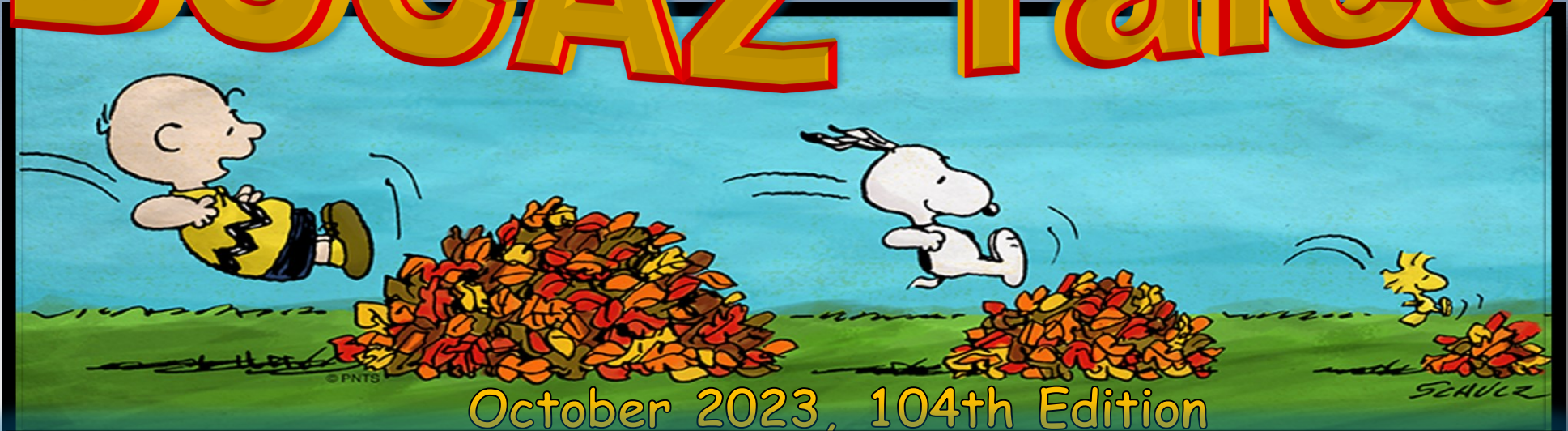


# BCCAZ Tales



**Cindy Meadows:** “As Chairman of the Nominations Committee for the Board of Directors, I’m presenting the following members in good standing who are running for office and board positions for 2024:

**President:** Anita Easley; **Vice President:** Tammy Gosnell; **Secretary:** Dalaine Wood; **Treasurer:** Ron Paul

**Board Members:** Mary Chessik, Barb Gates, Cindy Meadows, Nancy Parks. Further nominations can be made from the floor at the meeting on October 8th at Iron Spoon Ranch. The election of the 2024 board will be at the annual meeting and holiday party to be held on January 7th, at Iron Spoon Ranch.”

**BCCAZ thanks the following members:** Chair Cindy Meadows, Gail Chadwick and Bev Murray for their work on the nominating committee.

## 2023 BCCAZ Officers and Board Members

**President:** Anita Easley; **Vice-President:** Tammy Gosnell;  
**Secretary:** Dalaine Wood; **Treasurer:** Ron Paul;  
**Agility Chair:** Mary Chessik;  
**Conformation Chair:** Barb Gates;  
**Herding Chair:** Cindy Meadows;  
**Obedience Chair:** Nancy Parks

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# UPCOMING BCCAZ EVENTS

## Fun things to do with our friends!

**Fun Days** at Iron Spoon Ranch: October 8 & November 12

**Herding Fun Mock Trial Days** at Iron Spoon Ranch: See page below for info!

**AKC Herding**: November 16 & 17, Course D, Dewey

**AKC Agility**: December 1, 2, 3, C Spot Win, Phoenix

**AKC Scentwork**: December 16 & 17, Apache Junction

**Annual Meeting/Fun Day/Election**: January 7th, 2024, Iron Spoon Ranch

**AKC Conformation**: Specialty on February 2, 2024, Phoenix





# BORDER COLLIE CLUB OF ARIZONA

**Trick or Treat Fun Day!!!**

## AT THIS EVENT:

Herding Fetch/Drive Team Relays

Started to Advanced dogs

Games for everyone—you don't have to be a herder for these games!

Have fun with the **Halloween Duck**

**Bowl, Rally Trick/Treat Relay,**

**Chuck a Duck, Spot your Dog**

Lunch—Pizza/Water provided

General/Board Meeting at Noon

## Location:

Iron Spoon Ranch

7040 W. Baseline Rd., Laveen 85339

(NE corner of 71st Dr. and Baseline Rd.)

(Parking along east side of 71<sup>st</sup> Dr.)

## JOIN US!

Sunday, October 8th

7:30 AM to 1 PM

Welcome BCCAZ members

or prospective members.

