Brags & WAGS

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Welcome to the Petit Basset Griffon Vendéen Club of America's monthly newsletter. Our goal is to celebrate our members' successes of all things PBGV.

Happy Holidays

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Newsletter Editor

Please contact pbgvcanewsletter@gmail.com with pictures and accomplishments of you and your PBGV to be included in the next issue of **Brags & Wags**.

We want to celebrate all things PBGV!!

What's in a Kennel Name by Teri King

Teri King is researching "PBGV Kennel" names and to do this she needs your help. Since Teri joined the PBGVCA she's wondered about how different PBGV breeders came up with their kennel names. Her plan is to pull PBGV Kennel names out of the hat a few at a time. She will email those owners with questions and hope all will participate.

To start the ball rolling, here's the story of Teri's kennel name and the PBGV who was her motivation. Terri's kennel name is AMIVELU, which is French for Furry Friend (or as the French would say Friend Furry). She went to her first PBGVCA National in North Carolina in 2017 with Centerstage Strut Those Kinky Boots.

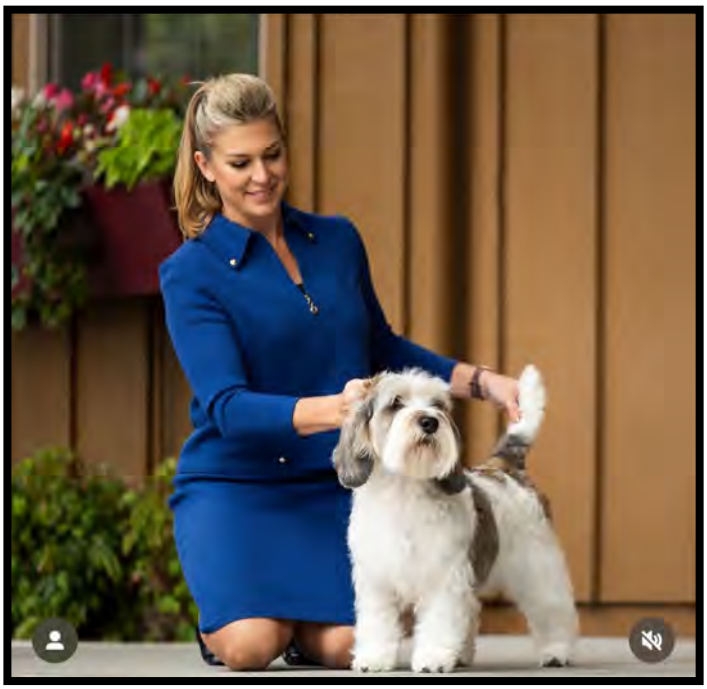
It was his first major with more to follow. He also completed his HIT that year in South Carolina. That was enough to convince her, this breed was for her! On her way home she began her quest for a 'Frenchie' kennel name. She started with French names she could pronounce. She then reached out to a friend in Canada for input and pronunciation. She wanted something to reflect their unique coat…Velu. Next, she thought they would always be my friend…Ami.

In the Ring

GCH Black Majesty Ballet de Chantilly , Tilly won Award of Merit and BOB Owner Handler in Orlando on Friday, December 13th. Owned by Bayje Pomeroy.

Victor won Best of Winners at the Central Florida Kennel Club in Orlando on December 12th. Owned by Patti Whitlock.

Centerstage Smudgeling won Best of Winners at the Brevard Kennel Club in Orlando on December 11th. Owned by Patti Whitlock.



CH M & M's Stellar Hot Mess Express "Britney" was awarded Group 1 on November 29th, Reserve Dog on November 30th at the Yuma Kennel Club and Group 2 on December 1st and the **Best in Sh**ow, December 2nd at the Imperial Valley Kennel Club.. Owned by Janice Hayes, Thomas Sikora, and Eric Ciceron and Maggie Peat.

In the Ring

CH Atlandia's Wild Child (Enya) earned Grand Champion Title - Tucson, AZ November 2024. Jr. Handler, Selah Swaine. Owned by Gloria Swaine, Selah Swaine and Eden Swaine.

Atlandia's I Enjoy Being a Girl (Willow) earned her championship in Tucson in November 2024. Jr. Handler is Eden Swaine. Owner Gloria Swaine and Eden Swain.

