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Jersey Skylands LRC Newsletter

Winter / 2013

~ President's Message ~

Hello All,

First, I hope this finds everyone okay after both Hurricane Sandy, which devastated our region and the terrible, senseless shootings at Sandy Hook Elementary, for which I have no words….gives one a whole new perspective on life and what's truly important……

I'll apologize ahead of time if I forget something, it's been a very busy Fall/early Winter so far. I'll do a quick rundown of what happened this Fall and what's coming up.

We changed our Match Shows to be held in October, which I think worked out a little better. I'd like to thank Elisabeth Henry and all who worked the event this year, another job well done! I'd especially like to thank our judges, Abby Crosby and Beth Schweitzer for coming down to NJ and doing such a lovely job for us! Next year we are planning to move the date back a week and hold our Match Shows in conjunction with Newton Kennel Club's All-Breed Match. That weekend is prior to Mid-Jersey's closing date for their specialties, so hopefully that will encourage a larger entry.

Thank you Eve Ragalia for doing an awesome job on the Holiday Party, it's always such a nice time to sit and enjoy good food and friends, plus it's such a treat to have Pete play his holiday tunes for us. Hope the dogs all liked their goodies!

This year we opted not to host the Labrador booth at Canine Learning. Instead we will

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~ JSLRC Leaders ~

Officers

President	**Donna Forte**
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Class of 2011-2013	**Sherri Mattheis**
Class of 2012-2013	**Glenn Cougle**

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meet with members from Keystone and MJLRC to come up with a plan where the 3 clubs can share the event and take the burden off one club. We'll be looking for someone to take that on from our club.

Our Winter Health Clinic is scheduled for Feb 3rd at Blairstown Animal Hospital. We were able to hold prices. For anyone who has attended in the past, you know how busy this clinic is. I can't stress enough to get your forms into me ASAP. The flyer is on the website and included in this Newsletter.

Everyone should be working on their awards, before you know it Desiree will be making those beautiful certificates!

I think that's all I have for now, check the website for upcoming items.

I hope you all enjoyed your Holidays and I wish you all a Very Happy, Healthy New Year!

Looking forward to seeing everyone at our upcoming events…..

Best,
Donna

Upcoming Events !!!

January 30th (Wednesday)	Board meeting at 7:30PM
February 3rd (Sunday)	Winter Health Clinic For All Breeds Blairstown Animal Hospital 29 Cedar Lake Road, Blairstown, NJ 07825 (Health Clinic Flyer In Newsletter)
March 27th (Wednesday)	Board meeting at 7:30PM General Meeting at 8:00PM Agenda: Annual Awards/2012 Accomplishments (Awards Application in Newsletter) Program: 8:30PM (TBA)
April 24th (Wednesday)	Board meeting at 7:30PM
May 29th (Wednesday)	Board meeting at 7:30PM
June 26th (Wednesday)	Board meeting at 7:30PM General Meeting at 8:00PM Agenda: Nominations From The Floor Program: (TBA)
July 31st (Wednesday)	Board meeting at 7:30PM
August 31st (Saturday)	Last Day of Current Club Year Reminder: Club Dues for 2013-2014

~ 2013 ~

~ Stars of the Sky ~

"Brags & Wags"

Preton Olga

~ Winners Bitch, Best Of Winners & Best of Breed
Delaware Water Gap KC
MJLRC Supported Entry ~ 4 Pt Major!
(Laura Dedering – Folklaur, USA)
Breeder: Alexandre Chanan Owner: Michael & Kimberlee Silva & Alexandre Chanan

Can CH Brookberry's Just Jack

~ Pocono Mtn Kennel Club – WD
~ Tuxedo Park Kennel Club – RWD
Breeder: Donna & Stephanie Forte & Sherri Mattheis
Owners: Stephanie & Donna Forte & Tom & Marie Davidson

Shar-Jam Brookberry Holister

~ MJLRC – Day 1 – 1st 9-12 sweeps & regular, pulled out for Best in Sweeps
~ MJLRC – Day 2 – 2nd 9-12 sweeps & regular
~ Delaware Water Gap KC - BOS in Sweeps
~ Merrimack Valley Kennel Club - RWD to 4 pt major
Breeder: Sharon & James Celentano
Owner: Stephanie & Donna Forte

GCH/Can CH Brookberry's Perfect Impression, RN

~ Huron River LRC – BISS
Breeder: Donna & Stephanie Forte & Kathy Mines
Owner: Stephanie & Donna Forte

Am/Can CH Brookberry's American Dream

~ MJLRC – Day 2 - BOS (5 pt major)
~ Merrimack Valley Kennel Club - SEL (4pt major)
Breeder: Donna & Stephanie Forte
Owner: Phil & Su Hess & Stephanie Forte

