

# Siberian Tales

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## 2nd Annual Ice Cream Social

Our 2nd Annual Ice Cream Social was a GREAT success!!!! The day started out cool and turned a little warm by the afternoon, but we were still able to allow those that came a carting experience. We figured that we were able to take at least 16 dogs that had never carted before along with their owners on a run. One cart went out with 5 dogs that had never carted, one experienced leader and 5 owners running along for the trip around the large field.

This was also turned into a day to adopt rescue dogs. We advertised the event in the Siberian Husky Rescue/Referral and the Mercury News. Two were adopted that day and others were being considered. At one point we had more people wanting dogs to adopt than those we had available. We added them to the list. SHRR was very fortunate in the past week many dogs were placed that we thought would be available.

At one point we counted 44 dogs and at least 35 people. It was quite a site seeing all the dogs lined out from one tree to others and then a few around trees. We went through over 20 boxes of Frosty Paws and 3+ gallons of ice cream. We took at least 7 teams of dogs out for the run.

Marilyn kindly donated a Howling Wolf night light (which Celine won) and Randee donated at Dog Lovers Flag (which Al one). We brought in \$57.00 from the raffle and \$7.00 for brags!

It was such a great success we will plan 2-3 more of these each year.

## Club Officers as of July 1, 1995

President: Al Oullette  
Vice President: Laura Morales  
Secretary: Randee McQueen  
Treasurer: Art Lassagne  
Members at Large:  
Nic Matulich  
Celine Tews  
Carol Oullette

## Upcoming Specialty Match

The match is set and all of the judges have been lined up. We will have Studio 2 taking pictures, a IWPA sanctioned weight pull, tattoo clinic by Toneka Outfitters, cart rides and much more.....

We are in need of stewards for the rings. If we can get enough stewards you should only have to work half the day and we can have someone take over for you if you need to show your dog. Call Angela Kwan (415)802-0628

Do you know of a group of Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Camp Fire, 4-H, church group that would be interested in helping? If yes please contact Randee or Marilyn with their name. We will be giving all those that help a gift for helping along with a big thank you.

If this is to be the success we hope, we need all members to help.

## B.A.S.H Member Profile

Dana Anderson and Scott Tilmant decided to start their "family" with a husky as Scott had had one that he dearly loved when he was younger. In 1994 they met Nic and got Sasha and Rusty. They heard about our 1st Annual Ice Cream social from Jackie and Cam at the Cupertino Wine Festival. Since that infamous Saturday last year they have been very active members of our club. Later in 94 they adopted Tacoma and in 95 they got Skye. They are part of the "Umunhum 9" that practiced carting last year prior to the snow season. They have numerous other pets that include "Oddie" (a snake) and numerous fish in their 300 gallon tank. Dana is a full time student at San Jose State University and works part time at Fresh Choice. Scott is a design engineer. Their hobbies include Northern Breed Rescue, carting and sledding and Scott is an Ice Hockey Referee and a motorcycle enthusiast.

An interesting story they have to tell is from last April. They were sledding in the Blue Lakes area with Nic and Randee. They decided to do a night run with two eight dog teams. After going about a mile they crossed more than a few coyote tracks and decided that it was best to turn around as the dogs kept wanting to follow the track. They took a turn to fast and flipped the sled. After a few choice words to the sky and their dogs they continued on with little control of the team. As they neared the end of the run they encountered a gate that was covered with snow. The dogs felt the need to go through it. The sled made it over but the drag line was a loss. They learned an important lesson that day- Sled dogs don't sit.



## Recipe of the Month

by Celine Tews



### Chicken & Rice Salad

- 5 C. Chicken pieces (cooked or canned)
- 2 T. Salad Oil
- 2 T. orange juice
- 2 T. vinegar
- 1 tsp salt
- 3 C. cooked rice
- 1 C. toasted slivered almonds
- 1 1/2 C mayonnaise
- 1 1/2 C small green grapes or big ones cut in half
- 1 can pineapple tidbits (drained)
- 1 can mandarin oranges (drained)

mix oil, juice, vinegar & salt. Pour over chicken and refrigerate overnight or several hours. Add the rest of the ingredients, toss and serve. This serves 12

## Upcoming Meetings:

### October General Meeting

Saturday October 22, at Del Val Dog Show. Agenda, directions and time will be mailed on a post card about one week prior to the show.

### November General Meeting

Saturday November 11 at the Tews home in San Jose. The time will be discussed at the October meeting. Agenda and directions will be mailed at least two weeks prior to the meeting.

### December General Meeting and Xmas Party

Dates are currently being considered. Check your calendar and bring your opinion to the October meeting. Possible dates are December 2 and December 16.

# SnoBASH Schedule '96

Our tentative schedule for SnoBASH has been set and is schedule around the SNDD Race Schedule

SnoBASH I  
January 27,28- 1996

Sno BASH II  
March 3,4 -1996

Location will be announced as the dates near. The location will be either Bear Valley or Bear River. At this time we think one will be at each location.