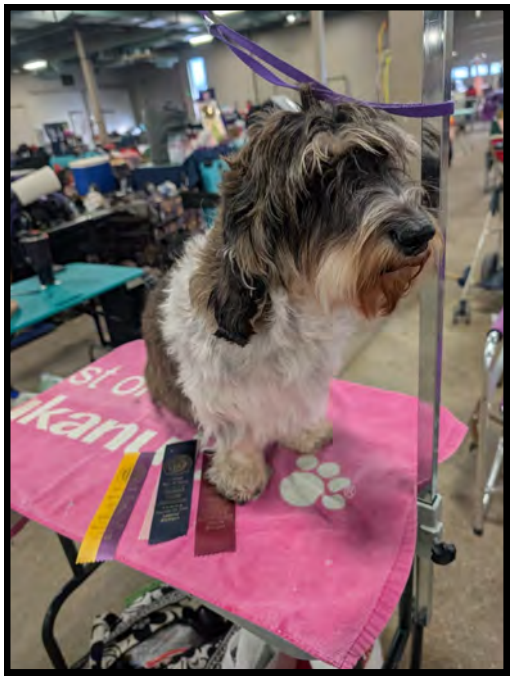
GCH CH Atlandia's Cosmic Wonder (Cosmo) won Best of Breed November 17 and 18 in Tucson, AZ. Jr. Handler is Eden Swaine. Owned by Gloria Swaine and Eden Swain.

New American Champion, Can.Am.Ch Mirepoix's Totally Hitched. Quest finished his American Championship at the Whidbey Island Kennel Club in November. Owner Kristina Krieck.

Karen was awarded the Major Reserve in Orlando, FL on December 12th. Owner Betty Barth.

In the Ring

Grand Champion Bronze Gebeba's Good Ship Lollipop, Taffy, was awarded a Group 3 at the Chesapeake Kennel Club in West Friendship, Maryland on November 30th. Owner Betty Barth, Nicholas Reading and Patricia Reading.



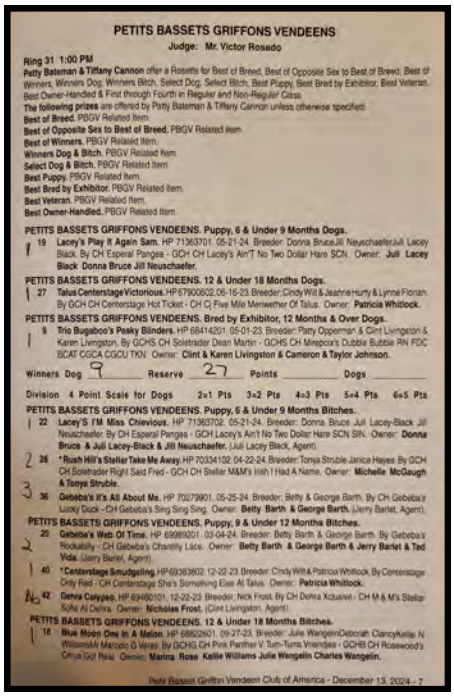
Parti, CH Jaren's Red Solo Cup went Best of Breed, BOH, Best Veteran, and group 3 Veteran at the Michigan hound Association on November 29th. Owner Karen Clugston.

NOHS BOB in Orlando for GCH CH Storm'N Hound Centerstage Fancy Debut on December 10th. Owner Donna and Ed Pangburn.

GCH CH Storm'N Hound Centerstage Fancy Debut won NOHS Group 2 at the Suwannee Valley Kennel Club on December 8th. Owner Donna and Ed Pangburn.

Bee was awarded Reserve at her first show at 6 months at West Friendship, MD on December 1st. Owner Megan Esherick

PBGVCA Specialty Orlando, Florida



PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS

Judge: Mr. Victor Rosado

Ring 31 1:00 PM

Patty Bateman & Tiffany Cannon offer a Rosette for Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Best of Winners, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, Select Dog, Select Bitch, Best Puppy, Best Bred by Exhibitor, Best Veteran, Best Owner-Handled & First through Fourth in Regular and Non-Regular Class.

The following prizes are offered by Patty Bateman & Tiffany Cannon unless otherwise specified:

Best of Breed. PBGV Related Item.

Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed. PBGV Related Item.

Best of Winners. PBGV Related Item.

Winners Dog & Bitch. PBGV Related Item.

Select Dog & Bitch. PBGV Related Item.

Best Puppy. PBGV Related Item.

Best Bred by Exhibitor. PBGV Related Item.

Best Veteran. PBGV Related Item.

Best Owner-Handled. PBGV Related Item.

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Puppy, 6 & Under 9 Months Dogs.