GR CH Rockycreek's Delightful Dilemma

~ 4th Vet Sweeps 7-9 yr bitch
~ 3rd Vet 7 -9 yrs Reg
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
~ 1st Vet 7-9 Reg
~ Best Veteran In Show!
~ JAM
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owners: Gerie, Kathy & Janice Mines

Rockycreek's Pocket Of Gold

~ 3rd 6-9 bitch reg AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
~ 3rd 6-9 bitch reg AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owners: Gerie, Kathy & Janice Mines

Rockycreek's Jewel Of The Nile

~ 3rd BBE Bitch AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owners: Gerie, Kathy & Janice Mines

Rockycreek's Going Mobile From Grampian

~ 1st 6-9 bitch reg AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
~ 2nd 6-9 bitch reg AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owners: Gerie, Kathy & Janice Mines

Ancroft's Gentlemen Factor

~ 1st BBE/ WD – 3 Point Major!
Delaware Water Gap KC
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Ann DeGraw

Ancroft's Blondes Have More Fun

~ 1st 15-18 reg AOC
~ 1st 15-18 sweeps AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
~ 1st 15-18 sweeps AOC
~ 3rd 15-18 reg AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
~ 1st BBE bitch
Delaware Water Gap KC
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Ann DeGraw

Ancroft's A Tiffany Design
~ 2nd Ambred
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Ann DeGraw

Ancroft Gentlemen Player
~ 2nd Ambred Black
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
~ 2nd Ambred Black
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Ann DeGraw

Ancroft Gentlemen Power
~ 4th open black
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
~ 4th open black
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Ann DeGraw

Forestwood's Undeniable Elroy
~ 1st 12-15 sweeps AOC
~ 2nd 12-15 reg AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Leslie Plank

Forestwood's Plum Crazy Purple
~ 2nd Ambred AOC
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Leslie Plank

Forestwood Simply Adorable
~ 3rd Vet Sweeps 7-9 yr bitch
~ 4th Vet reg 7-9 yr bitch
Mid Jersey LRC day 1
~ 3rd Vet Sweeps 7-9 yr bitch
~ 2nd Vet reg 7-9 yr bitch
Mid Jersey LRC day 2
Breeder/Owner/Handler: Leslie Plank

Brookberry Ace of Hearts RN OAP NJP OFP WC
~ New Open Standard Preferred Agility Title!
~ New Novice Jumpers Preferred Agility Title!
~ New Open FAST Preferred Agility Title!
All legs towards new titles were with placements!
Breeder: Donna Forte & Stephanie Forte
Owner/Trainer/Handler: Fran Pidgeon

Brookberry Wagging Wonder RE AXP AJP XFP CGC
~ New Excellent Standard Preferred Agility Title!
~ New Excellent Jumpers Preferred Agility Title!
~ New Excellent FAST Preferred Agility Title!
All legs towards new titles were with placements!
~ MXP leg, 15 PACH points
~ MJP leg, 2nd place & 14 PACH points
~ MFP leg, 1st place
Breeder: Donna Forte & Stephanie Forte
Owner/Trainer/Handler: Fran Pidgeon

Windwood's Chance for Life
~ Best Puppy / Puppy Group 4
Holyoke Kennel Club
Breeder / Owner: Eve Raglia

Windwood's Vanilla Ice
~ Best Puppy / Puppy Group 4
Windham County Kennel Club
Breeder / Owner: Eve Ragalia

Windwood's Winter Wonderland
~ WB - 3 Point Major!
Springfield Kennel Club
Breeder / Owner: Eve Ragalia

Windwood's Autumn Breeze
~ WB / BOW / BOS – 3 Point Major!
Worcester County Kennel Club
~ WB / BOS – 3 Point Major!
Soughan Kennel Club
Breeder / Owner: Eve Ragalia

Cedarmarsh's Puttin' on the Ritz
~ RWD - Shawangunk KC
~ 1st Am-Bred - MJLRC - Day 1
Breeder/Owner – Sherri Mattheis

~ Article of Interest ~

Dear Friend of Labrador Life Line,

Hi, my name is Zion. My elbow starting growing in size, affecting my range of motion, so my human took me to the vet. After examining me, he said I had a tumor in my elbow. Thankfully, it was non-cancerous, but I would need a costly operation to remove it. The tumor was growing quickly, and the operation just couldn't wait. My owner had no funds for my operation, so he contacted Labrador Life Line.

Thank goodness you love Labs. While not all of the cases presented to Labrador Life Line for funding assistance are urgent or life threatening, they are all heartbreaking. Despite their best intentions, owners can't always afford the treatment their best friends need to get well. These Labs (and their owners) need some help.

