# Sleigh Courier



The Samoyed Club Inc

Autumn 2008



The newly appointed 2008 committee gets down to business
Photo by Simeon Copsey

Left to right back row: Jo Anne Hawkins (President), Lauren de C James (Editor), Noel Wilson (Vice-Patron), Lynne Barr (Vice President), Anita Shugg (Secretary), and in the front with their backs to the camera, left to right, Lorraine Fothergill (Trophy Steward) and Simonne MacMillan (Treasurer).

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### Secretary's Report

Yesterday, we held our AGM. It was nice to see two of our Life Members, Gary and Lyn Carleton; our Patron, Noel Wilson; and Vice Patron, Lauren de C James attend the meeting.

The AGM meeting was very straight forward, with little change, except that Lauren (our Editor) has agreed to join us on Committee.

We have invited a UK Judge, Ann Gallagher of SAMGOLD SAMOYEDS, to judge our Championship show on Monday morning of Queens Birthday Weekend. This is a very expensive undertaking and I hope that you will support our Club with entries, sponsorship or buying raffle tickets and chocolates. All Samoyed owners are invited to attend the show. Contact me if you need more information.

After our Champ show our judge will have a break for 1/2 hour. We will then have our 'Of Year Awards' presentation.

The Committee have arranged to take the judge out to dinner Monday night. All exhibitors are welcome to come to dinner (pay your own way) and chat to the judge. Please contact Lynne (phone 04 477 1097) if you would like to attend so she can contact the restaurant with numbers attending. Thanks.

Anita Shugg Secretary

### Editor's Report

What a disappointing response to my call for contributions to the planned article on Samoyed successes at the New Zealand National show – only one has been forthcoming. I also had some difficulty filling in the remaining gaps in the results as currently the NZKC library is all in boxes so have decided to defer the feature to the winter issue. However, I am pleased to report that the NZKC library contents have now been catalogued.

I did receive contributions to the Kennel Name feature – many thanks Lynne and Julia.

I have endeavoured to include all known registered New Zealand Samoyed kennel names in the list. If I have missed out any name please let me know and the same applies if any of the details are incorrect. Any additions or errors would be published in the Winter issue.

Included in this issue is an interesting article on vaccinations. It relates to both cats and dogs and as some of our members are also cat owners I have included the complete article. I have not included the 27 references but if any members would like the list please contact me.

Lauren de C James Editor

### **SamCare**

I would like to start my report with a big THANK YOU to all the people that have sent money in for Samoyed Rescue with their subs. I take a lot of care not to use this money unless I have to. The money is much appreciated in two ways – we have the money for vet bills or care if needed – and I feel like the members are supporting me in re-housing Samoyeds before they end up at the Pound or SPCA.

I am pleased to report that Minty has a lovely home with a family in Palmerston North. I managed to find this home from advertising on TRADE ME. When selling a dog on Trade Me it CAN NOT BE Auctioned. You set a price and pay \$19.00 for the ad.

I got several inquiries – two from Christchurch which I passed on to the Dominion Samoyed Club, two from Auckland way (which went to Auckland Provincial Samoyed Association) plus a few extras that I have followed up for the future.

I was contacted by a friend (who had heard from someone else) that a couple were moving to Oz.

They had arranged for someone to have their elderly male Samoyed. A week before they were due to leave, the home for the Samoyed 'Fell-through'. After a bit of work, we have arranged for the Samoyed to go to his new family this weekend. Fingers-crossed, that it works. It is always a bit harder to re-house elderly Sams.

I received an email last week from Waipa Pound (in the Waikato area) about a small young female Samoyed being found. After one week, nobody had claimed her, so she was up for adoption. Thank you to Sue Johnson, who has agreed to groom her and help any new owners. I think this Samoyed is a smart little girl because the family that found her, 'Want to adopt her'. If they pass the property check, they will be allowed to have her.

Until next time.

Anita Shugg SamCare Coordinator (06) 364 5785 k.a.shugg@clear.net.nz

### Dates to remember

Championship show:Monday, 2 June 2008Deadline for Winter issue:Monday, 30 June 2008Deadline for Spring issue:Monday, 8 September 2008Deadline for Summer issue:Monday, 8 December 2008

### Watch out for these upcoming features

Winter 2008 issue National Show Samoyed Successes 1955-2007

Spring 2008 issue Samoyed Collectibles

Summer/Christmas 2008 issue

Popularity of the Breed

# New Zealand National Show Samoyed Successes Feature 1955-2007

The first New Zealand National Show was held in 1955 and ever since that first successful event the New Zealand Kennel Club has held an annual National Show. The breed has achieved many wins at National shows ranging from Group level through to Best Puppy in Show, Reserve to Best in Show and the ultimate, Best in Show.

The Obedience arena at the National Show has received intermittent entries from our breed over the years with some successes too.

Photos of Samoyeds who have won Best of Breed, Group or In Show awards or placed in stakes classes at a National show would be welcome for the feature and would be returned once scanned. Alternatively scans in jpg or tif format would be acceptable.

Please note that scanning published photos for reproduction is not ideal because of changes in technology. If in doubt take a look at the poor quality of Arctic kennel photos scanned from annuals and reproduced in the Christmas 2007 issue.

Send all contributions to the editor at: 11 Kiwi Crescent, Tawa, Wellington 5028

or email to: kievsams@hotmail.com

This would be a great opportunity to pay tribute to your National winning Samoyeds and his/her descendants. There's nothing like blowing your own trumpet. Remember that old adage 'a picture paints a thousand words'.

See the inside cover of this magazine for advertising rates.

### **Magazine suggestions**

- If there are any burning issues you would like to see raised in this magazine please let me know.
- Do you have any suggestions about content?
- Is there a particular topic you would like to see featured in the magazine?
- Are there any features that you dislike all feedback welcomed.
- Any photos for "Guess Who" section would be appreciated.
- Any photos of Samoyeds in engaging poses, caught in the act of some mischievous prank, or whatever, always welcome.

As always contributions - poem, quiz, cartoon, article, kennel ad, or vale notice – are most welcome.

Lauren de C James Editor

### Guess Who

Question: Who featured in the photo on page 18 of the Christmas/Summer 2007 issue?

**Answer:** Formerly Fay Milesi, now Beckingsale, pictured with one of her breeding, Ch Foxworth

Astakova.

Two Cantabrian stalwarts, Julie Wells and Sandra Stewart, recognised Fay, but Julie didn't attempt to guess the identity of the Samoyed (admittedly this was some years before the Kursharn prefix was launched), and Sandra came up with the name Ch Foxworth Marjevka. Sorry Sandra but on the back of the photo is written the name Ch Foxworth Astakova. Sandra also had some thought on the showground

where the photo was taken, suggesting Banks Peninsula A & P Society show held at Little River around 1981. I have to admit that I omitted to record the name of the show but I believe I took it in the car park at the Otago Kennel Association show held in January 1982 at the old A & P grounds but I wouldn't swear to that. I shot a whole film that day as I wasn't exhibiting.

Photos for this section predating 2000 would be most welcome – either original photos or in jpg or tif format. Please send to editor.

### Introducing our 2008 Championship Show judge

#### Ann Gallagher (Samgold, England)



Although not strictly 'born into' a dog showing family, my father started to show and breed Afghan Hounds from when I was five years old. The family split up when I was 10 yrs, so my interests changed when we moved to a farm. I liked nothing better than to help work the farm collies. When I married, the arrival of a Border Collie found me trying my hand at working obedience.

I then decided that it would be nice to get back into the show ring, and decided on a Golden Retriever. I bred three generations of these, and was quite successful at the Open shows. I then met up with some local people who owned Samoyeds, and as we were looking for a second breed, decided to have one of their puppies.

That was the start of a love affair with the Samoyed. This is how I came to have the Samgold affix, a combination of the two breeds.

My Samoyed family grew to four in number, but I only ever had two litters at most from each bitch.

I think my proudest moment was 'making up' to Champion a bitch that I had bred myself, so rewarding.

I now have just three Sam's at home, Two Veterans and a four year old dog that I am showing at the moment. He has 4 RCC's, the first when he was 10 months old. We enjoy our days out, and win or lose, I always take the best dog home.

**Ann Gallagher** 

"We can judge the heart of a man by his treatment of animals."

Immanuel Kant

# The Samoyed Club (Inc) Championship Show

to be held at NZKC Building, Prosser Street, Porirua, Wellington

Monday, 2nd June 2008 Judging commences – 9.00am Entries Close: 10 May 2008

### Judge: Ann Gallagher – Samgold Samoyeds (UK)

Critique will be done on 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place winners

#### **Breed Classes**

Dog		Bitch
1	Baby Puppy – 3 to 6 months	1a
3	Puppy – 6 to 12 months	3a
5	Junior – 12 to 24 months	5a
6	Intermediate – 24 to 36 months	6a
7	Limit – 4 CC or less	7a
8	NZ Bred – Bred in New Zealand	8a
10	Veteran – over 7 years old	10a
11	Open – Any dog over 6 months	11a

#### **Stakes**

12 Dog Head; 13 Dog Coat; 14 Bitch Head; 15 Bitch Coat; 16 Movement under 12 months; 17 Movement over 12 months; 18 Feet; 19 Tail

Entries: \$12.00 per entry

**Stakes:** \$5.00 **Catalogue:** \$5.00

Advertising available in Catalogue.

Perpetual Trophies are awarded to Financial members only.

Stakes – Prizes to 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place

Please make cheques payable to The Samoyed Club Inc Entries to - Secretary, Anita Shugg, 136 Waitohu Valley Road, R.D.1, Otaki k.a.shugg@clear.net.nz Tel 06 364 5785

Catering – Free tea & Coffee – please bring your own cup.

Chocolates Bars for Sale at \$2.

Raffle will be sold.

Dinner with Judge after the show at Mungavin Blues. Please let Lynne Barr know if you would like to attend.

# The Samoyed Club (Inc) Championship Show 2nd June 2008

### Sponsorship List

Award	Sponsored By
Best in Show	Wytekloud
Reserve in Show	Sunshine
Best Dog in Show	Kimchatka
Reserve Dog in Show	???
Best Bitch in Show	Yorkrose
Reserve Bitch in Show	???
Baby Puppy in Show	???
Puppy in Show	Zaminka
Junior in Show	Angara
Intermediate in Show	S MacMillan
Limit in Show	Kiev
New Zealand Bred in Show	M Hayward
Veteran in Show	I Allison
Open in Show	J Swetman

Special thanks to these wonderful people who have already put their names down to sponsor.

