

COMMON SCENTS

LENAPE TRACKING CLUB, INC.

NOVEMBER 1980

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK:

During the Board Meeting on October 21st we set the final details to the November 2nd TD Certification Match and also the November 15th General Meeting and Program. You have all been sent a separate flyer on this Meeting. However, to refresh your minds, we have planned an evening devoted to the topic " TRACKING! BEGINNERS TRACK TO WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH THE AKC TDX?". The evening will begin with a " Pot Luck Supper "(beginning between 5 and 5:30 PM) followed by a brief business meeting. The Program will begin at approximately 7:30PM and feature Tracking Judge Kay Kleisler, and instructors Pam Riker and Charlotte Schwartz. This event will be held at the Clinton Presbyterian Church, 91 Center Street, Clinton, N.J. Please take the time to consider this event. The more experienced in tracking you are, the more you are needed to participate. Remember your beginning days in tracking? - how you wished you had some more experienced people around you! Many of Lenape's newer members are novices but they have an edge: they have your experience to help them. Please plan to come. If you think the mails will be late with your reply, please call Marie Mento at 201 236 9266. For more information call either Marie or Ralph MacKinnon 201 735 7793. Remember this is not just a "members only" evening so plan to bring along a friend.

CALENDAR:

ANNUAL DINNER AND AWARDS MEETING: SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1981

TRACKING EXPERIENCE DAY: SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1981

(details for both events will follow at a later date)

HOPE TO SEE YOU ON THE 15th!

RALPH MAC KINNON

NEWS OF OUR MEMBERS:

Joanne and Douglas Irwin:

"REGGIE" earned 2 breed points at Pocono Mountain KC

George and Elissa Kirkegard-Bush:

CH MALLYREE MOLLY OF BUSHMILLS CD TD WC completed her breed championship on August 3, 1980 at the Hunterdon Hills KC show. She was Winners Bitch at the Irish Water Spaniel Club of America Specialty. She completed her Companion Dog degree in May with scores of 189, 193½ and 194. Molly was named Tracking Dog of the Year for 1979 by the Irish Water Spaniel Club of America. Molly received a Working Certificate from the IWSC of A on July 6th. CH BUSHMILLS SWEET ARRIVAL TD* completed her breed championship on September 14th at 13 months of age. Spiffy passed two tracking tests for her TD, Berks County DTC on October 12th and Town and Country DTC on October 18th.

* pending AKC approval

BACKACHERS BO OF BUSHMILLS TD* (LAB) was certified to enter tracking trials at 6 months of age. Bodie passed the Tracking Test at Oriole DTC to complete her TD at 7 months of age.

* pending AKC approval

Barbara Ridder Irwin:

BRIGHTWOOD'S SWEET WOODRUFF CD has completed her CDX

Pam Riker:

CH NEVERSINK BIG RED CD TD* passed the Tracking Test at Town and Country DTC. Red Dog is co-owned by Pam and her Father.

* pending AKC approval

Joanne and Ralph MacKinnon:

BIT O' SKYE'S BONNIE PIPER CDX went WB, BW and BOS at Hatboro KC for 1 point. Piper placed 3rd in the Non- Steady Stake at the Waterland Retriever Club Fun Day. She also went BOB (adult Golden) at Waterland Retriever Club Fun Day.

LENAPE TRACKING CLUB'S TD CERTIFICATION MATCH

November 2, 1980

report by Ralph MacKinnon

A clear, brisk day greeted our tracking enthusiasts for Lenape's 6th Annual Certification Match. Judge Kay Kleisler's attention to logistics kept us on schedule. We thank Kay not only for her assistance in this match but also for her high degree of willingness to help others learn and understand more about tracking.

I wish I could report more than one of the six entrants passed but if it had to be just one then I admit to be happy that our "Piper" is now certified to enter a tracking trial. Piper will now take a brief sabbatical as she is due to whelp on November 6th!

Usually mentioned last but certainly not least in my book are all those who, without, there would be none of the foregoing. The tracklayers that had to be there on Saturday as well as Sunday, the land committee that had to find new fields for us this year, the advertising well placed and those that

just asked " can I bring something? ", All this means a " successful match ". Thanks again for all your help.

We need from each member a list of ALL titles your dogs have earned. If you have been a member since 1976 you need only start with January 1977. While we are a tracking club we do maintain records that include all obedience and breed titles. Please fill in the form below and mail along with your DUES to Peg Forte, Box 315 RD 1 Sliker Road, Glen Gardner, N.J. 08826.

Dog's name	Breed	Title earned	Date earned
(If you have more to report please follow format on another sheet of paper)			

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