

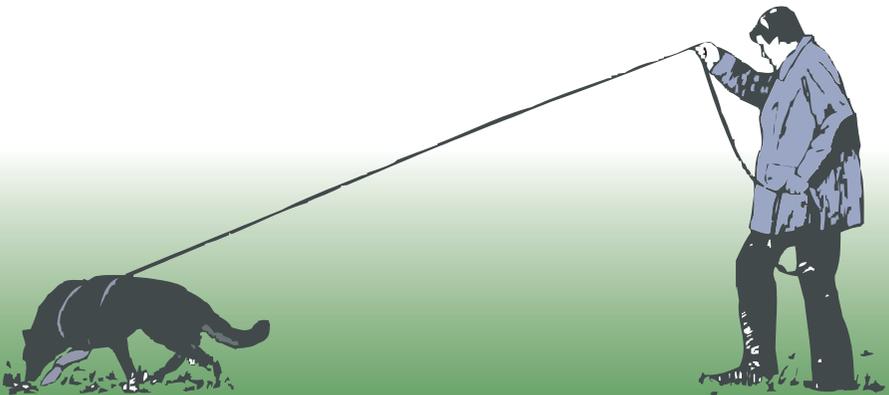
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JUDGE: LES THEOBALD



PD JUDGE
JUDGE: RON JAQUES





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EDITORIAL

The final ticket winners for this Trials Year were Angela Porter and CARIS TYLER WOOD who won the TD stake at Hampshire judged by Paula Harvey. Congratulations Angela, winning the Ticket with a Goldie on his first time in championship TD is no mean feat. Very well done and good luck at the Kennel Club Championships 2006.

The stage is now set for the 2006 Championships and there are 15 TD handlers working 16 dogs. Stevi Boyall won one ticket with her own STYPERSON LOMOND and another with Sheila Tannert's W.T. Ch. STYPERSON TERN. One dog has won 3 TD tickets this year, well done Gary and W.T.Ch. CAFCOL RON, and one has secured two TD tickets. Well done Sheila and W.T. Ch. STYPERSON BRIAR.

In the PD stake there are four competitors working five dogs. Dave Marchant has won four PD tickets this year - two with W.T.Ch. WAGGERLAND MISTER JAKE and two more with his young dog W.T.Ch. WAGGERLAND MURPHY. Many congratulations Dave!

One team is working in both the TD and the PD stakes. Congratulations on this achievement go to Rod Roberts and W.T. Ch. LITTLE BART. Good luck to all competitors, and above all enjoy the most prestigious event of our great sport.

ANNE BUSSEY

ASSISTANT EDITOR

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READERS LETTERS

Can I through the pages of your magazine send my warmest congratulations to Angela Porter and Charlie on winning the ticket at Hampshire. Charlie is the first Golden Retriever to achieve this accolade. At only four years old I'm sure he has many more to come.

He is a credit to you Angela. Good luck at the KCC's and have lots of fun. I'm sure Charlie will.

Congratulations must also go to Anne Wright for producing this lovely Carishill line of Goldens, Charlie being sired by Anne's beautiful Fred (Storm Shadow TDex)

They are what Golden Retrievers should be. Full of life and attitude, so willing to please, intelligent, kind and gentle and

they even look like Goldies should. I am so pleased I was persuaded by Angela to have Poppy (Carishill Hyacinth) two years ago. Well done Anne and keep up the good work.

Once again congratulations to you both.

Pat Parkinson

A VIEW ABOUT REGULATION I.27.F.

I had always been aware that one must attempt all exercises. I think in the early stages with a young dog, it is quite possible that we know it might fail - this seems usually to be the jumps, or sendaway.

My own experience of this was when I was tracking on Ashdown Forest, and having spent quite a lot of time flat on my face - because I have short legs to get over the heather, and a dog that had only one speed

DON'T FORGET ENTRIES CLOSING

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| September | | | |
| 28th | Iceni GSD Club (Tollesbury, 1st - 5th November 2006) | CH | TD WD UD CD |
| 29th | BAGSD (Long Compton, 27th - 29th October 2006) | OP | TD UD CD |
| October | | | |
| 4th | ASPADS (Dundee, w/e 12th November 2006) | CH | TD WD UD CD |
| 9th | Leamington D.T.C. (Pailton, 13th - 19th November 2006) | CH | TD WD CD |
| 10th | Lincolnshire GSD & ABTS (Dunholme, 10th - 12th November 2006) | OP | TD WD UD CD |
| 16th | Ramore D.T.C. (Ockley, 10th - 12th November 2006) | OP | PD WD UD |
| 27th | Wessex W.T.S. (Upottery, 23rd - 26th November 2006) | OP | PD WD CD |
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to track, "FAST" - when I came to work the square I was hardly able to stand, let alone walk. So when the dog had got 2 articles I was ready to say "That's it!" But the judge advised me to stand still and wait for time, as there were still 2 minutes on the clock. So thanks to that judge, we qualified WDEx for our second time.

ANN WRIGHT

ADDRESS CHANGE

Doug and Sheila Shearer are moving. As of the 15th October. their new address will be:
2 Plenderleigh Cottages
Jedburgh
TD8 6NE

CLUB FOCUS

ASPADS TREASURER

After 10 years as ASPADS Treasurer Maureen Regan has decided to step down at the AGM next April (2007)

It will be a hard act to follow but if anyone feels that that have what it takes and would like to come and help us run the Society we would be very grateful.

Further information can be obtained from Barry Gilbert (Chairman) or Barry Harvey (Hon Sec)

BARRY HARVEY
ASPADS Hon Sec

TRIAL CANCELLATION.

Due to the NWWTS hosting the KC Championships in October it has been decided for a number of reasons to cancel the Open Trial in November 2006. The Open Trial will be back to normal in 2007.

SATS MOCK TRIAL

SATS Mock trial, held at Holmbush Farm on Sunday 3 September, proved to be an extremely educational day enjoyed by all. The weather could not have been better - cool, damp and overcast, with a light wind for the nosework, and bright and sunny for the afternoon control.

The day started by briefing the competitors. They would all be laying tracks and squares, and stewarding. The most experienced competitor was assistant judge to our senior judge, Bill Hardaway, who still kept his appointment, despite the death of his mother in the early hours of the day.

Betty and Frances were the track, square and steward tutors. They gave great confidence to the competitors, which I hope, means that we will have more helpers for the future.

Photos of the day were taken by Betty, and show how everybody helped and competed.

The whole "trial" was carried out on farmland, which was linseed stubble. This meant that we didn't have to keep moving areas. It also showed that at trials, one takes the rough with the smooth. When it came to setting up the jumps, the stubble was pulled up so that the take off and landing areas were made safe and clear. This is where I must add a special Thank You to Ron Jaques for the loan of his demountable scale.

Thanks to everybody for coming and entering the spirit of the day.

ANN WRIGHT

2006 KENNEL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

CRUFTS IN WELLIES

Those of you who are new to Trials may wonder what others are on about when they talk about 'KCs' and 'Tickets'. It could mean anything!

In Working Trial terms a 'ticket' is awarded to each winner of every PD and TD Championship Trial in the country throughout the year (September to August)

This 'ticket' qualification is the invitation to compete at the Kennel Club Championships (KCs) held in October each year and hosted by individual Societies on behalf of the Kennel Club.

This year 16 handlers and dogs have won TD tickets and 5 have won PD tickets. They will now compete at the Kennel Club Championships (KCs) on 19th, 20th and 21st October 2006 at Lower Withington, Cheshire. (Junction 18 or 19 from the M6) Refer to advert for programme details.

It is a good opportunity to watch the tracking, control, agility and patrol work of the best in the country and perhaps take on board some of the various methods, style and approaches

of these handlers, which have got them to the top.

This year it is pleasing to have a good variety of breeds, especially gun dogs, in the competition which can only add to the interest.

The weekend does not have to be expensive. There is no entry or spectator fee, and if you are staying over camping is available for tents or caravans from £6.00 per night.

Spectators' dogs are not welcome to watch the tracks or control for obvious reasons. (While enthusiasm may be desirable it is unfair to the working dogs to have barking and whingeing distractions)

Similarly if you have dogs that are noisy in cars or uneasy with other dogs you may find it easier to leave them at home. The base is in a residential area and we try to keep the invasion of the village and local dog walks as low key as possible. We should pride ourselves in having working, obedient dogs in our sport, but we need to prove it to the onlooker at all times, not just when under test.

The North West extends a very warm welcome to all competing and visiting dogs to the KCs and if your dog can vouch for you, you can come too!!