### **Stakes**

Class	Place	Place	Place
Dog Head	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Dog Coat	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Bitch Head	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Bitch Coat	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Movement under 12 months	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Movement over 12 months	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Tail	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Feet	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>

If you would like to sponsor any class or donate any \$\$ to put towards sponsoring a class please let me know asap at <a href="mailto:yorkrose@xtra.co.nz">yorkrose@xtra.co.nz</a>

Thanks ......(in anticipation ©)

Lorraine

2007 Breed Of	Year	Points Winners	
Baby Puppy – Dog		Baby Puppy – Bitch	
Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	34	Zaminka Power Ball (Carleton)	28
Kalaska Astro Boy at Oscarbi (Barzey / Clark)	30	Zaminka Power Strike (Carleton)	23
Zaminka Power Sunrise (Carleton)	24	Lealsam Silva fern (Reeve)	22
Puppy – Dog		Puppy Bitch	
Kalaska Astro Boy at Oscarbi (Barzey / Clark)	96	Zaminka Power Ball (Carleton) Samhain Echo'N T With Kursharn (Wells	28
Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	23	/ Andrew)	25
Sunshine Klasic Kruz (Shugg & Horne)	10	Zaminka Power Strike (Carleton)	25
Junior – Dog		Junior Bitch	
Wytekloud Flash Zam N Kabam (S & B McRae)	242	Zaminka Kid Gloves (Carleton / McRae)	151
Sunshine In A Glass (A Shugg)	63	Ch Lealsam Grand Aurora (Reeve)	101
Zaminka Magic Spell (Carleton)	3	Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	85
Intermediate - Dog		Intermediate Bitch	
Sever The Celtic Warrior (Imp Aust) (K		Ch Kalaska Wild Excitement at Oscarbi	
Magnus)	37	(Imp Aust) (Barzey / Clark) Samloch Sunlite Silvamist (Imp Aust) (K	39
Ch Silvertips Destind To B Witch (J Roberts)	28	Kissell)	26
Wytekloud Flash Zam N Kabam (S & B McRae)	22	Sunshine Paint Me Suzanna (C Horne)	24
NZ Bred – Dog		NZ Bred Bitch	
Ch Zaminka Back To The Future (H Clark)	50	Ch Wytekloud Ambers-Burn-For-Eva (S & B McRae)	124
Ch Polar Blazing Aces At Kimskaya (K Magnus)	47	Sunshine Paint Me Suzanna (C Horne) Ch Zaminka Still A Kid At Heart (R	14
Ch Lealsam Snow Eagle (D Reeve)	15	Barzey)	11
Open – Dog		Open Bitch	
GR Ch Zaminka Flashlight (G & L Carleton & S McRae)	274	Ch Aldonza Chabli For McCoy (imp Aust) (G & L Carleton)	29
Ch Lealsam Snow Eagle (D Reeve)	79	Ch Anaky Taking Chances (Imp Aust) (A Andrew)	26
Ch Zaminka Back To The Future (H Clark)	36	Ch Lealsam Artic Oceans (D Reeve)	22
Best Dog	- 50	Best Bitch	
GR Ch Zaminka Flashlight (G & L Carleton & S		DOSC DICOII	
McRae)	215	Ch Lealsam Grand Aurora (Reeve) Ch Wytekloud Ambers-Burn-For-Eva (S &	54
Wytekloud Flash Zam N Kabam (S & B McRae)	88	B McRae)	44
Ch Lealsam Snow Eagle (D Reeve)	69	Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	38
Best Representative		Best Bitch Representative	
GR Ch Zaminka Flashlight (G & L Carleton & S		Ch Wytekloud Ambers-Burn-For-Eva (S &	
McRae)	142	B McRae)	20
Kalaska Astro Boy at Oscarbi (Barzey / Clark)	56	Samhain Echo'N Flirtations (Andrew) Ch Anaky Taking Chances (Imp Aust) (A	8
Ch Lealsam Snow Eagle (D Reeve)  Best Baby Puppy Rep	51	Andrew)	6
Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	36		
Oscarbi Wild is The Future (Clark / Barzey)	16		
Kalaska Astro Boy (Barzey / Clark)	14		
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Congratulations to all Samoyeds and their owners and best of luck in 2008.

2008 Breed Of	Yea	r Points as at 26/3/08	
Baby Puppy – Dog		Baby Puppy – Bitch	
Kursharn Nvee'n Tymba (Wells)	12	Lealsam Diamond Oceans (Reeve)	18
Puppy – Dog		Skrownek Zin Zvamayla (Stewart)	6
Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	48	Kursharn Nvee'n Maimum (Wells)	3
Oscarbi Wild is The Future (Clark / Barzey)	22	Puppy – Bitch	
Sunshine Klasic Kruz (Shugg & Horne)	8	Lealsam Silva fern (Reeve)	18
Junior - Dog		Kelljass A Winter's Tale (Kelly)	11
Kalaska Astro Boy (Barzey / Clark)	18	Oscarbi Future Excitement At Carridene (Clark / Barzey / Matheson)	9
Intermediate – Dog		Junior – Bitch	
Wytekloud Flash Zam N Kabam (S & B McRae)	57	Samhain Echo'N T With Kursharn (Wells )	8
Sunshine In A Glass (A Shugg)	11	Intermediate – Bitch	
NZBred – Dog		Ch Lealsam Grand Aurora (Reeve)	44
Ch Zaminka Back To The Future (H Clark)	13	Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	18
Open – Dog		Aust Ch Anaky Tipsy On Schnaps (Imp Aust) (A Andrew)	7
GR Ch Zaminka Flashlight (G & L Carleton / S McRae)	65	NZBred - Bitch	
Ch Skrownek Sev Kazan (S Stewart/J Wells)	8	Ch Wytekloud Ambers-Burn-For-Eva (S & B McRae)	50
Sever The Celtic Warrior (Imp Aust) (K Magnus)	4	Sunshine Paint Me Gold (A & K Shugg)	19
Ch Zaminka Back To The Future (H Clark)	2	Open – Bitch	
Skrownek Chagall (S Stewart)	2	Ch Kalaska Wild Excitement at Oscarbi (Imp Aust) (Barzey / Clark)	19
Best Dog		Skrownek Tchai Veyevka (S Stewart)	6
GR Ch Zaminka Flashlight (G & L Carleton / S McRae)	46	Ch Kalaska Grand Elegance at Lealsam (Imp Aust) (D Reeve)	4
Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	38	Skrownek Fia Flavia (S Stewart)	1
Wytekloud Flash Zam N Kabam (S & B McRae)	16	Best Bitch	
Ch Skrownek Sev Kazan (S Stewart/J Wells)	8	Ch Lealsam Grand Aurora (Reeve)	30
Kalaska Astro Boy (Barzey / Clark)	6	Ch Wytekloud Ambers-Burn-For-Eva (S & B McRae)	18
Ch Zaminka Back To The Future (H Clark)	5	Ch Kalaska Wild Excitement at Oscarbi (Imp Aust) (Barzey / Clark)	7
Sever The Celtic Warrior (Imp Aust) (K Magnus)	4	Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	7
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HOW A MAN PLAYS THE GAME shows something of his character, how he loses shows all of it.

Anon

### Lucy

We've just celebrated Lucy's first birthday! Life with Lucy is full of positives these days, like: I'm positive it would be easier without her; I'm positive I wouldn't be as fit; I'm positive life wouldn't be nearly as interesting nor so full of laughs. Even Suzie, our wee black cat, is starting to think Lucy should stay. She enjoys having her around, especially when that big black cat from next door comes calling. Lucy to the rescue -Suzie sits in stunned silence as Lucy swoops round behind her and chases Brandy through the fence. Whew!

The tail end (excuse the pun) of 2007 was fraught with incidents that caused all kinds of stress for Lucy ... and us, not to mention my sister. The result was colitis ... for the dog, not us.

Having just been to the vet's for a bee sting (not that that has stopped her chasing them!), a few days later Lucy got into her uncle's (my brother-in-law) medication and swallowed a bottle of pills. My sister was in a panic, understandably. She whisked Lucy off to the vet, who placed a morphine tablet under her lower left eyelid that caused her to start vomiting violently within seconds. Up it all came stones, lolly wrappers, but no pills as these had probably already dissolved. The caring vet advised my sister to leave Lucy at the clinic for a couple of hours' observation, even though the tablets were "harmless" according to the Noxious Substances Authority. So my sister returned home, only to receive a phone call from the vet half an hour later pleading "Can you come and get your dog?!" (We haven't conquered her rather annoying habit of barking yet but we're working on it.)

For a few weeks Lucy walked round with a green stain on her cheek as a result of her little escapade and the morphine



Lucy pictured at Easter time

tablet. The swelling from the bee sting went down after a few days. And having gone through her first 'heat' (which lasted 21 days) we didn't quite finish the Dom 2 training at the Titahi Bay Canine Obedience Club (we're doing that in Dom 3 now).

Lucy has been a barker from a very early age and we decided we need to return to basics, using techniques like leaving the room and shutting the door behind us. It works! She is very much a 'Cath and Kim' dog — "look at me, look at me!" We've tried throwing the plastic bottle full of stones but this hasn't deterred her.

She has matured enough now that we can say "Thank you, Lucy, enough" when she barks at passing dogs and it gives us the satisfaction of knowing that we have kept our cool yet maintained our sense of authority. Of course, it would be really good if she stopped barking, too.

Thank God for a wonderful summer; so hot and so humid, it makes a dog lethargic, quiet, less obtrusive, a joy to live with, don't you know. I mistakenly thought "Ah, at last she's growing up".

Now autumn is knocking on the back door, the weather is getting cooler, not so humid, and the puppy in Lucy has returned ... oh no!

For some months now Lucy has been sleeping by or under the bed. Her cage stands beside the bed and we leave the door open for her to take a drink from the bowl or lie down in there when she's ready, which she often does in the early hours of the morning. Even during the day, when she's really tired she puts herself to bed in her cage; it's her haven.

However, having free range in the house means having free choice when it's time to get up and play ... swoosh, goes the hand towel from the bathroom wall. I hear her dragging it (my brand new lemon coloured towel) under the bed. Commanding her to "leave it" sometimes works. She's thinking "yeah! they know I'm awake now and ready to play" so she lets go of the towel.

Everything she's not supposed to have goes under the bed, like the toothpaste ... still, it gave her the ring of confidence. In the morning I usually find the odd coaster, running shoe, cat's blanket and hand towel down there. It usually takes both Mike and I to corner her under the bed and retrieve whatever it is she's stolen. Meanwhile, Lucy lies there with a grin on her face because Mum and Dad have come to play!

One night she took a coaster (an outdoor rubber disk). I knew she had something because of the manner in which she dived under the bed. As I turned the light on to investigate I saw that the disk had folded in half but sprung open in her mouth, wedging her jaw open. Hmmm, she can't bark with that in there, I thought to myself. I was tempted to leave it there till morning but I knew you'd all say that was animal cruelty. What about cruelty to sleep deprived doggy parents, eh?!

So, Lucy's sleeping in the cage with the door shut from now until her sleep patterns are sorted. That's our final word on the matter until ...?

Her best friend, Aranui, our ginger tabby, recently departed this mortal coil for the big cattery in the sky. That was a sad day but quite necessary as he had grown very thin and was vomiting two or three times a day, even after a week of increased prednisone.

It would appear that Lucy and Suzie, our black cat, sensed things weren't going well for Aranui a couple of weeks before he died. Lucy started ignoring Aranui and sought the company of Suzie more and more. Suzie for her part seemed to realise that she was going to be Lucy's new best friend and she began sticking around longer, not running away from Lucy every time she came within a metre of her and even lying next to her on the bed.

When Aranui's ashes were returned to us we buried him

under the deck and placed a brass plaque on the deck which reads "Here lies that Buddy Cat". We placed a large white stone on top (for no other reason than to stop Lucy digging him up, as she was most intrigued what the grey stuff being buried in the soil was – she hadn't played this game before).

Aranui was always my buddy from the time he moved in with us at the age of 10. His grandmother didn't like cats and being unaccustomed to swearing, she said "that buddy cat's not stopping here". But he did, of course, and now that he's gone we all miss him terribly.

Suzie has come out better off because she now has the high table in the conservatory to eat from and Lucy can't pinch her food anymore. I am better off because I don't have Suzie patting me on the cheek in the middle of the night saying, "OK, Mum, Lucy's asleep. You can get my biscuits out of the drawer now."

At Christmas time we were frustrated with Lucy's walking manners. She was always barking and pulling towards other dogs. We tried stepping between her and the other dog then walking her away but you have to catch her up first. By experimentation and with the cooperation of other dog walkers we found that when Lucy was allowed to greet other dogs there was no barking, she was quite submissive and never jumped up at the dog walker.

Of course, not all dog walkers are happy for Lucy to greet their dog and walking away from that situation usually results in Lucy barking her head off. Sometimes, even after a friendly greeting, she will bark when I try to move on, as if she hasn't had enough time. So, lately we've been taking the extra time to do an about face, walking away from the situation if she's pulling or barking at another dog, and it seems to be working. Don't you love watching that TV programme where doggy miracles happen every week?!

