



# UNITED WHITE SHEPHERD CLUB



## White Shepherds in the news!

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UWSC 2007  
Photo Contest Winner  
Easter



Entries & Winner's Photos  
inside this issue

HAPPY  
EASTER

"Best" Category  
Galahads Girl Mia

Photo Submitted by: Patty Plucker of Galahad Shepherds

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## NOTES FROM THE EDITOR

Hi Everyone,

**HAPPY EASTER!!!! :0)**

Spring is in the air!! The sun is shining, the birds are singing and it's time again for the busy show season! The UKC Premier & our UWSC Specialty is just around the corner! This year promises to be a wonderful time for all who are able to attend. Don't forget our annual meeting and BBQ will be held at Premier. We have some really nice prizes to be won at this year's specialty, check them out on page 15 in this issue. For those of you who have never had the chance to come to Premier, I hope you can make it this year. It's an experience you'll never forget. Come join the fun!!

I have been making some changes to the newsletter, please forgive me if I have listed a couple of shows twice in the last couple issues. I have now gone to getting the UKC show results from the Bloodlines Magazine. I know this takes a bit longer to get the results in the newsletter, but this way I'm sure all the shows get listed and all the dogs get the credit due due to them. If you would like your dogs picture in the show results, please send them to me along with the show date, show place & the dogs registered name. I will be sure the picture gets with the correct shows.

I would like to congratulate all the contest winner's of the WS Easter Photo Contest! I would also like to thank all those who sent in all the wonderful entries! I know the Judge had a really hard time, with so many wonderful Easter photos to choose from!!!

*We had a few of WS birthdays in this issue, Happy Birthday to all of you!!!*

*Please everyone... remember to send in new titles, WS Birthdays, New Arrivals, WS blogs ecc... and don't forget your photos! Thanks for supporting your UWSC Newsletter!!*

*Your newsletter editor,*

*Scarlett*



**Happy Easter!!**





Dear Members,

Spring has sprung! What does this mean? More dog shows and performance events to attend but, more importantly, a time to gather again with old friends and new. I encourage all of our members to attend events with their dogs, even if you don't enter. It's so much fun to meet other White Shepherd owners and their dogs. It's also a darn good excuse to get out and do something special with your White Shepherd!

Elections: Mandy Phillips and Miranda Reeves have volunteered to serve on the 2007 Election Committee and are actively seeking candidates for both the President and Treasurer positions. If you are interested in these offices, please contact them proactively.

Treasury: As many of you know, our Treasurer has stepped down. Kurt has performed a great job ever since he assumed this roll when our club was in a pinch a couple of years ago. He was successful in setting up an online club bank account, making it easy to handle financial transactions. I commend him and thank him for his efforts to date. As most of us know, it is not easy to balance a full-time job, family, and canines as well as volunteering time for club related activities! :)) Therefore, going forward, please temporarily submit membership renewals, expense reimbursements, etc., to me directly for processing until we can fill this position.

White Shepherd Specialty Show: Miranda Reeves has processed the required show application for the White Shepherd Specialty show that will be held on the Thursday prior to the UKC Premier weekend at the Kalamazoo Fairgrounds. The Best of Breed prize is a beautiful hand painted and framed White Shepherd picture. Please plan to attend!

Yours for the White Shepherd,

Diana L. Updike (Dzis)  
President





# UWSC CLUB HAPPENINGS

~ Perry, GA. ~

**Middle Georgia Kennel Club**

**Sept. 30 - Oct. 1, 2006**

**Sept.30, 06**

**Show 1 - 6 entries - Judge: Ronald Sacca**

**JM, BM,BOW - CH Starr Surefire Superhero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**FP, BF - CH Vschrader Blue Sky Ahead of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**CH, BOB, Grp.1 - CH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - CH Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owner: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**Sept.30, 06**

**Show 2 - 6 entries - Judge: Myrna Shibolet**

**JM, BM,BOW - CH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**FP, BF - CH Vschrader Blue Sky Ahead of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**CH, BOB, Grp.2 - CH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - CH Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owner: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**Oct. 1, 06**

**Show 1 - 7 entries - Judge: Patrick O'Donnell**

**JM, BM,BOW - CH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**FP, BF - CH Vschrader Blue Sky Ahead of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**CH, BOB, Grp.3 - CH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - CH Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owner: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**



