



Irish Setter Club San Diego



Guess who?

THANKSGIVING, STARING THE FAMILY IRISH SETTER

The dining room table is set with the good china and a lovely floral centerpiece. The buffet island practically groans under the weight of all the delicious dishes that my mother-in-law, Nancy, has prepared. Mashed potatoes heaped high with a dab of butter melting down the side of the potato mountain. Green bean casserole and sausage stuffing, cranberry sauce, a tossed salad and rolls are lined up and ready for serving spoons. Another table is home to Pecan, Pumpkin and Sweet Potato Pie with dessert dishes and forks side by side.

Kids are playing video games in one room, while the men are gathered in another watching Thanksgiving Day football.

Wine is chilling in the ice bucket and the bar is open for mixed drinks as we all munch and crunch on raw broccoli, cauliflower, celery, carrots and cucumbers. A cheese ball and crackers, sliced sausage and deviled eggs; keep everyone from being too grumpy as they wait for the piece de’ resistance – the roasted turkey.

The oven door opens and the aroma of roasted turkey basted just right in butter, brown sugar and Jack Daniels fills the air. Last minute preparations are made to the table and my father in law Harold is called to the kitchen to do the carving. We all know you have to give him a 15 minute head start before he will actually appear, which gives us just enough time to transfer this 40 lb turkey to the serving tray and allow it to cool a few minutes before he sticks a fork, and a carving knife in it.

Nancy checks on the table, I am the bartender filling everyone’s glasses with this drink or that. A scream, “MMMMURRPHHYYYYY!” fills the air. I rush around the corner to find our big beautiful Irish setter, Murphy, having a Thanksgiving feast for one, with his teeth sunk into the top of that big, beautiful bird. He lifts his head, drumsticks to each side and his big brown eyes beg us all not to be too mad at him because it just looked and smelled, and since he isn’t dropping it, tasted, “Oh so good.”

Stared down by “mommy” he drops the bird and runs struggling to find a place to hide. The turkey plops to the floor, doggy slobber and all,

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Meeting Notice
Meetings are the (U.N.O.)
2nd Wed. of the month at:
Allied Gardens Rec Center,
5155 Greenbrier Ave.,
San Diego.
Board Mtgs at 7 p.m.,
followed by a General
Membership Meeting

Next Meetings are

December 13 at Christmas party
 &
 January 14, at Allied Gardens Rec. Center

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Hello Club Members,

Lots going on with the ISCS D this month. Our Play Day this past weekend was a success. But before we proceed with that event lets talk about reports from the officers. Treasurer's reported a usual interest and resolved any bills. No new memberships added to the club or rescue dogs reported. We do have a record of 136 Facebook attendees.

Thanks to the costume participants at the Play Day. We had a sheriff and perp, pretty girls-blue and white and a spider. All costumes fit the dogs really well and prizes were voted on with a short escape threw the gate and return by a couple of our guys. Less laid plans by "The Gate!!!!!!, The gates open!!!!!!:-} :-}!

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FALL PLAYDAY

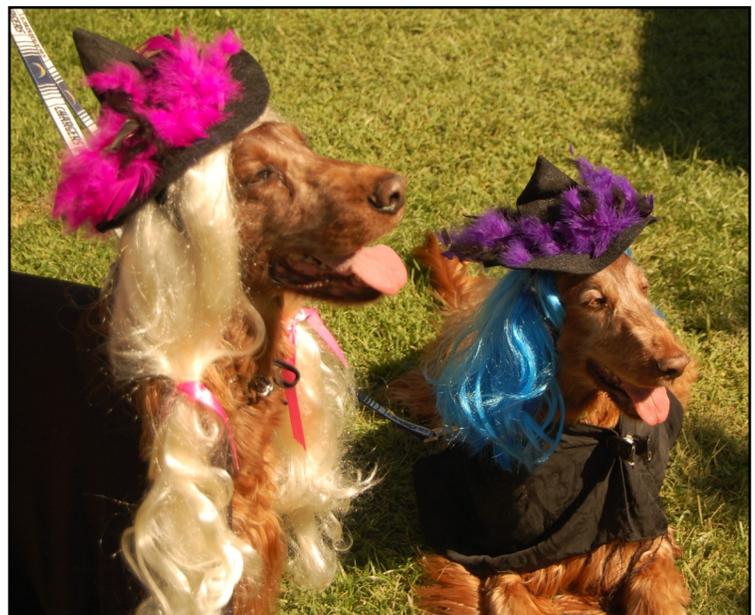


1st Place: First Western Ghost Buster & his captured ghost, Clancy & Sully - owned by Chris Cohen-Richards (Top right & bottom left)

