



# Russian Tsvetnaya Bolonka News

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## From the Club President, Candace Mogavero



**Our 2023 RTBCA National Specialty is history.** I would like to congratulate the winners and all the Bolonka exhibitors. It is so important for our club members to participate in the club functions. Doing so helps the club to grow and is an important requirement of the AKC.

Another important requirement of the AKC is the various committees. The club is always looking for volunteers for the Health Committee, Show Committee, Newsletter and Trophy Committee.

**We also have a Breeders Seminar once a quarter.**

**The next seminar will be July 20, 2023.** These seminars are AKC required for all AKC registered breeds. The first one was held in March; we had a nice turnout and everyone had some very good ideas for materials needed when whelping a litter. I hope more of the breeders will participate in the seminars, if you are not a breeder you are also welcome to come and participate in the meeting. You will be receiving an email from our secretary before the meeting with the Zoom information necessary to join the meeting. You can either attend the meeting by computer or by cell phone.

## 2023 – 2025 RTBCA Board

President – Candace Mogavero ([faireland1@gmail.com](mailto:faireland1@gmail.com))

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Board Member – Deborah Howington

## Annual National Specialty Show Results

Our Annual Specialty Show was held Saturday May 13, 2023 in Perry, GA. There was a good showing, with about 20 Bolonki of various ages exhibited. The results were as follows.

**Best of Breed** PLK I'm Here There And Everywhere, CM9



**Best of Opposite:** PLK Rye Whiskey Neat @ Tovia, CM



**Best Puppy:** Showboat Take Your Whiskey Home, CM3



**Best Opposite Puppy:** Showboat Bliss Slow Gin Fizz



Additional photos are available from [www.petactionshots.com](http://www.petactionshots.com) and <https://thewillowlakephotography.shootproof.com/gallery/21644570/>

## The Path to Full AKC Recognition Starts with the RTBCA

Three things we can all help with to move the Bolonka breed to the Toy Group:

*More Members.*

*More REGISTERED Bolonki.*

*More Bolonki shown nationwide.*

If we are to move up within two years, we need to recruit our friends with experience breeding and showing dogs. If you know anyone that might be interested, please direct them to the club's website at [www.rtbca.com](http://www.rtbca.com) or the Facebook group administered by the club.

For many people in the dog show world, the Bolonka is an attractive addition to a successful kennel. Some of their strong points are their delightful personalities, small size, and relatively low maintenance coats. The fact that they don't shed may be a big plus for some people with other breeds that require constant upkeep to remove hair from everywhere. Their easy transportation to shows could reduce the costs of exhibiting.

And for the pups that won't be making it to the show ring, these dogs make excellent companions for many of the same reasons they make excellent show dogs. People love their small size, cute faces, and the fact they don't shed. It's important to get more pups into the hands of pet owners who will talk up the breed and support the breeding and showing of our dogs. As breeders, we can accomplish two goals for our puppies and our breed by bringing them with us on errands and answering the inevitable questions we get from people about the dogs. Socialize the puppy and the breed at the same time!

**What incentives can you think of to help attract new breeders and show homes to the breed?**

Please share them with us by sending an e-mail to [pcnjsteve@gmail.com](mailto:pcnjsteve@gmail.com) and they may appear in a future newsletter.

## Welcome to Our New Members!

Elaine Arrastia  
Elizabeth Seuss  
Jeannie Whiteley  
Mary Poineal  
Ty Davis

Cesar Valencia  
Margarita Galperina  
Debby Pike  
Elizabeth & Kent Sloan



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# Bolonka Community News


## New Title Holders

PLK I'M HERE THERE AND EVERYWHERE, CM9~ PINK LOTUS KENNELS  
SHOWBOAT TAKE YOUR WHISKEY HOME, CM5~ SHOWBOAT KENNELS  
SHOWBOAT'S ETCHED IN STEEL @SFR, CM5~ SHOWBOAT KENNELS  
SHOWBOAT UP RISING STAR@SFR, CM3~SHOWBOAT KENNELS  
FAIRELAND HONOR THY FATHER@DEBBY'S, CM3~FAIRELAND KENNELS  
PLK RYE WHISKEY NEAT @TOVIA, CM~ TOVIA KENNELS  
RED OCTOBER KARA KUM, CGC~ ROBBIE & MARK STERNLICHT  
TSVET HIBIN LOOK AT ME NOW, CA BCAT



## Breaking News! First RTBCA Sponsored Open Show!

One of the requirements for full recognition is that the club must sponsor two open shows. Thanks to the efforts of our board, the first one is already on the books for December! Please try to work this event into your show schedule.

