

LHASA APSO CLUB OF NSW

NEWSLETTER

LAC of NSW's 30th Anniversary is coming in '05



Welcome to my last newsletter! At the recent Annual General Meeting I managed to convince another soul to take the job on. So this is my final fairwell to you all. Of course I am staying on as Show Secretary but now the burden of the newsletter has been lifted from my weighty shoulders.

Thank you to everyone for your patience (you have all needed lots in the last 12 months) and your encouragement, it has meant the world to me. This is a thankless job at times, but a necessary evil.

I would like to welcome our new Committee to the fold. Especially Marilyn Foster who is going to be taking over as the Editor for the next 12 months.

Now on to the headline...2005 is the Lhasa Apso Club of NSW's 30th Anniversary. The Club was formed in 1975 [and is the same age as yours truly....god I feel old :)] and so next year we have a very special Easter weekend in the planning. We have two (yes you read right TWO) Championship

Shows being judges by two different Lhasa Apso specialists. One is from the USA, and the other is from Finland. Watch the next newsletter for the schedule and judges resumes to come.

Mark this date in your diary's folks—25th March 2005—we hope to draw an extra special entry for our extra special judges. Add to that Sydney Royal and it should be a fun time all round!

OK that is it from me. Happy showing, see you round the ring!

Rachel Millner

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Show Results & Critique Easter 2004 by Wendy Cain (UK)

57th Championship Show

I would like to thank the hard working committee for their help and support and congratulate them on producing an excellent show with a super atmosphere. My placings were generously accepted by all the exhibitors and I think a genuine fun time was had by all, after all this is only a hobby. There is always one exception and we have to forgive such rude behaviour and put it down to ignorance. I should just like to quote from the dictionary (be it an English one) "Jaunty" sprightly; briskly; pleased with life." I interpret this as meaning lively, keen, and not as, bouncing up and down going nowhere, as some would have it. All this said, I thoroughly enjoyed my day.



Our judge Wendy and her partner Drew enjoying Sydney.



Critique & Results Continued...

CLASS 1 :Baby Puppy Dog

1 Brown P A & P King **NEOKARMA DARE DEVIL**

Bright gold baby who will grow into a very nice pup. Perfect mouth, good shoulder placement, nicely balanced, good tail set. Moved like a baby puppy should, naughtily.

Abs Michaelis Mrs A M **SINGTUK ALL THIS IS MINE**

CLASS 2 :Minor Puppy Dog

1 York P R & Mrs K P **BABANGA HOT N HANSOM**

Red brindle, nice head proportions, good shoulders and front, straight forelegs, well angled rear, just a touch longer in the loin than ideal, nicely angulated rear, moved well.

2 Anderson P & J **SANTARA SIMPLY THE ONE**

Gold sable not wanting to co-operate with his owner today. Lovely head, good eye shape, good body proportions, balanced throughout, needs to gain confidence.

3 Lee Ms D & G Saul **NAHEMJA FLASH BACK PETE**

Abs Gardiner Mrs J **JOGAR HOBBITON ERLING**

CLASS 3 :Puppy Dog

1 Longmire Mrs J & M Camac **AMESEN BIG TIME PUNTER**

Sable brindle Short coupled pup with good spring of rib, good head, level topline, straight front, mouth could be better but won this class with ease.

2 Ferguson Mrs J H **SNOGUM SAY BRUG**

Abs Michaelis Mrs A M **SINGTUK LUCKY LAST**

CLASS 4 :Junior Dog

1 Peacock Mrs K **AMESEN PLAY STATION**

Blue brindle, liked this well balanced young dog, good mouth and chin giving a correct expression. Dark eyes with good shape, front and rear angles well matched giving correct jaunty movement. Good tail set, level topline, excellent rib cage. Presented well.

2 McGregor Miss J B **LYNGALA LENNI CRAVITZ**

Gold sable, nice head properties but mouth not his fortune, coat ok good texture, more body would suit this dog better.