JENNY HOLT

TRIALS MANAGER

T.D. COMPETITORS DRAW

Thursday

Group 1

| | |
|----------------|--------------------------|
| Stevi Boyall | W.T. Ch. STYPERSON TERN |
| Stevie Boyall | STYPERSON LOMOND |
| Sheila Tannert | W.T. Ch. STYPERSON BRIAR |
| Sheren Perez | KAY LAREN |

Group 2

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|---------------|----------------------------|
| Gary Atkins | W.T.Ch. CAFCOL RON |
| Julie Atkins | OUR DUG |
| Allyson Tohme | FURSDON TWYLYTE TRAMONTANO |
| Rod Roberts | W.T. Ch. LITTLE BART |

Friday

Group 3

| | |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Angela Porter | CARIS TYLER WOOD |
| Margaret Robinson | W.T.Ch. TYTRI LACE AT TRENTVALLEY |
| Sue Redshaw | ELOWOOD DILL of SHAWDOWN |
| Anne Thorpe | GLENALPINE IZZIE AT DALMAIN |

Group 4

Jane Webb
Judy Meekings
Anne Bussey
Anne Fowler

W.T.Ch. FLYNTASTIC WININ VENTURE
WITHYLINCH MURR AT WINDLEBROOK
W.T. Ch. ROMENO IF SIX WAS NINE
W.T. Ch. WAGGERLAND FLOSS

P.D. COMPETITORS DRAW

Friday

1 Group

Dave Marchant
Dave Marchant
Rod Roberts
Graham Brumpton
Wendy Beasley

W.T.Ch. WAGGERLAND MURPHY
W.T.Ch. WAGGERLAND MISTER JAKE
W.T.Ch. LITTLE BART
W.T.Ch. JUST WILLIAM
W.T.Ch. BRIDGALPINE LIBRA OF STARDELL

TRACKING DOG STAKE

Judge: Les Theobald



Many thanks to the societies for putting my name forward to judge this year's Kennel Club Championship Trial, and to the Kennel Club Working Trial Committee for the invitation to judge. Also thanks must go to North West Working Trials Society for hosting the event, to Jenny Holt and her team for all the organisation.

I first entered Working Trials in 1973 with a

police dog, when my Sergeant told me he had entered me for the local trial run by Benfleet; I think it was a ploy by him to get me to work harder in training. Having been entered, I then had to find out what the exercises were. Qualifying UD at that certainly worked, as I have been competing ever since with a number of dogs, at first GSD's, both police dogs and my own. I then decided to have a change of breed, having had a number of GSD's with health problems, turning to Border Collies of which I am now on my second.

Having competed in these Championships on one occasion a few years ago, I am very aware just how daunting it can be for somebody who has never competed there before. I would just like to remind all the competitors, you have nothing to prove, you have already done that by qualifying for the event, just enjoy yourselves.

It is an honour to judge the TD stake at this event and I wish all the competitors the best of luck.

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**STEVI BOYALL
WITH
WT CH. STYPERSON TERN,
CDEX - TDEX**



Pet Name: Heather
 Breed: Labrador Retriever, Dog
 Dob: 22/3/97
 Breeder: Mr & Mrs J Dudley
 Sire: FTCh Styperson Grouse
 Dam: Kenvee Alice of Styperson
 Owner: Sheila Tannert
 Qualified at SWTS, judge **Lorna Cottier**
 Stevi says:

I can't believe I'm actually at the KC's with Heather, and what a great story there is behind it. Well great from my point of view, but not for Sheila's back.

Sheila had been suffering from a bad back for a while, even after seeing chiropractors and having physiotherapy. She was feeling a little better but not 100%, but it's not in our family's nature to give up. By the time we arrived at Lauder, Sheila was in pain again. But she decided that she would still work Briar, who was drawn to work before Heather. From what I know, because I couldn't watch, they were going very well, until Sheila tumbled – she's known for falling. This made her back

worse, but she carried on tracking Briar. As Sheila came back down the field she had already told the judge, Lorna Cottier that she would have to withdraw Heather. I still don't know who put my name forward to work Heather, but a big thank you, because it worked out well for me in the end. I knew Heather would work for me, as she was the first dog I ever worked in Heelwork To Music, some 4 years ago.

I worked my own dog Harley first, and then with Maeve's helping with the swapping over of dogs, I walked up the hill with Heather ready to track. I must say she did work her socks off for me.

I would like to thank Sheila for letting me work Heather at the KC's. I know the amount of work Sheila's put into training her over the years, and this being Heather's last outing I hope that I will do Sheila proud. I would like to wish Heather a long and happy retirement. Heather is also from Mr and Mrs Dudley, she was the first one Sheila had from this kennels. My dog Harley is a repeat mating of Heather, so it's a great privilege for me to work both brother and sister at the KC's.

I would like to say thank you to everyone who has helped me along the way, and to Sheila Tannert, without her I couldn't do Working Trials. Thanks also to Lorna Cottier for awarding me my first ticket.

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**MARGARET ROBINSON
WITH
WT CH. TYTRI LACE AT TRENTVALLEY,
CDEX - TDEX**

Pet Name: Lace
 Breed: Border Collie, Bitch
 Dob: 16/05/02
 Breeder: Chris Theobold
 Sire: Carfield Erin
 Dam: Bridgalpine Tri Mischief



(photo by Sue Redshaw)

Qualified at

NECWTS. Judge **Harry Arbuckle**

Margaret writes:

I was introduced to Trials by Rod Roberts, and started competing around 1992 with a wonderful little dog called Jeb who was bred by Rod. Jeb was about five and a half when we started, and although the jumps were almost beyond his physical capabilities, he was very good at everything else, especially the nose work, and managed to qualify UDex & WD open.

And so the addiction began. Next followed a very special dog, WT Ch. Just Jake, who regrettably died at just three and a half . Then we had Rab, our “almost dog.” He almost did most tracks but not quite, therefore with one Ticket and six reserves, he was almost a WT Ch., but not quite, and at almost 12 years old, he is now happily enjoying his retirement.

Then, thanks to Chris Theobold, along came Lace, my very special little lady, who just sort of does it. She rarely gets worked from one trial to the next but somehow manages not only to cope, but always to give of her very very best. What more can a handler ask? Thank you Lacey.

I think the standard of work in Trials has changed beyond recognition over the past eight years, particularly in TD. New methods, and more and better understanding, con-

tinue to contribute to raising the standards of training ever higher and long may they continue to do so.

Thanks to all the tracklayers, stewards, helpers, judges and farmers who make this brilliant sport possible, and to the working trials community in general, who are all an exceptionally special bunch of people.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank, Liz, Anne, Jan, & Tom, Andy & Liza, Jan & Jim for all their help and support.

Just leaves me to wish a little bit of good luck to my fellow competitors, as I'm saving the lion's share for me, plus a little bit for Anne and Flossie.

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ALLYSON TOHME

WITH

FURSDON TWYLYTE TRAMONTANO, AD,

Fh1, CDEX - TDex



(photo by Paul Beasley)

Pet Name: Twigg
 Breed: Long Haired Weimaraner, B.
 Dob: 13/05/2000
 Breeder: Gary and Teresa Clinick
 Sire: Langhaar Lightyear
 Dam: Fursdon Fairytale CDEX-WDex
 Qualified at

**GARY ATKINS
WITH
WT CH. CAFCOLL RON,
CDEX - TDEX**

Essex 2000 judge **Barry Harvey**, Twiggy entered, qualified and won her first trial at 19 months old in the UD stake and then proceeded to win all her opens on the way to this WT Certificate. Although many have commented on how pretty she is, underneath those long eyelashes lies a very tough and tenacious character (almost) as stubborn as her owner!

Neither “fast” nor “flashy” one of her fortes is that she takes everything in her stride (including my “other” German) and has quite a full life outside the Working Trial arena.

Apart from winning in the breed ring at both Open and Championship level, she has gained numerous top ten placings at KC licensed agility shows, (due to accuracy rather than speed).

She has racked up a fair few records for the breed by becoming the first Weimaraner to pass the Begleithunde test and be awarded both the Ausdauerprüfung (Endurance Test) and Fartenhunde 1 titles in Schutzhund (although she has absolutely no interest in bitework); not to mention being invited to participate in UK Superdog 2004 and participating in K9 Multisports.

One of only three Weimaraners in the country to date to have passed the Preliminary Stage for the KC Working Gundog Certificate we have also dipped our toes into Gundog Working Tests and obtained a 2nd in Special Beginners from a field of 15.

I am very proud of the fact that she is a registered PAT dog and, until recently, made regular calls to a client at a MENCAP home. Unfortunately due to a change in my job role we have had to curtail these visits for the time being.

I am delighted to be competing at this year’s KCCs and hope to enjoy myself and not let my little grey dog down.

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Pet Name: Ron
Breed: Border Collie, Dog
Dob: 04/06/2001
Breeder: Carol Fallon
Sire: WT Ch.. Glenalpine Matt
Dam: Anasonata Francia Fancy
Qualified at:
Poole. Judge: **Barry Gilbert** :
ASPADS Enfield Judge **Roy Williams**
Surrey. Judge **Roger Shrimpton**,

Gary says:
This will be Ron’s first appearance at the KCC’s.

I must thank Julie for persuading me to train Ron for trials, as when all the rubbish about TD ballots was going around I was all for knocking it on the head.

