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Basenji Club of America

BULLETIN BOARD

May 2013

BULLETIN ARCHIVES

We are still looking for old issues of the BULLETIN for the archives.

Missing Issues

1950 through 1964 – all issues
1965 Jan-Feb, Mar-Apr, May-June
1966 Jan-Feb, Sep-Oct
1967 May-June

CAN YOU HELP?

We have several options:

- Donate your back issues to BCOA
- Mail us your Bulletins so we can scan and return them to you
- Contact us for scanning requirements and send the electronic copies to us
- Contact us for the option to bring your issues to the National Specialty in Auburn, WA. and have them scanned there and returned to you.

Contact:

Donna DeFlorio at sarabi96@aol.com or Janet Ketz at jlketz@aol.com
(Donna's husband Dan is currently fighting cancer so Janet will be available to assist Donna with work on Archive Bulletin collection and copying.)

SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

The Bulletin Board Newsletter is published in conjunction with membership in the Basenji Club of America, Inc. Dues are \$25 for single members; \$35 for family memberships. All applications for membership require the signature of two BCOA members in good standing. Send membership inquiries to Janet Ketz, 34025 West River Rd., Wilmington, IL 60481. Phone 815-325-5908. E-mail jlketz@aol.com

DATES OF PUBLICATION

January & February; April & May; July & August; October & November

SUBMISSION INFORMATION

All submissions are requested by the 15th of the month preceding issue.

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In accordance with the By-Laws any member in good standing may send comments on applicants for membership to the BCOA Secretary within a period of fourteen days following the date of the newsletter publication. Comments will be sent to these person(s) for reply, and all comments and replies will then be sent to the Board. * Indicates a junior membership. Please consider the date of publication of this newsletter to be May 15, 2013

SUBMITTING EXPENSES TO BCOA TREASURER

Please note per BCOA Ballot 2004 – 48, published in January 2005 Bulletin Board: *“BCOA members incurring expenses covering BCOA budgeted items during the fiscal year shall submit invoices to the Treasurer on or before March 1st of the next year to be eligible for reimbursement. Expenditures incurred by members that are not covered by the Budget shall require Board approval. These bills shall be submitted to the Treasurer on or before May 1st of the next year. Committee Chairs shall be responsible for notifying committee members to submit receipts for expenses within this time frame.”*

“The link to the reimbursement form is on the Members page on Basenji.org”

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BCOA BULLETIN

To place ads or submit articles for the BCOA Bulletin, contact Eunice Ockerman at euniceockerman@gmail.com

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

If you know of a BIRTH, MARRIAGE, ILLNESS or DEATH pertaining to a member or IMMEDIATE family, please notify Margaret (Peg) Grundman
7800 NW 14th St
Ocala FL 34482-4448
mgrund1035@aol.com • 352-854-7144
if you want a card sent from the BCOA

Basenji Club of America, Inc.

NATIONAL SPECIALTY CALENDAR

All dates & Judges pending AKC approval

2013 – July 12 – July 17 • Auburn WA

Specialty Chair: Brenda Phillips • ciarasmom@yahoo.com
Judges: Regular Classes - Judy Webb
Sweepstakes: Andrew Sawler

2014 – Sept 23 - Sept 28 • Gray Summit, MO

Specialty Chair: Jon Curby • jcurby@offa.com
Judges: Regular Classes - Mr. Russell Hendren
Sweepstakes: Mr. Tad Brooks

2015 – Oct 26 - Nov 1 • Gettysburg, PA

Specialty Chair: Lisa Auerbach
Judges: Regular Classes - Mr. Michael Work
Sweepstakes: TBD

SPECIALTY EVENT CALENDAR

DATES & CORRESPONDING BID DATES



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Karen Hutchison, Jami Hutchison

DIRECT FANCONI TEST REMINDER

Effective Tuesday, November 1, 2011, the Basenji Health Endowment will offer a subsidy for all direct Fanconi tests on Basenjis previously tested with the marker link test (re-tests). The Basenji Health Endowment will cover the first \$15 for all re-tests through December 31, 2013. At the time this program begins, the OFA website will provide instructions on how to purchase the re-test as well as how you'll be notified if sufficient DNA is on file or if another FTA card is needed. To order a re-test at the OFA Site, select Retest with a price of \$50

NATIVE STOCK BALLOTS

The ballot count/tally for the Native Stock Ballot was completed May 13, 2013.

