



TARTAN

GORDON SETTER CLUB, INC

Tidings

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Glasgowlands Highland Festival



Above: TarTan Setup—table with various handouts and table with Scottish weapons and literature about Gordons.

Below: Some of the TarTan members in the parade of Scottish animals; Brodie looking spiffy in his Tam,





Top: Anna and Ceilidh; puppy pen. Middle: Tami and pup, TarTan Crew and two puppy pens, Bottom: Another view of the parade of Scottish animals; Jim and Brodie in their highland garb.

'Twas A Bonny, Braw Day

by CH Ahoy's Pride of the Glens JH CGC (Brodie)

A wee while back, my Boss, his Mrs., the Boss's Granddaughter Anna, (such a lovely wee lassie), and my sidekick Ceilidh all piled into the Boss's vehicle so very early in the morn and left our beautiful surroundings at Glen 'Mor. Where we were going I didna kin, but it was certainly a long time getting there.

We arrived at a lovely park where there was quite a bit of activity taking place. As we drove about the park, I saw many pipers and drummers all dressed say gaily in their kilts and plaids. There were highland dancers scattered about, practicing the Sword Dance, Sean Trews and Hornpipe tay mention just a few and I saw many, very large Scottish gentlemen tossing a length of tree trunk about like it were a wee toothpick. The Boss finally parked the vehicle and there a few familiar faces greeted us. There was Ginette (Mac) Desrosiers and her lovely daughter Tami, Laura (Mac) Bedford with her pup Nell and Karol (Mac) Paduch and her pup Kevin.

I saw that there were four pups in an X-pen and went over to investigate. It took nay more than a sniff or two and I knew who these wee tykes were. They were my ain wee progeny, three braw laddies and a bonny wee lassie. That was such a pleasant surprise to see them.

Everyone was soon very busy setting up pop-up canopies, placing information about Gordon Setters out on tables for the people to view and making sure us Gordons were placed in a conspicuous location in the comfort of the shade. So many people came by and asked so many questions about us. The all oo'd and ah'd over us all, 'twas enough tay make a strong lad like myself blush.

Soon enough we were all being brushed out and put on leads. We made our way across the parade ground to a location under the trees to wait our turn to march oot on to the parade ground to the accompaniment of the pipes and drums. Ye see, we were all there that day because of our heritage. We were representing one of the very many breeds of Scottish origin. Of course it goes without saying that the Gordons were the best of the lot, although there were some fine examples of the other breeds there also.

In no time we were making our way out onto the parade ground. The Gordon contingent made such a wonderful sight as we marched around the field to the tunes of glory played upon the pipes. The spectators were duly impressed and we were quite impressive if I do say so myself. I wore my Balmoral bonnet for the occasion and more than one spectator comment on how handsome I looked.

After the parade, it was time to eat. Sadly not for Ceilidh and I, but for the Boss and his group. I was told that there were many delicacies to be purchased; meat pies, bridies, haggis puffs, British style fish & chips to name just a few. There were also many vendors on the grounds selling all sorts of items from bonny Scotland.

The day ended much too quickly, but what a glorious day it was for the sons and daughters of Scotland and a very proud day for this Scottish breed!

UP THE SCOTTISH!!

TarTan Gordon Setter Club, Inc.
General Membership Meeting Minutes
Sunday, June 26, 2011- East Windsor, CT

Call To Order:

President Larry Clifford called the meeting to order at 1:24pm

An Attendance Sheet was circulated but a Quorum could not be certified

Acceptance of Minutes:

Cindy Fitzgerald apologized that the Minutes had not been published yet and therefore could not be accepted

Annual Election of Officers: President Larry Clifford turned the election over to Secretary Cindy Fitzgerald. Cindy reported that there were no nominations received from the floor, therefore, as secretary, she cast one vote for the slate as published.

President: Laura Bedford, **Vice President:** Ralph Schmid, **Secretary:** Cindy Fitzgerald, **Treasurer:** Nancy Smith, **Board members:** Larry Clifford and Ellen Shanahan

Larry turned the meeting over to new president Laura Bedford.

