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Mountain Dog MESSENGER

— NEWSLETTER OF THE BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB OF THE ROCKIES —

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BMDCR Newsletter Deadlines for 2014

Please submit content for BMDCR newsletters to the Editor by the deadlines listed below.

In addition to regular features, appropriate articles, advertisements and photos are welcome.

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Email to:
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Spring Draft Test

May 3rd & 4th 2014



Photos courtesy of Barbara Baeten Callen LeTourneau



President's Message - July 2014

Whoa! What a roller coaster we've been on. We hosted a successful draft test one weekend then had to say goodbye to our good friend Bob Tucker a week later. We express our condolences to Lou and to honor his memory, the club will make a \$250 donation to Morris Animal Foundation and will place a commemorative ad in the Fall specialty catalogue. The club will also donate trophies in his honor for both days of the Fall draft test. He was a true blue member of the club and we will miss him.

In case you are wondering how the Herding Fun Day went, well, we watched our dogs do what they do while the sheep did what they did. Our berners ranged from overzealous to competent to benignly uninterested. Ditto with the sheep, although I felt a little sorry for them by the end of the day. I'm not sure their job description includes having to put up with such torment.

Our July meeting will be held at Pine Valley Ranch on July 27 in conjunction with the Berner Festa. Barbeque will be catered so bring a side dish to share. I look forward to seeing you there.

Mary Ellen

BMDCR Newsletter Advertising

BMDCR Newsletter Advertising: The BMDCR accepts appropriate ads in the club's bimonthly newsletter on a space available basis. Priority is given to ads from club members. Ads must be camera-ready (per the Editor), however, assistance with preparing ads is available upon request. Ads must be paid in advance via the BMDCR website store at: <http://www.bmdcr.org/Shop-the-Rockies.html> Select the category Newsletter Advertising.

Instructions for submitting ads, including how to request design assistance, are included at that link.
Advertising Rates (per single issue): Business Card Size Ad - \$5 for BMDCR members, \$10 for non-members; Quarter-Page Ad - \$10 for members, \$20 for non-members; Half-Page Ad - \$20 for members, \$40 for non-members

Submission Deadlines: Camera-ready ads are due on the 15th of December, February, April, June, August, and October, for the Jan/Feb, Mar/Apr, May/Jun, July/Aug, Sept/Oct, Nov/Dec issues, respectively. Allow 2 additional weeks for ads requiring design assistance.

Upcoming Meetings/Special Events Schedule

July 2014 - Berner Fiesta!

Date: July 27, 2014

Time: 11am—3pm

Location: Pine Valley Ranch, Pine, CO.

Berner Fiesta! Main course and drinks will be provided. Please bring either a salad or dessert. A CGC and CGCA test will be offered. Dogs need to be crated or on leash but will have access to a stream and hiking trails. The club will have a short meeting at this event. Members and non members may attend. CGC and CGCA will be given by Patty Davieau. We invite one and all! Coordinator Candy McDanal mcdanaljc@msn.com .

Sept 2014 - BMDCR Independent Specialty

Date: September 5, 2014

Location: Island Grove Park, Greeley, CO

An Affair to Remember. Held in conjunction with Evergreen Kennel Club all-breed shows on September 6&7 at the same site. Show Chairman Dottie Schulte - dotties911@aol.com

Oct 2014 - Fall Draft Test

Date: Oct 4th & 5th, 2014

Location: Edora Park, Ft Collins, CO

Judges on October 4th are Patti Davieau and Kathy Berge. Judges on October 5th are Nancy Fuselier and Kathy Berge. Coordinator Alice Clark - alicean8@hotmail.com

**BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB OF THE ROCKIES
2014 BMDCR INDEPENDENT SPECIALTY**

**September 5th AN AFFAIR
TO REMEMBER**

**DONATE
RAFFLE
ITEMS**



Contact Barb LeTourneau
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2014 BMDCR INDEPENDENT SPECIALTY**

**September 5th AN AFFAIR
TO REMEMBER**

SPONSOR A TROPHY

Contact Sharon Keefler
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BE A STAR!



Membership Update by Chairperson- Stacy Temples

July Membership Report

The club welcomes our newest Sustaining Member who was approved on May 25, 2014.

