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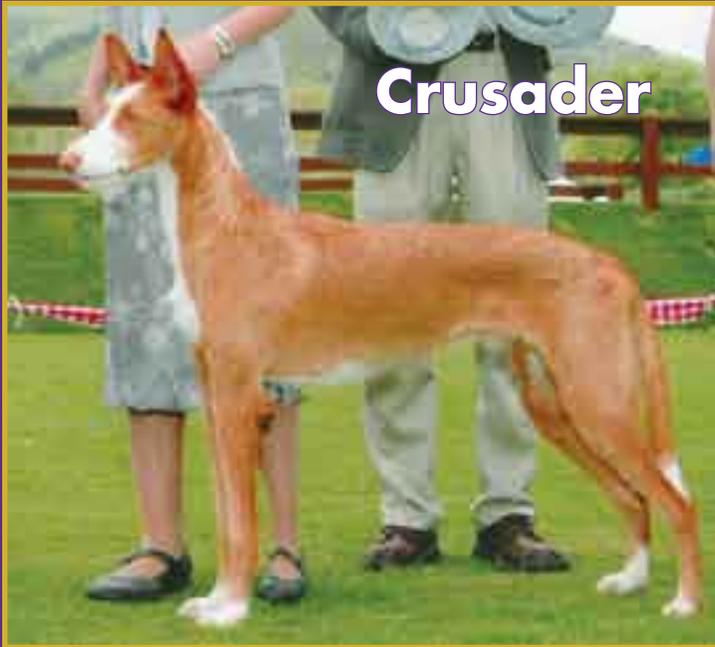
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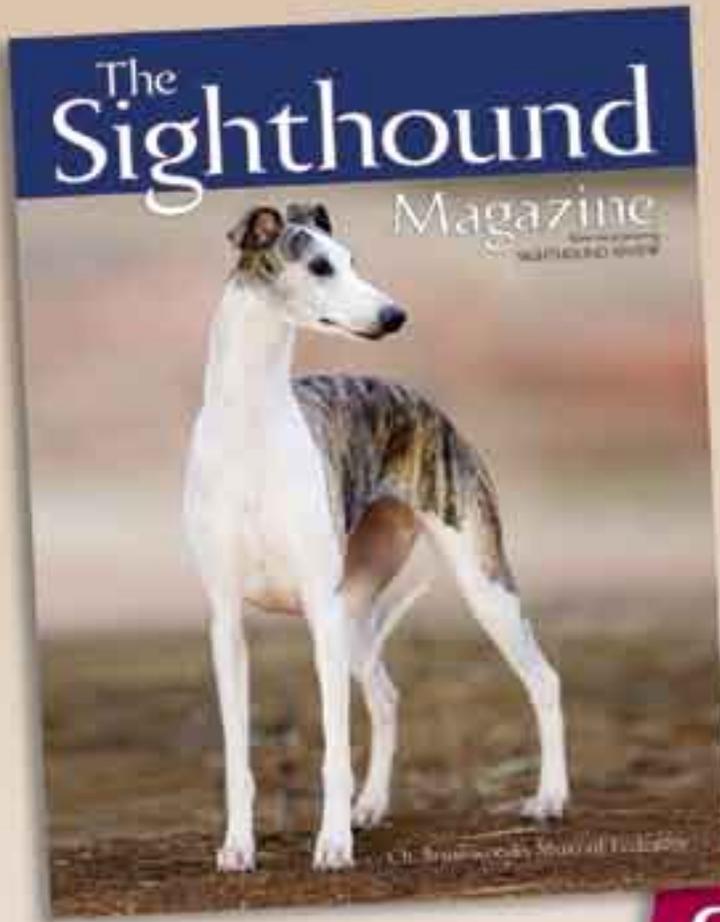
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Editor’s Note: Keep sending in those ads! Next edition is the Specialty issue. We appreciate your support.

About the Cover Artist

Kristie Stocker has loved art since she was a child. She has won numerous awards since kindergarten for hand drawings and later, digital drawings. Her love of art and computers led her to a career in graphic design. If you’re interested in being a Third Eye cover artist, please email Kristie at kestocker@hotmail.com with a few sentence bio of yourself.

Letter from the Editor

It's April and Beezerfest has come and gone. I was glad to see the 2nd Annual event go off without a hitch. I saw people who were there last year as well as some newcomers. Us three planners (Wendy Anderson, Amanda Vari and myself) all received very positive feedback. People had traveled far and wide to hang out with fellow Ibizan fanciers and maybe do a little winning in the process! Beezerfest wouldn't be possible without your generosity. The outpouring of donations for trophies and t-shirt purchases was phenomenal. In my opinion, the best part was the auction which, this year, raised money for the IHCUS rescue fund. Many people bid much higher than the actual value of the item and I could hear "Hey, it's for our breed!" No one had a problem with bidding double, even triple the item's worth. I love to see this. A group of everyday

people doing something extraordinary for their beloved dogs. This says a lot about us. We're passionate, yet protective of our breed. We're willing to do whatever it takes to help the breed strive.



Nyra (14 months) & Kristie

The National Specialty is right around the corner and again, an abundance of trophy donations, t-shirt sales and auction items. I can't wait to hang out in Utah with my closest Beezer Buddies and "talk dog". I look forward to the learning experience and the excitement of being

in the ring and on the coursing field. However, why only have this type of excitement two times a year? We shouldn't forget our breed needs help year-round.

We should not only consider helping out during major Ibizan events, but what about in the dead of winter? There's still Judge's education events

that need to be held, Ibizans that may need rescuing, support of the betterment of health and research of the breed and so on. I know the Board and Committee Chairs would love to see generous donations all year long.

Now, this isn't a plea for money, heck, I'm not even on a Committee that is funded! It's just a little reminder that you can always make a difference in the club by helping out or donating time or money.

By talking to a LOT of Ibizan owners at Beezerfest, I feel people are getting an even better, more positive outlook for this breed. Individuals are getting together and working toward a common goal: to improve our breed. Let's keep that positivity and generosity going, keep our eyes on the future and let the past... be the past!

Beezerly yours,

Kristie Stocker
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President's Report

By the time this newsletter goes to print, "Beezerfest" will have drawn many Ibizan fanciers to Louisville, KY. I plan to fly to Louisville this year, both to have the wonderful opportunity to meet many old and new friends, and also to present a judges seminar for ACEF, one of the major judges institutes.

AKC has revised its requirements for new judges, and parent clubs are being encouraged to hold seminars in various areas of the country each year. The seminars are now required to last 90 minutes, and hands-on workshops have further requirements. Our Club is prepared to meet these new AKC guidelines. There will be a judges seminar at the IHCUS National Specialty in May, and anyone who is interested is welcome to attend.

A recent highlight for IHCUS is the reorganization of the Rescue committee. Lisa McKay has done a wonderful job with this, and our Club can now be proud of IHCUS rescue. Another proud accomplishment for the Club is our breed's

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acceptance into the CHIC program, thanks to our H&R chair Katie Belz.

Our Board has been constantly busy these past few months. Browsing the Secretary's report will give you an idea of what has been on their plate recently, and it is an understatement to say that it has been a lot of work. There are many more issues that need to be addressed, and the Board is getting to each item as quickly as possible.

One issue that the Board has been saddened to find the need to

address is misbehavior by Club members. Membership in IHCUS is a privilege, and the Board has made it clear that it feels improper behavior is disruptive to the membership and not in the best interest of the Club or the breed. It will not be tolerated.

I hope that each of you has a wonderful Spring, and that you have the opportunity to get together with other Ibizan owners at shows and events in your area. If at all possible, we would love to see you at the National in Utah.

Hugs to you and your beezers...

Lisa

Lisa Puskas
President, IHCUS

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Secretary's Report Reported by Michelle Paulin

- Heidi Clevestine (Michelle Paulin Seconds) moves to accept: a) changing the membership to restrict voting from new incoming members for the first year of membership (returning members of IHCUS will not be subject to the one-year probation period).

