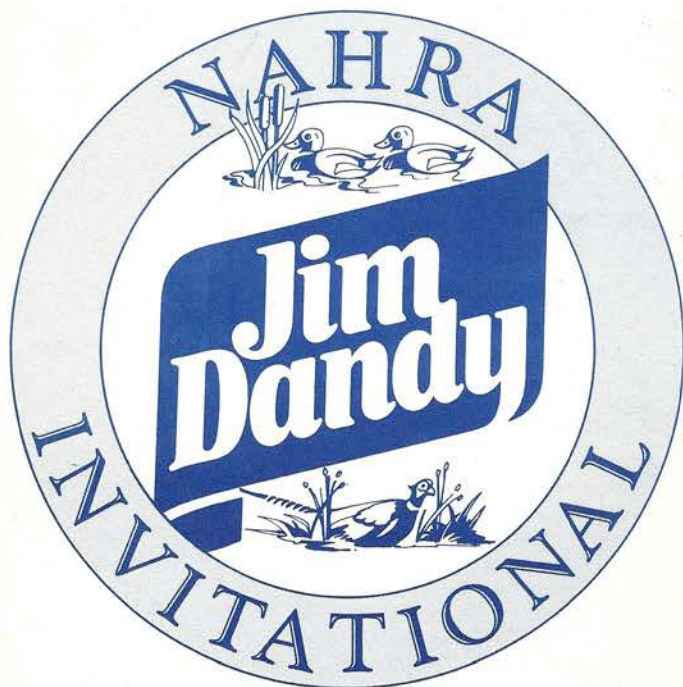


JIM DANDY — NAHRA  
INVITATIONAL  
RETRIEVER FIELD TEST  
1989



STARRSVILLE PLANTATION  
COVINGTON, GEORGIA  
MAY 13-14, 1989



### INTRODUCTION TO NAHRA<sub>sm</sub>

In general, our breeds of hunting retrievers need improvement. In many instances the hunter has never seen good retriever work and does not know the potential of his dogs. The hunter needs a structure in which he can learn to train and evaluate his dogs offseason. He also needs a system of formal tests, so that his dogs' accomplishments can be demonstrated and recorded. A registry of hunting retrievers, with a public record of their working achievements, is needed to help improve hunting retriever breeds.

There has been a clamour in the outdoor press for years for a national organization to sponsor local clubs and standardize meaningful Field Tests for the hunter's dog. Such an organization has been formed: the North American Hunting Retriever Association, (NAHRA).

NAHRA is a national association of clubs and individuals. The association will help new clubs get started. Club regulations and field procedures are standardized throughout North America so that meaningful titles can be awarded.

Training methods and tests are based solely on real hunting situations for both upland and waterfowling. Dogs are placed in three categories, based on ability, not age: Started Hunting Retriever, Intermediate Hunting Retriever and Senior Hunting Retriever. Only Senior dogs can achieve the title of Master Hunting Retriever (MHR)<sub>sm</sub>.

NAHRA Field Tests simulate as closely as possible actual hunting situations. In NAHRA Field Tests, dogs in all three categories do not compete against one another for placements. Instead, they are judged individually against a standard.

A dog which achieves the required score in a licensed Field Test in each category shall receive from the sponsoring club a camouflage colored rosette type ribbon with the NAHRA logo on the rosette. Certificates and titles shall be awarded and recorded by the North American Hunting Retriever Association.

In order for a club to be accredited by the North American Hunting Retriever Association to run NAHRA sanctioned or licensed Hunting Retriever Field Tests that club must be a club member of good standing of NAHRA. NAHRA accredits clubs, runs judges clinics, produces video presentations on hunting retrievers and quarterly publishes the NAHRA NEWS, a magazine dedicated to hunting retrievers. NAHRA NEWS provides timely tips and columns as well as a complete reporting on all licensed Field Tests.

Welcome to Georgia for the third NAHRA Invitational Hunting Retriever Field Test, May 13-15, 1989, hosted by the Great Southern Hunting Retriever Club of Georgia.

Starrsville Plantation, the sight of this year's event, has been made available by the owners. We are very grateful for the use of these grounds and ask that you help ensure that the property is left in the same condition that it was offered.

Please stay in the area designated by the officials and avoid loud talking or other noises and unnecessary motion while dogs are being tested.

#### HEADQUARTERS:

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I-20 & 45A Exit, Alcovy Road  
Covington, GA 30209  
(404) 786-5800

#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Saturday, May 13      \*8:00 AM - Field Test begins  
Sunday, May 14      \*8:00 AM - Field Test continues

#### JUDGES:

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**FACTS ABOUT THE JIM DANDY/NAHRA INVITATIONAL**

Annually, at its discretion, and at a location of its choosing, the North American Hunting Retriever Association, Inc. may hold the North American Hunting Retriever Association, "Invitational Field Test." The procedures governing the running of this Field Test shall be determined by NAHRA and currently are as follows:

1. A minimum of 30 Senior dogs with the highest number of points will be selected by NAHRA to run in a yearly international Field Test called the NORTH AMERICAN HUNTING RETRIEVER ASSOCIATION "INVITATIONAL."

2. Points are defined as only those points received for passing the Senior standard at a Licensed NAHRA Hunting Retriever Field Test.

3. Points for the Invitational will be accumulated from January 1st to December 31st of each calendar year.

4. Qualification and selection of participants for the Invitational shall be determined by the NAHRA Board of Directors.

5. A lottery system, conducted by NAHRA, may be used if there are more than 30 dogs with sufficient qualifying scores in the calendar year. For example: if there are 10 dogs with 80 points, 15 with 60 points and 20 dogs with 40 points, that would be a total of 45 dogs. The ones with 80 and 60 points would automatically make the field. To make up the field of 30 dogs, five dogs would be picked to participate by a drawing from the 20 dogs with 40 points. Subsequently, if sufficient time is available, the remaining 40-point dogs would participate in a drawing to fill the vacancies of dogs invited but whose owners decline or cannot attend the Invitational.

6. The Invitational shall be a owner-handler event. Professional trainers may qualify their client's dogs for the Invitational, but the owner (or one of them) must handle the dog at the event. Professional trainers may run dogs if they own the dog or own it with a member of their immediate family as defined in the General Procedures. All of the owners of each dog participating in the Invitational must be members in good standing of NAHRA.

7. Unless otherwise designated by NAHRA, the Invitational will be held in the month of May.

8. Unless otherwise designated by NAHRA, the Invitational will be a two-day Field Test. There will be strict adherence to the NAHRA Regulations and Field Procedures for Senior Hunting Retriever Field Tests, as well as the Guidelines for Judging NAHRA Hunting Retriever Field Tests.

9. Three judges selected by NAHRA will officiate at the event. Each judge will be from a different geological location.

10. NAHRA will select the location and grounds for the Invitational.

11. All dogs that pass the two-day Field Test shall receive a plaque and have the honor of being named to the NAHRA ALL AMERICAN TEAM for that particular year.

