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### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE BCOA SECRETARY

Nominations for judges for the 1985 BCOA National Specialty will be accepted from 8/1 to 9/1/83 ONLY, per recent ballot. Send your nominations to Evelyn Woolery, 12404 E. 53rd Terr., Kansas City, MO 64133. Further details next month. 

DEADLINE IS THE 20th OF THE MONTH PRECEDING THE MONTH OF ISSUE - OR DEC. 20th FOR THE JAN. \$5508

### JULY, 1983

EDITOR'S NOTE:

As you may have already noticed, graphics are not my forte. Hopefully in the coming months I will prove that timeliness is .....

I would like to thank Chris for all her hard work over the past years, and the members of BCOA for giving me the chance to try this new concept. All contributions will be received gratefully, and printed if time and space permit. Please feel free to write and let me know what you think (on anything)!

> Penny Inan, Editor 2435 Hibiscus Drive Hayward, CA 94545

### THE FORUM

Ruth Shannon and I would like very much to revive her column of this title. It will require responses from you, the membership. write and suggest topics, and let us know your feelings on the topics we print. This coming month I would like to know how people feel about whisker trimming - for all dogs, for some dogs, for no dogs?? The same about tail trimming?? Address all responses to the Editor, please. Thanks in advance for your response.

## B.C.O.A. BUSINESS

BALLOT NO. 10 - PASSED

SUBJECT: NOMINATING COMMITTEE, circulated at the request of

President Curby.

Your approval is requested for the following to be members of the Nominating Committee: Jane Tusten, Chairperson; Judy Cunningham; and Joan Harper. Alternates: Mary Woodcock and Duke Work.

APPROVE: Coe, Gigous, Hauri, Jimenez, Kelley, Mankey, Russell, Work NO RECORD OF VOTE: Bolte, Curby

BALLOT NO. 11 - PASSED

SUBJECT: BULLETIN SEARCH COMMITTEE, circulated at the request of President Curby.

Your approval is requested for the following to be members of the Bulletin Search Committee, which has been formed for the purpose of finding a new Bulletin Editor: Loretta Kelley, Chairperson; Margaret Sommer; Una Gigous; and Chris Olson.

APPROVE: Coe, Gigous, Hauri, Jimenez, Mankey, Russell, Work

ABSTAIN: Kelley

NO RECORD OF VOTE: Bolte, Curby

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO THOSE ATTENDING THE BCOA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

Reservations for the tailgate lunch to be offered at the National Specialty in July, must be sent WITH PAYMENT to Una Gigous, 4N172 Swift Rd., Addison, Illinois 60101, no later than July 20th, 1983. Reservations made previously without payment, must be paid before that deadline.

#### LETTERS

To: The B.I.S. Team (Sandy Bridges, Penny Inan, Margaret Sommer)

Thanks for making the Search Committee's job so easy by volunteering to take on the enormous task of publishing the BULLETIN. I hope every issue is a best seller.

Welcome and lots of luck to the B.I.S. Team.

Loretta Kelly

## CLUB COMMENTS

### GREATER CHICAGOLAND BASENJI CLUB

Submitted by Una Gigous

The following show results are from the Specialty weekend, 6/17,18, & 19, 1983.

Skokie Valley AC - 6/17, Marcia Foy, Judge; Group Judge, Mrs. Gately

WD - Amarna's Summer Sorcerer, RWD - Jerlin's Mystic Mountain WB-BOW-BOS - Warlock's Sweet Success, RWB - Mojongo's Ti-M'Hellion BOB ∝ Group I - Ch. Aleika Absinthe Rajah's J.R.

Greater Chicagoland Basenji Club Specialty - 6/18/83, Sweepstakes Judge, Bonnie Charvat; Regular Classes - Melody Russell, Judge.

Best Puppy in Sweepstakes - Kibushi Quinella of Bravos Best Opposite Puppy - Mojongo's Ti-Mars of Bantu

WD - Rodak's Velvet Warrier, RWD - Mojongo's Ti-Mars of Bantu WB-BOW-BOS - Hannalore's Sand Dollar, RWB - D-Ann's D-Marcee BOB - Ch. Aleika Absinthe Rajah's J.R.

