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***** VOLUNTEER NEEDED ! *****

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AKC Fights to Protect Hobby Breeders

AKC has filed a brief in the latest round of the long-running legal battle between Doris Day Animal League (DDAL) and the US Department of Agriculture (USDA). DDAL's lawsuit seeks changes to make residential breeders who sell dogs directly to the public (including hobby breeders) subject to federal licensing and inspection requirements under the Animal Welfare Act (AWA). Although AKC strongly supports the humane care and treatment of animals and the vigorous enforcement of humane treatment laws, the AKC strongly opposes reinterpreting the AWA to require the licensing and inspection of residential breeders of dogs.

A federal judge ruled in favor of DDAL in July 2001, and the government is now appealing that decision. Although AKC is not party to the lawsuit itself, its "friend of the court" (or amicus curiae) brief supports the gov-

ernment's position that the Animal Welfare Act was intended to cover only wholesale dealers of dogs, not those that sell directly to the public. The AKC contends that legislative and regulatory history of the AWA support the USDA's exclusion of residential breeders, and that the exclusion should remain unchanged for a whole series of public policy concerns.

Among the key points in AKC's brief:

- Such a change would bring a massive number of homes under federal licensing. Not only would the number of licensees increase 1800-3300 fold, but the body of licensees would constantly change (unlike wholesalers, the majority of home breeders don't breed every year).
- The focus of the AWA would shift away from the facilities posing the greatest risk.
- Residential sellers of dogs

are already subject to a high degree of regulation by others: the buyers themselves, breed registries like the AKC, local and state authorities.

- Most of the complaints of deplorable conditions by breeders are already violations of the AWA.
- It is an unwarranted invasion of privacy to go into breeders' homes.
- The care standards established for wholesale dealers of dogs under the AWA are not appropriate for residences. These standards address care for high numbers of dogs; include specifications and procedures for large-scale facilities; and require materials and procedures that are difficult, unnecessary, and virtually impossible for small breeders to follow.
- The changes mandated by the DDAL lawsuit will in fact

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Special points of interest:

- * Working Sweepstakes Rules Revised - See page 4.
- * **WE NEED YOU** to help at an upcoming agility trial! It's a great learning opportunity to prepare us for DSA's first Agility 'A' Match - Aug 24! See page 6.
- * DSA Specialty B/OB Match and Tournament - Sept. 7! See page 7.

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Membership Meeting Minutes

7/15/02 – Membership Meeting

Secretary's note: For some reason my tape recorder did not record the meeting. These minutes are taken from my notes.

Present:

Denise Baugh, Jan Cherne, Nancy Golden, Jane Reller, Sue Wangerin, Martha Lageschulte, Lori Elvera, Linda Kitzman, Tom Lisec and Andi Mast

Guest: None

Martha Lageschulte called the meeting to order at 7:20 PM.

The June membership meeting minutes were corrected as follows:

The rescue dog, Samson, age is actually 6 not 4 as stated.

The judges for the tournament that were being contacted are - Breeder judges, Jane Anderson, Heidi Nieman, Doug Cassidy, Pat Griffin, and Lorrie McAllister. The other judge is Debbie Miller.

Minutes were approved as amended.

President's Report - Martha Lageschulte
No report

Secretary's Report - Andi Mast
No report

Treasurer's Report – Martha Lageschulte for Thalia Peletis (absent)

- The general fund balance is \$2,755.61. The rescue fund balance is \$16,652.
- To date we have made \$833.25 from our grocery certificate sales.
- An exceptional employee at the bank provided us with copies of the 2000 bank statements at ½ cost

Working Sweepstakes – Lori Elvera

After club input at the last meeting, the working sweepstakes committee submitted revised requirements and eligibility for this class at our Specialty show. It was motioned and approved to accept these published requirements. The entire report will be printed in the Sam-o-Gram.

Corresponding Secretary's Report - Jane Reller

Jane has several items in her folder to pass around including foreign dog show list, dog show guide, upcoming matches, and revisions from AKC regarding challenge trophies. We have also been invited to join Colorado Federation of Dog Clubs for \$75.00. This is the spin-off group of CDFA and will work mostly on lobbying. It was discussed that if we pursue a non-profit status, we would not be able to join. Further discussion will be held after that issue is decided.

Awards - Mary Lloyd (absent)

No report

Breeder Referral – Martha Lageschulte
Please let Martha know (either phone or e-mail) if you have puppies on the ground or an upcoming litter planned.

Public Education – Jane Reller
No report

Cheer – Martha Lageschulte for Terry Walb (absent)
Please let Terry know if someone has a new title, or needs cheer wishes etc.

DSA Liaison to SCA – Jan Cherne (absent)
No report

Historian/Librarian – Mary Lloyd (absent)
No report

Hospitality - Denise Baugh
Pop is available. Thank you Sue Wangerin for providing treats this evening.

Membership – Julie Morris (absent)
No report

Programs – Mary Lloyd (absent)
No report

Supported entry 2003 with Plum Creek – Chairman needed
A chairman is needed for this position. The responsibilities include, contact sweepstakes judge, get trophies (Best in Sweepstakes, Best of Opposite in Sweeps, 1st in each class, etc.) Please let Martha know if you are interested in taking this position.

