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Regular club meetings are held every month on the third Friday except in August (Annual Picnic) and December (annual Christmas Party) at 8:00 PM. The meeting Place is the Brentwood Recreation center, 2505 South Brentwood, unless otherwise noted.

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From The Editors Desk,

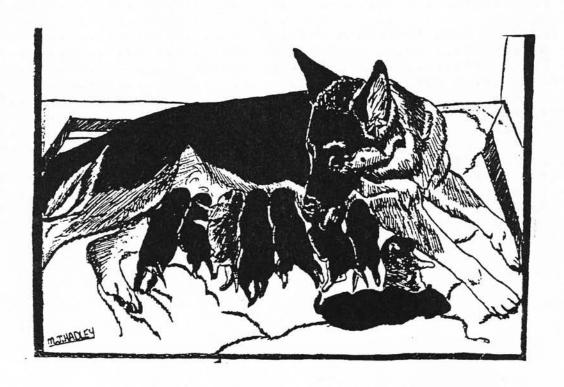
Spring has sprung at my house anyway. We are in the midst of spring cleaning, meaning we have been cutting brush to clear fields, burning said brush etc. A lot of you breeders have or are expecting exciting litters.

April was the cruelast month as evidenced by the loss of some of our members' older companions. We extend sympathy to Bob and Pat Kaston on the loss of Amos, and Bob and Marian Fillbright who lost their beloved Boomer, and Nancy Kearney who lost both Scarlet and Buc.

May the warmth of spring heal your hearts. We hope you enjoy our tribute to the mothers of our breed this month, as well as the beautiful stories sent in by the breeders in honor of their beloved bitches.

Next month we will do the same for the guys. Check out our calendar of events, and please note our rate page this month and the stud dog listing and breeders' page rates. Our show is this month--hope to see you all there.

\*\*\*Marcia\*\*\*



#### REGULAR MEETING MINUTES March 18, 1988

The regular meeting of the G.S.D.C. of St. Louis, Inc. was called to order by President Dieckmann at 8:25 p.m. at the Brentwood Recreation Center.

The roll was called of officers and Board members.

The minutes of the February 12, 1988 meeting were approved as read.

The Treasurer's report was approved as read.

Marilee Wilkinson, Corresponding Secretary, noted the ad in the German Shepherd Quarterly for our Spring Show. She will send Ruth Foster a registered letter since she has not heard from her.

The guest list was read.

#### Committee Reports

<u>Wag N Tongue</u>: Marcia Hadley thanked everyone who had sent in ads. She also asked for help in putting it together. The April issue will be on obedience and schutzhund.

<u>Training</u>: Bud Leistner announced that new classes will be starting on April 4 and 13. Anyone interested should contact Alice Krueger or Bud Leistner.

Education: Bill Harper reported the programs scheduled for the rest of the year are:

April Show/Trial

May Dog Museum, AKC video on the breed

June Basics of breeding

July OFA and hip displasia

September Whelping

October Behavior problems

November Grooming

<u>Ways and Means</u>: Greg Uhlenbrock announced T-shirts would be raffled at the meeting.

<u>Canine Corp</u>: Nancy Kearney reported the broken statue in the cemetery had been stolen.

WDA: Marilee Wilkinson is in receipt of a dues notice from the WDA. Larry Duerbeck said George Collins suggested not paying until the parent club meets in April. It is possible that the WDA will become a committee as a result of action taken at that meeting.

Refreshments: Alma Claeys has enough volunteers for bringing cakes, etc. for the next six months.

Cards and Flowers: No report.



#### Old Business

President Dieckmann reported that May 21, 1988 was G.S.D.C. night at the ballgame. Game starts at 7:05 p.m. Tickets are \$10.50 each.

Marilyn Balsman reminded everyone of the Lemay Parade on April 30, 1988.

#### New Business

Marilee Wilkinson mentioned that the local schutzhund club wanted to know if we were interested in advertising in their catalogue or donating towards a trophy for their National and North American Championships to be held in St. Louis. Nancy Kearney moved that we take a half page ad for \$40 with a message regarding dog restriction laws. The motion was seconded by Harold Beckham and passed.

Alice Krueger made several announcements regarding upcoming matches, etc.

Nancy Kearney reported on a seminar she attended on breed restriction laws. She noted that on April 18, 1988 the Bull Terrier club would have a meeting on the subject and suggested people attend. Pam Teiber will attend and report back.

On April 24, 1988 there will be a fun match at Pam Teiber's. There will be an ad in the Wag N Tongue. Judy Deane is coordinating food.

#### Announcements

Numerous old issues of the Wag N Tongue and newsletters from other clubs are available for perusal.

The T-shirts were raffled.

A representative from Hill's spoke on canine nutrition.

Marilyn Balsman moved the meeting be adjourned. The motion was seconded by Greg Uhlenbrock and passed. The meeting was adjourned at 10:30~p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Alice Becker

Recording Secretary

## THE GRIFFIN BUCCANEER, T.T.

**BORN: JUNE 12, 1976** 

**DIED: APRIL 16, 1988** 

Buc - My Little Fella - What will I do without you.

We miss you and We love you!

The Griffin

Nancy Yadon Kearney,

Olarc's Onyx The Griffin

#### Modern Fertility Rites For The Brood Bitch

by Pennie Swindle (Via Deutche Schaferhund Newsletter

For those of you fortunate enough to have animals that never miss when bred, I offer a toast...the rest of us will spend our nights crying in our beer, wondering why the most valuable bitch we've ever owned avoids motherhood so religiously.

There's no easy answer to "Why" but some notable people have been studying fertility problems and working with dogs that exhibit them. Before I begin discussing the problems and possible solutions, some of these breeders and veterinarians should be acknowledged. Scotie Sherlock of Caralon Kennels, a good friend and longtime breeder who has freely shared her experience, Dr. Charles Kruger, a veterinarian and well-known breeder, and my own veterinarian, Dr. Lon Cromley, who has spent many hours worrying with me and attempting to fertilize some problem bitches. They have shared their knowledge, dearly earned, to help me build a foundation... and I am grateful.

The primary lesson that we have to learn is that each case is different. Though we may follow similar steps to determine the problems, there may be a hundred different solutions, or none at all.

Failure to conceive falls into three broad catagories;

- A) Physical- a fault in the structure of the reproductive system or an injury, which may require corrective surgery;
- B) Hormonal- an imbalance in hormonal makeup ranging from the thyroid to estrogen; and,
- C) Infection- Any number of bacteria and virus grow well in the warm dampness of the uterus and vaginal tract.

To complicate matters, many bitches have problems in more than one of these categories- often one making another worse. For example, I believe that we find a far higher percentage of infections in bitches which have placed vulva. Perhaps that low placement, which results in (or is a result of) a steep baginal tract, traps infection in the uterus and fosters its growth.