Dr. Richard P. Meinig, 20 Sanford Rd., Colorado Springs, Colorado, 80906. Ph. # (719) 636-2521. cell: ph. # (719) 332-4433, E-mail:rickmeinig@gmail.com. Sponsored by Tracey Carpe & Sara Karl.

Show News !- By Lou Tucker

Flatirons Kennel Club 5/31/14
 WD Tanzanite The Trouble With Tribbles RN (Finn) Owners – Julia & Mike Smith & S. Montville
 WB/BW Wagontales Dazzle Owners – Stacy Temples & Howard Ramsdell
RWB Ratcliff's Lily of the Valley (Lily) Owners – Tracey Carpe & Jennifer Necker
 BOS Wagontales One way or Another Owners – Stacy Temples & Howard Ramsdell
SEL GCH Prairefire's Winter Hawk of Snowy Pines Owner – Sharon Johnson
 Flatirons Kennel Club 6/1/14
 WD Tanzanite The Trouble With Tribbles RN Owners- Julia & Mike Smith & S.Montville
 RWD Backcountry's Say Roger That (Roger) Owners – Valerie Horney & W. Bennett
 RWB Wagontales Golden Belle Owners - Stacey temples & H. Ramsdell
 SEL Wagontales One Way or Another Owners – Stacy Temples & H. Ramsdell
SEL CH Prairefire's Music of the Night Owners – Becky & B. Shuris & Sharon Johnson
 Laramie Kennel Club 5/26 /14
 WD/BW- Prairiefires Promise Me A Stout One Owners -Elizabeth and Joonho Yo and Sharon S Johnson
 RWD-Wagontales Sonnenalp Owners -Stacy Temples, Michelle Wright & Lynn Bailey
 WB-Wagontales One Way or Another Owners -Stacy Temples and Howard Ramsdell
 RWB-Wagontales Golden Belle Owners -Stacy Temples and Howard Ramsdell
 BB GCH Prairefire's Winterhawk of Snowy Pines Owner-Sharon S Johnson
 SEL GCH Mountainair's Lima Bean MDD Owners -Elizabeth Dennehy,Will Rodgers and Darcy Babb
 SEL CH Memories Marquita V Ratcliff Owners -Tracey Carpe, Cathy Burlile and Jennifer Necker
 BBR/G1 Ratcliffes Lily of the Valley and Memories Marquita v Ratcliffe Owners -Tracey Carpe and Jennifer Necker
 Laramie Kennel Club 5/25/14
 WD/BW Prairiefire's Promise me a Stout One Owners - Elizabeth an Joonho Yo and Sharon S Johnson
RWD Wagontale's Sonnenalp Owners – Stacy Temples & Michelle Wright & Lynn Bailey
WB Prairefire's Wonderstruck Owner – Sharon Johnson
RWB Wagontale's Golden Belle Owners – Stacey Temples & Howard Ramsdell
 SEL GCH American Ale Von Der Bernessehof Owner – Beverly & Michael Hilmes
BB/G4 CH Prairefire's Music of the Night Owners - B. & B. Shuris & Sharon Johnson
 Central Wyoming Kennel Club Inc 5/24/14
 WD Tanzanite The Trouble With Tribbles RN Owners – Julia & Mike Smith & S. Montville
 RWD Wagontales Sonnenalp Owners – Stacy Temples & Michelle Wright & Lynn Bailey
WB/BW/OS Biergarten's Winter Abbey Ale Owners – Beverly & Michael Hilmes
BBY Wagontale's Dazzle Owners – Stacy Temples & Howard Ramsdell
RWB Wagontale's One way or Another Owner – Stacy Temples & H. Ramsdell
SEL GCH Mountainair's Lima Bean BN RE CD Owners – Beth Dennehy & W.Rogers & D.Babb
BB GCH Prairefire's Winter Hawk of Snowy Pines – Owners – B. & B. Shuris & Sharon Johnson
 Central Wyoming Kennel Club Inc 5/23/14
WD/BW Wagontale's Sonnenalp Owners – Stacy Temples & Michelle wright & Lynn Bailey
 RWD Tanzanite The Trouble With Tribbles BN RN Owners – Julia & Mike Smith & S.Montville
WB Biergarten's Winter Abby Owners – Beverly & Michael Hilmes
RWB Wagontale's One Way or Another Owners – Stacy temples & Howard Ramsdell
 BB/G4 GCH American Ale Von Der Bernessehof Owners – Beverly & Michael Hilmes
BOBOH GCH Mountainair's Lima Bean CD RE BN Owners Beth Dennehy & W.Rogers & D.Babb
SEL GCH Prairefire's Winter Hawk Of Snowy Pines Owner – Sharon Johnson
 Durango Kennel Club Inc 5/18/14
WB Ratcliff's Lily of the Valley Owners – Tracey Carpe & Jenninifer Necker
RWB Ayehli's Amazing Grace V Ratcliff Owners – Tracey Carpe & F. Bushnell & J. Necker
BB GCH Mountainaire's Lima Beam BN RE CD MDD Owner – Beth Dennehy & W.Rogers & D.Babb
 Durango Kennel Club Inc 5/17/14
WB Ayehli's Amazing Grace V Ratcliff Owners – Tracey Carpe & F.Bushnell & J. Necker
RWB Ratcliff's Lily of the Valley Owners – Tracey Carpe & Jennifer Necker
OS GCH Mountainaire's Lima Bean BN RE CD MDD - Beth Denndhy & W.Rogers & D.Babb
 SEL CH Mariquita V Ratcliff RN NDD Owners – Tracey Carpe, J. Necker & C. Burlile
 * NEW GRAND CHAMPION
BBR/G1/BS Ratcliff's Lily of the Valley & CH Memories Mariquita V Ratcliff RN Owner-Tracey Carpe
 Durango Kennel Club Inc 5/16/14
RWB Ayehli's Amazing Grace V Ratcliff Owners – Tracey Carpe & F. Bushnell & J. Necker
 SEL CH Memories Marquita V Ratcliff RN NDD Owners – Tracey Carpe & J. Necker
BBR/G1/BS Ratcliff's Lily of the Valley & CH Memories Mariquita V Ratcliff RN Owner-Tracey Carpe
 Coronado KC of New Mexico Inc. 5/13/14
WD/BW Wagontale's Divine Inspiration Owners – Stacy Temples & Nicole & Michael Georges

