



The Cavalier Communique

The Official Newsletter of the ACKCSC



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From the Editors' Desk

The 2022 ACKCSC National is almost here! Marji and I will both be attending so we are looking forward to meeting you! Please look for us at ringside, introduce yourself and let us know what you think of the newsletter. We'll see you there!

Your Editors,

Joni Marquardt and Marji McCormick

Our Cover



The cover this edition is a picture of David Frei and his cavalier, Angel. David has been very supportive of the ACKCSC by being our auctioneer at the Annual National Awards Banquet, to supporting the continuing work of the Charitable Trust.

Many of you have seen David and John O' Hurley following the Macy's Day Parade announcing the National Dog Show, the Kennel Club of Philadelphia and more recently the pair have added the Kennel Club of Beverly Hills, both shown on NBC television. Of course for many years David was known as the Voice of Westminster Dog Show.

But for those attending the American CKCSC Charitable Trust dinner we have enjoyed David as our announcer and auctioneer extraordinaire. It is very difficult to say no to David, bidding on so many wonderful treasures. Once again, we are honored to have David as our auctioneer this year at the 2022 National!

David and his wife Cheryl are currently owned by their Cavalier True Dat and their Brittany Spaniel Grace. We have all seen photos of the Beautiful Angel, Torlundy Courtlore Angel Eyes, who did so much wonderful therapy work. David named his Charity, Angels on a Leash for her.

We are looking forward to another wonderful National, and seeing David at the Charitable Trust Dinner on Thursday evening.....be sure to have your credit cards handy.....

Membership Report for March 2022

Welcome new Associate Members:

Sara Baudo
Lisa Bottoms
Jackie Check
Angelea Crawford
April Crow
Grace Ellerson
Patricia Johnson
Mary Nicole Morrison
Phyllis White

New Regular Members:

Julie Barto
Daviann Mitchell
Kristine Schmidt

Anyone may apply to become an Associate Member or to upgrade to a Regular Member by following the instructions on the membership page of the website, ACKCSC.org.

Sponsorship of a new member is a major responsibility. Sponsors are expected to know well the applicants they sponsor. Any member applying to the ACKCSC Breeder Referral List must have been an ACKCSC member in good standing for at least two consecutive years.

A ROYAL EVENT

AMERICAN CAVALIER KING
CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB

2022 NATIONAL SPECIALTY
WILMINGTON, OHIO



NOTICE OF JUDGE CHANGE!

We regretfully announce Mary Cunningham will be unable to judge Sweepstakes for us at the 2022 National Specialty as previously planned due to circumstances beyond her control.

However, we are excited to announce that Stephanie Sterling has agreed to serve as our 2022 Sweepstakes Judge!

Stephanie has been involved with Cavaliers for 34 years, is currently a Trustee of the ACKCSC Charitable Health Trust, and works as a Research Specialist at PennVet. She is an AKC Judge for Junior Showmanship and is currently working towards her AKC judging license for Cavalier King Charles Spaniels. Thank you, Stephanie, for agreeing to serve as our 2022 Sweepstakes Judge!



The ACKCSC Annual returns!!!

We are pleased to announce that we will have an Annual for 2022!!

We will publish the annual in the fall, with deadlines for ads in early July.

We will send out all the details after the National, and purchase of ads will be made available through the ACKCSC Store. We are also working on a list of Artists that can help you create your ads and will email that out along with the specs for the ads.

In the Gallery section we will create a space for those that compete as Owner Handlers. We will also have a section for those that have new titles to brag about, a section featuring Stud Dogs, a section for ROM, LOM awards and of course Performance titles. And as a special bonus, we will be able to feature the winners at this year's National!! We will once again offer Regional Clubs a free ad, but it must come camera ready to us.

The success of the Parent Club's annual depends on the support of our members and our Regional Club members. We hope you are as excited as we are! We are all looking forward to working on and producing the 2022 Annual.