Ron is from the first litter sired by Matt, is Mick’s nephew and Drift’s grandson so there was never any question of him fitting in and being the ideal dog for me to train for trials. He really is a smashing dog and always tries his best. Ron has won three tickets this year so thanks go to Barry Gilbert at Poole, Roy Williams at Enfield and Roger Shrimpton at Surrey.

Thanks as always go to Julie for her help with the training and Good Luck with Dug (the littlest big dog we have ever owned) at his first KCC's.

Thank you to North West for hosting the event, I hope all goes well. Good Luck to all competitors, I'm sure we'll have a good weekend.

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**ANNE FOWLER
WITH
WT CH. WAGGERLAND FLOSS,
CDEX - TDEX**



Pet Name: Flossie
Breed: Border Collie, Bitch
Dob: 16/12/1999
Breeder: M P Snow
Sire: Kai Intrepid
Dam: Waggerland Fleur

Qualified at:
2005 KENNEL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS Judge
Paula Harvey

Anne writes:

Thank you Paula for thinking Flossie was good enough to win the Kennel Club Championships. It was a truly wonderful experience. Thanks to everyone involved in helping at trials, allowing us the opportunity to be able to compete in such a wonderful sport. Tom Darby said to me at Leamington, when everyone was taking turns babysitting Anna, allowing me to work my dog, "What other sport could you do that people would help in this way?" I think it sums up trials.

Thank you to my wonderful Flossie for always giving 100% in spite of me, and also to my darling Anna for being our lucky mascot.

Special thanks to Sue Redshaw for the photograph and good luck to you, and everyone at this year's Kennel Club Championships, especially Margaret and Lacey.

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**ROD ROBERTS
WITH
WT CH. LITTLE BART,
CDEX - TDEX, PDEx**



Pet Name: Bart
Breed: Crossbreed, Dog
Dob: 13/03/2000
Breeder: Owner
Sire: Mister Tim, CDex-TDex
Dam: Vonsandbar Elegance,
CDex-TDex

Proud Owner and Handler - Rod Roberts

Qualified at ICENI Judge **John Wykes**

Rod writes:

"The Luck of the draw", "What goes round comes round". For more years than I care to remember I've intermittently trailed off to IcenI, the weather has usually been foul and the ground hard rolled plough. Well, this year all my Christmases came at once; a beautiful day, perfect ground, just enough breeze to help the square, a discerning Judge, a great tracklayer in Mark, and a lovely smelly Square layer, (no offence Kate just admiration) = Super Nosework

After mixed fortunes on the C/A, control day

finished with a track for a runoff. It was a proud moment for me beating Anne Fowler (the current KCC Champion) and making Bart a Working Trials Champion. Thanks John for your good taste and Judgement.

This will be my eighth outing in TD at this year's KCC's, so hopefully the nerves won't be too bad. Best wishes to Jenny Holt and her team of helpers; knowing them, they won't need luck - it'll be great.

Two people I want to thank for a diverse kind of help that put me into this position are Janette Sayer and Dave Olley. Their keenness and passion while being trained has infected and motivated me to a level I haven't know since Sid's retirement. To my fellow competitors - break a leg.

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**SHEILA TANNERT
WITH
WT CH. STYPERSON BRIAR**



Pet Name: Briar
Breed: Labrador Retriever, Bitch
Dob: 04/06/2002
Breeder: Mr & Mrs J Dudley

Sire: FTCh Garendon Captain
Dam: FTW Styperson Pipit
Qualified at
ASPADS Dundee. Judge **Len Newman** :
Yorkshire. Skipsea. Judge **Jeff Poole**

My first dog was a black Labrador I named Poppy. We competed in Obedience with minimum success due to my inexperience and her stubbornness. My main ambition was to gain a place rosette, that was until I came 4th in a Novice class, then I just wanted to win out of Beginners; and so it goes on, the more you do the more you want. I then had another bitch called Fern which I worked alongside Poppy. Both dogs did quite well winning out of both Beginners and Novice, then Poppy had problems with her hips so I retired her. I carried on working Fern in obedience and also around this time I acquired yet another black Labrador bitch which I named Bracken. Bracken suffered from lameness at a very early age, this being what I now know to be the starting of arthritis. Fern during this time was still competing at obedience but never reached her full potential. Judges used to say this type of dog is not meant to be doing obedience, so Linda Topliss suggested we have a go at Working Trials. We invited Margaret Robinson over to show us the exercises we would have to do, and after this session we were hooked. By this time Fern was 6 years old and it took us a long time to teach her the agility exercises, but once she gained the confidence with the jumps, and with such a good grounding in obedience, we were well away, and we qualified CDex UDex WDex and TD open before she retired. Bracken has, as I have mentioned, had problems with her lameness, but a vet friend said to have a go and see what happened; she managed to qualify through the classes and gain a TDex before she had to retire. I then obtained Heather (Styperson Tern) from Eileen Dudley, who competes in Field Trials; this is the best thing I have ever done, Heather learned to track quite easily

and is such a super dog. Briar (Styperson Briar) (who I also acquired from Eileen) came along after Heather, and it's Briar I am working at this year's K.C.C. She is not an easy dog to work; this is mainly down to me and not her working ability. Because Briar has had a shoulder injury this year we have not competed since Christmas, (at the time of writing) so we will have to see what happens. I feel very privileged to have been given the chance to compete at this year's K.C.C. I would like to thank Len Newman and Jeff Poole for awarding Briar her tickets this year and to my tracklayers for laying the tracks and all the helpers at trials, without them there would be no trials. I would like to wish Stevi, who will be working her own dog Harley as well as my other dog Heather at the K.C.C, all the best, and Good Luck to all my fellow competitors.

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**SHEREN PEREZ
WITH
KAY LAREN
CDEX - TDEX**



Pet Name: Kayla
Breed: WSD, Bitch
Dob: 23/03/2000
Further Details Unknown
Qualified at:

Leamington. Judge Les Theobald

Sheren says:

Six years ago, having lost my 8th dog, I felt I couldn't go through the heartache again, but I couldn't stand the emptiness of a house without one, so I decided to get another.

My daughters bought Kayla for me, and having read seven books on Collies, I knew I would have to do more than just walk this dog. I used to compete with horses but never expected to with a dog, but! Herts DTS suggested Working Trials.

I started training and soon discovered that Kayla was a natural tracker; on just her 7th day out tracking someone laid me a UD track, told me to have a go & to put my hand up if I didn't know where I was or what I was doing. Kayla took me all the way round whilst I followed with my hand up in the air the whole time!

At 19 months old Kayla entered her first trial - I now realise that we were not ready! Undeterred by not qualifying, I'd got the bug and persevered. About a year later, after several attempts to qualify, it all started coming together. We qualified CDex & UDex on the same day, then WD 1st time out.

By Feb 2004 we were in Ticket. This was scary and consequently at our 1st TD championship, I totally ruined our control by my nerves, having spectators IN the field with us terrified me. Seven months later we had qualified TDex and I was over the moon. We went on to qualify TDex a couple more times, then things started to go downhill. John Reynolds told me my dog wasn't TRACK fit. Thanks John, you did me a big favour, from that day on our training tracks became up to three times longer.

Our search squares were failing us too, however thanks to John, Kate & Sue, I put in the hard work they suggested. To this end we won the Ticket at Leamington and here we are, terrified, but excited at the thought of the KCC's. My thanks to Les Theobald who judged us on that memorable day!

Thanks to ALL the trials managers, tracklay-

ers, stewards & helpers in trials that have made this all possible.

Thanks to my friends Nicole, Emily & Lynne for laying all those tracks for us and to Angela for accompanying me to every trial.

Special thanks to Alfredo my husband who has not only supported me reducing my working hours just to train my dog, but for also putting up with hardly ever seeing me for the past 5 years!

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**STEVY BOYALL
WITH
STYPERSON LOMOND,
CDEX - TDEX**



Pet Name: Harley
Breed: Labrador Retriever, Dog
Dob: 28/04/2001
Breeder: Mr & Mrs Dudley
Sire: FTCh Styperson Grouse
Dam: Kenvee Alice of Styperson
Qualified at:
Welsh Kennel Club, Judge **Anne Thorpe**

Never in my wildest dreams would I have thought I'd be writing one K.C. report never

mind two. Maybe this one with Harley is that bit more special.

The person who introduced me to trials, nobody will ever guess, was Sheila Tannert, my auntie. She was still working Bracken when I first thought I would really like to have a go, but it wasn't till a few years later that I got my first dog; by that time Sheila was working Heather and Briar.

My first dog was a lot like me in a way, a problem child. He was a Bearded Collie X called Dillon, who we got from a farm when he was 8 weeks old. We had a go at everything - Working Trials, Obedience and Heelwork to Music to name a few. I soon realised that none of this was for him, so he is now a pet dog, aged 7 years.

Now all I had to do was get a dog that really wanted to work; enter Harley who is now 5 years old, and I am very proud of him. He has strongly worked his way up through the classes to get himself where he is today.