Local Specialty 2003 – Bob and Andi Mast
We are waiting for our judge's contracts to be returned. A letter has been sent to SCA for parent club approval. Martha passed around a trophy sign up sheet. We are only soliciting for trophies that were won in 2002.

Local Specialty 2004 – Chairperson needed
No report

Sam-O-Gram/Website – Martha Lageschulte for Thalia Peletis (absent)
Sam-O-Gram:

- ARTICLE DEADLINE FOR NEXT ISSUE: August 1, 2002. (It's always the first of the month).

Web Site:

Rescue Report – Andi Mast

- Both Maya and Samson are in foster homes.
- Add Pirate, a 4 year old neutered male.
- Congratulations to Tom and Nancy Lisec on their new addition, Ele (formerly Chloe)
- Our ad expires on July 20th.
- Linda reported that due to extreme circumstances, the Ohio rescue has purchased a

bitch that is do to whelp soon. If anyone is interested in additional information, please contact Linda.

Specialty Match – Sue Wangerin
The Match will be September 7th. We will be holding it at Sterne Park again.

Tournament – Nancy Golden
The tournament will follow the match on September 7th. The judges will be Joyce Vanek-Nielse, Shelly Bowman, and Anne O'Neil. The date of the tournament is also the same date as the Roswell, NM shows. Denise will not be able to attend that day but is willing to help get things organized. After further discussion, it was agreed that we do snacks/soda instead of a potluck this year.

Ways & Means - Lori Elvera
No report

Working Dog – Lori Elvera & Jane Reller
No report

Unfinished Business:

- Tax Situation – We have filed for the 90-day extension while we gather the information needed for the tax forms.
- Agility Trial – Jane Reller has received approval from AKC for our agility A match to be held August 24th. AKC has indicated it is likely that we will need to hold a second match in 6 months. The premium list is available for people to take to training centers, etc. Please pass around as many as possible. We are encouraging members to volunteer at the CKC agility trial on August 3 and 4th.
- Kohler is mailing the club copies of pictures from the Specialty.

New Business:

- Heritage Day - Discussion was held on a possible date for our Heritage day get together. There is a tremendous amount of interest but unfortunately a date was not available.

Barks & Growls

- Tom Lisec – This is a half bark, half growl. Tom had pictures of his partially shaved Nick who is feeling much better and his new 3-month-old granddaughter, Julia.
- Martha for Thalia - thank you to everyone who sent cards and donations in my dad's memory.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Board Meeting Minutes

07/15/02 - Board Meeting

Present: Martha Lageschulte, Tom Lisec, Nancy Golden, Jane Reller, Sue Wangarin and Andi Mast

Martha Lageschulte called meeting to order at 8:25 PM

President's Report – Martha Lageschulte
No Report

Secretary's Report – Andi Mast
No Report

Corresponding Secretary's Report – Jane Reller
No Report

Treasurer's Report, Thalia Peletis (absent)
No Report

Unfinished Business

The tax information was reported at the membership meeting

New Business:

It was motioned and approved to create an Agility Committee. Jane Reller was appointed the chair.

The board works as a committee to accomplish the goal set by the club for the year. Our goal for 2002-2003 is to get our financial house in order including changes to our constitution, etc. Tom Lisec has volunteered to begin work on the revised constitution.

A Constitution committee comprised of the Board and any other interested members was approved. Tom Lisec Chair

Nominating committee – The following members will be asked to serve as the nominating committee for 2003 officers/board: Mary Lloyd (chair), Lori Elvera, and Nancy Golden. Sue Wangarin and Tom Lisec will be alternates.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.



Tennessee Judge Slam-Dunks Puppy Mill Owners

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (USA) - Last week, The Commercial Appeal reported on a recent Tennessee Court ruling that was "worthy of a standing ovation." Judge Alan Glenn, rebuked an appeal of a couple from Humboldt who had bred and kept as many as 350 dogs sick and starving in filthy kennels. Not only did Judge Glenn deal very sternly with the offenders, he delivered an excellent oratory that ought to be framed above the door of every court that handles animal abuse cases. He said:

"The Court finds that Judy Fay Johnson and Stanley Paul Johnson have been found guilty of 11 counts of cruelty to animals. Bonds are set at \$1,000 in each of the 11 counts, which was done by a jury of good and lawful citizens of Gibson County.

"Over 350 puppies and dogs were victims of this gross violation of the law. The victims of this crime were animals that could not speak up to the unbelievable conduct of Judy Fay Johnson and Stanley Paul Johnson that they suffered. Several of the dogs have died and most had physical problems such as intestinal worms, mange, eye problems, dental problems and emotional problems and socialization problems.

"Since dogs have entered domestic service of human beings, they have given solace and companionship when needed. They have helped hunt, guard flocks, and in ice and snow have pulled sleds.

