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*"Toby"*

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***GDCC Meeting Calendar***

February 15, 2006	General Closed Meeting Location: The Tenderloin La Verne, CA Time: 7:00pm
March 8, 2006	Board Meeting Location: Phone Conference Time: 7:00pm
April 22, 2006	General Open Meeting ACDC Shows (After Dane Judging) Location: Equestrian Park, City of Industry, CA
May 3, 2006	Board Meeting Location: Marie Callendar's, Azusa, CA Time: 7:00pm
May 27, 2006	General Open Meeting Mission Circuit Shows (After Dane Judging) Location: Pomona Fairgrounds
June 10, 2006	General Open Meeting GDCC Specialty (After Dane Judging) Location: Claremont Inn, Claremont, CA
July 8, 2006	General Open Meeting & Picnic Ventura Shows (After Dane Judging) Location: Ventura, CA
September 6, 2006	Board Meeting Location: Marie Callendar's, Azusa, CA Time: 7:00pm
September 20, 2006	General Open Meeting Location: TBA Time: 7:00pm
November 8, 2006	General Closed Meeting & Board Meeting Location: TBA Time: 7:00pm
December, 2006	General Open Meeting/Awards & Christmas Dinner — Date: TBA Location: TBA

**Directions to February General Closed Meeting  
Wednesday, February 15, 2006 — 7:00pm  
The Tenderloin  
2080 Foothill, La Verne, CA 91750  
(909) 596-3285**

This meeting is closed to guests. Members only please.

**From Orange County:** Take "57" Frwy North to "210" East. Take Foothill Blvd Exit towards La Verne for approx. 1.5 miles. Restaurant is on the right.

**From Los Angeles:** Take "210" East Frwy. Take Foothill Blvd Exit towards La Verne for approx. 1.5 miles. Restaurant is on the right.

**From Riverside:** Take "210" West Frwy. Take Fruit Street Exit. Turn left on Fruit. Turn right on Bowdoin. Turn left on Emerald. Turn left on Foothill. Restaurant is on the right.

*Note: Please remember to verify these directions yourself. They are from the internet and may not be accurate for your location.*

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**Note:** The Great Dane Club of California recognizes that individual members may support any Great Dane Rescue efforts they choose; however, the Great Dane Club of California as a Club endorses the Great Dane Club of America's Rescue Programs.

## Membership Applications

The following applicants will be voted on at the February 2006 Closed Meeting. If you are a sponsor, you need to attend this meeting. At least one of the sponsors needs to speak on behalf of the applicant.

**Second Publication: Karen Dwerlkotte-Ray**

Sponsors: Debbie Bent  
Mindy Donovan-Tandy

**Second Publication: Bruce & Susan Powell**

Sponsors: Dick Schaefer  
Maren Cornish

## Sweepstakes Nominations

It has been decided that Sweepstakes Classes will be offered at our GDCC Specialty on Sunday as well as Saturday. In order to accommodate these additional classes, we will need to nominate and vote on a judge at the February Closed Meeting. Attached is a nomination form for you to submit your choices prior to the meeting. Nominations will also be open to the floor at the February Meeting prior to voting for the selected judge. You can send your choices to Suzzane Kelleher-Duckett. Contact information is on the form.

## Bulletin Online Distribution

The membership was recently offered the option to receive the bulletin online (via e-mail) instead of the U.S. mail. We have gotten enough responses that this offer appears to be viable to do. So, effective with this newsletter, it will also be available for e-mail delivery. Please note:

- **If you receive your newsletter via e-mail:** A hard-copy will NOT be mailed to you. \* The newsletter is published after every Board Meeting.
- **Change of e-mail address:** Please notify the newsletter editor immediately.
- **Any technical problems with reading attachments/files:** Please notify the Bulletin Editor. E-Bulletin will be in the PDF format.
- **Delivery problems and/or a full mail box:** Please request the editor to mail you another issue. (If you have delivery problems, it is the member's responsibility to monitor their box and resolve the problem.)
- **Members' responsibility:** Monitor their own e-mail for delivery of newsletter and meeting notifications.

## Bulletin Advertising Ads

Here's an opportunity to showcase your dog in the bulletin and support the club! We are limiting the amount of ads per issue to 5 which includes a cover page!

Payment for ads are as follows:

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Non-Member</u>
<b>Front Cover</b>	\$35.00	\$45.00
<b>Full Page</b>	\$25.00	\$35.00
<b>Half Page</b>	\$20.00	\$30.00

It's on a first-come-first-serve basis excluding previous reservation commitments. If you would like to include your ad in upcoming issues, please contact Mindy at MLDT@earthlink.net or (909) 628-8289 to submit your reservation!

