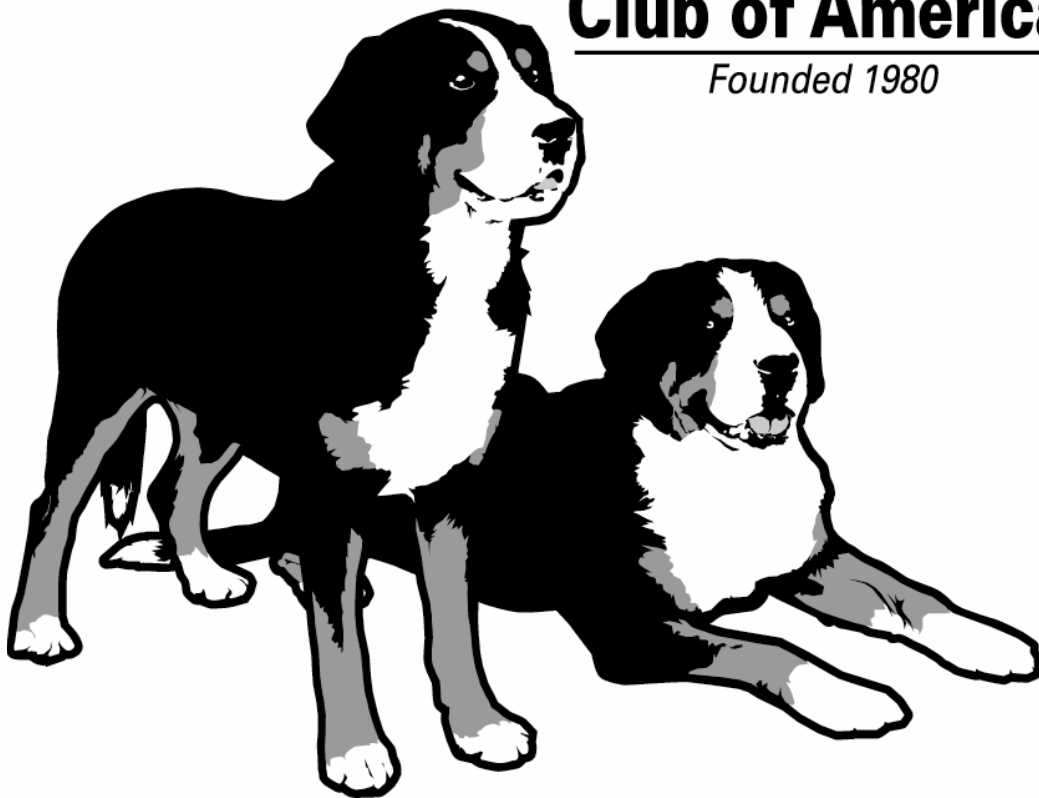


2006
GSMDCA National Specialty
Awards Program

**Greater Swiss Mountain Dog
Club of America**
Founded 1980



August 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006

Conformation Ranking

Top Ten All-Breed

- #1 CH Red Fern's Beau Derby NWPD, Alan Mcfadden & Debra Echols (4309 pts)
- #2 CH Carson City Hoss, Leslie & Robert Wudel (2248 pts)
- #3 CH Fallen Oak Arapahoe Bruno, Kathleen & Kenneth Plowucha (1496 pts)
- #4 CH Foundation's I. B. The Doc, Lori Houha/Anna Wallace/Sandy & Jerry Sterling (1383 pts)
- #5 CH Red Fern's Bonanza of Derby, Jennifer Mangiapelo & Jeff Carver (977 pts)
- #6 CH Suddanly Tannenbaum, Jennifer & Daniel Coates/Dan Campeau (881 pts)
- #7 CH Quiet Valleys Wind And Fire, Teresa Routh (642 pts)
- #8 CH Tree "N" Sea Sudnly Riverdance, Mercedes Meyer/Daniel Campeau (569 pts)
- #9 CH Riverwalks Lunar Diademe, Judy Brown-Fletcher (305 pts)
- #10 CH Stone Lea Get Off My Cloud, Cynthia Mckenzie/Katherine La Rue (257 pts)

Top Ten Breed

- #1 CH Foundation's I. B. The Doc, Loreen Houha/Anna Wallace/Sandy Sterling/Jerry Sterling (554 pts)
- #2 CH Red Fern's Beau Derby NWPD, Alan Mcfadden/Debra Echols (443 pts)
- #3 CH Suddanly Tannenbaum, Jennifer Coates/Daniel Coates/Daniel Campeau (348 pts)
- #4 CH Carson City Hoss, Leslie Wudel/Robert Wudel (260 pts)
- #5 CH Sunhaven's Domino Derval, Sarah Smith/Barbara Martinez (210 pts)
- #6 CH Riverwalks Lunar Diademe, Judy Brown-Fletcher (207 pts)
- #7 CH Snowy Mountain's Trinity, Norman Christensen/Dalena Christensen (197 pts)
- #8 CH Quiet Valleys Wind And Fire, Teresa C Routh (183 pts)
- #9 CH Red Fern's Bonanza Of Derby, Jennifer Mangiapelo/Kristin Kleeman (180 pts)
- #10 CH Fallen Oak Arapahoe Bruno, Kathleen Plowucha/Kenneth J Plowucha (178 pts)