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming

Disapprove-Heidi Clevestine
Motion Approved.

- Heidi Clevestine. (Michelle Paulin Seconds) moves we approve b) a Junior membership, at a reduced rate, that includes a subscription to the Third Eye, but with no voting privileges until the age of eighteen, when the person can change from a Junior membership to full membership. If the Jr is applying by him/herself and not with a family membership, the fee is \$20 per year, which will help to cover the newsletter costs. If applying with a family, the membership fee \$5 per year, as they would share one newsletter. Additionally, the initiation fee would be waived in both cases.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman, Ariel Harper, Heidi Clevestine, Bonnie Fleming. Motion Approved

- Heidi Clevestine (Michelle Paulin Seconds) moves we approve c) raising the membership fee by \$10.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Heidi Clevestine, Lisa McKay, Bonnie Fleming, Ariel Harper, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Motion Approved

- Heidi Clevestine (Michelle Paulin seconds) make a motion that since there has been no response

to help with the bylaws committee, and a review of the bylaws is needed at this time, the Board will become the bylaws committee.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Ariel Harper, Heidi Clevestine, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman, Bonnie Fleming. Disapprove-Lisa McKay. Motion Approved

- Heidi Clevestine (Michelle Paulin seconds) moves we change the wording of the bylaws so that instead of an "audit" we would hold a "review" of the books at the change of officers.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Heidi Clevestine, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman, Bonnie Fleming, Ariel Harper. Disapprove-Lisa McKay. Motion Approved

Here are the proposed dates for IHCUS lure coursing events for 2007:

Date	Org	Breed	Test	Trial	NFC Trial	NS Trial	Location
Thursday, May 3, 2007	AKC	Ibizan	X		X		Tooele, UT
Thursday, May 3, 2007	ASFA	Ibizan				X	Tooele, UT
Friday, May 4, 2007	AKC	All Breed	X	X			Tooele, UT
Saturday, May 5, 2007	AKC	All Breed	X	X			Tooele, UT
Friday, August 3, 2007	AKC	All Breed	X				Palmer, AK
Saturday, August 4, 2007	AKC	All Breed	X				Palmer, AK
Saturday, September 15, 2007	AKC	All Breed	X	X			Anaheim, CA
Saturday, December 8, 2007	AKC	All Breed	X	X			Escondido, CA
Sunday, December 9, 2007	AKC	All Breed	X	X			Escondido, CA

Michelle Paulin motioned we accept these dates, Bonnie Fleming seconded

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Bonnie Fleming, Heidi Clevestine, Ariel Harper, Lisa McKay, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Motion Approved

- Michelle Paulin motioned (Heidi Clevestine Seconded) to censure Nan Kilgore Little to express disapproval of her serious violation of the IHCUS Code of Ethics: MEMBER OBLIGATIONS "Each member at any time shall conduct themselves in a manner of good sportsmanship. No member shall make false or misleading statements about another competitor or their dog." This censure will be a written warning to Nan Kilgore Little, stating that another violation of the IHCUS rules can result in suspension or expulsion from the Club.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Heidi Clevensline, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming. Disapprove-Lisa McKay. Abstain-Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Motion Approved

- December 2006, Board approved that Kurt Anderson become Webmaster for the IHCUS.org site.
- Heidi Clevensline motions and Michelle Paulin seconds to Replace Rose Bednarski from IHCUS Rescue and to place Lisa McKay as Rescue chair.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Disapprove-Heidi Clevensline. Motion Approved

- Michelle Paulin motions to accept the proposed Breed Expert Changes. Heidi Clevensline seconds.

Breed Expert Criteria

This criteria needs to be changed at this time due to AKC's demands for more seminars, and AKC's more intensive requirements requested from club Breed Experts.

Current requirements:

Breed Expert Criteria - In order to be listed as a Breed Expert you must:

- * Have 10 years documented experience with Ibizan Hounds
- * Have owned or exhibited several Ibizan Hounds
- * Have bred and raised at least 4 litters of Ibizans. (Co-owned litters not raised on the applicant's premises do not meet this requirement.)
- * Have produced at least 2 champions out of the minimum 4 litters, whether or not owned or handled by the breeder

Proposed changes:

Breed Expert Criteria - In order to be listed as a Breed Expert you must:

www.ihcus.org

* Have 12 years documented experience with Ibizan Hounds (AKC requires 12 years for certain aspects of their seminars.)

* Have bred and raised at least 4 litters of Ibizans. (Co-owned litters not raised on the applicant's premises do not meet this requirement.)

* Have produced at least 5 champions out of the minimum 4 litters, whether or not owned or handled by the breeder

* Currently owns an Ibizan Hound (Important to keep the mentor current with all aspects of problems currently affecting the breed.)

* Because of the important role of the Breed Mentor as educator, every Breed Mentor should be willing and able to travel and present Judge's Education seminars.

* In order to know that the Breed Mentor applicant possesses a complete knowledge of Ibizan Hound conformation and movement, and that the Mentor will be able to express him/herself in a clear and concise manner during a breed presentation, each applicant will be asked to interview with one or more existing Breed Mentors, who will file a report as to the applicant's ability and knowledge. The Judges Education committee will then vote to approve the applicant by a majority vote of the committee.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Motion Approved

- Vote results on the acceptance of Heidi Clevensline's resignation from the Board.

Accept-Lisa McKay, Michelle Paulin, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming. Resignation Accepted

- Lisa McKay motions (Michelle Paulin seconds) that we accept Equisure as our all inclusive Insurance Company.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman PASSED

- Lisa McKay motions (Michelle Paulin seconds) that we terminate our existing Insurance, as soon as the new Equisure Policy is activated.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. PASSED

- Michelle Paulin Motions (Bonnie Fleming seconds) that the Board accept the following Nominating Committee.

Chaired by-Lisa McKay
Committee-Gayle Sutton, Nancy Billups
Alternate-Michelle Paulin, Curtis Freeling

Approve: Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman Motion Approved

- Michelle Paulin motions, Lisa McKay seconds, that the Board continue the charges brought by Bonnie Fleming against Sue Fegan, and ask for a hearing to be held in California. The committee consisting of Carol K., Ariel H. and Michelle P. Lisa Puskas will be present.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman, Ariel Harper. Abstain-Bonnie Fleming. Motion APPROVED

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Secretary's Report

Reported by Michelle Paulin (continued from page 5)

- Lisa McKay makes a motion (Michelle Paulin seconds) that we send a letter of Censure to Rose Bednarski, for these reasons. Rose mishandled the rescue Committee, upon her removal as Rescue Chair, she inappropriately and without authority tampered with the IHCUS club list where she posted a flaming and inaccurate post.

She also covered up the name of the 2 dogs in Rescue in Texas. Rose told the members and public that IHCUS would not allow her to reveal the name of the breeder which in fact was not true. It was Heidi Clevenstine not IHCUS. Her statements which were untrue caused IHCUS members and the public to be upset with IHCUS. These actions have shed a bad light on this club and its reputation.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming. Disapprove-Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Approved

Lisa McKay makes a motion (Michelle Paulin seconds) that we send a letter of Censure to Heidi Clevenstine, for these reasons. Heidi was assisting Rose with the Rescue Committee, Heidi advised Rose to keep the name of the breeder, regarding the 2 rescue dogs in Texas, from the IHCUS members and the public. She tried to cover the identity of the breeder which interfered in Rescue efforts for those 2 dogs.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Motion Approved

- Carol Dickerson Kauffman makes a motion that IHCUS pay for the DNA testing of the three dogs. This to be done confidentially by an independent laboratory and the results be sent to IHCUS. Bonnie Fleming seconds.