"They have rescued people when lost in snowdrifts. They act as police in sniffing out crimes, and they become eyes for those who cannot see. They guard homes and possessions. All

this, these creatures do for kind, humane treatment.

"Watching this video of the conditions that these dogs were subjected to was one of the most deplorable things this Court has observed in the 22 years in the course of being on the bench.

"And though, Judy Fay Johnson, you urge this Court to take into consideration the mitigating factors that you've been sick up to two years prior to them being rescued from your care. You say you've been sick. You talked about reducing the population, but the only thing you did was sell puppies.

"The Court finds that you have a previous history of criminal convictions or criminal behavior, that the offense involved more than one victim, that the victims were particularly vulnerable, that you have a previous history of unwillingness to comply with conditions of a sentence involving release into the community, and that you abused the position of public or private trust.

"The Court further finds that you were charged with this exact same charge in 1993, and after a period of probation, the matter was dismissed.

"Judy Fay Johnson, you're sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in each of the 11 counts of cruelty to animals. These will be run concurrent. Further, this Court finds that probation would not serve the ends of justice, nor be in the best interest of the public, nor would this have a deterrent effect for such gross behavior.

"Therefore, you, Judy Fay Johnson, shall serve six months of your sentence on condition that you make restitution to the Dyersburg Humane Society for \$3,242 for the expenses involved in freeing those dogs from their purgatory and your payment of the fine and costs in full. You are further prohibited from ever running or owning any animal kennel or owning any animal as a pet.

"Stanley Johnson, the Court finds that your offenses involve more than one victim. The victims were particularly vulnerable. You treated the victims with exceptional cruelty. You abused the position of public or private trust. You were charged with the exact same charge in 1993 that after a period of probation was dismissed.

"You are sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in each of the 11 counts. You shall serve 90 days of your sentence on condition that \$3,242 be paid to the Dyersburg Humane Society for the expenses involved in removing the helpless dogs from your custody. You are further prohibited from ever running or owning any animal kennel or owning any animal as a pet.

"There are those who would argue that you should be confined in a house trailer with no ventilation or in a cell three-by-seven with eight or ten other inmates with no plumbing, no exercise and no opportunity to feel the sun or smell fresh air. However, the courts of this land have held

that such treatment is cruel and inhuman, and it is. You will not be treated in the same way that you treated these helpless animals that you abused to make a dollar."

Working Sweepstakes Revised Rules

Working Sweepstakes Requirements & Eligibility

The Working Samoyed Sweepstakes is open to all Samoyeds that have obtained an SCA Working Title and to all Samoyeds who have accumulated 100 points during the year toward an SCA Working Title (Pre-titled).

REQUIREMENTS & ELIGIBILITY:

Proof of eligibility must be submitted to the DSA Show Chairperson prior to the closing of entries. Please include sex of animal for classification. Dogs may be neutered & bitches may be spayed. Samoyeds may be registered with an ILP number. A copy of the SCA Working Program Certificate is required for titled entrants. Pre-titled entrants must submit an SCA tally sheet showing 100 points accrued in any of the categories contained in the SCA working title program during the 12-month period prior to the closing of entries. Electronic mail or fax is acceptable.

FEE:

Entry fee is \$12.00 for each Samoyed entered in the Working Samoyed Sweepstakes. Samoyed need not be entered in another class at the Specialty show. Entries shall be made at the same time & on the same form as the Regular Classes. Indicate "Working Samoyed Sweepstakes" and the class division in the space marked, "Additional Classes."

CLASSES:

The following Classes will be provided for both dogs & bitches:

- WS Titled
- WSX Titled
- WSXM Titled
- Pre-titled

DIVISION OF ENTRY MONEY AS PRIZES:

The Club will retain 35% of total fees for expenses. The remaining 65% will be divided as follows:

BEST IN WORKING SWEEPSTAKES.....	15% of total entry fees
BEST OF OPP. SEX IN WORKING SWEEPS.....	0% of total entry fees
First.....	40% of total entry fees for each class
Second.....	30% of total entry fees for each class
Third.....	20% of total entry fees for each class
Fourth.....	10% of total entry fees for each class

Unclaimed prizes will be divided 60% & 40% to Best in Working Samoyed Sweepstakes & Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Working Sweepstakes respectively.

PRIZES/ROSETTES

Are offered by the Denver Samoyed Association, Inc. for the following:

- BEST IN WORKING SAMOYED SWEEPSTAKES
- BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX IN WORKING SAMOYED SWEEPSTAKES

Revised June 2002

*Working Sweepstakes Committee:
Lori Elvera, Donna Dannen and Anne O'Neill*

Clinic Notice



All-Purpose Health Clinic For Your Dog!

Sponsored by the Denver Samoyed Association

When: Saturday, September 28, 2002 - 12 PM to 4 PM

Where: Belleview West Animal Hospital
10825 W. Belleview Ave., Littleton, 303-979-1080

Dr. Ross Bernard: Hips, Elbows, & Microchips

Dr. Steve Roberts: Eye Exams

Pricing information and a reservation form will be available in the September Sam-O-Gram.

Contact Lori Elvera for more information.

