



## Sunshine Themes

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### **SPWCC SPECIALTY SHOW (Designated with Central Florida Kennel Club)**

Thursday, December 15, 2022

Breed Judge: Yolanda Lininger "Linincorgi"

Sweepstakes Judge: Cathy Donovan

"Northrun"

Junior Showmanship Judge: Deb Shindle

"Riverside"

Orange Cty Convention Center N/S Bldg -  
North/South Building  
9899 International Drive, Orlando, FL  
Show Secretary: MB-F  
Show Chair: Dianne Tharp



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## President's Message

SPWCC members at the PWCCA National Specialty



left to right:

Bonnie Hansen, Debbie Gapsch, Deb Shindle, Cindy Smith, Lesley Hammar, Nancy Matthews and Cathy Donovan, Robin Jenkins and Jeff Ford (not pictured)

Dear Sunshine PWCC members,

In the light of the recent devastating storm, we would like to wish a speedy recovery to all our club members affected by Hurricane Ian. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Our 2-day agility trial in August was a success due to our hard-working club members who volunteered their time. Thank you to Alisha Stephenson, who stepped in as show chair at the last minute and headed up a great trial!

Sunshine members were well represented at the Pembroke National Specialty at the Roberts Center, Ohio last month. Congratulations to those who had exciting placement wins! Next year's National will be at Purina Farms in Missouri.

It has been agreed to move our 2023 Specialty to July 8th at the World Equestrian Center in Ocala. Thank you to those members that visited and evaluated WEC this past summer. We are very excited about this new location! A big shout out to Gail Steinmetz for getting all the paperwork completed so quickly to make this change happen. Sunshine will also be the supported entry for 3 shows, so please make plans to enter your dog, volunteer, or come ringside and enjoy the shows! The dates are July 8-10, 2023.

Our Specialty show this year will be held Thursday, December 15th at the Orange County Convention Center in Orlando. This is a designated specialty with the Central Florida Kennel Club. Our breed judge is Yolanda Lininger "Linincorgi" and our sweeps judge is Cathy Donovan "Northrun". Our



shows chairs, Dianne Tharp and Paul Cope have been working hard to ensure a successful show. We welcome any volunteers, so please contact Gail or me if interested.

As always, thank you to all who attend our zoom meetings. It is fun to see everyone and discuss our club activities. Thank you to all who serve on the different positions to make Sunshine successful!

Looking forward to seeing everyone in Orlando,

Cindy Smith  
Sunshine PWCC President

## Treasurer's Report



October 7, 2022 checking account balance was \$28,983.93.

We are very fortunate to have a very generous membership to help with donations both for agility and conformation events. We do need that to continue for our future events.

## Judge Selection process

The Board is working on judges for our future shows. They will present to the membership a list of five names for Breed and 3 names for Sweepstakes for our 2024 July Specialty in Ocala, FL.

If you have any judges or corgi breeders you would like us to consider, please see the criteria below and submit their names to any board member. We can add names as submitted, or if you know a judge is no longer judging or deceased, please let us know that as well.

### Criteria

#### Breed Judge

1. Must be licensed to judge PWC
2. Must have owned/co-owned PWC for at least 10 years
3. Must have bred/co-bred four litters of PWC and finished at least 2 champions of their breeding.
4. Must have attended 4 PWC Specialties or their equivalent, in the case of a foreign judge, in the last 10 years.



5. OR Must be eligible to judge all AKC breeds and groups.
6. AND must agree to only charge expenses.

NOTE\*\* After the 2017 Specialty in Orlando and the AKC rule that Sweepstakes could not be held on the Specialty Day, the board voted to stop Sweepstakes until we are able to host an independent specialty or AKC allows it on our show date. This was announced to the membership at the April 7, 2018, meeting and in the April 2018 newsletter.

\*\*Ratified at the 10/11/2022 zoom board meeting to hold sweepstakes at future shows.

