



SUNSHINE THEMES

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SPWCC Herding Trial

Date: Jan. 2—4, 2026

Black Birch Farm South

Morrison, FL 32669

Contact:

Dianne Tharp

Bonnie Hansen

See Page 4 for more details.



Sunshine Goes National !

SPWCC was well-represented at the PWCCA Nationals at the Roberts Centre in Wilmington, OH. Venerable veterans from Florida highlighted the how age is no factor when it comes to quality in Corgis!



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From the Desk of the President

Happy fall everyone !!

I hope this finds our members doing well. This year has flown by so fast hard to believe it is almost the holidays !



Thank you once again for entrusting me as president.

SPWCC has had another successful year and I would like to thank everyone for their hard work to make it happen. Remember, this is your club and input from all of you is important.

The show season is starting up and it will be busy over the next several months. I am so excited for our specialty in Tallahassee February 20th & 21st. Along with all breed shows from February 18th through the 22nd. Please join us for our shows.

If you can volunteer to help it would be greatly appreciated. No experience needed !!

Just a reminder that if you get an email from me or any officer/board member of SPWCC asking for money in ANY form, do not reply and do not send money. It seems that scammers get our email from the AKC site. No member of our club will ever ask for money in that manor.

I want to wish all a happy & safe holiday season and cheers to 2026.

Grace Carter
President

More Phishing E-Mails!!!

Most of you got an e-mail this week from Gail asking for help setting up a PayPal account for the club. **Trash it!** It's a Phishing E-Mail just like those you got last year from Grace.

How do you know it's spam? Look at the E-Mail address:

Gail Steinmetz <treasurer.spgca@gmail.com>

We all know Gail's E-Mail address has her kennel name in it!

Block this e-mail address in your mail client to prevent future Spam. Google to learn how!





Treasurer's Quarterly Summary



Year to Date Activity - copy
Sunshine Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club
July 1-September 30, 2025

DISTRIBUTION ACCOUNT	JUL 1 - SEP 30 2025	TOTAL
Income		
Agility Trial Income	1,000.00	1,000.00
Herding Income	175.00	175.00
Membership Dues	325.00	325.00
Specialty Income		
2025 Specialty Income	552.31	552.31
Total for Specialty Income	552.31	\$552.31
Supported Entry Income	162.00	162.00
Unapplied Cash Payment Income	26.00	26.00
Total for Income	2,240.31	\$2,240.31
Cost of Goods Sold		
Gross Profit	2,240.31	\$2,240.31
Expenses		
2025 Specialty Show Expense		
2025 Trophies	20.00	20.00
Judges	1,634.01	1,634.01
Total for 2025 Specialty Show Expense	1,654.01	\$1,654.01
2026 Specialty Show Expense		
Advertising for 2026 specialty (deleted)	130.25	130.25
Total for 2026 Specialty Show Expense	130.25	\$130.25
Herding Expense	175.00	175.00
Office/General Administrative Expenditures		
Insurance		
Liability Insurance	610.09	610.09
Total for Insurance	610.09	\$610.09
Website Expenses	22.19	22.19
Total for Office/General Administrative Expenditures	632.28	\$632.28
PayPal Fees	-5.58	-5.58
Supported Entry Expenses	80.00	80.00
Total for Expenses	2,665.96	\$2,665.96
Net Operating Income	-425.65	-\$425.65
Other Income		
Other Expenses		
Net Other Income		
Net Income	-425.65	-\$425.65



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Sunshine's Second 3-Day All Breed Herding Trial