3 Brown P & P King **NEOKARMA CAPED CRUSADER**

Michaelis Mrs A M **SINGTUK SER KANG TAKPO**

CLASS 5 :Intermediate Dog

1 Grundig J C **CH NAHEMJA NUTN BUT TWUBLE**

Gold, stunning Lhasa, entered the ring with such presence, best of heads, excellent mouth, correct skull width, well arched, strong neck which he carried to his advantage, excellent lay of shoulder and upper arm, straight forelegs, well ribbed, short strong loin, correct tail set, perhaps the best quarters of the day sweeping to well let down hocks, tight feet, excellent pasterns which gave him the jaunty, easy movement I was looking for. Moved around the ring with ease and confidence, it was my pleasure to award him the CC and BIS.

2 Longmire Mrs J & M Camac **CH AMESEN ITS MY PARTI**

Gold/white part, beautiful headed Lhasa, excelled in balance and outline. Good body proportions throughout,



good shoulder but a little steep in upper arm, excellent coat, just preferred the overall movement of winner.

3 York P & N Estatheo **BABANGA DOLOMITE**

Gardiner Mrs J **JOGAR JUST MY GUY**

CLASS 10 :Australian Bred Dog

1 Dyer J **CH NAHEMJA ADDINGTON WALLIS**

Slate grey dog with a fabulous outline and balance, excellent shoulders and front assembly, good depth of chest, excellent ribbing, typical head, looked an absolute picture standing but needed more animation on the move. A really lovely Lhasa.

2 McGregor Miss J B **LYNGALA LORDS R LEAPIN**

Silver brindle, good balance, nicely angled fore and aft, moved with drive and purpose.

3 Brown P & P King **CH NEOKARMA BACKTOTHEFUTURE**

Foster Mrs M A **CH SAXONYDIOR TOUCH O GOLD**

CLASS 11 :Open Dog

1 Grundig J C **CH NAHEMJA ELIJAH ADDINGTON**

Black, note he is the litter brother to my Aust Bred winner, two lovely dogs. Superb head, good length of muzzle to skull, liked his nose placement, dark eye and shape, long, arched neck, well angulated fore and aft, level topline, in good muscular condition which was lacking in many of the dogs today, moved round the ring with style. Presented to perfection. Res CC

2 Longmire & Camac **CH & AM CH TA SEN CHIC CHOIX BIG TIME TIPPER (IMP USA)**

Gold, beautifully coated Lhasa, loved his balance and outline, fabulous front, well ribbed, excellent coat and condition, just not quite as strong in quarters as winner.

3 Warby P **CH SUEKERBRU HARRY WHO**

CLASS 1A:Baby Puppy Bitch

1 McGregor Ms J B & J Forsyth **NAHEMJA APPRECIATION**

Hard class to judge as such a variance with the babies. Although the winner appeared leggy, I'm sure when her coat grows down she will stand with the older winners, has all the essentials.

2 Brown P A & P King **NEOKARMA DARE TO DREAM**

3 Michaelis Mrs A M **SINGTUK AMIDALA**

CLASS 2A:Minor Puppy Bitch

1 Anderson P & J **SANTARA OUTTA MY WAY** Gold sable

2 York P R & Mrs K P **BABANGA RED HOT KISSES**

Gold. Not a lot between these two babies. Both were excellent in construction and fitted the standard well, could change places on another day. Liked their heads, mouth, and overall qualities. Winner just settled on the move to take the class.

3 York P R & Mrs K P **BABANGA HOT CHILI PEPPER**

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Summer Greetings from Finland

Yes, it is summer here in Finland. After a long snowy winter (Our Lhasa Apsos love snow!) it is lovely to get all this warmth and beauty which belongs to the Finnish summer.

In Finland we have four different kind of dog shows and unofficial club shows. International dog shows are the largest events. Our main show is the annual International Winner Show which is arranged yearly in Helsinki. Dogs with BOB and BOS wins get the Winner title at this show. Best junior dogs gain the title Junior Winners. At an International Dog Show dogs can get certificates and CACIBs.