Fortunately these Labs have friends like you. With your help, Labrador Life Line assists purebred Labrador Retrievers in need of emergency care or medical treatment whose owners or rescues have a financial need. Our help sometimes means the difference between life and death.

Thanks to your support and generosity, Labrador Life Line was able to help fund some of Zion's surgery. Because of your support, Zion now moves easily and without limitations.

"Zion is doing much better and almost fully himself again. The scheduling of the procedure turned out to be just in time. The mass began to bleed and ruptured when they went inside to remove it, complicating things a little. A few more days and things could have been very serious. Thanks again to the entire Labrador Life Line team!" -- Zion's owner.

***Thank You Labrador Life Line!* -- Love, Zion**

To learn more about Labrador Life Line and what you can do to help or to read more success stories, please visit http://www.labradorlifeline.org/

~ Babes Already Landed ~

" Adults, Older Puppies & Litters Born "

Black 11-Month Old Female Puppy
Born: January 8, 2012

"Miss M" is looking to utilize her cuddling and trick skills either with children or as an only child. With a very loving and outgoing personality, she loves to trot with the bike or jog along with you. Other favorite activities include boating, swimming (either in the ocean or patrolling for frogs in fresh water), and playing with her other people and doggie friends. She is presently working on additional obedience and house skills. She is current on shots, microchipped, and has a wonderful pedigree with the usual health clearances. She is housetrained, good with kids and other pets.

Sire: Am.Can.Ch. Brookberry's Storm Trooper RN
Dam: Rockycreek Liberty Hill Let Freedom Ring

Janice Mines Cell 973-557-7060
rockycreeklabs@aol.com

Black 5 Month Old Female Puppy
Born: July 24, 2012

"Malibu" is looking forward to joining an active family as their companion. She is very personable, travels well, gets along with other dogs and is currently working on basic obedience skills. She has a wonderful pedigree with the usual health clearances.
She is crate trained, good with kids and other pets

Sire: Grand Ch. HiView Baron's Boothill
Dam: Ch. Rockycreek's Finest Brandy RN

Janice Mines Cell 973-557-7060
rockycreeklabs@aol.com

Black Female Puppies
Born: November 20, 2012

Sire: Am. Pol. Bulg. Ch. Annual's Texas Ranger
OFA Hips Excellent & Elbows Normal, OFA Heart Echo Normal; Eyes ACVO Sept 2011, Optigen Normal/Clear by Parentage
Dam: Ch. Shar-Jam's Vogue
OFA Hips Good & Elbows Normal, OFA Heart Echo Normal; Eyes CERF April 2012, Optigen Normal/Clear By Parentage

Sharon Celentano 845-564-6509
sharjamlabs@hvc.rr.com

Yellow Puppies
Born: January 3, 2013

Sire: Gr.Am.Can.Ch. Brookberry's Perfect Impression RN
OFA Hips Good & Elbows Normal, OFA Heart Echo Normal; Eyes CERF Feb. 2012 & Optigen Normal/Clear; EIC Normal
Dam: Shar-Jam's Juicy Couture
OFA Hips Good & Elbows Normal, OFA Heart Echo Normal; Eyes CERF Apr. 2012 & Optigen Normal/Clear

Sharon Celentano 845-564-6509
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Breeder Referral Listings

www.jerseyskylandslrc.com/BreederReferral.htm

Heartworm in Cats and Dogs: Don't Let This Parasite Worm Its Way into Your Pet's Heart or Lungs

A growing number of veterinarians are asking pet owners like you to protect their dogs and cats from heartworm disease instead of gambling that they won't get it.

Pets get heartworm disease from mosquitoes that are infected with parasites. One bite can introduce parasites into your pet's body. Once inside the body, the parasites nest and reproduce, lodging in your pet's lungs and/or the right sides of his/her heart.

How it happens: Infection usually occurs with a bite from a mosquito infected with heartworms. The microscopic parasites enter the bloodstream and larvae develop into adult worms that reproduce within a pet's system.

Heartworm has recently been diagnosed in about 30 species of animals in all 50 states, and affects millions of indoor and outdoor pets. To curb the rising number of cases, the American Heartworm Society (AHS) is asking pet owners to take a more proactive role in preventing the disease.

"We have all the tools to prevent it," said Tom Nelson, DVM, owner of AAHA-accredited Animal Medical Center in Alabama and president of the AHS. "It's really shameful that we have all of these positive cases."

Part of the problem is lack of education.

New studies indicate that heartworm disease affects cats and dogs in all areas of the country, which is why veterinary experts suggest year-round prevention in all areas.

