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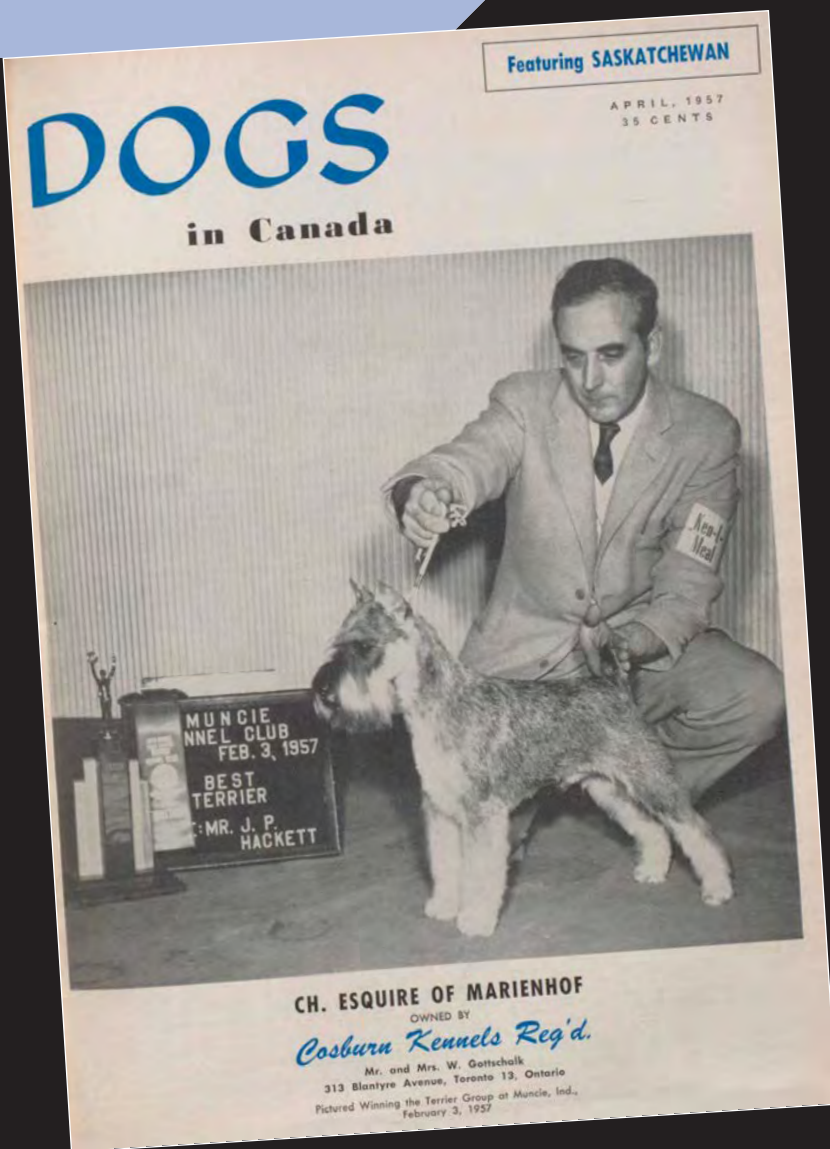
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Group at Muncie, Ind.,
February 3, 1957.



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SUBARU® TOP AGILITY AND TOP FIELD DOGS 2016 OFFICIAL RESULTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!



Congratulations to Canada's Top Agility Dog for 2016 – Cardigan Welsh Corgi, AgMChV Xtacee The Sixth Sense XPV, AgSC, AgMXJV2; owned and handled by Lisa Zassowski.

As a young 10-year-old, Foomin is at the top of her game! She has earned 136 agility titles in 10 different venues, picking up six championships. In 2016, she started and finished her CKC Agility Master Championship in three-and-a-half months!



The CKC is pleased to announce that the 2016 Top Field Dog results for lure coursers, pointers, retrievers and field spaniels are now available.