Show News! - By Lou Tucker

RWD Prairefire's Promise Me A Stout One Owners – E. Yo Joonho & Sharon Johnson
 WB/BOBOH RATCLIFF'S LILY OF THE VALLEY Owners – Tracey Carpe & Jennifer Necker
 RWB AYEHLI'S AMAZING GRACE V RATCLIFF Owners – Tracey Carpe & Fara Bushnell & Jennifer Necker
 BB GCH Prairefire's Winter Hawk of Snowy Pines Owner – Sharon Johnson
 SEL CH Prairefire's Music of the Night Owners – Becky & Bob Shuris & Sharon Johnson
 Coronado KC of New Mexico Inc. 5/12/14
 WD/BW Prairefire's Promise Me A Stout One Owners – E. Yo Joonho & Sharon Johnson
 RWD Wagontale's Divine Inspiration Owners – Stacey Temples & Nicole & Michael Georges
 BBY/G4 Wagontale's Dazzle Owners – Stacey Temples & Howard Ramsdell
 RWB Wagontale's Golden Belle Owners – Stacy Temples & Howard Ramsdell
 WB/OS Prairefire's Feel Like Dancin' Owners – Anna Asmussen & Sharon Johnson
 *NEW CHAMPION
 BB GCH Prairefire's Winter Hawk of Snowy Pines Owner – Sharon Johnson
 SEL CH Prairefire's Music of the Night Owners – Becky & Bob Shuris & Sharon Johnson
 Rio Grande Kennel Club Inc 5/11/14
 WD/BW/BOBOH/G3 Shepherds Patch Othello (Otto) Owner - Kim Giannone
 RWD Prairefire's Promise Me A Stout One Owners – E. Yo Joonho & Sharon Johnson
 WB Kasablanca's Mountainair Midnight Blue Owner – Darcy Babb
 RWB Prairefire Feel Like Dancin' Owners – Anna Asmussen & Sharon Johnson
 BB CH Pinnacles H3-Like Nothing Else (Hummer) Owners – Teresa Dominguez & Eden Jonas
 SEL GCH Prairefire's Winter Hawk of Snowy Pines Owner – Sharon Johnson
 SEL Nashems Lucky Charm Owners – Shari Curran & Sara Karl
 Rio Grande Kennel Club Inc 5/10/14
 WD/BW Shepherds Patch Othello Owner – Kim Giannone
 RWD Wagontale's Divine Inspiration Owners – Stacy Temples & Nicole & Michael Georges
 RWB Powder Keg Farm Highland Dancer Owner – Darcy Babb & Priscilla Young
 WB Prairefire's Feel Like Dancin' Owners – Anna Asmussen & Sharon Johnson
 BB GCH Prairefire's Winter Hawk of Snowy Pines Owner – Sharon Johnson
 OS CH Nashems Lucky Charm Owners - Shari Curran & Sara karl
 SEL CH Pinnacles H3-Like Nothing Else Owners – Teresa Dominguez & Eden Jonas
 Additional 2014 National News --
 GCH Mountainair's Lima Bean CD BN RE CGC ANDD MDD BNDD Versatility Dog 1st place in the Versatility Showcase Dogs 7 & under class
