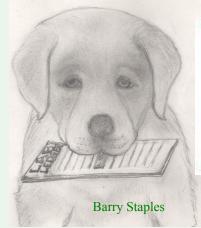
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# CHAPTER NEWS

#### **MEMBERSHIP DUES**

The Board has voted to extend the dues deadline for both new lifetime membership and regular renewals until Dec 31,2010.

Julia Kuni has been appointed the new membership chair. Please mail dues and any name/address/email changes to:

Julia Kuni

5145 Kent Rock Road

Loganville, GA 30052

plumtreejk@aol.com

#### GALRC ANNOUNCES LIFETIME MEMBERSHIPS

For a limited time, GALRC will be accepting lifetime memberships. This is open to all current members in good standing. Lifetime membership dues will only be accepted from 8/1/10 through 10/31/10.

Individual- \$225.00 Family-\$250.00

Regular Annual dues will be due 11/1/10. Individual-\$20.00 Family- \$25.00

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The club Christmas party will be held on Dec 18,2010 at Carol Quaif's home in Marietta, GA. Time is 5PM. Carol will provide a ham, dinner rolls and soft drinks. We ask members to bring an appetizer, veggie, or dessert. Please contact Carol at <u>carenna@bellsouth.net</u> to coordinate food, and for directions.



## **GALRC WEBSITE**

The GALRC website is getting a facelift thanks to member Jean McLain. Included in this revamping will be a new member breeder's directory. This will allow the public to locate breeders who are club members. To be included, please send the following information to Jean at <a href="mailto:jean@galrc.com">jean@galrc.com</a>, using the following format.

Kennel Name:

Contact Person:

Website:

Email Address:

Phone:

General Info: brief

Puppies Available: Dates – Yes/No – Frequency

# CODE OF ETHICS

## Code of Ethics

This code has been established in accordance with the objectives of the Greater Atlanta Labrador Retriever Club and is set forth as a guideline to protect and advance the health, interest and working ability of the Labrador Retriever by maintaining high breeding standards, and by encouraging sportsmanlike competition at official American Kennel Club events.

#### BREEDING

As an aid in evaluating the suitability of potential stud dogs and brood bitches, the GALRC recommends that members adhere to the following practices:

- 1. Breed only with the intentions of improving the breed and the assurances of finding suitable homes for all puppies.
- 2. Learn and understand the AKC Standard for the Labrador Retriever and breed with the intention of conforming to it.
- 3. Select only healthy AKC Stud dogs and Brood bitches that are good representatives of the Breed, and which are:
- a. examined annually and certified free of inheritable eye disease by a board certified veterinary opthalmologist
- b. after 24 months of age are certified radiographically free of hip dysplasia by the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals (OFA), the Wind Morgan Program at the Institute for Genetic Disease Control (GDC) or other recognized registry. This certification may include OFA or Wind-Morgan numbers or evaluations.
- 4. Breed only mature bitches and provide facilities for excellent pre- and post-natal care for both the dam and the puppies. Whelping brood bitches more than once in a calendar year on a regular basis is strongly discouraged.
- 5. Refusal to breed a stud dog or a brood bitch to any dog which is markedly inferior physically or temperamentally, and qualify your refusal.

# CODE OF ETHICS, CONT

#### **HEALTH**

The owner shall maintain the best possible standards of canine nutrition, health, cleanliness, and veterinary care, including mental health and proper socialization. Neglect or abuse of any dog in the care of a member will not be tolerated.

#### **SALES**

The owner/breeder shall:

- 1. Not breed, sell or consign puppies or adults to pet shops, commercial dealers, brokers, mail order houses or wholesale outlets.
- 2. Strongly encourage spaying /neutering of non-breeding animals. Limited registration is highly recommended.
- 3. NOT release puppies to their new homes/owners before the age of seven weeks and furnish details of feeding, general care, medical inoculations given and still required, pedigree, etc.. Owner/breeder shall also guarantee the general health of the puppy/dog at the time of the sale. Owner/breeder shall also recommend that the new owner seek veterinary attention in a reasonable time frame after the sale.
- 4. Screen all prospective puppy buyers to assure that the puppies will have a safe and loving home.