 OPNC Fri Dec 01, 2023 >



**Russian Tsvetnaya Bolonka Club of America**

Conroe, TX

Event Pended  
#2023741302

Eligible Breed(s):  
**FSS Breeds(Incl.Misc)**

[View Complete Event Details](#)

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**Closes:**  
Nov 15, 2023  
Central Time

**Entry Fees:**  
\$25.00

## Litter Announcements & Available Dogs

Deborah Howington – [showboatkennels@gmail.com](mailto:showboatkennels@gmail.com)  
Tedra Edwards – [etedra@icloud.com](mailto:etedra@icloud.com)  
Debby Buse – [info@debbysbolonkas.com](mailto:info@debbysbolonkas.com)

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SHOW YOUR BOLONKA

July	August	September
Vandergrift, PA	Elkhorn, WI	Mobile, AL
Oklahoma City, OK	Little Rock, AR	Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, AR
West Bend, WI	Santa Barbara, CA	Prescott Valley, AZ
Bainbridge, NY	Torrance, CA	City of Industry, CA
Lima, OH	Greeley, CO	Costa Mesa, CA
Redmond, OR	Tampa, FL	Dixon, CA
Wrentham, MA	Waianae, HI	Vallejo, CA
Colorado Springs, CO	Chicago, IL	Yuba City, CA
Doswell, VA	Marion, IL	Aurora, CO
West Springfield, MA	Muncie, IN	Grand Junction, CO
Dallas, TX	Topeka, KS	Greeley, CO
Ferndale, CA	Lexington, KY	Goshen, CT
Belvidere, IL	Owensboro, KY	Harrington, DE
Soldotna, AK	Kenner, LA	Arcadia, FL
Great Falls, MT	Boxborough, MA	Deland, FL
West Friendship, MD	Greenfield, MA	Honolulu, HI
Ocala, FL	West Springfield, MA	Waimanalo, HI
Ottumwa, IA	Cumberland, MD	Amana, IA
Puyallup, WA	Albert Lea, MN	Des Moines, IA
Monroe, MI	Lake Elmo, MN	Freeport, IL
Huntington, WV	Greensboro, NC	Columbus, IN
Waterloo, NY	Raleigh, NC	Lebanon, IN
Monroe, MI	Bismarck, ND	Lexington, KY
San Antonio, TX	Lambertville, NJ	Falmouth, MA
Turnbridge, VT	Reno, NV	Union, ME
Duluth, MN	Ballston Spa, NY	Corunna, MI
Marshall, MI	Whitney Point, NY	Goodells, MI
Madison, OH	Canfield, OH	Marquette, MI
Coquille, OR	Oberlin, OH	Monroe, MI
West Palm Beach, FL	Lebanon, PA	Rochester, MN
Carmel by the Sea, CA	Middleburg, PA	Gray Summit, MO
St. Paul, OR	Doswell, VA	Helena, MT
Middle Island, NY	Salem, VA	Raleigh, NC
Mt. Vernon, WA	Enumclaw, WA	Winston-Salem, NC
Morristown, NJ	Chippewa Falls, WI	Nashua, NH
Houston, TX	Elkhorn, WI	Augusta, NJ
Carmel, NY	Union Grove, WI	Bridgewater, NJ
Concord, NC		Los Lunas, NM
South Bend, IN		Carson City, NV
Hattiesburg, MS		Hamlin, NY
Valley Center, CA		Romulus, NY
St. Joseph, MO		Smithtown, NY
Marshfield, WI		Smithfield, OH
Center Hall, PA		Xenia, OH
Graham, WA		Elk City, OK
Flagstaff, AZ		Roseburg, OR
Bloomsburg, PA		Macungie, PA
Greenville, SC		New Castle, PA
Casper, WY		Shippensburg, PA
Longview, TX		Franklin, TN
Sequim, WA		Knoxville, TN
Waukesha, WI		McDonald, TN
North Kingston, RI		Amarillo, TX
Marion, OH		Belton, TX
		Lubbock, TX
		Hurricane, UT
		South Jordan, UT
		Chehalis, WA
		Kennewick, WA

Coming Soon!

Comparison of pet care products

Send your suggestions for testing to Steve at

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		Superior, WI
		Fond du Lac, WI
		Merrill, WI
		Cheyenne, WY