



# SAM-O-GRAM

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<http://www.cnn.com/2008/US/10/21/war.dogs.hospital.ap/index.html>

### Military Hospital Opens for Dogs Wounded in War

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) -- A \$15 million veterinary hospital for four-legged military personnel opened Tuesday at Lackland Air Force Base, offering a long overdue facility that gives advanced medical treatment for combat-wounded dogs.

Dogs working for all branches of the military and the Transportation Safety Administration are trained at the base to find explosive devices, drugs, and land mines.

Some 2,500 dogs are working with military units.

Like soldiers and Marines in combat, military dogs suffer from war wounds and routine health issues that need to be treated to ensure they can continue working.

Dogs injured in Iraq or Afghanistan get emergency medical treatment on the battlefield and are flown to Germany for care. If necessary, they'll fly on to San Antonio for more advanced treatment -- much like wounded human personnel.

"We act as the Walter Reed of the veterinary world," said Army Col.

Bob Vogelsang, hospital director, referring to the Washington military medical center that treats troops returning severely wounded from Iraq and Afghanistan.

The dogs can usually return to combat areas if they recover at the Military Working Dog Center, he said.

Before the center opened, veterinarians treated and rehabilitated dogs in a cramped building that opened in 1968, when the military trained dogs for work in Vietnam.

The hospital was already overloaded by Sept. 11, 2001, but since then, demand for military working dogs has jumped dramatically.

They're so short on dog breeds such as German Shepherds, Labrador Retrievers and Belgian Malinois that Lackland officials have begun breeding puppies at the base.

Lackland is training 750 dogs, which is nearly double the number of dogs there before the Sept. 11 attacks, Vogelsang said.

To treat the trainees and injured working dogs, the new hospital has operating rooms, digital radiography, CT scanning equipment, an intensive care unit

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## Meeting Minutes

### 10/20/08 - Membership Meeting

Present: Jan Cherne, Doug Ewald, Linda Kitzman, Martha Lageschulte, Tom Lisec, Mary Lloyd, Andi Mast, Thalia Peletis, Chris Stewart, Kevin and Kim Perry, Jamie Powell, Michele Sottile, and Terry Walb

Guests: Rachel Paulson, Will Adams

Program started at 7:15 PM. Cathy Balliu, our herding instructor, shared her experience and pictures from her trip to Wales, representing the U.S. in the herding trials.

Meeting was called to order at 8:30 PM by Martha Lageschulte, Vice President.

**President's Report – Martha Lageschulte for Julie Morris:** No report.

**Vice President's Report – Martha Lageschulte:** No report.

**Recording Secretary Report** - No report.

**Corresponding Secretary Report – Martha Lageschulte for Jane Reller:** Email from AKC that event secretaries doing more than 9 events a year must be licensed. Permission received from AKC to hold sweeps event at the designated specialty. Letter from Metro Mile Hi Kennel Club about petition to AKC requesting the formation of a new championship points division that would incorporate CO, NE, UT, and WY for easier access to majors. If the club wants to be on their petition, I can contact them if directed.

#### **Treasurer's Report – Tom Lisec:**

General Fund:	\$ 4,238.11
Rescue Fund:	\$ 10,617.54
Grocery Certificates	\$ 5,800.00
King Soopers:	\$ 2,450.00
Safeway:	\$ 3,350.00
Total Assets:	\$ 30,655.65

\* Year To Date: purchased, \$60,000: sold, \$54,150 (at 5%): profit, \$2,707.50

Tom suggested members consider buying extra grocery certificates for the holidays and as gifts.

#### **Committee Reports-**

**Agility – Martha Lageschulte for Jane Reller:** Have obtained food vendor. Deb Towndrow has agreed to do massage. Contacted Ken Gee about photography since it's really not cost-effective for Tien Tran to travel here for photos. Ken doesn't like shooting at Jeffco, but said he would come one day to see how it goes.

**Awards - Mary Lloyd:** Please report new titles to Mary by next meeting, November 17. Be sure to include number of tags needed and if there are multiple owners.

**Breeder Referral** – No report.

#### **Cheer – Terry Walb:**

9/16/08	Deb Sencenbaugh	Encouragement, Mother in Hospice
9/16/08	Chris and Bill Stewart	Conformation
	CH Orkdomain's Wizard of the Wind	
9/22/08	Nancy Golden	Birthday Card
9/24/08	Kathi Metter	SympathyDoris
9/24/08	Anne O'Neill	Loss of Dog
	WhiteStar's Sacred Clown 'Koshare'	
9/25/08	Mary Lloyd	Birthday Card
9/27/08	Annie Reid	Birthday Card
10/1/08	Heidi Neiman	Birthday Card
10/12/08	Chris Stewart	Birthday Card
10/17/08	Jan Cherne	SympathyMother
10/17/08	Julie Morris	SympathyMother

**Designated Specialty 2009 – Martha Lageschulte for Debby Sencenbaugh:** Application has been submitted.

**Historian/Librarian – Tom Lisec:** Library of books and videos available. Tom purchased two DVDs on grooming from SCA at the National.

**Hospitality – Jamie Powell for Marijean Zacha:** Holiday party is scheduled for December 15.

**Local Specialty 2009 – Martha Lageschulte:** Contacted a couple judges and have received approval from all but one of them. Obedience judge has not been determined yet.

**Programs – Mary Lloyd:** Herding clinics scheduled for Saturday, November 1, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and Sunday, November 16 starting at 10 a.m.

**Public Education – Michele Christian:** 'Meet the Breed' is scheduled for Friday, November 28 at the Aspen Grove Starbucks.

**Sammy Rescue – Andi Mast:** No dogs in rescue at this time. Lately we have been fortunate that when dogs become available we already have a home available for them.

A huge thank you to Thalia for the sale of White Pine collars at the National. We made over \$1,100 for DSR.

We are scheduled for December 13 and 14 for pictures with Santa at PetsMart.

**Sam-O-Gram/Web Site – Thalia Peletis:** Deadline for the SOG is the first of the month.

**Unfinished Business:** Thank you note received from Jim Cheskawich for our \$500 donation to SCARF in memory of Doris McLaughlin.

Nominating Committee Report for 2009 – Mary Lloyd: Update Michele Christian's last name to Sottile.

**New Business:** None

#### **Barks:**

Nancy Golden – At Rapid City Krystall's Ziggy Stardust, was WD/BOW on Saturday under Mr. Mathis and on Sunday was WD/BOW/BOB under Mr. Dawkins.

Martha Lageschulte - 'Kharma', CH Starquest's What Comes Around, ran for the first time in agility at the SCA National and got her 1st Jumpers leg with a 1st place. Also at the National her mom 'Lexi', CH Starquest's Ex'llent Adventure CD RN AX MXJ, double Q'd in agility and got her second RA leg in Rally. The following weekend at the Terry-All agility trial Kharma got 2 legs in Novice Standard and another Jumpers leg. Lexi finished her MX title at the same trial.

Mary Lloyd – 'Celia', Moonfire's As You Like It, was WB and new champion on Sunday under Mr. Dawkins at Rapid City. She is owned by Barbara Arnest and Mary Lloyd.