As a result of the final tally being within 4/10ths of a point for a group's approval/disapproval, the 2013 BCOA Board has requested the Membership Ballot Tallier Chair, Kimberly Brown, to recount all received ballots to verify there were no errors with the original count.

By requesting a recount, the 2013 BCOA Board is ensuring we have done everything to make the process fair and accurate.

Pamela Geoffroy
Co-Chair Native Stock Committee

GCBC DESIGNATED SPECIALTY

The GCBC Designated Specialty will be held June 15, 2013 at the Lake County Fairgrounds in Grayslake, IL, in conjunction with the Chicagoland Hound Association show.

Conformation judge: Ms. Karen Dumke
Puppy/Veteran Sweepstakes judge: Mrs. Sylvia Lofrano.
Any questions can be directed to:
Susan Joyner, Joy-Us Basenjis, New Lenox, IL,
815-485-8592, ms_joyner@comcast.net

FOLLOWING THE 2013 NATIONAL

Those going to this year's National Specialty in Auburn, WA may want to also consider attending the Willamette Valley Specialty along with the following All-Breed shows:

July 19, 2013 WVBC Specialty

Judges: Breed: Jennie Behles
Sweeps: Col. Harold Brizee

Stumptown All-Breed shows in Portland, OR July 20 & 21, 2013

2013 UNSUNG HERO NOMINATIONS

With this year's National Specialty falling earlier than usual in July, the deadline for Unsung Hero submissions is May 31, 2013. The Unsung Hero Award recognizes that BCOA member who has made a positive contribution that would not ordinarily be acknowledged by other types of formal awards. Nominees for this award will have displayed extraordinary efforts to advance the purposes of the BCOA; consistently and unselfishly sharing his/her time and expense to promote events, activities and materials in support of the BCOA.

Submitters must provide the BCOA Board with the full name of the nominee and a statement of 250 words describing why this person should be considered for the award. Nominations should be sent to Janet Ketz, BCOA Secretary by US or electronic mail. The winner of the Unsung Hero Award will be announced at the BCOA Annual Meeting in Auburn, WA.

APPRENTICE JUDGES SEMINAR

Thursday July 11th, 2013: Evergreen Basenji Club will be hosting an Apprentice Judges' Seminar and ASFA lure event. Long time lure coursing enthusiast, Dean Wright, will be out at Argus Ranch in Auburn, WA, to do an apprentice judges' seminar, to be immediately followed by concurrently running ASFA all-breed and ASFA Basenji Specialty lure trials. Premiums posted at the ASFA Region 1 site for All Breed and Basenji Specialty (note separate premiums) Seminar will begin promptly at 8AM, with those participants wishing to apprentice judge with Dean, being allowed to do so at the trial that follows. Please contact Mike Montgomery Evergreen Basenji Club Lure Coordinator for more details.

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BALLOT 2013-20 APPROVED

Postmarked: April 16, 2013

SUBJECT: BCOA MEDALLION COMMITTEE

Effective: April 25, 2013

Circulated at the request of the President.

Please send your vote to approve the Medallion Committee, along with the Purpose and Responsibilities for the committee. Peg Grundman will chair the Committee.

BCOA MEDALLIONS COMMITTEE

PURPOSE: To maintain an inventory of BCOA Medallions for national specialties and supported entries.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- The BCOA Medallion Chair will store and distribute, as needed, BCOA medallions for each year's national specialty and for all BCOA Supported entries at all-breed shows.
- Each year the BCOA Medallions Chair will send medallions for the national specialty to the National Specialty Trophy Chair. The National Specialty Trophy Chair will provide the number of medallions needed. [National Specialty Procedures, Appendix B is the master list] The number of medallions distributed to the NS Trophy Chair is dependent upon the optional events offered in any given year.
- If BCOA Medallions are going to be displayed in a special manner, at least two months in advance of the specialty the National Specialty Trophy Chair will contact the BCOA Medallion Chair with shipping instructions for sending the medallions to the person(s) making the displays.
- **SUPPORTED ENTRIES:** The BCOA Medallions Chair will send medallions for all supported entry shows when notified by the Event Coordinator/Liaison that these shows have been approved.
- The BCOA Medallions Chair is responsible for all inventory. After the national specialty is over, the National Specialty Chair will return all unused medallions to the BCOA Medallions Chair.