I bought Harley from Eileen Dudley, who competes in Field Trials, and at the time lived in Manchester. It is where Sheila Tannert and Maeve Weselby both had their great labs from.

Working Trials is not the only wacky dog sport I do. I ventured into Heelwork to Music almost 4 years ago, with the help of Linda Topliss, who's been a huge encouragement to me in both Heelwork to Music and Working Trials, and I must say a big thank you to her. I have also done demonstrations for the Young Kennel Club, and I have worked at Crufts, which was a wonderful experience.

Although I haven't been in trials long, I've met some great people who will stay in my mind forever. Trials are wonderful because every trial is different, and you have to have that little bit of extra luck on the day. I would like to say thank you to Sheila Tannert - if it weren't for her I wouldn't be in trials today - also thank you to everyone who has helped me along the way. Thanks also to Anne Thorpe for awarding us our ticket.

If theres one thing I would like to happen in

working trials it would be to see it promoted more to juniors, so more younger competitors might become involved in this great sport.

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**JANE WEBB
WITH
FLYNNASTIC WININ VENTURE,
CDEX - TDEX,**



Pet Name: Robbie
Breed: WSD, Dog
Dob: 09/07/2000
Breeder: Mrs B L Eaton
Sire: Whatknow Razzmatazz
Dam: Flynntastic Desert Storm
Qualified at:
ASPADS Oxford. Judge **Tony Orchard**

Jane writes:
I have been in trials now for about 14 years, and I fell into them purely by accident. I joined Banbury DTC as a pet handler with Heather, my terrier cross. Banbury had a strong working trials section and I got hooked! Robbie is my third dog in trials; I bought him when Barney my rescue WSD was unable to do the jumps due to a back injury. Robbie has turned out to be the most

amazing boy; he loves his work and is a dream to live with.

I only have one other hobby and that is Obedience. Please accept my apologies for not attending many trials since Oxford but I'm on a mission! I desperately want to make Robbie a dual champion, so am concentrating on Obedience at the moment.

A big thank you to Tony Orchard for considering us worthy of your ticket at Oxford. This made Robbie a Working Trials Champion and half of our dream has come true! Thank you to all the people who have helped me over the years. Every contribution large or small has made a difference.

Good luck to all my fellow competitors and NWWTS hosting this year's event, I hope it all runs smoothly for you. Thank you to all the societies and helpers who run trials, without you none of us would be here today.

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**ANNE THORPE
WITH
GLENALPINE IZZIE AT DALEMMAIN,
CDEX -TDEX,**



Pet Name: Izzie
 Breed: Border Collie, Bitch
 Dob: 28/06/2001
 Breeder: Mr & Mrs C Taylor
 Sire: WT Ch. Anasonata Drovers
 Dilemma
 Dam: Glenalpine Humbug
 Qualified at
 Yorkshire. Judge **Rita Evans**

Anne says:

It was in 1983 that I was first introduced to the sport of working trials and liked what I saw. It didn't take too long before I was well and truly hooked (as they say) and I've been competing ever since.

Izzie is the fourth dog I have worked in trials. She is a pleasure to train, even though a little frustrating at times, and we still get our wires crossed occasionally when we compete, but I know she will always do her best and I can't ask for more than that.

This will be the first KCC's for both of us and I would like to thank Rita Evans for awarding us Yorkshire's ticket, Tom Darby for my track and Jan Darby for laying my square, you all made this trial one I will never forget.

There is just one more thank you and that is to everyone who has helped and given advice with Izzie's training (even training via telephone!) especially Sue, Pat, Julie and Gary. We are looking forward to competing at the KCC's and wish everyone good luck, especially Julie, Gary and the lads.

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**JUDY MEEKINGS
 WITH
 WITHYLINCH MURR AT WINDLEBROOK,
 CDEX, UDEX, WDEX, TDEX**

Pet name: Megan
 Breed: Labrador Retriever, Bitch
 Dob: 08/04/2001
 Breeder: Miss Clare Hellyer

Sire: FTCh Strad Benis
 Dam: Willowyck Lacy
 Qualified at SATS Judge **John West**



Judy writes:

Like a lot of Trialists, I came into Working Trials by accident. I was working a Springer Spaniel in Obedience (he was originally intended to be a gundog, but that's another story), and was told "That dog would do Working Trials!" After the usual "What's Working Trials?" I was taken to watch a Trial (the KC's, no less!), and I was hooked. I competed in my first Trial in 1980, CDex at Poole, and it was a total disaster! However, we improved a bit, Glenn got as far as qualifying WDex, and we learnt a lot together. I then went on to work four more Springers, qualifying 2 of them, Moss and Kes, TDex, until I saw the error of my ways, and decided to get a Labrador. I must thank Liz de Unger for putting me in touch with her niece, Clare, who bred Megan.

Megan has been a delight to live with, always

willing to work, but we did have problems with the tracking in her early days; I came very close to giving up with her, after a year in WD Open without completing a competition track. However, we persevered, with help and support from Stephanie McBride and Rod Roberts (huge thank you's to both of you), and in the last year she has come into her own, and developed into a good tracking dog. Winning the Ticket at SATS, as her first TDex qualification, was a dream come true, and I'm determined to enjoy every moment of the KCC's, whatever the result. I'd like to wish all competitors luck - but not too much!!

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**JULIE ATKINS
WITH
OUR DUG**



Pet Name: Dug
 Breed: Border Collie, Dog
 Dob: 29/04/2003
 Breeder: Gill Watson
 Sire: Glyn
 Dam: Jan
 Owners: Julie and Gary Atkins
 Qualified at
 BAGSD Tewkesbury. Judge **John Reynolds,**

Julie says:
 What can I say about Dug?
 He is from very strong working lines and it

shows. Although small in size, he is very powerful and can turn other dogs away with a glance, especially Ron, who is not allowed near me in the house. If I call Ron, Dug is always there first! In spite of this he is a delight to own and we are so glad that we got him, albeit in an unusual way, via the internet.

He is a pleasure to work because he loves it so much, but I was very surprised when we won the CC at Tewkesbury with such a terrific round, as he still so young and we still have a lot to learn about each other. Thanks to John Reynolds who is such an excellent judge and set up a super test!

Thanks to all at Leamington especially Pat and Annie who are always so supportive, to Tine, Charlie and gang for the fabulous chilling weekends when we *usually* manage to get a little bit of quality training done as well! Also, thanks to Gill and Andy for letting us have our Dug.

My biggest thanks as ever go to Gary who is my mentor and best friend; I just could not manage without you.

I am thrilled to be working a dog at the KCC.'s again, especially as Gary and Ron will be there with us. Ron is Drift's grandson, Mick's nephew and Matt's son and Gary's 3rd WT Champion, are we proud or what?

Good luck to North West and thanks for running the event.

I hope all competitors in both stakes have a great time with special luck to Annie with Izzie, and Dave with Jake and Murphy and of course my personal favourites, Gary with Ron.

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**ANNE BUSSEY
WITH
WT CH. ROMENO IF SIX WAS NINE,
CDEX - TDEX**

Pet Name: Grad

Breed: WSD, Dog
Dob: 06/09/2000
Breeder: Guy Haigh
Sire: WT Ch. Ules of Waggerland
Dam: Rockin' Mischief
Qualified at:
Wessex. Judge **Tony Lockyer**



Anne writes:

This will be our third year competing at the Kennel Club Championships and I am just as thrilled as when I was first invited in 2004.

Having had a very difficult time personally it seemed unlikely that we would win a ticket this year. All of my problems affected GRAD who lost weight, vigour and interest in life. To cap it all I lost my two old dogs and GRAD went into grieving. He seemed unable to concentrate on his work and was generally depressed. Even the lady in the card shop said what a sad little dog he looked! As they say time is a healer and GRAD has finally regained his vivacity and is now keen to go out tracking once more.

As you can imagine I was absolutely delighted when GRAD won the Ticket at Wessex judged by Tony Lockyer, many thanks Tony. Thanks also to my friends,

clients and everyone who has been so supportive during this difficult time. Your good wishes have meant so much to me. The kindness and generosity of some trials folk is astounding... You are such wonderful people!

I hope all competitors, judges, organisers and helpers have an enjoyable KCC's 2006 and I wish the very best of luck to all competitors. There is such a special atmosphere at the Championships, I am sure we will have a super time - come what may!

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SUE REDSHAW
WITH
ELOWOOD DILL OF SHAWDOWN, CDEX,
UDEX, WDEX, TDEX



Pet Name: Dillon
Breed: Labrador Retriever, Dog
Dob: 27/04/1999
Breeder: Mrs J Reader
Sire: Bravenhyde Toby
Dam: Elowood Hebe

Qualified at:

ASPADS Scarborough, Judge **Jill Carruthers**
Sue says:

I am still feeling dazed by our win at Scarborough. Dillon and I were only lying

third after the nosework and, since we are not noted for brilliant control rounds (to be honest they are usually crap – Jean Howells words: thank you, Jean!), I had absolutely no expectations. But, on the day, we pulled off a reasonable control round and only needed the stay to qualify. Qualifying was all I had in mind. Well, Dillon did the stay (no sitting up and scratching!) so I was just feeling thrilled to have qualified and telling Dillon he was a clever boy, when Anne Fowler came up to me and said “Congratulations!” I think I may have said “What for?” Slowly it sank in but it needed Barry Gilbert’s confirmation to make it a reality. Even then I couldn’t quite get my head round the idea that we, my Dillon and I, had won the Ticket.