Top Five Bred by Exhibitor Dogs

- #1 CH Cabros Uno Ringo Starr Sd, Jeremy Gehret/Nicole Gehret/Carol A Gehret (27 pts)
- #2 CH Dufenhof SL The Devil Ya Know, Ellyn M Signet/Katherine La Rue (25 pts)
- #3 CH Suma-Shadetree Your Hired, Mary Beth Usery/Catherine Cooper/Tiffany Gonzales (18 pts)
- #4 CH Painted Mountain's Pacific King, Gary Lewandowski/Lisa Simonsen (17 pts)
- #5 CH Stone Lea Knots Landing M, Laura Hall/Katherine La Rue (14 pts)

Top Five Bred by Exhibitor Bitches

- #1 CH Cabros Uno Sexy Sadie Sd, Carol A Gehret (49 pts)
- #2 CH Landhof's Arlette Brush Creek, Brigitte Rhinehart/Kathleen Borgmeyer (33 pts)
- #3 CH Dufenhof Song of the South, Marryann Maher/John B Maher/Ellyn Signet (31 pts)
- #4 CH Derby's Ginger Kiss, Lauren Tritsch/Kristin Kleeman (26 pts)
- #5 CH Palisade's Lady Day, Lynne Kenney (26 pts)

Owner-Handled

Top Ten All-Breed

- CH Red Fern's Bonanza of Derby, Jennifer Mangiapelo & Jeff Carver (977 pts)
- CH Sudnly Xmplar Kansas Brush-Cr., Shelby & Robin Ney/Brigitte Rhinehart (168 pts)
- CH Rippling Waters Havelock Key CD, NDD, NJP, VGS, NWPD, DD, Melissa & Brett Jarriel (157 pts)
- CH Blossom Hills Peach Azalea, Teryl Stanger (123 pts)
- CH Derbys Warlock Of Whispering Pine, T. Killpatrick/K. Kleeman/K. Harpole (94 pts)
- CH Ruben V Maxamillion, Heather & Andy Stephenitch/Hally Nagler (32 pts)
- CH Whispering Pine Annie Oakley, Lyle & Toni Killpatrick (16 pts)

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- CH Ruben V Maxamillion, Heather & Andy Stephenitch/Holly Nagler (32 pts)
- CH Rippling Waters Havelock Key CD, NDD, NJP, VGS, NRPD, DD, Melissa & Brett Jarriel (30 pts)
- CH Whispering Pine Annie Oakley, Lyle & Toni Killpatrick (16 pts)

Owner-Handled Champions

- CH Beowulf Geveden Plutonium NRPD, Molly & Lacey McNally
- CH Bermuda High's From the Sea, Elaine Cuomo
- CH She's Blue Mist Class Act, Judy Grindstaff
- CH Brush Creek's Urhans Landhof G-L, Mike & Sheila Everman
- CH Caernarvon's Beth, Sheila & David Oates
- CH Debry's Gumshoe Flash Maynard, Sue Urban/Shannon Hennigan
- CH Derby Cyclone Kentucky Dream, Julie Mulloy
- CH Landhof's Arlette of Brush Creek, Kathleen Borgmeyer
- CH MacAlphine's Iceberg, Pat & George Saxon
- CH Painted Mountain Instant Attraction, Renee Chambers/Betsy Powell
- CH Painted Mountain Kokanee, Regina Reese/Lisa Simonsen
- CH Rivendell's Sweet Adeline, Randy, Robin & Shelby Ney
- CH Riverwalk Legacy's Oliver!, Denise Glass
- CH Riverwalk's Sputnik, Denise Glass
- CH Suddanly Halfmoon I Love Lucy, Marlys Eichhoefer
- CH Suma-Shadetree Your Fired, Tiffany Gonzales/Mary Beth Usery/Cathy Cooper
- CH Suma-Shadetree Your Hired!, Mary Beth Usery/Cathy Cooper/Tiffany Gonzales
- CH Sunhaven's Sexy Cleopatra, Barb Martinez
- CH Toaster's Black Pearl, Linda Moskos
- CH Trout Creek's Dunlee O'Cornerstone, Pamela Cosner/ A. Rita Rimler
- CH Whispering Palm's Happy Ending JHD, Laurie Carmody/Juanita Jones
- CH Whispering Palm's Heaven Can Wait, Laurie Carmody/Juanita Jones

Obedience Top Winners

Novice A

- #1 CH Painted MTN. Sea Biscuit CD JHD NDD VGS (188 avg.) Lisa & Glen Simonsen
- #2 CH Alki's Bit Of Paradise CD (180.2 avg.) Harry Austin/Patricia Lavallee
- #2 CH Dufenhof North To Alaska CD (180.2 avg.) Shirleyan Smoker/Stephanie Reina/Ellyn Signet
- #4 CH Drumhill Precious Charlottebronte CD NDD (179.8 avg.) Virginia O'Rorke/Sharyl Mayhew
- #5 Noble's Autumn In Montgomery CD (173 avg) Kimberly Rogers

