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# Newspaper

**October 2015**

A monthly publication dedicated to our members and their dogs.

*Brought to you by the Newfoundland Club of Northern California*

## Calendar

Guests are welcome at general meetings and all other events!

### **Fall Draft Tests**

*Saturday, December 5, 2015*

*Sunday, December 6, 2015 (incl. DDX)*

Auburn Recreational Park

Cathy Sayre

Auburn, CA

### **Holiday Party & Board/General Meeting**

*Saturday, December 12, 2015*

**Board 10 am/Potluck 11:30 am/General 12 pm**

Check with host before bringing dogs

Linda Maggy

Hayward, CA

### **Board/General Meeting**

*Saturday, January 16, 2016*

**Board 10 am/Potluck 11:30 am/General 12 pm**

Check with host before bringing dogs

Hazel Jacoby

Castro Valley, CA

### **Annual Meeting & Awards Banquet**

*Saturday, February 20, 2016*

Dawn Druge & June Gibson

Location TBD

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### **NCA Links**

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### **Regional Volunteers Needed**

#### **CERF Clinic on Oct. 24 and 25**

**We need volunteers to help with forms, assist the doctor and put drops in dog's eyes. The clinic is Saturday 9-4 and Sunday 9-12. We should have at least 4 people at all times. If you are able to put in a two hour shift please call or e-mail Linda Maggy, phone: [510-886-9385](tel:510-886-9385) or e-mail [merlem3@aol.com](mailto:merlem3@aol.com).**

**Also, we're looking for a volunteer to be "Roaming Reporter": watch the goings on and write an article for the NewfTide afterward. We can provide the article guidelines if needed.**

## **President's Message**

NCNC members and their dogs were very active and very successful during the past month. (Show results are listed elsewhere in the Newfs Paper.) Of note: Bordeaux (Ann Cramer) and Austin (Laura & Kevin Gallagher) won Best of Breed awards. Dexter (Joyce Taylor) won multiple Best of Breed awards, two G1, two G2, and a BIS award. At the NCNC Fall water test, three senior re-qualifiers were successful: Jeter (Robinson), Rose (Littleford) and Ready (Pearson). Congratulations to all!

If you haven't already done so, check out the **new NCNC website** format. Thank you Kevin Gallagher, the webmaster.

The NCNC Board is seeking a new chair(s) to organize the **2016 NCNC Picnic**. The last two years the event has been very successfully held at the City of San Leandro Marina Park (Seagull Group Area). This past year it was held on April 25. We have a volunteer who can reserve the park site again when it becomes available, but we need someone to organize the event. John & Elisa Morozumi, who chaired the last two picnics, can advise you how to

proceed. Please contact me if you are interested.

The **2015 Regional Specialty** in Dixon hosted by NCNC is rapidly approaching (Friday, October 23, 2015). The premium list is now available. Please check the NCNC website and newsletters for more information. If you would like to volunteer to help with the show, it is not too late. Contact Gina Bonnell.

The NCA Board approved a proposal from co-chairs Kevin Gallagher (NCNC) and Chris Lyden (Seattle) to jointly host the **2017 NCA National Specialty** at the Salishan Spa and Golf Resort in Gleneden Beach on the Oregon coast. It is a very attractive venue in a beautiful location. It is about a 2 ½ hour drive from the Portland International Airport, and there is a large RV park with full hook-ups and ocean view nearby. Kevin will discuss status of the show at the December club meeting (the holiday party). If you are interested in helping with the show, please contact Kevin.

With the Fall season now upon us, it is time for draft work with our Newfs! NCNC is planning to have a **draft seminar** in early October, and **Draft Tests** at Auburn on December 5 – 6, 2015, which will include both a traditional (DD/TDD) test and a new excellent level (DDX) test. Check the NCNC website and newsletters for more information.

A **Nominating Committee** was chosen at the last club meeting, chaired by Pam Rubio. The committee will select a proposed slate for the next election of NCNC Board and Officers, which the committee will present to the Board by December 10. Contact Pam if you are interested in running for NCNC office. At the first club meeting in January, nominations will also be accepted from the floor. If an election is required to resolve positions with multiple nominees, the election will be held by written ballot with results counted and announced at the February Annual meeting.

The next NCNC meeting will be the **annual holiday party** on December 12, 2015, at the home of Linda and Merle Maggy. There will be much food and festivities. Start thinking about gifts to bring for the legendary gift exchange and thievery. I always look forward to this party!