12. Participation in the Invitational may be limited to two dogs per handler and will be determined by the NAHRA board of directors.



REGULATIONS AND FIELD PROCEDURES FOR SENIOR  
HUNTING RETRIEVER FIELD TESTS

NOTE: The passages enclosed in parentheses are additional guidelines for judges.

SECTION 1: A Senior Field Test shall consist of six (6) tests which shall include the following: a multiple marked water retrieve; a multiple marked land retrieve; an upland hunting test (which shall not be considered a marked retrieve); trailing, a water blind retrieve and a land blind retrieve, at least one of which shall be incorporated within one of the required multiple marked retrieves.

(The Senior Hunting Retriever Field Test is for the finished dog. The Senior Field Test must consist of serious tests worthy of the hunter's retriever. The making of a Master Retriever (MHR) is a serious responsibility. Dogs should be tested on their natural ability and training accomplishments. Simply completing a test will not be enough; the tests must be completed with style and precision.)

SECTION 2: A dog shall be steady at the point of origin (see paragraph c of this Section). (For marks, the point of origin is the point at which the dog is located at the time the first blind becomes visible.)

a. Moderate commands shall be allowed to steady a dog at the point of origin.

b. A dog may be touched or patted at the point of origin to steady, but once the "ready" signal has been given to the judges by the handler, the dog may not be touched again.

c. A controlled break shall not fail a dog, but it shall be considered a serious fault.

(As soon as the dog leaves the point of origin and manifests an intent to make the retrieve without being so ordered, it must be stopped.)

SECTION 3: A dog shall deliver all birds to hand. (The dog shall return to the handler without delay.)

SECTION 4: A dog may be handled on marked retrieves with voice/whistle/hand signals, if, in the opinion of the handler, the dog can't find or has missed the mark. (The dog is being tested for its marking ability, not handling; however, a crisp handle is preferable to a long hunt.)

SECTION 5: A dog shall be cast from the point of origin, by its handler, only once.

SECTION 6: The handler may be required to handle an empty shotgun with both hands on the firearm and in the firing position.

SECTION 7: Maximum test distance for land or water marks shall not exceed approximately one hundred (100) yards.

SECTION 8: Tests for this event shall consist of double or triple marks on both land and water.

a. Quadruple marks shall not be used.

b. The order and sequence of the retrieves may be determined by the judges.

c. Dogs may be required to be placed at a point of origin at a distance from the handler.

d. Simultaneous falls with birds and shots originating from the same location may be used.

e. Delayed marks or falls may be used.

f. Dogs may be required to honor another dog during the marking tests.

SECTION 9: Dry shots may be fired. (A dry shot is defined as a shot for which no bird is thrown or appears.) Game calls and additional birds with or without shots may also be used as diversions as a dog returns from a retrieve. (A dog that drops and leaves its bird and retrieves the diversion bird shall be failed.)

SECTION 10: Walk ups to simulate jump shooting may be used in this event. The dog shall be brought to an area designated as the point of origin at heel or under control within ten (10) feet of its handler. Section 2b shall be in effect. The judges may signal for the bird while the handler and dog are walking.

SECTION 11: Blind retrieves on water and land shall be used. Maximum test distances shall not exceed approximately one hundred (100) yards. (Handling in these tests must be done with precision. The dog must stop on whistle and take a cast. Failing to stop on whistle or to take a cast is a serious infraction. The judges must decide on the seriousness of the refusal by taking into account the conditions and situation at hand.)

a. At least one of the blinds shall be incorporated within one of the required multiple marked retrieves.

b. Both blind retrieves may be incorporated with the required multiple marked retrieves.

c. The trailing test may be incorporated with the blind retrieve.

SECTION 12: An upland hunting test, with flush, shall be used.

a. The dog shall be required to locate birds as in upland hunting within gun range of the handler.

b. A dog may be urged to hunt or handled by moderate commands.

c. A flush is mandatory. (Birds may be dizzied and placed in the field, released from a mechanical trap or hand thrown for the flush.)

d. The use of wing clips, shackled or dead birds, for the flush, shall not be allowed.

e. Fly-aways may be used for the flush.

f. If a bird is downed, the dog shall be required to retrieve to hand. (The retrieve shall not be scored as a mark, but it must be completed.)

g. A dog shall be steady to shot and fall and shall be disqualified if it is not. The handler has until the first shot is fired or, in the opinion of the judges, should have been fired, to have the dog under control. The dog may be sitting or standing, with limited movement. (A dog that is not under control at the time of the shot shall be disqualified.)

h. If the dog is steady to shot but then breaks at the fall and manifests an intent to retrieve without being so ordered, it must be stopped. If a dog is immediately brought under control, it shall be considered a controlled break and will be considered a serious fault.

i. A run shall be granted if in the opinion of the judges a poor flush or fall has caused the dog to be unfairly evaluated.

SECTION 13: A trailing test shall be used.

a. The dog shall be required to trail and locate a bird.



b. The dog shall be scored on its natural ability and the use of its nose to locate and follow the trail.

c. It shall not matter in what manner the dog follows the trail, e.g., The dog may stay precisely on the trail with nose down, or close quarter back and forth across the trail with head up, or run a few yards downwind of the trail with his head held high. It is the intent of this test to have a dog indicate scent, follow the trail and locate the bird in a natural hunting manner.

d. A dog may be urged to hunt by moderate voice or whistle commands.

e. Judges may restrict entry of the handlers into the area of the trail.

f. Hand signals are inappropriate and shall not be used other than to put the dog onto the beginning of the trail.

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INVITATIONAL FIELD TEST  
RUNNING ORDER