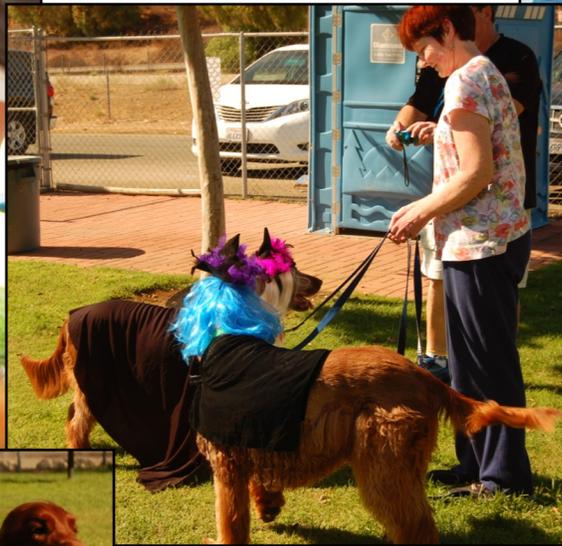
2nd Place: Blue Witch, Bunny - owned by Dan & Carol Hippert (Top left)

3rd Place: White Witch, Jinks - owned by Dan & Carol Hippert (Bottom right)

4th Place: Spider, Writer - owned by Lynne Aung-Levin



FALL PLAYDAY



*Guess who has the treats,
Val Mahoney,
WOOF you*

*Photos provided by
Robert Rez*



PARTY TIME

**ISCSD
Annual Christmas Party!**



We hope you will join us on
Saturday, December 13th, 4:30 p.m.
for a pot luck dinner
at the home of

Lynne & Ted Levine
2505 Royal View Road
Escondido, CA 92027
RSVP 760-747-7848
lynneaung@att.net
entry gate cod is 2505

The club will furnish the drinks, plates and utensils, so
bring your favorite Christmas dish to share **and please let
Lynne know what that will be.**

Thanks

We're going to have our fabulous gift exchange, so bring a
doggie related gift limited to a \$20 value. Remember, you
may get to 'steal' the gift you really want!!

2015 ISCD SPRING SPECIALTY SHOW



We hope you will join us for our spring specialties

**Del Mar Fairgrounds
Partnering with Silver Bay Kennel Club of San Diego**

Make it a 4 show weekend!!

Morning Specialty: Friday, February 20, 2015

**Judge: Sandra McCue
Sweepstakes: Tina Bienefeld**

Afternoon Specialty: Friday, February 20, 2015

Judge: Ronda Mink

**Show Secretary: Carolyn Sisson (619) 466-9792
PrimaECS@aol.com**

**Supported Entry: Saturday, February 21, 2015
Silver Bay Kennel Club of San Diego
Judge: Ms. Diane L. Malenfant**

**Supported Entry: Sunday, February 22, 2015
Silver Bay Kennel Club of San Diego
Judge: Mrs. Gloria Geringer**

**Superintendent: Jack Bradshaw (323) 727-0136
mail@jbradshaw.com**

BRAGS

Valerie Mahoney



ANNIE earned her Master Agility Championship title on 9-14-14! We needed 2 QQs to finish and she did it under one of our favorite judges, Peter Liu !! She is now MACH Jadestar Reach For The Sky, JH, MX, MXB, MXJ, MJB, OF, T2B, VC. I'm so VERY proud of her!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE, *continued from page 1*

ISCSD Specialty Trophies for our morning specialty in February is taken care of. The afternoon trophies are ready and in place. Next year's trophies have been investigated and manufacturer contacted thanks to Valerie.

