

AMTC Newsletter



February 2014

From the 2013 AMTC National Specialty Show

***BIS, BISS GCH (Bronze) Rustic Lane Still Waters Run Deep.
BOB and toy BOV. Bred by David and Carolyn Horowitz, and co-owned by Patti
Lapinski, Joyce & Arvind deBraganca, and Carolyn Horowitz.***

***Blair aka GCH Oasis Blue Lagoon winning BOV Standard at the National
Bred by Gary and Judy Anderson
Owner Shelley Cafferty***

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***Important Breed Information!

Membership forms are now available on the AMTC web site and
in the back of this newsletter (page 74).

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!!!

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The 2014 American Manchester Terrier Club National Specialty will be held Labor Day weekend in Lexington, KY at the Horse Park. Details are in this newsletter, and more info is coming. **Come join the fun!!!**

PUBLISHING DATES AND DEADLINES

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Advertising/Article Submission Deadline</u>
August	July 28
November	October 28
February	January 28
May	April 28

Advertising rates

Ad Type	B/W	Color
FULL PAGE WITH 1 PHOTO	\$50.00	\$100.00
HALF PAGE WITH PHOTO	\$30.00	\$60.00
QUARTER PAGE	\$20.00	N/A
FRONT COVER	\$200.00	\$400.00
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BREEDER LISTING: 1 YEAR (business card size, no photo)	\$50.00	NA
NEW TITLEHOLDERS PHOTO, (two lines of text)	\$10.00	\$20.00
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Members prices are 1/2 of the price reflected above except for color. All color prices are the same. All advertising copy must be sent to editor by deadline dates and be clearly marked as advertising. All advertising must be **pre-paid**, and sent directly to the AMTC Treasurer.
Checks made payable to **AMTC**

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi AMTC Members.

I hope everyone has had a wonderful holiday and that the upcoming show year is prosperous. I am looking forward to 2014 with new puppies and hope to see you all at the 2014 National in Kentucky.

Lisa Nonog

President

LNonog@oz.net

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NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

Hi - Happy New Year - and Happy Valentine's Day too! **Please read the Health Report this month - there are two VERY important breed related articles.**

Just a reminder - If you want to receive a hard copy (or "snail mail" copy) of the newsletter please email me your name, address, and phone number to lakewaymanchesters@gmail.com or send me a US Mailed letter with the same information to - Cheryl Roach, 817 Plainview Drive, Dandridge, TN 37725. You only have to do this once (I hope - ha!). My phone number is 865-484-0455 (from 9 am - 9 pm only please) if you have any questions. If you'd like to receive your copy on line (and save a tree, postage and handling) please let me know that also. Every bit helps and the pictures are in color!

(Photo courtesy Katri Twiford)



Our "themed" photo collage page to feature our 'shutter bugs' **for this issue is Covered Up** ("Undercover Manchesters")! SO CUTE!! The picture collage for the next issue is **Manchesters in Motion.**

I continue to get late submissions to the newsletter from a couple of key contributors. I also (again) did not receive the money to print the newsletter in a timely fashion. These have both been ongoing, frustrating problems since I took over the newsletter in August of 2012. I know everyone knows about deadlines and paying on time because they enter dog shows. I enjoy preparing the newsletter and will continue as editor as I take a lot of pride in our club and breed. I also know many of you like receiving it on time. But the newsletter is only as good as what is submitted....so everyone please contribute...and please contribute on time.

Stay warm, safe and dry everyone!

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AMTC WEBMASTER COMMENTS

Jeremy McClister is the Webmaster for our website. Please send any suggestions/additions to him at reddobe15@windstream.net. There is a members' only section where AMTC documents can be accessed. If you need a password and log in, please contact your District Governor.

ADDRESS CHANGES

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AMTC BOARD RESPONSES & ACTIONS

SECRETARY'S REPORT

October Board Meeting was held on 10/23/13 with all Board Members present.

New members Rachelle Duncan, Don and Pat Reid (returning members), Jill Burnell and Lori McCellend were proposed for membership. Sue Thrasher moved and Roberta Berman seconded that their memberships be approved. Motion carried unanimously.

Jerri suggested that the monthly teleconferences be suspended until January 2014. Sue Thrasher made a motion for suspension and Roberta Berman seconded. Motion passed. (If needed, an ad hoc meeting will be called.)

Respectfully submitted,
Jerri Hobbs, Secretary



NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

PLEASE NOTE: New AMTC members are approved by the AMTC Board. As the Board is seldom familiar with applicants, they rely on current members for input into their decision. Applicant information is printed in the Newsletter to solicit comments, positive and negative, regarding each applicant. Please help by sending all comments in writing (email is fine) to the Secretary to be received within 30 days of the postmark on this newsletter.

There are no new members this quarter. Please tell others about the benefits of our club!

And please don't forget to renew **YOUR** membership.

AMTC JUDGES EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT

We are working on getting the Judges Education Material and list of mentors/presenters on the AMTC site.

HEALTH CHAIR REPORT

There are two important Health Chair Reports this Month!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS: JUVENILE CARDIOMYOPATHY (JCM)

Who is leading the JCM Study and who can I contact with questions?

Michelle Barlak is leading the study, 585-329-4317 or michelle@bleusprings.net

DNA samples are being collected and stored at the University of Pennsylvania.

What is JCM?

The term “cardiomyopathy” refers to an inherent disease (*pathy*) within the muscle tissue (*myo*) of the heart (*cardio*). Though there are several types of cardiomyopathy known in dogs, the arrhythmic disturbance seen in Toy Manchester Terriers appears to be unique and affects dogs at a young age. It develops acutely and in juvenile dogs - that is, the symptoms are very sudden and fatal, and they occur in pups. These features are in sharp contrast to the lingering ill health and adult age of onset that are major characteristics of Doberman cardiomyopathy. JCM exists in other breeds but genetic testing for these breeds does not yield results when used on the Manchester Terrier. *This form of JCM is unique to our breed and the goal of the JCM project is to promote the research needed to develop a genetic test that will allow breeders to make educated breeding decisions.*

How do I know if my dog has JCM?

You can't. We have no way of diagnosing a living dog that suffers from JCM. They appear healthy (even during vet exams) and behave like a normal puppy. Most puppies will die suddenly before the age of 12 months but can live longer. No cause of death will appear on a necropsy. Heart slides must be prepared according our

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study protocol and shipped to a pathologist for examination. JCM affected dogs often die if placed under anesthesia. Any young dogs who die under anesthesia, or shortly after, should be submitted to the study. We have also noticed that often males will have one or both undescended testicles but this is not a hard and fast rule.

How is JCM inherited?

Pedigree analysis suggests that both parents must carry the gene for a puppy to inherit JCM - just like with the bleeding disorder VwD. This means when two carriers are bred, some puppies will be affected, some will be carriers and some will be clear. There is no way to identify carriers unless two dogs are bred who produce JCM. Then it can be assumed that these two dogs are carriers.

What lines are affected by JCM?

Pedigree information is kept confidential to encourage participation from breeders who may fear persecution. But do not make the mistake of assuming it is not behind your own dogs. Some of the most frequently used sires in the history of the breed have had puppies submitted to our study with confirmed JCM deaths. Some may blame a specific kennel or line and think they are safe if they just stay away from it, but there are a wide variety of pedigrees behind confirmed JCM deaths.

What if I suspect my dog has died from JCM?

Please contact Michelle. All information shared with Michelle will be kept confidential. While it may be too late for the deceased dog to contribute DNA to the study, Michelle can use the pedigree information to select dogs for DNA collection (for the gene study) in the future.

What if one of my dogs dies in the future?

It is important that you contact Michelle immediately (within 12 hours of death). For dogs who are newly deceased, specific necropsy guidelines have been developed. Any vet can perform the necropsy and collect the needed samples for DNA and for the pathologist to determine if the puppy was affected by JCM. The key is for the vet to receive the correct information before things are done that cannot be undone, that means BEFORE he/she receives the dog for necropsy. Current practices for collecting samples during necropsy do not work for the purposes of the JCM study/ pathologist examination and once the vet freezes the deceased dog, the samples cannot be collected. *The AMTC and CMTC have funds to cover the cost of necropsies and shipment for the samples.*

Can I send you my dog's DNA for the study?

Most importantly, we need DNA from JCM affected dogs. It is important to contact Michelle immediately if your dog dies suddenly and without explanation. We also need DNA from confirmed JCM producers (parents of deceased puppies who have been confirmed by pathology), and we need DNA from littermates of puppies who have died from JCM. Michelle is awaiting a consent form and DNA collection instructions from UPenn and will disseminate that when it is available.

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When can you start looking for the gene and work on creating a test for this disease?

We must collect a minimum of 10 samples from dogs who are confirmed, via pathology, to have died from JCM before researches can begin to look for a gene. It is likely that is just the beginning and more samples will be needed but researches cannot know this until they start looking at the DNA. Currently we have less than 5. One sample has been sent in the last 2 years. Anecdotally, I have heard of 10 times as many suspected cardio deaths occurring in the last 6 months. We need to work together to save our breed from this disease!

What else can I do the help?

Breeders should talk to their puppy buyers about JCM and the importance of notifying them immediately if their puppy should die suddenly. You can provide them with this FAQ or refer them to the AMTC web site health section for more information (there is a web link to the study there). It helps to include in your contract that you will replace their puppy for no fee if it dies from JCM, BUT only if the necropsy is done according to the JCM study guidelines and DNA/tissue samples have been collected as needed for the JCM study. This protects the breeder should the puppy die suddenly and the owner falsely claims it was from JCM.

