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President's Message

It's this time each year when we begin to get busy planning for our Specialty, Auction, Banquet and we usually have a Fun Match/Puppy Picnic in the works for the fall. Trophy fund donations, club renewals go out, nominating committee for new officers and board members, along with many other things going on in the back-ground.

You may be asked by me or a committee chair to help out with one of these events. If you have any time on hand, this is the time to jump in. If you are up to your gills in other things, then maybe you can make a monetary donation. Our

trophy fund is exhausted. By donating to the trophy fund, you can ask that the gift be in memory of or in honor of. Your name will also appear in the premium, on the website and on the hospitality table at our show. Our 2010 auction is coming up in which we will be soliciting for items to auction but we do take monetary gifts in which our Auction Chair can use to purchase items to Auction and will be credited. The Auction is our biggest fund raiser of the year. We make no money from our show, so the auction is what carries us from year to year. Now that summer is coming to an end, hopefully our attendance will pick up. In September we will be bringing our cavaliers to practice and get some socialization. We have a great program planned for October, November our meeting will be at our Fun Match/Puppy Picnic on Nov 15 and then December we will have our Holiday party. So you see we have a full calendar set for the rest of the year and I am sure you will all be involved.

See you at the September meeting!

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Alice Alford, President

Member Spotlight—Jill Scandroli

Jill owns Catesby Cavaliers out of Memphis TN! As you can see from the picture, Jill is in love with wholecolors! Meet one of Jill's "boys" - Danny (Catesby's Danny Boy O Cavisuer). He is a 4 yr old male Jill bred. Jill raised up both of his parents.

Rubies are her Ist love, and while she loves all good Cavaliers in any color, she sets out to try to improve on the Wholecolors. Jill felt back in the mid 90s they were more the underdog. She has been fortunate to enjoy some lovely dogs raised up in TN. Catesby's try for the whole dog, in a whole color, health is the cornerstone. Catesby's will never be a big kennel, but good people have enjoyed the efforts and part of an extended family. They have become Ruby fans as well. Jill & family are looking forward to their 4th generation being raised. She sees very much the temperaments and snippets of her foundation

dogs behind them still preserved today, which are important features and that makes her smile. They are "her kids", a big part of her life and her loves. If you see Jill, you will see a Ruby not far away!



Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club Of Greater Atlanta

Special Information:

Our next scheduled business meeting is Tuesday
September 1, 2009 at
7:30pm. The Board
meets from 6 -7 pm
prior to the business
meeting.

The CKCSCGA conducts monthly business meetings at the Doubletree Hotel Atlanta NE/Northlake located at:

4156 La Vista Road, Tucker, GA 30084 770 -938-1026

Interested in MEMBER-SHIP?? Contact Sue Hardwick at

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Gail LaBerge from the GCC provided a very informative discussion on the current legislative situation regarding canine laws

SAVE THE DATES!!!

October husiness meeting: 10/6/09 with speaker Tim Link

November Puppy Picnic and clinics at Linda Whitmire's: 11/15/09

December: TRD our annual Christmas Party and Dinner!!

Our August Speaker-Ms. Gail LaBerge

We all enjoyed the informative discussion that Gail La-Berge provided at our August meeting.

Several topics were discussed that revolved around legislation in other states that could affect us and the happenings within our own state.

The 2008 Anti Doa Fiahtina Bill was discussed and Gail provided insight on how influential the GCC was work-

ing with the House to get the language of the Bill changed from the Senate version that HSUS supported which required mandatory spay/ neutering laws for animals picked up.

The Puppy Lemon Law did not make it into GA this year, but HSUS is working behind the scenes and the GCC feels that they will drop a bill when the Legislature reconvens. Gail stressed that

Animal Rights Groups do not care about breeders and believes that breeding is not necessary when there are homeless pets.

GCC's role to educate our representatives on how laws passed on emotion can be detremental. Write your representative—you can influence them- and tell them that if we enforce what is on the books, we do not need additional laws!

Our October Speaker- Mr. Tim Link

Be sure to attend our October business meeting as we will have another not to be missed speaker!

Mr. Tim Link will be our quest speaker. Tim is an author, speaker, writer and animalcommunicator and Reiki energy healer for pets.

