

BCATC SPECIALTY SHOW 2016

The club's annual Specialty show was held **Sunday, October 9**, in conjunction with the Fraser Valley Dog Fanciers shows which were held this year at **Heritage Park** in Chilliwack along with four all-breed shows. The noted terrier judge **Edd Bivin** from Texas judged all breeds and the Group. The Puppy, Juvenile & Veteran Sweeps judge was **Susan Norris-Jones** from Cobble Hill, BC. In the all-breed trial, prizes were offered to the highest qualifying terrier. Junior handling for terriers was judged by **Jennifer Knudsen**. Edd Bivin's Group choices were:

Group 1: Can/Am GCh. Flashlight Thunder V. Paradise of Wind (L. Barrow, J. & M. Bauer) *Westie*

Group 2: Can/Am GCh. Cashel's Oban On Ice (J. & P. Rogers) Soft-Coated Wheaten

Group 3: Can/Am GCh. Dunsmuir's Black Ice Encore (J. Marriott) Scottie

Group 4: GCh. Cairnisles Sharp Dressed Man (S. Bremaud) Cairn

Best Puppy: Amblegreen Myk-Lyn's Sterling (H. Tomlins & L. Davis) Norwich

Best Baby Puppy: Larkhill's Ginger Snap (K. Judge) Soft-Coated Wheaten

Best Veteran: Ch. Glenfraser's Gallica Rose (B. Truax) Scottie

Best Junior Handler: Vienna Yeadon

Susan Norris-Jones' Sweeps winners were:

Best In Sweepstakes: Ch. Cleghorn's Fortune And Glory (I. Danby & D. Cleghorn) Westie

Best Of Opposite: Mackanme Patriotic Justice (J. Voyles) *Soft-Coated Wheaten*

Best Veteran In Sweepstakes: GCh. Grayfriar's Max (I. Danby) *Cairn* **Best Of Opposite Veteran:** Ch. Glenfraser's Gallica Rose (B. Truax) *Scottie*

The show chair was Margaret Jones, and the show secretary was Classic Show Services. Complete results are elsewhere in the Newsletter. Thanks to everyone who helped make this show a success!



IN MEMORIAM: BARBARA WATT (1932-2016)

It is with great sadness that we heard about the passing of one of our long-time BCATC members and respected terrier judge, Barbara Watt, an avid Wire Fox breeder (Plawsworth). Here is her obituary, followed by a special tribute by Margaret Jones.

Born in Victoria to Archibald Alexander and Kathleen Marrable Watt (nee Flood). Predeceased by her parents and infant brother Archie; survived by cousins in BC and the UK, and many good friends.

Attended The Poplars School and the Royal Business College. After graduation, she worked at the College as secretary/teaching assistant, then spent many years with the Greater Victoria Public Library, beginning as Secretary to the Librarian and ending as Comptroller and Treasurer to the Library Board. Long-time breeder of Wire Fox Terriers under the Plawsworth (Perm. Reg.) prefix, enjoying many successes in the show ring plus providing many people with loving family pets. Canadian Kennel Club all-breed conformation judge. Life member of CKC, Victoria City Kennel Club, BC All Terrier Club, Wire Fox Terrier Club of Canada, also member of UK Wire Fox Terrier Assn, Fox Terrier Fanciers of Puget Sound, Canadian Dog Judges Association, V.I. Scottish Country Dance Society, and Volunteer, Friends of Government House Gardens.



I have been privileged to day to attend the funeral of a remarkable person. While tears were shed during her funeral, it was a service of celebration for a lady who has led a full and amazing life. Barbara's precious dogs attended the funeral too. Wire Fox Terriers, Cairn Terriers and several other breeds represented Barbara's love and passion in life. All were aware they were in a special place with their owners and gave reverence to the occasion. During the past week I have had the opportunity to speak to several of Barbara Watt's life long friends. I consider myself one of Barbara's friends but I have known Barbara for only 25 years! Quite a short time really in the life of an Octogenarian!