2022 Annual Editors: Marji McCormick, Joni Marquardt, LuAnn Rogers and Emily Wensel

DAVID FREI

NBC Sports



New York Magazine once called David Frei "*probably the most famous human in the world of canines.*" WOR radio's Cooper Lawrence introduces him as "*the guy who invented dogs.*"

As the co-host of NBC's *National Dog Show Presented by Purina* since its inception in 2002, David is seen every Thanksgiving Day by the largest TV audience for any dog show – more than 25 million viewers 2020 and again in 2021, in spite of pandemic challenges. It is the same role that he perfected in 27 years as the longtime (1990-2016) co-host of USA Network's Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show. He has now added to his duties with NBC as co-host of the Beverly Hills Dog Show, which debuted in 2017.

Being "America's dog guy" has brought him many appearances on network television, including "Today," "NBC Nightly News," "Good Morning America," "Fox & Friends," "The View", "Martha Stewart", and more. Dogs have taken him to the White House for a visit with President Bush, for a ride on a float in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, to

ring the opening bell at the New York Stock Exchange, to throw out the first pitch at two Major League Baseball games, to a guest role on HBO's "Sex And The City" and even to an appearance as a pastry judge on the Food Network's "Best In Show" competition.

A breeder-owner-handler and judge in the world of purebred dogs for more than 40 years, he has enjoyed much competitive success with his Afghan Hounds, Brittanys and Cavalier King Charles Spaniels. His dog, Ch. Stormhill's Who's Zoomin' Who, was the top Afghan Hound in the country in 1989 and retired as the top-winning female in the history of the breed. As a judge, he has officiated in the U.S., Canada, Australia, Denmark and China.

But David's true passion comes from the work that his dogs have been doing over the past 20 years as therapy dogs, first in Seattle and then at places such as the Ronald McDonald House and Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center in New York (where his Brittanys, Teigh and Belle, were the first therapy dogs ever allowed into these places), and every Wednesday at New York's VA Medical Center (visiting David's fellow veterans). After Teigh and Belle passed, David's Cavalier, Angel, and his Brittany, Grace, took over for them at many New York facilities and other places across the country.

While at Westminster, he created a charitable activity, Angel On A Leash, to support a therapy dog program at New York-Presbyterian Morgan Stanley Children's Hospital. Angel On A Leash later became an independent charity with him as founder and president, creating and advocating for therapy dog programs many places, expanding nationwide and receiving many honors for its wonderful accomplishments.

David's second book, *Angel On A Leash* (named after the charity), is his view of his world of therapy dogs and his life in dogs, and was the 2012 winner of a Dog Writers Association of America's Maxwell Award as best depiction of the human-animal bond.

David was also the co-author, with Mike Lingenfelter, of *The Angel By My Side* in 2002. Also a DWAA Maxwell winner, it tells the story of Dakota, Mike's heroic Golden Retriever service dog.

He also served as director of communications for Westminster from 2003 to 2015, during which time he was recognized with top awards from the DWAA (its AKC Distinguished Service Award), the World Dog Press Association, the Association of Purebred Dog Writers (the Stonehenge Award), and Purina (Better with Pets Award).