APPROVE: Auerbach, Curby, Geoffroy, Greenlee, Jones, Ketz, Kirk, Pooley, Siekert, Work.

BALLOT 2013-21 APPROVED

Postmarked: April 16, 2013

SUBJECT: BCOA MEDALLIONS FOR SUPPORTED ENTRIES

Effective: April 25, 2013

Circulated at the request of the President.

Please send your vote to approve the BCOA Supported Entry Medallions Document to be added to the BCOA Policy Manual.

BASENJI CLUB OF AMERICA SUPPORTED ENTRIES

BASENJI CLUB OF AMERICA Medallions shall be offered as prizes for Basenjjs in the following manner:

1. BCOA will supply Antique Gold Tone Medallions to a BCOA AFFILIATED CLUB that sponsors a BCOA supported entry at an ALL BREED SHOW, Providing a SIGNED WRITTEN REQUEST for the Event has been received and is APPROVED by the Events Chairperson. However, if the entry is supported by the Affiliated club no medallions will be provided. The medallions allowed as prizes for a BCOA SUPPPORTED ENTRY AT AN ALL BREED SHOW, sponsored by an Affiliated Club will be:
 - Best of Breed
 - Best of Opposite Sex NOTE: Best of Winners NONE
 - Winners Dog
 - Winners Bitch
 - Select Dog
 - Select Bitch
 - Best Veteran dog (If offered by Kennel Club)
 - Best Veteran Bitch (If offered by Kennel Club)
 - Best Bred-By Exhibitor Basenji (If offered by Kennel Club)
 - Best Basenji Brace (If class offered by Kennel Club)
 - Best Basenji Puppy (If class offered by Kennel Club)
 - Best Puppy in Sweepstakes (If class offered.1 Only)
 - Best Veteran In Sweepstakes (If class offered.1 Only)

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2. BCOA will supply Antique Gold Tone Medallions for a BCOA SUPPORTED entry at an ALL BREED SHOW SPONSORED by FIVE (5) BCOA MEMBERS or an Affiliated BCOA Basenji Club in good standing. A signed, written petition requesting the Event must be received by the Events Chairperson, and the Event and Classes must be approved. Five persons must sign the petition but they need not be a member of an affiliated club.

The medallions allowed as prizes for a BCOA SUPPORTED ENTRY AT AN ALL BREED SHOW, sponsored by Five (5) BCOA Members will be:

Best of Breed
Best of Opposite Sex NOTE! Best of Winners NONE
Winners Dog
Winners Bitch
Select Dog
Select Bitch
Best Veteran Dog (If class offered by Kennel Club)
Best Veteran Bitch (If class offered by Kennel Club)
Best Bred -By-Exhibitor Basenji (If class offered by Kennel Club)
Best Basenji Brace (If class offered/allowed by Kennel Club)
Best Basenji Puppy (If class offered/allowed by Kennel Club)
Best Puppy in Sweepstakes (If class offered. 1 Only)
Best Veteran in Sweepstakes (If class offered.1 Only)

3. BCOA Affiliated Clubs that have point shows shall provide their own Medallions if they have them. This is NOT a BCOA event, and NO Medallions will be provided by BCOA.
4. ALL unclaimed BCOA medallions will be returned to the BCOA Medallions Chair.

APPROVE: Auerbach, Curby, Geoffroy, Greenlee, Jones, Ketz, Kirk, Pooley, Siekert, Work.

BALLOT 2013-22 APPROVED

Postmarked: April 20, 2013

SUBJECT: PROPOSAL FOR 2016 NATIONAL SPECIALTY

Effective: April 29, 2013

Circulated in accordance with the National Specialty Procedures.