DOG

HANDLER

- |   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| 1) GMHR WR Poore Boys Mick                | Jim Poore, Jr.    |
| 2) MHR Atta Boy Redigo                    | Harold Zimmerman  |
| 3) MHR Rian's Hope Of Thistlerock         | Bev Foster        |
| 4) MHR WR Ruby's Black Rose               | Bruce Burnett     |
| 5) GMHR WR Southland Bullwinkle           | Rocky Emery       |
| 6) MHR Want To                            | Jack Jagoda       |
| 7) MHR WR Beavercrest Stukagin Blue       | Andy Loranger     |
| 8) GMHR WR Daniel's Thunder Jake          | Donnie Daniel     |
| 9) MHR Sir's Choice Gumbo                 | Mike Moroz        |
| 10) MHR Sunnyview's Buddy Jones           | Richard C. Weiner |
| 11) MHR WR Hiwood Greta                   | Phillip Locker    |
| 12) MHR WR Special K Express              | Mike Cloke        |
| 13) GMHR Royal Hunts Sky High             | Tom Wininger      |
| 14) GMHR WR Van Lee's Applejack           | Tom Stasierowski  |
| 15) GMHR Foggybottom Buckeroo             | Doug Johnson      |
| 16) MHR WR Chugach Hills Itsy Bitsy       | Larry Calvert     |
| 17) MHR WR Rockerin Willorun Tyree        | Joseph McCann     |
| 18) MHR Sam Spade of Eastshore            | Greg Lee          |
| 19) GMHR WR Southland Bomber's Black Lace | Lynn Foraker      |
| 20) MHR WR My Mark Of Distinction         | Perry Bell        |
| 21) GMHR WR Southdowns Crackin To Go      | Tony Leonard      |
| 22) GMHR WR Rio Retrievers Super Six Pak  | Larry Walker      |
| 23) GMHR RAW's Tartu                      | Richard Wolters   |
| 24) GMHR La's Mist Miss Bobbi McGee       | Joe Letta         |
| 25) GMHR Hiwood Pacer's Mr. Tanner        | Brian Baines      |
| 26) MHR Federal Hills Mike Em             | Janet Sowers      |
| 27) MHR WR Cowlitz River Katie            | Butch Higgins     |
| 28) GMHR Wind River Tuff E Nuff           | Scott Seward      |
| 29) MHR WR Lacy Lee Of Lolenda            | Lenda Barker      |
| 30) GMHR WR Mississippi Molly             | Rick Knuth        |
| 31) GMHR WR Lacey J VI                    | Trish Jagoda      |
| 32) MHR WR Josh High Hopes From Jed       | Matt Cassidy      |
| 33) GMHR WR Richard's Fellow              | Richard McDonald  |
| 34) GMHR Weller's Moses Of Antioch        | John Weller       |
| 35) GMHR Hiwood Pacer's Capt. Cook        | Brian Baines      |
| 36) MHR WR Pye's Phantom Charger          | Rusty Pye         |
| 37) MHR WR Parne Girl                     | Jerry Parnham     |
| 38) MHR WR Duck Master's Nosin Around     | Chuck Breslin     |
| 39) GMHR Southland Lucky Strike           | Jack Jagoda       |

GMHR WR POOREBOY'S MICK  
10/21/83 Lab Ret. M AKC SD 899822  
Sire: Swift Creek's Little Boy  
Dam: Swift Creek's Ice Breaker  
Breeder: Nancy Jackson  
Owner: James T. Poore, Jr.  
Route 1, Box 116-E  
Edgemoor, SC 29716



1988 was Mick's best year yet. He qualified in 9 NAHRA tests to qualify for the Invitational. He also won the overall High Point Dog for the Palmetto Retriever Club and was the P.R.C. runner up Qualifying Dog and runner up Master Hunting Retriever. Mick is 6 years old now and has sired many litters which I am proud of: 1 MHR, 2 WR's and several Started Dogs. Mick is a great companion to me and my entire family. Whether hunting, field trialing or whatever we're doing, Mick enjoys being with me and I enjoy him. I hope we can have many more years together.

MHR ATTA BOY REDIGO  
4/10/79 Lab. Ret. M AKC SC865364  
Sire: Piper's Black Diamond Jim  
Dam: Zimmerman's Lucy Bob  
Breeder: Jean Zimmerman  
Owner: Harold & Jean Zimmerman  
Box 4237  
Soldotna, AK 99669



Red was from a litter of 10 and was born in Alaska in our garage. I guess he fits in the category of "Yellow Lab", however, his color is red, hence his name. Red was trained totally by my wife and myself from the time he was a pup. His early trialing was limited due to my being laid up and unable to train for a couple of years, and then Red had to have two operations to correct an injury which incapacitated him for another two years. However, over the years Red has managed to be my hunting companion on my hunting trips. Red has open and amateur points in field trials, but has never gotten that elusive first place. As of this date he has finished 13 out of 13 Senior NAHRA tests and he did an outstanding job for me in the Invitational last year. He is 10 years old now and hopefully we can make it through this 1989 Invitational before retiring to the special rug in front of the fireplace.



**MHR RIAN'S HOPE OF THISTLEROCK**  
 10/14/82 Golden Ret. M AKC SE172789  
 Sire: Wild Fire of Riverview  
 Dam: Candlewoods Sungold Sue  
 Breeder: Thomas Lane  
 Owner: Bev Foster  
 2679 N.W. 15th St.  
 New Brighton, MN 55112



Rian wasn't planned for in my family of goldens. He came as a replacement for a dog which was tragically killed. As the only male left in his litter, he would not have been my first pick. As a pup he was extremely spooky, afraid of everything. During his early training he was difficult and strange; more than once it was necessary to cease training for several weeks. He was 18 months old before I could even like him. How it came about I don't know, but finally we clicked. He's now my special buddy, so easy to work and a joy to live with.

**MHR WR RUBY'S BLACK ROSE**  
 4/10/82 Lab Ret. F AKC SD478216  
 Sire: Super Powder  
 Dam: Ruby's Burning Daylight  
 Breeder: Robert B. Burnett  
 Owner: Robert B. Burnett  
 4640 Sandy Beach Dr.  
 Anchorage, AK 99502



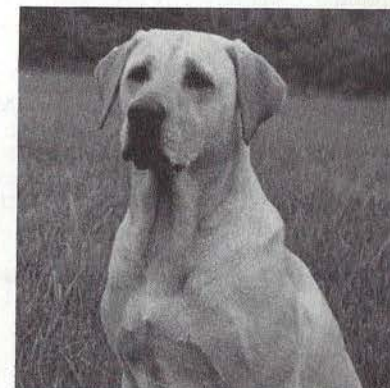
When I first started training "Boo", I observed several of her physical characteristics, unbelievable speed, running low to the ground like a cheetah, uncanny natural marking ability, and the best nose on any retriever I've owned. Boo has attained several accomplishments thus far in her career, in pursuit of flushing and retrieving our fine feathered friends. First Boo won an AKC licensed Qualifying Field Trial to make her a qualified All-Age Dog. Second, Boo received her WR designation. Third, and most impressive, Boo received her MHR title in 5 tests in the fall of '87. This makes her the first female retriever in Alaska to receive the MHR title, which we are both very proud of.

**GMHR WR SOUTHLAND BULLWINKLE**  
 9/23/81 Lab Ret. M AKC S422092  
 Sire: Tuckahoe Clinchco Jake  
 Dam: Trieven Gone With The Wind  
 Breeder: John Jagoda, Jr.  
 Owner: Rocky Emery  
 6210 Bardu Ave.  
 Springfield, VA 22152



First of all, Melinda, Winky and I would like to thank all the sponsors of the Invitational, the Board and hard-working members of NAHRA. This is Winky's third year of being invited to this fine event. Wink's many achievements have been that he was the four state (PENN-DEL-MAR-VA) puppy champion in 1982. He has also placed in many Gun Dog stakes and was the 1984 Aylett DU high point Gun Dog and the 1985 Tidewater Retriever Club Open Gun Dog trophy winner. Winky throws large litters with great desire to retrieve proven by puppy stake winners and NAHRA qualifiers.