Phone: 720-344-4562; E-mail: kenoshasam@aol.com

What's Is an Obedience Title Really?

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 the record and in the memory, for about as long as anything in this world can remain.

And though the dog himself doesn't know or care that his 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, 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.

In addition, a title says that you love your dog. That you loved to spend time with him because he was a good dog and that you believed in him enough to give him yet another chance when he failed and 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 praise in one small set of initials after the name.

An obedience title is nothing less than the true love and respect, given and received and recorded permanently.



-Sandy Mowery (writer for Front & Finish)

Agility A-Match APPROVED!!

Denver Samoyed Association

All-Breed Agility A-Match

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

August 24, 2002

**Peak II Peak Agility Training Center
2528 W. County Rd. 6, Berthoud, CO 80513**

Judge: Sheila Lavin

CLASSES OFFERED

Standard Agility

(Novice A, B, Open, Excellent A and B) All Jump Heights

Jumpers With Weaves

(Novice A, B, Open, Excellent A and B) All Jump Heights

**ENTRIES OPEN JULY 17, 2002, Noon MDT
ENTRIES CLOSE AUGUST 7, 2002, 7:00 PM MDT**

AGILITY MATCH COMMITTEE

Trial Chairperson

Jane Reller
303-665-2843
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Chief Ring Steward

Lori Elvera

Equipment Manager

Bob Mast

Trial Secretary

Thalia Peletis
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Additional Committee Members:

Martha Lageschulte, Andi Mast,
Julie Morris, and Terry Walb

Come Join



the Fun!

Supported Entry

Denver Samoyed Association and Plum Creek Kennel Club

2nd Annual

Puppy Sweepstakes and Supported Entry

(Pending Club Ratification)

Saturday, February 15, 2003

National Western Stock Show - Denver, CO

Puppy Sweepstakes Judge

Robin Hobbs
DSA Show Chairperson
Julie Morris

Regular Class Judge

Chris Walcowitz
Superintendent
Jack Onofrio



Denver Samoyed Association, Inc.

Annual Specialty B/OB Match & Tournament

Saturday, September 7, 2002

Match Registration: 8:00 AM, Obedience: 9:00 AM, Conformation: following obedience

Tournament: 11:00 AM (immediately following the Match)

Sterne Park, 5800 S. Spotswood St. Littleton

Take Santa Fe or Broadway to Littleton Blvd and then to Spotswood St. Turn south on Spotswood and it dead ends at the park.
We will be on the north side, east of the pond.

Snacks will be provided throughout the event.

Specialty B/OB Match

Match competition open to all AKC and ILP registered Samoyeds over 3 months.

CONFORMATION

Judge: Carol Deeks

Classes:

Puppy Dogs/Bitches 3-6 mos
Puppy Dogs/Bitches 6-9 mos
Puppy Dogs/Bitches 9-12 mos
Open Dogs/Bitches
Bred By-Exhibitor
Junior Showmanship

OBEDIENCE

Judge: Kent Cherne

Classes:

Utility A
Utility B
Open A
Open B
Novice A
Novice B

Rosettes will be awarded Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed and for High in Trial.
For more information about the match, contact Sue Wangerin. Phone: 303-467-9829, E-mail: Sue.Clark@noaa.gov

Tournament

Rules

- Three rings will run simultaneously for judging and only one dog/bitch will be in the ring at any time, therefore allowing you to enter more than one dog
- Eligible dogs / bitches: Any champion, current year's Best in Specialty Match winner, and any untitled dogs/bitches 6 months and older. Dogs / bitches less than 6 months old may be entered for exhibition only.
- Each dog / bitch will be scored against the Official AKC Samoyed Standard / SCA Illustrated Standard and will receive their score sheets at the end of the tournament.
- Three judges will individually judge and score the dogs; an AKC judge, a Samoyed breeder, and one other individual involved in exhibition of dogs. A joint decision for a winner and a reserve winner will be made.
- The winner **must** be shown at the 2002 National Specialty in Carlisle, Pennsylvania to receive the monetary award.
- The value of the award equals all monies taken in, minus expenses for hosting the tournament.
- If the winner is not shown at the National, but the reserve winner is, the reserve winner will receive the monetary award.
- Any dog / bitch that has won a previous DSA tournament is not eligible for competition.

Judges: Joyce Vanek-Nielsen (AKC), Anne O'Neill (Breed), Shelley Bowman (All Breed)
Entry Form

Owner: _____

Preregistration entry fee \$15.00 per dog. Day of show entry fee \$18.00 per dog. Exhibition only entry fee \$5.00 per dog.

of Regular Entries: _____ # of Exhibition Only Entries _____ Total Entry fee(s)* enclosed: _____

* No cash please; make checks payable to Denver Samoyed Association

I understand that the monetary award will be paid after the winning dog/bitch is shown at the 2002 National Specialty in Carlisle, Pennsylvania
If the winning dog/bitch is not shown, the award will be given to the reserve winner (if shown at the 2002 National).