Please send your vote on the proposal submitted for the 2016 BCOA National Specialty to be held in the West Region in its turn. The chairperson of the group is Donna Lubbe [OR]; the Event Coordinator is Jackie Jones [OR]; Treasurer is Julie Leicht [OR]; other members are the Willamette Valley Basenji Club. The location is the Cowlitz Regional Conference Center in Longview, WA; dates are August 10 (Wednesday) through August 14 (Sunday) 2016.

CRCC web site: www.thecenterofthenorthwest.com

APPROVE: Auerbach, Curby, Geoffroy-Comment: [I want to thank Donna Lubbe, Jackie Jones and the Willamette Valley Basenji Club for their willingness to volunteer yet again to put on the National Specialty.], Greenlee, Ketz, Kirk, Pooley, Siekert, Work.

RECUSE: Jones.

BALLOT 2013-23 APPROVED

Postmarked; April 29, 2013

SUBJECT: NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Effective: May 8, 2013

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Please mark your vote on approving the following persons to serve as the Nominating Committee for BCOA Officers and Board of Directors 2014:

Chair-LeeBeth Cranmer [PA]; Linda Ehlers [MO]; Kathy Jones [CA]; Lisa Saban [WA]; Denise Vertrees [TX].

APPROVE: Auerbach, Curby, Geoffroy, Greenlee, Jones, Ketz, Kirk, Siekert, Work.

Abstain: Pooley.

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BCOA BYLAWS, ARTICLE IV, SECTION 4. NOMINATIONS AND BALLOTS. No person may be a candidate in a Club election who has not been nominated in accordance with these by-laws. A Nominating Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors before May 15 and the Secretary shall immediately notify the committeemen of their selection. The Committee shall consist of five Regular members from different areas of the United States, all members in good standing, no more than one of whom may be a member of the current Board of Directors. The Board shall name a Chairman for the Committee. The Nominating Committee may conduct its business by mail, telephone, or electronic mail.

APPROVE: Auerbach, Curby, Geoffroy, Greenlee, Jones, Ketz, Kirk, Siekert, Work.
Abstain: Pooley.

BALLOT 2013-24 APPROVED

Postmarked: April 29, 2013

SUBJECT: NEW MEMBERS

Effective: May 8, 2013

Circulated in accordance with the BCOA By-Laws.

The following persons have applied for membership in BCOA, and their names, along with a call for comments, were published in the April, 2013 Bulletin Board Newsletter. No comments have been received. Please send your vote on admitting them to membership in BCOA.

Shelia Armstrong [TX], Ed & Sylvia Howard [TX], Whitney Podhradsky [SD],
David & Karen Shellie [MI].

APPROVE: Auerbach, Curby, Geoffroy, Greenlee, Jones, Ketz, Kirk, Pooley, Siekert, Work.

2013 ANNUAL BCOA MEMBERSHIP MEETING NOTICE

The BCOA 2013 Annual Membership Meeting will be held on Monday, July 15, 2013, at the Argus Ranch Facility for Dogs, 35612 212th Way S.E. Auburn, WA 98092. The meeting will be held in the Obedience Building. The time will be set based on entry numbers/judging time for the day and will be posted during the National Specialty week. Questions or comments, contact Janet Ketz, BCOA Secretary at jlketz@aol.com

The 2013 BCOA Board is requesting that members submit items of new business for the 2013 Annual Membership Meeting in advance. This will help the Board to prepare an agenda and to determine the amount of time needed for the meeting. Please submit agenda items by Monday, July 1, 2013 to Janet Ketz at jlketz@aol.com, 815-325-5908 or 34025 West River Road, Wilmington, IL 60481.



Basenji Club of America – Judges Selection
STAGE I - Nomination Collection
Deadline for Stage I voting is June 15, 2013
Email and Snail mail is accepted during this Stage

You may nominate up to FIVE Judges in each category.

Please make sure that you VERIFY that your candidate is eligible to judge Basenjjs if nominating a REGULAR Judge candidate.

NOT ELIGIBLE:

Michael Work (2015), Russell Hendren (2014), Judy Webb (2013), John Reeve Newson (2012), Lisa Tyler (2011), Kent Delaney (2010), Terri Gaveltz (2009), and Jon Curby (2008).