In regard to this first category, physical problems, I'll only mention that a competent veterinarian should recognize difficulties of this type which would require surgery. Before a maiden bitch is bred she should have a complete physical examimation, during which abnormallities should be noted.

Also before breeding, EACH TIME, your veterinarian should perform a white blood cell count and a canine brucellosis test. Most stud dog owners require the latter as a protection to their dog. The brucella is easily passed during mating and results in sterility. The white blood cell count if above the normal range indicates an infection is present. If all appears normal on this initial check, but the bitch does not conceive, we do the following things, in the order indicated:



First, we check to make sure the stud dog has recently sired other litters...to often it is the stud dog, not the bitch who missed. If the stud is producing normally, it is is time to check out our prospective mother.

Six weeks before the bitch is due in season, we begi adding 800 i.u. of Vitamin E to her daily meal. It is very good for tissue and muscle strengthening. At this same time, we take her to the vet and have him draw a blood sample for Thyroid The sample should be sent to Dr. R. F. Nachreiner, Dept. of Physiology and Pharmacology, School of Veterinarian Medicine - Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama, 36830. veterinarian wishes to call him, his number is (205) 826-4000. He is the foremost expert on canine thyroid imbalance in the United States, and a very helpful gentleman. Most thyroid problems can be artificially corrected by medication (Synthroid, Cytobin, etc.) so that your bitch can conceive. Dr. Nachreiner returns his test results with recommended treatment to your veterinarian. (A four year old bitch which we own had been bred twice with no results. A thyroid test showed that her T3 and T4 function were far below normal. After a year and a half on Cytobin, her Thyroid functions are normal-even without the medication, and two months ago she presented us with thirteen puppies). The test results take ten days to two weeks to be returned, and it takes some time to achieve a satisfactory level of medication; so do not delay running the test.

Also at this crucial time...have veterinarian us a "Tom-Cat Catheter (#3 French)" to reach past her cervix into the uterus. This catheter is so small that it can be slid through even the tightest bitch to enable the vet to obtain a sample of the uterine secretions for a culture and sensitivity test. While he has the catheter in the uterus (after he has obtained the sample for his culture) have him infuse her with one part Iodine to ten parts distilled water. Do not bother with antibiotics at this time because you do not know what type of infection she has, if she has one at all, and, if she does, which antibiotics will kill it. Dogs, like people, get infections which are resistant to some drugs a car load of that drug will not dent the infection, and you may cause problems with drug interactions when the correct antibiotic is determined by the sensitibity tests and administered.

When the results of the culture and sensitivity come back, have the vet again use a Tom Cat Catheter to reach into th uterus and if there is an infection, infuse her with the drug indicated by the tests. You may also inject her with the injectible form of that drug.

On the first day of her season, again infuse her with the drug of choice(or the Iodine and water solution), if no infection was present. Run the CBC (blood count) and a Brucellosis Test. If your bitch is older, or has missed several times in a row, and you can'tafford to wait through one more season to find out if the problem is more than an infection, you may wish on the first day to give her a shot of follicle stimulating

hormone (FSh). We use a fresh full pack wit I half dilution. This hormone stimulates the season to make it stronger. On the eighth day of her season, if she had an infection, we again infuse her with the drug of choice (as indicated by the sensitivity test). If we have decided to include the hormone treatment, we give her a second full pack of fresh FSh.

If you are pursuing the hormone treatment, be sure to make arrangements with the stud dog owner (if the bitch is being shipped) to have an LH (Lutinizing Hormone) as soon as possible after she is bred. The Lutinizing Hormone causes the bitch to release eggs to be fertilized. Since the life span of the sperm is limited, this shot should be administered within twentyfour hours of breeding...it should never be given before breeding because if the stud dog does not care to breed the bitch for three days after she has had her shot, you have wasted her season possibly.

If the bitch's previous infertility was due to hormonal deficiency or infection, and these practices have been followed she should now be pregnant and in nine weeks, you will be a breeder...

Before I end, let me say that vaginal smears have a very definite place in breeding, BUT, it is NOT IN DETERMINING INFECTIONS OR WHICH MEDICATIONS TO USE. Reading the vaginal smears is a tool with which to chart the progress of the season, and when the smear has cleared, and the cells are 80% or more cornified, the bitch should be ready to breed. When white blood cells re-appear after this 11-36 hour period, and optimum results should be realized if she is bred then. Vaginal smears only confirm what the partners' actions should indicate. The ideal method of following smears is to take two or three smears per day an inexpensive microscope and a lesson or two from a co-operative veterinarian or breeder friend who knows how to read slides will make it easy for you to do this at home... by doing slides each day of the bitche's season, a trend develops, rather than getting a hit-or-miss, one-time, reading which can be inaccurate.

Some animals are permanently infertile. Some bitches (particularly those who come in season on a 4-5 month cycle) are fertile only every other season. No one can guarantee 100% success in treating in-fertility, but we have many diagnostic and corrective tools at our disposal. If we use these wisely, under the supervision of a competant veterinarian, we consistently achieve better results with our brood animals.

	(via	Northwest	Shepherd	News)
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has contributed to the 5th Annual Octerans' Day Parade Verman Shephend Dog Club of St Louis In appreciation for the outstanding performance

held in St. Louis, Missouri, Rovember 7th, 1987.

Thanks to your efforts

the parade was extremely successful and one of the largest in the Nation.

Joseph A. Bergald

President Saint Louis Ambassabors

Bill Lill

General Chairman

#### IN MEMORY OF BOOMER

#### HIS LONG SLEEP

He wagged his tail to the very last
And he smiles in his last, long sleep;
The troubles of life, for him, are past.
Ashrine in my heart I'll keep
His soul -- for I feel that he had a soul,
And he thought real thoughts, I know --Has found the ultimate end, life's goal,
In the heaven where good dogs go.

He has lived with me and suffered with me; Shed tears in his doglike way; He has placed his paw at times on my knee In a vain attempt to say, God never gave us that wondrous power To tell all the things we feel, But I want to say in my canine way That my sympathy is real!

So I loved my dog to the very end,
And he in our daily walk
Was never just dog, but a constant friend,
And we had no need to talk.
And I hope, when the summons comes for me
To embark on the unknown tide,
I shall find his eyes in the paradise
They say is on the other side.

James Clarence Harvey

TRI-BRITTA'S BOOMERANG CD (Boomer)

5/8/76 - 4/8/88

with all our love,

Tinsel, Marian & Bob Fillbright

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY
to
PAT & BOB KASTEN
on the loss of
AMOS

The simple things in life, I crave
A mind that's pure, a heart that's brave.
A friend, a book, a dog, a tree
These are the things I ask of Thee.