Novice B#1

- #1 CH Edelweiss Born To Be Wild V.Cynoaks CD NDD (195 avg.) Rita Rimler/Pamela Cosner
- #2 CH Tymeles Ralenth V. Sdny CD WWDX (184 avg.) Leslie Wemhoff
- #3 Derby's Eveready CD (182 avg.) Debra Meno/Kristin Kleeman
- #4 CH Bermuda High's Shelly Bay PK CD NDD NRPD ROM VGS (174 avg.) Cilla Phillips

Novice B#2

- #1 CH Claddagh Legacy Cimarron Luvmedo CD RA DD NRPD VGS (186 avg.) Amanda Hoyer/Carla Fleming

Open A

- #1 CH Lone Star Prairie Whisper CDX RN TD DD VGS (178 avg.) Chris Lero & Lisa Mayo

Club Awards 2004

The honorees from the last Awards Banquet were:

Ambassador Of The Breed: Derby's Very Jerry, "St. Thomas", owned by Josh P. Burkhart

Friend Of The Swissy: Lisa Simonsen and the Cascades club

Lifetime Achievement Award: Kristin Kleeman

Register of Merit

Dam

CH Beowulf Whispering Pine Elka ROM, Lyle & Toni Kilpatrick
CH Bermudahi Shiver Me Timbers CD, ROM, Pricilla Phillips Elaine&Andy Lunsford
Brendamine Alie's Sheena ROM, Brenda Naylor
CH Brush Creek's Detta ROM, Kathleen Borgmeyer/Brigitte Rhinehart
CH Derby's Xerox Copy ROM, Kristin Kleeman/Chase Harpole
CH Drum Hill's Queen Of The Prom ROM, Debra Figiel/Helene Nathason
CH Macarae Whspalm's Sudnly Caliente ROM, Erin Mcwilliams/Dan Campeau/Juanita Jones
CH Painted MT Gime All Yr Lovin JHD, ROM, Lisa&Glen Simonsen
CH Snowy Mountain Ideal WWD, ROM, Carolyn Wamsley
CH Snowy Mountain's Fire and Ice ROM, Norm&DaLena Christensen
CH Suddanly Gimmia Easter Bunny ROM, Lisa Haas/Dan Campeau

Sire

CH Arbaz Vom Schloss Landestrost ROM, Brigitte Rhinehart
CH Moon Valley's Major Impact ROM, Charles Houston/Jim Sanfillippo
CH Seavaridge's Inkleton V Keno ROM, Blanche Roberts/Christy Gisewhite/Melvin&Marylou Hatfield

Versatility / Working Greater Swiss

Versatility Greater Swiss (VGS)

CH Bermuda High's Shelly Bay PK CD, NDD, NRPD, ROM, VGS Cilla Phillips
CH Blue Mist Yuletide Jackson CD, NDD, WWD, VGS, Todd & Sandi Snyder/Judy Grindstaff
CH Lone Star Prairie Whisper CD, CDX, TD, DD, RN, VGS, Christine Lero/Lisa Mayo
CH Painted MTN. Sea Biscuit NDD, CD, JHD, VGS, Lisa&Glen Simonsen

Draft Dog

Novice Draft Dog (NDD)

CH Alpine's Madam Margeaux Of Snowymtn CD, NDD, WWD, Alyssa Ashton-Shah
CH Bermuda High's Shelly Bay PK CD, NDD, NRPD, ROM, VGS Cilla Phillips
CH Blue Mist Kiss-N-Tell TD, NDD, Tracey Brant & Ronald Cornell
CH Blue Mist Yuletide Jackson CD, NDD, WWD, VGS, Todd & Sandi Snyder/Judy Grindstaff
CH Riverwalk's Celtic Shaman WPD, NDD, Marge Lifschultz
CH Roseridge Geveden Bodacious Hammer NDD, NRPD, RN, Molly&Kelsey Mcnally
Twinpine's Aiko NRPD, RN, NDD, Natalie O'Neill
CH Windrider's Northern Aire NDD, NRPD, WPD, RN, Joy Lazarus/Alexa Malott

Draft Dog (DD)

Apple Blossom's Caber CD, NDD, RN, DD, Nancy & Randall Glenn
CH Claddagh Legacy Cimarron LuvmedoCD, NDD, NWPD, RA, RN VGS, DD, Amanda Hoyer/Carla Fleming
Derby's Whistle While You Work CD, DD, Stephen&Doris Likevich
Kcier Rasmussens Burley NAJ, NDD, DD, RN, OAJ, James&Mary Jo Rasmussen
CH Lone Star Prairie Whisper CD, CDX, TD, DD, RN, VGS, Christine Lero/Lisa Mayo
CH Rippling Waters Havelock Key CD, NDD, NJP, VGS, NWPD, DD, Melissa&Brett Jarriel

Team Draft Dog (TDD)

CH Twinpine Avenue V Indianola CD, NDD, DD, NTDD, VGS, WWD, WWDS, WWDX, TDD, Steve&Dori Likevich

Pack Dog

Novice Working Pack Dog (NWPD)