Chain O'Lakes KC - 6/19, Breed and Group Judge, Donald Sandberg

WD - Luzambo's High Voltage, RWD - Sudatus Sir Guy of Rain WB-BOW-BOS - Kibushi Quinella of Bravos, RWB - Warlock's Sweet Success BOB α Group I - Ch. Aleika Absinthe Rajah's J.R.

All of these shows were 5 points in both sexes!

BASENJI CLUB OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Submitted by Sandy Bridges

The BCONC will hold their 6th Licensed Specialty Show & Sweepstakes on 9/17/83, indoors at the Santa Clara County Fairgrounds. Breed Judge is Mrs. Doreen Duffin, Makuba Basenjis, Australia; Sweepstakes Judge is Mrs. Penny Inan, Jato North Basenjis, California; and Junior Showmanship Judge is Mrs. Neva Calhoun, California. Trophies for BOB, BOS, WD, WB, RWB, RWD, First Place in Veteran Dog and Veteran Bitch Classes, and Best Junior Handler will be lacquered copperware inlaid with silver, imported from Turkey, courtesy of Mr. Michael Inan. BOW will receive an original Basenji sculpture crafted and donated by Joanie Hunter. 1st through 4th place in all regular and non-regular classes will receive enameled silverplated BCONC Medallions on presentation ribbons. Show Superintendent is Mr. Wm. Bird, 52 Garfield Lane, Napa, CA 94558, 707/226-5922. Entries close 8/29/83.

The Sir Francis Drake KC Show will be held 9/18/83 at the Marin County Civic Center, San Rafael, CA. BCONC offers trophies of lacquered copperware inlaid with silver for BOB, BOS, BOW, WD, WB, and First Place in BBE classes. High Scoring Basenji in Obedience will be awarded the Golden Autumn Trophy donated by John & Margaret Sommer, Breed Judge: Paula Hartinger - Group Judge: Arlene Thompson Superintendent: Ace Mathews Dog Shows, PO Box O6150, Portland, OR 97206. For further information or to receive Pre-Show Flyer, write Sandra Bridges, Specialty Chairman, 668 Pronto Drive, San Jose, CA 95123 \* 408/281-1075



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Mr. Ed Dixon 100 Moberly Avenue Toronto, Canada M4C 4Bl

Dear Mr. Dixon:

In rebuttal to the Canadian Kennel Club's (CKC) proposal to remove Basenjis from the Sighthound Group which would eliminate Basenjis from Lure Coursing competition in Canada, I would like to offer some observations.

Basenjis have been competing in The American Sighthound Field Association (ASFA) sanctioned Lure Field Trials since August 1979 when they were first recognized by ASFA as eligible Sighthounds. Since that time Basenjis have earned in excess of 30 Field Champion (F. Ch.) titles and 5 Lure Courser of Merit (LCM) titles (equivalent to CKC's Field Champion Excellent title). In 1982 there were 767 Basenji entries in 176 ASFA Lure Field Trials in the United States.

This level of Basenji Lure Coursing activity in the U. S. is due primarily to two major factors. First, and most importantly, the hounds run well in competition. Overall, with some rare exceptions, Basenjis are not the aggresive, snarling hounds some would lead one to believe. As a matter of fact, I have personally seen a number of Borzoi, Greyhounds, Salukis and Whippets which had to be run muzzled because of aggressive behavior on the field. Second, many Basenji owners have become very active in clubs presenting ASFA sanctioned Lure Field Trials. Five clubs, two in Illinois, and three in California, are made up almost entirely of Basenji fanciers.

The suggestion that the Basenji is a "trotting" breed rather than a "galloping" breed can be easily refuted by photographic evidence. A number of people here in the U. S. have some very good photographs which demonstrate the typical sighthound "double suspension gallop" of most Basenjis (see the enclosed photo).

