



AKC's approved Alaskan Klee Kai National Parent Club

ALASKAN KLEE KAI CLUB OF AMERICA
2022 AKC Title Achievements
(For Alaskan Klee Kai Only)

Saturday, September 16, 2023

Gray Summit, MO 63039

Alaskan Klee Kai Club of America
<http://www.akkcoa.org>

Note from Linda Spurlin

Way back before home computers were common, I licked a stamp, sealed an envelope, and mailed AKC a letter asking what it would take to get a new breed recognized by the American Kennel Club. I was not so interested in actual showing as I was in protecting the breed standards. In March of 1988, AKC's James Crowley typed back that we would need a National Breed Club with democratic by-laws with at least a hundred members in various parts of the country, X numbers of dogs and generations of pedigrees and, of course, an AKC approved breed standard. This would only get the breed into the stud books, and I had no clue what was needed beyond that point. But it was a start, something to work towards, which, by trial and error and a lot of hard work, we achieved in 2020.

Understand that in 1988 living in a small town in Alaska, I had never yet even been to a dog show and had no idea most dog sports even existed. So, while it's probably true that 35 years ago many of today's dog sports did not yet exist, let me tell you that today my mind is totally blown to see all the titles, testing, certifications, and recognitions our beautiful little breed has achieved. Agility, Rally, Scent Work, and so many more! Many of the sports now available I have still never even seen in action! However, I am not so naïve as to think dogs achieved these titles by themselves. Without the hard work and dedication from their breeders, owners, and handlers our dogs would only win our hearts and not titles. I am so proud of the work you have all put into your Alaskan Klee Kai to achieve these titles and recognitions that not only make you and your furry friend look good, but will help us achieve our goal as a National Breed Club so that we can eventually move up to Misc. and then to full AKC recognition.

*Thank you and congratulations,
Linda S. Spurlin*

*Congratulations to ALL the AKKCOA members
and their pups who achieved so many wonderful
AKC accomplishments in 2022!*

*We want to share the title results
which we received from AKC for 2022
(January 1, 2022—December 31, 2022)*

Total Titles Earned in 2022 = 59

Certificate of Merit

CM = 2

*Companion and
Performance Titles*

A = Agility = 5
O = Obedience = 0
R = Rally-O = 9
T = Tracking = 0
S = Scent Work = 19
C = Coursing = 9

Title Recognition

TD = Trick Dog = 0
BH = Barn Hunt = 1
FB = Fly Ball = 0
D = Dock Diving = 1
DD = Disc Dog = 0
TH = Therapy = 0
SR = Search/Rescue = 0

Testing/Certifications

CGC = Canine Good Citizen = 12
FD = Farm Dog = 1
ATT = AKC Temperament Test = 0

Conformation Certificate of Merit

Cali Shadonix (Jennifer Hsia)	Attila (Thurisia's Darkk Rd To Reading)	Star Award*
Cheryl O Simpson (Jennifer Hsia)	Isla (Thurisia's Voice Of Reason)	Star Award*

***We have sent crystal star awards for these.**

Testing / Certifications**

CGC=Canine Good Citizen; ATT=AKC Temperament Test; FD=Farm Dog;

Jade Goh	Everdeen (Barkor's Face Of The Rebellion)	CGC
Jennifer Hsia	Lyra (Aliak's Her Darkk Materials)	CGCU
Jennifer Hsia	Bennet (Del Mar's Critical Acclaim)	CGC
Jennifer Hsia	Kirjava (Thurisia's Window To The World)	CGC
Christina de Juan Ph.D.	Maera (Thurisia's Enchanted Sea-Nymph)	CGCU
Ingrid Knorr	Bindi (Dekk's Mischief Managed @ Zakk)	CGCU, CGCA
Sarah Proper	Jax (Ice's Always The Proper Choice)	CGC
Sarah Proper	Juneau (Ice's She's So Prim & Proper)	CGC
Cheryl O Simpson	Isla (Thurisia's Voice Of Reason)	CGC, CGCU, CGCA
Terry Wright	Kai (Jemira Alasco's Kunik)	FD

****Testing/Certification Titles above are not eligible to receive performance awards**

Companion & Performance & Title Recognition

**A=Agility; O=Obedience; R=Rally-O; T=Tracking; S=Scent Work; C=Courseing
TD=Trick Dog, BH=Barn Hunt, FB=Fly Ball, D=Dock Diving, DD=Disc Dog,
TH=Therapy, SR=Search/Rescue**

