

Northern California Siberian Husky Club, Inc.

Newsletter

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Upcoming Events

San Joaquin Kennel Club: The Northern California Siberian Husky Club is once again supporting the entry at the San Joaquin Kennel Club shows on November 24 & 25th, 2013. Please join us after judging on Sunday for our now famous potluck for all Siberian exhibitors. Hope to see everyone at the shows!

2014 is our club's Match year. The date is tentatively set for the last weekend in June. Watch future newsletter for more information on the upcoming Match.

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The next meetings of the Board of Directors and General Membership of the Northern California Siberian Husky Club, Inc. will be held on Saturday December 14, 2013 at the home of Judy Tamagni, 4397 Silverado Tr., Calistoga, 94515.

The Board Meeting will be held at 11:00 AM followed by the General Meeting at Noon.

Directions: From Highway 29 North go right towards Downtown Napa/Lake Berryessa, this road becomes Soscol Ave. as you enter Napa. Take a slight right onto Silverado Tr/CA 121. When the road ends turn left. At the first stop light turn right back onto Silverado Tr. Proceed to 4397 on the left just past the Clover Flat Refuse Facility

This is our Annual Meeting/Holiday Party and Gift Exchange.

To participate in the gift exchange bring a wrapped Siberian related gift to stash under the tree.

For the potluck if you last name begins with:
A-M bring a dessert and main dish for 4
N-Z bring a salad and main dish for 4

For further information check our website or contact Judy Tamagni at 707-942-6409

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(from the 10/12/13 meeting)

Kelly bragged that:

- 🐾 **Logan** went WD/BOS at the Menzona Kennel Club show on Sat. and WD/BOW and WD/BOW at the Redwood Empire Kennel Club show on Sunday.
- 🐾 **Timber** was Select Bitch both days at the Two Cities Kennel Club shows after coming back into coat.
- 🐾 **Timber** went to her first Dog Days of Summer at the Giants baseball game and we had a blast!
- 🐾 **Luna** (Basenji) went WB/BOW/BOB for a 4pt major at the Lizard Butte KC show in Idaho.

Helen bragged that:

- 🐾 **Claddagh** went Select Bitch, Best Veteran and Best Veteran in Sweepstakes at the Camino Real Siberian Husky Club speciality.
- 🐾 **Ceilidh** went Best of Opposite Sex at the Camino Real Siberian Husky Club Speciality.

Bonnie bragged that:

- 🐾 **Skyler** went WD at the Two Cities Kennel Club show in the pouring rain.
- 🐾 **Takoda** got his first point at the Donner Trail KC show.

Randee bragged that:

- 🐾 **Flower** is a new Champion and she received her first major towards her Grand Championship.

Caroly bragged that:

- 🐾 **Tara** got back to back majors by going BOB from the classes at the Sir Francis Drake KC shows and then finished her championship 2 weeks later.

Randee bragged that:

- 🐾 **Flower** is a new Champion and she received her first major towards her Grand Championship.

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Lori bragged that:

- 🐾 **Toby** went BOW in Idaho to finish his championship after taking BOB from the classes the weekend before for a major.
- 🐾 **Bond** went WD for a major to finish his championship with five majors!