SnoBASH is a weekend where you can try your dog and yourself with a sled. Members with sleds and experienced dogs team up with those that aren't and don't have sleds to have a great day and or weekend.

The groomed trails that we use are from 1 mile to a little over 3 miles. With this size we can do a number of runs with different dogs throughout the day without wearing them out.

Put the dates on your calendar and think "SNOW"

## Household Medical Remedies

Please always consult with your veterinarian prior to using.

Vitamin B- 1/2 to 2 ml subcutaneously every 24 hours for an appetite stimulant.

Benadryl- up to 2 mg per pound every 8 hours, for allergies, itching, bee stings, etc...

Dramamine- up to 50 mg every 8 hours, to help reduce motion sickness.

Hydrogen Peroxide- 10 ml by mouth every 15 minutes, to induce vomiting after accidental ingestion of a poison.

Pepto Bismol- 1 tsp. per 5 pounds every 6 hours, to help relieve vomiting, stomach gas or diarrhea.

Di Gel Liquid- up to 4 tbs. every 8 hours, for antacid and anti-gas relief.

Mineral Oil- up to 4 tbs. daily, to eliminate constipation.

Kaopectate- 1 ml. per pound every 2 hours for diarrhea.

Imodiome- 1 tablet the first sign of diarrhea and another tablet every 4 hours if needed.

Tylenol (acetomeophin) and Advil (Ibuprophen)- are not recommended.



## DRAWING

of a Beppu signed ecology print. It is the picture that was used in the Mercury News' special edition on Ecology last May. All members will be receiving tickets in the next few weeks for this drawing. Return any unsold tickets to the club. The Club will be selling special tickets from now until the Christmas Party. All funds will go to benefit Siberian Husky Rescue/Referral. The drawing will be at the Christmas party. The print will be brought to most of the meetings so take a look and buy a ticket!

### New E-Mail

Marilyn Lassagne- (she changed it since last month)  
Lassky1@Aol.Com  
(anyone signing up for AOL- please use Marilyn as your friend so that Husky Rescue can get the 10 free hours)

### Correction of E-Mail

Neil Ordiers (correction from last month--- sorry)  
nordiers@netcom.com

## SNDD Tentative Race Schedule

### January

13,14 Truckee, CA  
20,21 Mammoth  
Lakes, CA  
27,28 Chemult OR

### February

10,11 Markleeville  
CA  
17,18 Chester CA

### March

3,4 Grande Lakes  
CO  
(ISDRA sanctioned races are in Bold)

### NEW ADDRESSES (joined at the Ice Cream Social)

**Cabanban, Robert**  
2112 Rockhurst Court  
Santa Clara CA 95051

**Schwartz, Carolyn**  
72 Craggs Court  
San Francisco CA 94131

**Zuber, Gary & Kiyomi**  
2112 Rockhurst Ct  
Santa Clara Ca 95051  
(408)3569473

Please add their names to your address book.

### Brag



Kevin and Carol Lape's son, Steven entered a Baby Beauty Pageant. He won 1st Place in the 5-6 month old boys, Title of Duke, Masters Runner-up and gets to go to the State Finals in 1996!

Congratulations  
Steven  
and the Lape  
family!

## BOOK REVIEW:

# Termination Dust

It came out in April, but I wasn't able to get a copy of it until August. It was well worth the wait.

Termination Dust is by Sue Henry who authored Murder on the Iditarod Trail. This book follows the character of Alex Jensen, who was the Alaskan detective, through the mystery of murders that happened now and in the past during the great Alaskan Gold Rush. As in the first novel she keeps you wondering about who and why are murdering people along with continually creating great twists and turns as to what is happening and why.

Sue Henry intertwines the history of Alaskan and Canadian frontiers. She brings you the history of how the areas are intertwined and makes you want to learn more about it. Most of it is set on the Yukon River which has not changed much since 1897 when the first "murder" took place.

Our favorite musher, Jessie,

is brought into the plot partway through the story to assist her boyfriend, the detective, solve the crime.

The story begins with a rugged canoeist that is navigating the Yukon River by himself. He finds the remains of a man that died during the Gold Rush. He also finds a few belongings of the man, one of which is the man's diary. Through the story you get to "read" his diary. The diary details life of a what it was like during the gold rush. After finding the diary he is implicated in the murders of two other people. As the story progresses the reader finds that the murder that happened during the Gold Rush is directly related the current murders. Throughout their investigation she describes in beautiful detail the area such as the Yukon River, The Top of the World Highway, gold dredges and how they worked, life in the small towns of the frontier and more.



