



NEWSLETTER
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From our President, Anne Denehy (Vizsla73@aol.com)...

On a very beautiful fall day I am writing this, looking back on a couple of recent times when VCLI members had the opportunity to get together. For those of us who ventured out to Oyster Bay a few weeks ago, I can only say you are the intrepid ones. Of course, dog events do continue on in all kinds of weather, but after the judging of our Vizslas who were entered and we attempted to gather for a brief meeting, it was disappointing that we had to disperse due to rain. The highlight was being able to admire the two beautiful puppies that Ed McAuliffe had brought with him and to greet a new family who had their new Vizsla baby with them, too.

However, scrolling back to the beginning of August, our annual Summer Fun Day was just the opposite. I know those of you who joined us in Cathedral Pines Park will

agree it was a huge success. The weather was just right, lots of members and their dogs came to share the fun and great games, and of course, as usual the food and cold drinks hit the spot. Of great importance, however, was the completion of our second AKC required "A" Match early in the day before the other fun and games began. That went off very well, with Don Snyder as our judge. All the details were done correctly, the paperwork was sent off to AKC on schedule and that event was accepted and approved.

That requirement being completed, all other necessary paperwork, etc. was filed and at this time we are awaiting word from AKC that they have approved us and the Vizsla Club of Long Island is finally to be a Licensed AKC-affiliated club. As soon as we hear

anything, we will send out a very happy notice to you all.

Thoughts for the future...

As the nice weather begins to draw to a close, we might be feeling that our dog activities are becoming limited. Wrong assumption. There are hundreds of dog enthusiasts who continue on during the year doing a variety of indoor activities.

While we feel very strongly that one of the reasons our club exists is to help our members enjoy their Vizslas to the fullest extent possible, we also know for a fact that a happy Vizsla is one with a job. What we mean is one whose talents and capabilities are often put into use. I don't have to tell you that a dog of this breed is one that is not sedentary, and it refuses to be idle for long. It is usually only quiet and happy after it has been very busy. Those of us who have been involved with these beloved Vizslas in organized "busy-work" have found a newer bond developing and a great relationship deepening. Although it is repetitive, I will say again, a happy Vizsla is a busy one. The discovery of our Vizslas' hidden talents and capacity for giving us pleasure is one of the greatest gratifications of owning this breed.

All that being said, we are going to attempt through our Newsletter to

feature in each edition the kinds of wonderful fun that is available through organized activities, both in a variety of venues as well as the views of a number of different members who have found them and made them a satisfying recreational part of their lives. Read on...

Hope to see you and your Vizsla soon.



DON'T FORGET TO MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE HOLIDAY PARTY AT JACKIE AND ED MCAULIFFE'S HOUSE ON DECEMBER 6TH. ALL FAMILIES ARE INVITED.
Announcement and directions to follow later.

Anne Denehy



Visit the VCLI website at <http://www.vcli.net>

HOLIDAY SOURCES FOR VIZSLA-THEMED GIFTS

Central Wisconsin Vizsla Club: 2009 calendar

<http://www.cwvc.org/cal2008.html>

Dog art work, portraits, logos, wearable art, car magnets, clip art

<http://www.argostar.com/>

Dog Play Mall: Sophisticated dog art work. Enter "Vizsla" in the search field.

<http://www.dogplayshops.com/ArtGallery/index.htm>

Colorado/Wyoming Rescue Group: Rescue fundraiser t-shirts and magnets

<http://www.coloradovizsla.org/>

Artist Michael Steddum: Note cards, magnets, original art

<http://www.michaelsteddum.com/index.htm>

Artist Mia Lane: Best of breed head study

http://www.mialane.on.ca/print_room7b.htm

Golden Wonders: Golden breed jewelry

<http://goldenwonders.com/catalog.php?page=viz>

Sally Mitchell limited edition fine art dog prints

<http://www.dogart.com/prints1.php?ti=10&wi=10>

Paradox Vizslas: Jewelry: Site of Nancy Boggs Heinhold with info about dogs and jewelry. Toni Nessing's photos of Bounce are gorgeous! Also includes for sale "The Vizsla Movie," a DVD documentary about the first VCA dual champion with an obedience degree.