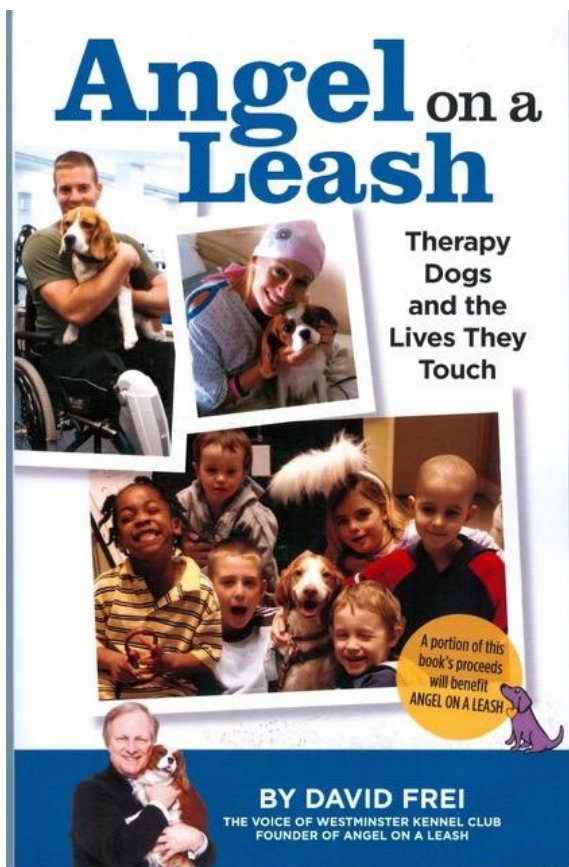
DAVID FREI—*Continued*

In 2018, David was named to the prestigious Dog Writers Association of America’s Hall of Fame. *Petside.com* named him as the Pet Person of the Year in 2011, and in 2015, *Dog Fancy* magazine, in its final issue, included him in a retrospective, “45 People Who Changed the Dog World.”

He has been honored for his work with *Angel On A Leash* by the American Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club, the ASPCA, the Pet Philanthropy Circle and a number of other organizations. He is a past board member for Take The Lead and Morris Animal Foundation, and a past member of the St. Jude Children’s Hospital Sports Council. He has also been honored by Transfiguration Church and School in New York’s Chinatown for his volunteer work with Transfiguration for many years.

A native of Eugene, Oregon, David lived in Seattle for 20 years where he owned two popular sports bar restaurants and his own PR agency. He then moved to New York City in 2002, working fulltime for the Westminster Kennel Club, until moving to Cannon Beach, Oregon, in 2016. He now lives in Seattle again, and works as a consultant and television commentator for NBC Sports. Previously, he held public relations positions with the Denver Broncos, San Francisco 49ers and ABC-TV Sports in New York.

His wife, Cheryl, a certified Catholic chaplain, is Chief Mission Officer at Providence Seaside Hospital, where Angel and Grace helped Cheryl and David create the first therapy dog program at the hospital.



THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

Cavalier King Charles Spaniels *AKC TopDogssm* Using Breed Totals
 Starting January 1, 2022 and ending December 31, 2022
 For Events Processed Through Friday, March 4, 2022

Rank	Name	Sex	Wins BOB/V	Total Defeated
1	<u>GCHG CH Castle Peak Field Of Dreams CGC</u>	D	15	358
2	<u>GCHP CH Roi L Man In The Moon</u>	D	12	277
3	<u>GCH CH Pammar I Love The Way You Love Me</u>	D	10	272
4	<u>GCHB CH Ellemich Secreteriat</u>	D	8	216
5	<u>GCHS CH Shirmont Remembers Sigma Chi</u>	D	15	108
6	<u>GCH CH Masterpiece St Jon I Just Can'T Wait To Be King</u>	D	3	103
7	<u>GCH CH Kbpride Moon River</u>	B	6	88
8	<u>GCHG CH Piccadil's The Greatest Showman Come Alive</u>	D	6	80
8	<u>CH Nighthawk's Great Expectations</u>	D	2	80
10	<u>GCH CH Chadwick Scuttlebut</u>	D	4	79
11	<u>GCH CH Sheeba Cosmopolitan</u>	D	4	74
12	<u>CH Althof True Reflection</u>	D	2	66
13	<u>GCH CH Livelyoak Bentwood Cora Sun-Drop</u>	B	2	63
14	<u>GCH CH Infinidad Instant Gratification ACT1J TKA VHMA VSWB</u>	D	2	51
15	<u>GCH CH Sorella Here Comes Chloe</u>	B	1	43
16	<u>GCHB CH Matlyne Tickle Me Pink</u>	B	2	40
17	<u>GCH CH Wyndancer Moving Target</u>	D	2	38
18	<u>GCHS CH Chocoletto Du Chateau Noblesse</u>	D	2	37
18	<u>GCH CH Flyinhi Thru The Cosmos</u>	D	2	37
20	<u>GCH CH Althof Beach Boy</u>	D	2	36
20	<u>GCH CH Bella Fleur Stolichnaya At Lakeshore</u>	B	2	36
22	<u>GCH CH Carlen Myrddin Wylit at Tycwn</u>	D	5	35
23	<u>CH Mingchen Rewind</u>	D	2	31
24	<u>GCHS CH Harrington The Bear Necessities</u>	D	1	27
24	<u>GCHS CH Ellemich The Huntsman</u>	D	2	27

THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

Cavalier King Charles Spaniels *AKC TopDogssm* Using All-Breed Totals
 Starting January 1, 2022 and ending December 31, 2022
 For Events Processed Through Friday, March 4, 2022

Rank	Name	Sex	BIS	Wins				BOB/V	Total
				I	II	III	IV		
								Defeated	
1	<u>GCHP CH Roi L Man In The Moon</u>	D	0	2	2	1	1	12	1,156
2	<u>GCHB CH Ellemich Secreteriat</u>	D	0	1	2	0	2	8	1,151
3	<u>GCHG CH Castle Peak Field Of Dreams CGC</u>	D	0	0	3	0	1	15	987
4	<u>GCH CH Pammar I Love The Way You Love Me</u>	D	0	0	3	1	0	10	822
5	<u>GCHS CH Shirmont Remembers Sigma Chi</u>	D	0	0	0	0	3	15	281
6	<u>GCHG CH Piccadil's The Greatest Showman Come Alive</u>	D	0	1	1	0	0	6	266
7	<u>GCH CH Carlen Myrddin Wylit at Tycwn</u>	D	0	0	0	1	1	5	233
8	<u>GCH CH Masterpiece St Jon I Just Can'T Wait To Be King</u>	D	0	1	0	0	0	3	208
9	<u>GCH CH Infinidad Instant Gratification ACT1J TKA VHMA VSWB</u>	D	0	0	1	0	0	2	158
10	<u>GCHS CH Ellemich The Huntsman</u>	D	0	1	0	0	0	2	146
11	<u>GCHG CH Kbpride Perle Cuff Link</u>	D	0	0	0	1	0	2	95
12	<u>GCH CH Kbpride Moon River</u>	B	0	0	0	0	0	6	88
13	<u>CH Nighthawk's Great Expectations</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	2	80
14	<u>GCH CH Chadwick Scuttlebut</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	4	79
15	<u>CH Enelrad's Baby Groot</u>	D	0	0	1	1	0	2	78
16	<u>GCH CH Sheeba Cosmopolitan</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	4	74
17	<u>CH Althof True Reflection</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	2	66
18	<u>GCH CH Livelyoak Bentwood Cora Sun-Drop</u>	B	0	0	0	0	0	2	63
19	<u>GCH CH Sorella Here Comes Chloe</u>	B	0	0	0	0	0	1	43
20	<u>GCHB CH Matlyne Tickle Me Pink</u>	B	0	0	0	0	0	2	40
21	<u>GCH CH Wyndancer Moving Target</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	2	38
22	<u>GCHS CH Chocoletto Du Chateau Noblesse</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	2	37
22	<u>GCH CH Flyinhi Thru The Cosmos</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	2	37
24	<u>GCH CH Althof Beach Boy</u>	D	0	0	0	0	0	2	36
24	<u>GCH CH Bella Fleur Stolichnaya At Lakeshore</u>	B	0	0	0	0	0	2	36

***Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Top 20 National Owner Handlers
Starting September 22, 2021 thru September 21, 2022
For Events Processed through March 4, 2022***