He has just published his

book, "Wagging Tales: Every Animal has a Tale" that contains 32 stories about animals that Tim has helped through animal communica-

Are you intridued by the concept of the "dog whisperer" and finding out what is making your pet tick? Or how energy healing is used?

Then this is a do not miss meeting for you! Bring your friends too!

If you would like to learn more about Tim, you can visit his website at www.wagging-tales.com



CKCSCGA Regular Business Meeting Agenda— September 1, 2009

Agenda

- Call Meeting to Order @ 7:30pm
- Welcome Visitors
- Minutes of Previous Meeting Read
- President's Report
- Secretary's Report

- Treasurer's Report
- Committee Reports
- **Unfinished Rusiness**
- **New Business**
- Adjournment
- Brags

The CKCSCGA Executive Board meets from 6-7 pm prior to the regular business meeting.

Social time is from 7—7:30pm

Regular business meeting starts promptly at 7:30pm











CKCSC of Greater Atlanta BRAGS!!

<u>Jennifer Wehking (St Jon Cavaliers)</u> is bragging on St Jon Ticket to Ride! He won Winners Dog, Best of Winners, Best of Breed Toy Group Two at the Huntington KC show in West Virginia on July 12th!



Missy Crane (Signatures Cavaliers) is bragging on her boy CH Jaybas Gentleman Quarterly at Signatures! Andy finished on July 25th at the Greenville SC shows with a 4 point major! Missy wants to thank Pat & Michael Lander for such a beautiful boy!



Sonya Thompson (Kingsway Cavaliers) is bragging on Kingsway's Walk in the Park (Parker). He won Winners Dog and of Best of Winners for his 4 point major under Judge Fred C. Bassett at the Spartanburg KC show!

GOT A BRAG??? It only costs a buck for a brag at our monthly meetings!
Remember to fill out the brag forms on the tables at our next business meeting to make sure YOUR BRAG gets published (& don't forget to email in a pic)!

Kibbles N Bits

Club Contact Information

Sunshine:

If you know of a member who has been ill, suffered a family loss, celebrated a birth, marriage, etc. or JUST NEEDS CHEERING UP from the Club, please notify Maureen Miles at 770-460-9197 or mymiles@bellsouth.net

Change of Information:

If you have a change in address, phone/mobile number or email address, please contact Sue Hardwick at mailto:shardwi@bellsouth.net

Breeder Referral:

Please send all changes, corrections or additions to your breeder referral listing on the Club website to Vickie Herring at mailto:ckcscga@aol.com

Banana Carob Chip Dog Birthday Cake

2 cups water

2 ripe bananas

1/8 tsp vanilla

3 cups whole wheat flour

1/2 Tbs baking powder

1 egg

2 Tbs honey

1/2 cup carob chips

Directions:

Preheat oven to 350°F

In a mixing bowl combine water, bananas, vanilla, egg and honey. Add whole wheat flour and baking powder. Mix well. Pour mixture into an 8-inch cake pan sprayed with a nonstick spray. Sprinkle carob chips on top. Bake for 1 hour to 1 hour 15 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

Cinnamon Frosting:

Combine the following ingredients and blend thoroughly:

12 ounces nonfat cream cheese (room temperature)

3 tsp cinnamon

1 tsp vanilla

1 tsp honey



Georgia Coalition of Dog Clubs Inc

This is a watchdog group which our Club supports. Given the ever increasing antibreeder legislation that is happening on a nationwide basis, we all need to stay informed. Keep up with what is happening in Georgia by visiting their <u>website!</u> www.georgiacaninecoalition.org

Member News

- Keeping Wes and Sonya in our thoughts and prayers.
- WELCOME to our new Associate members!!!!
- Congrats to our new Regular members (moving up from Associate)!!!

If you would like to share any announcements or general news (dog or non dog related!) with your Club members—this is the place to do it! Email either Sharon Onorato Utych or Maureen Miles and we will make sure it gets into the Cavalier Chronicle!

Deed Not Breed!

Would you welcome these wellbehaved pooches into your neighborhood!

Of Course!

AKC^a believes a dog should be judged by its deeds, not its breed We are dedicated to the passage of reasonable enforceable, non-discriminatory laws to govern the ownership of dogs.





Unfortunately, some legislators believe they can protect their communities by imposing laws that restrict or completely ban dogs based on breed alone, with little or no consideration of well-mannered canines.

