



# Central New England Brittany Club

## Newsletter

October 2014  
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### Upcoming Events

Board Meeting  
November 14, 2014 -  
7:00 PM

Joan Bever's Home

#### **Member's Day**

December 7, 2014

**Swift River Sportsman's Club,**  
Belchertown, MA

Board Meeting  
January 16, 2014 - 7:00 PM

**Peggy Aguiar's Home**

Game Dinner  
January 25, 2015  
NORCO

Independent Specialty Show  
Evening of March 13, 2015  
Big E, West Springfield, MA

Supported Entry Show  
March 15, 2015 with NESGA  
Big E, West Springfield, MA

Hunt Tests  
April 4 & 5, 2015

**Swift River Sportsman's Club,**  
Belchertown, MA

Spring Field Trial  
April 11 & 12, 2015  
Flaherty WMA,  
E. Windsor, CT

Summer Training  
May thru early September New  
Braintree, MA

Fun Day  
June 7, 2015  
NORCO

Fall Field Trial  
September 2015, Flaherty  
WMA, E. Windsor, CT

#### Officers

President            Joan Bevers  
Secretary           Dottie Boyatzi  
Vice President     Dennis Duguay  
Treasurer           Peggy Aguiar

#### Board

Aaron Crown            Paul Gardner  
Kim Halton             Robert Hallberg  
David Latino             Debbie Latino  
Doug Phillips

#### Advisory Board

David Phillips           Jill Talevi

### **President's Message**

This fall has crept up upon me while I was busy recuperating and nursing a bum right shoulder. From what my Doctor and Physical Therapist tell me, I will not only be singing Christmas Songs with them, but "Frosty The Snowman". **I wish to thank all of you who sent good wishes to me either through e mails, phone calls or beautiful cards. All meant so much to me and I am grateful.**

While I rested, our Fall Field Trial took place. I am happy to say that it was a GREAT success, thanks especially to our Chairperson, Linda McCartney-Roy and our Secretary, Peggy Aguiar. The two of them worked tirelessly to ensure participation at this event and it worked. Thanks also to our ever faithful cooks, Dottie and Lou Boyatzi, who always manage to keep everyone happy by serving delicious food.

Our first ever Eye Clinic took place in Petersham with Dr. Backrack. Because of the date, our numbers were smaller than expected because it was the first day of the Hunt Tests in the area and members were either hunting with their dogs or judging.

We had hoped to have our dogs run in a large enclosed area but the rain prevented us from doing so. Dr. Backrack and his wife Debbie were so gracious to us. When all of the dogs were tested we held our picnic as planned but not under a shady tree. Everything was set up on an exam table. We stayed for awhile and all of us had a good time. It's so seldom that we are able to meet and enjoy each others presence. Next year we will plan the Eye Clinic well in advance and it will take place around Shows and Hunt Tests to insure a greater number of dogs.

Our next gathering will take place on the first Sunday in December which is our Member's Day. Plan on sharing the day with us and sign your dog up for the mock Field Trial. We always have so much fun! At this meeting we will close the nominations for Board Members. We have three seats to fill, so if you or if you know of anyone who would be an asset to the Board, please encourage them to let Rick or Dottie know. The Board meets bi-monthly and we gather in each others homes. The evening ends with a little respite to give all of us the energy to get home safely. Please consider being a member of our Board.

I always find it amazing that no matter what the obstacles, our club continues on the track of success, with members making sure that each and every event planned, is done so with success. Thanks to all of you who are always there to help out.

I hope to see all of you at our Member's Day.

Love to all,

Joan Bevers



## Upcoming Board of Directors Elections

Elections will take place at our Annual Meeting on the last Sunday in January.

This election will be for our Board of Directors – seven positions. There will be three positions open on the Board this time around, but all Board members have to be elected. The top seven vote getters will take those seven positions.

If you would like to be nominated for one of these positions, please let the nominating committee chairperson, Rick Stratton, as well as our secretary, know of your interest and willingness to work for our great club.

A basic knowledge or a willingness to learn about all venues that our breed is involved with is important to all of our members. This would include primarily Field Trialing, Show, Hunting and Hunt Tests, but should also include an interest in learning about Agility, Obedience and Rally. Participation in these venues is not a requirement to be a Board member; however we should care and know something about all venues that our members enjoy. Ours is a versatile breed and we have many members who participate in the above venues.