We have expanded our coverage this year to include an interview with a top dog in each 'field.' To learn more about all of our Top Fields Dogs and to review the stats, [please visit the Subaru Top Dogs page](#).

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Congratulations to all our Subaru Top Field Dogs!

REMINDER: NOTICE TO ALL CONFORMATION AND OBEDIENCE CLUBS RE: PREMIUM LISTS AND JUDGING SCHEDULES

The following motion, regarding Chapter VI, Shows & Trials, Section Y, Judging Schedules, was passed at the December 2016 Board Meeting:

1. An administrative fee as identified in the Schedule of fees will be levied against any club that fails to ensure that the judging schedule is made available to exhibitors a minimum of six (6) days prior to the first day of the event. At the time of date approval, Head Office will remind clubs that they are responsible for ensuring that event secretaries post this information on line.

The fee was set at \$100.00 and will be posted in the Schedule of Fees.

Please note that clubs are required to provide the CKC with a copy of their Premium Lists and Judging Schedules. Effective immediately, please forward a copy in PDF format, and we will post them on the CKC website at ckc.ca in the Calendar of Events. The Premium Lists and Judging Schedules should be forwarded to information@ckc.ca.

UPDATE RE: NEW BC ANIMAL WELFARE LEGISLATION

As you may know, CKC has been working with the BC government and the BC SPCA since April, 2016 to develop new animal welfare laws that will assist the BC SPCA in monitoring and taking action against irresponsible breeders.

CKC has held a number of discussions with BC government officials throughout the past year and also engaged our member breeders with a BC Government survey during the consultation process, to ensure their interests were well represented.

Throughout our discussions, we have always maintained that licensing and registration would provide an unnecessary burden to CKC members in terms of cost, duplication and an extra layer of governance, and discussed opportunities that would recognize and reward CKC member breeders.

Most recently, the BC Government introduced Bill 7 - 2017: Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Amendment Act. The proposed Bill largely appears to be an enabling piece of legislation, which contemplates both licensing and/or registration schemes—the details of which will be defined by future regulations. It is our understanding that the intent will be to pass Bill 7 during this spring session, with regulations to follow in the summer or fall.

We understand there may be concern about the proposed legislation, and we continue to monitor activity surrounding Bill 7 and the development of future regulations. CKC also remains in continued dialogue with the BC SPCA and the BC government, in support of responsible breeders.

CKC DENOUNCES RECENT AMENDMENT TO TORONTO ANIMAL CONTROL BYLAW

In January, CKC provided members with an update regarding proposed amendments to Toronto animal control bylaw Chapter 349, Animals and included the results of a City survey in which Toronto CKC members and other local groups were invited to participate during the consultation process.

Most recently, CKC learned that an additional amendment was added to the bylaw and included a ban on choke collars, choke chains and prong collars—integral and effective tools used responsibly by dog exhibitors, trainers and evaluators.

Despite the fact that the survey results showed that 55% of respondents disagreed with a complete ban on these collars, and despite a City staff report recommending a ban on such collars for tethering purposes only, the move to an outright ban was later made by Council.

As you can imagine, CKC is extremely disappointed by this recent decision that clearly does not represent the voice of our members and the many Toronto dog owners.

While we applaud the efforts of the City to strengthen its animal control bylaw, particularly where dangerous dogs are concerned, we think the decision to ban these collars is misguided and falls short of its intent to target irresponsible dog owners.

CKC would like to set the record straight and will be contacting members of Council in an effort to overturn the ban, in support of caring and responsible dog owners and their dogs.

DR. PAUL ECKFORD, PH.D. APPOINTED NEW CKC DIRECTOR IN ZONE 6, ONTARIO WEST



On behalf of the Board of Directors, the Club is delighted to announce the appointment of Dr. Paul Eckford, Ph.D. as the new CKC Director in Zone 6, Ontario West.

Chosen from among several highly qualified candidates, Dr. Eckford brings CKC

Committee experience, outstanding scientific expertise and esteem as breeder of Pomeranians, under a registered kennel name, to the CKC Board.

