



## President's Message

2016 is rolling along fantastically for CWGA! Our new board is rocking this year! Please welcome new member Jessica Davis. She is going to be a great asset to our club—she has already been helping, and makes some awesome trophies.

The CWGA has applied to AKC for membership status! This will give us a voice in the plans of the future and reduced rates for our event applications. As a club of clubs, we all should be involved...not unlike our coming elections. Hope your candidate wins!

We all need to pat on the back all the wonderful volunteers especially our newsletter editor! This is Judi's last one— she has published our quarterly newsletter since 2009!!! You can see the beautiful array of newsletters she has created for us on our Website. Anne Taylor has volunteered to take over this very important task, so give her all the support you can.

Plans for our 2 Concurrent Group Shows are underway! Please share the flyers and links to FB everywhere! The 4 All Breed *Victory Lane Classic* shows are June 1-4. Our shows are June 2 & 3 so mark your calendars!

Laura Rader, show chair and Vicki East, Administrative Asst. show chair, can always use help, as this is a big undertaking. If you can, volunteer to join the team, and support those who have volunteered to head up sections.

Doreen Luhrs, is well under way organizing new perks for campers as head of the new RV team. We can still use help to organize the grooming area (contact me [cathy.rubens@gmail.com](mailto:cathy.rubens@gmail.com)). Crystal Brooks has again volunteered to be trophy chair!

We have more people getting awards this year, so fill out the applications that Linda Fowler will be sending out.

AKC has backed out of all club market place ads, but we are rocking our website (<http://www.carolinaworkinggroup.org/>) and FB pages (<https://www.facebook.com/CarolinaWGA/>). Laura Rader is our contact for website, so if you want to showcase your dogs, contact her. I am doing the FB page, so any updates send to me.

Shelia Goffe and Francine Brown, our new program co-chairs, have organized some very interesting meeting presentations. The first will begin our meeting at the Furniture City KC Show in Winston-Salem Nov 12<sup>th</sup> following the Working Group in the Educational Building. Stephanie, from Infinity K9, will talk about what they do, and about the recent discovery of Brucellosis in Wake County! Due to the delay, this newsletter won't get to you before entries close (Oct 26<sup>th</sup>), but we still hope to see you at the meeting!

Dave Roberts is still in the hospital and if anyone is up that way, please stop in and visit. I am sure the hours are long without his canines. You can see his FB posts <https://www.facebook.com/dave.roberts.315080?fref=ts>

Now is the time to get involved with our group club! Support your club and get to know fellow working dog members along the way!

*cathy rubens*

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# CWGA and the AKC on Responsible Dog Ownership Day





Thanks to Ed & Francine Brown for the Responsible Dog Ownership Day photos!



***BRAGS!***



From Vicky Jones:

Our baby ***“Sassy,” Vykon’s Chayo All That Sass***

finished her

***Championship from the puppy classes***

with a total of 4 majors! She is now living in the U.K. with the owner of her sire, so she’ll be wowing them with her footwork there soon too.





# ***BRAGS!***



From Jessica Davis:

***2016 BULLMASTIFF NATIONAL WEEK  
Monday's SSBA Reg Specialty***

***"Sadie"***

***Adora's Sexy Sadie What Have You Done  
GCH Banstock N Highpoints Ours Yours and Mine  
x Ch Adora's Incredible Shelby Cobra***

***BEST OF OPPOSITE IN SWEEPS  
& WINNERS BITCH (Major!)***



Many Thanks to Breeder Judges Perry Payson and Rick Blanchard for appreciating this beautiful girl!

Proudly Owned and Bred By Bill and Doreen Moskaluk  
Presented By Grandma Jessica Davis ~ Making her father Proud!

Thursday ***"Sadie"*** was ***Best Bitch in Futurity!*** Thank you Breeder Judge Pam Kachuba!



***BRAGS!***



From Jessica Davis:

***2016 BULLMASTIFF NATIONAL WEEK***

***"Foster P"***

***MBISS MBISOH GCH Int'l MBIS CH***

***Banstock N Highpoints Ours Yours and Mine OFA, CGC, RN***

***SELECT DOG***



Thank you to breeder judge Rick Blanchard for the Honor. Proudly Owned and Shown by Jessica Davis

We had fun Presenting Foster P in The Top 25 ending the year at #6 with limited showing, all owner handled.

***Finished 2016 as #1 NOHS BULLMASTIFF!***

Endless Gratitude to the judges and fans who recognized our beautiful dog!

***"Foster P"*** also received ***1st Award Of Merit at the 2016 ABA National Specialty***, Thank you judge Judy Daniels. Couldn't be more proud!



