

Sunday Sweepstakes Judge: Loren Bengston

I have been showing Great Danes since 2000 and produced my first litter in 2004. I started in fawns with a fawn girl out of Honey Lane's Highlight (CH Millcamp's Confeti Celebration). She was my first champion. We ventured into "color" in 2005 with our first harlequin from Terri Dillistin (CH DTVS Regina's ala AJ of Glacier Danes).



Since my start, I have owned or bred over 32 champions to date of all colors but blue and black. My husband, Brian Seiber, has a huge passion for therapy work and has certified several of our dogs as Therapy dogs. His biggest passion is the CATS (Canine Airport Therapy Squad) that he does at the Denver International Airport. So, our dogs are multifaceted.

We currently have 13 Great Danes at home ranging in age from 11 months to 12 years. We have no kids; these dogs are our heart and soul. We live on 5 acres so they have plenty of room to roam. Our kennel name, Glacier Danes, came from the street name where we first started showing. We wanted to think of a name that fit with where we live, Colorado, and a friend of ours said we should name our kennel after our street as it really fit, so we did!

I am a native of Colorado and graduated from Pacific Lutheran University up in Washington state. I have been a member of the Great Dane Club of Greater Denver since 2005 where I have served as treasurer, president and show chair for the last 4 years. I am also a member of the Great Dane Club of America, and the vice president of the Arapahoe Kennel Club (all breed). I am a second grade teacher and love to help kids learn to question and explore the world in which we live. They certainly help keep me young!

I have judged several sweeps over the years in Dallas, Colorado, Washington, and now with your club. I am working towards earning my judging license and appreciate you all asking me to judge your specialty sweeps.

Thank you all,
Loren Bengston