Rank	Dog Name	Owner Name	Sex	OHS Points
No. 1	GCHG CH Piccadil's The Greatest Showman Come Alive	Janet York	Dog	825
No. 2	GCHS CH Legenderest Finnickyskye Dream Catcher CGC	Mrs. Sharon Onorato Utych/Mr. James Utych	Dog	400
No. 3	GCHB CH Swishthrees Mommaluvs Tcm Stewdios	Heather Donahue	Dog	280
No. 4	GCH CH Crownheir Irish Blessing	Mrs. Kelly Fadel/Mr. Christian Fadel/Miss Faith Fadel	Dog	250
No. 5	GCH CH Masterpiece St Jon I Just Can'T Wait To Be King	Barbara Michael/Jennifer Wehking/Angela Thibodeaux/Carolyn Heckert	Dog	195
No. 6	GCH CH Pinnacle's Huey In The News	Lori Bennett/Alaura E Brown/John Bennett	Dog	140
No. 7	CH Covington Rhaegal	Heidi Mohn/Allyson Gonyo	Dog	90
No. 8	GCHG CH Castle Danger Walking On Sunshine	Jay Livesey/Brent Strege	Dog	85
No. 9	GCH CH Spice Rack Indica Fred	Randi Max/Kelly Collins D.V.M.	Dog	80
No. 10	GCH CH Ha'Penny Queen Eleanor Last Shot Of Expressa	Kathleen Maris/Tim Rollins	Bitch	70
	GCH CH Millaray Just Keep Your Eyes On Me	Jackie Dallman/Benjamin Dallman	Dog	70
No. 12	CH Althof True Reflection	C Cornelia (Conny) Hansen/Bev Hofschulte	Dog	60
No. 13	GCH CH Mayfield Hercules At Hiflt	Robert Parris/Wendy Parris	Dog	55
	CH Meadowlake Giggles And Grins	Dorothy J Swanson/MARY Nicole Morrison	Dog	55
	Tia's Huntington Mcmath	Melissa McMath Hatfield	Dog	55
No. 16	CH Kell's Besame Mucho	Christian Alejandro Diaz/Michelle Alameda-Wilkinson	Dog	45
No. 17	CH Northpointe Intoxicating	Deborah Mitchum	Bitch	40
	CH St Jon Masterpiece Backgammon	Jennifer Wehking/Angela Thibodeaux D.V.M.	Dog	40
No. 19	Kalleasun Faith On A Jet Plane	Karen Van Cleave/Daniel Van Cleave	Bitch	35
No. 20	GCHB CH Spice Rack Surfin Safari	Kelly Collins D.V.M./Kimberly Albrecht	Bitch	30
	GCH CH Torlundy Courtlore Penny Royal	Robyn Russak/Colleen Osman	Bitch	30
	CH Torlundy Courtlore Royal Repeat	Colleen Osman/David Osman/Robyn Russak	Dog	30



Top Ten Cavalier Juniors
January 1, 2022 to March 1, 2022

1 Madyson Smith
2 Alaura Brown

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CONGRATULATIONS!



Dot and I would like to thank the ACKCSC for her Top Agility dog medal from the AKC Invitational! And thank you for making sure she received it! Hope to meet you in Ohio!

Antonia and Anthony Rotelle
and
AGCH MACH 20 Kayangee Dorothy Parker—Number 5 Top overall Agility Dog 2021

A Day in the Life of Puppies

Barbara E Magera MD, PharmD, MMM



It is a warm, spring day with blue, sunny skies and minimal humidity. The Cavalier youngsters are learning to walk on a slip lead. As we walk through the neighborhood, their gait slows as they sniff and examine sticks, leaves and pine straw on the pavement. A helicopter flies overhead which immediately grabs their attention. They stare at the sky while the Coast Guard chopper performs the daily routine of surveying the Charleston coastline.

Although they walk in a zigzag pattern, I am pleased they tolerate the lead. Learning to walk in a straight line is a future lesson. Interestingly, no one tries to chew or scratch the lead off their little necks.