Discussing JCM and Contracts for Puppy Buyers

If you get any cardio deaths in your own pack or a puppy you have placed, it's imperative that I hear from you before the necropsy is done. Any vet can do the necropsy and collect the needed samples but I need to communicate with the vet because what we need is not standard procedure for sample collection in a necropsy and we need to get in touch before things are done that cannot be undone. We also need blood collected on the parents and sent to UPenn for DNA storage. The more DNA we store from producers, litter mates and cardio deaths, the closer we are to a genetic study. I keep all information confidential. I just really want to do what's needed to develop a test for JCM. It's going to benefit all of us!

Below is an example of wording that can be placed in a puppy contract to educate and encourage puppy buyers to participate in the JCM study. It is important that discussions about JCM take place with all puppy buyers so they know what to do. I really like having this in the contract for 2 reasons 1. it's not a surprise if a puppy dies and the people are less likely to blame the breeder and more willing to cooperate with the study. 2. This protects you as the breeder- puppy owners cannot simply claim the puppy died from cardio, they must verify it by submitting samples to the study. If they don't do this, they don't get the replacement puppy so they have an incentive.

Contract wording: Juvenile Cardiomyopathy and Post Mortem Necropsy: Buyer understands that at time of purchase, Juvenile Cardiomyopathy (JCM) is a fatal heart condition that is unique to the Manchester Terrier breed and the only means of identifying the disease in an affected Manchester Terrier is through post-mortem examination by a qualified pathologist. Should the dog pass away suddenly and under circumstances in which JCM could be reasonably suspected, buyer will replace the dog if the following criteria are met and JCM is confirmed by researchers: Buyer is required to contact seller within 12 hours of the dog's death and arrange for an approved vet to follow necropsy and sample collection guidelines as outlined by the Juvenile Cardiomyopathy Heart Study project team. Buyer understands that a necropsy of a puppy who has died from JCM, when done by their regular vet, will come back inconclusive if not done according to JCM study guidelines. An inconclusive necropsy voids this clause if samples cannot be collected for confirmation of death from JCM and submitted to the JCM study.

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If you remember nothing, please remember this: Every breeder who is ignoring the existence of JCM is contributing to the deaths of more puppies from JCM. We will never develop a test for this disease if we do not work together. It is my hope that those who are lost to this disease will not be lost in vain if they can contribute to the study.



Michelle Barlak: michelle@bleusprings.net

Canine Pyometra

by Regina R. Allen DVM

Pyometra is a significant disease affecting our breeding and intact bitches, yet many breeders are under-informed about this condition. It is **not** a simple infection of the uterus that can be treated with antibiotics, and it can cause kidney damage and death if not promptly treated. This article will dispel the myths and explain the causes and treatment options for canine pyometra.

Pyometra (pyo = pus, metra = uterus) is a **secondary infection** overlying the primary condition of Cystic Endometrial Hyperplasia (CEH). CEH is an abnormal endometrial (lining of the uterus) condition that occurs after repeated exposure to estrogen and progesterone, as occurs during the normal cycle of an intact bitch. CEH may occur without clinical signs of disease, but can result in decreased fertility.

While the bitch is in season, the cervix relaxes and allows bacteria from the vagina to enter the normally sterile uterus. Healthy bitches can handle these bacteria and destroy them so they do not cause disease. In bitches with CEH, the bacteria (most commonly *E. coli*) readily colonize the abnormal uterine lining, causing infection. As the bitch's hormonal profile changes after her season, the cervix closes, trapping these bacteria and allowing them to proliferate and fill the hollow uterus with pus.

In some bitches, the cervix opens again, and drainage of the pus occurs. This is known as an "open" pyometra, as the draining pus is visible to the owner. An open pyometra is associated with systemic disease, although not as severely as with bitches with a closed pyometra.

When the cervix does not open, it becomes distended with pus and results in septicemia (bacteria in the bloodstream). This is known as a "closed" pyometra, and the cause of the bitch's illness may not be readily observable because there is no drainage from the vulva. Symptoms include fever, depression, increased white blood cell count, and kidney damage. Diagnosis is usually accomplished via abdominal ultrasound to

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demonstrate a distended uterus, and blood work showing an increased white blood cell count and high kidney values. Abdominal palpation is not recommended because it can result in rupture of the fragile, infected uterus, and cause spillage of pus into the abdomen. X-rays can sometimes show the distended uterus, but are not as reliable as ultrasound. With a bitch that has been bred and may be pregnant, abdominal ultrasound is the preferred technique to differentiate pregnancy vs. pyometra as the cause of the enlarged uterus.

Pyometra, whether open or closed, occurs most commonly eight weeks after the bitch's season, when the uterus is under the influence of progesterone. Bitches receiving estrogen for pregnancy termination are at increased risk. There is no breed disposition, and although older bitches are more prone to pyometra, it can occur as early as after a bitch's first season. The incidence is not increased in bitches that undergo false pregnancies.

Spaying is the preferred treatment for all bitches with pyometra. Although medical treatment can be attempted with an open pyometra, it **does not** address the underlying CEH condition. Additionally, after medical treatment, the bitch is predisposed to pyometra with each subsequent heat cycle. A rapid diagnosis is needed for a good outcome with surgery, as uterine rupture, septicemia, and kidney damage are associated with a poor prognosis.

Antibiotic therapy alone will not effectively treat pyometra, because it does not expel the pus from the distended uterus. To attempt medical treatment, antibiotics must be paired with prostaglandins to contract the uterus to clear it of pus. Criteria for medical treatment vs. spaying includes the following: the bitch is of breeding age, is a valuable component of a planned breeding program, the cervix is open, and secondary disease such as kidney damage is not present. Again, treatment will not cure the underlying CEH, and the bitch should be bred on her next heat and then spayed after producing the desired offspring. Medical treatment of pyometra does not "cure" the bitch, but merely reduces persistent infection to a subclinical level that may allow a pregnancy to occur. In summary, pyometra is a serious medical condition affecting our breeding bitches. Although some breeders never experience it while maintaining a breeding program, it should always be considered as a differential diagnosis with an ill intact bitch. Prompt treatment is necessary to save the bitch's life. We have a saying in veterinary medicine that emphasizes the severity of the disease and the need for quick action: "Never let the sun set on a pyometra."

Reference: Kustritz, Margaret V. Root. The Practical Veterinarian: Small Animal Theriogenology. Elsevier Science. 2003.

About the Author:

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"Some people dream of success, while others wake up and work hard at it."

PUBLIC EDUCATION

By Rachel Jonas

Congratulations to the Jonas Family on the birth of their son Ben!



As members of your breed's club you are their voice - and one of the way we speak to the public is through events like **Meet the Breeds**. Once again we had a booth at the 2013 Eukanuba show in December in Florida. The booth is always fun, but could not have happened without Carolyn and Dave Horowitz, my wonderful husband David Jonas, and my cute son Gaje. What better way to show a Manchester raised with children is excellent with them than let Gaje get covered in kisses by his Molly!



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A huge thank you to Marla Boychuk Gangler, Madonna Lee, Joyce and Arvind DeBraganca, Valerie Stanert, Trina Taylor who all stopped by and shared their Manchester knowledge despite their very busy schedules!

Thank you all so very much, I appreciate it more than I can ever express! You are a blessing to the breed!

Here are some pictures from the 2013 Eukanuba show:



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Also, at the annual meeting Michelle Barlak had the excellent idea that I should send a mini “Meet the Manchester” kit to all the district governors for their respective specialties. I would be happy to do so, just let me know if you are interested and I’ll get it out to you.



Rachel Jonas
Public Education

AMTC RESCUE CHAIR REPORT

The following information will soon be added (or may have already been added by the time this goes to print) to the AMTC Rescue web page. It reflects a shift in the AMTC’s rescue model from fostering dogs to financially supporting groups and individuals who foster dogs. AMTC Rescue will continue to care for its current foster dogs under the old model until they are adopted out but it will no longer take in new foster dogs.

The new program came about as a result of a decrease in rescue volunteers and foster homes over the last few years, which has meant that Manchesters have been left in shelters or in the care of other groups. We will still assist shelters and rescue groups in identifying possible Manchesters in their care and we will now be able to provide them with grants to cover their expenses. We will also list these adoptable dogs on the AMTC rescue web page and Petfinder.com page.

Any AMTC member in good standing can take in a rescue at their own choice and apply for these funds. Individuals who contact AMTC Rescue to surrender a dog will be offered a courtesy listing on the rescue web page and Petfinder.com page. They will be encouraged to contact their breeder to return their dog. The rescue co-chairs will make every effort to assist the individual in identifying an individual or no-kill organization in their area who is willing to take the dog if it must be surrendered immediately and notify the organization that funding is available to assist in the vet care of the dog.

With no dogs coming into rescue, the chair will no longer be expected to arrange transport, identify foster homes and evaluate adopters. We are currently disbanding the rescue committee since the workload is expected to be manageable for two people. We would like to thank the current rescue volunteers and committee for their work with helping Manchesters over the last few years. Maybe someday we will have enough active volunteers to go back to our previous model.

AMTC RESCUE CHAIR REPORT, Cont.

Moving forward, when corresponding with rescue, please email BOTH Michelle and Tammi.

Michelle Barlak & Tammi Myers

AMTC Rescue Co-Chairs

The following is the new rescue program outline. The grant application will be available on the AMTC web site.

The AMTC does not have the human resources to foster, rehabilitate and rehome rescue dogs. However, the membership is still committed to helping Manchester Terriers in need through adoption listings on its web site and grants towards the care of rescued Manchester Terriers.

