

**Islanninkoirat – Islandshundarna ry, Finland**



# **Annual report for the year 2012**

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the Icelandic Sheepdog  
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## Club information

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### Club members

	2012 31 <sup>th</sup> December	2011 31 <sup>th</sup> December	2010 31 <sup>th</sup> December	2009 31 <sup>th</sup> December	2008 31 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>Members</b>	273	260	297	234	203
<b>New members this year</b>	-	-	-	-	-

It looks that the number of members is growing slightly. One reason for this is that in Finland most of the breeders join their puppy buyers at Islanninkoirat club. Some years might be very good in terms of new memberships if there are a lot of litters.



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### Summary

Year 2012 was a good year when thinking of health results. Hip results were better than ever and number of x-rayed dogs are almost highest possible. Sad news came with these two PRA suspicions which are still undecided.

Puppy registrations started growing and litter sizes grew, too. There was a nice mixture of old breeders and also new ones. This means that there was a possibility to breed with both experience, knowledge and fresh ideas at the same time. Year 2013 will be a record-breaking year since already now in October 2013 80 puppies have been born.

Year 2012 we had lots of activities in our club: summer camp, herding training and herding instinct test, lecture in annual meeting etc. Club gave small financial support for these. In 2012 we did not have our own club show or character test, but in 2013 we had both of them.

We also had many smaller happenings like walks, herding, agility, obedience and rally-obedience with other Icelandic sheepdog owners.

Dog shows are usually the biggest competitions for dogs, but we also got many results from the hobbies mentioned above. Our members also got results in freestyle (dog dancing), skijor and water rescue dog test.



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Tunturiketun Jorunn Vorperla and Sanna Rasimus in skijoring competition

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## Statistics overview and comments, registrations

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### Litters

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Litters	12	11	11	10	15
Puppies registered	58	43	62	45	71
Average size of litters	4,6	3,9	5,6	4,5	4,7
Average inbreeding %	1,23%	1,16%	0,53%	1,5%	0,86%

### Imports

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Denmark		1		1	
Germany	2			1	1
Iceland	1	1	1	2	
Nederland				1	1
Norway		1			1
Sweden		1	2	2	1
Switzerland					
USA					3

#### Further comments:

##### Imports 2012:

IS17329/12 (FI59118/12) Sunnusteins Íslandsljómi

VDH/DCNH/IH00788/12 (FI42838/12) Kári fra Klettakoti

VDH/DCNH/IH00790/12 (FI42760/12) Kúra fra Klettakoti



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Kári fra Klettakoti, Sindra Sóldögg and Sunnusteins Íslandsljómi

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## Statistics overview and comments, registrations

### Stud dogs

which have reached – or are close – to the ISIC breeding limit

Males					
Reg nr.	Name of the dog	Year of birth	No. of Litters	No. of Puppies	No of grandchildren
FIN19628/95 (S56940/94)	Gydjan Mundilfari †	1994	4	24	26
FIN22412/00 (IS04033/96)	Kersins-Tappi *	1996	3	17	28
FIN15222/99 (NO8200/98)	Skreppeng's Snjo Morten	1998	3	17	35
FIN30071/02	Tunturiketun Roni	2002	3	17	16
FIN17748/04	Vuoreksen Zimba	2004	3	17	-

Females					
Reg nr.	Name of the dog	Year of birth	No. of Litters	No. of Puppies	No of grandchildren
FIN23371/97 (S52756/96)	Glims Embla †	1996	4	25	26
SF23442/94	Tunturiketun Asta-Sollilja†	1994	4	23	33
ER28536/08) (FSSDN19286606)	Runestone Mocha Latte	2007	2	15	9
FIN26108/95	Tuulenpuuskan Drifa †	1995	3	15	36
FIN38046/97	Tuulenpuuskan Fenja †	1997	3	14	37

#### Further comments:

\*This number of Tappi's litters is only that one which were born in Finland  
Our club regulation breeding limit is a maximum of 16 puppies before last litter.



Islanninkoirat clubshow 16.6.2013 - BOB Melodia – Judge Wilma Roem

### Hip Dysplasia (HD)

Total number of x-rayed dogs	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
A	24	25	22	15	16
B	12	11	11	8	4
<b>A+B</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>20</b>
C	9	4	5	14	9
D	1	4	4	6	6
E	-	1	-	-	-
<b>C+D+E</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>In total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>35</b>

**Further comments:**

71 % of Icelandic Sheepdogs which were born 2002-2011 are hip x-rayed. Results are: 71% A/B, 20% C and 9% D/E.

### Elbow dysplasia (ED)

Total number of x-rayed dogs	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Level 0	26	27	24	31	22
Level 1	-	1	-	-	-
Level 2	-	-	-	-	-
Level 3	-	-	-	-	-
<b>In total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>22</b>

### Patella luxation:

Total number of x-rayed dogs	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Level 0	60	41	33	30	19
Level 1	3	1	-	3	-
Level 2	-	-	-	1	1
Level 3	-	-	-	-	-
<b>In total</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>20</b>

**Further comments:**

The Finnish Kennelclub came up with a new rule that the knee result is valid only for two years if the dog is under three years when the knees are checked. This means that many dogs have been – and will be - checked two times. 2012 is the first year for the rule, so this figure also includes some double-checked dogs.

