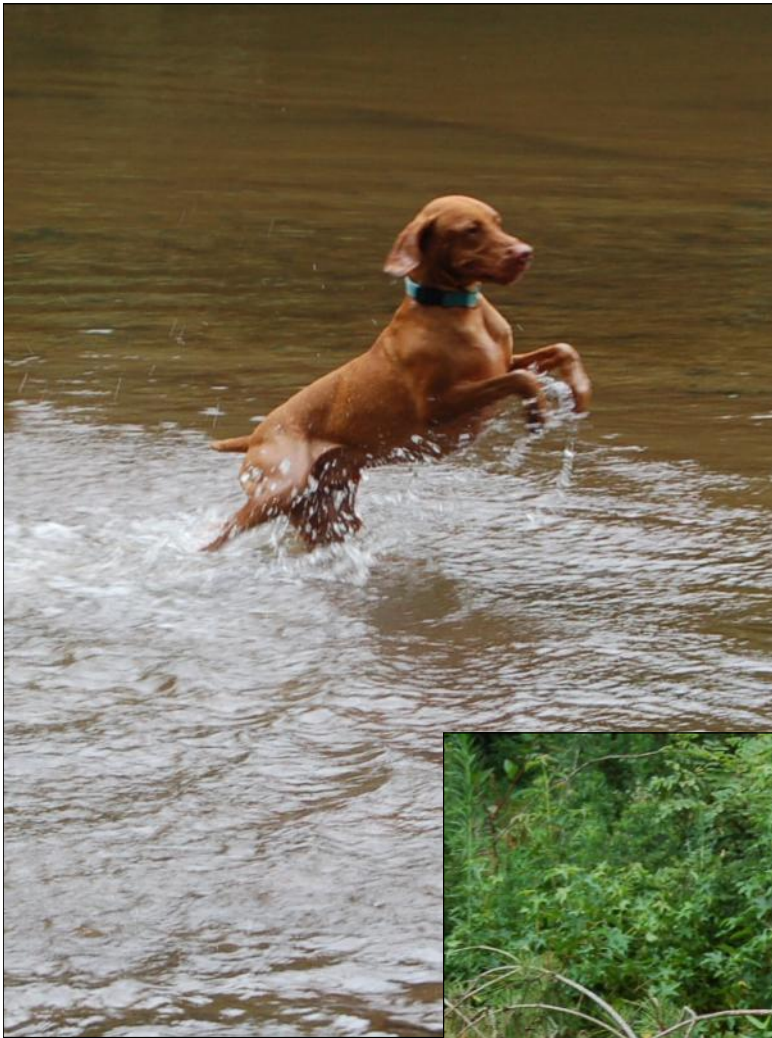


Conestoga Vizsla Club

Newsletter

Summer/Fall 2009



*Fun ~
Vizsla Style*



CH Renaissance Noble Tradition

VCA Nationals Are Coming!

*October 26-31 ~ Show, Agility, Rally, and
Obedience, Charlotte NC*

October 31-November 6 ~ Field Trial, Danville VA

**Conestoga Vizsla Club, Inc.,
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CH Renaissance Noble Tradition “Noble”

DOB: 08/02/2006 / OFA VZ-10983G24M-VPI / Penn Hip L .30-R .30

Am/BIS Intl CH Copperfield's Caveat Dakota JH UD x CH Renaissance Faire Maiden

*While at play or in the ring, Noble is pure Vizsla ~
overflowing with the joy of life.*

We are looking forward to the future.

Breeders: Susan L. DellaPenta & Linda Durham

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Dear CVC Members:

I hope this newsletter finds you enjoying the summer, along with your Vizslas.

As I write this letter, I have just sadly learned that our Vizsla community has lost yet another special contributor to the breed and to the sport of dogs. Lisa DeForest passed on July 6, 2009, after suffering long from a debilitating illness. Lisa's kennel name was Upwind. She was dedicated to field trialing and producing a big running dog. She was the breeder of two Vizsla Dual Champions – "Selkie" (1986) and "Jason" (2001), and owner of the 2005 VCA National Field Champion, "Mason." Lisa's sweet natured personality will be sorely missed by all who knew her.

