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◆ Club members

There are currently 189 members in DÍF. This is a big reduction as for many years there have been well over 200 members, this is another unfortunate sign of the times. To be a club member you have to be a paid up member of the Icelandic Kennel Club and have requested to be added as a member of DÍF, there is no extra cost for this membership and DÍF receives no payment from the Icelandic Kennel Club for this. You do not have to be the owner of an Icelandic sheepdog to be a member of DÍF but you do need to be the registered owner of a living Icelandic sheepdog, or a partner/spouse and be a paid up member of the Icelandic Kennel Club to have the right to vote at the annual DÍF Annual General Meeting.

◆ Registrations

Litters

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Litters	20	28	24	19	27
Puppies Registered	90	121	91	73	116
Average Size of Litters	4.5	4.3	3.8	3.8	4.3
Average Inbreeding coefficient	2.92%	3.8%	5,0%	5,3%	4,8%

Imports

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Denmark	1	-	-	1	-
Sweden	-	-	-	-	-
Norway	-	-	-	-	-

◆ Registrations, further comments

90 puppies were registered in 2012 from 20 litters. The average breeding coefficient at 2.92% is lower than it has ever been, despite four litters being over the desired limit of 6.25%. Thankfully more breeders here are becoming aware of the necessity of not breeding dogs that are too closely related to one another.

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Pedigree Registrations 2012

<i>reg. nr. of puppies</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>pups reg.</i>	<i>coefficient</i>	<i>breeder/s & kennelname</i>
IS16674/12 - IS16677/12	8.11.2011	C Kersins Vinur IS09102/05 (13 progeny)	A Arnarstaða Romsa IS08550/05 (16 progeny)	4	0,0%	Guðríður Þorbjörg Valgeirsdóttir ARNARSTAÐA
IS16692/12 - IS16695/12	10.11.2011	A Arnarstaða Snati IS08549/05 (10 progeny)	C Stefsstells Dranga Dimma IS09858/06 (9 progeny)	4	6.3%	Hrefna Sigfúsdóttir DRANGA
IS16695/12 - IS16701/12	17.11.2011	A Kersins Orri IS08389/05 (18 progeny, in Iceland)	A Kirkjufells Kringla IS10680/07 (11 progeny)	6	0,0%	Herdís G. Tómasdóttir KIRKJUFELLS
IS16835/12 - IS16838/12	27.9.2011	A Stefsstells Skrúður IS09862/06 (35 progeny)	B Stefsstells Móa IS11385/07 (7 progeny)	4	8,0%	María Auður Steingrimsdóttir ISSKÓGAR
IS16847/12 - IS16852/12	18.11.2011	B Stjörnuljósa Mána Snarpur IS07513/03 (28 progeny)	A Haugårdsminde's Ida IS13539/09 (6 progeny)	6	0,0%	Björk Ingadóttir BJARKLANDS
IS16853/12 - IS16855/12	21.12.2011	A Arnarstaða Askur IS08547/05 (27 progeny)	C Gerplu Dala Drífa IS07506/03 (19 progeny)	3	2.2%	Hafþór Snæbjörnss. & Unnur Sveinsd. SNÆTINDA
IS16863/12 - IS16869/12	2.2.2012	A Stefsstells Skrúður IS09862/06 (35 progeny)	C Bjarkarkots Dimma Nótt IS10348/07 (7 progeny)	7	5.2%	Elma Cates ÍSTJARNAR
IS17052/12 - IS17054/12	30.11.2011	A Arnarstaða Askur IS08547/05 (27 progeny)	C Leiru Eva IS13291/09 (6 progeny)	3	3.3%	Ómar Diðriksson HELLU
IS17145/12 - IS17150/12	11.12.2011	C Stefsstells Hávar IS13298/09 (10 progeny)	A Birta IS08511/05 (15 progeny)	6	0.2%	Jóhannes Guðbjörnsson
IS17196/12 - IS17202/12	22.3.2012	A Stefsstells Skrúður IS09862/06 (35 progeny)	C Táta Alfa IS11419/07 (7 progeny)	7	7.2%	Jóhannes Guðbjörnsson
IS17328/12 - IS17333/12	17.1.2011	A Arnarstaða Rektor IS10191/06 (6 progeny)	C Sunnusteins Brella IS11184/07 (6 progeny)	6	2.7%	Þorsteinn Thorsteinson SUNNUSTEINS
IS17376/12 - IS17380/12	19.3.2012	B Gerplu Snata Tryggur IS09083/05 (5 progeny)	C Leirubakka Sólilja Dögg IS11614/08 (10 progeny)	5	1.4%	Guðný Halla Gunnlaugsdóttir GERPLU
IS17440/12 - IS17441/12	23.3.2012	A Arnarstaða Hrói IS12567/08 (2 progeny)	A Stjörnuljósa Skógar Skíma IS07281/03 (18 progeny)	2	6.6%	Ragnhildur Sigurðardóttir STOKK-SELS
IS17444/12 - IS17449/12	30.5.2012	A Stefsstells Vaskur IS14239/10 (6 progeny)	C Arnarstaða Skumba IS13116/09 (6 progeny)	6	4.3%	Margrét Bára Magnúsdóttir STJÖRNULJÓSA
IS17496/12 - IS17501/12	6.10.2011	C Skuggi frá Keldnakoti IS15130/10 (6 progeny)	A Birta IS10487/07 (6 progeny)	6	1.2%	Elín M. Karlsdóttir
IS17542/12	23.4.2012	A Keilis Frakkur IS07576/03 (6 progeny)	B Stefsstells Hátíð IS13431/09 (1 progeny)	1	2.7%	Aldís Sigurðardóttir HEIÐARHOFS
IS17556/12 - IS17559/12	25.7.2011	B Stássi IS06445/02 (8 progeny)	C Leirubakka Birta IS08824/05 (4 progeny)	4	4.5%	Haukur Ingason
IS17569/12 - IS17570/12	12.4.2012	C Stokk-Sels Móra Skuggi IS08656/05 (6 progeny)	B Haugårdsminde's Njala IS16834/12 (2 progeny)	2	1.6%	Ragnhildur Sigurðardóttir STOKK-SELS
IS17601/12 - IS17603/12	3.6.2012	B Kersins Baldur IS11745/08 (3 progeny)	D Leirubakka Júlía Móa IS11612/08 (3 progeny)	3	0.8%	Margrét Bára Magnúsdóttir STJÖRNULJÓSA
IS17604/12 - IS17608/12	14.7.2012	C Kersins Vinur IS09102/05 (13 progeny)	C Stokk-Sels Verðandi Snjódis IS14336/10 (5 progeny)	5	0.4%	Ragnhildur Sigurðardóttir STOKK-SELS