If you would like to make a donation to help rescued Manchester Terriers, the AMTC has a dedicated fund for this cause. Please contact the rescue chair for donation information.

If you would like us to list a rescue, please email the rescue chair a photo, description of the dog, and contact information for the public to find out more information. We do not screen adopters for other organizations and will simply refer interested parties to you for screening.

If you would like to learn more about rescue grants, please see the information below.

Contacting AMTC Rescue

E-mail any inquiries to BOTH AMTC Rescue Co-Chairs:

Michelle Barlak: michelle@bleusprings.net

Tammy Myers: medleyrn@yahoo.com

Grants for Rescued Manchester Terriers

The American Manchester Terrier Club Rescue program supports the efforts of other non-profit organizations and individuals who have rescued purebred Manchester Terriers. Grants of up to \$500 may be approved by the AMTC Rescue chair. Larger grants must be reviewed and approved by a majority vote of the AMTC Board of Directors. All grant applicants must adhere to the following guidelines:

Requirements:

- The dog must resemble a purebred Manchester Terrier
- The dog must be in the care of a 501(c)3 non-profit rescue, shelter or pound. Individuals may qualify if they are members in good standing of the AMTC.
- The grant is reimbursement for medical expenses incurred. The grant application must be submitted within 30 days of the expense.
- The dog must be advertised as adoptable on the AMTC Rescue Web Site (dogs do not receive or apply for grants may still be listed on the rescue web site)

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Eligible expenses include but are not limited to:

- Vet exam fees
- vaccines
- spay/neuter surgery
- dental cleaning and tooth removal
- sedation
- surgical procedures deemed necessary for the health of the dog
- Drugs prescribed by a vet
- Heartworm testing and heartworm treatment
- Treatment for parasites/worms

Ineligible Expenses include but are not limited to:

- Elective veterinary procedures/surgery not necessary for the health of the dog
- Food, crates and dog supplies
- Microchipping and microchip registration
- Flea/tick and heartworm preventatives
- Vitamins and supplements
- Brucella testing
- Chemo
- Training
- Boarding
- Travel/ gas/ mileage reimbursement

Application requirements:

- Grant application with all fields completed
- If a shelter, rescue, or pound, proof of 501(c)3 status must be submitted. If an individual, must be a member in good standing of the AMTC.
- Signed letter from the rescue organization or individual affirming that the dog is in their care and available for adoption
- Photos of the dog: front facing and standing profile. Or a representative approved by the AMTC Rescue Chair may view the dog in-person to verify the dog resembles a purebred Manchester Terrier
- Veterinary invoice with all applicable expenses underlined or highlighted

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- Letter from the veterinarian affirming that a dog matching the rescue dog's description received the listed treatment at his/her practice
- Photo and bio for adoption listing

Please let us know if you have any questions! Thanks!



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AKC DELEGATE'S REPORT

Nothing submitted



Roberta Berman
Your humble AKC delegate

AMTC District Governors Reports

District 1 (ME, VT, NH, NY, MA, RI, AND CT)

Nothing Submitted

Carol Wert
AMTC District 1 Governor

District 2 (WV, VA, NC, SC, GA, FL)

Please contact me ASAP if you have any suggestions for shows for this year. We are looking at several options to best serve the entire district. I can be reached at carolyn@rustic-lane.com or on by text or phone at 863-393-5579. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions, concerns, news, or suggestions.

Respectfully Submitted,



Carolyn Horowitz, District 2 Governor
Rustic Lane Manchester Terriers, <http://www.rustic-lane.com>

District 3 (PA, NJ, DE, MD)

The 2014 District 3 Specialty is planned to be held with the Bucks County Kennel Club show in May, 2014. Details to are below

District 3 Supported Entry
Delaware County Kennel Club, York, PA
Part of the Celtic Cluster - 5 shows in 5 days
Saturday, March 15th
Superintendent: Jim Rau Dog Shows
Breed Judge for Toys and Standards: Mr. Eugene Blake

District 3 Specialty
Bucks County Kennel Club, Erwinna, PA
Saturday, May 3rd
Superintendent: MB-F
Breed Judge for Toys and Standards: Mr. Kent H Delaney

AMTC District Governors Reports, Cont.

District 3 (PA, NJ, DE, MD), Cont.

We have lots of great prizes, and I hope to see many of you there to make majors!



**Regina R. Allen DVM,
District 3 Governor**

District 4 (WI, IL, MI, IN, OH)

We had a wonderful time with friends at our specialty this year. We are planning to have a specialty in conjunction with our National Specialty in Lexington, Kentucky over Labor Day Weekend 2014.



**Susan Thrasher
District 4 Governor**

AMTC District Governors Reports, Cont.

District 5 (ND, SD, MN, WY, NE, IA, CO, KS, MO)

Nothing Submitted



Marla Zoz
District 5 Governor

District 6 (KY, TN, OK, AR, AL, MS, LA, TX)

Planning for the 2014 National is well on its way. Here is the info I have so far. Please keep a check on the AMTC website for info.

2014 AMTC National Specialty

To be held with the Bluegrass Cluster
At the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington KY.

Preliminary Dates

Thursday, August 28, 2014 Dist. 6 Supported

Friday, August 29, 2014 Dist. 5 Specialty

Saturday, August 30, 2014 AMTC National, Judge: Mr. Alfred J. Ferruggiaro

Sunday, August 31, 2014 Dist. 4 Specialty

Monday, September 1, 2014 Dist. 6 Specialty

Host Hotel - Clarion Hotel
1950 Newtown Pike
Lexington, KY.40511
PH. 859-233-0512

AMTC District Governors Reports, Cont.

District 6 (KY, TN, OK, AR, AL, MS, LA, TX)

2014 AMTC National Specialty Info, Cont.

If you would like to donate to the trophy fund. Please mail a check to the Treasurer
Jeanette Tonini 480 Dallas Dr. Campbell CA. 95008

Please make check payable to AMTC and write on memo line for 2014 National Trophy fund.

We will put in the newsletter people who donate:

Bronze	\$15.00	Gold	\$ 50.00
Silver	\$25.00	Platinum	\$100.00

More to follow - hope to see you there!



Jeremy McClister
District 6 Governor

District 7 (SoCal, SoNev, AZ, NM, HI)

Well the First District Specialty of the year was a big success. We had 5 point majors in both Toy and Standards with a entry of 13 in Sweeps and 14 Toys and 21 Standards in the classes. A Special Thank You to Valerie Stanert for heading the Raffle. Her hard work got us some fabulous donations from the vendors and \$259.00 worth of tickets sold. Also thank you so much to District 8 for supporting our weekend again.

Our Sweepstakes Judges, Mrs Connie Clark and Mr. "Mickey" Felgelson received nothing but compliments from everyone. They both did a wonderful job and will be applying for Manchesters. Mr. Felgelson needs one more Manchester Sweeps before getting his Manchester License. He also lives in Birmingham, Ala part of the year, so District 6 you might consider him for one of your Sweepstakes. I would highly recommend him and I believe so would anyone that showed a puppy to him. He is licensed for Yorkshire Terriers.

AMTC District Governors Reports, Cont.

District 7 (SoCal, SoNev, AZ, NM, HI)

The results of our District Specialty on Saturday were:

Judge - Mrs. Betty Leininger

Toys - 5 Points

WD and BOS - Benison's Song Of Blessing - Owner: Karen Cornell

RWD - Rosewoods Shining Star Of Texas - Owners: Karen Means, Sarah Jones & Barbara Odell

WB/BW and BOV - Benison's Pearl Of Great Price - Owner: Karen Cornell

Select Dog - Ch Rustic Lane Mad Max - Owners: Betty Hodges & Carolyn Horowitz

Select Bitch - GCH Fwaggle Pret-A-Porter - Owners: Karen Cornell, Wendy & Amanda Kelly

Standards - 5 Points

WD & BW - Medleys Magic Dragon - Owner: Tamara Myers

RWD - Jazzman I'm Bringin Sexy Back - Owner: Ashley Greer

WB - JetCity Southern Comfort - Owner: Linda Zaeske, Karen Langlois & Lisa Nonog

RWB - Cashlane's Bling Bling

BOV - GCH Medley's The World Is Not Enough - Owner: Sarah Berrend, Tamara Myers & Danielle Asplund-Green

BOS - GCH Shal-Mar's Royal Jumpin Jack Flash - Owners: Sue & Randy Webb & John Gorman

Select Dog - Ch Medley's Joker's Gamble - Owners: Sterling Gerritz & Tamara Myers

Select Bitch - GCH Oasis Blue Lagoon - Owner: Shelley Cafferty

Congratulations to all the winners. We all enjoyed Beautiful Weather, Great Showgrounds, 5 Point Majors and best of All, Each Others Company. Looking forward to next January.



Judy Anderson/District 7 Governor

Gary & Judy Anderson

Breeders of Merit and Home of

Oasis Standard Manchesters

District 8 (AK, WA, MT, OR, ID, NoCal, NoNev, UT)

District 8 will present our annual Specialty on Friday at the Woofstock cluster of shows in Vallejo, CA, at the Solano County Fairgrounds. Our Specialty will be held after the BIS on Friday, June 7, 2013. There will be a Supported Entry Class each day of the Cluster and we are also offering daily Sweepstakes classes.

For more information on Woofstock check the following link: www.dogtrekker.com/Event.aspx?id=1571. For more information regarding the Specialty and other events planned for Manchester Terrier people and their guests, check with Jeanette Tonini, 408-377-3146. Those wishing to donate money for trophies, contact Tammi Myers, medley@yahoo.com.

