



**TD & TDX Test October 1st, 2017**

**Judge was Club member Laura McKay  
Tracklayers were Sue Godbehere, Vivien Brennen,  
Steve Hill & Pamela Burns.**

We had 2 TD passes. **Club member Dwyn Tomlinson**  
with 4 year old German Shepherd Dog  
**“Buffy Vom Berblick IPO 3 TD”**

And **Lesley Camelford** with Border Collie mix **“Eumae”**  
Congratulations to both handlers and dogs.

**July, 2017— Oct., 2017**

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More pictures from the TD & TDX test held Oct. 1, 2017



Lesley & Eumae



Dwyn & Buffy



## CCTC Members' Brags.....



“Cassie” & “Tenor”

**Cassie** is now Pinebank Sundance of Santosha WC TD JH RN having passed 3 Junior Hunter tests (one each at LOC, HHRC and MVRTC) and 3 Rally Novice trials (one at LOC and two at Poodle Club of Canada) this spring. Her scores in Novice B Rally were 97, 97 and 98, which was good enough for 1st place in her class each time.

**Tenor** is now TCH OTCH Pinebank's Encore Performer SH WCX RE having passed Utility A four times (twice at GSDCL and twice at LOC) with four 1st place finishes. His scores were okay (183, 189, 189 and 185). He also passed his TDX again at LOC.

Owned by **Laura McKay**

## “Elroy”

MBISS BOSS MBPISS BPIS GCH. UKC CH .U-RO3  
Castlegar Elroy At Autumwynd PCD CD CGN RI RA

“Elroy” earned his CD July 15th and RA July 16, 2017.  
Owned by **Marie-P Babin**



## CCTC Club Members' Brags.....



### "Roady"

MOTCH Thistletoon On The Road Again PCD  
CDI RE AGN CGN N-JWW I-JWW AGIJ Am.  
CDX UKC CD SG ADC NA NAJ XXC AGN SG  
"Roady" earned her **MOTCH** July 22/17

Owned by **Irene Mullan**



### "Sterling"

Reynard's Folly Sterling CGN PCD CD RI RA CRN CA.

"Sterling" earned his CD and RA July 22, 2017

Owned by **Tricia Budrow** and trained in obedience and rally by  
**Lynda Rupay**

On October 1st, 2017 Sterling earned his Chase Ability Title !!!



### "Scotty"

GCH Ambercroft Beam me up 2 Gowrielea WC Am RN  
"Scotty" earned his WC July 2017

Owned by **Sandy Brodie**



## More CCTC Members' Brags....



### “Charleston”

CH Charbr Dancing by the Sea, CDX, RAE, TD,  
AGN, AGNJ, ADC, CGN

**Charleston** earned his ADC (Agility Dog of  
Canada)  
June 2017 and then his Starters Games Dog of  
Canada  
July 2017

Owned by **Anne Passafiume**



### “Frankie”

MBVIS MBAIS CH Alt. CH Autumwynd Frankie Starlite  
CDX TD CGN SD-A RE RI

**“Frankie”** earned her RI (rally intermediate title) July 23, 2017 ...  
at 11 1/2 yrs.

Owned by **Marie-P Babin**



### “Allie”

**“Allie”** earned her AKC Graduate Novice Title.  
Sept.10, 2017

Owned by **Kathleen Dahmer**

## “New Little Trackers”



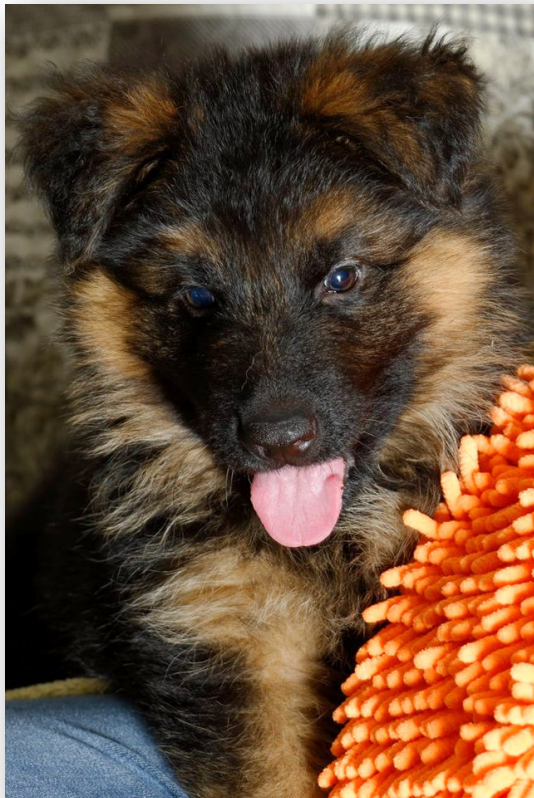
“Miss Yummy”

**Am GCH/Can GCH Grandgables Ms Yummy Yummy**

**Ms Yummy Yummy** who has joined my little family here in Beeton. Dealer has been quite lost since Lotto and Shorty crossed over the bridge and Ms Yummy has charmed him completely....his tail hasn't stopped wagging since she arrived.