Laura began the meeting by thanking Larry for all his years of service to the club and mentioned what a hard act he would be to follow. She also took a minute to recognize several notable members that were in attendance-Carol Chevalier (Loch Adair), Lisa Page (Page's) and Camilla Anderson (Touchstone)

Officers' Reports:

President: Laura Bedford – nothing at this time except to thank Robin and all involved on a great picnic

Vice President: Ralph Schmid-nothing at this time

Secretary: Cindy Fitzgerald reported minimal correspondence : Various AKC event approvals and closeouts, the yearly AKC officer report to be filled out, Thank you notes from 2011 GSCA National trophy committee for our donation and from Karen Becker's parents thanking everyone for their donations in Karen's name. Also a thank you from the Animal Health Trust for our monetary donation as well as our samples and support. Announcement of a sanctioned match by NE Sporting Group and the annual report and monthly newsletter from AKC CHF. Cindy also mentioned that TarTan had sent a note of condolence to Judy Harrington on the death of her husband, Lester Mapes.

Treasurer: Nancy Smith reported the current balance in the general account is \$10,658.42 with most bills paid except insurance. She mentioned that membership dues will be coming

Committee Reports:

Agility: Maureen McLatchy-no report but the next agility trials are August 13 & 14 in NH and, as a reminder, all proceeds go into our general fund and helps to keep our club solvent so please try to support.

AKC legislative Liaison: Jay Kitchner- no report

Archives: Donnah Brnger (temp) – no report

Awards: Coleen Banks- no report

Banquet: Laura Bedford reported that she is looking into a new venue for the banquet as she was a little disillusioned with the management staff this past year.

Field Trials: Susan DeSilver reported that the spring trial did not have huge entries and the fall dates will be October 22 & 23. If anyone is interested in serving on the committee please contact her. While she had the floor, she also reported on the Flaherty Association, who had their summer meeting yesterday and that the 'cranky neighbor' situation had been diffused by a lawyer hired by the Association. The local chamber of commerce is behind the association and is working at some pr with the area. The State cut back funding, forcing the Association to pick up some of the expenses.

Health & Genetic: Candice Bell was in the clubhouse collecting DNA samples so Dr Jerold Bell reported the Animal Health Trust test for late onset PRA and also that we are working on getting a test site here in the US. He also mentioned the H&G committee had presented to the TarTan Board, a proposal for the TarTan Gordon Setter Charitable Trust.

Hunt Tests: Ralph Schmid & Mark Gallagher: The Spring hunt test was held in Plainfield, CT and went well. Plans are to hold the Fall hunt test in Hopkinton, NH. The dates reserved would be November 5 & 6, 2011.

Inventory: Laura Bedford reported the inventory is limited and due to the impending GSCA National, we will not be replenishing and will be concentrating on 2012 inventory fundraising.

Membership: Kathy King-Cindy had the last two reports from Kathy. New members Anthony Fedell, James Cowan and Carolin Titus, re-instated members Elizabeth McCormick & Richard Hinlicky and Betsy and Gary Cabit.

2012 GSCA National Specialty: Cindy Fitzgerald reported that planning was starting to 'ramp up' with communication with the hotel and committees. Fundraising was very successful with inventory sales in Ohio at the 2011 National, selling over \$5700. She also said there was a change of puppy sweepstakes judge. Chris Kirby was unable to keep the assignment. Alison Roskamp was the alternate judge on the bid packet and she accepted the assignment. She also mentioned the two fundraising raffles and expected our members to 'sell, sell, sell'

Newsletter: Karol Paduch, Jani Wolstenholme, Ginette Desrosiers: Karol said to keep pictures and articles coming and all suggestions were welcomed.

Picnic: Robin Marshall reported that we are here and it is done. Thanks to Jim MacWalter and Ralph Schmid and all their helpers for the bird work. Val Schmid had lots of games planned, Debby Freidus is doing micro-chips and Candice Bell collecting DNA and 'eat more desserts'

Public Education: Jani Wolstenholme-reported that the AKC video discussed at the last board meeting had been given to Robin's girl scout troop. Fidelco-Val Schmid reported that TarTan had no representation at the walk this year and hoped that would change next year

Rescue: Ellen Shanahan reported that rescue was busy for a while with 6 dogs coming through (all homed) and currently we have an 11 yr old Craig's listing from Syracuse who needs a foster/forever home

Scholarship: Ginette Desrosiers reported that we have a scholarship recipient this year, someone that most of us know – Victoria 'Tory' Sweeney who will be attending pre-vet at Albright College this fall

Setter Symposium: Shareen Brown- no report but all reports were that it was successful and quite a few Gordons and their owners attended

Specialty: Robin Marshall reported the date for our specialty is Monday, October 10 in South Windsor, CT. Nancy Large donated a new trophy for Highest Scoring Rally dog. Things will be a little tricky this year as the English Setter club is having specialties on the grounds the day before. She will be working with the ES club to see about sharing set up, etc..