A friend to hold my hand in trial
A book to ease my thoughts awhile
A dog for silent company
A tree to bring me close to Thee!

Gwen Taft

with love, Don & Alice Krueger OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY
to

BOB & MARIAN FILLBRIGHT
on the loss of
BOOMER

I know not why some days are sad And filled with grief and pain; But this I know: 'Tho skies be gray The sun will shine again.

For after winter follows spring When flowers bloom anew; And God, in love, is working now His purposes for you.

Your trials will pass in His own time; Friend, you will see the sun, For there awaits a shining dawn When clouds their work have done.

Beverly J. Anderson

with love, Don & Alice Krueger

### CH. COVY'S AÏDA OF TUCKER HILL ROM

CONGRATULATES HER SON



## CH. SHAMROCK OF ANDREL



# **BEST IN SHOW**

### SANDEMAC KENNEL CLUB

SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 1988

BEST IN SHOW JUDGE - GERALD SCHWARTZ
HERDING GROUP JUDGE - GERHARDT PLAGA
BOB JUDGE - RICHARD RENIHAN

BREEDERS/OWNERS:
ANDREL SHEPHERDS
ELLIE & ANDY WERNER
15 Orchard Drive
Florissant, MO 63033



# GAINES

## PERPETUAL WHELPING CALENDAR

Find the month and date on which your bitch was bred in one of the left-hand tinted columns. Directly opposite that date, in the right-hand column, is her expected date of whelping bearing in mind that 61 days is as common as 63.

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In a leap year, prior to March 1, subtract one day from the estimated whelping date; e.g. a bitch bred January 11 will be due to whelp March 14; one bred February 29 will be due May 2; one bred March 1 will be due May 3, etc.

bin a year prior to a leap year a bitch bred December 28 will be due on February 29; one bred December 31 will be due March 3, etc.

#### OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY

to

NANCY KEARNEY on the loss of SCARLET

AND BUC

After the snow of winter, Spring will surely come, Bringing warmth and beauty Of blossoms and birdsong.

After the rain, the swallow Will soar again on high, And a rainbow follow In a sunlit sky.

After the tears of sorrow,

Spirits will renew,

And a bright tomorrow

With God's help see you through.

Elsie Natalie Brady

with love, Don & Alice Krueger

#### We Need To Fight Breed Restrictive Laws - Canine Defense Fund/American Dog Owners Association In Forefront of Battle By Nancy Yadon Kearney

Thank you for printing this article in your newsletter.

American Dog Owners Association deals with issues of importance to all members of the dog fancy community in this country; trying to educate dog owners and legislators. They are instrumental in overseeing regulations for shipping dogs; working to make it safer. Another project is seeking to allow the elderly in federal housing projects to keep their dogs, whatever the size. (There is a definite correlation between the attitude of public housing directors and the two major legal battles facing the dog fancy today.) Many goals are on the agenda, but two of the most pressing at this point in time are fighting the limiting dog legislation, and the laws that would make owning a particular breed a crime. The Canine Defense Fund deals solely with this latter issue.

For the average person to fight these type of laws individually is impossible. The municipality/local government has resources far beyond any single person's ability to cope. They can force you to run to court over and over again without accomplishing anything at all, except to make your employer angry and scare you to death. The wear and tear on you emotionally from this kind of stress is overwhelming. Many times they (the local government body) are not the least bit interested in your civil rights, because they realize that you probably are not in a position to call their hand on the issue. Don't count on ex post facto law (better known as the "grandfather clause"). It can cost you thousands of dollars to make the local government recognize your civil rights and the guarantee of Article I, Section 9.3 of the Constitution. It can be years before a case reaches the higher courts. The expense is staggering and so is the emotional price. Attorney fees (at a rate of \$85 to \$250 an hour) mount with a speed that takes your breath away; and you are not even on the agenda of a higher court where a decision will carry more weight.

Everyone involved with the legitimate sports associated with dogs must band together and support American Dog Owners Association and the Canine Defense Fund. You believe that because your neighbors have ignored the fact that you have 3 or 4 more dogs than you are supposed to have protects you. You are living in a fool's paradise because any change in neighbors or circumstances could pull down your safety. Perhaps you believe that the breed of dog of which you are particularly fond is so well thought of by the general public that no one would ever think to try to make owning one against the law.

Nonsense! Whatever the size, whatever the reputation of your breed - IT IS ENDANGERED! It is just farther down the list than the Bull Terriers, German Shepherd Dogs, etc. Be assured that someone out there thinks your breed is a nuisance that should be legislated out of existence. What is more, given today's climate, they can and will try to do just that - OUTLAW YOUR BREED OF DOG!

There has been some success at this point in fighting breed restricting legislation. The law in Broward County, Florida (includes part of the City of Miami) applying to Bull Terriers and Staffordshire Terriers was declared unconstitutional by the state court. But cities all over the United States are contemplating similar laws about several different breeds. The Canine Defense Fund is leading this battle and the expense is spectacular. Contributions to this fund are desperately needed. Checks should be made out to The Canine Defense Fund and can be sent c/o American Dog Owners Association, Inc., 1654 Columbia Turnpike, Castleton, New York 12033. The American Kennel Club will match any funds donated by a club.

#### We Need To Fight Breed Restrictive Laws (Continued)

Because of the fantastic expenses associated with these two major projects, money is a constant problem. Please join American Dog Owners Association as a club and as individuals. Contact your parent club and pass the message on to everyone involved in the dog fancy that you meet how important it is that they too join. Checks for dues should be made out to American Dog Owners Association and sent to 1654 Columbia Turnpike, Castleton, New York 12033. The cost is \$25 for a club, \$10 for an individual, \$15 for husband and wife, or \$100 for a business. When you belong to ADOA you receive several copies of their newsletter throughout the year that keeps you up to date on the various activities and the status of legislation throughout the country.)

ADOA has available free of charge (for the cost of postage only) educational brochures, various forms, etc. Some clubs have donated the proceeds from a fun match or other fund raising activity. Some have indicated in their premium list that a portion of the proceeds of their dog show would go to American Dog Owners Association or the Canine Defense Fund.

Please send donations to the Canine Defense Fund, and join and support American Dog Owners Association. The monetary viability of both organizations is crucial to the survival of the dog fancy community in the United States!

