Sleigh Courier

The Samoyed Club Incorporated

Winter 2012



The Samoyed Club Inc Championship Show 2012 Best In Show

Can&Am&Eng&NZ Gr Ch Vanderbilt's One Cool Cat (Imp Canada)

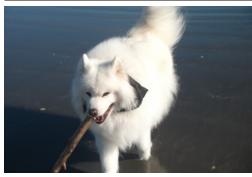
Owned by Lyn Carleton, Gary Carleton and Jessica Bello Bred by Blair and Judi Elford (Canada)



The Samoyed Club Inc Championship Show 2012 Reserve Best In Show Lealsam Just Dance Bred and owned by Denise and Andrew Reeve

Inside this issue

Breed of Year Points	5
Championship Show Results and Photos	8
Champ Show Judge's Critique	18
Open Show Results and Photos	20
Article: X-Linked PRA Test	32
Notices	34



What winter? Lui enjoying a sunny day at the beach playing fetch last month.



Congratulations to the new champions!

Ch Snocozy Voyage To Beyond (Imp Aust) - L Yau Wah Ka

Ch Lealsam Miss Cover Girl-D Reeve

Ch Lealsam Logans Allure—D & A Reeve

Ch Kursharn Golden Touch—M & J Wells

Ch Sunshine Tri Teddy—A & K Shugg

Kursharn Golden Return—M & J Wells

Ch Zaminka Bell O Th Ball-M Asplet & J Bello & L & G Carleton

Dates to remember

Pet Expo (Trentham Racecourse)

Snow Dogs Match Day

Welcome to our newest members!

Jo Jules **David Richards Kristin Townsend** Anita Nearey **Paige Tronghton Shelley Gabrielle** Lynne Hind Jo Richardson Niki Craddock

May your memberships be long and enjoyable.

Welcome to the committee!

Jess Bello

Editorial

July already, hasn't this year flown! Another full on day at the shows back in June, but hopefully everyone had an enjoyable day. The judge's critique is in this issue of the magazine.



In this issue are also the photos from each show, as well as the other usual bits and pieces. The Snow Dogs Match Day, always a great show, is to be held on the 25th of November.

As usual, please be sending in your photos, stories, and interesting articles. They make a fantastic addition to the magazine and it's wonderful getting to hear the tales of and see photos of what everyone's Sams (or the owners) are up to!

> Sarah Piper Editor

Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th November

Sunday 25th November

Officials and Committee Members 2012

Lyn Carleton

Life Members:

Gary Carleton Paddy Watts

Patron:

Noel Wilson

Vice Patrons: Irene Allison

Lauren de C James

President:

Lynne Barr, 4 Christopher Way, Paparangi, Wellington (04) 477 1097, lynne@angara.co.nz

Vice President:

Noel Wilson

Secretary:

Anita Shugg, 136 Waitohu Valley Road, RD 3, Otaki 5583, (06) 364 5785, k.a.shugg@clear.net.nz

Treasurer:

Simeon Copsey, PO Box 9730, Te Aro, Wellington (04) 477 9975, simeon@copsey.co.nz

SamCare Coordinator:

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

Committee:

Bronwyn Weir Sarah Piper Noel Wilson Lauren de C James Jess Bello (co-opted)

Sponsorship and Prizes

Lynne Barr, (04) 477 1097, lynne@angara.co.nz

Award Shields

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

Cups, Sashes Anita Shugg, (06) 364 5785, k.a.shugg@clear.net.nz

Points Claims: Lynne Barr, (04) 477 1097, lynne@angara.co.nz

Magazine Editor: Sarah Piper, 42F James Cook Drive, Whitby, Porirua 5024 (04) 234 8729, sarahp@slingshot.co.nz

Hon. Veterinarian:

Ian Schraa, Rappaw 224 Main Road, Tawa, (04) 232 8382 15 Paremata Crescent, Paremata, (04) 233 8059

Hon. Auditor:

Gordon Conning, Naenae

Membership Fees 2012

Subscriptions are due annually on 1st January each year.

Single	\$22.00
Double	\$26.00
Junior (under 17)	\$12.00

\$5.00 per year postage surcharge for non-NZ addresses.

The "Sleigh Courier" is published four times a year: Autumn, Winter, Spring and Summer.

Deadline for next issue: Friday 24 August 2012

Advertising Rates

Full Page	\$15
Half Page	\$ 8
Sam Ads	\$5
Breeders/Stud Directory	\$5
Mating and Litter Notifications	\$5
Vales	Free

Club Secretaries

Auckland Provincial Samoyed Association Sharon Kelly 1893 Hunua Road RD 3 Papakura, Auckland 2583 (09) 292 4451 kelljass@ihug.co.nz

The Dominion Samoyed Club

Julie Wells 87 Walkers Road RD7, Christchurch 7677 (03) 347 2406 kursharn@ihug.co.nz

The Spitz Breeds Club

Nardine Theodore 115 Broomfield Road RD 3, Woodville 4999 (06) 376 4344 kiwidinok@actrix.co.nz

ANZSAMS

Australia / NZ Samoyed email group http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ANZSAMS