Our club has been very busy the second quarter of this year with events and rescues. On Saturday May 30th we held our annual Fun Day at Landon C. Burns Park, in Westminister Maryland. Deb Titus was the Chair of this event. Pictures are on page 2.

On Saturday June 27th our Specialty was held in conjunction with the Southern Maryland Kennel Club shows, with a supported entry on Sunday. There was a large entry, with many beautiful Vizslas to admire. Congratulations to the winners, and thank you to all who entered and supported our Specialty. The event was chaired by Mike Johnson, and a report can be found on pages 5 and 6.

The Board of Directors held its third quarter board meeting after the Specialty. Meeting minutes can be made available to you by contacting Greg Cooke, the club's Reporting Secretary.

Coming this October we will hold our annual Fall Field Trial at Indian Springs WMA in Clear Spring Maryland. The event will be Chaired by Stephanie Estes. Plans are underway. Please contact Stephanie with any feedback or suggestions (sestes32@yahoo.com).

This has been a big year for our rescue program. More dogs seem to be coming in than ever before. Fortunately we have had a ton of success with rehabilitating dogs that have come in, and with adopting them out into great homes successfully. If you are interested in serving on the Rescue Committee, or if you are available to foster a dog, please contact Stephanie Estes, Breed Health and Education Committee Chair (sestes32@yahoo.com).

Don't forget to purchase your copy of the 2010 CVC Wall Calendar! It turned out beautiful, and there is a discount for CVC members. The order form can be found on page 15 and at

<http://www.cvcweb.org/>. It would make a great Christmas present for a Vizsla lover, or a nice gift for breeders to give to their puppy buyers.

Thank you to all who continue to make CVC a success! Please feel free to contact me anytime. I am always open to fresh ideas, advice and feedback.

Respectfully yours,

Michelle Dowd, CVC President ~ michelle@broadrunvizslas.com / 703/851-5565

Discover How You Can Make CVC an Even Better Club ~

Get Involved!

CVC Specialty Wins at Bel Alton MD

Vizslas were every where! Wonderful sight to behold when so many good-looking red dogs congregate, and that's just what happened June 27 at CVC's Specialty Show in Bel Alton MD. Thanks to the hard work of Chairman Mike Johnson and his committee ~ Rich Black, Susan DellaPenta and Britt Jung ~ and the club's leadership, 72 entries came to be judged by Gretchen Schult ~ 19 dogs in Regular classes and 27 bitches; five entries in Veteran/Field Trial classes; and in Best of Breed competition, there were 12 dogs and nine bitches. And the winners were ...

Best of Breed: CH Kezdet's Grand Mark Gedeon JH (08-23-08). Owner: Natalie Russo, Slingerlands NY

Best of Winners/Winners Bitch: Kezdet's Whisper Champaign (08-23-08). Owner: Barry Golob & Judy Saddlemire, Potomac MD

Best of Opposite Sex: CH Opus One Featuring Indie JH NA NAJ (06-11-04). Owner: Britt Jung, Ida Kavafian & Steve Tenenbom, Hyattsville MD

Winner's Dog: Hunters Run Queen of Hearts (09-28-07). Owner: Kim Svehlik & Charlotte Jolls, West Greenwich RI

Reserve Dog: Willorunn's Jolly Old St. Mikolas (12-24-08). Owner: Rachel Romano Kelly & Dorothea Romano, Dunlirk MD

Reserve Bitch: Dynata's Bound to Have Known It All Along JH (12-19-07). Owner: Laurie Fairchild, Lovettsville VA

Award of Merit: CH Artisan Grouse Point Pink Panther (03-07-08). Owner: Corinne Miklos, Sue Lona-baugh & Joan Toepke, Ford City PA; and **CH Brittania's Taylor Made For Two** (07-19-07). Owner: Jackie & Ed McAuliffe & Britt Jung, Bellport, NY

In the Sweepstakes held earlier on the 27th, the winners were:

Best of Sweeps: Willorunn's Jolly Old St. Mikolas (12-24-08). Owner: Rachel Romano Kelly & Dorothea Romano, Dunlirk MD

Best of Opposite Sex Sweeps: Kezdet's Whisper Campaign (08-23-08). Owner: Barry Golob & Judy Saddlemire, Potomac MD

Best Veteran in Sweeps: CH Banker's Top Brand (02-03-00). Owner: Paula Murphy, Durham NC

Best of Opposite Sex Veteran Sweeps: CH Ankerdale's Beam Me Up (12-07-95). Owner: John & Barbara Hannum, Upper Malboro MD

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A Training Moment for the Show Ring

by Susan DellaPenta

Training moments for the show ring should happen before you get in the ring ... at home, not just before you go in the ring! Practice, practice, practice at home and/or confirmation classes to give you and your Vizsla better control of your time in the ring. This homework will raise not only your dog's comfort level, but yours as well.