Performance News
 Classique's Midnight Serenade (Cooper) Owned by Patty Wellinger
 5/4 Mountain States Dog Training Club Pre-Novice Obedience 1st Leg, 3rd Place
 Cooper ranked 5th Bernese Mountain Dog in the US for Novice obedience Front & Finish Rankings
 5/24 - 4Corners Australian Shepherd Association (ASCA) - 2nd leg, Rally Excellent
 6/1 Flatirons Kennel Club - 2nd leg, Pre-Novice obedience, 4th Place
 6/8 - High Plains Kennel Club (UKC) -
 2nd leg, United Rally Excellent, 3rd Place-Level 2 and 3rd Place-Level 3
 3rd leg, United Rally Excellent, 4th Place-Level 2 and 1st Place-Level 3
 Tanzenite the Trouble with Tribbles BN RN-Julia and Mike Smith and S Montville
 5/23 Central Wyoming Kennel Club-Novice A 1st place, 1st Leg
 5/31 Flatirons Kennel Club-Novice A 2nd Place, 2nd Leg
 Wagontale's Classical Composition BN RN (Lyric) Owned by Alice Clark
 Flatirons Pre-Novice Obedience - 3rd Place (Saturday & Sunday)
 Brighteye Caliche Trails (Carly) Owned by Elaine Witulski
 Earned a CD Title & RN Title at Flatirons
Draft Wins
 Oregon BMD Club Draft Test May 30 & 31 Salem OR
 Werlwind's Last Call NDD CGC (Skool) & Byron Peterson - Novice Draft Dog NDD
 Am/Can CH Werlwind's One For The Road NDD CGC (Dexter) & Yoshi Peterson - Novice Draft Dog
 NDD / 4th Leg, Dexter & Yoshi New Title ANDD Advanced Novice Draft Dog 5/31/14
 Kennedy's Murren (Murrey) Owned by Lori Kennedy
 5/3/14 (BMDCR) New Draft Dog Title NDD Oldest Qualifying Dog Award
 5/10/14 High Country Newfoundland and Draft Test Draft Dog Title (new Title)
 Prairefire's Mircales Can't Wait (Dechlen) Owner – Lori Kennedy
 5/3/14 (BMDCR) Novice Passing Score – New NDD title
 5/24/14 Heartland BMD Club Draft Test - Novice Draft Dog 2nd leg
 5/25/14 Heartland - Kennedy's Murren & Prairefire's Miracles Can't Wait Novice Brace (New Title)
 GCH Memories Mariquita V Ratcliff (Bug) Owner—Tracey Carpe, J. Necker, C Burlile
 5/3/14 (BMDCR) Novice Passing Score—New NDD title
 CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL !!

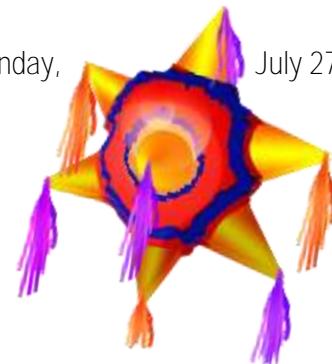
BERNER FIESTA

EVERYONE is invited to the ANNUAL BERNER FIESTA at Pine Valley Ranch on Sunday, July 27th from 11:00-3:00 P.M.