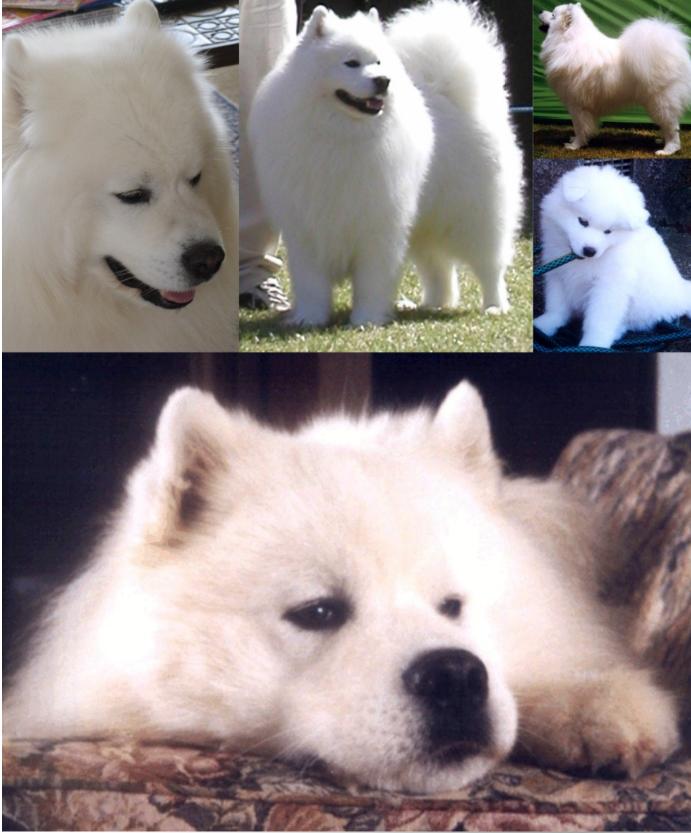
Breed of Year Points as at June 12 2012

Baby Puppy - Dog		Baby Pu
Icemist Ya Didn't See Me Coming (Reeve) (Imp Aust)	36	Kelljass \
Oscarbi Im-A-Star Dream (Clark, Barzey, McKandry)	8	Puppy -
Puppy - Dog		Lealsam
Oscarbi Everedi Boy (Clark / Barzey)	28	Sunshine
Zhakita Finn The Highlander (Pickett)	21	Junior -
Icemist Ya Didn't See Me Coming (Reeve) (Imp Aust)	13	Ch Leals
Lealsam Dance In The Park (Reeve)	6	Bentara I
Junior - Dog		Sunshine
Oscarbi Everedi Boy (Clark / Barzey)	27	Intermed
Intermediate - Dog		Ch Osca
Sunshine Tri Teddy (Shugg)	36	NZ Bred
NZ Bred - Dog		Ch Zamii
Ch Silvertips Cosmic Storm (Pickett)	17	Ch Leals
Ch Oscarbi Im'A Bark Star (Barzey / Clark)	17	Ch Anga
Ch Lealsam Logans Allure (Reeve)	8	Open - E
Open - Dog		Ch Osca
GR Ch Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	68	Ch Silver
Ch Blue Aegean Leventis From Snowsapphire (Imp UK) (Yau/Wen)	53	Ch Anga
Ch Kalaska Astro Boy At Oscarbi (Barzey / Clark)	32	Best Bite
Best Dog		Ch Zamii
GR CH Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	53	Lealsam
Ch Blue Aegean Leventis From Snowsapphire (Imp UK) (Yau/Wen)	45	Ch Leals
Oscarbi Everedi Boy (Clark / Barzey)	21	Ch Osca
CH Kalaska Astro Boy At Oscarbi (Barzey / Clark)	14	Ch Leals
Sunshine Tri Teddy (Shugg)	12	Ch Silver
Ch Lealsam Logans Allure (Reeve)	8	Sunshine
Zhakita Finn The Highlander (Pickett)	7	Bentara I
Ch Silvertips Cosmic Storm (Pickett)	4	Ch Anga
Lealsam Dance In The Park (Reeve)	4	Ch Anga
Icemist Ya Didn't See Me Coming (Reeve) (Imp Aust)	1	Best Bit
Oscarbi Im-A-Star Dream (Clark, Barzey, McKandry)	1	Ch Leals
Best Representative		Ch Leals
GR Ch Lealsam Hugo Boss (Reeve)	83	Ch Zamii
Oscarbi Everedi Boy (Clark / Barzey)	51	Lealsam
Ch Blue Aegean Leventis From Snowsapphire (Imp UK) (Yau/Wen)	26	Louioum
Ch Lealsam Diamond Oceans (Reeve)	13	
Ch Lealsam Miss Cover Girl (Reeve)	8	
Ch Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	4	
Lealsam Just Dance (Reeve)	2	
Zhakita Finn The Highlander (Pickett)	2	
Best Baby Puppy Rep	2	
Kelljass Winter Fairy Tale (Kelly)	8	
Icemist Ya Didn't See Me Coming (Reeve) (Imp Aust)	4	
Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012	T	
Stage Counci - Winter Loit		