District 8 Governor

NEW TITLES

2nd Vice President Roberta Berman prepares the new titles:



2013 Top 10: These are breed points according to the AKC

Standards:

GCh. Medley's War Hunt
GCh. Toria Royalty In The Making
GCh. Oasis Razzamatazz
GCh. Medley's Joker's Gamble
GCh. Wilane's Midnight Rydor
GCh. Oasis Blue Lagoon
GCh. Medley's The World Is Not Enough
Ch. Ra's Unsinkable Molly Brown At Mosaic
GCh. Jetcitys Little Red Rocker At Spirit
GCh. Wilane's Sophisticated Lady

2013 Top 10 dogs: These are breed points according to the AKC, Cont.

Toys:

GCh. Ristic Lane Still Waters Run Deep
GCh. Blossom's Let's Dance
GCh. Burmack's Highlander At Chesterfield
Gh. Rosewood Casanova
GCh. Fwaggles Pret A Porte CGC
Ch. Fwaggles She's So Fine
GCh. Rustic Lane Walks On Water
GCh. Celtic Cross Lady Of Shalott At Carpe Diem
Ch. Poricias Straight From My Heart To Jades
GCh. Fwaggles Avant Garde

Top Agility dogs:

MACH 5 Zrock Kangaroo MXB2 MJB2 OF T2B
Ch. MACH17 'Burmack's Hvn Hi V Bobi CD RN MXC4 MIS5 FTC1 MFB2 TQX T2B
GCh. MACH Redfern's Super Trooper, Lights Are Gonna Find Me MXC MJG MXF T2B
MACH3 Rocrill Fast-N-Furious MXG XF T2B
Emily Lucy Bon Burg Uda MX MXJ MJB NF T2B
Ch. CH Blue Moon's Legally Blonde MXS MJG XF T2B
MACH Vesta Ck's Ping Pong MXB MJB OAP AJP
Tempest The Bravo UD RE MX MXB MXJ MJB OF
CH. MACH Spiceisle Crusader Song Of Trinity RA MXS MJB2 OF T2B CA
CH. MACH Kreuzritters Touch The Flame CD RE MXS MJB2 OF T2B CA

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013

NEW TITLES – OCTOBER 2013

Champion, Manchester Terriers (Standard)

CH Burmack's Tribute To Toria,D,RN24208901, 18-Oct-13, Rainsongs The Pirate King Of Burmack,1-May-10, CH Salutare Everlasting Legacy, 1-Jan-06, O:Deborah Cheney & James Burrows & Victoria Herbert-Thorsland, B: Patrick R Mackesey & James Burrows & Victoria Herbert-Thorsland

CH Mersey Nearly Nehi NA OAJ,B,RN18081701, 19-Oct-13, CH MACH3 Chatelaine Orange Crush CD RE MXG MJC, 1-Jun-04, CH Mersey Gunna B Grand, O: Polly Pugh & Mr. Doug Pugh, B: Dean S Tomes & Jennifer L Tomes

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013, Cont.

Champion,Manchester Terriers (Toy)

CH Benison's Rumour Has It V Burmack,B,RN24061402,12-Oct-13, CH Fwaggles Tap Man At Burmack,1-Dec-00, GCH CH Fwaggles Mixed Blessing CGC, 1-Sep-12, O: James G. Burrows Jr. & Patrick R Mackesey
B: Karen Cornell

CH Burmack's Tap Man Jj,D,RN24209101, 12-Oct-13, CH Fwaggles Tap Man At Burmack, 1-Dec-00, CH Burmack's Tells All Secrets, 1-Jan-11, B/O: James Burrows & Patrick R Mackesey

CH Fantasy's Covenant Pretty Lady,B,RN22397704, 19-Oct-13, CH Fantasy's Toast'M Up,1-Aug-10, CH Ebet's Fire Charred Fantasy,1-Aug-10, O:Sondra J Davis & Beverly E Leidner, B:Beverly E Leidner

Companion Dog

CH Just Cast A Giant Shadow CD RN,D,RN22738803,4-Oct-13, CH Salutoria Stacked And Dangerous,1-Nov-11, CH Toria Just As Good As It Gets,1-Apr-08, O: Ms. Karen J Anderson, B: Victoria Herbert-Thorsland & Linda Hurley & Carol Ross

Companion Dog Excellent

Tempest The Jumping Jack CDX BN RE NA NAJ NF,D,RN20726203,20-Oct-13, CH Tempest Sense And Sensibility CD RE,1-Nov-09, CH Rosewood Sophisticated Lady,1-Sep-10, O: Mrs. Katie Meyer, B:Paula T Hradkowsky

Agility Excellent

Maximal's Put Your Money Where Your Mouse Is AX AXJ NF,B,RN22943103,20-Oct-13, CH Bleu Spring William Th' Conqueror JE,1-Sep-07, Bleu Springs Dot Net SE,1-Dec-11, O: Beth Mathews-Bradshaw, B: Michelle Barlak

Master Century Agility 4

CH MACH16 Burmack's HVN Hi V Bobi CD RN MXC4 MJS5 FTC1 MFB2 TQX T2B,D,RM35290502,19-Oct-13 ,CH Kc's Notorious Kidd At Burmack,1-Sep-01, CH Heaven Hi's Revellie,1-Jan-02, O: Arlene Spooner & James Burrows, B: Jerri Hobbs & James Burrows & Judi Fleischaker & Patrick R Mackesey

Novice Agility Jumper

CH Neverland Justa Kerigold Gigilo CDX RE NAJ ME,D,RN11387302,4-Oct-13, CH Neverland's Moody Blue CDX RN OA OAP OAJ OJP,1-Sep-06, CH Inkwood Ice Pop UD RAE2 OA OAJ NAP NJP NFP CA,1-Sep-06, O: Mrs. Carol Ann Wert & Mr. Harry F Wert, B: Roberta L Berman

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013, Cont.

Master Excellent Jumper

GCH CH Medley's Picante Y Sabrosa RA AX MXJ OF,B,RN17015804,18-Oct-13, CH Kreuzritters Beau Jangles,1-Nov-08, CH Medley's The Hot Rock,1-Nov-08, O: Christina Caridis, B: Jeff Layne & Tamara Myers & Renee Vogel

Master Bronze Jumper

Saint Lazar's Lil' Sapphire AX MXJ MJB NF,B,RN16989802,19-Oct-13, CH Saint Lazar Strikes Back,1-Apr-04, CH Saint Lazar's Diamond Lil,1-Apr-08, O: Mary E Matejcek, B: Wanda Walker & Charles Walker

Master Gold Jumper

CH MACH Spiceisle Crusader Song Of Trinity RA MXS MJG NAP NJP OF,D,RN06870603,24-Oct-13, CH Burmack Gaenjas Crusader At Fwaggle,1-Apr-05, CH Spiceisle Sweet Song Of Angels,1-Apr-05, O: Irene Hetrick, B: Zandi Spicer

Master Silver Jumper 5

CH MACH16 Burmack's HVN Hi V Bobi CD RN MXG4 MJS5 FTC1 MFB2 TQX T2B,D,RM35290502,6-Oct-13, CH Kc's Notorious Kidd At Burmack,1-Sep-01, CH Heaven Hi's Revellie,1-Jan-02, O: Arlene Spooner & James Burrows, B: Jerri Hobbs & James Burrows & Judi Fleischaker & Patrick R Mackesey

Agility FAST Novice

Maximal's Put Your Money Where Your Mouse Is OA AXJ NF,B,RN22943103,5-Oct-13, CH Bleu Spring William Th' Conqueror JE,1-Sep-07, Bleu Springs Dot Net SE,1-Dec-11, O: Beth Mathews-Bradshaw, B: Michelle Barlak

Saint Lazar's Lil' Sapphire AX MXJ NF,B,RN16989802,18-Oct-13, CH Saint Lazar Strikes Back,1-Apr-04, CH Saint Lazar's Diamond Lil,1-Apr-08, O: Mary E Matejcek, B: Wanda Walker & Charles Walker, Time 2 Beat, GCH CH MACH Redfern's Super Trooper, Lights Are Gonna Find Me MXG MJS MXF, 2B", D, RN18451606, 18-Oct-13

CH Shal-Mar's Lucas McCain,1-Sep-04, CH Mickalady's Jasmine Tea 4 Two,1-Jul-09, O: Bonnie Boskovitch & Irene Diritsky, B: Irene Diritsky & Brenda Gala

Coursing Ability

CH Inkwood Ice Pop UD RAE2 OA OAJ NAP NJP NFP CA,B,RM33630001,2-Jun-13, CH Oasis Hot Stuff,1-Jul-99, CH Inkwood India AX AXJ,1-Jun-01, O: Roberta L Berman, B: Polly Pugh & Virginia Antia

Canine Good Citizen

Charlin's La Luna CGC,B,RN24151301,18-Oct-13, CH Y- Not Just Push Play,1-Apr-11, CH Deeon's Blueberry Wine Dxl,1-Apr-11, O: Lelde Barbare, B: Linda H Lewin

NEW TITLES – NOVEMBER 2013

Champion,Manchester Terriers (Standard)

CH Just Stacked And Stylin,B,RN22738801,30-Nov-13, CH Salutoria Stacked And Dangerous,1-Nov-11, CH Toria Just As Good As It Gets,1-Apr-08, O: Victoria Herbert-Thorsland & Linda Hurley & Carol Ross, B: Victoria Herbert-Thorsland & Linda Hurley & Carol Ross

CH Levendi's She Enters With Fire Medley,B,RN24960801,10-Nov-13, GCH CH Medley's Joker's Gamble,1-May-13., GCH CH Medley's Picante Y Sabrosa RA AX MXJ OF,1-May-13, O/B:Christina Caridis

