

NAEDA SCOOP



*It's Coming!
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2013 NAEDA National Dog Show
October 19 – 20
Phoenix, Arizona

Fun in sunny Arizona:

- *Three all-breed shows (including the National)*
- *Beautiful dogs*
- *Good Friends*
- *The Auction*
- *Banquet hosted by Arizona AED club*



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President

One of the big developments this quarter is that on March 14, 2013, NAEDA became a new corporation in the State of Texas. The State of Texas was selected for its low incorporation fees, low renewal reporting requirements, low reporting fees and because of the number of active NAEDA members in Texas. As part of the incorporation requirements, NAEDA was required to have a representative in the State who could serve to address administrative and legal needs if they arise. Debbie Mitchell, who works as a paralegal in the State of Texas, has offered and has been accepted to be our corporation agent. We are now working on the next step, which is to apply to the IRS for classification as a non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation.

This year is a big year for the Arizona American Eskimo Association (AAEA) since they will be helping NAEDA host the 2013 National Specialty. We think that the last time Arizona was a host site was around 1987 or 1988. Unfortunately, we don't have any club members from the original show to share old stories from that time (Our earliest current AAEA member is Donna Yarrington who joined in 1991. By the time she arrived, none of the original club members from 1986 remained). If you know somebody that attended this show or has pictures, the club would be interested in looking at a bit of their history. Please see the Notice in this newsletter for more details about our upcoming Specialty. We are planning on having a fun time and October weather is nice in Arizona. If you have a chance, stay a few extra days to see some of the beautiful places around the state.

Finally, NAEDA should be proud to celebrate the centennial anniversary of the United Kennel Club (UKC) recognition of the American Eskimo breed. The breed was recognized in 1913 and was renamed the American Eskimo Dog in 1917. We should all celebrate and congratulate the efforts of the breeders, the exhibitors, the club members and other supporters, and the UKC for their 100 years of dedicated stewardship of a beautiful and unique breed. I wish another 100 years of success for our Eskies.

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Corresponding Secretary

THE "ART" OF BEING A SUCCESSFUL BREEDER

Breeding dogs takes time, patience, a great willingness to learn, the ability to be humble, and sometimes a little luck. Having a good eye for a dog does not hurt any either.

One of the most important things about being a good breeder is avoiding kennel blindness. It has been the undoing of many a good breeder. The key is to recognize your faults and/or weaknesses, and know how to correct them. Keeping an animal that has one fault (not a disqualifying one, I might add) that can be corrected in one breeding when the rest of the animal is exceptional is, in my opinion, intelligent and responsible breeding. The breeder must always keep in mind that there is no perfect dog, and that all dogs have faults. One of my mentors, who has been in dogs for 30+ years, has always told me "you can't throw the baby out with the bath water." I think this is very wise advice.

A good breeder is one who studies, reads, watches and learns from other long time breeders and breeds responsibly and carefully for a number of years, before they can be considered a "successful breeder."

Some new breeders make the mistake of listening to people in dogs who are not experienced in the breeder's breed. It is common that some dog people think they know everything about every breed of dog. That, of course, is impossible.

When I started in American Eskimos in 1983, I sought out long time breeders; people I felt were much more knowledgeable than myself and could help me understand the breed. I thank them all today for what I have learned and am continuing to learn, as one can never stop learning.

It is important to remember that there is no perfect dog. We should all strive to breed a dog as close to perfection as possible. I know that the perfect dog exists in my mind. When breeding, a breeder must compare the prospective sire and dam not only phenotypically, i.e. its physical appearance, but genetically, i.e. its pedigree as well. Just because two dogs' physical appearances compliment each other does not mean that they will compliment each other when comparing pedigrees.

As spoken so well by my mentor, breeding is an "art". When doing a breeding, stick to the breed standard and strive for perfection. Although you will never accomplish it, you must try to get as close to it as possible.

Debbie Mitchell

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Publicity Director

The Fall issue of *The Scoop* will be a print version, so now is the time to start thinking about advertising your dog before the National in October. The issue will go to print the first of September, with a due date of August 20th. This is a bit early in order to get the issue mailed out before everyone leaves for Arizona. I hope you have a wonderful summer, stay safe.

Barb Davidoff

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Treasurer

Well, after almost 14 months of retirement tomorrow I go back to work. Actually I'm surprised I made it this long. Have enjoyed spending time at home, spending more time with the dogs but I can honestly say I get a lot more done when I'm working than when I'm retired.