Thalia Peletis - 'Sunny', CH Denkas Simply Sunctional WS received his CD title, qualifying in his first 3 trials:  
09/05/08, DSA Local Specialty, Judge CJ Evert, 1st place Novice A  
09/30/08, SCA National Specialty, Judge Diane Propst, 1st place Novice A  
10/17/08, Rapid City KC, Judge Ronnie Bizer, 1st place Novice A

Sunny also went Best of Breed from the Veterans class the following day at the Rapid City shows under Judge Lamar Mathis! What a weekend!

Kim Perry –Wintermist's Ancient Mysteries, 'Egypt' at Cheyenne under Ms. Beverly Capstick, BOS, Saturday, August 30, 3-point major. At Greeley under Mr. Adrain Woodford, BOS, Sunday, September 7, 5-point major. In Bozeman, MT under James Frederickson, BOS, Thursday, September 18, 4-point major and a new Bred-by champion.

Timber Wind's Egyptian Sun God, CGC, 'Ra-Ta' in Helena, MT under Mr. Richard Great-house MD, BOW for another Bred-by champion, 4-point major, Sunday, September 21. This made two Bred-by champions in three days.

At the National 'QT', Wintermist's A Beautiful Mind, CGC, RA took second place in Rally Excellent A, his first leg, under Diane Propst.

Jane Reller – Martha showed Starquest Arctic Eyes of Kohl, 'Kohlbi' at Rapid City. On Friday, under judge Stephen Hubbel, he took WD for his championship, then earned BOW and went onto BOB and a cut in the group. He finished with all majors. Thank you Martha, Mary Elliott, and Linda Kitzman for showing our boy so nicely. It's very exciting to have our first champion.

**Meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM.**



## Herding Clinic Held on November 1st

This is a VERY SPECIAL THANKS to our DSA Herding guru, Cathy Balliu, at Bill and Cathy's Valdemar Farm in Ft. Lupton, shown with her #1 dog, Ben. Thanks for many fun-filled hours learning about herding with our talented dogs. Thanks for your patience and ability to reach our two-legged minds, so that we may help our dogs demonstrate and expand their best instincts.

Martha Lageschulte and Ch Starqst's Ex'llent Adventure, 'Lexi' - earn her SCA 1st and 2nd herding legs

Cathy & Ch Braveheart's Happy Trails 2U 'Roy' - earned his SCA 1st herding leg

Cathy & Ch Krystall Sequoia Braveheart,

'Sequoia' - earned his SCA 1st herding leg. Next HIC instinct opportunity will be Sunday, November 16, sponsored by Linda Clark. If you are interested, call Cathy Balliu immediately at 303-857-1216. Cathy will let you know if any of the 20 spaces may still be available.

We are looking at the first weekend in December as the next DSA sponsored Herding Clinic. Cathy will call and confirm a date as soon as her calendar is set. Remember, you can call and schedule a private lesson time with her during the week.

Thanks to all who have participated,

Mary



Cathy and Ben



Martha and Lexi



Cathy and Roy



Cathy and Sequoia



## Happy Birthday to our DSA Members!

### November

Carolyn Bateman - 11/01  
Lana McClellan - 11/01

Kathi Metter - 11/14  
Marijean Zacha - 11/17



## DSA Awards Form

### 2008 Denver Samoyed Association Awards

Dear DSA Member:

Congratulations on earning an award from the Denver Samoyed Association! DSA awards are given to recognize AKC and SCA sanctioned conformation and performance titles earned by club members' dogs. Awards are earned from January to December 31st of each year. The Awards will be a 6 x 8 walnut plaque engraved with your kennel name given only with your first award; a brass hang tag will be given to honor each dog's title. The cost is as follows: DSA and the recipient shall share equally the \$20 cost of the plaque and its engraving (50% each). The hang tag's cost and its engraving shall be paid totally by DSA. Additional hang tags may be purchased (\$3.50 each) by the owner or breeder and paid for at their expense.

You will be notified two weeks prior to the Awards Meeting in December if you owe anything towards the cost of your awards.

The information indicated below will also be included in the DSA Recognition Ad for the Spring 2009 SCA Bulletin.  
 >> If you do not wish to receive a hang tag, please write zero (0) in the Number of Tags field below. <<  
 The information will be recorded for DSA history and included in the Recognition Ad only.

Please complete the following information LEGIBLY:

OWNER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

KENNEL NAME (for inscription on plaque): \_\_\_\_\_

DOG'S NAME WITH TITLE/TITLES\* (for inscription on tag): \_\_\_\_\_

\*See below for complete list of AKC & SCA Titles

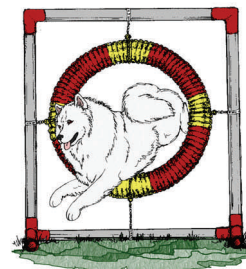
NUMBER OF TAGS (co-owner, breeder, etc): \_\_\_\_\_ DATE TITLE EARNED: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_



Please send completed form to:

Mary Lloyd, DSA Awards Chairperson  
 3534 Pleasant View Drive Castle Rock, CO 80104  
 E-mail: mlbraveheart@prodigy.net Phone: 303-688-4684

**DEADLINE: November 17, 2008**



## AKC Titles & Abbreviations

### PREFIX TITLES

**AFC** - Amateur Field Trial Champion  
 [Field Trial]

**CH** - Champion:  
 Dogs must acquire 15 points, including 2 majors won under different judges and at least one point under a third different judge.  
 [Conformation]

**DC** - Dual Champion:  
 Any dog that has been awarded the title of Champion of Record (Ch.) may be designated as a 'Dual Champion', after it has also been awarded the title of Field Champion (FC) or Herding Cham-

pion (HC)  
 [Conformation / Field Trial / Herding Trial]

**HC** - Herding Champion:  
 For a title, dog must receive 15 points with at least two 1sts carrying championship points, 1 of which must be for 3 pts. or better.  
 [Herding Trial]

**MACH** - Master Agility Champion:  
 In order to acquire the title, a dog must achieve a minimum of 750 championship points and 20 double qualifying scores obtained from the Excellent B Standard Agility class and the Excellent B Jumpers With Weaves class.  
 [Agility Trial]

**NAC** - National Agility Champion:  
 The winner of the annual National Agility Championship shall be entitled to be designated National Agility Champion of \_\_\_\_ (year).  
 [National Agility Championship]

**NOC** - National Obedience Champion:  
 The winner of the annual National Obedience Invitational shall be entitled to be designated National Obedience Champion of \_\_\_\_ (year).  
 [National Obedience Invitational]

**OTCH** - Obedience Trial Champion:  
 Dog must have won: 100 points;

Dog must receive at least one first place Open B, one first place Utility and a third first place ribbon in either class  
 First places must be awarded by 3 different judges  
 Must be at all-breed events One of the required first places may have been won at a Specialty Show.  
 Open B must have 6 in competition  
 Utility must have 3 in competition  
 [Obedience Trial]

**TC** - Triple Champion:  
 Any dog that has been awarded the title of Dual Champion (DC) and the title of Obedience Trial

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Champion (OTCH) or Tracking Champion (CT) or Agility Champion (MACH) may be designated as a Triple Champion.