Supported Entries: Karol Paduch –Next supported entry will be Eastern in Dec and then the two NE Sporting shows in March. She asked that anyone who had any ideas regarding the possibility of other shows contact her.

Trophies: Liz Wilshire reported that all trophies for the Fall specialty were bought and ready to go

Website: Donnah Brnger – no report

Delegates Reports:

Flaherty: Susan DeSilver report given earlier

HELDCA: Maureen McLatchy- no report

GSCA Liaison: Alison Roskamp-no report

Old Business:

Anita Lustenberger sent a report indicating that with the drop in Gordon registries and the cost of a grooming video, she advised us to not pursue it at this time

New Business:

Noted that our 3 EZ UPS were stolen from our storage unit and we would be looking into replacing them at the end of the summer season

Next Meeting:

TarTan Specialty in South Windsor on October 10, 2011

Robin Marshall made a motion to adjourn, Val Schmid seconded and those in attendance voted in favor.

President Laura Bedord called the meeting adjourned at 1:58 pm

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Animal Health Trust

10 June 2011-06-10

The TarTan Gordon Setter Club
c/o Dr Jerry Bell DVM
Clinical Associate Professor of Genetics
Tufts Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

Dear TarTan Gordon Setter Club

Thank you so much for the \$550 which was forwarded to us by Dr Bell. This has been allocated to research into PRA in Gordon Setters as requested. Dr. Cathryn Mellersh was very pleased to receive this money and sends her personal thanks to all the members of the club.

The donations and samples we have received from your club and from Gordon Setter clubs and societies here in the UK show the commitment of Gordon Setter owners to helping us in our efforts to identify the genetic mutation and to develop a DNA test. Some research studies of this type do take several years but, as their success rate shows, Cathryn and her team are extremely capable. We will keep you informed of progress as and when we have developments worthy of bringing to your attention.

Thank you once again.

Yours sincerely

Andrew Simmonds
Head of Development

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A revised Membership Application form is printed on page 9. Please begin using this form immediately. It may also be downloaded from the TarTan Website.

Legislative Liaison Report

A tenfold increase in the last ten years in the number of regressive dog laws across the nation has state federations reeling from organized legislative campaigns of over 1,100 bills at the federal, state and local levels. The AKC Government Relations Department is bringing together delegates from most of the 50 state federations for an inaugural conference on canine legislation on August 27-28, 2011 in Raleigh, North Carolina. I'll be attending this conference and will report on it next month.

Tartan Gordon Setter Club members are fortunate to have active and effective state federations reaching out to legislators on their behalf in all of our territory—with one exception—Rhode Island. Lawmakers in Providence saw dangerous bills this year in HB 5690 and SB 140. AKC Government Relations warned the bill “would, among other provisions make it illegal to allow your dog to play in a fenced-in backyard for more than one hour without providing an outdoor shelter. It also allows the local SPCA to enter private property without notice or a warrant to examine dogs and enforce the new law.” This legislation saw no movement in Providence, but it remains alive and will remain on the calendar for next session.

Lawmakers in Boston saw a bill this year that AKC Government Relations declared in a legislative alert: “A Massachusetts legislative committee is scheduled to consider House Bill 1023 on July 19 - a bill that would significantly change the definition of kennel to encompass training facilities or any dog event with more than 12 dogs. All those meeting the new criteria would be required to comply with all state and local licensing and other regulations currently reserved just for large kennels.

“This would mean that any daytime activity where more than twelve dogs are present (including dog shows, training facilities, companion events, etc.) would now be considered a kennel and required to comply with all state and local kennel licensing and regulations.”

By reaching out to the bill's sponsor, the Massachusetts federation was able to educate him about the bill's potential negative impact and the bill is being rewritten.

Connecticut, Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, New York and Vermont have organized federations with websites and posted reports detailing their legislative efforts this year. To try to summarize all of the bills in one report would fill more pages than this newsletter contains. For example, Maine faced 19 bills and New Hampshire faced 20 bills this year. For a listing of all state federations, their websites, their legislative reports, and their contact information, please go to the AKC's website and click on “Government Relations”.

At the federal level, US Senate Bill S 3424, called the Puppy Uniform Protection and Safety Act (PUPS), and filed by Senator Richard Durbin of Illinois, remains a concern from last year. The AKC “is currently studying the impact of this measure” but the Illinois Federation has issued a detailed analysis in opposition to this proposed law on their website.