1 19 Lacey's Play it Again Sam. HP 71363701. 05-21-24. Breeder: Donna Bruce,Jill Neuschaefer,Juli Lacey Black. By CH Esperal Pangea - GCH CH Lacey's Ain'T No Two Dollar Hare SCN. Owner: Juli Lacey Black Donna Bruce Jill Neuschaefer.

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. 12 & Under 18 Months Dogs.

1 27 Talus Centerstage Victorious. HP 67900602. 06-16-23. Breeder: Cindy Witt & Jeanne Hurry & Lynné Florian. By GCH CH Centerstage Hot Ticket - CH Cj Five Mile Meriwether Of Talus. Owner: Patricia Whitlock.

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Bred by Exhibitor, 12 Months & Over Dogs.

1 9 Trio Bugaboo's Peaky Blinders. HP 68414201. 05-01-23. Breeder: Patty Opperman & Clint Livingston & Karen Livingston. By GCHS CH Soletrader Dean Martin - GCHS CH Mirepoix's Dubble Bubble RN FDC SCAT CGCA CGCU TKN. Owner: Clint & Karen Livingston & Cameron & Taylor Johnson.

Winners Dog 9 Reserve 27 Points Dogs

Division 4 Point Scale for Dogs 2x1 Pts 3x2 Pts 4x3 Pts 5x4 Pts 6x5 Pts

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Puppy, 6 & Under 9 Months Bitches.

1 22 Lacey's I'M Miss Chievious. HP 71363702. 05-21-24. Breeder: Donna Bruce Juli Lacey-Black Jill Neuschaefer. By CH Esperal Pangea - GCH Lacey's Ain't No Two Dollar Hare SCN SIN. Owner: Donna Bruce & Juli Lacey-Black & Jill Neuschaefer. (Juli Lacey Black, Agent).

2 26 * Rush Hill's Stellar Take Me Away. HP 70334102. 04-22-24. Breeder: Tonya Struble Janice Hayes By GCH CH Soletrader Right Said Fred - GCH CH Stellar M&M's Irish I Had A Name. Owner: Michelle McGaugh & Tonya Struble.

3 36 Gebeba's It's All About Me. HP 70279901. 05-25-24. Breeder: Betty & George Barth. By CH Gebeba's Lucky Duck - CH Gebeba's Sing Sing Sing. Owner: Betty Barth & George Barth. (Jerry Barlet, Agent).

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Puppy, 9 & Under 12 Months Bitches.

2 20 Gebeba's Web Of Time. HP 69686201. 03-04-24. Breeder: Betty Barth & George Barth. By Gebeba's Rockabilly - CH Gebeba's Chantilly Lace. Owner: Betty Barth & George Barth & Jerry Barlet & Tad Vida. (Jerry Barlet, Agent).

1 40 * Centerstage Smudgeling. HP 69383802. 12-22-23. Breeder: Cindy Witt & Patricia Whitlock. By Centerstage Only Red - CH Centerstage She's Something Else At Talus. Owner: Patricia Whitlock.

Ab 42 Dehra Calypso. HP 69460101. 12-22-23. Breeder: Nick Frost. By CH Dehra Xclusive - CH M & M's Stellar Sofia At Dehra. Owner: Nicholas Frost. (Clint Livingston, Agent).

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. 12 & Under 18 Months Bitches.

1 18 Blue Moon Ows In A Motion. HP 68622601. 09-27-23. Breeder: Julie Wangelin Deborah ClancyKellie N WilliamsMi Marcelo G Veras. By GCHG CH Pink Panther V Turn-Turns Vriendjes - GCHB CH Rosewood's Citrus Girl Real. Owner: Marina Rose Kellie Williams Julie Wangelin Charles Wangelin.

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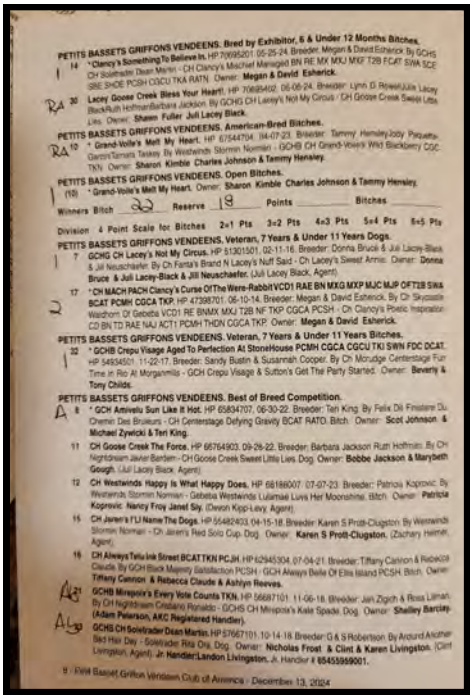

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Bred by Exhibitor, 6 & Under 12 Months Bitches.