There is something else necessary in order to assure the continued existence of your breed. Everyone involved in the various sports associated with dogs must become more politically active. Make sure you are a registered voter in your municipality and vote. Know and talk with your aldermen or councilmen. Make them aware of the fact that while you whole heartedly support dangerous dog legislation, you are totally opposed to breed specific legislation. Give them a copy of the model legislation supported by ADOA. It is far cheaper to prevent legislation from being passed than it is to pay attorney's fees to fight laws that are in existence. Get to know your local legislators. Have sympathetic friends and relatives do the same whether in your municipality or in another one. Work the polls for candidates that will support the proper type of legislation. Work against those that would eliminate a breed. Go to the aldermanic/council meetings with the clubs that are actively fighting for their lives now. Show your support by joining them at these meetings. Their fight will carry more weight if local people are behind them, or are leading the battle for them.

One contemplated law would limit all dogs to 20 inches. It is not clear whether they are measuring at the withers or the head. This would effectively eliminate almost all of the breeds except some toys and terriers.

Two things we all can and must do to protect our continued existence. Support the Canine Defense Fund and get involved in local politics! We cannot let the presently endangered breeds fight alone - their plight is ours as well!!! Get involved in your local politics and help prevent and fight laws that would literally mean DOOM to the ALL the Dog Fancy.





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A better mother, we'll never find, She was stern when needed, yet oh so kind. She is the best, we'll ever see, She raised them up, and gave them to me. She gave us kids, to be proud of, And grand kids too, with all her love.

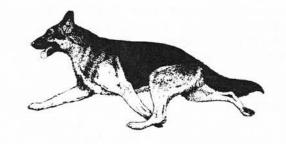
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We send our love, to where you are.
Way up in the sky, with your head held so high,
You are the diamond, in our eye.
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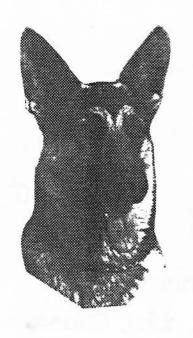
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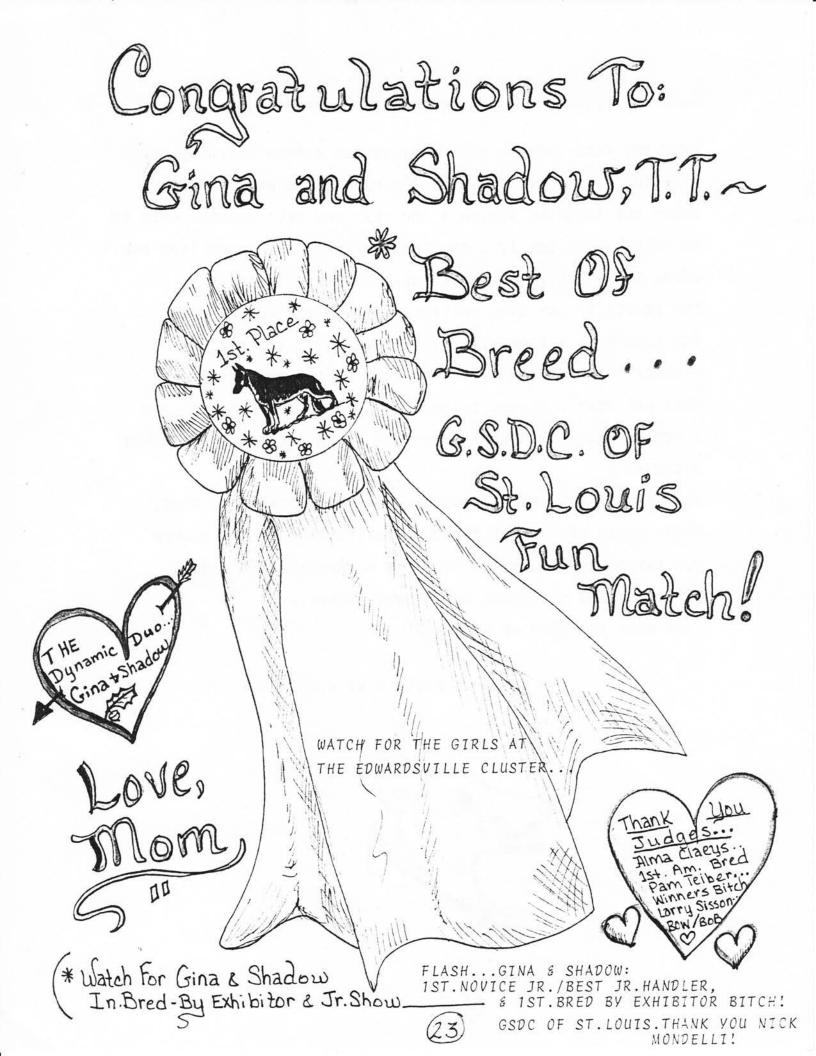
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ABOUT THE BREEDING BEHIND A DOG THAT YOU HAVE ADMIRED, ONLY TO
BE TOLD, "HE OR SHE IS A SON/DAUGHTER OF CH.BIG NAME STUD DOG."
OR, HE OR SHE IS LINEBRED ON SEL.CH.SUPER STUD, ROM."
FEW PEOPLE, IF ANY EVER MENTION JUST WHO THE MOTHER WAS!
THE LAST TIME I LOOKED, IT STILL TOOK A DOG AND A BITCH TO
PRODUCE PUPPIES, WITH EACH CONTRIBUTING 50% OF THE GENES.
SOME SAY THAT A KENNEL IS ONLY AS GOOD AS IT'S BITCHES, AND
I TOTALLY AGREE. OUR LOVELY BITCHES NEVER GET THE CREDIT THEY
DESERVE.

JUST REMEMBER FOLKS, THAT ALL THE TOP PRODUCING STUD DOGS,
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OUR BREED, AND INFLUENCED TYPE FOR GENERATIONS TO COME,
HAD ONE THING IN COMMON WITH EVERY OTHER.....
THEY WERE ALL SONS OF BITCHES.

\* ORIGINAL ARTICLE BY M.J.HADLEY



#### \*\*\*\*BREEDING YOUR BITCH\*\*\*

By Dr. Charles Kruger, DVM

This article is designed to be a simple guide to the novice breeder. I shall attempt to point out a few do's and don'ts in breeding your bitch.

The first consideration must be your bitch. You must ask yourself or someone who can tell you in case you really don't know, "what are my bitch's faults?" Of course your bitch doesn't have any faults, but just for fun and an intelligent, objective approach to this breeding, let's pretend that your bitch does have a fault, or two, or three or more. If you don't feel sure enough about your own opinion-and most novices should not be sure of themselves- go to a few local, well-established breeders and ask their opinions as to the faults in your animal. Remember also that you probably will not want to go back to the breeder of your bitch unless you want to hear a lot of flowery comments about her. Few breeders will willingly criticize their own breeding. There are few breeders who approach dog breeding objectively enough to give you a truthful evaluation of a bitch they have sold you. After you have two or three different opinions of your dog's faults that were mentioned by both or all parties, they probably are ones you should consider as most important.