### Eye examinations

Total number of x-rayed dogs	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Unaffected signifiers (free)	55	80	54	62	38
Hereditary Cataract	1	1	-	1	1*
Cornea Distrophe	-	-	-	-	-
Distichiatis	1	-	-	1	2
Others (see below)	3	-	-	6	
<b>In total</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>41</b>

2011 and 2012 dog whose have cataract result is same.

#### Other hereditary eye diseases:

2012 Others: 2 x PRA suspicion, 1 x RD + unofficial result of pannus

2009 Others: 1 x PPM, 1 x RD, 1 x coloboma in optic nerve (CEA), 3 x goniodysplasy

2008 \* Cataract suspicion

#### Further comments:

64 % of Icelandic Sheepdogs which were born 2000-2010 are eye-examined and 95% of those dogs are healthy

### Health, optional testing

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
BEAR (Hearingdiseases)	-	-	-	-	-
Heart diseases	1 x murmur	1 x murmur	-	-	-
Kidney diseases	-	-	-	-	-



### Mentality descriptions

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
<b>Descripted dogs</b>	22/3	29 / -	25 / -	20 / 5	17 / 1
<b>In total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>18</b>

**Further comments:**

The first number is the “old version” Finnish character tested dogs and second is for MH- tested dogs. MH-test doesn’t work very well in Finland. Hopefully we will find a solution to this problem in the future and get more dogs to MH.

### Working abilities (herding) descriptions

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
<b>Descripted dogs</b>	15	29	8	26	40
<b>In total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>40</b>

**Further comments:**

Tunturiketun Pjatla Affa passed 2012 official Finnish Kennelclub/FCI herding instinct test for “other breeds” (meaning other than bordercollies or kelpies).

### Shows

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
<b>Number of shows</b>	1	1	1	1	1
<b>Number of dogs</b>	39	81/6	43/1	45/2	62/4
<b>In total (dogs)</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>66</b>

**Further comments:**

First number refers to the official class dogs and the second number refers to unofficial tourist class (for males without testicles). The statistics are only from our club shows. If we count all dog shows the numbers would look very different, e.g. in 2012 there were 64 dog in which Icelandic sheepdogs were judged 291 times (of course the actual number of dogs is much lower).

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### Litters

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Litters	2	2	4	7	5	9	7	10	10	8	10	15	10	11	11	12
Puppies	12	9	19	30	25	40	23	42	40	35	45	71	45	62	43	58
Average size of litters	6,0	4,5	4,8	4,3	5,0	4,4	3,3	4,2	4,0	4,4	4,5	4,7	4,5	5,6	3,9	4,6
Average inbreeding %	1,66	1,69	1,33	1,42	2,21	0,63	0,93	1,58	0,44	1,02	0,29	0,86	1,50	0,56	1,16	1,23%

### Imports

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Denmark						1	1		2		3		1		1	
Estonia										4						
Germany				1	1							1	1		1	2
Iceland			2	1	4	2				2	2		2	1		1
Nederland			1		1	1		1		1	1	1	1			
Norway			2					1				1			1	
Sweden	1	4	1	2	2		2	1			1	1	2	2	1	
Switzerland											2					
USA										2	1	3				

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### Hip Dysplasia (HD)

Total number of x-rayed dogs	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
A	1	1	6	4	7	11	12	15	5	13	16	16	15	22	25	24
B	1	1	4	6	6	6	10	11	6	9	9	4	8	11	11	12
A+B	2	2	10	10	13	17	22	26	11	22	25	20	23	33	36	36
C	2	1	3	-	2	9	3	5	11	8	8	9	14	5	4	9
D	-	1	2	-	2	4	7	-	6	2	2	6	6	4	4	1
E	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
C+D+E	2	2	5	-	4	13	10	5	17	10	10	15	20	9	9	10
In total	4	4	15	10	17	30	32	31	28	32	35	35	43	42	45	46

### Elbow dysplasia (ED)

Total number of x-rayed dogs	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Level 0	-	2	2	3	2	15	20	22	20	15	31	22	31	24	27	26
Level 1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Level 2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Level 3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
In total	1	2	2	3	2	16	20	22	20	15	31	22	31	24	28	26

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### Patella luxation:

Total number of x-rayed dogs	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Level 0	2	1	7	6	4	10	17	18	15	21	38	19	30	33	41	60
Level 1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	1	2	-	3	-	1	3
Level 2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Level 3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
In total	2	2	7	6	4	11	18	18	18	22	40	20	34	33	42	63

### Eye examinations

Total number of x-rayed dogs	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Unaffected signifiers (free)	3	3	10	11	16	37	31	37	46	40	65	38	62	54	80	55
Hereditary Cataract	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1*	1	-	1	1
Cornea Distrophe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distichiatis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2	1	-	-	1
Others	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	4	1	3	-	-	3
In total	3	3	10	11	17	37	31	38	47	42	69	42	67	54	81	60

Others:

2001 Others: 1 x RD (open)

2005 Others: 1 x PHTVL/PHPV (open)

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2007 Others: 2 x RD, 2 x PPM (open)

2008 \*Cataracta suspicion, Others: 1 x PPM

2009 Others: 1 x PPM, 1 x RD, 1 x coloboma in optic nerve (CEA), goniodysplasy abnormal

2012 Others: 2 x PRA suspicion, 1 x RD + unofficial result of pannus



Summer camp 2013 - in the picture there are 28 Icelandic Sheepdogs with their owners.