Last weekend we had a lovely encounter with Ali, a black Labrador, at Ngatitoa Domain. Her owner let her off the lead and I set Lucy free so the pair of them could run and chase "Mary", Lucy's squeaky toy, so named by my husband. By the way, my name is Mary. (Yet he still lives!) Ali was two years old and a lot quicker than Lucy but that didn't seem to deter Lucy at all. Usually when things are escaping her. Lucy will grab a passing tail or Achilles heel. After lots of play and a bit of training, I took home one knackered dog and the night was very peaceful.

Lucy seems very quick at picking up on things. I taught her to retrieve in one night. Of course, it takes lots of nights' practice to refine the skill but she's very good at it now ... until she's in front of other dogs at the training ground then all that training flies out the window, usually.

She's very good at wait and stay, until training night at the grounds. But now and then she floors me with the things she does so well. Last Tuesday we were practising, for the first time, the stand-stay command in front of her classmates and she got it. Yahoo!!! It's moments like these that redeem her! – good (intelligent) behaviour ... and napping in front of the TV.

Well, it's Wednesday morning, the day after the night before, when Lucy did her Dom 3 examination. God was smiling on us last night – only three people in our group turned up; Tessa and her sister, Lucy (a popular name), two Golden Retrievers and our Lucy. The three of them are guite used to each other now. Our Lucy was called to go first in the retrieve. She sat down and waited while I threw her toy out into the field then on the command "Fetch Mary" (I didn't half feel stupid!) she ran out and picked the toy up, then delivered it to my feet. Yahoo! Right first time. There were two exercises requiring the dogs to sit or lie for a whole minute off the lead. It's been difficult for her to do this during training lately but Lucy

didn't move an inch! Next we did a left, right and about face on a loose lead with a sit and a down thrown in between. No problems! I think she knew she'd done well and was pleased with her efforts, not to mention the praise she

received before she decided to eat her certificate.

It was one very tired pooch I took home last night and she slept soundly in her cage until 4am. At the risk of repeating myself, I'm glad I never had kids!

**Mary Cashmore** 

### **Pet Food**

Interest in natural pet food has developed to such an extent that Hutt City Works Educational Assistance has included a class on this topic in its course programme for the autumn semester. Title of the class is "Make your own natural pet food" and is aimed at:

For those wishing to eliminate chemically processed foods from the diet of your dogs and cats. I show you how easy it is to make

natural foods and biscuits for companions, utilising only natural, safe and additive free ingredients. Take home some samples to try.

The class will be held at Hutt City W E A, 47 Laings Road, Lower Hutt, on 29 May 2008 from 7.00 to 10 pm. Tutor is Donna Lee and the cost is \$25.00.

Could be of interest to people in the Wellington region. May be there are similar classes being held in other regions? There are also environmentally friendly pet foods available. You can even buy vegan cat and dog food which contains organic corn, soy and grain products.

Some owners use the vegan pet food to vary their pet's diet while others find it easier to use because of their principles as vegans, who avoid animal products of any kind.

> Lauren James Editor

### **Computers**

#### **Internet Security**



Life without a Sammy is like a joke without a punchline

Worth a read is "iSpy" in the latest issue of Consumer (issue 480, May 2008). Mark Wendelborn reports on the testing carried out on internet security suites. Checked out were 15 security suites, 4 antivirus programmes, 3 firewall programmes, and 3 operating systems to see which offer the best protection.

The report lists signs of virus infection, what is recommended, and a table of the results of the testing.

#### Fit to print

Also in the May issue is a report on their "colossal printer test" which includes 28 multifunction printers, 11 inkjets and 4 lasers. As they state 'something for everyone'.

Further information available on Consumer's web site – see <a href="https://www.consumer.org.nz">www.consumer.org.nz</a>

Lauren de C James Editor

### Welcome to the following new members:

Patrick and Heather Baker Jan Eddy Caroline Matheson Olivia Patterson Bryan Tribble Lucy Cheriton Shi Wang Lei Ya Kerry Mitchell Meija Rantala-Rantakari

May your membership be a long and happy one.

We look forward to meeting you at our events planned for 2008.

### **Current Issues in Vaccination**

Steven Holloway, BVSc, MVS, DACVIM, PhD

Dogs
Issue 1. Duration of Immunity
and Annual Vaccination in

Dogs

There is now considerable evidence that yearly vaccination against CDV, CPV and CAV-1 is not required. Studies have shown that immunity to all 5 antigens is maintained for periods of over 2 years<sup>1</sup> and for CDV, CPV2, CAV, CPiV for over 4 years.<sup>2</sup> The weight of evidence suggests that we are able to vaccinate less often in dogs, probably every 3 years for core viruses and probably at least 2 yearly for respiratory vaccines. Duration of immunity studies overwhelmingly support that dogs over 1 year of age are protected for periods of over 3 years and maybe a lot longer. In other words it is not possible to defend the practice of annual vaccination for CPV2, CDV, CAV given the volume of data available. Secondly, the duration of immunity of Bordetella vaccines is not 3 years and the longest duration of immunity published is less than 2 years and so yearly Bordetella vaccination is still necessary until products with longer duration of immunity are registered for use.

Parainfluenza virus vaccines appear to give 2-3 years duration of immunity based upon present studies. As neither of these agents would usually cause fatal disease then a decision of whether to vaccinate yearly against these agents should be made after a consultation with the dog's owners. Such a discussion would take into account the dog's access to other dogs and possible kennelling requirements where the risk of exposure is higher. Many veterinarians would say "So why not just vaccinate against all 5 antigens yearly if they do no harm"? Or "Basing our policies on DOI data is too difficult".

#### Issue 2. Are Vaccines Safe?

A major concern of the repeated use of vaccines is the potential to develop serious immunemediated diseases following vaccines. Surprisingly, little has been published on the incidence of immune-mediated diseases after vaccination. Idiopathic immune-mediated haemolytic anaemia (IMHA) was identified in a retrospective, controlled study of 58 dogs over a 27-month period.4 When compared with a randomly selected control group of 70 dogs (presented for reasons other than IMHA) over the same period, the distribution of cases versus time since vaccination was different (P < .05). Fifteen of the dogs (26%) had been vaccinated within one month of developing IMHA (P < .0001), whereas in the control group no marked increase in the frequency of disease was seen in the first month after vaccination. The recently vaccinated dogs with IMHA (vaccine IMHA group) had significantly lower platelet counts (P < .05) and a trend towards increased prevalence of intravascular haemolysis and autoagglutination when compared with the non-vaccine IMHA group. In the recently vaccinated dogs, combination vaccines from various manufacturers against CDV, CAV-2, leptospirosis, parainfluenza, and CPV-2a (DHLPP) were involved in each case. Vaccines against rabies virus, Bordetella spp, coronavirus, and Lyme Borrelia bacterins were administered concomitantly to some dogs. This study provides the only clinical evidence for a temporal relationship of vaccine-associated IMHA in the dog.<sup>4</sup> Clearly, better reporting of potential vaccine related immune-mediated disease is required and veterinarians assessing cases of IMHA should be active in reporting possible relationships to vaccination.

A more recent study was conducted to evaluate the safety of canine vaccines.<sup>5</sup> An

epidemiological investigation was conducted to evaluate the evidence for a temporal association between vaccination and ill health in dogs. The owners of a randomly selected population of dogs were sent 9055 postal questionnaires, 4040 of which were returned. No temporal association was found between vaccination and ill health in dogs after adjusting for potential confounders, such as age. However, reliable inferences from non-significant test results are limited and so equivalence-testing methods were also used to make informative inferences. Results demonstrated that recent vaccination (< 3 months) does not increase signs of ill health by more than 0.5% and may actually decrease it by as much as 5%. This general approach to questions of vaccine related disease should be used in all field studies of vaccine safety. Conditions and do not spread to other dogs. However, encephalitis has very occasionally been reported after vaccination with modified-live CDV vaccines.<sup>6</sup> This is most likely to occur with the vaccination of bitches in whelp or during the first few days postpartum.7 Clinical signs are usually restricted to jaw champing fits and resolution has been reported. The detection of CDV RNA within the bone cells of dogs with metaphyseal osteopathy (hypertrophic osteodystrophy) has led to the suggestion that CDV may be the cause of the disease in large breed young growing dogs.8 These conflicting findings suggest that infection of metaphyseal bone cells is common in young dogs with systemic wild type distemper and occurrence of viral antigen in these cells may result in defects in bone modeling.<sup>9,10</sup> There is at present no direct evidence of vaccine virus causing metaphyseal osteopathy in dogs, although the possibility cannot be excluded. It might be added that should vaccinal CDV be implicated in the development of

these diseases then the use of alternatives vaccines to MLV CDV vaccines might be appropriate. In such a situation, CDV containing canarypox vaccines may be the preferred option.

A special note needs to be stated concerning Weimaraners. Weimaraners appear to be at increased risk of developing metaphyseal osteopathy following vaccination and there is at least some evidence suggesting that breaking up the vaccination interval may result in less chance of developing HOD. 11-13 It is important to remember that not all dogs in the population will behave identically and in some cases certain individuals may have a predisposition to hyper or hypo immune responsiveness to infectious agents or adjuvants used in vaccines.

### Should We Vaccinate Against Leptospirosis?

It is important for practitioner to realise that Leptospira interrogans is a species containing multiple different serogroups containing multiple serovars. Each serogroup contains several serovars that are closely related due to their antigenic determinants on the outer membrane. These outer membrane antigens are responsible for the induction of agglutinating antibodies in infected animals and are the basis of the in vitro phenotypic classification of leptospires by the micro agglutination test. More recently a classification system based on DNA identification is in use and the previously unique species L interrogans is subdivided into and least seven genomospecies. The different classification systems have provided confusion for field veterinarians. The numerous serogroups may have variation in virulence for dogs also and certain serovars are more often associated with clinical leptospirosis than others. For example common serogroups causing clinical disease in dogs include icterohaemorrhagiae, canicola, sejroë, australis,

grippotyphosa and autumnalis. Icterohaemorrhagiae and canicola are traditional serogroups associated with canine leptospirosis but other serogroups can also cause disease in dogs. Dogs are the natural host of canicola and rats icterohaemorrhagica. These two serogroups are most commonly included in vaccinations. Leptospirosis may therefore be affected by the prevalence of rodents or infected dogs in the environment and also environmental conditions such as the availability of temperate fresh waters such as lakes and streams. 14 In dry areas, the disease would appear to have a lower incidence making vaccination less necessary.

In my opinion, Australian studies have been inadequate to assess virulence, serovar prevalence of clinical signs related to infection. This has recently improved with a study suggesting that leptospirosis is a serious problem in dogs in Northern Queensland<sup>15</sup> with L australis (80%) and L zanoni (15%) with individual cases of L hardio and L copenhageni reported. Key issues then relate to the serovars in Australian vaccines and cross protection against those found in North Queensland occur. Similar questions need to be asked in each locality then to determine if vaccination is required or even effective.

To assess vaccine effectiveness challenge studies are usually undertaken and these studies often show that challenge with other serogroups are usually less effective in protecting against chronic disease and renal carriage than the vaccinal serogroup. 16 Newer strategies to increase the concentration of potentially cross protective protein antigens especially those expressed during infection may improve cross protection. Vaccine manufacturers may need to update include some of the more relevant serovars to guarantee protection.