The American Heartworm Society and the Companion Animal Parasite Council recommend that all pets receive year-round heartworm protection so that pets are protected every month. It is critical that doses not be skipped or intervals between doses be extended because this results in an unprotected time during which animals may be exposed to heartworm larvae.

Pets should also have annual heartworm testing by a veterinarian prior to prescribing a heartworm medication.

Ask For More Information

Some veterinarians hesitate to offer prevention to their clients because they believe the disease is not a problem in their areas, but AHS statistics tell a different story.

A map of the United States, available on the AHS website, shows red splotches in areas where heartworm disease has been diagnosed. At quick glance, the varying shades of red make it look like the map is bleeding.

Because heartworm disease is no longer restricted to warm, humid areas, AHS experts suggest year-round preventative medication in all states and recently launched a campaign titled "KNOW More Heartworms" with the American Association of Feline Practitioners. This campaign targets cat owners.

One goal of the campaign is to dispel the myth that indoor cats are not at risk, said James Richards, DVM, a feline specialist who teaches at Cornell University in New York. One-half to one-third of the cats with heartworms do not go outdoors, he said.

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Experts say that only 3.9 percent of cats in the United States are on heartworm prevention while about 50 percent of dogs are on preventative medication.

In Minnesota, where heartworm has been a significant problem for years, Pierce Fleming, DVM, recommends year-round prevention for dogs. And he recently started recommending it for all cats.

"Mosquitoes can get inside too," said Fleming, owner of AAHA-accredited Plymouth Heights Hospital, who urges cat owners – with indoor and outdoor cats – to use heartworm prevention.

Know the Signs

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has not approved any drugs to treat heartworm disease in cats, which is why the AHS is focusing on prevention.

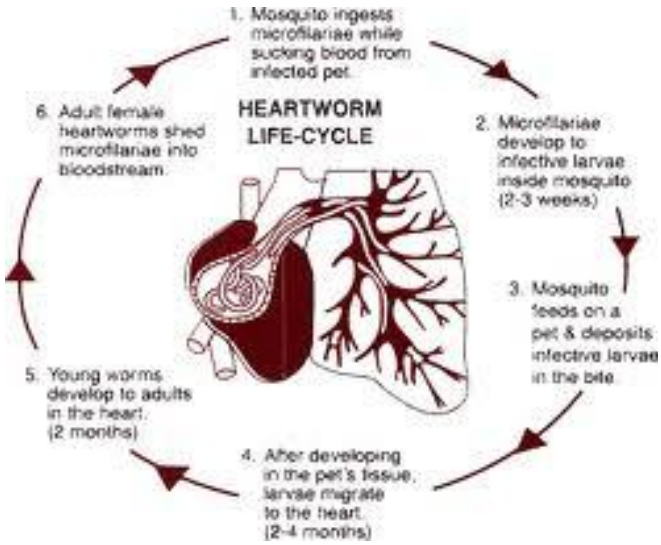
Clinical signs or symptoms in cats include vomiting, weight loss, diarrhea, coughing and difficulty breathing. Because cats tend to be couch potatoes, with limited opportunity for activity, it can be harder to identify breathing problems, which are often misdiagnosed as asthma. Pet owners may also mistakenly assume that low energy levels, a symptom of heartworms, are a sign of aging.

Three drugs have been approved by the FDA to help prevent heartworm disease in cats and dogs when given on a monthly basis. Several doctors also like the fact that preventive drugs also help protect pets from zoonotic diseases – like hookworm - that can be passed from pets to people.

Pamela Nichols, DVM, owner of AAHA-accredited Animal Care Center in Utah, says that heartworm prevention is simply good medicine. She advises clients to put their pets on preventive drugs because it protects them from heartworms and a slew of other parasites that can be transmitted from pets to people.

Some parasites – like roundworm – can cause blindness in children. Although it is very rare, it does happen, and it can be prevented.

"I have two clients that have vision in only one eye because of roundworm (parasite) infections," Nichols said. "Anybody who wants evidence that this happens [can] look at these two families," she added.



~ A Note From The New Editor ~

Well, I must apologize for my tardiness in getting our newsletter out to you. As you are all very aware life can become quite hectic and one can feel buried; for a number of reasons.

With that said, I must thank our President, Donna Forte, for her contributions and Leslie Plank for assisting me with collection of content for all of us to enjoy.

I certainly try my best to put out an interesting newsletter for you; filled with interesting articles, club news, and fun graphics to enhance your reading enjoyment.

To all of the JSLRC members I wish you a prosperous year and the good fortune of being in the ribbons!

