



# LABRADOR RETRIEVER KENNEL CLUB

## BULLETIN - Issue July 2009

Hello members from a chilly Johannesburg!

Congratulations to Francois and Angelique on their marriage during May! May you enjoy many years of love, fun, and harmony together!



We wish Carolyn Baker a speedy recovery to her shoulders and fractured bones following a nasty accident whilst training with her dogs. (The dogs are fine!) We hope to see you up and running again soon!

We also wish Elaine Anderson a speedy recovery following her back op. May you too be up and running and importantly, pain free very soon.

### FIELD TRIAL TRAINING WITH CARSTEN SCHROEDER

The week-end prior to the LRKC Field Trial Di organized eighteen Club members each representing either Juniors, Novice or Open Stakes as participants in an afternoon and a day of field trial training with well-known German field trial trainer Carsten Schroeder.

Carsten had been touring the country giving training sessions free of charge in the various provinces. How grateful we all were for this wonderful opportunity.

A detailed report with action pics will be in the July Edition of Lab Lines however below are a couple of photos to whet your appetite!



Carsten in action!



Watching & Waiting for their turn!

### LRKC FIELD TRIAL RESULTS 2009

#### OPEN STAKE

1<sup>ST</sup> & Guns' Choice: J Buchanan's Golden Retriever  
Ch FT Cart Kincora Great Bear CDEX GMHR  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mike Holman's Labrador Retriever  
Ch FT Charway Storm Petrel of Trevena GMHR  
3<sup>rd</sup> Judith Buchanan's Golden Retriever  
Ch FT Cart Kincora Scarab CDEX MHR FQ

#### NOVICE STAKE

No Placings

#### MAIDEN STAKE

1<sup>ST</sup> & Guns' Choice: Estene Trollope's Golden Retriever  
Medges Glaisterburn of Kilifi

#### JUNIOR STAKE

1<sup>ST</sup> Elaine Walker's Labrador Retriever  
Bardale DB's Triumph of Walkabout  
COM & Guns' Choice:  
Peter Kempin's English Springer Spaniel  
Savajam Jurra

#### PUPPY STAKE

1<sup>ST</sup> Elaine Walker's Labrador Retriever  
Bardale DB's Triumph of Walkabout  
2<sup>nd</sup> & Guns' Choice: Ches Greenwood's Golden Retriever  
Chackmoreton Hephzibah (Imp UK)  
3<sup>rd</sup> Brian Gerber's Labrador Retriever  
Wildspirit McAlister

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### LRKC FUNDRAISER FOR SAGA MOTORIZED WHEELCHAIR

In view of the versatility of the Labrador Retriever and the popularity of the Breed, with particular emphasis currently on pure bred breeds being "fit for purpose". The LRKC Management Committee has decided to raise funds for a motorized wheelchair for dog training purpose at SA Guide Dogs.

The amount we are required to raise is R13,000.00.

The fund raising effort will be launched at WODAC with a raffle and will be continued at all our future events.

Any member wishing to make a donation for this very worthy cause is welcome to make a payment directly to the LRKC bank account CLEARLY REFERENCING **YOUR NAME & SAGA DONATION** - see banking details below:

Name: Labrador Retriever Kennel Club  
Bank: FNB  
Branch: Rosebank Code: 25-33-05  
Account Number: 5037 003 8934

Much is planned for the next six months - please take time to jot down and diarize some if not all of these events! We look forward to seeing you as well as your participation!

Di has been away for most of June so there is a slight lag in Lab Lines but she hopes to have it out by the end of July after returning from the Cape!

## **FORTHCOMING EVENTS**

**World of Dogs and Cats  
Coca Cola Dome, Northgate**

**17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> July 2009**

**Please come and support our stand!**

**Launch of SAGA Fundraiser  
Fantastic Raffle**

**Bargain prices on LRKC Caps and Badges!**

Enquiries: Ruth Bots 082 551 8236

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**LRKC 2<sup>ND</sup> OPEN SHOW 2009**

Judge: Steve Landon

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**CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TEST (Bronze)**

Open to All Breeds and Crosses

**THIS IS NOT A COMPETITION!**

Come along and give it a try!

Evaluator: Jack Taentzer

See LRKC website for Schedule and details of CGC Test

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**LRKC 42<sup>ND</sup> CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW**

**SATURDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2009**

**JUDGE: MRS DALE ELLIOT (UK)**

**VENUE: SA GUIDEDOGS ASS**

**TIME: 09H00**

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES 24<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2009  
Join us for a joint lunch with Golden Retriever Club  
Details to be sent out with Show Schedule

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## **LABRADOR RETRIEVER BREED SEMINAR**

**Presented by**

**MRS DALE ELLIOT (UK)**

**FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2009**

**Time: 18h30**

**Edgcombe House, Blue Hills, Midrand**

**A Light Supper will be provided**

**RSVP Di 011 787 3328 e-mail: [holman@trevena.co.za](mailto:holman@trevena.co.za)**

**Before 15 September 2009 for catering purposes**

## **SAGA CARNIVAL OF DOGS**

**SUNDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2009**

Please contact Di if you are able to assist with manning the stand and/or would like to participate in the Show & Field Trial display.

## **END OF YEAR FUNCTION**

**SATURDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER 2009**

**12H30**

**VENUE: WALKHAVEN**

**FUN DOG GAMES WITH PRIZES!**

**BRAAI & DESERT!**

**BAR!**

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**Kind Regards**

*Mike*

**CHAIRMAN**