



GGLRC 2022 1st
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE – Vivian Poole

Saturday, May 23, 2022 GGLRC Working Certificate is cancelled and postponed to a later date TBA. We currently have a lot of very young dogs and puppies just beginning their field training. Moving this date further out will give them time to get ready. Our other regular attending retrievers have graduated and are on to hunt test Jr and Sr titles. Kudos to them and their hard-working handlers!! We will use the May 24th date out at Denverton Training Grounds for a regular practice field training day.

Next Field Training Day is Saturday, April 24th. Contact Melinda or Sharon if you are interested in participating. Come out and join the fun. See you there!

Sunday June 5, 2022 Show and Go Match and Rally/Obedience Workshop is cancelled due to several factors:

- We do not have a club volunteer who wants to take charge and head this committee of organizing and putting on this event.
- We do not have enough volunteers for: assisting with ring stewarding and helping with the event.
- "Show and Go Matches", are indefinitely being discontinued for this portion of the event due to the lack of entries in previous matches. The accompanying workshop for "show handling" is also discontinued.

The board will discuss future possibilities and new locations for reinstating this event. This has always been one of our best fund raisers for the club. It is one of the main ways we support the Specialty and our nominal ongoing expenses. If you have any suggestions or want to be a part of promoting this activity, please contact one of your board members.

Thank you, Catherine Lewis, our new GGLRC AKC Club Legislation Liaison! Catherine is our current acting club Secretary and has offered to also help with this important position. Legislative Liaisons are dog club members who follow local and state level dog policy issues and provide an important communications link between their clubs and the AKC Government Relations Department. Legislative Liaisons help the AKC, dog clubs, and individual purebred fanciers work together to efficiently and effectively address legislative

issues. Thanks, Catherine, for stepping up and keeping us informed.

Newsletter Editor Needed. Lorrie will be stepping down at the end of this year as our club's Newsletter editor. Thank you, Lorrie, for all you do for our club.

The newsletter is published quarterly. Content is solicited and/or provided by club members. If you have "brags" or articles to contribute, please contact Lorrie for the next couple of editions. Here is another opportunity to step up and do something for our club. We need your participation more than ever. Please contact Vivian for any questions about the newsletter or how you can contribute.

Happy Spring to all! - Vivian

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BRAGS – by Jennifer Kelly

Belgaim Salami, bred and owned by Ron & Jennifer Kelly, picked up 11 of her championship points at the November Woofstock shows, winning WB at three of the six shows!

- * WB (3-point major), Judge: Judy Heim (Hyspire)
- * WB, BOW (4-point major), Judge Jennifer Stotts (Shannon Valley)
- *WB, BOW (4-point major), Judge Linda Vaughn (Simmer down)
- *RWB, Judge, Susan Huntzinger (Riverlane)
- *RBW, Judge, Anne Maynard (Kimleigh)

NEXT NEWSLETTER

The 2nd Quarter 2022 Newsletter will be published around mid-June. If you have anything you'd like to share, send it to Lorrie Bellows.

GGLRC Newsletter Editor by Lorrie Bellows

As Vivian mentioned in her President's Message, by end of this year, I'll be stepping down as your Newsletter Editor.

Many of you don't know, I've not been a member of GGLRC for many years now, but I've continued to support your club. I've been your Specialty Judges Hospitality for 15+ years and I've been your Newsletter Editor since 2018. I write contracts for a living, so writing a newsletter is way out of my level of expertise, but I took on the task to help the club out. I don't think I've done too bad of a job, at least I hope not. 😊

I'm giving up these responsibilities because I'm retiring this year. I have plans to travel the US with my husband and Natasha, our 13 ½ yr old lab, in our travel trailer. I'm sure we'll throw in a Princess Cruise every now and then.

Currently, I publish a quarterly newsletter. Most of the content comes from the board, club members or members from other clubs. I write the newsletter in WORD, because that's the format I know. I take it to the Fed-X store to print the copies. Then assemble for mailing. Overall, I think I might spend a couple hours each quarter on the Newsletter.

Feel free to reach out to me if you think this sounds like something you'd like to learn more about. My email address is: loralie@mlbellows.com

**JUDGES CRITIQUES – GGLRC October 2021
Specialty – by Jennifer Kelly**

Jennifer Kelly has provided Judges Critiques for the GGLRC Specialty and the Sacramento Valley Dog Fanciers Association. (See Attachment)

Judge: Jennifer Kelly

Golden Gate Labrador Retriever Club

October 29, 2011

Dogs

6 - 9 Month Puppy Dog

#1 Rosslyn's The Cricket in Times Square

This puppy radiates adorable. He has a lovely head and expression, nicely structured front and rear, and a good coat. He is a little high in the rear, which is expected at this time of development.

