter).

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The Beat Goes on At Blake's
(Ch. Annon's Sir Kennor x Blake's Bubblin' Blair)

"Sonny" thanks to Jackie Rayner is "Sunny" as he is a very happy little boy, and she brings out the BEST in all my dogs. Sonny is pictured Going BOW with very stiff competition under Judge Mr. Emil R. Klinckhardt at the Genesee Valley KC. Sonny has 6 points to his credit and is **FOR SALE** to a show home. Call Jackie for details. Sonny congratulates his brother "Gator" for his New York wins!

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Can Ch. Blake's N Marshires Renegade
 (Ch. Annon's Sir Kennor x Blake's Lady Di's Lil Princess)

Pictured with Judge Mr. Archie Warnock. "One picture is worth a thousand words." "Gator" finished his Canadian Championship in 3 days going multi-Best Puppy in Show. His last win under Judge Krause with an entry of 2,000 at the age of 8 months. Thanks, Judges, for seeing his fine qualities. Gator has been proven-call for details. **FLASH!!** Gator won Back to Back 4-point majors at the Niagara Falls shows!

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**Chris and John--Congratulations on your kennel visit
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Am / Can Ch. Chriscendo City Lights ROMX
At home with Tim Sue Pomeranians

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and many group winners.**

**This picture was taken February 15, 1993. He will
be nine years old in June.**

City Lights is co-owned by:

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Southland



BISA and BISS Ch. Soutland's Mighty Impressive

"Mighty" continues to be Mighty Impressive. Mighty is pictured going BIS at Olive Branch. Thanks Judge Beth Speich (BIS) and Merrill Cohen (BOB and Group I). Many thanks to Judge Joan Alexander (BOB), Jack Russell (Group I), and Raymond McGinnis, Jr. (BIS) for Mighty's most recent BISA in San Antonio

Condolences to family and friends on the death of Mighty's owner, **Elfredo Lawrence**. Also, condolences to Beverly Norris of the loss of the great one BISA, BISS Ch. Bev-Nor's Toasted Fudge. Condolences to **Jerrie Freia** on the loss of Ch Bev-Nor's Toastmaster.

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Congratulations to Chris and John Hartz on your kennel visit. We thank you for all the Chriscendo Poms you have entrusted to us. We wish you all the best!

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Am/Can Ch. Chriscendo Classique

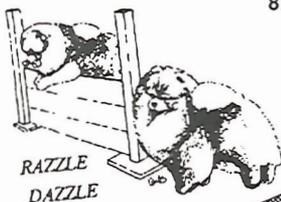
(Am/Can/Bda Ch. Millamor's Rock Medallion x Chriscendo Cassandra)

Amber and all of us at RAZZLE DAZZLE wish to congratulate Chris and John on their well deserved kennel visit. Amber is the mother of Am/Can Ch. Chriscendo Classica (owned by Chris and Doug and Robert Stratton) and Can Ch Razzle Dazzle Classique (owned by Chris and me)--both of these girls are Canadian Best in Show winners. Amber also has two pointed grandchildren out of a third sister (Devon) that are waiting to be shown. We wish to thank Chris and John for all their help, advice, and especially, thank you for Amber! (Note new phone number.)

Congratulations to Chris, Doug, and Robert on Cassie's BOS at the Specialty!

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Kennel Visit to Chriscendo



**John and Chris Hertz and a bevy of
Chriscendo Poms**

It has been 12 years since our last kennel visit, and there are many changes. We have moved to the country, a new home on three acres overlooking a lake. We have built a larger kennel to accommodate John's boarding and handling business. There is a separate Pom room, with a large adjoining exercise area. We have incorporated a Nursery Room just off the Family Room where we socialize all our puppies. There is an exercise yard just outside the door for expectant, and nursing mothers and puppies.

Sadly, the original dogs are gone now. Can. Am. Ch. Millamor's Rock Medallion, his daughters Can., Am. Ch. Chriscendo Coy Coquette and Carlotta, but through their offspring, they live on. We have added a few more new females, which we are carefully incorporating into our breeding program. Our males are strongly linebred on Medallion, and we constantly evaluate each breeding with a long range plan for quality and consistency. In our last visit Medallion's champion get numbered four. Today he has become one of the breed's most influential sires in Canada with 28 Champions and 10 American.