There are often more than 2000 entries at National dog shows. National shows are championship shows too. Special and Group Shows are usually much smaller but they are championship shows as well. A dog will need three certificates to gain the Finnish Championship title (and he has to be two years old). If a dog already is a champion in some other country, only one CC is needed to gain the FIN CH -title. (There are other requirements for hunting dogs etc.) We often have exhibitors from abroad and it is very interesting to get judges from all over the world in addition to Finnish judges. Our show system may seem a little different for judges who are judging for the first time here in Scandinavia. A judge has to dictate a critic of every dog he is judging. That is very interesting (though you always wouldn't quite agree with the judges) but you really get to know what the judge thinks about your dog at this very competition. We have the same custom in all Scandinavian and Baltic countries.

“There are often more than 2000 entries at National dog shows”



Benefic Solar Eclipse and Marja Törmä

Lhasa Apso is not a big breed here in Finland but it is often seen among the group winners. Most of the Finnish breeders are small breeder's and dogs live in home environments. Most of the dogs are also shown and groomed for the shows by their owners or breeders. Finnish dog people love to show their dogs abroad too. We drive hundred of miles to show our dogs. We travel by plain and by boat to European shows and we even have special buss tours to main shows here in Finland and also abroad. It is very interesting to meet foreign breeders and their dogs in other countries. These buss tours can be exhausted, but many stories are told during and after these trips.

Now I will tell you a little about some Lhasa Apsos you could meet in the show ring here in Finland. I'm not going

to tell you about those lovely senior stars who already have been retired from the show ring but about dogs you could meet if you would come to visit us.

Int & Fin & Am & Can & N & Dk & S & I & Est & Lv Ch Fin Winner- 03 Ch Chic Choix Jeffersson Davies (bred by Mr Juha Kares) is born in Finland and he is shown here in Finland by his breeder. At the moment his home is in Norway. Int & Fin & Est & N & Ch Finnish Winner -02 Chic Choix Marlon Brando is already a veteran dog but still going strong. His latest wins comes from Sweden where he was Best of Breed and Best In Show Veteran at their Special Show and after that he



travelled to Denmark with his breeder and Marlo was BOB again and took a group placement too.

What comes to the bitches Fin & Est & S & Ltu Ch Estonian Winner-01 Nordic Winner-01 Finnish Winner - 01-02 Baltic Winner -02 Myway's Cross My Heart (bred by Maija Kosunen) has been doing really well in the show rings but at the moment she is a proud mother of a puppy boy and girl. Pipsa, like she is called, has been the Lhasa Apso of the Year for three times in years 2001-2003. . Int & Fin & S & N & Est Ch Junior Winner-99 Winner-03 Chic Choix San Jo Sunshine gained her latest CC at European Winner Show in Barcelona in Spain this spring. Fin & S & N & Est Ch Finnish Winner-00 Vaisas Indian Sweet (bred by Varpu Vallila) came back from her maternity leave after her two litters and won her last CACIBs in Norway and in Estonia and she is now waiting for her International Championship title to be confirmed by the FCI.

In addition to these experienced Lhasa Apsos there are many exciting new youngsters. The young Benefic brothers (bred by Marja Törmä) are still too young to gain their Finnish Championship but they are doing really well in the show rings. Benefic Solar Eclipse has many CC:s and CACIBs and he gained his Junior Winner title last year. Benefic Sandstorm is a LTUW-04 and LVW-04 winner and he has group and Best In Show placements in these countries as well. The third brother Benefic Rusty Knight took the breed and was BIS 4 in Russia. Vaisas Deep Devotion was Lhasa Apso Puppy of the Year in the year 2001 and after his second birthday in January this year he became FIN CH at Turku Int Dog Show here in Finland. He has got CACIBs with BOB and BOS placements. And of course there are exciting young bitches too. Perhaps the brightest star among the young ladies has been EST JCH, ESTJW-03, BALT JW-03, FIN JW-03 Karafill Chic Choix Nova (bred by Tiia Saarentola). FIN CH Vaisas Winter Joy hasn't been shown very often but she has been BOB and she has got her Finnish CACIBs too.