**VCCH** - Versatile Companion Champion:  
Effective January 1, 2001, title will precede the name of the dog that completes a OTCH, MACH, and CT.  
[Obedience Trial / Agility Trial / Tracking Test]

## SUFFIX TITLES

**AJP** - Excellent Agility Jumpers With Weaves 'A' Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Excellent A Jumpers With Weaves Preferred class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**AX** - Agility Excellent:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Excellent A Agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**AXJ** - Excellent Agility Jumper:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Excellent A Jumpers With Weaves class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**AXP** - Agility Excellent 'A' Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Agility Excellent 'A' Preferred Class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**CD** - Companion Dog:  
The letters CD may be added after a dog's name when it has been certified by 3 different judges to have received qualifying scores in Novice classes at 3 licensed or member obedience trials.  
[Obedience Trial]

**CDX** - Companion Dog Excellent:  
The letters CDX may be added after the name of each dog that has been certified by 3 different judges to have received qualifying scores in Open classes at 3 licensed or member obedience trials.  
[Obedience Trial]

**CGC** - Canine Good Citizenship (certificate)

**FTC** - FAST Century:  
Requires the MXF title plus one hundred Excellent B FAST agility class qualifying scores of 60 points or greater. The FTC title initials will be followed by a numeric designation indicating the quantity of times the dog has met the requirements of the FTC title. (e.g., FTC2, FTC3, etc.)  
[Agility Trial]

**FTCP** - FAST Century Preferred:  
Requires the MFP title plus one hundred Excellent B FAST agility class qualifying scores of 60 points or greater. The FTCP title initials will be followed by a numeric designation indicating the quantity of times the dog has met the requirements of the FTCP title. (e.g., FTCP2, FTCP3, etc.)  
[Agility Trial]

**HI** - Herding Intermediate:  
Three qualifying scores in the Intermediate classes from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HIAdsc** - Herding Intermediate Course A (ducks, sheep, cattle):  
Three qualifying scores in the Intermediate Course A classes using Ducks (HIAd), Sheep (HIAs) or Cattle (HIAC) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HIBdsc** - Herding Intermediate Course B (ducks, sheep, cattle):  
Three qualifying scores in the Intermediate Course B classes using Ducks (HIBd), Sheep (HIBs) or Cattle (HIBc) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HICs** - Herding Intermediate Course C (sheep):  
Three qualifying scores in the Intermediate Course C classes using Sheep (HICs) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HS** - Herding Started:  
Three qualifying scores in the Started classes under 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HSAdsc** - Herding Started Course A (ducks, sheep, cattle):  
Three qualifying scores in the

Started Course A classes using Ducks (HSAd), Sheep (HSAs) or Cattle (HSAC) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HSBdsc** - Herding Started Course B (ducks, sheep, cattle):  
Three qualifying scores in the Started Course B classes using Ducks (HSBd), Sheep (HSBs) or Cattle (HSBc) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HSCs** - Herding Started Course C (sheep):  
Three qualifying scores in the Started Course C classes using Sheep (HSCs) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HT** - Herding Tested:  
For a title, a dog must qualify twice under 2 different judges. Dog may qualify twice in one day at the same event provided he/she is judged by different judges  
[Herding Trial]

**HX** - Herding Excellent:  
Three qualifying scores in the Advanced classes from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HXAdsc** - Herding Advanced Course A (ducks, sheep, cattle):  
Three qualifying scores in the Advanced Course A classes using Ducks (HXAd), Sheep (HXAs) or Cattle (HXAc) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HXBdsc** - Herding Advanced Course B (ducks, sheep, cattle):  
Three qualifying scores in the Advanced Course B classes using Ducks (HXBd), Sheep (HXBs) or Cattle (HXBc) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**HXCc** - Herding Advanced Course C (sheep):  
Three qualifying scores in the Advanced Course C classes using Sheep (HIAs) from 3 different judges at 3 different trials  
[Herding Trial]

**MFP** - Master Excellent FAST Preferred:  
Master Excellent FAST Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 10 qualifying scores in Excellent B FAST

Preferred agility class under at least 2 different judges. Trial at which XFP was earned does not count toward the 10.  
[Agility Trial]

**MJP** - Master Excellent Jumpers With Weaves 'B' Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 10 qualifying scores in Excellent B Jumpers With Weaves Preferred Agility class under at least 2 different judges. Trial at which AX was earned does not count toward the 10.  
[Agility Trial]

**MX** - Master Agility Excellent:  
For a title, dog must earn 10 qualifying scores in Excellent B Agility class under at least 2 different judges. Trial at which AX was earned does not count toward the 10.  
[Agility Trial]

**MXF** - Master Excellent FAST:  
For a title dog must earn 10 qualifying scores in Excellent B FAST agility class under at least 2 different judges. Trial at which XF was earned does not count toward the 10.  
[Agility Trial]

**MXJ** - Master Excellent Jumpers With Weaves:  
For a title, dog must earn 10 qualifying scores in Excellent B Jumpers With Weaves Agility class under at least 2 different judges. Trial at which AX was earned does not count toward the 10.  
[Agility Trial]

**MXP** - Master Agility Excellent 'B' Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 10 qualifying scores in Excellent Agility Preferred 'B' class under at least 2 different judges. Trial at which AXP was earned does not count toward the 10.  
[Agility Trial]

**NA** - Novice Agility:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Novice A and/or B Agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**NAJ** - Novice Agility Jumper:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Novice A and/or B Jumpers With Weaves class under

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at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**NAP** - Novice Agility Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in the Agility Preferred under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**NF** - Novice FAST  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Novice A and/or B FAST agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**NFP** - Novice FAST Preferred  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Novice A and/or B FAST Preferred agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**NJP** - Novice Jumpers With Weaves Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Novice Jumpers With Weaves Preferred class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**OA** - Open Agility:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Open Agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**OAJ** - Open Agility Jumper:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Open Jumpers With Weaves class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**OAP** - Open Agility Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Open Agility Preferred class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**OF** - Open FAST  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Open FAST agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**OFF** - Open FAST Preferred  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Open FAST Preferred agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**OJP** - Open Jumpers With Weaves Preferred:  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Open Jumpers With Weaves Preferred class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**PAX** - Preferred Agility Excellent  
For a title, a dog must achieve 20 double qualifying scores obtained from the Preferred Excellent B Standard agility class and the Preferred Excellent B Jumpers With Weaves class. Qualifying in both the Preferred Excellent B Standard agility class and the Preferred Excellent B Jumpers With Weaves class on the same day equals one (1) double qualifying score.  
[Agility Trial]

**PT** - Pre-Trial Tested:  
The American Kennel Club will issue a Pre-Trial Tested certificate to an eligible dog, and will permit the use of the letters PT after the name of a dog that has been certified by two different Judges to have qualified by passing two licensed or member club Pre-Trial tests. Dog may qualify twice in one day at the same event provided he/she is judged by different judges.  
[Herding Trial]

