

PAPILLON CANADA

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## **EDITORS MESSAGE**

Spring is coming. As the new editor of the "All Ears", You will notice that in this issue and going forward that we have added the following: Please send these to [marg.zacher@gmail.com](mailto:marg.zacher@gmail.com) with the title in the subject line (ie; Brags)

- **Know Your Member** – this is by invitation (on a random draw basis). I will sent out a list of 10 questions to be answered. If you are selected, I hope that you will participate. Forward back your answers, along with a picture of yourself (no show shots please).
- **Litter News** – Fill in the new Submission form, along with 1 picture of your new arrivals. This is in addition to you still letting your director know of any litters you have (please still do this as you can always give more information to the director). If you are able to access the pre-fillable form, You can send me the picture of the litter, along with the following information: Sire – Dam – Breeder - # and breakdown of puppies - Date of Birth
- **Brag** – Fill in the new Submission form, along with 1 picture. This is in addition to you let your director know of your great accomplishments in any of the following arena's (Agility, Rally, Conf, etc). If you are not able to access the pre-fillable form, you can also send me one picture, along with the following. Registered name - Call Name - Owner and/or Breeder - win/or title attained and show. The picture can be either a showshot, casual or action shot. Only wins within the past 6 months. – **ONLY 1 brag per dog, per quarterly newsletter.**
- **Rainbow Bridge** – This is a new section: It will be setup as a ½ page FREE ad. You can design it yourself, or get John Morin to assist (donation to rescue).

Another wonderful add, is with the permission of the executive, we will be adding in pages from the Papillon Canada Handbooks from 1992 and 2000. These will be dispersed throughout 2022 issues. Thank you to Nancy Lopaschuk for scanning and forwarding these wonderful resources.

**All Ads are \$10 for each page. They must be sent in ad ready (either PDF format, JPEG or Word) 8 ½ x 11. Funds must be e-transferred to the treasurer [donlenpaps@aol.com](mailto:donlenpaps@aol.com) before your ad will be published. If you cannot send electronically, then contact the treasurer to make necessary arrangements.**

Executive – Director Reports

- These reports will have a picture 1 picture at the beginning of their reports (EXCEPT for committee or group events (ie: booster, specialties, picnics, etc). The person submitting me the report can decide on if it's a picture of themselves, or one that they received from a member. The picture should appear at the beginning of the report.
- Committee, Rescue, etc reports – these will obviously have multi pictures of either the activity or rescue papillons.

**Calling all members for pictures: If you have a picture of your papillons, please forward them to me. I'm looking for pictures to use on the cover, inside the newsletter, ETC (randomly).**

Page link to the executive – directors and committee reports. If there is any report from these individuals, then you will see a red (dash) box around their name. Click and you will be directed to that report. As well, table of contents, where you can click on the title in the table, and you will directly to that section.

If anyone has any questions or concerns: please feel free to contact me  
Again, thank you everyone. Margaret Zacher

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## 2022 Papillon Canada National Specialty Schedule of Events **July 28, 2022**

Hotel Blackfoot, 5940 Blackfoot Trail SE, Calgary, AB  
All events held in the Heritage Room

- 9:00 am Sweepstakes – Judge -Mrs. Sandy Schumacher
- 10:00 am National Specialty – Judge -Mr. Richard Lopaschuk
- 3:30 pm Annual General Meeting
- 6:00 pm Open Bar
- 6:30 pm Banquet and Auctions

# Presidents Message

Here we are in June and around my house it is finally starting to look like spring! Ha! It has been very dry here in Alberta and that has resulted in a very slow greening. We got some rain last night and it looks so fresh and clean outside. It seemed to turn green overnight! Now to go pull some weeds which are prolific whether there is water or not!

Our group here in Alberta has been very busy working on the upcoming National Specialty. Our club members have been very generous with their donations, and we want to thank you for your support! This was all put together rather quickly, so we have not had time to fund raise as we have in the past. We are hoping with your support, we will be able to have a super special National! There is more information about the Specialty further along in the Newsletter and I hope to see many of you at the show!

If there is anyone out there that has experience in running on-line auctions, I would love to hear from you! Because our Specialty this year will be held in a hotel separate from the All-Breed shows, we will not have the same number of people bidding on our silent auctions. If we could get the auction on-line, we would be able to reach a much larger audience and make a few more dollars. I have a ton of Papillon and general dog stuff to auction off, but I need help! Anyone out there that can volunteer?

We have also scheduled our Annual General Meeting after the Specialty. I will look forward to seeing many of you there!

This year there are many of us on the Board and on the Executive that will be stepping down as we have served two terms in our current positions. Think about volunteering to serve on the Board! We need new people to step up and take their turn directing our club.

Please let me know if you would be interested in serving on the nominating committee for the new Board. The nominating committee is appointed in November and should be ready to submit a slate of officers to the Secretary no later than December 31, 2022. The Secretary will call for any other nominations from the membership and members have until Feb 15, 2023, to nominate candidates. If we have more than one person nominated for a position, we will have an election by secret ballot. If not, the slate of candidates selected by the nominating committee will be elected by acclamation and will take office effective April 1, 2023.

Yvonne Lord is going to be running a Booster for Papillons at the CARO (Canadian Association of Rally Obedience) virtual show in October. There is more information elsewhere in the Newsletter.

Enjoy this summer and I hope to see you in Calgary in July!

Louann Hansen

## SECRETARY & MEMBERSHIP & BENEVOLENT CHAIR REPORTS

Summer is just around the corner after a long, cold Winter here in Winnipeg! As I write this, it is mid June and I feel as if we have missed Spring. We are enjoying the odd day of sunshine and warmth and summer-like temperatures. But we have had an enormous amount of rain this Spring. Unfortunately, farmers are struggling to seed their fields here in Manitoba, with flooding in many areas. It's hard to believe that this time last year we were experiencing drought conditions on the Prairie.

Our little Phalene, Oakley, is always up for activity time outdoors, either in our backyard or going for leisurely walks. So we take advantage of the pleasant weather by trying to spend a great deal of time outside when we can, especially after the mandated Covid pandemic restrictions we have all experienced these past two years. It lifts my Spirit to finally see leaves on the trees & the flowers in my garden blooming. And I love watching our dog, Oakley, once again chase squirrels and birds in our backyard, although thankfully, she has yet to catch one!

### PAPILLON CANADA BUSINESS

The exciting Summer news is that **Louann Hansen** and **Toby Hately** as well as various other volunteers are busy organizing and preparing for the **2022 Papillon Canada National Specialty, Thursday, July 28, 2022**, in conjunction with the four day Alberta Kennel Club Show. The Specialty will be held at the Hotel Blackfoot in Calgary, AB, so be sure to save the date! Please see the **Notice of the 2022 AGM**, later in my Report.

With regard to Papillon Canada business, my ongoing tasks have continued to involve communicating via email with Board members, as well as responding to emails from Club members and other Papillon fanciers. I have also been managing and recording Motions, as presented and voted on by Board members. You can view these Motions further down in my Report.