~ JSLRC Membership News~

The following individual was voted in as a JSLRC Member on 12-5-12

CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME TO:

Susan O'Donnell
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Succasunna, NJ 07876
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suebprofesora@yahoo.com

Interests: Obedience & Therapy Dog Visits
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Committee Chairs are reminded to contact new members and get them involved in JSLRC activities. Anyone interested in becoming a member of JSLRC can contact our Membership Chair for procedures and a membership packet.

Call or write to:
Fran Pidgeon
JSLRC Membership Chair

973-726-8650
gkclabs3@hotmail.com

~ Autumn ~

By: Christy Caballero

What do we do when our loving pets face the last leg of the race? We do all we can to help them finish well, of course. We take time to read the unspoken needs of the friends we've come to know so well. We give the simple reassurance of a loving touch when the old boy seems confused for no reason. We groom them faithfully, but more gently, as age brings muscle wasting, and the arthritic bones aren't so well padded. We learn to slow down for their sake, as they enjoy the scent of the wind, or track a visitors trail across their yard. We expect to be inconvenienced, and aren't angry when it happens. We watch for pain and treat it, watch for changes in vision and hearing and do what we canto help preserve those precious senses for as long as possible. We take care of their teeth, and make sure their food is a manageable texture for them. We remind them of the need for a potty walk when they seem to forget. We remember the little rewards. We scratch the graying ears and tummy, and go for car rides together. When the pet we love has an unexplained need for comfort, we give it freely. When infirmities bring a sense of vulnerability, we become our old guardian's protector. We watch their deepest slumbers, when dreams take them running across long-forgotten fields, and we remember those fields too. When they cannot stand alone, we lift them. When their steps are uncertain, we steady them. And if their health fails, it falls to us to make the choice that will gently put them to rest. But until that is absolutely necessary, we pause to let the autumn sun warm our old friend's bones. And we realize, autumn is not a bad time of year at all. Old age is not a disease or a reason to give up. It is a stage of life that brings its own changes. Autumn can be a beautiful time of harvest. And, sometimes, the harvest is love.

~ JSLRC Committee Chairs ~

Awards	Desiree Cougle
Breeder Referral	Laura Dedering
Club Communications	Sherri Mattheis
Club Equipment	Glenn Cougle
	Stephanie Forte (Asst)
Conformation Matches	
"B" / PARTS – Winter	NEEDED
"B" - Fall	Elisabeth Henry
Constitution & By-Laws	Phil Hess
Education	Gerie Mines
AKC Canine Ambassador	Gerie Mines
AKC Public Education Coordinator	Gerie Mines
Canine Learning Experience	Sherri Mattheis
Ethics:	Maryann Czerwinski
Health Clinics:	
Winter	Donna Forte
	Dot Martin (Asst)
Spring	Karen Lolli
	Sharon Celentano (Asst)
Historian	Tambra Flaherty
Holiday Party	Eve Ragalia
Judges Selection	Maryann Czerwinski
Meeting Hospitality	Eve Ragalia
Meeting Site	Fran Pidgeon
Membership	Fran Pidgeon
NJ Federation of Dog Clubs	
	Dele
gates	Stan Domozyk
	Lorene Connolly
Alternates	Frank Murch
	Cathy Murch
Newsletter	
Editor	Michael Silva
Publisher	Leslie Plank
Nominations	Donna Sevchuk
Obedience	Fran Pidgeon
CGC/TDI Test	NEEDED
Match	NEEDED
Planning	Marie Davidson
Point Show	Sharon Celetano
	Laurie Muirhead (Asst)
Grounds	Kathy Mines
Hospitality	Donna Sevchuk
Raffle	Corey Anger
Trophies	Ann DeGraw
	Laura Jennings (Asst)
Policies/Procedures	Phil Hess
Programs	Patty Snow-Estrada
Publicity	Sherri Mattheis
Sunshine	Janice Mines
Website	Laura Dedering
	NEEDED (Asst)

Homemade Toothpaste for Dogs

By: Sara Batista

A healthy dog is a dog with a nice, clean mouth. You don't have to buy expensive (and gimmicky, let's be honest) toothpaste made specifically for dogs in order to clean your pup's mouth. You can simply create your own homemade doggy toothpaste. Here's how, quick and easy!

All you need is some baking soda, chicken or beef broth, and some salt for abrasion. Add one of those little baby toothbrushes that you slip over your finger and you're good as gold!

Mix around 6 teaspoons of baking soda with 1/3 to 1/2 teaspoon salt. Add to this a few drops of chicken or beef broth (for taste) and create a paste. Baking soda kills those nasty germs and whitens those doggy teeth, whereas the salt is a bacteria killer and gets rid of plaque on teeth.