The club is providing BBQ and Drinks and paper goods.

Please bring a dish as follows- if your last name begins with:

A-H DESSERTS
I-Q SIDE DISH
R-Z SALADS
bring serving utensils



Please bring a crate and/or leash for your dog. There are streams and hiking paths for people and dogs. Cooler than Denver weather guaranteed! We are in a pavilion and there will be a lot of shade.

Invite your Berner friends who may not be club members.

CANINE GOOD CITIZEN and CANINE GOOD CITIZEN ADVANCED TESTS to be given for those interested in getting that AKC title for their dog (s) There is a fee for the test of \$15.00/dog. Please let Candy McDanal know if you would like to participate in the CGC tests when you RSVP BY JULY 23RD or sooner

Directions to Pine Valley Ranch: 30400 Crystal Lake Rd., Pine Go South on 285 toward Bailey to hwy 126.

From U.S. Highway 285, turn south on Pine Valley Road (County Road 126) to Crystal Lake Road. Turn right one mile into the park.

We are in the pavilion below the parking lot- look for the Berners.

Board meeting and membership meetings at 12:00 and 1:00 respectively.

PLEASE RSVP BY JULY 23RD.

RSVP to: McDanaJC@msn.com or 303-838-4098



Board Meeting Minutes - May 25, 2014

The regular meeting of the BMDCR Board of Directors was called to order at 12:45 pm on May 25, 2014 during the herding instinct fun day at Halcyon Farms.

Present: Board members Dr. Mary Ellen Guy, Sara Karl, Candy McDanal, Dottie Schulte, Pattie Wellinger and Dr. Laura Haupenthal.

Approval of minutes: Candy moved to approve the March 23, 2014 minutes as published in the May/June 2014 newsletter. The motion was seconded by Patti. The motion passed unanimously.

President's report: Mary Ellen had nothing to report.

Secretary's report: Laura had nothing to report.

Treasurer's report: Sara reported that we have \$25,415.57 in checking account, \$12,158.78 in savings account and \$7,176.25 in rescue checking account. There has been no report from the draft test yet and these figures do not include membership dues.

Committee reports: Nothing to report.

Unfinished business: Sara reported that the trade mark and copyright issues are in process.

New business: **There was discussion regarding possible memorial ideas in honor of Bob Tucker's contributions to the club.** It was suggested that we could donate \$250 each to Morris Animal Foundation and to rescue. Additional ideas include possibly dedicating new draft equipment or purchasing an inside cover catalogue ad for the 2014 Regional Specialty or donating trophies from the fall 2014 draft test in honor of Bob Tucker. All would be restricted to a total of \$500.

Adjournment: Sara motioned to adjourn and Pattie seconded. The Board meeting was adjourned at 1:01 pm.

General Meeting Minutes - May 25, 2014

The regular meeting of the BMDCR membership was called to order at 1:02 pm on May 25, 2014 during the herding instinct fun day at Halcyon Farms.

Present: 11 voting members, 0 sustaining members, 0 junior members and 2 guests. (There was actually a total of 12 voting members present as 1 voting member was present but did not sign in.)

Welcome: Welcome to guests Hal Berenson, Lora Ackerman and their dog, Addie.

Approval of minutes: Val motioned to approve the minutes of the March 23, 2014 meeting as published in the May/June newsletter. Candy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

President's report:

Items from Board meeting: The Board reported a number of suggestions regarding possible ways for the club to honor Bob Tucker. (See Board meeting, May 25, 2014.) Val moved that the club make a \$250 do-

General Meeting Minutes - May 25, 2014

nation to Morris Animal Foundation, place an ad in the front inside cover of the fall specialty catalogue and donate trophies for the 2 day fall draft test in honor of Bob Tucker the total of which is not exceed \$500. Sara seconded and motion carried unanimously.

Secretary's report: Laura had nothing to report.

Treasurer's report: Sara reported that we have \$25,415.57 in checking account, \$12,158.78 in savings account and \$7,176.25 in rescue checking account. There has been nothing from the draft test yet and these figures do not include membership dues. Sara discussed a member's question pertaining to the distribution of members' donations as designated on their membership renewal forms. She discussed possibly revising the membership renewal form to include line items so as to allow members to direct the way in which their donations are used.

