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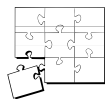
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Bits and Pieces

I am sure you all know by now that Betty Crawford, our ISCO matriarch, passed away shortly after her 91st birthday. ISCO, as well as the Irish Setters she loved, so much, were the center of Betty's life. I had the pleasure of traveling with Betty a few times, and her stories of the happenings of the past made the traveling time fly. Our summer specialties will be dedicated to her memory. If anyone has any stories or pictures to share, please bring them to the shows. We plan to have a dedication table and gathering sometime during that time. Thanks to Sharon Reilly, Linda Hobbins, and Gordon Chambers who were Betty's support and caretakers throughout her time at Briarfield. Thanks Bill and Linda for sending me the obituary from the local paper, and I will copy it to this column. May you reunite with all your redheaded friends at the Rainbow Bridge! We miss you.

ISCO looks like it has been turned into a hospital room. Members who have had mishaps or surgery are: Jody Eging who fell and broke her hip and was found by the propane man. Jody is now back at home, and hopefully taking it easy. Connie Plavcan was on vacation in Florida where she fell and broke her wrist. She had surgery upon her return home, and is now in therapy. Connie was still able to do the newsletter, which I was very happy to hear. Heal Connie! Donna Turchanik had knee surgery and already said her knee is much better. We expect you to return to the St. Pat's parade next year! And, last, but not least, Paul Spohn lost his battle with a huge icicle that he was trying to knock off his gutter. He did manage to get it to fall, but unfortunately it fell on his forehead. Paul did make the meeting sporting his new scar. Ron and I had to leave the meeting early as Ron didn't feel well. He is back to normal, and was upset that he missed that after meal!

The St. Patrick's Day parade was headed by Victoria Lindeman, and there were eleven spiffed up Irish Setters participating. The pictures will be posted on the website, and if you have marched and have never actually seen the whole parade, you can Google St. Patrick's Day Parade, Cleveland, Ohio, and see pictures of all who marched plus many spectators. ISCO does have a picture displayed. Thanks Victoria!

The parade has been handed down to you from Shirley Boyer, who was actually the one who managed to get us a spot in the parade after assuring the committee that we were not the rowdy red setter group. Marianne Downing had it for many years, and I did too. The baton, or should I say banner, has been passed to Victoria. All Irish Setters are welcome to attend, whether or not their people are club members! Please plan for next year.

Jeannie and her hard working committee managed the Spring Field trial this last weekend in March. I know the new grounds, Tri Valley in Dresden, OH, were going to be a bit different from what we have had in the past, but from what I understand things went well. Jeannie will give us further details, as I don't have them all at this time. I know they made it home, and the winners are posted.

I hope you all have a pleasant Easter, and we can finally look forward to some warm weather. Hopeful we can put the snow blowers away until next year!

See you at the meeting!

Jackie



Ron & Marge Beebe

CH Oakshadow Purple Haze JH, VC, UD, AXJ, AX, RA (Josie)

Josie got her 2nd UDX leg at Cleveland All Breed Obedience Trial on Sunday, May 14.



RESCUE REPORT

Lots of Irish Setters in Ohio Rescue, but some states have none-makes no sense.

Making the news currently are 15 Irish Setters in Mississippi. Their owner died and the family just turned them loose on the property, to run into the woods, paying a man to come out every 4 days and dump out a bag of dog food. Finally, folks with some brains heard of the situation and ISCA Rescue was contacted. Volunteers coaxed and finally put out traps to capture the scared and spooked dogs. All have ticks, fleas and heartworm, none were spayed/neutered. One had just been in season. ISCA is asking everyone to help with donations to the ISCA Rescue fund-write "Mississippi Irish" in the Memo part of your check, so they know to direct the money to help with these poor dogs. Happily, due to so many states having requests to adopt and not currently having any dogs available, it looks like these dogs will all be in new homes. They must stay in foster care several months while undergoing heartworm treatment.