We bred two of Medallion's kids together, his first son, Can., Am. Ch. Chriscendo Causin A Commotion (15 BIS in Canada) owned by Fred and Kay Baxstrome, to Can., Am., Ch. Chriscendo Carlotta, (a Canadian BIS winner from the puppy class.) They gave us Can., Am. Ch. Chriscendo Causin Comment, who would

sire Confetti, dam of Calvin Klein. Causin A Commotion also sired multiple BIS winner. Can. Ch. Chriscendo Cause For Applause, who was one of the top Poms in Canada. Medallion also produced top offspring for others. Can., Am., Ch. Bavanew's Master Skylark, multiple BIS winner and top producer for Matt Heindl. Can., Am., Ch. Bell's Chriscendo Carmichael, multiple BIS winner in the US and Champion producer for Rex and Betty Bell. Our own Medallion daughter, Can. Ch. Chriscendo Chatelaine, bred to Ch. Emcee's Sparkling Chip, produced Am. Ch. Chriscendo Western Express, siring some beautiful puppies for Cassandra Evans. When Chatelaine was bred to Ch. Millamor's Rock of Dixieland, she produced Can. Ch. Chriscendo Charisma, Canadian BID winner from the puppy class. But before selling Chatelaine, she was bred to Can., Am. Ch. Millamor's Rock Concert. That son grew up to become Can., Am. Ch. Chriscendo City Lights ROMX. "Peter" has achieved super status as a sire thanks to his co-owner Sue Goddard, to whom we will always be indebted. "Peter" has produced more than 20 American Champions including the BIS winning boys Ch. Tim Sue's High Lights, Harbour Lights, and Distant Lights. His grand children are starting to come into their own too. The first one who comes to mind is Cheryl Jackson and Joel Taylor's Ch. Glen Iris Castle Rock, who was Best of Breed at the Garden this year. "Peter" visited us for a short time last



The House

year and when bred to Calvin Klein's sister produced the young BIS winner, Can. Ch. Maracaibo Masterplan, for Fred and Kay Baxstrom.

A Chatelaine daughter, Chricendo Cassandra, was bred to Medallion and produced a lovely litter of three, all champions, Can. Ch. Chricendo Castile, Can. Ch. Chricendo Castle Rock, who is still an excellent producer for Matt Heindl. The other sister became Can., Am. Ch. Chricendo Classique, co-owned with Judy Green. Classique is best known as the dam of the lovely Can., Am. Ch. Chricendo Classica, sired by Ch. Great Elms Firestarter. She is co-owned with Dough And Robert Stratton. She was Top Pom in Canada the past two years and has five BIS wins in Canada. Classica was Best Opposite Sex at this year's APC show in February.

Our own Medallion son, Can., Am. Ch. Chricendo Calvin Klein, has just been awarded ROM status both in Canada and the US. Chricendo's Champions total 16, eight in each country. He, too, is producing Best in Show winners, Can., Am. Ch. Chricendo Cover Girl, who won the prestigious United Kennel Club Show in Montreal as a puppy. Before she left with her new owner, Ed Jenner, she won the Puppy of the Year Competition. She went on to win several Groups in the US.

Calvin was bred to a Medallion daughter and produced two champion brothers, Ch. Chricendo Contender, a multiple Group winner, owned by Diane Carrier, and our Can., Am. Ch. Chricendo Cloudbuster, who is also a Best in Show winner. He left behind some lovely puppies after his visit with



Am/Can Ch. Chricendo Calvin Klein

Morris and Betty Carson. Several are pointed or nearing their titles.

Our breedings are always thought out well in advance. We often find ourselves planning who we will breed puppies to even as they lay in the whelping box! We study each female with both her pedigree and her physical structure in mind. We try to retain the sound legs and bodies, and reach for the elusive "type" and work towards combining the two. We always keep in mind a "picture" of what we want to produce. We do very few true outcrosses, choosing to use dogs whose producing abilities as well as their pedigrees, we admire. We always prefer dogs who go back to the "roots" our dogs go back to. We concentrate the gene pool, remembering that the quickest death of a line is constant outcrossing. People often rush to buy or breed to the current winner. The hybrid produced is a strong healthy offspring that often has many of the characteristics of both parents, but when combined into another line, often spells disaster.