We all know Barbara as a breeder of Wire Fox Terriers and All Breed Judge, but until today I did not realize how little I knew about this lady and how fate can intervene in our lives. Alison Leamy, a close friend remembers first knowing Barbara as 18 or 19 years of age as she attended some of her first dog shows with her Father and Mother. They walked around the dog shows looking at dogs. At the time Alison's Mother raised Irish Setters. Barbara and her parents originally planned to buy a Scottish Terrier from Harry Dodds but unfortunately he had sold them all and instead offered Barbara a Wire Fox terrier. The Fox terrier was out of one of two bitches brought from UK by Joe Dodds. This began Barbara's more than 60 years of owning and breeding Wire Fox Terriers.

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The year was 1954 and at this time Barbara met another life long friend Stella Newby. Stella also bought a Wire Fox Terrier from Joe Dodds. The two young ladies were great friends and competed against each other at dog shows. Stella remembers a time when they showed dogs at the Crystal Gardens. A floor was placed over the pool for the dog show. Apparently it was a little wobbly but the show went on! Stella Newby went on to breed top winning Wire Fox Terriers and Cairn Terriers.

Long time friend Allison related a wonderful story of Barbara asking Harry to show her dog. When the scheduled show time arrived Harry was nowhere to be found but Joe also a great 'dogman' took the dog into the ring under what was considered an inept judge. Apparently the 'inept' judge put up the dog, thinking it was an import!! Sound familiar??

During Barbara's early years of showing dogs, her parents were very supportive. Barbara's mother always had a stall at local Sanction Matches and sold marmalade, muffins and cakes. She also knitted children's toys. Any proceeds from these products helped to support the Victoria City Kennel Club. Barbara continued to be an active member of this Club and was currently President.

As young woman she worked 39 years in a library first as a secretary and at the end of her career was the Comptroller of a booming four branch library system. At retirement Barbara had more time to spend on her life long hobby of breeding Wire Fox Terriers and expand her Judging career.

Another life long friend Barbara Downie remembers going to dog shows with Barbara when she was younger and also in later years. As youngsters they enjoyed showing their dogs and years later they still travelled to shows together. Barbara Downie related a story when they were somewhat incapacitated by aging bodies. Barbara Watt had received her first hip replacement and Barbara Downie had fallen and had a sore leg. It was her right leg and she had great difficulty applying the car brakes. No matter, with walking canes and Tilley hats and Wire Fox Terriers in tow they drove to Courtenay from Victoria. Barbara Downie told me she still has scars from Barbara's Wire Fox terrier 'Polly' who hated other dogs and was 'the scrapper!

The memories of Barbara's lifetime friends give us just a small glimpse into the life of a well-organized and pragmatic person. It was suggested to me that Barbara was always organized and probably wrote her own obituary! On checking.... Yes she wrote most of it!! Barbara also had great input into her funeral. How practical! It seems Barbara instructed the Reverend Fournier to keep the eulogy to dogs and to keep it short!

A few days before Barbara travelled on her journey from this world to the next, she was visited by yet another friend with her 12 week old Cairn Terrier puppy. She was delighted with the visit and gave a very complimentary assessment and commented on his 'dark shoe button eyes'. Barbara was a true Terrier person and she was a Judge to the end. May she continue judging all those dogs in Heaven! I am honoured to have known this remarkable lady.

Margaret Jones, Friend and Colleague



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Yes! Our Club is having a 2017 Specialty! At the last club meeting I was appointed Show Chair for the event on Labour Day weekend at the Kamloops and District Kennel Club 50th Anniversary show. Margaret Jones, Show Chair of the October 2016 Terrier Specialty, will be assisting as advisor. You may recall our BCAT Club celebrated its 50th Anniversary a few years ago which was chaired by Margaret.

At the current time, I'm awaiting a formal invitation from the Kamloops show committee and so any specifics on the show are not yet available, suffice to say the venue is being offered to us with no charge.

While September is a long ways off, there is much to plan to make our event truly "special". We will need a few members to join the show committee for specific tasks – and still show their dogs, of course. If you think you might like to play a part in the staging of this event, these 'jobs' need a person to head them: Hospitality, Trophies, Fund Raising, Junior Handling, Ring Decorations, Ring Steward.