**RN** - AKC Rally® Novice:  
The letters RN may be added after a dog's name when it has been certified by 2 different judges to have received qualifying scores in Novice classes at 3 licensed or member rally trials.  
[Rally Trial]

**RA** - AKC Rally® Advanced:  
The letters RA may be added after a dog's name when it has been certified by 2 different judges to have received qualifying scores in Advanced classes at 3 licensed or member rally trials.  
[Rally Trial]

**RE** - AKC Rally® Excellent:  
The letters RE may be added after a dog's name when it has been certified by 2 different judges to have received qualifying scores in Excellent classes at 3 licensed or member rally trials.  
[Rally Trial]

**RAE** - AKC Rally® Advanced Excellent:  
To earn an RAE title, the dog must

have earned qualifying scores in both Advanced B and Excellent B classes at 10 separate licensed or member rally trials. A numeric designation will indicate the number of times the dog has met the RAE requirements, i.e. RAE2, RAE3, etc.  
[Rally Trial]

**TD** - Tracking Dog:  
Dog has been certified by two judges to have passed a licensed or member club TD test or at a combined TD/TDX test, or at a combined TD/VST test or a TD/TDX/VST test.  
[Tracking Test]

**TDX** - Tracking Dog Excellent:  
Dog has been certified by two judges to have passed a licensed or member club TDX test or at a combined TDX/VST test, or a combined TD/TDX test or a combined TD/TDX/VST test.  
[Tracking Test]

**UD** - Utility Dog:  
The American Kennel Club will issue a Utility Dog certificate for each registered dog, that has been certified by three obedience trial judges as having received qualifying Utility scores at three licensed or member obedience trials.  
[Obedience Trial]

**UDX** - Utility Dog Excellent:  
To earn a Utility Dog Excellent title, the dog must have received qualifying scores in both Open B and Utility B at 10 separate licensed or member obedience trials.  
The letters UDX will be followed by a numeric designation indicating the number of times a dog has met the requirements of the UDX title as defined in the Regulations. (UDX2 for 20 qualifying scores, UDX3 for 30 qualifying scores, UDX4 for 40 qualifying scores, etc.)  
[Obedience Trial]

**VCD1** - Versatile Companion Dog 1:  
Must complete CD, NA, NAJ, TD or CD, NAP, NJP, TD  
[Obedience Trial / Agility Trial / Tracking Test]

**VCD2** - Versatile Companion Dog 2:  
Must complete CDX, OA, OAJ, TD or CDX, OAP, OJP, TD

[Obedience Trial / Agility Trial / Tracking Test]

**VCD3** - Versatile Companion Dog 3:  
Must Complete UD, AX, AXJ, TDX or UD, AXP, AJP, TDX  
[Obedience Trial / Agility Trial / Tracking Test]

**VCD4** - Versatile Companion Dog 4:  
Must complete UDX, MX, MXJ, VST or UDX, MXP, MJP, VST  
[Obedience Trial / Agility Trial / Tracking Test]

**VST** - Variable Surface Tracking:  
Dog has been certified by both judges to have passed a licensed or member club Variable Surface Tracking test or at a combined TD/VST test or at a combined TDX/VST test or at a combined TD/TDX/VST test.  
[Tracking Test]

**XF** - Excellent FAST  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Excellent A FAST agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

**XFP** - Excellent FAST Preferred  
For a title, dog must earn 3 qualifying scores in Excellent A FAST Preferred agility class under at least 2 different judges.  
[Agility Trial]

## SCA Titles

### Suffix Titles

**WS** - Working Samoyed

**WSX** - Working Samoyed Excellent

**WSXM** - Working Samoyed Master

**ROMC** - Register of Merit Conformation

**ROMP** - Register of Merit Performance

**HIC** - Herding Instinct Certificate

## Agility Trial



### The Denver Samoyed Association, Inc. presents its 5th Annual All-Breed AKC Agility Trial

**January 17th & 18th 2008**

Jefferson County Fairgrounds  
15200 West 6th Avenue  
Golden, Colorado

**Judge: Jean Munger**

**Entries Open: 11/28/08 Entries Close: 12/31/08**

**Total Entry Limit/Day: 330**

**Application Acceptance: Random Draw**

**Entry Fee: \$20 - 1st / \$12 - 2nd**

**Trial Premium List may be downloaded from DSA's web site:  
[www.denversamoyed.org/Agility.htm](http://www.denversamoyed.org/Agility.htm)**

**Agility Trial Committee**

**If you are willing to  
volunteer to help work the event, even  
for a half day, please  
contact Andi Mast or Jane Reller.**

**It's truly a lot of fun, and a  
major fundraiser for the club!**

**Trial Chairperson:**  
Jane Reller  
[dsa\\_agility@msn.com](mailto:dsa_agility@msn.com)  
303-665-2843

**Trial Secretary:**  
Helen Hittesdorf  
P.O. Box 33153  
Northglenn, CO  
80233-0153  
303-457-1350

**Committee Members:**  
Martha/Jim Lageschulte,  
Andi/Bob Mast,  
Julie/Joe Morris,  
Terry/Butch Walb,  
Jan/Kent Cherne,  
Sue/Gene Wangerin

## 2008 SCA National Specialty - Agility - DSA Member Results!

**Judge: Kathy Humphreys**

**Standard Class**

**Excellent B**

**1 - Rory**

**Owner: Ginger Jenks**

**2 - Lexi**

**Breeder/Owner:**

**Martha Lageschulte**

**Jumpers with Weaves**

**Excellent B**

**4 - Rory**

**Owner: Ginger Jenks**

**Q - Lexi**

**Breeder/Owner:**

**Martha Lageschulte**

**Novice B**

**1 - Kharma**

**Breeder/Owner:**

**Martha Lageschulte**

## DSA Public Education Event - November 28th!

On November 28, 2008, DSA has organized a public education event to be held at the Aspen Grove Shopping Center located at the intersection of Santa Fe and Mineral, starting at 10 AM.

We have invited our fellow Snow Dog breed clubs, Siberian Huskies and Alaskan Malamutes, to join us for this important breed education event.

Many of Aspen Grove's stores are already dog friendly, so it was an easy choice to pair up with this center.

Members are bringing various working gear to demonstrate the versatile nature of these breeds including sleds, hiking packs, therapy vests, and weight pull harnesses. We also will be handing out brochures about our breed, club, and rescue programs.

Please contact our Public Education Chairperson, Michele Sottile, if you are interested in joining in the fun!  
Phone: 303-736-2120  
E-mail: [imaginesams@comcast.net](mailto:imaginesams@comcast.net)

Remember, participating in a breed / public education is now required by AKC, in order to qualify to hold future dog show events.