Dillon is a black Labrador, full name Elowood Dill of Shawdown CDex - TDex, and he is seven years old. He was bred by Jean Reader in Surrey. Jean has always tried to breed good-looking working dogs and knows more about Labradors than anyone else I have met.

I do Gundog work with Dillon as well as Working Trials and he has been successful at that too. His high point was winning the individual trophy at the URC (United Retriever Club) Regional Finals. The Ather Bram Perpetual Cup that we were awarded was presented in 1972. The list of previous winners made interesting reading and I was particularly pleased to note that S Pickup (later to become Susan Scales) and WT Ch. Manymills Tanne won the trophy in 1973.

Dillon is my second Labrador. Chloe came first and I learnt a lot from working her. We took eight attempts at getting UD Open but she did eventually gain her TDex. A few weeks later she snapped her cruciate ligament and never worked again. Dillon was then eighteen months old, so he just took over. We were a lot more successful and he went up the stakes with relative ease and got his TDex two years later at SATS under Jill Carruthers. We have qualified on two other occasions when Jill was judging, at Lauder

and Tewkesbury. I seem to have become a Jill Carruthers’ “groupie”, so it was right and proper that we should be awarded the Ticket by Jill. So thank you to Jill, thank you to Tom Darby, who laid my track, and thank you to Jan Darby, who put out my square. A “dream team” indeed!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone at the Scarborough Trial for their kindness and good wishes. Also to thank the many people who have sent me cards and e-mails – all totally unexpected but much appreciated.

Lastly, I must mention my long-suffering husband, who is not into dogs, but puts up with them under his feet and holds the fort and looks after our mentally-handicapped daughter, while I go off enjoying myself!

I shall be very proud to attend the KCC’s and wish good luck and happy tracking to my fellow competitors.

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**ANGELA PORTER
WITH
CARIS TYLER WOOD,
CDEX, UDEX, WDEX**



Pet Name: Charlie
Breed: Golden Retriever, Dog
Dob: 10/07/2002

Breeder: Mrs A Wright
Sire: Storm Shadow, CDex-TDex
Dam: Abnalls Carina

Qualified at:

Hampshire. Judge **Paula Harvey**

Angela says:

Thank you so much to Hampshire WTS and Paula Harvey, for awarding Charlie a C.C. at his first attempt. We feel so humble, especially as I don't think a Goldie has achieved a Trials ticket before.

Charlie is number 4 in a line of my trials dogs, all of them Goldies or half Goldies. I started with Jake in 1992, followed by Tarn, who gained all his qualifiers but was 9 yrs old and ran out of time. Hector the big chap came next, and qualified TDex 5 times, gaining one 3rd place, to my immense pride. His main claim to fame was an inability to remain in the same field as me while under test for the sendaway exercise.

Charlie and Hector were both bred by Anne and David Wright, who themselves have successful Goldies in trials, so I certainly knew where to go when looking for another dog. Charlie's dam was Abnalls Carina, owned by Mrs Judith Pole in Somerset.

We have so many people and organisations to thank for Charlie's achievement. To mention but a few, first must come Anne Wright for watching us when problems came up, and identifying the solution immediately. West Herts WTS and Jan and Essex 2000 have provided land and training advice and facilities, as have Irene and Stephanie in Lincolnshire. More recently Ulf Hesse of Schutzhund from Germany has helped immensely when Charlie's nosework fell apart, (all of it!!) Many, many thanks to all. Trials to me have been a way of life since 1992, no other dog sport is quite the equivalent of enduring many hours in extreme weather conditions – if you don't love it you can't do it.

In the past I have done most things the hard way, (not on purpose) and think what I enjoy

most about trials is the huge challenge of getting all the elements to go right and at the same time!

Trials dogs are busy and fulfilled, and like most people I have dabbled in the other dog sports, returning quickly to Trials.

It has been pleasing to see a wider variety of breeds competing successfully over the last few years, perhaps because training societies are putting the message that most dogs can take part, handler willing!

We are so looking forward to the Championships in October and wish all of our fellow competitors the very best of luck.

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PATROL DOG STAKE

Judge: Ron Jaques



I feel extremely honoured to be invited to judge the KC's. It is a great honour, and I would like to thank all those who put me forward for it, and all the societies who have asked me to judge in the past.

I enjoy judging and feel it is a great privilege. I also do it to put back something for all the people who give their time and effort to judge me. It is also great track-laying and running criminal.

I started in trials after tiring of Obedience,

and was introduced by Bob Cook. I would like to thank everyone who has had a hand in helping me along the way, be it with practical help or with advice.

My first trials dog was Gypsy, a GSD bitch (WDex), who I learnt a great deal with. My next dog was Polka, a WSD bitch (TDex, PDex), with whom I won the TD ticket at Scarborough 2000. Unfortunately, I was unable to continue working her due to personal circumstances.

My other BC bitch, Tilley, (WDex, TD) has unfortunately had to retire, just as she made it into TDex. My new BC dog is Jaq, he is 17 months, and I hope to be entering him in trials in the near future.

Well done to all those who have qualified for the KC's, it is a great achievement. I hope you all enjoy it as much as I will. I would also like to wish good luck to my fellow judge, Les Theobald.

I would like to thank NW Counties and Jenny Holt and all her team for all the organisation. I would also like to thank all the tracklayers, ferriers and criminals, without whom we would have no trials. I include my wife, Paula, in this, as she always stewards for me, and keeps me organised.

I always try to put on a test that can equally be seen and enjoyed by both competitors and spectators.

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WENDY BEASLEY
WITH
WT CH. BRIDGALPINE LIBRA OF
STARDELL,
CDEX - TDex, PDex



Pet Name: Libby
Breed: Border Collie, Bitch
Dob: 11/08/1995
Breeder: Mrs B Upton Taylor
Sire: WT CH Anasonata Drovers
Dilemma CDex-TDex
Dam: Glenalpine Panda CDex-TD
Qualified at:
Midland Counties, Judge **Moira Rogerson.**

Wendy writes:

When Libby won her ticket at Midland Counties I did not think she would be able to go to the 2006 KCCS. At 10 years old I was thinking of retiring her, and it seemed inconceivable that she would still be working a full year later. However, here we are and Libby is 11 years old, and although the KCCs will be her last outing I am sure she will give a good account of herself.

I have always said that I would know when Libby should stop working, and I would never let her look sad out there, but she picked up the Reserve at her only PD this year, and qualified TDex at Scarborough in August, so I am hopeful that, barring accidents, she will make it to the KCCs, and enjoy every minute of it. Libby has been, and still is, a wonderful little dog full of

enthusiasm and drive. With 8 PD tickets and 10 Reserves, as well as 28 PDex's and 24 TDex's, we have had our fair share of success and it has been a privilege to work alongside her. We have never been lucky at the KCCs, but this year it does not matter, because for me it will just be great to be working her.

Although we all know she is retiring, she doesn't, and as far as she is concerned things will go on much the same with tracks and squares to do at home and slightly shorter sendaways, but most importantly Paul will make sure she gets lots of bites!

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**GRAHAM BRUMPTON
WITH
WT CH. JUST WILLIAM
CDEX - TDEX, PDEx**



Pet Name: Billy
Breed: WSD, Dog
Dob: 05/12/1998
Breeder: Mrs M Foers
Sire: WTCh. Anasonata Double Dutch
Dam: Tessa of Seamark, CDex-TDex
Qualified at:
2005 KENNEL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS. Judge
Lynne Baker

Graham says:

Well here we are at the KCCs once again. After winning the PD last year, Billy and I are still on a high and looking forward to this year's trial, and hope that I'm not as nervous as last year.

I first became interested in trials about 10 years ago when I was training at Barbara Coopers Hares Leap training school, where I met Marion Foers and Chris Gregory, who were both training for trials; they took me under their wings, for which I will always be grateful. Billy has always given me 100% and he is a pleasure to work. Billy was bred by Marion, and a big thank you to her.

Billy was introduced to PD by Charlie Taylor, who said that Billy had potential to do PD - how right he was.

I try to fit as much training in as possible, working around permanent nights, and my other hobbies, which include my two classic cars, which are a 1939 Austin Ascot and a 1956 Magonette ZB. These are on going restoration, and as you can imagine take up great deal of my time.

In finishing I would like to thank Marion and Chris for all their help at our weekly training sections. Also a thank you to Charlie for getting me started. And also big thanks to Chris Bell, Ernie Thompson and John Phillips for their time and effort and hours of training. Also a big thank you to all and everyone who has had anything to do with Billy and me.