As Membership Chair, I have processed 71 membership renewals, 12 being Joint memberships & 11 being Life memberships. As well, since January 2022, I have processed 3 New Member Applications, and welcomed 1 new Joint member to an existing member's renewal. This now brings our membership count to 83 members.

### WELCOME to NEW MEMBERS

I would like to extend a warm welcome to the following new Club member...

#### **Amberlee Ficociello**

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Peachland, BC

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Sponsors: Nancy Lopaschuk & Toby Hately

Amberlee is involved with Conformation & Agility.

### MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

I have updated the **2022 Papillon Canada Membership Roster** and have recently emailed an updated edition out to all Club members. The new Papillon Canada website has also been recently updated, with any necessary changes.

Please do not hesitate to contact me throughout the year if any additional changes and updates to the Membership Roster or website are necessary.

## CONDOLENCES

On behalf of the Papillon Canada Board of Directors and all Papillon Canada Club members, I wish to offer my sincere condolences to P.E.I Club member, **Jody Hoheisel**, whose partner, **Tony**, passed away suddenly & unexpectedly in early June 2022. Our thoughts and prayers are with Jody and her family.

As well, on behalf of the Papillon Canada Board of Directors and all Papillon Canada Club members, I also wish to offer my sincere condolences to B.C. Club member, **Yvonne Lord**, whose partner, Club member, **Frank LaFrance**, also passed away suddenly and unexpectedly in early June 2022. Our thoughts and prayers are with Yvonne & her family.

## PAPILLON CANADA MOTIONS – 2021/222

**April 5, 2021** – Moved by Kathy French, seconded by Vivian Hould, **that the Board remove Mandiee O'Brien as the Papillon Canada Rescue Coordinator and as a signing authority on the Papillon Canada Rescue bank account and add the current Papillon Canada Treasurer, Donna Edwards, as a signing authority.**

In favour: Kathy French, Vivian Hould, Donna Edwards, Kay Reid, Bett Nielsen, Nancy Verhoog, Nancy Lopaschuk

Motion carried: April 6, 2021

**April 29, 2021** – Moved by Vivian Hould, seconded by Kay Reid, **that the Board approve the New Member Application of Barbara Hays of Vernon, B.C. If approved, the details of her application will be sent to the general Club membership for comment.**

In favour: Vivian Hould, Kay Reid, Bett Nielsen, Sylvie D'Amboise, Kathy French, Jennifer Raymaakers, Nancy Verhoog, Donna Edwards

Motion carried: May 1, 2021

**May 7, 2021** - Moved by Nancy Lopaschuk, seconded by Vivian Hould, **that the Board accept the New Member Application of Margaret Zacher of Kelowna, B.C. & that the details of her application be sent to the general Club membership for comment.**

In favour: Nancy Lopaschuk, Vivian Hould, Jennifer Raymaakers, Donna Edwards, Kathy French, Nancy Verhoog, Kay Reid, Sylvie D'Amboise

Motion carried: May 9, 2021

**May 16, 2021** – Moved by Kathy French, seconded by Nancy Verhoog, **that the Board accept the joint New Member Application of Angelika & Neil Sirois of Courtney, BC & that the details of their application be sent out to the general Club members for comment.**

In favour: Kathy French, Nancy Verhoog, Vivian Hould, Nancy Lopaschuk, Sylvie D'Amboise, Donna Edwards, Kay Reid, Bett Nielsen, Toby Hatel

Motion carried: May 18, 2021

**May 25, 2021** – Moved by Kathy French, seconded by Nancy Verhoog, **that the Board confirm Alberta Club Member, Toby Hatel, as the new Papillon Canada Rescue Coordinator.**

In favour: Kathy French, Nancy Verhoog, Jennifer Raymaakers, Vivian Hould, Nancy Lopaschuk, Kay Reid, Donna Edwards, Bett Nielsen, Sylvie D'Amboise

Motion carried: May 27, 2021

**November 9, 2021** – Moved by Vivian Hould, seconded by Kathy French, **that Margaret Zacher be appointed as the new Papillon Canada “All Ears” Newsletter editor.**

In favour: Vivian Hould, Kathy French, Kay Reid, Nancy Verhoog, Jennifer Raymakers, Nancy Lopaschuk, Toby Hately, Bett Nielsen

Motion carried: November 9, 2021

**December 2, 2021** – Moved by Bett Nielsen, seconded by Kathy French, **that Bett Nielsen be approved to host a Booster be held in June 2022, in conjunction with the Evangeline Kennel Club.**

In favour: Bett Nielsen, Kathy French, Nancy Verhoog, Nancy Lopaschuk, Vivian Hould, Kay Reid, Toby Hately, Donna Edwards

Motion carried: December 7, 2021

**December 18, 2021** - Moved by Toby Hately, Seconded by Jennifer Raymakers, **that we combine the Papillon Canada & Papillon Canada Rescue Websites in 2022, as they were years ago, in order to conserve the amount of money we spend on the 2 websites.**

In favour: Toby Hately, Jennifer Raymakers, Kay Reid, Kathy French, Sylvie D'Amboise, Donna Edwards, Nancy Lopaschuk, Vivian Hould, Bett Nielsen

Motion carried: December 31, 2021

**January 1, 2022** – Moved by Donna Edwards, seconded by Jennifer Raymakers, **that Papillon Canada Rescue cover the cost of the combining of the Papillon Canada Club website and the Papillon Canada Rescue website.**

In favour: Donna Edwards, Jennifer Raymakers, Vivian Hould, Bett Nielsen, Nancy Lopaschuk, Kathy French, Nancy Verhoog, Kay Reid

Motion carried: January 1, 2022

**January 17, 2022** – Moved by Bett Nielsen, seconded by Vivian Hould, **that the Board accept the New Member Application of Jennifer Scott of Calgary, AB & that the details of her application be sent out to the general Club members for comment.**

In favour: **Bett Nielsen, Vivian Hould, Kay Reid, Sylvie D'Amboise, Jennifer Raymakers, Nancy Lopaschuk, Nancy Verhoog, Donna Edwards, Kathy French**

Motion carried: January 19, 2022

**January 29, 2022** - Moved by Bett Nielsen, seconded by Kathy French, **that the Board accept the New Member Application of Jayne Russell of Foothills, AB & that the details of her application be sent out to the general Club members for comment.**

In favour: **Bett Nielsen, Kathy French, Vivian Hould, Jennifer Raymakers, Donna Edwards, Kay Reid, Nancy Lopaschuk, Nancy Verhoog**

Motion carried: February 2, 2022

**February 11, 2022** – Moved by Jennifer Raymakers, seconded by Toby Hately, **that Margaret Zacher be approved to host a Booster in conjunction with the Kelowna Kennel Club on either May 21 or 22, 2022.**

In favour: Jennifer Raymakers, Toby Hately, Kay Reid, Vivian Hould, Nancy Lopaschuk, Kathy French, Nancy Verhoog, Sylvie D'Amboise, Bett Nielsen

Motion carried: February 11, 2022

**February 20, 22** – Moved by Kathy French, seconded by Vivian Hould, **that Moira Ure be approved to host a Booster at the West Kootenay Kennel Club Show (August 28-31, 2022) under Judge Mary White.**