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### **Should We Vaccinate Against Canine Coronavirus**

An effective coronavirus vaccine is one that induces and maintains significant concentrations of virus-specific antibodies in serum and at local points of viral entry (e.g., mucosal surfaces), as well as virus-specific T-cell immunity. A strong neutralizing antibody response and a specific mucosal antibody response are therefore desirable. Canine Coronavirus (CCoV) and feline corona viruses (FeCoV) are group I corona viruses with a predominantly enteric replication pattern. CCoV, FeCoVs are divided into type I and type II serotypes. By sequence analysis and comparison, it has been demonstrated that two prototype strains of FeCoV type II originated from double and separate recombination events between FeCoV type I and CCoV 2. As FeCoV II has an S protein derived from CCoV they are serologically cross-reactive. There is no doubt that CCoV show levels of nucleotide and antigenic variability. In fact. several studies demonstrate variance of Australian and European isolates from the prototypical sequences of CCoV. A major problem when determining if any particular vaccine will produce immunity against any particular challenge virus is an understanding of the host immune response and the relationship to the circulating virus type in the local area where the vaccine will be used. This can be addressed easily for some viruses but is problematic for many. For example, canine parvovirus 2 (CPV2) is a relatively well-studied virus and neutralization epitopes of the virus have been well documented. Despite antigenic and nucleotide variation, current CPV2 vaccines produce serum antibodies to conserved neutralization epitopes. By comparison with CPV2, CCoV is a much larger virus, shows greater nucleotide and antigenic variation and the documentation of important protective epitopes (both antibody and CTL) have not been documented for any CCoV

type. 17 As such, any argument for vaccination (pro or con) based on molecular analysis of circulating types of CCoV is likely to be deficient until we know specific areas of the virus that stimulate protective immunity. CCoVs appear to be of variable pathogenicity with various reports suggesting mild disease to severe or fatal disease. 18 At present the utility of CCoV vaccination is therefore debatable.

### Cats Issue 1. Duration of Immunity

Herpesvirus FHV-1 and Calicivirus (FCV) and FPV. In cats current evidence suggests that vaccination of kittens and boostering at 1 year of age will provide long lasting immunity against FPV. 19 With FCV issues of strain variation will cloud whether vaccination is helpful at all. However, in studies relating FCV antibody titres to challenge with virulent virus there was a good correlation with antibody titres and protection from disease.<sup>20'</sup> Most cats (>90%) would seem to have protective titres at three years and so a 3yearly vaccination interval would seem appropriate. FHV remains the most difficult virus to make recommendations for. Antibody titres have a good correlation with protection against challenge in 90% of cats but duration of immunity may not be greater than 3 years.<sup>20</sup> Additionally, the effects of stress on reactivation of latent herpesvirus infections is unknown despite antibody titres that would appear adequate. (This is why genital herpes is such a difficult issue in human medicine!) Whether vaccination provides enough cell-mediated immunity to prevent this stress reactivation is also an issue. For FHV a clear answer on how often to vaccinate is impossible at present and event the effectiveness of vaccination in the prevention of stress related shedding and disease is hard to evaluate. In Scott's study vaccinated cats were protected partially against viral challenge with virulent FHV three years after vaccination. Relative

efficacy of the vaccine, on the basis of reduction of clinical signs of disease, was 52%. This would suggest that there is some immunity carried through to 3 years. Would it stand up in a high challenge environment?

#### Issue 2. FIV Vaccines

Obviously FIV is a big problem in Australia, with many cats being infected. In one study seroprevalence rates are >20% of cats in the inner city.21 The virus clearly has correlation with diseases in cats particularly lymphosarcoma<sup>22</sup> and so a vaccine is indicated. Is the current FIV vaccine efficacious? The vaccine is a killed vaccine and contains two isolates of the virus one from Clade A and one from Clade D (subtype A FIV (Petaluma) and subtype D FIV (Shizuoka) vaccine. At present all Australian isolates have been suggested to be Clade A. Previous challenge studies in vaccinated cats indicate broad protection against multiple strain of the FIV virus and the preventable fraction is around 82%. However, no killed vaccine has protected against the highly virulent Glasgow strain.23 We can therefore expect perhaps that not all vaccinated cats will be protected but that vaccination may over time reduce the prevalence of FIV. Successful protection in any one cat may depend upon the age at which the cat is challenged, and the virulence of the challenge virus more than the antigenic type.

A downside to the vaccine is that it renders cats' antibody positive and so serological discrimination of virus positive cats is not possible in vaccinated cats. Therefore it would seem logical to test cats prior to vaccination. However be aware that maternal antibodies will carry over in kittens born of vaccinated queens and positive kittens will require further testing to see if this is true infection or not. In the USA considerable variation has been found with different laboratories conducting FIV testing suggesting that PCR may have issues with accuracy.<sup>24</sup> A high number of

false-negative test results when using polymerase chain reaction-based assays. A recent study showed a PCR-based assay was false negative on one of 10 tests for subtype A and one of 12 for subtype B. In general, the PCR assay is a wonderful tool, but concern about its current usability as a commercial diagnostic test for FIV exists.<sup>25</sup>

#### **Feline Calicivirus**

Highly virulent forms of feline calicivirus (VS-FCV) have emerged that cause a severe systemic infection may be fatal.<sup>26</sup> Currently, there are no genetic or in vitro diagnostic methods to distinguish viruses isolated from cases of VS-FCV disease from other isolates. Infected cats that recover from acute disease remain persistently infected. In such cats, continuing viral mutation enables the virus to evade the host immune response and long-term carriers may enable the virus to persist in the feline population. FCV vaccines have been available for many years and in general they reduced the incidence of clinical disease without providing sterilising immunity. Vaccinated cats can still become persistently infected and shed virus. In addition, FCV strain variability my result in variable protection after vaccination. The emergence of more virulent FCV and ongoing evolution of the virus may necessitate the development of new vaccines for FCV.

# Do Viral Vaccines Made in Feline Kidney Cells Induce Renal Disease?

In theory, vaccine viruses grown in feline kidney cells could result in immune-mediated kidney disease in vaccinated cats. If sufficient cellular material from the kidney cell line (CRFKs) is carried forward in the presence of adjuvants then in theory the tolerance to self-antigens may be overcome and auto reactive antibodies produced. Two recent papers by Lappin *et al* suggest that this may occur in cats<sup>28,29</sup> although the link to interstitial nephritis is still not supported by

studies in a large number of cats. In a 2006 study by Lappin et al, parenteral administration of CRFK cell lysates or FHV 1, FCV, and FPV virus-containing vaccines (FVRCP) grown on CRFK cells induced antibodies against CRFK cells. These antibodies also react with feline renal cell extracts. This paper suggests the possibility may of vaccine-induced renal disease. In a second study, interstitial nephritis was detected in cats that were immunologically sensitised with CRFK lysates, boosted with CRFK lysates, and then biopsied 2 weeks after the booster (13 injections in all). One cat in each of the three CRFK lysate sensitisation groups had lymphocytic-plasmacytic interstitial nephritis. Although not conclusive this paper raises questions of a link between feline interstitial nephritis and repeated vaccinations with killed, feline viral vaccines produced in CRFKs.

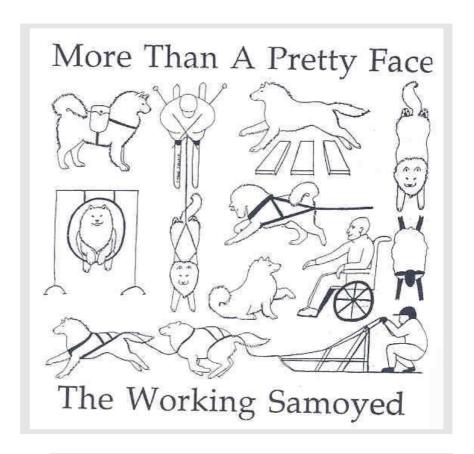
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A dog hath true love,
A dog hath right good
understanding
A wise dog knoweth all things,
A doth hath mettle and is comely
A dog is in all things seemly.
A knowing dog thinketh no evil,
A dog hath a memory that
forgeteth not,
I say unto you again a dog
forsaketh not his duty,
Hath might and cunning therewith
and a great brace heart.

Grace de la Vigne,
 Poéme sur la Chasse,
 1359



#### Dear Dr Sam by Bill Stanfield

Dear Dr Sam

Can Samoyeds be immoral?

Interested?

Dear Interested

Indeed they can. Some Sams in fact have no more morals than an alley cat. Immorality can be ascertained when the bitch is in season. If she frolics and makes overtures, she has the morals of a Bourbon Street hussy. If the male responds with passionate howls, whimpers etc., then he, too, is immoral. Moral Sams show no signs of joy during mating, knowing full well that breeding is for the sole purpose of producing as many show dogs as possible.

Reprinted from the Samoyed Club of America bulletin, editor Mrs P Borcherding.

"Money can buy a fine dog, but only love can make him wag his tail."

Uncredited quote from the puzzle book "Dell All-time Favorite Variety Puzzles":

### **New Zealand Samoyed Kennel Names**

#### by Lauren de C James

A kennel name can be likened to a surname or family name, a way of identifying stock bred within a kennel. When selecting a kennel name many people seek inspiration from the atlas whilst others use the name of their first Samoyed or a combination of the names of their founding Samoyeds or even their own names. As an example of the latter the well known prefix of Connie and David Richardson (USA) comes to mind - Kondako (formed by the names Connie. David and Co - co for their children with the letter "C" changed to "K").

Even street names have been adopted as a kennel name – Sunshine for instance was the name of the street where club secretary, Anita Shugg and husband Ken lived in Paraparaumu. The prefix of former president John Watt and wife Paddy came about because of the van in which they drove to shows – the Sammy van became Samivahn.

Samgold, the kennel name of Ann Gallagher, the UK judge for our 2008 championship show came about because two breeds were kept (Samoyeds and Golden Retrievers).

When selecting a kennel name ideally one should choose a kennel name which is distinct from any other kennel name. It is also important to select a name which is easy to pronounce and memorable – how many times have we heard office bearers stumble over the pronounciation of a dog's name at award presentations? For those with ambitions to put their kennel name on the map a catchy name helps when working on establishing a reputation.

Our breed has strong links with the Arctic and Antarctica, and those words as well as words associated with the cold weather in polar regions, have been used as kennel names. Some examples - Arctic in England and NZ, Antarctic Snow in

NZ, Antarctic in England, Glacier in England and the USA, Polar in England, and used in NZ by various owners but never registered until 1999 when Mrs S Mathers registered the prefix, and in the USA there are at least six kennels using Polar plus another word. Combinations using Snow or Sno as part of the name are also popular.

Because our breed is "white" and the guard hair or outer coat is known for its "silver" tips both these words have been combined with another syllable or word (eg Silvertips, Whiteway) to create a variety of kennel names. Sometimes too the word has been misspelt deliberately – a prime example is White which becomes Whyte or Wytekloud, which all adds to the confusion. Other words associated with the terrain of parts of Russia have also been used eg Steppes and Tundra.

The following are some relevant extracts from New Zealand Kennel Club registration regulations as at 2 January 2007 <sup>(1)</sup>:

#### 9. Registration of dogs...

- 9.3 Name of Dog
- 9.3.1 The registered name of a dog, including the Kennel Name, shall be restricted to not more than 25 letters and must consist of at least two words.
- 9.3.2 A registered name once entered in the Register cannot again be registered in the same breed. ....
- 9.3.4 The names of overseas kennels should not be selected. ....
- 9.3.6 Only the member registered as owner or part owner of a New Zealand Kennel Club registered Kennel Name may use that name as part of any registered dog's name.
- 9.3.7 In any litter a word, not being a Kennel Name, can only be used twice as a suffix or prefix.