<http://dogwebs.net/Paradox/Vizslajewelry.asp> or
<http://dogwebs.net/Paradox/DVDforsale.htm>

Ultra cool merchandise designed with the proud Vizsla lover in mind:

<http://www.cafepress.com/seered>

Art of Julie Bender: burnt wood designs

<http://www.juliebender.com/pets/gallery.html>

Dog Like Nature.com: Vizsla magnets, car signs, other miscellany

<http://www.doglikenature.com/store/item/68068.Vizsla.Magnet>

Everwhen Vizslas: Vizsla head custom embroidery

<http://www.everwhenvizslas.net/embroidery.htm>

Hungarian Vizsla Club of New South Wales, Australia. Great calendar.

<http://www.vizsla.org.au/home.htm>

Jack Sharkey's website includes Winning Ways: Training Your Sporting Breed Dog for Hunting and Competition by Jack Sharkey.

<http://home.comcast.net/~jjshark/index.html>

Red Dog Greetings. Michelle Villa's site with lots of Vizsla cards for all occasions.

<http://www.reddoggreetings.com/>

Vizsla Club of America: "think Vizsla" stickers, lapel pins and tie tacs, information pamphlets

<http://clubs.akc.org/vizsla/vcastore.htm>

"Obey the Vizsla" including "DaVizsla Code" at Cafepress.com

http://www.cafepress.com/dogs_of_war/177853

Vizsla Club of Central New England Gift Shop: shirts, jackets, pins, travel mugs, etc.

http://www.vccne.com/gift_shop.asp

PetPro.com: multiple items: stickers, bottle stoppers, V angels and V devils, umbrellas, aluminum street signs, etc.

<http://www.petpro.com/index.php?p=catalog&parent=212&pg=1>

Animal Den: coasters, address labels, blanket, cookie jar, mug, mousepad, tree ornament, note holder, pillow, pin, shirts, signs, umbrella, and calendar.

<http://www.animalden.com/vizslas.html>

Vizsla Society of Ontario. 2009 VSO Rescue Calendar.

<http://www.vsovizsla.org/2009.pdf>

Dog Décor: snow globe, leash holder, walking stick, tree ornament, welcome signs, coffee and soup mugs, ceramic tile trivet, ceramic collector plate, umbrella, earrings, mousepad, embroidered hand towel, desk figurine set, shirts, hats, pajamas, etc.

<http://www.dogdecor.com/vizsla.html>

Dog Shoppe. Net: Ceramic tiles, brooch, business card case or holder, calendar, can cooler, car mats, Christmas stocking, coasters, cutting board, hats, jewelry boxes, key cabinet, etc.

http://www.dogshoppe.net/product_info.php?cPath=83&products_id=432

Dog Collectibles: chalkboard, photo frame, figurine, socks, tree ornament, ceramic tile, decal

<http://www.dogcollectibles.com/cgi-bin/store1/commerce.cgi?product=vizsla>

Vizsla Rescue Fund: Christmas cards and some others, a photo book of V rescue stories, and a new T-shirt. After Nov. 5, on

<http://www.vrescuefund.org/>

Monique Akar Designs & Doggonit Gallery: Vizsla bed linens, chair caddy, collectible plate, cookie jar, fabric by the yard, fleece, hat, poncho, jewelry brooch, mug, needlepoint, quilts and quilt kit, scarf, salt

& pepper shakers, shirts, thimbles, tiles, towels, urns, and a watercolor,

http://www.moniqueakar.com/catalog/-c-1_156.html

Dreamscape Canine Collectibles: Flushed Vizsla gifts by Heidi Choquette— notecards, fine art print, ornaments, license plate holder, address book, shoulder bag, stickers, shirts, coasters, oak desk set, ceramic art tiles, oak leash rack, mousepad, clock, tile box.

http://www.dreamscapek9.com/Gift%20Pages/heidi_vizsla.htm

Tiles by Mimi: Ceramic custom hand-painted tile murals.

http://tilesbymimi.com/vizshla_portrait.htm

Unique Dog Art: Vizsla chalkboard, tiles, stained glass, wooden dog plaque, suncatchers.