Practice stacking and moving your dog inside and outside to be ready for both venues. Ask various people to play the role of a judge and examine your dog while he is stacked. It's informative to stack him in front of a mirror so you can see what you are presenting. When you are at a show, watch how other people present their dog.

Before you walk in the ring, have your dog and you looking your best. Wear clothes that compliment, not distract, from him, and wear sensible shoes! Know you are presenting the dog to his best advantage. And last, breathe. Your calmness, or nerves, travels right down the leash. Be happy, have fun, and your dog will, too.

Specialty Report *continued from page 5*

The next day, June 28, CVC hosted its Supported Show with Florence Duggan judging Sweepstakes and Dennis Kniola judging breed. Sweepstakes winners were:

Best in Sweeps: Patapsco Fire Fly (03-03-08). Owner: Barbara Glass, Ellicott City MD

Best of Opposite Sex Sweeps: Kezdet's King Henry of Greenstone (08-23-08). Owner: Anita Greenstone, B Golob & J Saddlemire, Brooksville MD

Best Veteran in Sweeps: CH Encounter Cojak Blaz'n Majik JH (05-20-01). Owner: Donna & Terry Owens., Dunbar WV

Best of Opposite Sex Veteran Sweeps: CH Shannon'n Kingswood Belle O the Ball (04-01-00). Owner: Anne Marie Tierney & John J Tierney, Fishkill NY.

Winners of Sunday's Supported Show were:

Best of Breed/Group 1: CH Artisan Grouse Point Pink Panther (03-07-08). Owner: Corinne Miklos, Sue Lonabaugh & Joan Toepke, Ford City PA

Best of Winners/Winners Bitch: Hunters Run Queen of Hearts (09-28-07). Owner: Kim Svehlik & Charlotte Jolls, West Greenwich RI

Best of Opposite Sex: CH Sassafras Keep on Dream'N (12-12-06). Owner: Melina & Richard Black, Highland MD

Winners Dog: Crook Tales Knight Hawk (06-01-07). Owner: Barbara Albani & Ryan Haydu., Newark DE

Reserve Dog: Auburn's Murphy Seamos O'Grady (07-16-08). Owner: Philip & Anne Townsend, Baldwin MD

Reserve Bitch: Willorunn's Visions of Sugar Plums (12-24-08). Owner: Dorothea Romano, Rachel Romano Kelly & Ania Kelly, Glasgow VA

Thank You to Those Who Donated Trophies

The Conestoga Vizsla Club recognize the following individuals who have so generously donated to support the trophies at the 2009 Specialty and Supported Entry. THANK YOU!!!



Melina and Rich Black, Sassafras Vizslas; * Barbara Clements, in memory of Horace and Betty Woodlief * India and Bill Cox, Victory Fire Vizslas * Billy and Lynn DeLoatch * Dorrazt Vizslas, in memory of "Gabby," Ch. Surfstone's Island Seachanter CDX NAJ RA * Michelle and Patrick Dowd, in memory of Bob Estes * Sam and Kathy Eaton * Joe and Tracy Faber * Dr. Mary Furth, in memory of Verity's Fireball Des Nebels * Elie Gerdak, Elie Elie Salon * Britt Jung, Brittanica * Rachel Romano Kelly, Willowrunn Vizslas, in memory of Ch. Willowrunn's Red Baron ROM * Susan Laume, in memory of Ella Laume * Yvonne Lewis, in memory of Ch. Brittanica's Gingersnap, Northwind's First Noel, and Ch. Isle of Sienna Gold Joshua * Al and Terry Lucas * Sheryl Marquez * Barbara McLaughlin, in memory of Ch. Devon Sunrise Scarlett Silk and Ch. Scarlett Sun's Dandy Rhett * Clint and Valerie Sails * Bob and Kathryn Seelye * Verity, Joe Mitchell and Liz Sherman, in memory of Brick and Shoal, BIS * WindDance Vizslas, Carole and Phil Stout * Elise Wright and Sarah Bodine, Olympic Vizslas, in memory of Patrick Cooke

