



Common Scents

November/December, 2013



FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

It was so nice to see so many members come out to help with the TDX! We were really short handed with tracklayers. Four of the usual culprits were out of the picture - RoseMary was sick, Janet and Jim were in the test and Nancy couldn't help because Jim was entered. I think Gina DeAlmeida was biting her nails as the chief tracklayer, but everyone pitched in and we pulled it off. Cindy Grodciewicz single handedly plotted all of the cross tracks on Saturday. Joan's new RV was amazing and the food was great. Our illustrious judges, Mike Clemens and Ilene Morgan, laid out some amazing tracks through intense cover. As the tracklayer on two of these tracks, I can now say that I have shed blood for Lenape Tracking Club. Sadly, no passes, but I'm sure a TDX is in the future for all of the dogs entered. Thanks for everyone's help and I hope you all have the best holiday ever.

Anna Burbank

DATES TO REMEMBER

Awards Dinner/General Meeting
-----Sunday, January 12
VST Test 2014
----- Sunday, March 16
Tracking Experience Day 2014
----Saturday/Sunday, April 5/6
Tracking Classes
----- Saturday, April 26
----- Saturday, May 3
-----Saturday, May 10
-----Saturday, May 17
- Saturday, May 31 – Rain Date
Certification Match
----- Sunday, September 21
TD Test 2014
-----Sunday, October 5
TDX Test 2014
----- Sunday, November 16

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TD TEST

OCTOBER 13, 2013

TYLER STATE PARK, NEWTOWN, PA

JUDGES: MIKE CLEMENS & DAWN MARTIN



Worker Credits

James A. Bunderla
Anna Burbank
Janet Doerer
Cindy Everett
Nancy L. Grove
Sandra Hambrecht
Joan Luckhardt
Joyce Miller
Scott Miller
Judy Todd

Photos by Jim Bunderla & Nancy Grove

TDX TEST

NOVEMBER 10, 2013

MONMOUTH JUNCTION, NJ

JUDGES: MIKE CLEMENS & ILENE MILLER



Worker Credits

Anna Burbank
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Gina DeAlmeida
Janet Doerer
Cindy Grodkiewicz
Sandy Hambrecht
George Laubach
Joan Luckhardt
Joyce Miller
Scott Miller
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TIDBITS



Diggs, the ETCHELLS' Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever, finished his NA Title with a first place in Pleasanton, CA, on October 19. He finished his NAJ with a first the following weekend back here in Oregon. Because he already had tracking and obedience titles, this earns him a Versatile Companion Dog title. He is now *Skylark Beachcombin' at Deerhill, VCD1, CDX, RE*.

ROSEMARY LAUBACH reports that Golden Retriever **Hope** entered her first ORT test in August and passed all three scents that day, with times ranging from 13 to 27 seconds. In September her mother **Tori** passed all three scents with times from 8 to 32 seconds.

JUDY TODD's Border Terrier **Merlin** earned his tenth Coursing Ability leg, which earns him the CAA – Coursing Ability Advanced. He is now *Ch Greywoode Merlin RE, ME, OA, OAJ, NJ, CAA*.



MEMBERSHIP

The following persons have submitted an application for membership. They will become members unless the secretary, Janet Doerer, 5 Woodland Way, Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889, receives any letters of objection within 4 weeks of the mailing of this newsletter.

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Sponsors: George Laubach, Rosemary Laubach
Attended: TED, 2013; Classes, 2013

