



# HUDSON VALLEY GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB

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## 2015 CONFORMATION CHALLENGE TROPHIES

- **BISS Ch. Asterling's Running Ram-Pant, SDHF Trophy**

This trophy was rededicated in 2008 by Phyllis Ward and is awarded to the HVGRC member-owned Golden Retriever winning the greatest number of Best of Breed awards during the calendar year.

- **Am. Bda. Can. Ch. Amberglo's Sandy Hill Splash, OD Trophy**

This trophy was rededicated in 1998 by Karen B. Fennikoh and is awarded to the HVGRC member-owned Golden Retriever winning the greatest number of Best of Opposite Sex awards during the calendar year.

## 2015 FIELD CHALLENGE TROPHY

- **Windrush Field Trophy**

This trophy was donated in 1995 by Lisa Weinberg and Art Breslau. It is awarded to the HVGRC member-owned Golden Retriever who accumulates the most points in AKC Hunt Tests and Upland Hunt Tests, Licensed Field Trials, WC/WCX tests and Gun Dog stakes during the calendar year. In case of a tie, both names will be engraved on the trophy.

## 2015 OBEDIENCE CHALLENGE TROPHY

- **OTCH U-CDX Rushmore's Excaliber Can Do UDX2 JH MX MXJ  
RE WCX OBHF Trophy**

This trophy, dedicated in 2006 and re-dedicated in 2008 by Dorita Slate, is awarded to the HVGRC member-owned Golden Retriever who accumulates the greatest number of points during the calendar year.

WINDRUSH'S REMINGTON STEELE, CDX RE JH JHU  
SHU WC CCA CGC

*CALL NAME: Remi*

WINDRUSH'S COOL HAND LUKE, CDX RE JH JHU  
SHU CCA CGC

*CALL NAME: Luke*

SUNFIRE WINDRUSH'S MRS. PEELE, RE JH JHU SHU  
CCA CGC

*CALL NAME: Emma*

WINDRUSH'S MAN FROM U.N.C.L.E, RN JHU SHU  
CCA CGC

*CALL NAME: Solo*

*OWNER: Lisa Weinberg & Art Breslau*



*From left to right:*

Windrush's Cool Hand Luke CDX RE JH JHU SHU CCA CGC

Windrush's Man From U.N.C.L.E. RN JHU SHU CCA CGC

Windrush's Remington Steel CDX RE JH JHU SHU WC CCA CGC

Sunfire's Windrush's Mrs Peele RE JH JHU SHU WC CCA CGC

## *GAYLAN'S HEARTS AFIRE, JH MX MXJ WC*

*CALL NAME: Kindle*  
*OWNER: Phoebe Teramoto*



**K**indle is everything I wanted when I went looking for a puppy 4 yrs ago. We are having a blast in agility and hunt tests. It's SO much fun to walk up to the line with her. I can't wait to see what the future holds—a MACH and SH titles ??

## 2015 AGILITY TROPHIES

- **MACH 3 Rose Lake's Small Miracle UD JH NJP CCA WC VCX ADHF Master Agility Trophy**

This trophy was donated in 2002 by Paul and Marilyn Ingvaldstad. It is awarded to the HVGRC member-owned Golden Retriever who accumulated the most points in AKC agility trials during the calendar year. One point is awarded for each MACH point earned plus 37 points are awarded for each "Double Q".

- **MACH 2 Cross Creek Swatch of Pebwin ADHF Agility Challenge Trophy**

This trophy was donated in 2005 by Christine Miele. It is awarded to the HVGRC member-owned Golden Retriever who has the winning record in Novice and Open level agility during the calendar year. Three standard and three jumpers scores may be submitted and is added to the difference between standard course time and the dog's time. The highest combined score earns the trophy.

*GAYLAN'S SILVER SPRINGS DUCKS GOTTA FLY, UD  
VER SH MX MXJ MJB MXF T2B CCA CGC*

*CALL NAME: Scoot*

*OWNER: Helen Sherman*



*MORNINGSTAR'S SKY HIGH IQ, CD MX MXB MXJ  
MJB CGC*

*CALL NAME: Smartie Pantz*

*OWNER: Jean Owen*



Smartie Pantz is a silly and gifted little girl that takes her job very seriously. My last Golden was a goofball so I was worried Smartie Pantz might not love agility. Ohhhhhhhh she loves it alright. She is a wonderful and talented partner and I am grateful.