	Baby Puppy - Bitch	
6	Kelljass Winter Fairy Tale (Kelly)	32
8	Puppy - Bitch	
	Lealsam Just Dance (Reeve)	57
8	Sunshine As Kiwi Gold (Shugg)	20
1	Junior - Bitch	
3	Ch Lealsam Miss Cover Girl (Reeve)	51
6	Bentara Imperial Ready At Beyond (Yau / Wen)	18
	Sunshine As Kiwi Gold (Shugg)	1
7	Intermediate - Bitch	
	Ch Oscarbi Just Astronomical (Clark & Barzey)	7
6	NZ Bred - Bitch	
	Ch Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	81
7	Ch Lealsam Diamond Oceans (Reeve)	20
7	Ch Angara Sneaking Me Kisses (Barr)	12
8	Open - Bitch	
	Ch Oscarbi Just Astronomical (Clark & Barzey)	28
8	Ch Silvertips Destiny's Angel (Pickett)	13
3	Ch Angara Dancing With The Stars (Barr)	8
2	Best Bitch	
	Ch Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	43
3	Lealsam Just Dance (Reeve)	22
5	Ch Lealsam Miss Cover Girl (Reeve)	20
1	Ch Oscarbi Just Astronomical (Clark & Barzey)	17
4	Ch Lealsam Diamond Oceans (Reeve)	13
2	Ch Silvertips Destiny's Angel (Pickett)	10
8	Sunshine As Kiwi Gold (Shugg)	10
7	Bentara Imperial Ready At Beyond (Yau / Wen)	7
4	Ch Angara Sneaking Me Kisses (Barr)	3
4	Ch Angara Dancing With The Stars (Barr)	1
1	Best Bitch Rep	
1	Ch Lealsam Diamond Oceans (Reeve)	13
	Ch Lealsam Miss Cover Girl (Reeve)	8
3	Ch Zaminka Magic Moments (Swetman)	4
1	Lealsam Just Dance (Reeve)	2

Gone But Not Forgotten Ch Angara Kinda Windy

My lovely big white bear didn't quite make it to his 16th birthday. Kinda Man with his cheeky sense of humour is very sadly missed.



Rescue Samoyed Success!



If anyone heard about the young Samoyed bitch from the pound looking for a home, well she's now got one! Here's a note from this lucky girl's new family:

We have adopted a beautiful rescue Samoyed. We have named her "Pearl". Our seven year old son is fast becoming a very good doggie daddy and we take her for walks on most days. We are also taking Pearl to obedience school to get her to calm down in the presence of our kitty cats. In the beginning, she seemed to think they were nibble toys, but over the last few weeks, she has come to just bark to "say hello". (The cats still don't like her "hellos" and scatter in her presence, but at least she only barks once instead of a barking festival upon first view)!

Our older Black Lab/German Shepherd mix has become fast friends with her and they are now playing and sleeping together.

We love her!

The Samoyed Club Inc

Championship Show 2012



Best in Show: CAN&AM&ENG&NZ GR CH VANDERBILT'S ONE COOL CAT (IMP-CAN) and Reserve Best in Show: LEALSAM JUST DANCE

The Samoyed Club Incorporated—Championship Show 2012

Awards

Most Successful Owner- Lyn Carleton, Gary Carleton, Jess Bello

Most Successful Breeder - Zaminka Samoyeds

Consolation In Show— Oscarbi Everedi Boy (R Barzey and H Clark)

Full Results: The Samoyed Club Inc. Championship Show Monday 4th June 2012

Judge: Bernadette Lawton, Snowispa Samoyeds, Victoria, Australia

Dog Classes

1. Baby Puppy (2 entered)

1st KURSHARN VINTAGE-VANTAGE (Wells) 2nd KURSHARN VINTAGE-VOYAGER AT SAM-HAIN (Andrew)

3 Puppy (2 entered)

1st ZAMINKA THAT COOL CAT (Carleton, Bello) 2nd LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK (Magnus)

5 Junior (1 entered) 1st OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY (Barzey, Clark)

6 Intermediate (1 entered) 1st CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY (Shugg)

8 New Zealand Bred (3 entered)

1st CH ZAMINKA POWER SUNRISE (Asplet) 2nd CH OSCARBI IM-A-BARK STAR (Barzey, Clark) 3rd LEALSAM SETS A STYLE (Maisey)

10 Veteran (1 entered)

1st NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) (Barr)

11 Open (3 entered)

1st CAN&AM&ENG&NZ GR CH VANDERBILT'S ONE COOL CAT (IMP-CAN) (Carleton, Bello) 2nd GR CH LEALSAM HUGO BOSS (Reeve) 3rd CH BLUEAEGEAN LEVENTIS FROM SNOWSAPPHIRE (IMP UK) (Yau, Wen)

Best Dog CAN&AM&ENG&NZ GR CH VAN-DERBILT'S ONE COOL CAT (IMP-CAN) (Carleton, Bello)

Reserve Dog OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY (Barzey, Clark)

Bitch Classes

1a Baby Puppy (1 entered) KURSHARN VINTAGE-VAMP (Wells)

3a Puppy (3 entered)