#### 11. Kennel Names (Prefixes and Suffixes)...

- 11.1.4 Every member applying to register a litter must be the registered owner of a Kennel Name.
- 11.1.5 A Kennel Name can be used as a suffix (at the end) or a prefix (at the beginning) of a dogs name.
- 11.1.6 A Kennel Name once registered can be used for any breed. ....
- 11.2.2 A Kennel Name must consist of one word only and must have no more than 12 letters. No hyphens, apostrophes or numbers (including Roman Numerals) will be accepted as a Kennel Name. ....
- 11.3.1 A kennel name is renewable annually. If not renewed the registration shall lapse. A lapsed Kennel Name cannot be used as part of the name of a dog.
- 11.3.2 A Kennel Name may be cancelled by all the registered owners requesting in writing that it be cancelled. A cancelled Kennel Name can be used as part of the name of a dog. ....
- 11.3.5 A Kennel Name registered before 1959 not subsequently transferred in whole or part to any new owner(s), is owned perpetually, automatically renewed annually and may be cancelled only by:-
- 11.3.6 (a) the death of the owner(s)
- 11.3.7 (b) life disqualification of the owner(s)
- 11.3.8 (c) the expiration of 25 years after the last use of the kennel name or the last renewal of membership by the owner(s).

#### Note:

In the past some kennel names have comprised two words, eg Belaya Sobaka, Rydal Mount, Chienne d'Or to name just a few. Also both hyphens and apostrophes have been allowed previously eg Bugun-Shara, Cosmic-Star, D'Urberville.

#### **Duplication of kennel names**

There is no reciprocal arrangement between the various Kennel Clubs in respect of kennel names and as a result there are many duplications of kennel names across all breeds which can and does cause confusion. With the advent of Al and the

international travel undertaken by some Samoyeds the situation can only worsen!

As a member of two international Samoyed pedigree email groups I have become more aware of many cases of duplication not only of kennel names but of dogs' names

but we won't address the latter here – that's an issue deserving of a separate paper!

The recent trend of adding your own kennel name to a dog you own but which was bred in another kennel does not help the situation.

Some examples of kennel name duplication:

Airebis - Siberia spelt backwards (Australia and England)

Arctic (England, New Zealand)

Deyomas - Samoyed spelt backwards (England, New Zealand)

Glacier (England, USA)

Icemist (Australia, England, USA)

Kazan (New Zealand, USA)

Kobe (UK, Australia – Vi Kobe, and the USA where "of Encino" was usually included)

Murmansk (New Zealand, Scotland)

Samovar (Australia, Canada, England, New Zealand)

Sayantsi (Australia, New Zealand, and USA)

Silvertip (Australia, Canada)

Snowland (England, USA)

Snowmist (Australia, Finland, USA)

Sunshine (New Zealand, USA)

Tundra (New Zealand, USA)

Voinaika (Canada, New Zealand)

Yurak (New Zealand, USA)

#### Protection of a kennel name

As well as concern over the duplication of kennel names there is also the issue of protecting a kennel name. Some years ago I recall there was uproar in the Afghan Hound ranks in England when a new Afghan Hound owner registered an Afghan with the Carloway suffix. By that stage the internationally renowned Carloway kennel had closed down and the owner lived overseas but as a result of the furore and probably other complaints The Kennel Club made it possible for famous kennel names to be protected by the payment of a fee which invariably the breed clubs pay.

It was an encouraging sign when the New Zealand Kennel Club commenced publishing kennel names applied for in the Kennel Gazette with the opportunity for members to object within the month. In 1998 I noticed the name "Tarantella" had been applied for so I lodged a complaint with NZKC on the grounds that the owner of

that suffix or a descendant of the owner who had bred Samoyeds under that name in 1974 and 1975 could apply for the name to find it had been registered by someone else. In addition there are descendants of the Tarantella kennel being exhibited and bred from ie in the Sunshine kennel of our Club secretary.

My complaint was declined and one of the reasons given was that the name was to be used for Beagles. Who is to say that the applicant didn't later breed Samoveds? Coincidentally there is an instance of someone starting off in Samoveds, registering one litter under the Kotuku affix and later moving on to Beagles and breeding Beagles under the affix that person was Colin Dehn and I recall him exhibiting Beagles in the South Island in the 1970s. The other reason was that the kennel name had lapsed and a lapsed kennel name can be reallocated after a period of 15 years since it was last used in the same breed or after a period of seven years since it had been used for use in any other breed.

Any objection to a kennel name must be in writing stating the reasons and received by the NZKC Director-Secretary on or before the last day of the month in which the name was published in the Kennel Gazette. Realistically you have only about 21 days to lodge a complaint, which allows only a small window of opportunity. Unless someone makes a point of promptly checking each monthly list in the NZKC Kennel Gazette and complains we are likely to continue seeing duplications occur.

How would you feel if someone registered a world famous name such as Arctic, Kobe, Sworddale or Tamitsa as their kennel name with NZKC? Because those names are well back in the pedigrees of current dogs such a risk exists.

Persons can protect their kennel name by continuing to pay the renewal fee but they would also need to maintain their membership of NZKC all on the off-chance that they may recommence breeding. These are the kinds of expenses which are the first to go in times of difficult financial circumstances. However if a person or a family member decides some years later to reactivate the family kennel name it could well be in use by someone else by then.

#### **Duplication of names**

Another issue is the fact that kennel names are sometimes names which have already been used in association with another kennel name. The name Mashenka is a case in point. Do a search on the NKC database and you will find that Quesada Mashenka whelped in 1983 comes up, Ch Kursharn Mashenka whelped 1997 also comes up, as well as a litter of six registered with the kennel name of Mashenka (as a prefix) whelped in 2004.

#### Kennel name register

The Samoved Club of America established a register of kennel names over 30 years ago and usually publishes this in its annual "At your Service" booklet. Though the majority of the kennel names are American there is an evergrowing list covering other countries. Any SCA member deciding on a kennel name is encouraged to check the most current listing or contact the SCA Kennel Name Chairperson to make sure he or she is not usurping someone else's kennel name.

I do not know if any Australianwide list has been compiled but I do have a list of kennel names published in the NSW Samoyed club magazine dated 1973. I envy the racehorse industry which has an international name register and so avoids the many pitfalls we as dog breeders encounter with names.

### New Zealand registered kennel names

Since the introduction of the breed in 1900 a total of 606 Samoved kennel names have been registered with the NZKC as at 31 March 2008. In four instances the same kennel name has been registered on two different occasions by two different owners, eg Yurak - registered first in 1935 by Mr R R Dunn, and registered for a second time 41 years later in 1976 by Mr and Mrs L Neumayr. Both registrations for each of the four kennel names are included in the list and can be identified by the year of registration and owner name.

The following list has been compiled with the aid of a similar list of registered kennel names (125 to 31 October, 1965) published in "The Samoyed (New Zealand") (2), a list including an additional 296 kennel names registered by 31 October 1980 in an article "New Zealand Samoyed Kennels" in the "DSC News" Brood Bitch Supplement, December 1980 (3), and through the assistance of the NZKC. Some kennel names have been or are now associated with other breeds.

There may be other prefixes or suffixes registered by owners who intend to breed Samoyeds at some future date but, if this breed was not specified on their application, such intention is not known. It should also be noted that some kennel names were registered originally in one or another breed but not for Samoyeds, but Samoyeds were later added. Therefore, the year of registration does not always indicate that

Samoveds have been bred with this affix since that date. There may be some kennels which remain active though no litter has been registered in the last five years. It is well nigh impossible to identify those kennels as being active could include ownership of a Samoyed, competing in conformation, obedience, or agility, and/or continuing to maintain a kennel name by the payment of an annual fee to the NZKC. As dogs get older, and die, and are not replaced, some kennels may go into abeyance for some years and some examples of those would be the writer's own kennel "Kiev" (no litters between 1984-1993, and none since 1993), and Judi McCormick's "Silvertips" (no litters between 1984 and 2002).

Some prefixes have been used by breeders through the years without being registered – for instance Polar was used by a number of breeders during the 1920s and 1930s whilst Warnick was used by Mr H Nicholson in the 1950s.

It is interesting to note that there are 113 kennel names commencing with the letter "S". Why is that letter of the alphabet so popular? Is it because a name starting with S sounds better when spoken or written with the Samoyed breed name? There are 22 kennel names starting with "Sam" so that has some bearing on the tally. It cannot be purely the association with the word sno or snow because there are only 21 names starting with either of those words.

The second most popular letter is "K" coming in at 88 and the third most popular letter is "T" with 41.

The least most popular letter is "X" with not one kennel name starting with that letter.

He is your friend, your partner, your defender, your dog. You are his life, his love, his leader. He will be yours, faithful and true, to the last beat of his heart.

You owe it to him to be worthy of such devotion.

### New Zealand Samoyed Kennel Names as at 31 March 2008

Key

- Indicates that no registered **Samoyeds** have been bred with this kennel name for at least five years prior to 31 March 2008; in the majority of these cases it can be assumed that these kennels are no longer operating or breeding another breed (refer notes below list);
- # emgirated to Australia where kennel name registered;
- known to be active but have not registered a litter for at least five years;
- indicates that although the kennel name has been registered for the breed, no Samoyeds had been bred under this kennel name by 31 March 2008;
- indicates that the owner of this kennel name has bred Samoyeds under more than one kennel name;
- Indicates the owner of this kennel name is deceased.

The year given is either the year the kennel name was registered or the year when the first litter registered. In some cases kennel names may have been registered a year or two in advance of the first litter being registered. In other cases other breeds may have been registered before Samoyeds. In some instances there has been a change of kennel owner name through remarriage or for other reasons. For ease of management the last or current registered owner's name is shown.

Kennel name	Year	Owner	Kennel Name	Year	Owner	
Acadian	1978	Mr & Mrs M J Roberts *	Awhitu	1945	Mr H Hyland	*
Accacia	1976	Mr L J Butler ₩				
Admia	2004	Ms M Asplet	Baikal	1983	Mr J A Pearce	*
Alaska	1937	Mrs D M Rees *	Balalaika	1962	Mr & Mrs J V E Edwards	*
Albedo	1982	Mrs M McKirdy *	Balashika	1969	Mr L & Miss C Perry	*
Altai	1949	Mr & Mrs H R Screen *	Barishka	1972	Mr & Mrs P J Shaw	*
Altazka	1964	Miss Tonia Baillie *	Bay	1970	Mr & Mrs P J Butler	*
Amanecer	1978	Mr & Mrs D Clarke *	Baykal	1973	Mrs M Peck	*
Amarich	2002	Mr Peter Duncan	Beau Geste	1973	Mr B F Vann	*
Amarok	2003	Mrs Sue Johnson	Belaya Sobaka	1954	Mrs V Auckram	<b>*</b> *
Ameca	1977	Mr & Mrs C C Foster *		1979	Messrs A & D Bell	*
Amuleck	1957	Mrs R Forbes-King	Bentara	1975	Mrs U M & Miss K Bell	
Andreyevich	1970	Mrs E E Morrison ₩	Berengaria	1975	Mr B Gasson	*
Angara	1996	Ms Lynne Barr	Berin	1976	Mr D & Mrs C W Dowsing	<b>y</b> 🕸
Aniak	1965	Mr & Mrs B McColl *	Beryozka	1970	Mr & Mrs R J Van Lierop	*
Ankaret	1973	Mr & Mrs I Bigham **	Beth-Shan	1968	Mrs L J Pitcher	*
Annaton	1976	Mrs N Chambers *	Beyond	2004	Miss Wendy Wen shuyu	
Anorien	1974	Mrs J A Reeder *	Bianco	1951	Mrs A E Hunter	*
Antarctic Snow	1922	Mrs W Richards	Birchleigh	1955	Mr & Mrs T R Rusbridge	<b>♦</b> ₩
Aquerian Mist	1974	Mrs K Griffin	Birvanoff	1977	Mr I L Pearcy	*
Archangel	1936	Master L S Richmond *	Bjelkier	1973	Mr H G & Mrs M D Farr	*
Arctic	1934	Mrs N D Devery	Bjorkshire	2001	Mr M G Cullimore	
Ardlar	1973	Mrs M Giblin	Blue River	1963	Mrs N D Cross	*
Arium	1972	Mrs M N McNair *	Bolshoi	1975	Mr F W Pollock	*
Arkastra	1972	Mr & Mrs B J Williams *	Bovada	1978	Mrs G M Baker	*
Arrowton	1975	Mr B I Wood *	Boydell	1989	Mrs D McClenaghan	*
Ash-Sham	1982	Mr & Mrs C J Whittaker ##	Bowenvale	1954	Mrs D E Beauvais	*
Astrakhan (i)	1949	Mrs J M Cross	Briarwood	1971	Mr G Lilley	X
Astrakhan (ii)	1983	Mrs W K Marychurch *	Broadyork	1988	Mrs S M Bowden	*
Athlor	1962	Mrs A Clarke	Brookville	1984	Mrs W M Brooks	*
Aurora (i)	1938	Mr & Mrs F N Woodhouse *	Bugun-Shara	1978	Mr E Lee	*
Aurora (ii)	1962	Mrs B M Begbie				•
Ausulkee	1978	Mr & Mrs W F McBride	Caius	1987	Mrs E Clark	*
			Cape View	1977	Mr D A & Mrs R Price	*