The second consideration of your bitch is that of her pedigree- is your bitch an outcross, linebred, or inbred? If your bitch an outcross, does she come from a dominant line? Does she show the qualities or faults of this particular lind? If she is from a dominant line and does show the characteristics from this line (good or bad) she is then more likely to transmit them to her offspring than if she does not show them in her own make-up. (I cannot go into an explanation here but take my word for it.) If, however, your bitch is an outcross and shows no particular characteristics attributable to her pedigree you cannot really calculate in advance what she will produce. If your bitch is a linebred or inbred animal, you will generally have a little better chance of tracing down, in her pedigree, the good and bad characteristics she possesses. Naturally, to know the ancestry of your bitch it will most likely be necessary to contact the breeders or owners of the animal or animals on which she is linebred or inbred. If possible at all, I would advise you to personally observe her common ancestors.

When you have thoroughly analyzed your bitch and her pedigree, you may then, and only then, consider your stud. In considering a stud dog, remember first and most important is the fact that he compensates for your bitch's faults with his own correct attributes. (Editor's note: underlining for effect

is my own.) Many people believe that opposite compensation will correct their bitch's faults- - this is not the case. For example, a definite back weakness (sway back) will not produce good, strong, correct backs if bred to a roach back. Always correct a fault with proper or correct structure.

There are cases where you cannot always compensate for your bitch's faults. In these cases, you must consider the seriousness of the faults which cannot be compensated. personally believe I would give a little and breed to an animal with an outstanding gait, even if he had a common fault with my bitch. However, I would never breed two animals with soft backs, poor rear angulation or poor movement (and good structure). Let us now consider the stud dog. should you look for in a stud dog? Assuming that the dog you are considering does compensate for your bitch's faults, next consider his overall quality. One must never overlook the stud's individual qualities. What you see in the dog we refer to as phenotype, and most often his phenotype is a large percent of his genotype (the features you don't see but which are present in his genes in the germ cells). There are a few fair dogs that are good producers, but these are few and far between. Granted, sometimes there are stud dogs which are never shown and thus never become champions. These non-show studs must be evaluated carefully and a careful study of their offspring must be made before you consider using them. I speak from experience in this matter as I have a non-show stud that is an excellent producer, but for some personal reasons we have never compaigned the dog.

If there are champion quality males in your area, these dogs should probably be give r your first consideration. A show championship does not always mean the dog is going to be a producer. However, in studying the ROM animals in the United States, one will see that the great producers for the most part, are truly quality animals. If you can, find a champion or near champion animal who compensates for your bitch's faults.

Next, consider the pedigree. Pedigree study is difficult and time consuming, and often not very rewarding. If you have a heavily linebred bitch, you may safely outcross. As a rule, if my bitches are linebred 1,2-2, 2-2,3,3--or 2,3,4, I hesitate to breed to a stud which has that common ancestor closer than his grandsire or dam on one side. A brief word of explanation about the above numbers -- i.e., 1 means a parent (sire or dam), 2 means a grandparent, 3 means a great-grandparent, 4 means a great, great grandparent. The numbers represent the generation on the pedigree in which the ancestor appears. However, if you have an animal that is an outcross bitch, you should look for a heavily linebred male or a male closely related to your bitch. Too often I have heard pedigree scanners say, "Oh, there is so an so, he appears in my bitch's pedigree, this would make a good breeding.' This comment was made to me recently by an experienced breeder of 9 years. She picked out one of the poor-



est specimens of the breed on which to create a linebreeding. Linebreeding must be on good specimens-otherwise you face utter disaster. One of the most ideal linebreedings is that of a niece to her uncle, or a nephew to an aunt. The late Herb Abbot (Seahurst Ke'mels), who contributed more to the breed in the Northwest than any other individual in my time, once quoted to me the following breeder's formula: "the sire of the sire should be the grandsire of the dam on the dam's side."\* This us a sound formula, providing again, that you are linebreeding on good individuals.

The foremost consideration for a stud dog is his producing ability. This can only be evaluated through the quillity and accomplishments of his offspring. I feel that the novice should only breed to a proven producer.

I do not think that the novice breeder's bitch should be the proving ground for a big breeder's stud dog. This has happened continously in the past in our area. The newest import from "Trans-a-vania" gets the big push-all the novice breeders rush to the new dog-they all have pups and none of the pups are quality animals-shortly thereafter the stud is sold to Timbucktoo! I feel it is the large breeder's responsibility to prove the producing ability of his stud dogs. If he cannot do this service to the breed and to the novice, he is not a very reputable breeder. I urge you, one and all, don't be a quinea pig for a large breeder's new stud.

\*This breeding theory attributed to Herb Abbot, is actually the Lloyd Brackett theory of the perfect breeding.

(from Newsy Shepherd, GSDC of Rhode Island, via On All Fours, GSDC of Western Massachusetts, January 1974)



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RECREATION CENTER AT 8; PM ON FRIDAY

MAY 20TH. OUR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM WILL BE

THE DOG MUSEUM OF AMERICA, FEATURING

THE A.K.C. BREED STANDARD VIDEO ON THE

GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG.

THIS SHOULD BE INFORMATIVE, AND FUN. HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE!

#### WIN/PLACE/SHOW

OWNER: ELLIE & ANDY WERNER

DOG'S NAME: CH. SHAMROCK OF ANDREL

SIRE: CH. STUTTGART'S SUNDANCE KID, ROM DAM: CH. COVY'S AIDA OF

TUCKER HILL, ROM

SHOW: SANDEMAC K.C. JUDGE: RICHARD RENIHAN

DATE: 04-10-88 CLASS: SPECIALS PLACEMENT: BEST OF BREED!

ALSO HERDING GROUP: 1ST! (JUDGE: GERHARDT PLAGA)

ALSO: BEST IN SHOW!!! (JUDGE: GERALD SCHWARTZ) ... CONGRATULATIONS!!!

SHOW: TERRE HAUTE K.C. JUDGE: FRANK DUSEK DATE: 04-23-88 PLACEMENT: BEST OF BREED AND HERDING GROUP 1ST!!!

SHOW: MATTOON K.C. JUDGE: RICHARD RENIHAN DATE: 04-24-88

PLACEMENT: BEST OF BREED AND HERDING GROUP 1ST!!!

ALSO: BEST IN SHOW!!! JUDGE: CATHERINE BURG.... CONGRATULATIONS!!!

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OWNER: FRAN 7 WALLY & THAD RUOFF

DOG'S NAME: CAPTAIN ZACH VOM TICHBRU, TT

SIRE:US & CAN.CH.CARALON'S TREFFERHUND JUDEEN DAM: CARALON'S

PHANTOM IMAGE

SHOW: LEAVENWORTH K.C. JUDGE: JANET WILCOX

DATE: 03-19-88 CLASS:

PLACEMENT: WINNERS DOG & BEST OF WINNERS!!! ... CONGRATULATIONS!!!