Thanks to Debbie Sherwood for years of housing our club trailer. We thank Madelon for accepting the club trailer and Linda and Tom for moving the old gal for us in spite the old tires.

A new club officer's slate will be voted on and announced next month. Extended board members should be announced also.

Christmas Party is planned to take place in December, in Escondido. Directions, dates etc will come to you on line next month.

 *Lynne*

BOARD & GENERAL MEETING MINUTES 9/10/14**Irish Setter Club of San Diego**

BOARD MEETING: called to order at 7:01 PM. Business postponed to General Meeting.

Members present: Kathy Whiteis, Alice Borg, Richard Borg, Robert Rez, Sherry Rez, Jill Merrifield, Linda Kenan, Cathy Dever, Alexis Heath, Valerie Mahoney, Lynne Aung, Madelon McGowan.

Business postponed to General Meeting. Meeting adjourned at 7:03

GENERAL MEETING: called to order at 7:05 PM.

Minutes read and approved unanimously. Motion to accept by Linda Kenan, second by Richard Borg.

REPORTS:

- President - No report
- Vice President - No report
- Treasurer - CD #44 will be rolled over this month.
- Secretary - Notice of "Fido and a Flick" sponsored by 4 Paws.

COMMITTEES:

- Newsletter - None
- Facebook - 129 members so far.
- Membership - No report
- Rescue - 1. No response from person who initially showed interest in adopting "Redford."
2. Sally Gavin wants an Irish, is very selective about her choice; was referred by both NorCal and SoCal. Nothing available at this time.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- Linda Kenan has ordered and paid for trophies. Kathy Whiteis has also ordered specific types of class trophies @ \$68.89. Snoods to be made by Kathy and Alexis. Dog toys will be offered as well, not to exceed \$3.00. We need to take inventory of available items for supported entries, and to pick them up from Natalie Gaylord.
- Play Day will be held on Saturday, October 25th, at Hidden Valley. A pot luck lunch and costumes will be featured.
- Rec Council report by Valerie Mahoney: This year is the 60th anniversary of Allied Gardens. Engraved bricks will be sold for \$150. Fireworks are now forbidden due to a suit filed by an environmental advocate. More restrictions have caused numbers of organizations to quit using Allied Rec.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 PM



BOARD & GENERAL MEETING MINUTES 10/25/14

BOARD MEETING: called to order at 1:21 PM at the Fall Playday. Business postponed to General Meeting.

Members present: Kathy Whiteis, Dick Whiteis, Robert Rez, Sherry Rez, Valerie Mahoney, Lynne Aung, Chris Cohen-Richards, Alice Borg, Richard Borg, Cathy Dever.

Business postponed to General Meeting. Meeting adjourned at 1:23

GENERAL MEETING: was called to order at 1:24 pm.

Minutes read and approved unanimously. Corrections and additions were accepted as read and minutes were approved after additions and corrections were made.

REPORTS:

- President - No report
- Vice President – No report
- Treasurer - presented in writing to the membership by Treasurer Valerie. Interest is \$1.12. Trophy expenses and judges fees were presented. Bitches and brags from last month's meeting was \$7:00. Rescue Balance \$3,545.33. Total all accounts is \$10,478.0

COMMITTEES:

- Newsletter – Request for minutes and Pres report for next issue
- Facebook - 136 members so far.
- Membership - No report
- Rescue – No report

OLD BUSINESS:

- AM trophies for Specialty as reported by Linda K are in. PM trophies are in. (Snoods) are being worked on by Kathy Whiteis, Alexis Heath and Alice Borg. Alexis is picking up the left over trophies from Natalie.
- Alice is donating a table runner for the raffle.
- Trailer was picked up by Linda and Tom Kenan and is now at Madelon's house.
- Debbie's Sherwood has called and will accept the one year membership, and the \$50.00 gift card for thank you're for allowing us to house the club's trailer.