General Fund						
Beginning General Fund Bank Balance			\$17,990.64			
Beginning General Fund Outstanding Checks (from 2007)			(\$267.78)			
Beginning Grocery Certificates Balance			\$0.00			
<b>Total Beginning Balance</b>			<b>\$13,570.34</b>			
	Calendar Year			Budget Year 2008 (2008 Committee Reports)		
Category	Income	Expenses	Net	Income	Expenses	Net
<b>Agility</b>						
Entry Fees	\$10,868.00	\$340.00	\$10,528.00	\$10,868.00	\$340.00	\$10,528.00
Equipment	\$0.00	\$497.17	(\$497.17)	\$0.00	\$497.14	(\$497.14)
Food & Beverages	\$0.00	\$696.59	(\$696.59)	\$0.00	\$696.59	(\$696.59)
Judge's Fees	\$0.00	\$917.28	(\$917.28)	\$0.00	\$917.28	(\$917.28)
Judges Gifts	\$0.00	\$20.00	(\$20.00)	\$0.00	\$20.00	(\$20.00)
Miscellaneous	\$0.00	\$138.77	(\$138.77)	\$0.00	\$138.77	(\$138.77)
Postage	\$0.00	\$28.82	(\$28.82)	\$0.00	\$28.82	(\$28.82)
Premium List	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$49.49	(\$49.49)
Recording Fee	\$0.00	\$2,250.00	(\$2,250.00)	\$0.00	\$2,180.00	(\$2,180.00)
Rental Fee	\$0.00	\$485.00	(\$485.00)	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$0.00
Ribbons	\$0.00	\$539.00	(\$539.00)	\$0.00	\$539.00	(\$539.00)
Secretary Fees	\$0.00	\$1,409.29	(\$1,409.29)	\$0.00	\$1,409.29	(\$1,409.29)
<b>Agility Total</b>	<b>\$10,868.00</b>	<b>\$7,196.89</b>	<b>\$3,671.11</b>	<b>\$11,168.00</b>	<b>\$7,116.38</b>	<b>\$4,051.62</b>
<b>Awards</b>						
Recognition	\$0.00	\$25.00	(\$25.00)	\$0.00	\$25.00	(\$25.00)
SCA Bulletin Ad	\$0.00	\$198.00	(\$198.00)	\$0.00	\$198.00	(\$198.00)
<b>Award Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$223.00</b>	<b>(\$223.00)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$223.00</b>	<b>(\$223.00)</b>
<b>Bank Charges</b>						
Checks	\$0.00	\$46.32	(\$46.32)	\$0.00	\$46.32	(\$46.32)
Service Charges	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$10.00
<b>Bank Charges Total</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>(\$36.32)</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>(\$36.32)</b>
<b>Charitable Donations</b>						
Church	\$0.00	\$166.00	(\$166.00)	\$0.00	\$166.00	(\$166.00)
DNA Collection	\$0.00	\$39.08	(\$39.08)	\$0.00	\$39.08	(\$39.08)
Herding Trial	\$0.00	\$200.00	(\$200.00)	\$0.00	\$200.00	(\$200.00)
Iowa Flood Relief	\$0.00	\$200.00	(\$200.00)	\$0.00	\$200.00	(\$200.00)
Program Speaker	\$0.00	\$25.00	(\$25.00)	\$0.00	\$25.00	(\$25.00)
Sled Race	\$0.00	\$150.00	(\$150.00)	\$0.00	\$150.00	(\$150.00)
<b>Charitable Donations Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$780.08</b>	<b>(\$780.08)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$780.08</b>	<b>(\$780.08)</b>
<b>Cheer</b>						
Cards	\$0.00	\$64.71	(\$64.71)	\$0.00	\$64.71	(\$64.71)
Ink Cartridge	\$0.00	\$101.50	(\$101.50)	\$0.00	\$101.50	(\$101.50)
Postage	\$0.00	\$43.78	(\$43.78)	\$0.00	\$43.78	(\$43.78)
SCA Foundation	\$0.00	\$500.00	(\$500.00)	\$0.00	\$500.00	(\$500.00)
<b>Cheer Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$709.99</b>	<b>(\$709.99)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$709.99</b>	<b>(\$709.99)</b>
<b>Designated Specialty</b>						
Entry Share	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$150.00	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$150.00
Judges Gifts	\$0.00	\$40.63	(\$40.63)	\$0.00	\$40.63	(\$40.63)
Recording Fee	\$0.00	\$15.00	(\$15.00)	\$0.00	\$15.00	(\$15.00)
Ribbons	\$0.00	\$173.35	(\$173.35)	\$0.00	\$173.35	(\$173.35)
Trophies	\$0.00	\$72.00	(\$72.00)	\$0.00	\$72.00	(\$72.00)
Unclaimed Sweeps	\$14.69	\$0.00	\$14.69	\$14.69	\$0.00	\$14.69
<b>Designated Specialty Total</b>	<b>\$164.69</b>	<b>\$300.98</b>	<b>(\$136.29)</b>	<b>\$164.69</b>	<b>\$300.98</b>	<b>(\$136.29)</b>
<b>Hospitality</b>						
Designated Specialty	\$0.00	\$211.08	(\$211.08)	\$0.00	\$211.08	(\$211.08)
Holiday Party	\$0.00	\$50.09	(\$50.09)	\$0.00	\$50.09	(\$50.09)
Local Specialty	\$0.00	\$820.57	(\$820.57)	\$0.00	\$820.57	(\$820.57)
Specialty Match	\$0.00	\$115.34	(\$115.34)	\$0.00	\$115.34	(\$115.34)
Supplies	\$0.00	\$45.16	(\$45.16)	\$0.00	\$45.16	(\$45.16)
<b>Hospitality Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$1,242.24</b>	<b>(\$1,242.24)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$1,242.24</b>	<b>(\$1,242.24)</b>
<b>Insurance : Liability</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$600.00</b>	<b>(\$600.00)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$600.00</b>	<b>(\$600.00)</b>
<b>Library</b>						
Books/Video	\$35.59	\$71.17	(\$35.58)	\$35.59	\$71.17	(\$35.58)
<b>Library Total</b>	<b>\$35.59</b>	<b>\$71.17</b>	<b>(\$35.58)</b>	<b>\$35.59</b>	<b>\$71.17</b>	<b>(\$35.58)</b>
<b>Membership : Dues</b>						
Dues	\$332.50	\$0.00	\$332.50	\$727.50	\$0.00	\$727.50
Postage	\$0.00	\$5.90	(\$5.90)	\$0.00	\$5.90	(\$5.90)
<b>Membership Total</b>	<b>\$332.50</b>	<b>\$5.90</b>	<b>(\$326.60)</b>	<b>\$332.50</b>	<b>\$5.90</b>	<b>\$721.60</b>
<b>Miscellaneous</b>						
Postage	\$0.00	\$50.02	(\$50.02)	\$0.00	\$50.02	(\$50.02)
State Periodic Report	\$0.00	\$10.00	(\$10.00)	\$0.00	\$10.00	(\$10.00)
<b>Miscellaneous Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$60.02</b>	<b>(\$60.02)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$60.02</b>	<b>(\$60.02)</b>
<b>Local Specialty</b>						
Catalog	\$60.00	\$0.00	\$60.00	\$60.00	\$0.00	\$60.00
Catalog Ad	\$37.00	\$0.00	\$37.00	\$37.00	\$0.00	\$37.00
Entry Fees	\$2,281.00	\$42.00	\$2,239.00	\$2,281.00	\$0.00	\$2,239.00
Judges Books	\$0.00	\$56.00	(\$56.00)	\$0.00	\$56.00	(\$56.00)

Grocery Certificate  
Fundraiser 2008  
Profit: **\$3,020.00**  
Donated: **(\$50)**

Easiest way to  
support DSA is by  
purchasing  
King Soopers or  
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You buy \$100,  
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club earns 5%!!

