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DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR THE FUN MATCH

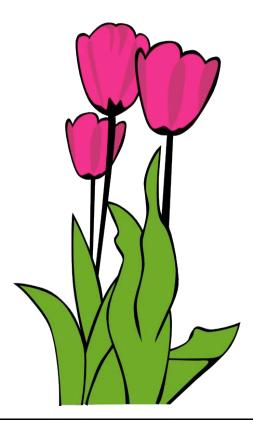
#### Ways to Get Involved With BASH

- Adopt a Husky
- Join a BASH email list
- Buy a sweatshirt or T
- Give a membership as a gift
- Help with an adoption fair
- Donate to BASH
- Attend a bi-monthly general meeting
- Foster a Husky
- Help transport a Husky

Upcoming Events

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

| June 20     | Fun Match with Norsled                      |
|-------------|---|
| June 26     | Umunhum Run                                 |
| June 20     |   |
| July 10, 11 | Rattlesnake Clinic (NCAMA)                  |
| July 17     | Umunhum Run                                 |
| Aug 21      | Umunhum Run                                 |
| Sept. 19    | Ice Cream Social                            |
| Sept 25     | Umunhum Run                                 |
| Oct 17      | Fall Furry Flurry                           |
| Oct 23      | Umunhum Run                                 |
| Oct TBD     | 12 <sup>th</sup> A.Fall Mushing Clinic SNDD |
| Nov 20      | Umunhum Run                                 |
| Dec 11      | BASH Christmas Party                        |
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### First Umunhum Camping trip of 2010

It was GREAT. The weather was nice but not to cool. The view of both Monterey and San Francisco was spectacular. It was so clear you could see forever. We had 18 dogs on Saturday night. They ran great. We ran about 7 miles. As usual Marie made a fantastic dinner in the Dutch oven. A number of people and 4 dogs had to go home that night which left 14 dogs and 5 people for camping. We got up as the sun came up (5:45) and ran the dogs by 7. It was again beautiful and clear. The dogs ran about 5 miles. They had a great time. After breakfast we sat around and enjoyed the view and each others company.

We had a great time and hope others will join us this summer.



### Northern California Alaskan Malamute Association



A limited number of dogs can be trained each day, so early registration is strongly recommended.

You will be sent directions to the training location and your appointment time in a confirmation postcard at least one week prior to the clinic.

ADVANCE PAYMENT OF \$ 70.00 PER DOG IS REQUIRED TO RESERVE A DATE & TIME (Cancellations after July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010 will result in a 50% refund)

Make checks payable to: NCAMA

Send registration form and payment to: Kim Savala 700 Evans Road Dixon, CA 95620 Attn: Rattlesnake Clinic

| <u>Dog's Name</u> | Breed       | <u>1st Time</u> * | <u>Maintenance</u> * |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| E-mail:           |             |                   |                      |
| Home Phone:       | Cell Phone: |                   |                      |
| City:             | State:      | Zip:              |                      |
| Address:          |             |                   |                      |
| Owner(s):         |             |                   |                      |

\*Please check whether this is your dog's first year or maintenance. If it is maintenance, please note last year attended.

| Saturday, July 10 <sup>th</sup> | 8-10am | 10-12noon | 1-3pm | 3-5pm |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----------|-------|-------|
| Sunday, July 11 <sup>th</sup>   | 8-10am | 10-12noon | 1-3pm | 3-5pm |

\*\*If you would like your appointment time to coincide with another party's session, please submit <u>all</u> parties registrations together. We will try to accommodate your preference of Saturday or Sunday and times, but sessions will be scheduled in the order received. Register early if you prefer a morning session\*\*

No Cameras or Video Taping Please

Northern California Alaskan Malamute Association







# K-9 Rattlesnake Avoidance Clinic

Teach your dog to avoid rattlesnakes by sight, scent and sound!

# All dogs – all breeds – welcome!

**Rattlesnake Avoidance Training** is a safe, humane, and proven method to teach your dog to avoid rattlesnakes. Rattlesnakes can be found almost anywhere and their bites are quite common, dangerous and usually very expensive to treat. Your dog is individually trained to respond with aversion to the scent, sound and sight of rattlesnakes to avoid being bitten by one. Training is conducted in a controlled environment ensuring the safety of your dog as well as the safety of the muzzled rattlesnakes used in the training.