Signature (required) _____

Mail to: Nancy Golden 9633 Corsair Dr. Conifer, CO 80433 Phone: 303-838-5271, E-mail: uffda@attglobal.net

Treasury Report (as of 8/01/02)

SAM-O-GRAM

Income vs. Spending- General + Raffle - BUDGET YEAR 2002

Subcategory	General	Raffle	Total
Income Categories			
Investment Income			
Interest		2.64	2.64
Total Investment Income		2.64	2.64
Local Specialty ('02)			
Advertising	(85.00)		(85.00)
Catalog	125.00		125.00
Change	0.00		0.00
Entry Fees	1,454.00		1,454.00
Judge's Fees	(434.51)		(434.51)
Judge's Gifts	(76.34)		(76.34)
Recording Fee	(81.00)		(81.00)
Rental & Cleanup Fees	(161.50)		(161.50)
Ribbons	(140.69)		(140.69)
Show Secretary Fees	(665.02)		(665.02)
Sweepstakes	(168.12)		(168.12)
Trophies	165.97		165.97
Total Local Specialty	(67.21)		(67.21)
Membership			
Dues	485.00		485.00
Postage	(4.08)		(4.08)
Total Membership	480.92		480.92
Specialty Match			
Rental Fee	(13.50)		(13.50)
Total Specialty Match	(13.50)		(13.50)
Supported Entry			
Entry Share	159.00		159.00
Trophy Table	(15.95)		(15.95)
Total Supported Entry	143.05		143.05
Ways & Means			
Barks & Growls	23.75		23.75
DSAWear	30.00		30.00
Grocery Certificates	(1,958.00)		(1,958.00)
Health Clinic	318.00		318.00
Storage Boxes	(14.25)		(14.25)
Wooden Sams	5.00		5.00
Total Ways & Means	(1,595.50)		(1,595.50)
Total Income Categories	(1,052.24)	2.64	(1,049.60)
Expense Categories			
Awards			
SCA Bulletin Ad		85.00	85.00
Total Awards		85.00	85.00
Bank Charges			
Cashier Check Charge		2.00	2.00
Service Charge	59.00		59.00
Total Bank Charges	59.00	2.00	61.00
Cheer			
Cards	54.57		54.57
Postage	13.60		13.60
Total Cheer	68.17		68.17
Hospitality			
Local Specialty	102.68		102.68
Pizza Party	123.00		123.00
Total Miscellaneous	225.68		225.68
Miscellaneous			
Postage	2.72		2.72
State Periodic Report	10.00		10.00
Total Miscellaneous	12.72		12.72
Public Education			
Booth Supplies	227.80		227.80
Total Public Education	227.80		227.80

Account Balances

General Fund	3,989.61
Raffle Fund (DSA 81.14 / DSR 211.39)	292.53
Rescue Fund	16,578.17
Grocery Certificates	2,975.00
Total Assets	23,835.31

continued

Grocery Certificates
Profit: \$927.75

Income vs. Spending- General + Raffle - BUDGET YEAR 2002

Sub-category	General	Raffle	Total
Sam-O-Gram/Web			
Address Labels	24.00		24.00
Copy Paper	10.00		10.00
Postage	47.60		47.60
Subscription	(20.00)		(20.00)
Web Hosting	99.00		99.00
Total Sam-O-Gram/Web	160.60		160.60
Taxes			
Consultation	95.69		95.69
Total Taxes	95.69		95.69
Tournament			
Rental Fee	13.50		13.50
Total Tournament	13.50		13.50
Trophy Donations			
All Breed Club	100.00		100.00
SCA National	50.00		50.00
Total Trophy Donations	150.00		150.00
Total Expense Categories	1,013.16	87.00	1,100.16
Grand Total	(2,065.40)	(84.36)	(2,149.76)

Grand Total after remaining Grocery Certificates (\$2975) sold:
Grand Total 909.60 (84.36) 825.24

Income vs. Spending-Rescue + Raffle-BUDGET YEAR 2002

Subcategory	Raffle	Rescue	Total
Income Categories			
Adoption Fee		600.00	600.00
Donation		1,330.00	1,330.00
Fundraiser			
Calendar Sale		150.00	150.00
LorinByHand		110.40	110.40
Note Cards		15.00	15.00
Santa Pet Pictures		645.00	645.00
SCA Booth		24.00	24.00
Total Fundraiser		944.40	944.40
Investment Income			
Interest	2.59		2.59
Total Investment Income	2.59		2.59
Placement Fee		450.00	450.00
Total Income Categories	2.59	3,324.40	3,326.99
Expense Categories			
Bank Charges			
Cashier Check Charge	4.00		4.00
Service Charge		14.00	14.00
Total Bank Charges	4.00	14.00	18.00
Boarding		772.00	772.00
Charitable Donations			
Animal Shelter	100.00		100.00
Total Charitable Donations	100.00		100.00
Grooming		55.00	55.00
Rescue Misc			
Licenses/Membership Dues		150.00	150.00
Phone Card		27.00	27.00
Postage		6.80	6.80
Seminar		75.00	75.00
Total Rescue Misc		258.80	258.80
Tags		68.87	68.87
Transportation Fees		40.00	40.00
Veterinary Services			
Eye Care		142.88	142.88
Neuter/Spay		125.00	125.00
Shots/Meds	145.93	745.33	891.26
Total Veterinary Services	145.93	1,013.21	1,159.14
Total Expense Categories	249.93	2,221.88	2,471.81
Grand Total	(247.34)	1,102.52	855.18

Net amounts are displayed in these reports.