Have a great time with your dog!

Please **RSVP:** [aeasley2@cox.net](mailto:aeasley2@cox.net)



## **Are you ready to try something new with BCCAZ?**

We are offering three different mock trial days for educational fun, training, and to help experience what an actual trial is like. Runs will be judged with you receiving an actual score sheet. We will have sample entry forms to look at and discuss any questions you might have about showing. It will be a supportive atmosphere! We want to encourage new people to take advantage of this opportunity.

It will also be a great chance to work with dogs already showing, maybe try a different level, or organization you might not be familiar with.

Plus, a time to “fix” a problem you might be having at a trial.

Scheduled dates at this time:

\*\*\*\*\* October 22: AKC \*\*\*\*\* November 5: AHBA \*\*\*\*\* December 17: ASCA \*\*\*\*\*

**Please fill out the PRACTICE entry form for the  
1st Mock Trial and email it to me, or  
enter day of by 7:30 am.**

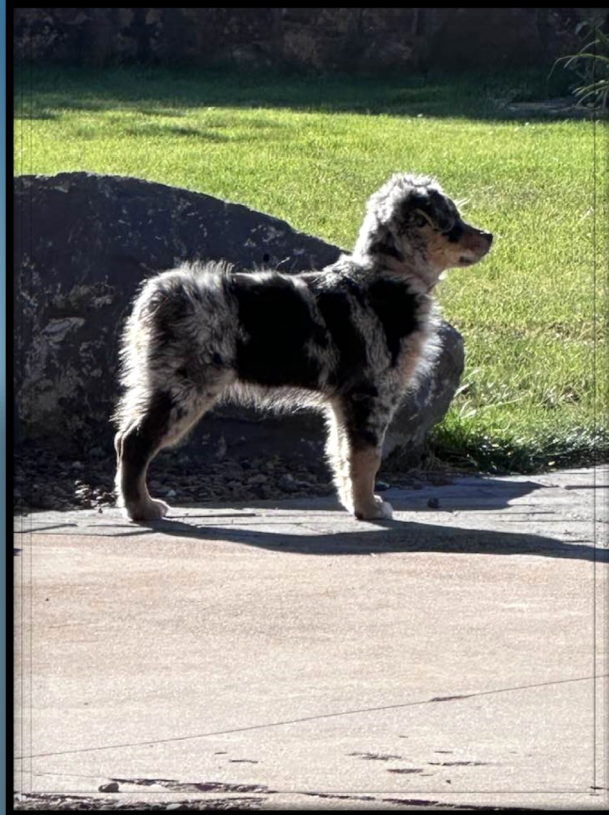
**(form can be found as an attachment in email  
or send me a request)**





**Pat White:**

**Welcome to PSR Sail on a Dream -  
KaiLani @ 11 weeks.**



**“Miss Brandi finished her Level III cattle title with a high in trial owner/handler at the AHBA trial at PSR Stockdogs.”**



**Sandy Cash:**

**“Sean did me proud at the Trial, got a second qualifying run and won me a red ribbon!!  
So very happy with this boy!”**





## Gail Chadwick:

“My Taryn girl never fails to amaze me! AHBA Herding trial in Dewey this weekend, runs on sheep and geese each of 3 days. Six runs, six Q’s, scores (out of 100) of 93, 94, 96, 95, 96, 96.5. Two 3rd places, two 4th places out of big classes of 13-17 dogs. Saturday she won high score for Amateur Owner Handler on Sheep. She was calm, patient and always kind to her stock. I love herding with her! Big thanks to our judges Debbie Pollard and Jan Wesen, PSR Stockdogs for fielding the trial and always Cindy Meadows for our training.”





**Barb Gates:**

**“Nell had a lovely Advanced run on sheep at the ASC of Az Farm Trial this morning in Dewey, Arizona. HIGH SCORE SHEEP (Other Breed). Thanks to all involved in putting on these trials.”**

**“Nell finished out her 3 days of ASCA trials with a great score of 122 on her Advanced Sheep Farm trial run. This gives her 2 more titles! Good girl Nell.”**





## Cynde Leshin:

“PRESCOTT AZ KENNEL CLUB SHOW - Sunday, Sept 24th. After a long ride home from our 2 weeks in CA and the beach Beckett had to be in the utility ring at 8:00 a.m. today. He had not done any obedience training for 2 weeks so I thought with this interesting venue I would get good information on where he is at and how to support him. Below is a picture of the obedience ring and some of the challenges. Beckett was such a good boy, totally trusting me for his runs and ended up HIGH IN TRIAL and HIGH COMBINED under Judge Patricia L. Maynard. A good start for our obedience season.”



**Reminder:** Send brags/photos/news items to Anita at [aeasley2@cox.net](mailto:aeasley2@cox.net) for *BCCAZ Tales*.

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