1 14 * Clancy's Something To Believe In. HP 70695201. 05-25-24. Breeder: Megan & David Esherick. By GCHS CH Soletrader Dean Martin - CH Clancy's Mischief Managed BN RE MX MXJ MXF T2B FCAT SWA SCE SRE SHDE PCSH CGCU TKA RATN. Owner: Megan & David Esherick.

RA 30 Lacey Goose Creek Bless Your Heart!. HP 70695402. 06-06-24. Breeder: Lynn D Rowell,Julia Lacey Black,Ruth Hoffman,Barbara Jackson. By GCHG CH Lacey's Not My Circus - CH Goose Creek Sweet Little Lies. Owner: Shawn Fuller Juli Lacey Black.

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. American-Bred Bitches.

RA 10 * Grand-Voile's Melt My Heart. HP 67544704. 04-07-23. Breeder: Tammy Hensley,Jody Paquette-Garmin,Tamara Tassey. By Westwinds Stormin Normien - GCHB CH Grand-Voile's Wild Blackberry CGC TKN. Owner: Sharon Kimble Charles Johnson & Tammy Hensley.

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Open Bitches.

1 (10) * Grand-Voile's Melt My Heart. Owner: Sharon Kimble Charles Johnson & Tammy Hensley.

Winners Bitch 22 Reserve 18 Points Bitches

Division 4 Point Scale for Bitches 2x1 Pts 3x2 Pts 4x3 Pts 5x4 Pts 6x5 Pts

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Veteran, 7 Years & Under 11 Years Dogs.

1 7 GCHG CH Lacey's Not My Circus. HP 51301301. 02-11-16. Breeder: Donna Bruce & Juli Lacey-Black & Jill Neuschaefer. By Ch Fenta's Brand N Lacey's Nuff Said - Ch Lacey's Sweet Annie. Owner: Donna Bruce & Juli Lacey-Black & Jill Neuschaefer. (Juli Lacey Black, Agent).

2 17 * CH MACH PACH Clancy's Curse Of The Were-Rabbit VCD1 RAE BN MXG MXP MJC MJP OFT2B SWA BCAT PCMH CGCA TKP. HP 47398701. 06-10-14. Breeder: Megan & David Esherick. By Ch Skyoasis Watchorn Of Gebeba VCD1 RE BNMX MXJ T2B NF TKP CGCA PCSH - Ch Clancy's Poetic Inspiration CD BN TD RAE NAJ ACT1 PCMH THDN CGCA TKP. Owner: Megan & David Esherick.

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Veteran, 7 Years & Under 11 Years Bitches.

1 32 * GCHB Crepu Visage Aged To Perfection At StoneHouse PCMH CGCA CGCU TKI SWN FDC DCAT. HP 54554501. 11-22-17. Breeder: Sandy Bustin & Susannah Cooper. By Ch Mcrudge Centerstage Fun Time in Rio At Morganmills - GCH Crepu Visage & Sutton's Get The Party Started. Owner: Beverly & Tony Childs.

PETITS BASSETS GRIFFONS VENDEENS. Best of Breed Competition.

A 8 * GCH Amivelu Sun Like It Hot. HP 65834707. 06-30-22. Breeder: Teri King. By Felix Dli Finistere Du Chemin Des Bruleurs - CH Centerstage Defying Gravity BCAT RATO. Bitch. Owner: Scot Johnson & Michael Zywicki & Teri King.

11 CH Goose Creek The Force. HP 66764903. 09-26-22. Breeder: Barbara Jackson Ruzi Hoffman. By CH Nightdream Javier Bardem - CH Goose Creek Sweet Little Lies. Dog. Owner: Bobbe Jackson & Marybeth Gough. (Juli Lacey Black, Agent).

12 CH Westwinds Happy Is What Happy Does. HP 66186007. 07-07-23. Breeder: Patricia Koprovic. By Westwinds Stormin Normien - Gebeba Westwinds Lulamae Luvs Her Moonshine. Bitch. Owner: Patricia Koprovic Nancy Froy Janet Sly. (Devon Kopp-Levy, Agent).