Jay Kitchener, Legislative Liaison

~ MEMBERSHIP NEWS ~

New Members (Regular)

Pamela Haynes
25 Courtland Street
Holliston MA 01746
Phones: 508-893-6991; 508-244-8988 Email: plhaynes@yahoo.com & plhaynes@comcast.net
Endorsed by James MacWalter and James Kitchener
Owns Sandpiper's Dashing In The Dunes
(GCh Sandpiper's Shore Enough x Ch Sandpiper's Firethorn Wave Review) Whelped 10/2/10
Interested in Field Trials

Melissa Donahue
29 School Street, Enfield CT 06082
Phones: 860-749-6944; cell 860-539-5793 Email: irishdonahue@aol.com
Endorsed by Candice Bell and Dr Jerry Bell
Owns Lachlann (Ch Bran Linn Talisman x Ch Halcyon Ultra Violet JH) Whelped 3/5/11
Interested in Agility, dog shows, field trials, hunt tests, obedience and meeting other owners

New Members (Supporting)

Janie Bristow
7061 Steel Bridge Road
Sanford NC 27330
Phone: 919-776-0785 Email: Storm5@windsteam.net
Endorsed by Cindy Fitzgerald and Robin Marshall
Owns Huntmoor's Karolina Hurricane UD JH (Ch Timbaray's Dangerous Liaison CD JH x Ch Huntmoor's Coffy T Or Brie CD JH) Whelped 5/27/04 and Ch Huntmoor Music Maker JH UD (Ch Huntmoor Baubee Jake CD JH x Ch Huntmoor In Living Color JH) Whelped 5/27/04 Future: Male Puppy

New Address for Lisa Pittman:
2903 Pine Club Drive
Plant City FL 33566

New email address for Jane deCasteja janedecast@gmail.com

Be on the lookout... a "Duck Toss" is coming to a specialty near you!

The 2012 GSCA fundraising committee will be sponsoring a "Duck Toss" at the 2011 TarTan GSC Specialty on October 10, 2011.

Basically, it's a 50/50 raffle... \$5.00 a duck and the duck that lands the closest to the designated center will spit the cash pot with the club.

So start strengthening your tossing arm and practice your aim because the competition can be tough!



TarTan Gordon Setter Club, Inc. Membership Application

Name _____ Occupation (optional) _____
 Street (PO Box) _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone _____ Email _____

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for membership in the TarTan Gordon Setter Club, Inc. as a (*check class as described below**)

Regular _____ Junior _____ Supporting _____ member,

And, if accepted, agree to abide by the By-Laws of the Club, and the rules of the American Kennel Club.
 Date _____ Signature _____

Endorsed by:

(Two members in good Standing)

1. _____

Print name _____

2. _____

Print name _____

Send with dues for the current year to the Membership Chairman of the Club
Kathy King, 459 Huckle Hill Rd, Bernardston, MA 01337

I own the following Gordon Setters: (list additional dogs on reverse)

Name of Dog: _____

Sire _____

Dam _____

Date Whelped _____

I am interested in:

Agility _____ Dog Shows _____ Field Trials _____ Hunting Tests _____ Obedience _____ Meeting other owners _____

(*from TarTan Gordon Setter Club By-Laws, as revised April, 1996)

Types of Membership

Regular membership is open to all persons eighteen years of age or older, who are in good standing with the American Kennel Club and reside in the New England States and environs. Environs shall be defined as that part of New York State East of the Hudson River from New York City excluding Long Island to and including the City of Albany and east of the Northway (Interstate 87) to the Canadian Border. Each Regular member may vote and hold office and shall enjoy all the rights and privileges of the club.

Supporting membership is open to all persons eighteen years of age or older, who are in good standing with the American Kennel Club and reside outside of the New England States and environs as defined in section 1(a) of this article. Supporting members shall not vote, hold office or receive annual awards, but shall enjoy all other rights and privileges of the Club.

Junior membership is open to all persons from 10 up to 18 years of age. Junior members shall not be entitled to vote or hold office, but shall enjoy all other privileges of membership. Only those Junior members who reside in the New England States and environs as defined in section 1(a) of this article shall be eligible for annual awards. Upon reaching the age of 18 years, Junior membership may be converted to regular or supporting membership without reapplication.

DUES- Yearly membership dues shall be \$20.00 for single membership and \$25.00 for more than one person residing in a household, payable before the first day of July each year. No member may vote whose dues are not paid for the current year. Each member will be sent each issue of the TarTan Tidings, and all members are entitled to attend all Club meetings and functions.

