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# TIKO President's Message

**Happy Fall to everyone!**

I hope you all enjoyed your summer and were able to get out and do lots of different activities with your dogs!

Summer was a busy time for TIKO members. We managed to fit in some pretty amazing results for members' dogs at various Shows and Trials this summer, as well as turn out yet another first class event ourselves in August. Kudos to the owners and handlers, organizers and volunteers of our own TIKO Show, to Show & Trial Chair Karen Nesbitt and most importantly to our canine companions!

A club is not a club without hard work, good laughs and great memories. Long time member Terri Duff, managed to bring a lot of us together at the Rows Corners Fairgrounds throughout the summer for some great training and some soul-mending camaraderie. Now, with the arrival of fall, we are happy to once again be able offer indoor conformation classes! This year our instructor is well known all breed judge and breeder, Rita Walker.

Also available is a combination rally obedience class for those thinking of trying to add a performance title to their dogs. We are pleased to see how well these classes have been received, and ecstatic to be back at the Brockville Memorial Centre after a three year absence. All members are invited to come by on Monday evenings and say hi.

We look forward to seeing some of you out at the remaining shows and trials of 2023 and wish all the best of luck.

We hope that you enjoy this edition of TIKO TAILS. If you have any ideas for topics, articles, etc. that you would like to see in future editions of TIKO TAILS, be sure to reach out to our editor and newsletter creator Marnie Layng, and offer to lend a welcome hand!

*Ginny*



# Thistlebitt



Right on schedule, three little princesses arrived in the wee hours during the TIKO shows!

**Beep**

(Thistlebitt Bouncing Berry) is proud to present her "chaos" litter!

Proud dad is Otterden Made You Blush (**Crush**)



**Karen Nesbitt**  
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# Did you hear the news?

"Giggle would like you to know  
she has puppies  
available to great homes!"

Puppies were born June 11, 2023



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Rya & Lori  
owned by  
Maria Poppa

*(see page 16)*

# OUR WORST NIGHTMARE

by Cathy Goodchild

On July 29, 2023, we were excited for my nephew's wedding day. At the last minute I decided I was going to take our 5ish month-old pup with us as the venue was across the road from my daughter's house. This way I could let her out to do her business throughout the evening. I took her for a quick walk before leaving the house.

This was a potluck laid back affair, I loaded my yummy Mac'n'cheese filled slow cooker into the car, loaded Abba into her crate and off we went. We left Abba crated at my daughter's house, I returned about one hour later, let her out to do her business. Something seemed off but I couldn't place what it was, she was happy and did her business. I returned to the wedding, my gut was telling me I needed to check on her again, so again in about another hour and off I went.

What I walked into can only be described as pure shock, fear, and panic. Abba was lying in her crate unresponsive, her head lying in a mound of vomit and just the whites of her eyes could be seen. My daughter got on the phone to our vet who thankfully has 24-hour care for their clients, she was on hold for the answering service/triage for what seemed like hours. My husband and I jumped in the car and headed for our Vet's office before hearing anything back. I was terrified I was going to lose her before we got there. My Vet met us, I rushed her in. The Vet inserted a syringe into her belly to get a urine sample to test for substances. In seconds she was positive for THC and Opioids. He immediately administered Narcan, it was 3 doses later before she was stable. The Vet tech arrived and placed an IV catheter so they could administer meds to help bind the THC. It was touch and go! 3 Hours later we took her home, she was stable but the IV was left in just in case this changed, and she had to return.

The following day she had improved but was unable to walk and refused to eat. My Vet called first thing in the morning to follow-up, he was relieved she was now coming back albeit very slowly. It took two more days before she was her normal happy puppy again.

You might ask, where and when was she able to consume this substance. The answer is, on her walk before we left. The timing lined up with her symptoms, and at 10lbs, it doesn't take much to affect a small dog of that size. She had somehow scooped up the remnants of a marijuana joint laced with opioids that had been discarded by some irresponsible person.

I haven't written this to terrify others but instead to bring awareness of the risks now that Marijuana is legal in Canada. Like cigarette butts strewn on the ground, so is marijuana. I am now in the process of basket muzzle training both our dogs to not ever have this happen again. My Vet has seen a dramatic increase in dogs with THC poisoning, this was the first time he'd come across an Opioid combination.

Watch your dogs closely on walks, think about basket muzzle training as a preventive.