**CH, BOB, G2 - CH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

*Dogs are not our whole life, but they make our lives whole.- Roger Caras*

~ Perry, GA. ~

**United White Shepherd Club**

**Oct. 1, 2006**

**Oct. 1, 06**

**Show 1 - 7 entries - Judge: Eleanor H. Main**

**JM, BM - CH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**FP, BF, BOW - CH Vschrader Blue Sky Ahead of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**CH, BOB - CH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - CH Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owner: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**Non-Licensed Class - Altered**

**AF, BA - CH Reeves Royal Veruca Salt**

**Owner: Susan Morabit**



**CH, BOB - CH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

~ Dunlap, IL. ~

**Illinois Toy Fox Terrier Association**

**Oct. 7, 2006**

**Oct. 7, 06**

**Show 1 - 6 entries - Judge: Debra A. Mitchell**

**MP, BM - Shewana's Logan V Windy Hill**

**Owners: Wilma Johnson**

**CH - CH Von Schrader's Skylar Blue**

**Owners: Brenda Schrader & Mona Persson**

**RCH - CH Starr Hallmark Hemi Supercharger**

**Owners: Mona Persson**

**GRCH, BOB, Grp.4 - GRCH Royal Accelerator of Hallmark**

**Owners: Mona Persson**

**Oct. 7, 06**

**Show 2 - 6 entries - Judge: Sandra Saucedo**

**MP, BM - Shewana's Logan V Windy Hill**

**Owners: Wilma Johnson**

**CH - CH Von Schrader's Skylar Blue**

**Owners: Brenda Schrader & Mona Persson**

**RCH - CH Starr Hallmark Hemi Supercharger**

**Owners: Mona Persson**

**GRCH, BOB, Grp.3 - GRCH Shewana's Wyl "E" Kyloyote**

**Owners: Brenda Schrader**

**You can say any foolish thing to a dog, and the dog will give you a look that says, 'Wow, you're right! I never would've thought of that!' - Dave Barry**

~Dunlap, IL. ~

**Illinois Toy Fox Terrier Association**

**Oct. 8, 2006**

<p><b><u>Oct. 8, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 1 - 6 entries - Judge: Marsha Shively</b>  <b>MP, BM</b> - Shewana's Logan V Windy Hill  <b>Owners:</b> Wilma Johnson  <b>CH</b> - CH Von Schrader's Skylar Blue  <b>Owners:</b> Brenda Schrader &amp; Mona Persson  <b>RCH</b> - CH Starr Hallmark Hemi Supercharger  <b>Owners:</b> Mona Persson  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.2</b> - GRCH Shewana's Wyl "E" Kyloyote  <b>Owners:</b> Brenda Schrader</p>	<p><b><u>Oct. 8, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 2 - 6 entries - Judge: Patricia H. Young</b>  <b>MP, BM</b> - Shewana's Logan V Windy Hill  <b>Owners:</b> Wilma Johnson  <b>CH</b> - CH Von Schrader's Skylar Blue  <b>Owners:</b> Brenda Schrader &amp; Mona Persson  <b>RCH</b> - CH Starr Hallmark Hemi Supercharger  <b>Owners:</b> Mona Persson  <b>GRCH, BOB</b> - GRCH Shewana's Wyl "E" Kyloyote  <b>Owners:</b> Brenda Schrader</p>
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~Elburn, IL. ~

**Kay-9 Petiquette**

**Oct. 14, 2006**

<p><b><u>Oct. 8, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 1 - 1 entries - Judge: Carlos J. Rodriguez</b>  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.3</b> - GRCH Shylo's Galaxy Star  <b>Owners:</b> Arleen Ravanelli</p>	<p><b><u>Oct. 8, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 2 - 1 entries - Judge: Jeanne R. Heger</b>  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.1</b> - GRCH Shylo's Galaxy Star  <b>Owners:</b> Arleen Ravanelli</p>
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~Bridgeton, NJ. ~