Any meetings we may require can be done via email utilizing the "reply all" key or conference call. This form of communicating will allow members outside of the Lower Mainland to be part of 'the team'. For any members living in the Thompson/Okanagan area, this is a good opportunity to play an active part as a Member of the BCATC.

As well, if anyone would like to know the finer points of staging a Specialty show, I would be more than happy for you to shadow me. In this way, it will guarantee that younger members will keep our terrier club active for the next 50 years!

I encourage all members to help make this show one of which we can be proud. Many hands make light work and believe me, when one is staging a dog show, every hand is appreciated! If you have any questions or suggestions, please contact me. I have a brand new notebook to record them all!

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Sheila also says that that she's added a second Westie to her population - a 4 months old, **Windacre Causin Trouble**, call name Kallie. She joins 4 year old Westie, Kismet, and 9 year old Greyhound, Lacey.

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NEW CHAMPIONS AND TITLEHOLDERS



Pictured is "Simba" aka **Ch. Mysticgold's Hear Me Roar**. In January/February, 2016 he was shown over two weekends and finished his championship from the Senior Puppy class. Wishing all my fellow terrier lovers a very Merry Christmas and all best in 2017.

Cheers! Kelly and the gang at Mysticgold



Shown here is Am/Can Ch. Tumbleweed Fallen From Grace Am Can TD. Fergie is owned by Erin Moore and Simon Simaan and bred by Simon Simaan. On Nov 13, Fergie earned her Am TD in Bow WA under judges Roy Fair and Judy Stromquist. All titles thus far have been earned before Fergie's 2nd birthday! Erin and Fergie are excited for the future and send Best Wishes to all BCATC members for the New Year!

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New American Champion Fairplay's Stryke Force. Ryker finished his American Championship in October at the Del Valle shows in Northern California. The next day, he won Best of Breed and picked up 5 points towards his Grand Championship. On his way to his American Championship, Ryker won a 5-point major at the Long Beach Kennel Club (Great Western) show going Best of Winners under respected judge Virginia Lyne. Ryker was sired by Am. GCh. Red Branch's D'Artagnan of the Ring, owned by member Joy Viel. Ryker is co-owned by Dennis Riley, Alan Adams and Cheryle Goodfellow.

SHOW WINS

At the Glacier View shows Aug. 2-4, John Rowton placed the Kerry, **Irisblu The Harpist**, owned by Anita Norman and Harold Quigg as Group 4th. The next day, Robert Rowbotham gave Group 1st to Jackie Marriott's Scottie, **GCh. Dunsmuir Black Ice Encore**, then taking her on to Reserve Best in Show, with Larisa Hotchin's Welsh, **Ch. Darwyn Here For a Good Time** going Group 3rd. The last day, the Scottie went Group 3rd under Maria del Rocio Espejo Saaverdra. The Island circuit continued to the Vic City shows Aug. 5-7 where the Kerry was best owner-handled under Joe Lobb. The second day, Janet Lobb placed the Welsh Group 3rd and the last day Ann Ingram gave the Kerry Group 3rd.

At the West Kootenay shows in Castlegar, Aug. 19-21, John & Penny Rogers' Wheaten, **GCh. Cashel's Oban On Ice**, went Group 2nd under Valerie Gervais, with James Kidner's Scottie, **Ch. Brueik's Super Trouper** going Group 3rd, and Ilean Danby's Cairn **GCh. Grayfriar's Max** going Group 4th. Denise Cornelssen placed the Cairn Group 3rd and the Wheaten Group 4th. The second day the Wheaten won the group under Brent Wright, as well as Best Bred By Exhibitor in Show. The Cairn went Group 4th and Best Veteran in Group. The last day Gail Forsythe gave the Wheaten Group 3rd and the Cairn Best Veteran. At the Cranbrook K.C. shows, Aug. 26-28, the Cairn got Group 4th under Rick Fehler and Stephen Dainard and Group 3rd under Lee Anne Bateman.