**CONFORMATION CHALLENGE TROPHY**  
BISS Ch. Asterling's Running Ram-Pant, SDHF Trophy

AWARDED TO:

**CH HILLOCK'S SUNFLOWER**  
**GOODNIGHT MOON**

*CALL NAME: Luna*

*OWNERS: Carol Russo/Paula Strazza/Tammy Tomlinson*



You are soft and golden, with deep brown penetrating but compassionate eyes. Is it ever possible for you to get close enough? You are silly, funny, energetic, playful and smart. You are my unexpected friend, bringing me joy, laughter and tranquility. You are Luna.

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OD Trophy

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Where to start? The day I called my dear friend Paula from N.E.S.G.A jesting that we should co-own a bitch together? The day we drove 6 hours to PA for our pick bitch and I could not put the small, fluffy blondish puppy down once she was in my arms? The day she fetched the wing Paula threw and she learned what “place” meant?. The happy days, winning Best Puppy in Show at the Chesapeake and Lenape Golden Specialties? The many days following when she was recognized by almost every judge who saw her with a blue ribbon? The amazing day at Big Apple Sporting when she took the Major and BOS for her first points from the 12-18 class? The days at shows I spent watching her ring-side, so serious, so beautiful, not recognizing the playful puppy we knew at home? Days of WB/BOW/BOS and BOB from the 12-18 class and finally her moment, finishing a Champion? All those days do not compare to the ones she spends curled up close, snuggling on the bed, but boy, they sure were fun! Luna is a very special girl and we can't wait to see what she will do next.

## CROSS CREEK WALTZ RIGHT IN, OA OAJ NF

*CALL NAME: Matilda*

*OWNER: Christine Miele*



Matilda's mother was BG, aka Bad Girl, who has won all kinds of awards in the Tenafly, NJ school district as a therapy dog.

I can't say enough good things about her. She is sweet and charming, affectionate without being needy, always ready to learn.

(AM CAN CH GOLDTREVE SYDNEY TRAVELER X CROSS CREEK BLEND RIGHT IN)

**OVERLOOK'S SUTTON DOWNPOUR,  
CD RA CGC CCA**

*CALL NAME: William*  
*OWNER: Lynn & Jonathan Halpern*



Despite William's antics and lack of an "off-switch" he managed this year to achieve his CD, RA and CGC titles. This was all in one year! His favorite activity is doing "zoomies" around the ring after he goes over a high jump. We are working on altering this behavior so he can get his CDX and RE in as few trials as possible. He loves to swim and does so every day while in Florida. We are working on Utility exercises as well as the Open routines. He works best after a long swim! We really love him despite all his shenanigans! We hope his membership in the Morris Animal Study will help both canine and human health to find the answer to the scourge of cancer.

**FIELD CHALLENGE TROPHY**

**Windrush Field Trophy**  
AWARDED TO:  
**MY STARDUST MELODY, CDX RN MH WCX**

*CALL NAME: Heather*  
*OWNER: Susan Handelman*



My little Heather continues to delight me with her achievements in field events. As of this writing, in April 2015, she has a total of 17 life-time Master Hunter passes besides her Qualified All-Age status in Field Trials. This year she qualified for the Master Agility National by earning 6 Master legs between August 1, 2014 and July 31, 2015. There was a conflict in dates and we chose to go to the GRCA National Specialty, where she qualified in Master. Completely amateur trained and handled, she is talented and responsive.

I am so lucky to have her.

## OBEDIENCE CHALLENGE TROPHY

OTCH U-CDX Rushmore's Excaliber Can Do UDX2 JH  
MX MXJ RE WCX OBHF Trophy

AWARDED TO:

**GAYLAN'S SILVER SPRINGS DUCKS**  
**GOTTA FLY, UD VER SH MX MXJ MJB**  
**MXF T2B CCA CGC**

*CALL NAME: Scoot*

*OWNER: Helen Sherman*



Scoot is my girl. She loves all the games. Whether it's Agility, Field or Obedience, she is ready. Of course, if I make a mistake, Scoot is very quick to let me know.