NEW BUSINESS:

- ISCSO officers for 2015 were announced and will be voted at the December meeting .
- Officers are proposed as follows:

Chris Cohen-Richardson - President.
Richard Borg - Vice President.
Valerie Mahoney - Treasurer
Jill Merrifield - Secretary

- Board members are proposed as follows: Alexis Heath, Alice Borg, Teresa Velasquez, Lynne Aung and Sherry Rez

Motion to adjourn was made by Alice Borg and second by Sherry Rez.

TROPHY DONATIONS NEEDED

With the new year, comes our Specialty Show . We are soliciting for trophy donations. Listed below are the trophies still available. We hope, if you haven't already donated, you will step up and help support our club and make this specialty one of our best yet! Let us know your 1st and 2nd choice of trophies, just in case your 1st choice has been taken. If you would like to make a monetary donation to the general trophy fund, that is fine too! All donations are greatly appreciated. I know we are all feeling the crunch of our slow economy, but hopefully with all of us helping out, we can make this specialty happen. Thanks for your support and help in making our club a success!!

Please make your checks payable to the Irish Setter Club of San Diego and send to:

Alexis Heath
1457 Blue Lilac Lane
Alpine, CA 91901

Thank you so much for your continuing support
and we hope to see you at the show!

Available Trophies:

Winners Dog - \$35	American Bred Dog—\$20
Winners Bitch - \$35	Open Dog—\$20
6-9 Puppy Dog - \$20	6-9 Puppy Bitch—\$20
9-12 Puppy Dog - \$20	9-12 Puppy Bitch—\$20
12-18 Junior Dog - \$20	American Breed Bitch—\$20
Novice Dog - \$20	Veteran Dog—\$20
Amateur Owner Handler Dog - \$20	Field Trial Dog—\$20
Field Trial Bitch—\$20	

ISCS DUES NOTICE

Dues are Due January 1, 2014

Family Membership - \$25
Single Membership - \$20
Junior Membership - \$10

A membership is considered as lapsed and automatically terminated if such member's dues remain unpaid 30 days after the first day of the fiscal year. (January 1, 2014)

Send to: Valerie Mahoney, 9585 Marilla Drive, Lakeside, CA 92040

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With the two of us standing there looking at it in horror. We burst into laughter so loud that the rest of the family runs into the kitchen to find out what is going on to find mommy's laughing, turkey on the floor and a dog cowering under the table. No explanations needed!

Dinner that night was vegetarian and possibly one of the best Thanksgiving dinners I ever had as we all laughed and joked about the dangers of leaving food on a kitchen island. Who knew Murphy could find enough energy to climb up there?

Harold is no longer with us, having passed of a heart attack two years later. Murphy at the age of 17 passed away and just a year ago Nancy left us due to complications from leukemia, after a long hard fight.

I may not have them with me now to join hands and say a prayer of Thanksgiving, but I will always carry with me in my heart and each year the time I had with them is among the many things I am thankful for. Every year, as I place the turkey on the serving platter I will think of them, our love and joy and our big, beautiful, friendly, loveable "doofus" dog that provided us with hours of love and entertainment with his shenanigans. Our family has much to be thankful for.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



DOG RUNS

at Coronado Dog Beach on the second Saturday morning and
 Fiesta Isle Dog Park the fourth Saturday of each month starting
 at 8:30am
 mark your calendars.
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 Chris Cohen-Richards @ ccohenr1@san.rr.com
 if you are attending.



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 Black - Large & XXL

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 Medium thru XXL

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November 2014

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**Dog Run
Coronado
Dog Beach
8:30am**

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**Veteran's
Day**

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**Board &
General
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**Dog Run
Fiesta Isle
Dog Park
8:30am**

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Thanksgiving

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There's nothing that brings you more joy than a cold wet nose and a wiggly butt!





December 2014

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**Dog Run
Coronado
Dog Park
8:30am** **ISCSD
Christmas
Party**

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**First day
of
Chanukkah**

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**Last day
of
Chanukkah** **Christmas** **Dog Run
Fiesta Isle
Dog Park
8:30am**

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**New Years
Eve**

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