

Breed Firsts - Hydrodash Novice Excellent {HDNX}



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Sully`s love for Dock Diving is stronger than ever. He continues to live for jumping off the dock in any format. Since he loves it, we keep doing it. Hydrodash is one of the disciplines in dock diving. This requires the dog to jump off the dock and swim towards the toy at the end of the pool. The score comes from the time of them jumping, grabbing, and swimming back to the dock. The faster the time gets the highest score.

Sully loves this sport and will do anything to get that toy. The Hydrodash Novice Excellent (HDNX) title comes when the dog gets 25 legs in the Novice division, which is 21.000 - 39.999 seconds. He earned this on October 29, 2021 at NADD`s National Championship which made it even more special! He was also the 6th dog out of every breed to ever earn this title! If it couldn't get any cooler, this also made him the first Saint Bernard to compete at NADD Nationals!

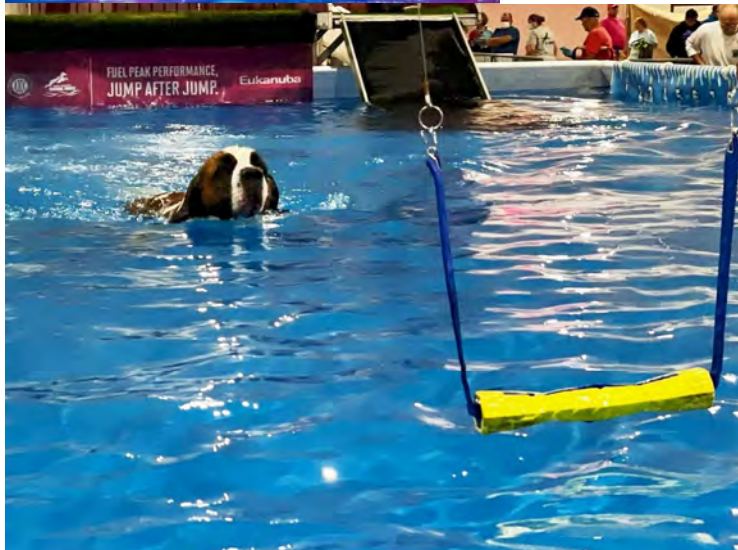
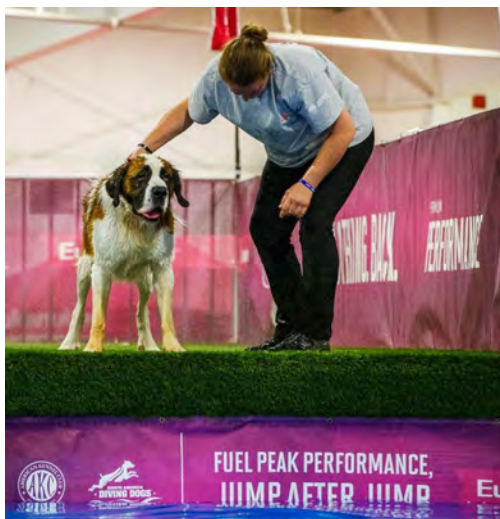
On that note, Sully also became the NADD Hydrodash Novice CHAMPION for 2021 with that swim. He got a personal best of 21.02 seconds in the swim off to snag the Championship!

Sully being the perfect weirdo he is, I played with his favorite toy on the dock, so he`d swim that much faster back to me. It was such a whirlwind of a day to me, but to him he was just happy to get to swim. :-)

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**First Saint Bernard to Earn The
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