**Garden State Kennel Club**

**Sept. 30, 2006**

<p><b><u>Sept. 30, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 1 - 6 entries - Judge: Michele Wachob</b>  <b>JM, BM</b> - CH Hollybrook's Wandering Spirit  <b>Owners:</b> Fredda Bruzel &amp; Avis May  <b>AF, BF, BOW</b> - CH Royal Zipay Jumping for Joy  <b>Owners:</b> Denise Mencke &amp; Jean Reeves  <b>CH, BOB</b> - CH Hollybrook's Little Bit Acharm  <b>Owners:</b> Nancy De Garmo  <b>RCH</b> - CH Vantasias Excellent Adventure  <b>Owner:</b> Denise Mencke &amp; Jean Reeves  <b>RBM</b> - Regalwise Amberjack of the Arctic  <b>Owners:</b> Arnie Krauss &amp; Cheryl Krauss</p>	<p><b><u>Sept. 30, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 2 - 6 entries - Judge: Kimberly Himes</b>  <b>JM, BM</b> - CH Hollybrook's Wandering Spirit  <b>Owners:</b> Fredda Bruzel &amp; Avis May  <b>AF, BF, BOW</b> - CH Royal Zipay Jumping for Joy  <b>Owners:</b> Denise Mencke &amp; Jean Reeves  <b>CH, BOB, Grp.1</b> - CH Hollybrook's Little Bit Acharm  <b>Owners:</b> Nancy De Garmo  <b>RCH</b> - CH Vantasias Excellent Adventure  <b>Owner:</b> Denise Mencke &amp; Jean Reeves  <b>RBM</b> - Regalwise Amberjack of the Arctic  <b>Owners:</b> Arnie Krauss &amp; Cheryl Krauss</p>
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~Bridgeton, NJ. ~  
**Garden State Kennel Club**  
**Oct. 1, 2006**

<p><b>Oct. 1, 06</b>  <b>Show 1 - 6 entries - Judge: Avril Black</b>  <b>JM, BM</b> - Regalwise Amberjack of the Arctic  <b>Owners:</b> Arnie Krauss &amp; Cheryl Krauss  <b>AF, BF, BOW, BOB, Grp.2</b> - CH Royal Zipay          Jumping for Joy  <b>Owners:</b> Denise Mencke &amp; Jean Reeves  <b>CH</b> - CH Vantasias Excellent Adventure  <b>Owners:</b> Denise Mencke &amp; Jean Reeves  <b>RCH</b> - CH Hollybrook's Little Bit Acharm  <b>Owner:</b> Nancy De Garmo  <b>RBM</b> - CH Hollybrook's Wandering Spirit  <b>Owners:</b> Fredda Bruzel &amp; Avis May</p>	<p align="center"><b>Coming Soon!</b></p>  <p align="center"><b>June 14 - 17, 2007</b></p>
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~St. Helens, OR. ~

**American Eskimo Dog Association**  
**Sept. 23, 2006**

<p><b>Sept. 23, 06</b>  <b>Show 1 - 1 entries - Judge: Judy Jones</b>  <b>JM, BM, BOB, Grp.2</b> - Einzig Spirit V Knighten          Haus  <b>Owners:</b> Cathy &amp; Scott Norlin</p>	<p><b>Sept. 23, 06</b>  <b>Show 2 - 1 entries - Judge: Deborah Orwin</b>  <b>JM, BM, BOB, Grp.2</b> - Einzig Spirit V Knighten          Haus  <b>Owners:</b> Cathy &amp; Scott Norlin</p>
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~Denton, TX. ~

**North Texas American Pit Bull Terrier Club**  
**Oct. 8, 2006**

<p><b>Oct. 8, 06</b>  <b>Show 1 - 4 entries - Judge: Sonia Yearwood</b>  <b>SM, BM, BOW, BOB</b> - Regalwise Roy Rogers V          Juel  <b>Owner:</b> Ronda Beaupre  <b>AM, RBM</b> - CH Regalwise Reprise V Juel  <b>Owner:</b> Ronda Beaupre  <b>AF, RBF</b> - CH Regalwise Renegade Goldfield  <b>Owner:</b> Ronda Beaupre  <b>BHF, BF</b> - Regalwise Tetris  <b>Owner:</b> Ronda Beaupre</p>	<p><b>Oct. 8, 06</b>  <b>Show 2 - 4 entries - Judge: Dr. Fred C. Bock</b>  <b>SM, RBM</b> - Regalwise Roy Rogers V Juel  <b>Owner:</b> Ronda Beaupre  <b>AM, BM</b> - CH Regalwise Reprise V Juel  <b>Owner:</b> Ronda Beaupre  <b>JF, RBF</b> - Galahads Full of Grace  <b>Owner:</b> Christina Eggenberger  <b>BHF, BF, BOW, BOB, Grp.4</b> - Regalwise Tetris  <b>Owner:</b> Ronda Beaupre</p>
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~Wimauma, FL. ~

**Florida English Shepherd Kennel Club**

**Nov. 4-5, 2006**

**Nov. 4, 06**

**Show 1 - 5 entries - Judge: Francis Geiger**

**CH - GRCH Vschrader Blue Sky Ahead of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - GRCH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**GRCH, BOB - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**Nov. 5, 06**