CH Mason De Clouds Tahoe Blue,D,RN24856903,24-Nov-13, CH Medley's Gangster Of Love V. Rainsong BN RN,1-Sep-11, GCH CH Mason De Cloud's Candy Kiss,1-Apr-13, O/B: Michael Cloud

CH Medley's Tenacity,B,RN24856905,9-Nov-13, CH Medley's Gangster Of Love V. Rainsong BN RN,1-Sep-11, GCH CH Mason De Cloud's Candy Kiss,1-Apr-13, O: Noelle Pilat, B: Mr. Michael Cloud

CH Toria A New Leash On Life,D,RN16237807,9-Nov-13, CH Salutoria Just By My Side,1-Jan-06, Thalia's My Time To Shine,1-Jul-08, O: Victoria Herbert-Thorsland & Daniel Thorsland, B: Victoria Herbert-Thorsland & Jo L Meister & Daniel Thorsland

Champion,Manchester Terriers (Toy)

CH Doubletree Call Me Maybe,B,RN24618202,2-Nov-13, GCH CH Heaven Hi's Cornerstone,1-Dec-10, CH Tatty's Remembering Solitaire,1-May-10, O/B: Bradley Jenkins

CH Fwaggles Faux Fur,B,RN25570601,23-Nov-13, CH Mcleans Mark Of Style, Fwaggle Burmack Shopping Spree, O/B: Wendy Kelly & Amanda Kelly

CH Maggical Abbracadabra,B,RN19279101,9-Nov-13, CH Rosewood Maggical Warrior,1-Aug-02, CH Maggical Taking It By Storm,1-Feb-08, O/B: Charles L Williams & Debbie Williams

Grand Champion, Manchester Terriers (Toy)

GCH CH Baysides Cody Joy,B,RN23109503,9-Nov-13, GCH CH Rosewood Casanova,1-Apr-07, GCH CH Heaven Hi's Milestone,1-Jun-11, O: Stan Umlauf & Dianna L Texer, B: Dianna L Texer

GCH CH Heaven Hi's Tickle My Fanci,B,RN22878203,9-Nov-13, CH Heaven Hi's Keystone1-Dec-11, CH Evrmor's Fanci V Burmack,1-Jun-11, O: Julie Hartigan & Jerri Hobbs, B: Jerri Hobbs

Companion Dog

GCH CH Medley's Hot Apple Cider CD BN RA,B,RN16357001,24-Nov-13, CH Salutoria Just By My Side,1-Jan-06 CH Medley's Blackberry Brandy BN,1-Aug-08 O: Rachel Berrend B: Sherrill Printemps & Tamara Myers

Starfire's Little Joe Of Subira CD RE,D,RN19604906,14-Nov-13, CH Starfire's Naughty Johny Five,1-Dec-05 Rustic Lane Uptown Girl,1-May-06 O: Thomas Brown & Viola Brown B: Erin Hines & Barbara Odell & William Buell

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013, Cont.

Rally Advanced Excellent 2

MACH Rocrills Fancy Dancer RAE2 MXS MJS AXP AJP XF,B,RN09865306,3-Nov-13 Trilogy's Master Design,1-Mar-06 Trilogy Fire On Ice Rocrill,1-Mar-06 O: Eileen Jaffe B: Nancy Elliott & Theresa Pavlica

Novice Agility

CH Neverland Justa Kerigold Gigilo CDX RE NA NAJ ME,D,RN11387302,30-Nov-13 CH Neverland's Moody Blue CDX RN OA OAP OAJ OJP,1-Sep-06 CH Inkwood Ice Pop UD RAE2 OA OAJ NAP NJP NFP CA,1-Sep-06 O: Mrs. Carol Ann Wert & Mr. Harry F Wert B: Roberta L Berman

Open Agility

Tempest The Jumping Jack CDX BN RE OA NAJ NF,D,RN20726203,10-Nov-13 CH Tempest Sense And Sensibility CD RE,1-Nov-09 CH Rosewood Sophisticated Lady,1-Sep-10 O: Mrs. Katie Meyer B: Paula T Hradkowsky

Master Agility Excellent

Prada MX MXJ MJB THD,B,RN14432202,17-Nov-13 CH Salutoria Just By My Side,1-Jan-06 CH Salutare Somthin To Talk About,1-Oct-07 O: Daniel McGhinnis & Heather McGhinnis B: Jack Shastid & Geraldine M Shastid

Master Agility Excellent

CH Toria Just Cowgirl Up VCD2 RN MX MXJ,B,RN09908802,29-Nov-13 CH Just Ta Ta For Now VCD1 RE OA OAJ NAP NJP ME,1-May-05 CH Salutare Just Say The Word,1-May-05 O: Linda Hurley B: Victoria Herbert & Linda Hurley & Carol Ross

Master Silver Agility

CH MACH Kreuzritters Touch The Flame CD RE MXS MJC OF T2B CA,D,RN05305601,23-Nov-13 CH Kreuzritters Fire For Effect Starfire's No Foolin Burmack O: L. Nonog B: Elizabeth Sandford & James G Burrows Jr. & Barbara O'Dell & Coleen Jaehnig

Master Agility Excellent Preferred

MACH Rocrills Fancy Dancer RAE2 MXS MJS MXP AJP XF,B,RN09865306,9-Nov-13 Trilogy's Master Design,1-Mar-06 Trilogy Fire On Ice Rocrill,1-Mar-06 O: Eileen Jaffe B: Nancy Elliott & Theresa Pavlica

Novice Agility Jumper, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Jetcity Southern Comfort NAJ,B,RN24212601,31-Jul-12,17-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,GCH CH Oasis Hi Jack The Show,D,RN11209401,1-Nov-09,Jetcity Hotchickolatte,B,RN19251003,1-Nov-12,Linda Zaeske & Karen Langlois & Lisa Nonog, & Jaya Joshi & Pria Joshi

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013, Cont.

Open Agility Jumper, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Tempest The Jumping Jack CDX BN RE OA OAJ NF,D,RN20726203,20-May-10,30-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Tempest Sense And Sensibility CD RE,D,RN08387502,1-Nov-09,CH Rosewood Sophisticated Lady,B,RN12298202,1-Sep-10,Mrs. Katie Meyer, Paula T Hradkowsky

Open Agility Jumper, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Trinity's Play It Again Sam NA OAJ NF,D,RN16477905,22-May-08,30-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Layclyf Mint Chip CDX RAE AX AXJ NFP,D,RM35801703,1-Aug-08,CH Trinity's Raise A Ruckus,B,RN12236801,1-Sep-08,Robin Fortenberry, Irene Hetrick

Master Bronze Jumper, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Prada AX MXJ MJB THD,B,RN14432202,12-Jun-07,16-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Salutoria Just By My Side,D,RN07149703,1-Jan-06,CH Salulaire Somthin To Talk About,B,RM32081301,1-Oct-07,Daniel McGhinnis & Heather McGhinnis, Jack Shastid & Geraldine M Shastid

Master Gold Jumper, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

GCH CH MACH Redfern's Super Trooper, Lights Are Gonna Find Me MXG MJG MXF T2B",D,RN18451606,27-Feb-09,22-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Shal-Mar's Lucas McCain,D,RM33253306,1-Sep-04,CH Mickalady's Jasmine Tea 4 Two,B,RN05161205,1-Jul-09,Bonnie Boskovitch & Irene Diritsky, Irene Diritsky & Brenda Gala

Master Excellent Jumper Preferred, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

MACH Rocrills Fancy Dancer RAE2 MXS MJS MXP MJP XF,B,RN09865306,26-Sep-05,10-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,Trilogy's Master Design,D,RM36661401,1-Mar-06,Trilogy Fire On Ice Rocrill,B,RM33219601,1-Mar-06,Eileen Jaffe, Nancy Elliott & Theresa Pavlica

Agility FAST Novice, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Trinity's Play It Again Sam NA NAJ NF,D,RN16477905,22-May-08,15-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Layclyf Mint Chip CDX RAE AX AXJ NFP,D,RM35801703,1-Aug-08,CH Trinity's Raise A Ruckus,B,RN12236801,1-Sep-08,Robin Fortenberry, Irene Hetrick

Agility FAST Open, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

CH Neverland's Gold Star CD RE OA NAJ OF CAA CGCA,D,RN11387303,22-Apr-06,2-Nov-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Neverland's Moody Blue CDX RN OA OAP OAJ OJP,D,RM06811201,1-Sep-06,CH Inkwood Ice Pop UD RAE2 OA OAJ NAP NJP NFP CA,B,RM33630001,1-Sep-06,Roberta Berman & Stuart Berman

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013, Cont.