DSR Success Letter

7/17/02

"Powder"

Dear Sue,

I have meant to do this for months, sorry for the delay. I hope that you will share these [pictures] with the staff at the Rescue. Powder has become a member of our family. We love her to death, even Aby the cat has become attached. She walks with me everyday and has even slimmed down a little. When I don't get up to go walk, she sits by the bed and howls until I do. She's quite spoiled and seems to enjoy every minute of it.

We are certainly glad that we found her and appreciate all of your efforts as well. We hope you enjoy the photos and know that she is healthy, happy and spoiled rotten!

Love, Roy, Anna, Powder and Aby



2002-2003 Schedule of Events

Date	Organization	Event	Location	Contact	Judge or More Info
Aug 24	Denver Samoyed Association	Agility "A" Match	Berthoud, CO	Jane Reller	303-665-2843
Aug 31- Sep 1	Cheyenne KC	Show - Close 8/14	Cheyenne, WY	Onofrio	Burton J Yamada Joseph E Gregory
Sep 7	Denver Samoyed Association	Specialty B Match & Tournament	Sterne Park, Littleton, CO	Sue Wangerin Nancy Golden	303-467-9829 303-838-5271
7	Delaware Valley Samoyed Somerset Hills KC	Sweepstakes/Supported Close 8/21	North Branch, NJ	MB-F	Marie Gemeinhardt(Sw) Charles Trotter
7-8	Rio Pecos KC	Show - Close 8/22	Roswell, NM	Onofrio	R Ligon / R Shreve
13-15	Salina KC Wichita KC Hutchinson KC	Show - Close 8/28 & 8/29	Salina, KS	Onofrio	Charlotte McGowan Robert D Smith Anthony DiNardo
14-15	Prescott Arizona KC	Show - Close 8/28	Chino Valley, UT	Onofrio	Lynn D Peterson Alane L Gomez
14-15	Bonneville Basin KC	Show - Close 8/28	Farmington, UT	Onofrio	Marion M Hodesson H M Cresap
14-15	Longs Peak Dog Training Club	AKC Agility - Close 8/28	Fort Collins, CO	B Woodmansee	970-224-1544
14-15	Continental Divide Herding	Herding - Close 8/21	Fort Lupton, CO	Barbara White	402-593-7538
19	Metropolitan Atlanta Samoyed Club	Specialty - Close 9/4	Atlanta, GA	Onofrio	Judith Goodin Ginger Aldrich (Sweep)
20-22	Douglasville KC Atlanta KC Newnan KC	Show - Close 9/4	Atlanta, GA	Onofrio	Constance Barton M Hodesson Anne T Fleming