The number of progeny in brackets include all registered progeny up to the end of 2012

90 puppies registered from 20 litters - average puppies registered in a litter = 4.5

Average breeding coefficient = 2.92%

◆ Registrations, further comments

Below is a breakdown of parents of litters registered in 2012 that had 15 or more progeny by the end of 2012, some of them have added to that number since then. Listed are the number of progeny and grandchildren they have, the hip score of the dog itself and the numbers of their progeny that have been hip scored with their hip results. Unfortunately there are far too many breeders who do not do sufficient research into the background of the animals they breed from before using them.

<i>Males used in breeding 2011/2012 with a total of 15 progeny or more</i>	
A Stefsstells Skrúður IS09862/06 (36 progeny / 15 grandchildren)	6 progeny hip scored from 2 bitches/3xA/2xB/1xC
B Stjörnuljósa Mána Snarpur IS07513/03 (28 progeny / 29 grandchildren)	11 progeny hip scored from 5 bitches /1xB/6xC/3xD/1xE
A Arnarstaða Askur IS08547/05 (27 progeny / 0 grandchildren)	9 progeny hip scored from 4 bitches/1xA/5xB/2xC/1xE
A Kersins Orri IS08389/05 (18 progeny / 0 grandchildren, in Iceland)	3 progeny hip scored from 2 bitches/1xA/2xC (in Iceland)
<i>Bitches used in breeding 2011/2012 with a total of 15 progeny or more</i>	
C Gerplu Dala Drífa IS07506/03 (19 progeny / 6 grandchildren)	5 progeny hip scored from 2 males/2xA/3xD
A Stjörnuljósa Skógar Skíma IS07281/03 (18 progeny / 13 grandchildren)	7 progeny hip scored from 3 males/1xA/2xB/3xC/1xD
A Arnarstaða Romsa IS08550/05 (16 progeny / 6 grandchildren)	5 progeny hip scored from 2 males/1xA/1xB/2xC/1xD
A Birta IS08511/05 (15 progeny / 7 grandchildren)	2 progeny hip scored from 1 male/2xC
<i>The number of progeny in brackets include all registered progeny up to the end of 2012</i>	

◆ Stud Dogs

It is mandatory in Iceland that all Icelandic sheepdogs used in breeding be hip scored and have a valid eye examination. Eye examinations are valid for 12 months or 26 months for dogs examined after 3 years of age. Below is a list of all stud dogs with a current valid eye test and

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a hip score of A, B or C together with their effect on the gene pool taken from LatHunden. It is not forbidden to use a stud dog, or bitch, with D or E hips though DÍF do not recommend it and therefore we do not include males with D or E hips on our Stud Dog list. We do urge our breeders who decide to breed a hip dysplastic dog to choose a mate with A or B hips as we also do for dogs with C hip scores.