Best of Breed at the Specialty

**CH Kezdet's Grand Mark Gedeon
JH**

Judge Schult
Valerie Nunes-Atkinson,
Handler
Michelle Dowd, CVC President



**Best of
Opposite Sex
at the Specialty**

**CH Opus One Featuring Indie
JH NA NAJ**

Judge Schult
Jesse Sutton, Handler
Michelle Dowd, CVC President



**Best of Sweepstakes
at the Specialty**

Willorunn's Jolly Old St. Mikolas

Judge Sweigart
Rachel Kelly, owner
Ania Kelly



**The CVC newsletter would like to publish all the winners' photos.
Please send them as a jpg to india1405@verizon.net!**

CVC Rescue ~ More Success Stories!

By Pat Hudson

Here is a note from the new owners of Geysa, the 14-week-old pup I recently placed:

Thought you might enjoy seeing how much Geysa (nee Roxy) has grown She took to it [water] like a duck and now hurls herself off the bank, into the water!

She is a joyful puppy and we are all totally smitten. Her training is coming along. She will sit and stay when asked (usually). We are working on walking on a leash and are finding this challenging. Her keen nose leads her forward or backward or sideways, and she pulls like a sled dog. I'm certain that with practice and maturity, she will nail the whole walking calmly on a leash thing.



We, in our house, are all so happy she is a part of our family. Even the cats are beginning to thaw. ~ Clare



Here is a note from the new owners of Tanner, whose hip CVC had repaired.

Here is a picture of Tanner. He has truly endeared himself to Sue and me. He and Maddie, our 6-



year-old female rescue from Diane Shearer, get along very well. We are filled with joy as we see them running in the woods near our house. Our vet indicated Tanner's rehab is going very well. He still favors his right leg and often walks with it in the air, but when we exercise, he will use all four limbs. He is slowly putting on weight. We found a facility near us that does water therapy so we are starting him on that this week. ~ Jason

Check out the new CVC Rescue Web Site!

<http://vizslaescue.homestead.com/>

Please make a donation to help defray CVC expenses to take care of and place these dogs in forever homes.

Here is a note from the new owners of Blue ~

In late February, Blue arrived at his new forever home, a small goat farm in north-central Maryland, Vizsla-less for the first time in a decade. His new indoor/outdoor friends ~ two 10-year old cats ~ had ruled the proverbial roost for six months, and after a small “chat” with Blue, they instructed him on who was in charge!

Fast forward to May and the arrival of the goat kids. Although the cats don’t appreciate the kids in the kitchen, Blue thought it was great! He thoroughly loved licking the newly born kids as soon as their umbilical cord was cleaned. For the first six weeks or so, the goats get at least thrice daily walks on the driveway to jump and run, and Blue loves to come along.

Blue is most interested in squirrels. If he could climb trees, “All the better” he told us one day. They torment him constantly when he is indoors, and his acceleration outdoors as a preemptive “first strike” is to be admired. !

Blue is a great Vizsla who loves to be a part of it all. His temperament is one of love and attention, and we love his company and play. One of the family, he readily adapted to his new home and all that it offered for play and recreation. ~ Pam



Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers who can help transport or foster dogs for a short time until we find them homes. When we have more than one dog in rescue, we have to put them in a boarding kennel, which makes evaluation and transfer to their new home more difficult on the dogs.

Please contact Deb Titus about Abbey or volunteering to be on list of transport or foster volunteers: haplessknitter@comcast.net, 1/ 301/602-5239 (cell).



Fun Day Photos!
Fun Day Was Just That ~ Fun!

Winners of the “Fun Show”



Breeder Referral



For those of you who might be interested in helping people find a Vizsla that will bring joy to a family (as we all know they do), I could use some help with the breeder referral position. I get a lot of e-mails from people looking for breeders and puppies and, as you all know, most of the litters are spoken for before their little red paws hit the whelping pad. These people need to be contact with breeders (even if that breeder is not currently expecting a litter) in their area for mentoring and for helping them find puppies BEFORE they begin searching for puppies on the internet.