Clinical Footnote: Dr. Rea Marcelissen

Marijuana contains the cannibonoid compound known as THC, which can have medicinal effects for humans, but it is extremely toxic to dogs and cats. Small dogs only need to consume small amounts to become ill. When marijuana is laced with opioids or other drugs, there is risk of further severity of disease. THC can be either ingested or inhaled. THC affects every dog to a different degree and clinical signs can vary. It primarily affects the nervous system, so although some dogs might be sleepy, others may be hyperactive. In my clinical experience, most will be lethargic and have dilated

pupils, muscle tremors, drooling, vomiting, and leaking urine. Worst case scenario is seizures and death. What is most important is that if your dog shows any of these signs or you think your pet may have ingested marijuana to get them to your veterinarian as soon as possible. The Veterinarian may induce vomiting and give medications to decontaminate your dog, such as activated charcoal orally. They may be tested for THC and possibly other opiates as well, although cage- side testing is not available everywhere. They will likely have other testing done such as bloodwork to ensure there is no systemic damage. They will definitely be given supportive medications along with intravenous fluids. If they have inhaled secondhand smoke, they may be provided oxygen and medications to treat respiratory tract inflammation.

Basket muzzles are a great tool for preventing your Schipperke from ingesting unwanted materials. Basket muzzles are not the metal, "Cujo"-esque tools we think of from the past. They now are made of rubber and come in many colours and even with accessories! Fear Free TM has great resources on how to train your dog to use a basket muzzle. I have attached it below. Starting puppies young with basket muzzle training is ideal. Thankfully little Abba is doing much better and enjoying licking the peanut butter off the inside of her basket muzzle! Cathy can also rest a bit easier when out on walks, knowing Abba's chances of picking something toxic up off the ground are far less.

References:

[Basket Muzzle Training](#)

[VCA Canada Cannabis Intoxication](#)

**Editor's Note:** This article was originally published in the Fall issue of the Schipperke Club of Canada's, SchipTales. Unfortunately we live in a time where we need to be more aware of how to protect our dogs from preventable trauma. And it seems this is no longer an issue just in large urban areas. It pays to be aware and my personal thanks to the author's for allowing us to share this informative article with you.





# In Memory of *Thomas*

**BIMSS RBIS Am CH Can GCH Curtisfarms Take Me Away**

August 20, 2010 - September 2, 2023



Thank you Thomas for giving me thirteen  
incredible years of excitement.



Susan Curtis  
Curtis Farms - Beagles

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# Proudly Presenting

## Two New Grand Champions

### Juliet

#### Curtisfarms Taybro Juliet



Juliet finished a Grand Champion title at the Ottawa Kennel Club on May 27, 2023 under judge Dr. Michael Woods.

She is the great great granddaughter of BIMSS RBIS AmCH Can GrCH Curtisfarms Take Me Away (Thomas). Juliet is from BPIS GCH Curtisfarms On My Way and Curtisfarms Taybro Joule.

In 2024 Juliet will start in agility classes.

### Emma

Emma earned her Grand Champion title at the SD&G Show handled by Sarah Clifford.

Emma, bred by Kim and Tim Delaney of Shillington Kennels, Fort Ellis, Nova Scotia, is co-owned with myself.

Earlier this year I was introduced to Sarah Clifford, an enthusiastic young woman who wished to try her hand at confirmation showing.

Candice Tinlin of Luv-A-K9 who has owned beagles all her life is Sarah's mentor and close friend. Emma began 2023 with 2 grand points and earned her Grand in limited showing with Sarah handling. Emma with Sarah, won Group 1 at our own TIKO Show 2023.

Emma has given me two litters of beautiful puppies. In 2024 she will be working toward a therapy dog designation with the Kingston Therapy Dog Program.

### \*GCH Shillington Curtisfarms Chanel

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Susan Curtis  
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# Curtisfarms Presents

## Sadie

### Chaparrel's Miss Sadie



Sadie was awarded Best of Breed at the TIKO Show on August 19, 2023.

Thank-you to breeder Susan Buttivant and my mentor Michelle Cousineau for the continued support with incorporating a new breed into my kennel family.

Having Sadie live with us has been an adventure, but her loving, warm temperament makes it all worthwhile.

There will never be a dull moment with Sadie. Miss Sadie will continue with rally classes in the fall of 2023.

## Rosalea

### Curtisfarms I Waited for You

Rosalea was awarded Best Puppy in Group Two on both August 18 and 19 at our TIKO Shows this year. Rosie, born December 15, 2022 is from GCH Shillington Curtisfarms Chanel.

I have waited 20 years to breed a red and white show female, thus she was named "I Waited for You".



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# Agility Training for Pointers

*By Pearl Prévost*

There are many reasons why agility training helps to support and enhance the performance of our pointer dogs in the field. It provides good physical exercise indoors (during foul/fowl weather) even though agility takes place mostly outdoors in spring, summer and fall.