Alpenglo Plumtre N Star Sapphire NWPD, Amy Horton
CH Bermuda High's Big Top, NWPD, WPD, Danny&Linda Yanusz
CH Bermuda High's Bottle Of Rum NWPD, WPD, Danny&Linda Yanusz
CH Bermuda High's Shelly Bay PK CD, NDD, NWPD, ROM, VGS Cilla Phillips
Foxglove's Swiss Belleflower NWPD, Rebecca Plamondon
CH Red Fern's Beau Derby NWPD, Alan Mcfadden/Debra Echols
CH Rippling Waters Havelock Key CD, NDD, NJP, VGS, NWPD, DD, Melissa&Brett Jarriel
CH Riverwalk's Capercaillie, Denise Glass
CH Roseridge Geveden Be Dazzled RN, RWPD, Molly & Lacey McNally
CH Roseridge Geveden Bodacious Hammer NDD, NWPD, RN, Molly&Kelsey Mcnally
Trout Creeks Grail Damsel NWPD, Scott Patton
CH Trout Creek's Jet Black NWPD, Andy&Maile Potter/Bonnie Huett
Tuckaseegee's Buckingham NWPD, Kevin Mitchell
Tuckaseegee's Fergie NWPD, Kathy Nebel

Working Pack Dog (WPD)

CH Bermuda High's Big Top, NWPD, WPD, Danny&Linda Yanusz
CH Bermuda High's Bottle Of Rum NWPD, WPD, Danny&Linda Yanusz
CH Dixieland Blazing Maximus NWPD, NPD, WPD, Jennie Chen/Connie Beauregard
CH Dixieland Blazing Pride NWPD, RN, WPD, Pamela&Ronald Capelli
CH Shadetree's Rough N Ready Teddy NWPD, WPD, Marlys Eichhoefer/Vicki Combs

Weight Pull

Working Weight Dog (WWD)

CH Alpine's Madam Margeaux Of Snowymtn CD, NDD, WWD, Alyssa Ashton-Shah
CH Bermuda High's Ringmaster NWPD, WWD, Jessica & Pamela Kalupa/Joann Schmidt
CH Bermudahi Pillage N Plunder NWPD, WWD, Pamela & Charles Kalupa/Joann Schmidt
CH Blue Mist Yuletide Jackson CD, NDD, WWD, VGS, Todd & Sandi Snyder/Judy Grindstaff
Cedar Creek SD Moose Tracks WWD, WWDS, WWDX, Tim&Mary Cunningham
CH Tri-Satin's Up N Coming Again WWD, Debra Jackson/Heather Riesing

Working Weight Dog Excellent (WWDX)

Cedar Creek SD Moose Tracks WWD, WWDS, WWDX, Tim&Mary Cunningham
Tymeles Caylith V. Sdny CD, WWDX, Leslie Wemhof
Tymeles Ladarth V. Sdny CD, WWDX, Leslie Wemhof
CH Tymeles Ralenth V. Sdny CD, WWDX, Leslie Wemhof

Tymeles Virianth V. Sdny WWDX, RN, Leslie Wemhof

Working Weight Dog Superior (WWDS)

Cedar Creek SD Moose Tracks WWD, WWDS, WWDX, Tim&Mary Cunningham

A g i l i t y

Novice Agility Preferred (NAP)

CH Sudnly Macarae Rollin Albert NAP, NJP, OAP, Jan Collins/Daniel Campeau

Derbys You're The One CD, NAP, NJP, Debra Meno

Phineas Plunkett NA, NAJ, OA, OAJ, NJP, NAP, Stephanie Plunkett

Novice Agility Jumpers Preferred (NJP)

CH Sudnly Macarae Rollin Albert NAP, NJP, OAP, Jan Collins/Daniel Campeau

Derbys You're The One CD, NAP, NJP, Debra Meno

Phineas Plunkett NA, NAJ, OA, OAJ, NJP, NAP, Stephanie Plunkett

Open Agility Preferred (OAP)

CH Sudnly Macarae Rollin Albert NAP, NJP, OAP, Jan Collins/Daniel Campeau

Open Agility Jumpers Preferred (OJP)

Kcier Rasmussens Burley NAJ, NDD, DD, RN, OAJ, James&Mary Jo Rasmussen

C o n f o r m a t i o n

CH Alki's Bit Of Paradise CD, Harry Austin/Patricia Lavalley

CH Alki's Cia-Canine Intelligence, Nancy Sturgis

CH Apple Blossom's Cxena, Stephanie Vandongen

CH Appleblossom Glencroft Fusion, Nancy & Randall Glenn

CH Applewood Lucy Livin' Large, Dale & Jennifer Appel

CH Arturo Des Joyeuses Gambades, Maria Hynes

CH Bermuda High's Catch A Wave, Pricilla Phillips

CH Bermuda High's From The Sea, Elaine A. Cuomo

CH Bermuda High's Sea Smoke, Jacquelyn & Stewart Mathis

CH Blossom Hill's BeeNaniakoa, Karen Brown/Margot Ruehl

CH Brendamine's Kodiak Yukon, Lynn Regnery/Eddie Keith

CH Brendamine's Obiron, Tom&Amy Grace Funcik/Brenda Naylor

CH Brie'Sway Shamrocksummerrain, Rob&Julianne Wilson

CH Brie'Sway Trommler, Peggy Kaza

CH Brkhaven's Hit Me Again, Heather Wilson/Cilla Phillips

CH Cabros Uno Ringo Starr Sd, Jeremy&Nicole&Carol Gehret

CH Cabros Uno Sexy Sadie Sd, Carol Gehret

CH Cedarcove's Jacksonville, Jon Krauss

CH Cedarcove's Jem Stone, Carolynn Wamsley/Nicole&Andrea Schledewitz

CH Cold Spring's Blush, Holly Riutta,

CH Coldspring Baxter Mtn Bully, Virginia&Michael Miller

CH Cordillera's Easy Ride, Keri Batchelder/Karen Becker/Michael Reddin/Bernie Hoffman