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Caredene	1957	Mr J C Carr	*	Elanra	1991	Mr G R & Mrs P I Turner	Ц
Carluke	1983	Mrs J G Bruce	*	Ellister	1974	Mr P R Downie	*
Castle Dune	1970	Mrs J A Gurzinski	*	El Ranchero	1965	Mr A R Ross	X
Catamara	1979	Mrs W Anderson	*	Elton	1977	Mrs J M Eccles	*
Cawdor	1956	Mr R J Hannaford	*	Erebus	1977	Mr C A & Mrs P L MacDo	nald
Cedar	1981	Mr & Mrs C L Rickson	*	Erzanmynes	1967	Mrs M Vaughan	<b>*</b> *
Cervo	1995	Mr R M Lombardi	*	Eskend	1970	Mr & Mrs J Weygang	*
Charna	1949	Mr & Mrs N B Jackson	*	Estrella	2000	Mrs C Gribble	*
Chaunskaya	1993	Mrs L Connor	*	Etah	1993	Mrs S Thew	*
Chenski	1996	Mr J Gilchrist		Excelda	1972	Mrs J M James	*
Cherith	1983	Mrs C Bartle	*				
Cherkasy	1982	Mrs K Fay	*	Fairholm	1948	M/s F Beach & I Buchana	an ₩
Chernov	1976	Mr P J & Mrs M A Moody	*	Fairview	1990	Mr T & Mrs I Pearson	*
Cher Zvon	1986	Mr A Aitken	*	Fergana	1975	Mr P Vander Wel	*
Chienne d'Or	1953	Mrs Pearl M Wilson	<b>.</b> *₩	Fernmere	1966	Mrs M E Kelly	*
Chinska	1986	Mrs A M Bray	*	Finland	1940	Mr J Baylis	*
Christiana	1961	Rev D G Salthouse	*	Fohn (I)	1947	Miss J I Blackburn	*
Chukchi	1984	Mrs M Hayward	*	Fohn (ii)	1971	Mrs J Pollock	*
Chukot	1975	Mr J & Mrs S Dorward	*	Fon-Dei	1986	Mr J & Mrs D Gilchrist	<b>*</b> *
Cirrus	1971	Mr & Mrs P A Hinks	*	Fontra	1987	Miss J Bullock	*
Ci Wen	1988	Mr C & Mrs P Owen	*	Foxworth	1966	Mrs E F Beckingsale (2)	*
Clandara	1976	Mr & Mrs R Frew (1)	*	Freyberg	1976	Mrs E Peters	*
Clydehaven	1970	Mr E J Edwards	*	, ,			
Coackacher	1971	Mr & Mrs R J Lyon	*	Gayrena	1983	Mrs G Ayres	*
Colrek	1968	Mr D Jones	*	Germoyed	1983	Mr & Mrs T B Cohen (3)	X
Cornafostra	1980	Mr & Mrs W Gilheaney	*	Glenruth	1978	Mrs G W Evans	<u> </u>
Cosmic Star	1974	Mr A & Mrs P Joy	*	Glen-Tara	1966	Mr & Mrs H E Hartman	*
Crescendo	1975	Mr & Mrs P J Winter	*	Glorit	1974	Mrs C Simons	*
Crystal-Lite	1981	Mrs N Stewart	*	Glovers	1973	Mrs J Betts	*
Crystavale	1987	Mrs V Anderson	*	Godthaab	1955	Mr F Andersen	*
Cvieka	1968	Mr & Mrs I D Caley	*	Granliegh	1961	Mrs L Morrison	*
		3 2 333		Greenpark	1982	Mr J McMillan	*
Daledowns	1990	Mrs P J Adkins	*	Greenvale	1973	Mrs V E Robinson	*
Dalreoch	1973	Miss H Bennie	*	Grenaya	1976	Mr T J Green	*
Delmonte	1991	Mrs S Bloomfield	*	Gyda	1954	Mr T Fox	*
Delsaar	1976	Mrs D Hollinghum	*	-			
Delviento	1984	Mr G Hall	*	Haslemere	1938	Mrs E Robins	*
Densham	1979	Mr & Mrs W Walsham	*	Haunui	1956	Mr J L Graham	*
Deyomas	1987	Mrs D Owens	*	Headingly	1974	Mrs J Wilson	*
Diakonia	1978	Mr D Megchelse	*	Hetherington	1979	Mr N E Paulsen	*
Dianniel	1969	Mrs D J Shuker	*	Himalayian Mt	1976	Mr S M Cousens	*
Dilara	1983	Mrs D P Poore	*	Hukapapa	1977	Mr G Paul & Miss P Paki	*
Divarche	1982	Mrs G C Bartlett		Hukarere Ma	1971	Mrs F E Leslie	*
Djetskaya	1960	Mrs H M Hansen	*	Huslia	1991	Miss D Wheeler	*
Dudinka	1952	Mrs F E B Molesworth	*	Hyboria	1978	Mr M J Stanway	*
Dunby	1979	Mrs W Dunlop	*	,		o otaninaj	-1-
Dunhill	1969	Mr J T Yates	*	Iceflower	1969	Mrs A Anton	*
D'Urberville	1977	Mr A F Pyke	**	Iceland	1976	Mrs G Martin	
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Earlsdale	1963	Mr & Mrs N Goodwin	*	Icepack	1948	Mrs A Ham	*

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Icewitch	2001	Ms C Halls *	Khetanik	2005	Mrs Barbara N Ottrey
Illston	1951	Mrs M G Wright *	Kiba	1973	Mrs J Ropata *
Intermezzo	1973	Mrs D I Brown *	Kibon	1976	Mr C J O'Daly ❖
Iskistral	1987	Mr J R D Christall	Kickstarts	1997	Mr D Wilkings
			Kiev	1969	Miss L V de C James
Ju-lin	1972	Mr & Mrs L Martin *	Kimchatka	1972	Mrs J Hawkins & Mr S J
					Hamer (6)
			Kimisha	1981	Mrs C A Watkins
Kachevnik	1981	Mrs H & Miss I Neumayr **	Kimlana	1987	Mr M & Mrs A Adams **
Kadeshka	1982	Mr G & Mrs A Simpson **	Kimnova	1989	Mrs F M Henderson
Kagu	1978	Mr G M Powell	Kimskaya	1985	Miss K Magnus (7)
Kaikorai	1943	Mr A Laughton	Kingsholme	1980	Mr & Mrs R Hodkinson **
Kainan	1974	Mr T G Henderson	Kinnoul	1949	Mrs I W Loach *
Kaingaroa's	1978	Ms G S M Sweeney	Kipkarren	1964	Mrs J S Roberts
Kaipoi	1972	Mrs G Sharpin *	Kiritea	1954	Mrs A E Loose
Kala	1968	Mrs J Hewinson *	Kirov	1971	Mr & Mrs G M B Douglas **
Kalakan	1977	Mr & Mrs W A Patchett *	Kirovakan	1981	Mr P J Miller *
Kalapana	1968	Mr & Mrs W Robinson *	Kirschien	1965	Mr & Mrs S C Wells ★*
Kalisa	1988	Mrs E Clausen	Kittila	1976	Mrs R A Willey *
Kaliwi	1965	Mr & Mrs A & Mr W	Kodizar	1989	Mrs E R Reid
		Edwards *			
Kalmia	1978	Mrs P J McLean	Kohinor	1967	Mrs L Youngman *
Kalmyk	1977	Mrs L A Campbell *	Kokoda	1990	Mrs M Alexander *
Kalnovitch	1992	Misses G & M O'Brien	Kola	1963	Mr & Mrs D E Prujean **
Kamchatka	1966	Mr N Webb *	Koliska	1964	Mrs N E Falconer *
Kammitzie	1970	Mrs B Ottrey <b>★</b> *	Kolva	1951	Mr K Fisk ₩
Karabar	1987	Mr B R Willson	Komaru	1957	Mr & Mrs H Waterhouse **
Karaganda	1971	Mr B J O'Shea *	Komene	1975	Mrs A V Kitson
Karasam	1995	Miss R E Crane *	Konosha	1977	Mrs M H Chisholm
Kara-Sea	1974	Mrs R C Douglas *	Korora	1977	Mr R & Mrs L Gillespie *
Karastarr	1974	Mrs B J Hieatt # ❖ 戀	Korolenko	1982	Mr D Saysell
Karelia	1971	Mr & Mrs M L Cross	Koryaks	1979	Mrs S E Orpin ❖ ��
Karina	1957	Mr & Mrs D M Renner *	Kossak	1981	Mr & Mrs D C McDonald **
Karishkia	1989	Miss A Donnelly *	Kotuku	1964	Mr C Dehn (8)
Karmera	1989	Mrs A E Commerer (4)	Kovak	1989	Mr C & Mrs D M Whittaker ≉
Karosca	1960	Mrs N J Dryden *	Krakaw	1976	S Panek *
Karraway	1973	Mrs P Grant **	Krasa	1966	Mrs M Y Pender *
Katrina	1954	Mr G Thew *	Krasnaya	1993	Mrs L McElhenny *
Katriska	1978	Mr & Mrs K L Burgess **	Krisman	1975	Mrs K Cairn *
Kaza	1940	Mr & Mrs F H Snow *	Kubina	1951	Mr & Mrs R F J Pye
Kazache	1974	Mrs G Hunt **	Kuhlman	1972	Mr & Mrs E A Pidgeon **
Kazakhstan	1987	P J & A M Rainey *	Kurapete	1990	Mr H & Mrs M Bracegirdle ※
Kazalinski	1984	Miss J Cumberland & Mr R Milczarski	Kurgan	1950	Mr J Putt *
Kazan	1965	Mrs C E Weir *	Kuri Huka	1972	Mr & Mrs H Vincent *
Kbolski	1972	Mr B J Morris *	Kurikunapa	1970	Mrs J A Eaves *
Kegawa	1998	Mr D Doidge *	Kursharn	1993	Mrs M M & Miss J M Wells
Kelljass	1999	Mrs S Kelly (5)	Kyle	1971	Mrs R M Godwin
Kengra	2005	Mrs Marise T Carey	Kylikin	1978	Mrs D L Sutherland *
Kerensky	1975	Mrs P Swan *			
Kersbrook	1955	Mr & Mrs G L Homan *	Ladena	1977	Mr G R Hooker
Khasan	2003	Carol Bogue	Laiki	1946	Mrs V A Martin *