15 CH Joren's I'Ll Name The Dogs. HP 65482403. 04-15-18. Breeder: Karen S Prott-Clugston. By Westwinds Stormin Normien - Ch Joren's Red Solo Cup. Dog. Owner: Karen S Prott-Clugston. (Zachary Helmer, Agent).

16 CH Always Telu Ink Street BCAT TKN PCJH. HP 62945304. 07-04-21. Breeder: Tiffany Cannon & Rebecca Claude. By GCH Black Majesty Satisfaction PCSH - GCH Always Belle Of Ellis Island PCSH. Bitch. Owner: Tiffany Cannon & Rebecca Claude & Ashlyn Reeves.

AB 21 GCHB Mirepoix's Every Vote Counts TKN. HP 56687101. 11-06-18. Breeder: Jan Zigich & Ross Litman. By CH Nightdream Cristiano Ronaldo - GCHS CH Mirepoix's Kale Spade. Dog. Owner: Shelley Barclay-(Adam Peterson, AKC Registered Handler).

AB 39 GCHS CH Soletrader Dean Martin. HP 57667101. 10-14-18. Breeder: G & S Robertson. By Around Another Bad Hair Day - Soletrader Rita Ora. Dog. Owner: Nicholas Frost & Clint & Karen Livingston. (Clint Livingston, Agent). Jr Handler: Landon Livingston. Jr. Handler # 85455959001.

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Clancy's Something to Believe "Bee" 6 months old. Owned by Megan Esherick.

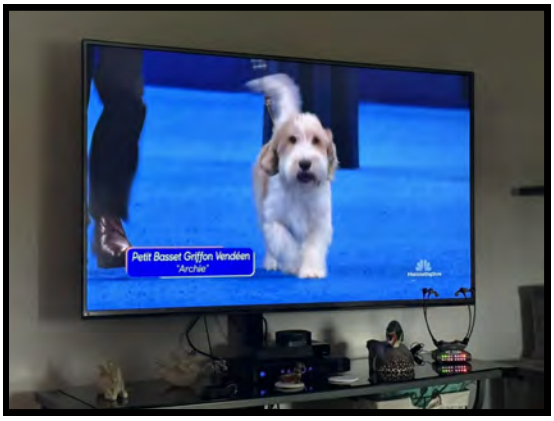
CH MACH PACH2 Clancy's Curse of the Were-Rabbit "Gromit". Owned by Megan Esherick.

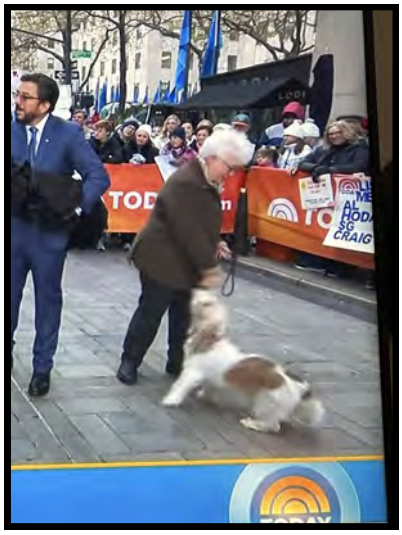
GCH Black Majesty Ballet de Chantilly , Tilly won Select Bitch at the PBGVCA Specialty in Orlando on Friday, December 13th. Owned by Bayje Pomeroy.

GCH Jaren's I'll Name The Dogs, Blake was awarded an Award of Merit at the PBGVCA Specialty in Orlando on Friday, December 13th. Owned by Karen Clugston.

CH Centerstage Talus Pockerface, "Chuck" won Select Dog at the PBGVCA Specialty in Orlando on Friday, December 13th. Owned by Patti Whitlock.

Archie on the NBC Today Show





On November 27th, GCH CH Mirepoix's Every Vote Counts, "Archie" represented our PBGVs on the NBC Today Show to celebrate the annual National Dog Show showm on TV on Thanksgiving Day. Owned by Shelley Barclay.

Archie got met the USC band members at the Today Show. Owned by Shelley Barclay

GCH CH Mirepoix's Every Vote Counts "Archie" won Best of Breed at the Kennel Club of Philadelphia (aka the National Dog Show). Owned by Shelley Barclay.

Speed Chasers, Sniffers and those that are Obedient

Findley is officially done with her Obedience Career. Owned by Teri King

Willett earned an Advanced Containers Element Title and qualified in Interior Advanced at the Russian Terrier Club of American Scentwork Trial November 30th and December 1st in Perry, GA. Owned by Tony and Beverly Childs.

