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July 6, 2022

DEAR JOY MARTIN,

Congratulations on your new Golden Retriever and welcome to the world of purebred dogs. Your AKC registration dollars support numerous AKC efforts to benefit dogs and dog owners. By registering your dog with the AKC, you supported valuable programs such as Pet Disaster Relief, the AKC Canine Health Foundation, the AKC Kennel Inspection Program, public education, canine legislation, and DNA parentage verification.

AKC registration provides wonderful opportunities for every purebred dog lover. The AKC Canine Good Citizen® program is an outstanding way to train your dog in basic obedience, valuable for every family. In addition, many dog owners enjoy the thrill of participating in AKC activities, shows and trials throughout the country. I invite you and your dog to get involved with the AKC!

Your registration also includes exclusive health benefits to help keep your new dog safe and healthy. Your dog is eligible for 30 days of pet health insurance included with your registration at no additional cost. This coverage reimburses for veterinary expenses due to unexpected accidents and illnesses. It also includes access to a 24/7 Vet Helpline. Activation of coverage is required in most states. For more information or to activate your policy, visit www.akcpetinsurance.com/certificate or call 866-725-2747.†

Please note, if you ordered multiple items at the time of registration, they will be mailed separately and should arrive shortly. These include the AKC Certified Pedigree, the Dog Care and Training video, *Family Dog* magazine, and the AKC collar tag. If you did not order a Pedigree, you still have the opportunity to do so. An order form is provided on the back of this letter.

All of us want to be responsible dog owners. To help, the AKC offers a wealth of information at www.akc.org. Our site lists national and local dog clubs and AKC Canine Good Citizen® evaluators. Please visit us online and on Facebook and Twitter. If we can be of further service to you, please contact us by phone at 919-233-9767 or by email at info@akc.org.

Sincerely,

Dennis B. Sprung
President and Chief Executive Officer

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Please separate below and keep for your records.

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

NAME
CONTESSA "ASPEN" OF JOYFUL

NUMBER
SS30491801



BREED
GOLDEN RETRIEVER

SEX
FEMALE

COLOR
LIGHT GOLDEN

DATE OF BIRTH
OCTOBER 20, 2021



SIRE
JUST FISHER
SR85763905 01-16 (OFA24G OFEL24 EYE89 AKC DNA #V793965)

DAM
CONTESSA NALA JOYFUL
SS07014806 08-21 (OFA24G OFEL24 EYE37 CHIC156081)

**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB®**

BREEDER
JOY MARTIN

CERTIFICATE ISSUED
JULY 6, 2022

This certificate invalidates all previous certificates issued.

OWNER

JOY MARTIN

If a date appears after the name and number of the sire and dam, it indicates the issue of the Stud Book Register in which the sire or dam is published.

For Transfer Instructions, see back of Certificate.

DEFIANCE MO 63341

This Certificate issued with the right to correct or revoke by the American Kennel Club.

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

ORTHOPEDIC FOUNDATION FOR ANIMALS, INC.

CONTESSA "ASPEN" OF JOYFUL
registered name

GOLDEN RETRIEVER
breed

film/test/lab #

956000013845476
tattoo/microchip/DNA profile

2358487
application number

11/08/2023
date of report

RESULTS:

Based upon the radiograph submitted, the consensus was that no evidence of hip dysplasia was recognized. The hip joint conformation was evaluated as:

SS30491801
registration no.

F
sex

10/20/2021
date of birth

24
age at evaluation in months



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GR-143440G24F-P-VPI
O.F.A. NUMBER

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GOOD

owner JOY MARTIN

DEFIANCE MO 63341

OFA eCert



Verify QR scan

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Orthopedic Foundation for Animals
Hip Dysplasia Evaluation Report



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application number

05/10/2022
date of report

Owner

Veterinarian

JOY MARTIN

VETERINARY GROUP OF CHESTERFIELD
17709 EDISON AVE STE A
CHESTERFIELD MO 63005

DEFIANCE MO 63341

Preliminary Hip Dysplasia Evaluation Report

EXCELLENT HIP JOINT CONFORMATION

superior hip joint conformation as compared with other individuals of the same breed and age

BORDERLINE HIP JOINT CONFORMATION

marginal hip joint conformation of indeterminate status with respect to hip dysplasia at this time -- Repeat study in six months

✓ **GOOD HIP JOINT CONFORMATION**

well formed hip joint conformation as compared with other individuals of the same breed and age

MILD HIP DYSPLASIA

radiographic evidence of minor dysplastic changes of the hip joints

FAIR HIP JOINT CONFORMATION

minor irregularities of the hip joint conformation as compared with other individuals of the same breed and age

MODERATE HIP DYSPLASIA

well defined radiographic evidence of dysplastic changes of the hip joints

SEVERE HIP DYSPLASIA

radiographic evidence of marked dysplastic changes of the hip joints

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

_____ subluxation
_____ remodeling of femoral head/neck
_____ osteoarthritis/degenerative joint disease
_____ shallow acetabula
_____ acetabular rim/edge change

_____ unilateral pathology _____ left _____ right
_____ transitional vertebra
_____ spondylosis
_____ panosteitis

G.G. Keller, DVM

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RESULTS:

Based upon the radiograph submitted, the consensus was that no evidence of elbow dysplasia was recognized.

owner JOY MARTIN
DEFIANCE MO 63341

SS30491801
registration no.