AKC knows there are better, more effective alternatives.



AKC ACEA ward winner "Fath" is a highly skilled certified service drightrained in seizure respiratory and cardiac alert and response, mobility assistance and emergency water rescue.

To find out how you can help, please contact the AKC's Canine Legislation department (doglaw@akc.org).



Support AKC efforts to stop breed-specific legislation.

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FUNNY BONES!!!

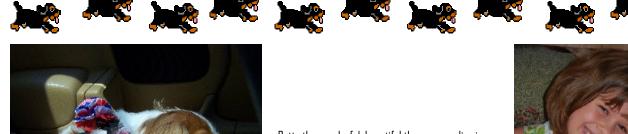
Ok all you CKCSC of Greater ATL members! You have got to have some pictures that you want to share with the group! Action shots, funny pictures, pictures that make you go AWWW....you know what I mean! They can even be of your (dare I say it??) non-cavalier pets!! Just email a quality digital photograph with a short description to Sharon Onorato Utych at Utych@earthlink.net! We can't wait to see them!!! Thanks to our contributors...



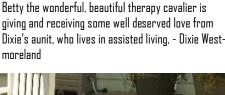
Picture perfect can only describe three of Dixie Westmoreland's beloved cavaliers! Cadi (tri), Delilah (blenheim) and Betty (B/T) sit pretty for a portrait! Aren't they beautiful?????



Whaddaya mean SIMON SEZ leave the cake alone?????? SIMON says that cake is all for SIMON!! - Linda Whitmire



Finn (Karvale Brookhaven Finn) thinks he is a pawty animal but he had way too much parading at the 4th of July parade in Stone Mountain where he and Skye paraded with the Atlanta Mini Club—Jim & Sharon Utych





Alice Alford's cute as a button grand daughter (Carolyn's daughter) loves to love the Monticello pups! It's a great way to socialize them before they go to their forever home! This is Isabella's son who is also a Pancho grandson!

Show Information

The following schedule is being provided as a reminder of upcoming area shows that may be of interest of you. Information may change, so please contact the Superintendent website for the most up to date information!

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		North									
Danville KC	Greensboro	Carolina		<u>AB</u>	\$269	IN	<u>MBF</u>	Wed 08/05	Wed 07/22	Judges not yet listed	
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Danville KC	Greensboro	Carolina North		<u>AB</u>		IN	MBF	Thu 08/06	Wed 07/22	Judges not yet listed	Mrs. Gloria
Carolina KC	Greensboro	Carolina		<u>AB</u>		IN	MBE.	Sat 08/08	Wed 07/22	Lester R. Mapes [Sh]	Geringer [Sh]
		North								# Mr. Houston Clark	# Houston Clark
Carolina KC	Greensboro	Carolina		<u>AB</u>		IN	<u>MBF</u>	Sun 08/09	Wed 07/22	[Sh]	[Sh]
Mountain KC	Atlanta	Georgia		<u>AB/O</u>	\$24	IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Fri 08/21	Wed 08/05	Barbara J. Wood [Sh]	[Sh]
Lawrenceville (C	Atlanta	Georgia		AB/O	\$24	IN	Onofrio	Sat 08/22	Wed 08/05	Dr. Daniel W. Dowling	wrs. Ruth m. Zimmerman [Sh]
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		N.		Sep-09						<u>Spaniel</u>	TOY
Salisbury NC KC	Raleigh	North Carolina		AB	\$26	IN	MBF	Sun 09/06	Wed 08/19	# Mrs. Jean Fournier [Sh]	# Mrs. Charlotte P. Patterson [Sh]
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Raleigh KC	Raleigh	Carolina		<u>AB/O</u>	\$26	IN	MBF	Mon 09/07	Wed 08/19	Dana P. Cline [Sh]	[Sh]
										# Dr. Steve Keating	# Dr. Steve Keating
Singing River KC	Biloxi	Mississippi		<u>AB</u>		IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Thu 09/10	Wed 08/26	[Sh]	[Sh]
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Mobile KC	Biloxi	Mississippi		AB		IN	Show Sec	Sat 09/12	Wed 08/26	Moore	Canalizo [Sh]
		North								# James G. Reynolds	# Mrs. Jeanie M.A.
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Moore Cnty KC	Pinehurst	Carolina		AB/O	\$26	Out	MBF	Sun 09/13	Wed 08/26	Gordon [Sh]	McDermott [Sh]
Gtr Atlanta Toy											
Dog Assoc	Atlanta	Georgia		<u>LB/O</u>	\$27	IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Thu 09/17	Wed 09/02	Group Show!	
								E : 00 H 0			Mrs. Jean Fournier
Douglasville KC	Atlanta	Georgia		<u>AB</u>		IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Fri 09/18	Wed 09/02	Mrs. Dorothy Edge Mrs. Charlotte P.	[Sh] Richard L. Bauer
Atlanta KC	Atlanta	Georgia		AB/O	\$27	IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Sat 09/19	Wed 09/02	Patterson [Sh]	[Sh]
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Newnan KC	Atlanta	Georgia		<u>AB/O</u>	\$27	IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Sun 09/20	Wed 09/02	Maxine V. Beam [Sh]	[Sh]
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										Cavalier King Charles	TOY
				Nov-09						<u>Spaniel</u>	TOY
Memphis Toy DC	Southhaven	Mississippi		LB		IN	Onofrio	Sun 11/01	Wed 10/14	Group Show!	
		North									
ayetteville KC	Concord	Carolina		AB/O		IN	MBF	Sun 11/15	Wed 10/28	# Judge not listed	# Not Listed
										# Mrs. Barbara	
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Tuscaloosa KC	Montgomery	Alahama		<u>AB</u>	\$25	IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Sat 11/21	Wed 11/04	Mrs. Dorothy Edge	Mathis [Sh]