Contact Tom Lisec  
to purchase!  
303-741-5778

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Category	Calendar Year			Budget Year 2008 (2008 Committee Reports)		
	Income	Expenses	Net	Income	Expenses	Net
<b>Local Specialty (continued)</b>						
Judges Fees	\$0.00	\$421.76	(\$421.76)	\$0.00	\$421.76	(\$421.76)
Judges Gifts	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$91.90	(\$91.90)
Judges Lunch	\$0.00	\$60.00	(\$60.00)	\$0.00	\$60.00	(\$60.00)
Postage	\$0.00	\$84.00	(\$84.00)	\$0.00	\$84.00	(\$84.00)
Premium List	\$0.00	\$133.91	(\$133.91)	\$0.00	\$133.91	(\$133.91)
Recording Fee	\$0.00	\$227.50	(\$227.50)	\$0.00	\$327.50	(\$327.50)
Rental & Cleanup Fees	\$23.00	\$200.00	(\$177.00)	\$23.00	\$200.00	(\$177.00)
Ribbons	\$0.00	\$309.72	(\$309.72)	\$0.00	\$309.72	(\$309.72)
Show Secretary Fees	\$0.00	\$417.30	(\$417.30)	\$0.00	\$417.30	(\$417.30)
Sweepstakes	\$0.00	\$397.76	(\$397.76)	\$0.00	\$397.76	(\$397.76)
Trophies	\$980.00	\$1,439.77	(\$459.77)	\$1,760.00	\$1,439.77	\$320.23
<b>Local Specialty Total</b>	<b>\$3,381.00</b>	<b>\$3,831.79</b>	<b>(\$450.79)</b>	<b>\$4,138.00</b>	<b>\$3,629.83</b>	<b>\$179.38</b>
<b>Sam-O-Gram/Web</b>						
Copy Services	\$0.00	\$73.04	(\$73.04)	\$0.00	\$73.04	(\$73.04)
Ink Cartridge	\$0.00	\$49.15	(\$49.15)	\$0.00	\$49.15	(\$49.15)
Postage	\$0.00	\$66.47	(\$66.47)	\$0.00	\$66.47	(\$66.47)
Subscription	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$20.00
Web Hosting	\$0.00	\$79.60	(\$79.60)	\$0.00	\$79.60	(\$79.60)
<b>Sam-O-Gram/Web Total</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>	<b>\$268.26</b>	<b>(\$248.26)</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>	<b>\$268.26</b>	<b>(\$248.26)</b>
<b>Specialty Match</b>						
Entry Fee	\$40.00	\$0.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$0.00	\$40.00
Judge's Gift	\$0.00	\$50.00	(\$50.00)	\$0.00	\$50.00	(\$50.00)
Rental Fee	\$0.00	\$27.00	(\$27.00)	\$0.00	\$27.00	(\$27.00)
Ribbons	\$0.00	\$56.44	(\$56.44)	\$0.00	\$56.44	(\$56.44)
Supplies	\$0.00	\$16.87	(\$16.87)	\$0.00	\$16.87	(\$16.87)
Trophies	\$0.00	\$27.58	(\$27.58)	\$0.00	\$27.58	(\$27.58)
<b>Specialty Match Total</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>	<b>\$177.89</b>	<b>(\$137.89)</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>	<b>\$177.89</b>	<b>(\$137.89)</b>
<b>Taxes : Tax Prep</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>(\$500.00)</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>(\$500.00)</b>
<b>Trophy Donations</b>						
SCA National	\$0.00	\$50.00	(\$50.00)	\$0.00	\$50.00	(\$50.00)
<b>Trophy Donations Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>	<b>(\$50.00)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>	<b>(\$50.00)</b>
<b>Ways &amp; Means</b>						
Barks & Growls	\$64.00	\$0.00	\$64.00	\$52.00	\$0.00	\$52.00
Grocery Certificates	\$60,400.00	\$66,500.00	(\$6,100.00)	\$54,150.00	\$57,000.00	(\$2,850.00)
<b>Ways &amp; Means Total</b>	<b>\$60,464.00</b>	<b>\$66,500.00</b>	<b>(\$6,036.00)</b>	<b>\$54,202.00</b>	<b>\$57,000.00</b>	<b>(\$2,798.00)</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$75,315.78</b>	<b>\$82,689.53</b>	<b>(\$7,373.75)</b>	<b>\$76,790.78</b>	<b>\$82,633.85</b>	<b>(\$5,843.07)</b>
Ending General Fund Bank Balance			\$10,349.11			
Ending Grocery Certificate Balance			\$9550.00			
<b>Total Ending General Fund Balance</b>			<b>\$19,899.11</b>			

<b>Rescue Fund</b>			
Beginning Rescue Fund Bank Balance			\$10,773.51
Beginning Rescue Fund Outstanding Checks (2007)			(\$63.25)
<b>Total Beginning Balance</b>			<b>\$9,820.02</b>
<b>Rescue Fund Calendar / Budget Year 2008</b>			
<b>Category</b>	<b>Income</b>	<b>Expenses</b>	<b>Net</b>
<b>Adoption Fee</b>	\$700.00	\$0.00	\$700.00
<b>Boarding</b>	\$0.00	\$297.00	(\$297.00)
<b>Donations Received</b>	\$1,943.50	\$0.00	\$1,943.50
<b>Fundraiser</b>			
Collars & Leashes	\$3,382.50	\$3,390.85	(\$8.35)
IGive.com	\$55.32	\$0.00	\$55.32
Microchip Clinic	\$610.00	\$0.00	\$610.00
Raffle	\$0.00	\$40.00	(\$40.00)
Santa Pet Pictures	\$340.00	\$0.00	\$340.00
<b>Fundraiser Total</b>	<b>\$4,387.82</b>	<b>\$3,430.85</b>	<b>\$956.97</b>
<b>Grooming</b>	\$0.00	\$35.00	(\$35.00)
<b>Rescue Misc</b>			
Electric Collar	\$0.00	\$90.00	(\$90.00)
Licenses/Membership Dues	\$0.00	\$190.00	(\$190.00)
PO Box Rental	\$0.00	\$58.00	(\$58.00)
Postage	\$0.00	\$42.82	(\$42.82)
Supplies	\$0.00	\$146.06	(\$146.06)
Training	\$0.00	\$126.00	(\$126.00)
<b>Rescue Misc Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$652.88</b>	<b>(\$652.88)</b>