BCOA 2016 National Specialty REGULAR CLASSES: please list name, address, and phone number

NOT ELIGIBLE:

A. Tad Brooks (2014), Andrew Sawler (2013), Carrie Jones (2012), Debbie Hauri (2011), Kari Wuornos-Winger (2010), Wanda Pooley (2009), Brenda Cassell (2008), and Linda Ehlers (2007).

BCOA 2015 National Specialty SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES: please list name, address, and phone number

BCOA MEMBER nominating the above:

Member Name and Address: _____

You can email your selections to kanoyes@me.com or snail mail this form to:
Kim Noyes, P.O. Box 7453 Portland, ME 04112

2013 NATIONAL SPECIALTY WEARABLES

Available by Pre-Order Only – All orders must be placed by June 1, 2013

Contact: Suzanne Pintar pintar175@comcast.net
 10420 180th CT NE
 Redmond WA 98052

** On all items, the Logo measures approximately 4 inches in height and has Metallic Copper for the Basenji and Metallic Silver for the Space Needle and is on front left chest.



T-Shirts: silk screened

	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
Black								
Kelly Green								
Deep Marine Blue								

XS-XL Count x \$14 =
 2XL-4XL Count x \$15 =

Sweatshirts: silk screened, ¼ zip

	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
Black								
Royal Blue								

XS-XL Count x \$35 =
 2XL-4XL Count x \$41 =

Polo Shirts: with metallic embroidery

	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
Black								
Cypress								
Blueberry								

XS-XL Count x \$37 =
 2XL-4XL Count x \$44 =

Fleece Vests: with metallic embroidery

	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
Black								
Dark Green								

XS-XL Count x \$41 =
 2XL-4XL Count x \$47 =

Shipping (See below)

Please make checks payable to BCOA 2013 National Specialty

Online ordering is available at <http://www.2013bcoanational.org/>

Grand Total

Name

Email/ Phone

I will pick up my merchandise at the 2013 BCOA National Specialty.

Please ship my merchandise to me.

US Shipping:

1 item \$5.20
 2 - 4 items \$10.95
 5+ items \$14.95

International Shipping:

Contact: Suzanne Pintar at: pintar175@comcast.net

If shipping, be sure to add appropriate shipping charge above. Your items won't ship without it!

Shipping Address

Special Shipping Instructions

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Basenji Club of American National Specialty Fast Approaching!

Breaking information found here --

<http://www.2013bcoanational.org/> and here -- <https://www.facebook.com/2013BcoaNational>
Or contact your show chair, Brenda Phillips 253-217-1466 • ciarasmom@yahoo.com

IMPORTANT DEADLINES APPROACHING QUICKLY

CATALOG ADS due May 22: catalogads@barkless.com

AGILITY opens to All Breed May 29: theresa@k9eventsnw.com

CLASS SPONSORSHIPS by June 1: ms_Joyner@comcast.net

CLOTHING PURCHASES due June 1: pintar175@comcast.net

CAMPING RESERVATIONS by June 10: jennifer@bantubasenjhis.com

ALL ENTRIES IN ALL EVENTS CLOSE JUNE 26

ALL PREMIUM LISTS WILL ONLY BE MAILED UPON REQUEST

Contact show superintendent or event secretary to be mailed a copy, or download your own from our website <http://www.2013bcoanational.org/>

Conformation, Junior Showmanship, Obedience, Rally: www.barayevents.com • 360-683-1507

Lure Coursing Tests and Trial: Sarah Falkner: 253-380-2090

African Stock Exhibition: Jackie Jones: 503-728-9413

NOTRA Racing: Lisa Voss: 530-668-7628

Agility: Theresa Calter 206-355-9205

HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

Check out these active, relationship building seminars: Contact Debra Blake to sign up – space is limited! djkblake53@yahoo.com

FRIDAY JULY 12: Nose work, \$5 per working spot, free to audit

FRIDAY JULY 12: Physical Conditioning for peak performance:

\$20 for working spot, \$15 to audit

SUNDAY JULY 14: Tellington Touch mini clinic,

\$40 per working spot, \$15 to audit

WEDNESDAY JULY 17: Judges Education workshop,

Marianne Klinkowski naharin@comcast.net





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