CH Cornerstone's All American Boy, Jon Peterson/Tiffany Goodnight/Rita Rimler/Pamela Cosner

CH Cornman's A- Striker V Seavaridge, Barbara Navetta

CH Derby's Bluemamba Of Matagorda, Kristin Kleeman

CH Derby's First Morning Brew, Ron&Melanie Hill

CH Derby's Gilded Lily Of Flower Hill, John&Ann Rasmussen

CH Derby's Ginger Kiss, Lauren Tritsch /Kristin Kleeman

CH Derbys Gumshoe Flash Maynard, Susan Urban/Shannon Hennigan

CH Drumhill Mtairy Victoria's Secret, Lynne&Josephine Kenney
CH Dufenhof Fat Enough For Southampton, Bill&Elizabeth Madigan/Ellyn Signet
CH Dufenhof SI The Devil Ya Know, Ellyn Signet/Katherine La Rue
CH Five Point Red Hot Hilton, Tony&Doreen Pesce
CH Five Point Red Hot Kodiak Wynter, Adria Jefferies/Doreen Pesce
CH Glen V.D. Chrinneflue, Lisa Simonsen/Bonnie Huett/Michele Slate
CH Heavenlys Precious Gem, Carol Jana
CH Holiday Saint Louis Blues, Jaimi Manning/Christina Sahhar
CH Jenuine Glass Slipper V Tstr, Regina Joiner/Jennifer Mangiapelo
CH Landhof's Arlette Brush Creek, Kathleen Borgmeyer/Brigitte Rhinehart
CH Landhof's Arzo Of Brush Creek, Gary&Jenny Ayres
CH Land's End Princess Jasmine, Alfred Pereira Jr./Winifred Sienkewicz
CH Lone Star's Ned Pepper, Lisa Mayo/Mary Beth Usery
CH Mistyholw Whspalms Godiva, Dennis Williams/Annemarie Raygor
CH Nox's Carry Back, Colleen Murray Robson
CH Nox's Penzance Funny Cide, Margaret Platt/Colleen Murray Robson
CH Nox's Suddanly American Pride, Carola Gehret/Dan Campeau
CH Painted Mtn Still Water Chinuk, Renee Chambers/Lisa Simonsen/Betsy Dowell
CH Painted Mtn Truly Gifted, Lisa Simonsen/Bonnie Huett
CH Painted Mtn's Inside Affair, Lisa Simonsen
CH Painted Mtn's Instant Attraction, Renee Chambers/Lisa Simonsen/Betsy Dowell
CH Palisade's Lady Day, Lynne Kenney
CH Palisades Sassy Jazz, Diana&Wendell Corey
CH Parkplace Alpinez Azeri, Matthew Haines/Alyssa Ashton Shah/Joy Ann Lazarus
CH Polyanna's Tiberius, Paulette Spiering
CH Reinherz La Nouba, Pamela Kalupa/Jason Brown
CH Reinherz Merlin's Revenge, Joann&Frank Schmidt/Pamela&Charles Kalupa
CH Rippling Water's Jordan, Catherine Cooper
CH Rippling Waters Justus, John&Tina Bailey
CH Rivendell Kahlua N' Cream, Beth&Dan Gresham/Randy&Shelby Ney
CH Rivendell's Atta Boy!, Patty&John Graves
CH Rivendell's Sweet Adeline, Randy,Robin&Shelby Ney
CH Riverwalk's Sinbad, Jeffrey Bennett/Denise Glass
CH Roseridge Geveden Bodacious Hammer NDD, NWPD, RN, Molly&Kelsey Mcnally
CH Seavaridge's Partly Cloudy, Dr. Christie Gisewhite/Blanche Roberts
CH Seavaridge's Victorious Titan RN, Doreen Holly/Brian Harris
CH Seavaridge's Wynd Kissed Ali, David Cornman
CH Shadetree Tangin's North Star, Christine Ledwith
CH Shadetree's Black Magic, Cheryl&David Gerzabek
CH Shamrock Homeland Hero, Elizabeth&Steven H
CH Shamrock Peacekeeper, Tracy&Jim Gover/Julianne&Rob Wilson
CH Shamrock Senntennial, Robert&Julianne Wilson
CH Snowy Mountain's Uncle Sam, Sara&Travis Messer
CH Snowy Mtn's Sylvan Strider, Rob&Krisite Bane
CH Snowy Mtn's U Bet Your Hayden, John Pitzer/Jennifer West
CH Stone Lea Knots Landing, Laura Hall/Katherine La Rue
CH Stone Lea Midnight Flight, Katherine Larue
CH Stone Lea Sdnly Sizzlin Hot, Katherine Larue
CH Suddanly Deanna Of Troi WWD, WWDS, WWDX, Mary Cunningham/Daniel Campeau
CH Suddanly Halfmoon I Love Lucy, Marlys Eichhoefer
CH Suddanly Lord Of The Ring, Nancy Sturgis/Maria Jensen

