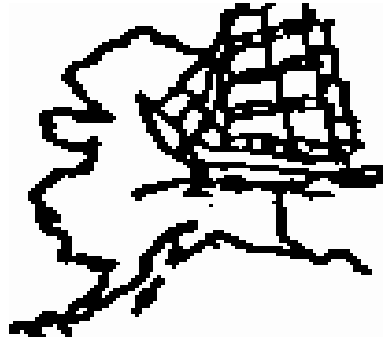


The Cook Inlet Kennel Club GAZETTE



SPOTLIGHT ON THE BREED: FROM THE MISCELLANEOUS CLASS PERUVIAN INCA ORCHID

BRIEF HISTORICAL SUMMARY : According to certain experts, this dog was introduced in Peru during the Chinese immigration, soon after the promulgation of the law abolishing the slavery of the blacks by the president of Peru, Don Ramón Castilla. On the other hand, other searchers suppose that this dog comes from the African continent through the intermediary of nomads who arrived in America accompanied by their hairless dogs. Another possible explanation is that the presence of this dog would be due to the migration of men and their dogs from Asia to America through the Bering Strait. However, next to all these suppositions, there are certain proofs such as the representations which appear on ceramics of different pre-Inca civilisations (Vicús, Mochica, Chancay, Chancay, under Tiahuanacoid influence, Chimú); in many cases the hairless dog has replaced the puma, the snake or the falcon; this in particular and in a more evident way in the Chancay culture. As we can gather from the reproductions, the hairless dog appears during the pre-Inca archeological periods, i.e. between the years 300 BC and the years 1400 AC.



GENERAL APPEARANCE: The Peruvian Inca Orchid/ Peruvian Hairless Dog is a Sight Hound. Going by his general conformation, it is an elegant and slim dog, whose aspect expresses speed, strength and harmony without ever appearing coarse. The fundamental characteristic of the breed is the absence of hair all over the body in hairless variety. The minority are the coated examples which are an important part of this breed's genetic makeup.

Another particular feature is that the dentition is nearly always incomplete in hairless examples.

IMPORTANT PROPORTIONS: The ratio between the height at the withers and the length of the body is of 1 : 1; the body of the females can be slightly longer than that of the males.

BEHAVIOUR / TEMPERAMENT: Noble and affectionate at home with those close to him, at the same time lively and alert; he is wary and a good guard in presence of strangers.

HEAD: Of lupoid conformation.

CRANIAL REGION:
Skull : Mesocephalic. Orthoid, i.e. the upper axes of the skull and muzzle are parallel; a slight divergence is accepted. Seen from above, the skull is broad and

the head tapers toward the nose. The superciliary arches are moderately developed. The occipital crest is hardly marked.

Stop: Cranial-facial depression barely marked (approximately 140°).

FACIAL REGION:

Nose : The colour of the nose must be in harmony with the different colours of the skin.

Muzzle: Seen in profile, the nasal bridge is straight.

Lips: Moderately tight to the gums.

Jaws/Teeth: Scissor bite. Incomplete dentition in the hairless variety is normal. The lower jaw is only slightly developed

The coated variety should have full dentition.

Cheeks: Normally developed.

Eyes: Alert and intelligent expression. The eyes must be of average dimensions, slightly almond shaped, neither deep-set nor prominent, normally and regularly placed, i.e. neither too close together nor too wide apart. The colour can vary from black, going through all shades of brown up to yellow, in harmony with the skin colour. In any case, both eyes must

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**COME JOIN US AT OUR
NEXT GENERAL
MEMBERSHIP
MEETING!**

June 7th AT 7:00 P.M.

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General Membership Meeting
May 3, 2011

Meeting called to order at 7:02 pm

Minutes-Judi Rideout made a motion to accept the Minutes as published, Tom Tolson seconded. Motion passed.

President's Report-new mats have been ordered and should be in at anytime.

