



# The Golden West

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## **“PIE”**

July 4th was Pie’s first day working at his new job as a Delta Society Pet Partner at Children’s Hospital.

Marcia MacDonald—Owner

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# Important Announcements

## There is no EGRC General Meeting in August Our next meeting will be September 24th.

Our speaker will be Megan Ayrault, LMP (her mother was a club member many years ago). She has written a book about dog massage and it's benefits. The book is called "The Dog Lover's Guide to Massage". Megan is a licensed massage practitioner. Her web page is <http://allaboutanimalmassage.com/about/>

### IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM THE PRESIDENT

As you undoubtedly know we have not been able to find a Chair for the 2010 Specialty. We do not want to try to plan a Specialty with limited time. If we do not have a chair by the time of the September Board meeting, the Board will be cancelling the 2010 Specialty.

Nancy Light, President

### Application for Membership

Virginia (Ginny) Partridge—Full Membership—Sponsored by Marcia MacDonald and Glorene Hanson

### Program Chair

Ane will be resigning from the Program Chair position after the October meeting. That means we are looking for a new Program Chair. The rest of the year is already set, so the new chair will have no programs to plan until January 2010. If you are interested in taking this on, please contact Nancy Light.

### RAFFLE AT THE SEPT 5 & 6 SPECIALITY

We really need the support of the club members to make the raffle successful. It would be great if everyone could make a contribution, be it a Costco dog bed to a cute dog toy. Please contact Maryke Nau, [moo03@hotmail.com](mailto:moo03@hotmail.com) or Susan Babich, [Goldtales7@comcast.net](mailto:Goldtales7@comcast.net) with your donation or any ideas you may have.

### EGRC Officers And Board Members For 2010

We are looking for people interested in being Officers or Board Members for 2010. If you are interested in serving, please contact any of the current Board Members or the Nominating Committee, Gloria Miller, Sandy Hourigan or Deb Bullard.

# Important Announcements

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**GRCA WC/WCX TEST**  
**Hosted by Evergreen Golden Retriever Club**

**October 3, 2009**  
**Greenleaf's, Monroe, WA**  
**Judges: Boyd Ulsh & Sandy Herring**

**Open to all Retriever Breeds & Poodles**

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*"I'm a huntin dog"*  
*"Grace" owned by Scott Dalgleish*



## Can Ch. Angel's First Chance at Heaven, CGC, NJP, NAP "Chance"

11/30/99—6/2/09



I lost my boy. He brought so much into my life and now so much is gone. I thought the words would come. I thought I would know what to write to memorialize his life and what he meant to mine. I want to remember all of the funny things he did. Or all of the things he taught me about being a leader, or about being a friend. I want to tell a funny story about him so it wont hurt so much to think about him. But all I can do is miss him. I miss him leaning on me when I watch TV. I miss him sitting in front of the TV so I was watching him and not the TV. I miss the way he used to lie with me in the mornings after Ralph went to work. I miss the way he would wait for me every night at the top of the stairs until I got home from work. I miss him following me from room to room. I miss the way he would have me searching under all of the furniture for that one tennis ball. I even miss how he would dip his tennis ball in the water bucket and then press it on my pants - like that was gonna get me to throw it. I miss my boy. My heart is broken.

Rest in Peace my Little Man

Angel Audette



# Golden West Brags!!

## "Nathan Anderberg"

Things are going well as first time parents Jenny and Jesse, they are even getting some sleep. Nathan is changing and growing every day. It is hard to believe that he is already over a month old. Jenny and Jesse Anderberg

Emma watching over her little brother Nathan.



## **Int/Nat/Jha/Ja/Ba CH Chuckanut's Home Field Advantage - NFP, RN, TNS-E, O-OJC, S-TG-N, NCC, CL1, CL2-S, CL2-F, CL2-H - "Sport"**

Went to the NADAC trial on June 19-21 at Argus Ranch. He got two more Elite Tunneler's Q's (1st & 2nd placements), bringing him to a total of 5 Q's to date. He got two more Open Jumper Q's (4th & 5th place), for a total of 8. He qualified twice in Novice Standard (3rd and 1st place), bringing him to a total of 4 Q's, which finished his Novice Standard title. The "weaving breakthrough" seems to be continuing! Gwen Sieben

## "Tanner"

And Bobbi passed Delta Society's Pet Partner's Team Evaluation for the first time in June. Tanner is 8 years old, diagnosed with osteosarcoma in December 08, losing his right hind leg in January. This Wild Child Agility dog is on a new mission. His amazing energy and happy puppy attitude is sure to bring a smile to everyone he meets. Bobbi Miller



## **Topbrass Liberty Belle III, SH, WC— "Libby"**

Earned two Senior Hunter passes at the North Idaho Retriever Club Hunt Test double header on June 11 & 12. Libby earned her fourth Senior Hunter pass and the title of Senior Hunter at the Oregon Retriever Trial Club Hunt Test on July 11th. Linda & Paul Johnson

## **Oryan's Cherry Cherry**

Finished her RA at Bell Vernon on Saturday, June 27th, and earned the first leg on her RE on Sunday, June 28th. Caroline McCormick

# Golden West Brags!!

## **AM/CAN CH Duckabush Pawzt'vly Newzworthy—"Brinkley"**

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Earned his Canadian Championship at the Yukon Kennel Club Dog Shows in Whitehorse, Yukon, Canada, which were held on June 12, 13, 14, 2009. Brinkley took Group 1's at Shows 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Group 2's at Shows 5 and 6. He was handled beautifully by Lindsey Dowling who also took Best Junior Handler on June 13th showing Brinkley. Kathleen King



