## Working Dog - Competition

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Championship and Grand Championship quickly. His favorite things to do are swimming and herding. I bred Luk and since day one, he is never far from my side. I love this boy more than words can say.

#### GRCH CH Reverie's Gold Treasure CD BN RN SWE SIM SEM OA NAJ NFTXA RATO DCAT CGC HIC WD-C

Owner Gail O'Neil Breeder: Jill Miller



Sienna is my 7th Belgian Sheepdog and my 4th from Breeder and friend, Jill Miller. She is a true example of an "all around versatile" Belgian. She LOVES to do anything including Agility, Obedience, Nosework/Scentwork, Barn Hunt, Herding, Fast Cat, Conformation. She is exceptional in nosework/scentwork working at the higher levels in both AKC and NACSW.Of course, she is also the cherished companion of me and my husband, Tim. She is very protective of her turf and of us. She is a happy, tail wagging girl. She loves her walks with us, plays frisbee and chuck-it ball, chasing squirrels and bunnies when she

can. Then nothing is better than coming home, snuggling in bed with us.

### CH MACH Image's Calling Dibs On Starburst RN FDC MXS MJS MXF TQX T2B2 ACT1 SWN SCA SIA CGCA CGCU TKI AgHof WD-C

Owner-Linda Brady Breeder-Renee Croft



What can I say that I have not already said? I just love this dog and his big heart. Whether it's running him in agility, running around the conformation ring, pulling my shopping cart, sharing the couch with him or taking him to comfort the kids that were traumatized by the horrible Oxford High School shooting...he takes it all in stride and gives his all. Just what a Belgian should do and why I love the breed so much.They do it all. Willingly, happily & sometimes with a sense of humor!

Can't wait to see what the future holds for his kids!

#### Ch Windmar's Halo on Fire JHD PT HSAs AX OAJ AJP BCat WD-C

Owners: Susan Spinhirne and Barbara Swisher Br

Breeder: Joan Michaud



Halo sometimes lives up to her name, but not always! She is by far the most affectionate dog I have even owned. She is always on my lap, leaning against my leg or pawing me for attention. She is a fun dog to train but instead of loving obedience, she is trained through utility, Halo loves herding more than anything. She is gentle and kind with her sheep, and usually calm. We are now working with ducks and she finding their quacking and flapping lots of fun. Bon-

nie Leonard did a great job training and titling Halo on sheep and we hope to still have fun with this. Fastcat is a bonus and she only needs about 50 points for her DCat. Halo is my happy training partner and couch potato. Everything else is frosting.

#### *Epic's Deux Too HSAs AX OAJ ACT2 CA WD-H O*wner/Breeder: Viola Dyer



I love this photo of Ditto as it is so her, always ready to play, up for any game, any time. And I see so much of her mother, grandmother and the generations that came before. I can never help but smile and give a word of thanks for all that she and they have brought to my life and so freely given

## <u> Working Dog - Herding</u>

*Reverie's Golden Heir to Rolin Ridge PT HSAs HSCs HXCs ACT2 CGC TKI WD-H* Owner: Annette Sullivan Breeder: Jill Miller



Royal was born to run. He loves both agility and herding, but we worked harder on the one Mom loves best. I've heard for 30 years, you cannot train multiple herding courses with the same dog at the same time. A very long time ago Charlie Goddard did it, and if Charlie could do it, that meant it could be done. It takes the right dog, good communication and an awesome training team. In one Season, Royal and I started with no Herding titles to Completing his Advanced C-Course title and his Started A-Course title. We find enjoyment hanging with friends and sheep, win or lose we it never gets old. GCH CH Blue Lake's Night Sky Luk PT PCD BN RN HSDs HIAs HSAsM FDC SWA CGC Owner: Kathay & Les Lovell



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#### Reverie's Gold Verbena HSDs HIDs HSAsM CGC WD-H

Owners: Jill Miller and Melinda Galt



Veena was my pick from my Nona's 2017 litter. As she matured it became clear that she needed more than I could provide, plus her penchant for flying over fences was a major problem. A partnership with Melinda Galt was formed and she is now a fulltime working farm dog and competes in multiple trial venues and disciplines. Melinda says: Choosing a farm dog is always a collection of choices to balance the needs of the farm and having an all-around dog. Veena was what I was looking for. She can work both large flocks and singles, small pens and open fields. Her talent doesn't falter whether

we are trialing or stock handling. She is currently my primary stock dog and working partner. She has presence and 'grit' and the stock does not argue with her. She is a UKC Ch with a RBIS and a Total Dog Award, an IABCA Int'l Ch, and recently earned several Qs in NADAC agility.

## Working Dog Excellent - Competition

Rainbow's End Tribute to Valor CDX PCDX BN GN GO VER RM2 RAE2 FDC NAP NJP NFP ACT2 SWE SINE SCM SIM SBM CGC TKP WDX-C

Owners-Janine & Marty Fiorito Breeder - Debby Lasseter



Soldier is our first Belgian Sheepdog and made us fall in love with the breed! He's a big boy and you would think that his looks and size would intimidate most people, but there is something about Soldier that makes people want to come over to pet and love on him. He has an amazing fullface grin and smiling face especially when he has done something really good. We got Soldier at almost 2 yrs old and his 4<sup>th</sup> home. He was an active teenager that really needed a job to keep him "busy". We were up for the challenge. Soldier amazed us with his intelligence and how much he loved to work. He has earned multiple titles including obedience, rally and agility but his favorite sport is scent work. We want

to thank Laura Gilbert who owns Soldier's Dad, Solomon, for supporting all of our efforts.