Approve-Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Motion Approved

- Vote on new members:
Cheryl and David Durdel
Kurt and Wendy Anderson
Lisa and Nick Sikora

Approve-Lisa McKay, Michelle Paulin, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman, Ariel Harper, Bonnie Fleming
APPROVED Welcome to IHCUS

- The February Gazette article was not voted on or approved, but was submitted by Bonnie Fleming to the AKC.
- Lisa McKay motions and Bonnie Fleming seconds that we send both Lisa Puskas and Claudette Papenburg to the AKC Parent Club Conference with the approval of 323.00 for Lisa Puskas flight.

Approve-Lisa McKay, Michelle Paulin, Bonnie Fleming, Ariel Harper, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman. Motion Approved

- Ariel Motions and Lisa M seconded that IHCUS proceed with sending in DNA samples on Bear and two of his registered offspring from the litter in question to AKC for the sum of \$105.

Approve-Ariel Harper, Michelle Paulin, Lisa McKay, Carol Dickerson-Kauffman, Bonnie Fleming. Motion Approved

Motion to bring charges by Bonnie Fleming:

I am preferring charges against Susan Fegan for alleged misconduct prejudicial to the best interests of the Club and the Breed.

Susan Fegan failed to insure the welfare of individual Ibizan Hounds. Susan Fegan's behavior reflected negatively on the public image of IHCUS. The treasurer has the \$10.00 fee.

From: Michelle Paulin, IHCUS Secretary

To: Ms Susan Fegan,
On January 17, 2007, notice of a hearing pertaining to your actions as a member of IHCUS was sent to you. The hearing as scheduled took place on February 10, 2007, at 2:00 PM PST. In attendance was the committee consisting of Michelle Paulin (Hearing Chairperson), Ariel Harper (Secretary), Carol Dickerson-Kauffman and Lisa Puskas, who was present as IHCUS President.

As you did not appear either by telephone or in person, the hearing went as scheduled. The charges and rights were read. Then the Committee proceeded to go through the documents and information provided by the Witnesses.

As there were no statements from the Accused, the committee proceeded to further review the testimonies and came up with the following findings. The charges laid upon by Club member, in good standing, Bonnie Fleming were as follows.

As to the Code of Ethics Charges:

Susan Fegan failed to insure the welfare of individual Ibizan Hounds. The Committee unanimously found Ms Fegan guilty

Susan Fegan's behavior reflected negatively on the public image of IHCUS. The Committee unanimously found Ms Fegan guilty

On the above findings of the Committee, a letter of Censure is to be sent to Ms Fegan

As to the charge that:

I am preferring charges against Susan Fegan for alleged misconduct prejudicial to the best interests of the Club and the Breed. The Committee unanimously found Ms Fegan guilty

On the findings of the Committee, we are suspending Ms Fegan for 6 months with recommendation of expulsion.

As per our by-laws, the proposed expulsion from the club will be voted on at the annual meeting to be held on May 2, 2007, in South Jordan, Utah. This is coinciding with our 2007 National Specialty.

The defendant, Ms Susan Fegan will have the privilege of appearing on her own behalf, although no evidence shall be taken at this meeting. The President, Lisa Puskas will read the charges, the findings, as well as the recommendations

of the Committee, and shall invite the defendant, if present, to speak on her own behalf. The attendees of the meeting shall then vote by secret ballot on the proposed expulsion. A two-thirds (2/3) vote of those members present and voting at the meeting shall be necessary for expulsion. If expulsion is not voted, the suspension of 6 months shall stand.

Should you require further information I may be contacted at:

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Treasurer's Report

Reported by Bonnie Fleming for November, December and January

\$13,542.85

**Checking balance at
October 31, 2006**

1,435.00	November Receipts
805.92	November Disbursements
840.00	December Receipts
1,589.00	December Disbursements
4,555.74	January Receipts
3,501.39	January Disbursements

\$14,477.28

**Reconciled checking balance
at January 31, 2007**

\$10,562.91	General Fund
1,817.37	Rescue Fund
2,097.00	Health and Research Fund

\$14,477.28

**Total Funds at
January 31, 2007**

Paypal Report

10-3-06 – 1-3-07

1-4-07 – 2-26-07

Income:

Dues: \$286.95
Calendars: \$1,205.57
Trophies: \$105.91

Income:

Calendars \$46.62
Ads \$308.62
Trophies \$241.25

Payments:

\$166.80 to Bluehost
for website hosting

Receipts by Category

\$ 1,210.00	Third Eye
364.74	Sales (mostly calendars)
2,931.00	December lure course
2,155.00	Dues and memberships
160.00	2007 Specialty (trophies)
10.00	Hearing (Fegan)

\$ 6,830.74

Receipt Totals

Disbursements by Category

\$ 374.00	Education (booth)
800.00	Sales (cost of calendars)
2,437.17	December Lure Course
50.00	Miscellaneous (death memorial)
65.47	Dues and membership
678.77	Third Eye
965.00	Insurance
25.00	2007 Sppecialty (AKC fee)
500.90	Hearing (flights for Fegan hearing)

\$5,896.31

Disbursement Totals

11.2.06 Received and filed the THIRD EYE fall 2006

12.29.06 Received and filed THIRD EYE winter 2007

1.16.07 Received rescue CD from Rose Bednarski

Membership Committee Report *Reported by Teddy Burke*

Hi Everyone,

New Members

We are happy to announce three new household memberships have been approved. Welcome to:

Lisa and Nicholas Sikora in Ebensburg, PA

Cheryl and David Durdel in Traverse City, MI

Wendy and Kurt Anderson in Burlington, WI

New Applicants

We have a number of applicants to post in this issue. As always, please note these prospective members and especially if you are in their area, consider introducing yourselves and maybe trying to meet them at a show or performance event.

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To remind IHCUS members of the application process: For three weeks after the names are posted in the "Third Eye" members are invited to comment to the Membership Committee on an applicant's suitability. At the end of the three weeks all information is submitted to the IHCUS Board for a vote. Results are posted in the next "Eye".

Member News

We sent best wishes to Johanna Tanner for a quick recovery after her stay in the hospital.

Note to members: If you inform us of significant events in the lives of fellow members we will send a card and/or acknowledge it in our report. We won't know unless someone thinks to tell us.

2007 Membership Renewals

The renewal process is completed with the membership levels remaining stable with nearly an equal number of losses and gains. Losses mainly involved those who forgot or no longer have the breed.

The 2007 Membership Directory. A hardcopy version is enclosed with this "Third Eye". Those with e-mail addresses will also be sent the list electronically. For those members who do not have an e-mail or a post office address we will place your list in a bottle to be delivered by the tides. If you do not reside by a body of water we will endeavor to have it lowered by a dirigible or to have the deity of your choice engrave it on stone tablets. Just our way of saying, "we aim to please".

Please submit any changes or corrections to fellow committee member Janet Rivers at: janet.rivers@ky.gov. Many thanks to Janet for maintaining the membership list and generously updating the format and having it copied for the membership at her own expense in 2006 and 2007. Janet has volunteered to put her name forward for Membership Chair when the next Board assumes their offices.

Membership Committee: Teddy Burke, Outgoing Chair, Janet Rivers, and Sue Ellen Wasick. Thanks again Janet and Sue Ellen.

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Katie Belz – Kamar Ibizans – www.KamarIbizans.com – College Station, TX
Veterinarian – Years involved in breed: 13 – Years in IHCUS: 5

I was born in Staten Island, NY in 1982. My father was a Special Agent for the FBI and my mother was then a computer specialist at the bureau. I lived for a few years in New York then my father's job moved my family all over the US including Virginia, Ohio, Texas and Hawaii. I have been wanting to become a veterinarian since I was 5 yrs old and have been pursuing that dream ever since. I started school at Texas A&M in the Fall of 2000 as a BioMedical Science major. I was accepted into A&M's Veterinary school and will be graduating in May of 2007. I have applied to a variety of internship programs throughout the country and in March I will find out exactly where I will be moving to in June! Enough about me.... Lets talk about dogs!