**Show 1 - 6 entries - Judge: Nancy Fishinger**

**CH - GRCH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owners: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH, BOB - GRCH Proud Tobe Livin' in Holiday**

**Owners: Joann Heda & Jen Proud**

**Nov. 4, 06**

**Show 2 - 5 entries - Judge: Theresa Werder**

**CH - GRCH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owners: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH, BOB - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**



*Spring is in the air!!*

~Lakeland, FL. ~

**Sunshine Terrier Club**

**Oct. 28-29, 2006**

**Oct. 28, 06**

**Show 1 - 5 entries - Judge: Renee O'Donnell**

**JM, BM - GRCH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**CH, BOB, Grp.1 - CH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - CH Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owner: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**Oct. 28, 06**

**Show 2 - 5 entries - Judge: Christopher Kelley**

**CH- GRCH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**RCH - CH Zac's Diamond in the Ruff**

**Owner: Scarlett Sanders**

**GRCH, BOB, Grp.1 - GRCH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS**

**Owners: Scarlett & Tim Sanders**

**Go White Dogs!!!**



~Lakeland, FL. ~  
**Sunshine Terrier Club**  
**Oct. 28-29, 2006**

<p><b><u>Oct. 29, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 1 - 5 entries - Judge: Christopher Kelley</b>  <b>CH-</b> GRCH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS  <b>Owners:</b> Scarlett &amp; Tim Sanders  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.1</b> - GRCH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz of FS  <b>Owners:</b> Scarlett &amp; Tim Sanders</p>	<p><b><u>Oct. 29, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 2 - 6 entries - Judge: June Pasko</b>  <b>CH-</b> GRCH Starr Surefire SuperHero of FS  <b>Owners:</b> Scarlett &amp; Tim Sanders  <b>RCH</b> - GRCH Vschrader Blue Sky Ahead of FS  <b>Owners:</b> Scarlett &amp; Tim Sanders  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.1</b> - GRCH Proud's Winslow N' Easy of FS  <b>Owners:</b> Scarlett &amp; Tim Sanders</p>
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~Laporte, IN. ~  
**Trail Creek Dog Training Club, Inc.**  
**Nov. 4-5, 2006**

<p><b><u>Nov. 4, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 1 - 4 entries - Judge: Tina Augustine</b>  <b>CH</b> - CH Royal Day of Desire  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves  <b>RCH</b> - CH Shewana's Wild Wild West  <b>Owner:</b> Jean Reeves, Margaret Stafford, C. Price  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.1</b> - GRCH Royal Day of Providence  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves</p>	<p><b><u>Nov. 4, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 2 - 4 entries - Judge: Karen Webber</b>  <b>CH</b> - CH Shewana's Wild Wild West  <b>Owner:</b> Jean Reeves, Margaret Stafford, C. Price  <b>RCH</b> - CH Royal Day of Desire  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.1</b> - GRCH Royal Day of Providence  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves</p>
<p><b><u>Nov. 5, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 1 - 4 entries - Judge: Marsha L. Shively</b>  <b>CH</b> - CH Shewana's Wild Wild West  <b>Owner:</b> Jean Reeves, Margaret Stafford, C. Price  <b>RCH</b> - CH Royal Day of Desire  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.3</b> - GRCH Royal Day of Providence  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves</p>	<p><b><u>Nov. 5, 06</u></b>  <b>Show 2 - 4 entries - Judge: Pamela A. Moore</b>  <b>CH</b> - CH Royal Day of Desire  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves  <b>RCH</b> - CH Shewana's Wild Wild West  <b>Owner:</b> Jean Reeves, Margaret Stafford, C. Price  <b>GRCH, BOB, Grp.1</b> - GRCH Royal Day of Providence  <b>Owners:</b> Jean Reeves</p>



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# Starr Shepherds Presents

UKC CH Tumbledowns Limelight  
OFA h/e, PennHIP



UKC CH Starr's Need A Miracle  
V Surefire PennHIP



*Ruff X Justy  
Litter*

**Born 1/05/2007 – 6 boys and 4 girls!!  
All Gorgeous long-coats**



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# Starr Shepherds Presents

Surefire Cayden v Zentopia  
OFA Good h/e



UKC GRCH/IABCA CH Surefire  
Sugar Magnolia v Starr OFA  
Good h/e, PennHIP



*Cayden X Sugar Litter*

**Born 2/18/2007 – 7 girls & 1boy!!**



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[www.starrshepherds.com](http://www.starrshepherds.com)**