## San Jose Holiday Parade

On December 3, San Jose will be hosting their annual holiday parade and BASH hopes to be represented at the event. We have applied as a "novelty" group. Many people signed up at the September meeting to be a part of the parade. If you were not at the meeting but would like to participate Laura Morales will be taking names for a waiting list in case some that have signed up are not able to attend. At the current time we do not know if we are accepted nor how many people they will allow beyond those that we originally signed up for. The parade will be televised. If you don't want to walk in the parade you might consider helping those that do at the waiting area.

The theme is "Santa's Arctic Helpers". We will allow one dog per person 12 years and older. All children under 10 must ride. The riders will be on the carts with a few dogs pulling them and some of "Santa's" packages. Other dogs will be wearing packs either made up as packages or bulging with packages. All dogs will be wearing Christmas Themed kerchiefs and bells. All the "helpers" will be wearing BASH sweatshirts in red or green with Santa or Elf hats.

All persons involved will need to commit to buying a sweatshirt and hat (at cost).

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## Items for the SHRR Raffle?

The All Breed committee is looking for items for the raffle at our upcoming event.

Do you have a new and interesting item, dog related, that you would like to donate?

Do you have a favorite pet store that you patronize? If yes, please ask them if they are interested in donating an item from their store. We will be listing all of those that donate an item at the table and at the BASH booth.

If you have answered yes to either of these questions, please contact Celine Tews.

## Reminder to all members:

With the passage of the amendments to the By-laws and Constitution some changes have occurred. They are listed below:

We no longer have a category for Newsletter Subscription, it is now an Associate member (non voting).

We will no longer be mailing out the minutes of the prior meeting. The minutes will be available at the meeting for review. If you with a copy prior to the meeting, call Randee McQueen and request that it be sent to you. Prior to the meeting we will be sending a postcard stating the time, location and agenda of the meeting. We are doing this to save on paper and postage.

## Animal Birth Control-----

is the San Jose Spay and Neuter program. EVERY household in San Jose can receive 2 free vouchers to spay or neuter dogs and unlimited for cats. You can go in person or mail your request to them at 800 N. First Street Room 436, San Jose 95110. (408)244-8351.

San Jose number for more information is 277-5872. Most cities have programs such as this. Call your local City Hall or Town offices and get more information.

If you have already "fixed" your dogs, please take the time and go get your certificates so they may be donated to Siberian Husky Rescue/Referral. If you have information on the program in your town, please contact the editors with the information and we will publish it in coming months!

## Upcoming Show Dates:

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|-------------|---|----------------|---|
| October 4-7 | National Siberian Husky Show in Ontario California.                                 | Oct 21-        | All breed Temperament Test- Hillcrest Community Park, Concord, CA Entries close Oct 6th. \$25.00 Sec. Lorna Miller 16965 Laurel Rd., Woodside, CA 94063 |
| Oct 6th-    | Santa Barbara Kennel Club All Breed Dog Show Stevenson Field Gardner Ranch, Buelton | Oct 21-        | Alaskan Malamute Specialty and sweepstakes, Alameda Co.   |
| Oct 7th-    | San Luis Obispo Kennel Club All Breed Dog Show Same location as above               | Oct 22-        | Del Valle Dog Club of Livermore-All Breed Dog Show- same location as above.Fairgrounds, Pleasanton,   |
| Oct 13th-   | Shasta Kennel Club-All breed Dog Show, Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds, Yuba City, CA       | Oct 28 & 29th. | Sacramento Valley Dog Fanciers- All Breed Dog Show- Dixon-  |
| Oct. 14th-  | Chico Dog Fanciers Assoc.- All breed Dog Show, same location.                       | Nov 18-        | BASH All Breed Match Hayward CA   |
| Oct 15th    | Two Cities Kennel Club- All Breed Dog Show-Ame Location.May Fairgrounds, Dixon, CA. |                |   |



# Pre-Order Now!

## Sweatshirts & Long Sleeve T-Shirts with the BASH Sled Logo (in Gold)

You have the opportunity to order the color and size of your choice. This is a one time offer. We will be accepting pre-paid orders from now until October 21 (next meeting). We will order all items the following Monday. Preorders will be paying our cost!

**Special order can include all of these sizes**  
S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL

### COLORS

Sweatshirts : Cardinal, Forrest Green, Denim Blue and Deep Plum  
\$17.00

Long Sleeve T-Shirts: Cardinal, Forrest Green, Black, Stone Washed  
\$13.00

*If you have signed up for the parade you need to order either Cardinal or Forrest Green (Sweathshirt or Long Sleeve T-Shirt)*

Please mail order form with check made payable to BASH, c/o Randee McQueen 2633 S. Bascom Ave. Campbell CA 95008. Include an additional \$1.00 per shirt if you want them mailed to you.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Sweatshirts: \$17.00			Long Sleeve T-Shirts \$13.00		
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# Bay Area Siberian Husky Club

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 1995

Single \$15.00       Family \$20.00       Associate \$11.50

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
home work

Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to BASH. All memberships and Subscriptions are valid through March 31, 1996. Send Membership Renewal form and check to:**

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