My first dog was a Keeshond rescue named Smokey. I was about 6 when he entered my life. I grew up with him and was devastated when I couldn't take him to Hawaii due to the strict quarantine regulations a decade ago. Smokey found a wonderful home with our plumber. Four years went by and I was *Still* dogless. Through fate, my family came across a German Shepherd who was in desperate need of a new home. "Ally" came to my house for a weekend and never left. I started obedience class and agility with her and completed her CD and CGC. At this time I started getting interested in conformation and the Ibizan hound.

It has been about 13 years since I started researching the Ibizan Hound. It was about this time when I first met Lisa Puskas and Marge Morris. These two eventually encouraged me to join IHCUS in 2002. I am the current Health and Research Chair, and a rescue committee member.

After a decade of waiting, Java joined my household in 2005. Java finished multiple Championships and has found his true calling—Lure Coursing! Kenzie joined my household fall 2006. She ran beautifully her first fun run and has just started her show career. We will see what the future holds....

I hope to preserve the Ibizan hound breed by producing Ibizans who are healthy, adhere to the standard and are able to course. After years of researching pedigrees, health issues, various lines and taking the watch and wait approach, I feel confident that my contribution to the breed in the future will be a positive one. I hope to breed my first litter in 2009.

I'm always willing to visit with new Ibizan owners and old ones alike! I usually keep my show/coursing schedule posted on my website. Feel free to contact me if you want to visit!

All-Breed Stats

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- 1 **CH Harehill's Love On The Run (1086)**
G Brand/W Anderson
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*J Brown/S St.John Brown/L Lucas/
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B Fleming
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A Barbour
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T Forbes
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C Bell
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R Hozempa
- 11 **CH Special Acres' Image Of A Gent JC (7)**
*S Short/W Smith/B Cope/I McDougald/
L Dav*
- 12 **CH Lykan's Red Moon Rising (6)**
S Hayes/L Niskala
- 13 **Paradise's No Highland Fling (6)**
C Durdel/L Puskas/D Durdel
- 14 **CH Paradise Is Rhythm In Motion JC (5)**
K Stocker/L Puskas
- 15 **Deja'Vue Where No Ones Gone B For (4)**
R Bednarski/E Kerridge
- 16 **Azor De La Sierra De Avila JC (4)**
J O'Malley/J Parker
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K Belz
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K Winnett
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L Sikora

ASFA Delegate Report Reported by Judy Parker

Welcome the Cirneco! Effective March 1, 2007, the Cirneco dell 'Etna breed is granted Provisional Status in ASFA. The breed has met the minimum entry requirements set forth in Article X, Section 4 of the ASFA Constitution, and the Board of Directors has approved the request of the Cirneco dell 'Etna Club of America to move their breed to Provisional Status.

Pursuant to Article X, Section 5 of the ASFA Constitution, the Cirnechi shall continue to run in the Limited Stake, thus no special provision is given them on a premium list. However, they will run as a separate breed within Limited, meaning

that they will not compete with any of the other recognized Limited breeds. Furthermore, trial results for the Cirnechi shall be recorded and published in the same manner as for fully recognized breeds.

If there are any questions regarding this announcement, please email me at corressecy@asfa.org.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Ferris
ASFA Corresponding Secretary

The ASFA Annual Convention of Delegates (ACOD) WILL BE HELD ON April 14 & 15 2007 in Phoenix, AZ. I was thinking I may be here to attend, but now I see that

I may not be able to . If there is someone in the Phoenix, AZ area that may like to attend in the name of IHCUS, please let me know soon. I will find out from IHCUS if they will cover any expenses (room, fees, etc). Each club is entitled to send 2 voting delegates. So let me know if there is anyone interested.

Next years ACOD will be in Cleveland, OH.

The ASFA II (International Invitational) will be held in Farmington, MN on June 2 & 3, 2007

This is the premier yearly event that attracts sighthounds from all over the USA!!

Rank	Ibizan Hound	Total Competing: 327	Owner	Dogs Defeated	BOB wins	BIF earned
1	Ch Treybeau's K C,	LCM 8	T.& L.Coulson	849	50	6
2	Ch O'Bre-on's Eternal Fire	Treybeau, LCM 5	D.& S.Wright	735	120	7
3	Treybeau's Spitfire,	LCM 7	J.McManus	694	81	10
4	Bramblewood's Alas Emplumadas,	LCM 5	R.DeVillez	588	52	2
5	Ch Candlewood Bijobi SOF	Dashur, LCM 5	W.Delong	580	102	7
6	FC Kirah's I Like Treybeau Best	LCM 5	A.Silverstein	502	167	3
7	Treybeau Eternal Starfire,	LCM 3	D.& S.Wright	471	19	2
8	DC Elidas Wirtu Spatterdash,	LCM 4, CC, CM, ORC, GRC	Kelly/Juden	470	40	7
9	Am/Can Ch O'Bre-on's Eternal Fiver	Atair, LCM, Am/CanCD, CanFCh, UCD	C.Allen	461	82	5
10	Treybeau's Spanish Flyer,	LCM 3	D.Wright	461	24	0
11	DC Elida's Speck Of Miles,	LCM 5, SORC, SGRC	K.Kelly	460	53	1
12	Gallantree's Eagle of Tryebau,	LCM 4	D.Wright	450	77	7
13	DC Redhills Sierra Claim Jumper,	CD, LCM 4, CM	K.Kelly	440	28	2
14	Black Chips Sati Of Atair	LCM3, AmCan CDX, UCDX, FCHX	C. Allen	435	33	0
15	DC Windriver Abilene,	LCM 5, CD	M.Harris	418	49	1
16	DeVillez Every Single Day	LCM 4	R.DeVillez	382	47	1
17	Ch Bramblewood's Mondo Gecko,	LCM 3	P.Parker	368	50	7
18	Gryphon's Pogo Podenco,	LCM 2	T.Hirstein-Forbes	350	49	3
18	Bramblewood's Chispa,	LCM 3	W.& S.Martens	350	42	5
20	Desertwind Darth Vader,	LCM 3	Martens/Parker	332	48	3
20	Earstwo Cherry Blossom	LCM 2,VFCh	C.Gibbons	332	16	0

Judge's Education Committee Report

Reported by Lisa Puskas

IHCUS has several judges education seminars scheduled. There were two seminars held in KY in March, and a seminar will be held in conjunction with the National Specialty in UT in May. Judges groups are contacting our club for seminars more frequently due to AKC's more rigorous requirements for judge certification.

Trophy Plates

Anyone interested in purchasing a leftover trophy plate from the 2005 IHCUS Specialty? The leftovers were mailed to me & I am selling them for IHCUS. The plates are white with gold trim. The logo theme was 3 Ibizan Hounds at a gambling table. I have 3 sizes... 8"-\$10 ea., 7"-\$9 ea., 6"-\$8 ea. Shipping is \$6.50 per plate. If you would like one, please let me know if you are interested in one & what size.

Rose Bednarski
dejavueh@gotsky.com

Litter Box

Hounds of Distinction – John O'Malley 2007 Wire Breeding Plans Pending – JOMal82164@aol.com

SunRumba Sighthounds – Robin Castillo 2007 Smooth Breeding Plans Pending – Higleycat@aol.com

Bramblewood – Judy Parker expects a smooth litter mid-May JudyIB245@aol.com

Hounds of Carjo Announces the birth of a smooth coat litter Born Dec 6, 2006 all Irish Marked. One Boy and Four Girls.
Sire- CH Redhills Primetime Of Carjo (Luther)
Dam- CH Unigus Ceridwen (Kerah)
All Pups will be Baer tested and Eye's Cerfed before going to there new homes. Carol Petty 770-567-3885 or lbizan@webtv.net

Braggs

UKC CH Special Acres' Amaretto Rhythm JC "Jaz" completed his second leg for his JC title.