Date: July 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Location: Dixon May Fair Grounds 655 S. First Street - Dixon, CA Cost: \$70 per dog

A limited number of dogs can be trained each day, so early registration is strongly recommended.

For more information call: 707-678-0785 For registration form go to: www.ncama.org or Contact: savalak@sbcglobal.net





## 2010 Northern Breed Fun Match June 20, 2010 Oak Hill Park, Danville

For more and updated information please check our web site at: www.bayareasiberian.org



Pre Entries Close June 11th Fees: First Class \$12.00 Additional Class \$8.00

Proceeds will be divided among the non-profit groups participating

Day of Match Entries First Class \$15.00 Additional Class (same dog) \$10.00

DAY OF MATCH ENTRIES- FROM 8:00 AM TO 9:00 AM. CONFORMATION, OBEDIENCE, HANDLING Carting Demonstration at Noon ---- Junior and Adult Handling \$5.00 at ringside starting at 1pm We will have a special t-shirt available at the Match for purchase......

| Conformation<br>regular/non regular<br>Judge:<br><b>Dona Miller</b><br>10:00 am | Sled Dog<br>Judge:<br><b>Gary Kyrouac</b><br>After confirmation | Jr. & Adult Handling<br><b>Marilyn Lassagne</b><br>1 pm | Husky Charm (1)<br>Husky Disobedience (2)<br><b>Bobbi Durston</b><br><b>Pat Knittel</b><br>9:00 am |
|---|---|---|--|
|---|---|---|--|

Ribbons:1st - 4th classes -- Best of - Rosettes & Trophies --- Jr and Adult Handling -- Rosettes

Barb Schaefer will be providing a free demonstration of Urban *GO* Dogs, "Dog Sledding on Wheels for the Urban Dog". - after the demonstration try out dog sledding on wheels (you and or your dog) with an experienced dog and driver for \$10 MUSH will have a RALLY experience – Rally is a cross between straight obedience and agility – sign up for \$10 – after Jr/Adult handling

Lunch will be available (\$7.00 pre pay, \$8.50 day of if available) sandwich, chips and a drink. Bring your checkbook for the fantastic raffle and silent auction item along with - shirts, harnesses, sledding collars and more... Information tables may be set up for northern breed groups at a cost of a donation to the raffle.

### MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO B.A.S.H. - MAIL ENTRY FEES TO:

Randee McQueen, Match Secretary, 2633 S Bascom Ave, Campbell CA 95008 (408)371-1841

| Dog   | (make copies if necessary) # for lu      | nch adults         |       |     |
|---|--|--------------------|-------|-----|
| Breed   | <u>Classes Entered</u> :                 |                    |       |     |
| Sex ( ) M ( ) F   | spay/neutered (circle)                   | Rally Experience _ |       | _   |
| Birth Date  | Age:                                     | Obedience Class    | 1 2   |     |
| Dog's Name  | Urban Dog                                |                    |       |     |
|   | Junior Handling:                         |                    |       |     |
| Owners Name   |  | _ Phone            |       |     |
| Address   |  |                    |       |     |
| Street  |  | City               | State | Zip |
| -   | . H, NorSled, NCAMA, SHRRCA, SFSR or the | -                  | -     |     |
| exhibited, whether the result of the accident or other causes and in addition, assumes no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury |  |                    |       |     |

I agree not to hold B. A. S. H, NorSled, NCAMA, SHRRCA, SFSR or the City of Danville liable for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, whether the result of the accident or other causes and in addition, assumes no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by an exhibitor. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this Match is in the care and custody and control of the owner / handler during the entire time the dog is on the premises.

This fun match is for all, not just those that do confirmation. You don't have to know what to do either. This is a match for those that show to practice and the rest of us just to have fun with our dogs.

For those that have AKC registered Siberian Huskies, Alaskan Malamutes and Samoyeds, they will enter confirmation.

All of those that look purebred Siberian, Malamute or Samoyed that have been rescued or acquired without papers but have been altered, can enter Confirmation Spay/neuter for that breed.