2013 Stud Dogs - All Male Dogs with a Valid Eye Examination and A, B and C Hips											
registration	d.o.b.	name	sire	dam	coefficient	progeny	grand pups	recommendation	change	HD	eye exam
IS07551/03	17.8.2003	Stefsstells Fáni Ásgarður	A Strákur IS03726/95	A Stefsstells Aska Spesía IS06054/01	4.8%	11	6	neutral	20%	B	19.11.2011
IS07609/04	22.9.2003	Kersins Skellir	A Stjörnuljósa Krummi IS06011/01	B Kersins Stássa IS04335/97	2.0%	0	0	OK	-50%	A	18.11.2012
IS08008/04	21.4.2004	Prins	C Nói IS04201/96	B Stjörnuljósa Perla IS06010/01	2.5%	6	0	OK	-37%	C	15.3.2013
IS08346/04	17.9.2004	Eldhamars Freyr	A Frónar Freyr IS07594/03	C Galtanes Panda IS06022/01	3.3%	23	8	neutral	-19%	A	19.11.2011
IS08389/05	9.11.2004	Kersins Orri	FRI* Ýrar Akkur IS04150/96	A Melkolku-Brenda IS04559/97	4.3%	18	0	neutral	7%	A	17.2.2012
IS08476/05	8.8.2004	Gerplu Þjakkur	A Blandon Von Hoytts Snati IS07505/03	A Kola IS06960/02	1.9%	0	0	OK	-52%	A	17.11.2012
IS08656/05	29.1.2005	Stokk-Sels Móra Skuggi	C Þórðunu Móri IS05838/00	A Stjörnuljósa Skógar Skíma IS07281/03	3.5%	6	0	neutral	-12%	C	19.11.2011
IS09035/05	7.6.2005	Stefsstells Baldur Blómi	B Stjörnuljósa Mána Snarpur IS07513/03	A Stefsstells Aska Spesía IS06054/01	4.7%	4	0	neutral	18%	C	18.11.2012
IS09083/05	15.5.2005	Gerplu Snata Tryggur	A Blandon Von Hoytts Snati IS07505/03	D Gerplu Panda IS05699/00	1.4%	11	0	OK	-66%	B	18.11.2012
IS09103/05	19.8.2005	Kersins Nætur Snati	FRI* Týr frá Húsatóftum IS03035/94	A Kersins Salka IS07035/03	2.2%	0	0	OK	-46%	C	15.3.2013
IS09123/05	3.7.2005	Trýni	A Hektor IS05329/99	A Stjörnuljósa Perla IS06010/01	5.1%	1	0	AVOID	27%	A	15.3.2013
IS09601/06	25.1.2006	Sindra Mosi	A Kersins Lubbi IS06092/01	C Týra Loppa IS06959/02	2.4%	9	0	OK	-39%	A	17.2.2012
IS09753/06	30.4.2006	Leiru Sámur	A Hektor IS05329/99	C Byrta IS08007/04	5.0%	9	4	neutral	24%	A	17.2.2012
IS09862/06	12.5.2006	Stefsstells Skráður	A Kirkjufells Kappi IS07616/04	A Stefsstells Aska Spesía IS06054/01	2.0%	40	22	AVOID	14%	A	19.11.2011
IS10091/06	13.8.2006	Frostrósar Samson Smali	FRI* Ísrima Skuggi IS05571/99	B Hrafnatófta Ydda IS08162/04	3.4%	0	0	neutral	-15%	A	16.3.2013
IS10191/06	16.9.2006	Arnarstaða Rektor	A Hektor IS05329/99	A Leiru Runa Gunn IS06262/01	6.7%	6	0	AVOID	67%	A	19.11.2011
IS10483/07	7.1.2007	Tryggur	B Stefsstells Fáni Ásgarður IS07551/03	A Húfa IS07319/03	3.6%	0	0	neutral	-10%	C	17.2.2012
IS10684/07	29.11.2006	Kirkjufells Baltasar	B Reykur IS09142/05	B Leiru Harpa IS06264/01	6.2%	5	0	AVOID	54%	C	16.3.2013