Gigi earned her Junior Hunter Title at the Carolina Hunt Test. Owned by Sharon Kimble

Tito earned 3 qualifying scores at the Youngsville Agility Club Scent Trial, December 14th & 15th. Earned SBN title. Owned by Paul Urban

Muse earned her Therapy Dog Advanced title for doing more than 100 visits in her local community. Owned by Megan Esherick

Reba earned 4 qualifying scores at the Youngsville Agility Club Scent Trial December 14th & 15th. Earned SCN, SIN and SWN. Owned by Paul Urban

Speed Chasers, Sniffers and those that are Obedient

Spice is proudly wearing the PBGVCA sponsored breed medallion for highest scoring PBGV at this year's AKC Agility Invitational in Orlando, ending up with a cumulative score of 395 out of 400. Ginny & Alice also had special agility moments. All owned by Megan Esherick.

Spice was perfect and Alice ran for the first time and qualified and Ginny had a nice run in the Time 2 Beat at the AKC Agility Invitational in Orlando, FL. December 13th. Owned by Megan Esherick

Speed Chasers, Sniffers and those that are Obedient

All three boys, Biscuit, Thurston and Strut earned Q's at the barn hunt on December 1st. Owned by Shea Braune and Teri King.

Biscuit earned his Barn Hunt Open Title and a 1st place on November 30th. Owned by Shea Braune.

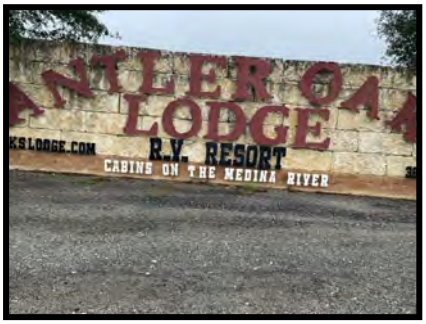
Spice was one knocked bar away from a perfect weekend, with 3 QQ's and 3rd place in the Northeast Championship Finals. On Saturday she got the Versatility Award for the Highest Scoring Dog with a Tracking title. Gromit had 2 QQs, finished PAX4, and met his goal of qualifying for nationals on the 1st run of the weekend. Bee had a great time in 4-6 puppy. Ari got her first Master FAST Q, Cara didn't Q but stayed engaged on tough courses. Ginny stayed happy and fast. All at the Northeast Agility Championship in West Springield, MA. Owned by Megan Esherick.

Riley earned his AKC Trick Dog Intermediate Title on December 18th. Owned by Valerie Casillas.

Sisters Kari and Michelle. Owned by Cheryl Champion and Megan Esherick..

Bandera, Texas Scent Trial

December 6th-8th, PBGVCA hosted a all breed scent trial in Bandera, Texas at the Antler Oaks Lodge and RV Resort in hopes to raise funds for the club. Trial Chair Lora Megli along with Trial Secretary Mendy Marshall and club members Tiffany Cannon and Anibal and Danuza Diogenes organized and ran the trial. Over 100 dogs participated with their exhibitors.



Kyleigh and Daphne each had a number of qualifying runs and earned their Container Advanced Titles. Owners Tiffany and Bill Cannon.

Kyleigh says "found it"!. Owned by Tiffany and Bill Cannon.

Bullet didn't participate but wanted his picture taken on the tractor. He has the bad hair day look for sure. Owner Mendy Marshall

Tiller eared 5 Q's, 2 in Advanced Containers and her Novice Exterior Title. Owners Danuza and Anibal Diogenes.

Lora and Conner searching the Buried Containers with judge Althea Gibson. Owner Lora Megli.

Upcoming Events

Event	Location	Date(s)
Hunt Test	**Carolina PBGV Club Hunt Test** **Tarheel Beagle Club**	**January 10th-12th**
Hunt Test	**Texas PBGV Hunt Test** **Lone Star Dachshund Conservancy**	**January 17th-19th**
Hunt Test	**Texas PBGV Hunt Test** **Lone Star Dachshund Conservancy**	**February 14th-16th**
Hunt Test	**Carolina PBGV Club** **Tokenna Beagle Club** **Seneca, SC**	**March 7th—9th**
PBGVCA **National Speciality**	**YO Ranch Hotel and Conference Center** **Kerrville, TX**	**March 18th—22nd**

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Applications for new AKC and Parent Club Titles for 2024 are available on the PBGVCA website. No submissions will be accepted if postmarked prior to January 1,2025 and must be IN HAND by February 3, 2025.

Please notify Sandy Bustin at sbustin1@verizon.net if you know of a member who has passed away so that we can include their name.