<http://store.uniquedogart.com/vizsla.htm>

All Pets Considered. Porcelain tile with Vizsla.

<http://www.allpetsconsidered.com/xq/aspx/plID.7002/id.3/catid.45/subid.319/page.8/qx/productdetails.htm>

Vizsla Club of Illinois. GREAT 2009 calendar.

<http://www.vizslaclubofillinois.org/calendar.htm>

Animal Crackers K9 Gifts: Vizsla art prints by Steven Nesbitt; note cards and magnets by Michael Steddum and LOTS more!

<http://www.k9gifts.com/dog-art/vizsla.html>

Maple Springs: Limited edition art print of pointing V by Marie Bummett.

http://www.maplesprings.com/art/vizsla_dog.html

Roger Inman. Fine art dog breed studies.

<http://www.rogerinman.com/RIN248PIX.htm>

Doggone Good! Vizsla gingerbread ornament, welcome sign, Vizsla Saint art prints, collar & lead, shelf/door topper, art flag, lanyard, listpad, magnet, notes, notepad, welcome signs, snow globe, socks.
http://www.doggonegood.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=category.display&listing=subcategory&category_id=230

Pam Reed, a British artist, offers wonderful dog breed portraits and drawings.
http://www.pamreed.btinternet.co.uk/breed_hungarianvizsla.html

Zazzle: "My Vizsla is Smarter Than Your Honor Student" bumper sticker.
http://www.zazzle.com/my_vizsla_bumpersticker-128040830865218276

VizslArt Designs by Amy Bowden: original artwork, both general and related to specific performance events like hunting, obedience, Agility, etc. including apparel with the same designs.
<http://www.abowden.teach-nology.com/VizslArt.html>

AnimalStamps: Framed stamps from around the world with Vizslas, collector plates, Vizsla history T-shirts, Vizsla designer T and sweat shirts, baseball caps, and canvas totes.
<http://www.animalstamps.com/Vizslaindex.htm>

Please note that all photos from Fun Day are on the VCLI website at
<http://www.vcli.net>



CALENDAR—HOLD THESE DATES!!

OUR FIRST SPECIALTY??? Please read on.....

GARDEN SPECIALTYASSOCIATION

At this time, we want to alert you to a "maybe" event that we are hoping to be eligible for. As you know we are anticipating being approved as an official AKC regional breed club very soon. When and if this happens, your Board has expressed a wish to hold our first "Specialty" show as a part of the very successful series of shows the week before the Westminster Kennel Club show on Monday and Tuesday, February 9 and 10 2009.

What is a Specialty show? For those of you who are not familiar with these, I will explain. Well, it is a very special competition hosted by a local breed club, such as we are, where many dogs of that particular breed are brought to compete for conformation excellence (meaning how well they conform to the official standard of the breed). In this case, because so many people from all over the country come to the NY metro area with their dogs for Westminster and all the canine related meetings, etc. being held, other shows are also held attracting large numbers of

dogs. In the case with Vizslas, there were over 100 from far and wide each of the last several years.

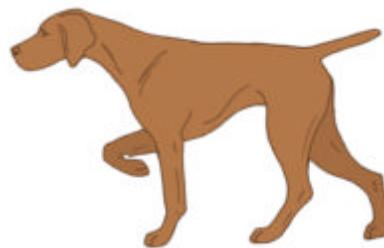
This group of clubs holding specialties actually originated in the early '90's as the Empire Specialty Associated Clubs, Inc., its shows being held at Pier 88 or 92, right next to the "Intrepid" berth. They were exciting events, in a beautiful environment. After 9/11, however, those spaces were designated as sites for persons needing assistance related to the tragedy. This eventually led to reorganization and site change for that group. Ultimately it was named the Garden Specialty Association, and the shows are at the Meadowlands Exhibition Center in Secaucus, NJ. This unfortunate change has actually been beneficial, affording more space inside and for parking.