F
sex

10/20/2021
date of birth

24
age at evaluation in months



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GR-EL63184F24-P-VPI
O.F.A. NUMBER

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Orthopedic Foundation for Animals
Elbow Dysplasia Evaluation Report



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registered name

SS30491801
registration no.

GOLDEN RETRIEVER
breed

F
sex

film/test/lab #

10/20/2021
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age at evaluation in months

2358487
application number

05/10/2022
date of report

Owner

JOY MARTIN

DEFIANCE MO 63341

Veterinarian

VETERINARY GROUP OF CHESTERFIELD
17709 EDISON AVE STE A
CHESTERFIELD MO 63005

Preliminary Elbow Dysplasia Evaluation Report

ELBOW JOINTS -- FLEXED LATERAL VIEW

 √ negative for elbow dysplasia

L √ R √

ELBOW DYSPLASIA

GRADE I

L _____ R _____

GRADE II

L _____ R _____

GRADE III

L _____ R _____

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

degenerative joint disease (DJD)

L _____ R _____

united anconeal process (UAP)

L _____ R _____

fragmented coronoid process (FCP)

L _____ R _____

osteochondrosis

L _____ R _____

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GOLDEN RETRIEVER
breed

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sex

845573
film/test/lab #

10/20/2021
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2358487
application number

11/09/2023
date of report

GR-EYE32608/24F-VPI
O.F.A. NUMBER
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RESULTS:

Based upon the exam dated 11/06/2023, this dog has been found to be free of observable inherited eye disease and has been issued an Eye Certification Registry Number which is valid for one year from the time of the exam.

NORMAL

owner

JOY MARTIN

DEFIANCE MO 63341

OFA eCert



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Dog Information

Contessa Aspen of Joyful (Aspen)
NAME

Female
SEX

Golden Retriever
BREED ANCESTRY

October 20th, 2021
DATE OF BIRTH

American Kennel Club (AKC)
REGISTRATION











n/a
MICROCHIP

Joy Martin
OWNER NAME

Canine Genetic Health Screen
TEST

July 2nd, 2022
TEST DATE

BREED HEALTH TESTS

DISEASE	GENE	GENOTYPE	RESULT	TESTING RECOMMENDED BY
Degenerative Myelopathy, DM	SOD1(A)	GG	Clear	
Golden Retriever Progressive Retinal Atrophy 1, GR-PRA1	SLC4A3 Exon 16	NN	Clear	
Golden Retriever Progressive Retinal Atrophy 2, GR-PRA2	TTC8 Exon 8	NN	Clear	
Ichthyosis, ICH1	PNPLA1 (Exon 8)	AAC/AAC	Clear	
Muscular Dystrophy	DMD	AA	Clear	
Progressive Retinal Atrophy, prcd	PRCD Exon 1	GG	Clear	
Congenital Myasthenic Syndrome, CMS	COLQ	GG	Clear	
Dystrophic Epidermolysis Bullosa	COL7A1 (Exon 68)	GG	Clear	
Neuronal Ceroid Lipofuscinosis 5, NCL 5	CLN5 (Exon 4 Deletion)	NN	Clear	
Osteogenesis Imperfecta, Brittle Bone Disease	COL1A1 (Exon 18)	GG	Clear	

Dog Information

Contessa Aspen of Joyful (Aspen)
NAME

INBREEDING AND DIVERSITY

Genetic Diversity

RESULT

GENETIC
RESULT

Coefficient Of Inbreeding

26%

MHC Class II - DLA DRB1

High
Diversity

MHC Class II - DLA DQA1 and DQB1

High
Diversity

GIVE A FRIEND \$50!

Dog Information

Contessa Aspen of Joyful (Aspen)
NAME

TRAIT TESTS (1/2)

Coat Color	RESULT	GENETIC RESULT
E Locus (MC1R)	No dark hairs anywhere	ee
K Locus (CBD103)	Not expressed	k ^Y k ^Y
Intensity Loci LINKAGE	Any pigmented hair likely white or cream	Dilute Red Pigmentation
A Locus (ASIP)	Not expressed	a ^t a ^t
D Locus (MLPH)	Not expressed	DD
Cocoa (HPS3)	No co alleles, not expressed	NN
B Locus (TYRP1)	Likely black colored nose/feet	BB
Saddle Tan (RALY)	Not expressed	NI
S Locus (MITF)	Likely to have little to no white in coat	SS
M Locus (PMEL)	No merle alleles	mm
R Locus (USH2A) LINKAGE	Likely no impact on coat pattern	rr
H Locus (Harlequin)	No harlequin alleles	hh
Other Coat Traits	RESULT	GENETIC RESULT
Furnishings (RSPO2) LINKAGE	Likely unfurnished (no mustache, beard, and/or eyebrows)	II
Coat Length (FGF5)	Likely long coat	TT

Dog Information

Contessa Aspen of Joyful (Aspen)
NAME

TRAIT TESTS (2/2)

Body Size	RESULT	GENETIC RESULT
Body Size (IGF1)	Larger	NN
Body Size (IGFR1)	Larger	GG
Body Size (STC2)	Larger	TT
Body Size (GHR - E191K)	Intermediate	GA
Body Size (GHR - P177L)	Larger	CC

Performance	RESULT	GENETIC RESULT
Altitude Adaptation (EPAS1)	Normal altitude tolerance	GG
Appetite (POMC) LINKAGE	Normal food motivation	NN