

American Kennel Club

All-Breed Best-in-Show Basenjis

Data from 1956 to 1984 sourced from old magazines and work by Julie Jones. Data from 1985 to October 2013 is from an AKC computer-generated report. Photos sourced from BCOA's files, old printed publications or directly from those associated with the dog or from their websites. If you have a suggestion for a better photo, a color best-in-show photo or one of the two missing winners, please contact BasenjiU@basenji.org. Sire and dam for each dog is from Zande Pedigree Database.

The Record

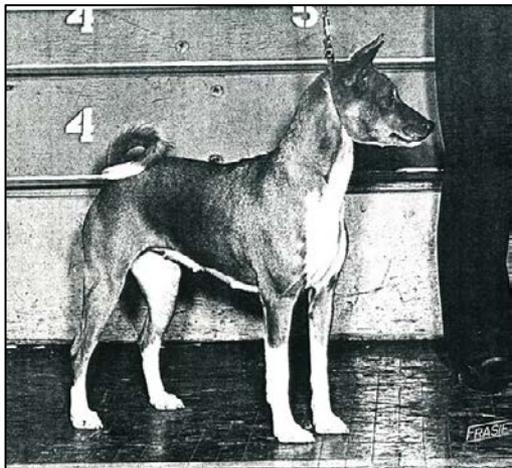
starts with the first male and female Basenji AKC best-in-show winners:



1956 – “Blaze” – 1 Best in Show
CH Philo’s Blaze of Koko Crater
 Akamai of Koko Crater x Hottentot of Koko Crater



1958 – “Dainty” – 1 Best in Show in US
 with a total of 7 in USA and Canada
Am & Can CH Dainty Dancer of Glenairley
 Drumadoon Ducat x Glenairley Melodious



1962 – “Nik Nak” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Lepper's Nik Nak

Eng/Am CH Andersley Amazala x Lepper's Small Wonder

1963(?) – “Mona Lisa” – 1 Best in Show
CH Lutes Mona Lisa

CH Lepper's Mr Spats x Lutes Sweet La-Lonnie



1967–1969 – “Kingola” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Betsy Ross' Kingola of Ber Vic

CH Feruzi of the Zande x CH Ber-Vic's Memory of Nykora



1967–1972 – “Uppity” – 14 Bests in Show
CH Reveille Re-Up

CH Reveille Recruit x CH Reveille Ruffles of Rose-Bay



1971–1972 – “Melisa” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Luddymarie Betsy Ross Melisa
 CH Feruzi of the Zande x CH Luddymarie’s Miss America



1973–1974 – “Saint” – 5 Bests in Show
CH Betsy Ross’ Joyful Saint
 CH Coptokin The Veldt Sir Lantic x CH Betsy Ross’ Nikki of Ber-Vic



1973–1975 – “Beezer” – 10 Bests in Show
CH Reveille Be Sirius
 CH Reveille Re-Up x CH Makila Motane Moke



1977–1979 – “Mitty” – 5 Bests in Show
CH Shadowbye’s Mitty
 CH Reveille Re-Up x CH Lihu’s Si Kitu of Flambeau



1975-1976 – “Sam” – 3 Bests in Show
CH Khajah’s Gay Excalibur
 CH Questt o’ A-Talisman x CH Khajah’s Gay Samantha



1976-1977 – “Mose” – 4 Bests in Show
CH Tri-Tan Uzuri Supow Lihu
 CH Flower Power of Woz x Lihu’s Susu Yumdrum



1976 – “Nazimba” – 1 Best in Show
CH Camp’s Dazzling Nazimba
 CH Khajah’s Gay Saracen x CH Camp’s Tex-Kan Baby



1976 – 1 Best in Show
CH Reveille Recycle Pickwick
 CH Reveille Be Sirius x CH Reveille Rumors Are Flying



1978–1979 – “DoBe” – 5 Bests in Show
CH Reveille Do Be Sirius
 CH Reveille Re-Up x CH Makila Motane Moke



1979 – “Apollo” – 1 Best in Show
CH Libra’s Apollo of Delahi
 CH Delahi’s Fortune Hunter x Ananka’s Lady Nepha