After an illustrious show career and very successful career as a mom, Yummy has retired and will now start her performance career with me. Her temperament is out of this world and she seems to be the type who loves to please so that combined with her typical Dachshund love of food she looks like she is really going to enjoy both Rally and Tracking.

Owned by **Susan Skolnick**

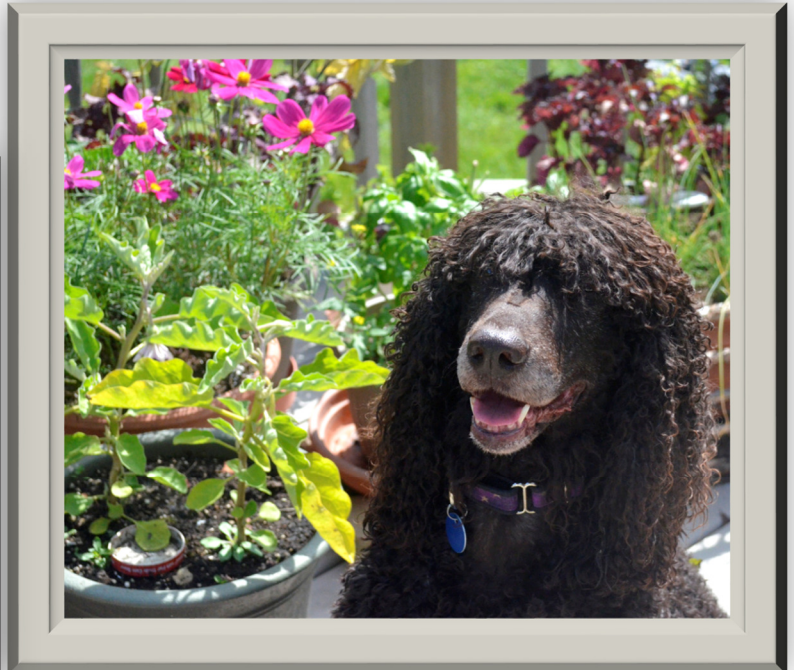
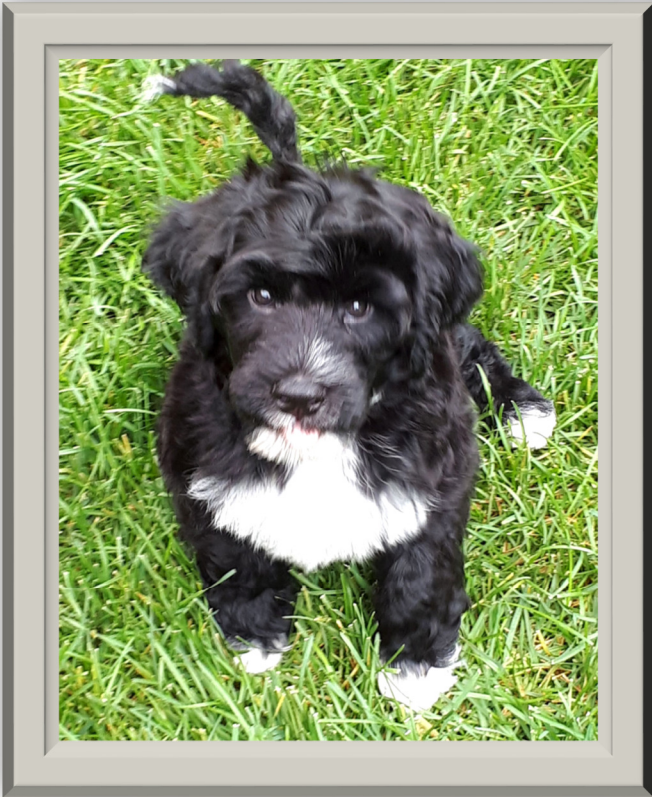


“Wolfe”

**Clarot's Wolfe**

New baby German Shepherd Dog born June 30/17 for  
**Vivien Brennan & Steve Hill.**

## “New Little Trackers”



### “Vanna”

Realt's Starry Night Vanna Gough AKC CD RN SH  
Vanna is an Irish Water Spaniel and was born in 2010  
Her new owners are **Susan Rickwood & Marg Schneider**

### “Salsa”

Charbr's Dancing on the Edge  
Born July 18, 2017  
New Portuguese Water Dog for **Anne Passafiume**



### Tiny Tuna Treats

They are spongy and not oily and perfect for any training.  
They smell nice for Tracking especially.