## **Splendid Two by Two at Brinrye—"Roo"**

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Took Best Puppy in Sporting Group at the Yukon Kennel Club Dog Show in Whitehorse, Yukon, Canada which were held on June 12, 13 and 14, 2009 at shows 2, 5, and 6. Roo also took Reserve Winners Bitch from the 9-12 Puppy Class on June 16, 2009 at the Alaska Kennel Club Dog Show in Anchorage, Alaska. She also took Best Puppy in Sporting Group on June 27, 2008 at the Puppy Extravaganza. Roo was handled by Lindsey Dowling. Kathleen King



# Calendar of Upcoming Shows

<i>Conformation, Obedience, Rally</i>	LOCATION	EVENT DATE	CLOSING DATE
Olympic Kennel Club, Inc.	Enumclaw, WA	Aug 15, 16 AB/O/JSHW	July 29, 2009
Sammamish Kennel Club	Redmond, WA	Aug 23 AB/O/RO/ JSHW	Aug 5, 2009
Longview-Kelso Kennel Club, Inc.	St. Helens, OR	Aug 29, 30 AB/O/RO/JSHW	Aug 12, 2009
McKenzie Cascade Dog Fanciers	Eugene, OR	Sep 3, 4 AB/O/RO/JSHW	Aug 19, 2009
Evergreen Golden Retriever Club	Auburn, WA	Sep 5, 6 S/O/RO/JSHW/SWPC	Aug 19, 2009
Eugene Kennel Club Inc.	Eugene, OR	Sep 5, 6 AB/O/RO/JSHW	Aug 19, 2009
Wenatchee Kennel Club	Wenatchee, WA	Sept 12, 13 AB/O/RO/JSHW	Aug 26, 2009
Luckiamute Dog Training Club	Corvallis, OR	Sep 12, 13 O/RO	Aug 26,2009
<b><i>AB = All Breed Conformation O= Obedience RO = Rally Obedience JSHW = Junior Showmanship</i></b>			
<b><i>Agility</i></b>			
Hurricane Ridge Kennel Club of Washington, Inc.	Sequim, WA	Aug 7, 8, 9	July 20, 2009
Olympic Kennel Club, Inc	Enumclaw, WA	Aug 14, 15, 16	Aug 1, 1009
Spokane Dog Training Club, Inc.	Spokane, WA	Aug 21, 22, 23	Aug 5, 2009
Evergreen Golden Retriever Club	Auburn, WA	Aug 28, 29, 30	Aug 13, 2009
Rogue Canine Agility Club	Central Point, OR	Aug 28,29, 30	Aug 13, 2009
Eugene Kennel Club, Inc.	Eugene, OR	Sep 3, 4,	Aug 19, 2009
McKenzie Cascade Dog Fanciers	Eugene, OR	Sep 5, 6	Aug 19, 2009
Bell Vernon Kennel Association, Inc.	Oak Harbor, WA	Sep 11, 12, 13	Aug 21,2009

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<i>Hunt Tests</i>			
Ranier Hunting Retriever Club	Carnation, WA	Aug 8	No Date Available
Evergreen Golden Retriever Club	Snoqualmie, WA	Aug 15	Aug 6, 2009
<i>Field Trials</i>			
Northwest Retriever Trial Club	Carnation, WA	Jul 31	July 22, 2009
Tacoma Retriever Club	Fall City, WA	Aug 7	July 28, 2009
<i>Tracking</i>			
Whidbey Island Kennel Club	Rochester, WA	Sep 6, TX	Aug 27, 2009



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**Special Events**

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2009 Hunt Test	Linda Johnson	425-391-8037
2009 Obedience	Suzanne Bolwell	206-714-0354
2009 Rally	Nancy Light	206-324-3758
2009 Specialty	Scott/Deborah Dalglish	360-638-0727
2009 WC/WCX	Claudia Shaw	425-391-8037
2009 Tracking Test		
2009 Dec Party	Susan Babich	425-334-5134
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**The Objectives of the Evergreen Golden Retriever Club**

- a) To preserve the structure, soundness, temperament, natural abilities and personality of the Golden Retriever as described in the breed standard and to do all possible to bring their natural abilities and qualities to perfection.
- b) To urge members and breeders to accept the standard of the breed as approved by the AKC as the only standard of excellence by which the Golden Retriever shall be judged.
- c) To protect and advance the interest of the breed by encouraging sportsmanlike conduct at dog shows, field events, obedience trials and all functions and events where EGRC is being represented.
- d) To conduct sanctioned matches and specialty shows, field events, obedience trials and tracking under the rules of AKC and
- e) To educate members and the public in all aspects of owning a Golden Retriever.

**General Information**

**General Meetings** are held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Check the calendar on the back page for details or please go to our web site at [www.egrc.org](http://www.egrc.org). The **Board of Directors** meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month and members wishing to attend must call the President to state their business.

**Application for Membership:** Prospective members must attend two meetings or functions before application of intent to join is accepted. Application forms may be obtained from Board members, the Membership Chair, or from the web site.

**Change of Address.** If you have moved, changed your phone number or your e-mail address, please e-mail or call Julie Chaykin, [jjhchaykin@aol.com](mailto:jjhchaykin@aol.com) with this change. This is the only way we will be able to keep our membership rosters up to date.



# ***EGRC CALENDAR OF EVENTS***

Aug 15, 16	Hunt Test
Aug 29, 30, 31,	Agility Trial, Argus Ranch
Sept 5, 6	Specialty
Sept 24	General Meeting
Oct 3	WC/WCX

EGRC Board meetings are the first Tuesday of each month.  
EGRC General meetings are the fourth Thursday of each month

## **THE GOLDEN WEST**

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Set up fee: \$10.00 (if not camera ready)

***DEADLINE — All submissions must be in the editor's hands by the Monday following the EGRC Board Meeting (first Tuesday of each month)!!***

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