## Membership Roster

Please find enclosed in this issue, the 2006 membership roster. If you should see any items that need correcting, please forward the information to Mindy Donovan-Tandy (MLDT@earthlink.net).

If you would like the roster in soft-copy, please contact Mindy.

### **Attention all Winners !!**

Our Club Historian, Cindy Hurley, is working on transferring many of our club pictures onto CDs for storing. She is also looking at trying to fill the gaps of missing pictures of GDCC Specialty winners, in addition to new champions owned by GDCC members!

Please send your pictures with complete show info (dates, judge, dog's name, owner, etc.) to Cindy at [churley@bak.rr.com](mailto:churley@bak.rr.com). If you have any questions, please contact Cindy at her e-mail address.

## Announcements & Brags –

- ☺ LONGO-BROWN'S LA DOLCE VITA ("Lola") earned her CGC and TDI (one from Therapy Dogs, International and one from Therapy Dogs, Inc.) at the National this year. Lola is lovingly and handled by Arana Greenberg.
- ☺ BLUE CHIPS FORTUNE 100 became a Venerable Great Dane! Also owned and loved by Arana Greenberg.
- ☺ RAINMASTER'S SHE'S MY KIND OF RAIN ("Cali") took WB and BOW at Los Encinos Kennel Club, Sat. Dec. 17th, under Judge Jo Ann K. Dutton at 14 months old, out of the Open Harlequin class. A wonderful job of handling was done by Brianne Rock. Cali is proudly owned, spoiled & loved by Lisa & John Garrison.
- ☺ Mother/Daughter Win—12/16/05!! RIVERWOOD'S REMINISCENT VALENTINE ("Cleo") went Winners Bitch on Dec 16, 2005 at the Shoreline Dog Fancier's Show at the Orange County Fairgrounds in Costa Mesa. Cleo was expertly handled by Pete Ventura, PHA.
  - ◆ RIVERWOOD'S BENT-ON VOGUE ATTIRE ("Snooty") went Reserve Winners Bitch on Dec 16, 2006 at the Shoreline Dog Fancier's Show. Snooty was also expertly handled by Pete Ventura, PHA and owner, Debbie Bent!
- ☺ LITTER ANNOUNCEMENT! Randi Kerlinger and Terri Dillistin announce the arrival of their Harlequin litter born on November 29th. WHITESHADOW'S STRIKE UP THE BAND (BISS Ch. Chroma Theif of Hearts, CD, RN, OA, AXJ, OJC, NAC, TDIA, GDCA-VA, CGC X WhiteShadow's Ldy Victoria v Erhle) X D AND T'S KRSTAL WHTSHDW (Ch. D and T's Who's On First X D and T's Whtshdw One Step Ahead) — 3 Show marked Harls & 4 Companion marked — See them at: <http://pws.prserv.net/whiteshadow> Contact Randi at 702-807-6036 or Terri at 661-944-4730.
- ☺ DTVS CAN YOU HEAR ME NOW ("Guinness"), went WD at the Long Beach KC in December. Guinness is owner-handled by Terri Dillistin and co-owned by Mary Shoaf.

- ☺ Congratulations to Junior Handler, Scott Tandy, who has extended his handling experience into Agility. He and his Cocker Spaniel partner, Ch. Doggone Off Like A Shot, OA OAJ CGC (9 1/2 years old) earned their first agility leg towards their NAP (Novice Standard Preferred) title with a perfect score and a first place in their class.

### Bulletin Information:

#### Subscription rates:

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## GREAT DANE CLUB OF CALIFORNIA

### 2006 Back to Back Sweepstakes Judges Nomination Form

You must be a member in good standing to nominate Judges. There is no limit on the number of judges you can nominate. Voting will take place at the February 15, 2006 closed meeting.