Alisian Fields Braveheart "Braveheart" – Des Moines, Iowa Show Feb 18, First Show at 8 Months of age Group Four and Puppy Group One Breeder / Owner / Handler Alisa Barbour

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J Manoskey/L Manoskey/J Brennan
- 20 CH Harehill's Running Wild (1)**
W Anderson/K Anderson

Rescue Committee Report Reported by Lisa McKay

Hello IHCUS members & Ibizan lovers,

It is a start to a new year. A new start for IHCUS Rescue. Before anything I would like to take a moment to thank everyone who sent encouraging emails and phone calls. To the people that helped me with the updates, flyer and just listening to me vent. I would like to send my deepest gratitude. Some are members, some not. Some don't even have a IH. The first and most important is we now have Insurance that covers Rescue.

The IHCUS site has been getting a new look, so has the Rescue page. A few things are different

- IHCUS Rescue Application—downloadable
- IHCUS Rescue Flyer—downloadable
- Rescue Committee Guidelines
- Link to dogs that are in Rescue with information about them.

I have formed a Rescue Committee consisting of myself,
Lisa McKay—Rescue Chair
Wendy Anderson
Nancy Billups
Teddy Burke
Pam Mutchek

I am also asking if you would like to be a IHCUS Rescue Volunteer, please contact me. I am putting together a list of volunteers wanting to help foster, transport, help raise IHCUS Rescue funds. Any thing else that comes along. I do ask that you go to the IHCUS site and read the Rescue Committee guidelines, as these are the protocol that we follow when doing Rescue.

From a list of emails of people interested in Ibizan Hounds, I sent a letter out asking if they were still in-

terested. I have received a wonderful response from a lot of them saying they are still interested in obtaining a Ibizan. Some replied back that they were no longer interested. I will have their actual Applications on paper file. I will be keeping a paper file on all dogs in Rescue. Each dog will have a number with the year according to the order in which they come in to Rescue. Any transactions that involve Rescue will have a multiple back up. No computer loss of records.

I will also be keeping my own records of incoming/outgoing monies. A check and balance system so to speak. I firmly believe to run a Rescue operation correctly and efficiently all lines of communication need to be open between the members, board and the Rescue Committee. People need to be aware of the facts as they happen, not after.

How do we work to bring together persons that want to bring a Ibizan into their lives? How do we help a reputable, responsible Ibizan owner that has a IH they are looking to find the right home for? Be it a young adult or a dog that has returned home to the breeder. My thought is why not give direct information to either the interested party or the reputable, responsible breeder. I, as Rescue Chair have the opportunity to give direct contact information to either party. Not as referral. If you are a responsible Ibizan owner and have a dog that you want find a home for. I can help with direct contact info. After that you are the responsible party.

My hope is that we not have more than one Ibizan in Rescue a year. But alas I know that is a dream. As I have stated before the more this

breed is in the limelight we will see more in Rescue. It is a sad fact, but if we have a good solid network of people that are responsible and mentors that really take time with the “newbies” we can keep it to a slow crawl. I have been in this breed since '94 and I am just now breeding my first litter this summer. I took my time, not just acquiring a bitch/dog, then deciding to breed them without any thought to pedigrees, compatibility, and health issues. Remember this is not about money, fame or the #1 dog. It is about the betterment of the breed. It IS about the dogs, isn't it? Off my soapbox....

As to the starting money in Rescue, the last treasurer's report we have 1,817.37 in our fund. I would love to see that doubled this year and continue to grow. A show of support for our friends in need. I have one last and most important thing. Rescue has been granted the opportunity to raise money for Rescue at The Beezerfest. Thank you Kristie Stocker, Wendy Anderson and Amanda Vari for your generosity.

[Editor's Note: Rescue had a 50/50 raffle on Saturday at Beezerfest with a bag raffle on Sunday. Many items were donated toward the bag raffle, Lisa McKay thanks the donors for their generosity! A Vari 400, purchased wholesale with money from the rescue fund was also donated. Lisa McKay personally donated a bed, toy and bowl to go with the Vari 400. Between the 50/50 raffle, Saturday auction and Sunday bag raffle, over \$1,300 was raised.]

I would love a email or phone call with comments, suggestions or just a “Hello”.

Rescue Expense/Income Report Reported by Lisa McKay

Expense/outgoing

Starting Balance	1/01/2007	1,817.37
Bill for Griff #01/06		106.90
Envelopes / stamps		10.97
Outgoing total		1699.50

Income **00.00**

Rescue Balance as of March 01, 2007 **1699.50**

I would like to also add that Griff is now in a foster/adopt home. He is in a Ibizan home, getting lots of attention. I would like to thank Lorna Harper for the time, expense and love she gave to Griff while he was with her. For a non Ibizan person, I think cards and emails would be a great way for the Ibizan community to say a big THANK YOU!!!!!!!

Ibizan Hound Club of The United States Rescue Committee Guidelines

MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of the Committee is to protect and promote the welfare of the Ibizan Hound breed by protecting individual Ibizan Hounds from abuse, neglect, or exploitation, while promoting the attributes of the breed to members of the public.

Objectives

To attempt to place stray, abandoned or surrendered Ibizan Hounds with new owners who will agree to provide the high level of care required under terms of adoption and who will observe the IHCUS Code of Ethics.

To take responsibility for all Ibizan Hounds identified in shelters, pounds, etc. in our service area and remove them from these environments, even if they must be euthanized.

To work with personnel in shelters, pounds, etc. to educate them so they are able to identify Ibizan Hounds that become their charges.

To educate new and existing Ibizan Hound owners whenever possible in breed temperament and requirements, responsible ownership, etc., so that potential surrenders can be averted and new adoptions will be successful.

Committee

Rescue committee members will be approved by the Board, and only those members will be considered actual committee members as referred to in these guidelines. The Chair may appoint assistants, as needed, to help with identification, foster homes, and other needs that arise.

Policies

1. Ibizan Hounds taken into Rescue will be relinquished to the Rescue Committee in writing by their previous owner. Questions regarding rescue Ibizans Hounds will be referred to the Committee and subsequent transfers of ownership will be done by the Committee. Anonymity of the adoptive home will be protected; however, it must be divulged to the IHCUS Board, if requested. The Committee cannot guarantee that individual dogs that are surrendered will be placed, although every effort will be made to find appropriate homes for Ibizan Hounds suitable for adoption.

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Ibizan Hound Club of The United States Rescue Committee Guidelines