**MHR WANT TO**  
 11/21/80 Lab Ret. F AKC SD057365  
 Sire: Itchin' To Go  
 Dam: Willowmount Better Behave  
 Breeder: Bower C. Playfair  
 Owner: Jack & Diana Jagoda  
 35 Misty Lane  
 Stafford, VA 22554



Sheer determination, desire, good nose, eyes, something between the ears - a companion and friend. A winning combination that can more aptly be defined by her name "Want To." A stroke of luck brought "Missy" to me a little over a year ago. She started her NAHRA career by achieving her Master Hunting Retriever title qualifying at five tests in a row. Missy has 30 AKC ALL-AGE points and is currently campaigning for a Field Championship title. Some say that dogs look like their owners. Just remember! She's the little one with the white hair. Missy and I will try our best to display a performance worthy of the opportunity to participate in the Jim Dandy/NAHRA Invitational.



MHR WR BEAVERCREST STUKAGIN BLUE  
12/16/83 Lab Ret. F AKC SD986846  
Sire: Piper's Pacer  
Dam: Girl Of North  
Breeder: J.P.Ford  
Owner: Andy & Linda Loranger  
P.O. Box 2107  
Soldotna, AK 99669



Blue came home with us at 7 weeks one snowy day in February, 1984. From that time, we've had one goal in mind - to hunt as much and as often as possible. She's always been eager to keep her end of the bargain, from her first duck hunt as an 8 month old pup in eastern Alaska, to a memorable fall hunting geese and ptarmigan in spectacular Cold Bay on the tip of the Alaska Peninsula during her first year, and later as a grouse dog during our stay in the Interior. We've also managed a few trips to chase upland birds and waterfowl in the "lower 48." She's a truly wonderful hunting companion.

GMHR WR DANIEL'S THUNDER JAKE  
10/29/83 M AKC SD992711  
Sire: Seajay's Thunder of Sycamore  
Dam: Sandy's Brandywine Burgandy  
Breeder: S.L. Edwards & J.D. Cimburke  
Owner: Donald J. Daniel  
5031 Woodpecker Rd.  
Petersburg, VA 23803



Jake is a 100 lb. black lab - tall, fast, gentle and full of love. He was a pick of the litter gift from breeders Jim & Sandy Cimburke, our good friends and training partners. I started training with him, in the house, at about 12 wks. old and as the weather got better it was school everyday outside. Jake started NAHRA and AKC Field Tests as a puppy in '84 and really enjoyed every minute of it. He was the Gun Dog Champion in 2 clubs in '85 and placed first in the Va. State Gun Dog Championship in '86. Jake and I are both amateur trained and love trials, good friends and competitions we've had in the past 5 yrs. Thanks NAHRA for giving us such a good, clean, healthy sport.

MHR SIRS CHOICE GUMBO  
5/24/86 F AKC SE724957  
Sire: Stone's Throw Marion's Choice  
Dam: Sheza Dixie Dandy  
Breeder: Carl K. White III, DVM  
Owner: Michael Moroz  
281 Wills Rd.  
Alpharetta, GA 30201



Gumbo has put spice into my life since coming home one November day as an early Christmas gift from my wife. A five month old fireball that was all legs, full of enthusiasm, quick to learn and always forgiving my mistakes. The Past 2½ years have brought many joys and disappointments as we progressed from Started to Master Hunting Retriever. Gumbo loves her field work as well as her newest accomplishments, house dog and mother of 9 wiggling pups. Special thanks are extended to Tom Rentz, Steve Reese and the G.S.H.R.C. members who helped with training. Come Gumbo...let's hunt 'em up!

MHR WR SUNNYVIEW'S BUDDY JONES  
7/05/84 Lab Ret. M AKC SE065587  
Sire: Sunnyview's Motivation  
Dam: Christmas Karma Of Sunnyview  
Breeder: Richard C. Weiner  
Owner: Richard C. Weiner & Rick Jones  
9365 Sunnyview Rd., NE  
Salem, OR 97301



"Bud" is the product of a breeding program focused on marking and tractability. He epitomizes both qualities. His unique temperament blends together with all the right ingredients to make him one of the finest dogs I've been privileged to handle. At 7 wks. of age he found his way into the heart and home of Rick Jones. He was soon to live up to his name "Buddy Jones". In the past 5 yrs. Bud has cemented together a great friendship between himself and Rick & me. There will always be the three of us because of him. Bud has a very forgiving and willing to please attitude about life and like a "Buddy" has seldom let me down. Bud's direction will be to complete 500 lifetime Senior points through '89 and run the Open later this year. We're proud he's part of our lives.



MHR WR HIWOOD GRETA  
 2/03/82 F AKC S383248  
 Sire: Piper's Pacer  
 Dam: Ripples Abby  
 Breeder: Raymond Hubbard  
 Owner: Phillip Locker  
 6790 Round Tree  
 Anchorage, AK 99516



Our very special lady of the house is a mellow seven year old, sixty-four pound black Labrador Retriever named Greta. She has laid claim to her master's armchair from where she surveys the whole family scene with a whole lot of love. It is so difficult to believe that this is the same dog who explodes off the line in a hunting situation, completely full of desire and enthusiasm. Greta becomes a hard charging dog who gets the job of retrieving done in a stylish manner. What an admirable companion to have here in Alaska! Thank you NAHRA!

MHR WR SPECIAL K EXPRESS  
 11/24/84 Lab Ret. F AKC SE329034  
 Sire: Rip City First Draft Pick  
 Dam: Skywalker's PPmint Express  
 Breeder: Don Kleine  
 Owner: Mike Cloke  
 100 Sandwood Crest  
 Castle Rock, WA 98611



Throughout Kate's years with NAHRA, she has demonstrated her outstanding achievements and her abilities in reaching the goals that we've set before her. A friend of mine, Butch Higgins once told me you have the best of both worlds. She is truly a lady when coming to the line and after the guns go off this lady is gone. I would like to take this time to thank my friends, especially Butch Higgins for all the help he has given us, and most of all my family. I would also like to express my deep appreciation for all of the great people my wife Karen and I have met on the road with NAHRA. Thank you.

GMHR ROYAL HUNTS SKY HIGH  
 11/27/82 Lab Ret. M AKC SD644440  
 Sire: Candlewood's Super Deal  
 Dam: Alexander's Dame Margaret  
 Breeder: Robert Alexander  
 Owner: Tom Wininger  
 25 Buttonwood Cir.  
 Wallingford, CT 06492



Sky is a 70 lb., well proportioned BLACK LAB, with alot of style and desire. He loves to hunt and I love watching him. Sometimes I wonder whether I enjoy putting the "Bead" on a big Canada or watching, as Sky makes his retrieve. Sky is the first and only male MHR in Connecticut. Sky and I just finished up our 1988 hunting season. We started it off in September with our 4th trip to Kashechewan, Ontario and finished things off in a cornfield, in Connecticut; with hunts in Vermont, Rhode Island and New York, in between. PLENTY OF BIRDS IN THE FREEZER! What a friend and hunting companion he is; THANKS, SKY! Sky and I would like to thank NAHRA for a job well done in keeping THE HUNT in our RETRIEVERS.