We tend to breed our females for two or three litters, and then keep a daughter to carry on. We place section bitches in pet homes, and often make our best producers available to breeders who can provide these girls a "retirement" out of a kennel situation. We feel a kennel is hardest on older dogs, and we have always been able to find wonderful homes for our girls who have given us so much.

All our puppies are whelped in the Nursery Room; we usually have very few litters at one time so each gets very individual attention. As soon as the puppies start walking, we start table training, and



The Kennel



Am/Can Ch. Chriscendo Coco Chanel

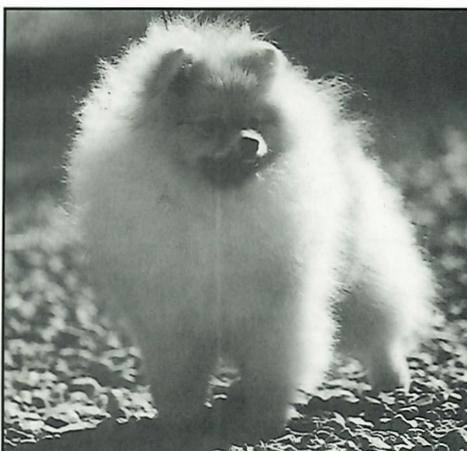


Can Ch. Chriscendo Cloudbuster

serious grooming. They spend evenings with us so we not only watch their personalities develop but evaluate each puppy's conformation. Lead training is not done until the puppy willingly follows us, that seems to be the least traumatic way! At three months, we separate the pet puppies from the litter, and we run on any potential show puppies until they are at least six months old. We are just as careful where we place puppies as we are in how we breed them. It is important to put each puppy where he can reach his fullest potential. What good is a top producer with someone with no bitches to breed, or the top show dog with someone who never Specials a dog. The most difficult thing is that we have so few puppies, and we just don't have enough to share with everyone. We feel we have put many puppies with just the right people and are eternally grateful to those people who have made sure each has the best chance.

Much has changed, but so much remains the same. We still keep our numbers at 10-15 adults. We still plan every breeding with the next generation in mind. We still value the long time friendships of breeders like Ken and Eleanor Miller, Tim and Sue Goddard, and all the new friends we have made over the years. We thank everyone who continues to support us and admire the dogs. Our biggest thanks goes to Kim Baxstrome who not only takes all the beautiful photographs of our dogs, but is as devoted to them as we are.

"Vision without effort is just dreaming.
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But with effort and dreams, great things
can be accomplished."



Ch. Chriscendo Cover Girl



Can Ch. Chriscendo Calendar Girl

Haiku Kennels

Aloha, Chris and John Hartz from the balmy skies of Hawaii to the less than balmy but beautiful Nova Scotia. Thank you so much for letting us have Sidney and Lisa (Ch. Chriscendo City Heat x Ch. Chriscendo Calista). They are enjoying the climate, and Sidney has already had a remarkable influence on our kennel, siring fine puppies.

Mahalo. May you continue to produce exceptional Poms.

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Congratulations to John and Christine Hartz on their Kennel Visit. So many beautiful Poms have come to the ring with their prefix and have won our *heartz*.

Special thanks to Christine for so generously sharing her art work with so many of us...for the APC logo in particular, but also for the many clever Pom drawings done for NCPA in 1989, the year this club hosted the APC summer specialty, and that our new editor of POM REVIEW is now using to embellish many of the ads and the catalogs he has done for the last two APC Winter Specialties.

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Much Ado About Anything

by Sally Baugniet

Hats Off and Down to the Nitty Gritty

As many of you know, we have elected our APC slate of Officers. As always, some have changed; some have stayed the same. You, the members, have spoken. I'm sure we would all like to thank our past officers and all who worked to get our club out of the red. With our new president at the helm, it is full steam ahead!

Many of us are financially strained and are unable to contribute monetarily, but we can still contribute our time, thoughts, and actions to benefit the American Pomeranian Club and the Pomeranian breed. When we joined this Club, we accepted this responsibility. We must keep in mind, we are in it for the good and welfare of APC and the Pomeranian, not for ourselves.