# New UKC Titles & Certificates



**New Grand Champion!**  
**GRCH Vschrader Blue Sky Ahead of FS**  
Owned by: Scarlett & Tim Sanders  
Breeder: Brenda Schrader



**New Champion!**  
**CH Jamrs Roederer Cristal Rose of FS**  
Owned by: Scarlett & Tim Sanders  
Breeder: Dr. Dave & Tammy Kalinowski

## White Shepherd Birthdays



**Happy 5th Birthday to Zehra !**  
Feb. 24, 2002



**Happy 11th Birthday to Sassy!**  
Feb. 6, 1996

# White Shepherd Birthdays



UKC/CH Jamrs Roederer Cristal Rose of FS

Happy 2nd Birthday to Cristal!  
Jan. 21, 2005



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newsletter!!*



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Proud Jack B Nimble CD RN HC

"Bill"  
6/15/01 - 2/17/07

*It is with a broken heart that we pay tribute and say good bye to  
our Dad.*

*Your life was cut short, but your legacy continues.*

*Love,*

*Lexi, Hagar, Daphne, and Elsie*

# Have you heard of the UKC Herding Program?

**In June 2004 a small group formed a UKC HERDING yahoo list  
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ukcherding/>**

**The group was formed and began revising a herding program that earlier had been written, the list has grown to over 200 and the revisions to the program have been completed and submitted to the United Kennel Club, Inc. for approval**



**To learn more about UKC Programs & Events go to:  
<http://www.ukcdogs.com>**

Photo compliments of Becky Joyce & her wonderful WS Luna

# UWSC WELCOMES OUR NEW MEMBERS



Robin & Halo - 9 weeks old

Hi My name is Robin Davey from Connecticut... I owned a mix Shepherd/Lab for about ten years before she went to Heaven... April May was her name... Best dog ever... After April, my husband Bought a White Shepherd Pup that we named, "Kelly"... Kelly was just about 12 weeks old when she came into our lives... Kelly came into our lives in 1995! Now Kelly was 10 years YOUNG and I wanted another White German Shepherd.... Now Divorced and on my own I wanted to bring another dog into my home and knew Kelly would be okay with a pup so I looked online and left messages here and there that I was looking for a pup... Several people led me to Diana Dzis (Updike)...I emailed Diana on January 11, 2006... She sent me a Von Tasz info Request... Two days later Pebbles had her pups... I didn't know at that time that both girl pups had a home... But soon found out that I could get a Girl if I still wanted her.... Yes! Hurray! March 19th 2006 Diana shipped Halo to me at a tender age of nine weeks... She did fabulous and it was kind of funny cause when she came out of the crate and saw My Kelly.. Halo was like Mom! I didn't see you on the Airplane! They bonded quickly... Kelly took care of Halo from the get go... Grandma Kelly.... Other than my dogs I have four cats living with me Spice, Jax, Trixie, and Ace and some assorted guppy fish and Molly fish too... The Mollies have had a few babies... So cool..... I also have a horse! Not living on my property but about half an hour away from me.... His name is Poco with the long O sound... He is a Tri Color Paint horse just turning 10 this year.. Wow time flies.... I bought him in 2001... Oh, My job is a Dog Groomer! I get kissed everyday! Dog kisses are better than any Guy could ever do! lol..... I love my Job... Other than taking good care of my animals my passion is to take Pictures! Pictures of My friends, their horses, dogs and of course My Girls... Kelly and My Halo.....

Robin

Happy Trails and Tails.....



## **Oh Please Can I Have Some?!**



How many of you have had this happen. You sit down to dinner with you family and just as you all start to enjoy the wonderful meal whining starts, or barking, or even better you feel a paw scratching at your leg. When you look down it is into the soulful eyes of your beloved dog. They are working it big time with those puppy dog eyes trying to convey how starving they are. And I just bet you or your children give in at some point. Hard to resist isn't it? I have done it. I have given in to those eyes and the whining. But not any more.

Begging is so cute when they are puppies or when they sit up with paws in the air. But when they get to be adults and the cute begging turns into more persistent demands it goes from cute to annoying. So here is my solution. Give them their own place and teach them right from puppy hood that is where they are to be during meal times. For some a crate might be a perfect solution to this. Not for me. I prefer their place be in the main room or an adjoining one where they can still see you but where they are out of begging range. The first trick is to no longer give into those begging eyes or the whining. If you must give left over's then do so when the meal is over and give it to them in their dish. Next get them a blanket or mat that they will come to recognize as theirs. The purpose is you can move the blanket from room to room and the dog will know it's place is where ever the blanket is. Works great when taking the dog visiting as well. Then get a 6 ft leash, this is for tethering the dog to their place till they realize this is where they are suppose to be. The leash is only in use till they are good at staying in their place. For adult dogs this can be as quick as a few weeks. For puppies it could be a few months.