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2. The Committee or its designee will evaluate the physical and psychological condition of dogs brought into the program. Dogs that are too old, ill, or unstable will be euthanized. All decisions regarding the disposition of individual dogs will be made by the Rescue Chair and two (2) members of the Committee.
3. All dogs deemed adoptable will be brought up to date on vaccinations and will receive veterinary care if injured or ill. Vaccinations will be given by a licensed veterinarian and accompanied by the appropriate paperwork. Rescue dogs will receive DHLPP shots, rabies inoculation, fecal check, heartworm check, and grooming and flea dip if necessary. Any extensive procedure, such as but not limited to, heartworm cure, spinal injury, eye disease, will be decided by the Committee Chair and two (2) members, on a case-by-case basis, with expenditures of over \$300.00 requiring Board approval.
4. All dogs/bitches that come into the jurisdiction of the Rescue Committee will be micro chipped before adoption.
5. All dogs/bitches that come into the jurisdiction of the Rescue Committee will be neutered/spayed after a reasonable attempt has been made to find the breeder, and before being placed in new homes. The Committee may, upon serious deliberation, choose to waive this requirement in special cases (e.g., in the case of an older or disabled dog.) Puppies too young to be neutered / spayed will be placed on contract.
6. The Committee will make every attempt to locate the breeder of the Rescue dog as soon as possible, which includes posting the dog's information and photo on the IHCUS Ibizan Hound Yahoo list. Dogs will not be spayed/neutered or adopted for a period of seven days after such posting. The breeder of a rescue dog will be EXPECTED to provide reasonable financial assistance and will have the option to have IHCUS return the dog to them, at their expense, or the breeder will have the option to place the dog. Dogs that are returned to the breeder will not be spayed or neutered without the breeder's written permission.
7. Members of the Rescue Committee, and also any rescue volunteers, are responsible for screening prospective owners and may, at their discretion, refuse a potential home. Screening may include contacting veterinarians who know the potential adopters, checking references, or visiting the home.
8. The adoption fee for a rescue Ibizan Hound will be \$300.00 . This amount can be waived or reduced by a decision of the Rescue Chair and two (2) Committee members. Special situations would be the only consideration.
9. The Committee member, or volunteer who screened the adoptive home and made the placement, will follow up with new homes, within 48 hrs after adoption of an Ibizan Hound, and again at the end of 30 days. New owners will be given phone numbers of Committee members and volunteers (in their calling area if possible) to contact if they have questions/problems or if the Ibizan Hound becomes ill or lost.
10. IHCUS shall maintain a separate fund within the assets of IHCUS for the purpose of Rescue. The financial decision making power of the Rescue Committee shall be limited to the amount of money in this assigned fund. The Board may vote at any time to transfer funds from the general treasury to the Rescue account.
11. With each quarterly Treasurer's report , the rescue balance will be printed in the Third Eye. Rescue expenditures and income (including donations) will be listed in the report. It will be an itemized report. Annually, the Rescue Chair will give a complete Rescue Fund report to the membership.
12. Rescue funds will not be used for the outright purchase of dogs, e.g. from pet shops, ads, etc.
13. Dogs who have not been formally in the IHCUS Rescue program, accompanied with Transfer of Ownership papers, shall not be in any way the financial responsibility of IHCUS Rescue. However, it is entirely proper to make prospective adopters aware of a dog in need. The IHCUS Rescue committee may refer homes for mixed-breed Ibizan Hounds, but may not take these dogs into IHCUS Rescue.

IBIZAN HOUND CLUB of THE US RESCUE COMMITTEE ADOPTION AGREEMENT

CONDITIONS OF ADOPTION

1. IBIZAN HOUND will be returned to Rescue Committee if, under any circumstances, the ADOPTER is no longer able to keep the dog. IBIZAN HOUND cannot be sold and cannot be given to any party other than the Rescue Committee.
2. IBIZAN HOUND should wear a collar with identification tag, or other identification showing name and address of ADOPTER, and will wear this collar when off owners premises
3. It is agreed and understood this IBIZAN HOUND will live as a member of the family.
4. IBIZAN HOUND will be kept under control whenever taken out of the ADOPTER'S yard for the dog's protection. (Leash laws exist in almost every municipality, county and state).

MEDICAL CONDITIONS

1. IBIZAN HOUND will be given necessary rabies and immunization shots as recommended by ADOPTER'S veterinarian, plus annual parasite checks, including heartworm check. Dog will receive preventative medication for heartworm.
2. IBIZAN HOUND will be taken to veterinarian if sick, NOT to an Animal Shelter or Humane Society. If ADOPTER is unable to do so, IHCUS Rescue will be notified immediately.

ADOPTION CONDITIONS

1. If IBIZAN HOUND is accidentally lost or stolen, ADOPTER will immediately notify the IHCUS Rescue Committee by phone.
2. ADOPTER agrees to notify IHCUS Rescue Committee with any change of address or telephone number of ADOPTER.
3. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE SHALL RESULT IN THE FORFETIURE of the IBIZAN HOUND from the ADOPTER to IHCUS Rescue Committee.

These conditions are acknowledge and agreed to by:

_____ printed name of Adoptor

_____ signature of Adoptor

Date _____

IBIZAN HOUND CLUB OF THE US RESCUE COMMITTEE ADOPTION AGREEMENT

I (We) _____ the undersigned ADOPTER(S) (hereinafter referred to as ADOPTER) agree to the conditions set forth in this agreement and attachment(s) by IBIZAN HOUND CLUB OF THE US RESCUE COMMITTEE, the undersigned giver (herein after referred to as GIVER) in order to adopt

Dog's Call Name _____ Sex before neutering _____
(Hereinafter referred to as IBIZAN HOUND)

In accordance with the policies of the IHCUS Rescue Committee, GIVER agrees to accept the return of IBIZAN HOUND at any time for any reason.

This agreement will be in effect as of _____ and will continue until notification to GIVER by ADOPTER of the death of IBIZAN HOUND. Such notification of death, or repossession of IBIZAN HOUND by GIVER, or return of IBIZAN HOUND to GIVER (for any reason) shall be sufficient to terminate this agreement.

It is understood and agreed that there are no warranties, representations or promises of any kind flowing from GIVER to ADOPTER aside for those specifically articulated hereto. ADOPTER assumes any and all liability for damages to persons or property caused by IBIZAN HOUND.

I (We) have read the preceding and hereby agree to abide by the conditions of this agreement concerning IBIZAN HOUND.

Agreed to by:

IBIZAN HOUND CLUB RESCUE COMMITTEE

Signature of Committee Chair

Printed name of ADOPTOR(S)

Signature of ADOPTER (S)

Address of ADOPTER(S)

Date: _____

Witness to ADOPTOR(S) signature

Rescue Committee Contacts

CALL OR EMAIL A RESCUE CONTACT IF ANY PROBLEMS ARISE OR IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

**IBIZAN HOUND CLUB of THE UNITED STATES RESCUE COMMITTEE
TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP**

(TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE AKC REGISTRATION PAPERS WHENEVER POSSIBLE)

I (We) the undersigned, voluntarily transfer the ownership of my (our) IBIZAN HOUND (IH) to the IBIZAN HOUND CLUB OF THE UNITED STATES, Inc (IHCUS) Rescue Committee.

I (We) certify that I am (we are) the sole owner(s) of the dog. I (We) relinquish all rights of ownership and claims to said dog.

I (We) fully understand the ownership and physical custody of this IBIZAN HOUND will be transferred to someone unknown to me. The IHCUS Rescue Committee retains all rights of ownership and all that it entails until such subsequent transfer occurs.

Dog's Registered Name _____

AKC number _____ Dog's Call name _____

Date of Birth _____ Sex _____ Neutered _____ Color _____

General description and markings _____

Physical Condition _____

Veterinary information _____

Temperament and personality (include special behavior favorites and hates) _____

Signature of owner _____

Printed name of owner _____

Signature of co-owner _____

Printed name of co-owner _____

Date _____ Witness _____

IBIZAN HOUND CLUB OF THE US RESCUE — Adoption Application

Please complete the following information to assist the IBIZAN HOUND CLUB OF THE US Rescue Committee in attempting to select a suitable Ibizan Hound for you and your family to adopt. This information will be helpful in determining that a proposed adoption is in the best interests of the Ibizan Hound and you and your family. In answering these questions feel free to use the backs of pages or to attach additional pages.

Your Name(s) _____ Date _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Email _____

Referred by: _____ Occupation(s) a. _____ b. _____

Describe ideal Ibizan Hound wanted: Age _____ Sex _____ Color _____

Activity level (examples couch potato, quiet, playful, energetic, outgoing) _____

Would an Ibizan Hound mix be acceptable? Yes _____ No _____

Other Considerations _____

Have you owned a dog before? Yes _____ No _____ If yes please describe each dog, how long you owned it. If you do not still own the dog, please describe what happened to it.

