



Seward County Kennel Club

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BREED SNAPSHOT: BIEWER TERRIER



An adorable, longhaired toy do with a larger-than-life personality, the Biewer Terrier debuted in 1986 in Germany in the Friedheck Kennel, home to many champion Yorkshire Terriers. Named for the breed's co-founder, Gertrud Biewer, the Biewer (pronounced Beaver) Terrier has unique coat coloring and a signature ponytail. Accepted into the American Kennel Club Foundation Stock Service in 2014, the Biewer Terrier has been admitted to the Miscellaneous Class and will begin competing in all-breed shows on July 3, 2019.

The first Biewer Terrier puppies produced, Schneeflockchen von Friedheck and Schneemann von Friedheck, were reportedly sold to the famous German singer, Margot Eskens, who adored them and suggested adding "a la Pom Pon" to their name. Demand was hard to meet for the popular Biewer Yorkshire Terrier a la Pom Pon, as the Biewer family did not produce many Biewer-type dogs. The breed was introduced in the US in 2003, though there were only a handful of breeders in Germany and America. Inconsistencies in the appearance of German-imported Biewer Terriers led to genetic testing in 2007 to prove the breed's status as a purebred dog, marking the first time scientific DNA analysis, rather than pedigree documentation, was used for this purpose.

The elegant, whimsical toy dog is best suited as a beloved pet. The lighthearted Biewer Terrier is entertaining, intelligent and loyal. Despite weighing 4 to 8 pounds and standing 7 to 11 inches tall at the withers, the Biewer Terrier is a hearty, athletic dog that enjoys long walks, hikes and agility. The playful, mischievous, charming Biewer Terrier steals the hearts of all who know the breed.

-Today's Breeder, Issue 99, Purina Pro Plan Publications

NEXT MEETING January 16, 2020

La Carreta - 3531 Progressive Rd, Seward, NE 68434

Awards Banquet/General Meeting 6:30pm

MEETING MINUTES

SCKC Board Meeting November 21, 2019
 Meeting called to order at 7:08 by Tabitha
 Tanya Williams, Mary Bristol, Chris Corum, Morgan
 Ehlers, Kathy Jackson, Diane Nitz, Tabitha Dvorak and
 Linda Soukup.

October minutes read. Motion to approve minutes made
 by Chris and 2nd by Linda

Treasure report read. Motion to approve treasure report
 made by Chris and 2nd by Tanya.

Obedience class tentative date is March 9th through April
 20th. Chris is looking to confirm dates.

Unfinished business chewy got back to Tabitha they
 informed her that the club is not the right kind of non-
 profit to be able to put a link on our website.

Motion to adjourn made by Tanya 2nd by Chris. Meeting
 adjourned at 7:18

SCKC General Meeting
 Meeting called to order at 7:37 by Tabitha
 Members present Lori Billewillms, Tanya Williams, Mary
 Bristol, Chris Corum, Morgan Ehlers, Kathy Jackson, Diane
 Nitz, Tabitha Dvorak, Vicky Nolte, and Linda Soukup.

October Minutes read, motion to approve minutes made
 by Chris and 2nd Kathy.

Treasures report read. Motion to approve Treasures
 report made by Chris and 2nd by Tanya.

Trophies- All trophies have been ordered and received
 except for the junior totes bags.
 Legislation- Kathy reported congress passed animal
 cruelty so it is a felony charge.

Chief ring steward- 4-H group needs to be contacted to
 make sure they are still willing to steward.

Membership- No report

Goldenrod nominees: Mary Bristol, Tabitha Dvorak and
 Morgan Ehlers.

Obedience- Tentative spring class date is March 9th
 through April 20th. Chris is looking to confirm dates.

Show-Vicki reports that we got the approval for show
 from AKC. Show committee meeting at the end of January
 or 1st part of February.

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1. What is the word for "dog" in Italian?
2. What is the feline term used to describe some dogs' feet?
3. Give the nickname for the Shetland Sheepdog.
4. The Bichon Frises originated in what group of islands?
5. In what year was the Keeshond, the Dutch Barge Dog, recognized by the AKC?
 - a. 1939
 - b. 1946
 - c. 1959
6. Years ago, the term "Chien de Berger" was applied to any European dog used for what purpose?
 - a. guarding homes
 - b. hunting wild game
 - c. herding sheep

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1. Which dog in the AKC Herding group is known as the "trotting dog"?
2. What was the name of the Scottish Terrier who was Best In Show at the Westminster Dog Show in 1985?
3. Is the tobacco plant poisonous to dogs?
4. What AKC breed was named after Captain Edward's Pembrokehire Estate?
5. In 1859, where was the first English dog show held for conformation purposes?
 - a. Newcastle-on-Tyne
 - b. Windsor Castle
 - c. Trafalgar Square
6. What is the Harrier?
 - a. hairy hound
 - b. thick-coated red fox
 - c. large smooth-coated hound

Answers: Left card 1. cane 2. cat foot 3. Sheltie 4. the Canary Islands 5. a 6. c. Right card 1. the German Shepherd Dog 2. CH Braeburn's Close Encounter 3. yes 4. the Sealyham Terrier 5. a 6. c.

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Nominating committee— Tanya Williams, Troy Dvorak, Lori Billemwillms Alternates: Diane Nitz, Pat Schindle.

Christmas party will be at Chris's house on Dec. 12 at 6:30 with a potluck dinner. Also if you would like to participate in grab bag bring a gift. Chris's address 1119 east ridge

Seward. Mary and Diane may have a game.

New business

Representative from Nutrisystem is coming to the April show as a vendor.

Discussion about pizza party for juniors after show and decided not to do it.

Motion to adjourn meeting made by Tanya and 2nd by Chris. Meeting adjourned at 8:06

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