In favour: Kathy French, Vivian Hould, Nancy Verhoog, Jennifer Raymaakers, Nancy Lopaschuk, Toby Hately, Kay Reid, Donna Edwards

Motion carried: February 21, 2022

**March 4, 2022** – Moved by Kay Reid, seconded by Kathy French, **that Kay Reid be approved to host a Booster at the Nanaimo Kennel Club Show on Saturday, June 18, 2022, under Judge Mr. Sangkunakup of Thailand.**

In favour: Kay Reid, Kathy French, Vivian Hould, Bett Nielsen, Toby Hately, Nancy Verhoog, Nancy Lopaschuk, Donna Edwards, Jennifer Raymaakers

Motion carried: March 5, 2022

**March 11, 2022** – Moved by Kay Reid, seconded by Nancy Lopaschuk, **that the Board accept the New Member Application of Amberlee Ficociello of Peachland, BC & that the details of her application be sent out to the general Club members for comment.**

In favour: **Kay Reid, Nancy Lopaschuk, Vivian Hould, Kathy French, Donna Edwards, Bett Nielsen, Sylvie D'Amboise, Nancy Verhoog**

Motion carried: March 15, 2022

**March 24, 2022** – Moved by Bett Nielsen, seconded by Jennifer Raymaakers, **that the Board accept Louann Hansen's proposal to host the 2022 Papillon Canada National Specialty on Thursday, July 28, 2022, in conjunction with the Alberta Kennel Club Show at Spruce Meadows on the August 2022 long weekend.**

In favour: Bett Nielsen, Jennifer Raymaakers, Vivian Hould, Kathy French, Kay Reid, Nancy Lopaschuk, Donna Edwards

Motion carried: March 26, 2022

**April 6, 2022** – Moved by Kay Reid, seconded by Vivian Hould, **that due to the resignation of Toby Hately, the Board confirm Ontario Club Member, Donna Edwards, as the new Papillon Canada Rescue Coordinator.**

In favour: Kay Reid, Vivian Hould, Bett Nielsen, Nancy Lopaschuk, Kathy French, Nancy Verhoog, Sylvie D'Amboise

Motion carried: April 11, 2022

**June 6, 2022** – Moved by Vivian Hould, seconded by Kay Reid, **that Yvonne Lord be approved to host a Booster for Papillons at the upcoming CARO (Canadian Association of Rally Obedience) virtual trial, running Sept 30 – Oct 11, 2022, and that Papillon Canada pay for ribbons for qualifying scores & new titles.**

In favour: Vivian Hould, Kay Reid, Nancy Verhoog, Bett Nielsen, Donna Edwards, Toby Hately, Jennifer Raymaakers, Kathy French

Motion carried: June 6, 2022

## **THE PAPILLON CANADA 2022 AGM**

Below, please find a notice of the **Papillon Canada 2022 Annual General Meeting**, to be held in Calgary, AB, on **Thursday, July 28, 2022**. If you are unable to attend the 2022 AGM but wish to submit a **Proxy Vote Form**, please send it to our Club's President, **Louann Hansen**, [louannah@nucleus.com](mailto:louannah@nucleus.com) or to another Club member who will be attending the AGM and whom you would like to vote on your behalf.

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**Thursday, July 28, 2022  
Heritage Room - Hotel Blackfoot, 5940 Blackfoot Trail SE, Calgary, AB  
Time: TBA – after judging of the National Specialty (3:30 PM)**

**AGENDA FOR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

- Call to Order
- Minutes of the previous AGM
- Financial Report
- Appointment of Auditors
- President’s Report
- Secretary’s Report
- Reports of Directors
- Committee Reports
- Old Business
- New Business
- Adjournment

As per our By-laws ten per cent (10%) of the voting membership present in person at a meeting shall constitute a quorum. A voting member may, by means of written proxy, appoint a proxy holder to attend and act at a specific meeting of members, in the manner and to the extent authorized by the proxy. A proxy holder must be a member in good standing of the Club and entitled to vote.

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**PAPILLON CANADA PROXY FORM**

I, (print full name) \_\_\_\_\_, being a member of Papillon Canada Association, hereby appoint

(print full name) \_\_\_\_\_, also a member of Papillon Canada Association, as my proxy to vote for me at the Annual General Meeting of the Association to be held on July 28, 2022 and at any adjournment thereof.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Submitted by:** Kathy French, Papillon Canada Secretary & Membership Chairperson  
Papillon Canada Benevolent Coordinator



## **BRITISH COLUMBIA INTERIOR REPORT – June 2022**

### **Director – Nancy Lopaschuk**

Here it is the middle of June and in Cranbrook, the weather has been very cool and rainy this month. Not like a typical warm June but the yards and fields are certainly green and requiring a lot of cutting.

On a sad note, member Frank LaFrance, Yvonne Lord's partner passed away in May. Frank was very special not only to Yvonne but to their entire Papillon/Phalene crew. Condolences go out to Yvonne and family. See a tribute to Frank in another part of the newsletter.

Congratulations to Case & Kelley Laan on their Veteran Flint winning BOS to his daughter Flame, Best Veteran & Stud Dog at the Papillon Club Of America National Specialty in May. Flint was also awarded the Gold Butterfly for 2021. Unfortunately, Case & Kelley were unable to attend the Specialty.

#### **Yvonne Lord – Merritt BC**

News.... Stormy had a litter of 4 lovely and lively pups and Frank, and I spent our late winter and spring raising the wee beggars. This was one of my easiest litters ever... I used an alfalfa pellet litterbox and pups were using it from the moment they could crawl into it! And it never smelled nasty in my house.

Keeping pups until they are 12 weeks or more can be difficult. The little beggars were destroying my furniture! But oh my, it is so interesting to watch as they hone their social skills. At first, the signal for wanting to play is to just go over and start chewing on little sibling, even if sibby is sleeping. A few arguments later and we saw eye contact and then play bows. So very interesting, and it makes me cringe to remember sending 8-week-old westies to their homes.

Congratulations to their new owners... Moira took 2 little show prospects, my sister Diane in Victoria fell in love with one and Dietlinde in Calgary has the fourth. All are settling in well. I think that finding good guardians/owners is the toughest thing about breeding a litter.

When delivering Piper to my sister in Victoria, Frank and I went to visit a puppy from Stormy's first litter. Chanelle lives in a 3rd floor apartment with dogma Angelika and dogpa Neil. She is living the good life and plays hockey with dogpa Neil every morning. It was so much fun... for 15 minutes, Neil commentated the game while playing the other team. Chanelle holds a little bone toy with her mouth, also using front paws and shows amazing 'puck' handling skills to get the puck (a ball) into the goal. It was a wonderful thing to watch a game!

Sadly, my Frank developed acute severe pancreatitis in late May and after a short battle, passed away. My tiny pack are missing him terribly, especially Tempe who has never known a world that didn't include her Puppa. So we sit together in his spot on the couch when we need a quiet moment.

#### **Ellen Pollock – Trail BC**

Just a brag. Anacott Animato Catch a Break (Chance) joins his house mate BeBop as a certified St John's Ambulance Therapy Dog. Chance was spotted by one of the directors of our local hospital and will soon be visiting patients on the medical wing!