1979–1980 – “Curley” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Darp’s Kamili Mwana
 CH Darp’s Re-Up of Sowega x CH Darp’s Isis of M’Bwa Wazuri



1979 – “Boy” – 1 Best in Show
CH Burgundy Wine Sir Gay of Linlo
 Kadee’s Kenya Benji Sen x Shajo’s Sweet Burgundy Wine



1981 – “Krugerrand” – 1 Best in Show
CH Pero’s Krugerrand

Am/Can CH Enzi Kidogo of SunDiata x CH Pero Precious Charm



1981 – Dybs – 1 Best in Show
CH Hai Aari Golden Dybbuk

CH Hai Aari Golden Dancer x Petter’s Lady Conniver



1981 – “Adonis” – 1 Best in Show
CH Kstar’s Adonis of Anubis

CH Trotwood’s Hercules of Anubis x Fatima of Ango



1981 – “Tut” – 1 Best in Show
CH Akuaba’s Mistral

Khajah’s Gay Martin x Am/Can CH Akuaba’s Sungora CD



**1981–1982 – “Mamba” – 3 Bests in Show
CH Arabrac’s Mountain Mamba**

CH Viktor’s Lucky Mountaineer x CH Fleeting Fancy of the Nile



**1982 – “Toast” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Thackery Toast Reveille**

CH Reveille Do Be Sirius x CH Rose of Caucasia



**1983 – “Tshiluba” – 1 Best in Show
CH Hai Aari Tshiluba**

CH Shadowbye’s Mitty x Hai Aari Devil May Care



**1983–1984 – “JR” – 7 Bests in Show
CH Aleika-Absinthe Rajah’s JR**

CH Absinthe The Rose’s Gimlet x CH Khajah’s Gay Reflection



1984 – “Nikki” – 1 Best in Show
CH Rameses Golden Phoenix
 CH Asari’s Ti-Jii x CH Rameses Gold Masterpiece



1984 – “Skippy” – 1 Best in Show
CH Reveille Skip to Sundance
 CH Reveille Do Be Sirius x CH Sundance Barika Symmetry



1985 – “Kris” – 1 Best in Show
Can/Bda/Am CH Jen Nell’s Kris Kringle
 Can/Am CH Mata Hauri Hai Karate x Wimowey’s Pirate Jenny



1985–1988 – “Jazzman” – 20 Bests in Show
CH Music City Serengeti Jazzman
 Am/Can CH Shantara’s Gentaa Snowflurry x CH Serengeti Brazen Bantu



**1986 – “Eve” – 1 Best in Show
CH Arabrac’s Evening in Paris**

CH Arabrac’s Mountain Mamba x CH Arabrac’s Peaches ‘N Cream



**1986 – “Blaze” – 1 Best in Show
CH Reliant Inferno**

CH Arabrac’s Mountain Mamba x CH Reliant Cinnamon



**1986 – “Whidbey” – 1 Best in Show
CH Anasazi’s Whidbey Osiri**

Am/Can CH Cambria’s Zartuu x CH Tennji’s Anasazi Foxfire



**1988 – “Breaker” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Kazor’s Intrepid Icebreaker**

Can/Am CH Asari’s Envoy x Ch Kazor’s Xenia



**1988 – “Victor” – 1 Best in Show
CH Arubmec’s The Victor**

Can/Am CH Asari’s Envoy x CH Pero’s Cayenne of N’Gi



**1990 – “Rosie” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Vikentor’s Country Rose**

CH Changa’s Gala Celebration x CH Vikentor’s Aligator of Darp



**1990 – “Bryn” – 1 Best in Show
CH Beacham-Bryn-Of-Orion**

Can/Bda/Am CH Jen-Nell’s Kris Kringle x CH Winart Po Tolo of Daze-Dun



**1990–1991 – “Lark” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Serengeti Reveille Larkspur**

CH Termay Dial Reveille x CH Serengeti Hollyhock



1991–1994 – “Bravo” – 24 Bests in Show
CH Sonbar’s Celestial Wizard
 CH Arubmec’s The Victor x CH Sonbar’s Celestial Lalande