Agility challenges your dog to be MORE agile, nimble, swift, quick, negotiate sharp turns, and problem solve. It also helps them to skillfully maneuver with more precision and speed.



## What is Agility Training?

Agility consists of obstacles that are set up with equipment such as tunnels, tires, A-frames, broad jumps, high jumps, teters, and dog walks. It provides a forum for pointers to practice jumping, running, stretching, crawling, making sharp moves and turns.

In trials, dogs are tested for correctness and speed. There are several levels of trials: beginner, intermediate and advanced in various forms of agility such as Standard, Jumpers, Snooker, Gambler. Some dog schools offer Agility training such as LUV-A-K9 in Kingston, and you can attend dog shows to witness agility trials. It is entertaining to say the least.

## Why Agility Training?

A major benefit is to strengthen the team spirit and team work between you and your dog. It builds trust as it helps your dog to be more attentive, focus and follow your commands by reading your body language.

It also provides an opportunity for your dog to socialize with humans and other dogs, and to expose them to distractions and new possibilities. Finally, it is fun for both you and your dog!

RADAR jumping at the Kingston Humane Society Big Paws Fund Raiser in September 2022 and will participate again in September 2023



# Presenting

# Sky



**BIS CAN AM CH**  
**Mardeck N'Oasis**  
**Wheel in The Sky**



**Sky has certainly done us proud!**

**First she earned her AM CH with  
Larry and Mel on the lead.**

**Then had her first lovely litter in 2022.  
Two of the pups "Cash & Lyric" have  
already finished their AM CH titles  
and are well on their way to their  
CAN CH titles too.**

**In 2023, Sky went for a holiday to  
Mardeck to have a bit of fun and  
to earn her Canadian Championship.**

**And that she did, plus so much more!**

**Expertly handled by Chelby Marling,  
Sky has been awarded 7 Group firsts,  
2 Group seconds, 6 Group thirds, and  
3 Group fourths, in just 3 months  
culminating in her  
winning Best In Show in Calgary, AB!**

**On Friday, Aug 18th of the TIKO  
Shows, Sky earned another Group 1st  
handled by Melanie.**

**Currently Sky is ranked as the  
#1 Schipperke in Canada!**

**We couldn't be any prouder!**

**Co-Bred & Co-Owned by:  
Larry Wolfe, Melanie Pacanowski  
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Marnie Layng - Mardeck Schipperkes  
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This workshop is suitable for every dog person, from pet parents to dog professionals. For the beginner, it will serve as a solid introduction to Ttouch.



This is dog training at its best, and beyond. This is an ideal method to help enhance all positive dog training modalities. Bring your own dog or work with one at the workshop.

We will be working at the Animal Massage and Movement Education Centre. Located in southeastern Ontario, AMMEC is an intimate, welcoming renovated stone church in the hamlet of Frankville, 1 hour southwest of Ottawa.

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We look forward to welcoming you to TTouch at AMMEC

# Welcome to Canada



## Eliza

### Westorps Crown Royal

DOB: May 18, 2023

Look who came home with me from my trip to Sweden!

Eliza has a very interesting pedigree and should make a great contribution to the diversity of the gene pool here.

Thank you to her breeder, Annika Lundblad, Westorps kennel, Sweden for letting her come to her new home.



Ulla Gamberg  
Vastgota Reg'd - Swedish Vallhunds  
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# Junior Handling National Championship

The TIKO club has always supported Junior Handling at their shows & trials and through encouraging our own junior members. We are very happy to share coverage of this year's CKC National Junior Handling Championships that was held at the Club Canin Chomedey Inc., Terrebonne, Quebec on September 16, 2023

This annual event held all the excitement, nerves, bravado and ceremony one would expect of a National competition. In addition, it reflects the health of our sport moving toward the future. But in order for us all to appreciate the occasion we also have to understand what it takes to get to that point. Let's start with answering the question "What is the purpose of Junior Handling". To quote from the [CKC Junior Handling Rules & Regulations](#)...



*The purpose of Junior Handling is to introduce and encourage youth to participate in the sport of purebred dogs, and to provide them with meaningful competition where they can learn, practice, and hone their skills and knowledge of the various breeds. Above all, it is an opportunity to enjoy the camaraderie of competing with those of a similar age.*

Junior handling in Canada has become an important aspect of the dog show world today. Many shows offered informal competitions during their shows, back in the day, but it became evident as witnessed in other countries that a more formal system would be beneficial.