At the four-day Kamloops shows Sept. 2-5, the Kerry, **Irisblu The Harpist**, owned by Anita Norman and Harold Quigg, went Group 4th under Terry Carter, Group 2nd under Jacqueline Stacy, and 4th under Terry Stacy.

The Skaha K.C. held their shows Sept. 9-11 at a lovely new location in Summerland, a park nestled in the hills (see photo next page). The first day, Judith Taylor gave Group 4th to Barry Truax's Scottie, Ch. Glenfraser Backwatch Piper. The last day Maribel Sy awarded the group to James Kidner's Scottie, Ch. Brueik's Super Trouper, with Ilean Danby's Cairn GCh. Grayfriar's Max going Group 2nd.



At the Lower Mainland shows Sept. 16-18, Harto Stockmari awarded the Group to John & Penny Rogers' Wheaten, GCh. Cashel's Oban On Ice, and took him on to Reserve Best on Show. Group 4th and Best Puppy went to Florence Yunik's new Sealyham, Cepage Ledger Page. The second day the Dutch judge, Jo Schepers, gave Group 2nd and Best Bred By to the Wheaten, and took Ken & Elaine Allen's Min. Schnauzer puppy, Dreamaker Thunderbolt to Best Puppy in Show! Kate Judge's Baby Puppy Larkhill's Ginger Snap was Best BP in Group. Continuing the winning streak for club members, the last day Elaine Ty also gave the Group and Best Bred By to the Wheaten, with another Min. Schnauzer puppy, Dreamaker Raptor, going Group 3rd and Best Puppy in Group.

The Mt Cheam Canine Assoc. shows followed on Sept. 23-25, making for a very busy month of showing. The first day Daniel Rubio gave Group 4th to John & Penny Rogers' Wheaten, **GCh. Cashel's Oban On Ice,** with Best Puppy in Group to Judy Hodgkins' Wheaten, **Hion Wouldn't It Be Nice.** On Saturday, Eugenio Gonzales gave Group 3rd to Ilean Danby's Cairn **GCh. Grayfriar's Max,** and Best Puppy in Group again to the Wheaten. The last day, the Serbian judge, Vojislav Al Daghistini, gave Group 2nd to the Rogers' Wheaten, Group 3rd to Barry Truax's Scottie, **Ch. Glenfraser Backwatch Piper**, and Group 4th and Best Puppy in Group to Florence Yunik's Sealyham, **Cepage Ledger Page.** He then took the Sealyham on to Best Puppy in Show!



Florence writes that "Cepage Ledger Page, Sealyham Terrier, came to me from Layne and Karen Montgomery in California. She is by GCh. Forlegd Zazzy Severus and out of Ch. Cepage C'est Si Bon. Page made her debut in the American show scene by being awarded her first major under Mrs. Wyoma Clouss at the Whidbey Island Kennel Club show. Needless to say I am ecstatic that Page has been so successful in a 3-month show career. She is happy to be at shows and loves her handlers Cynthia Seeling and D. Dills. I thank everyone for the competition, and good wishes on this promising girl. Many thanks to Karen Montgomery for breeding this girl and Sally Sweatt for bringing the sire to the USA from Sweden where he is co-owned by his breeder Olga Forlicz. In the US, he achieved his American GCh. which included going Best of Breed at Montgomery in 2015 under Peter Green."

At the Fraser Valley shows Oct. 7-10, Patricia Trotter's Best Puppy in Group was John & Penny Rogers' new Wheaten puppy, Greentree Preakness Express To Cashel. The second day, Keke Kahn placed Scottie, GCh. Trotter Man in Black, owned by Janis Trotzuk, Group 2nd and Heather Tomlins Norwich, Ch. Amblegreen Dralion Maui Mokka, Group 3rd. Best Puppy in Group went to Judy Hodgkins' Wheaten, Hion Wouldn't It Be Nice. The next day, Charles Trotter gave Group 2nd to Heather and David Lindberg's Scottie, Can/Am Ch. Machbrechin's Machair Ryder, Group 3rd to the Wheaten, and Group 4th to Kelly Thorburn's AmStaff, Michl R Redneck Reflection. Best Puppy went to Florence Yunik's Sealyham, Cepage Ledger Page. The last day, the Portuguese judge, Luis Pinto Teixeira gave Group 2nd to the Wheaten, Group 3rd to the Amstaff, Group 4th to Jackie Marriott's Scottie, GCh. Dunsmuir's Black Ice Encore, and Best Puppy to the Sealyham.