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IS10902/07	16.5.2007	Kersins Hökki	A Kersins Orri IS08389/05	A Minni-Núps Ýla IS05673/00	3.2%	0	0	neutral	-20%	C	17.2.2012
IS11126/07	6.6.2007	Stefsstells Tinni	A Leirubakka Ljómi IS08827/05	A Stefsstells Aska Spesía IS06054/01	5.0%	7	0	neutral	25%	B	26.5.2013
IS11383/07	23.8.2007	Stefsstells Máni	A Fljóta Fróði IS06463/02	A Stefsstells Aría í Borg IS07548/03	4.1%	0	0	neutral	1%	B	17.2.2012
IS11745/08	26.1.2008	Kersins Baldur	FRI* Sunnusteins-Canis IS03416/95	B Þórdunu Skráma IS09419/06	2.4%	3	0	OK	-41%	B	15.3.2013
IS11747/08	26.1.2008	Kersins Lappi	FRI* Sunnusteins-Canis IS03416/95	B Þórdunu Skráma IS09419/06	2.4%	3	0	OK	-41%	B	16.3.2013
IS11752/08	7.2.2008	Sindra Jarl	C Lágafells Máni IS05923/00	B Kersins Sindra IS98877/05	2.4%	17	0	OK	-39%	B	26.5.2013
IS12567/08	2.9.2008	Arnarstaða Hrói	FRI* Kolgrímur IS04367/97	A Leiru Runa Gunn IS06262/01	4.3%	7	0	neutral	7%	A	19.11.2011
IS12652/08	6.9.2008	Bjarkarkots Hektor	A Stefsstells Skráður IS09862/06	A Sólarstjörnu Lína Sæla IS08337/04	4.7%	4	0	neutral	18%	B	19.11.2011
IS12732/08	6.6.2008	Mói	A Leirubakka Ljómi IS08827/05	D Stokk-Sels Móra Skotta IS08657/05	4.3%	0	0	neutral	8%	A	2.6.2012
IS12954/09	7.11.2008	Bjarklands Frami	C Stokk-Sels Móra Skuggi IS08656/05	A Kirkjufells Heba IS10682/07	4.7%	0	0	neutral	18%	C	19.11.2011
IS12958/09	7.11.2008	Bjarklands Fúsi Kátur	A Tryni IS09123/05	A Kirkjufells Heba IS10682/07	5.5%	0	0	AVOID	38%	A	15.3.2013
IS13118/09	1.2.2009	Arnarstaða Krapí	B Stjörnuljósa Mána Snarpur IS07513/03	A Arnarstaða Romsa IS08550/05	4.3%	0	0	neutral	6%	C	17.2.2012
IS13279/09	14.3.2009	Kersins Undramundur	A Þórdunu Séra Sómi IS08033/04	C Týra IS09907/06	4.9%	5	0	neutral	23%	C	15.3.2013
IS13281/09	14.3.2009	Kersins Svarti Pétur	A Þórdunu Séra Sómi IS08033/04	C Týra IS09907/06	4.9%	10	3	AVOID	32%	C	3.6.2012
IS13298/09	3.3.2009	Stefsstells Hávar	C Kersins Prins IS07741/04	A Eir frá Keldnakoti IS08261/04	3.0%	10	0	OK	-26%	C	15.3.2013
IS13301/09	3.3.2009	Stefsstells Vinur	C Kersins Prins IS07741/04	A Eir frá Keldnakoti IS08261/04	3.0%	13	0	OK	-26%	C	18.11.2012
IS13764/09	20.7.2009	Snjófells Óðinn	A Kersins Garpur IS08875/05	A Eldhamars Freyja IS08344/04	2.7%	3	0	OK	-33%	B	15.3.2013
IS14239/10	25.11.2009	Stefsstells Vaskur	A Stefsstells Skráður IS09862/06	A Gjósku Faxa Áróra IS07313/03	4.2%	13	0	neutral	4%	A	18.11.2012
IS14420/10	25.1.2010	Töfra Tumi Arnór	A Töfra Klói Hektorsson IS10765/07	A Kersins Skella IS07608/04	2.8%	0	0	OK	-31%	C	15.3.2013
IS14771/10	12.5.2010	Hnúks Krösus	B Sómi frá Húsatóftum IS05015/98	B Kersins Lukka IS08386/05	3.3%	0	0	neutral	-18%	A	16.3.2013
IS15031/10	31.1.2010	Arnarnúps Askur Yggdrasils	A Kirkjufells Kappi IS07616/04	A Kersins Freyja Frostrós IS10186/06	3.4%	4	0	neutral	-16%	A	15.3.2013
IS15323/10	9.8.2010	Stefsstells Drengur Dýri	B Stefsstells Stefmir IS11384/07	A Eir frá Keldnakoti IS08261/04	3.6%	0	0	neutral	-11%	C	16.3.2013
IS15651/11	4.12.2010	Kersins Rebbi á Bjarklands	A Kersins Garpur IS08875/05	C Týra IS09907/06	4.0%	0	0	neutral	0%	C	18.11.2012
IS15830/11	6.3.2011	Laxness	B Bjarkarkots Hektor IS12652/08	A Kria IS07428/03	2.6%	0	0	OK	-36%	C	16.3.2013
IS16024/11	25.4.2011	Reykjadals Erpur Fróði	C Kersins Vinur IS09102/05	A Sunnusteins Sif IS09729/06	2.6%	0	0	OK	-36%	B	16.3.2013

2013 - Matador Male Dogs							
<i>registration</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>			<i>coefficient</i>	<i>pregeny</i>	<i>grandpups</i>
IS02514/92	30.5.1992	Kolur frá Húsatóftum	Kátur IS01847/89	Flögu-Hera IS01862/89	2.3%	39	28
IS03035/94	4.2.1994	Týr frá Húsatóftum	Smali IS01848/89	Flögu-Hera IS01862/89	2.3%	65	56
IS04150/96	26.3.1996	Ýrar Akkur	Tryggur frá Ólafsvöllum IS02451/92	Lukka IS02479/92	3.7%	34	179
IS04367/97	23.11.1996	Kolgrímur	Vaskur IS02814/93	Trýna IS02338/91	7.2%	42	109
IS04739/97	12.8.1997	Gjósku Vaskur	Prins IS02818/93	Aska IS03591/95	0.9%	31	60
IS05329/99	7.1.1999	Hektor	Týri IS02543/92	Snælukku Birta IS03367/94	3.5%	50	162
IS6265/01	23.2.2001	Leiru Þórshamar Týri	Hektor IS05329/99	Reykjadals Fóa Feikirófa IS05670/00	7.7%	16	55
IS07505/03	16.4.1995	Blandon von Hoytts Snati	Snati frá Ólafsvöllum IS07504/03	Lubba IS02482/92	5.6%	21	66
IS07513/03	25.7.2003	Stjörnuljósa Mána Snarpur	Týr frá Húsatóftum IS03035/94	Fjóla IS05245/99	5.5%	28	33
IS07616/04	29.9.2003	Kirkjufells Kappi	Kátur IS04775/98	Leiru Harpa IS06264/01	5.9%	34	56
IS09862/06	12.5.2006	Stefsstells Skrúður	Kirkjufells Kappi IS7616/04	Stefsstells Aska Spesía IS06054/01	2.0%	40	22
IS11384/07	23.8.2007	Stefsstells Stefnir	Fljóta Fróði IS06463/02	Stefsstells Aría í Borg IS07548/03	4.6%	36	0