The first ever Junior Handling National Championship was held at the CKC's 100th Anniversary Show at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre in the summer of 1988. In 1989, the Nationals moved to the Credit Valley Kennel and Obedience Dog Club where it was hosted for nine years until 1999, when the CKC Junior Kennel Club Council decided to make the Nationals a true nation-wide event.

You can visit the CKC website at [www.ckc.ca](http://www.ckc.ca) to view the Junior Handling rules and regulations as well as the history of the National Competition as it makes for very interesting reading. For now please know that Canada has been divided into zones by the CKC and the top handlers from each zone represent their zone at the nationals. From all the handlers competing four handlers will be awarded placements. Wonderful prizes, including an educational bursary are provided. One of the most sought after awards for winning this prestigious event is the opportunity to represent Canada at the world renowned Crufts Junior Handling Competition in England.

The winner of the 2023 CKC National Junior Handling Championship is **Laurence Giguère**. The following is Laurence's description of the event and the road to the championship.



# Laurence Giguère - Winner of the 2023 Canadian National Junior Handling Competition



My name is Laurence Giguère and I am 18 years old. Everything started when I was 7 years old my parents were showing their Newfoundland and I was following them to Dog Shows.



One day I saw a junior handling competition and asked my mom if I could also participate. Since that day I totally fell in love with the sport and started working for many different professional handlers across the country. I also became a breeder/owner/handler of Clumber Spaniels with my mom, and we currently have four litters.

Now that I am 18 years old, I show my own dogs and continue to work for handlers as I believe that learning from others is a key element in this sport. I had the honor to win a best in show, multiple best puppies to Best Puppy in Show, Best Baby Puppy in Show, Best Altered in Show as well as to many Group placements.

The junior handling competition is based on the handler's skills. It is open to children aged from 4 to 18 years old. The first step is to participate in a junior handling competition held at regular conformation shows or specialties that offer the junior handling competition. And juniors must participate in at least 3 competitions to be eligible to participate at zone level finals. Zone finals are held in the fourteen different CKC zones based on where you live and a winner is determined from each of them. The fourteen winners are invited to participate at the junior handling national held in one of the fourteen zones.

The winner of the CKC junior handling national will then be invited to participate at the prestigious Crufts show in the United Kingdom. Crufts is the most prestigious junior handling competition where the best of each country will compete for the title of Best Junior Handler in the World. I am so excited for this opportunity.

# The 2023 Junior Handling Zone Conformation Finalists



Zone 1A	Newfoundland	Alexis Barett
Zone 1B	Nova Scotia	Keyla-Anne West
Zone 2	New Brunswick & PEI	Madison Leblanc
Zone 3	Quebec	Laurence Giguere
Zone 4A	Ontario North (East)	Hailee Lavigueur
Zone 4B	Ontario North (West)	Payton Smith Silvestri
Zone 5	Ontario East	Mia Gandera
Zone 6	Ontario West	Abbey Mahn
Zone 7	Ontario Central	Avery Rose Miller
Zone 8	Manitoba	Skylar Sinnock
Zone 9	Saskatchewan	Brooke Fitzpatrick
Zone 10	Alberta, NWT & Nunavut	Jamie Leeder
Zone 11	British Columbia Southwest	Panagiota Rounis
Zone 12	British Columbia South Interior & Yukon	Tayanna Meier



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# TIKO Social

## Bragging Rights:



Submitted by Maria Poppa:

Rya (AmCh) (RHILL'S RIDE THE ICONIC WAVE MS) started showing in Canada this summer and she got 6 points so far (2 of them at TIKO, first 4 at KARS). I'm hoping to finish her this fall and then start doing what we love most, which is ratting

Lori (CanCh) (STARLING'S LADY IN RED) continued to do really well in ratting. This summer she advanced in Barn ratting from Novice to Advanced; and in Brush hunting from Advanced to Master.

## Classifieds:



Submitted by Marnie Layng

I have several crates plastic, wire and soft sided, 1 wire 2' x 3' whelping pen, 1 wire 4' x 4' whelping pen, various sized x-pens, to sell. If interested please email me at [mLAYNG@bell.net](mailto:mLAYNG@bell.net), or private message me on FB.

## Member Health Update

If you know of a member who could use some good wishes or cheering up, please let us know. Please advise our friendship chair Michelle Greeley at [crosstickle@gmail.com](mailto:crosstickle@gmail.com), so that she can get in touch with that person, or send them a card.

## Stork Room:



Let others know about your new litter!



# TIKO's Archives

by Michelle Greeley

One of our founding members Jack Bernhardt has spent tireless hours collecting and sharing information about our club since its' beginning in 1966!