Coursing Ability Advanced, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Wilane's Whiskey River CAA,D,RN23718404,4-Mar-12,26-Oct-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Wilane's Undeniable,D,RM32059901,1-Nov-01,GCH CH Wilane's Sophisticated Lady,B,RN18917606,1-Jul-12,Susan Ramsbottom & Barbara Wood, Barbara Wood & Bob Wood & Joann Emerick

Coursing Ability Excellent, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

CH Caldec's Lily Of The Valley BN RA MX MXJ MXP MJP NF NFP CAX,B,RN10063302,27-Apr-05,27-Oct-13,Blk & Tn.,CH MACH Kreuzritters Touch The Flame CD RE MXS MJC OF T2B CA,D,RN05305601,1-Dec-06,Kreuzritters Oppsy Daisy,B,RM36129302,,Susan Ramsbottom & Pat Calder, ,Patricia A Calder & Elizabeth Sanford

NEW TITLES – DECEMBER 2013

Champion

CH Kismet's Final Reveille,B,RN24426406,6-Dec-13 CH Kismet's Legend Of The West,1-Dec-12 GCH CH Ebets Mint Julep At Kismet RE,1-Nov-07 O: Loretta Lee Clemens B: Mary Gonzalez

Novice Agility, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Jetcity Southern Comfort NA NAJ,B,RN24212601,31-Jul-12,6-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,GCH CH Oasis Hi Jack The Show,D,RN11209401,1-Nov-09,Jetcity Hotchickolatte,B,RN19251003,1-Nov-12,Linda Zaeske & Karen Langlois & Lisa Nonog, Lisa Nonog & Jaya Joshi & Pria Joshi

Novice Agility Preferred, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Tollchester Black Vortex NAP NJP,D,RN23716401,1-Apr-06,8-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Oakwoods Evan Of Caerleon,D,RN08059202,1-Mar-07,CH Demonmoon Black Star,B,RN05813901,Simone Sortwell

Open Agility, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Lone Star Lolita RA OA OAJ CA,B,PAL256483,19-Jul-08,29-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,,D,,,B,,,Amy Wukotich,5138 W Strong,,Chicago,IL,60630

Open Agility, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Wilane's Listening To The Wind OA OAJ,D,RN18917608,9-Jun-09,1-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Wilane's Undeniable,D,RM32059901,1-Nov-01,CH Starfire's Last Batch Of Kandi,B,RN09136105,1-Sep-08,Deborah A Compel,Barbara Wood & Barbara Odell

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013, Cont.

Master Century Agility, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

"GCH CH MACH Redfern's Super Trooper, Lights Are Gonna Find Me MXC MJG MXF T2B",D,RN18451606,27-Feb-09,1-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Shal-Mar's Lucas McCain,D,RM33253306,1-Sep-04,CH Mickalady's Jasmine Tea 4 Two,B,RN05161205,1-Jul-09,Bonnie Boskovitch & Irene Diritsky,Irene Diritsky & Brenda Gala

Master Agility Excellent Preferred 2, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

CH Caldecs Lily Of The Valley BN RA MX MXJ MXP2 MJP NF NFP CAX,B,RN10063302,27-Apr-05,1-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH MACH Kreuzritters Touch The Flame CD RE MXS MJB2 OF T2B CA,D,RN05305601,1-Dec-06,Kreuzritters Oppsy Daisy,B,RM36129302, Susan Ramsbottom & Pat Calder, Patricia A Calder & Elizabeth Sanford

Novice Agility Jumper Preferred, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Tollchester Black Vortex NAP NJP,D,RN23716401,1-Apr-06,8-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Oakwoods Evan Of Caerleon,D,RN08059202,1-Mar-07,CH Demonmoon Black Star,B,RN05813901, Simone Sortwell

Open Agility Jumper, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Wilane's Listening To The Wind OA OAJ,D,RN18917608,9-Jun-09,1-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Wilane's Undeniable,D,RM32059901,1-Nov-01,CH Starfire's Last Batch Of Kandi,B,RN09136105,1-Sep-08,Deborah A Compel, Barbara Wood & Barbara Odell

Master Bronze Jumper, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Emily Lucy Von Burg Uda MX MXJ MJB NF T2B,B,RN22498501,11-Dec-10,6-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,Black Bandits Linus,D,UR03315701,First Lady Vom Pokerface,B,UR03315801,,Beth Mathews-Bradshaw, Kristen Dregger

Master Bronze Jumper 2,Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

CH MACH Kreuzritters Touch The Flame CD RE MXS MJB2 OF T2B CA,D,RN05305601,4-Jul-03,8-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,1-Dec-06,CH Kreuzritters Fire For Effect,D,RM37221903,,Starfire's No Foolin Burmack,B,RM34507501,L. Nonog, Elizabeth Sandford & James G Burrows Jr. & Barbara O'Dell & Coleen Jaehnig

Master Excellent Jumper Preferred 2, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

CH Caldecs Lily Of The Valley BN RA MX MXJ MXP2 MJP2 NF NFP CAX,B,RN10063302,27-Apr-05,15-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH MACH Kreuzritters Touch The Flame CD RE MXS MJB2 OF T2B CA,D,RN05305601,1-Dec-06,Kreuzritters Oppsy Daisy,B,RM36129302,,Susan Ramsbottom & Pat Calder, Patricia A Calder & Elizabeth Sanford

NEW TITLES – October, November, December 2013, Cont.

Agility FAST Novice, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Jetcity Southern Comfort NA NAJ NF,B,RN24212601,31-Jul-12,15-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,GCH CH Oasis Hi Jack The Show,D,RN11209401,1-Nov-09,Jetcity Hotchickolatte,B,RN19251003,1-Nov-12,Linda Zaeske & Karen Langlois & Lisa Nonog, Lisa Nonog & Jaya Joshi & Pria Joshi

Agility FAST Excellent, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

Jetcity Dragon Fire Flyz CD RE MX MXJ MJB XF T2B,D,RN15036301,21-Oct-07,7-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Bellflower Ebony Fireglow,D,RN03081501,1-Jan-08,CH MACH Caldec Lmn Firefly CD RE MXS MJG OF T2B,B,RN10063301,1-Jan-08,Elaine Sperry & Lisa Nonog, Lisa Nonog

Master Agility Champion 3,Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

MACH3 Rocrill Fast-N-Furious MXG MJC XF T2B,D,RN09865303,26-Sep-05,7-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,Trilogy's Master Design,D,RM36661401,1-Mar-06,Trilogy Fire On Ice Rocrill,B,RM33219601,1-Mar-06,Beth Mathews-Bradshaw, Nancy Elliott & Theresa Pavlica

Master Agility Champion 17, Manchester Terriers, The Terrier Group

CH MACH17 Burmack's HVN Hi V Bobi CD RN MXC4 MJS5 FTC1 MFB2 TQX T2B,D,RM35290502,14-Sep-01,7-Dec-13,Blk & Tn.,CH Kc's Notorious Kidd At Burmack,D,RM31533703,1-Sep-01,CH Heaven Hi's Revellie,B,RM18018004,1-Jan-02,Arlene Spooner & James Burrows, Jerri Hobbs & James Burrows & Judi Fleischaker & Patrick R Mackesey

Time 2 Beat Emily Lucy Von Burg Uda MX MXJ MJB NF T2B,B,RN22498501,6-Dec-13 Black Bandits Linus First Lady Vom Pokerface O: Beth Mathews-Bradshaw B: Kristen Dregger

Time 2 Beat Preferred Bellflower Beaujes Muchado CD RAE AX MXJ OAP OJP OF 2BP,B,RM33084803,15-Dec-13 CH Salutare Mark My Word II,1-Feb-01 CH Salutare As You Like It CD RN,1-Jan-00 O: Elaine Sperry B: Alvedia Viles

Coursing Ability

CH Ambricks Fullmoon Oasis CA,D,RN23740403,17-Nov-13 CH Ambricks I Got The Jazz,1-Jun-04 GCH CH Ambricks Tailor Made Oasis,1-Jul-12 O: Beverly McGhghy B: Marla Zoz & Gary Anderson & Judy Anderson & Timothy Zoz

Canine Good Citizen

Kenji CGC,D,PAL261041,7-Nov-13 D,,, B,,, O: Nicole Sales

**AMERICAN MANCHESTER TERRIER CLUB
FINANCIAL STATEMENT CONSOLIDATED**

Dedicated Funds	From 2012	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Ending Balance
Rescue	\$3,852.66		\$283.00	\$706.00	(\$596.51)	\$600.00		(\$405.54)	\$107.33	\$95.32		\$145.00	\$272.00	\$5,056.66
Health Committee	\$1,388.75		\$20.00						\$107.33	\$395.32		\$75.00	\$182.00	\$1,998.40
District 1	\$539.62								\$10.00					\$569.62
District 2	\$892.85			(\$222.75)									\$35.00	\$700.10
District 3	\$133.30			(\$17.99)	(\$19.79)	\$69.00						(\$21.75)	(\$25.90)	\$116.87
District 4	\$1,238.49						(\$52.80)			(\$92.26)		\$50.00		\$1,144.43
District 5	\$1,752.57					\$50.00			\$40.00	(\$443.30)	\$71.00		\$15.00	\$1,425.27
District 6	\$2,708.80			\$15.00	(\$100.35)	\$112.00				(\$1.86)	\$42.00	\$35.00	\$50.00	\$2,775.45
District 7	\$707.68		(\$1.00)			\$126.90								\$908.72
District 8	\$2,106.74		(\$105.00)	(\$89.99)	\$827.00	(\$49.51)	(\$182.76)	\$254.57	\$42.00	(\$75.00)		\$60.00	\$212.66	\$3,000.71
Beginning Balance	\$32,031.62	\$32,031.62	\$32,031.62	\$33,012.38	\$35,033.01	\$35,343.91	\$34,725.50	\$33,659.08	\$33,458.11	\$34,163.61	\$35,487.55	\$34,211.90	\$32,377.00	\$35,408.29
REVENUE:		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Y-T-D
Agility Trial			\$780.00	\$210.00	\$2,175.00	\$35.00			\$10.00			\$70.00	\$480.00	\$3,103.24
Breeder's Listing			\$20.00								\$10.00		\$35.00	\$1,085.00
District 1														\$30.00
District 2													\$35.00	\$45.00
District 3						\$66.00				\$20.00		\$50.00		\$69.00
District 4													\$15.00	\$70.00
District 5				\$15.00		\$50.00					\$71.00			\$136.00
District 6			\$64.00			\$112.00								\$127.00
District 7			\$10.00	\$30.00	\$827.00	\$126.90	\$417.24	\$422.00	\$42.00		\$42.00	\$35.00	\$425.41	\$317.90
District 8			\$1,200.00	\$1,465.00	\$150.00	\$240.00	\$30.00		\$140.00		\$30.00	\$1,315.00	\$1,120.00	\$6,690.00
Membership Dues												\$291.88		\$291.88
Earth Dog Trial														\$2,308.65
Hall of Fame														\$6,690.00
Medallions									\$10.00					\$20.00

AMTC Financial Statements, Cont.