Kennel name	Year	Owner	Kennel name	Year	Owner
Laruska	1997	Miss N Fricker	Mountain Valley	1974	Mrs M A Logie
Lealsam	2001	Mrs D Reeve	Murmansk	1984	Mr I J & Mrs C A Fleming
Leda	1970	Mr & Mrs G Eade	Mutu-Awa	1951	Mrs L W Potter
Leitrim-Downs	1981	Mr P Murphy ₩	Mytaasha	2001	Miss K Cliff
Lemberg	1980	Mr & Mrs M Lovelock			
Leo	1977	Mr R Keating *	Narvik	1971	Mr & Mrs C Morgan *
Lesleigh	1970	Mr & Mrs C Campbell *	Nash Lesok	1981	Mrs H J King *
Lev Kassil	1970	Mr & Mrs C W Walker *	Nenetsky	1973	Mr Mike Thatcher *
Liahona	2002	Mrs E L Rush	Nevado	1974	Mr J W & Mrs R L Slatter *
Lillington	1991	Mr M A Florence	Ngau Ma	1981	Mr G & Mrs W Boddington ₩
Lindis	1982	Mrs D M Robinson *	Niasa	1977	Mr M & Mrs J Kalia
Liremor	1957	Mr G H Stuchbery	Nickita	1974	Miss C M Rhodes
Liskalite	1981	Mrs A Day ❖ ��	Nickoffski	1973	Miss L Clifton *
Livadia	1988	Mrs D A Aitken ₩	Nikatroy	1972	Mr P Smith *
Livadir	1978	Mr & Mrs C Weir	Nikolaevsk	1966	Mr B N & Mrs L R Harris
Loburn	1947	Mrs F C McGill *	Nordvik	1966	Mrs G J Boyle ₩
Lock Linter	1977	Mrs M M Healey **	Northern Mist	1978	Mrs J Gray ₩
Loga	1940	Estate Mrs B Williams 💠 🕸	Northland	1974	Mrs & Mrs M de Groot *
Lubianca	1981	Mr L R & Mrs R Black ₩	Norieona	1964	Mr & Mrs N R Middendorf *
Lumsden	1973	Mrs V Walker	Norilsk	1976	Mrs G M Loader
Lynall	1968	Mr & Mrs A W Batchelor *	Nordic-star	1976	Mrs A M Duffy
Lynskoff	1979	Mrs H M Holt ₩	Novada	1948	Mrs E Lazarus ₩
Lypescombe	1961	Mr & Mrs J Buck	Novastar	1992	Mr L A Welsh ₩
			Novaya	1961	Mrs L Hamilton *
Magadan	1995	Mrs Millie Hayward	Novinsky	1963	Mr & Mrs D Pitkethley *
Magyar	1979	Mrs C M Sullivan *	Nukobi	1954	Mr T I Fletcher
Maimoa	1961	Mr & Mrs W Tekoeti *			
Ma Kuri	1967	Mr & Mrs K Lowe *	Oaklands	1959	Mrs D M Walker
Manuroa	1978	Mrs R Mumby	Olenek	1971	Mr & Mrs P Gregan
Maoribank	1950	Mr L G Rimmer *	Olmara	1970	Mrs O M Parkinson
Maranui	1976	A & R Stonnell *	Omolon	1972	Mrs L Te Pania ₩
March On	1976	Mr J & Mrs L Eaglestone **	Opotoru	1972	Mrs L Harnett
Marco	1952	Mr J S Lockyer	Opouriau	1949	Mrs E C Santon
Markovo	1973	Mr & Mrs F R Knewstubb ※	Orah	1974	Mrs M Jericevich
Marjac	1955	Mr & Mrs J Knowles *	Oscarbi	2004	Ms Helen Clark & Mr R G Barzey
Mashenka	2004	Ms A J Williamson	Osinniki	1980	Mrs C Rountree
Matai-Puke	1969	Mr J & Mrs A Smit *	Ostyak	1974	Mr & Mrs A Mayhew *
Ma Temapara	1977	Mr B Yionakis **	Otumoetai	1945	Mr H H Lever
Matua	1973	Mr A Tipene **	Our	1974	Mrs L D Batchelor & Mr J D Hendry
Mayla	1957	Mr F P Metzger *			
Maylea	1971	Mrs J A Tate	Pachuca	1981	Mr P S Pan
Merravale	1959	Mrs D M Petrie	Paddock Hills	1976	Mr B J & Mrs E Thorburn → 巻
Meshka	1990	Mrs L G Ellis-Smith	Panza	1973	Mr & Mrs L McDonald **
Middlemarch	1962	Mrs L Renneberg ❖ ��	Papakova	1975	M Y Ward **
Minsk	1977	Miss W McMyn **	Parsha	1969	Mrs S Davison ₩
Mt Erebus	1970	Mr R S Bryan *	Pastrol	1979	Mrs N Sharpe
Mt Pihanga	1966	Mrs A M Holley	Pavlodar	1976	Mrs J Carpenter *
Mt St John	1950	Mr H R Golding	Pearlonna	1973	Mr N Wilson (9) # 攀
Misty Glen	1973	Misses L & M Frost *	Penza	1991	Mr R & Mrs D Henden *
Monckcliffs	1951	Mr & Mrs F G Buckley *	Petersburgh	1947	Mr J Woodward *

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Petrova	1982	Ms R Simpson	*	Samleigh	1973	Mrs M Sartorelli	*
Philipezyk	1978	Mrs D Spooner	*	Samnook	1975	Mr C Rae	*
Platinum	1987	Mrs R L Williams	*	Samovar	1966	Mrs A M Eckhold (10)	*
Pola	1952	Mr P Boucher	*	Samphire	1989	Mrs G Mickle	*
Polar	1999	Mrs S Mathers	#	Samridge	1981	Mrs J Parker	*
Polaris Alpha	1975	Mr & Mrs G Barke	*	Samrina	1989	Mr W J Marnane	*
Polaska	1984	Mrs N Baker	**	Samscott	1994	Mrs A M Clark	*
Puketeraki	1968	Mr & Mrs A S Buckland	*	Samski	1970	Mr J R & Miss B H Bickne	
Purakanui	2004	Mrs Judith A Newton	· T	Samtaio	1973	Mrs J M Taylor	*
Puritan	1990	Miss C Woods	*	Samtara	1976	Mr & Mrs R Robertson	*
Pushinka	1972	Mr & Mrs P Druce	*	Samvilla	1981	MrP & Mrs M Wehrli	₩
		Wil Calvillo 1 Braco	· T	Samways	1970		# <b>*</b>
Quartz Hill	1979	Mrs M McNamara	*	Sanmonderley	1989	Mrs B M Edmonds	*
Queenrex	1984	Mr R A Brinkhurst	*	San Saba	1973	Mr & Mrs K A Davey	*
Quesada	1975	Mrs J A Hilford	*	Sansaska	1982	Mrs C J Ferguson	*
Quinova	1973	Mr B C & Mrs F M Gear		Santa Lena	1972	Mrs C Riri	*
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Radinka	1986	Mrs B Taylor	*	Sarala	1976	Mr D & Mrs C S Storey	*
Rafa	1975	Mr & Mrs F Khull	*	Saratov	1971	Mr & Mrs D Jones	₩
Rafvsky	1986	Mrs M Hayward	*	Sarmanui	1972	Mrs E J Bamber	*
Raica	1974	Mr & Mrs G Jackson	*	Sarushla	1987	Mr A & Mrs C David	*
Rainesview	1958	Mr & Mrs R J Raines	*	Sasanof	1973	Mrs B J Pitches	₩
Ranolf	1972	Mr A Molenaar	*	Saskylah	1979	Mrs C R Hutchinson	₩
Rasanova	1974	Mr & Mrs R Bracefield	*	Sayan	1949	Mrs L Neil	₩
Ratawai	1979	Mr & Mrs A McCaughan		Sayantsi	1975	Mrs D McNamara	₩
Reykjavik	1972	Mr & Mrs B Young	*	Scherzo	1979	Mrs Mrs G Grey	*
Risingstar	1989	Mrs C Lefferts	*	Schmirnoff	1975	Mr & Mrs A J Naylor	₩
Riverbank	1938	Mr K C Allpress	*	Seaburgh	1953	Mrs L Buckley	**
Rock Ember	1971	Mr & Mrs D Catchpole	*	Selanka	1983	Mr R & Mrs A Sellars	₩
Rockylea	1978	Mr & Mrs B Smith	*	Seraph	1977	Mr B Stephenson	*
Romanov	1975	Mrs J Andresen	*	Severnaya	1973	Mr & Mrs R Morris	₩
Roskovy	1973	Mr & Mrs D Houlihan	*	Shadrinsk	1979	Mrs T Hunt	₩
Roxdale	1950	Mr & Mrs F G Beach	*	Shahsheba	1981	Mr T & Mrs S Geange	*
Rozelle	1990	Mrs M J Dallas	*	Shamanski	1980	Mrs V Simpson	<u>₩</u>
Russniak	1972	Mrs E Craythorne	**	Shammah	1985	Mr M Chaplow	**
Rydal Mount	1958		* *	Shanandor	1970	Mrs B I Wells	₩
Ttyddi Wodiit	1000	WIS IX O COIIIO	* 14r	Shantar	1968	Mrs G Moore	*
Sabachya	1996	Mr P J Taylor	*	Shar'shangkar	1977	Mrs S E Miles	*
St Kristoff	1961	Mr & Mrs C O Gray	*	Shataj	1979	Mr S & Mrs J Portland	₩
St Mahlib	1950	Mrs E D Bilham	*	Shaylor's	1965	Miss S Taylor	*
Salanoa	1972	Mr C Graham	*	Shemya	1990	Miss M Begg	141
Salanika	1962	Mr & Mrs E B Box	*	Shezzam	1996	Mrs J A Swetman	П
Salinka	1975	Mrs M Anderson	*	Shilka	1980	Mr W Davis	*
Samahka	1988	Mrs K Argyle	*	Shobu	1991	Mr J Benzie	<u>₩</u>
Samara	1951	Mr C H Quarterman	*	Showlands	1966	Mr & Mrs I R Bixley	**
Samatof	1973	Mr & Mrs G Lambie	**	Siber	1961	Mr F & Mrs E N Gilbert	**
Samatua	1972	Mrs H Constable	*	Siberia	1961	Mr M W Kilkolly	<u>₩</u>
Samboski	2005	Mrs Glenys Grey	× <sub>4</sub> ×	Sibiricus	1986	Mr G & Mrs L Hankey	<u>₩</u>
Sambuca	1983	Mr J R Hadfield		Siberian Star	1973	Miss L A Wilson	<u>₩</u>
Samelka	1977	Miss H Hodge	*	Silvaakon	1979	Mr & Mrs L N Johnstone	 *
Samhain	2003	Mrs A Andrew	1474	Silvamist	1999	Mrs K Kissell	<u> </u>
Samista's	1974	Mrs S J Baker	*	Silver Crest	1984	Mrs S Woolley	
Samivahn	1981		**	Silversprey	1952	•	 *
Jannvann	1901	J E & L G Watts	*4*	Oliverspies	1302	Mr T G Mitchell	**