◆ Stud Dogs, further comments

In our list of Matador males, two are half brothers, three are sons of matadors, one of them also the grandson of a matador and a further two are grandsons of matadors.

◆ **Hip Dysplasia (HD)**

	Up to July 2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
A	8	10	8	9	6	14
B	2	4	8	9	2	3
A & B total	(10)	(14)	(16)	(18)	(8)	(17)
C	5	7	13	14	7	11
D	1	2	6	5	3	5
E	0	2	0	3	4	3
C, D & E total	(6)	(11)	(19)	(22)	(14)	(18)
In total	16	25	35	40	22	36

◆ **Elbow dysplasia (ED)**

No Icelandic sheepdogs were elbow-scored in 2012 nor have been so far in 2013

◆ **Patella Luxation**

No cases of Patella Luxation have been reported in Icelandic sheepdogs in Iceland.



◆ Eye examinations

	Up to the end of July 2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Unaffected signifies (free)	44	61	56	84	88	141
Hereditary Cataract	1 confirmed 1 suspected	1 confirmed 3 suspected	-	-	2	5
Cornea Dystrophy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distichiatis	-	-	1	-	-	-
Retinal Dysplasia	-	-	-	1	1	1
PHTVL/PHPV Grade 1	2	4	1	-	-	-
PHTVL/PHPV Grade 2	1					
Persistent Pupillary Membrane PPM	2					
Others (see below)	3	3	2	1	1	-
In total	54	72	59	86	92	147

◆ Eye Examinations, further comments

In 2012 the “others” are two cases of PHTVL/PHPV Grade 1, both cases in the right eye; one of the dogs was previously diagnosed in 2011. The third dog was suspected having a hereditary cataract but was later diagnosed with non-hereditary Cortical cataract at the next eye test.

In 2013 the “others” are two dogs diagnosed with non-hereditary cataracts and one case of Focal Retinopathy. The two dogs diagnosed with PHTVL/PHPV Grade 1 were originally diagnosed last year so there are only four in total diagnosed.



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◆ Eye Examinations, further comments

Below is a list of all the dogs diagnosed with eye disease that have been found in Iceland since the first Icelandic sheepdog was eye tested in 1993. In Iceland an eye examination is mandatory for breeding animals, it is valid for 12 months or 26 months for dogs aged 3 years and over at the date of examination.

Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Posterior Polar Cataract						
<i>reg. nr.</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>age & date of test</i>	<i>information regarding other eye tests</i>
IS04629/97	18.5.1997	Galtanes Vaka	Ísl.Tanga-Sómi IS02649/93	Snotra IS02898/93	6½yrs. - 9.11.2003	First & only eye test - Tested because of her sister's progeny testing positive
IS04631/97	18.5.1997	Galtanes Gáta	Ísl.Tanga-Sómi IS02649/93	Snotra IS02898/93	6½yrs. - 9.11.2003	5.6.1999, tested FRI at 2yrs. - Progeny diagnosed positive for Post. Polar Cataracts in Sweden
IS06728/02	3.5.2002	Dranga Kátur	Lappi IS04485/97	Lækjamóts Dagný IS05717/00	4½yrs. - 18.11.2006	First & only eye test
IS07070/03	9.12.2002	Sunnusteins Geysir	Kolfinnur IS06932/02	Reykjadals-Staka Sól IS05437/99	11 mths - 9.11.2003	16.2.2008 Confirmed
IS07072/03	9.12.2002	Sunnusteins Glampi	Kolfinnur IS06932/02	Reykjadals-Staka Sól IS05437/99	11 mths - 9.11.2003	13.11.2004 & 29.10.2005 Confirmed
IS07309/03	13.3.2003	Stefsstells Björgúlfur	Lækjamóts Bjarki IS05719/00	Píla IS04453/97	8 mths - 9.11.2003	7.5.2004 Confirmed
IS07312/03	13.3.2003	Stefsstells Breki	Lækjamóts Bjarki IS05719/00	Píla IS04453/97	2½yrs. - 29.10.2005	First & only eye test
IS08347/04	17.9.2004	Eldhamars Alfa	Frónar Freyr IS07594/03	Galtanes Panda IS06022/01	3yrs. - 20.10.2007	20.5.2006 at 20mths., cataracts diagnosed, type unknown
IS09728/06	25.4.2006	Sunnusteins Surtla	Reykjadals Móri IS04742/97	Kersins Katla IS06521/02	20 mths - 6.2.2008	11.10.2008 Confirmed
IS11741/08	23.12.2007	Stefsstells Prins í Miðengi	Ísl. Tanga Bassi IS04204/96	Gjósku Faxe Áróra IS07313/03	17 mths - 8.5.2009	First & only eye test
Unregistered	10.1.2005	Múli	Leiru Þórshamar Týri IS06265/01	Kersins Stássa IS04335/97	16 mths - 20.5.2006	First & only eye test
Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Anterior Polar Cataract						
<i>reg. nr.</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>age & date of test</i>	<i>information regarding other eye tests</i>
IS07575/03	9.10.2003	Keilis Hekla	Ísrima Flosi IS05570/99	Keilis Stássa IS06387/01	4½yrs. - 16.2.2008	7.5.2005 diagnosed FRI at 19mths. / 28.4.2007 at 3½yrs cataracts diagnosed, type unknown 28.10.2005 diagnosed FRI at 14 mths.& 8.5.2009 at 5 yrs./ 3.6.2012 APC diagnosed suspected cataract
IS08511/05	5.8.2004	Birta	Tryggur IS05678/00	Skotta IS05720/00	8½ yrs. - 15.3.2013	

