

**Breed First - Winning All-Breed Best In Shows, Plus the SBCA National Specialty**



**CH Esbo V Grossglockner  
Von Edelweiss**

Joe Fleischli

**By John Cox**

Esbo came from the great German kennel of Hans Glockner and is a great grandson of Emir V. Jura. In 1939 Esbo won Best of Breed at the Saint Bernard Club of America's national specialty under judge Louis Walther of Pittsburgh, PA.

This import has the distinction of being the *FIRST* Saint Bernard to win all-breed Best in Shows, plus also taking Best of Breed at the Saint Bernard Club of America's 1939 National Specialty. Quite an accomplishment back then and still an amazing accomplishment today!

More information on Esbo may be found in the book *The Saint Bernard Classic*.

**CH Esbo V Grossglockner Von Edelweiss**

Mr. Joseph Fleischli



**Second Saint Bernard (1<sup>st</sup> male)  
to be Inducted Into The Hall of Fame Overall**

**First for meeting the Hall of Fame Criteria  
of (3) All-Breed Best in Shows**

**First Saint Bernard to Win All-Breed Best In Shows,  
Plus a National Specialty!**

**May 27, 1939**

## First Saint Bernard to Win Best In Shows, Plus a SBC of America National Specialty

# CH Esbo V Grossglockner

Von Edelweiss

<u>CH</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Titles</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Show</u>	<u># of P.</u>	<u>BIS</u>	<u># BIS</u>	<u>Comp.</u>	<u>M</u>	<u>F</u>
CH	Esbo V Grossglockner		June 14, 1936	Terre Haute Izaak Walton KC, IN	3	BIS	1	378	m	
CH	Esbo V Grossglockner		November 17, 1936	Peoria & Central IL KC, IL	6	BIS	2	281	m	
CH	Esbo V Grossglockner		September 18, 1938	Capitol City KC, OH	10	BIS	3	253	m	
CH	Esbo V Grossglockner		May 04, 1940	Calumet KC, IN	12	BIS	4	325	m	

**Totals:**

**4**

**# of P. = Number of placements in Group at the time of the BIS win**

**Comp. = Number of dogs in competition at the show**

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# First Saint Bernard To Win The Saint Barnard National Specialty, Plus Win All-Breed Shows

## CH Esbo V Grossglockner

CH                      Name                      MF                      Titles                      Date                      Show                      BOB   BOS   W   COMP.   HIT   I

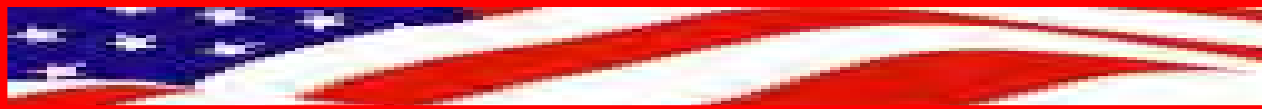
### Independent Specialty Shows, Trials & Tests

CH Esbo V Grossglockner	m			May 27, 1939	SBC of America # 5 NJ	<b>BOB</b>		1	22		
Dog's totals:					1	1	0	1	22	0	0

<b>Overall totals:</b>						1	0			0	
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BOS was first awarded in 1942  
 There were NO National Specialties in 1944, 1945, 1947 & 1962  
 W = Number of BOB/BOS win at independent specialty shows  
 Comp. = Number of dogs in competition at the show  
 T = Number of HIT win at independent specialty trials

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## The Saint Bernard Club of America's 1939 National Specialty Winners

Date: May 27, 1939

Location: Madison, NJ

Judge: L. Walther

Dogs In Competition: 22



**BOB: CH Esbo V Grossglockner**

**1<sup>st</sup> year for the BOS award--1942**

**Photo needed.**

If you have a photo of this dog please  
contact me at the E-mail address  
posted on the web page.

**WD/BOW: Yodel V Sebesi**



**WB: Lena V Waldeck**