Not much happening this time of year here but hurricane season is now on us. The flea problem that was plaguing the dogs back in March is much better right now. But as the heat of the summer starts building the dogs are spending more time in the air conditioning. They seem content to just lie around on the cool concrete. Dog food consumption has plummeted (not a bad thing!). But they are all beginning to blow their coats so I foresee what time I do have at home will be spent combing out dogs!

I hope everyone has just a great summer! Keep close watch on the dogs for signs of heat stress!

Sally Bedow

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Financials

Total Income:	\$1,217.44
Expenses:	
Trophies Of Victoria - trophy plates	\$6.50
Mailing ribbons & trophy plates	\$14.60
Lettuce Duit	\$7.75
Deposit for 2013 National Show site - AZ	\$300.00
Reimburse mailing expense - Binick	\$33.13
Total Expenses:	<u>\$361.98</u>
Net Income (Loss)	<u><u>\$855.46</u></u>
Cash - Operating Fund 3/15/13	\$14,564.59
Rescue Fund - 12/31/12	\$4,436.03
Cash - Operating Fund 3/15/13	\$14,564.59

2013 NAEDA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

The National American Eskimo Dog Association (NAEDA) is hosting our 2013 Annual Specialty in Phoenix, AZ, on October 19 and October 20, 2013. The specialty will be integrated into the first of three multi-breed shows on this two-day show weekend.

Saturday, October 19, 2013 (1 show) and Sunday, October 20, 2013 (2 shows)

- **Saturday** Multi-breed Show (including National Specialty):
Entries 8:30AM to 9:15 AM Show Start 10:00 AM
Judge: Patrick O'Donnell #2905 JS; AE; APBT; TFT
- **Sunday** Multi-breed Show No. 1:
Entries 8:00AM to 8:30 AM Show Start 9:00 AM
Judge: Sandi Phillips #35 JS; AE; APBT; TFT
- **Sunday** Multi-breed Show No. 2:
Entries 8:00AM to 8:30 AM Show Start 9:30 AM
Judge: Nina Marie Sherrer #2824 JS; AE; APBT; TFT

The n is pleased to provide a special Arizona welcome gift bag to the first 50 people to enter the Specialty!

Show Site - Top Notch Canines, 107 N. 57th Drive, Phoenix, AZ (Indoor show site)

From West of Phoenix:

Take I-10 to 59th Ave. Exit 138. Take 59th Ave. South to Van Buren (2nd light) (0.6 mi). Take Van Buren East, not quite 0.2 miles to the first right which is 57th Drive. A little ways down (0.1 mi) on the left is the facility. We are right across the street from Sedona Bottling. If you go too far you will wind up at 107 S 57th Drive. Just turn around and come back to 107 North 57th Drive. Do not pass Washington Street or the Parts Master Building. If you see either one – turn around.

Directions - From Downtown Phoenix or Sky Harbor Airport:

Take I-10 to 51st Ave. Exit 139. Take 51st Ave. South to Van Buren (2nd light) (0.6 mi). Take Van Buren West (right), about 0.8 miles to the 57th Drive. Turn left on 57th Drive and about 0.1 miles on the left is the facility. We are right across the street from Sedona Bottling. If you go too far you will wind up at 107 S 57th Drive. Just turn around and come back to 107 North 57th Drive. Do not pass Washington Street or the Parts Master Building. If you see either one – turn around.

Unloading and Parking:

There will be an unloading zone at the front of the building. Some parking is available at the sides and rear of the building on a first come basis (please don't block driveway access to the back). There is also street parking posted along 57th Drive. Building opens at 6:30 AM both days for setup.

Directions and an interactive map to the show site are also available at www.topnotchcanines.com.

Special Request from Top Notch Canines:

To help protect the special matting on the floor they are requesting everyone try to have clean shoes when entering the facility. Sharp items such as metal crates need to be protected from the matting by mats or towels. Chairs with sharp legs (open tubes, etc.) cannot be used because they will pierce the matting. **Your assistance will be appreciated by all.**

Pet Friendly Hotels (hotels are less than 2 miles from the show site. They are approximately 10 miles from Phoenix Sky Harbor Airport. They are located at 51st Avenue and I-10 Exit 139, north side) -

La Quinta Inn & Suites Phoenix West **

4929 W McDowell Rd.

Phoenix, AZ 85035

Phone:(602) 595-7601

** (20 rooms have been reserved for NAEDA members at a super rate of \$69/nt., no pet fees and a continental breakfast is included)