1st LEALSAM JUST DANCE (Reeve) 2nd ZAMINKA COOL BREEZE (Carleton, Bello) 3rd KELLJASS WINTER-FAIRY-TALE (Kelly)

5a Junior (4 entered, 2 scratched)

1st CH ZAMINKA BELLE O TH BALL (Carleton, Bello, Asplet) 2nd CH LEALSAM MISS COVER GIRL (Reeve)

8a New Zealand Bred (3 entered)

1st CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS (Swetman) 2nd CH ANGARA SNEAKING ME KISSES (Barr) 3rd CH SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KURSHARN (Wells)

10a Veteran (2 entered)

1st CH SUNSHINE PAINT ME GOLD (Shugg) 2nd CH ANGARA TAIZA TALE (Barr)

11a Open (3 entered)

1st CH ANGARA DANCING WITH THE STARS (Barr)

2nd AUST CH SNOWBROOK SPIRIT OF INNO-CENCE (IMP AUST) (Sharpe, Hunter) 3rd CH OSCARBI FUTURE EXCITEMENT AT CARRIDENE (Barzey, Clark, Matheson)

Best Bitch LEALSAM JUST DANCE (Reeve) Reserve Bitch CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MO-MENTS (Swetman)



Best Dog: CAN&AM&ENG&NZ GR CH VANDERBILT'S ONE COOL CAT (IMP-CAN) (Carleton, Bello)



Best Bitch: LEALSAM JUST DANCE (Reeve)

Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012



Reserve Best Dog in Show: OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY (Barzey, Clark)



Reserve Best Bitch in Show: CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS (Swetman)



Best Baby Puppy in Show: KURSHARN VINTAGE-VANTAGE (Wells)

Best Puppy in Show: LEALSAM JUST DANCE (Reeve)





Best Junior in Show: OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY (Barzey, Clark)

Best Intermediate in Show: CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY (Shugg)



Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012



Best NZ Bred in Show: CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS (Swetman)



Best Veteran in Show: NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) (Barr)



Best Open in Show: CAN&AM&ENG&NZ GR CH VANDERBILT'S ONE COOL CAT (IMP-CAN) (Carleton, Bello)

Some of the prizes from the Championship Show



Stakes Classes

12 Dog Head (6 entered, 1 scratched) 1st NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) 2nd CH BLUEAEGEAN LEVENTIS FROM SNOWSAPPHIRE (IMP UK) 3rd CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY

13 Dog Coat (5 entered, 1 scratched) 1st CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY 2nd LEALSAM SETS A STYLE 3rd NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST)

14 Bitch Head (6 entered, 1 scratched) 1st CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS 2nd KELLJASS WINTER-FAIRY-TALE 3rd CH ANGARA DANCING WITH THE STARS

15 Bitch Coat (5 entered, 1 scratched) 1st CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS 2nd KELLJASS WINTER-FAIRY-TALE 3rd CH ANGARA SNEAKING ME KISSES **16 Movement under 12 months (5 entered, 2 scratched)** 1st KURSHARN VINTAGE-VOYAGER AT SAMHAIN 2nd ZAMINKA THAT COOL CAT 3rd KELLJASS WINTER-FAIRY-TALE

17 Movement over 12 months (8 entered) 1st OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY 2nd CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS 3rd CH ANGARA DANCING WITH THE STARS

18 Feet (4 entered, 1 scratched) 1st NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) 2nd CH ANGARA TAIZA TALE 3rd CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS

19 Tail (3 entered, 2 scratched) 1st LEALSAM SETS A STYLE



Dog Head

Bitch Head



Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012







Bitch Coat

Movement over 12 months



Movement under 12 months



Feet

Tail



Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012

The Samoyed Club Inc Championship Show 2012

Judge's Critique

BABY PUPPY DOG:

KURSHARN VINTAGE-VANTAGE: Well boned 5 ½ month old puppy with good length of leg. Good expression overall, nice thick ears. Also has a good tail set, good textured coat for a baby & shows good reach & drive. KURSHARN VINTAGE-VOYAGER AT SAMHAIN: Another nice type overall with good boning & length of leg. Shorter in body than the 1st puppy but still showed good expression, similar coat texture & good angulation.

PUPPY DOG:

ZAMINKA THAT COOL CAT: A very well boned puppy that has lovely expression, small dark eye & small ear. Tail set is good & coat is thick with good texture. Well shaped feet & moved well.

LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK: Overall a very nice puppy with good length of body (not short or too long), length of leg is good but needs a little more neck. Expression is also good with small eyes & ears. Excellent coat. Movement not quite as good as the 1st puppy.

JUNIOR DOG:

OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY: Very nice type of dog with great expression, small eyes but could be a bit darker but are quite acceptable. Good length of neck going into well laid shoulders. I would like a fraction more leg but has good angulation, good coat texture. (Junior coat). Paced in the class but showed his true movement in the Challenge line up. Very promising young dog.

INTERMEDIATE DOG:

CH.SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY: Good size dog with a terrific coat. Expression good with a lovely dark eye but a slightly shorter muzzle would balance the head better. Nice overall balance with good length of leg which have great shaped feet. A little down in pastern but still showed good reach & drive.