Ellen

**Barbara Hay – (Sunoka) – Vernon BC**

Ch. Sunokas Mario is just 3 1/2 yrs old and has the following titles ADC, SGDC, AADC, AGDC, NTD, NVT, MADC, ANJ, AN, Int Agility, NPAD, AGNJ

Barbara Hay is the Breeder and owner and handler

Ch. Sunokas Jedi Warrior just finished his Championship at Kelowna Dog show

His new title now is Ch. Sunokas Jedi Warrior NTD, ADC, SGDC

This young boy is just 2 1/2 yrs old and is doing agility and now going to work on his Grand

**Margaret Zacher (Ladymagic) – Kelowna BC**

I don't know about you, but 2022 isn't exactly how I thought we'd be experiencing it. The fact is, storms of life come - often quickly and unexpectedly. It's has been so wonderful to hear how so many members have been helping others deal with the world's misfortune. While we can't stop the storms, we can do our best to prepare and focusing on what we can control and the best route upward.

Amid the Dogshow world, which is always a great escape, we have had several accomplishments. Sailor on the May long-weekend won Papillon Canada Booster at the Kelowna Kennel Club show, as well as 1-Best in Show and 3-Group 1st. I really enjoyed being on the lead in the Best In Show ring.

Sailor and I had a great time at the Okanagan Valley Obedience and Rally Trials a few weeks before. We did rally on the first day and obedience on the second day. Despite my misreading of 2 signs, sailor gathered his first RAE pair and 2 HIC from the Open HB class. We were tied for High In Trial, according to judge we missed the run off by just a hair. Considering we focus most of this year on conformation, I'm always amazed at how well Sailor does.

Congratulations to all the Canadians that ventured to the American Papillon National. Sailor and I we unable to attend, due to family commitments, but look forward to next year.

**Nancy & Richard Lopaschuk (Nanrich Perm Reg'd) – Cranbrook BC**

On March 20<sup>th</sup> our girl AM/CAN CH Nanrich TopFlite Midnite Madness (Mandy) & AM CH MACH 6 TopFlite Hear Me Roar UD PCD BN MXB2 NF CGC TKP (Rory) blessed us with 2 boys and a girl born in Wisconsin whelped by our dear friend Kay Detampel. Then, on April 6<sup>th</sup>, GCH Nanrich TopFlite Sky's The Limit (Skyler) blessed us with 2 boys & a girl. Skyler's litter was sired by GCH Vega TopFlite Bound For Glory (Hero)

In May, we attended the Papillon Club Of America National Specialty in Louisville KY. I took 1 dog to KY with me and came home with 4 as we brought Mandy and 2 of her 3 pups back at 10 weeks old to join our litter who were 8 weeks. Our co-breeder Sandy Schumacher is co-owner on both litters. So right now, we have a houseful of 5 very busy puppies.

While at the PCA banquet in KY, I was proud to accept a Sire of Merit Certificate for Radar (AM/CAN GCH Nanrich Valifyre Off The Radar) which he qualified for in 2021.

A sad day here on June 13 when we had to say goodbye to our beloved Peter (AM/CAN CH Nanrich's Peter O'Doul CGN CAN RA, AM RN). Peter was the best behaved and most loved by the family of all of our Papillon household. He will be so missed.

### **Moire Ure – (Annacott Papillons & Phalenes) - Grand Forks**

We are very pleased to welcome the first litter from our group winning Gr. Ch. Annacott Animato Gay Noelle. The sire is Akai's Diamond In The Ruff. A lot of effort was put in by Marion Ford to ensure this mating happened. We are so grateful and pleased with the results. Two bouncing baby girls were born on May 1, 2022. They are now over 6 weeks old and showing a lot of promise.

I am still busy with a few very nice youngsters awaiting their turn in the ring. Impi (Annacott Animato Impish One) made her first appearance in the ring at the booster held at Kelowna. She is a little dog to keep an eye on. She did not put a foot wrong and free stacked as if I was not on the end of that lead. So many compliments about this one. She won BOS, BP and WB. Impi is sired by Ch. Annacott Charming Chico. Her dam is the well-known BISS Am. Gr. Ch/Can Gr Ch. Annacott Animato Echo who finished her show career by winning Best of Opposite Sex at the U.S. National last September. Can Impi follow in her footsteps?



## **ONTARIO REPORT – June 2022**

### **Director Vivian Hould**

Rollande Larsen - Rokila Papillons - Thunder Bay

We had a late but great start to shows this year. I took my junior puppy Riesa N Passionpaps Keep Rockin The Boat At Rokila “Dougie”, co-owned with and bred by Darlene Kelly, to Winnipeg for the Assinaboine KC show. He was BOW all 4 shows (8pts) and Best Puppy in Group all 4 shows! He then finished the weekend going Best Puppy in Show in the last show.

Two weeks later at our local Lakehead KC show he earned his final 2 points for his championship! We then went back to Winnipeg for the Fort Garry KC show as a special where he took Select dog once for a GrCh point and also was awarded Best Puppy in Group.

Also during all this my young home bred girl Rokila Closer to The Sky “Sky” earned her championship as well.

## PAPILLON CANADA TREASURER'S REPORT

The books for April 1 2021 – April 1 2022 have been audited. Just a little reminder to everyone that any funds coming to the club (membership, ads for newsletter, etc.) can be e-transferred to me at [donlenpaps@aol.com](mailto:donlenpaps@aol.com). No security question is required and funds will automatically be deposited. Also, please remember to put a short message as to what funds are for. Thank you.

Donna Edwards

Papillon Canada Treasurer

## PAPILLON CANADA RESCUE REPORT

I am sure by now that many of you are aware that I have taken on the position of National Coordinator for Papillon Canada Rescue. I just want to say thank you to Toby Hately for stepping up last year to keep things organized during our transition period. We have had several hard working Coordinators over the years and I only hope I can fill those big shoes. Along with this, I am also the Treasurer for Rescue so am now handling the books, which have also been audited for the past year.

Rescue has been quiet this past year, other than the 3 Paps taken in early in the New Year. Thank you, Julia Beaton, for handling those rescues in B.C. After realizing the condition of some of these rescues and how much the vet costs can be, I realize that fundraising needs to be a foremost concern. All dogs coming into Rescue have shots brought up to date, are spayed or neutered and have any dental work taken care of. Anything further requiring vet care will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis, by a Rescue committee.

A big thank you goes out to Dietlinde Wall who will once again produce a calendar for Rescue this year. Start taking some special shots of your Paps and get ready to submit them for the calendar. Please note that calendar photos do not all have to be Rescue dogs. I am sure everyone would love to see their fur babies on a calendar.

Papillon Canada Rescue will be holding a silent auction. Thank you to John Morin, who has donated 10 handmade butterfly key chain/ornaments to Rescue. If you are interested in participating in the online auction, please submit your bid to [papilloncanadarescue@gmail.ca](mailto:papilloncanadarescue@gmail.ca). Include the amount you wish to bid and your email address. Please bid your maximum offer (keep in mind mailing costs to get it to you) as only one bid per person will be accepted. Top 10 bids will win. Please note all payments will be required before key chains can be mailed out. Pictures do not do justice of these key chains. They are absolutely beautiful! Any payments to Rescue can be done via e-transfer to [papilloncanadarescue@gmail.ca](mailto:papilloncanadarescue@gmail.ca).



