

GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB OF GREATER LOS ANGELES

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the GOLDEN GAZETTE

MAY 2019



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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As spring turns into summer I'm reminded of our specialty show we usually have in April, and all the work from so many members to make for a memorable event spending a day in the park. I miss seeing so many club members at this event enjoying the day and seeing all the dogs being shown and competing.

As we think about next year and a second specialty, the Board is actively following up on recommendations and suggestions as to where we should have the spring or early summer specialty each year. Besides looking for a location we are needing volunteers to fill key positions in order to make a second specialty happen. If you are interested in helping chair a second specialty, or co-chairing, or can offer to fill one of the jobs we need, please let one of the Board members know. The Board will guide and help each person willing to volunteer.

Another springtime activity is the formation of the nomination committee and the work this committee does. Our committee is working hard on presenting a Board slate for the 2019-2020 term. Once the slate is determined, it is presented to the Board at the May meeting. Our secretary notifies all members about the slate 14 days prior to our June meeting. At our June general membership meeting (June 9 Pool Party), nominations are taken from the floor. Then at our July general membership meeting (July 21 Annual Awards Banquet) the Board is elected and takes office.

Many activities to keep our club moving forward take place during this time. Your support to make our golden club the best is greatly appreciated.

I'm looking forward to our National Specialty which is just around the corner. Thank you to all who have stepped up to chair and be on a committee to make our National a SOLID GOLD success.

Gerri Monohan  
GRCGLA President

PLEASE NOTE: **AWARDS APPLICATION FORMS** will be emailed to everyone shortly.



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Board Meeting	Tue. May 14	TBA
Pool Party	Sun. June 9	Sharon Shilkoff's
Board Meeting	Tue. June 11	TBA
GRCGLA Agility Trail	June 21-23	Camarillo
Board Meeting	Tue. July 9	TBA
Annual Awards Banquet	Sun. July 21	Pinocchio's
National Specialty	Oct. 18-27	Ontario



Sunday, June 9

10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Goldens at least 3 years old

(Prefer they know how to swim!)

\* No dogs in the house

\*Bring one towel per dog

Pot Luck Lunch — Please bring a main dish, appetizer, salad or dessert. We will have a general meeting at Noon and accept nominations from the floor.

Stepping Stones (paw print) \$20/dog. Preference to older dogs if time is limited.

**RSVP by June 3 to [grcgl1@gmail.com](mailto:grcgl1@gmail.com)**

**Limit 20 dogs**

At the home of Sharon Shilkoff \* 22735 Leonora Dr, Woodland Hills CA 91367



# Celebrate 2018 Achievements!



## GRCGLA ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

Sunday, July 21

Pinocchio's

1449 N. Lake Ave, Pasadena 91104 \* 626-791-7591

~ 5 p.m. ~



### Dinner

(Italian food, pasta, salads, entrée & soft drinks, coffee, tea)

**\$15** (club is paying half of the \$30 cost)

### General Meeting

Includes election of 2019-2020 Board

### Annual Awards



RSVP

by **July 14**

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## ADVERTISE IN CATALOG!



Full page ads in the National Specialty Catalog are \$150 for color, \$140 for additional pages same advertiser, \$125 for color memorial or rescue groups; and \$125 for black and white. All ads must be submitted 8.5 x 11 inches, and vertical alignment is preferred. High resolution PDFs are recommended. Please submit as an attachment to an email to Merry Shelburne at [merrykins@earthlink.net](mailto:merrykins@earthlink.net). Send the check, made out to **2019 GRCA National Specialty**, to Merry at 2826 Orange Ave, La Crescenta CA 91214. If you need help designing your ad, please contact Merry at the e-dress above.

## HELP WANTED!

Those working 8 hours or more will receive a volunteer jacket with National Logo.  
Those working 4 hours in a day will receive a food voucher. No experience necessary!