#### Sweeps Judge

1. Must have been involved in the breed for at least 10 years
2. Must have bred/co-bred four litters of PWC and finished at least 2 champions of their breeding.
3. Must have attended 4 PWC Specialties in the last 10 years.
4. Must hold membership in an all-breed or PWC specialty club

## August 2022 Agility Trial

This year's SPWCC Agility Trial started out on rough ground but went very smooth. Trial chair Bonnie Hansen ended up with Covid right before the trial and passed the duties on to fill in trial chair Alisha Stevenson. With the diligent help of Gail Steinmetz, Lesley Hammar, and Sharon Lofley the trial went on with no complaints. We had a lot of volunteer help from the exhibitors which ensured all the working spaces were filled and the trial was completed both days early. Our judge for the second year Christine Bishop gave us great courses and an upbeat agility trial. Three of our club members trialed their dogs this year. Lesley Hammar with Rachel, Alisha Stevenson with Dobby, and Bonnie Hansen (fill in handlers) with Magic. High in Trial Regular going to Lesley and Rachel. High in Trial Preferred going to Alisha and Dobby. Thank you to everyone that made this trial happen and congratulations to all the handlers and their dogs.

Alisha Stevenson

This year's agility trial was indeed a "trial".

At the last minute, three of our committee were unable to attend due to covid-19 positive or exposure including Bonnie Hansen our trial chair, leaving Alisha Stevenson to step up and learn on the job. She did a fantastic job holding the trial together. Thank you to Sharon Lofley who came over on Sunday to help our meager crew of Alisha Stevenson, Lesley Hammar and Gail Steinmetz.

This year's trial had entry fees of \$8,541.00, member supported donations of \$392.52 and one vendor for \$40.00 for a total income of \$8,973.52. Expenses for the site \$1972.00, AKC fees \$1958.50, Judge fee/expenses \$1271.47, trial secretary \$650.00 (she gives us a very big discount) and workers raffle/meals \$424.52 for a total expense of \$6,276.49 leaving us a profit of \$2,697.03.

At the 10/11/2022 Zoom general meeting the membership voted unanimously to stop (for the near future) holding agility trials. We had discussion as to other options and events we can consider depending on membership involvement.

Gail Steinmetz





# Thank you, Bonnie Hansen!

For everything you have done to support SPWCC in Agility!



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## In Memoriam

# Margaret "Maggi" Biery Payne

JANUARY 8, 1945 – OCTOBER 18, 2022

IN THE CARE OF

**Coral Ridge Funeral Home & Cemetery**

Margaret "Maggi" Biery Payne, age 77, of North Fort Myers, Florida passed away on Tuesday, October 18, 2022 surrounded by her loved ones. Maggi was born in Elmira, New York to the late Gladys and William Biery.

Maggi is survived by her loyal service companion Nova, her niece Andrea Wilson (Stephen), her nephew Albert "Butch" Labrozzi and her cousin Terry Weida (Susan).

Maggi was preceded in death by her husband William Otis Payne III, and her beloved dog Buddy.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in Maggi's memory may be made to New Horizons Service Dogs, and READing Paws.

Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at [www.CoralRidgeFuneralHome.com](http://www.CoralRidgeFuneralHome.com) for the Payne family.





## Specialty December 15, 2022



Our show is dedicated to Kaye McLain

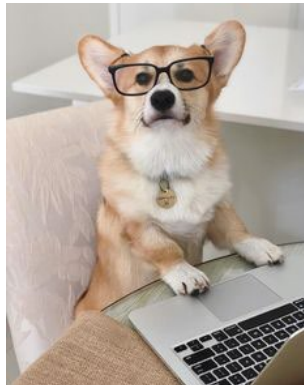


## BRAGS!

- From Alisha Stevenson - At the end of August "Dobby" CH PACH2 Baymoor Dobby Is Free BN AX AXJ MXP6 MXPS MJP5 MJPS PAX2 OF MFP T2BP CGC finished his PACH2! This boy is doing great things and going places in his career.



## Miscellaneous



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