GMHR WR VAN LEE'S APPLEJACK  
 1/17/85 Lab Ret. M AKC SE379762  
 Sire: Nitram Bull Market  
 Dam: Van Lee's Chipmunk  
 Breeder: Carroll Ann Lewandowski  
 Owner: Tom Stasierowski &  
 Jaqueline Jayson  
 12072 Valley Rd.  
 East Aurora, NY 14052



Applejack is a male chocolate Labrador Retriever that completed his MHR at 2½ years of age. Applejack is co-owned with Jaqueline Jayson. Together with the Jayson family, we have been 100% behind the dogs and the hunting retriever game. He was offered to me at one year of age for training, but since I do not train for other people, he was then offered as a co-ownership deal which has worked out extremely well for Applejack, myself and the Jayson family. Applejack is used throughout the hunting season on ducks, geese and pheasants. I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks to Jaqueline and her family for having the trust and faith in myself as a trainer to work with this fine animal.



MHR FOGGYBOTTOM BUCKEROO  
 4/13/84 Lab M AKC SE080155  
 Sire: Accipiter Black Song Ernie  
 Dam: Sierra Gingersnap Cookie  
 Breeder: Carol Moore  
 Owner: Doug Johnson  
 Rt. 1, Box 186  
 Bakersfield, CA 93308



Buck, a totally black, classic, English Labrador was raised retrieving Mallards from the swift waters of the Kern River in California's Sierra Nevada mountains. When not retrieving ducks he is just at home locating quail on the steep ridges of those mountains or hunting pheasants and geese in the great rice country of northern California. Like most Labs, Buck was a naturally fine retriever who proved to be exceptionally trainable. He earned his MHR in the fall of 1987 and was invited to participate in the Invitational in 1988 in which he also qualified. Good luck from Buck in '89.

MHR WR CHUGACH HILLS ITSY BITSY  
 8/03/86 Lab Ret. F AKC SE714806  
 Sire: Mueller's Stormy Canada  
 Dam: Pacer's Little Bit  
 Breeder: Marilyn Bitney  
 Owner: Anna Stoops &  
 Larry Calvert  
 8013 Pioneer Drive  
 Anchorage, AK 99504



At the age of seven weeks, Bitsy arrived at our house after a trip in a small plane from her wilderness home in Skwenta, Alaska. I did most of her early training with lots of help from Larry, but later he started running her also. In 1988 Bitsy acquired her WR and MHR titles. She also made the AKC National Derby list and became qualified All-Age. But Bitsy is not just a trial dog; she loves to go hunting. During her first hunting season she had over one hundred ducks and geese shot over her. Both Larry and I feel that running the NAHRA events have made her a better all-around retriever.

MHR WR ROCKERIN WILLORUN TYREE  
 1/22/85 Golden Ret. F  
 AKC SE290718  
 Sire: Willow Run Nifty Budweiser  
 Dam: Willow Run Mocha  
 Breeder: Shirlee Ellerman  
 Owner: Dr. Joseph P. McCann  
 R.R. 1, Box 398  
 Stillwater, OK 74074



Our previous golden bitch was killed horribly before she could compete in the first stakes of the fledgling NAHRA organization in 1984. When the deep bitterness of her premature death wore off, we purchased another bitch, Tyree, from the same Willow Run Kennels in Wisconsin. Tyree has indefatigable spirit and ebullience. Tyree is a tough golden; she is aggressive, fast and a willing worker. Her strengths are lining and marking. Tyree's progress at 8 months was delayed briefly because of mild osteochondrosis. With expert training and the fine handling of Joseph Letta, Tyree has made an indelible mark as a superb golden and a top notch NAHRA dog. Tyree is the first golden to complete the NAHRA program. Tyree is a true family dog and she loves pheasant hunting.

MHR SAM SPADE OF EASTSHORE  
 2/11/82 Lab Ret. M AKC SD422582  
 Sire: Dandy Joe of Stanwood  
 Dam: Tonheims Yellow Katy  
 Breeder: Kim Tonheim  
 Owner: Greg Lee  
 3427 SW 111th  
 Seattle, WA 98146



Sam's bloodlines are a mixture of hunting stock, field trial and show. He is a strong dog with a blocky type build which serves him well from routing pheasants or tracking crippled ducks in the thickest cover, to breaking ice for that tough retrieve. When training, Sam is a cooperative dog who learns quickly and is eager to please. I've never had to use a collar (electric) on Sam. He works best with positive reinforcement. In the field Sam is a natural hunter. He has made retrieves that both my hunting partners and I can barely believe. In conclusion, an older gentleman once told me every hunter deserves a good dog in his lifetime, and thanks to God, I believe I have one.



GMHR WR SOUTHLAND  
BOMBER'S BLACK LACE  
9/29/85 Lab Ret. F AKC SE478400  
Sire: WR High Flight Bomber  
Dam: WR Lacey J  
Breeder: Trish Jagoda  
Owner: B. Lynn Foraker &  
Trish Jagoda  
Box 298  
Delaware City, DE 19706



Midgie is the puppy that no one wanted. She was too small. The dog that, a top professional trainer said, would never make a NAHRA dog. The dog that one year later at 25 months of age became one of the youngest Master Hunters in NAHRA'S history. Now at 3½, Midgie is a Grand Master and has qualified for the 1989 Invitational with 180 points. Midgie sleeps in my bed and goes to work with me everyday. She loves to train and hunt and looks right into your eyes, always trying to understand. Midgie would like to thank Lacey J, her mom, Trish, for training, Bomber for those great Mi-Cris Sailor genes and the gang at Southland Kennels. I would like to thank all our friends in the NAHRA program and most of all, Midgie.

MHR WR MY MARK OF DISTINCTION  
8/02/84 Lab Ret. M AKC SE177490  
Sire: Winsom Zapper  
Dam: Lee's Lady Thummer  
Breeder: Leland M. Jones  
Owner: Perry M. Bell  
1362 Seventh St.  
Ripon, CA 95366



When Mark (named for the mark on his left rib) and I entered the NAHRA program in March 1988, we had big dreams of what we could achieve - but never really anticipated it happening all in one year! Mark earned his Working Retriever, Intermediate Brass Band, Master Hunting Retriever and qualified for the 1989 Invitational in just 9 months - and still hunted hard. It has taken lots of time, work and the support of good friends (Thanks Ron & Dan.). Mark was a gift from my wife and has certainly surpassed all expectations. He is truly my "one in a lifetime."