All that being said, if you are willing to be added to a list of breeders/mentors, it would be wonderful. If you are active in performance or conformation, you are well aware of who will be having a litter. If someone contacts you looking for a puppy and you aren't expecting a litter, you can certainly pass that family/person onto someone who is planning a breeding.

So please, send me an e-mail with your location (greater metro area whatever that metro area might be) and let me know that it is OK for me to have someone looking for a puppy contact you.

Thank you in advance for your help and interest. I know that the families looking for puppies thank you also.
Gail Contreras ~ gaygle@aol.com ~ 703/352-8109

A letter to the Vizsla Community from Linda Promaulayko on the passing of her daughter, Jackie Ellis (shortened for the newsletter):

Our family is unable to even begin to express the deep appreciation we feel for all you did to support us through the most difficult hours after our beloved Jackie's passing. The pain and grief we continue to feel is unbearable but the comfort we find comes from all you did to help us on the long journey we as a family have begun to a peaceful place of healing. Knowing you loved her and cared for us at that time is overwhelming; we can't even begin to properly say THANK YOU.

To us, her family, she was always a beautiful bright and loving young woman who's dedication to her family, friends, career, dogs and horses was who she was. So very talented and successful at everything she did with 150 percent of her very being. ... her determination to be a perfect rider, a talented artist and eventually a superior dog trainer with nationally ranked Field Trial dogs. ... She was always willing to lend a hand, give advice and share her talents with anyone who asked.

The ... memories we hold close in our hearts will keep her spirit alive forever. As we chose the poem "Afterglow" for her memorial cards we ask that you remember this:

I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one. I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when day is done. I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways of happy times and laughing times bright and sunny days. I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry before the sun of happy memories that I leave behind when day is done.

This is what she would want for all of us to hold dear.

Conestoga Vizsla Club Newsletter

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Winter 2009 (Oct., Nov., Dec.) ~ Deadline = September 15, 2009

1st Quarter 2010 (Jan., Feb., Mar.) ~ Deadline = December 10, 2009

2nd Quarter 2010 (Apr., May, June) ~ Deadline = March 15, 2010

3rd Quarter 2010 (July, Aug., Sept.) ~ Deadline = June 15, 2010

4th Quarter 2010 (Oct., Nov., Dec.) ~ Deadline = September 15, 2010



Placement Cost:

Front cover w/1 photo: \$40

Centerfold (two full pages) w/2 photos: \$65

Inside full page w/1 photo: \$15 (Extra photo: \$8)

Inside full page with no photo: \$15

Half page w/1 photo: \$12

Wags n Brags: \$1 (each announcement)

Instructions:

§ Use camera-ready enclosed (e-mail , disc or paper) **OR**

§ Layout an ad with the information provided

§ Please use a separate order form for each ad

§ All advertising orders are accepted ~ first-come-first-serve.

§ Type or print all information and instructions clearly. We will NOT run your ad without OFA numbers.

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§ Please run the ad in another location.

§ Please refund my money.

§ Please hold my ad for the next issue.

§ Please call me for further instructions.

Signed: _____



Dr. Watts & Otis

What Does the Vet Say?

Q: What is the most common type of skin mass you see in dogs?

A: Four out of five skin masses in dogs are benign. Although there are dozens of types of benign skin masses, the most common are either sebaceous cysts or lipomas, commonly called “fatty tumors.”

Sebaceous cysts are generally small, round, firm masses in the skin itself. They move freely with the skin and are usually not painful. Occasionally one will rupture and get infected. Generally these masses are ignored unless they present a cosmetic problem or repeatedly rupture.

Lipomas are soft, freely movable masses under the skin. They can be small or grow quite large. Small lipomas can be safely ignored. Larger lipomas sometimes need removal. The largest I have removed was the size of a basketball.

Cancerous skin masses in dogs are fairly common. Roughly one out of every five skin masses is cancerous or pre-cancerous. The most common type is a mast cell tumor, which account for nearly 15 percent of all skin tumors in dogs. Lymphoma, squamous cell

carcinoma, melanoma, and breast cancer are all commonly seen as skin masses in dogs. Many can look quite benign, even to the trained eye, so it is important to have each one checked.