## Volunteer Opportunities Available

Merchandise Sales - Contact Judi Voss

Raffle Help - Contact Linda Isaacson

Agility Trial - Contact Miki Shannon

Ring Steward /Obedience - Contact Gerri Monohan

Ring Steward/Rally - Contact Sarah Sykes

Armband Table - Contact Sharon Shilkoff

Field Trial - Contact Danette Weich

WC/WCX - Contact Laura Turner

Field Trial Banquet - Contact Sharon Shilkoff

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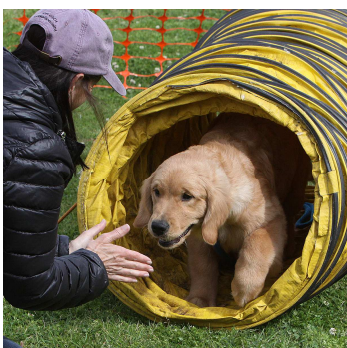
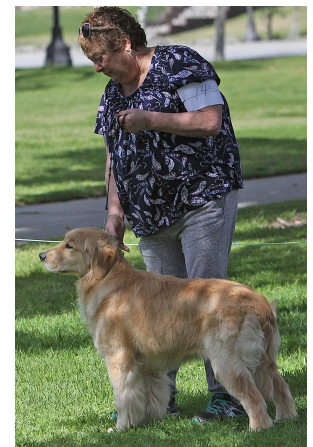
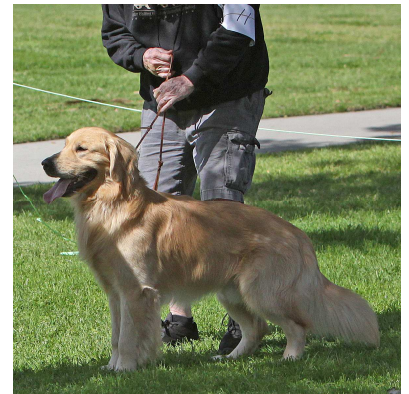
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# The Match





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## APOLLO

Apollo, Charlemagne's Bad Moon Rising (GCHB Trilogy's Hot to Trot x CH Charlemagne's Charm of the Autumnwind) went WD and BOW at the Del Sur KC shows for his first major under Judge Mr. Gordon Haran. This handsome boy is on his way! Thank you to Lauren Hay Lavitt for making Apollo look this best! Apollo is loved by Dan and Jessica Proctor and Taylor Beattie. - Cheryl Johnson



## BENSON

Benson and I had fun at The Southwest Obedience Club Trial competing in Novice A - got second place under Judge Michele Illes. So proud of my boy "Benson" - Zolota's Jazz Attack CGC, CCA, TKN, TKI - Barbie Ellisen



## DEUCE.

We are so proud of our boy, Esquire's Two Aces Up My Sleeve, "Deuce." (Ace x Ziva), for his fabulous start to 2019. He took three BOW majors in a row at 14 months old, BOSS at SDGRC sweeps, and here he is at ACDC going WD and BOW owner/breeder handled. Huge thanks to judge Arlene Davis for recognizing Deuce breeder handled! At writing, Deuce is just a few singles away from his CH in limited showing. Deuce is loved, owned and bred by Dana and Theresa Douglas. - Dana Douglas



## CHUBBY

Am CH Victory's Always Makin' Waves CGC THD has completed his second full year of weekly Therapy visits at Soka University! Being an International University, many of Soka's students are very far from home and they miss their families and beloved pets. Chubby coming to visit has been a great joy to them and they look forward to every Friday! Chubby will be featured in Soka's 2019 Recruitment video and he also will be starting visits at Saddleback Hospital this summer. Chubby is adored by Rick & Michelle Vasquez and is the treasured foundation Sire of the Victory Golden Family. - Michelle Moore-Vasquez



## FLIRT

Flirt started off the year great. We began in obedience at the Palm Springs shows where she qualified in Open and Utility each day earning her an invite to the AKC Obedience Nationals in 2020. Next she earned her MACH at the Belgian Terv Trial. She participated in the AKC Agility Nationals in Tulsa. We are having a blast. She is MACH High Times Playin' the Field UD PCDX BN GN GO RN SH MXB MJS XF T2B2 WC ADHF. - Laura Turner (photo courtesy of Great Dane photography)



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## HENRY

Valle Del Sol Specialty, Breeder-Judge Suzanne Hemminger. Krishna N Malagold Just the Ticket at Sunbeam (Henry) was RWD. - Cathie Turner



## JAKE & MAXX

It was a family affair at the Del Sur KC shows as Jake, GCHB Trilogy's Hot to Trot (GCHP Sandpiper's Let Freedom Ring x GCH Miraleste-Kate's Gibson's Dream Girl of Trilogy) went BOS and his nephew Maxx, GCH Trilogy's Chase'n the Gold (GCH Osprey's on Angels' Wings x GCH Trilogy's DreamMaker Darby's Delight) went SD under Judge Ronald Freeman. Thanks so much to our wonderful handlers Robert Scott and Lauren Hay-Lavitt for their beautiful expert presentations. Jake and Maxx are owned and loved by Taylor and Amy Beattie, Cheryl Johnson, and Gloria Henderson.