Voila! You have great homemade toothpaste for dogs! If your dog has nasty breath, add some parsley flakes to the mix, which help with inflammation in the gums as well as battle nasty breath.

This homemade dog toothpaste is safe for your dog to swallow, and the salt is optional. You can use a dog toothbrush or a baby one (which I much prefer). Safe on cats as well, and if you don't have any broth, I find fish oil to be right on target.

~ Members with Privileges ~

We would like to congratulate the following members who have earned Additional Privileges for the current Club year:

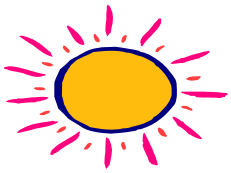
Corey Anger	Micki Beerman
Sharon Celentano	Desiree Cougle
Glenn Cougle	Maryann Czerwinski
Marie Davidson	Tom Davidson
Laura Dedering	Ann DeGraw
Tambra Flaherty	Tom Flaherty
Donna Forte	Stephanie Forte
Elisabeth Henry	Phil Hess
Laura Jennings	Karen Lolli
Dottie Martin	Sherri Mattheis
Gerie Mines	Janice Mines
Kathy Mines	Laurie Muirhead
Cathy Murch	Frank Murch
Fran Pidgeon	Eve Ragalia
Donna Sevchuk	Hallie Sherck
Michael Silva	Andrea Skarra
Patty Snow-Estrada	

* Additional Privileges are earned for meeting attendance and work performed during the prior club year (Sept 1, 2011 - August 31, 2012). If active members who are NOT already on the website wish to have their kennel name and information listed on the website, please fill out an application from the club website. Members who are already listed on the website please check for contact information in case it needs to be updated.

Submitted by Fran Pidgeon
JSLRC Membership Chair

~ Sunshine News ~

~ CH Woodhull's Frankly My Dear ~
May 4th, 2002-Dec. 15th, 2012



Our deepest sympathy to our member Corey Anger on the passing of her beloved Franky. I for one know she was a one of a kind and was the love of Corey's life. She will be deeply missed.

~ Newsletter Staff ~

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JERSEY SKYLANDS LABRADOR RETRIEVER CLUB, INC.
AWARDS APPLICATION – 2012 ACHIEVEMENTS

OWNER: _____
DOG: _____
ADDRESS: _____

MARK THE DESIRED COMPETITIVE AWARD AND ENTER THE NUMBER

Top Specials Dog	_____	Top Specials Bitch	_____	No. Labs Defeated	_____
Top Winners Dog	_____	Top Winners Bitch	_____	No. Labs Defeated	_____
Top Junior Dog	_____	Top Junior Bitch	_____	No. Labs Defeated	_____
Top Obedience Dog	_____	Top Obedience Bitch	_____	Highest Average	_____
Top Rally Dog	_____	Top Rally Bitch	_____	Highest Average	_____

REGULAR AGILITY

Top Agility Dog	_____	Top Agility Bitch	_____	Highest Average	_____

PREFFERED AGILITY

Top Agility Dog	_____	Top Agility Bitch	_____	Highest Average	_____

*** ATTACH COPY OF AKC AWARDS PAGE OR PRINTOUTS FROM AKC WEBSITE ***

MARK THE DESIRED CERTIFICATE AWARD FOR NEW TITLE
* Title must have been completed in 2012 *

Grand Champion	_____	Champion	_____	Obedience	_____
Hunting Title	_____	Tracking	_____	Field Title	_____
Working Certificate	_____	Agility	_____	Rally	_____

Handling Achievements:
Owner/Handler _____ Breeder/Handler _____ Breeder/Owner Handler _____

*** ATTACH COPY OF AKC AWARDS PAGE OR PRINTOUTS FROM AKC WEBSITE ***

MARK THE DESIRED CERTIFICATE AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

Conformation New Grand Champion _____ New Champion _____
Hunting _____ Obedience _____ Field _____
All Around Retriever _____ Community Service (Person) _____
All Around Producing Dog _____ All Around Producing Bitch _____

*** ATTACH COPY OF AKC AWARDS PAGE OR PRINTOUTS FROM AKC WEBSITE ***
*** OR LETTER FROM SERVICE ORGANIZATION ***

Return your completed application by March 1st, 2013 to:

Desiree Cougle
7 Birch Lane
Hackettstown, NJ 07840
(908) 852-2082
desiree.cougle@verizon.net

Awards to be presented at the March meeting

Jersey Skylands Labrador Retriever Club, Inc. Sponsored
ALL BREED CANINE HEALTH CLINIC

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2013
9:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