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Sep	21-22	Grand Valley KC	Show - Close 9/4	Grand Junction, CO	Onofrio	Peter Emily / Clay Coady	
	27-29	Terry-All KC	AKC Agility - Close 9/11	Brighton, CO	Deb Ascher	A McQuillen / Rob Long	
	28-29	Sunflower, KC of Olathe KS	Show - Close 9/11	Gardner, KS	Onofrio	Sheila Balch Lynette Blue	
	29	Mountain States Dog Trng Club	Tracking - Close 9/11	Littleton, CO	Kae Eggert	N/A	
	29	Potomac Valley Samoyed Old Dominion KC	Sweeps/Supported - 9/11	Leesburg, VA	MB-F	Connie Koniopisis (Sw) Anna Wanner	
Oct	4-5	Mesilla Valley KC	Show - Close 9/18	Las Cruces, NM	Onofrio	J D Jones/Mildred Bryant	
	5	Cornhusker KC	Show - Close 9/18	Lincoln, NE	Carolyn Bailey	Robert Ligon	
	6	Grand Island KC	Show - Close 9/18	Lincoln, NE	Onofrio	H M Cresap	
	6-7	Chaparral KC	Show - Close 9/5	Alamogordo, NM	Onofrio	Sonja & Bernard Esposite	
	12-13	Valencia Valley KC	Show - Close 9/25	Los Lunas, NM	Onofrio	Arley Hussin Bernard Schwartz	
	12-13	Pikes Peak Obedience Club	Obedience - Close 9/25	Elbert, CO	Cora Pizzatola	303-634-8139	
	12-13	Lawrence Jayhawk KC	Show - Close 9/25	Lawrence, KS	Onofrio	Nancy Liebes James Frederiksen	
	14-19	Samoyed Club of America	Specialty - Close 9/26	Carlisle, PA	Jim Rau (conf / obed) Dottie Allen (agility) Alyssa Dassa (herding)	John Ronald - Intersex Jean Fournier - Dogs Judy Mears - Bitches Dennis Collins-Sweeps Jim Shea - Futurity P Scully, J Grimm - Ob	
	18-20	Rapid City KC	Show - Close 10/2	Rapid City, SD	Onofrio	Victor Boutwell Robert Smith Beth Speich	
	19-20	Kachina KC	Show - Close 10/2	Goodyear, AZ	Onofrio	Marg. Alhino / D Morgan	
	19-20	Timberline Bassett Hound	AKC Agility - Close 10/2	Longmont, CO	C Makowski	Cindy Macklin	
	25	Samoyed Club of Austin	Specialty - Close 10/9	Austin, TX	Dianna Thurston	Norman L Herbel Carol Deeks (Sweeps)	
	26-27	Travis County KC	Show - Close 10/9	Austin, TX	Onofrio	Tomas Gomez Lee Reasin	
	26-27	Sioux Empire KC	Show - Close 10/9	Sioux Falls, SD	Onofrio	Dorothy Welsh/ R Berndt	
	26-27	Front Range Agility Assoc.	AKC Agility - Close 10/9	Golden, CO	Deb Ascher	970-532-3124	
	27	Denver Foothills Tracking	Tracking Ex - Close 10/2	Littleton, CO	Kae Eggert	N/A	
Nov	3	Denver Foothills Tracking	Tracking - Close 10/16	Littleton, CO	Kae Eggert	N/A	
	9-10	Evergreen KC / Flatirons KC	Show - Close 10/23	Longmont, CO	Onofrio	Michelle Billings Edd Bivin	
	16	Mountain States Dog Trng	Tracking Ex - Close 10/30	Littleton, CO	Louis Hendryx	303-674-4590	
	16-17	Mile High Agility Club- Boulder	AKC Agility - Close 10/30	Golden, CO	Debby Funk	303-695-4224	
	16-17	Tucson KC/Canada Del Oro KC	Show - Close 10/30	Tucson, AZ	Bradshaw	Susan D Sholar Vincent T Grosso	
	18	Greater Sierra Vista KC	Show - Close 10/30	Tucson, AZ	Onofrio	Roy Stenmark	
	21-24	Nebraska / Council Bluffs KC	Show - Close 11/3 & 6	Omaha, NE	Onofrio	Pete Dawkins Patricia Starkweather Lee Canalizo Doris E Werdermann	
	23-24	Sahuaro State KC	Show – Close 11/6	Goodyear, AZ	Onofrio	Nancy Liebes/ C Coady	
	Nov Dec	29-30/ 1-2	Yuma KC / Imperial KC	Show - Close 11/13	Yuma, AZ	Bradshaw	M Joan Frailey Dr Sheldon S Rennert Robert S Matchett Chuck Herendeen

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Nov 29-30/ Dec 1	Southern Colorado Agility Club	AKC Agility - Close 11/1	Pueblo, CO	Liz Williams	719-948-9322
30 / 1	Southern Colorado KC	Show - Close 11/13	Pueblo, CO	Onofrio	Larry Mackai Kenneth Doeg
30	Samoyed Assoc. of Canada	Specialty - Close ?	Toronto, Canada	?	Annella Cooper Kit Wilson (Sweeps)
Jan 3 '03	Samoyed Club of LA	Specialty - Close 12/18	Indio, CA	Bradshaw	Frank A Thomas Gail Campbell (Sw)
11-12	Longs Peak Obedience Trng	Obedience - Close 12/18	Loveland, CO	B Woodmansee	970-224-1544
25-26	Pikes Peak Obedience Club	AKC Agility - Close 1/8	Elbert, CO	Debby Funk	303-695-4224
Feb 1	Greater Milwaukee Samoyed	Specialty - Close 1/15	Fond Du Lac, WI	James Parrish	Don R Duerksen Nellie Hoffmeister (Sw)
15	Plum Creek KC	Show - Close	Denver, CO	Onofrio	N/A
16	Denver Samoyed Association / Plum Creek KC	Puppy Sweepstakes & Supported Entry - Close	Denver, CO	Julie Morris / Onofrio	Robin Hobbs (Sweeps) Chris Walcowitz
1-2	Hobbs New Mexico KC	Show - Close 1/15	Hobbs, NM	Onofrio	N/A
22	Chicagoland Samoyed Club	Des. Specialty-Close 2/5	Chicago, IL	?	Sue Thomas (Sw) / N/A
Mar 8-9	Garden City Kansas KC	Show - Close 2/19	Garden City, KS	Onofrio	William B Garvey William F Hixson
15	Minuteman Samoyed Club Connecticut River Working A.	Des. Specialty and Show -Close 2/26	W Springfield, MA	MB-F	Wayne McArthur (Sw) Roy Stenmark
23	Denver Foothills Tracking	Tracking Ex - Close 3/5	Littleton, CO	Patti Pigeon	303-279-8334
29-30	Scottsbluff KC	Show - Close 3/12	Mitchell, NE	Onofrio	Dorothy Welsh Dick Webb
Apr 6	Denver Foothills Tracking	Tracking - Close 3/19	Littleton, CO	Kae Eggert	303-857-4272
Apr 11 2003	Denver Samoyed Association Show Chairpersons: Andi and Bob Mast	Specialty - Close 3/26 (Pending approval)	Brighton, CO	Judges (pending)	Jon Cole Joe Hug (Sweeps) Cheryl Loper (Wk Sw) CJ Evert (Obed)
12-13	Terry-All KC	Show - Close 3/26	Brighton, CO	Onofrio	N/A
May 17	Sioux Valley KC	Show - Close 4/30	South Sioux City, NE	Bradshaw	N/A
17-18	Sunflower KC of Olathe, KS	Show - Close 4/30	Gardner, KS	Onofrio	N/A
Jun 1	Flatirons KC	Show - Close 4/14	Longmont, CO	Onofrio	N/A
Sep 6-7	Evergreen KC	Show - Close 8/20	Greeley, CO	Onofrio	N/A
Nov 14-15	Canada Del Oro KC	Show - Close 10/29	Tucson, AZ	Bradshaw	N/A
16	Greater Sierra Vista KC	Show - Close 10/29	Sierra Vista, AZ	Onofrio	N/A
17-18	Tucson KC	Show - Close 10/29	Tucson, AZ	Bradshaw	N/A