I hope that these names and the titles of the above mentioned Lhasa Apsos will tell you something about the Finnish Lhasa Apso breeding and showing.

FIN CH Soleydan High Hopes (bred by Kirsi Nummela) was BOB at our Special Show in year 2002. Now we warmly welcome Mrs Lyn Watson to our Special Show this August. It will be interesting to see what she thinks about our Lhasa Apsos!

Best regards

Varpu Vallila



Fin & S & N & Est Ch Finnish Winner-00 Vaisas Indian Sweet pictured below



Esther Benson and BOB Ch Soleydan High Hopes (on right) and BOS Int Ch Chic Choix Marlon Brando (on left)



Parade 2004 Results

Best Dog & Best in Parade:

Neokarma Caped Crusader
(Brown & King)

Best Bitch & RU Best in Parade:

Nahemja Abbie Belle Mae
(Grundig)

Reserve Dog:

Amesen Playstation
(Peacock)

Reserve Bitch:

Amesen Play The Game
(Longmire/Camac/Mobbs)

Baby in Show: **Amesen Come Fly With Me**
(Longmire/Camac)

Minor in Show: **Neokarma Dare To Dream**
(Brown/King)

Puppy in Show: **Nahemja Flash Back Pete**
(Saul/Lee)

Junior in Show: **Neokarma Caped Crusader**
(Brown/King)

Intermediate in Show: **Amesen Play The Game**
(Longmire/Camac/Mobbs)

Australian Bred in Show: **Babanga Hot Chili Pepper**
(Beves/Estatheo)

Open in Show: **Nahemja Abbie Belle Mae**
(Grundig)

Brisbane Royal

Bitch CC & Best of Breed:

Saxonsprings Follow That Dream (Imp UK)
(Townson)

Reserve CC & RU BOB:

Ch Nahemja Miss Loopiola (Grundig)

Dog CC:

Ch Nahemja Nutn But Twuble (Grundig)

Reserve Dog CC:

Lyngala Lords R Leapin (McGregor)

Puppy of Breed & **PUPPY IN GROUP!!**:

Babanga Hot Chili Pepper (Beves/Estatheo)

Adelaide Royal

Dog CC & Best of Breed:

Ch/Am Ch Ta Sen Chic Choix Big Time Tipper (Imp USA) (Camac & Longmire)

Reserve CC & Puppy of Breed:

Amesen Come Fly With Me (Longmire & Camac)

Bitch CC & RU BOB:

Ch Amesen Time To Parti (Longmire & Camac)

Reserve Bitch CC:

Gr Ch Amesen Hot Gossip (Longmire & Camac)



Dyer Mrs P **NAHEMJA MINNIE BELLE MAE**

Foster Miss L **SOOQUAN DONTU NOITSMAGIC**

Grundig J C **NAHEMJA ABBIE BELLE MAE**

CLASS 3A:Puppy Bitch

1 Foster Miss L **SOOQUAN MATERIAL GIRL**

Black/white parti. Not the best class of the day but I won on overall appeal. Leggy bitch, excellent mouth, little long in foreface, needs time to develop.

2 Williams Mrs J C **JOGAR AUDREY HEPBURN**

3 Ferguson Mrs J H **SNOGUM BRANAG RTING DKAR**

CLASS 4A:Junior Bitch

1 Grundig J C **NAHEMJA MISS LOOPIOLA**

Blue/grey brindle. Wow, my find of the day, just fell in love with this superb young lady, with maturity will surely take all before her. By my open dog winner and with many of his excellent qualities. Dripping in coat, blackest of pigment, lovely head and mouth, strong neck sweeping into excellent shoulders and upper arm, well ribbed up, strong short loin, good tail set and carriage, excellent quarters, strong straight hocks, no weakness anywhere. She graced the ring with her presence, movement was a dream. She had that arrogance that was not going to be overlooked. Res CC