## JAZZ

GCH CH Dalane You Make Me Feel So Young BISS CGC TKN TKI RN BN "Jazz". Jazz had a great day at the Southwest Obedience Club All Breed Back to Back Same Day Obedience and Rally Trials! In the first trial Jazz earned his Rally Novice title with a score of 197, making him the highest scoring Golden Retriever in Rally. In the second trial Jazz earned his Beginner Novice Obedience Title. Thank you Jane for such a lovely, smart, trainable boy! - Gayle Compton



## INDIE

Am CH Victory's Heart of Gold 'Indie' (GCH Carova's Handiwork of Oberon CD RN ex GCH Victory's My Wave or the High Wave CGC). New Champion Indie finished at just 17 months old with a 4 pt. major at the San Diego Specialty! He has 15 points towards his GCH including a 4 pt. Specialty Major SEL and 2 BOS! Many thanks Team Black & Gold!! Indie is training for his CGC and Therapy Dog Titles and will be showing with his Owner Handler Mom, Vickie in late Spring. Indie is loved by Jeff & Vickie Streeter and Michelle Moore Vasquez



## OLIVER

Am CH Jasara 'N Victory's Oliver Twist'R CGC (Am CH Victory's Always Makin' Waves THD ex GCH Am Ch Harmony's Candy Apple). New Champion Oli finished at 20 months old earning the majority of his points from the puppy classes including BP/G1! Thank you Team Black & Gold for your expert wrangling of the 'Twist'R'!! Oli is now training with his Owner Handler Dad, Ernest and recently passed his CGC. They will be competing towards Oli's GCH in May and Therapy Dog Title in the near future! Oli is adored by Ernest Lee & Joanna Chiu and Michelle Moore Vasquez



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## RIO

Rio, Trilogy's Blame It On Rio, went WB at the Del Sur KC show under Judge Mr. Gordon Haran for her first major. Thank you to Robert Scott for bringing out the best in my little Rio! Rio is GCH Osprey's On Angels' Wings x GCH Trilogy's DreamMaker Darby's Delight and is loved by Cheryl Johnson.



## MANDIE

Int.CH Glencooley Fourtunate One CGC, TKN. Mandie winning WB at the Beverly Hills Dog Show under judge Liz Bianchi!! Thanks as always to Lauren Lay-Havitt for her beautiful presentation! (Photo From Previous Show) - Barbie Ellisen & Carol Fukunaga



## TRIP

"Trip" Mach Trolleykar's Best Foot Forward at Cherren VCD1 RN TD JH MXF PAD TQX T2B TKN earned his Novice Draft Dog Title from The Bernese Mountain Dog Club.  
- Miki Shannon



## TUFFY

Sunbeam Westwood Hey Look Me Over (Tuffy) was WB for a 4 point major. Valle Del Sol Specialty, Breeder-Judge Suzanne Hemminger  
- Cathie Turner

## ABOUT GRCGLA...

The GRCGLA is a member of the GRCA and is approved by AKC to hold licensed Shows, Obedience Trials, Rally, Hunt Tests, and Agility Trials. The GRCGLA holds a Specialty Show and Obedience Trial twice per year. Licensed Hunt Tests, Agility Trials & WX/WCX once per year. Meetings are held 6 times per year within the greater Los Angeles area. Notice of all meetings is published in the Golden Gazette. Membership is attained by attending at least two GRCGLA events (one meeting is required), having a member sponsor and being approved by the Board and General Membership.

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A single membership is \$32 per year, with a one time \$5 new member fee. Paid membership dues include the Golden Gazette. Joint membership (2 members at the same address) is \$42 and the one-time \$5 new member fee. The fiscal year of the GRCGLA is from August 1 through July 31.

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### THE GOLDEN GAZETTE

GRCA policies regarding articles or letters submitted to the newsletter are as follows: Articles printed will be such that they are of an informative or educational nature of general interest.

Letters to the Editor will be published that do not criticize any member of the local or national club, his or her dogs or kennel, or the judging of any dog, but are of general interest to the members. Letters must indicate the author.

Please send your Obedience, Show, Tracking, Agility, and Field results to the Editor when the Editor calls for brags on the GRCGLA Yahoo Group list. Any and all pertinent articles, educational material, book reviews, and creative writing are welcome.

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