



CLAN CLARION

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February, 2025



BIS Westminster Dog Show Winner Gaelforce Postscript "Peggy Sue" handled and groomed by Maripi Woolridge and owned by Drs. Vandra Huber and Joe Kinnarney

Upcoming Events

Register Now For March Grooming Seminar

Spaces are filling up fast for the WSSTC 2025 2-day Grooming Seminar. Set for March 15-16, the two-day event will feature former handler, exhibitor and breeder extraordinaire Maripi Woolridge as the featured speaker and trainer. Maripi is best known for going Best in Show at the Westminster Kennel Club show with Ch. Gaelforce Postscript. A Lakeland terrier bred and co-owned by Maripi also went Best in Show at the 2023 Montgomery Kennel Club.

The grooming clinic will be held from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. both days at

Winstar Bed and Biscuit
3602 112th St E,
Tacoma, WA 98446

Only 30 in-person spots are available on a first-come basis. At this time, half of the slots are already taken.

About Maripi

Maripi started her dog show career in her native Puerto Rico, where as a child she begged her parents for a dog. They finally gave in and bought her a Scottish Terrier. While Maripi, learned a lot showing her dog in conformation, at classes and junior showmanship, he did not take the show world by storm. Little could Maripi know that one day she would show a Scottish Terrier to the pinnacle of purebred dogs, namely Best in Show at the Westminster Dog Show.

After completing high school, Maripi got a basketball scholarship to the University of Florida and moved to the mainland. After her first year in college, Maripi got a summer job with professional handlers Clay and Bergit Coady. Eventually, Maripi became a handler working on her own. Additionally, she bred Lakeland and Airedale terriers under the Hi-Kel Terrydale Kennel name. She has shown almost every breed in the terrier group with great success. She calls miniature and standard schnauzers as her bred and butter breeds. In the toy group she successfully campaigned Affenpinches. With her wife Jennifer Stevens, she also has had success with Japanese Chins.

**Tuesday,
February 18
7:00 p.m.**

**Club Meeting Zoom
Zoom seminar on Things that
"bug" Scotties with Elizabeth
Warfield**

**Saturday-Sunday
March 15-16
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Grooming Seminar With Maripi
Win-Star Bed and Biscuit
Advance Registration Required**

**Tuesday,
March 18
7:00 p.m.**

Regular Monthly meeting

**Friday, Saturday,
Sunday
April 4-6, 2025**

**Rotating National Specialty
Hosted by
Scottish Terrier Club of CA.
Superintendent
Bradshaw Dog Shows**

**Tuesday,
April 15
7:00 p.m.**

**Monthly Meeting via zoom
More Fun and Less Taxing**



WSSTC Specialty Draws Great Entry of Scots

Upcoming Dog Shows

Feb 21-23 Closes Feb 5	Linn County KC Albany, OR Onofrio
March 7-9, 2025	Silver Falls KC Cluster Albany, OR Baray Trying to make majors
April 4-6, 2025 Closes March 19, 2025	Peninsula Dog Fanciers Baray Events
April 4-6, 2025 Closes March 19, 2025	STCA, STCC Bradshaw
April 11-13, 2025 Closes March 26	Lizard Butte KC MBF Infodog
April 18-20 Closes April 2,	Palouse Hills Dog Fanciers Baray.events
April 25-27 Closes April 9	Yakima Valley Kennel Club Baray.events

Exhibitors came from California, Colorado, and as far away as Florida to attend our Winter specialty "A Scottie Garden Party". Show chair Cheryl James made wonderful pottery pots and plates featuring Scottish Terriers for our trophy table. .

As shown on the subsequent pages, Judge Roberto Alvarez Marquez found his Best of Breed Winner in Rod Ott and Pilar Kuhn's bitch GCHS CH BRAVO IT'S A FACT. She was shown by Gabriel Rangel. Best of Opposite Sex, Best of Winner, and Best Owner Handled Scottish Terrier went to Vandra Huber and Michael Krolewski's homebred, seven-month-old puppy MCVAN'S HEY JUDE.

Winner's bitch went to LANGHOLM BEAMEUPS BLACK CRYSTAL AT MCVANS owned by Vandra Huber and Michael Krolewski who finished her American Championship. She was shown by Baylee Lewis. Reserve Winner's bitch went to MCVAN'S DARK STAR RISING. Later in the weekend, she got her first major. Congratulations to club member Karen McLaughlin.