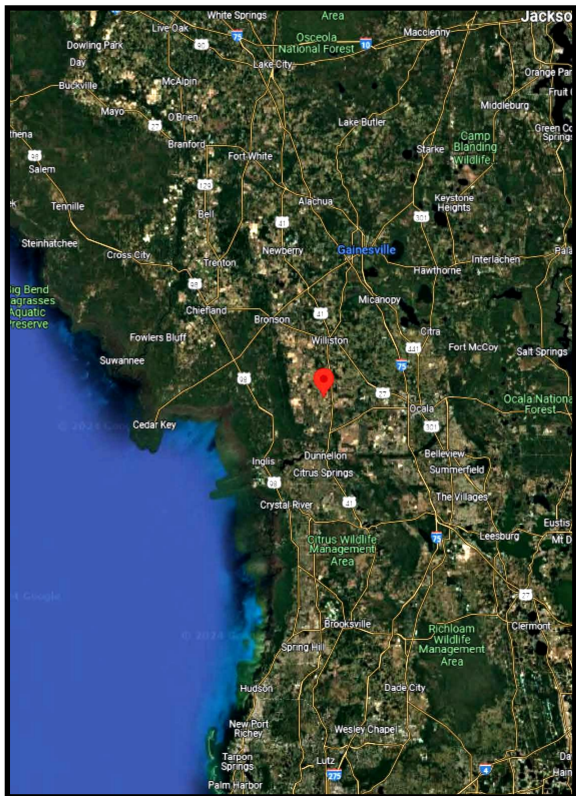
Dates: Friday, January 2 to Sunday, January 4, 2026

Location: Black Birch Farm South
7551 SE 181st Court
Morrison, FL 32668

Show Chair: Dianne Tharp - tharpdia@gmail.com

Trial Secretary: Bonnie Hansen - baymoor@aol.com

For details, contact Dianne or Bonnie!



Morrison, FL is located north and west of Ocala.

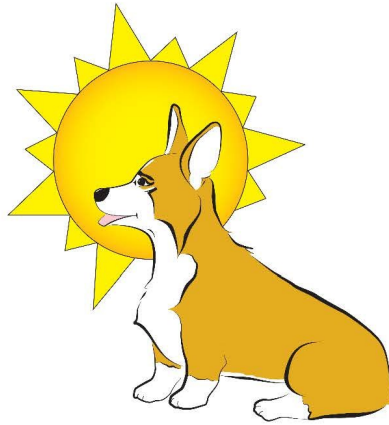


For AKC Event Listing, copy this web address:

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2 Sunshine PWCC Concurrent Specialties with 5 All Breed Shows

North Florida Classic Cluster

North Florida Fairgrounds, Tallahassee, Florida.

Friday, February 20th and Saturday, February 21st

Specialty Judges:

Friday, Breed - Neena Van Camp "BluJor"

Saturday, Breed & 4-6 beginner puppy - Marilyn Van Vleit "Aurora"

Saturday, Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes - Linda Muglach "Lin-Kel"

All Breed Shows Judges for Pembrokes:

Wednesday February 18 - Dana Cline

Thursday February 19 - Jon Cole

Friday February 20 - Gary Anderson

Saturday February 21 - John Schoeneman

Sunday February 22 - Emily Fish

HOST HOTEL

Home2 Suites Tallahassee Capital

210 S Magnolia Drive ~ (850) 402-8900

Contact show chair for direct hotel link

Room rate is \$219.00 and block expires January 15, 2026

Show Chair: Gail Steinmetz, sunshinepwcczelle@gmail.com, (561) 385-1796

Show Secretary: Paula Vester (850) 319-8038 Emerald Coast Dog Shows, 3513 Patrick Rd,
Panama City, FL 32409, emeraldcoastdogshows@gmail.com



PWCCA 2025 National Specialty Report



Sunshine PWCC made a proud showing at the PWCCA National Specialty, held September 27–October 4, 2025, at the Roberts Centre in Wilmington, OH. Members participated across a wide range of events, and the PWCCA welcomed our club secretary, Leslie Condoleo, as a new member.

We started the events on Saturday and Sunday with Herding: Bonnie Hansen competed with Willow who was High in Trial. Monday members Lesley Hammar with Rachel, Bonnie Hansen with Willow and Alisha Stevenson with Dobby and Alby competing in the Agility Trials. (They all did well so look for their brags). Tuesday continued with Agility and Rally. Lesley and Rachel in Rally Intermediate and completed her final leg.