GMHR WR SOUTHDOWNS CRACKIN TO GO  
7/16/82 Lab Ret. F AKC SD514225  
Sire: Itchin' To Go  
Dam: Shady Lady Of Caine Manor  
Breeder: Woody Thurman  
Owner: Tony Leonard  
Route 3, Box 55  
Lauringurg, NC 28352



Crackin is a 58 lb, 6 year old black labrador female. Crackin lives in the house, sleeps on the bed and is a great companion at home and afield. She loves duck and dove hunting and field trialing that order. Crackin's first three years training was centered around traditional AKC Field Trials and culminated in her becoming Qualified All-Age at the age of three. Crackin's introduction to NAHRA Field Testing was done so with a sigh of relief and a budding of excitement for her and her handler. To be tested under actual hunting conditions seemed to bring out a level of anticipation and an eagerness that I had not seen before. I think she actually thought she was hunting.

GMHR WR RIO RETRIEVERS  
SUPER SIX PAK  
1/12/82 Lab Ret. M AKC SD539178  
Sire: Tidewater Max-Pak  
Dam: Shamrock Acres H.H. Pepperbell  
Breeder: Tom & Barbara Kilgore  
Owner: Mickey & Larry Walker  
P.O. Box 389  
Parker, AZ 85344



Pure and simple "Pak" is an athlete and does everything hell bent. He has a sense of humor that is sometimes trying and he has been known to let his enthusiasm over ride his better judgement, but I will say this, he is fun and exciting and gives you his all, which is more than enough. Having been able to work with his offspring we see he is passing on his desire, trainability and disposition. Pak will arrive at this Invitational with over 500 NAHRA points, so to all who made NAHRA possible, Pak thanks you, WE thank you. We'll see you all in Georgia. Be sure and say "Hey".



GMHR RAW'S TARTU  
12/21/81 Lab Ret. M AKC SD 416763  
Sire: Machepongo's WA Nappy  
Dam: Super Rap-Up  
Breeder: Roger Brown  
Owner: Richard A. Wolters  
Route 1, Box 133  
Hanover, VA 23069



I'm Richard A. Wolters and my dog is Tar. Tar is a most interesting fellow. His whole personality changes with the circumstances. He is as calm a friend as a man could have. He is great socially and has been every place I have been for the last 5 years..He is a perfect gentleman and has his bed next to mine..He doesn't snore. But Tar is a "high roller." As calm as he appears when I take him to someone's office and he sleeps at my feet..Try that at a NAHRA Field Test. As soon as we hit the test grounds he becomes a maniac. A real Jekyll & Hyde. Take him to a duck blind and he's a gentleman again..a Field Test and he's a monster. I think he believes that the guns, the judges, the bird boys, even the lady that sells the lunch do all this just for him. I honestly believe that Tar loves his life.

GMHR LA'MIST MISS  
BOBBI MCGEE  
1/17/82 Lab Ret. F AKC SE062445  
Sire: Sandringham Geordie  
Dam: La'Mist Mini Mouse  
Breeder: Joseph & Archangel Letta  
Owner: Joseph & Archangel Letta  
849 Route 21  
Shortsville, NY 14548



Bobbi is a female black Lab, average in size and one of a litter of seven. Bobbi began running NAHRA Field Tests in 1983. At this time she injured her knee cap and we thought she was lost. But with proper care she bounced back and became High Point Intermediate Dog at Finger Lakes and then went on the next two years in a row to win the High Point Senior Dog. Bobbi became the first black Labrador Retriever in New York state, and one of two to complete the Master Hunting Retriever title. Bobbi completed her Master title on July 13, 1986. Bobbi has been raised in our home and has never relinquished that title of being our family pet, an excellent all-around hunting dog and loyal companion. A better friend we've never known. Bobbi qualified as one of the members of the '87 & '88 All American Team.

GMHR HIWOOD PACER'S MR. TANNER  
1/29/81 Lab Ret. M AKC SD336367  
Sire: Piper's Pacer  
Dam: All-Star's Moon Baby Mindy  
Breeder: Martin Garrett  
Owner: Brian Baines  
1227 E. 75th  
Anchorage, AK 99503



His friends call him Mr. T and he has alot of them. Tanner loves hunting, retrieving and training and I love working with him. He's my most prized possession no matter what he does. Tanner is wild and crazy about birds; sometimes I think Satan himself possesses him. He just wants them so bad they drive him wild. I train him and he trains me. He's a thinking dog - he thinks about birds and that's all. Tanner thinks birds, I think Tanner, when we have it all together it's great. We will try to do our best. Let the good times roll NAHRA & Mr. T.

MHR FEDERAL HILL'S MIKE EM  
12/01/82 Lab Ret. M AKC SD918752  
Sire: Super Sonic Hooter  
Dam: Citruc Meadows Mack Morgan  
Breeder: R. Hunsucker & L. Leathersich  
Owner: Janet M. Sowers  
2437 Huguenot Springs Rd.  
Midlothian, VA 23113



As a six year old Mike's reputation for his brains, looks, style and natural ability are well deserved. He's been successfully trialed since puppyhood and has won many Gun Dog Stakes. While running AKC Field Trials he earned Derby points, Amateur points, won two Qualifying stakes and qualified All-Age. He was sold, but after a year of missing him terribly, I was fortunately able to repurchase him. With the help of John Weller and Jim Cimburke, Mike earned his MHR and qualified for this Invitational in his first year of running NAHRA. As a hunting buddy Mike is the best.



MHR WR COWLITZ RIVER KATIE  
 7/20/84 Lab Ret. F AKC SE175882  
 Sire: Sa Joaquin Honcho  
 Dam: Sunnyview's Doober's Dandy  
 Breeder: Richard Weiner  
 Owner: Richard Higgins  
 122 James St.  
 Longview, WA 98632



I bought Kate from Sunnyview Labrador Kennels in July of '84. Kate is out of NFC-AFC San Joaquin Honcho and Sunnyview's Doober Dandy. While not too accomplished in trial circlces, Dandy is a handsome, very well bred bitch, sired by FC-AFC Air Express. Kate has matured into a large, handsome bitch, tipping the scales at 85 lbs. of flashy, hard running enthusiasm. She is very tractable and fun to work. I have done all of the training of Kate and she has taught me a tremendous amount about having fun. She has worked long and hard to earn her invitation to this event. She was first alternate in '87 and now in '88 has earned an invitation by accumulating 200 points, putting her total points to 280 points.

GMHR WIND RIVER TUFF E NUFF  
 12/03/80 Lab Ret. M AKC SD106899  
 Sire: Volwood's Ruff and Reddy  
 Dam: Wind River Super Dust Devil  
 Breeder: Gail Seward  
 Owner: Scott & Gail Seward  
 6291 Sierra Siena Rd.  
 Irvine, CA 92715

"Tuff" resulted from Gail and I breeding "Ruff" (FC-AFC Volwood's Ruff & Reddy) to our All-Age qualified bitch "Stormy" (Wind River Super Dust Devil). After retiring Thunder (the oldest dog in the first NAHRA Invitational), we started to work to get Tuff qualified for this year's invitational. Judging assignments and hunting trips cut into the opportunities to run in licensed NAHRA tests in 1988. However, with alot of help from our friend (and professional trainer) Ron Gober to smooth out the "ruff" spots, Tuff ran in 8 NAHRA Senior events last year, qualifying in 7. Much appreciated are the continuing efforts of the national NAHRA organization, our judges and local club officers.