Lastly I would like to wish good luck to all this years competitors at the KCC North West - I'm sure we will have a great trial with lots of fun.

Good luck to you all.

ROD ROBERTS
WITH
WT CH. LITTLE BART,
CDEX -TDEx, PDEx



Pet Name: Bart
 Breed: Crossbreed, Dog
 Dob: 13/03/2000
 Breeder: Owner
 Sire: Mister Tim, CDEX-TDEx
 Dam: Vonsandbar Elegance,
 CDEX-TDEx

Proud Owner and Handler - Rod Roberts
 Qualified at: NWWTS judge **Alan Bolton**

Rod says:

This will be my ninth time in PD at the KCC's, which with our appearances in TD makes for a total of 17 times.

Bart is my fifth dog to be worked in trials and because I'm getting old and slowing down, Bart's habit of doing everything on the 'B' of his name causes me a few problems - "NO, don't bite the judge".

Before I became involved with dogs, I was a Surfer, a Hippy and a world class origamist – yes, a paper folder. In fact my first dog was a Daily Express, it was very unresponsive and didn't work at all well in the rain. After 3 years of surfing I realised I was less than talented, in fact 'crap.' Nearly drowning became

a bit of a bore, and being a hippy is not much fun in the winter months.

Dogs offered some new challenges, so after a few years pottering in Obedience, I wandered into Trials, mainly because somebody told me I wouldn't be able to get enough control of the security dog I was working at the time (Little Ted). He was right - we only managed a TDEx. But I did become hooked.

PD is not a sport you can train for on your own; my great appreciation for all the help and support goes to Steve Lancashire, Tom Davis, and Chris Bell. Thanks Guys

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DAVE MARCHANT
WITH
WAGGERLAND MURPHY,
CDEX – TDEx, PDEx



Pet Name: Murphy
 Breed: WSD, Dog
 Dob: 11/03/2003
 Breeder: M P Snow
 Sire: Dusters Magic Mischief
 Dam: Waggerland Codey

Qualified at:
 Lincoln judge **Roy Williams**
 ASPADS Stamford, judge **Graham Reaney**

.Dave writes:

Although I did not plan on having another dog at the time, due to circumstances at the time I was offered him by Mike, and seeing what a good pup he was, and the working potential, I had him - and Snowy has been trying to get him back ever since. Murphy is as driven as Jake, but has a more sensitive nature and is desperate to please; he takes in his stride whatever I throw at him and enjoys every minute.

Having already been placed and having two reserves, I would have thought he would win a TD first, but, much to my delight, on his second outing in PD championship, Murphy won his first ticket at Lincoln under Roy Williams when he had just turned three. A few weeks later he was placed third at Flintham, and then we went to Stamford and won under Graham Reaney, making him a champion.

I am very indebted to Mike Snow for allowing me to own two Waggerlands, and having the privilege of training two very motivated dogs. As before, a big thank you goes to Mike Snow, Charlie Taylor, Garry and Julie Atkins and to all those who have put sleeves on, hid in hides, up trees etc and all the daft things we do in trials. A special thanks to Martine Taylor who, after a weekend's training, swims my dogs for me in her hydrotherapy pool, which is an excellent way to ease the knocks and bangs of trialing.

Thanks to all of the judges, helpers and organisers of the trials we have competed in, and to North West for running the KC's. I wish them every success for a good trial and finally good luck to all of those competing.

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**DAVE MARCHANT
WITH
WT CH. WAGGERLAND MISTER JAKE,
CDEX - TDEX, PDEX**



Pet Name: Jake
Breed: WSD, Dog
Dob: 06/12/1996
Breeder: M P Snow
Sire: WT Ch. Ules of Waggerland
Dam: Waggerland Lucinda
Qualified at:
BAGSD Flintham, Judge **Charlie Taylor**
SWTS, judge **Eric Roberts**
Dave says:

Here we are again; another good year under our belt with two tickets this season, making his grand total of nine to date. Once again Jake has done it his way, with his fair shares of ups and downs, making me go even greyer in the process! I was told that when a dog gets older they steady down; I wish someone would point that out to Jake. When it comes to PD he always gives 100% on the man work, although I feel his best asset is his nose work. Jake has now been used at stud twice and is booked again for later this year (a role he has taken to very well!) To all of you that keep asking about retiring him, Jake will be ten at the end of the year and as far as I am considering, still going good and enjoying

his work.

I am very indebted to Mike Snow for breeding and allowing me to own Jake all those years ago, and always there or a phone call away for advice. Also a big thank you goes to Charlie Taylor for his PD expertise and Garry and Julie Atkins, Maurice Millington and all of the numerous people who have put sleeves on and provided me with help with

both of my dogs. (A big thank you to Martine for the good food and for putting up with us on our weekends training, HIC!!).

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YORKSHIRE WORKING TRIALS SOCIETY OPEN TRIAL

8th - 9th April 2006
West Bretton Village Hall
West Bretton

CD STAKE AND C & A

Judge: SUZANNE PLUMB
Steward: Laura Bardwell

Thanks to YWTS committee for the invitation to judge the CD stake and Control & Agility at this Open Trial. Dave Steward and his team did an excellent job of organising the trial. Many thanks to Sheila and Margaret at the base, also to the kitchen staff - the large Danish pastries were very welcome at the end of the day. Laura stewarded for me and as well as being such good company did a sterling job of laying 8 CD squares, calling for 49 control rounds and also stewarding 6 down stays with 3 sit stays. Glenys, Geoff and John braved the weather to help steward the stays, thank you all very much.

Conditions were varied with a very strong cold wind, snow and sunshine on the Saturday but then the wind changed direction on the Sunday and wasn't as strong, but it rained continually with hailstones and snow now and then. I judged the CD stake first with 4 handlers working their dogs each day. Only one failed the nosework - the control section was well done, with handlers helping their dogs, but agility and stays let them down, so we ended up with no qualifiers.

For the other 3 stakes, 41 handlers came forward to work their dogs over the two days and I thought the standard was very high. I saw some lovely rounds and only 7 dogs failed the agility. More teams would have

qualified but for the midday stay conditions on the Sunday, because as the handlers left to go out of sight, wind and hailstones buffeted the dogs and it was like watching a domino effect as dog after dog sat up.

CD STAKE

1st Mr RW & Mrs LA Drummer MOSS-DEW DELTA FORCE (Flatcoat Ret) handler Roy Drummer. Qualified in all sections but not enough overall. Sam decided to play with the other dogs in the sit stay, what a shame. Lots of luck for your next trial. 79pts NQ

2nd Mr B Bray & BRAMBLE SWEET SOUL LADY (Bearded Collie). Good nose-work and only losing half a mark on the control, but no return on the scale and a second attempt at the long jump left you with one and half marks short of qualifying the agility section. 90pts NQ

3rd Miss M Cormack & CHEXXSTART RAGGE ROBIN (Bearded Collie). If only Rags had found you another article. Never mind, I am sure she will qualify soon. 79.5pts NQ

4th Mr J Szmidt & SIMBA SON of MUFASA (GSD). Just the agility let you down but the control and nosework were well done. Build up his confidence and I am sure he will fly over the jumps for you. 78pts NQ

UD C&A

1st Mrs G Armstrong & SAPPHIRE TYG (Aust Cattle D). A nice round with this lovely looking dog, well done on your win Gill. 194pts COM

2nd Mr L Campbell & SELDOMSEEN SHEP (WSD). With a full point sendaway and agility, Lol and Tye qualified in style. 191.5pts COM

3rd Mr G Harding & THERE'S A KINDA HUSH (Rott). A good round from this smart

team. Sophia was sympathetically handled by George thus getting the best out of her, well done. 190.5pts COM

4th Mrs J Reed & ESSEX GIRL (GSD). Just two marks lost on the control, Abbey couldn't wait to get back to her mum from the other side of the scale but had enough to qualify well. 185pts COM

Also qualifying:

Mrs J Miller & FOXFOLD CO-ALITION (GSD/WS). Jenny and Kash only lost one mark on the control with a full agility. Happy team, a joy to watch. 166pts COM

WD C&A

1st Mrs I Seymour & OAKENHEART DARK AFFAIR (GSD). Good round with a full point sendaway and retrieve. Issey was determined to get over the scale, what a great attitude she has. Well done. 173.5pts COM

2nd Mrs J Ollie & NEWBOROUGH SNOWDROP (WSD). Another good round and full agility. 158.5pts NQ

3rd Mr M Adams & PORTALUTRA KYLES DREAM (GSD). One of the few dogs that stayed down on the Sunday midday stays. 158pts NQ

4th Mr T Green & CHANASK VOLLA (XB). Zeus enjoyed his control and agility but with a speak at heel lost points. 152pts NQ

TD C&A

1st DA & JA Olley & STARDELL ALULA (BC). Nell had a full mark sendaway and agility but only managed a tiny speak, but I am sure in Dave's capable hands she will gain her confidence soon. Well done on first place and lots of luck for your future trials. 208.5pts COM

2nd Miss K Woolley & TYNSIL TIGER WALKS AT DUNSA (GWP). Keep up the good work Kath, it is great to see a Pointer qualifying in a higher stake. 200pts COM

3rd Lynne Davies & MISTER MISFIT MONGREL (XB). You worked very hard to get Zeke to his redirect point and for such a

young dog he did very well indeed. Do have fun with him and I am sure you will qualify up the stakes soon. 197pts COM

4th Mr M Snowden & FLYNTASTIC JUST JAY (BC). Good control round but Jay needed a second attempt at the long jump but with Malcolm's handling he flew over with confidence. 197pts COM

Also qualifying:

Fran Mitchell & RENDALE ROBIN (LAB). 192pts COM

E & Y Carpenter & CARFELD GRIFF (BC) handled by Yvonne. 189.5pts COM

Well done to both of you and good luck in TD Championship.