NZ BRED DOG:

CH.ZAMINKA POWER SUNRISE: 5 ½ yr old boy with lovely expression, good almond shaped eye, small thick ears. Excellent coat, good tail set, lovely length of leg & good overall balance. Showed good reach & drive without exaggeration.

CH.OSCARBI IM- A-BARK STAR: Another lovely type of dog but could do with a fraction more leg for overall balance. Good head balance, would prefer slightly darker eye but eye shape is good. One of the best coats so far today. Feet not as good in shape to the previous dog. Angulation overall is good but front movement not as sound as I would like.

LEALSAM SETS A STYLE: This boy also has lovely qualities but obviously likes his food. Has an excellent dense coat with good harsh outer coat. Boning is good with good length of leg under the coat. Head & expression is good but would like broader skull to balance the head & needs more neck. Length of body is good, tail set good & reasonable feet. Movement? I would like to see this dog with a little less weight.

VETERAN DOG:

NZ AUST.CH.ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP.AUST.): Well what a nice 11yr old boy he is. Lovely well balanced head with great expression . Good overall balance with good boning, great angulation. Best feet so far today. Good quality coat for an oldie & good size boy.

OPEN DOG:

CAN.&AM.&ENG&NZ GR.CH.VANDERBILTS' ONE COOL

CAT (Imp. Can): This boy is a not just a showman. He is a very well balanced dog with great boning without being too heavy. Carries a very thick coat with good texture & lovely biscuit shading. Expression is good but would like more depth in the skull, good eye shape & small ears. Good length of neck into well laid shoulders, excellent angulation, effortless movement & the best I have seen today. Just a lovely dog all round.

GR.CH. LEALSAM HUGO BOSS: Another lovely type with great expression. I did prefer the eyes on this boy to no. 1. Coat is of excellent quality, good overall angulation, feet & tail set. Balance is good & shows good reach & drive.

CH.BLUEAEGEAN LEVENTIS FROM SNOWSAPPHIRE

(IMP.UK): This dog has a pretty head but not quite as strong as 1 & 2. Has very good boning & angulation but a fraction long in body. Coat quality is excellent with a lovely tail set & good feet. Movement let him down today.

Challenge: 11 Reserve Challenge: 5

BABY PUPPY BITCH:

KURSHARN VINTAGE-VAMP: Typical baby puppy just coming into coat. Lovely overall balance with good length of neck & leg, great angulation. Head is good but would like a more almond shaped eye. Movement is good showing good reach & drive.

PUPPY BITCH:

LEALSAM JUST DANCE: Lovely sized puppy with good boning, length of leg, coat, beautiful tail set & length of tail. Well balanced head for her age with great expression, small dark eyes & small ears. Angulation is very good, has good feet & moves very well.

ZAMINKA COOL BREEZE: This young lady is also of a good size with good boning & length of leg, feet are slightly better shape than no. 1. Good expression with small eyes & still to broaden out across the skull which will come in time. Overall balance is good & also shows good movement.

KELLIASS WINTER-FAIRY-TALE: Very pretty girl with a lovely head & expression, small dark eyes, small ears. Would like more leg but has good angulation. Coat is of good quality. Movement not as sound as 1 & 2.

JUNIOR BITCH:

CH.ZAMINKA BELLE O TH BALL: A very happy girl who showed excellent expression. Would like more leg & angulation is good. Boning ok. Not in good coat today but is typical for age. Shows good reach & drive. CH.LEALSAM MISS COVER GIRL: Preferred the size of this girl & overall balance but the head not quite as balanced as the 1st girl. Excellent full quality coat. Has good length of leg & good bone but movement let her down today.

NZ BRED BITCH:

CH.ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS: My type of girl. Lovely well balanced head with the correct almond shaped eye & small ears, giving excellent expression. Balance is very good with excellent boning & length of leg. Great feet. Coat is of excellent quality, short & thick with great outer texture. Movement is good but would like to have seen her move out more.

CH.ANGARA SNEAKING ME KISSES: A slightly taller bitch with good boning & well shaped feet. Overall balance of head is good but would like a broader muzzle. Good body on this girl. Coat is good. Angulation is good & movement slightly better than no. 1. Preferred the type of no. 1

CH.SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KURSHARN: Lovely expression on this girl with good small almond shaped eye & small ears. Boning not as strong as other 2. Good length of neck, overall balance is good with a great tail set. Coat is excellent. Best feet in class. Movement good but a bit out of condition.

VETERAN BITCH:

CH.SUNSHINE PAINT ME GOLD: 8 Yr old girl still has it. Good expression but would like a smaller eye. Lovely front with good boning & shaped feet. Overall size & balance is good, still moves well. Good full coat. CH.ANGARA TAIZA TALE: 12 Yr old girl loved being in the ring today. Good angulation & still up on pastern. Great boning. Good size but long in body. Head not as well balanced as no. 1. Still shows good reach.

OPEN BITCH:

CH.ANGARA DANCING WITH THE STARS: Great overall balance. Good front, would like thicker boning. Expression is good with correct shape eye & small thick ears. Good length of neck. Not in full coat today. Movement is good showing good reach & drive.