You should be able to attend the majority of our Board meetings which take place approximately every 8 weeks.

### NOMINATIONS CLOSE AT OUR MEMBERS DAY GENERAL MEETING ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2014.

If you are interested in running for a Board position but are unable to attend this meeting, you must mail a signed letter to our secretary expressing your interest.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attention Club Members  
and extended family

I am asking our members, their family and friends, to raid their linen closets and donate used, out of date, blankets, pillows, sheets, towels, comforters and bedspreads once again for use at Tufts Veterinary Hospital. I know a few club members have used this facility for their beloved pets but for those of you who have been lucky enough not to have used the medical services I would like to tell you there is a need for bedding. Every animal that comes into the hospital is given the very best housing facility possible. Soft, warm, clean and comfortable bedding is a constant luxury provided by the vet techs and physicians. This I have experienced first hand with my own dogs. If needed the bedding is changed a dozen times a day to ensure that they are always clean and dry.

I have been so impressed by the care provided at Tufts I have taken up the task of trying to acquire the materials needed to give our precious pets the comfort they need while receiving medical treatment at Tufts. Local vets are wonderful and are needed but limited in their facilities and hours of services but Tufts is a 24/7 facility, always available, with the greatest concentration of medical knowledge and state of the art equipment to help animals big and small. We are very fortunate to have Tufts in our area and when faced with a life or death situation someone will always be there to help the minute you walk thru the door.

So get rid of that crazy quilt that is not being used or those sheets that have a worn edge, or even those lumpy pillows. Dogs really like to have their heads propped on a pillow when they are not feeling well. Everything I mentioned above can be used as different size items help different size pets.

**I will be at Members' Day to collect whatever you can donate. I am hoping I can collect again at Game Dinner as well. Just drop me an email to let me know that I will have items to pick up. Pass the word to friends and family that might not have their own pets but would be willing to donate thru our club. I thank you in advance for your contributions.**

Maryellen Johnson

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### CNEBC Field Trial Results—September 20—21, 2014

We had a beautiful weekend in E. Windsor, CT for Central New England Brittany Club's annual fall field trial. The rain managed to hold off for most of the weekend. We had a wonderful entry of 127 starters which ran on two courses.

Thank you to all the club members, and non-members, who came out to give us a hand and pitched in wherever we needed help (be it filling bird bags, planting birds, etc.). Thank you to Dottie and Lou Boyatzi and Dennis Duguay who manned the kitchen both days keeping us all fed. Thanks our wonderful line marshals (Guy Pagella, Evelyn Pagella, Lisa Tailby and Kim Hatton) who kept things moving along so that we could get all the dogs run in the daylight. Thank you to our judges for coming out to judge for us from near and far. And most of all, thank you to all the people who came out to run their dogs and support our club. It is much appreciated! We could not do this without the support of each and every one of you. I hope to see you all in the Spring!

Congratulations to all the winners!

Peggy Aguiar  
FT Secretary and Treasurer  
Central New England Brittany Club

#### Amateur Walking Puppy – 10 starters Judges Helen Riggle & Brian Riggle

1. La Bandita Del Prado "Bandita". Owner: Leslie & Donna Casselberry. Handler: Les Casselberry.
2. Wild Mtn's Lightening Lily of Shailorville "Lily". Owner: Tom and Robin Maule. Handler: Robin Maule.
3. Kinwashkly Silver Charm "Francis". Owner: Leslie Andreas. Handler: Leslie Andreas.
4. Kinwashkly Beast of Burden "Boomer". Owner: Jodi Miller. Handler: Jodi Miller.



## CNEBC Field Trial Results—September 20—21, 2014

Amateur Gun Dog – 19 starters

Judges Pat Carney &amp; Loyd Carney

1. Jeter III "Jeter". Owner: Mike Blondin. Handler: Mike Blondin.
2. FC/AFC Cisco's Rocky "Rocky". Owner: Frances M Gorman. Handler: Bill Gorman.
3. FC AFC The Holiday Kid "Kid". Owner: Frances M Gorman. Handler: Frances M Gorman.
4. Withheld

Open Derby – 8 starters

Judges Jeff Currier &amp; Ken Mercer

1. Kahlua III "Kallie". Owner: Michael Tiberii. Handler: Michael Tiberii.
2. HO's Gone With The Wind "Scarlett". Owner: William Hendrickson. Handler: Brian Riggle.
3. Shailorville's Jessie "Jessie". Owner: Tom and Robin Maule. Handler: Robin Maule.
4. Withheld