All of those that have taken our wonderful mixes....enter Sled Dog- Sib, Sammy, Mal, and all those in between will enter Sled Dog.

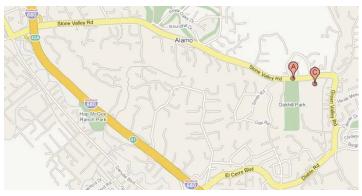
There are classes for puppies, adults, veterans and champions. We will be happy to help you with which to enter.

There are two obedience classes – on is Husky Charm (basic strategies for training a northern breed and Husky Disobedience – class to talk about and learn techniques for "problems"

You can try Rally with your dog- no experience required. You can also try Urban carting with your dog or you can try it yourself.

You don't have to know what you are doing, nor does your dog. This is an event that is meant to be fun and expose all of us to having more fun.

Mark your calendars for this day...it is a great event and fun for the whole family especially the dogs and kids.



Traveling North on I-680, exit at Stone Valley East and turn right at the stop sign. The park will be on your right hand side about 1.5 miles down the road.

Traveling South on I-680, take the Stone Valley Road EAST exit. The park will be on your right hand side about 1.5 miles down the road.

Oak Hill Park is located next to Monte Vista High School. You may park in the school parking lot.

We hope to see many at this fun day.



**Come one, come all, for the dogs, dogs, dogs!** There will be show dogs, rescue dogs, puppies, veteran dogs and all sorts of sled dogs – **Malamutes, Huskies, Samoyeds**, and **mixes** of these breeds.

A fun match is just that – an opportunity to have fun with your dog, with other people who love dogs and enjoy some great outdoor fun. You don't have to know what you are doing either! There will be judging like you see on Animal Planet's breed competitions. If you have never tried this but want to, this is the place to give it a whirl. The Judge or ring steward will help you with what you need to do.

AKC registered dogs will be judged in formal **conformation** classes, all the other dogs will be in the spay/neuter confirmation of that breed, or the more general "Sled Dog" class. Classes will be held for **puppies**, adults and veterans.

If your dog likes to pull or you want to see how they do there will dog carts there that your dog might be able to try.

There will be a demonstration of Rally and you can participate and see how your dog likes it. You go around a planned trail and there will be instructions about what you need to do with your dog (sit, go around cones, jump a little pole etc) it is great fun.

There are two obedience classes. – one for general tips on training a northern breed dog (they are unique) and one for people that have been training and have come up against some problems that they want a little more help on.

There is a great raffle, silent auction (items benefit the rescue that brought them), harnesses and collars for sale, a special FUN MATCH shirt and more.

E=mail Randee if you have questions at bash@com-ctl.com

## **Umunhum Run and Camping**

June 26<sup>th</sup>, 27th

### Tentative Schedule for the Summer

| July 17 | Umunhum Run      | Aug 21 | Umunhum Run |
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| Sept 25 | Umunhum Run      | Oct 23 | Umunhum Run |
| Nov 20  | I manun huma Dun |        |             |

Nov 20 Umunhum Run

This is TENTATIVE...can change from weather or schedules that cause us to change the date. They are all nearest the full moon that would could get. June's is a lunar eclipse.



We meet around 5 pm on Saturday night and if the weather allows, we run the dogs between 7 and 9 pm. If it is warm we eat dinner first and then run them. They run from 1 mile to 7 miles, again it is based on the weather... Dinner is a group effort.

Some people then camp in tents but most campout in their cars or beside them.

In the morning we rise with the sun and run the dogs again. We try different dogs in different positions and come back to a GREAT group breakfast and off the hill by 11 am.... You still have time to do things before the end of the weekend.

Most people go up for the whole event. SOMETIMES (not all the time) we have a couple that only come up for the evening part. This can only happen if we have at least two cars going down at the same time.

Time to meet- 5 pm at the lowest gate (there are three locked gates so we have to stay together) (an hour earlier)



RSVP Randee at (408) 371-1841 or <u>bash@com-ctl.com</u> by the WEDNESDAY before the weekend to find out what to bring and for how many.

What you need to bring- your own drinks, sleeping bag, food for your dog and food for the group.