MHR WR LACY LEE OF LOLENDIA  
 3/22/85 Lab Ret. F AKC SE351625  
 Sire: Kailua's Kona Gold  
 Dam: Gabbriella of Lolenda  
 Breeder: William F. Bauer  
 Owner: Lenda Lee Barker  
 8311 N. 50th St.  
 Scottsdale, AZ 85233



In 1988 Lacy Lee made her WR in a short time and immediately started to consistently complete Senior Tests towards her MHR. When she was hurt making her MHR and thus only made the Invitational alternate list, we said she'd make it in 1989 and here she is! Congratulations Lacy! She was the 1988 State Hunting Champion; her first litter produced 8 yellows and 5 blacks; she qualified for the 1989 Invitational; and she finished her first Senior Test for the year just 2½ weeks after weining pups with only a few days of training in three months. The above list tells all one needs to know about such a great Arizona lady from Lolenda.

GMHR WR MISSISSIPPI MOLLY  
 12/21/80 Lab Ret. F AKC SD083787  
 Sire: Rascal's Medicine Man  
 Dam: Candlewood's Marriah  
 Breeder: Bob & Ingrid Hogan  
 Owner: Rick Knuth  
 Rt. 2, Box 77  
 Bangor, WI 54614



My hunting partner is "Molly", my 8 year old black Lab female. She has a great desire to please, is a wonderful companion for us and our children and is a beautiful house dog and great hunter. Every fall she hunts and retrieves ducks, ruffed grouse and pheasant. Molly is our first pedigreed dog and we take pride in the fact that she is having much success with only my amateur training. Molly is a consistent finisher including back-to-back wins in sanctioned qualifying, qualifying scores in all four Intermediates she ran, eleven consecutive Senior qualifications and to date 16 Senior qualifications of the last 17 she has run in.



GMHR WR LACEY J VI  
4/481 Lab Ret. F AKC SD764183  
Sire: Bask  
Dam: Barbara's Shadow  
Breeder: Barbara G. Figg  
Owner: Patricia Jagoda  
8250 Silverbrook Rd.  
Lorton, VA 22079



At the age of 8 Lacey has accomplished everything I have ever asked of her. At 4 Lacey hung up her frisbee and decided to enter a started event at the first NAHRA Field Test in Richmond, VA. At 5 she began competing in Senior events. Shortly after she received her MHR and then her Grand Master title. Last year Lacey was invited to participate in the ALPO/NAHRA Invitational and was named to the 1988 All-American team. She has proven to be one of the finest dogs in the NAHRA program. We are grateful to NAHRA for the opportunity to compete in this year's Invitational and would like to wish everyone the best of luck.

MHR WR JOSH HIGH HOPES  
FROM JED  
3/06/86 Lab Ret. M AKC SE568429  
Sire: Sandy's Slew Man Too  
Dam: Swift Creek-Backwater Memory  
Breeder: William Steadman/Nancy Jackson  
Owner: Olin M. Cassidy  
1523 Kimberly Dr.  
Hartsville, SC 29550



Josh is a 75 lb. three year old Lab who was purchased from Bill Steadman in N.C. From the beginning I could tell Josh had lots of courage, speed and desire. Josh and I began training with Richard McDonald who introduced us to club trials and eventually to NAHRA Field Tests. Josh began running NAHRA Field Tests in 1987 and qualified in 4 out of 5 tests to obtain his WR title. At the age of 26 months he became a Master Hunting Retriever. Josh's loyalty, dedication and overall performance has made me a proud owner and handler. I would like to thank NAHRA for its program which allows working people as myself to participate in a good gun dog program.

GMHR WR RICHARD'S FELLOW  
5/22/82 Lab Ret. M AK SD912873  
Sire: Swift Creek's Little Boy  
Dam: Swift Creek's Ice Breaker  
Breeder: Nancy Jackson  
Owner: Richard E. McDonald  
Rt. 6, Box 163-K  
Hartsville, SC 2950



Fellow, officially GMHR Richard's Fellow, is a hard-going, yellow, 6 year old male labrador retriever. His lineage includes FC Itchin To Go on the dam's side and gun dog stock on the sire's. Fellow and his owner Richard McDonald have worked together since the McDonald family brought him home as a 3 month old puppy in Sept. '82. Fellow ran his first field test in May, '83, at Palmetto Retriever Club's first club trial run under NAHRA rules. Fellow has set the example for his offspring. His accomplishments include: GMHR, 1987 & 88 All-American Team, Palmetto Retriever Club High Point Intermediate Dog of the Year '85, PRC Gun Dog of the Year '87 & '88, PRC Runner-Up High Point Dog of the Year '87, and completion of 11 of the 13 Senior Tests he ran in 1988.

GMHR WELLER'S MOSES  
OF ANTIOCH  
2/21/82 Lab Ret. M AKC SD395584  
Sire: A Shade Lighter  
Dam: Sue's Gal Sal  
Breeder: Susan D. Fort  
Owner: John L. Weller, II  
865 Gaskins Rd.  
New Bern, NC 28560



"Moses", nicknamed "The Burning Bush", is the best dog I've ever owned. For the third time, we are enjoying another NAHRA Invitational. Here are some of Moses' accomplishments: Most NAHRA points for 1987 and 1988 in America; first dog to become MHR in North Carolina; in 1988 earning 340 Senior points; Moses was named to the "NAHRA All American Team," 1987 and 1988; First dog to reach the 300, 400, 500 and 600 point mark. God gave me a great gift and I thank him. My inspiration came from one person - Mama...1989...is run in memory of you!

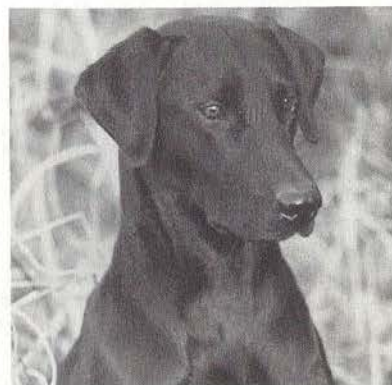


**GMHR HIWOOD PACER'S CAPT. COOK**  
 2/03/82 Lab M AKC SD696432  
 Sire: Piper's Pacer  
 Dam: Ripples Abby  
 Breeder: Raymond Hubbard  
 Owner: Brian Baines  
 1277 E. 75th St.  
 Anchorage, AK 99503



Born to be wild, a hunting and retrieving fool. Never a dull moment, make it happen Captain! He's a fast, crazy retrieving machine that loves to work. Hunting and training are his thing. He is one of my ultimate hunting partners. He thinks NAHRA is the closest thing to hunting. He loves being upside down and carried around like a baby. He loves sleeping on my stomach and watching T.V. Cook converts dog food to rocket fuel, he loves doing burnouts on the starting line. Either he thinks retrieving is a race or he just likes to fly. I love it, Cook. Turn it on. Cook's nicknames are Cooker, Itmen Bity, Budda Belly, Bityone and Wildman. Thanks NAHRA.