Finally, it was a pleasure to judge you all and congratulations to the teams that qualified - you really deserved your Certificate of Merit.

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WESSEX WORKING TRIALS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TRIAL

4th - 9th July 2006

Upton, Devon

STAKE: TD

Judge: TONY LOCKYER

Tracklayers: John West, Lindsey Poole, Ruth, Cahill & Marney Wells

Steward: Jean Cooke

Many thanks to Wessex for the invitation to judge the Ticket at my home society. The pluses include, knowing everyone involved, fantastic food from Barbara in the evenings, being able to sleep in my own bed and knowing the land intimately, which at the July trial is always lush, with one particular block being a bit longer than the rest, so the track marks for those who get round are generally

pretty good; and so it proved, with nineteen dogs achieving above 95, and of the others, only five failed the track and nine failed the square. Six teams managed 3 and 4 one of them coming from the longest and lushest field

My thanks to Lindsey Poole for laying the early tracks on Tuesday and John West for laying them for the rest of the week. Lindsey then moved to the middle block and Ruth Cahill the finishing group, MarneyWells filling in for Lindsey on Thursday. Also to Jean Cooke who not only search stewarded for the whole five days but scribed for me on Sunday for control and agility, which with forty two partnerships working meant both of us being on our feet for nearly seven hours. The weather on Tuesday was oppressively hot but surprisingly it was our best day with only one failure. The rest of the week was cooler with some thundery showers, but not enough to put dogs off.

I set out my control round on Saturday evening, taking a good stiff breeze into consideration for the siting of the sendaway and the clear jump, only to find on Sunday morning that the wind was changing direction and continued to do so during the day, and strengthening in gusts so much that the clear jump bar was being blown off. The sendaway marks were very disappointing, I do allow handlers to work their dogs but I do look for a dog being obedient to commands out in the field and not just running the hedges, and I do expect them to get close to the set points.

1st and C.C. Anne Bussey with WTCh ROMENO IF SIX WAS NINE. 213/220. 163 on nosework. Grad's heelwork was relaxed enough to impress even an old fashioned trialist like me. Congratulations and good luck at the KCCs

2nd and Res C.C. Margaret Robinson with WTCh TYTRI LACE. 211/220. Also 163 on nosework. Just a couple of marks adrift, one on heelwork and one on sendaway. Well done

3rd Stevie Boyall and STYPERSON LOMOND 202.5

4th Anne Thorpe and GLENALPINE IZZIE AT DALEMAIN 198.5

Also qualifying TDEx

Val Upton JAXBERRY JOE 198

Ann Clarke TARNEDGE SOLO 198

Judy Meekings WITHYLINCH MURR AT WINDLEBROOK 197.5

Sheila Tannert WTCh STYPERSON TERN 194

Maeve Weselby STYPERSON TAY 194

Gary Atkins WTCh CAFCOLL RON 193.5

Glenys Page BRIGLEN NUTMEG 193

Julie Atkins OUR DUG 192.5

Allan Ballinger WAGGERLAND SCRUFF 192.5

Jill Carruthers JASUETER RED GARNET 192

Paulin Pearce's DUSTERS RAGGAMUF-FIN handled by Allan Ballinger 192

Pat Herbert WTCh JOLLY JILL 190.5

Glenys Page GETAWAY BACK TESS 190.5

Rod Roberts WTCh LITTLE BART 190.5

Barry Gilbert WTCh LAETARE DAY JAVU 189.5

Sheila Tannert WTCh STYPERSON BRIAR 187.5

Judith Owens FIRCROFT DOON 185

Ann Fowler WTCh WAGGERLAND FLOSS 182.5

T.D.

Jean Howells GLENALPINE JED 167.5

My thanks also to all the ladies in the kitchen for keeping us well fed and watered out in the fields (especially watered.)

One word of warning to future Judges at Wessex, if you let Lindsey know you have a partiality for a particular delicacy be prepared to eat a LOT of it.

Great Lemon Meringue!!!!!!

ASPADS WORKING TRIALS SOCIETY CHAMPIONSHIP TRIAL

19th to 23rd July 2006
Greetham, Stamford, Lincolnshire

TRIAL'S MANAGERS REPORT

When I was invited to take over 'Stamford' trial, I did with more than a little apprehension. However my husband Peter said he would support me and give me all the help I needed. Very many thanks Peter for all that you did. I had in mind that the trial should be well run, happy and with a good atmosphere, so that all the hard work done would not seem so wearing. I was so lucky my team WAS BRILLIANT. You all made my job so much easier and it was gratifying to know that I had such an experienced team. Special thanks must go to Dorothy and John Bowen who worked like Trojans in the kitchen and made sure that everyone was well satisfied - who would work in a kitchen on their "umpth" birthday. (I think it was her 21st) To all my judges who put on a really good test mindful of the dry conditions; and the tracklayers and stewards too working in very hot conditions (till the thunderstorm on the Saturday). The base was in the capable hands of Kate Peyton and Wendy Magyar - they do work well as a team thanks. There is also now a new title for trials - 'Land Agent' - Marianne Foers who seemed to magic another field from out of the blue when sheep, as they do, got in places where we did not expect them to be. Also many thanks Marianne for the lovely meal you gave the helpers as we sat in your beautiful garden - it was lovely. It was disappointing that there were not as many qualifiers as I would have liked there to be, but conditions were hard. We had an awful lot of scratches - people mainly deciding that perhaps the heat was not conducive to a fair chance. To all those people who rang - thanks for your considera-

tion for the helpers. To those people who felt that a phone call was beyond them, may I suggest they lay a track or two in competition or perhaps wait in a field for a track to mature or realise perhaps that a whole group of dogs cannot do the stay in case so and so turns up. I really do think it is the height of bad manners. Moan over! To everyone at the trial, thank you very much indeed for making my job so much easier - your company and hard work was very much appreciated. I will let the judges name their helpers for their own stakes.

JEAN MORLEY

STAKE: CD

Judge: BILL HARDAWAY

Search Stewards: Heather Hardaway and Chris Stewart

C/A Steward: Heather Hardaway

My early memories of this trial go back to Belton House, Grantham and some memorable evenings at the Blue Ram. I am very grateful to the Committee of ASPADS for the opportunity to judge and to Jean Morley and her team for their hospitality. Congratulations to Jean and her team also on, at least as far as CD is concerned, an efficiently organised trial with a very happy atmosphere.

CD was held on Saturday the 22nd July and although there had been a shower and some thunder just before we started, the long dry spell had created a large number of wide cracks in the ground which we took account of when positioning the jumps. We had ample space with the searches completely separate from the C & A. The grass was generally about 3 to 4 inches with some wispy bits rather longer. Sendaway was 55 paces to a clearly visible patch of white flowers between two trees in a hedge. Search and retrieve was carried out first. C & A started

with heel on lead which was followed by the hurdle with heel off between the jumps and other exercises, the last individual exercise being the scale. Competitors reported in two groups. I had hoped to do all the stays together, this was not possible and the two groups worked in very different conditions.

During the morning the sun became increasingly bright and the temperature increased until the stays when it was very hot. Whilst the second group did their searches and retrieves the breeze increased whilst the sky became ever darker. When we came to the first C & A of that group there were rumbles of thunder and it became obvious that discretion should rule over valour. We decided to delay, which was just as well as the heavens opened and thunder and lightning prevailed. We started again when things quietened a little, although the rain and some thunder with lightning in the distance continued. By the time of the second batch of stays the rain had stopped but it was still windy and grey.

Sadly, I am sure some dogs in each group had been disturbed by the thunder and this had particularly affected their searches.

My two stewards were excellent. Chris put out the stakes for the searches and kept the competitors coming whilst Heather placed the articles and stewarded the C & A... My thanks to you both.

Search articles were: Piece of stick 3.25" approx, Strip of green wellie 5" x .5", Metal 4" x .5" x 1/8".

31 entered - 21 worked



(Photo by Judy Meekings)

1st Mr A Bolton, NOR SHEP SHADOW GSD (D) 91 Qual Ex. 2 articles from the search, only two dogs recovered all three. Excellent control round, sound and stylish throughout, and very agile. Well handled in spite of Alan being unwell. Hope you recovered quickly.