Best in Sweepstakes went to Pam Murray's young male MOREJOY ALL AROUND THE WORLD. This Scottie laddie finished his American championship the next day. Congratulations to club member Pam Murray. The judge was smooth fox terrier breeder Michele Luther.

In junior Showmanship, Open Senior Natalie Van Tassel showed GCH MCVAN'S FLASH DANCER to Best in Show Junior. Nat also went Best Junior at the All Terrier Show the same day. See picture below of Nat and WSSTC VP and show chair Cheryl James



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Thank YOU WSSTC Specialty Volunteers

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Washington State Scottish Terrier Club

Winter Specialty January 10, 2025

Summary of Results

Confirmation	Judge Dr. Roberto Alvarez Marquez
Award	Winner
Best of Breed	22 (*) GCHS CH BRAVO IT'S A FACT. RN36785403. 2021-06-26. By GCHP CH Hiq's Cumbria Ready Set Go - GCHG CH Bravo It's An Industry Term. Bred by: Rod Ott/Pilar Kuhn. Owners: Rod Ott/Pilar Kuhn. Agent: Gabriel Rangel. Bitch
Best of Winners	11 (*) MCVAN'S HEY JUDE. RN40691902. 2024-06-17. By GCHS CH McVan's Paperback Rider - GCHG CH McVan's Stardust. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Vandra L Huber and Michael Krolewski. Dog
Best of Opposite Sex	11 (*) MCVAN'S HEY JUDE. RN40691902. 2024-06-17. By GCHS CH McVan's Paperback Rider - GCHG CH McVan's Stardust. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Vandra L Huber And Michael Krolewski. Dog
Best Owner Handler	11 (*) MCVAN'S HEY JUDE. RN40691902. 2024-06-17. By GCHS CH McVan's Paperback Rider - GCHG CH McVan's Stardust. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Vandra L Huber And Michael Krolewski. Dog
Select Male	23 (*) GCHS CH BRAVO THE QUINTESSENTIAL GAMBINI. RN36785401. 2021-06-26. By GCHP CH Hiq's Cumbria Ready Set Go - GCHG CH Bravo It's An Industry Term. Bred by: Rod Ott/Pilar Kuhn. Owners: Rod Ott/Pilar Kuhn. Agent: Gabriel Rangel. Dog
Select Female	(*) GCH CH MCVAN'S SCARLET WITCH. RN36844704. 2021-06-21. By GCHG CH McVan's Flash Gordan - GCH CH McVan's Total Eclipse. Bred by: Cheryl James/Dr. Vandra L Huber. Owners: Vandra L Huber/Cheryl James. Bitch
Award of Merit	25 (*) GCH CH MCVAN'S FLASH DANCER. RN38982601. 2023-02-13. By GCH CH McVan's Star Lord - GCH CH McVan's Bippity Boppity Boo. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: VI Huber/M Krolewski/C James/R Cross/D Cross. Dog
Award of Merit	21 (*) GCH CH AYRSHIRE'S DESPERADO. RN33531601. 2019-05-21. By Charthill Sweetheart's Little Dragon - CH Ayrshire's Forever Young. Bred by: Cliff Hewitt/Judy Hewitt. Owners: Judy Hewitt/Cliff Hewitt/Amy Brazelton. Dog
Winner's Dog	11 (*) MCVAN'S HEY JUDE. RN40691902. 2024-06-17. By GCHS CH McVan's Paperback Rider - GCHG CH McVan's Stardust. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Vandra L Huber And Michael Krolewski. Dog

