

I have had a love of dogs as a little girl. When I got married in 1994, we adopted a dog from a local rescue group. Attended a local dog training club to train her. Well other than the basics she hated it, I loved it. So headed down to the Golden Gate Bench dog show to find a small obedience dog. Fell in love with Papillon's. Put a CD on him, meanwhile the breeder asked me if I wanted to show dogs. That's all it took for me to be hooked on Conformation. All the while I rescued a couple hundred dogs, became the vice president, secretary and raffle chair for our local training club.

My rescue dog died suddenly. Most of the training club members had Golden Retrievers. A male show puppy was available and the rest is history. I became a member of NorCal Golden Retriever club. I have been a Specialty show chair and several raffle chairs for NorCal. For the National GRCA, I was on committee for our 2016 National.

I had gotten out of Papillon's, I was at a dog show in Vallejo California, met Suzane Faria at a meet the breed Portuguese Podengo Pequeno's. She had wires and I fell in love with their cute faces, their size, coats and fabulous personalities. I imported a male from Miguel Rebelo, Linho Da Terra De Montoito. Vicky & Warren Cook gave me my foundation bitch, Santana Joy Whimsy, who went on to be a ROM. In 2015, I acquired Bullet aka RBIS MBISS GCHS Ch Corral West Bullet Proof ROM, from Sherry MacLennan. What a phenomenal dog, that made dreams come true. I am a hobby breeder who takes pride in obtaining CHIC# on all my breeding dogs.

Since then, I have been on the board of the PPPA, National show chair, National co-chair and multiple raffle chair. I have made/donated over 100 crate pads and PPPA custom automobile stickers for fund raising. I am the annual auctioneer at our Nationals. I have over 25 years of volunteering for several of my dog clubs and will continue to volunteer for the PPPA.