We have lots of activities planned for you and your dogs. As always, check the calendar section of the Newfs Paper or the NCNC website for more details. I hope to see you there!

Have fun with your Newfs!

~ John Pearson, NCNC President

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## Newfoundland Health and Rescue

### Dogs in Rescue

Here is a status of the dogs currently in rescue:

- Sunny- 4-6 year old female Landseer mix.
- Willow - A six month old black female. Recovering from surgery.

**Dogs placed in their forever homes:**

- Cyrus - 6 year old black male ADOPTED.
- Sadie - 8 year old female ADOPTED.

If you have an interest in adopting a wonderful dog from rescue, please follow the procedure on our website [newfhealthandrescue.org](http://newfhealthandrescue.org) and send your application to Beth Mirsky. If you have adopted from us before, let Beth know that you are ready for another dog as your application should still be on file. Thank you for your support.

**Regional is Coming!!**

The Regional is coming in October. Please remember to patronize the rescue booth and help us support dogs coming into rescue. Also, support the Honors / Rescue / Veteran parade, either by entering or watching.

**H&R Donations**

We would like to thank and acknowledge the following for their donations:

- Mark Klaiman
- Catherine Ready on behalf of Ollie Ready

**Would You Consider a Donation?**

Visit the NH&R website, [newfhealthandrescue.org](http://newfhealthandrescue.org), or you can send a check to:

Hazel Jacoby  
5514 Greenridge Rd.  
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**Welcome New Members!**

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**2015 Regional Specialty - Something for Everyone!**

Conformation and Sweeps, Including 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy Class and AKC Owner-Handled Series  
Obedience and Rally  
Heart and Eyes Clinics  
Huge Raffle  
Great Banquet

Come out and see some of the top Newfs in the country!  
Friday, October 23rd, Dixon May Fairgrounds, Dixon, CA  
[Get the Premium List Here](#)

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### Upcoming Working Events

10/3/15	WD/WRD/WRDX	NCSD, Glorieta Bay Park, CA
10/4/15	WD/WRD	NCSD, Glorieta Bay Park, CA
11/22/15	DD	NCSC, Irvine Regional Park, CA
12/5-6/15	DD & DDX	NCNC, Auburn Rec Park, Auburn, CA

### Successful NCNC Fall Water Test

Perhaps one measure by which the NCNC Fall Water Test may be judged a success is that it happened at all! Two other water tests in the western US were cancelled this year – HCNC because of too much water and PNNC because of too little water. But at Del Valle, the water level was just right. The test committee dealt with a few issues before hand, but once the tests were under way, they went without a hitch. The weather was excellent. The judges (Kevin Gallagher and Dwight Gorsuch) did a great job – putting entrants at ease and keeping the tests moving. Test Chair Lori Littleford and Test Secretary Cherrie Brown orchestrated an excellent group of committee members and stewards, all of whom performed very well. On the only down side, entries were small this year. Neither of the two junior dogs qualified. Three of the six senior dogs re-qualified. None of the four WRDX entrants (Sunday only) qualified, although Kona came within a chased buoy of doing so. The following entrants qualified in senior:

VN Ch SaltyDog's Ready Willing and Able CGC, BN, CD, RE, DD1, TDD, WRD (Ready) handled by John Pearson (re-qualified Saturday).

Capriccio's Volver CGC, DD1, WRD2 (Jeter) handled by Randy Robinson (re-qualified Saturday & Sunday).

VN Ch SaltyDog's So Far It's Rose CGC, CD, RA, DD3, TDD1, WD1, WRD2 (Rose) handled by Lori Littleford (re-qualified Saturday & Sunday).

Thank you to everyone who participated and helped make this such a successful event!

#### \*\*\*Raffle\*\*\*

This beautifully hand-made patchwork quilt was lovingly crafted and donated by [Linda Maggy](#) for the Regional Specialty, and will be awarded to one LUCKY winner on Friday, October 23rd !

This velvety - soft quilt measures 51"x51". One-of-a-kind quilts similar to this one sell for several hundred dollars, that is if you can even FIND one for sale. A favorite detail is the adorable Newfoundlands, who are made of extra long black fur, giving a 3 - dimensional effect that really is eye-catching. This is a true keepsake item that you will want to share with your family for generations to come.

**TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW!**

\$1.00 Each

\$20.00 for 30

One ticket per entry, and no limit on how many entries you can make.