9 - 12 Month Puppy Dog, Reserve Winners Dog, and Best Puppy

#1 Winterwynd's Cover Story

This is a gorgeous, mature puppy in coat. He has a good reach of neck, leading to a solid topline, and a tail right off his back, which he keeps level on the move. He is matched front and rear with proper angles, shown off nicely with his developed forechest and hindquarters. I was happy to award this puppy Reserve Winner's and Best Puppy.

12 - 18 Month Dog

#1 Hylakes Goliath

This young black boy is nicely balanced, has a solid backline, and stands properly. He is a compact, flowing boy, with a nice head and expression. His overall look is pleasing to the eye.

#2 Clovercreek Roadhouse

This lovely chocolate boy has a lot too him, with a nice front and rear, and a good head with a sweet expression. He placed second because he did not have quite the flow or show attitude as the first dog in this class..

Bred By Dog

#1 Sweet Labs King of Travel CA JH

This handsome, balanced boy has a beautiful outline and moves well. He has a nicely structured front and rear, a thick tail, and a kind head and expression. He made me smile as he was obviously quite pleased with himself. I was happy to award him Winner's Dog, Best Bred By, and a Judge's Award of Merit..

#2 Galileo's Qual Chase Bedrock DN DJ

This boy has a great coat and a nice front and rear, a pleasing head with a very sweet expression. His backline did not hold as strong as #1 in this class.

American Bred

#1 Micon's Iceman

This boy had a sweet head, a solid body, and a pleasing yellow color. He was shy, and once he gains confidence, his showing will improve.

Open Black Dog

#1 Wildblue Should've Been a Cowboy at Talimar

A full bodied, balanced boy front to rear, with a kind head and good attitude. He is overall pleasing to the eye, but is a tad wide in the rear from behind.

#2 Bloomwoods Time to Boogie

This is a nice boy with good coat and structure, and moves nicely. He needs confidence in the ring, though, and once this comes on, he should do well.

Open Chocolate Dog

#1 Dalwater Cuppa Joe

This happy boy has a handsome head, a good coat and is of lovely type. He places his feet just right and was beautifully presented on the freestack, his classic outline drawing the eye.

#2 Quail Run's Victory Dance

This boy has a beautiful, melting expression. He is compact, balanced front to rear, and has a level backline with a tail off the back. Overall, he is a handsome boy. His demeanor was sedate though, and he did not ask for the win like dog number 1.

Open Yellow Dog

#1 Medley Labs Valentino

This is a mature boy, with nicely angled balance front to rear, and of an attractive type. He is a happy show boy and moves well. I would prefer a better wrapped tail.

#2 Elkens The Tye's That Bind Us

This is a nicely balanced boy, matching front to rear, with a solid backline, good coat, moves well, and is overall pleasing to the eye. His tail could be more straight and his attitude upbeat.

Veteran Dog

#1 Cover My Eyes Absolute Gravity TKN TKI CGC FDC RN CGCU ATT RI

This boy is in good shape and radiates classic Lab in that way a well built, well cared for, sweet headed, good looking veteran does. He tugs at the heartstrings and makes me smile.

Hunting Retriever Dog

#1 GCH Westlan'es Like A Rock JH WC DN CA BCAT

This is a fit boy, who stands properly, and moves well. The handler did a good job presenting.

Best of Breed

CH Hyspire Ghoststone A Tough Nut to Crack

This happy boy has a perfect head shape and the sweetest expression. His good reach of neck leads to a level backline with a tail right off his back, both standing and on the move. His bone is just right in amount, and is nice and even from the top of his legs to his nicely shaped, tight paws. His front and rear angles match, his black coat is proper in thickness and texture, and he is in good physical shape. He is an outstanding representation of the breed. I was excited to award him Best of Breed.

Best of Winner's

Clearcreek Dust Devil

This pretty girl has a lovely balance both standing and on the move. She is pleasing in her flow, and stands to show off her nicely structured front, rear, and topline. I was happy to award her Best of Winners.

Best of Opposite Sex

GCH Scifi's Alter Ego

This girl has lovely balance front to rear, with a pleasing compact body, and level backline. She stands and moves perfectly, drawing the eye both on the stand and as she gaits around the ring. I was pleased to award her Best of Opposite Sex.

