



GGLRC March
2018 Spring
Newsletter
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President's Message March 2018

By Melinda Grosch, GGLRC President

Board Meeting Dates

All Board meetings are on Thursdays at 7:30 pm at the Black Bear Diner on Hopyard in Pleasanton unless otherwise announced.

March 8
May 10
July 12
Sept. 13
Nov. 8

General Membership meetings:

Saturday, June 3 at Cal State East Bay/Hayward (after the Show-N-Go Match, approx. noon)

Saturday, Sept. 15 at Sir Francis Drake (Vallejo) - (time to be announced)

Saturday, December 15 - Holiday Party (time and place to be determined)

We have some wonderful events coming up so please make sure you see the sign up sheets attached to the Newsletter.

Field Day:

Saturday, March 10

Conformation Match and Obedience and Rally C Match and Trick Dog Titling-

Saturday June 3, 2018 (see attached flyer for Obedience, Rally and Tricks)

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MEET YOUR CLUB MEMEBERS

By Janet Bennett

Stowaway Labrador Retrievers

In the mid-1970s' I moved away from home and had to leave the family dog behind. I immediately adopted a black mixed breed dog, Kanoe. About the same time my niece Dee Dee Anderson adopted a very large St Bernard / Huskie, Taku. It was decided that Dee Dee and I should go to a local Parks and Recreation obedience class in Redwood City, as Taku was rapidly growing larger than Dee Dee! Our instructor encouraged us to join the "All American" dog club for mixed breeds. Dee Dee earned a CDX with Taku and I earned a UD with Kanoe. We never looked back...

I began earning AKC obedience titles on friends' purebred dogs. When the time came to get my own purebred dog, I was drawn to Labradors and Dee Dee was drawn to Golden Retrievers. We began attending AKC field trials, obedience trials and breed shows. I admired the courage and trainability of the field trail labs, but (coming from horses), preferred the structure of the breed labs. By this time I had spent many pheasant hunting seasons with a friend's German Shorthair. So I decided to look for a lab from "working" show lines.

In 1980 I attended the Sacramento KC dog show and obedience trial. Watching the lab breed ring, I was struck by the most beautiful young black bitch with the most soulful eyes and gorgeous length of neck. She was to become AM Can CH Sailin's Mizzen UD Can CD. After the show, Beth Davis (Sailin) spent a good hour visiting with me and invited me to meet the rest for her dogs. We swam the dogs, threw marks and I looked at multiple

photos for her show dogs hunting. That day Mizzen came home with me and was to become my foundation.

I picked my kennel name, Stowaway, after a couple of co breedings with Beth. I was to receive a puppy back from a breeding by my Rocky (Can CH Sailin Don't Rock the Boat CDX JH WC, Can CD) and was hoping for a black girl. Only yellows were born, so I mention this little yellow girl was like a "stowaway" in my van full of black dogs! She became Sailin's Stowaway UD JH WC, Can CDX WC. Multi generations of working show lines have been produced. Currently co owning a couple of nice working dogs (Evan and Tyler) with Shirley Trotter.

I joined GGLRC in 1982. I have met my best friends through dogs. Over the years I have held board member and president positions, along with many other duties. This club has so much to offer. I encourage you to volunteer. Do it for yourself and your Labradors!

BRAGS

Mulbury Just Push Play At
Stowaway **TDX** CGC "Tyler"
(CH Devonshires Huckleberry Finn x
Devonshires Hope Floats)
Earned her TDX on 02-01-018 at the
Redwood Belgian Tervuren Fanciers TDX
Test
Bred By: Shirley Trotter & Allison Rogers
Trained & Handled By: Dee Dee Bennett
Anderson
Owned by: Janet Bennett & Shirley Trotte

Golden Gate Kennel Club/GGLRC supported entry

January 27, 2018

Judge: Jeffrey Pepper
Winners Dog & Best of Winners
Marstad Rough Rider Wheat
Winners Bitch
Marstad Black Crown
Best of Breed/Owner Handled BOB
GCH Marstad Cherry Wheat
Best of Opposite Sex
GCH Marstad Delby Irish Stout CGC
Select Dog
CH Epoch's Pow! Straight To The Moon!
Select Bitch
GCH Hunt Club Lucky Lady

Owner Handled Sporting Group
Judge: Kathryn Cowsert
2nd Place
GCH Marstad Cherry Wheat
Sporting Group
Judge: Joan Savage
4th Place
GCH Marstad Cherry Wheat

January 28, 2018

Judge: Joan Savage
Winners Dog & Best of Winners
Marstad Rough Rider Wheat
Winners Bitch
Marstad Black Crown
Best of Breed
GCH Marstad Cherry Wheat
Best of Opposite Sex
GCH Marstad Delby Irish Stout CGC
Select Dog
CH Epoch's Pow! Straight To The Moon
Select Bitch
GCH Hunt Club Lucky Lady

Sporting Group
Judge: Jeffrey Pepper
3rd Place
GCH Marstad Cherry Wheat

****Attachments to the Newsletter****

- **2018 Calendar of Events
(1 page)**
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- **Golden Gate Labrador Retriever
Club Field Training Day
Saturday March 10, 2018
(Sign Up form – 1 page)**
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- **Golden Gate Labrador Retriever
Club Conformation Match
(Handling Clinic)
Sunday June 3, 2018
(Sign Up form – 2 pages)**
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- **Golden Gate Labrador Retriever
Club All-Breed Obedience &
Rally Show-N-Go
Sunday June 3, 2018
(Sign Up form – 2 pages)**