Any action by the CKC Board of Directors at this time to remove the Basenji from the Sighthound Group is very premature. Although I am personally unaware of the extent of Basenji Lure Coursing activity in Canada, I expect that Basenji entries in CKC Lure Field Trials are minimal. I would like to encourage Basenji fanciers in the U. S. to enter their experienced coursing hounds in CKC Lure Field Trials.

I hope that the information in this letter is useful to you in dealing with the Board of Directors of CKC.

Sincerely,

W. E. Shainline, Jr.

GREETINGS from your new quarterly BULLETIN Editor! This new concept is an attempt to bring you timely club news, yet retain informative, educational and advertising content. This newsletter will be your timely club communication. The less frequent quarterly BULLETIN will (hopefully) hold up the informative, educational and advertising end. This will specifically require the cooperation of all affiliated clubs as well as the general membership. I have already requested a column, preferably of club news, from EACH AFFILIATED CLUB. Also, any original articles any of the general membership may see fit to contribute. Please, SHARE your knowledge and experience with fellow Basenjites!

AS THESE COLUMNS and original articles, together with ads, a "Letters" feature and reports from B.C.O.A. Committee Chairpeople will compose the entire content of the Quarterly, you can see that "No Contributions" will quickly equal "NO QUARTERLY"! So, basically, without your help, we could be left with only the Monthly Newsletter.

IT'S ALL UP TO YOU! I can pledge my strict adherence to deadlines and on-time mailings, but with nothing to print, it wouldn't do much good! The first issue will be July/August/September and will feature Top Producers - the mainstays of our breed, our Stud Dogs and Brood Bitches. DEADLINE FOR ALL COPY is JULY 25, 1983!!! The issue will be MAILED BEFORE August 31. This means it will go to the post office labeled, sorted, bundled and bagged and sent out Second Class at that time. What your post office does with it after that is NOT my responsibility! Second Class mail can take as little as 3 days or as long as 3 WEEKS (which the post office will deny, but experience has proven to be true). S-O-O -- Onward! Ad rates for this first Quarterly BULLETIN will be:

Cover - \$75.00 w/150 word cover story Back Cover - \$65.00 w/50 word story Inside Back Cover - \$55.00

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SEND ALL ADVERTISING COPY TO: Mrs. Margaret Sommer

Mrs. Margaret Sommer Quarterly BULLETIN Advertising Manager 15091 Esther Drive, San Jose, CA 95124 408/377-1956

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FUTURE QUARTERLIES will feature:

<u>Specialties Spotlight / Holiday Greetings - Oct./Nov./Dec. - Deadline: 10/25/83</u>

<u>New Champions / Owner & Junior Handlers - Jan./Feb./Mar. - Deadline: 1/25/84</u>

<u>Top Winners / Puppies, Puppies - Apr./May/Jun. - Deadline: 4/25/84</u>

PLEASE SEND club columns, comments, complaints and other constructive contributions to:

Mrs. Sandra Bridges, EDITOR B.C.O.A. Quarterly BULLETIN 668 Pronto Drive San Jose, CA 95123 \* 408/281-1075

SEND ADDRESS CHANGES to either the Editor or Advertising Manager, but DO send them in time to do some good - Second Class mail IS NOT FORWARDED!

We just get the label back with the new address (where available), pay postage due for this privilege, and they chuck the magazine!

Hope to hear from you soon, Sandy

## TITLES 'N TALLIES

(The following lists are as complete and correct as time and human fallibility will allow - please report any errors to the Editor.)

### JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

(Submitted by BCOA Junior Showmanship Chairman, Francis Bercher)

The following is a report of Junior Showmanship wins for 1983 thus far, as taken from the April, May and June, 1983 AAC Gazettes.

Junior	# defeated	<u>Junior</u>	# defeated
Brenda Rolland	39	Ginger Fitch	5
Kim Lange	36	Tara Kay Harris	5
Randy Hodge	31	Lori Perkowski	4
Jennifer Bridges	17	Amy Stephenson	4
Kristin Lange	15	Patrick Stephenson	ż

In addition, two Junior Handlers and their Basenjis have won Best Junior Handler (in Show) this year - Kristin Lange defeated 37 competitors for BJH at the Peninsula Dog Fanciers Club Show on 3/27, and Brenda Rolland defeated 13 other Junior Handlers to go BJH at the Cheyenne KC Show on 4/23.