Thank you...

July 23, 2011

Dear TarTan Gordon Setter Club,

The Gordon Setter National Specialty 2004 in Sturbridge, Massachusetts, hosted by the TarTan Gordon Setter Club, was my first national competing in Junior Showmanship. My first dog show to fall flat on my face while doing a down and back; yup, a dog show to remember. My first dog show where I was awarded Best Junior Handler.

For as long as I can remember, Columbus Day was always spent in Connecticut at the TarTan Gordon Setter Club Specialty. I remember sitting outside that ring year after year, wishing that one day I could be one of those 'special people' that get to take a 'big ribbon' home.

Another Columbus Day, another trip north! One year, Best Junior Handler, another year Best Junior Handler and Best Of Winners. My family and I seemed to have the luck with us at this show. October 12, 2009. Van parked in the same spot as the years before. X-pens set up, dogs walked, chairs by the ring, raffle tickets bought, the same old routine. This day will always be a day to remember for me because I was one of those 'special people' that got to walk away with a 'big ribbon', except this one was purple and gold. (Oh yeah! And the amazing silver bowl which proudly sits in my mother's office) A lot of tears, a lot of happiness, a day to always remember.

The Gordon Setter National Specialty 2011 in Canfield, Ohio, just days after my high school graduation. After many times around the ring in the hot weather, the judge pointed to me for Best Of Opposite Sex. Walking away from the ring with that red and white ribbon and the same dog I won Best Of Breed at the TarTan Specialty, who do I hear screaming in the distance? Yeah, there they are! Members of the TarTan Gordon Setter Club with arms wide open to congratulate me!

TarTan Gordon Setter Club and its members have always been there for me, for as long as I can remember. From falling in the ring, to being awarded Best of Breed at their specialty, to being awarded Best of Opposite at a National, there has always been a familiar face from the club there. A lot of my memories growing up have been with members of the club, and they are all good memories!

So now, to get to the point of this letter. I would like to sincerely thank you for this scholarship opportunity. Applying for scholarships, especially ones in this amount, is always a long shot, but you apply anyway! The day that I got the letter saying I won the scholarship, I started crying. Running back all the memories from the club in my head and they all came together with the letter.

In August, I will be studying at Albright College, a private school in Reading, Pennsylvania. I will be majoring in Biology and be considered a 'Pre-Veterinary' student. After my four years at Albright, I plan to head off to Veterinary School. Long road ahead of me, but I am ready for it.

I cannot even start to explain how thankful I am to your club and members. You will always be in my heart. Congratulations to YOU for having an amazing club.

Thank you
Victoria Sweeney



IN MEMORIUM

Alan Haberman

July 27, 1929 – June 12, 2011

When visiting Natalie Haberman, of Samsons Gordon Setters, the presence of Alan, Natalie's devoted husband, was understated, yet significant. None of us really understood Alan's importance in the world of finance, nor his impact on supermarkets and the way they conduct business. He was Natalie's devoted knight. He was often by her side, joking, ribbing her Gordon friends, but always adoring her. If we were lucky, we got to ride in his chocolate-brown Jaguar.

It turns out, he was a weighty player in the financial community, credited with making the decisions that ultimately created bar-coding, as we know it now. That he had foresight, was obvious. That he had loyalty, was clear.

Natalie and Alan got their first Gordon, registered name: Ch. Mandy. That was it. Natalie's next dog was Sam. All the dogs after were Sam's sons. Plain and simple. She got involved in Gordons, and Alan was there, supporting her all the way.

Although blessed in many ways, tragedy struck when Alan and Natalie lost a daughter in her twenties in an automobile accident, and just last year, a grandson in a similar manner.

Even though Alan and Natalie had not been active in Gordons for many years, his was a face that will forever be linked with kindness, generosity and warmth. He will be missed.

GSCA National Fundraiser Raffle

Matted, framed and Signed Leon Danchin print

Photo of the print is on the back page

Drawing to take place at the 2011 TarTan GSC Specialty on October 10, 2011

Winner need not be present

Tickets \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00

For tickets contact:

Denise Sweeney- Dwindcrest2@aol.com

2749, Rte 737

Kempton, PA 19529

or

Cindy Fitzgerald- wdsinke85@aol.com

PO Box 155

Goshen, CT 06756

Or visit at our website:

<http://www.tartangsc.org/2012-GSCANationalSpecialty/store/raffle-signed-leon-danchin-print/>

Editors Note: The two reports below should have been part of the Board Minutes of 3/19/11 which were published in the June/July edition of the TarTan Tidings on pages 10 & 11. The editor apologizes for this omission.