Corresponding Secretary's Report-

- MTA Bill
- MEA Bill
- Enstar Bill
- Wells Fargo Checking account statement
- Wells Fargo Money Market account statement
- Judges responses for July show:
 - Richard & Patricia Strong
 - Gary Doerge
 - Ann Schwartz
 - Frances Colonna
 - Return to sender from Mr.& Mrs. Stan Zielinski

Treasurer's Report

Committee Reports

Show-draft of August premium is under

review, to be submitted on 5/4/11. Signup sheets for duties are going around.

Training-No Report

Legislative-No Report

Judges- Next meeting is 5/15/11 at 2:00 at the building

Agility-The new computer program is working well

New Members

First Readings-none

Second Readings

- Regina Cook
- Paige Banzaf
- Elizabeth Neakok
- Janette & David Bower
- Rose Faginkrantz, Ed & Joan Benson
- Kathy Barenburg

Welcome new members!

New Business

Agility- Mike Chester made a motion to approve the agility trial dates Nov. 11th, 12th, and 13th and Dec. 30th, 31st, and Jan 1st. Jon Zylstra seconded. Motion passed. Discussion of budgets and ribbons for trials. Gretchen Keim made a motion to order the ribbons for

the agility trials. Colleen Cook seconded. Discussion of ribbon cost. Motion passed.

Garage Sale- Will be held on 5/7/11 from 9am-3pm, there will be lots of goodies, extra dog stuff. Income from the sale will be split 50/50 between contributor and CIKC. CIKCs portion will go to the trophy fund.

Jon Zylstra made a motion to adjourn. Christine Asay seconded. Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Gretchen Keim



Board Meeting
May 17, 2011

Meeting called to order at 7:0 pm.

Minutes-Cheri Hagen made a motion to accept the Minutes as published, Jon Zylstra seconded. Motion passed.

President's Report-new mats are in, Tom & Carolyn Tolson will pick up.

Corresponding Secretary's Report-

- Wells Fargo Checking Account Statements
- Wells Fargo Market Rate Account
- Wells Fargo Visa Platinum Debit Card
- MTA Bill
- MEA Bill
- Receipt for post office box rental
- Joe Bishop's acceptance as the photographer for July 2011 shows

Treasurer's Report-

Committee Reports

Show-Contract from the Alaska State Fairgrounds was received. They would like us to lock in the next three years for the end of July show dates. Baray is working on finalizing the premium. Reviewed trophy ideas.

Training-Agility workgroup classes will be starting on Wednesdays from 7-9pm.

They will be held at Sirius ranch. Cost will be \$60 for six weeks and CIKC and Sirius will split the proceeds 50/50. Puppy classes will be returning in the fall. Earth dog training plans are in the works.

Legislative-No Report

Judges- Last meeting was on 5/15/11.

Agility- Report from AKC on the A match was received; CIKC is approved for matches in the future.

Earth Dog-Mike Chester is working on setting everything up and running.

Unfinished Business

Agility-Application for trials to be held on November 11th, 12th, and 13th 2011 is about to go out, discussion of ribbons

New Business

Wells Fargo Credit Card-Wells Fargo Bank mentioned to Carolyn the idea of using a credit card in place of a debit to reduce the risk of liability on things that may not be covered in the event the number was stolen, a credit card would be more secure. Cheri Hagen made a motion to obtain a Wells Fargo Credit Card for club use, Linda Cunningham seconded. Motion passed.

New York Life Booth-a rep. from New York Life contacted Judi Rideout about a booth at the August shows to provide families with children child protection information. They would like to have the booth for free as they would be providing a community service. Board decided not to pursue having such a booth.

Fairgrounds Contract-Judi Rideout made a motion that CIKC sign a 3 year contract under the same terms and conditions CIKC and the Fairgrounds have now. Mike Chester seconded. Motion passed.

Gretchen Keim made a motion to adjourn. Linda Cunningham seconded. Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Gretchen Keim

**Peruvian Inca Orchid
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be of the same colour.

The colour of the eye rims may go from black to pink in subjects with light coloured face. The light pink colours are permitted but not sought after.

Ears: The ears must be pricked when the dog is attentive, whereas at rest, they are laid towards the back.