On the Thursday before Westminster, the first of these shows is held by the Big Apple Sporting Society, on Friday among many other breed clubs, the Connecticut Valley Vizsla Club hosts a show for Vizslas, and on the Saturday the Vizsla Club of Greater New York holds theirs. A Sunday slot is still open, February 8th, and our hope,

pending our official approval, is for the VCLI to be part of this great event for the first time.

Although this thinking may be premature, we want to let you all know so you can think about it, and know that it is a place to go for a wonderful new experience. So many people to meet and talk to, so many vendors to visit,—you can have an amazing, memorable day, we promise. Put the date on the calendar and plan to be there. We'll keep you up to the minute on this.

Anne Denehy



December 6—Holiday Party With short membership meeting, followed by "Holiday Auction" at the home of Jackie and Eddie McAuliffe, Bellport, NY.

BRITANIA'S TAYLOR MADE FOR TWO "TAYLOR"



CVVC Specialty Show, NJ (Feb '08)

Best in Sweepstakes

Woodstock & District KC, Canada (July '08)

Best Vizsla Puppy & Best Puppy in Group

BISS Ch Windy Hollow Ben-There RN JH NA NAJ (sire)

BISS Can/Am Ch Opus One Featuring Indie JH (dam)

Owned & loved by Eddie & Jackie McAuliffe avatarvizslas

Long Island/Other Dog Events/Deadlines

November 5 (Islip) and November 18 (Huntington) free once-a-month Responsible Dog Ownership Classes taught by Nancy Hassel, Dog Federation of NY. Classes are for people only and seats must be reserved. Parents are encouraged to bring children 10 and up. Call (631) 351-3270 or <mailto:Nancy1272@yahoo.com>

Doggie U upcoming events include a Halloween Party (Nov. 1), Obedience /Rally Matches (Nov. 9, Dec. 7, Jan. 1), All-breed conformation matches (Nov. 30, Jan. 4), Agility match (Nov 23) More information and entry forms at <http://www.doggieuk9.com/> if you'd like email notifications of events, contact Louise Wetzel at [mailto:dragondogs4\\$nyc.rr.com](mailto:dragondogs4$nyc.rr.com)

December 31—Vizsla Club of America Membership application/renewal deadline.
<http://clubs.akc.org/vizsla/membership.htm>

February 9, 2009—Westminster Kennel Club show.
<http://www.infodog.com/clubs/2009123701.HTM>

!! Must Reading !!

Pet Food Politics: The Chihuahua in the Coal Mine by Marion Nestle, University of California Press, 2008, available from <http://www.dogwise.com>. Nestle, the distinguished professor of nutrition at NYU, chronicles the pet food recall, the confusion and cover-ups and delayed notifications, all of which serve as a warning for not only pet, but also the human food supply. In fact, during the pet food recall, some mistakenly labeled melamine-laced wheat gluten got into livestock feed for hogs and chickens, thus entering the human food supply, but we don't know who ate the animals who ate it. Events in China with baby food and just today (10/21 NYT), 1500 dogs there, does not bode well for a solution. In case you missed it, go back and read "Farmer in Chief" by Michael Pollan in the NYT, October 12. That article and Nestle's book together should, if not curl your hair (or straighten it, as the case may be), serve as a wake-up call for all of us. (Mary K. Chelton)



News from AKC

AKC has launched a new fan club to bring dog lovers together at <http://www.AKClifestyle.com>

AKC's registration statistics for 2007 show that "Lady" and "Bear" top the list of most popular male/female dog names in the U.S.

Arc's October "Taking Command" enews (from their Government Relations Office) is filled with dog legislation updates from around the country, making the point that responsible dog owners and breeders are under legislative assault the likes of which has never been seen before. To keep up to date, go to <http://sdm3.rm04.net/servlet/MailView?ms=MjIzNzQwNAS2&r=MTYwMDg0MTM4MgS2&j=NTk5NTg5MjgS1&mt=1&rt=0> and consider subscribing to AKC's legislative alerts at <http://www.akc.org/enewsletter/index.cfm?newsletter=takecommand>

Committee Reports

Stephanie Fischer, ilovtrav@aol.com

Treasurers Report:

After spending \$290.00 for our annual insurance, our checking account balance is \$584.40. We will need to come up with some fundraising ideas to increase it a bit. Our rescue account has \$8706.23.