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Y-T-O
Health Committee								\$107.33	\$295.32		\$25.00	\$178.00	\$609.65
Judge Education							\$10.00						\$10.00
National 2013									\$1,719.50				\$1,719.50
Auction									\$595.00				\$1,185.00
Banquet / Dinners							\$525.00	\$1,540.00	\$595.00				\$1,185.00
Catalog (Advertising)								\$156.00					\$156.00
Catalog (Sales)									\$202.25				\$202.25
Earth Dog Trial									\$676.00				\$676.00
Merchandise T-Shirts & Sweaters							\$190.00	\$140.00	\$555.00				\$885.00
Vendor Refund									\$24.00				\$24.00
Superintendent / Onofrio									\$976.05			\$50.00	\$1,026.05
Trophy Donation Fund	\$135.00	\$15.00	\$55.00	\$25.00	\$215.00	\$10.00	\$130.00	\$100.00	\$10.00	\$30.00		\$125.00	\$860.00
Newsletter													\$50.00
Advertising													\$20.00
Subscriptions		\$10.00											\$20.00
Public Education, Calendars					\$123.28			\$107.33	\$95.32			\$22.00	\$224.65
Purina Parent Club Program					\$600.00								\$123.28
Rescue		\$283.00	\$1,800.00	\$55.00	\$600.00			\$107.33	\$95.32		\$145.00	\$272.00	\$3,357.65
Secretary of State (CA)					\$55.00								\$55.00
Ways and Means			\$57.00										\$57.00
TOTAL	\$32,031.62	\$32,043.62	\$36,604.38	\$38,295.03	\$36,730.09	\$35,197.74	\$35,021.08	\$35,968.10	\$39,517.37	\$35,660.35	\$36,233.78	\$36,032.65	
EXPENDITURES:													
Agility Trial		\$150.00											\$250.00
AKC Electronic Reporting				\$280.00	\$280.00								\$560.00
AKC Reunite											\$500.00		\$500.00
Disaster Relief Trailers													\$500.00

AMTC Financial Statements, Cont.

District 6	(\$2,708.80)	(\$2,708.80)	(\$2,723.80)	(\$2,623.45)	(\$2,735.45)	(\$2,735.45)	(\$2,735.45)	(\$2,775.45)	(\$2,775.45)	(\$2,775.45)	(\$2,775.45)	(\$2,775.45)
District 7	(\$707.68)	(\$706.68)	(\$706.68)	(\$706.68)	(\$833.58)	(\$833.58)	(\$833.58)	(\$833.58)	(\$833.58)	(\$833.58)	(\$833.58)	(\$833.58)
District 8	(\$2,106.74)	(\$2,001.74)	(\$1,911.75)	(\$2,738.75)	(\$2,689.24)	(\$2,506.48)	(\$2,761.05)	(\$2,803.05)	(\$2,728.05)	(\$2,728.05)	(\$2,728.05)	(\$2,728.05)
AMTC Balance	\$15,301.46	\$15,563.66	\$15,923.73	\$16,018.45	\$16,907.07	\$16,671.51	\$16,520.54	\$16,827.20	\$16,579.42	\$16,664.42	\$16,957.67	\$17,698.43



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American Manchester Terrier Club
c/o Jeanette Tonini
480 Dallas Dr
Campbell, CA 95008

November 25, 2013

Dear American Manchester Terrier Club,

AKC Reunite would like to sincerely thank you for your tax-deductible contribution of \$500 to the AKC Pet Disaster Relief project. Your contribution to AKC Pet Disaster Relief will help purchase a custom trailer fully equipped with the non-perishable supplies Emergency Management needs to create a safe, temporary home-base for animals displaced because of a disaster. Your contribution has been added to the total for the General Trailer Funds.

Each and every dollar given is truly appreciated and directly routed into assisting Emergency Management teams:

- co-locate humans with their animal companions during a disaster evacuation.
- house pets displaced in a safe, pop-up shelter where they can be reunited with their owners.

Thank you for choosing AKC Reunite as the recipient of these funds. We greatly appreciate your generous donation to Help Us Roll Out Help.

Yours Truly,

Thomas W. Sharp
CEO
AKC Reunite

For Your Tax Records:
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NEWS AND NOTES - Please send your information to Cheryl Roach at lakewaymanchesters@gmail.com or cjroach6@gmail.com to have info, events, photos, etc.... added to the next Newsletter. The newsletter is only as good as what is put into it - please contribute - **every voice is important** =D

Comments and/or Corrections to the previous Newsletter - I got pretty harsh criticism from a member who said the animals in the pictures looked like dachshunds and giraffes - I apologize - I am working on my picture skills - I also continue to work on the Table of Contents numbers - the Editor.

Fund Raiser!!! We have calendars available! Please contact Mary Gonzalez at rexy5711@yahoo.com if you would like to order some. They are \$21.00 a piece, including shipping, and remember the proceeds go to Rescue, Health, and the National Fund. Thanks to everyone who has already purchased theirs and supported this fund raiser. We will be making calendars for 2015 as well

Blast from the Past (Some things never change) (Submitted by Janet Varner)

From the March 7, 1955 Sports Illustrated - **HE GOES AS IS**

Sirs:

First of all I want to congratulate you on your very fine article on the Westminster Show and the "ins and outs" of dog shows, handlers and what have you. I enjoyed it immensely and I think the non-doggy and slightly-doggy public will find it most entertaining and informative.

I have a bone to pick with you and/or [Mr. Arthur Singer](#). In the chart showing the genealogy there is a picture of a little dog below which the name "Miniature Pinscher" appears. The dog pictured is a Toy Manchester Terrier, of which there can be no doubt, as the Miniature Pinscher has both cropped ears and a docked tail. I have nothing against the little Pinschers, thinking they are a very handsome little dog, but a Toy Manchester goes "as is" and no mutilation is necessary to make him the smart-looking dog that he is. My Toy Manchester Terrier, Ch. Whisky Neat of Bum-met Brook, placed best of opposite sex last year.

RUTH TAFT HOBBS
Shrewsbury, Mass.

Events - Upcoming

District 8

District 8 will present their annual specialty on Friday at the "Woofstock Cluster" of shows in Vallejo, CA June 6 - 9, 2013. The Specialty will be held after the BIS on Friday June 7, 2013. There will be a supported entry for standards and toys each day. Sweepstakes Classes will be offered each day of the Cluster.

Events - Upcoming, Cont.

2014 AMTC National Specialty Info



[The 2014 AMTC National: To be held with the Bluegrass Cluster, the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington KY.](#)

To be held with the Bluegrass Cluster
At the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington KY.

Preliminary Dates

Thursday, August 28, 2014 Dist. 6 Supported

Friday, August 29, 2014 Dist. 5 Specialty

Saturday, August 30, 2014 AMTC National, Judge: Mr. Alfred J. Ferruggiaro

Sunday, August 31, 2014 Dist. 4 Specialty

Monday, September 1, 2014 Dist. 6 Specialty

Host Hotel - Clarion Hotel

1950 Newtown Pike
Lexington, KY.40511
PH. 859-233-0512

Events - Upcoming, Cont.

2014 AMTC National Specialty Info, Cont.

If you would like to donate to the trophy fund. Please mail a check to the Treasurer
Jeanette Tonini 480 Dallas Dr. Campbell CA. 95008

Please make check payable to AMTC and write on memo line for 2014 National Trophy fund.

We will put in the newsletter people who donate:

Bronze \$15.00	Gold \$ 50.00
Silver \$25.00	Platinum \$100.00

Photos of the Quarter - "Covered UP"!!



(Submitted by Rachel Jonas)

Photos of the Quarter - "Covered UP", Cont.



Wilbur is Covered Up! (Submitted by Brian Muncy)



Three are Covered up! (Submitted by Judy Anderson)

Photos of the Quarter - "Covered UP", Cont.



Posh - Burmack's Uptown Girl at Newbeg - is Covered up!
(Submitted by Rachel Bring)

SIX IS TOO MANY

by Jerri Hobbs

The first time I decided to breed Aspen we ended up with one male puppy I called Lonesome George. George was my first experience ever with raising a single pup and it was an interesting experience. Thanks to all the people who answered my frantic questions, George is thriving – running his Beauceron “brother” Iago, keeping an eye on his owners young daughter and managing the custom furniture business his owner works for.

I thought a long time about breeding Aspen again. She is a very nice bitch carrying the pedigree I have spent years developing and I had the opportunity to breed her to a dog with the temperament, conformation and size she needed. So, of course, we went for it.

Worried about everything, I had her x-rayed and the vet counted three pups. Aspen was absolutely huge so, concerned about the size of these whelps (I lost George’s even bigger brother because of his size) I talked to the Vet about scheduling the very first c-section I’ve ever thought about with a TMT.

SIX IS TOO MANY, Cont.

My Vet thought I was being silly and said so but she also gave me her numbers and said I could call her if I really needed to. My roommate is a doctor so I asked him to bring a stethoscope home. He and his wife had bred Dobermans and I remembered Bobi telling me that Gordon could count heartbeats and accurately tell her how many pups to expect.