Jennifer Hsia	Lyra (Aliak's Her Darkk Materials)	1 in D, 1 in R	DNA / RN
Jennifer Hsia	Potion (Thurisia's After All This Time)	1 in R	RN
Cheryl O Simpson	Isla (Thurisia's Voice Of Reason)	1 in R, 1 in C	RN / BCAT
Cali Shadonix	Attila (Thurisia's Darkk Rd To Reading)	1 in C	BCAT
Gabor (Gabe) Redler	Korra (Barkor's Korra Redler)	1 in S, 1 BH	SEN / BH
Ingrid Knorr	Panda (Dekk's Grl W/Kaleidoscope Eyes)	1 in R	RI
Ingrid Knorr	Bindi (Dekk's Mischief Managed @ Zakk)	2 in A, 1 in R, 1 in C	OF, AXJ / RI / BCAT
Terry Wright	Kai (Jemira Alasco's Kunik)	9 in S	SBA, SCAE, SENE, SWNE, SIA, SCE, SEA, SWA, SIAE
Christina de Juan Ph.D.	Luna (Kenai's Circle Of Life)	1 in S	SBN
Christina de Juan Ph.D.	Zephyr (Kenai's Defying Gravity)	2 in C	DCAT, FCAT
Christina de Juan Ph.D.	Maera (Thurisia's Enchanted Sea-Nymph)	1 in S	SCN
Brandy Lawrence	Cherry (Mikka-Diamond E Cherry Blossom)	3 in A	NA, OAJ, OA
Patricia (Trish) Goad	Kai (Nordics Catch Me Kai)	2 in C, 7 in S	BCAT, DCAT / SIN, SCN, SEN, SBN, SWN, SIA, SEA
Lara Luke	Logan (Taylak Chatelet Immortal)	1 in R	RI
Lara Luke	Teyla (Taylak Sg Teyla Spirit Of Athos)	1 in R	RA
Lara Luke	Kiera (Taylak Stargate Continuum)	2 in R	RN, RI
Roxane Papagian- nopoulos	Skyline's Akira	2 in C	BCAT, DCAT

Most Versatile Performance Dog 2022

Bindi with Ingrid Knorr

2 Agility Titles

1 Rally-O Title

1 Coursing (Fast CAT) Title

And we have a tie:

2022 Most Performance Titled Dog

Kai with Terry Wright

9 Scent Work Titles

2022 Most Performance Titled Dog

Kai with Patricia (Trish) Goad

7 Scent Work Titles

2 Coursing (Fast CAT) Titles

*Congratulations Everyone!!!!
and Thank You for your Support!*

RAFFLES

Be sure to stop by the AKKCOA information and raffle booth to learn more about the Alaskan Klee Kai breed and National Parent Club, and check out the wonderful donated raffle items and get some tickets!

**The raffle will be held all weekend
with tickets drawn Sunday morning, 9/17/2023**

MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN

AKKCOA Membership Meeting

Saturday, September 16,2023

**Pacific Community Park, Burns Pavilion,
707 W Congress St, Pacific, MO 63069**

**AKKCOA invites our members to join us for our year in review,
goals for the future, and open floor discussions.**

Followed by our delicious potluck dinner



*Special Guest
Linda Spurlin,
Breed Developer*

AKKCOA Annual Pot Luck Dinner

Open to all (to follow the meeting)

**Smoked Pork BBQ, beverages, plates, napkins, utensils
to be furnished by AKKCOA.**

**Salads, side dishes, snacks and desserts courtesy of
members on the food-to-share sign-up sheet.**

Join us for door fun and good food!

Thank you to all who contributed!

The Alaskan Klee Kai Club of America was founded in 2002 as a volunteer, nonprofit organization to help guide and educate owners, breeders, exhibitors, enthusiasts, judges, and the general public about the breed, their history, and their future.

The purpose of AKKCOA is to encourage, promote, protect, and preserve the highest standards improving the pure-bred Alaskan Klee Kai to the breed developer's original vision of the best of the best for appearance, soundness, structure, temperament, and health.

The Alaskan Klee Kai (AKK) was accepted into the American Kennel Club's Foundation Stock Services (AKC FSS) in October of 2020. AKKCOA was approved as the AKC Alaskan Klee Kai National Parent Club in April 2022.

*Thank you to the American Kennel Club
Foundation Stock Service, Mari-Beth O'Neill and
Christine Weisse for your help in working with us
as we seek AKC recognition for our breed.*

*Thank you to all our Volunteers, Exhibitors,
Donators, Committee Members, Breeders,
Club Members, and families that continue to
support the Alaskan Klee Kai Club of America,
the Alaskan Klee Kai breed,
and our journey to full AKC recognition.*

*Thank you from the Alaskan Klee Kai Club of America
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