CH Suddanly Xemplar 007 Rivendell, Robin&Randy&Shelby Ney
CH Suddanly Xemplar Back To Chloe, Daniel Campeau
CH Suddanly Xemplar Roman High, John&R Ann Gallagher
CH Suma-Shadetree Your Hired! Mary Beth Usery/Catherine Cooper/Tiffany Gonzales
CH Suma-Shadtrees Your Fired!, Mary Beth Usery/Tiffany Gonzales/Catherine Cooper
CH Thn's Dreammaker, Susan&James Justice/Amy Pisarik
CH Timberhof's Buster Brown, Jennifer Bellia/Deborah Moore
CH Timberhof's Knaudia, Dr. Deborah Moore/Dr. J Melbin
CH Timberhofs Simon Of Mt Lore, Jean Bridge
CH Toaster's Magic Carpet Ride, Ken&Robyn Toth
CH Tree N" Sea Sudnly Riverdance", Mercedes Meyer/Daniel Campeau
CH Treensea's China Clipper, Elizabeth&Perry Atterberry
CH Treensea's Panda-Monium, Maria Jensen
CH Tri-Satin's Up N Coming Again WWD, Debra Jackson/Heather Riesing
CH Trout Creek's Tintagel, Bonnie Huett
CH Twin Peaks Cascabella, Michael Schurgot/Erin McWilliams
CH Twinpeaks Calhoun, Robert Lueders/Erin McWilliams
CH Twinpeaks Mesquite Murphy, Gary&Sandy Nickel/Erin McWilliam
CH Twinpeaks Remember The Alamo, Erin McWilliams/Michael Schurgot
CH Whispering Palm's Heaven Can Wait, Laurie Carmody/Juanita Jones
CH Whispering Palm's Patriot RMR, April Watson/Juanita Thrall Jones
CH Whispering Palm's SD Jefferson, Daniel Campeau/Juanita Thrall Jones
CH Whispering Pine Geronimo, Maureen Buckley/Toni Killpatrick
CH Whispering Pine Summer Wind, Lyle&Toni Killpatrick
CH Whispering Pine Talulah, Woutje Swets
CH Willow Whspalm Smarty Jones, Catherine Cooper

O b e d i e n c e

Companion Dog (CD)

CH Alki's Bit Of Paradise CD, Harry Austin/Patricia Lavallee
CH Bermudahai Shiver Me Timbers CD, ROM, Pricilla Phillips Elaine&Andy Lunsford
Derby's Xtravagant Ms Liesel RN, CD, Joseph&Moana Ikley
CH Dufenhof North To Alaska CD Shirleyan Smoker/Stephanie Reina/Ellyn Signet
Noble's Autumn In Montgomery CD, Kimberly Rogers
CH Painted MTN. Sea Biscuit NDD, CD, JHD, VGS, Lisa&Glen Simonsen

Companion Dog Excellent (CDX)

CH Corner Creeks Solid Gold Hit CD, NDD, RN, CDX, Rita&Adam Rimler&Pamela Cosner

Rally Novice (RN)

Alpine's Off Road Atlas RN, Karla Anderson
Bermuda High's Vinnie Vidi Vici NWP, WPD, RN, Amy Horton/Adam Thornton
Kcier Rasmussens Burley NAJ, NDD, DD, RN, OAJ, James&Mary Jo Rasmussen
CH Lone Star Prairie Whisper CD, CDX, TD, DD, RN, VGS, Christine Lero/Lisa Mayo
Markee's Green With Envy RN, Kelly Nevin
CH Patimac's Houligan Of Matterhorn JHD, RN, Laurie&Ronald Carmody
PHSR Betty Beast Of Treats RN, Marjie Alonso/Andy Pinkham
CH Roseridge Geveden Bodacious Hammer NDD, NWP, RN, Molly&Kelsey Mcnally
Sdnly Alpine Jeepasaurus Rex RN, Karla Anderson
CH Seavaridge's Victorious Titan RN, Doreen Holly/Brian Harris
Twinpine's Aiko NWP, RN, NDD, Natalie O'Neill

Tymeles Virianth V. Sdny WWDX, RN, Leslie Wemhof
CH Windrider's Northern Aire NDD, NWPD, WPD, RN, Joy Lazarus/Alexa Malott

Rally Advanced (RA)

CH K B Ranch's Moose CD, NWPD, RN, RA, VGS, WWD, WWDX, Teryl & Craig Stanger

Rally Excellent (RE)

CH Hamburg Seavaridge Tilly CD, CDX, NDD, DD, NWPD, RN, RA, VGS, VGSX, WPD, RE, Amanda Hoyer

Herding

Junior Herding Dog (JHD)