AUST.CH.SNOWBROOK SPIRIT OF INNOCENCE (IMP

AUST): Lovely headed bitch showing terrific expression. Good small dark almond eye, great small thick ears. Boning is better than no. 1 but is slightly longer in body. Good overall angulation. Coat is of good quality. Movement is very close behind.

CH.OSCARBI FUTURE EXCITIEMENT AT CARRIDENE: A small bitch, head not as well balanced as no.1 & 2. Very showy though. Boning is good for her size, coat is lovely, tail set excellent. Angulation is good but movement not good in the front.

Challenge Bitch: 15 Reserve Bitch Challenge: 2

GENERAL

I would like to thank the Committee for inviting me to judge your show. I had a wonderful time exploring Wellington & then catching up with everyone after the show.

Overall I found the quality of your dogs to be very good & that your coats were of excellent texture, showing the silvertips. Type is slightly varied which you would expect with the introduction of new blood.

One of the main problems I can see is with your fronts with some backend movement being too close. One of the good things I found was the height of your dogs with length of leg. This was more in the majority than the minority. Also the consistency with your good shaped feet. There were a few that could have been better but there is no such thing as the" perfect dog".

In my judging, I was looking for Type, the overall balance of the dog showing good expression, having good quality coat & good reach & drive.

Congratulations to all the winners.

Regards

Bernadette Lawton Snowispa Samoyeds The Samoyed Club Inc

Open Show 2012



Best in Show: NZ CH KALASKA ASTRO BOY AT OSCARBI (IMP AUST) and Reserve Best in Show: CH SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KURSHARN

The Samoyed Club Incorporated—Open Show 2012

Best in Show, also Best Dog & Best Open in Show

Reserve Best in Show, also Best Bitch and NZ Bred in Show

Reserve Best Dog in Show Reserve Best Bitch in Show

Baby Puppy in Show Puppy in Show Junior in Show Intermediate in Show Veteran in Show NZ CH KALASKA ASTRO BOY AT OSCARBI (IMP AUST) (Barzey, Clark)

CH SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KURSHARN (Wells)

LEALSAM SETS A STYLE (Maisey) CH OSCARBI FUTURE EXCITEMENT AT CARRIDENE (Barzey, Clark, Matheson)

KURSHARN VINTAGE-VANTAGE (Wells) LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK (Magnus) OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY (Barzey, Clark) CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY (Shugg) NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) (Barr)

Full Results: The Samoyed Club Inc. Open Show Monday 4th June 2012 Judge: Duncan Schilling

Dog Classes

1 Baby Puppy (1 entered) 1st KURSHARN VINTAGE-VANTAGE (Wells)

3 Puppy (1 entered) 1st LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK (Magnus)

5 Junior (1 entered) 1st OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY (Barzey, Clark)

6 Intermediate (1 entered) 1st CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY (Shugg)

8 New Zealand Bred (1 entered) 1st LEALSAM SETS A STYLE (Maisey)

10 Veteran (1 entered) 1st NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) (Barr)

11 Open (2 entered, 1 scratched) 1st NZ CH KALASKA ASTRO BOY AT OSCARBI (IMP AUST) (Barzey, Clark)

Best Dog NZ CH KALASKA ASTRO BOY AT OSCARBI (IMP AUST) (Barzey, Clark) Reserve Dog LEALSAM SETS A STYLE (Maisey)

Bitch Classes

1a Baby Puppy (1 entered) 1st KURSHARN VINTAGE-VAMP (Wells)

3a Puppy (2 entered, 1 scratched) 1st LEALSAM JUST DANCE (Reeve)

5a Junior (3 entered, 2 scratched) 1st CH LEALSAM MISS COVER GIRL (Reeve)

8a New Zealand Bred (3 entered) 1st CH SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KURSHARN (Wells) 2nd CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS (Swetman) 3rd CH ANGARA SNEAKING ME KISSES (Barr)

10a Veteran (2 entered) 1st CH ANGARA TAIZA TALE (Barr) 2nd CH SUNSHINE PAINT ME GOLD (Shugg)

11a Open (2 entered) 1st CH OSCARBI FUTURE EXCITEMENT AT CARRI-DENE (Barzey, Clark, Matheson) 2nd CH ANGARA DANCING WITH THE STARS (Barr)

Best Bitch CH SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KUR-SHARN (Wells) Reserve Bitch CH OSCARBI FUTURE EXCITEMENT AT CARRIDENE (Barzey, Clark, Matheson)



Some of the prizes at the Open show



Best Dog: NZ CH KALASKA ASTRO BOY AT OSCARBI (IMP AUST) (Barzey, Clark)

Best Bitch: CH SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KURSHARN (Wells)





Reserve Best Dog in Show: LEALSAM SETS A STYLE (Maisey)

Reserve Best Bitch in Show: CH OSCARBI FUTURE EXCITEMENT AT CARRIDENE (Barzey, Clark, Matheson)



Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012



Best Baby Puppy in Show: KURSHARN VINTAGE-VANTAGE (Wells)

Best Puppy in Show: LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK (Magnus)



Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012



Best Junior in Show: OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY (Barzey, Clark)