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Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Cataract (unknown whether hereditary or not)

<i>reg. nr.</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>age & date of test</i>	<i>information regarding other eye tests</i>
IS04151/96	26.3.1996	Ýrar Asi Kolur	Tryggur frá Ólafsv. IS02451/92	Lukka IS02479/92	8yrs. - 8.5.2004	First & only eye test
IS05277/99	22.1.1999	Sindra Esja	Vaskur IS02814/93	Töfra Stjarna IS02305/91	6yrs. - 7.5.2005	First & only eye test
IS07449/03	26.6.2003	Kersins Hekla Glóð	Sunnusteins Muggur IS03414/95	Fjalla Edda IS05292/99	11 mths - 8.5.2004	Subsequently diagnosed FRI 7.5.2005 at 2 yrs, & again 16.2.2008 at 4½yrs.
IS07452/03	25.6.2003	Tíbrá	Leiru Þórshamar Týri IS06265/01	Hellu Týra IS05872/00 Galtanes Vaka	28 mths - 29.10.2005	First & only eye test
IS07507/03	17.7.2003	Gerplu Perla	Bandon Von H. Snati IS07505/03	IS04629/97	10 mths - 8.5.2004	Subsequently diagnosed FRI 13.11.2004 at 16 mths.
IS09142/05	1.6.2005	Reykur	Hektor IS05329/99	Salka Valka IS04789/98	1½yrs. - 8.11.2006	Subsequently diagnosed FRI 27.4.2007 at 20 mths. & again 16.2.2008 at 32 mths.

Dogs diagnosed with Corneal Dystrophy

<i>reg. nr.</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>age & date of test</i>	<i>information regarding other eye tests</i>
IS02305/91	19.8.1991	Töfra Stjarna	Stássi frá Götú IS01217/87	Hólfríður frá Kolsh. IS01689/89	12 yrs. - 9.11.2003	Previously diagnosed FRI 5.11.1997 at 6yrs.
IS05435/99	13.4.1999	Reykjadals Saga	Sindra Snæbjartur IS04663/97	Reykjadals Snögg IS03130/94	5½yrs. - 13.11.2004	First & only eye test

Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Cortical Cataract

<i>reg. nr.</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>age & date of test</i>	<i>information regarding other eye tests</i>
IS08549/05	18.11.2004	Arnarstaða Snati Kirkjufells	Kolgrímur IS04367/97	Leiru Runa Gunn IS06262/01	4yrs. - 10.10.2008	Confirmed 8.5.2009 at 4½yrs. & 20.11.2010 at 6yrs, in right eye, not hereditary
IS10684/07	29.11.2006	Baltasar	Reykur IS09142/05	Leiru Harpa IS06264/01	6½yrs - 16.3.2013	Previously diagnosed FRI 8.5.2009 at 2½yrs. / Cortical cataract í right eye (not hereditary)
IS10765/07	10.3.2007	Töfra Klói Hektorsson	Hektor IS05329/99	Töfra Birta Freyja IS07288/03	6yrs - 16.3.2013	Previously diagnosed FRI 16.2.2008, 8.5.2009 & 5.6.2010, at 1.2 & 3yrs./ 2.6.2012 at 5 diagnosed suspected CC
IS17148/12	11.12.2011	Gáski	Stefsstells Hávar IS13298/09	Birta IS08511/05	13mths. - 16.3.2013	First & only eye test
IS08476/05	8.8.2004	Gerplu Þjakkur	Bandon V. Hoytts Snati IS07505/03	Kola IS06960/02	8yrs. - 17.11.2012	Tested FRI 29.10.2005 at 14 mths. / unknown cataract 16.2.2008 at 3½yrs & 3.6.2012 at 7½yrs.
IS16424/11	7.7.2011	Gerplu Dolli Dropi	Arnarstaða Snati IS08549/05	Gerplu Ynja IS09038/05	2yrs. 17.11.2012	First & only eye test - diagnosed with Pennuclear cataract (hereditary)