Committee reports

Spring draft test: Val indicated that the spring draft test went well.

2014 Regional specialty: Dottie said that this will take place on September 5, 2014. The deadline for the premium list is June 9, 2014. Catalogue materials are due July 24, 2014.

2015 Back-to-Back Regional Specialty: Dottie has called a number of potential places for this event. Various options include Boulder County Fairgrounds (\$425 per day with nothing available under September 15, 2015), Denver Dog Sports (has 22,000 square feet available at \$1200 for two days including set up and approximately \$1500 for the entire weekend). She indicated that Arapahoe would be another option. There are many details into which she is looking.

Fall Draft Test: The fall draft test to be held at Lake El Dora Park in Fort Collins on October 4th and 5th. Theme is "Road Construction".

Berner Fiesta at Pine Valley Ranch: The Berner Fiesta will be held on July 27, 2014 at Pine Valley Ranch. Barbeque catering will be provided with members to bring side dishes. Drinks will be provided. Invitations will go out in June.

Rescue: Nothing to report.

Election of new members: New sustaining applicant Dr. Richard Meinig (orthopedic surgeon) was sponsored by Tracey Carpe and Sara Karl. He has one of Jill Byers dogs and has had Siberian Huskies. He lives in Colorado Springs. His membership was approved.

Old business: None to report.

New business

Trophies from Peak to Peak resulted in \$185. BMDCR normally sponsors four sweepstakes trophies at \$200 total. Val moved to sponsor these trophies and Candy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Summer/Fall Draft Test It was decided not to offer a draft clinic this summer. Most of those who had attended in prior years do not feel a need for it. The topic will be revisited when there is sufficient interest to move forward.

Next meeting will be at the Berner Fiesta on July 27, 2014 at Pine Valley Ranch.

Adjournment: Candy moved to adjourn. Val seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 1:25 pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Laura Haupenthal, Secretary

COMING ATTRACTION

BERNESE MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB OF THE ROCKIES
Presents **THE 2014 BMDCR INDEPENDENT SPECIALTY**

September 5th **AN AFFAIR
TO REMEMBER**

Design by Sandy Dunaway & Sharon Keefe



THIS DOG SHOW HAS BEEN RATED **G** **GREELEY, GLORY, GLAM**

Directed by **DOTTIE SCHULTE** Ticketmaster **ROBERT MILLER** Produced on Location in **GREELEY, COLORADO**

from the Studios of BMDCR.ORG

Featuring as

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DEBORAH WILKINS

THE SWEEPSTAKES JUDGE
KATHY DEYO

THE OBEDIENCE JUDGE
CAROL LYNN EVANS

THE RALLY JUDGE
JULIE YAMANE

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4 TO 6 MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION
AKC NATIONAL OWNER HANDLED SERIES COMPETITION

followed by a Double Feature

EVERGREEN KENNEL CLUB ALL-BREED SHOWS ON SEPTEMBER 6 & 7



Show News - The Colorado Cup Draft Test Results - By Vicky Whitney

SATURDAY

Open Dogs Passing

#4 Kennedy's Murren CD RE OJP ANDD ANBDD (Murrey) owned by Lori Kennedy

#6 GCH Indian Ivanhoe from Orsina's Land CD OAP OJP NFP BDD (Kuza) owned by Valerie Horney

Novice Dogs Passing #12 Zuzu's Petals CDX RA OA OAJ NF NJP DD (Zuey) owned by Vicky Hall

#14 CH Magic Berners Princess Tenko CD CGC DPP (TENKO) owned by Robert & Mary Anne Persons & Bruce Bauersfeld & Diane Kelley

#17 Prairiefire's Miracles Can't Wait PCD RN BN CGC (DECHLEN) owned by Lori Kennedy & Sharon Johnson

#19 CH Funatic True Blue Moon RN (TRUE) owned by Christine Mann & Tuuli Yrjonen

#21 CH Memories Mariquita v Ratcliff RN CGC (BUG) owned by Tracey Carpe, Cathy Burlile & Jennifer Necker

#23 CH Kaibab's Gold Rush in Silver City CD RN (ZAIDA) owned by Keith & Barb LeTourneau & Mary-Ann Bowman