	ALL RESULTS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL **REGISTRATION FORM BELOW**
LOCATION:	**BLAIRSTOWN ANIMAL HOSPITAL, 29 CEDAR LAKE RD., BLAIRSTOWN, NJ 07825-9641** Easily accessible from Rt. 80 or Rt. 94. Directions and Map on Page 2
EYE EXAMS:	**Michael J. Ringle DVM Diplomate ACVO Ophthalmologist (Red Bank Veterinary Hospital).** Dogs must be over 7 weeks old. **Please bring AKC reg. & permanent ID Info.**
HEART EXAMS:	**Carl D. Sammarco, BVSc, MRCVS, Diplomate ACVIM Cardiology (Red Bank Veterinary Hospital).** **Please bring AKC Reg. & Permanent ID Info (OFA fee reduced).**
OPTIGEN TESTS: Special 20/20 Clinic Fee 20%-25% off.	**See Optigen Website For Tests Offered . Select cheek swab or blood draw on OUR Registration Form. Pre-registration and payment to "Optigen", is absolutely required, as a minimum of twenty (20) tests must be batched to get the discount!** Optigen Test Request Forms should be completed **ONLINE** and printed, at **Optigen between 1/20/13 - 2/03/13** using **clinic code JSLRC1323** for an additional 5% off, making the total discount 25%. Optigen will send results directly to each owner. **Bring completed Optigen Form with payment made payable directly to "Optigen".**
EIC TEST:	**Exercise Induced Collapse Test. See VDL Website. Select cheek swab or blood draw on OUR Registration Form.** EIC Test Request Forms should be completed **ONLINE at VDL and printed.** **Bring completed ADL Form with payment made payable directly to "U of M VDL".**
MICROCHIPS:	Home Again Microchip provides permanent identification. AKC CAR & Home Again forms provided.
VACCINATIONS & BLOOD TESTS:	See Registration Form attached for list of services. Vaccination certificates will be provided. Lab results will be mailed directly to the owner, so **PLEASE BRING A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE FOR BLOOD TEST RESULTS. For any test NOT listed on our registration form, please call for price / availability.**
PRE-REGISTER:	**By 01/26/13. Mail completed form with appropriate fees as indicated. Appointments will be scheduled on a first come-first served basis. Every effort will be made to schedule your appointments in the time frame requested.** WALK-INS WILL BE SEEN IF TIME ALLOWS.
FOR MORE INFO:	**Donna Forte (973) 729-6211 or email brookberry@embarqmail.com. Leave message to be contacted.**

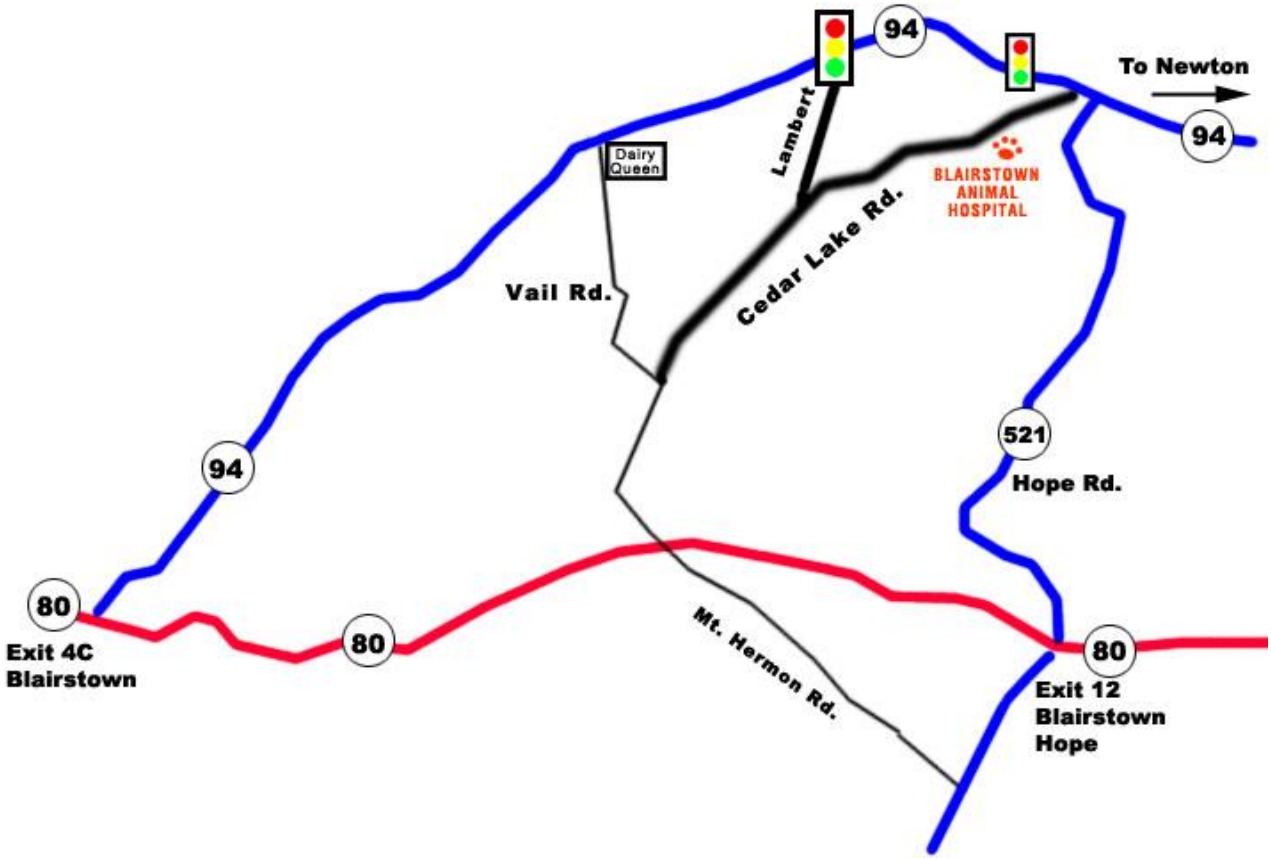
Jersey Skylands Labrador Retriever Club, Inc. Sponsored
ALL BREED CANINE HEALTH CLINIC