**MHR WR PYE'S PHANTOM CHARGER**  
 10/02/87 Lab Ret. M AKC SF228103  
 Sire: Sandy's Slew Man Too  
 Dam: River Haven's Brandy  
 Breeder: Bruce & Sandra Harris  
 Owner: Rusty & Sandra Pye  
 1798 Stoney Fork Rd.  
 York, SC 29745



Jessie was purchased as a Christmas present for myself by my wife. After looking at lots of pups, I decided on Jessie because he was the most rambunctious, the last one left in his litter and I knew he had to be something special because he was born on our wedding day. Jessie has indeed turned out to be one unique retriever as shown by his NAHRA record. Sandra and I both spoil him very much. His favorite sleeping spot is in our waterbed. Jessie is used for hunting and is also our best friend.

**MHR WR PARNE GIRL**  
 7/25/83 Lab Ret. F AKC SD807240  
 Sire: D B Zachery Winston  
 Dam: Terye Lake Of Tasha  
 Breeder: Bruce Nelson  
 Owner: Jerry Parnham  
 7240 York Ave. S. #112  
 Edina, MN 55435



This is my and MHR WR Parne Girl's second year in a row at the NAHRA Invitational. Cyndee and I are just as excited as if this was our first event. We worked hard and traveled to many different parts of the nation visiting with the wonderful people involved in the NAHRA program, and still believe that the NAHRA events are the most enjoyable and fulfilling field tests we participate in. The greatest payoff is in the fall when we are either sitting in the duck boat, goose blind or hunting the upland birds. Thank you NAHRA for your wonderful program and thanks to all the sponsors who make the Invitational possible.

**MHR WR DUCK MASTER'S**  
**NOSIN AROUND**  
 6/30/84 Lab M AKC SE285222  
 Sire: Snake Eyes Double Or Nothin'  
 Dam: Sassy Mack's Ruffed Pleasure  
 Breeder: Joseph Samuel Bell &  
 Margaret A. Bell  
 Owner: Charles F. Breslin  
 5087 Kingsgrove Dr.  
 Somis, CA 93066



"Duck" is a well-bred, high-rollin', lean 78 lb. hunter. His eyes were certified by CERF and his hips are OFA excellent. "Duck" is owner trained and handled. We attend our Club training sessions and have learned a great deal from Larry Walker, Paul Cacciatori, Bruce Morrison, Phil Deschene, Chuck Rhoades and others. We hunt 20 to 30 days every season. "Duck" has retrieved dove, quail, pheasant, chucker, ducks and geese. We are very active in the NAHRA program. "Duck" received his first Started ribbon March 23, 1986, at IVRC in the first licensed NAHRA Hunting Test in Southern California. When we got our act together in September, 1988, "Duck" ribboned in 7 consecutive Senior tests in three states under 12 different judges.



GMHR SOUTHLAND LUCKY STRIKE  
6/14/82 Lab Ret. M AKC SD680990  
Sire: Trieven Ebony Buccaneer  
Dam: Brigantine Belle  
Breeder: Gene Piscitelli  
Owner: Jack Jagoda & Joe May  
Route 1, Box 21A  
Walkerton, VA 23177



Lucky is a special dog to Diana, Joe and me. He represents combined breeding of a few of our old gun dogs as well as a host of well known field champions. Lucky became one of the top 10 derby dogs in the country and had an Amateur first and Open second by the time he was 3 years old. He achieved his Master Hunting Retriever title by qualifying at 5 Senior Field Tests in a row. Lucky competed in the last 2 NAHRA Invitational events and qualified as a member of the 1988 All American Team. In the fall of 1988, he traveled to South Africa to participate in the K.U.S.A. Championships. A finer competition dog, friend and hunter is hard to come by.

#### GUEST HANDLER #1

CH And F.T. CH SOKATUMI XUGANO (KOOGAA)  
7/1/83 Golden Ret. M K.U.S.A. 623700  
Sire: CH Kilifi Alpha F.Q.  
Dam: CH and F.T. CH Summerfold  
Silverstone of Sokatumi  
Breeder & Owner: John McCormick  
Handler: Roxana McCormick



Roxie and John McCormick's "Sokatumi" Golden Retrievers are world class Dual Purpose (both bench and field champion) Goldens. John McCormick first became acquainted with Golden Retrievers while living in San Francisco in the early 70's. John has owned 3 of the five "Dual Champion" Golden Retrievers in South Africa. John & Roxie have been very active in South Africa Retriever Clubs and 3 years ago founded a new club - "The Working GunDog and Conservation Club", which has more emphasis on the working aspect of GunDogs, and actively encourages and assists members to improve their knowledge of the wild i.e. birdlife, flora, fauna, etc. Both John, Roxie and 2 young sons have expert knowledge of above and their advice is sought by many people and have helped many handlers with their retrievers (not just Goldens).

#### GUEST HANDLER #2

F.T. AND CH. EBONY DARK NIGHT (TALUKA)  
6/6/82 Lab Ret. F K.U.S.A. 635988  
Sire: FT. CH (U.K.) Abbotsleigh Nimrod  
Dam: Kandu Girl (U.K.)  
Breeder: Rory Lynch (U.K.)  
Owners: W.J.E. Tait & R.E. Smith



F.T. CH Ebony Dark Night is owned and handled by William J. Elliott Tait. Bill owns Ball Yhue Kennels - as a hobby he breeds and trains Labrador Retrievers and English Pointers. He has owned 5 Retriever Field Champions. Bill is one of top A Grade Judges in South Africa; he lectures on judging and training throughout the country. His dog, Taluka (Ebony Dark Night) was Top Field Trial Dog in South Africa in 1986 and 1988 and Runner-Up in 1987.

#### GUEST HANDLER #3

F.T. CH SOKATUMI XAXABA F.Q. (KAABAH)  
7/1/83 Golden Ret. F K.U.S.A. 623699  
Sire: CH Kilifi Alpha F.Q.  
Dam: CH and F.T. CH Summerfold  
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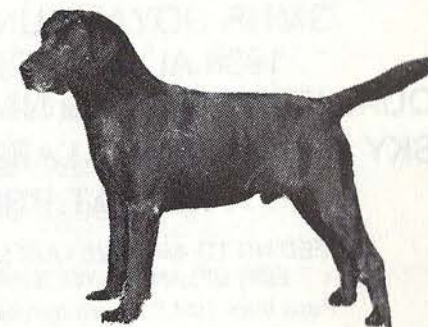
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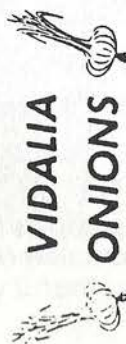


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