AKC Fights to Protect Hobby Breeders

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hurt consumers. The regulations will drive small breeders out of the hobby and more consumers will be forced to turn to those dealers who are interested solely in profit. The changes will thereby encourage the puppy mills and scurrilous breeders the AWA was designed to prevent. The changes undermine the basic purpose of the Act.

- The entire 30-year legislative history of AWA supports including residential sellers of dogs under the "retail pet store" exclusion.

- The USDA issued an Advanced Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in 1998 and after receiving tens of thousands of public comments, decided that changing the definition of animal dealer to include residential breeders was neither practical nor appropriate.

The United States Court of Appeals is scheduled to hear the case on November 4, 2002.

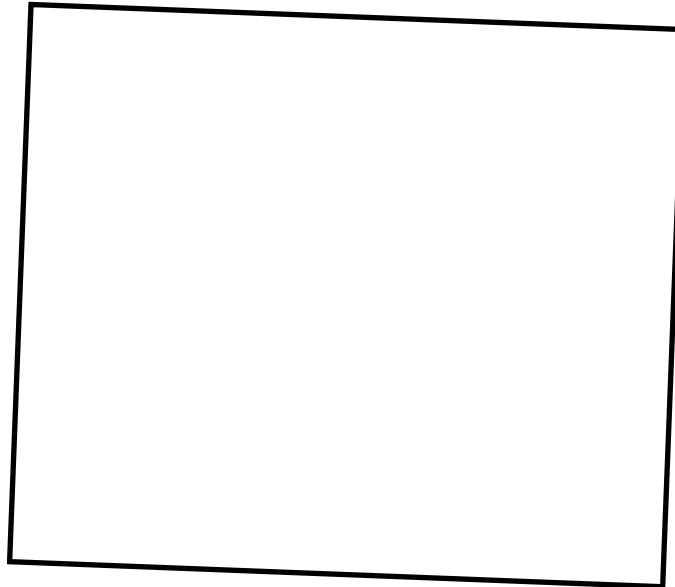
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August 19, 2002 Meeting Reminder - 7:15 PM in Littleton Hospital Cafeteria

- Finalize plans for DSA's Agility 'A' Match. (August 24, 2002)
- Finalize plans for DSA's Specialty Match & Tournament (Sept 7, 2002)
- Ratification of 2003 Supported Entry and Puppy Sweepstakes

Denver Samoyed Rescue Report

no HOME, all ALONE **July Placements = 2 (0 referral)**
As of 7/31/02, we have the following Sammies available for adoption:

Male (**Buddy**) 6 yr House/Outdoor Owner
Comments: 75#. OK with kids, other dogs, and cats. Responds to basic obedience commands. 6' fence required. Is hypothyroid, currently taking Thyroxine meds. **BUDDY IS VERY CUTE AND ANIMATED!!**
Why: Owner surrender



Buddy

Female (**Angel**) 6.5 yr House/Outdoor Foster
Comments: 65#. OK with kids, most cats and some other dogs. Would probably do best as an only dog. Responds to basic obedience commands. Angel was adopted from DSR 4 years ago but due to her owner's severe health problems she has been returned. She is currently on "weight watchers" and an exercise program!
Angel is a very sweet girl.
Why: Owner surrender



Sybra

Female (**Sybra**) 9+ yr. House/Outdoor Owner
Comments: 58# Is afraid of loud noises (thunder, firecracker, cap guns). Very well behaved. Has arthritis in rear legs.
Why: Not enough time for her.



Pirate

Male (**Pirate**) 4 yr House/Outdoor Boarded
Comments: 55#. Very sweet boy. Knows sit, down, come, no. Is crate trained. Needs 6' fence. Can be possessive with toys. Would do best as an only child. Left eye is slightly closed in the corner (unsure of type of accident) but does not seem to cause any problems.
Why: Was adopted from Humane Society and did not get along well with owners dog.

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