—Love her—

Thank you Gayle and Lise for entrusting her to me—can't imagine life without her.

## MY STARDUST MELODY, CDX RN MH WCX

*CALL NAME: Heather*

*OWNER: Susan Handelman*



Heather finished her Utility title in March 2015, with a first and two second places. She is such a happy worker that it is a pleasure to be in the ring with her. Once she learns her exercises, she is a very consistent performer. She also believes everyone she sees is in need of a greeting, so there is a constant yin and yang in her personality between work and play.



CH AMBERGLO'S FROM BROOKLYN TO BROADWAY

*CALL NAME: Carson*

*OWNER: Karen Fennikoh*

CH AMBERGLO'S DEFYING GRAVITY AT  
MAPLECROFT, CGC

*CALL NAME: Emily*

*OWNER: Karen Fennikoh & Bonnie Rubin*

CH AMBERGLO'S "CONTRAVESTY"

*CALL NAME: Gary*

*OWNER: Karen Fennikoh*



Painting by John Weiss

I am simply, & quietly thrilled that my dogs continue their winning ways after so many years.

The three dogs listed above represent Amberglo Champions # 43, 44 & 45.

Additionally, I am proud to report that "Emily" became a GCH in October 2015.

AGILITY CHALLENGE TROPHY

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VCX ADHF Master Agility Trophy

AWARDED TO:

**MORNINGSTAR'S SKY HIGH IQ, CD MX**  
**MXB MXJ MJB CGC**

*CALL NAME: Smartie Pantz*

*OWNER: Jean Owen*

Marilyn and Rosie were my best friends. We traveled all over the East Coast together. Marilyn and Chris Miele are why I now own a Golden. Smartie Pantz is a wonderful team mate and a very talented partner. I look forward to many, many more years of stepping to the start line with her.



In honor of my friend Marilyn, with tears in my eyes, I share this photo of us—



## AGILITY CHALLENGE TROPHY

MACH2 Cross Creek Swatch of Pebwin ADHF

Agility Challenge Trophy

AWARDED TO:

***CROSS CREEK WALTZ RIGHT IN,  
OA OAJ NF***

*CALL NAME: Matilda*

*OWNER: Christine Miele*



Matilda was one of the early inductees into the Morris Animal Foundation Golden Retriever Lifetime Health Study. She is the definition of the phrase “willing to please”.

It is always fun to train and show her in agility. She learns her lessons quickly and only leaves me to chase critters in the barn. It is an honor to compete for the award named after her great-grandmother.

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### 2015 TITLE PLAQUES

OWNER	DOG'S REGISTERED NAME	CALL NAME
Karen Fennikoh	CH Amberglo's From Brooklyn to Broadway	Carson
Karen Fennikoh & Bonnie Rubin	CH Amberglo's Defying Gravity at Maplecroft, CGC	Emily
Karen Fennikoh	CH Amberglo's "Contravesty"	Gary
Susan Handelman	My Stardust Melody, UD RN MH WCX	Heather
Lynn & Jonathan Halpern	Overlook's Sutton Downpour, CD RA CGC CCA	William
Christine Miele	Cross Creek Waltz Right In, OA OAJ NF	Matilda
Jean Owen	Morningstar's Sky High IQ, CD MX MXB MXJ MJB CGC	Smartie Pantz
Helen Sherman	Gaylan's Silver Springs Ducks Gotta Fly, UD VER SH MX MXJ MJB MXF T2B CCA CGC	Scoot
Phoebe Teramoto	Gaylan's Hearts Afire, JH MX MXJ WC	Kindle
Lisa Weinberg & Art Breslau	Windrush's Remington Steele, CDX RE JH JHU	Remi
	Windrush's Cool Hand Luke, CDX RE JH JHU SHU CCA CGC	Luke
	Sunfire Windrush's Mrs. Peele, RE JH JHU SHU CCA CGC	Emma
	Windrush's Man From U.N.C.L.E., RN JHU SHU CCA CGC	Solo