Continuation of Winter Specialty Results

Reserve Winner's Dog	7 MCVAN'S FOR YOUR EYES ONLY. RN40357402. 2024-02-16. By CH Trackside Gabriel Oak - GCH CH McVan's Scarlet Witch. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Cheryl James. Owners: Laura Brado/Mae Brado/Vandra Huber. Dog
Winner's Bitch	W 8 (*) LANGHOLM BEAMEUPS BLACK CRYSTAL AT MCVANS. RN40238101. 2023-10-21. By CH McVan's Twist And Shout - Langholm's Sapphire. Bred by: Cheryl Lang/Karen Prokopetz. Owners: Vandra Huber/Dorene Cross/Rebecca Cross. Bitch
Reserve Winner's Bitch	16 (*) MCVAN'S DARK STAR RISING. RN39599104. 2023-05-08. By CH J-Mar's Last Man Standing - CH McVan's Here Comes The Sun At Gallica. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Karen Mclaughlin. Bitch
Best Bred by Exhibitor	11 (*) MCVAN'S HEY JUDE. RN40691902. 2024-06-17. By GCHS CH McVan's Paperback Rider - GCHG CH McVan's Stardust. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Vandra L Huber And Michael Krolewski. Dog
Best Puppy	11 (*) MCVAN'S HEY JUDE. RN40691902. 2024-06-17. By GCHS CH McVan's Paperback Rider - GCHG CH McVan's Stardust. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Vandra L Huber And Michael Krolewski. Dog
Sweepstakes	Judge Michelle Luther
Best in Sweepstakes	9 (*) MOREJOY ALL AROUND THE WORLD. RN40052304. 2023-11-24. By GCH CH Whiskybae Haslemere Sundancer - CH Charthill Morejoy Counting Blessing. Bred by: Pam Murray/Charthill Knl. Owners: Pam Murray. Dog
Best of Opposite in Sweepstakes	6 (*) GALLICA'S THERE AND BACK AGAIN. RN40756703. 2024-05-19. By CH Lennon Brave & Save - Gallica's Trust But Verify. Bred by: Charlene D Gann/Robert Gann. Owners: Julie A Gritten. Bitch
Junior Showmanship	Judge Terri Erickson
Best Junior	Natalie Van Tassel. 33176979002 GCH CH MCVAN'S FLASH DANCER. RN38982601. 2023-02-13. By GCH CH McVan's Star Lord - GCH CH McVan's Bippity Boppity Boo. Bred by: Dr. Vandra L Huber/Michael Krolewski. Owners: Vandra L Huber/M Krolewski/C James/R Cross/D Cross



CANINE INFLUENZA

H3N8⁽¹⁾

- Detected in dogs in 2004 in the US
- Originated in horses and spread to dogs in 2000



H3N2⁽²⁾

- Originated in South Korea & China in 2005
- Evolved to infect dogs from an Avian virus

● H3N8

● H3N2

● Both Strains

○ Neither Strain

Methods of Transmission H3N8 & H3N2:

- Direct Contact - Highly contagious⁽¹⁾ animal to animal contact.
- Aerosolization - Breathing aerosolized⁽¹⁾ droplets from an infected animal.
- Contact - Touching virus-infected area⁽¹⁾ without proper sanitation. Handling an infected animal can potentially transfer the virus from one animal to another via unwashed hands.
- H3N2 is contagious to both dogs and cats.

Symptoms

Fever

Runny Nose

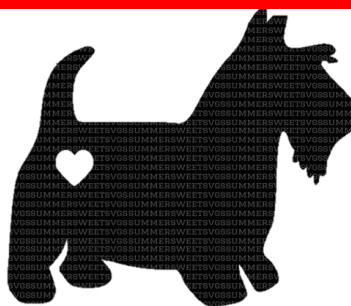
Rapid Breathing

Lethargy

Cough

Eye Discharge

Loss of Appetite



Influenza Timeline⁽³⁾

H3N8



NOTE: (7)
There is no form of direct treatment for the canine virus. The best form of care is isolation, supportive care, and antibiotics to treat any secondary infection.



H3N2



Prevention

Decontamination⁽⁴⁾

The most common spreaders of Canine Influenza are humans. That is why it is important to sanitize common areas and wash your hands.

Avoid Contact⁽⁴⁾

Do not pet unknown animals when break-outs occur. This will reduce the risk of bringing the virus to your house pet, or spreading the virus further.

Vaccination⁽⁵⁾

Vaccination is available for both strands of the influenza virus. This option is not a treatment, it is a preventative action. It must be given before contact with the virus.

Isolation⁽⁶⁾

Isolation is one way to ensure the virus does not spread. Keeping your pet separate from others and maintaining sanitary habits will quarantine the virus.

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Important Dates

- Catalog Advertising: February 15
- Trophy Donations: March 9
- STCA Hotel Room Block Deadline: March 2
- Meal Reservations: March 21
- RV Reservations: March 19
- Entries Close: March 19 Noon
(Superintendent: Jack Bradshaw)



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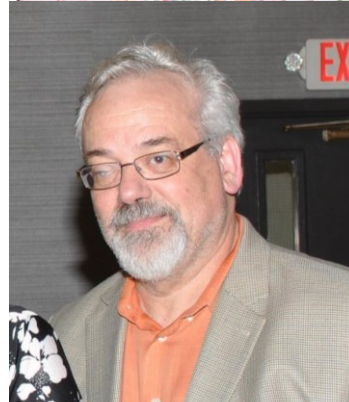
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