He also said to expect three.

OK. I got everything set up and was ready when Aspen, always the Diva, finally decided to get with the program. When she started hard labor I saw a protrusion but it was so small, I really did think it was the mucus plug. Then I realized it was moving. Stepped in to help at that point and with just a little bit of a pull, had a tiny puppy. Aspen got her cleaned up, I cleared her lungs and the second I gave her back to Aspen, she started eating. Little but tough. I'd been so thrilled to get a bitch I didn't care about the little but was sure happy to see her nurse so quickly.

Whoops!! Little girl only got a couple swallows before Aspen was up and at it again. I heated up the snuggle buddy and put her and it in the small box out of the way so I could watch Aspen. This time there was no doubt it was a pup and bigger. Again, I helped, got him out and cleared his head. As Aspen started to clean him up, I clamped and cut the umbilical cord intending to leave the forceps on for a minute or two. When I started to pick him up to dry him off and weigh him, there seemed to be quite a bit of blood. Then I realized the clamp and all of the remaining cord was lying there, unattached to the pup. The stump of the cord had pulled away from the belly leaving the umbilical site open and gently pulsing blood with every heart beat.

Trying hard not to panic, I tried to hold the pup still while I applied pressure to the navel. This sounds very simple but, alone, holding a still wet and slippery puppy whose mother wanted him back and whose tiny sister was starting to fuss, panic seemed a reasonable alternative.

I left him wrapped up, put the small pup back in with Aspen and went to find tape intending to cover the navel and tape it tight. Also not as easy as it sounds to do by yourself. I did finally manage to more or less stop the bleeding but the puppy looked like a mummy because just one time around didn't work. He had tape from the loin to the front legs. From then on, I called him Tut.

Thank God for friends. I couldn't leave Aspen alone, the Vet wasn't in yet and the pup was still losing blood. So I called Pat. She arrived soon with Super Glue and, between the two of us, we managed to pinch up a fold of skin across the navel and glue it shut. Of course we pretty much glued ourselves to the puppy and to each other but it did stop the bleeding and, unlike the tape, Aspen wouldn't be able to remove it.

Pat stuck around while I put on a pot of coffee and we made sure the pup wasn't still bleeding and then she went home and I started thinking about how I could do something nice enough to thank her.

The two pups nursed long enough to get tired and went to sleep with their mama curled around them making sure they were warm and I enjoyed the moment while I slugged down a huge mug of strong coffee. After a reasonable interval, Aspen delivered another male, a little smaller than the first. No drama this time but I was very careful about where I clamped the cord!

SIX IS TOO MANY, Cont.

So, we had three. I looked at Aspen and realized she hadn't paid any attention to the experts and certainly had more puppies. So much for technology.

Three puppies later she delivered another bitch!!! Hooray!!! Two GIRLS and exactly twice as many pups as the Vet and the Doctor had predicted. But, two of them were GIRLS. The only thing that would have made me happier was if the numbers had reversed and I'd had four girls but everybody was strong and doing well so it was all good.

During the course of the day, Tut had started seeping again and, with Gordon's help, I had glued him again. The last time was quite late his first night but I was still seeing fresh blood in the morning so I called the Vet and took him in thinking she would stitch him shut and wondering how I would keep Aspen from chewing it open.

Turned out, Dr. Francis had a better type of glue. It is called Tissue Glue and is used on human newborns with the same problem. So Tut got glued back together again. And, a couple days later, once more. There was some concern the second time because there seemed to be a protrusion through the navel that might have been a rupture. Turned out to be just a bit of swollen tissue which had been irritated by Aspen's tongue. When the glue wore away I put a dab of Bitter Apple on that one spot so she would avoid it and Tut's belly turned out just fine. Smooth and perfect.

Aspen, Diva or not, is a wonderful mother and the pups were thriving. Not happy with the tiny girl's gains, I did give her and the smallest of the males time alone with their mother several times a day and that did the trick for them.

I spent hours, as I always do, just watching the pups over the next several weeks enjoying what always seems like a vacation after raising Saint pups who's mothers are much less careful with their babies. The first three weeks or so with Saints I never left the mothers alone with the whelps because it only took a few minutes for one to get in a bad spot and be crushed or smothered. I never knew what it was like to leave a litter and go to bed until the pups' eyes opened and they could see, walk and hear. Even then it was up and down for me as I checked every noise at night unless the bitch was in her crate.

Of course, there is always a flip side.

Six pups CRAP A LOT. Even six small pups CRAP A LOT. By the time they were ready to be out of the pen and on the floor, Aspen was not willing to clean up after them and I realized that six pups really do CRAP A LOT! And, it was winter. Far too cold for pups to be outside at all.

First, I bought huge amounts of cheap paper towels. I am fanatic about pups not being on hard, slick surfaces so I had to be able to pick up A LOT of individual piles and puddles from the flooring I use. Also had to have a way to keep said flooring clean and was using the very dilute Clorox solution that I have depended on forever. I used the towels to pick up and sop up, sprayed with Clorox and more towels to wipe it dry. Within a few days the skin on my hands looked like raw meat and hurt like the devil.

I decided to get a sponge mop and use it instead of my hands and so many towels. I use x-pens around the flooring so I was usually able to move it enough to pick up A LOT of piles and then clean the floor with the mop which was living in a bucket of very dilute Clorox water. And I could get clear across the pen with the mop to catch the puddles. That was much easier.

SIX IS TOO MANY, Cont.

At night I put the pups and Aspen back into the whelping pen to sleep and did a more thorough job of cleaning the flooring. I also discovered (I may be the last dog person in America to learn this) that Fabreze does a very good job of cutting the odor of dirty paper towels. I kept a garbage bag by the pen and sprayed it whenever the smell got noticeable so was able to keep the pen clean and the dining room from smelling like a dirty kennel. And my poor hands healed up too.

The pups are nearly 12 weeks as I write this and I am happy to tell you that five of them are in their new homes. Only one of the people on my waiting list was still interested when I contacted them so I turned to my website and also advertised on PuppyFind.

After waiting ten years, my daughter-in-law decided it was time for my granddaughter, Tea, to get a pup. She, of course, got pick of the litter. I admit to being relieved when she picked a male... Another male went to the young man on my list and another went to a young couple who had researched breeds looking for a small, low maintenance, intelligent breed that would alert Ashley, who is hearing impaired, to noises. Greg works nights and she was nervous about being alone. Sounded like a perfect situation to me and is working out real well.

I was very concerned about finding good placements for the boys as my experience has been that they are usually the more difficult to find homes for and I am extremely limited in the number of dogs I can keep. I'm hoping this is a sign of things to come.

Both girls are in show homes. I have strings on both and am looking forward to seeing them in the ring. May even get to show them occasionally.

This was the biggest litter of TMTs I've raised. With this experience behind me it would take extraordinary circumstances to make me consider raising another winter litter. I think it is important to get pups up and outside at an early age which was impossible and the added problem of not even being able to open doors and windows to keep the puppy room aired out was a major issue.

Little girl was the smallest pup I've dealt with and she taught me a lesson about strength and attitude. Tut's umbilical cord pulling completely off the belly was another new experience. Super Glue is now a must have in my whelping kit. Using the mop so much was also new and I will plan to use it again. Getting to old to do all that bending even if it is good for me.

Raising dogs is an ongoing learning experience. I am already looking forward to my next. Also hoping you might learn from my experience.

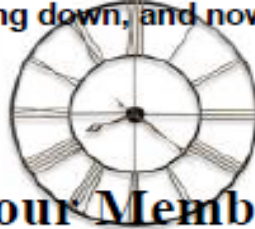
Miscellaneous Pictures



2013 Best of Breed Eukanuba Owner Handler Series - "Wilbur"

Rubicon's First Flight from KCM - Bred and Owned by Brian Muncy, Randy Sullivan and Kelly Craig

Time is ticking down, and now's the time to



Renew Your Membership in the *American Manchester Terrier Club*

Membership fees for 2014 are due by January 1, 2014. Renewing your membership is quick and easy. Simply complete the Membership Form below and return it along with your check made - Payable to **AMTC**.
Fees in US Dollars and drawn on a US bank.

Family - \$35.00

Single - \$30.00

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Please check here if all information in the **2013 AMTC Directory** is correct.

Please check here if all the information on your **Breeder Referral List** is correct.

If you did not check one of the boxes above, please provide the updated information below. Adhere a return address label or please print clearly all-valuable information.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone numbers: _____

Email Addresses: _____

Kennel Name: _____

District #: _____

Your Website Address: _____

Member Since: _____

Variety: Standard Toy

Any of your donations to the AMTC Funds and District Funds would be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance for all your support !

- **DUES:** \$ _____
- **Breeders Referral Listing:** \$ _____ (\$35.00) "One" Year on the **AMTC** site.
- **Trophy & Expenses Fund:** \$ _____
- **Health Fund:** \$ _____
- **Rescue Fund:** \$ _____
- **Other Funds:** _____ \$ _____
- **District #:** _____ \$ _____

TOTAL: _____

Please Send Completed Form and Check to:

**Jeanette Tonini, AMTC Treasurer,
480 Dallas Drive, Campbell, California 95008**

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This goes to the secretary, also. It should be in by Jan. 1st.

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Print Name

Signature

Date

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Please select which committee you would like to chair or serve on then fill in your name at the bottom of the list.

Anyone offering to chair a committee please complete the lower portion of the page.
Remember you can check off as many as you have interest in.

Chair Committee member

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