SHOW: MARION K.C. JUDGE: BETTIE KRAUSE

DATE: 02-21-88 PLACEMENT: WINNERS DOG & BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX!!!

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OWNER: ELAINE HARBISON

SIRE: US & CAN. CH. CARALON'S TREFFERHUND JUDEEN

DAM: BLACK OAK'S DEMONFIRE SATANA, T.C.

SHOW: RIVER KING MATCH DATE: 04-02-88

PLACEMENT: 6-9 PUPPY BITCH 1ST. & BEST PUPPY & HERDING GROUP

PUPPY 1ST!!!...CONGRATULATIONS

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OWNER: MARCIA HADLEY & JULIE HARBISON

DOG'S NAME: BLACK OAK'S SHADOWS OF JUDEEN.T.T.

SIRE: CH. CARALON'S NICHOLAS OF JUDEEN. C.D.

DAM: WITTHAUS FIRST LADY, T.C.

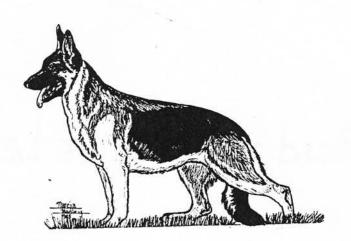
SHOW: GSDC OF ST.LOUIS FUN MATCH DATE: 04-24-88

JUDGES: ALMA CLAEYS & PAM TEIBER & LARRY SISSON

CLASS: AM. BRED 1ST. & WINNERS BITCH & BEST OF BREED!!! CONGRATULATIONS!!!

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO SENT IN WIN/PLACE? SHOW THIS MONTH, LET'S DO IT AGAIN NEXT MONTH.

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Bud and Louise Leistner

# Niki von Schudy's

I stained Titi when she was 21/2 ye old a she had been Ared to amrav Castlehous, a solid black. She whelped 7 puppier on 12-10-83, 5 weld black, 2 blackfred (3 males, 1 stilbarn), 4 finales) affice, alejis, amber, ani, anja, apollo



Niki is heartifully pigmented (black/red) the has a great presternum with good shoulder engle & laybeck. The is shirt coupled with an iron back, good eroup, excellent rear drive Her attitude is typically German - "up" &

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Bud & Weeze

This article as taken from Paw Prints GSDC of Orlando, Inc, Oct. 79 via: GSDC of Washington.

#### ARE YOU SURE YOUR PUPPY HAS A MOTHER

You buy a bitch a winning thing and make her Champion of the ring. She's sound, she's lovely, dysplasia free- you want to breed her carefully. Taking lots of time you look around, the stud must be typey and sound. You study the pedigrees till blind building the letter you have in mind. Several possibilities appear in mind. You write to all and wait to hear. Some write back "My Dog Is BEST". You never hear from the rest. You choose the one you hope is right, although the stud fee is out of sight. You breed the bitch, the die is cast, the next nine weeks don't go by fast! Of course she whelps in the middle of the night. With luck and care, it comes out right.

The next eight weeks you fret and strain, feed and scoop in driving rain. You take such care with the home they get. This is a show dog- that is a pet. New owners call with problems drear-your on the phone for half a year. At last the moment you have longed to know-your pups have come to their first show. They all look fine, not one's a dud-then from behind you comes\*\*\*\*

WOW WHO'S THE STUD!!!



BLACK OAK'S IS PROUD TO HONOR OUR FOUNDATION BITCH..."LADY"

WITTHAUS FIRST LADY, T.C. WHELPED: JANUARY 2ND, 1979

LADY IS A LARGE, DEEPLY PIGMENTED BLACK AND RED, WITH BEAUTIFUL DARK EXPRESSIVE EYES. SHE HAS A TEMPERMENT THAT BREEDERS DREAM OF, SOUND AND STRONG. LADY IS SHORT COUPLED, WITH A LOVELY, SUSPENDED SIDEGAIT. I AM HAPPY TO SAY THAT LADY HAS PASSED HER QUALITIES ON TO HER OFFSPRING. AT THE AGE OF 9+ YEARS LADY STILL ENJOYS EXUBERANT GOOD HEALTH. SHE WAS RETIRED FROM THE WHELPING BOX IN1984 AFTER THE BIRTH OF HER LITTER BY CH. CARALON'S NICHOLAS OF JUDEEN, CD. LADY STILL ENJOYS OBEDIENCE WORK, AND I REGRET NOT HAVING GOTTEN HER TITLE. SHE HAS A LITTER BROTHER IN ALASKA, CH. BEL VISTA'S INVADOR, CD. LADY IS THE MOTHER OF OUR BLACK OAK'S SARGENT PEPPER, TT, WHO WAS MISSOURI'S MOST HEROIC DOG OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNER, ANIMAL RIGHTS ALLIANCE HERO DOG, AND G.S.D.C.OF AMERICA'S HERO DOG OF 1985. SHE HAS OFFSPRING FROM THREE DIFFERANT STUD DOGS WHO HAVE TEMPERMENT CERTIFICATES. WE ARE THE MOST PROUD OF LADY'S CHILDREN WHO ARE BELOVED PETS, PAPER FETCHERS, HOME AND FAMILY PROTECTORS, WHO HAVE THE MENTAL SOUNDNESS WHICH ENABLE THEM TO BE ALL OF THE ABOVE.

,GV & CH.LANCE OF FRAN-JO, ROM BEL VISTA'S LAREDO VISTA'S BEAU HANNAH (\*MIKE) SIRE: US & CAN. SEL. CH. BEL VISTA'S JOEY BABY, ROM CH.ALEMAN'S CURT (\*HEIN) -DEIDRA V KNAFFL-HOF'S MATILDA OF EDIPAU

WITTHAUS FIRST LADY, T.C.

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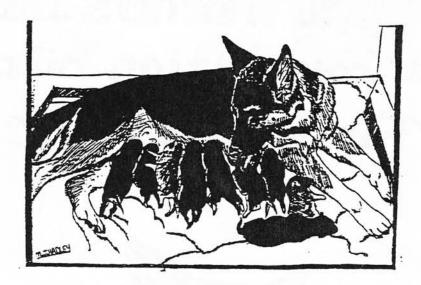
WHAT ELSE CAN I SAY, OTHER THAN WE HOPE THAT LADY LIVES FOREVER, AND SHE WILL, THROUGH HER CHILDREN, AND THEIRS. SHE HAS NOT ONLY BROUGHT JOY TO US, BUT ALSO TO ALL WHO KNOW HER, OR ARE OWNED BY ONE OF HER PUPS. HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY DEAR GRANNY DOG...WE WILL LOVE YOU FOREVER.