UPCOMING SHOWS

11/30/2013	<i>Santa Cruz Kennel Club in Woodland</i> Siberian Judge: Margaret "Maggie" Alhino Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 11/13/13
12/01/2013	<i>Camellia Capital Kennel Club in Woodland</i> Siberian Judge: Judith V. Daniels Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 11/13/13
01/25/2014	<i>Golden Gate Kennel Club in Daly City</i> Siberian Judge: Edd E. Bivin Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 12/11/13
01/26/2014	<i>Golden Gate Kennel Club in Daly City</i> Siberian Judge: Col. Joe B. Purkhiser Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 12/11/13
02/01/2014	<i>Sun Maid Kennel Club of Fresno, Inc. in Fresno</i> Siberian Judge: John P. Wade Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 01/15/14
02/02/2014	<i>Sun Maid Kennel Club of Fresno, Inc. in Fresno</i> Siberian Judge: Dr. Michael J. Woods Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 01/15/14
02/16/2014	<i>Santa Clara Valley Kennel Club in San Jose</i> Siberian Judge: Paula Nykiel Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 01/29/14
02/17/2014	<i>Santa Clara Valley Kennel Club in San Jose</i> Siberian Judge: Whitney J. Coombs Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 01/29/14
03/06/2014	<i>Sequoia Kennel Club Inc. in Hanford</i> Siberian Judge: Dr. Jose Luis Payro Supt/Secretary: Jack Bradshaw, closes 02/26/14
03/07/2014	<i>Sequoia Kennel Club Inc. in Hanford</i> Siberian Judge: Mickey L. Polimeni Supt/Secretary: Jack Bradshaw, closes 02/26/14
03/08/2014	<i>Kings Kennel Club Inc. of Hanford</i> Siberian Judge: Cindy Stansell Supt/Secretary: Jack Bradshaw, closes 02/26/14
03/09/2014	<i>Sequoia Kennel Club Inc. in Hanford</i> Siberian Judge: Robert J. Caswell Supt/Secretary: Jack Bradshaw, closes 02/26/14
03/20/2014	<i>San Mateo Kennel Club Inc., in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Chuck Winslow Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 03/05/14
03/21/2014	<i>San Mateo Kennel Club Inc., in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Anne Katona Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 03/05/14
03/22/2014	<i>Oakland Kennel Club Inc., in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Charles E. Trotter Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 03/05/14
03/23/2014	<i>Oakland Kennel Club Inc., in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Ekarat Sangkunakup Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 03/05/14
04/19/2014	<i>Chief Solano Kennel Club in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Sandy I. Wheat Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 04/02/14
04/20/2014	<i>Chief Solano Kennel Club in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Carolyn A. Herbel Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 04/02/14
05/03/2014	<i>Gavilan Kennel Club in Tres Pinos</i> Siberian Judge: Debra Thorton Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 04/16/14
05/04/2014	<i>Gavilan Kennel Club in Tres Pinos</i> Siberian Judge: Henry (Hank) Williams Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 04/16/14
05/17/2014	<i>Coyote Hills Kennel Club in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Roland L. Pelland Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 04/30/14
05/18/2014	<i>Coyote Hills Kennel Club in Vallejo</i> Siberian Judge: Bob Busby Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc., closes 4/30/14

"A Picture is Worth....or, What Pictures Can Teach Us About the Standard, and How to Use Only Good Pictures in Advertising."



A short-legged, straight fronted dog should not be photographed in full profile, and especially not in long grass.

Following the meeting of the Northern California Siberian Husky Club on 10/12/2013, Club Member Donna Beckman held a slide show presentation on the above subject. The presentation is designed to help Siberian fanciers select appropriate photos for advertising, posting on our websites, or simply posting on our Facebook pages.

The slide presentation offers a wide range of photos of many styles and types of Siberians. Donna asks us to look at each slide and determine whether or not we would use the photo for advertising. Many of the photos are very obvious, dog is too long or short in body, dog lacks leg, lacks length of neck, too straight in the front or rear. But many are quite deceiving. The photo looks perfect for advertising until Donna superimposes lines with the proper lengths and angles for a Siberian as written in our standard. It then becomes obvious that the dog in the photo lacks upper arm, is slightly too long or short, does not have quite the proper angle in the front or rear, etc.



This four-month-old actually DIS grow into his ears, and his head DID broaden. He now has a lovely head but no one should use this picture of him in an advertisement.

One interesting observation in the slides is that the way the dog is positioned in a photo can sometimes give an illusion of something being off when in fact the dog is better than the photo shows. We all know that some dogs just aren't photogenic.

Donna also presented many movement shots to show different faults that show up in movement photos and how the way the dog is positioned when the photo is taken can give different illusions the same as a standing photograph.

The presentation was very well attended and I believe everyone was able to take something away afterwards. I know I will never look at my photos the same way again. Although it would have been nice to see some more folks from the dog show community attending as we are the ones who have websites and do the most advertising.

