



THE HEARTBEAT

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Happy Spring to Everyone! We have at least had a few days which give us a taste of what is sure to come. I am not sure where the time goes....I can't believe how quickly this year is going. I want to thank everyone who came out to our awards banquet at Vivo Kitchen. It was great to catch up with old friends and touch base with some new faces too...all while enjoying a wonderful brunch! We have a pretty talented group of members that are having some great successes with their dogs!

Plans are firming up for the SSCA Nationals in Houston, TX and our Specialty that we will be having in conjunction with it on that Friday, July 22. I am getting the last of the "raw" materials in so that we can get to work on getting the prizes assembled. Look for a work day to be scheduled in April and then a follow-up in May. Before we know it, July will be here...don't forget to get your reservations made if you are planning on going. It should be a great time with LOTS of things going on to keep you busy!

Hope to see you and your bearded ones soon!!

Best Regards, Kara Maytag-Kaszas president@heartlandstandardschnauzer.org



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Cover Photo

The featured face this month is that of Jordan Luke of Echo Lake, "Teddy". He is owned & loved by Keith & Sue Meyer.

HSSC What – Where – When

- ★ SCVKC Show, Wash. County Fairgrounds, August 19 21st, 2016
- **★ BarnHunt Trial Friday, June 24thth 26th.** balesandtailsqmail.com.

Go to the following link to view the video of the standard schnauzers at the 2016 Westminster Kennel Club show.

http://www.westminsterkennelclub.org/videos/Breed%20Judging/2016/Working/pid:HNvjDT6jMDHn







Rumor has it that our club's dogs will be well represented competing at the St. Paul Dog Training Club agility trial, April 15 & 16th. Come on out and cheer on the 'home team'!



SSCA 2016 NATIONAL SPECIALTY ort Houston's NRG Park in Houston, Texas

Part of the Houston World Series of Dog Shows 5 day Cluster Wednesday, July 20 - Sunday, July 24, 2016

Conformation, Agility, Obedience, Rally, and Barn Hunt!

Friday, July 22 – HSSC Sponsored Specialty Saturday, July 23 - SSCA National Specialty



SSCA National urges people to sponsor trophies and donate items to the silent auction as well please!!! http://ssca2016national.com/

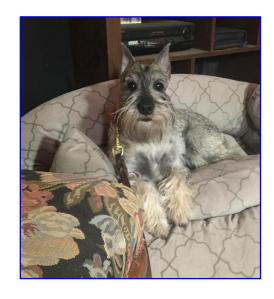
Waggin' & Braggin' Rights



"So happy with how **Dex** did at his first scent work trial! First time out so we kept it simple - only entered birch TOT and Novice containers. Guess who rocked his Target Odor Test?! Dexter! 39 seconds!! Would've been faster if his Dope on a Rope (me) was smarter. He passed the TOT and Q'ed on containers (29.18 secs)! We're grateful Performance Scent Dogs exists and lets us play. Dex had a blast!" — Kristin Moy

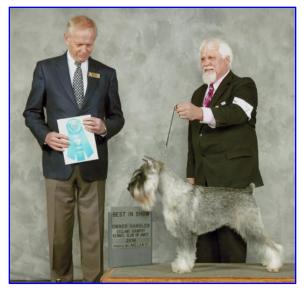
Julie Fogarty reports, "In Trial, Dan & **Sully** were 2nd place with a 195 to complete their beginner novice title. And "there were three qualifiers in rally advanced B; **Willow** was 4th place in the class and highest scoring standard schnauzer in rally with a 93. **Keillor** was right on her heels with a 92. Yahoo!

"**Bria** was BOS today (2-20-2016) in Des Moines for a 4 point win toward her Grand CH. Here is a picture of her at Julia Longtin's stealing Luna's bed."





And then on Sunday, "Today Bria was select for 3 more points toward her Grand Championship. We are at 23 points now. Bria and I at the Des Moines show. Thanks MaryAnn for the great picture" – Julie Fogarty



"Phantom here is going Best In Show National Owner Handled Series!!!! It was at the February Des Moines Show, Cyclone County Kennel Club under Judge Mr. Geir Flyckt-Pederson. This is Phantoms second BIS NOHS!!! It is such a thrill to show such a great dog."





A/C GCH Sketchbook Winter Solstice **Sully** CD, BN, RA, CL1-F, CL1-S and his new rally advanced title ribbon. But the big reward was the steak Dan gave him!





"Pretty good first day!! **Izzy** kept beating **Grady** for first place. They Qed in all but the last two Snooker runs - I was tired and my brain was shot. Lol"



"Today (Sun. 3-6-16) - full house level 3 - Izzy 1st place, Grady 2nd, colors level 3 Grady 1st, Izzy 2nd, Jumpers level 3 Izzy 2nd, Grady 3rd (amazing run by Izzy but another dog beat her by like a millisecond), Standard level 2 Izzy 1st place, standard level 3 Grady NQ - he isn't as responsive as Izzy when I tell him where to go so sometimes he goes off course." – Michele Zarinelli

Arlys & Bill Kendle shared some very happy news on April Fools' Day. We certainly hope that it is no joke. "This little guy is coming to live with us on Wed. He is a salt and pepper Standard Schnauzer. We have discovered that this breed is addictive, just one is not enough. He is not yet formally named."

— Arlys Pahl Kendle





"Another weekend, another PSD trial. © **Dex** earned his Novice Containers title, placed 1st in Novice Speed and passed his anise and clove TOTs. Thanks to his awesome instructor, he loves using his nose! He does not, however, enjoy posing with his ribbons."— Kristin Moy

B-Day Celebrations!!



"Today, 1-22-16 is **Dreamer**'s 5th birthday. HAPPY BIRTHDAY Dreamer!!"



"A late, HAPPY 10th BIRTHDAY to **Challenge**. Her special day was January 13th, which was a Friday 10 years ago."



"Happy Birthday to **Believ**e. She's 13!" - Linda Limpert



"Happy Birthday sweet **Willow**, Bronze GCH A/C CH Sketchbook Spring Willow 10 yrs. today" (3-4-2016). – Julie Fogarty



And to Willow's sister **Bria** celebrating her second B-Day on March 13th. "*Happy Birthday to Bria! I knew you would be special when you were born on my Mother's Birthday!" – Julie Fogarty*





Good friend Brooke Thomas claims, "Dinsdale Chimera Blackberry, such a cutie. Daughter of our Mira (AKC CH Dinsdale-Chimera Mirari) & Max (Multi-CH Malya Mojito)."

And we agree so this is the National Puppy Day photo.



Club Member Profiles



With apologies, the profile feature will not appear this issue.

Obviously your editor dropped the ball.





'Bone' Appetit

Recipe courtesy of www.bullwrinkle.com



Liver Chip Cookies

Ingredients:

2 cups Whole wheat flour

1/3 cup Butter -- melted

1 Egg -- beaten

6 tablespoons Water

1/4 cup liver -- dried or jerky-style treats -- chopped

Instructions:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Combine flour, butter, egg, and water. Mix well.

Blend in liver bits. Turn onto a greased baking pan. Bake 20 to 25 minutes. Cool and cut.

Please submit contributions for publication in the Heartbeat by the 10th of January, March, May, July, September and November for inclusion in the issue for those months. Thank you!

Each issue of the **Heartbeat** newsletter is a means for the club to communicate, inform and hopefully, entertain the readership. All readers are invited to submit articles, photos, editorials or simply your comments on the dog related news items and happenings that you wish to share.

"Letters to the editor" and op-ed pieces are also appreciated which are your 'take' on what is important to you that you feel the club members might like to be aware.