

# Tangens Whippets

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For Tangens alumni and friends**

## ***Santa Ynez parade 2015***



The parade in June included horses and other animals but no dogs. To change that I may sign up for Whippet participation next year. I can bring six of my own. Those of you, who live in the Valley, let me know if you like to join me. It will be fun!

## ***Vivaldi relaxing***



"Vivaldi can't seem to relax", wrote owner Marilyn Riffle....

While Vivaldi was sleeping, his daughter *Candy* won big at the ***American Whippet Club 60<sup>th</sup> Western Specialty in Long Beach.***



and Vivaldi's mother *Karelia*, at age 11, was best Veteran and the oldest in the class (handler Michael Strockbine)



We came home with lots of trophies!

## ***Karelia's twin sister "Ginger"***



She could have won too!  
Thanks to owner Bonnie Sowers for the photo

### ***New Veterinarian***



Congratulations to Kevin Connolly on graduating from he Tufts Veterinary School. Kevin and Mariann and their two young daughters have two Tangens Whippets, *Linus* (04) and *Foster* (05). Kevin is interested in nutrition and wants to combine teaching and research with being a practicing veterinarian.

### ***Dog art***



This piece is called "dog show". Check out more at Mark Ulriksen, dog art: <http://shop.markulriksen.com/>

### ***... In Seattle***



Jan Volzke, with Christiane and *Prince* (06), is on temporary assignment in Seattle. Here time off visiting Crater Lake.

### ***"Sunny"***

#### **Here Comes The Sun**

(Ch Limard's Brigadoon x Bonzoumet's Baja Babe Bella)

March 17, 2001 – June 23, 2015



Sunny was a wonderful Whippet. He was neutered early, but despite that he "performed" perfectly whenever any of the girls were in heat. Obviously, he then thought that he was the father of all puppies, and he treated them as such. Without ever being aggressive, all the other dogs in the house treated Sunny with great respect.

Until the end, Sunny had a perfect heart and perfect vision, but his leg muscles gave up. We all miss him.

*This Sun Has Set*

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