The ears are of medium length; broad at the base, tapering progressively towards their tip, ending almost pointed. The ear set starts on the upper part of the skull to end laterally and obliquely. In erect position, the axes of the ears form a variable angle near 90°

In the coated variety the ears are semi-prick when the dog is attentive, and can be laid back when relaxed.

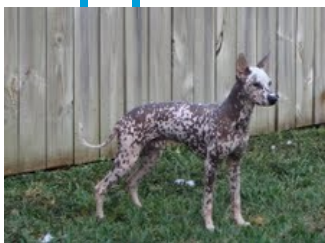
NECK:
Upper line: Curved (convex).
Length: Approximately the same length as the head.

Shape: Near to a truncated cone shape, supple, with good musculature.
Skin: Fine, smooth and elastic. Really close to the subcutaneous tissues. No dewlap.

BODY: Mesomorph.
Topline: Straight, although certain subjects show a dorsal-lumbar convexity which disappears at croup level.

Withers: Barely accentuated.
Back: Topline straight, with well developed back muscles often forming all along the back a muscular bi-convexity which extends to the lumbar region.

Lumbar region: Strong and well muscled. Its length reaches approximately 1/5 of the height at the withers.
Croup: Its upper profile is slightly convex. Its slant compared with the horizontal is about



40°. Its solid and well muscled conformation assures a good impulsion.

Chest: Seen from the front, the chest must have a good amplitude, but without excess; comes down almost to the elbow. The ribs must be lightly sprung, never flat. The girth of the chest, measured behind the elbows, must exceed by about 18% the height at the withers.

Underline and Belly: The lower profile draws an elegant and well marked line which goes from the lower part of the chest and rises along the belly which must be well tucked up, but without excess.

TAIL: The tail is set on low. Of good thickness at its root, it tapers towards its tip. When excited, the dog can carry the tail raised in a round curve above the backline, but never as curved as being rolled up. At rest, it hangs with a slight upward hook at the tip. Sometimes carried tucked in towards the abdomen. In length it almost reaches the hock. The tail must not be docked.

LIMBS
FOREQUARTERS: Well united with the body. Seen from the front, they are perfectly vertical and the elbows are not turned out. The angle at the shoulders joint varies between 100° and 120°. Seen in profile, the angle formed by the pastern and the vertical will be from 15° to 20°.

Forefeet: They are semi-long and look like harefeet. The pads are strong and heat-resistant. The interdigital membranes are well developed. The black dogs have preferably black nails and the lighter dogs light nails.

HINDQUARTERS: The muscles are rounded and elastic. The curve of the buttocks is well marked. The coxal-femoral angle varies between 120° and 130°, and the femoral-tibial angle must be of 140°. Seen from behind, the hindquarters must be vertical. Dewclaws must be eliminated.

Hind feet: As the forefeet.
GAIT / MOVEMENT: Given the structure and angulations of the above mentioned quarters, these dogs move with a rather short step, but fast and at the same time quite soft and flexible.

SKIN: The skin must be smooth and elastic all over the body, but can form a few rounded al-



Upcoming Events

June 4 & 5—AHGC Conformation & All Breed Obedience/Rally—Chugiak

June 9, 10 & 11—YKCC—Conformation & Obedience/Rally—Whitehorse

June 18 & 19—Last Frontier Specialties Conformation & All Breed Obedience/Rally—Anchorage

June 18 & 19—OTCC—Agility—Chugiak

June 25 & 26—Alaska Kennel Club Conformation—Anchorage

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Monthly Schedule

June 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Show n Go 7:00	3 Show n Go 7:00	4 AHGC Conformation & Obed/ Rally Trials Chugiak
5 AHGC Conformation & Obed/ Rally Trials Chugiak	6	7 Show Committee Meeting 6:30 General Meeting 7:00	8	9 Show n Go 7:00	10 Show n Go 7:00 YKCC Shows— Whitehorse	11 YKCC Shows— Whitehorse
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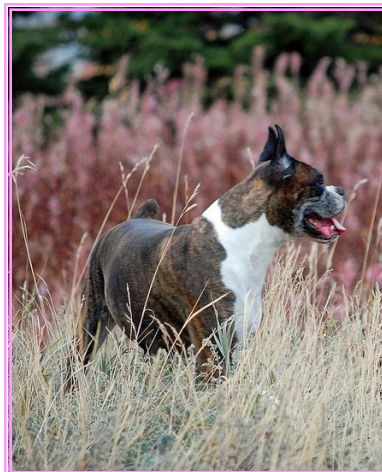
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Peruvian Inca Orchid Cont. from Pg. 3

most concentric lines on the head and round the eyes and the cheeks.