On a happier note, in Ohio we adopted Maggie to a lady in PA who already has a 3 year old Irish Setter from us, and was looking for a companion for her.

Bella went to a lady in Boston, Mass. She drove 1/2 the distance and Sue drove half and they met in Syracuse, NY to do the transfer. Everything is going well and I heard from her today letting us know what happiness Bella has added to her life. And did we know Irish Setters can counter surf :)))

Blue was adopted by a man in PA. He grew up with Irish Setters and now wanted one of his own. This fellow likes jogging and Blue, a year old and full of energy, will enjoy that with him.

A small male Irish Setter was turned in to the Lorain County Pound, but was quickly adopted out.

In Findlay, Ohio, Indigo is a 5 year old male, a housedog, shots, neutered, friendly, coming in to rescue due to a divorce. So the beat goes on, spring has arrived, fun in the sun is on the way. Hooray! Good-bye snow!

Pat Jesson
ISCO Rescue Coordinator



Wednesday, March 17, 2010 was a GREAT day for our Irish Setters to show off their stuff! It was a sunny, warm afternoon a great day to rollick in the parade. Eleven red heads and their human parents showed much love to the parade spectators, many kisses and pats where exchanged! They were a big hit and a crowd pleaser. Time Warner even asked me to step aside and answer some questions about ISCO's involvement in the parade! Take a look at the pictures on our website and see how much fun we had. Tell your friends and family and plan next year on joining in on the fun!!!

Victoria Lindeman



ISCO Membership Meeting
Saturday, April 17 at 7:30
Ferfolia Funeral Home
356 Aurora Rd.
Sagamore Hills, Ohio



Irish Setter Club of Ohio
Field Trial Results
March 27-28 2010
Tri Valley Wildlife Area- Dresden Ohio

Open Gun Dog - Bill Burger / Kelly Custer

1 st Highpowered Elhew Tank – Pointer	Handler Chapman	4pts
2 nd Hacasaks Beautiful Bess – Pointer	Handler Chapman	
3 rd Dogwood Hollow Ray of Hope Britt	Handler Webb	
4 th Justeals Kytankerous Commander Vizsla	Handler J. Allen	

Amateur Limited Gun Dog Cassie Allen/ Justin Allen

1 st Karrycourt's Cactus Cidor- Irish Setter	Handler B. Wagner	2pts
2 nd Hickory Acrers Button Hook – GSP	Handler Weslow	
3 rd Tsavo's My Name is Earl – Vizsla	Handler Keeton	
4 th Red Rivers Southern Harmony- Vizsla	Handler Hatfield	

Open Derby – Scott Weslow / Art Terstage

1 st Vanguard's Neon Geneis – Vizsla	Handler Rogers	3pts
2 nd Outbacks Here We go Again – GSP	Handler Custer	
3 rd Russell's Karrycourt Kiara- Irish Setter	Handler B. Wagner	
4 th Brackemoor Pengance Blackbird – Pointer	Handler Chapman	

Amateur Gun Dog – Kelly Custer / Justin Allen

1 st Karrycourt's Cactus Cidor – Irish Setter	Handler B. Wagner	1pt
2 nd Shadowfax Field Agent – Gordon Setter	Handler Holloway	
3 rd and 4 th withheld		

Open Puppy – Scott Weslow/ Justin Allen

1 st sunny Field Aphodite Beta – GSP	Handler Terstage	3pts
2 nd Outbak's Her we go Again- GSP	Handler Custer	
3 rd K-Star Holly – Britt	Handler Webb	
4 th Mythodicals Ruadhan Seagher Irish Setter	Handler Webb	

Open Limited Gun Dog – Bill Burger/ Art Terstage

1 st Tiber Creeks Rushcreek Darcy – Vizsla	Handler Rowell	3pts
2 nd Hackasacks Beautiful Bess Pointer	Handler Chapman	
3 rd Highpowered Elhew Tank – Pointer	Handler Chapman	
4 th Tsavos My Name is Earl- Vizsla	Handler Keeton	