A big thank you to Patricia Baisi & Cynthia Holborn, who have once again offered to host the World Famous Papillon Picnic in Ladner, B.C. on July 16th. A portion of the

funds raised will be donated to Papillon Canada Rescue. If anyone else has any other ideas for fundraising or would like to hold a fundraiser for Rescue, please let me know.

Donna Edwards

Papillon Canada Rescue Coordinator/Treasurer

## Papillon Canada Rescue – BC Report – June 2022

This is a story of a little Papillon named Sadie...

Sadie was a very young Papillon who was surrendered to me here on the West coast back in 2013. Sadie was a troubled little Papillon who would turn her head on a dime to let you know that she had had enough. She lived in my home following her surrender, where she remained for a few months. It was a very difficult few months for my already formed pack of little dogs.

At the time of Sadie's surrender, Debbie Crabtree was our Papillon Canada Rescue Coordinator. Debbie and I had formed a friendship over the years and of course we talked a lot about the behaviours I was experiencing with Sadie, while also looking after my own BC Rescue organization, Little Paws Rescue. Debbie suggested that I send Sadie to her in Ontario because she did not have any Paps in Rescue at that time. So arrangements were made to fly Sadie to Debbie in Ontario.



Debbie fostered Sadie for quite a few months, still experiencing challenging behaviours with her. This made it very difficult to attempt to adopt her out. Then, one day Debbie's sister, Jackie, dropped by Debbie's house. Jackie had met Sadie on a few occasions and it was noticed that Sadie was a slightly different dog when Jackie was visiting. So the decision we all came to and agreed with, was to move Sadie into Jackie and Mike's home for awhile to see how she would adjust as an only dog. Almost ten years later, Jackie and Mike still have Sadie and she is now 13 years old.

Sadie soon became Mike's constant shadow and between them they formed a very special, loving relationship over the years. Sadie often would go boating with Mike. She would also enjoy sitting in a basket attached to the front handlebars of his bike. She was so very happy to be with Mike, no matter what it was that he was doing. She also knew when it was time for Mike to arrive home from work and would sit by the front door waiting for him.

Throughout the years, Sadie was still a troubled dog with the family, but never with Mike. It was as if she knew that Mike was the person who saved her life and she learned to be a lot more settled in his home. Over the years, I would receive happy stories of family gatherings, but Sadie would usually have to stay in a bedroom because her behavior could not to be trusted with anyone except Mike.

I recently received news from Jackie and Mike that Sadie is now 13 years old and is suffering from Sundowners Disease, which I've since learned is a form of Dementia.

Sadie will sit and stare at the wall quite often, along with other strange symptoms.

Even with all of these symptoms being noticed, Sadie is still the troubled little Papillon she was 13 years ago when she was surrendered to me here in Vancouver.

Jackie recently sent me some lovely photos, from the day Sadie arrived at the airport in Ontario, along with other photos of Sadie in her life jacket on a canoe with Mike, paddling down the river. She also sent another sweet photo of Sadie sitting next to Mike beside a helicopter on a "Bring Your Dog to Work Day." Very special pictures. Sadie is still with Jackie & Mike and is still truly bonded to Mike. It makes my heart sing to hear about the dogs, especially the troubled ones, who have come into Rescue needing our help and have found just the right homes.

When I put Sadie on that plane so many years ago, I felt sad and disappointed that she was such a troubled little Papillon and I could not help her. Now I know I did the right thing in sending her to Ontario. Sadie found her special person and continues to share her life with Mike and Jackie. Without Debbie and Jackie and Mike, I'm not sure what would have happened to Sadie. Sometimes these special troubled little souls settle down when they find True Love.



Submitted by: Julia Beaton, Papillon Canada Rescue B.C. Rep



# Papillon Canada 2022 National Specialty

**July 28, 2022**

Hotel Blackfoot, 5940 Blackfoot Trail SE, Calgary, AB  
Heritage Room

Judge for all Regular/Non-Regular and Unofficial classes

**Mr. Richard Lopaschuk**

Judge for Puppy and Veteran Sweepstakes

**Mrs. Sandra Schumacher**

Special Room Rates - \$109.00/night \$25.00 fee per stay for up to 2 dogs, \$35.00 for over 2 dogs. Rate is good for the whole weekend! Mention Papillon Canada for this special room rate! Deadline to book rooms at this rate is July 4, 2022! Don't delay!

Hotel Blackfoot Reservations 403-252-2253

Buffet Banquet starting at 6 pm the evening of the Specialty - at the hotel in the Heritage Room. Cost \$35.00/person. Cash bar. Banquet can be reserved and paid for with entries at [dogshow.ca](http://dogshow.ca) or contact Toby Hately [toby.hately@gmail.com](mailto:toby.hately@gmail.com) for reservations and payment. Last day to reserve, July 25, 2022.

Auctions - Silent and Live Auctions. Do you have items to donate? Contact Louann Hansen [louannah@nucleus.com](mailto:louannah@nucleus.com)  
403-931-2277

The Specialty will be held the day before the four-day Alberta Kennel Club Shows, July 29 - Aug 1. The Southern Alberta Toy Dog Fanciers Specialty is also on the Saturday, July 30. So, including our Specialty there will be 6 sets of points available!

Premium list and entries for all events available on [dogshow.ca](http://dogshow.ca) Show Secretary, VGI Show Services - Erin Verwey, [events@verwey.ca](mailto:events@verwey.ca)

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**2022 PAPILLON CANADA NATIONAL SPECIALTY**

<u>Prize</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Best of Breed	\$100	
Best of Opposite	\$75	
Select Dog	\$45	
Select Bitch	\$45	
Award of Merit	\$40	
Award of Merit	\$40	
Best Of Winners	\$50	
Winners Dog	\$40	Lynne Beilhartz
Winners Bitch	\$40	Lynne Beilhartz
Res. Winners Dog	\$25	
Res. Winners Bitch	\$25	
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(from the Bred By classes)		
Best Canadian Bred	\$20	Kay Reid
(from Can. Bred classes)		
Best Phalene	\$35	Louann Hansen
(from Open drop ear classes)		
Best Brace	\$35	
Stud Dog	\$35	
Brood Bitch	\$35	
Best Veteran	\$35	Jennifer Raymaakers
Best Baby Puppy	\$30	
<u>First place class prizes-Dog</u>		
6-9 month	\$10	
9-12 month	\$10	
12-18 month	\$10	
Canadian Bred	\$10	Kay Reid
Bred By Exhibitor	\$10	
Open Drop Ear	\$10	Jennifer Raymaakers
Open Erect Ear	\$10	
Veteran 7-10 years	\$10	
Veteran 10+ years	\$10	
Baby Puppy 4-6 month	\$10	
<u>First Place Class prizes-Bitch</u>		
6-9 month	\$10	
9-12 month	\$10	
12-18 month	\$10	
Canadian Bred	\$10	Kay Reid
Bred By Exhibitor	\$10	
Open Drop Ear	\$10	Jennifer Raymaakers
Open Erect Ear	\$10	
Veteran 7-10 years	\$10	
Veteran 10+ years	\$10	
Baby Puppy 4-6 month	\$10	