Membership:

Our membership is going strong with 66 families. Please contact the board with any ideas you may have for a fun weekend event. We are trying to put together agility events, hikes, hunt clinics, and even a wine and cheese party for the future.

Rescue:

I have to be careful when I say rescue is quiet, because every time I do the phone starts to ring. Our latest rescue Rocky is doing beautifully in his new home. It is truly amazing to me to see the chemistry between the new owners and the rescue dog. I knew immediately that Gail and Eric were going to hit it off with Rocky. I had warned them he was the shyest 1 year old V I had ever met. Did he prove me wrong! The minute they all met, he was wagging his tail, jumping and licking them. Read the story below and you will smile as much as I did. I also want to thank Diane Shearer, who heads Rescue in Pennsylvania for introducing me to the Leefs. The donation we received for Rocky will be shared with her club.

Rocky's Story

It has now been 1 week since we were blessed in receiving Rocky. The first couple of days were a little bit of a challenge as he adjusted to our home.

He had no interest in any food that you could attach the term "Dog Food" to although we tried several brands and mixtures. By midweek we found that a mix of 1 cup of Natural Balance with a few tablespoons of rice and ground meat mixed with a little warm water did the trick. He doesn't seem to care for cold food.

Rocky travels daily with me to my business and some of my customers are already bringing him treats such as pig's ears and Milk Bone treats. He loves to stand up behind my sales counter with me as I help my customers.

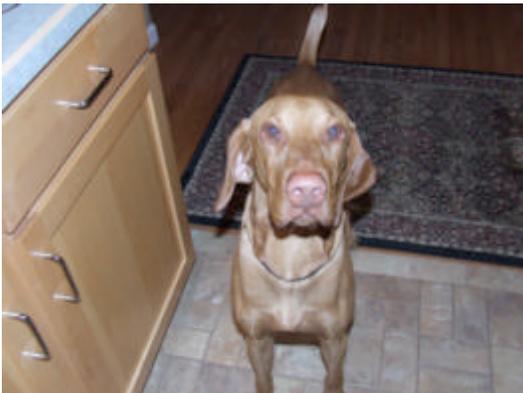
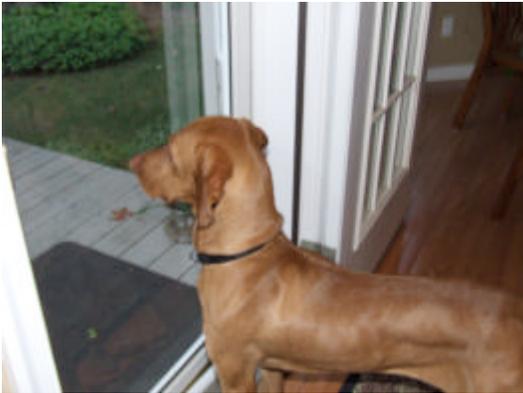
We have found that he is very intelligent and is learning our house rules very quickly. He loves our large yard and has been playing on an "off leash" basis since the second day he arrived.

Gail and I would like to thank you all for the pleasure and joy you have brought to us by allowing his adoption.

Eric & Gail Leef



Rocky's New Life in Photos



*“Dogs are not our whole life,
but they make our lives
whole”*

Roger Caras



Boo's Story from our last newsletter will be reprinted in a new photo book being published next month by the Vizsla Rescue Fund

<http://www.vrescuefund.org/>

News and Miscellany

Moramore's Red Hot Reba NAJ took Winner's Bitch at the Staten Island Show and also at the Brookhaven Kennel Club Show plus Best of Winners. Since then she has received 2 legs towards her Junior Hunter. She now has 2 legs toward her open agility jumpers title and 2 legs toward her novice agility standard title. She also just got her Champion Gold Flyball Title. Reba has been very busy.

Reba is out of Eddie and Jackie's (Marley) BISS CH Sizzlin's Vola Be Jammin JH CGC x Our(LIZZIE)Ch Moramore's Unforgettable. Reba is owned and loved by Marianne Megna and co-owned by Joe Diaz and Kathie Amore.