# Happy Mothers Day To Our Foundation Bitch; "First Lady, T.C."



Lady & Wolf Age 9 mos. Sept. 1979

With Love From The People & Pups At Black Oaks Shepherds 2245 Compi Lane Arnold, Mo. 63010







# " In The Whelping Box"

DAM: "Hella" (Phantom Daughter

SIRE: Ch. Caralon's Nicholas of Judeen, CD Whelped: 3/21/88 - 3 boys & 3 girls Bks. & Bk/T Judy Deane - (314) 464-1084

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#### IN MEMORIAM

HELGA OF SUGARCREEK, OWNED AND LOVED BY THE ANDEREGG FAMILY.

September 9, 1980 - April 25, 1988

and

CAESAR OF SIRIUS C.D.X. T.T. February 2, 1978 - April 25, 1988 OWNED AND LOVED BY THE TEIBER FAMILY

Because of these two dogs, a life-long friendship between the owners has evolved. Helga and Caesar were bred together three times, each time producing "old-type", hard, courageous, sound puppies that the breed was founded upon. As fate would have it, both are together now, in the hands of Our Maker.

IN LOVING MEMORY
CAESAR OF SIRIUS C.D.X., T.T.
February 2, 1978 - April 25, 1988

Was it good that you never said goodbye?

That I never knew you were leaving,

until you were gone?

And then you weren't really.
Would it have made it better
if I knew you were never coming
back the last time I saw you,

Or would it have made it worse.

Would it make it better if

you came back

Or would it make any difference in the things we would do, the places we would see.
Or is it that losing you made things better,
Because I learned to

Love you more

and appreciate life.

----Hank Parker

Sadly missed by The Teibers,
Pam, Bob, Kelly and Butch



#### A NEW CHAMPION!!!!!

CARALON'S Q-S HUCK FINN (Pembroke Welsh Corgi)

".....Shortly Tom came upon the juvenile pariah of the village, Huckleberry Finn, son of the town drunkard. Huckleberry was cordially hated and dreaded by all the mothers of the town, because he was idle and lawless and vulgar and bad---- and because all their children admired him so, and delighted in his forbidden society, and wished they dared to be like him."

MARK TWAIN

A GIGANTIC THANK YOU TO PAT PARSONS FOR ALLOWING US TO OWN THIS BEAUTIFUL PUNKIN SON, TO SCOOTIE FOR HER SUPPORT, TO LARRY WITH HIS PATIENCE IN POTTYING, TO JUDY DEANE FOR GETTING HIS FIRST MAJOR, TO LARRY AND DAVID AT GAYLORD FOR BELIEVING IN HIM AND SHOWING HIM SO WELL, TO JOHN MURPHY FOR HIS CARE AND HANDLING AND TO ALL THE JUDGES WHO GAVE HIM HIS HONORS.

THE TEIBERHAUS GANG

BOB, PAM, KELLY & BUTCH

Breeder's Prayer many Let us give thanks for warm puppies. for beautiful adults. For healthy veterans. For loving homes with sensible owners. For the people who shaped and protected our breed before us. and for those who will care Sor it after our time-For others who share our devotion to dogs. And Sor the affection, honesty and courage of our chosen breed. For novice breeders with their boundless enthusiasm, and Sor longtime breeders with their store of Knowledge. For understanding spouses and tolerant neighbors. For talanted veterinarians, and caring friends. For strangers who stop us on the street to say: " What a beautiful dog!" People who Know nothing about dogs - but, who know everything about beauty when it walks by them. For temperment tests in the rain, and tracking test in crisp fall weather. For the excitement of dog shows. and the intricacy of obedience trials. For the fellowship of the dog fancy, people whose hearts have been snared by the quest for excellence ..... Who with the tools of genetics and training Strive to sculpt Sour-Sooted perfection. -Author Unknown -

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PARENT CLUB REPORTS FOR REGIONAL CLUBS

Release #183

Single space professionally set-up pages, the equivalent of perhaps 120 regular pages. It lists Board functions, procedures and form letters, committee purposes and duties, plus a wealth of additional information that graphically describe the ongoing thrust and duties of your Club and the rules it operates by, based on previous input. Needless to say, the Hanual reproduces only previous montions, guidelines and methods which are always subject to change if so ordered by theBoard.

The Manual even has a 2-page Index, listing all headings and their respective page locations. Future updates can easily be integrated into Ted Beckhardt, Chairman The revised new GSDCA POLICY AND PROCEDURES MANUAL has just now come off the presses. It consists of approximately 60 reasonably small-print Policy & Procedures

This Manual has been primarily produced for the use of GSDCA Board members and Committee Chairpersons and also the National Specialty Show Assisting Club. The Board has additionally agreed to allow the sale of the Manual to the membership if so requested. The cost of a subscription is \$50.00. This includes an up-to-date Manual plus quarterly updates to the end of the fiscal year plus the complete year thereafter. Example: Buy a Manual in October 1987 and receive free updates for 1987 and 1988. If you send me a check for \$50.00 made out to the "GSDCA" on January 2, 1988 and you will receive the Manual and free updates through 1988 & 1989.

Subscription rates for yearly updates thereafter are \$20.00 per year, payable before the first of the year.

I personally feel strongly that those persons destrous of serving on the Board or heading a GSDCA committee in the future avail themselves to a Manual. And there are others who simply wish to be informed. A clearer understanding the Board and its enormous work load will make it easier to cut through the misinformation that is regularly disseminated, knowingly or

during April 1987 checking the revised text for accuracy. Dorothy Linn then wrote up all changes ordered by the ad hoc committee, literally retyping the new draft Manual. The entire final product was then entered into the Parent Club computer by Lois Fryslin and set up the pages that make up the new Manual. She had been given Board permission to charge for this service but donated her labors and that of others free of charge, as I Lavrence and Bob Williamson ferreted all original information from Board Lavrence and Bob Williamson ferreted all original information from Board minutes going back perhaps 10 to 15 years. Carmen Battaglia created the first Manuals, put them on computer, and disseminated them. When I took over the chairmanship of this committee last year, I made certain relisions and alphabetized the entire Manual. Board members and committee chairmers on a sked to make changes in their listings, if necessary. New text was added. An ad hoc POLICY AND PROCEDURES COMMITTEE consisting of Helen Fisher, Jane Bennett, Bob Williamson, Dorothy Linn, Blanche Beisswenger, and myself as chairman spent 14 hours in a marathon pre-Board meeting All the above persons have earned the thanks of the Parent understand it.