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Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Distichiasis						
reg. nr.	d.o.b.	name	sire	dam	age & date of test	information regarding other eye tests
IS13130/09	22.8.2008	Frónar Kátur	Týr frá Húsatóftum IS03035/94	Pórðunu Skráma IS09419/06	3 yrs. - 19.11.2011	First & only eye test
Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Focal Retinopathy						
reg. nr.	d.o.b.	name	sire	dam	age & date of test	information regarding other eye tests
IS17145/12	11.12.2011	Perla	Stefsstells Hávar IS13298/09	Birta IS08511/05	15 mths. - 16.3.2013	First & only eye test
Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Pannus						
reg. nr.	d.o.b.	name	sire	dam	age & date of test	information regarding other eye tests
IS11505/08	29.9.2007	Eldhamars Sunna Sól	Týr frá Húsatóftum IS03035/94	Galtanes Panda IS06022/01	4 yrs. - 19.11.2011	First & only eye test
Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Punctate Cataract						
reg. nr.	d.o.b.	name	sire	dam	age & date of test	information regarding other eye tests
IS11385/07	23.8.2007	Stefsstells Móa	Fljóta Fróði IS06463/02	Stefsstells Aría í Borg IS07548/03	4½yrs. - 17.2.2012	Previously diagnosed with suspected cataract 17.2.2012 /19.11.2011 at 4yrs.
Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with PHTVL / PHPV Grade 1						
reg. nr.	d.o.b.	name	sire	dam	age & date of test	information regarding other eye tests
IS13298/09	3.3.2009	Stefsstells Hávar	Kersins Prins IS07741/04	Eir frá Keldnakoti IS08261/04	3 yrs. - 17.2.2012	Confirmed 15.3.2013 / Previously diagnosed FRI 28.11.2009 at 8mths.
IS13764/09	20.7.2009	Snjófells Óðinn	Kersins Garpur IS08875/05	Eldhamars Freyja IS08344/04	28 mths. - 19.11.2011	Confirmed 17.2.2012 & 15.3.2013 / Previously diagnosed FRI at 16mths.
IS09034/05	7.6.2005	Stefsstells Kátur Kali	Stjörnuljósa Mána Snarpur IS07513/03	Stefsstells Aska Spesía IS06054/01	7½yrs. 18.11.2012	First & only eye test
IS10190/06	16.9.2006	Arnarstaða Folda	Hektor IS05329/99	Leiru Runa Gunn IS06262/01	6yrs. 17.11.2012	Previously diagnosed FRI 8.5.2009 & 20.11.2010 at 2½ & 4yrs
Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with PHTVL / PHPV Grade 2-6						
reg. nr.	d.o.b.	name	sire	dam	age & date of test	information regarding other eye tests
IS16195/11	21.5.2011	Stefsstells Maí Aska	Stefsstells Stefmir IS11384/07	Eir frá Keldnakoti IS08261/04	22 mths. - 15.3.2013	First & only eye test - Diagnosed with grade 2

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Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with PPM

<i>reg. nr.</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>age & date of test</i>	<i>information regarding other eye tests</i>
IS13994/09	15.9.2009	Snætinda Nökkvi	Kirkjufells Baltasar IS10684/07	Gerplu Dala Drifa IS07506/03	3½yrs. - 15.3.2013	First & only eye test
IS16081/11	27.3.2011	Gerplu Friðarmiðstöðvar Friða	Kersins Svarti Pétur IS13281/09	Leirubakka Sólilja Dögg IS11614/08	2yrs. - 15.3.2013	First & only eye test

Dogs diagnosed in Iceland with Retinal Dysplasia

<i>reg. nr.</i>	<i>d.o.b.</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>sire</i>	<i>dam</i>	<i>date of eye test</i>	<i>information regarding other eye tests</i>
IS10090/06	13.8.2006	Frostrósar Kolfreyja Dúlla	Ísrima Skuggi IS05571/99	Hrafntófta Ydda IS08162/04	18mths. - 16.2.2008	33 mths.confirmed Retinal Dysplasia 8.5.2009
IS08355/04	9.10.2004	Hrafntófta Hekla	Hektor IS05329/99	Gerplu Ronja IS05185/99	5½yrs. - 5.6.2010	First & only eye test

Dogs who's names are in red are in a breeding ban until their next eye test

Dogs who's names are in black are not in a breeding ban

Dogs who's names are in blue have later been diagnosed as FRI /clear



◆ **Mentality descriptions**

	2013 - to 31 st July	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
	14.6.2013	17.5.2012	30.4.2011	29.5.2010	6.6.2009 7.6.2009	9.8.2008 10.8.2008	11.8.2007 1.9.2007 23.9.2007
Total	2	4	1	1	3	4	10