CH Painted MT Gime All Yr Lovin JHD, ROM, Lisa&Glen Simonsen
CH Painted MTN Olympus JHD, Shellice Bartholomew/Lisa Simonsen
CH Painted MTN. Sea Biscuit NDD, CD, JHD, VGS, Lisa&Glen Simonsen
CH Patimac's Houligan Of Matterhorn JHD, RN, Laurie&Ronald Carmody
Shadetree-Rwater's Out West PT, JHD, Andy&Maele Potter/Bonnie Huett
CH Shadetree's Perpetual Motion JHD, Anna Hansen
CH Stnycrk-Shdtree Zurich V Boss Merry JHD, Margot&Robert Ruehl
CH Whispering Palms' Happy Ending JHD, Laurie Carmody & Juanita Thrall Jones

Pre-Trial Tested (PT)

Shadetree-Rwater's Out West PT, JHD, Andy&Maele Potter/Bonnie Huett

Ground Rules

- The AKC and GSMDCA titles recognized at this banquet cover the period August 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006. A June 30th cutoff was used because it was the latest that title data were available.
- Conformation Rankings are for the Calendar Year 2005
- Obedience Top Winners are for the Calendar Year 2005
- Owner-Handled awards are for the Calendar Year 2005
- = Titles earned during the last awards period and not included in the last Awards Program

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Pack Dog Chair– Molly Eichhoefer, eichhoefer@nettally.com
Versatility Chair– Dori Likevich, twinpine@mindspring.com
Weight Pull Chair– Huck Bothner, hbothner@umuc.edu

If you have a correction to your Swissy's information, contact:

Awards Chair– Sandi Snyder, sandi@swissy.com

Definitions

Register of Merit: A ROM is earned for progeny that receive an AKC Championship. A dam must produce 5 champions and a sire must produce 10 champions.

Versatility Greater Swiss: The versatility award was created to recognize those Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs who show great breadth of achievement. One of the primary goals of this award is to encourage all Swissy breeders and owners to preserve the Swissy as an "all around" dog with a long tradition as a multi-use farm dog as well as a beautiful show dog. A VGS title is earned upon completion of the CH and CD titles, plus 2 other GSMDCA accepted titles, including those in the areas of Draft Dog, Pack Dog, Working Weight Dog, Agility, Tracking.

Versatility Greater Swiss Excellent: The Versatility Greater Swiss Excellent (VGSX) title is awarded to dogs whose achievements have been recognized with at least four (4) conformation, obedience, and performance event certifications earned beyond primary levels. Dogs receiving the VGSX title must have completed at least an AKC conformation Championship (CH), and AKC Companion Dog Excellent (CDX) title, and two (2) other titles from two (2) of the other performance categories (C through I) at advanced levels.

Versatile Companion Dog: Versatile Companion Dog 1 (VCD1) is given to a dog that has earned the AKC titles of Companion Dog (CD), Novice Agility (NA) or Novice Agility Preferred (NAP), Novice Agility Jumpers (NAJ) or Novice Agility Jumpers Preferred (NJP), and Tracking Dog (TD).

Draft Dog: Draft Tests are a series of exercises designed to develop and demonstrate the natural abilities of purebred Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs in a working capacity. The Greater Swiss Mountain Dog has historically functioned as a draft dog in various capacities, and performance of these exercises is intended to demonstrate skills resulting from both inherent ability and training which are applicable to realistic work situations. Dogs must be willing to work with their handlers and the exercises must be accomplished efficiently. It is also desirable that the dog evidence willingness and enjoyment of his work in a combination of controlled teamwork with his handler and natural independence. To earn a GSMDCA draft dog title, your swissy must earn a passing score in all elements of the draft test. A NDD title is earned at the Novice (on-leash) level, and a DD title is earned at the Open (off-leash) level.

Pack Dog: Earning a Pack Dog title requires the dog to carry a percentage of its weight on a five or ten-mile hike on four separate occasions. At the Novice (NRPD) level the dog carries 20% of its weight and 30% for the WPD level .

Weight Pull: Dogs compete to see who can pull the most weight 16 feet. They pull a wheeled cart on an earthen surface. The handler has no contact with the dog during the pull, so it is up to the dog's willingness to pull. To earn a GSMDCA Working Weight Dog title, your swissy must successfully pull the following weight at 4 separate qualified events: WWD – 10 times their body weight; WWDx – 15 times their body weight; WWDs – 20 times their body weight (only 3 times).

Agility: Agility is a sport in which a dog runs through a timed obstacle course under the guidance of the handler. Each run is timed and scored with the goal of completing the course with the highest score possible. To acquire an Agility title, a dog must earn 3 qualifying scores per class level under at least two different judges.

Conformation: Dog shows (conformation events) are intended to evaluate breeding stock. Judges examine the dogs and place them in accordance to how close each dog compares with the judge's mental image of the "perfect" dog as described in the breed's official standard. These standards include qualifications for structure, temperament and movement. In short, they describe the characteristics that allow the breed to perform the function for which it was bred. Most show dogs are competing for points toward their championship. To become an official AKC champion of record, a dog must earn a total of 15 points, which includes 2 major wins under 2 different judges.

Obedience: Obedience Trials test a dog's ability to perform a prescribed set of exercises on which it is scored. Dogs and handlers compete against a standard of perfection, rather than against each other. To earn a qualifying score (leg), the team must score more than 50% of the possible points in each exercise, and earn a total score of at least 170 out of a possible 200 points. An obedience title is earned with 3 qualifying scores (legs).