2 Cans un-drained tuna  
2 Eggs  
1 1/2 C Flour (I use whole wheat)  
1/4 C Parmesan cheese  
Sprinkle of garlic powder (not salt) if desired  
Mix together in a greased (with good oil) 9 x 9 pan  
Bake a 350 degrees for 20 minutes

Cool completely  
Turn out and slice into little squares.

**Happy Thanksgiving Everyone !!!**



## WHY TITLE A DOG?

Not just a brag, not just a stepping stone to a higher title, not just an adjunct to competitive scores, a title is a tribute to the dog that bears it, a way to honor the dog, an ultimate memorial. It will remain in record and in memory for as long as anything in this world can remain. Few humans will do as well or better in that regard.

And though the dog itself doesn't know or care that its achievements have been noted, a title says many things in the world of humans, where such things count.

A title says your dog was intelligent and adaptable, and good-natured. It says that your dog loved you enough to do the things that please you, however crazy they may have sometimes seemed.

And a title says that you loved your dog, that you loved to spend time with it because it was a good dog, that you believed in it enough to give it yet another chance when it failed, and that, in the end, your faith was justified.

A title proves that your dog inspired you to that special relationship enjoyed by so few; that in a world of disposable creatures, this dog with a title was greatly loved, and loved greatly in return.

And when that dear short life is over, the title remains as a memorial of the finest kind, the best you can give to a deserving friend, volumes of pride in one small set of initials after the name.

A title earned is nothing less than love and respect, given and received, and permanently recorded.

-Sandra Mowery



## IN MEMORY OF LINDA "THE DOG LADY" GONZALEZ



Linda joined Cross Country Tracking Club in 2007. We always enjoyed having Linda at our tracking tests. She drove up from the Hamburg New York many times to be in our tests with her beloved Basset Hounds.

Linda Gonzalez, a long time member of the Kennel Club of Buffalo, passed away after a long illness on March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

A 25 year member of the Basset Hound Club of America, her specialty was tracking and she was a tracking chair for several National meets.

Linda was also a member of the versatility committee. She raised several litters of Bassett Hounds over the years and entered many shows in her area.

Linda raised 11 Guiding Eyes for the Blind puppies, as well as two litters of Labrador puppies for them.

She participated in many tracking events in the USA and Canada and was a member of Tracking Clubs in both countries. She will be missed by her family and her dogs.

## Gone but Never Forgotten....

### “Courage”

Aug. 15, 2003 -June 30, 2017

Jerryru's Dragon Heart, FMX

“Courage” was loved and will be missed

by **Victoria Vidal-Ribas**



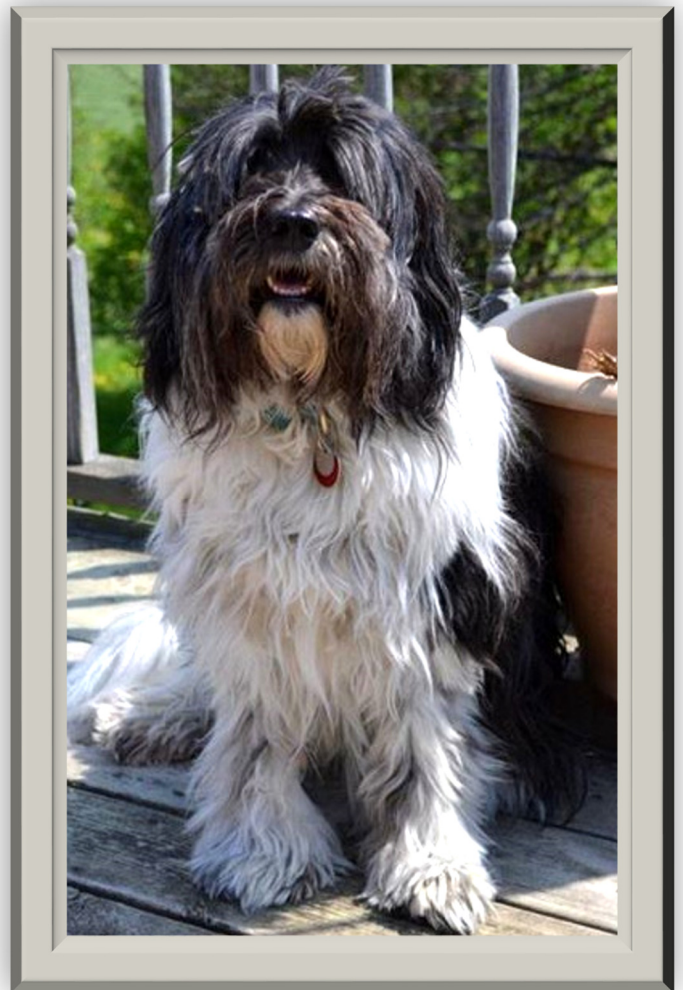
### “Phoebe”