### OBEDIENCE

(Compiled by Jennifer Bridges)

The following dogs received qualifying scores in obedience published in the May and June AKC Gazettes: (This month all were competitors in the Novice Class)

Bighorn Olneya Tesota	1885	-	owners,	A.	Midkiff	& K. Begeman
Ch. Sari's Dr. Quincy	177	-	owners,	L.	L. & K.	E. Burks
Bighorn Olneya Tesota	1783	-	owners,	Α.	Midkiff	& K. Begeman
Da Irressible Ransom	190					

The following dogs received obedience titles published in the May & June AKC Gazettes, two received Companion Dog Titles, and one Tracking Dog Excellent:

C.D.	-	Mata Hauri	Snow Princess Kali	-	owner,	Theresa	Α.	Bergeron
C.D.	-	Ch. Sari's	Dr. Quincy					E. Burks
T.D.X.	-	Springs CC				Jo Ann w		

### LURE COURSING

(Submitted by BCCA Lure Coursing & Racing Chairman, Marianne Klinkowski)

The following is a report of the standings of the top Basenjis in Lure Coursing, compiled according to the Bowen System, current through the May-June FAN.

	•	Points	BOB	BIF
1.	Int./Mex. Ch. Aleika Absinthe Raisin' Cane, F.CH B. & D. Burr	24	2	-
2.	Rameses Desdichado - B. Townsend	24	-	-
3.	Eberth's Sly Trella of Mahon, F.CH T. & J. Eberth	22	1	-
4.	woody Chan My Lady - F. Kawabe	21	_	-
5.	Dharian Fancy Dancer of Woz, CD, TT, F.CH	16	-	
6.	Changa's Rea Legend - J. Young	15	_	_
7.	Skipper, F. CH M. Lender	14	1	_
0.	Ch. Tarawinds Blue Rockies Joy - J. Jones	13	-	_

## CLASSIFIEDS

(Brags, Dogs for Sale, Miscellaneous for Sale, Stud Service, etc. - \$1.00 per line per issue, each line limited to 35 spaces, payment in advance.)

### DOGS FOR SALE

Available to a show home, R/W male - sired by Ch. Rameses C-Zar out of Ch. Rameses Jato Malindi, whelped 12/15/82, tested PPM clear, guaranteed HA clear, entered in California specialties. RAMESES BASENJIS OF VII - 15091 Esther Dr., San Jose, CA 95124, 408/377-1956

R/W male puppies, 1 show, 1 pet, sired by Ch. Rameses Bahalema Ti-Lorien out of Ch. Delahi's Melinda - gentle & loving. LOTHLORIEN BASENJIS - 1415 Dentwood Dr., San Jose, CA 95118, 408/ 978-1198

### BRAGS

Hooray for new Champ Rameses Fellah D'Moor, finishing from Bred-By-Exhibitor with a 4 point major. RAMESES BASENJIS OF VII

NEW CHAMPION - Jato J'Khara, shown exclusively in Bred-By-Exhibitor finished at 13 mos. with 3 majors, 3 BOS over Specials, 5 BOW, 2 WB, 6 RWB, 20 First Place wins and 1 Second in a total of 21 shows! JATO SOUTH, Mrs. Sandra L. Bridges

Lothlorien's Faramir Took, sired by Ch. Rameses Bahalema Ti-Lorien out of Ch. Delahi's Melinda, won 1st in Puppy and RWB to a 3 pt. major at the Chico KC Show 6/18/83.
LOTHLORIEN BASENJIS

### MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Complete 1944 set of western Kennel World - \$50; Issues 12/42, 5/43, 1/45, 2/45 of Western Kennel World - \$3 apiece; 6/43 Issue (includes photos of Juliana of Windrush, Koodoo of the Congo, and Phemister's Barrie, C.D. - \$10. Russell Hendren, 17510 High St., Los Gatos, CA 95030, 408/354-0007

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