## CNEBC Field Trial Results—September 20—21, 2014

Open All Age – 14 starters

Judges Jeff Currier &amp; Ken Mercer

1. Up N' Adam's Sparks Fly "Wendy". Owner: Thomas & Katrin Tazza. Handler: Katie Tazza.
2. FC AFC Diamond Hill Deuces Gone Wild "Cooter". Owner: Paul & Lisa Pollock. Handler: Lisa Pollock.
3. Morningside Lady Carrigan "Bev". Owner: Gary Guz. Handler: Gary Guz.
4. FC AFC Morningside Beau Fortune "Bender". Owner: Gary Guz. Handler: Gary Guz.

Amateur Walking Hunting Dog – 13 starters

Judges Katie Tazza &amp; Leslie Andreas

1. Little Liberty Delight "Libby". Owner: Aaron Crown. Handler: Aaron Crown.
2. CH Triumphant's Beau Smith JH "Beau". Owner: David & Paula Smith. Handler: Linda McCartney-Roy.
3. Shirley's Meg "Meg". Owner: Paul Shirley. Handler: Paul Shirley.
4. Green Mountain Rusty Gunn "Rusty". Owner: Mike & Deb Blondin. Handler: Mike Blondin.



## CNEBC Field Trial Results—September 20—21, 2014

**Amateur Limited Gun Dog – 13 starters****Judges Brian Riggle & Richard Achin**

1. Blazin Tactical Weapon "Tazer". Owner: Linda Holcomb. Handler: Shan Wessels.
2. Jeter III "Jeter". Owner: Mike Blondin. Handler: Mike Blondin.
3. FC AFC Mr. P's D'Evil Dog of Coos JH "Devil". Owner: John & Rita Poland. Handler: John Poland.
4. Stillwater Smokn Gunnar "Gunnar". Owner: Gary Anderson. Handler: Gary Anderson.

**Amateur Walking Derby – 10 starters****Judges Helen Riggle & Thomas Tazza**

1. White Rock Ranch's First Turks "Turks". Owner: Robert Fleury. Handler: Michael Tiberii.
2. Kahlua III "Kallie". Owner: Michael Tiberii. Handler: Maia McGonagle.
3. Shailorville's Jessie "Jessie". Owner: Tom and Robin Maule. Handler: Robin Maule.
4. Mr P's Little Devil "Scooter". Owner: John & Rita Poland. Handler: John Poland.

**Open Puppy – 10 starters****Judges Thomas Tazza & Ed Kostka**

1. Copley's Dangerous Three Olive Martini "Reese". Owner: Matt & Laurie O'Donnell & Lisa Pollack. Handler: Lisa Pollock.
  2. La Bandita Del Prado "Bandita". Owner: Leslie & Donna Casselberry. Handler: Les Casselberry.
  3. Kinwashkly Instant Replay "Replay". Owner: Leslie Andreas. Handler: Leslie Andreas.
  4. Wild Mtn's In The Danger Zone "Maverick". Owner: Kelly Ellerbock. Handler: Helen Riggle.
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## CNEBC Field Trial Results—September 20—21, 2014

### Open Gun Dog - 30 starters

Judges Darlene Dow & Ed Kostka

1. Morningside Lady Carrigan "Bev". Owner: Gary Guz. Handler: Gary Guz..
2. GCH DC AFC Diamond Hill Dangerous Man "Trace". Owner: Paul & Lisa Pollock & Robin Tomasi. Handler: Lisa Pollock
3. Blazin Tactical Weapon "Tazer". Owner: Linda Holcomb. Handler: Shan Wessels
4. Stone Creek Jack'D Up GTO "Zoom". Owner: Claire Ricci & Joseph Sikorski. Handler: Joe Sikorski.

### Member Brags



Award of Merit at the Central Maine Brittany Club specialty.  
Ch Triumphant Millstone Come to My World.  
Owner/Handler: Linda Taylor Knight

### Sammie's 1st AKC Match



Shady Brooks Special Addition Sammie  
First AKC Match  
1st & Best of Breed  
Best in Sporting Group  
Best Adult  
Not to shabby for our first time ever in a show ring.  
Owner/Handler: Angela Wyco



CNEBC Eye Clinic



## Member Brags



Reno, owned by Mary and Zachary Walker has been busy doing agility this year.