Second, third and fourth place Prizes Louann Hansen

**Prize**

**Amount**

**Sponsor**

**Sweepstakes**

Best Junior in Sweeps	\$30
Best Of Opposite in Sweeps	\$25
Best Veteran in Sweepstakes	\$30
Best Opp. Veteran in Sweeps	\$25
Best Baby Puppy in Sweeps	\$20

In addition - 75% of all entry monies will be divided and awarded all winners and class placements in Sweeps

We are very grateful to receive any donations to the Trophy fund whether sponsoring one of the above prizes or making a donation to the general fund that covers costs such as rosettes, venue, hospitality, etc. Please contact Toby Hatelly at [toby.hatelly@gmail.com](mailto:toby.hatelly@gmail.com) if you would like to donate to the National Specialty. We would like to extend a huge thank you to all who have already sponsored prizes, please make your cheques payable to Papillon Canada 2022 National Specialty and send to Toby Hatelly, Box 29 Site 14 RR1, Okotoks, AB T1S 1A1 or e-transfer to [toby.hatelly@gmail.com](mailto:toby.hatelly@gmail.com)



## LYNNE BEILHARTZ – ONTARIO



1. **What is your favourite series, movie or book?** Not sure I can say I have a favourite movie, book or series. I read a lot and enjoy a variety of Authors. I will read just about any type of book but mostly enjoy mysteries. Recently I have been reading books written by Lisa Scottoline. I don't normally watch movies so can't say I have a favourite movie. I am an avid sports fan and watch Hockey "go Leafs go" and a Toronto Blue Jays fan and watch every game I can.

2. **How long have you been evolved in Papillons and/or Dogs?** It seems dogs have always been in my life from the time I was a child on a farm in Manitoba. I started in purebred dogs in 1980 with a Boxer and started competing in obedience and conformation. I showed and bred Boxers until 2001. In 1995 I started looking for a smaller dog and had a criteria of under 15 pounds, have an easy care coat, have few health issues and be active and intelligent. In 1996 I purchased my first Papillon from Vaire Solandt and I fell in love with this little breed. They were all I wanted in a smart healthy active little dog that could do it all.

3. **What is the activity or activities that you do with your dog (ie: Agility, Breeding, Rally, etc)?** I now mostly show in conformation although now I have to hand my dogs off to a handler In 2018 in a limited number of shows I campaigned a young male, GCH Jordannas Keep Me In Mind ,Levi, to number 3 in the breed. This was the first time I had ever campaigned a dog. I have also competed in obedience, Rally Obedience and agility with titles in all. I have the litter sister to Levi starting in agility competition this year. This was the last litter I bred, and I am no longer breeding. I still go to training classes twice a week to keep my dogs and myself active.

4. **What part of the dog activities do you like the most and why?** Showing and breeding, I loved the puppies, I love watching them develop personalities and learning new things. I also enjoyed showing puppies and watching them have fun in the ring while they learned their job.

5. **What variety of Papillon do you have or have bred (Erect Ear or Drop Ear or Both), and tell us a bit about them?** I have only had Papillons. The more I see of the drop ear variety the more I like them and if I was younger would be interested in having one.

6. **What do you think is the difference between a good dog and a great dog?** A good dog is a dog that fits into his/ her breed standard. A great dog is that same dog that has that look at me I am the best attitude and own the world. They know they are special.

7. **If you could give your 20 yr old self advice today, what would it be?** I would not change much, I raised three sons and when they were old enough, I started seriously into dogs. If I would change anything in dogs it would be to expand my breeding program earlier and enjoy more of the performance events.

8. **What can each of us do to help ensure that our sport and club prosper?** Help new people get involved in the breed and be available to mentor. It is very difficult for people to purchase a dog that they can show and eventually breed. Join and work with your All Breed club and help put on events, not just the events you are interested in. Join your Breed club and be a working member

9. **Through the years the purebred fancy has changed greatly, what do you miss the most?** Win or lose I always stay and watch the end of my breed judging and group judging. I see to many people lose their class and leave. I enjoy staying to watch until after Best In Show and socializing after and being able to talk dog. Seems most people are now in a hurry to just leave. I miss the fun matches and sanction matches in all disciplines as I loved watching the new puppies get out and seeing them grow up. It was a great place for new people to learn and practice and to meet people who had the same interests as they did.

10. **What would you like to tell the person/mentor that got you involved in Papillons?** Thanks for helping me get started in the breed and your generosity with your knowledge of the breed and passing it on. I hopefully can do the same with new people involved in the breeds.

## LOUANN HANSEN – ALBERTA



Papillon, CH Annacott Tamsin for Jay, from Moira Ure.

- 1. What is your favourite series, movie or book?** I'm not much of a movie or TV watcher but I do read voraciously! I have so many favorite authors and books it would be impossible to pick just one. I really enjoy reading historical fiction, Science fiction, horror, detective, just about any genre actually. Long ago I realized that books afforded me a glimpse into other worlds, and I have been hooked ever since!
- 2. How long have you been involved with Papillons and/or Dogs?** I received my first purebred dog for my 2<sup>nd</sup> birthday from my grandfather. It was a smooth standard dachshund puppy. My mother complained that she never knew who had bitten who or who had peed on the floor! Our family bought an Irish Setter after we moved to Canada in 1975 but it wasn't until 1995 that I purchased my first Papillon, CH Annacott Tamsin for Jay, from Moira Ure.
- 3. What is the activity or activities that you do with your dogs (ie: Agility Breeding, Rally, etc)?** My dogs are mainly my pets although I was bitten early by the conformation show bug. Part of that was due to the contract I agreed to when I purchased, Tamsin, my first Papillon from Moira Ure. I agreed to show her to her Canadian Championship and have 3 litters of puppies with her. I would have promised the moon if it meant I would get my girl! David and I very much enjoy walking our dogs on our property daily. We are fortunate that we can walk them off leash most of the time. To watch our dogs grow and learn and watch the pack dynamics is a joy we never tire of.
- 4. What part of the dog activities do you like the most and why?** I enjoy showing and training the dogs for conformation and I enjoy picking just the right boy for my girl or vice versa! It is fun to see how different lines combine and the resulting puppies. I also enjoy raising puppies, watching them grow and learn. But it is a lot of work! But the main thing I like about my dogs is the relationships we forge between us.
- 5. What variety of Papillon do you have or have bred (Erect Ear or Drop Ear or Both), and tell us a bit about them?** I breed and show Phalenes now. I started off with Papillons, but over the years, I continually got drop eared puppies in my erect ear litters. So finally, I decided to try to deliberately breed those drop eared dogs! Moira and I had a chance to purchase a lovely first generation Phalene bitch, AKC CH Marimars Willow, aka Cindy. She proved to be the foundation for a whole new line of Animato and Annacott Phalenes. I only have Phalenes now as keeping both varieties required keeping too many dogs and I had to make the choice. While I still love the Papillon, I find the challenge of trying to breed a top notch Phalene irresistible. I would like to think I have played a part in bringing the Phalene to prominence in the show ring and in the hearts of dog lovers everywhere. I would not want to lose this original variety of our breed.
- 6. What do you think is the difference between a good dog and a great dog?** To me, the difference between a good dog and a great dog is the dog's ability to produce offspring that are closer to the Breed Standard than themselves. Many top winning dogs, while very beautiful and meeting the standard in every way, do wonderfully in the show ring. But what elevates them to greatness is their ability to pass along those winning attributes. Dogs that consistently produce offspring that are closer to the breed standard are in my mind, the great ones!
- 7. If you could give your 20 yr old self advice today, what would it be?** Well, there are a lot of things I wish I had done differently! But my history and the decisions I made have forged the life I have today, which I would not change!
- 8. What can each of us do to help ensure that our sport and club prosper?** We can enthusiastically participate in our sport and club and encourage others to do the same! I am a firm believer in the old adage that you get out what you put into any endeavour. Step up and volunteer in this club, in other breed and group specific clubs and in your local all breed club! Be inclusive and welcoming to all that want to join! Be a good sport, be nice to others and be willing to help in whatever way you can to encourage others, promote our breed and the clubs that surround it.