Do you have a veterinarian? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please list name, address & phone number

Typical yearly veterinary expenses for a dog are about \$100 a year. Is this acceptable? _____

Even if the Ibizan Hound has been previously housebroken, you should expect that it would not be housebroken at first, in a new home. This may be temporary or it may require training. Would you be willing to housebreak an Ibizan Hound? _____

Will you be willing to train an Ibizan Hound, including obedience classes? _____

Dogs may run off and/or roam if given a chance. Do you have a fenced-in yard? The Ibizan Hound can jump fences lower than six feet _____ Do you have a secure six-foot fence? _____ If not, will you walk your Ibizan Hound on leash? _____ Will you allow it to exercise under close supervision? _____

Dogs may become destructive when left alone, but there are ways to train them not to chew or mess in the house when left alone. Are you willing to take the time and effort to train? _____

Are you willing to try using a pen or crate or finding some other means of solving any such problems? _____

Ibizan Hounds shed year round; combing, brushing, etc. is required. Are you willing to spend time grooming your dog? _____

Describe your living arrangements. _____

A club representative may visit your home before you adopt an Ibizan Hound and during the adoption process. Is this acceptable to you? _____

Describe all of the persons that live at this home. If any children list their ages and interests, too

Have all of these persons agreed to the adoption of an Ibizan Hound? _____

Who will be primarily responsible for caring for the Ibizan Hound? _____

Are you willing to educate your children in the humane care of animals? _____

Are you sure that no one in your household is allergic to dogs? _____

Describe all of the pets that currently live at this home. Type/Age/Sex? Are any neutered/spayed?

Are all of these pets generally friendly toward dogs? _____

The Ibizan Hound may not initially get along with other pets you may own now or in the future. If there is trouble, are you prepared to find ways to solve it? _____

Our rescue agreement will require you to take responsibility for the Ibizan Hound for its entire life. In the event that is not possible or you can no longer care for it you must agree to return it to the Rescue Committee. Is this acceptable? _____

Do you understand that the Committee does not guarantee the condition, health, behavior or personality of the Ibizan Hound? _____

Do you understand that the Committee or Club makes no representations as to the condition, health, behavior or personality of the Ibizan Hound? _____

It is very important that no one adopt an Ibizan Hound on an impulse. Have you given this adoption adequate thought? _____

Have you considered the possible problems attendant to adopting an Ibizan Hound? _____

We welcome and appreciate your interest in providing a good home for an Ibizan Hound. Please understand that your completion of this application does not guarantee that a suitable Ibizan Hound will be found for you. Please also understand that applicants are not placed on a waiting list in the order of the date of application. Rather, in each case of selecting a home for an Ibizan Hound, all applications will be considered equally. We do this in order to attempt to select the most suitable home for that Ibizan Hound, in light of its health, personality, behavior and other factors. We attempt to select the most suitable Ibizan Hound for the home in light of the answers you have given above.

In the event that an Ibizan Hound were to be considered for adoption by you, there would be a written agreement between you and the Committee/Club. We might visit your home. In the written agreement, among other things, you would make certain agreements regarding your care of the Ibizan Hound. You would agree that the Ibizan Hound would be returned to the Committee/Club if you do not abide by the agreements, or if you no longer want, or could no longer take care of, the Ibizan Hound.

Please understand that, while the Committee/Club will have had the Ibizan Hound examined by a veterinarian, the Committee/Club cannot make any guarantees regarding the health or physical condition of the Ibizan Hound. Understand too, that all expenses after the adoption of the Ibizan Hound, including medical expenses, would be your responsibility.

The Ibizan Hound will be spayed or neutered before you would adopt it. You will be required to pay a \$300.00 donation (or higher amount if you wish) to the Club/Committee to defray expenses relating to rescue efforts prior to your adoption.

The IBIZAN HOUND CLUB OF THE US Rescue Committee would appreciate it, after you complete this application for Adoption and while awaiting an Ibizan Hound, if you would notify the chairman if you get another dog. Also, let us know if you decide that you no longer wish to adopt an Ibizan Hound.

For more information contact:

Lisa McKay – Rescue Chairman 937-237-8706 elfstonek9@hotmail.com (OHIO)

RETURN FORM TO:

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ASFA Top 20 Hounds – For period January 1, 2007 to February 16, 2007. Reported by Lori Coulson

Note: An asterisk preceding the name indicates pending information that may affect Rank standing.

Rank	Call Name	Owner	Top20 Pts	BOB	BIF
1	Rhiannon	DeVillez Every Single Day LCM	16	0	0
2	Cherry	Earstwo Cherry Blossom LCM 2,VFCh	13	1	0
3	Pogo	Gryphon's Pogo Podenco LCM 3	12	2	0
3	Dakota	Devillez A Lil Travlin Music LCM	12	1	0
5	Wings	Bramblewood's Alas Emplumadas LCM 5	8	0	0
6	Sailor	Can Ch IcyCold Firstmate CanFCh	7	1	0
7	Ellie	Can Ch Bramblewood Icy Cold Elegance FCh, FChX Dr.K.Catt	5	0	0
8	Zeke	Bigskys Devillez Ezekiel LCM	4	0	0
9	Arcana	Ears Two Arcana Of Huntarot LCM	2	0	0
10	Sunrise	Can Ch IcyCold First Light of Day CanFCh	1	0	0
10	Becker	Jemm's Arbeca Bravissimo	1	0	0
10	Gus	Devillez Welcome Home Oenghus	1	0	0
10	Butch	DevillezTryinToGetTheFeelingAg	1	0	0

IHCUS Logo Pins and Third Eye Back Issues for Sale

For the tiny price of \$10.00, beautiful lapel pins are now available to IHCUS members and those who love the breed! (Plus a small fee of \$1.00 for shipping and 50¢ for each additional pin!) Items are shipped uninsured. If you would like insurance, add \$1.30 per order. All profits from sales of these pins go to IHCUS General Fund.

IHCUS has created lapel pins that feature the Club logo of both smooth and wire hair Ibizan Hounds. They are one inch long by one-half inch tall, in a triangle shape, with a lapel button clasp back. These are NOT the club pins you received when you joined IHCUS. If you are a collector of pins, you might have the *other* pins IHCUS had available over the years. The black-and-gold square pin has the Nan Kilgore drawing of a reclining Ibizan and "The Ibizan Hound Club of the United States" written around the outside. (This pin is what members now receive when joining our club.) There was also a black-and-gold pin with a cutout of a reclining Ibizan Hound with "IHCUS" written under the dog. And there was a pin with a cutout of a red/white reclining Ibizan with "Ibizan Hound" written under the dog.

You can order the logo pin online through a secure PayPal link. When PayPal asks for our email address, enter puppyinfo@cox.net.

To order by mail, contact Rose Bednarski with how many pins you would like to order. She will tell you the total price and mailing address. Make checks payable to IHCUS.

Also available- past issues of "The Third Eye" newsletter. Price is \$5.00 each. Contact Rose Bednarski on which ones she still has. As of the Fall 2006 issue of "The Third Eye", extra copies will be available from Kristie Stocker.

Rose Bednarski – dejavueh@gotisky.com

Gazette Column: Advertising *(Submitted by Bonnie Fleming)*

Most of us do this expensive form of bragging, especially in our parent club newsletters. We are so proud of our “kids” that we just can’t help it. Since we are going to do it anyway, we might as well do it in such a way as to make it pay off.

There are loads of books on effective advertising, and they can be a great help. Dog show advertising, however, does have its own criteria so as to be both effective and credible. Credibility is of the most importance. Too many transgressions, and your ads will not only be viewed with skepticism, but possibly with outright laughter. Effective ones are simple, easily read, and comply with the niceties the dog show world expects. Those niceties (which also affect your credibility) include the dog’s registered name, the win advertised, owner, handler, breeder and it’s a nice touch (especially in breed magazines) to include the sire/dam. Many people don’t consider all this necessary, especially in a breed magazine. If you have a popular breed, it’s important, but often ignored in a small population breed such as ours. After all, everyone knows who “Poopsie” is, don’t they? Sorry to wound your pride, but maybe they don’t, or there is another one out there.