Purchase tickets by mailing your check payable to NCNC, and mail to my secure mailbox:

Janet Heym

1980 Corniglia Lane

Brentwood, CA 94513

If you want your ticket stubs, PLEASE PROVIDE A SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE and I will return your stubs to you asap. I will enter your tickets in the drawing and keep track of your ticket numbers! Need not be present to win. Good luck! !

Tickets will also be available for purchase at the Regional.

Let's make this the best raffle yet!

### Treasurer's Tips

### Reminders for those submitting vouchers!

- Be sure the voucher amounts are documented and match the receipts!
- Check the addition and fill in the total.
- Please do NOT staple things together – sometimes they tear when the staple is removed. This means checks may not read electronically and receipts may not be legible.

Thank you!

If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Treasurer at [treasurer@ncnc.org](mailto:treasurer@ncnc.org).

## HELP WANTED

Draft stewards are needed for our **fall draft tests** December 5th and 6th in Auburn. We will have NCNC's first DDX test on Saturday and the regular DD test on Sunday. **More stewards are required for Sunday.** If you have never seen a draft test up close and personal, stewarding is the way to go. No experience needed. Free lunch! If interested contact Lynne Baker [noofmom@aol.com](mailto:noofmom@aol.com) or [530-587-5384](tel:530-587-5384).

### Show & Trial Results

#### Mensona KC – Saturday 8/22/15

BOB – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson  
 SEL – GCh Tailwind's Rooster Cogburn (Bordeaux) – Ann Cramer  
 WD – SaltyDog's Winslow Bear in Home Port (Winslow) – Melanie Powers  
 WB/BOW/BOS – Breakwater's Bound by Fate Win N Rome – Terri Muro

#### Mensona KC – Sunday 8/23/15

BOB/BOBOH/OHG1 – GCh Tailwind's Rooster Cogburn (Bordeaux) – Ann Cramer  
 SEL – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson  
 WD/BOW – SaltyDog's Winslow Bear in Home Port (Winslow) – Melanie Powers  
 WB/BOS/BP – Breakwater's Bound by Fate Win N Rome – Terri Muro

#### Gold Country KC – Saturday 8/29/15

BOB – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson  
 BOS – Ch NordicAngel Georgia (Georgia) – Patty O'Brien & Edward O'Donoghue  
 SEL – Ch CastaNews Think Outside T'Box (Austin) – Kevin & Laura Gallagher and Denise Castonguay  
 WD/BOW – SaltyDog's Just Call Me Charlie (Charlie) - Patty O'Brien & Edward O'Donoghue  
 WB – Kaiya's Diamond in the Sky – Chris & Glenda Jones and Mary E Summers

#### Gold Country KC – Sunday 8/30/15

BOB – Ch CastaNews Think Outside T'Box (Austin) – Kevin & Laura Gallagher and Denise Castonguay  
 BOS – Ch NordicAngel Georgia (Georgia) – Patty O'Brien & Edward O'Donoghue  
 SEL – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson  
 BOBOH/OHG1 – GCh Tailwind's Rooster Cogburn (Bordeaux) – Ann Cramer  
 WD/BOW – Heartsease Just Watch Me – Joan & Sam Casler and Jill Latchaw  
 WB – Aukai Cold Never Bothered Me Anyway (Elsa) – Colleen Cahill & Jerry Kinkade & Cherrie Brown

#### Redwood Empire KC – Saturday 9/05/15

BOB – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson

#### Redwood Empire KC – Sunday 9/06/15

BOB/G2 – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson

#### Lake County KC – Thursday 9/10/15

BOB – Ch Darbydale's the Journey Continues (Gabe) – Kathy Kemp  
 BOS – Ch NordicAngel Georgia (Georgia) – Patty O'Brien & Edward O'Donoghue  
 SEL – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson  
 WD/BOW – Dancing Bear's I Know You Ryder CGCA (Ryder) – Bari Halperin  
 WB – Oceano Darbydale Xpecting to Take Your Breath Away – Mary Price & Carol Bergman

#### Lake County KC – Friday 9/11/15

BOB/G1 – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson  
 BOS/BOBOH– Ch NordicAngel Georgia (Georgia) – Patty O'Brien & Edward O'Donoghue  
 SEL – Ch Darbydale's the Journey Continues (Gabe) – Kathy Kemp  
 WD – Dancing Bear's I Know You Ryder CGCA (Ryder) – Bari Halperin  
 WB/BOW – Oceano Darbydale Xpecting to Take Your Breath Away – Mary Price & Carol Bergman