Dr. Eckford grew up in a household with registered Collies and he continues to indulge his love of purebred dogs with involvement in the breeder community, as a Conformation show competitor and as Chair for Health and Genetics of the Pomeranian Club of Canada.

An eight-year member of the CKC, Dr. Eckford has made significant contributions to the work of the Genetics and Medical Committee through two terms of service, bringing his scientific rigour and communications skills to bear on such issues as genetics testing and the risks of Parvo at shows.

Dr. Eckford's sound, scientifically grounded voice will complement the accomplished and distinctive skill-set on the Board, furthering the Club's vision as a dynamic service organization, a recognized authority for purebred dogs, and an advocate for all dogs. Congratulations, Dr. Eckford!

SMALL BREEDS MAKE BIG GAINS IN CKC TOP 10 DOGS!



- Havanese Makes Top 5 Most Popular Dogs For First Time
- Dog lovers own the most Havanese in Calgary, Toronto and Edmonton
- Labrador Retriever has been the most popular breed for over two decades

The Canadian Kennel Club (CKC) is thrilled to announce the top ten most popular breeds for 2016. For the first time on record, the Havanese has taken over the coveted fifth spot, previously held by the Shetland Sheepdog since 2005.

"This is the first time in recent history that one of the toy breeds has made it into the top five," said Andrew Patton, CKC Marketing Communications Manager. "The Havanese is a charming and intelligent breed with a big heart and its compact size makes it ideal for urban and suburban living, so it appeals to many dog lovers."

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The Havanese has consistently won puppy owners over since the breed was first registered by CKC in 1999, with Calgary dog lovers now owning the most CKC-registered Havanese, followed by Toronto and Edmonton.

“Havanese are everything that you would ever want in a dog, all rolled up into one small, adorable, and non-shedding package” said Rose Kimber, President of the Havanese Fanciers of Canada. “They are natural clowns, yet smart and easy to train. If you have a Havanese, you can do just about anything with them!”

For the health and safety of the puppy, the Havanese National Breed Club is keen to remind puppy buyers to research breeders and ensure they conduct health testing and follow the guidelines of the national breed club.

Not to be outdone, the French Bulldog continues to make great strides, becoming Canada’s eighth most popular breed, moving up one spot from the previous year and shows no signs of stopping.

After a two-year hiatus, the Miniature Schnauzer burrows its way back into the top ten, reminding us that we cannot count out this trusted terrier.

Topping the list for over twenty years is Canada’s most popular breed, the Labrador Retriever. The staying power of this versatile Canadian breed is especially significant this year as we celebrate Canada’s 150th birthday.

Here are the CKC top ten most popular dogs for 2016:

- Labrador Retriever
- German Shepherd Dog
- Golden Retriever
- Poodle
- Havanese
- Shetland Sheepdog
- Bernese Mountain Dog
- French Bulldog
- Yorkshire Terrier
- Schnauzer (Miniature)

For information and support in helping you find a dog that best suits your needs and lifestyle, visit ckc.ca. To find your new best friend, be sure to check out available purebred puppies from CKC member breeders at thepuppylist.ca.

CHANGES: CONFORMATION SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

Effective January 1, 2018:

Please note the following **NEW** changes that were carried by the Board of Directors of CKC at the March 2016 Board Meeting.

12 BREEDS, CLASSES, AWARDS & SWEEPSTAKES

12.3 Awards

- 12.3.1 (k) Judging for this award shall be awarded at every show and shall precede the selection of Best in Show. The judging of Reserve Best in Show shall be completed by the same judge who judges Best in Show.

Note: For Top Dogs(Conformation) as of January 1 2018, the Reserve Best in Show will be awarded top dog points based on the number of dogs in show minus the number of dogs defeated in the group from which the Best in Show winner was awarded.

CKC CONGRATULATES DOREEN STEEVES!



On Feb 19th, the Skaha Kennel Club (Zone 12) celebrated beloved member Doreen Steeves’ 90th birthday. Doreen has been involved with dogs her whole life and joined the Skaha Kennel Club in 1990 when she moved to BC. Doreen was active as Obedience Trail Chair well into her 80’s. Up until the last couple of years, she was the Director of Visitation.