When a new mass appears, it is wise to have your veterinarian perform a needle aspirate of the tumor. This test is quick and relatively painless. The aspirate will allow the veterinarian and/or veterinary pathologist to review the cell type inside the mass. Together with the clinical appearance, the microscopic appearance will allow your veterinarian to advise you on the best course of action.

The needle aspirate is one of the most overlooked tests in veterinary medicine. Many times I have found malignancy in a mass that I had suspected would be benign. In these cases, a quick surgical cure is frequently possible due to early detection.

It is important to note that needle aspirates are not 100% reliable. Sometimes the needle will miss important cells. Even if the aspirate suggests a benign mass, tumors that act aggressively should be removed and biopsied.

Thank you for your interest in this column. I encourage readers to submit questions to me by e-mail at WattsDVM@yahoo.com. I will answer as many questions as possible in future editions.

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www.clevengerscorner.com

Note: Dr. Watts is owned by Otis, a Vizsla bred by Michelle Dowd.

Have a question for Dr. Watts?

Send him an email and watch your CVC Newsletter for his response!

Resolutions & Code of Ethics ~ Conestoga Vizsla Club, Inc.

General Information ~ The CVC Newsletter is published for the entertainment and education of its club members. Material that is contrary to the goals and policies of the American Kennel Club, the Vizsla Club of America, Inc., the Conestoga Vizsla Club, Inc., or that criticizes or is detrimental to members of the clubs, dogs, or the sport of dogs, will not be printed. All items submitted are the property of the club and will remain on file for possible future use. If a member desires that pictures be returned, they must be accompanied by a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Disclaimer ~ The opinions expressed herein do not necessarily express or reflect the opinions of the Conestoga Vizsla Club (CVC), its editor, its officers, directors or members. Dogs and kennels advertised in the Stud Dog/Breeder Listings or elsewhere do not constitute an endorsement by the CVC. Persons using this publication must decide for themselves which breeder is most suitable for their purpose. The CVC will have no responsibility or liability for any claim arising in connection with any alleged or actual violation of the CVC's Code of Ethics by advertisers in this publication or by other members of the CVC. Although the CVC may publish registration numbers, ratings, listing, gradings or other identifying information provided by various other organizations, the CVC takes no responsibility for either their accuracy or the method by which they were derived.

Resolution ~ The Vizsla Club of America and the CVC have resolved that all breeding stock is to be radiographed and that only those animals certified free of hip dysplasia are to be used for breeding purposes. Prospective breeders and puppy buyers are urged to inquire as to the OFA certification of both the sire and the dam prior to any purchase. Breeders in the Stud Dog/ Breeders Listings must be CVC members. In keeping with this resolution, the CVC newsletter will not accept ads for any male Vizsla over the age of 24 months or any female Vizsla over the age of 26 months that does not have an OFA number except as follows:

- ◆ Congratulatory ads from sires and/or dams to congratulate their progeny on achievements need only have OFA numbers for the sires and/or dams whether or not the progeny is over the age of two years.
- ◆ Dogs mentioned in ads or articles of an informative nature with regard to medical or personal experiences do not require an OFA number nor those mentioned in reports.
- ◆ Memorial ads do not require an OFA number.
- ◆ All ads (except "Wags n Brags") concerning the accomplishments of a dog in performance event(s) must include dog's full OFA number and date of birth.
- ◆ "Wags n Brags" must include the following information: Full AKC registration name and number, placement awarded, location of win and owner's name
- ◆ Ads for puppy litters will not be accepted unless the sire and dam had OFA numbers at the time of breeding. Complete OFA numbers must be submitted with each request and will be printed in full. For purposes of these requirements, the deadline date for the CVC Newsletter issue in which the ad is to appear controls the question of age.

Instructions for OFA diagnosis may be obtained for a fee from the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals, 2300 E. Nifong Blvd., Columbia, MO 65201 -3856, 573/422-0148.

Resolution ~ The officers and boards of directors of the Vizsla Club of America and the CVC, in cognizance of the respective responsibilities to protect the breed and foster its development, do hereby condemn cross-breeding of purebred Vizslas and falsification of registration documents. All persons following the Vizsla fancy are enjoined to subscribe to this ethic in the best interest of the breed. *(continued next page)*

Resolution ~ The officers and boards of directors of the Vizsla Club of America and the CVC, in cognizance of the respective responsibilities to protect the breed and foster its development, do hereby condemn the breeding of dogs with serious genetic defects including: epilepsy, PRA (Progressive Retinal Atrophy), von Willebrand's disease, entropion and cranial muscular atrophy.