Your ad should have a definite purpose (a big win, litter announcement, etc.) and that targeted audience should be obvious in the presentation. This allows you to channel your ad specifically. Big wins are aimed at judges and are usually done in the all-breed brag boxes - ooops - magazines. It is absolutely vital that you get all the information into the ad. You must also be accurate. If you are advertising standings, you must list the time period and list you are bragging about. I could advertise Poopsiana as No. 1 and be absolutely correct. However, that was in January 2002 and bragging on it now would cause more laughter than awe. Be sure that someone is going to ferret out the truth and publish it. And won’t you look silly! Sweeping statements can also get you in big trouble. Such as UNDEFEATED. Really? He’s been Best in Show every time out? Another is CLEAN SWEEP. That means that your dogs took all 6 placements. That just might pass - until an unfriend checks the entry and finds out that all six dogs entered were yours. Litter/breeding announcements need an entirely different tack. Personally, I like the ones with pictures of both parents and a three generation pedigree. Believe it or not, I have seen these ads without the sire/dam listed. Big oopsie.

The best article I have ever seen on dog advertising was done by Robin Stark in her 1980 Keesonden column for the Gazette. Unfortunately AKC does not archive columns. The best advice I ever got was not to rush the ad. Set it up early. Proof it several times. Let it sit for a few days, then proof it again. You will still make mistakes over the years, but at least they won’t be blatant. Now, if I could just follow my own advice. I wouldn’t have to run an ad to correct the ad that I just did!

Tee Shirts

Available are 2 tee shirts available from the 2006 specialty. A 2XL and a Small. They have the logo theme printed on them which was Ibizans and a covered wagon. Price is \$15 each which includes shipping.

Rose Bednarski
dejavueh@gotsky.com

Wooden Ornaments

Black wooden ornament of a Ibizan Hound painted black with gold writing of the 2006 Specialty on it. Price is \$6.00 each which includes postage.

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Canadian Champion Aranjuez de Tekoneva



(Spain import Melqart's Baal x Ch. Da Vinci Icing on the Cake)

Aron had a great vacation in Outer Banks, North Carolina. We have more fun beach pictures of him in our website

Congratulations to sister Alba de Tekoneva and owners Lisa Puskas & Susan Short for her first points!

Also congratulations to Arja Pellinen for finishing our foundation bitch; Finnish Champion Da Vinci Icing on the Cake! "Jillian" has a lovely litter on the ground in Finland.

Breeder-owner:

Eva Partida

8 Promenade Ct

Cherry Hill, NJ 08034

856-354 0183

tekoneva@comcast.net

more pics of Aron: <http://ibizanhounds.tekoneva.com/index.htm>

Ana Alisian and Uno's Babies: The Braveheart Litter

CH Jemm's Exquisite Ana Alisian JC CGN
Group Winning & #1 Breed 2005 always Owner-handled
Westminster Award of Merit 2006 winner and Lure Coursing Monster
x Amberlithe Caprecio Uno



Congratulations to **Alisian Fields Braveheart** for a Group Four and Puppy Group One in his Debut show at 8 months of age with Alisa. Now Nation's #5 ALL BREED!
Thank you Judge Dr. Edna Martin for this wonderful compliment and recognition.

**BEEZERFEST BRAG! Braveheart took Best of Winners 2 days from BBE Class!
Great competition for 5 and 4 point majors; BBE each day. his 2-5th shows.
Thank You Judges, Organizers and Award Contributors.**

Not shown is **Alisian Fields Kenzie of Kamar** (Kisses) who, along with primary owner Katie Belz, is having fun in Texas. Congrats to Kenzie and Katie for BOB's their first weekend out

Alisa is most proud of these babies' wonderful personalities and socialization.

All pups passed BAER and CERF Testing.



Contact Alisa now for Availability of these girls or next litter.
None of "The Girls" have been shown yet.

Alisa Barbour
Alisian Fields Ibizan Hounds established 1989
PO Box 74266, Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52407
319-310-3111

alisianbizans@aol.com
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**See you at the
2007 National Annual Meeting
May 2, 2007**

Following the Specialty and Dinner

**To be held at the Host Hotel
Best Western Cotton Tree Inn: 1-800-662-6886
801-523-8484,
10695 South Auto Mall Drive, Sandy, UT**

**Make sure to stick around for the auction
following the meeting.**

**Visit www.ihcusspecialty.org
For all your National Specialty needs**

**Reminder entries for the Specialty closed April 11/07
Entries for Beehive Cluster closed April 18/07**

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Focusing on strong minds and bodies.

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T'Marras Hip Hip Hooray Betty Boop "Betty Boop"

Owner Tammy Forbes and Pamela Mutchek

T'Marras One Last Hurrah "Jules"

Owner Karen Mariani/
Dave Houston and
Pamela Mutchek



T'Marras Hooray For the Dragon Lady "Kali"

Owner Karl Radke/Karen Radke and Pamela Mutchek



T'Marras Three Cheers and Hooray "Ali" Owner Miguel Arias

T'Marras Hooray For Hollywood "Tatum" Owner Pamela Mutchek

T'Marras Hurrah For the Fast and Furious "Miki" Owner Karen Radke and Pamela Mutchek

T'Marras Hooray for Just Jack "Jack"
Owner Glenn Cameron and Pamela Mutchek



T'Marras Hooray for Radio Flyer "Radio Flyer"
Owner Tammy and Tony Forbes



T'Marras is planning a Spring/Summer 07 litter. Inquiry's welcome

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pammutchek@LL.net
www.ibizansbytmarras.com

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Ahram's Ain't No Other Man

Christopher

Shown winning BOB from the BBE class over top Specials at 8 months of age

Breeder/Owner/Handled by Michelle Paulin-Brown

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Paradise's No Highland Fling

(Ch. Paradise-Ahram Lose Yrself In Me x Special Acres Image Of A Winner JC)

Obviously not a "fling," this very smooth mover earns yet another major by dancing past specials from the puppy class for a Best of Breed!

Tango's dance card in two weekends:
major reserve, 3 pt major, 4 pt major, 5 pt major

Owned and handled by:
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Bramblewood's Latin Lover of Cloudnine "Ricco"



Shown going BOB over all the girls and a special at our home show in Amarillo in December. We are thrilled with our beautiful boy!!! Thank you Judy!!!

Owners: Nancy & Kentt Billups
Cloud Nine

Breeder: Judy Parker
Bramblewood

CH Mystickal La Pluma Cloud Nine "Reva"



Our lovely lady goes BOB over a special giving her another major... this is her 3rd major win!!! She then finished with a 5 pt. major at the Superstition KC, under judge Denny Mounce.

We couldn't be happier with such a sweet girl, a delight to have share our home!!!

Thank you Ed!!!

Owners: Nancy & Kentt Billups
Cloud Nine

Breeder: Ed Kimble
Mystickal

A Wedding Announcement...

The Bride to be

Angel
(CH Ruby's Lil Angel in Eden)



The Groom to be

Rumby
(CH Rumbero De Can Pocaroba)



Pedigrees will be posted in the News
portion at www.bodeanskennels.com

Honeymoon plans are not known at
the present time.

Hounds of Distinction

~Presents ~

Distinction's Ribbons y Rapture & Distinction's Wind Feathers

Both have achieved their AKC Majors from the 6-9 puppy class



Owners: Robin Castillo & John O'Malley ~ John O'Malley & Robin Castillo
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In California, watch for *Distinction's Roses Are Red*

Best Opposite in Sweeps at Inland Empire Hound ~ Also AKC Major Pointed
With Junior Handler, Jessica Stover



Enjoy the presence of these dazzling wire siblings starting their careers!

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Judy Parker (Bramblewood Ibizans)
Robin Castillo (SunRumba Sighthounds)

Radio Flyer



Betty Boop



Breeder: Pam Mutchek, T'Marras Hooray Litter

Betty owners: Pam Mutchek and Tony and Tammy Hirstein Forbes

Radio owners: Tony and Tammy Hirstein Forbes

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