Call for directions. It takes approximately 30 minutes from Highway 85/Almaden Expressway to the first gate. People can also make arrangements to meet at Randee's office and follow her up.

It is great fun and very relaxing. The views of Santa Cruz, Monterey Bay and Santa Clara County are wonderful both as the sun rises and the sun sets. Come and join us.

# Rescue June 2010

### Serving the Bay Area & Northern California

Descriptions of the dogs listed in this newsletter, including evaluations of their temperaments, are furnished by the people placing them. We are providing an exchange of information only and we do not attempt to verify the information given

### Bill Otto 408-258-9806 billotto1412@aol.com

Cheyuo was surrender to the shelter because of lack of proper care. He is thin but will gain weight now he is out of the shelter. He gets along great with other dogs, loves to play. He is good walking on a leash and housetrained. As we know more about him we will update the list.

#### Tim Seaman - 40839809076 - tim@timothystreet.com

River Anne was surrendered to HSSV because her family lost their home. HSSV was out of room and they called us to take her. She has been raised with kids and a cat. She is very sweet, playful with other dogs, good with kids and overall a nice dog. Call my foster dad for more info on me.

### Arturo Ceron And Heron Ho – 510-996-8578 jiayung.ho@gmail.com

Fen Fen was surrendered by her owner to San Jose Shelter because the family was no longer able to care for her when the husband became to ill to work. She is house trained, crate trained, good in the car, great with kids (was raised with two young ones) good with other dogs and knows basic obedience skills. She is a little shy at first but warms up with time to everyone. She does tricks (sit, down, crawl, sit pretty, play dead, roll over, pray) She loves to just lay near where you are at

when in the house or at work with me. She will come up to her foster mom every hour or so to say hi, get a pat and go back to lay down. She wants to play one on one with a dog but when 2-3 get going it overwhelms her. She would like a quieter home than her foster home. Call to learn more about her, she is a GREAT dog. She is overweight and needs to loose a few pounds.

### Macio Simpson (831) 214-9644 mrevoli@yahoo.com

We just got Bolo from the San Jose Shelter. He is probably a shepherd/siberian cross. He is between 60 and 65#'s. He rides well in the car. Is very friendly. Plays well with other dogs. He walks ok on a leash but can pull. He knows sit, down and a quick drop (not sure of the command but he slams to a down). Call his foster dad for more information.

### Randee McQueen (408)371-1841 BASHRR@aol.com

We know very little about this girl except that she didn't go to adoptions because she played with the plastic hand they test them with. She was not food agressive and was good with another dog when introduced. They say she is very sweet. We have rescued her from the Salinias Shelter. No other info was given on her. Contact us for more info and hopefully a better picture.

Adopted - Dillon











### Bay Area Siberian Husky Club Membership Renewal and Associate Application 2010-2011

| Membership enclosed for: | \$30 Single | \$35 Family | \$25 Associate |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
|                          |             |             |                |
| Date                     |             |             |                |
| Name(s)                  |             |             |                |
| Mailing address          |             |             |                |
| City, State, Zip         |             |             |                |
| Area code and phone      |             |             |                |
| E-mail Address           |             |             |                |
| Amount Enclosed \$       |             |             |                |
|                          |             |             |                |

I would like the newsletter mailed to me.

Make checks payable to BASH. All memberships and subscriptions are valid through March 31, 2011. Send membership renewal form and check, or inquiries about becoming a voting member, to:

Marie Stevens, Bay Area Siberian Husky Club, 2633 S Bascom Ave, Campbell CA 95008

### Bay Area Siberian Husky Club www.bayareasiberian.org

2633 S. Bascom Avenue Campbell, CA 95008

#### **Upcoming Adoption Fairs**

First Saturday PetsMart, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. 850 W. Hamilton, Campbell Coordinator: Randee McQueen 408-371-1841

Second Saturday PetsMart, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. 175 Ranch Road, Milpitas Coordinator: Bill Otto 408-258-9806

Not in December Third Saturday Pet Food Express 11 am to 2 pm 15466 Los Gatos Blvd., Los Gatos Coordinator: Randee McQueen 408-356-7600