Our new President, Dolly Trauner, has asked me to chair the Pomeranian Standard Committee. We have already started to work on this, but do want your input. Would each of the local Pom clubs form a Standard's Committee? Send the name of your club, club president's name, corresponding secretary's name, and the name of your Standard's Committee chairman to me ASAP. Please include addresses and phone numbers. We would like this information immediately following your next meeting. Be sure you put it on your "New Business" agenda.

The purpose of the local club's committee is to review the Pomeranian Standard, make any changes deemed necessary, then write any paragraph with changes exactly as it is to be presented for final approval. If there are disagreements on any changes (no doubt there will be) perhaps your committee will want to submit two wordings of the same paragraph.

I do not want this to cause friction in any club. Please think and discuss intelligently and calmly. If your club chooses not to participate in this venture, please let me know that, also.

All recommended paragraph changes are due by December 1, 1993. Send them to : Sally Baugniet; 411 State Street; Mishicot, WI 54228. Or FAX them to (414) 755-2994. Meanwhile the APC Standard's Committee will be working on our own, while waiting for your input.

Thought for the day: "A goal is a dream with a deadline."

Area Club News

Central Arkansas Pomeranian Club by Nancy Bartholomew

The Central Arkansas Pomeranian Club held its "B" Specialty Match on December 5, at the Hall of Industry L.R. following the judging of the Arkansas Kennel Club Best in Show. Judging Sweeps was Silky breeder, Shauna Jones, who recently moved from California to Oklahoma. Regular classes and Junior Showmanship were judged by well-known Malamute breeder, John Penland, of Cholla Kennels.

In the Sweeps, Ms. Jones went with the 6-9 month puppy dog, Cheyenne's I'm A Timmy Too for BISS. Timmy is a lovely little boy owned by Elizabeth Flynnof of Plano, Texas. For BOS, Ms. Jones picked Chas-T-Dee's Me Me from the 9-12 month class. Me Me is a heavily coated girl with a darling face. We should be hearing good things about these youngsters in the future.

In the Regular Classes, Mr. Penland agreed with Ms. Jones that Timmy was a pretty special little guy and placed him Best Puppy in Match. Best Adult went to the Dee McNiece/Babe McCombs entry My Babe Alpha Romero. Alfie is a small Pom with a gorgeous deep red color and typical Pom expression.

Junior Showmanship was won by Diane Luthy from Picota, OK, with her little 6-9 month puppy dog Kniesler's Mark N' Tradition. Everyone was impressed by Mr. Penland's judging. He gave the youngsters lots of tips on becoming a successful handler. These tips being gleaned from many years of successful exhibiting. We thank him for taking the time to help these youngsters that hope to become tomorrow's stars.

CAPC also hosted a great pot luck supper for all exhibitors and judges. The food was delicious, and everyone enjoyed getting together and talking on their favorite subject, Poms. There was a table full of Pom items hand crafted by members, and the gorgeous pieces given for Best in Sweeps and Best in Match. BISS trophy was a 30" wooden cut out of an old fashioned little girl with a Pom on lead. For BIM, there was a lovely ceramic Pom lamp made and donated by member LaVerne Anderson.

Out thanks to all of you who have supported our matches over the years. We hope to make our next December "B" match better than ever. We're looking forward to seeing you all then.



Best in Match
Cheyenne's I'm A Timmy Too



Dianne Luthy
Junior Showmanship

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Sooner Pomeranian Club of Oklahoma City

On Thursday, November 5, 1992, the Sooner Pomeranian Club of Oklahoma City held its first annual licensed Specialty Show. Sweepstakes began at 6:00 p.m., judged by Carmen Spears of Clinton, OK. There was a total of 10 entries. Carmen had a wonderful time judging these lovely youngsters.

Regular classes began immediately after Sweepstakes, judged by H.R. (Bill) Norris from Dallas, Texas. He had an entry of 44 dogs in regular classes and 2 junior entries.

Demonstration classes included Parade of Champions, Dress Parade, and Agility classes.

The Sooner Pom Club members wish to thank all exhibitors and spectators for their support of our first Specialty; we hope to see you at many more. A big thank you to our Show Chairman, Secretary, and the many committees for a very successful first endeavor.