<b>Rescue Fund Calendar / Budget Year 2008</b>			
<b>Category</b>	<b>Income</b>	<b>Expenses</b>	<b>Net</b>
<b>Rescue Picnic</b>			
Food & Beverage	\$0.00	\$212.77	(\$212.77)
Postage	\$0.00	\$16.80	(\$16.80)
Rental Fee	\$0.00	\$27.00	(\$27.00)
<b>Rescue Misc Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$256.57</b>	<b>(\$256.57)</b>
<b>Placement Fees</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>
<b>Transportation Fees</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$60.00</b>	<b>(\$60.00)</b>
<b>Veterinary Services</b>			
Dewclaw Removal	\$0.00	\$209.87	(\$209.87)
Discount	\$46.13	\$0.00	\$46.13
Exam	\$0.00	\$151.50	(\$151.50)
Heartworm Test	\$0.00	\$59.50	(\$59.50)
Med Boarding	\$0.00	\$191.50	(\$191.50)
Microchip	\$0.00	\$129.00	(\$129.00)
Neuter/Spay	\$0.00	\$650.00	(\$650.00)
Shots/Meds	\$0.00	\$261.40	(\$261.40)
<b>Veterinary Services Total</b>	<b>\$46.13</b>	<b>\$1,672.77</b>	<b>(\$1,626.64)</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$7,152.45</b>	<b>\$6,480.07</b>	<b>\$672.38</b>
<b>Total Ending Rescue Fund Balance</b>			<b>\$11,382.64</b>

## 2008-2009 Schedule of Events

Date	Organization	Event	Location	Contact	Judge or More Info
Nov 14-16	Tucson KC Greater Sierra Vista KC	Show - Close 10/29	Tucson, AZ	Bradshaw	James Reynolds Cathy De La Garza Bruce Voran
	15-16 Council Bluffs KC	Show - Close 10/29	Lincoln, NE	Onofrio	Marcia Feld / Edna Gammill
	15-16 Mile High Agility Club of Boulder	AKC Agility— Open 10/1	Golden, CO	Makowski	Pamela Cumming
	28-30 Southern Colorado Agility Club	AKC Agility— Open 9/12	Elbert, CO	Misegadis	David Nauer
Nov 28-30 Dec 1	Yuma KC Imperial Valley KC	Show - Close 11/12	Yuma, AZ	Onofrio	Christine Anderson Evie Sullivan / Faye Strauss Martha Heine
Dec 12	<b>Buckeye Samoyed Club Medina KC</b>	<b>Designated Specialty - Close 11/26</b>	<b>Cleveland, OH</b>	<b>MB-F</b>	<b>Nancy Amburgey (Sweeps) Marion Ward</b>
Jan 2	<b>Samoyed Club of LA</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 12/17</b>	<b>Indio, CA</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>Frank Polimeni (Sweeps) Arley Hussin</b>
10-11	Columbine St Poodle Club	AKC Agility - Open 11/5	Castle Rock, CO	Hittesdorf	Larry Brockett / Beth Godwin
17	<b>Samoyed Club of Central Florida Clearwater KC</b>	<b>Designated Specialty - Close 12/31</b>	<b>Brooksville, FL</b>	<b>MB-F</b>	<b>Louis Thompson (Sweeps) Robert Forsyth</b>
18	<b>Willamette Valley Samoyed Fanciers Tualatin KC</b>	<b>Designated Specialty - Close 12/31</b>	<b>Portland, OR</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>Dale Simmons (Sweeps) Dr. Peter Emily</b>
Jan 17-18	<b>Denver Samoyed Association</b>	<b>AKC Agility - Open 11/28</b>	<b>Jeffco Fairgrounds</b>	<b>Hittesdorf</b>	<b>Jean Munger</b>
17-19	Longs Peak Dog Training Club	Obedience, Close 12/31	Greeley, CO	Deb Ascher	
24-25	Pikes Peak Obedience Club	AKC Agility - Open 11/28	Elbert, CO	Misegadis	Robert Long
Jan 31 Feb 1	<b>Greater Milwaukee Samoyed Fanciers Samoyed Association of Madison</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 1/14</b>	<b>Fond du Lac, WI</b>	<b>Cindy O'Hare</b>	<b>Julie Lamonska (Sweeps) Audrey Lycan Nancy Eilks (Sweeps) Betty McHugh Mary Eschweiler (Juniors)</b>
Jan 31 Feb 1	Hobbs NM KC	Show - Close 1/14	Hobbs, NM	Onofrio	Beverly Capstick Judith Brown
Feb 5-6	Lost Dutchman KC	Show - Close 1/21	Phoenix, AZ	Onofrio	Gloria Knapp Sally Vogel
7-8	Sahuaro State KC	Show - Close 1/21	Phoenix, AZ	Onofrio	N/A
Feb 12	<b>Denver Samoyed Association Peak to Peak Working Dog Association</b>	<b>Supported Sweeps - Close 1/28</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>Sharon Cook (Pup Sweeps) Jane Lemieux</b>
13-14	<b>Denver Samoyed Association Plum Creek KC</b>	<b>Designated Specialty— Close 1/28</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>Karen Brooks (Sweeps) Jane Rappolo</b>
15-16	Plum Creek KC Colorado KC	Show - Close 1/28	Denver, CO	Onofrio	Nelson Huber Angela Porpora Andre Schoen
Feb 14-16	Colorado KC	AKC Agility - Open 1/27	Denver, CO	Horacek	Lisa Miller—Selthofer Kurt Matushek
21	<b>Chicagoland Samoyed Club International KC of Chicago</b>	<b>Designated Specialty - Close 2/4</b>	<b>Chicago, IL</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>Stan Matsumoto (Sweeps)</b>
26	<b>Samoyed Club of Central AZ</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 2/11</b>	<b>Scottsdale, AZ</b>	<b>Bradshaw</b>	<b>N/A (Sweeps) James Tysseling (Junior) Dorothy Collier</b>
27-28	Superstition KC	Show - Close 2/11	Scottsdale, AZ	Bradshaw	Joseph Gregory Jean Fournier
Mar 1-2	Scottsdale Dog Fanciers	Show - Close 2/11	Scottsdale, AZ	Bradshaw	Carl Gene Liepmann Lisa DeRoulet
6-8	Garden City KC	Show - Close 2/18	Garden City, KS	Onofrio	Patricia Hess Lenora Riddle Sonny Ambrosio
7	<b>Samoyed Club of Austin</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 2/18</b>	<b>San Antonio, TX</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>Archie Peil (Sweeps) Christine Anderson</b>