Reno has finished his Open Fast title and his Open Standard title with all placements.

His full name now is: Ch Goldstar's Hot Attraction, JH, OA, NAJ, NAP, OF.

He also has earned 2 legs towards his Open Jumpers title placing third and second.



Reno showed at the SOTC agility trials on October 10, 11 and 12.

He finished his Novice preferred jumpers with weaves title. NJP also goes on his name now.

He also earned legs in Open preferred standard and Novice preferred fast.

He placed first in each class.

Congratulations to Brian Gaffney who finished a JH on his Katie on October 5, 2014 in CT.

Corbritts Vintage Merlot JH

(DC AFC This Gambler's Fly'n x Sarsean's Rockin' Z Nite Away, MH)

Breeders: Daniel and Donna Cordero. Owner/Handler: Brian Gaffney

Katie and Brian were awarded CNEBC's Dog and Handler Award in December 2013.

## Member Brags

On Sunday, September 14, 2014 at Sharpe's Farm in NH, Rider Reynolds received her last qualifying score to earn her Master Hunt Title! Her scores were--Hunting--10! Bird Finding--10! Pointing--10! Trainability--10! Retrieving--10! And her most favorite category--not--Honoring--9! WHAT A GREAT DAY! One ribbon is her Master Title Ribbon and the other is her Qualifying Ribbon. The BEAUTIFUL cards are congratulations from all at CNEBC and Dottie and Lou Boyatzi--all crafted by Dottie--awesome! Thank you to everyone who has helped Rider--and me--reach our goal! What's next??? RETIREMENT!!!!



Thank you to everyone who sent a donation to our ALS/MS Walk for Living at the Leonard Florence Center for Living. You helped to make it a great success! Know that you have brought joy to those of us here living with these illnesses.

Thank you so much.

Jill Talevi



Member Brags



Congratulations to CNEBC member Linda McCartney-Roy and her boy Beckett “GCH Triumphant’s As Good As It Gets JH” for winning Best of Breed at the Central Maine Brittany Club Specialty Show and then proceeding to take group first and Back to Back Reserve Best in Show on both Saturday and Sunday! Beckett is out of **BIS BISS GCH Triumphant’s Absolute JH** and CH Millette Mich MT Magic Charm.

New Grand Champion!

I am pleased to announce that GCH CH **Maple Brook’s Great Balls Of Fire JH** (Maverick) is a new Grand Champion. Maverick completed the requirements for his new title on August 24, 2014 when he won Best of Breed at the Elm City Kennel Club Show in West Springfield, Massachusetts. Maverick also finished the year (October 2013 to October 2014) as the # 14 Brittany in the country in the National Owner Handler Series.

**Maverick is out of GCH CH Triumphant’s Absolute Evel JH and CH Omega’s Red Granite JH. Breeder/Owner/Handler: Peggy Aguiar.**





### CNEBC Logo Items

We have the following CNEBC Logo Items available:

- ◆ T-Shirts in Burgundy (L, XL), Orange (S, M, L, XL), Navy (S, M, L, XL), Green (L, XL), and Dark Green (S, L, XL), for \$15 each



- ◆ Hats in Khaki, Navy, Orange, Dark Green and Orange Mesh \$15 each



- ◆ Jackets in Khaki (S or XL) \$10 each
- ◆ 2010 Summer Specialty T-Shirts in Khaki (M, L or XL) \$5 each
- ◆ 2010 ABC Summer Specialty Bag (only 1 left) \$5



Contact Peggy Aguiar to order at [paguiar07@comcast.net](mailto:paguiar07@comcast.net) or call at 603-488-5193, Note: shipping is available at buyers expense, PayPal is accepted.



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Check out our website at  
[WWW.CNEBC.ORG](http://WWW.CNEBC.ORG)

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**PLEASE DON'T FORGET THAT OUR 50/50  
RAFFLE WINNER WILL BE DRAWN AT THE  
MEMBERS MEMORIAL FIELD DAY ON  
DECEMBER 7, 2014**

If you need more tickets to sell or buy, please contact  
Peggy Aguiar [paguiar07@comcast.net](mailto:paguiar07@comcast.net)

The more tickets we sell, means it will be more cash  
for both the winner and the club!

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Deadline for the next issue is December 31, 2014!  
Please send any submissions to: [paguiar07@comcast.net](mailto:paguiar07@comcast.net)

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