On Monday, PWCCA had a “baked potato” dinner Welcome party, and it was enjoyed by all. Pictured Cindy Smith, Alisha Stevenson, Lesley Hammar, Jo Durrance. (Photo by Jeffrey Durrance)



Tuesday’s General Meeting drew a strong turnout, with SPWCC well represented by members Bonnie Hansen, Gail Steinmetz, Jo Durrance, Lesley Hammar, Alisha Stevenson, Leslie Condoleo, Cindy Smith, Robin Jenkins and Jeff Ford.

Sweepstakes started on Wednesday, with Jo Durrance in Puppies, Lesley Hammar, Bonnie Hansen, Robin Jenkins, Cindy Smith and Alisha Stevenson competing in Veterans.

Breed continued on Thursday through Saturday. Look for members brags!

The PWCCA announced that the 2026 Specialty will commemorate the Club’s 90th Anniversary. This milestone event is scheduled to take place at Purina Farms in St. Louis, Missouri, from October 3 through October 10, 2026. The Judges are Sweepstakes: Russell Allen “Westmorland”, Dogs and Best of Breed: Donald Sturz and Bitches: Mari Carroll “Brogan”.

SPWCC member Debbie Gapsch “321 Dog Shows” was a major supporter for the National Specialty Show.

PHOTOS BY CINDY SMITH



Brag



From Leslie Hammar

“Rachel” (GCh Ch Capri Brogan Summer Rain RN AX AXJ MXP MJP OF TKN, right below) and I had a fabulous week at the 2025 PWCCA National Specialty. Rachel earned her Rally Intermediate title, her first Agility Excellent leg and topped off the week by placing third in the Veteran’s Sweeps 9-11 year old class.



From Cindy Smith

“Bryce” (GCh Ch Capri Brogan Summer Breeze, left below), not to be outdone by his sister (above), also placed 3rd in his Veteran Sweepstake 9-11 yrs class at the PWCCA National!





Braggs



From Alisha Stevenson

“Dobby” (CH PACH4 Baymoor Dobby Is Free BN AX AXJ MXP11 MXPC MJP10 MJPC PAX4 OF MFPB TQXP T2BP CGC)

PWCCA National: Agility - 9/29/25: Master Preferred JWW 3rd Place
Master Preferred Standard 3rd Place

9/30/25: Master Preferred JWW 3rd Place

Conformation: Veteran Sweeps and Specialty

“Alby” (Kered Sua-Mah Remember The Light) co-owned with Gail Steinmetz

PWCCA National: Agility - 9/29/25: Novice Preferred JWW 1st Place (his 1st Q ever!)

9/30/25: Novice Preferred JWW 3rd Place

Conformation: Open Dog Participant

Greater Naples Dog Club - 10/11/25 AM Show- Reserve Winners Dog
PM Show- Best of Breed





Braggs



Julia Clough

“Dory” (Sippiwisset Siren's Symphony, a **“Maximus”** granddaughter) is well on her way to a championship in just two weekends in the 6-9 puppy class (handled by co-breeder Cindy Perrone). She has 7 pts and one major!

9/7 Souhegan KC WB/BW/OS

9/6 Souhegan KC WB/OS

9/27 York County KC WB/BW/BP - a Major

9/28 York County KC WB/BW/OS



From Jeff Ford & Robin Jenkins

“Galen” (GChG Cajun Creek's Reveille FCAT2 FITB) took first place in Veteran Dogs 9 - 11 years old Sweepstakes under breeder judge Lois Zelenski (Tallyrand). Galen also completed his FCAT2 title!