1992–1994 – “Nate” – 5 Bests in Show
CH Akuaba’s Tornado JC
 CH Changa’s Gala Celebration x Am/Guat CH Young-Kwanza Over the Rainbow



1993–1996 – “Boss” – 38 Bests in Show
CH Calaz Executive of Em Basi
 CH Reveille Season No Ka Oi x CH Calaz Ever Redi



1994 – “Dan” – 1 Best in Show
CH Changa’s Dan Patch SC
 Changa’s Hold That Tiger x Flurry’s Xmass Angel



1994 – “Raider” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Sukari’s Raider of the Lost Bark CD JC
 CH Orion’s Bold Adventure x CH Sukari’s Mindiana Jones CD



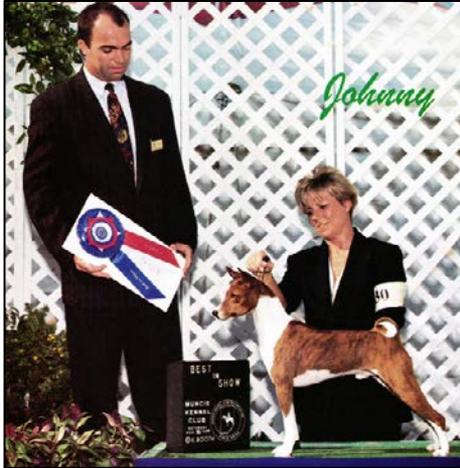
1994 – “True” – 1 Best in Show
CH Reveille Tried and True
 CH Blucrest Calls Me Trinity x CH Serengeti Reveille Larkspur



1995 – “Ginny” – 1 Best in Show
CH Kazor’s Virtuou Virginia
 Kibushi Get Sirius x CH Kazor’s Sly Sassinak O’Sunjata



1996–1998 – “Bounder” – 7 Bests in Show
CH Blucrest Bound for Reveille
 CH Akuaba’s Tornado JC x Bijoux’s Tri Token To Blucrest



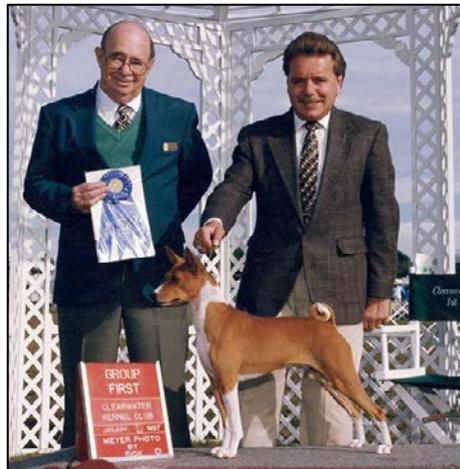
**1996–1999 – “Johnny” – 59 Bests in Show
CH Zindika’s Johnny Come Greatly**

CH Blucrest Bound For Reveille x CH Zindika’s Flying Fanny



**1997 – “Juri” – 1 Best in Show
DC Jasiri’s Jurassic Bark MC**

DC Sukari’s Steven Spielbark CD MC x CH Jasiri’s General Delivery



**1997–1998 – “Simba” – 10 Bests in Show
CH Reveille Boutonniere JC**

CH Juju’s Pistol Pete x CH Serengeti Reveille Larkspur



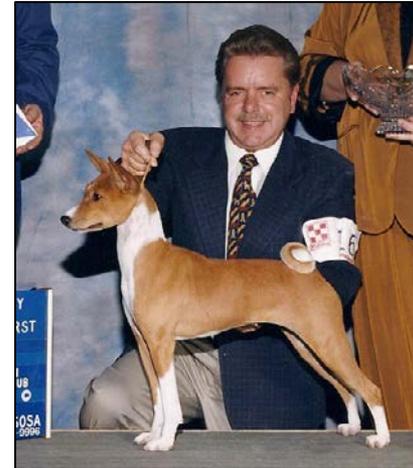
**2000–2001 – “Zulu” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Ingegab Limited Edition**