TARTAN GORDON SETTER RESCUE FUND
INCOME AND EXPENSES
FISCAL YEAR 2011

7/01/10 through 12/31/10

CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE at 7/01/10	<u>\$ 11,713.47</u>
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INCOME

Breeder Suppor	50.00
Checking Account Interest	2.97
Donation	100.00
Membership Donations	290.00
Memorials	125.00

TOTAL INCOME	<u>\$ 567.97</u>
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EXPENSES

TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$.00</u>
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CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE at 12/31/10	<u>\$ 12,281.44</u>
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Health & Genetics Committee Report
3/19/2011

Donor Advised fund Statement of Activity TT Gordon Setter Club for 01/01/2010 - 12/31/2010

BEGINNING BALANCE:	\$28,736.80
Contributions	10,722.99
Purina Parent Club Partnership Program	.00
Grant Payments	(5,000.00)
Interest/Divident	207.38
Realized/Unrealized Gains (Losses)	2,256.70
Transfers/Adjustments	.00
Management Services	.00
ENDING BALANCE:	\$36,923.87

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Upcoming TarTan Events

Monday, October 10, 2011

JarJan Specialty

South Windsor CT
Breed & Jrs Thomas Baldwin (MA)
Obed & Rally Dr Ellen Adomelis (CT)
Sweepstakes Judith Brown (ALB)
Closes Sep 21

October 22 & 23, 2011

JarJan Fall Field Trial

Flaherty FTA, East Windsor CT

JarJan Fall Hunt Test

Canceled

Saturday, December 11, 2011

JarJan Supported Entry

Eastern Dog Club
Providence RI
Judge Marianne Reber (OH)
Closes Nov 23 (MB-F)

Donations to the AKC/CHF TarTan Gordon Setter Donor Advised Fund

The American Kennel Club/Canine Health Foundation (AKC/CHF) TarTan GS DAF Fund was specifically established to sponsor health research for our breed. It is through your generous and continued support we are able to subsidize qualified researchers investigating genetic disorders affecting the Gordon Setter. Donation forms can be found in the TarTan Tidings, or downloaded at the TarTan web-site www.tartangsc.org Contributions are tax deductible. This month's donors are:

The Fred Becker Family

In memory of:
Karen Lynn Becker
"We all miss you"

Jani Wolstenholme

In memory of:
Kathy Geb

Glen 'Mor



AKC Hunt Test Judge

Home to quality Gordon Setters
for show or field

The Aristocrat of the Setters

Jim & Joyce MacWalter

55 Puritan Road

Pembroke, MA. 02359

781-826-4737

hdtravler@comcast.net



2012 GSCA National Specialty Order Form

Send completed order form with check or money order to:

Robin Marshall
61 Middlefield Road
Peru, MA 01235-9350
rpix05@aol.com

Item	Size if applicable	Quantity	Price	Total
Ceramic Mugs with 2012 National logo			\$8.00 each Set of 4, \$30.00	
Crunch and Munch Tug Toys			\$8.00	
Plush washable crate pads with 2012 National logo			\$35.00	
"Gordon Variety Specialty Recipe Book" 8 categories with 116 recipes from family and friends - Spiral bound, plastic covers			\$25.00	
Logo embroidered Tartan plaid flannel pants			\$32.00	
Logo embroidered Tartan plaid flannel shorts			\$22.00	
Logo embroidered T shirt Honey			\$20.00	
Logo embroidered T shirt Midnight blue			\$20.00	
Logo embroidered T shirt Blaze orange			\$20	
Logo embroidered Pack 'N' Go water resistant windbreaker			\$45.00	
Logo embroidered Garment Bags			\$35.00	
Logo embroidered hooded zip front sweatshirt			\$45.00	
			Total	
			Shipping	
			Grand total	

Name: _____

Street: _____

Town: _____

State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

2012 GSCA National Specialty Inventory Items



Flannel Pants and Shorts



Crate Mat



Garment Bag



Windbreaker



Hooded Zip-Front Sweatshirt
(logo approximate)



Mugs



T Shirts



Tug Toys



Cookbook



First Class Mail

TarTan Tidings
32 Bages Hill Road
Granby MA 01033



President:: Laura Bedford
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