# ***BRAGS!***



From Francine and Ed Brown:

***“Sette,” CH Basilicata's Chicago My Kind Of Town CGC***  
finished her ***Grand Championship*** on Sept. 5th at the Raleigh Show.





# BRAGS!



From Laura Rader & Julie Fitser:

We have a new *International Champion* in Colombia!

**Co Ch VAYC 2016 Avalon Bey's Naughty or Nice "Krissy "**

owned by: Laura Rader & Julie Fitser

Co Ch = Colombian Champion

VAYC 2016 = Americas and Caribbean winner 2016







***BRAGS!***



From Andrea Jung:

***GCH CH Southwind's Pouch Cove Dark Star CD RE WRD3 TDD***  
was ***NCA Select/AOM*** at the ***CNC NCA Regional Specialty*** in  
Westminster, MD under breeder judge Brenda Santiago.





# BRAGS!

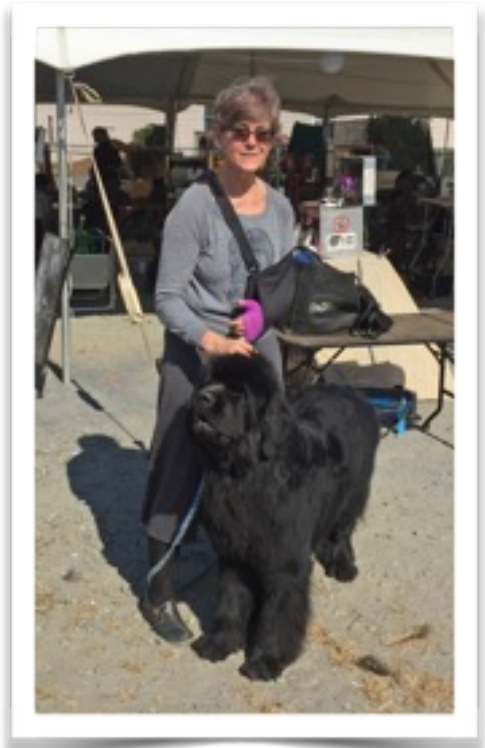


A late brag from Judi & Pat Randall:

Presenting our newest *Bred-By Champion*,  
*CH Cru's El Condor Pasa*,  
*"Blue"* lives with, and is co-owned by Shirley McGreal.



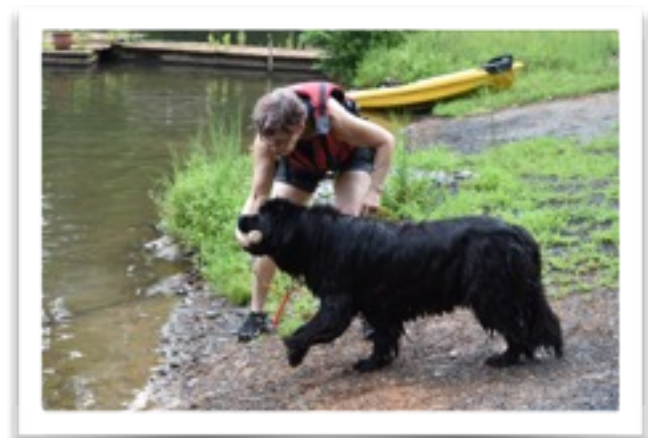
*Blue* picked up 1 5-point and 2 4-point majors at the Greenville, SC shows July 29-31, and his remaining 2 singles in Marietta shows, Oct 29-30.



We are so proud of this boy— he is **our 7th Champion** to earn all of his points from the **Bred-By class**.

We are also proud of our 8 1/2 year old. *Karma* (another BBE CH). She earned her **NCA Water Dog** title on July 23 and re-qualified the next day, so she is now

***GCH Cru's Instant Karma***  
***CD RN NCA WDI***



# HAPPY HOWL-O-WEEN!!!





### *Next meeting:*

**Date:** November 12, 2016, at the Furniture City KC Show in Winston-Salem

**Time:** Following Working Group.

**Place:** Education Building Room (in the corner where the judges have lunch and we have had our Christmas dinners).

Thanks to our new program co-chairs, Shelia Goffe and Francine Brown, there will be a presentation. Stephanie, from Infinity K9, will talk about what they do, and about the recent discovery of Brucellosis in Wake County.

### *From our web guru:*

*We need more breeders to submit their information* for the Breeds section! See the *Komondor*, *Newfoundland* and *Rottweiler* pages for examples of the kind of info we need. I am also looking for a **breeder to spotlight!** Volunteers??? (send info to [CatSquareRader@aol.com](mailto:CatSquareRader@aol.com))