COAT

The hairless examples must have exposed skin in the place of the coat the coat (hair). Short hair on the head and vestiges of hair on the lower tail and feet are acceptable. A few hairs may appear on the face and body. Shaving or any other form of hair removal is not permitted.

In the coated variety the coat may be short or medium length with feathering present at the neck, ears and body.

COLOUR: In the hairless variety the skin can be of any colour and can either be uniform or with unpigmented areas.

In the coated variety all colours are accepted.

SIZE AND WEIGHT:

There are three sizes in the males and females.

Small: from 9 ¾ to 15 ¾ inches (25 to 40 cm).

Medium: from 15 ¾ to 19 ¾ inches (40 to 50 cm).

Large: from 19 ¾ to 25 ¾ inches (50 to 65 cm).

The weight is in relation to the size of the males and females.

Small: from 8.5 to 17.5 pounds (4 to 8 kg).

Medium: from 17.5 to 26.5 pounds (8 to 12 kg).

Large: from 26.5 to 55 pounds (12 to 25 kg).

FAULTS:

- Deviated jaw
- Albinism.
- Aggressiveness

Presence of dewclaws on the hindquarters.

N.B.: Male animals should have two apparently normal testicles fully descended into the scrotum.

For more information go to:

[Peruvian Inca Orchid Enthusiast Club](#)



AKC Grand Champion Program Adds Achievement Levels

The American Kennel Club® is pleased to announce a new enhancement to the Grand Champion program – Achievement Levels. Beginning May 11th, in conjunction with the implementation of the 2011-2012 [AKC Point Schedule](#), Grand Champions will have the ability to earn the Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum designations at AKC all-breed, group and specialty shows. The Bronze Grand Championship will require 100 points, the Silver Grand Championship will require 200 points, the Gold Grand Championship will require 400 points and the Platinum Grand Championship will require 800 Grand Championship points.

Upon reaching each level, owners will receive a special recognition medallion and certificate, and the AKC website will be updated monthly with the names and breeds of all Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum dogs.

“We are happy to highlight the highest achievers in the Conformation ring with the creation of the Grand Championship Achievement Levels,” said Robin Stansell, AKC Vice President of Event Operations.

“Many exhibitors brought their Champions back into the rings to complete the Grand Championship or continued showing when they normally would have stopped after obtaining a Championship title. The Achievement Levels give them an opportunity for continued recognition and achievement.”

The online GCH Breed Lists will be expanded from the top 25 to 100 dogs including Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum level designations. To keep up-to-date with the competition, a new Top 100 All-Breed Grand Champions list will be featured at [www.akc.org/grandchampionship/](#)

Grand Championship judging will remain the same: all Champions of Record entered in the Best of

Breed/Variety competition will be eligible to compete for Grand Championship points at no additional entry fee, and points will be awarded, at the judge’s discretion, to Best of Breed/Variety, Best of Opposite Sex, Select Dog and Select Bitch. Points are calculated using the same AKC Point Schedule as is used for Championship points. Once a dog completes the Grand Championship title, points will continue to accrue as it reaches the Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum levels; there is no reset. If a dog has already accrued 100 or more Grand Championship points since the beginning of the Grand Championship program, the Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum designation will be awarded retroactively. For assistance with determining point totals, view our [Grand Championship Point Counting Document](#)

For more information about the new AKC Grand Champion Achievement Levels, visit [www.akc.org/grandchampionship](#) or contact [event-plans@akc.org](#).