Thanks to Donna for the wonderful and informative presentation, thanks to club member Randee for making her house available for the presentation, and thanks to everyone who attended.



This picture shows a dog "under reaching." Notice how the forefoot and the hindfoot do not meet under the dogs body. The rear leg at full extension seems to be kicking up. Also, if your dog is longer in body, perhaps a side movement shot is not the best for your dog, as he may appear even longer.



These are pictures of the same dog. Notice how in the left-hand picture, the body looks compressed due to the inside legs meeting. With the inside legs at full extension, the picture at the right is a much more appealing one.

Photos taken from an article written by Donna Beckman and first published in our Club's Jan/Feb 2012 newsletter

Around the Ring in Wine Country

Photos Courtesy of Lori Chou



More Wine Country Photos



SHOW RESULTS

Bonanza Kennel Club of Carson City

9/28/13 Mr. J R Cole

WD/BOW: Shacree's Snapdragon Waltz K Thomsen,
J Johnmeyer

RWD: Shacree's Unmarked Image K Thomsen, M Williamson,
J Johnmeyer

WB/BOS: Aki Merak Of Dynasty RC Kennel T Wen

RWB: Whitepeak's Dark Angel K Holden

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

SELECT: Ch. Melrose & Noatak's Bailey's On Ice L&P Chou***,
J&L Carpenter

Bonanza Kennel Club of Carson City.

9/29/13 K Strakbein

WD/BOW: Shacree's Unmarked Image K Thomsen,
M Williamson, J Johnmeyer

RWD: Livewires Radio Active @ Britestar R Tang, L House

WB: Husker Du's Winter Treasure S&G Laughton

RWB: Aki Merak Of Dynasty RC Kennel T Wen

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: Ch. Britestar's Color By Design R McQueen***, B House

Donner Trail Kennel Club Inc.

10/5/13 Mrs. F Strauss

WD: Hidden Treasure's Friend To Everyone B&J Wilson***,
T Campbell

RWD: Livewires Chemical Romance @ Britestar R Tang,
L House

WB/BOW: Karamad Sumiro For Zintimental Reasons
S Del Pozo, N Sumida, M Lew

RWB: Karamad Sundance's Brown Eyed Girl C Bonner,
S Del Pozo, N Sumida

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: Ch. Husker Du's Winter Treasure S&G Laughton

SELECT: Ch Sundance-Cracar's Neechee Ice Skyler C Bonner,
C Peterson, V Mcfayden, J Whaley

Donner Trail Kennel Club Inc.

10/6/13 E Thielen

WD: Debalys Jasper At Zarniva L Hause

RWD: Hidden Treasure's Cosmic Wind B&J Wilson***

WB/BOW: Karamad Sundance's Brown Eyed Girl C Bonner,
S Del Pozo, N Sumida

RWB: Karamad Sumiro For Zintimental Reasons S Del Pozo,
N Sumida, M Lew

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: Ch. Husker Du's Winter Treasure S&G Laughton

SELECT: Ch Sundance-Cracar's Neechee Ice Skyler C Bonner,
C Peterson, V Mcfayden, J Whaley

Skyline Dog Fanciers of San Mateo County

10/18/13 Dr. K Anselm

WB: Huskavarna's Up The Ante S Garrettson, P Marcy

RWB: Britestar's Mimosa Sunday L House

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: GCh. Ch. Alnisar's Princessa Anastacia
Y&J Rosenbaum

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Paragon's You Had Me At Merlot
T Erickson, L Wilson

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Canyonland's Cotton Candy C Hanscom

Del Valle Dog Club of Livermore

10/19/13 Mrs. J E Mears

WD: Debalys Jasper At Zarniva L Hause

RWD: Nrthn Lyts Duke Grayson S Slown, D Ball-Bissell

WB/BOW: Livewire Rumor Has It @ Britestar J Alarcon

RWB: Huskavarna's Up The Ante S Garrettson, P Marcy

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: GCh. Ch. Melrose And Noatak's Timrjan K Collins***,
L&J Carpenter

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Paragon's You Had Me At Merlot
T Erickson, L Wilson