**Return nominations by February 10, 2006 to: Suzzane Kelleher-Duckett, 27321 Dewdrop Avenue,  
Canyon Country, CA 91351 –  
or via email: pchgreatdanes@aol.com**

#### **SWEEPSTAKES JUDGES** \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BREEDER JUDGE? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_ ALL-ROUNDER? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU WISH TO GIVE BACKGROUND INFO, PLEASE DO SO:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BREEDER JUDGE? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_ ALL-ROUNDER? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU WISH TO GIVE BACKGROUND INFO, PLEASE DO SO:  
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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BREEDER JUDGE? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_ ALL-ROUNDER? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU WISH TO GIVE BACKGROUND INFO, PLEASE DO SO:  
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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BREEDER JUDGE? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_ ALL-ROUNDER? (yes or no) \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU WISH TO GIVE BACKGROUND INFO, PLEASE DO SO:  
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# “Cleo”

## Riverwood’s Reminiscent Valentine

(CH Riverwood’s D’artagnan x Binga Marie of Riverwood)



### Mother/Daughter Win

Cleo, Snooty’s mother, was awarded Winners Bitch at the Shoreline Dog Fanciers Association Show on December 16, 2005 in Costa Mesa, CA. Many thanks to Judge Linda Riedel and handler, Pete Ventura.

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Owner/Breeder – Debbie Bent  
Handled by Pete Ventura, PHA

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# “Snooty”

## Riverwood's Bent-On Vogue Attire

(Riverwood Dundee's Odin x Riverwood's Reminiscent Valentine)



### Mother/Daughter Win

**Snooty, Cleo's daughter. was awarded Reserve Winners at the Shoreline Dog Fanciers Association Show on December 16, 2005 in Costa Mesa, CA.**

**Many thanks to Judge Linda Riedel and handler, Pete Ventura.**

**Bentd@aol.com**

**Owner/Breeder – Debbie Bent**

**Handled by Pete Ventura, PHA**

**(714) 375-5553**

## Upcoming Shows

- **Friday, January 27, Tri-Valley Working Dog Club,** Ntl  
Orange Show Event Center, 689 S. "E" St, San Bdn, CA  
*Judge: Donald Booxbaum*
- **Saturday, January 28, Orange Empire Kennel Club,** Ntl  
Orange Show Event Center, 689 S. "E" St, San Bdn, CA  
*Judge: Henry Williams*
- **Sunday, January 29, Orange Empire Kennel Club,** Ntl  
Orange Show Event Center, 689 S. "E" St, San Bdn, CA  
*Judge: Elizabeth Gunter*
- **Saturday, February 11, Great Dane Club of Arizona,**  
Clarion Hotel, 5121 La Puente, Phoenix, AZ  
*Judge: Lourdes Carvajal*
- **Sunday, February 19, Santa Clara Valley Kennel Club,**  
Santa Clara Fairgrnds, Monterey & Tully Rd, San Jose, CA  
*Judge: Karen Riddle*
- **Sunday, February 19, Santa Clara Valley Kennel Club,**  
Santa Clara Fairgrnds, Monterey & Tully Rd, San Jose, CA  
*Judge: Jon Cole*
- **Saturday, February 25, Silver Bay Kennel Club,**  
Del Mar Fairgrounds, Del Mar, CA  
*Judge: William Bergum*
- **Sunday, February 26, Silver Bay Kennel Club,**  
Del Mar Fairgrounds, Del Mar, CA  
*Judge: John Connolly*
- **Thursday, March 2, Sequoia Kennel Club,** King County  
Fairgrounds, 10th Ave & Hanford-Armona, Hanford, CA  
*Judge: George Heitzman*
- **Friday, March 3, Sequoia Kennel Club,** King County  
Fairgrounds, 10th Ave & Hanford-Armona, Hanford, CA  
*Judge: Charlotte McGowan*
- **Friday, March 3, Scottsdale Dog Fanciers,** Westworld,  
16601 N. Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ  
*Judge: Richard Beauchamp*
- **Saturday, March 4, Kings County Kennel Club,** King  
County Fairgrnds, 10th Ave / Hanford-Armona, Hanford, CA  
*Judge: Donald Gill*
- **Saturday, March 4, Scottsdale Dog Fanciers,** Westworld,  
16601 N. Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ  
*Judge: David Hayhurst*
- **Sunday, March 5, Superstition Kennel Club,** Westworld,  
16601 N. Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ  
*Judge: Richard Chashoudian*
- **Monday, March 6, Superstition Kennel Club,** Westworld,  
16601 N. Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ  
*Judge: Stephen Hubbell*
- **Saturday, March 11, Apple Valley Kennel Club,** Victor  
Valley College, 18422 Bear Valley Rd, Victorville, CA  
*Judge: Kay Radcliffe*
- **Sunday, March 12, Apple Valley Kennel Club,** Victor  
Valley College, 18422 Bear Valley Rd, Victorville, CA  
*Judge: Bill Whaling*
- **Saturday, March 18, Coso Dog Fanciers,** Victor Valley  
College, 18422 Bear Valley Rd, Victorville, CA  
*Judge: Kay Radcliffe*



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