At the Alberni Valley K.C. shows, Oct. 14-16, Jackie Marriott's Scottie, **GCh. Dunsmuir's Black Ice Encore**, went Group 2nd under Melvin Beech and Judy Horton, and then Group 3rd under Joan Beech. Horton and Joan Beech also gave Group 4th to Sandi Malcolm's Min. Schnauzer, **Ch. Mimicker's CurtainUpBernadette.**



At the Elsie Murray shows Nov. 4-5, Gail Forsythe awarded the Terrier Group to Heather and David Lindberg's Scottie, Can/Am Ch. Machbrechin's Machair Ryder, Group 3rd to Kelly Thorburn's AmStaff, Michl R Redneck Reflection, and Group 4th and Best Puppy to Larisa Welsh's Darwyn Knowlelion Special Brew who she also took on to Best Puppy in Show! The next day under Michael Woods, the Scottie went Group 2nd, the AmStaff Group 3rd, John & Penny Rogers' Wheaten, GCh. Cashel's Oban On Ice, Group 4th, with Best Puppy in Group to their Ch. Greentree Preakness Express To Cashel. The next two days were officially the Ladies K.C. shows which brought the show year in BC to an early close. The Lindberg's Scottie won the group (over the Westie) under Olga Gagne, with the Rogers' Wheaten going Group 3rd, and Larisa's Welsh puppy winning Group 4th and Puppy Group. The last day, The Scottie went Group 2nd under Jose Antonio Molina Ortiz, the Welsh went Group 3rd and Best Puppy, and Group 4th went to Florence Yunik's Sealyham Cepage Ledger Page.



Update from Darwyn Welsh Terriers:

New Champions:

New Canadian Champion: Ch. Darwyn Knowlelion Special Brew (Bruce)

New American Champions: Am/Can Ch. Darwyn's Sorcerer's Apprentice (Mickey)

Am. Ch. Darwyn's Twilight Princess (Zelda)

New champion in one weekend for a 6 month old puppy and an award at an English CH show!

We sold a lovely male that we bred to a good friend in England, who travelled to England (via Belgium!) a few days after the Elsie Murray & Ladies shows in early November. Since he turned 6 months old the day before Elsie Murray started, we decided to put him into the ring with 2 of our girls, to give him some ring experience before he left for England. That boy, Bruce - **Darwyn Knowlelion Special Brew**, started and finished his championship that weekend! He won the breed all 4 days, received 3 group placements, 3 Best Puppy in Group and a Best Puppy in Show award! In early December, this boy attended his first English Championship Show (LKA) and in a good breed entry, was awarded Reserve Best Male and Best Puppy in Breed - as well as a few compliments. Bruce is a "Mickey" son, our boy that finished his championship on Montgomery 2016 weekend.

New champion on Montgomery weekend – Darwyn's 40th champion and 16th winner at a WTCA specialty (on Montgomery weekend!)

Mickey, Am/Can Ch. Darwyn's Sorcerer's Apprentice, was awarded WD and Best of Winners for a 5 point major at Hatboro I under terrier specialist, Wyoma Clouss. This was Mickey's 4 major, all done on US terrier specialty weekend, to finish his championship. The next day, at Hatboro II, under terrier specialist, Todd Clyde, Mickey was awarded "Select Dog" in a large field of male specials entered. In early December, Mickey was awarded back-to-back group placements in North Carolina. He's only 2 years old but is very exciting. Mickey is a son of Maria and Java, both winners of BCATC top annual awards. Mickey was owner-handled to his first 3 US majors and is now handled by Ernesto Lara out of Pennsylvania.