Figure out where in the room you want them to be during mealtimes. Then place their blanket there. Periodically during the day go over to the blanket, say the dogs name and then say place. Then bring the puppy or dog there and place then in a down. Then reward with either a treat or a toy. This is just to help them to associate the blanket and going to the blanket with the place command. When a meal time comes follow the same procedure but as they get put in their place attach the leash to their collar. The leash should be attached to something that will keep them in their area. Then reward with a chew

toy. Tell them to stay and go have your meal. If they get off their place then get up and say their name and say place. Put them back on their place and reward. Ignore any and all whining. Do not even look at them when they do. Looking at them is a reward for the behavior. They will learn that meal time is time for them to either sleep or chew on their chew toy. After a while of doing this at every meal they will soon learn that begging is not allowed and where to be during meals. As they get better about staying on the blanket start testing them with not attaching the leash during mealtimes. If they leave their place put them back. If they do it more then 3 times then attach the leash and try again another day. They will catch on. Patience is the key.

My two sleep on their blankets during meal time. When guests are over to eat they always comment on how well mannered my two are during meals and with all the food around. This also makes meal times safer for everyone without the worry of tripping over a dog that is trying to beg for food around your feet. Give it a try. The peace it brings to a meal is well worth the effort.

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## UKC Top Ten

### White Shepherd

01. GRCH Surefire Lil' Miss Tasz Of Fs	Scarlett Sanders and Timothy Sanders	31
02. GRCH Royal Day Of Providence	Jean Reeves	21
03. CH Starr Hallmark Hemi Supercharger	Mona Persson	18
04. GRCH Shylo's Galaxy Star	Arleen Ravanelli	10
04. CH Lyons Royal Scott	Robert Crawford	10
06. GRCH Stafford's Pet Edi Vom Snow	Margaret Stafford	9
07. CH Royal Von Brilliant Moment	Maggie Keller and Jean Reeves	7
07. CH Hallmark's Wynnter Moon For Neil	Amanda Phillips	7
	Diane Massey and Robert E Massey	7
07. CH Starr St. Stephen V Surefire	Massey	7
10. GRCH Royals Timeless Treasure	Jean Reeves	6

**If you think dogs can't count, try putting three dog biscuits in your pocket and then giving Fido only two of them.**





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# 2007 Easter Photo Contest Entries



Entry #1  
Nikki

Submitted by: Mona Persson & Jean Reeves



Entry #2  
Halo

Submitted by: Davey Robin



Entry #3  
Halo

Submitted by: Davey Robin



Entry #4  
Halo

Submitted by: Davey Robin



Entry #5  
Halo

Submitted by: Davey Robin



Entry #6  
Riza

Submitted by: Foxhunt White Shepherds



Entry #7  
Riza

Submitted by: Foxhunt White Shepherds



Good Luck  
Everyone!

# 2007 Easter Photo Contest Entries



Entry #8  
Royal Puppies  
Submitted by: Jean Reeves & Mona Persson



HAPPY EASTER



Entry #9  
Beast  
Submitted by: Hidden Hills White Shepherds



Entry #10  
Mia  
Submitted by: Patricia Plucker, Galahad Shepherds



United White Shepherd Club would like to extend a special "Thank You" to Rhonda Engelauf-Allen of RoosViews for judging our WS Easter Photo Contest!!  
[RoosViews@aol.com](mailto:RoosViews@aol.com)

UWSC wishes everyone a very  
Happy Easter!!!



# 2007 Easter Photo Contest Winner's



"Cutest"

Royal's in the Nick of Time  
Submitted by: Mona Persson &  
Jean Reeves

~ Judges Comments ~

"Best"

Entry #10. I love the look on the dog in this one.

"Cutest"

Entry #1. I like the way the puppy is  
looking at the lamb as if "are you my mommy?"

"Prettiest"

Entry #6. I like the springy look.



"Best"

Galahad's Girl Mia  
Submitted by: Galahad Shepherds



"Prettiest"

Foxhunt Cristal's Rizin' Starr  
Submitted by: Foxhunt White Shepherds