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Alnisar's Princessa Anastacia
Y&J Rosenbaum

Del Valle Dog Club of Livermore

10/20/13 Mrs. J P Anselm

WD: Nrthn Lyts Duke Grayson S Slown, D Ball-Bissell

RWD: Debalys Jasper At Zarniva L Hause

WB/BOW: Britestar's Mimosa Sunday L House

RWB: Poku Karamad's The Cruise Director D&J Craig,
A Phillips, S Del Pozo

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: GCh. Ch. Canyonland's Cotton Candy C Hanscom

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Paragon's You Had Me At Merlot
T Erickson, L Wilson

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Alnisar's Princessa Anastacia
Y&J Rosenbaum

Sacramento Valley Dog Fanciers Assoc. Inc.

10/26/13 Ms. T L Hundt

WD: Charlyn's Dark Side Of The Moon T Campbell, K Boyes

RWD: Nrthn Lyts Duke Grayson S Slown, D Ball-Bissell

WB/BOW: Karamad Sumiro For Zintimental Reasons
S Del Pozo, N Sumida, M Lew

RWB: Lycaon's Nthrnlyts I Auda Be Crazy Too C Long,
D Ball-Bissell

BOB: GCh. Ch. Paragon's You Had Me At Merlot
T Erickson, L Wilson

BOS: Ch. Melrose & Noatak's Bailey's On Ice L&P Chou***,
J&L Carpenter

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Paragon's Every Now And Zin S Del Pozo,
N Sumida, T Erickson

SELECT: Ch. Britestar's Color By Design R McQueen***,
B House

*** Denotes NCSHC Member

SHOW RESULTS CONT.

Sacramento Valley Dog Fanciers Assoc. Inc.

10/27/13 Mrs. S K Weston

WD: Shacree's Unmarked Image K Thomsen, M Williamson,
J Johnmeyer

RWD: Couloir's Cerulean Sins D Willett, L Chou***,
C Lachman

WB/BOW: Lycaons Nrthnlyts I Auda Be Crazy Too
C Long, D Ball-Bissell

RWB: Serenade's Winter Melody K Collins***, J Tamagni***

BOB: GCh. Ch. Paragon's You Had Me At Merlot
T Erickson, L Wilson

BOS: GCh. Ch. Melrose And Noatak's Timrjan K Collins***,
L&J Carpenter

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Kaila's Quinn of Umunhum THD CGC
R McQueen***

SELECT: Ch. Melorse & Noatak's Bailey's On Ice
L&P Chou***, J&L Carpenter

Wine Country Kennel Club

11/9/13 Mrs. K Steen

WD: Couloir's Cerulean Sins D Willett, L Chou***,
C Lachman

RWD: Livewires Radio Active @ Britestar L House, R Tang

WB/BOW: Britestars Mimosa Sunday L House

RWB: Couloir's Lucky Charm L&P Chou***, M Palmer,
B Bigley

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: Ch. Britestars Color By Design R McQueen***,
B House

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Paragon's Every Now And Zin
S Del Pozo, N Sumida, T Erickson

SELECT: Ch. Britestars Grey Goose Of Umunhum M Rusher,
R McQueen***, L&B House

Wine Country Kennel Club

11/10/13 Mrs. J P Scott

WD/BOW: Livewires Radio Active @ Britestar L House,
R Tang

RWD: Couloir's Cerulean Sins D Willett, C Lachman,
L Chou

WB: Misanga JP Makeyou Feel My Love P Dy

RWB: Couloir's Lucky Charm L&P Chou***, M Palmer,
B Bigley

BOB: GCh. Ch. Topaz Bad Action H Tang

BOS: Ch Sundance-Cracar's Neechee Ice Skyler C Bonner

SELECT: GCh. Ch. Paragon's Every Now And Zin
S Del Pozo, N Sumida, T Erickson

SELECT: Ch. Britestars Grey Goose Of Umunhum M Rusher,
R McQueen***, L&B House



And Best Wishes for the Best of
Luck at the all the Shows in the
New Year!!!!

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