B.C. ALL TERRIER SPECIALTY 2016 BREED RESULTS

Judge: Edd Bivin

AMERICAN STAFFORDSHIRE TERRIERS (1-0-0-0)

WD & BB: Michl R Redneck Reflection (K. Thorburn & B. Michl)

AUSTRALIAN TERRIERS (1-1-0-0)

WD, BW & BB: Melukylan Flying Finn (C. Holtby & A. Hannebauer)

WB & BOS: Tidewalker's Sea Breeze (C. Holtby & M. Porter)

BORDER TERRIERS (0-0-1-0)

BB: Webes Kisses Sweeter Than Wine (C. Furlong, G. & K. Myers)

BULL TERRIERS (MINIATURE) (0-1-1-0)

WB & BOS: Bulligomingo Omega's Paella T. & D. Moffitt, M. Barnes & S. Cairns)

BB: Can/Am Ch. Imginabull's First Edition (T. Moffitt)

CAIRN TERRIERS (0-0-2-0)

BB: GCh. Cairnisles Sharp Dressed Man (S. Bremaud)

BV: GCh. Grayfriar's Max Cgn (I. Danby)

DANDIE DINMONT TERRIERS (1-1-0-0)

WD, BW & BB: Ch. Derrydown Son Of Frankystein (C. Furlong & K. Dorn)

WB & BOS: Am. Ch. King's Mtn Oopsa Daisy RN Cgn (B. Pumfrey, S. Pretari-Hickson, B. Stenmark)

MANCHESTER TERRIERS (0-0-1-1)

BB: Jetcity Winter Is Coming To Newberg (L. Nonog & K. Aksu)

BOS: Ch. Black Bandits Qiss Me Kwik UTD TD Cgn Pcd RE AGN AGNJ NP (L. Aksu)

NORWICH TERRIERS (3-0-0-1)

WD & BOS: Myk-Lyns Amblegreen Johnny Reb (L. Davis & H. Tomlins)

RWD & BP: Amblegreen Myk-Lyns Sterling (L. Davis & H. Tomlins)

BB: Ch. Amblegreen Dralion Maui Mokka (H. Tomlins & C. Monk)

PARSON RUSSELL TERRIERS (0-1-0-1)

WB & BP: Caudlewood Dora The Explorer (M. Berman)

BB: Ch. Red Rock Acapella (T. Lazar & K. Raduziner)

MINIATURE SCHNAUZERS (2-2-2-1)

WD, BW & BB: Hutch's I'm Rock Solid (T. Hutchman & A. Christopher)

RWD: Kinsey's Gargolas Tempting Fate (R. Wigen)

WB & BOS: Kinsey's Beauty (R. Wigen)

RWF: Hutch's Willing To Dream (T. Hutchman)

SELECT FEMALE: Ch. Mimicker's CurtainUpBernadette (S. & B. Malcolm, D. & T. Brown)

SCOTTISH TERRIERS (0-1-4-2) (0-1 VET)

WB: Stalwart's Obsession At Pendor (J. Kidner)

BB: Can/Am GCh. Dunsmuir's Black Ice Encore (J. Marriott)

BOS: Can/Am GCh. Macbrechin's Machair Ryder (H. & D. Lindberg)

SELECT MALE: Ch. Brueik's Super Trouper (J. Kidner)

BV & SELECT FEMALE: Ch. Glenfraser's Gallica Rose (B. Truax)

SEALYHAM TERRIERS (0-1-0-0) 1 BP

WB, BB & BP: Cepage Ledger Page (F. Yunik)

BBP: Raindancer's Snowhawk (K. Parish)

SOFT-COATED WHEATEN TERRIERS (1-8-1-0) 1 BP

WD & BW: Mackanme Patriotic Justice (J. Voyles)

WB: Mackanme See You Around (J. Voyles)

RWF: Hion Alley Oop (J. Hodgkins)