◆ **Shows**

	2013 - to 31 st July	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
DÍF shows	1	1	-	-	-	2
Number of dogs	42	65	-	-	-	132
HRFÍ Shows	3	4	4	4	4	3
Number of dogs	96	147	146	144	201	97
In total (dogs)	138	212	146	144	201	229



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◆ Litters

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997
Litters	20	28	24	19	27	21	20	26	25	31	24	20	19	19	16	28
Puppies	90	121	91	73	116	111	89	89	111	103	80	92	74	77	74	126
Average size of litters	4.5	4.3	3.8	3.8	4.3	5.2	4.4	3.4	4.4	3.3	3.3	4.6	3.9	4.0	4.6	4.5
Average inbreeding	2.92%	3.8%	5.0%	5.3%	4.8%	4.2%	6.3%	3.5%	4.5%	4.7%	4.8%					

◆ Imports

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997
Denmark	1			1				1								
Norway							1									
Sweden						1										

◆ Hip Dysplasia HD

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
A	10	8	9	6	14	7	25	21
B	4	8	9	2	3	7	7	6
C	7	13	14	7	11	10	7	8
D	2	6	5	3	5	7	3	6
E	2	0	3	4	3	1	2	4
In total	25	35	40	22	36	32	44	45

◆ Eye examinations

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996
Unaffected signifies (free)	61	56	85	79	129	63	91	82	63	60	-	7	-	3	3	2	6
Hereditary Cataract	4	-	-	1	4	2	4	4	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corneal Dystrophy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distichiatis	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others	7	2	2	3	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
In total	72	59	86	83	138	65	95	87	69	66	0	7	0	3	3	2	6



◆ Agility

Eldhamars Sunna Sól IS11505/08 was the only Icelandic sheepdog to take part in agility in 2012 and 2013. She has done very well, in March 2013 she was in first place in Class 1 and completed a clean run in Jumper Class 2.

◆ Obedience

Stefsstells Skrúður IS09862/06 and Bjarkarkots Dimma Nótt IS10348/07 became the first Icelandic sheepdogs to gain the OB1 Icelandic Obedience Title in 2013

There has been a steady increase in the number of Icelandic sheepdogs taking part in Obedience courses over the last couple of years. Icelandic sheepdogs took the top three places in the Bronze Medal in May 2013 leaving the other breeds in their wake.

◆ Tracking

Two Icelandic sheepdogs took the Tracking test 1 in 2012. Bjarkarkots Embla IS10345/07 was in first place in May and Arnarstaða Þór Prumugnýr IS15771/11 took first place in September. Arnarstaða Þór Prumugnýr was also the highest scoring dog in tracking in 2012

A total of 16 Icelandic sheepdogs and their owners attended a three day, long weekend, course in Agility, Tracking and Obedience on the Snæfellsnes peninsula in July this year. The course was held especially for Icelandic sheepdogs and the instructors all gave their services free of charge so the participants only needed to pay for room and board. It was a great success and hopefully will be repeated again next year.



◆ DÍF Homepage

The DÍF homepage is regularly updated with information on litters, shows and other activities. You can also find information there on all Icelandic sheepdogs that have been registered since the beginning (gagnagrunnur) as well as information on eye tests and hip scores (heilbrigði).

We are asking owners of all Icelandic sheepdogs born and originally registered in Iceland to send in photographs of their dogs to put onto the pedigree database on the DÍF webpage. Please send photos to gagnagrunnur@dif.is.

<http://www.dif.is>

◆ History

Þórhildur Bjartmarz is researching into articles and information about the Icelandic sheepdog from books and publications here in Iceland going back to the earliest references to the breed. She gathered together all the material she had to date last December, putting it in chronological order to give a highly informative and enjoyable lecture on the history of the breed. This work, when finished, will be a very important documented history of the Icelandic sheepdog in Iceland and we are all very grateful for the hard work Þórhildur is putting into it.

◆ Summary

Linda Björk Jónsdóttir was re-elected to the board at this year's AGM and Guðríður Þ. Valgeirsdóttir was voted onto the board replacing Unnur Sveinsdóttir. Guðríður is now the new Chairman of DÍF and Linda continues on as the Club Secretary.

There were fewer litters in 2012 than the previous year due to the fact that the market here in Iceland is virtually non-existent; many breeders are hesitant to produce a litter for fear of not finding homes for all their puppies. A large number of puppies are being exported and are therefore lost to us in Iceland for future breeding

The vast majority of dogs in Iceland attend basic obedience or puppy classes but we were very pleased to see a handful of Icelandic sheepdogs going on from there to take part in more advanced obedience training and activities and going on to lead the field there. Hopefully this number will keep increasing in the future.

Reykjavík, 11th October 2013

**On behalf of Deild íslenska fjárhundsins,
the Icelandic Sheepdog Breed Club in Iceland**