Multi CH Akuaba Ingegab Rafiki Hiline x Am /Multi CH Ruwenzori Tropical Dawn



**2000 – “Lighter” – 3 Bests in Show
CH Hacker’s Bud Light**

CH Hacker’s This Bud’s For You x CH Hacker’s Lily Of The Valley



**2000 – “Maggie” – 1 Best in Show
CH Nyanga Reveille Magnolia**

CH Reveille Boutonniere JC x CH Blucrest Bound For Fame



**2000 – “Wylee” – 1 Best in Show
CH Bluestone’s Wild Buckwheat**

CH Ma-Jaks Anadaaki Shaman x Am/Can CH Bluestones Raz’l Daz’l Rose



**2001 – “Noah” – 1 Best in Show
CH C-Quests Point Blank**

CH Reveille Boutonniere JC x CH Rafikis Mass Expectations JC



2002–2004 – “Spotty” – 4 Bests in Show
CH Arubmec’s Sweet Spot SC

CH Nyanga Signet Sweet William JC x CH Arubmec’s Autumn Mist



2003–2004 – “Timmy” – 5 Bests in Show
DC Jasiri-Sukari The Illustrated Man SC LCX

DC Jasiri-Sukari Juri Seinfeld MC x CH Jasiri-Sukari Taboo



2004 – “Cinder” – 1 Best in Show
CH Jasiri-Sukari Fire-N-Lines

CH Ebonwind Justly O’Fantasia x CH Jasiri-Sukari Jess Be-Kaus JC



2004 – “Sheridan” – 1 Best in Show
CH Sinful’s Uptown Boy

CH Nyanga Signet Sweet William JC x CH Sinful’s Uptown Girl



**2004–2005 – “MJ” – 4 Bests in Show
CH Kazor Bay-Senji Yuara Natural**

CH Grandquest Kazor's Motumbo Xequemate x CH Bay-Senji's Yuwilla Vance



**2004–2009 – “Motumbo” – 28 Bests in Show
CH Grandquest Kazor's Motumbo Xequemate**

URU/BRA/ARG CH Kazor Dragnquest Hot Java x CH Kazor's Miss Merrylegs



**2005 – “Vinnie” – 2 Bests in Show
DC Jasiri-Sukari John Tri-Volta SC**

Am/Aus CH Jasiri-Sukari HR Pup N'Stuff x CH Sukari-Jasiri Soda Pup



**2006 – “Redi” – 1 Best in Show
CH Asias Ready Set Go**

CH Asias-Jokuba The Price Of Freedom x CH White Wind The Raven Of Asia



2007 – “Zephyr” – 4 Bests in Show
CH Eldorado’s Echo of the Wind
 CH C-Quests Soul Driver x CH Eldorado’s Ooh La La



2007–2008 – “Klassy” – 7 Bests in Show
DC Klassic’s Ms Mata Hauri SC
 CH Penda Tajji’s Tri-Umphant One x Am/Can CH Klassic’s Rooty Toot Toot



2007 – “Derby” – 2 Bests in Show
CH Sonbar’s Phoolish Pleasure At Cumback
 CH Nyanga Signet Sweet William JC x CH Sonbar’s Brite Wildirishrose



2008 – “Leezza” – 1 Best in Show
CH Jasiri-Sukari Congo-Leezza Rice, JC
 CH Meisterhaus Politically Correct x CH Sukari-Jasiri Soda Pup



2008–2009 – “Blade” – 12 Bests in Show
Am/Can/Intl/UKC CH AB-Rafiki The Icon of Cool
 CH Rafiki-Hackers Red White & Blue x CH AB-SS Follow the Money



2009–2010 – “Dooney” – 3 Bests in Show
GCH Wakili Signet Dooney
 DC Arubmec’s Hi-Jacked x Am/Can CH Signet After Hours Party



2010 – “Bronco” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Jasiri-Sukari Bucking the Trind
 Am/Aus CH Jasiri-Sukari HR Pup N’Stuff x CH Jasiri-Sukari Party Lines



2011 – “Button” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Reveille Push Button
 CH C-Quest’s Just Push Play x CH Reveille Accord



2011 – “Gaga” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Teazer Signet Bad Romance

CH Grandquest Kazor's Motumbo Xequemate x CH Sonbar Signet Lightfoot Lilly



2011 – “Lil” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Taji's Klassic Lil Black Dress SC