TIKO got started when a group of dog enthusiasts wanted to share their love of Dogs. Jack has graciously shared those archives with me and I am happy to share with you in our new "TIKO's Archives" column!

I will be going through the boxes. There are many! Finding photos articles to share. Marnie has kindly agreed to give us space in the newsletter.

If you see something that brings back a memory and you would like to share that memory, please do contact me. I would love to chat with you!

Just e mail me at [crosstickle@gmail.com](mailto:crosstickle@gmail.com). I do have a phone but like many of you spend most of my days chasing dogs.

To see more about TIKO's History, please visit our website:

<https://tikodogclub.com/tiko-history>

Looking forward to hearing from you!

*Michelle*





# DOG SHOW

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SUNDAY NOV. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1968

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## ***TIKO helps animal shelter***

The Leeds-Grenville Humane Society received a \$1,000 donation from the Thousand Islands Kennel and Obedience Club Organization to help fund improvements at the Centennial Road shelter. Pictured from left to right are fund-raising chairman Dennis Rose, TIKO treasurer Joyce Bernhardt, Humane Society treasurer Doug Irvine and TIKO president Cedric Tahiani.



# Getting To Know You “TIKO Members”

1	Member' Name:	Yves Prévost
2	How long have you been a member of TIKO?	One month
3	How long have you participated in the Purebred Dog World?	Since 2010
4	Which breeds do you currently have?	Wire-haired Vizsla and English Springer Spaniel
5	Are you a dog breeder? And if so for how long?	I am not breeding
6	Which breeds have you owned and/or bred?	We owned a Smooth Vizsla
7	What is your kennel name?	Not applicable
8	Which one of your dogs is your all-time favourite and why?	Haha They all are.
9	What win in conformation are you most proud of to date. And with which dog.	Our Wire-haired Vizsla just earned a 2 point major at TIKO dog show in August 2023
10	What win in performance events are you most proud of to date. And with which dog (call & registered name, breed).	Earning Field Dog title with our Smooth Vizsla, “Archer”, OnPoint' Running Up a Fuss.
11	In which canine events do you compete?	Field Dog, Rally Obedience, Obedience, Scent dog, Agility

## Getting To Know You “TIKO Members”

12	How has the pandemic affected you and your dogs?	Not much except the dogs were isolated from others. But now everything is back and the dogs are themselves again.
13	Have you attended any shows / trials / training sessions in the last year or so? If you have, what was that experience like?	Yes the last two since it started up again. Lots of fun to have a dog show with performance events not being in southern Ontario. Well organized, easy to attend, lots of space for the dogs and setting up and of course earning legs towards various titles.
14	What is the funniest memory you have of being at a trial or dog show	When I asked Archer to come to me in an Obedience ring and he headed straight past me to someone on the outside with another vizsla he wanted to play with. Needless to say that was the end of that leg.
15	Is there anything you would like your fellow members to know about you?	If the dogs are not invited neither am I.



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DESSA ENJOYED HER WEEKEND VACATION  
IN CANADA AND VISITING WITH HER  
FRIENDS AND FAMILY DURING THE  
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CLUB SHOWS & SCC FIRST REGIONAL  
SPECIALTY HELD IN BROCKVILLE, ON  
AUGUST 19, 2023.

AT 8 YEARS YOUNG DESSA SHOWED HER  
TRUE ROYAL SELF ON SATURDAY BY  
WINNING A GROUP 2ND UNDER JUDGE  
JUDY McVEIGH FROM ALBERTA.

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Here's some fun to welcome Fall

# TIKO FUNNY BONE



How are a dog and a marine biologist alike?  
One wags a tail and the other tags a whale.



For my friends whose way of speaking brings NYC to mind:  
**What does my dog and my phone have in common?**  
They both have collar I.D.



For my friends with "deep thoughts":  
I'm a dog trainer. Before I met with a new client,  
I had her fill out a questionnaire.  
One question asked,  
"Why did you choose this breed?".  
My client responded,  
"I often ask myself this very same question."

We all know how very adept dogs are as watch dogs,  
so this one is for future puppy names:  
**What did the man name his two watch dogs?**  
Rolex and Timex



And lastly, to embrace the season:  
**I dressed my dog up as a cat for Halloween.**  
Now he won't come when I call him!

HAPPY HALLOWEEN\*\*\*HAPPY HALLOWEEN\*\*\*HAPPY HALLOWEEN  
REMEMBER NO CHOCOLATE FOR DOGS!!!!

**It's Coming!!!!**



## **Make sure you are ready!**

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