# CODE OF ETHICS, CONT

- 5. Follow up after the sale of puppies to ensure their continued care and to encourage the owners to become involved in purebred dog activities.
- 6. Comply with the terms of any contract or guarantee, written or otherwise, unless just cause for noncompliance can be shown.

#### **SPORTSMANSHIP**

Owners/breeders should always conduct themselves in a manner which will reflect credit upon themselves, Labrador Retrievers, and other individuals involved in the sport of purebred dogs, regardless of their location or circumstances.

Each new member must sign and date the GALRC Code of Ethics before their application will be considered.

Signature:	 	 
Signature:		
DATE:		



We have 3 black female pups available from a litter born Oct. 11th. Sire is BISS Ch. Julsby Hey Good Lookin' (Slick) and dam is Kai Den's Supernatural (major pointed litter sister to Ch. Kai Den's Change of Pace). Available Dec. 5th.

Linda Braun

# **Lachlan Labs**

CH Nip'ntuck Hyspire Unforgettable x Ophir's Dark Shadow 5 Black Females and 6 Black Males. Born November 2nd

### oherntc@bellsouth.net

www.lachlanlabs.com **678-234-8841** 

2 CHOCOLATE MALES from Oct. 2009 (Bambina X Tatonka)
2 CHOCOLATE MALES, 1 BLACK MALE from March 2010 (Piccolo X Gumbo)
available for placement, as well as some older Labs.

We are expecting a litter of YELLOWS from Torta and Apollos Nov. 28th

You can see our Labs on www.dewberrieslabradors.com

Marian and Lawrence Gardner 251-960-5317 DEWBERRIES@GULFTEL.COM



Would also like to brag a bit. Our boy Mar-Moye's Over and Under (Parker) went BOB at the Knoxville, TN shows on Nov. 6th and 7th.

Thanks.

Linda Braun

#### Carol Quaif reports:

Broad Reach Hustle to Carenna(Hustle) was WB on the Thursday at the Griffin KC under Paula Hartinger.

The Knoxille cluster the following weekend was a good one for Carenna Labradors! On Thursday, Carenna's Lochbuie Texas Two Step(Tumble) was WB, BW and BB under breeder judge Judy Chambers for her first point from the 9-12 puppy class and Bellathatch Holiday Toddy(Nog) was RWB. On Friday, Broad Reach Hustle to Carenna was WB and BOS under Lawrence Standbridge and Tumble was Best Puppy and 3rd in the Puppy Sporting Group. On Sunday, judge Karen Wilson gave Tumble WB, BW and BOS for another point. All in all, a fun weekend!

Hustle is off to more shows with my handler so if I have any more news before the 20th will let you know. She needs just 5 pts, incl a major, to finish!

Carol

Gretsal's Rattle And Humm AKA Desi Went Best Op Sex in Sweeps in Sat at the GALRC under Jodi Martin! Thank You Jodi!!

Gretsal's Jamaican Me Crazy went Winners Dog on Friday in Marietta under Mr. Bud DiDinato.

Gretsal's Jamaican Me Crazy went Best Bred by under Ms. Judy Chambers and took a Group 1 in the BBE group.

Gretsal's Celtic Tide went Winners Bitch, BOS in Knoxville for her first points under Mrs. Summerfelt.

Lisa

# BRAGS

Thatcher, Valcar's Alibi for Thatcher, took a JAM and Select Bitch at the Kennesaw show on Oct 30.

Bellathatch No Illusions, Maya, went Best in Sweeps on Saturday Oct 30 at the GALRC Supported Entry for the Kennesaw KC under Judge Jodi Martin, and again on Sunday, Oct 31, under Judge Debbie Darche.

Bellathatch No Illusions, Maya, went Winners Bitch, Best of Winners and Best of Opposite Sex at the Atlanta KC on Oct 23.

Bellathatch Story Continues, Saga, took Best of Breed at the Griffen KC show on October 28. She also received Select Bitch and a Jam at the Kennesaw KC show on Oct 31.

Florence Jones

My black Lab, Story, and I picked up two qualifying scores in Graduate Novice at the Sawnee Mt. Kennel Club obedience trial in Cumming.

We also took third place and second place, respectively, in our classes.

Linda Rehkopf and Grandquest Legend's Last Word CD RN ASCA-CD