Sacramento Valley Dog Fanciers Association

October 30, 2021

Bitches**6- 9 Month Puppy Bitch****#1 Everland's Dancing Queen**

Standout yellow puppy of beautiful type. She has a properly angled front and a lovely rear, with a correct topline and a properly wrapped tail right off the back. A happy, tail wagging young show girl that draws the eye. I was happy to award her RWB.

#2 Rosslyn's Gone in 60 Seconds

A darling black puppy with a fun attitude. She has a lovely coat, a pretty head, and is well put together. She was so cute carrying her lead around the ring.

9-12 Month Puppy Bitch**#1 Shelquin's I'll Be There For You**

A happy show girl, with a pretty head and expression, and a beautiful chocolate coat. She has a lovely reach of neck flowing to properly angled shoulders. Her rear still needs to come on, but overall, an attractive puppy.

#2 Artesian Everland Smarty Pants

A mature puppy, with a strong backline, a nice rear, and a good tailset. I preferred the overall look of my number 1, but this puppy was still very nice.

12-18 Month Puppy Bitch**#1 Jonvaler Winterwynd Truffle**

This girl has a beautiful outline. She is a compact girl with all pieces flowing from her beautiful head, down her neck, to a nicely angled front, strong backline, good depth of body, a lovely rear, to a tail off the back. She pushed WB hard, but carried too much weight for me on this day and needs to practice gaiting on the lead to better show off her nice movement.

#2 Clearcreek Dust Devil

This pretty girl has a lovely clean balance, both standing and on the move. She is pleasing in her flow, from head to tail, with a nice reach of neck, nicely structured front, a good rear, and level backline with an otter tail right off her back. She pushed #1 hard, but did not quite have the maturity to beat her on this day.

Bred By Bitch**#1 Skyfire Meant To Be**

A beautiful girl. She keeps her look, both on the stand and the move. She has the right structure front and rear, good depth of body, and a lovely flow from head to tail. She has a pretty head and expression, and a proper coat.

#2 Everland's Jelly Bean

Another pretty girl. She has lovely type, nicely structured front and rear, a good topline, a tail off her back, and a cute head and expression. This girl pushed #1 hard, and I imagine they switch places depending on the day.

American Bred Bitch**#1 Quail Run's X's & O's to Savidge**

The flow and presence of this girl draws the eye both on the stack and on the move. She has a pretty head, a good reach of neck, balance front to rear, and a solid backline with a tail off her back.

#2 Atlantic's Streetcar Named Desire

This girl is of a cute, compact type, balanced front to rear, with a solid backline, and a showing attitude. She moved well, too. She didn't quite have the coat to pull off the class win today.

Open Black Bitch

#1 Temescal's Family Affair at Tuscany & Clovercreek

A pretty girl, who caught my eye when she walked in the ring. She is balanced, with good structure front and rear, with a level backline. She has a sweet expression, a happy attitude, and moves well. She made the final cut in the winner's class. I want to see the handler stand back and let this girl show her stuff.

#2 Winterwynd's Put It In Her Pipe

This girl stands well, showing off her reach of neck, nicely structured front, and solid backline with an otter tail right off her back. She is in good coat and has a happy temperament. She moves well, but the gait is thrown off by her choking pull on the lead. Her rear did not match her front as well as the first place dog.

Open Chocolate Bitch

#1 Greenstone Dalwater Cuppa Joy

This bitch is stunning! She stands back from her handler showing off her beautiful outline, a mature girl who has it all....a great coat, beautiful head and expression, a lovely reach of neck, a good front, depth of body, a proper rear, a level backline, with an otter tail right off her back. She is a happy Lab, pleased to be in the ring with her handler, wagging her tail, her brown eyes radiating that same joy. I was happy to award her Winner's Bitch and pleased to see she also won Best of Winners at the same specialty under the Best of Breed judge.

#2 Galileo's Romp in the Meadow at Lake Chabot

A pretty girl, with a rich chocolate color, an attractive head with a sweet expression, nicely structured front, a good rear, and a mature depth of body. She does not hold her topline as strongly as she could, which breaks the overall flow, but overall a lovely Lab.

Open Yellow Bitch

#1 Skyfire You Had Me At Hello

An attractive girl who catches the eye. She has a pretty head and expression, and a pleasing overall look in body. She is a lovely mover and a happy show girl. She is young and should fill out beautifully. Her coat is of a proper texture, she is just not in coat on this day.

#2 Westlane's Honkeytonk Badonkadonk At Moon Creek JH

This girl radiates cute. She is a lovely compact type with a happy, tail wagging attitude. Her nice flow was broken with a dip in the backline.