2 McGregor Miss J B **LYNGALA LUVS A PRINCESS**

Gold brindle. Nicely balanced bitch not disgraced in this class, good body proportions throughout, preferred the head of winner

3 Longmire Camac & Mobbs **AMESEN PLAY THE GAME**

Ferguson Mrs J H **SNOGUM MISS FIGJAM**

Williams Miss J **JOGAR RUBY SUNRISE**

CLASS 5A:Intermediate Bitch

1 Foster Miss L **AMESEN DANCIN TILL DAWN**

Black, nice outline, good depth to chest, little upright in shoulder, good upper arm, pretty head, good spring of rib, good rear angulation. Handled well but not quite giving her all.

2 Beves B & N Estatheo **CH BABANGA HAPENNY**

Cream sable. Liked this bitch's outline and overall qualities. Has all the essentials but not presented to her advantage

CLASS 10A:Australian Bred Bitch

1 Millner Miss R L **CH AMESEN UPTOWN GIRL**

Black/white. What a sweetie, full of character, moving out of her skin. Good to go over, put down to perfection.

2 Longmire Mrs J & M Camac **CH AMESEN TIME TO PARTI**

White/black parti. Excellent bitch full of quality, loved her shape, head, spring of rib, tail set, has it all. Just pipped to the post by a whisker. Two lovely bitches of differing type, but both sound and typey.

3 Warby P **CH SUEKERBRU FOOTY POOT**

CLASS 11A:Open Bitch

1 Anderson P & J **GR CH SANTARA R U REDI**

Gold sable. The most fabulous of construction. Excelled in every department, my hands flowed over her sound body. Beautiful head, long neck, excellent lay back of shoulder coupled with correctly angled upper arm, straightest of fronts, good heart room, short coupled loin, good tail set, good rear proportions, sound movement, looked a picture, pleased to award her the CC Res BIS

2 Longmire Mrs J & M Camac **GR CH AMESEN HOT GOSSIP**

Gold. Beautifully presented bitch with many good qualities. Nice outline, excellent coat and condition, level topline, good tail set, just preferred the head of winner.

3 York P R & Mrs K P **CH NAHEMJA BOUNCING BETTY**

Lhasa Apso Club of NSW

Championship Show

Sunday 10th October 2004

Judge - Mrs D Hyde ACT

Judging commences at 10am

Castle Hill Showground, Carrington Rd, Castle Hill

Classes -

1,2,3,4,5,10,11,18 dogs and bitches

Parade of Veterans (please supply critique and photo)

100 km sweepstakes, Sires Progeny, Dams Progeny

Entry fees -

Members - \$10 first entry, \$8 subsequent entries/neuters.

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Entries Close: 25th September 2004

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Baby in Show:

Neokarma Dare Devil



Puppy in Show:

Amesen Big Time Punter



Minor in Show:

Santara Outta My Way



Junior in Show:

Nahjemja Miss Loopiola

Australian Bred in Show:

Ch Amesen Uptown Girl



BIS: Ch Nahemja Nutn But Twuble RUBIS: Gr Ch Santara R U Redi





Best in Parade -
Neokarma Caped Crusader
 with Judge Liz Davidson
 and Handler, Breeder &
 Owner Phil Brown
 (co-owner Pete King not
 shown!)

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We are accepting your show results for inclusion in the newsletter. What I will include depends on the volume received, so send them all in! You can e-mail them to rachel@rysup.com or snail mail to 87 Britannia Rd, Castle Hill 2154

Meetings are held on the 3rd TUESDAY of every 2nd month, starting at 8pm. Meeting months are January, March, May, July, September and November. They are held at the Bull N Bush Hotel, Cnr Windsor Rd & Seven Hills Rd, Baulkham Hills. We have a reserved table, but if in doubt contact a committee member for directions to where our meetings actually take place. Visitors are most welcome, come and enjoy a meal along with the meeting.

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