I bait them with small treats to keep their movement going. At all costs, I avoid dragging or forcing a pup to walk. The treats and my whistles are the motivation for them to move forward even if only for a few steps.

As we walk towards our house, the youngsters are mesmerized by the honeybees that are busy pollinating the floral planters lining both sides of our driveway. A special event is a hummingbird that is flittering around some brightly colored flowers. A soft breeze gently sways the Spanish moss draping the branches of the mighty oak trees that characterize Charleston and the South.

Today, the Cavaliers are washed and groomed for their glamour shots. Luckily, clouds gather which diffuse the sun rays. This is better than direct sunlight which results in squinting eyes.

I prefer to shoot with my lens at the same level as the dog rather than shooting down on the dog. I cover a grooming table with a non slip dog blanket and then place the pup on the table. My husband keeps a hand on the pup's underside to prevent the dog from bolting off the table. I hold my camera securely with my right hand and use a squeaky toy in my left hand to get the pup's attention. Since I am primarily interested in expressive head shots, I focus on the pup's eyes. The noise of the squeaky toy or my gorilla grunts grabs the attention of the pup. The ideal pose is the pup's face turned towards me with both eyes wide open and ears up. I adjust my depth of field so the pup is in focus while the background is blurred.

After the photo shoot, the pups want to play. I throw the squeaky toy in a small arc. One of the pups catches the toy in midair, runs towards me and drops the toy at my feet. We play this game of catch and fetch for nearly 20 minutes. Amazingly, the pups are not the least bit tired at the end of our session.

As I prepare dinner in our large kitchen, the pups entertain themselves by romping and running full speed between the kitchen, family room and screened porch. Their antics keep us laughing. As I put their snoods on to protect their ears, their big dark eyes stare at my face. I carefully place a dish of dinner in each of their separate cages. They enthusiastically eat their meals.

It is near dusk when everyone finishes eating. We slip on their leads for an evening walk. Easter is coming and my neighbors have gone over board with decorating. As we approach a lawn covered with yard art, the pups stop and with wide eyes to study the moving bunnies and dancing eggs. They are fascinated with the colored lights. With a little coaxing, they slowly walk in the direction of home.

As we settle in for the night, each pup is directed towards their crate which serves as their safe haven. Everyone is awarded a goodnight kiss on the head and a tidbit treat. As I dim the lights in their room, I thank God for our canines who offer unconditional love and happiness.

Barbara E. Magera MD, PharmD, MMM is a Cavalier breeder, exhibitor and fancier (Caracaleeb) who lives and practices medicine in Charleston, South Carolina.

Regional Club Reports



CKCSC of San Diego
Submitted by Mary Sharp



Temperate weather and wagging tails set the scene for our 2022 Specialty held on February 26th at the Del Mar Fairgrounds in conjunction with Silver Bay Kennel Club. The Toy Dog Fanciers of North San Diego also offered a show, creating an opportunity for three major points in one day! The Specialty offered a 4 point major for both dogs and bitches. Thanks to all who supported our Silent Auction and came to enjoy the morning with us. Applause to Jackie Check, Chairperson and Shirley Wilson, Co-Chair who worked tirelessly to make this happen!

THE CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB OF GREATER SAN DIEGO THANKS OUR JUDGES AND CONGRATULATES OUR 2022 SPECIALTY AND SWEEPSTAKES WINNERS!
SPECIALTY WINNERS