Best Intermediate in Show: CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY (Shugg)





Best NZ Bred in Show: CH SAMHAIN ECHO'N T WITH KURSHARN (Wells)

Best Veteran in Show: NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) (Barr)



Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012



Best Open in Show: NZ CH KALASKA ASTRO BOY AT OSCARBI (IMP AUST) (Barzey, Clark)



Prize and trophy table at the Open Show

Stakes Classes

12 Dog Head (4 entered)

1st OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY 2nd LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK 3rd NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST)

13 Dog Coat (3 entered) 1st LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK 2nd CH SUNSHINE TRI TEDDY 3rd NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST)

14 Bitch Head (5 entered, 1 scratched) 1st CH OSCARBI FUTURE EXCITEMENT AT CARRIDENE 2nd CH ANGARA DANCING WITH THE STARS 3rd CH ANGARA SNEAKING ME KISSES

15 Bitch Coat (3 entered, 1 scratched)

1st CH ANGARA SNEAKING ME KISSES 2nd CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS



Dog Head

16 Movement under 12 months (2 entered, 1 scratched) 1st LEALSAM DANCE IN THE DARK

17 Movement over 12 months (5 entered) 1st OSCARBI EVEREDI BOY 2nd CH ANGARA SNEAKING ME KISSES 3rd CH ANGARA DANCING WITH THE STARS

18 Feet (4 entered, 1 scratched) 1st NZ AUST CH ANAKY ITS PARTY TIME (IMP AUST) 2nd CH ANGARA TAIZA TALE 3rd CH ZAMINKA MAGIC MOMENTS

Dog Coat

Bitch Head



Sleigh Courier - Winter 2012



Bitch Coat





Movement over 12 months



Feet



Around the shows...





X-Linked PRA Test

For: Samoyed and Siberian Husky



The OptiGen XL-PRA test is a DNA-based test that provides, for the first time, a method to unequivocally identify the X-Linked form of Progressive Retinal Atrophy (XL-PRA) in the Siberian Husky and the Samoyed. This will control the gene frequency in the breed so as to prevent producing puppies affected with the disease.

Normally, the vision receptors in the eyes undergo a continual process of replacement and renewal. But with PRA this process slows and, one day, stops. The night vision receptors are the first to fail, and then, a while later, day vision starts to degenerate.

XL-PRA is a "late-onset" form of PRA. It usually isn't until dogs are three to five years old that the first clinical signs of disease start to manifest. Indeed, deterioration can happen as early as five months of age--but no one notices it. Eventually, though, dog owners see that their pet's eyes have taken on a characteristic "shine." The pupils become increasingly dilated in the attempt to let in yet more light. Dogs develop "tunnel vision." It's like trying to look at the world through a narrow tube.

What's different about the XL form of PRA? First, remember that females have two X--or female-chromosomes. In genetic shorthand, that's XX. Males have one X and one Y, or XY. It's the Y that makes males male.

In XL-PRA, the defective gene for PRA is a recessive trait that is situated on the X chromosome. Females who inherit a defective gene on the X chromosome from one parent and a normal gene on the X from the other parent won't be affected. They will be carriers with partial retinal defects. These defects are so subtle that vision is not affected. Nonetheless, carriers silently pass the defective gene on to future generations.

With males it's a little different. A male pup with a carrier dam is going to get either a defective gene or a normal gene, depending on which copy of the X chromosome his carrier dam gives him. And if it's the defective gene, the dog will be affected. With X-linked diseases such as XL-PRA, there's no such thing as a male carrier. That's why male Huskies or *Samoyeds* are much likelier to be affected than females.

Reliable identification of female dogs that do not carry disease genes is the key to controlling diseases that are X-linked, that is, located on the X (sex) chromosome. The OptiGen XL-PRA test enables 100% accurate identification of these dogs. Called "genetically clear," "noncarriers" or, more formally, "homozygous

normals," such females can pass only the normal gene on to all their pupswhich means that none of their pups can ever be affected with XL-PRA. These "clear" females can

the XL-PRA test



be bred to any male dog, even to a XL-PRA-affected dog, which may be a desirable breeding prospect for other reasons.

Because the OptiGen XL-PRA test is a direct mutationbased gene test, it accurately and specifically identifies normal/clear dogs, carriers (heterozygous dogs) and affecteds. Possible test results are listed in the table below.

Possible results for a Siberian Husky or Samoyed using

Test Result*	Genotype of Dog Tested	Significance for Breeding	Risk For Develop- ing
N	Normal	Normal females can be bred to any male. Normal males should be bred only to nor- mal females.	Will never develop XL-PRA
С	Carrier	Carrier females should not be bred. Only females are carriers of XL- PRA.	Will never develop XL-PRA
A	Affected	Affected males should be bred only to normal females. Affected females should not be bred. They are rare since both copies must be	Has or will develop XL-PRA
*This is the result that will be reported by the OptiGen XL-PRA test.			