## 2008-2009 Schedule of Events

Date	Organization	Event	Location	Contact	Judge or More Info
<b>Mar 13</b>	<b>Samoyed Club of Houston</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 2/25</b>	<b>Houston, TX</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>N/A/ (Sweeps) Larry Chu</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>Minuteman Samoyed Club CT Working Dog Association</b>	<b>Designated Specialty - Close 2/25</b>	<b>W Springfield, MA</b>	<b>MB-F</b>	<b>Kalyn Sullivan (Sweeps) N/A</b>
<b>21-22</b>	Canada Del Oro KC	Show - Close 3/4	Tucson, AZ	Onofrio	Ralph (Sonny) Ambrosio Annella Cooper
<b>28-29</b>	Scottsbluff KC	Show - Close 3/11	Mitchell, NE	Onofrio	Joyce Vanek Steve Keating
<b>Apr 4-5</b>	Kachina KC	Show - Close 3-18	Glendale, AZ	Onofrio	Ms. Dany Canino Marion Mason-Hodesson
<b>4-5</b>	Wichita KC Hutchinson KC	Show - Close 3/18	Valley Center, KS	Onofrio	N/A
<b>10-12</b>	Mile-Hi Golden Retriever Club	AKC Agility—Open 2/25	Castle Rock, CO	Ascher	
<b>12</b>	<b>Metropolitan Atlanta Samoyed Club</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 3/25</b>	<b>Perry, GA</b>	<b>Onofrio</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>11-12</b>	Terry-All KC	Show - Close 3/25	Brighton, CO	Onofrio	Anne Schwartz Wallace Pede
<b>25-26</b>	Seward County KC	Show - Close 4/8	Seward, NE	Onofrio	N/A
<b>25-26</b>	Mile High Agility Club of Boulder	AKC Agility - Open ?	Jeffco Faigrounds	Makowski	Ann McQuillen
<b>Apr 30 May 1</b>	Intermountain KC Utah Valley KC	Show - Close 4/15	South Jordan, UT	Onofrio	Cecilia Ringstrom F. M. (Butch) MacDonald Wanda Spediacci Faye Strauss
<b>2</b>	<b>Buckeye Samoyed Club Crawford County KC</b>	<b>Designated Specialty - Close 4/15</b>	<b>Bucyrus, OH</b>	<b>MB-F</b>	<b>Noel Ramsey (Sweeps) Roberta Brady</b>
<b>9-10</b>	Western Colorado Agility Club	Agility - Open 4/24	Grand Junction, CO	Ascher	Keith Harold
<b>May 16-17</b>	Mount Ogden KC	Show - Close 4/29	Logan, UT	Onofrio	Ronald Menaker Joe Purkhiser
<b>16-17</b>	Sunflower KC of Olathe, KS	Show - Close 4/29	Gardner, KS	Onofrio	N/A
<b>Jun 1</b>	Mile-Hi Golden Retriever	AKC Agility - Open	Greeley, CO	Hittesdorf	David Nauer
<b>13</b>	<b>Chicagoland Samoyed Club</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 5/27</b>	<b>Grayslake, IL</b>		<b>Arlene King (Sweeps) Delbert Thacker</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>Willamette Valley Samoyed Club</b>	<b>Specialty - Close 6/3</b>	<b>Canby, OR</b>	<b>Garvin</b>	<b>Joy Ritter (Sweeps) Ms. Dany Canino</b>
<b>Jul 11-12</b>	Nebraska KC	Show - Close 6/24	Omaha, NE	Onofrio	N/A
<b>Aug 14-17</b>	Manhattan KC Jesse James KC	Show - Close 7/29	Topeka, KS	Onofrio	N/A
<b>Sep 19</b>	Mountain States Dog Training Club	AKC Agility - Open 8/5	Golden, CO	Makowski	Sheila Kaufman
<b>19-20</b>	Flatirons KC	Obedience - Close 9/2	Longmont, CO	Deb Ascher	Linda Hause Joanna Yund
<b>Nov 14-15</b>	Mile High Agility Club of Boulder	AKC Agility - Open	Golden, CO	Makowski	Cherrie Treber

## Military Hospital Opens for Dogs Wounded in War

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and rehab rooms with an underwater treadmill and exercise balls, among other features. A behavioral specialist has an office near the lobby.

"This investment made sense ... and somehow, we were able to convince others," said retired

Col. Larry Carpenter, who first heard complaints about the poor facilities in 1994 and later helped to launch the project.

Training a military working dog takes about four months. With demand outstripping the number of dogs available, hospital and veterinary workers were trying to keep them healthy and working as long as possible, Vogelsang said.

Working dogs usually enter training at 1-1/2 to 3-years-old, and most can work until they're about 10, he said.

Then, the military tries to adopt them out and "station them at Fort Living Room," Vogelsang said.



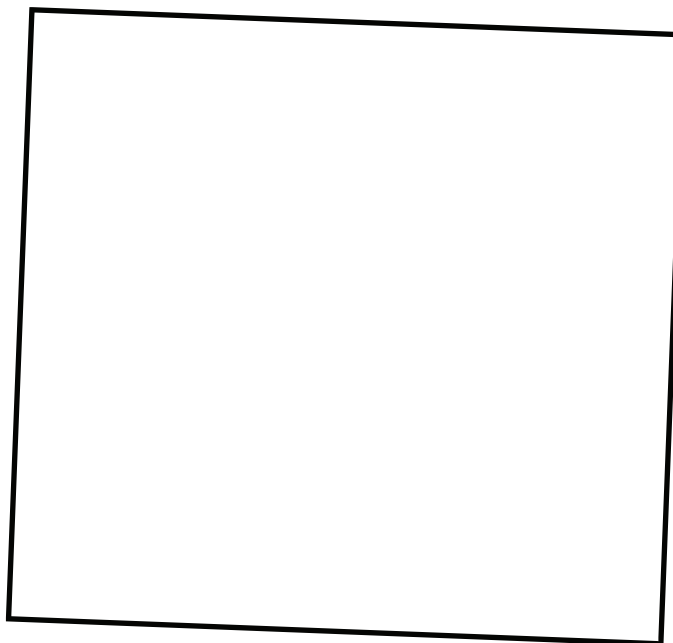
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### Nov **17**, 2008 Meeting Reminder - 7:15 PM - St. Joseph Episcopal Church

- Vote on 2009 Officers and Board members.
- Determine annual donation for Church meeting location.
- **Current committee chairpersons—please inform Lori Elvera if you wish to continue as committee chair for 2009. Otherwise, we'll include that committee on the 2009 Committee Chairperson sign-up sheet to be passed around starting at the November meeting.**

## Denver Samoyed Rescue Report

no HOME, all ALONE

**As of 11/09/08, we have no Sammies available for adoption! WOOHOO!!**

If you know anyone who might be interested, please call the DSR at 303-453-1360, or contact one of the Rescue committee members:  
**Deb Castro, Andi Mast, Jane Reller, Sue Wangerin, Thalia Peletis, Michele Sottile or Pam Arnold.** Thanks!

**Rescue has several ways that you can support the committee's efforts to keep our treasury healthy so we can save as many smiles as possible.**

### White Pine Outfitter Collars and Leashes

Soft slip or buckle:

9/16" collars @ \$10

9/16", 4' & 6' leads \$10 & \$12.

Available colors: black, new pink, purple, red, rose, royal blue, twilight, teal, pine, and mint.

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small (10"-16"), medium (13"-19"), large (15"-24").

### Microchip Gift Certificates -

**\$25 for members' pets**

**\$35 for non-members' pets**

We are offering gift certificates for AKC Canine Animal Recovery System microchips which includes the registration fee for people who live in the Denver and Colorado Springs metro areas. Gift certificates can be redeemed by appointment with Deb Castro (Denver) or Pam Arnold (Colorado Springs).

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**If you have any questions or would like to order collars/leads/gift certificates, please let me know at:  
(303) 450-7712 or [loveoursams@msn.com](mailto:loveoursams@msn.com) Thank you for your continued support.  
Andi Mast - Rescue Co-Chairman**