**9. Through the years the purebred fancy has changed greatly, what do you miss the most?** I guess I haven't been doing this long enough to notice any great changes! I first started showing dogs in 1996 and joined Papillon Canada, The Papillon Club of America and The Papillon (Butterfly Dog) Club at the same time. I have always enjoyed the camaraderie around the show ring and have joined clubs that provide that same sense of wonder and sharing that I myself find so encouraging. The friendships and relationships forged with other dog folks have stayed with me all this time. I enjoy hashing over the shows I attend; how I could do things better, what the strengths and faults were of my dogs and my competition. I enjoy learning and feel you can learn something from just about everyone you meet in the dog world.

**10. What would you like to tell the person/mentor that got you involved in Papillons?**

Thank you!! If it hadn't been for Moira Ure, I would not have found this wonderful world of dogs and caring people. Most of my friends are dog people; whether they are co-breeders, competitors or puppy buyers!



#### **DARLENE KELLY – MANITOBA**

**1. What is your favourite series, movie or book?** I would have to say my favourite movie would be Avatar. It is the visual nature of this movie that I love. I sit and watch the beautiful cinematography and just relax. My favorite series the old Law and Order series. I don't think there is a current series that is a must watch for me.

**2. How long have you been evolved in Papillons and/or Dogs?** I have been involved in dogs in one form or another for over 30 years. We started out with German Shepherds. I loved training them for the obedience ring and also did some tracking and Shutzhund. When we were looking to downsize the Papillon was the natural choice as they are so smart and trainable "except barking".

**3. What is the activity or activities that you do with your dog (ie: Agility, Breeding, Rally, etc)?** First and foremost our dogs are our companions, we love to go for walks or just play with them in the yard. I love the training aspect but have not taken them into the obedience ring yet. I love raising new puppies and planning out breedings. Looking at past generations and thinking hmmm what would be best. The conformation ring has been a lot of fun and I hope to judge one day. As we age things seem to fall apart LOL so may be easier on the old body than showing.

**4. What part of the dog activities do you like the most and why?** I love the comradery and companionship going to shows brings. Yes it is a competitive hobby but it is also fun to see my friends do well as well. Life is too short to take it too seriously.

**5. What variety of Papillon do you have or have bred (Erect Ear or Drop Ear or Both), and tell us a bit about them?** We breed erect ear Papillons but recently we have had a couple of Drop ear dogs come up. The pedigree on these dogs can be traced back to Mardell's Luke. Our lines come down from Canisphere and Maximillon Papillons. I love the old lines such as Daneview Kris Kringle and the old Caswell lines.

**6. What do you think is the difference between a good dog and a great dog?** All things being equal **ATTITUDE!** They can be a beautiful specimen, but without the show dog attitude it's just a pretty picture.

**7. If you could give your 20 yr old self advice today, what would it be?** Don't believe everything you hear, but be open to new ideas and people.

**8 What can each of us do to help ensure that our sport and club prosper?** Be kind to new people take a chance on them. We have all be burnt at one time or another chalk it up to lessons learned. Take time to mentor younger people most of the time it is worth it.

**9. Through the years the purebred fancy has changed greatly, what do you miss the most?** The comradery is what I miss the most even before the pandemic people never seem to stick around after they show and just socialize. We used to have group dinners, pot lucks and just all around good times. Now I have seen more poor losers, more back stabbing and childish mentalities. This is our sport we are supposed to have fun. It is starting to not be fun anymore and that is how we lose competitors and good breeders.

**10. What would you like to tell the person/mentor that got you involved in Papillons?** Thank you! I have done so many times! It never seems enough though

#### **JOANNE MCLEOD – BRITISH COLUMBIA**



I am JoAnne McLeod from Courtenay, BC on Vancouver Island. I am a lifetime member of CKC and just received my award for 50 years of continuous membership this spring. My main interest in dogs has always been in performance sports, starting in the mid 60's with Collies. My 2nd dog became one of Canada's first Ch & OT Ch Collie. In the late 70's I moved to Golden Retrievers because of their higher energy level and strong work ethic. This breed introduced me to the wonderful world of field work and tracking. All 3 of my Golden's earned titles in field, Obedience and tracking. With obedience trialing limited to the Island and Lower mainland my first Golden still managed to place third in Canada one year and was the top scoring Obedience dog in the Golden Retriever Club of BC. several

years in a row. We were also invited to the Gaines National Obedience Competition in Chicago in the early 80's where "Change" placed in the top 10 of the Novice Class. In 1985 I became a licensed CKC tracking judge. I still enjoy judging both field and urban tests, making new friends at each test,

In 2004 looking forward to retirement and travel I started looking for a more transportable size dog It did not take me long to decide on a Papillon. I fell in love with their perky faces and happy energy level and instantly knew this was a great breed for performance sports. Not wanting a small puppy, I was so fortunate to purchase an 11-month-old male from Arkeno Kennels. It was a huge learning curve for me to adjust my training after working with much larger dogs for over 30 years. "Switch " was a great re-trainer partner for me and we titled in Obedience, Rally and Tracking. We were working on Utility, when in 2011 he he died unexpectedly of Immune mediated Meningoencephalomyelitis. Getting past that heartbreak I knew that Switch had introduced me to a whole new and very enjoyable obedience adventure.

My next Papillon "Cash" and I had a wonderful and very exciting career, earning Championships in Obedience, Tracking and Scent Work, as well as a Masters in Rally. Cash was (and may still be) the first Papillon to earn a Tracking Championship, which requires passing both levels in field tracking as well as both levels in Urban. Urban tracking was introduced by CKC in 2005 and requires the dog to follow a person's track on vegetated and non veg surfaces and to locate all of the articles---leather, metal, wood, cloth or plastic Urban tests are usually held on school/college grounds or around business complexes The dog and handler need be confident in working in areas with pedestrian and vehicular traffic Cash also competes in Barn Hunt and Canine Dressage. With not much left for Cash to accomplish I needed another companion to work with. Kelly and Case Laan let me purchase the lovely male 4-year-old male "Tristan" whom I renamed "Quest", since we would be on the hunt for performance titles. We are both enjoying the process earning titles in Obedience, Rally and Scent work. Now that Covid seems under control we are working towards a field TDX, RAE, CDX and the second level in Scent work.