Novice: The first level, Novice, results in your dog earning a Companion Dog (CD) title. The dog will have to heel both on and off leash at different speeds, come when called, stay (still and quietly) with a group of other dogs when told, and stand for a simple physical exam.

Open: The second level, Open, results in your dog earning a Companion Dog Excellent (CDX) title. He must do many of the same exercises as in Novice, but off-leash and for longer periods. Additionally, there are jumping and retrieving tasks.

Tracking: Tracking Tests allow dogs to demonstrate their natural ability to recognize and follow human scent. A dog only needs to complete one track successfully to earn each title. A dog earns the title Tracking Dog (TD) by following a

track 440 to 500 yards long with three to five changes of direction. The track is laid by a human tracklayer and is "aged" 30 minutes to two hours before the dog begins scenting. The goal is to use the scented track to locate an article left at the end of the trail by the tracklayer. The owner, who doesn't know where the track goes, follows the dog on a long leash and can encourage the dog during the test.

Herding: To earn a Junior Herding Dog (JHD), the dog must demonstrate its ability to collect and control stock, put stock in motion, move the stock in straight lines and turns, negotiate obstacles and come to a reliable stop at the pen. The stock must be taken through both corner panels and through the center obstacle to qualify. Course time is 8 minutes.

Herding Trial Dog classes, with levels HTD I, II and III, take place on a standard course. All levels include an outrun, lift, fetch, wear and/or drive, and pen. At the started level, the outrun is short and the handler may accompany the dog and sheep throughout the course. At the intermediate level, the outrun is longer and the handler may accompany the dog only partway through the course. At the advanced level, the outrun is longer, the handler remains at the handler's post until time to pen, and after the pen there is an additional exercise (removing a ribbon from a marked sheep).

Club Awards

Ambassador of the Breed Award

Honoring the Swissy of outstanding distinction in the previous year.

Friend of the Greater Swiss Mountain Dog

Awarded to the individual who has done the most for the GSMD in the United States in the preceding year.

Margaret Poole Lifetime Achievement Award

To honor from time to time a person or team demonstrating exemplary service to the GSMDCA over many years.

Owner-Handled Champion: The owner-handled award was created to recognize the owner of a Greater Swiss Mountain Dog that is handled for all 15 points to its championship by the registered owner of record. Breeders must be the only owner of a dog in order to be eligible. Professional handlers are eligible for this award only if they are the sole registered owner on the dog. If a professional handler is a co-owner on the dog, the nonprofessional co-owner must be the one that handled the dog for all 15 points to the championship. Paperwork for the owner handled champions is the responsibility of the owner to send to the GSMDCA Statistician by March 1st of the following year.

Rankings

Conformation Rankings: Top Ten All-Breed statistics are based on dogs defeated in Best of Breed and Group competition. AKC TopDogs reports for the previous calendar year are the source for the All-Breed rankings.

Top Ten Breed statistics are based on dogs defeated in breed-only Best of Breed and Best of Opposite competition. The AKC Awards books for the previous calendar year are the source for the Best of Breed rankings, and include Best of Opposite points. The Best of Opposite Sex rankings are calculated as follows: Number of GSMDs in competition of the same sex, minus one. If Best of Opposite Sex is a class entry, the number of class animals of the same sex, plus the number of Specials of the same sex, minus one. Should the Best of Opposite Sex defeat the Best of Winners, then both sexes of class entries are counted, plus the number of Specials of the same sex, minus one. Award of Merit: GSMDs receiving an Award of Merit at the GSMDCA National Specialty will receive 5 points less than the winner of Best of Opposite Sex.

The Bred-By-Exhibitor Awards recognize the dog and the bitch that accumulate the most points by going Winners Dog (WD) or Winners Bitch (WB) from the Bred-By-Exhibitor (BBE) class. A point is received for each Swissy defeated on the day the dog or the bitch wins WD or WB from the BBE class. A Swissy can only receive points while they are competing for their Championship. Points run through the Calendar year.

Obedience Rankings: Ranking Lists are based on data obtained from the AKC. The top 5 scoring dogs will be identified in Novice A, Open A&B, and Utility A&B. Novice B will be divided into two different lists: a Novice B#1 list for dogs that earn the CD title in a given year and a Novice B#2 list for dogs competing in Novice B in a given year who already have earned a CD title. A Novice B dog will be limited to only one of the Novice B lists in a given year. A dog that has a CD title and subsequently earns 3 or more additional qualifying scores in a given year will automatically be considered for placement on the Novice B#2 list and not the Novice B#1 list. For dogs earning a title in any given year, an average score based on the first three qualifying scores associated with earning the CD, CDX or UD titles will be used. For dogs that have already earned the CD, CDX, or UD title, an average score will be based on the total number of qualifying scores in that class earned subsequent to the title during a given year, with a minimum requirement of 3 qualifying scores required.

BILL FAURE
The Cream of the Crop



**Just 9 short months ago, Bill was welcomed home
by all of his dogs who had been waiting for him at
Rainbow Bridge.**

**Bill, you were a man of integrity, and our lives have
been made better for having known you.**

We miss you so very much.