2nd Mrs J Rutter, STARDELL MAIA AT NYEWOOD BC (B) 86 .5 Qual Ex. Unfortunate to be the first to work in the second group. Thunder rumbling around was a real test and still put in a first class performance. The only blip being the return on the scale which I am sure can be attributed to the conditions. Well done indeed.

3rd Mr R Coitino, KENMILLFORE COPPER, GSD, (D) 84 .5 Qual Ex. Another good round. A little untidy in the control section. 2 articles, retrieves can be improved. Full mark agility. Congratulations.

4th Ms D Walker, FFIGLINA OBERON, Dalmatian, (D) 77 CD only. Qualified in all sections, just short of overall marks for the Ex. Heelwork is the area most in need of improvement. Also recovered 2 articles. It's well within reach. Well done.

As ever, a day of mixed fortunes. Overall the area most in need of attention was the search. You only have four minutes, which is ample time provided the dog is clear about what is being asked of him before being sent in the square.

My thanks to all the competitors for entering and for the manner in which they accepted my decisions.

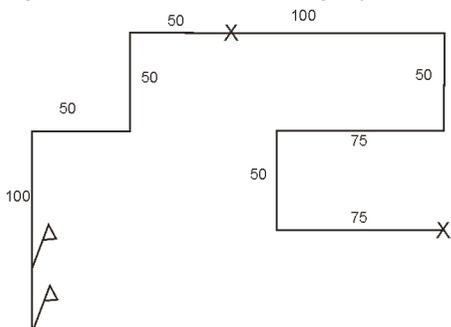
STAKE: UD

Judge: ANN TIMLIN

Tracklayers: Graham Brumpton, Paul Morling

Steward: Susan Cable

Thanks to ASPADS for the judging appointment. I had 2 lovely days judging pleasant competitors with lovely dogs. The weather was red hot; tracks were on well grazed sheep fields with lots of droppings and not much grass, consequently not easy going for young dogs. The dogs that completed the track did it well, others grazed on sheep droppings. The standard in the control was high but we lost a few on the agility.



Thanks to my tracklayers, Graham and Paul, who did a great job and were good company. Paul, my knight in shining armour, went beyond the call of tracklaying duties and tried his best to keep me dry when we had a downpour at the end of the second day - thanks, Paul! Susan was my square and control steward for both days, and did a super

job; she was also my chauffeur for the weekend. Thanks, Susan.

Jean was a lovely Trials Manager; she made sure I was OK and always had a smile. Thanks to Dorothy and John in the kitchen, Kate and Wendy at the base, and everybody else who helped behind the scenes to make the trial run smoothly.

My square articles were:- a piece of sheepskin, a piece of foam dressing, a piece of hard green plastic and a wooden curtain ring. The track articles were a gun cartridge and a spatula.

1st Jenny Miller, FOXFOLD CO-ALITION, X Breed, Q UDEx, 199. Lovely dog, lost only 1 mark overall, and that was me being picky. Excellent.

2nd Margaret Jones, RUSKATH ONESTEP AHEAD, WSD, Q UDEx, 197. Super little dog, very little to fault and a delighted handler. Well done.

3rd Celia Bourne, FLAME OF THE FOREST, WSD, Q UDEx, 187. Another lovely track in difficult conditions. Well done.

4th Cath Phillips, TRACKMOORS MORGAN, Malinois, Q UDEx, 186. A quiet gentle handler who gets the best out of her dog. Well done.

Also qualifying UDEx

Mr G Emmerson, DHERRINGTON ROY, BC, 181, Well done.

Mt T Green, CHANASK VOLGA, GSD, 176. Well done.

STAKE: PD

Judge: GRAHAM REANEY

Tracklayers: Lynne Baker & Andy Magyar

Stewards: John Watts & Andy Magyar

Scribe: Laura Bardwell

First I would like to thank ASPADS for the invitation to judge this stake at Stamford.

Also thanks to Jean and a great team, right through from the kitchen to land management; then of course a special thanks to my track layers, stewards, criminals, and scribe. To my tracklayers, both of whom in very difficult circumstances did their best to get the competitors round. (Sadly conditions and luck beat most.) And to my two stewards, who were both good company and first class in the manner in which they applied themselves to their respective tasks. (John, Squares & Patrol Round: Andy, Control) Thanks also to my Criminals, Steve Lancashire, Tom Davies, & Ron Jaques. A special thanks to Steve who took on the responsibility of ensuring everything and everybody was in the right place and ready at the right time, from practice sessions to equipment and people, all in place and of the right calibre.

Thanks to John Phillips for doing a couple of practice rounds to ensure distances and things were got right. (After all we did expect a significant number of rounds with 20 entries). And finally my scribe Laura, who, as always, is there to take the brunt of my various tantrums, both at trials and at training sessions when I need someone to take the blame.

Now to my nosework. I set a not too difficult track for dogs at this level. Sadly, short grass, arid ground conditions and unforgiving sunshine took a heavy toll, leaving us after the nosework with only three qualifiers. Significantly, all three worked in the same field (even eventual ticket winners need that bit of luck.)

Control and Jumps. On the whole the control was done well, as were the jumps, however we did lose one of our qualifiers bringing us down to two going into the PD round.

Patrol Round. About 2 hours prior to the round I gave all competitors a full explanation in writing of my round, (copy follows) and prior to the test gave a question and answer session. We had by this time four teams, 2 non-qualifiers, 2 with the opportuni-

ty to qualify. I took the two non-qualifiers first and then the two hopefuls.

1st Dave Marchant and WAGGERLAND MURPHY.

A brilliant effort by this young dog (youngest in the stake), of course Dave played a small part also. Nosework 110, Control 28.5, Jumps 20, PD Round 135.

2nd Geoff Poole and LATCHETS BOSS. This team had the best track and for the most part gave a good performance, however some confusion on the sendaway robbed them of a qualification. Nosework 107.5, Control 23, Jumps 19, PD Round 128.

3rd Tracey Parks and WAGGERLAND BROOKE.

Another good performance in all sections, however a failed recall proved costly, robbing this team also of a qualification, and of course 2nd place. Nose work 104, Control 34, Jumps 19, PD Round 104

4th Judith Owens and FIRCROFT DOON Sadly Judith was one of the many nose work casualties but stayed and did the full test, and managed to qualify in all other sections. Nose Work 49, Control 28½, Jumps 19, PD Round 112.

Patrol Round Instructions to Handlers

Test of Courage: A person about 80 - 100 yards away needs to be challenged; this person will appear scared and back away. On instruction from the steward, the handler should send their dog. As the dog nears the lone person, others will join him and attempt to drive the dog back. On instruction from the steward, the handler should join their dog, take control of the situation, and escort the three back to the start area. No search is required at this time.

Quarter: For this exercise, the handler is required to send their dog to quarter the area in search of the hide criminal. As the dog approaches the area of the hide, the steward will inform the handler that there should be no further commands. On arrival at the hide,

the dog will be given a short time to bark; once the dog has done this (or not), the handler will be told to join the dog. Once the handler arrives at the scene and brings the situation under control, the exercise is over. However, the search and escort should be continued without interruption.

Search and Escort: This is the only point where a thorough search is required (thorough but not intrusive). Once the handler is satisfied the search is completed, the criminal needs to be escorted back to the start area. (Please note the criminal knows the direction he needs to take). At some point, an attack on the handler will be made; once the dog is fully committed to the defence of the handler, a 2nd attacker will be called in. Whilst at all times remaining calm, the handler needs to call the dog from the 1st attacker, and redirect it onto the 2nd attacker. At all times the handler needs to keep control of the

situation, and when in control, continue the escort back to the start area. Only a cursory search is required of the 2nd attacker.

Chase: As the search and escort ends, the two attackers will become uncooperative, and question the handler's right to arrest them. They will then inform the handler that they are leaving. A normal conversation should ensue; as they move away, the handler should send their dog on the steward's instruction. Once the dog has stopped the 1st criminal, the handler needs to take control of the situation, and redirect the dog onto the 2nd criminal. There will be an obvious run out point. The dog needs to stop both in a determined manner for full points.

Recall: This will be conducted in the same fashion as the chase, but with a single criminal. The handler will recall on the steward's instruction. A different direction to the chase may be used depending on circumstances.

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OPEN TRIAL**

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At: Aller Farm, Upottery, Devon

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CD stake Pippa Bentham (Saturday 25th only)

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At The Beeford Community Centre East Yorkshire

Judges: T.D. Stake Pete Carroll
W.D. Stake Jeff Poole
U.D. Stake Judith Owens
C.D. Stake Dave Stewart

TD Stake to work over 2 days. WD/UD all work in one day.
CD Stake 30th-31st December depending on entries.

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CHAMPIONSHIP WORKING TRIAL**

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10th - 12th November 2006
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| | W.D. Nosework | Mick Tustain |
| | U.D. Nosework | Lauren Marlow |
| | C&A | Joyce Tibbetts |

P.D. Stake: Friday 10th
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ASPADS WORKING TRIALS 2007

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