#24 Am/Can CH Werlwind's One For The Road, NDD CGC (DEXTER) owned by Byron & Yoshi Petersen

#25 CH Wagontale's Sing Me a Miracle CD RE CGC GMDD DD1 (SMOKEY) owned by Pam & Barry Solomon & Stacy Temples

Novice Brace Teams Passing

#26 Zuzu's Petals CDX RA OA OAJ NF NJP DD (Zuey) owned by Vicky Hall and

Nashems Sweet Talkin Man CDX RN NAP NJP DD (OMAR) owned by Vicky Hall and Sara Karl

#28 GCH Indian Ivanhoe from Orsina's Land CD OAP OJP NFP BDD (Kuza) owned by Valerie Horney and

CH Wagontale's Whodunnit? CD RE CGC GMDD DD1 (WATSON) owned by Pam & Barry Solomon & Stacy Temples

SUNDAY

Open Brace Teams Passing

#1 GCH Indian Ivanhoe from Orsina's Land CD OAP OJP NFP BDD (Kuza) owned by Valerie Horney and

Dashing to the Rescue CD RE BN ANDD ABNDD BDD (DASH) owned by Alice & Steven Clark

Open Dogs Passing

#5 Brighteye Caliche Trails BN BNDD DD (CARLY) owned by Elaine Witulski & Deborah Hotze

#6 GCH Indian Ivanhoe from Orsina's Land CD OAP OJP NFP BDD (Kuza) owned by Valerie Horney

#8 Zuzu's Petals CDX RA OA OAJ NF NJP DD (Zuey) owned by Vicky Hall

Novice Dogs Passing

#18 GCH Indian Ivanhoe from Orsina's Land CD OAP OJP NFP BDD (Kuza) owned by Valerie Horney

#24 Am/Can CH Werlwind's One For The Road, NDD CGC (DEXTER) owned by Byron & Yoshi Petersen

Breed Mentors Program

What is the BMDCR Mentors program?

Have you ever wondered what events and activities are available for you and your dog?

Have you seen or heard of an event or activity for you and your dog that you might be interested in, but didn't know where to start or were afraid to ask?

Have you thought about an event or activity for you and your dog, but were unsure how to train, and afraid to invest in specialized equipment without knowing if your dog was a willing participant?

BMDCR Mentors are club members with skill and expertise in events and activities you can do with your dogs. These Mentors have agreed to act as points of contacts for your questions regarding how to get started, how and where to train, what equipment to buy, and how to find and enter events and activities.

BMDCR Mentors have volunteered to support your questions via phone and/or email. From time to time, they may schedule demonstrations that will be part of club meetings or as separate stand-alone events. You may be invited to local practice sessions or shows to see the mentor and their dogs in action.

All you need to do is take the first step by contacting a BMDCR Mentor!

For a current list of Mentors please see the club website: <http://www.bmdcr.org/Mentors.html>

BMDCR Members – If you would like to be listed as a Mentor for one of the events or activities above, or if you can Mentor an event or activity that is not on the list, please contact Barry Solomon at bsolomon@myqci.com or 303-670-0426.

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The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of The Rockies Fast Facts

- Founded in October 1987, the BMDCR is comprised of people who love Bernese Mountain Dogs.
- The BMDCR serves the states of Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, and Wyoming.
- The BMDCR has been officially recognized as a regional club by the Bernese Mountain Dog Club of America since 1989.
- The BMDCR achieved status as an AKC licensed club in 2007, and hosted their first independent specialty show that same year.
- BMDCR members are fanciers involved in breeding, showing, service and performance activities, as well as those whose Bernese are cherished family members.



Providing a source of education and support
for fanciers of Bernese Mountain Dogs

Keeping In Touch...

The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Rockies is striving to keep in touch with its existing members, and reach out to new ones. Here are some of the ways we're working to connect with you!

- **Website**—www.bmdcr.org *Please note, to review the Members Only section of the website, you must have the member password. If you are a member, and need the password, please send a message to Helen Karl at helann10@yahoo.com.
- **Facebook**—[Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Rockies](#)
- **Yahoo Groups**—<http://pets.groups.yahoo.com/group/BMDCRockies/> *Please note, this group is for members only and you must obtain permission by the moderator to join.