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Silvertips	1969	Mrs J McCormick		Tamua	1977	Mr G Sutcliffe	*
Simanoff	1976	Mrs B Sim	*	Tantary	1977	Mrs M L Henman	*
Sitka	1977	Mr R Y Clark	*	Taranaki	1975	Mrs E M Ward	*
Skaya	1983	Mr A J May	*	Tarantella	1973	Mr & Mrs R Niven	*
Skrownek	1977	Ms S Stewart		Tarnica	1987	Mrs L E Henry	*
Skylark	1993	Mrs M S Kingsford	*	Taupehi	1975	Mrs B N Belfit	*
Sledgeland	1974	Mr R & Mrs L Rosewarne	*	Tauran	1980	Mr B K Dove	*
Sleibells	1970	Mrs S Williams	*	Taymyr	1978	Mr & Mrs G A Leggat	*
Snezhinka	2004	Julia Roberts	Ц	Tazovski	1960	Mr & Mrs W E Bridle (11)	) *
Snobear	1989	Mrs K L Jensen	*	Te Kohanga- Na	1969	Mr M MacDonald	*
Sno Glacier	1973	Mrs G Green	*	Te Maunga Ma	1974	Mr R & Mrs P Love	*
Snokist	1984	Mrs J L Candy	*	Temurea	1969	Mrs H Harper	*
Snolinka	1981	Mr D C & Mrs N C Kurth	*	Teviot	1990	Mrs S A Murray	*
Snoward	1955	Mrs L D Hayward	*	Thorbuck	1980	Mr & Mrs G Petersons	*
Snowbank	1964	Mr & Mrs C A Fluir	*	Te Tawa	1977	Mr & Mrs W Rauhina	*
Snowberry	1957	Mrs J H Penney	*	Te Whiti	1952	Mrs P L Adair	*
Snowchak	1969	Mr & Mrs D J D Lattimore	*	Thorncombe	1983	Mrs B E Empson	*
Snowcrest	1958	Mrs F Wyatt	*	Tilenka	1967	Mr I & Mrs E Todd	*
Snowdance	1994	T & G Grigsby	*	Tiriglen	1977	Miss C Schultz	*
Snowdrift	1937	Mrs L W MacDonald	*	Tiriva	1972	Mr D Drane	*
Snow Drift	1977	Mrs K Griffin	*	Tobolsk	1995	Mrs S McKandry	
Snowdowns	1969	Mr & Mrs A Crawford	*	Tojasam	1983	Mr A G Husband	*
Snowhaven	1972	Mr J & Mrs S I Moulin	*	Tolga	1974	Mrs G Hansen	*
Snowkola	1950	Mr & Mrs G Henry	*	Toskin	1974	Mr & Mrs H G Snowsill	*
Snowonder	1993	Mr P Snowdon	*	Townsend	1970	Mrs U Gibson	*
Snowranger	1973	Mr & Mrs A & G Zentveld	*	Tracenes	1972	Mr & Mrs E Gill	*
Snowraker	1991	Mrs G Kernot	*	Transylvania	1970	Mr J L Kellerman	*
Snowriche	1983	Mrs B G Jeffcoat	*	Trenwith	1976	Mrs L Julian	*
Snowski	1973	Mr & Mrs S J Harris	*	Troika (i)	1960	Mrs D B Clapp	*
Snowvista	1951	Mrs A M McPike	*	Troika (ii)	1970	Mrs P Brunell (12)	*
Sobaka-Dan	1985	Mr B S Greig & C Greig	*	Troitskaya	1987	Miss A K Balich	*
Soulla	1978	Mrs J B Haines	*	Truby-King	1974	Miss E Flannagan	*
Star-Glow	1984	Mr W Pillanger	*	Tsairski	1981	Mrs E Taylor	*
Starik	1976	Mr & Mrs L Batchelor	*	Tsilma	1965	Mrs J Wylie	*
Steinberg	1970	Mrs R J Drummond	*	Tundra	1948	Mr & Mrs C J C Hughes	*
Steppes	1942	Mr J G Anderson	*	Twin Hills	1977	Mr & Mrs G R Fraser	*
Streamside	1981	Mr M S Cribb	*				
Strelka	1976	Mrs C J Wilson	*	Ulan Bator	1966	Miss Y Schultz	*
Streymoy	1972	Mrs P D Gray	*	Unalaska	1962	Mr & Mrs A Grant	<b>♦</b> ₩
Suedanka	1983	-	*	Upward	1944	Mrs J Wadham	*
Sunlova	1973	Mr L W & Mrs M J Storey	*	Utanova	1970	Mrs B Broomfield	*
Sunshine	1987	Mr K C & Mrs A Shugg					
Suntar	1973	Mr & Mrs M Truscott	*	Valdez	1985	Mr J W Lincoln	*
Sydjude	1999	Mrs J A Russell		Valinskya	1983	Mrs J D Jarvis	*
				Vanda	1971	Mrs M Vaughan	П
Tai	1951	Mr J Weatherup	*	Vanika	1980	Mr D A McFarlane	*
Taimyr	1967	Mrs R A Keith	*	Varushka	2001	Mrs S McCelland	*
Tainiua	1987	Mrs J Mune	*	Vashka	1984	Mr A P Blewitt	*
Taliska	1997	Mrs N P Kennett	*	Velikan	1970	Mrs J Hendry	*
Tamarov	1984	_	X	Veneece	1976	Mrs N S Northam	*

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Veniezkoff	1975	Mr B Harris	*	Wynhil	1956	Mr & Mrs F H Hildreth *
Vivienne	1947	Mr D A McNeish	*	Wytekloud	1998	Miss S & Mrs B McRae
Vivonski	1964	Miss V Schofield	*			
Voinaika	1958	Mrs N C Fraser (13)	*	Yakutsk	1984	Mrs I E Allison ₩
Volkov	1976	Miss J Bowles	*	Yamalo	1969	Mr C E & Mrs J F Proctor ※
Vorkuta	1975	Mr R B Moore	*	Yenesei	1939	Mr N Wood **
Vostock	1952	Mrs P H Halverson	*	Yenisey	1965	Mr & Mrs J S Holden # ₩
Vovoya	1950	Mrs U W Cantlon	*	Yermak	1954	Mr G F Jones ₩
Vyatka	1974	Mr & Mrs E Stubbs	*	Yorkrose	2002	Mrs L Fothergill
				Yulantia	1975	Mrs K M Privett ₩
Waipiata	1977	Miss R Walker	*	Yukon	1935	Mr D G Brain
Waiputa	1980	Mr Grayson & Mrs Sharpin	*	Yurak (i)	1935	Mr R R Dunn *
Waitoa	1982	Mr W D Smith	*	Yurak (ii)	1976	Mr & Mrs L Neumayr **
Watermere	1978	Mr & Mrs P Trafford	*	Yuri	1969	Mr & Mrs D Payne *
Wen Wood	1978	Mrs J Woodmass	*			
West Thorn	1978	Mr & Mrs K Kearns	*	Zadar	1965	Mrs M A Candler **
Whitecrest	1972	Mrs J B Pepperell	*	Zaldenia	1981	Mr D J & Mrs S A Stuart *
Whitefirs	1952	Mrs R M Coutts	*	Zaminka	1973	Mr G & Mrs L J Carleton
Whiteflight	1956	Mr J L Wright	*	Zaner	1988	Mrs J A Timbers
White Lake	1968	Mr & Mrs W Lneale	*	Zavikkas	1970	Mrs S McKnight ₩
Whiterose	1984	Mrs L Grose	*	Zealandia	1928	Mrs E Bailey ₩
Whitescout	2004	Ms S Paterson		Zembla	1945	Mr D & Miss N Pugh *
Whitethorne	1986	Mr P Andrews	*	Zhakita	2007	Mrs Tania M Pickett
White-Wolfe	1975	Mrs B Brown	*	Zhivago	1968	Mrs L H Reilly ❖�
Widdlewyck	1983	Miss D Harley	*	Zodiac	1961	Mr E J & Miss M Rogers 🕸
Windy Brae	1979	Mrs D Degrussa	*	Zuka	1974	Mr & Mrs J Andrews *
Wintermere	1974	Mrs R McCraig	*	Zweibrucken	1974	Mr & Mrs A Mitchell *
Wintersweet	1973	Mrs W Alexander	*	Zyranka	1983	Miss M A McKenzie
Witchford	1967	Mr & Mrs R D Guthrie	*			

#### Notes:

Ref	Kennel Name	Information	
(1)	Clandara	Originally in the name of Mr & Mrs G F Dunscombe who bred one Samoyed litter under	
		this suffix but since 1976 kennel name registered in the name of Mr & Mrs R Frew who	
		breed Keeshonden using the name as a prefix.	
(2)	Foxworth	Pembroke Welsh Corgies and West Highland White Terriers also bred under this affix.	
(3)	Germoyed	Mr Cohen deceased, Mrs D Cohen now living in Australia breeding under Snowbay prefix.	
(4)	Karmera	Mr J N Commerer breeds Border Collies under this prefix.	
(5)	Kelljass	Mrs Kelly also breeds Border Collies under this prefix.	
(6)	Kimchatka	Mr & Mrs T A R Maitland registered this prefix, later moving to Australia where the prefix	
		is registered. The prefix has been transferred into various partnerships and now in the	
		name of Mrs J Hawkins & Mr S J Hamer. The kennel name is registered in Australia.	
(7)	Kimskaya	Registered initially by Miss D A Clark who later moved to Australia and in 1998 prefix	
		registered in Miss K Magnus name (in partnership with Miss Clark).	
(8)	Kotuku	Mr C Dehn bred one Samoyed litter and later bred Beagles under this prefix.	
(9)	Pearlonna	Mr & Mrs N J Wilson registered Samoyeds under this prefix, later moving to Australia.	
		Mrs Wilson deceased. Mr Noel Wilson is currently Vice-Patron of The Samoyed Club.	
(10)	Samovar	Originally registered by Mr & Mrs R J Emmerson, transferred in 1975 to Mr & Mrs M	
		Eckhold, and later to Mrs Mrs A Eckhold who later bred Maltese under this prefix.	
(11)	Tazovski	Mr & Mrs W E Bridle registered Samoyeds and Keeshonden under this kennel name.	
(12)	Troika	Mrs P Payne, formerly Mrs P Monk, registered Samoyeds under this prefix and currently	
		breeds LH Dachshunds under this prefix.	
(13)	Voinaika	Originally registered by Mr & Mrs H R Alford, later transferred to Mr & Mrs N K Fraser,	
		now in the name of Mrs N C Fraser who has bred Shih Tzus under this prefix.	

The above list is as correct and complete as is possible. I would appreciate any errors or omissions being drawn to my attention.

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#### **Choosing a Kennel Name**

Here are two examples of how club members selected their kennel names:

#### *Angara*



I was working for the wellington regional council in the rivers section in 1996 when I established Angara Samoyeds. Working in the transport section was a recent immigrant from Russia. I asked her if she could help me find a nice Russian name for my Samoyed kennel. Her suggestion was Angara - the name of the river that ran through her home town in Russia.

John Watts who knew I was interested in working Samoyeds found the sledding stencil and selected the font for the name. Bred for Purpose was added later to reinforce the working aspect of the kennel.

#### Lynne Barr Angara Samoyeds



#### **Snezhinka**

My kennel prefix is Snezhinka which I first registered in Australia in 1992. I then applied for Snezhinka in 2004 in New Zealand.

When choosing a kennel name back in 1992 I asked a work colleague to ask his wife who spoke fluent Russian to come up with some names related to snow, white dog, falling snow, or anything else she could think of that might be related to a Samoyed. Wasn't as easy as googling on the Internet as it is now.

She came back with a number of suggestions but Snezhinka which means "snowflake" in Russian was the word I was looking for as it also had such beautiful pronunciation. Using the Russian alphabet (Cyrillic) my kennel name would be: **снежинка** which almost looks like it has a picture of a snowflake in the middle of the word!

Julia Roberts and Merlin Snezhinka Samoyeds www.snezhinka.com

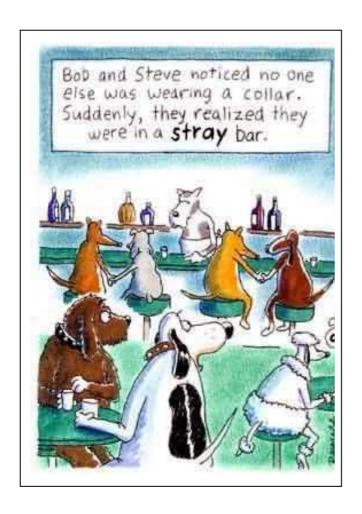
#### **Qantas Media Award**

Congratulations to former SCI member, Mark Cornell, who won the Editorial Graphic Artist Award at the prestigious Qantas Media Awards last week.

Mark is owner of Ch Lybyanka Kiev (still going strong at 14 ¾ years), and is Graphics Editor at The Press. Nice one Mark.

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- Vincent van Gogh



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