Motel 6 Phoenix West #696

1530 N 52nd Drive

I-10 at 51st Avenue, Exit #139

Phoenix AZ 85043

Phone: (602) 272-0220

Red Roof Inn Phoenix West

5215 W Willetta St.

Phoenix, AZ

(602) 233-8004

Other Pet Friendly Motels (Within one block of other hotels)

Crossland Economy Studios - Phoenix West

Comfort Inn I-10 West at 51st Avenue

Days Inn Phoenix West

RV Park (6 miles from show site, call early for reservation)

Rose Terrace RV Park

4615 W. Missouri Avenue

Glendale, AZ 85301

(623) 931-2155

RV Parking (no services) is possible at the show site (2 spaces) if you arrive early. Please call Jim Binick, (928) 567-1434 for more info.

Emergency Veterinarian

Veterinary Emergency Hospital

2260 S. Glendale Avenue (I-17 at Glendale Avenue Exit)

Phoenix, AZ 85021

(602) 995-3757

- ***An indoor caterer*** will be available during the shows with both hot and cold meals, snacks, and drinks.
- ***The NAEDA Annual Membership Meeting and the Board of Directors meetings*** will be held at the show site after the end of the Saturday show (we need chairs, so bring a chair!)
- ***The National Show Banquet will be hosted by the Arizona American Eskimo Association at the Holiday Inn Phoenix West after the Board of Directors Meeting.*** Dinner cost is \$31/person which will include our Arizona specialty, a hearty Mexican banquet with fruit and romaine salads, slow roasted pork, enchiladas, tortillas and sides followed by mouth watering desserts. A cash bar will be available before the banquet and our classic NAEDA auction loaded with wonderful Eskie paraphernalia will finish the night of celebration. The Holiday Inn is conveniently located at the southwest corner of 51st Avenue and McDowell Road within one block of the hotels listed. Reservations and payment are needed by October 12th. **Please send checks to Nancy Glenn, 9581 W. Ruth Avenue, Peoria, AZ 85345.** She can be contacted at terryandnancyglenn@cox.net.

National American Eskimo Dog Association
Trophy Sponsorship List
2013 National Show

Best Of Breed – Sharon Robinson
Grand Champion – Sharon Robinson
Champion – Kiva American Eskimos
Best of Winners – Ms. Wiz Eskies
Best Male – Debonair Eskies
Best Female – Ms. Wiz Eskies
Best Miniature Male - \$20.00
Best Standard Male – \$20.00
Best Miniature Female – \$20.00
Best Standard Female – \$20.00
Best Miniature Male Puppy – \$15.00
Best Miniature Male Junior – \$15.00
Best Miniature Male Senior – \$15.00
Best Miniature Male Adult – \$15.00
Best Miniature Male Breeder Handler – \$15.00
Best Standard Male Puppy – \$15.00
Best Standard Male Junior – \$15.00
Best Standard Male Senior – \$15.00
Best Standard Male Adult – \$15.00
Best Standard Male Breeder Handler – \$15.00
Best Miniature Female Puppy – \$15.00
Best Miniature Female Junior – \$15.00
Best Miniature Female Senior – \$15.00
Best Miniature Female Adult – \$15.00
Best Miniature Female Breeder Handler – \$15.00
Best Standard Female Puppy – \$15.00
Best Standard Female Junior – \$15.00
Best Standard Female Senior - \$15.00
Best Standard Female Adult – \$15.00
Best Standard Female Breeder Handler – \$15.00
Best Miniature Female Puppy – \$15.00
Best Junior Showmanship – \$15.00
Best Junior Showmanship Pee Wee – \$15.00
Best Junior Showmanship Sub-Novice – \$15.00
Best Junior Showmanship Junior Novice – \$15.00
Best Junior Showmanship Junior Open - \$15.00
Best Junior Showmanship Senior Novice – \$15.00
Best Junior Showmanship Senior Open – \$15.00
Best Stud Dog – \$20.00
Best Brood Bitch – \$20.00
Best Brace - \$20.00
Best Novice Puppy – \$20.00
Best Female Novice Puppy – \$15.00
Best Male Novice Puppy – \$15.00
Legends of The Ring Medallions - \$ 10.00 each

Trophies must be paid for at the time
of sponsorship.

Mail checks to:
N.A.E.D.A. Trophy Sponsorship
c/o Sally Bedow, Treasurer
1978 School Rd.
Port Lavaca, TX 77979

Or pay through PayPal on the
NAEDA website at www.naeda.org