GSDCA members in attendance at the 1987 National were able to see the new Manual on display. Those who did not will find it to be a pleasant

March 1, 1988, CHAIRPERSON REPORTS FOR REGIONAL CLUBS

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Annusl AKC Delegate's Board Report

Newly-elected President Kenneth Marden presided at the Delegates' Jane Bennett Meeting September 15, 1987. Two hundred seventy-four (274) were in

meeting was adopted. It is not possible under the new rules for a dog defeated in the classes and entered in any other class to be shown for The rule change relative to defeated dogs that I reported at the Best of Breed.

all-breed shows, superintendants and storage of original entry forms. There is a request to raise the deposit with a written protest lodged against a dog at a show from \$5.00 to \$25.00. There are also some Field Trial Rule proposals but I usually abstain on these unless I am familiar with the New rule changes to be noted on at the December meeting concern mainly problem.

on their findings after 12 months study. Most of the changes proposed by the committee and recommended by the Board refer to all-breed clubs and/or all-breed shows: Cluster show, decrease in Sanctioned Match Shows, training classes, breeder referral services, educational programs, public service such as programs in schools, 4-H, libraries, rescue associations. These are policy changes and will be acted upon by the Board. However, there meeting. They are: Elimination of Best of Winners and the requirement that a dog receive one major after 18 months of age before acquiring the champion-The Delegate Advisory Committee to Study Show Policies next reported title. \*

Research and Development. It was emphasized repeatedly that the A.K.C. does not intend to change breed standards but to make certain all are complete., in standard order and in uniform vocabulary. Every breed standard will be evaluated and each club will receive a report. There is no urgency for our club to do anything at this time but at some future time it will be necessary to have a committee appointed to work with the A.K.C. session of Parent Club Delegates on the program to improve breed standards. This program was recommended by the Delegates' Advisory Committee on Judging Previous to the Delegates' Meeting I participated in a lengthy briefing

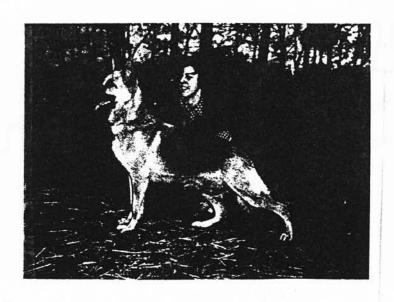
addresses so some committee of our Board could send each non-member a packet of educational material. I was told this would be impossible under their at A.K.C. would furnish a monthly printout of new registrants' names and

dates. The priority date is about six days later. Also, the A.K.C. has computerized your show date and sends you your date for the next show when it has processed the current one for the similar date, ie, all records in, etc. The Parent Club also receives a copy. In order to report to the Parent Club Board your show date, it is still necessary to send a sentence with the date request on your letterhead. You may use the A.K.C. form, if you don't need it back. You will still require a list of Parent Club personnel: who will forward mednls, publish Review show dates, etc. This ATTENTION REGIONAL CLUB SECRETARIES: This is a move-up year for show send to whoever in your club sends in the show request date.

SECRETABLES. If you have a newsletter, please give this copy to the editor

TER-CY'S JASMINE, C.D SchHI, TT. VB. O.F.A.

This lovely golden red and black bitch has surely contributed to my breeding program beyond words. She was bought at the age of two, carrying mutt puppies of which totaled eight. After four days at my house she freely whelped these puppies in the kennel building while I was at work. I put them all to sleep except two males because they were mix breeds. Since I bought her as a brood bitch, I had to see if she would be a good mother. Her next breeding was to Forest Knoll's T.N.T., a solid black Phantom son. Out of this litter came my very first Champion, Ch. Caralon's Nicholas of Judeen, C.D. who has produced three Champions to date with several progency pointed and near their Championship. Jasmine is a natural retriever and will play ball til she drops. She teaches all my puppies to play ball and retrieve. Jasmine was bred to Ch. Brimhall's Triumphant Tony and produced some beautiful conformation and obedience dogs. She was last bred to Ch. Lothario of Heinerburg which produced my lovely new brood bitch, Judeen's Princess Lea. Lea took fourth in her Futurity class and now has her first reserve win. As her mother's clone, she whelped ten puppies in the kennel building while I was at work. Six girls and four boys, all uniform and very healthy. At the age of nine, Jasmine still wins the hearts of everyone who comes to visit my dogs. I wish she could live forever because she is a breeder's dream.





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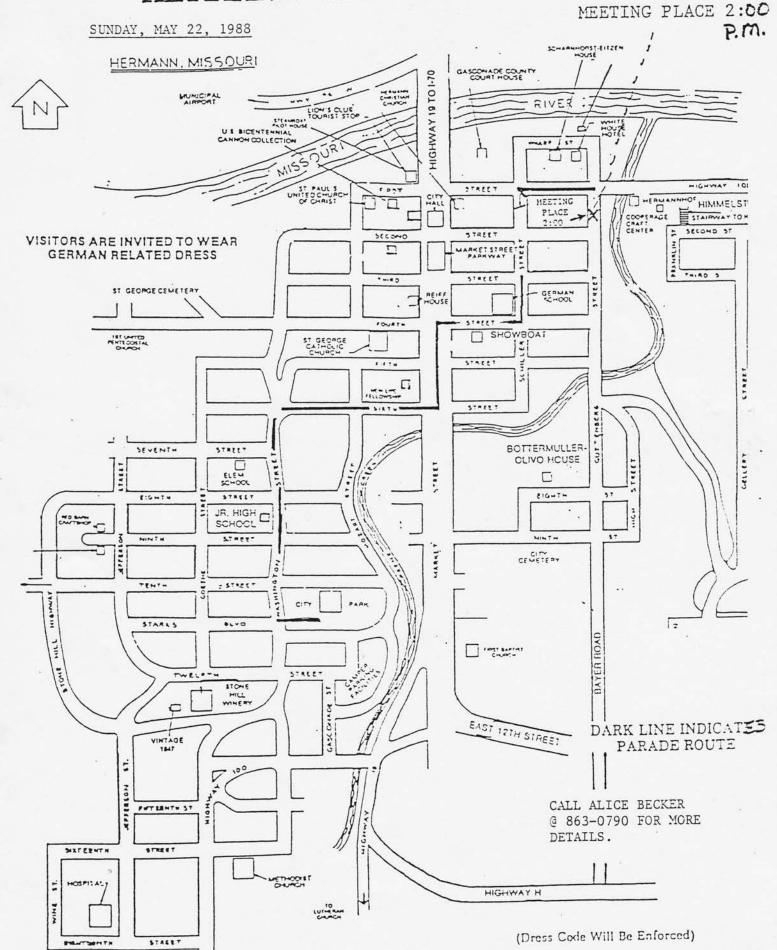


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