Other Conditions Mistaken for PRA

Not all vision loss in Huskies and Samoyeds is caused by XL-PRA. There are reports of acquired (not inherited) retinal changes that have been mistakenly diagnosed as PRA. Since the DNA test for XL-PRA is completely accurate and specific, it can be used to differentiate the inherited form of PRA from the acquired retinal abnormality. A dog clinically diagnosed with an acquired retinal abnormality that is similar to PRA will not test affected for XL-PRA.

Breeding Recommendations

• To avoid producing XL-PRA, only Clear/Normal females should be bred.

• Neither Carrier nor Affected females should be used because affected progeny can result.

• Clear/Normal males bred to Clear/Normal females will produce all Clear/Normal pups.

• Affected males bred to Clear/Normal females will produce males that are all Clear/Normal and females that are all Carriers.

It is not possible to have a Carrier male since males have only one X chromosome and that one X will have either a normal or a mutant copy, but not both.

The following table highlights all the desirable breedings that will not produce affected pups. These breedings include a female parent proven "normal" by the OptiGen XL-PRA test. All other breedings are at risk of producing XL-PRA-affected pups. It isn't necessary-or even desirable-to remove any male dog from the breeding population. But when choosing pups to retain as further potential breeding stock, it is important to select for dogs proven "normal" by the OptiGen XL-PRA test. Pups can be tested to distinguish carriers from normals as soon as they are old enough to have a small blood sample collected.

Expected results for breeding strategies using the

OptiGen	XL-PRA mutation test		
Male	Female Parent		
Parent	XnXn = Normal	XnXa = Car- rier	XaXa = Af- fected
XnY = Normal	All Males & Females are Normal	1/2 of Fe- males - Nor- mal 1/2 of Fe- males - Car- rier 1/2 of Males - Normal 1/2 of Males -	All Females - Carrier All Males - Affected
XaY = Af- fected	All Females - Carrier All Males - Normal	1/2 of Fe- males - Car- rier 1/2 of Fe- males - Af- fected 1/2 of Males - Normal 1/2 of Males - Affected	All Males & Females are Affected

Shaded boxes show the only recommended breeding pairs in order to avoid producing affected pups.

Xn is an X chromosome with a normal PRA gene. Xa is an X chromosome with a mutant (affected) PRA disease gene.

The OptiGen XL-PRA test has been extensively tested in Siberian Huskies and Samoyeds descended from different ancestors of the U.S. breeding population. The test is not currently applicable to other breeds of dogs.

How you can participate...

The XL-PRA Test is done on a small sample of blood obtained by your veterinarian. This allows the lowest risk of contamination of the sample and added assurance of a match of the sample with the identified dog.

Read and print the instructions on the Ship Sample page. Then fill out the Test Request Form. On-line submission of the Test Request Form lets you be sure accurate information and correct spellings are put in the database. And, when you've completed one Form, a second Test Request Form for another dog or for a litter is easy and saves you time.

This research couldn't have been done without the great support of the Siberian Husky Club of America, The Morris Animal Foundation, The Seeing Eye, The American Kennel Club Canine Health Foundation, The National Eye Institute of the National Institutes of Health, and The Foundation Fighting Blindness.

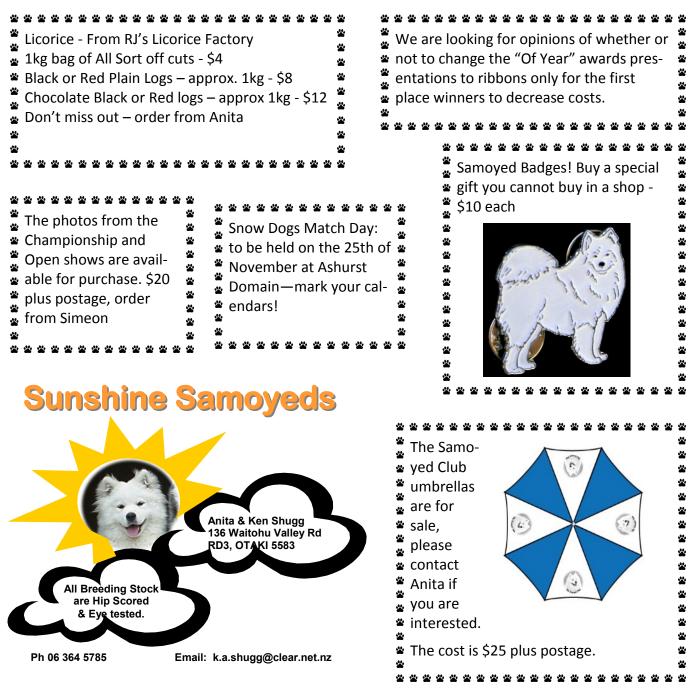




Can & Am & Eng Ch & NZ Gr Ch Vanderbilt's One Cool Cat (Imp Can)

G & L Carleton & J Bello

Notices





The Samoyed Club Inc Open Show 2012 Reserve Best In Show **Ch Samhain Echo'n T with Kursharn** Bred by Anita Andrew Owned by Mary Wells and Julie Wells



The Samoyed Club Inc Open Show 2012 Best In Show **NZ Ch Kalaska Astro Boy at Oscarbi (Imp Aust)** Bred by Kalaska Kennels Owned by Rob Barzey and Helen Clark