BB: Am/Can GCh. Cashel's Oban On Ice (J. & P. Rogers) **BOS & BP:** Ch. Hion Wouldn't It Be Nice (J. Hodgkins)

BBP: Larkhill's Ginger Snap (K. Judge)

WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIERS (1-2-3-1)

WD, BW & BP: Landyleigh's Winter Knight (J. Sandberg)

WB: Munrose Malinda Magee (D. Munro)

RWF: Munrose Dirkhaven Pippalotta (T. & S. Tucker)

BB: Can/Am GCh. Cz/Ger/Hun Ch. Flashlight Thunder V. Paradise Of Wind (L. Barrow, J. & M. Bauer)

BOS: Ch. Cleghorn's Fortune And Glory (I. Danby & D. Cleghorn)

Yearling & Veteran Sweeps

(Judge: Susan Norris-Jones)

Juvenile Male & Best Of Opposite: Mackanme Patriotic Justice (J. Voyles) Soft-Coated Wheaten Senior Female: Greentree Preakness Express To Cashel (J. & P. Rogers, B. McDonald) Soft-Coated Wheaten

Juvenile Female & Best In Sweepstakes: Ch. Cleghorn's Fortune And Glory (I. Danby & D. Cleghorn) *Westie*

Veteran Male & Best In Sweepstakes: GCh. Grayfriar's Max (I. Danby) Cairn

Veteran Female & Best Of Opposite: Ch. Glenfraser's Gallica Rose (B. Truax) Scottie



In 2014, Barbara Watt reported that the Wire Fox she bred, **Ch. Plawsworth Foxburrow Gold Rush,** received an invitation to the Westminster Kennel Club show in February and went Best of Winners! Since then, "Jojo" finished his US championship, achieving a total of four majors along the way. He is owned by Ann & Louis Gold (Foxburrow), bred by Barbara Watt and Janet MacKenzie, and shown by Will Alexander. Jojo ended 2013 as #2 Wire Fox.

MULTI-YEAR TERRIER DATABASE

Barry Truax

My Terrier Database is now online and freely available for anyone to access. It documents all Terriers who have won Best of Breed and up for the years 1986 - 2015 in accordance with the CKC's Top Dog system. These pdf files (which can be searched in most browsers for any particular name or word) allow you to access all Best of Breed, Group and BIS records from that period, for instance, for specific dogs or judges. You can access these results for your breed in the following ways:

- 1) Annual Top Dog standings (complete).
- 2) Group Level Judging where for each judge, all of the dogs they have judged at Group level are listed, along with their placements.
- 3) Group Level Judging where for each dog, all of the judges that have judged it at Group level are listed, along with their placements.
- 4) Group Level Judging statistics where for each judge that has judged the breed 20 or more times, a statistical summary of their Group and BIS placements is given, including a % figure for their Group placements of the breed. This information can be followed up with option 2 above to see which dogs were involved.
- 5) Group Level Judging statistics for all dogs in the Breed who have at least one BB win, including the % of group appearances that have resulted in a placement. This represents a multi-year career total for each dog. The list is ranked so that one can easily see who the biggest breed winners have been over the years 1986-2015. This information can be followed up with option 3 above to see which judges were involved.
- 6) Best in Show Level Judging where for each judge, all of the dogs they have judged at that level are listed, along with their placements.
- 7) Best in Show Level Judging where each dog that has been judged at that level, all of the BIS judges are listed, along with their placements.
- 8) Single year record holders listing for each breed (complete from the beginning of the Top Dog system in the 1960s), updated annually.

This Terrier Database can be accessed at: www.sfu.ca/~truax/Terriers/Terrier.html

The site is freely accessible, and this url can be shared with anyone who is interested.

In the near future, I hope to add a similar site for all of the other Groups, but this will be limited to the years 1988-2007 when I compiled this data for *Dogs in Canada*. Fortunately, canuckdogs.com picks up shortly after this.

A piece of trivia: from 1986 to 2015 there were 173,884 Best of Breed terrier ribbons awarded!



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Waiting for Santa and wishing you a Happy Holiday!

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