Code of Ethics

Sportsmanship ~ CVC members will:

- ◆ Always conduct themselves in a manner that will reflect credit upon themselves, their Vizslas and the sport of purebred dogs, regardless of the location or circumstance.
- ◆ Always protect and advance the development of the Vizsla through continued improvement of soundness, stable temperament, natural hunting ability and conformation as set forth in the official Vizsla Standard.

Health ~ CVC members will:

- ◆ Maintain the best possible standards of canine health, cleanliness and veterinary care in an atmosphere conducive to the stable development of their dogs.

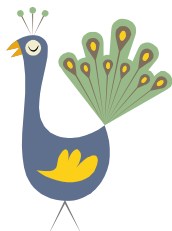
Breeding ~ CVC members will:

- ◆ Breed only with the intention of improving the breed by breeding only those Vizslas that conform to the standard as recognized by the American Kennel Club, exhibit soundness, stable temperament and natural hunting ability.
- ◆ Breed only those dogs that are free of serious hereditary defects (including epilepsy, progressive retinal atrophy, von Willebrand's disease, entropion and cranial muscular atrophy), are over two years of age and have been x-rayed and are OFA-certified free from hip dysplasia.

Sales ~ CVC members will:

- ◆ Not breed, sell, or consign puppies or adult dogs to pet shops or other commercial ventures such as lotteries or raffles.
- ◆ Honestly evaluate the quality of the Vizsla sold and fairly represent that evaluation and urge puppy purchasers to spay or neuter all pets which for any reason will not be used for breeding.
- ◆ Not release puppies under seven weeks of age.
- ◆ Furnish details on feeding, care, inoculations, pedigrees, and written sales agreements.
- ◆ Screen all prospective buyers to assure that puppies have safe and loving homes.
- ◆ Supply assistance and support to puppy buyers for the life of the dog.
- ◆ Encourage owners to become involved in Vizsla activities, the Conestoga Vizsla Club, the Vizsla Club of America and/or other regional Vizsla clubs.

This Code of Ethics was accepted by the Vizsla Club of America Board of Directors and the general membership on October 24, 1992. Adopted by the Conestoga Vizsla Club Board of Directors on October 15, 1997.





Great Christmas Stocking Stuffer!

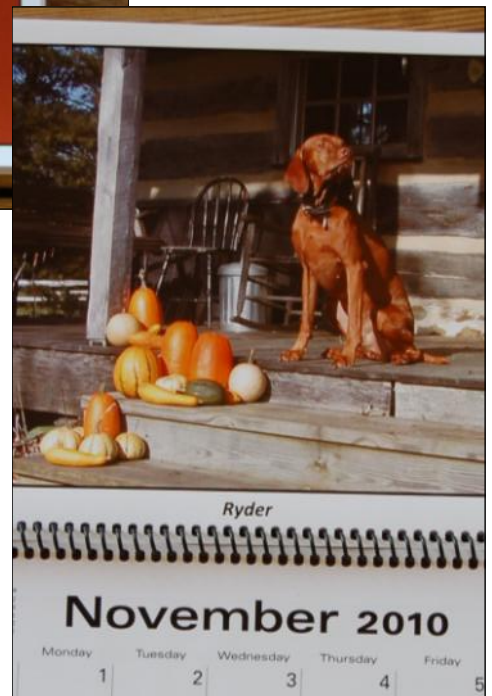
Breeders, buy calendars for your puppy buyers!

**Conestoga Vizsla Club
2010 Calendar Order Form**

Members- \$15 ~ Non-members- \$17

Calendars can be purchased at any upcoming CVC event or mailed to you (Payment must be received prior to shipping. Please include \$3 for postage for one calendar and \$5.50 total for two or more calendars. Delivery time generally 2-3 days.)

Make checks payable to Conestoga Vizsla Club. (Phone orders cannot be accepted.)



Contact Tracy Faber to order your calendars.

Tracy Faber ~ 21019 Forest Highlands Ct. ~
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