



The NLRC was organized in 1996 with the idea of creating a national club that would preserve and promote the Labrador Retriever. Everyone in the Labrador community is welcome...from pet owners to old timers.

We are a National Lab Club formed by the members, for the members, working together for the preservation, betterment and service to the Labrador Retriever.

THE LABRADOR CONNECTION

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DOG LEGISLATION SOURCES

Has anyone noticed the sheer volume of new dog laws and new dog legislation being presented and passed into law nationwide?

It would seem that even the most dedicated of interested parties might have a hard time keeping up with each piece of new legislation being put to vote from the city levels to state and federal levels.

If you are interested in receiving notifications of dog related bills introduced into Congress regarding animal breeding, you can sign up for the RSS feed at www.OpenCongress.org.

If you are interested in receiving email notifications of animal related laws and legislation being considered, legislation being voted upon or laws that have been passed; you can sign up for notifications from a multitude of organizations offering legislative alerts.

An excellent source for quality emailed legislation alerts is SAOVA.
<http://saova.org/alerts.html>

For editorial insights emailed to your inbox, THE DOG PRESS.
<http://www.thedogplace.org>

For a national listing of dog related legislative alerts, bills, and voting results, visit the AKC's legislative page at: www.akc.org/news/sections/legislative_alerts.cfm

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free to forward
our
newsletter to
interested
family and
friends

NLRC Membership -- Open Enrollment

Membership in the National Labrador Retriever Club, Inc. is open to all Labrador enthusiasts; however, to join you must be in good standing with the American Kennel Club, Inc. and should consider the guidelines set forth in the [NLRC Code of Ethics](#) when engaged in any activities involving the breeding, exhibiting and selling of Labrador Retrievers.

Two types of annual individual memberships are offered:

- Full (voting member) \$30
- Associate (non-voting) \$20

New Applicants and Renewing members may use the NLRC Membership Application | Renewal Forms located at the NationalLabradorRetrieverClub.com

Are you listed in our [NLRC Breeders Directory](#)?

NLRC Members with full membership rights can apply to participate on the NLRC website Breeder Directory by completing the applicable section on the membership application and submitting a \$10 fee. Any questions?

Contact our Interim Membership Chair:

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Support TVD Research!

Visit the [National Labrador Retriever Club Website](#) for more info!

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AM MBISS BRONZE GCH & UKC CH

BELQUEST NOTHIN' BUT THE FACTS – "UNO"

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennels) AM MBISS BRONZE GCH & UKC CH Belquest Nothin' But The Facts – "Uno"
Has earned her Bronze designation.



AM BIS GCH BELQUEST LOVELY LADY LUMPS WC – “FERGIE”

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennels) AM BIS GCH Belquest Lovely Lady Lumps WC – “Fergie”
Is now Grand Champion.



CAN CH ROKA 7 ROLEX – “ROLEX”

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennels) CAN CH ROKA 7 ROLEX – “Rolex”

Is the #1 Labrador Retriever puppy in Canada - 2013

01/16/2014 WD & BOW Annapolis KC Judge Martin Doherty 3 pts



BARTESTREE JINGLE ALL THE WAY TO BELQUEST – “JINGLE”

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennel) Bartestree Jingle All the Way to Belquest – “Jingle”

01/16/2014 WB Annapolis KC Judge Martin Doherty 3 points



AM MULTI BISS BRONZE GCH & MULTI BISS CAN CH GATEWAY'S NOTHIN BUT TROUBLE – "TROUBLE"

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennel)

AM MULTI BISS BRONZE GCH & MULTI BISS CAN CH Gateway's Nothin But Trouble – "Trouble"

Trouble is the #1 Labrador Retriever in the USA in 2013

Best of Breed Labrador Retriever Club of the Potomac 2013

11/16/2013 AOM Greater Atlanta LRC Judge Lori Bentine (Tremont)

11/17/2013 1st Stud Dog Greater Atlanta LRC Judge Lori Bentine (Tremont)

11/17/2013 BOS Greater Atlanta LRC Judge Judy Heim (Hyspire)

11/23/2013 Best of Breed Chesapeake KC of MD Judge Claire Senfield (Allegheny)

11/24/2013 Select Upper Marlboro KC Judge Thomas Nesbitt

12/13/2013 1st Stud Dog Labrador Retriever Club Judge Marion Lyons (Chocorua)

12/14/2013 BOS AKC/Eukanauba National Championship Judge Linda Moore



AM GR CH BELQUEST NOSTALGIC CANDY – “CANDY”

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennel) AM GR CH Belquest Nostalgic Candy – “Candy”

Is now a Grand Champion



AM GR CH CONCLUSION'S BANANA – "BANANA"

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennel) AM GR CH Conclusion's Banana – "Banana"

Is now a Grand Champion

5/18/2013 WB Raleigh-Durham LRC Judge Andrea Braxton-Robertson (Accolade) 5 points

5/18/2013 Best Bred - By Raleigh-Durham LRC Judge Vonnie Russell (Hypsire) 5 points



AKC AM GCH CAN CH & UKC CH ANNUAL'S NOSTALGIC AT HILLDREAMS – “SPENCER”

Vicky Creamer's (Belquest Kennel)

AKC AM GCH CAN CH & UKC CH Annual's Nostalgic At Hilldreams – “Spencer”

Is now a Grand Champion



AKC GCH EPOCH BANNER'S CHOCOLATE MIDNIGHT MALT – “LUCAS”

Tammy Aghjayan (EverOak Labradors) AKC GCH Epoch Banner's Chocolate Midnight Malt – “Lucas”
Congratulations to Lucas and Amy Alspaugh for being awarded a Judges Award of Merit (JAM) at the LRC National Specialty in Lacey, WA under Judge Ms. Sharon Grieves.

Lucas is the only chocolate labrador to make both the First and Final Cut in Breed; and the only chocolate Labrador to win any type of ribbon at the Nationals where 'Big Brown Dawg' (as Lucas has lovingly been nicknamed) was the top Chocolate Lab at the LRC Nationals.



AKC GCH EPOCH BANNER'S CHOCOLATE MIDNIGHT MALT – “LUCAS”

Tammy Aghjayan (EverOak Labradors) AKC GCH Epoch Banner's Chocolate Midnight Malt – “Lucas”
Congratulations to Lucas for being recognized in the AKC's Top 25 Conformation Labradors in the USA for 2012–2013 at the LRC National Specialtiy in Lacey, Washington.

Lucas makes the final cut in Best of Breed at Eukanuba World Championship!



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The National Labrador Retriever Club, Inc. exists for the protection and betterment of the breed, to encourage education of the general public who may want to add a Labrador to their family and to meet a social responsibility to its members, the general public, and the Labrador world in particular. To this end, we adopted a [Code of Ethics](#) to serve as a guide.

Our Newsletter, The Labrador Connection, is published by the club periodically when sufficient material is received. The Labrador Connection's newest electronic issue is emailed to members when it is published and all issues may be viewed online at any time.

Visit our website online at www.NationalLabradorRetrieverClub.com



The National Labrador Retriever Club, Inc. Membership list is viewable online from our website [MEMBERS](#) link. The NLRC membership list is intended for viewing by fellow NLRC members only. To access the membership list, please enter the user name: *nirc* and then the password: *in08doNATE2tvd*
Once the login window is displayed, enter the password *overview* to view the membership list.