Ituri Klassic Basic Black x CH Taji's Go For Baroque



2011 – “Fergie” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Taji Goes Platinum JC DC

DC Taji's Klassic Architecture SC x CH Platinum's Shopping Spree



2012 – “Gabe” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Can Ch. Ahmahr Nahr's Lost Angel Gabriel

CH Illusion's Tex Son JC x CH Ahmahrnahr'Sbabeofthekalihari



2012 & 2015 – “Gigi” – 2 Bests in Show
GCH Signet Meisterhaus Gossip Girl
 CH Signet Hillbilly Rock Star x CH Meisterhaus Tears & Tantrums



2012–2013 – “Winston” – 4 Bests in Show
GCH Jasiri-Sukari Win Tin Tin
 CH SkyHi’s Rock Your World x CH Jasiri-Sukari Congo-Leezza Rice



2013–2014 – “Dazzell” – 6 Bests in Show
GCH Teazer Kazor Ekundayo to Johari
 CH Grandquest Kazor’s Motumbo Xequemate x CH Kazor’s Saphira The Lady Dragon



2015-2018 – “Geddy” – 16 Bests in Show
GCHG C-Quest Jokuba No Matter What CGC JC CGC TKN
 Ch Jokuba C-Quest Mancala x Ch Jokuba Spring-Willow’s A Royal Affair At Jade East



2015 – “Swagger” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Eldorado N Akuaba Dream Lover

GCHG Akuaba N Eldorado Bungle In The Jungle x CH Eldorado's Mirror Mirror on the Wall



2015 – “Franklin” – 1 Best in Show
Ch. Laurel Frankly Speaking Let Me Be Frank

Ch Laurel Aswan Doing It My Way RN CGC x GCH Laurel S'Simply Shocking Sabrina



2016 – “Tibby” – 1 Best in Show
GCHS Africanadians James T Kirk At Ahmahr Nahr

AM Gch CAN Ch Ahmahr Nahr's The Lost Angel Gabriel x AM CAN Ch Klassic's In It To Win It



2017 – “Jedi” – 2 Bests in Show
GCHG Mibres Jedi Knight Luke Skywalker JC

AM Ch Mibre's Under The Mistletoe SC x GCh Mibre's Legend Of Godiva SC



2017-18 – “Livvy” – 2 Bests in Show
Ch. Wild West Dark Sun She Hung The Moon

GCh CAN Ch Ahmahr Nahr's The Lost Angel Gabriel x Ch Ahmahr Nahr's Wild West Spirit



2018 – “Baz” – 1 Best in Show
GCHG Relics Big Bang Theory Of Dagoba

GCHG Akuaba N Eldorado Bungle In The Jungle x GCH Alfheim-Khani's Shiny Happy People



2018 – “Cheers” – 1 Best in Show
Ch. Jasiri-Sukari Kirstie Howl-E

GCH Signet Southern Comfort x GCHS DC Jasiri-Sukari High Win Warning SC



2019 – “Zoro” – 2 Best in Show
GCHB. Dark Moon's Black Tri Affair

GCH Signet Southern Comfort x GCHS Dark Moon's Barking Bad



2019 – “Presley” – 1 Best in Show
GCHG Dlucks Svengali Zindika's Overnight Sensation
 DC AM CAN Ch Atarasi's D'Lucks Edition SC FCh x AM Ch Kazor's Tribute To Zindika



2021 – “Pepin” – 1 Best in Show
GCH Ahmahr Nahr's Pepin the Younger
 GCH Africanadian Khan Ahmahr Nahr x GCHS Ahmahr Nahr's Halleleujah Makes A Joyful Noise



2021 – “Oso” – 2 Bests in Show
GCHG Mata Hauri Virtuoso in the Jungle
 GCHG Akuaba N Eldorado Bungle In The Jungle x Ch Mata Hauri Quick Step



2022 – “Amelia” – 1 Best in Show
GCHG Signet Amelia Bedelia
 CH Meisterhaus Jadaka Breaking Dawn x GCH Signet 'Tis-A Gone With The Wind