VCLI Meeting Minutes from Recording Secretary Marisa Pollina

Vizsla Club of Long Island

Date: August 9, 2008

Place: Cathedral Pines, Middle Island

Time: 11:00

Attendance:

Anne Denehy, Kathy Amore, Steven, Marisa, Julia and Jonathan Pollina, Debbie Field, Ed McAuliffe, Ron and Cathy Jones, Ray, Stephanie and Matthew Fischer, Tim and Dawn Bresko, Evelyn and Michael D'Achille, Karen, Mark, Mike and Emily Andres, Karen Cunningham and Keith Sutrato, Sharon and Herman Kleinbaum, Frank Meyder, Laura Hille, Mary K. Chelton, Pam Schider, Debi and Doug Massey w/3 children, Christina, Courtney, Julia and Tyler Araujo

The meeting was called to order by President Anne Denehy at 12:30 pm

[Vizsla Fun Day is here!](#)

The rally was a big success and enjoyed by many. For some it was their first experience with rally and it was great to see how well the dogs could do once the owners knew what they were doing! Thank you Tim Bresko for making the arrangements and to the rally instructor Debra Masino for her time and effort.

We also enjoyed the find your owner and pick your dog games, water games, doggie sprinkler and dunking for hot dogs. Thank you to Pam Schider and Debi Massey for arranging the games.

Each of our rescue owners who attended spoke briefly about their rescue experience and gave an update on their Vizslas, including, Mary K Chelton's Amber, Christine Araujo's King, Sharon and Herman Kleinbaum's Mo (who reported that the pet store told them she would be a good apartment dog!) and Steven and Marisa Pollina's Laszlo. Christine Araujo

also told us about rescued Rocky, who is now living in Westchester.

There was mention of Sept 26-28 at Oyster Bay Planting Fields Arboretum – Westbury Kennel Club conformation show as well as for all members to attend for the purpose of gathering and encourage conversation about Vizslas.

The Christmas meeting will be at Ed McAuliffe's house.

Members were pleased to see that a Vizsla made the cover of the AKC Gazette.

We had special guests brought to us by Laura Hille. Dr. Dominick Guichiardo and technician Traci of Hampton Veterinary in Speonk talked about alternative modalities, acupuncture, laser therapy, "rescue remedy" bach flower mix w/essences and Bowin therapy.

A fun time was had by all!

Vizsla Club of Long Island Board Meeting

Date: September 18, 2008

Place: Home of Anne Denehy

Time: 8pm

Attendance:

Anne Denehy, Ron Jones, Cathy Jones, Ed McAuliffe, Pam Schider, Tim Bresko, Stephanie Fischer, Kathie Amore, Marisa Pollina

The meeting was called to order by President Anne Denehy at 8pm

•Discussion of September 28th at Planting Fields Oyster Bay 11:30 – a total of 12 dogs will show. Club meeting to be held after.

•Mary K Chelton, editor requested all be made aware that anything for the newsletter is due by October 15th. Send submissions for newsletter to mchelton@optonline.net

•AKC member coordinator at Club Relations, Mara Holiday, sent letter that our match qualifies. There are 5 requirements, including a presentation, completed member information list, copy of recent by-laws, activities other than matches that the club has conducted, list of current officers. Every club that requests an advancement in status must submit an updated presentation. Copies of newsletters will be sent to Mara.

•Anne Denehy spoke with Rich Mayer – we are hoping to plan training/hunting day/mock hunt test.

•Tim Bresko – still wants to arrange something with Doggie U. Also suggests committees be set up to arrange more for the club members at large i.e., Activities committee for dog hikes, Presentation committee for issues such as health and wellness. Looking for input and volunteers for committees to increase member participation.

•Discussion of needing a speaker on Penn Hip.
•Kathie Amore told the members that Honey Reisen of Long Island Kennel Club asked if we want to be a supported entry in May. All are in favor.