Minutes of the Annual Meeting

August 18, 2025 @ 6:30PM via Zoom

Meeting called to order: 6:27pm (Board Meeting); 6:31pm (General Meeting)

In attendance: (16) Debbie Broussard, Tom Campana, Grace Carter, Leslie Condoleo, Paul Cope, Cathy Donovan, Jo Durrance, Jeff Ford, Al Gapsch, Debbie Gapsch, Robin Jenkins, Sharon Lofley, Christen Redding, Gail Steinmetz, Alisha Stevenson, Marcelle Zanetti

Guests: (1): Kevin Lord

BOARD MEETING SUMMARY:

Minutes of last meeting approved

REPORTS:

Secretary: Leslie Condoleo

- No report

Treasurer: Gail Steinmetz

- Bank Statement Balance as of 08/18/25 - \$23,363.05; still pending a few membership dues; Income includes \$1,000 from the agility trial and \$162 from Citrus supported entry.



REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:

- No reports

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- None

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING:

REPORTS:

President: Grace Carter

- No report



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Vice President: Cindy Smith

- No report

Secretary: Leslie Condoleo

- Minutes from the June Membership Meeting—Approved

Treasurer: Gail Steinmetz

- Bank Statement Balance as of 08/18/25 - \$23,363.05; still pending a few membership dues; Income includes \$1,000 from the agility trial and \$162 from Citrus for the supported entry.

COMMITTEES:

2026 Specialty: Gail Steinmetz

- Premium has been sent to new Show Secretary; hotel block will reserved, nightly charge is \$219; gift cards for most of our trophies, fill-in with totes and towels, and Zanies toys for first place. Need someone to handle a ringside hospitality.

2026 Agility Trial Bonnie Hansen / Alisha Stevenson

- No report

2026 Herding Trial: Bonnie Hansen / Dianne Tharp

- Application received from Diane Menard for five trials.

AKC Liaison: Lesley Hammar

- No report

AKC Compliance Deb Shindle

- No report

FAKC/AKC: Deby Broussard

- No report

Facebook: Alisha Stevenson

- No report





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Website:

Gail Steinmetz

- No report

Sunshine:

Cindy Smith & Lesley Hammar

- No report

Rescue:

SCR

- No report

Puppy Referral:

Sharon Lofley

- No report

Ways and Means:

Dianne Tharp

- No report

Events Chair:

Dianne Tharp

- No report

Newsletter:

Paul Cope

- Send **brags** to Paul for newsletter

PWCCA Talebearers:

Gail Steinmetz

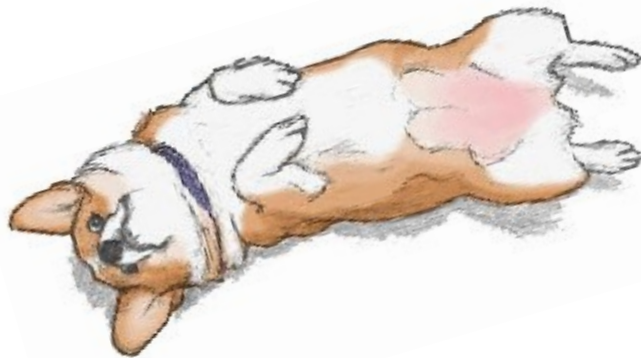
- No report

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- None

NEW BUSINESS:

- None



Meeting adjourned: Board Meeting @ 6:30pm; General Meeting @ 6:50pm

Next Meeting: To be determined and announced.



Save the date for 2026...

The Palmetto Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club

36th and 37th Specialty Shows

Tryon International Equestrian Center
25 International Boulevard, Mill Spring, NC 28756



Puppy Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes

Thursday, November 19th

Debra Castelanelli ~ *Marlmont*, (California)

Regular Classes

Friday, November 20th

Diane Sprung ~ *Wildifox*, (Missouri)

Saturday, November 21st

Joann Mccann ~ *Jopearl*, (Australia)

4 to 6 mo. Puppy

Saturday, November 21st

Joann Mccann ~ *Jopearl*, (Australia)

Show Chair: Barb Hughes highgrovecorgis@me.com (828) 817-8449

Superintendent MB-F: <https://m.infodog.com>

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