#### GCHB MACH RACH Unwritten Legacy du Chemin des Sorcieres CD RM3 RAE2 MXS MJG CGC AgHof RHof WDX-C

Owners: Zindell & Mary Stephens Breeder:

Zin and I have been busy with Usher this past year. I was able to finish his Grand Champion Bronze with limited showing. He received his Rally RACH during the summer and received the Triple High Scoring win at the 2021 BSCA National. He also received his Agility MACH



this past year and won High Combined and High In Trial at the 2021 BSCA National. He also qualifed for both the AKC Rally National and the AKC Agility Invitational and Agility National. He is a "do all" kind of dog!!! We are so fortunate to have this fun loving boy in our household

*GCHB RACH Sandevel's Spotlight On Me CD RM4 RAE2 HSAs RATCH CGC WDX-C* Owner: Lesley Newman



Grand Champion, Rally Champion, Barn Hunt Champion, champion of my heart. Emmy is the most incredible partner. She lives life to the maximum. She is earned more high in trials than I can count in 3 venues herding, Rally and Barn Hunt. She is game for every thing as long as we do it together. Words cannot express how proud I am of this girl and how truly fortunate I am to have her as my partner.

## <u>Owner Handled Hall of Fame</u>

*GCHS CH Sarron Simply Complicated CD RN CGC OHHof* Owner/Breeder: Sherri Swabb



Jackson was a wonderful dog who completed the requirements for his OH Show Dog Hall of Fame in 2014. He began competing in OH competition in Aug 2012 - and took OH BIS on his first outing! He competed in the Inaugural National Owner Handler Invitational event in Orlando in Dec 2013 and took OH HERDING GROUP 1!!! It was a thrill to win that group. Jackson had several other OH/R BIS wins, but was primarily consistent in placing in the OH Herding Groups, just as he did in regular Herding Groups. I am very proud to have bred, owned and handled this boy.

#### GCHB CH Sarron International Success CD BN RA FDC BCAT CGC OHHof

Nov 2, 2014 - Dec 11, 2019 Owner/Breeder: Sherri Swabb



Thunder was a wonderful dog who completed the requirements for his OH Show Dog Hall of Fame in 2018. Thunder earned 9 OHBIS, 3 OHRBIS, 23 OH Herding Group 1's, 10 OH Herding Group 2's, 2 OH Herding Group 3's and 2 OH Herding Group 4's. He was an exceptional show dog with a fabulous temperament to match. I consider myself very lucky to have bred, owned and handled this dog. He was my heart dog.

#### *GRCHS Spitfire's Naught Nightie CGCA CGCU TT FDC FMD JMD RN OHHof* Owner: Christine Staten Breeder: Anita Meeks



Known with love by all... SECRETS was never meant to be a Show Dog. When I got her, I wanted to do Rally and have an outside painting partner. Her breeder said "give her a try, she is my favorite of this litter". I like dog shows but nothing like Secrets! She loves to show. The last seven years have been a whirlwind of ribbons. Secrets has been in the top ten 5 years, being #1 two years. With the exception of this year where she finished as finished #11 only doing only 5 shows in her retirement year. She is currently #1 LIFETIME NOHS BELGIAN SHEEPDOG.

## <u>Herding Hall of Fame</u>

*Reverie's Golden Heir to Rolin Ridge PT HSAs HSCs HXCs ACT 2 CGC TKI HHof* Owner: Annette Sullivan Breeder: Jill Miller



Royal comes from lineage of dogs that love to herd. At first we tried A-Course, but all Royal's crazy running scared the sheep half to death. I didn't want so squash his desire, so I moved him to C-course in hopes that he would run his little heart out and slow down to a controllable pace. Royal and I together learned that there was another pace other than "extra fast". We learned to enjoy the slow treck thru the farm and work as a team to get our sheep down the roads thru the grazes, safely

passed traffic, over the bridge and back to the pen. When the sheep see us coming, they know there will be no shenanigans this day.

## **<u>Rally Hall of Fame</u>** Uniquity's CR Flaunted Freedom CD BM NAP MJP BCAT CGC TKN RHof



Owners: Coleen Scott & Jordan Philpott Breeder: Jordan Philpott

Phoenix was born in Canada, bred by Jordan Philpott. I had never had a well bred dog, a Belgian, or shown outside of a small town before, but Jordan gave me a shot anyways and trusted me with a co-ownership. Rally was our first step and we were immediately hooked! This boy has a happy sparkle in the ring that created my addiction to the dog sport passion! Currently we have titled in or are training in Rally, Obedience, Agility, Conformation, FastCAT, tricks,

Tracking, Scent Work, and Barn Hunt. Outside of the ring he has been an incredible demo dog for classes and at fairs, walking kids through Peewee Handling, and being the best family dog, running and hiking buddy I could ever ask for. Basically if I want to do it, this boy is right by my side in for whatever!

# CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE AWARD WINNERS

Reminder that the deadline next year is Feb 1 2023 for submitting forms for Merit Award and New Titles earned in 2022