(Visitation is when members take their dogs into the local senior care homes.) Doreen still attends monthly club meetings and keeps her dog Hillary with her in the assisted living facility where she now resides. Please join us in wishing Doreen a Happy Birthday!

MILESTONES

We regret to announce the passing of the following member. The Canadian Kennel Club wishes to extend condolences to family and friends.

- Norma Hamilton of Quispamsis, New Brunswick

KENNEL NAMES



The following applications for registration of kennel names have been received by The Canadian Kennel Club. Any objections must be in writing and submitted so as to be received by the Registration Division, Canadian Kennel Club, 200 Ronson Dr, Suite 400, Etobicoke, Ontario M9W 5Z9, on or before **May 31, 2017**. Only objections from breeders with registered kennel names will be considered.

APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION OF KENNEL NAMES

FIRST CHOICE	SECOND CHOICE	THIRD CHOICE	FIRST CHOICE	SECOND CHOICE	THIRD CHOICE
AYRSHIRE	BURNSBY		MEADOWLEAF	DUKESDREAM	
BELLACLAN			MEMORYLANE	MAPLERAIN	MAPLETREE
BOUCLEDAMOUR	FIDELE		OLYMPIEN	MONTOLYMPE	
BRDNRBULLIES	BBULLIES	BRADNERBULLS	PELLINORE	TERRAFORM	FLAGSTONE
BULLKIN	BULLNKIN	BULLKING	PENDAM	TORVIEW	PENDAMVALLEY
BYTHEBAY			PURBONHEUR		
CHINOOK			RAINWATER	REIGNWATER	HEARTFIELD
DECARPEDIEM	DEDIEM	DIEM	RIVERMYST	CREEKSEDGE	
DUBRUXELLOIS	DUMECHELAAR	DUVANBRUSSEL	SOUTHCOAST		
DUROCK			TAYLIN		
EGDDANES	EDGARDANES		TIKATZU	TIKASTZU	
HEADSTONE	FORGE	ANVIL	TINYANGELS	TINYCHARM	MONAMOUR
HOUSELILPAWS	LILPAWS	LILWHITEPAWS	TRACKEN	TRAKEN	TRAKKEN
ISLANDGIANT	COSTALGIANT	EASTERNGIANT	WESTSIDE	HILLSIDE	
KANEBROOK	MEADOWBROOK		WTTINYJEWELS	WTTREASURES	
KERBEROS	CERBEROS	HOLLENHUND			

NEWLY REGISTERED KENNEL NAMES

GRANTED MARCH 6, 2017

ADAGIO	AMBERLYN	ANGEL	ARTHEMIS	NANAIMOBEAR	SHIBABOILEAU	SHOWME	STARLIGHT
DALGARNOCH	ECHORIVER	IRISHLILT	KAROUSEL	STELLEXI	TRYGG	WYNDER	
KIDANGA	KITANOARASHI	LITTLEPHENIX	MUSKOKAGOLD				



CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB MISSION STATEMENT

Who We Are

The Canadian Kennel Club is a national, member-based, non-profit organization, incorporated under the Animal Pedigree Act of Canada. It provides registry services for all officially recognized breeds of purebred dogs and provides governance for all CKC approved shows, trials and events. Finally, the CKC is a communication organization informing all people interested in dogs.

Mission

The Canadian Kennel Club will service its membership and the community at large by giving support, understanding, help and guidance in all their canine-related endeavors. CKC will work so that members will be proud of their affiliation. The Club will recognize, promote, and publicize the actions of responsible breeders and owners.

Vision

The Canadian Kennel Club, with its members, will be a dynamic service organization, a recognized authority for purebred dogs, and an advocate for all dogs.

Values

The Canadian Kennel Club will embrace integrity, openness, honesty and compassion in its dealings with all of its members and customers.



AN INFORMATION SUPPLEMENT FROM THE CKC

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