Sweepstakes

Puppy dogs, 6 months under 9 months

1st Berry's Very Special Charlie owners: Moreau / Berry

Puppy dogs, 9 months under 12 months

1st Shondell's Sir Rock-A-Lotowner: Sherry Cook

Puppy bitches, 6 months under 9 months

1st Allayn's Hotlips Houlihanowner: Mary Allan

Puppy bitches, 9 months under 12 months

1st DeArta's Barbie Doll owner: Rinehart / Epps

Best in Sweepstakes: Allayn's Hotlips Houlihan

Best Opposite Sex: Berry's Very Special Charlie

Regular Classes

Puppy dogs, 6 months under 9 months

1st Kneisler's Rock N Tradition : Maria and Matthew Kneisler

Puppy dogs, 9 months under 12 months

1st Carousel's Country Bumpkin..... owner: Linda Gustafson

Bred by Exhibitor dogs

1st Mi Babe J.D. Justa Dent owner: McCombs / Jackson

American Bred dogs

1st Puf-Pride Royalmark Trend'n owner: W and V Dimick

Open dogs

1st Mac's Cando owner: Mrs. B.G. McDonald

Winners Dog: Mac's Cando

Reserve: Post Oaks Steal the Show

Puppy bitches, 6 months under 9 months

1st Post Oaks Easter Lily..... owner: Pam Gault

Puppy Bitches, 9 months under 12 months

1st DeArtas Barbie Doll..... owner: Rinehart / Epps

Bred by Exhibitor bitches

1st Allayn's Nut N Honey owner: Mary Allan

American Bred bitches

1st Ben-Ji Bouncing Bubbleowner: Judy Sams

Open bitches

1st Tim Sue's Sparkling Lightsowner: Jackson / Taylor

Winners Bitch: Tim Sue's Sparkling Lights

Reserve: DeArtas Barbie Doll

Best of Breed: Mac's Lucky Legend

Best of Opposite: Ch. Allayn's Dazzlin' Gold Darlin'

Best Junior Handler: Justin Lane Campbell

Pomeranian Club of Greater Baltimore

by Diana Downey

Our specialty show was held on October 12th in conjunction with the Carroll KC show. The theme was Columbus Day and the ring and grooming area beautifully decorated accordingly. The food tables overflowed with sumptuous dishes contributed by the members and no one went home hungry. And the entry was, in a word--FABULOUS! So many beautiful Poms in one place was such a treat! I know our judges had a tough time deciding between one gorgeous Pom and the next. The following is a list of their placements:

Sweepstakes

Judge: Nadine Hersil

Puppy dogs, 6 months under 9 months

1st Clairmont's Max in Carolina..... Lance Bryson

Puppy bitches, 6 months under 9 months

1st Alden's Penelope of Silva Lade D & L Johnson

Puppy bitches, 9 months under 12 months

1st Elan's Devil Sorceress..... M & D Dahlenburg

Best in Sweeps: Clairmont's Max in Carolina

Best Opposite: Alden's Penelope of Silva Lade

Regular Classes

Judge: Mr. Fred Bassett

Puppy dogs, 6 months under 9 months

1st Clairmont's Max in Carolina..... Lance Bryson

Puppy dogs, 9 months under 12 months

1st Emcee's Cloudbuster's Image M Roantes & M Carson

Puppy dogs, 12 months under 18 months

1st Dimonde's Hot Rock..... Diana Downey

Bred-by-Exhibitor dogs

1st Tomho Strutting Muskrat T & S Hooban

Open Dogs Black, Brown, Blue

1st Annon's the Main Man..... Ann Cannon

Open Dogs Red, Orange, Cream, Sable

1st Cinnabar's Little Nikita M & D Dahlenburg

Open Dogs AOC

1st Idlewyl'd Onyx Margaret McKee

Winners Dog: Clairmont's Max in Carolina

Reserve: Cinnabar's Little Nikita

Puppy bitches 6 months under 9 months

1st Clairmont's Jenny in Carolina..... Lance Bryson

Puppy bitches 9 months under 12 months

1st Elan's Devil Sorceress..... M & D Dahlenburg

Bred-by-Exhibitor bitches

1st Silverwood's Happi Lee Bess Roberts

American Bred bitches

1st Jan-Shar's Amazing Grace..... Sharon Hanson

Open Bitches Red, Orange, Cream, Sable

1st Tomho Strutting Merri Lee S & T Hooban

Winners Bitch: Tomho Strutting Merri Lee

Reserve: Elan's Devil Sorceress

Veteran Bitches

1st Ch. Chriscendo Classique Judith Green

Best of Breed: Ch. Great Elms Little Demetrius.....Dolores Watts

Best of Opposite: Tomho Strutting Merri Lee

Best of Winners: Clairmont Max in Carolina

Brood Bitches:

1st Dimonde Solitaire of Emcee Diana Downey

Our Best of Breed winner, Ch. Great Elms Little Demetrius, went on to a Group I under Judge Roy Ayres, Sr. Congratulations, Dolores.

PCGB Picnic Fun Match

September 13, 1992

Judge: Rose Keller

Puppy Dogs, 2-4 mos.

1st Breezy..... Terry Morrow

Puppy Dogs, 4-6 mos.

1st Regina Poms Luv-A-Gator..... R & R Nunn

Puppy Dogs, 6-9 mos.

Ice..... Terry Morrow

Puppy Dogs, 9-12 mos.

Glory..... M & C Baldwin

Adult Dogs

1st Silva Lade Phearless Phrank..... L Peltz

Best Dog: Silva Lade Phearless Phrank

Puppy Bitches, 2-4 mos.

1st Elan's Devil May Care M & D Dahlenburg

Puppy Bitches, 4-6 mos.

1st Hersey M & C Baldwin

Puppy Bitches, 6-9 mos.

1st Suber's Devine Design Sue Bemey

Adult Bitch

1st Jody..... M & C Baldwin

Best Bitch: Elan's Devil May Care

Best in Match: Elan's Devil May Care

Best Opposite: Silva Lade Phearless Phrank

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Beginning with this issue, we will publish a series of articles done in 1945 dealing with the interpretation of the Pomeranian Standard. The articles are taken from the AKC Gazette and authored by Mr. Vincent Matta who was secretary of the APC for many years. Our thanks to Mrs. Ruth Beam for submitting them.

Interpretation of Pom Standard (Part I)

In order to be of real help to the beginner, I believe that a breakdown in detail of the Pomeranian Standard should be made so that it will assist the newcomer in interpreting the various items. In my opinion, this Standard is a very good one but it is, of necessity, condensed to a great degree and, while clear enough to those well acquainted with the breed, cannot help being a bit of a problem to the uninitiated. However, before I plunge into this work, I want to make clear that this interpretation is not intended as an official one, but is only an expression of opinion based on personal study of the breed, long association with the same, plus a deep consideration for the opinions of well-known judges and breeders. The different items will be considered separately and in the order given in the Standard. I shall begin at the beginning. Here it is:

"Appearance--The Pomeranian in build and appearance should be a compact, short-coupled dog, well-knit in frame. His head and face should be fox-like, with small erect ears that appear sensible to every sound; he should exhibit great intelligence in his expression, docility in his disposition and activity and buoyancy in his deportment. (10 points)"

That is almost clear enough. A Pom must be short, compact, and well-proportioned. Old timers say "a Pom must be square," meaning that to be rightly shaped, he or she must measure as much in height as in length and besides, when the proper amount of coat is present the expression "as broad as he is long" fits very well. In a nutshell a Pom that looks like a veritable ball of fur when viewed from any angle has the ideal appearance. The well-knit frame requires a fairly broad chest with well-rounded up ribs. No matter how small, a Pom must be sturdy and solid.

As to the fox-like head and face, beware of taking that too literally for even though the outline is wedge-shaped in both, a real Pom's head does not look like the head of a fox and there is--or there should be--no mistaking one for another. The sensibility of ears to every sound should not be taken to mean that the ears must work up and down or sideways continuously. A sound should make a Pom prick his ears and hold them there.

The docility and intelligence of expression goes with the head and eyes and will be discussed when we get to those points. The activity and buoyancy of deportment is what is usually referred to as action and movement. The Pom must stand on his toes and not on flat feet and his moving must be free and easy and vivacious--and not sluggish. A Pom is not a lap dog and loves to stand on his good legs and use them.

Second item of the Standard in the next issue.

Bonner Kennel Visit

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