#### Sir Francis Drake KC – Saturday 9/12/15

BOB/G2 – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson  
 BOS/BOBOH– Ch NordicAngel Georgia (Georgia) – Patty O'Brien & Edward O'Donoghue  
 SEL – Ch Darbydale's the Journey Continues (Gabe) – Kathy Kemp  
 WD/BOW – SaltyDog's Winslow Bear in Home Port (Winslow) – Melanie Powers

WB – Oceano Darbydale Xpecting to Take Your Breath Away – Mary Price & Carol Bergman

### Sir Francis Drake KC – Sunday 9/13/15

BOB/G1/BIS – GCh Seacrest's I'm Not What You Think (Dexter) – Joyce Taylor and Debra & Danielle Nelson

SEL – Ch Darbydale's the Journey Continues (Gabe) – Kathy Kemp

WD/BOW – SaltyDog's Winslow Bear in Home Port (Winslow) – Melanie Powers

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## Volunteer(s) Needed to Chair the 2016 Picnic

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Please contact John Pearson if you are interested.

## YOGI BEAR

9/14/2015

Sandy and I have had Newfies in our family since 1982. Our second Newf, Tina, was adopted from rescue in 1984. Our 4<sup>th</sup> Newfy, Hank, was adopted from rescue in 2005. Hank and our other Newfy, Merle both passed away in 2011, leaving a big hole in our hearts and empty space in our home. After being Newfless for several months, we decided to help NH&R by offering to foster Newfoundlands that came into rescue. Shortly afterwards, 2 Newfies were surrendered from one family. Yogi and BooBoo both 4 years old, came into rescue and we had our first fostering opportunity. We were asked to take Yogi as he was the alpha of the pair, suffering from separation anxiety and not much on obedience. We met Yogi and BooBoo at Hazel Jacoby's home and after introductions were over, we loaded up Yogi and headed for home.

We were delighted to have a Newfy living with us and found him very easy to train, a bundle of energy and very affectionate. After a couple of weeks we were becoming very attached to him and decided that he should become a permanent member of the Mencia family. We then became familiar with the term "Failed Foster". Yogi joined in on all of our activities including our autocross, drag racing, camping, road trips etc. His first visit to the beach and fetching balls out of the surf was watching pure enjoyment happen. (see picture Yogi1) He joins us for meals out at the dog friendly restaurants we frequent. He was "front and center" on our Anniversary Dinner at Tarp's Roadhouse in Monterey. (see picture Yogi2)

We have continued fostering Newfies with NH&R and have had 14 stay with us over the last 4 years. Yogi welcomes each one into our (his) home shows them the ropes and makes their stay much more enjoyable while they await their forever homes. He is now 8 ½ years old and still has that gleam in his eye and boundless energy. We are so thankful to NH&R for providing the opportunity to have him and enjoy every day we spend together. (see picture Yogi3)

~ Keith and Sandy Mencia

## CARTING SEMINAR

The Newfoundland Club of Northern California (NCNC) will be putting on a carting seminar on Saturday October 10, 2015 in Cataldi Park, San Jose, CA.

The main focus of the seminar will be the new advanced draft test; however, we will also offer beginning and advanced training for those aiming for the DD/ TDD test.

The instructors will be NCNC carting experts.

The tentative list of subjects will include:

**Beginning carting:** This class covers carts, harnesses and how to get your dogs accustomed to the equipment and pulling.

**Advanced:** This training will cover how to negotiate the standard turns and backing for a DD level draft test.

**DDX :** All of the 11 obstacles in a Newfoundland Club of America Advanced Draft (DDX) test will be set up with experienced trainers providing pointers on how to train and handle each one.

Lunch will be provided only for pre-registered participants and is included in the registration fee.

## CARTING SEMINAR SINGUPS

1. Use the attached registration form and send it along with your check to the person shown on the registration form. Participation is by advanced registration only.
2. Fees:

\$30.00 per handler: One handler can work as many dogs as they wish.

\$10.00 per spectator (includes lunch)

\$00.00 if you volunteer to help with instruction you will be provided lunch.

3. Please give us as much information as possible. The more we know about what you want to learn, the better we can meet your needs.
4. Additional lunches for non-participants will be available for \$10.00 but we must know by at least 4 days before the seminar.
5. We must **receive** sign-up registrations at least 4 days prior to the seminar. This will give us time to send you a confirmation and directions to the site, as well as assure we have enough instructors and helpers for each level.



6. Well behaved and **supervised** children are welcome.

If you have questions please call or e-mail Cherrie Brown (707) 449-4927, aukainewf@aol.com.

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## Dog Days

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