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2013
9:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

DIRECTIONS AND MAP:
29 Cedar Lake Road
Blairstown, NJ 07825-9641
908-362-6430

From points east: Route 80 west, exit 12, right at bottom of ramp to Route 521 North to end (several miles). Left on Route 94 ("The Forge" restaurant on corner), next left onto Cedar Lake Road - CR 616, approximately 1 mile on left.

From points west: Route 80 east, exit 4C to Route 94, go 9 miles, through Blairstown, straight over bridge, right onto Cedar Lake Road - CR 616, approximately 1 mile on left.



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PLEASE RETURN THE COMPLETED FORM BY **01/26/13** with a
NON-REFUNDABLE CHECK PAYABLE TO JSLRC, INC.

INCLUDE YOUR **EMAIL ADDRESS** OR SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED POSTCARD
FOR CONFIRMATION & TIME SLOT.

MAIL TO: **Donna Forte, 2 Sharon Dr, Sparta, NJ 07871**

Print Your Name: _____ Phone: _____ Cell:_____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ email: _____

TIME SLOT PREFERRED, **PLEASE NUMBER 1-5** IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE:
_____ 9:00-10:00 _____ 10:00-11:00 _____ 1:00-Noon _____ Noon-1:00 _____ 1:00-2:00

Services – Put an "X" in each box under each name	*Call Name*	*Call Name*	*Call Name*	*Call Name*	*Call Name*	*Call Name*	*Call Name*	*Unit Cost*	*= Ext. Amt.*
Enter Each Dog's Call Name >									
ACVO EYE EXAM on OFA Form								__X $30	
CARDIAC AUSCULTATION								__X $40	
ECHOCARDIOGRAM								__X $205	
OPTIGEN / EIC vet fees: Blood at $10; Swab at $5								__x$10 __x$5	
MICROCHIP								__X $25	
RABIES VACCINE 1 year or 3 year								__X $16	
CORE VACCINES – DA2PP								__X $16	
LYME VACCINE								__X $21	
BORDETELLA INTRANASAL VACCINE								__X $11	
LEPTO 4 STRAIN VACCINE								__X $21	
SNAP 4 - Heartworm/Lyme/Ehrlichia/Anaplasmosis								__X $40	
WELLNESS PROFILE – Chemistry; CBC; T-4 and Free T-4; Urinalysis (please bring sample)								__X $110	
OFA THYROID PANEL (enclose separate check to OFA @ $7.50 per test)								__X $105	
Sr Profile (Chemistry, CBC & Urinalysis)								__X $90	
Sr Profile (Chemistry & CBC)								__X $75	
TITER TEST Canine Distemper/Parvo								__X $70	
THYROID TEST Free T-4 only								__X $50	
THYROID TEST T-4 only								__X $35	
BRUCELLA TEST								__X $40	
FECAL TEST centrifugation and Giardia ELISA								__X $30	
Urine Protein: Creatinine ratio								__X $35	
								TOTAL	

I HEREBY RELEASE PARTICIPATING VETERINARIANS, JSLRC, INC., ITS MEMBERS AND AGENTS FROM ANY AND ALL INJURIES OR LOSSES SUSTAINED BY MYSELF OR MY DOG(S) WHILE AT THIS HEALTH EVENT.

Please sign: _____ **Date:** _____