Judge Ms. C. Cornelia (Conny) Hansen

Best of Breed – CH Nighthawk's Great Expectations

Best of Winners – Sheeba Fireworks of Windnsea

Best of Opposite Sex – GCH CH Fairhaven's She Roxx It In Spades

Select Dog – GCH Ivyline Mackintosh

Select Bitch – CH Sorella Here Comes Chloe

Best of Best Owner Handler – GCH CH Fairhaven's She Roxx It In Spades

Best Puppy – Parlett Fernando El Magno

Best Veteran – GCH Briarcrest Burberry CGCA CGC RE CDX

Best Bred by Exhibitor – Parlett London Fog

SWEEPSTAKES WINNERS

Judge Mrs. Keiko Shimizu

Best in Puppy Sweepstakes – Orchard Hill Fair Point

Best Opposite Sex to Best Puppy in Sweeps – Bellarose Bellissima

Best Veteran Sweepstakes – Kimbolton The Sweater Girl at Cytation CA CGC TKI

Other CKCSCGSD News

We were pleased to have Barbara Yeamans from Love On A Leash give a presentation on Therapy Dog opportunities at our February General Membership meeting. Future meeting themes include Agility, Nose Work and Obedience.

Regional Club Reports—Continued



Twin Cities CKCSC

Submitted by Peggy Gelakoski

The Twin Cities Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club has had a great start to 2022! We held our specialty "Where The Snow Sparkles Like A Million Stars" early in January. Although it was cold outside, the Midwestern hospitality inside was nice and warm. Our judge was breeder specialist Heidi Mohn, Covington Cavaliers. There was a beautiful line up of Cavaliers all weekend and we thank everyone who braved the cold to attend. Best of Breed was awarded to Conny Hansen's boy BISS GCH Althof Beach Boy. Our sweeps judge was club member Dave Eckardt, Cuyuna Cavaliers. Best Puppy in Sweeps was awarded to Karin Ostmann's Sheeba You're Welcome. We recently held our annual all breed heart and eye clinic at the beginning of March. We were able to offer priority appointments to Cavalier owners and saw other breeds as well. This is one of our main fundraisers for our club with a portion being donated to Cavalier health research. It's shaping up to be another busy year with our April agility trial right around the corner and other activities we have planned for the summer. We look forward to seeing many of you at the National in April!



CKCSC of So. California

Submitted by - Sue Miller

Welcome Spring!!! A beautiful renewal time of year and during these still uncertain times a very welcome sight. The show season is starting in the SoCal area and getting off to a wonderful start. Our club celebrated this by having another very successful specialty which marked 16 years of club dedication and support of our wonderful breed.

This is always an exciting venue and lots of fun and this was no exception. Dr. Jason Maret did the honor of judging puppy and veteran sweepstakes and awarded Best in Sweeps to the lovely young boy Orchard Hill Fair Point from the 15 to 18 month class owned by Marji McCormick and Erica and Rachel Venier. Best Opposite went to Nighthawks Heaven Sent to Cali owned by Victoria King and Daviann Mitchell. The veteran sweeps went to the beautiful and ever young GCHB San-Dis Fine Wine owned by Robyn Russak and Sandy Harrison with Best Opposite going to Kimbolton the Sweater Girl owned by Emily and Brian Wensel.

The judge for the regular classes was overseen by breeder judge Ms. Shirley "Charlie" Fippin. Judge Fippin had a wonderful group of classes to work through for the day and her final class winners were for dogs was Harrington a Little Bit Country from the BBE class owned by Allyson and Susan Gonyo. And the WB/BOW went to the Open Black and Tan bitch, Robin's Nest Audrey Hepburn owned by Robin Prodanovich and Karl Koerbling.

And the Grand finale for BOB went to the lovely bitch GCH Sorella Here Comes Chloe owned by Susan Green and BOS was CH. Covington Rhaegal owned by Allyson Gonyo and Heidi Mohn. It was a lovely lineup of some beautiful Cavaliers, and much fun and comradery were had by all. The day was finished off with a successful silent auction for the club with many beautiful items to be had, and once again the trophies were 2nd to none!

Dinner was held at a favorite location, The Pomona Mining Company which affords great food and outstanding views of the valley that it overlooks from its perch in the local hills.

Our club also just held a Health Clinic on March 13th which was held at a new location and afforded eye certifications and hearth checks by too specialists. This is always a well attended function by many club members.