Since Quest had his breed Ch when I purchased him, I am thrilled that he has titles at both ends of his name. This was goal I strove for with my Collies and Golden Retrievers as well. I would love to see a time in the near future when this was a serious consideration of all breeders. Our beautiful butterflies are so very capable of shining in performance sports. My dream is that one day the Papillon Club of Canada would offer an Obedience trial at all our specialties---not just a booster! What a great way to demonstrate to all breeders the many talents of our wonderful chosen breed. I would think it would be great if all breeders would encourage their pet purchasers to become active in some dog sport. It is a fun way to keep the dog happy and healthy and it is your kennel name in the catalogue. Although my personal preference is the perky upright ear, I have seen some striking Phalenes that I think would enjoy the excitement of sport competitions

Aside from my dog activities I am very involved in my church and was a recreational runner. I completed my one and only marathon many years ago to celebrate my 50th birthday. My favorite distance was 15 km or 1/2 marathon. Those days are long gone but I still have great friends from that time. As a family with 3 kids without a high income we did lots of inexpensive outdoor sports--most of which the dogs also enjoyed. We orienteered, geocached and backpacked all over the Island. The larger dogs all carried packs with their food and the tent and pots and pans. Now we just go for walks in the local parks or woods with the Paps. I am avid reader with a wide range of interest, but my two favorite books are A Tale of Two Cities and Plague Dogs. I find myself returning to these two periodically. Actually, I heading to Victoria this weekend to enjoy Stars on Ice and am taking Plague Dogs for the hotel. I am not a big TV fan

I am looking forward to meeting other Pap Canada members, if not in person, then at least on the pages of All Ears.

### **JOANNE MYSAK – SASKATCHEWAN**

It's a privilege to introduce myself.

I, along with my husband William Shrubsole, were one of the founding members of Papillon Canada. It's hard to believe all these years have flown by.

I've been involved with dogs all my life. On the farm, we had Border and Rough coat Collie dogs, Boston terrier, Jack Russell terrier and the occasional mixed breed that wandered in from places unknown.

As a young adult I saw a photo of a Papillon in a dog breed book. Soon after, I became aware of a Papillon puppy available and so the life long relationship with many Papillons and later Phalenes began.

While I primarily did conformation and limited breeding I also participated in obedience and agility. It was great fun although I never did obedience or agility competitively.

Currently I have one dog, who's a faithful companion. We enjoy long walks and playing toy.

The advice I offer someone starting in Papillons as a 20 year old, find a vet who knows and understands the breed, not just toy dogs but the breed. If they don't know the breed, they should be prepared to listen to the breeder. As we all know Papillons and Phalenes have their quirks. Also, find a reliable and sincere mentor that is willing to coach you through breeding, showing and living with the delightful souls.

Stay involved with the breed club and dog clubs in general. They offer a lot of information through seminars and articles. There is a wealth of information at ringside both spoken and unspoken. Hours of watching dogs, their movement, their personality will inform you more than you realize. Go to classes whenever you can, even if you don't plan to show or compete, You gain knowledge and your dog enjoys the outing.

It was a pleasure to serve on the Papillon Canada Board for many years as regional director through to President. I'm grateful to the breeders that entrusted their dogs to me. We enjoyed many years together, they were like my children.

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**Registered Name:** Marron's Johnny Cash

**Call Name:** Cash

**Owner:** Donna Sieben

**Win or Attained Title & Show/Trial:**  
We attended our first Norther American Sport Dog Assoc. event. Cash earned our Novice Shed Hunt Title & Novice urban Trail Title.. so much fun!



**Registered Name:** Ch Valifyre Foreseen  
Trilogy TD, CGN, PCD , RE, SDIN.CD

**Call Name:** Quest

**Owner:** JoAnne McLeod

**Win or Attained Title & Show/Trial:**  
walking off a large hay field after locating the leather glove , to earn his Tracking Dog title

**2021 Standings:** #2 Papillon and #5 Toy in  
CKC Rally



**Registered Name:** Riesa N Passionpaps  
Keep Rockin The Boat at Rokila

**Call Name:** Dougie

**Owners:** Rollande Larsen, Darlene Kelly.  
**Breeder:** Darlene Kelly

**Win or Attained Title & Show/Trial:**  
Best Puppy in Show at Assinaboine Kennel Club, April 2022



**Registered Name:** BISS-MBIS-RBIS  
GChEx - GChS – Am Ch Ladymagic  
TopFlite Windcatcher, Can VG, CDX, RE,  
TDGCH & Am RN, TKP (Multi HIT)

**Call Name:** Sailor

**Owner/Bred/Handled By:** Margaret  
Zacher & Sandra Schumacher

**Win or Attained Title:** 3 High in Trial & 6  
RAE pairs (multi HIC)

**Show/Trial:** Okanagan Valley OTC –  
Cranbrook KC – North Okanagan  
Tracking & OC



**Registered Name:** Ch. Sunokas Jedi  
Warrior NTD, ADC, SGDC

**Owner/Bred/Handled By:** Barbara Hay

**Win or Attained Title:** just finished his  
Championship

**Show/Trial:** Kelowna Dog show



**Registered Name:** Annacott Animato  
Catch a Break (Chance)

**Owner By:** Ellen Pollock

**Win or Attained Title:** certified St John's  
Ambulance Therapy Dog.

**Litter News:** Members can submit a picture of puppies (with mom) for submission into this section of the newsletter.

**Criteria:** Only information will be the following: Sire – Dam – Breeder - # and breakdown on puppies and Date of Birth, with 1 picture. **This is FREE.** Put in Subject line of email: **PC Litter News** Please ensure that you also submit a complete write up to your director for their reports (with more details).



**Sire:** Akai's Diamond In The Ruff

**Dam:** GCh Annacott Animato Gay Noelle

**Breeder:** Moira A M Ure & Louann E Hansen

**# of Puppies:** 2 Female

**DOB:** May 1-2022



**Sire:** AM CH MACH 6 TopFlite Hear Me Roar UD PCD BN MXB2 NF CGC TKP (Rory)

**Dam:** AM/CAN CH Nanrich TopFlite Midnite Madness (Mandy)

**Breeder:** Nancy & Dick Lopaschuk, Sandra Schumacher & Kay Detampel

**# of Puppies:** 2 Male & 1 Female

**DOB:** March 20-2022



**Sire:** GCH Vega TopFlite Bound For Glory (Hero)

**Dam:** GCH Nanrich TopFlite Sky's The Limit (Skyler)

**Breeder:** Nancy & Dick Lopaschuk & Sandra Schumacher

**# of Puppies:** 2 Male & 1 Female

**DOB:** April 6-2022