Having Fun with Your Dog: RALLY OBEDIENCE

Mary K. Chelton

Having shown my rescue girl, Amber, to her RALLY Novice title, which she finished in May, I would like to encourage those of you who have never tried any performance events to consider RALLY. There's a link on the VCLI website to AKC's page on RALLY http://www.vcli.net/main/breed.php?section=fun_stuff, so I won't repeat all that here, but rather, tell you why I enjoy it and also find it the easiest and most fun to do of all the performance events.

RALLY was started by the Association of Pet Dog Trainers, who still offer shows, before AKC added it to their repertoire, as a way to get pet owners to train their dogs in basic obedience while having fun doing it. In RALLY, the dog and handler navigate a course with numbered signs indicating which exercises should be performed at the sign, such as Sit-Down-Sit, Send over Jump, Recall, or Stop-Heel One Step-Stop-Heel Two Steps-Stop, Heel Three Steps-Stop, etc. There are also cones the dogs heel around or between with their people. The courses vary in number of signs and level of difficulty, depending the level at which one is competing. Now that Amber has her Novice title, all done on-lead, I now face training her for RALLY Advanced off-lead. This is always interesting with a

distractible, sniffy sporting dog, but having seen a mesmerizingly good German Shorthaired Pointer in competition, I know what our dogs are capable of. (It's ME I'm worried about!) The best thing about RALLY is that you can practice in your kitchen where I now put Amber through her paces for treats. In real life, though, since dogs can't generalize from one situation to another, you have to repeat this in many different venues until they are immune to novel distractions and contexts.

The main reason I love RALLY, besides the great teacher at Dog Works I have named Sue Reising, is that you can talk to and praise your dog; the basic level is on-lead entirely, and you get chances to redo signs if you mess up. Even better, there's less emphasis on the precision demanded by classic AKC obedience, which Amber and I both felt was sort of like joining the military. Classic obedience is also dominated by obsequious Golden Retrievers, not independent-minded Vizslas, but you can see just about anything in RALLY. So far, anyway, there's also less ego among the competitors, so we root for each other, especially when people are showing old dogs, who rarely can compete in other performance events.

If you want to know more and see what the actual signs look like, besides the AKC site linked to ours already alluded to, try these sites and resources:

Association of Pet Dog Trainers Rally Information

<http://www.apdt.com/po/rally/default.aspx>

A listserv for people discussing Rally. <http://www.geocities.com/rallyobedience/>

Doodles By Design, An Introduction to Rally Obedience by Marsha Houston.

http://www.dogagility.org/store/index.cfm/fuseaction/product.display/product_id/63/index.cfm

DogSport Magazine. <http://www.dogsportmagazine.com/>

Front and Finish: The Dog Trainer's News.

<http://frontandfinish.com//frontandfinish.com/>

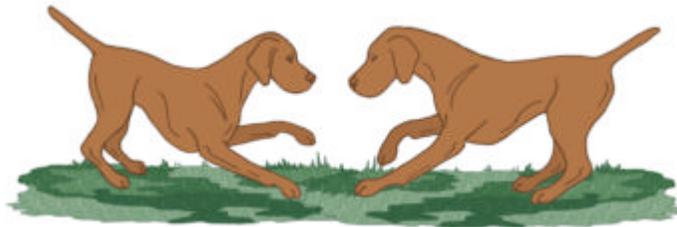
From <http://www.dogwise.com/>:

Click Your Way to Rally Obedience by Pamela Dennison

Rally On by Marie Sawford

Rally-0: The Style of Rally Obedience. 3rd ed. by Charles 'Bud' Kramer

Rally Course Book—A Guide to AKC Rally Courses by Janet Dearth



"The average dog is a nicer person than the average person"

Andy Rooney

Harann's Dora a Felfedezo JH



**Winner's Bitch with a 4-Point Major
Big Apple Sporting Dog Specialty
September 4, 2008
Owners/Breeders: Anne Denehy and Ellen Gravatt
Handler: Ida Kavafian, Opus One Vizslas**

Doggie Dictionary Definition

GARBAGE CAN: A container which your people or your neighbors put out once a week to test your ingenuity. You must stand on your hind legs and try to push the lid off with your nose. If you do it right you are rewarded with margarine wrappers to shred, beef bones to consume and moldy crusts of bread.



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