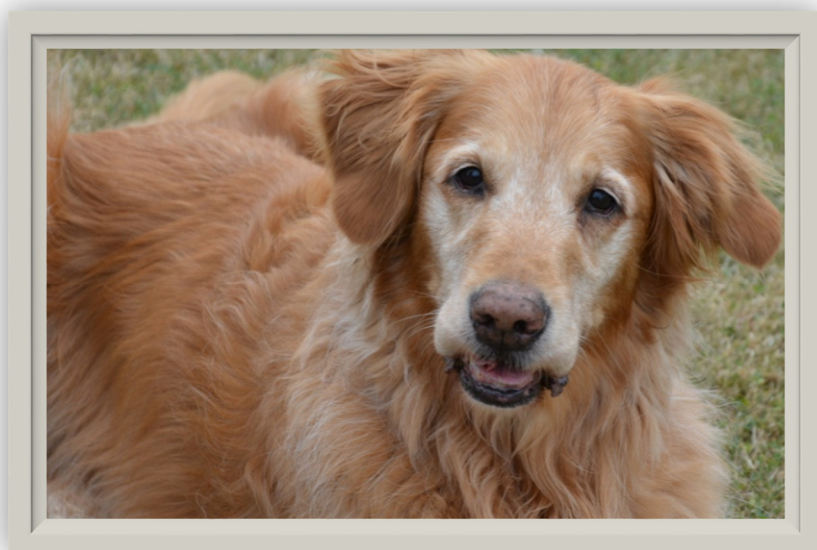
June 2, 2002—May 31, 2017

**Phoebe** was unceremoniously dumped at a shelter in Quebec, at age 9.. But then found a great home with Susan Rickwood and Marg Schneider till two days before her 15th birthday.

**Phoebe**, may you have wings and be free of the distress.. your last way was wondrous, the most beautiful walk, meals, cuddle time (a rarity for you and much appreciated). Love you to bits.

Loved and missed by **Susan Rickwood** and **Marg Schneider**





**Gone But Never Forgotten....**

**“Ouch”**

**THISTLEDOON TU HOT FUR ME, MOTCH, RE, WC -  
Am. UD, RN - UUD, RO1, Nambr CD, Trick Dog Intermediate  
Nov 29/04 - June 3/17**

Loved and missed by **Irene Mullan**



**“Patti”**

**MOTCH, CHARIS LAST HONOUR, RA, WCI and JH  
Oct.15. 2002—July 25. 2017**



It is with a heavy heart that we said our final goodbye to our little Princess today. We enjoyed nearly 15 years with her and wish that we could had 15 more. Patti brought much joy to those who knew her and shared her golden personality with many senior citizens during 11 years of Therapy work with the St. John Ambulance organization.

**“Patti”** always spread love and affection to all she met and gave her best effort in all she did. Rest in peace Princess Patti - in our hearts always.

Loved and missed by **Anne & Ted Whan**

# How do dogs "see" with their noses? - Alexandra Horowitz

You may have heard the expression that dogs 'see with their noses.' But these creature's amazing nasal architecture actually reveals a whole world beyond what we can see. Alexandra Horowitz illustrates how the dog's nose can smell the past, the future and even things that can't be seen at all.

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## Upcoming CCTC Tracking Tests

Urban Dog Tracking and Urban Dog Excellent Tracking test is being held Oct 15th, 2017 in Whitby On.

Tracking Dog Excellent test Nov 5th 2017 in Claremont On.

If you are able, we are still in need of track layers for both of these tests.

If you can come out and help please contact Maryke at [maryke5024@gmail.com](mailto:maryke5024@gmail.com)

Its always a fun time on track plotting day.

