

SAINT BERNARD

Breed First - Therapy Dog Novice {ThDN}



GCH, CH
Rock and Roll's
Pinball Wizard
BN, RN, CGC, CGCA, ThDN
Bill & Nancy Boman

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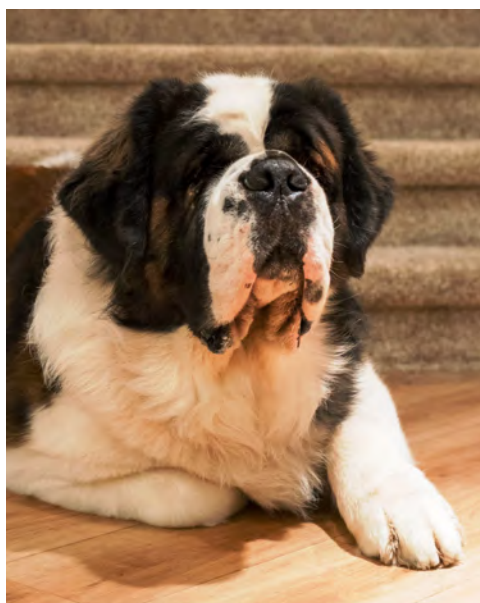
I am so pleased that GCH Rock and Roll's Pinball Wizard BN RN CGCA THDN "Tommy" was the first Saint Bernard to achieve the THDN title. Therapy dog work is so very rewarding and an activity that our breed is so very well suited to. The Novice therapy dog title (THDN) is achieved after performing 10 therapy dog visits. It is wonderful to see the AKC awarding many different levels of therapy dog titles dependent on the number of visits each dog has made. There are a number of different therapy dog registries that the AKC recognizes. Tommy was trained and registered through the K9to5 therapy dog registry.

Tommy did his work supporting the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society working at some fundraising events. He also did regular weekly visits at Ryther which is a group home for foster children with developmental and behavioral disabilities. He was a natural with the snuggles and brought a lot of smiles!

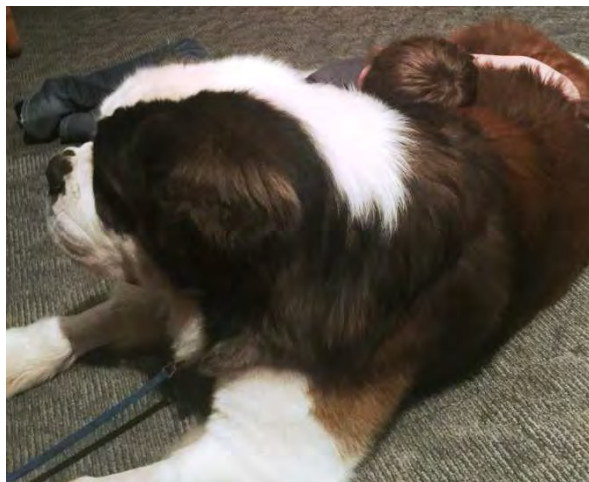
I encourage anyone who has the time to consider therapy dog work with their Saints. It is extremely rewarding and a great way to be an ambassador for our breed and demonstrate the gentle nature of our friendly giants!

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Visit at Ryther children's center



Fundraising event for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

**First Saint Bernard to Earn The
Therapy Dog Novice (ThDN) Title
&
First GCH & CH with the ThDN Title**

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