Wishing everyone a happy and promising Spring with lots of fun at upcoming shows. I know many club members are headed to the ACKCSC Nationals in Ohio and we wish them lots of ribbons and a fun time with lots of beautiful Cavaliers on display.

Regional Club Reports –Continued



CKCSC of Central Arizona
Submitted by April Crow

The Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club of Central Arizona is happy to be back to in person meetings and events and looking forward to a successful year. First, we would like to announce the 2022 Board Members, as follows:

Grace Ellertson – President

April Crow – Vice President

Susan Grace – Treasurer

Dawn Arkfeld – Secretary

John Mike Swearengin – Director

Dian Albright – Director

Stephanie Deaver – Director



We held our Awards Event on Saturday, March 12th and are excited about all the upcoming champions/titles in the Club and were proud to celebrate such great accomplishments with our Club Members. Several of our Members received wonderful award plaques to have as special keepsakes.

We had a successful health clinic earlier this year with basic heart exams offered. We had 147 dogs attend, 64 of which were cavaliers from our Club and around the valley. We will be holding another health clinic in the summer.

We are looking forward to some upcoming events/activities this year as well. We had a presentation on Chiari Malformation, Syringomyelia and Diagnosis with MRI and a demonstration/introduction to AKC Scent Work earlier this year. We will be having Canine Good Citizen testing available at one of our upcoming meetings, some additional educational speakers, an introduction to Rally and some other fun play dates as well.

We are also looking forward to our 2022 Specialty Show in conjunction with Fiesta Dog Shows Friday, November 25th and Sunday, November 26th following Scottsdale Dog Fanciers Association. This will be a great weekend for earning Majors and we hope to have a fun and successful event!

Regional Club Reports –Continued



Cavaliers of Southern New England
Submitted by Anne O'Reilly

We are busy with plans for our 17th annual Health Clinic which will be held on Sunday, March 27, 2022. We offer cardiac auscultations, ophthalmology screenings, patella exams, hip and elbow radiographs, and screening doppler echocardiograms at the veterinary cardiologist's discretion. Microchip insertions are also available. We have many of our CSNE members volunteering to assist our three veterinarians; this makes for a smooth-running clinic. Many of our clients have returned year after year because they find us to be well organized and welcoming.

The second spring event is our Annual Meeting, to be held on April 20, 2022, at which time we hold our election of officers and board of directors and celebrate our Annual Awards Night. At our Awards Night we recognize dogs that have earned titles during the past year, we celebrate those dogs who have reached their 12th birthday (now members of "The 13 Club"), and we honor those dogs who have passed on. It makes for a wonderful way for our year to come full circle.

We have a "Cavalier Picnic in the Park" in July and so enjoy seeing many Cavaliers that we last saw as they left us to join their forever families! Sometimes we offer a program as part of our day and sometimes we just let the day unfold; it is such fun to make new friends, both human and canine, and we have found it is a way to interest some attendees in pursuing club membership.

Lastly, our Concurrent Specialties on October 22 & 23, 2022, held in conjunction with the Leaf Peeper Cluster (a chance for 5 majors in 3 days) in West Springfield, MA are deep in the planning stage with committees being formed and many members eager to help make this show just a bit more special than the last one. Our June report will have many more details, but mark your calendars now, please!



Badgerland CKCSC
Submitted by Joni Marquardt

We held our 2022 elections in January 2022. The opened positions were for President, Secretary and 2 board positions. All four members who currently held the positions agreed to stay in the position. We opened nominations to the regular members. No nominations were received, therefore, our board for 2022 is:

Officers:
President—Mary Hanus
Vice-President—Annette Edwardson
Secretary—Jackie Dallman
Treasurer—Joni Marquardt
Board Members:
Jane Helminski
Morgan Edwardson
Jay Livesey

We are looking forward to the 2022 National and hope to see you there! Have a great Spring!