2010 Specialty Show Silent & Live Auction Kickoff

On your mark, get set, GO!

We have officially kicked off our Auction campaign. We are hoping to have another wonderful banquet and a spirited live and silent auction on the evening of Friday, February 5, 2010! Our Auction Committee is co-chaired by Michele Henson and Sharon Onorato, but we need YOU too! Won't you think of helping out, no matter how small?

There are several tasks that the Auction Committee will need assistance with and if you think that you could help, please let Michele or Sharon know. Going forward at each monthly business meeting, there will be a sign up sheet circulating to identify members who would like to assist with the Auction and/or provide a donation for the Auction. Be on the look out for this sheet!

If you would like to help, some of the tasks which require help are:

- Procurement volunteers helping with the solicitation of auction items
- Item tagging volunteers ensuring the items are properly tagged and are described in the catalog
- Set up / break down volunteers help in transporting and setting up/ breaking down the auction tables the day of the banquet
- Auction helpers assisting

the auctioneer in the live auction by displaying the item to the attendees; assigning the auction paddles & auction guide to bidders when they arrive for the banquet; runners to pull silent auction bid sheets to determine winners; runners to package & pull auction items for winners upon payment; updating the Auction spreadsheet to calculate winners amount due at the end of the auction

Auction recorders –
recording who won the live auction
items and the winning bid amounts
for reconciliation

Additionally, the Auction Committee is actively soliciting items for the auction. Understanding how the current economy is impacting both individuals and businesses, we do appreciate the support our members provide in donating items for the auction. Everyone loves bidding on our "Warming Box" and "Whelping Box" items and to make that happen requires donations from multiple sources. We will be putting together a wish list of items that are needed for these and other "box" items and will be looking for sponsors - we hope you will consider sponsoring a list of items for these great auction items!

If you know of a local veterinarian, pet store or business that you think may like to donate to our auction please let Michele or Sharon know so we may send a proper donation letter to them.

And of course, if there are any items that **you** would like to see on the Silent Auction or Live Auction tables, please let us know. We would like to make this Auction as exciting as possible. And remember, it does not have to be cavalier or dog related (although we love bidding on cavalier related items)!

Not sure what to donate but want to make a contribution? Let us do the shopping for you! If you would like to make a monetary contribution towards the purchase of an item(s), we would be happy to do the leg work! Just make your check payable to <code>CKCSC</code> of <code>Greater</code> Atlanta and give it or mail it to Michele or Sharon for recording and handing over to our Treasury.

This is going to be an exciting auction! We will be at a new venue and we are hoping to provide you with some additional surprises!! Don't forget that 25% of the proceeds from the live auction benefit the ACKCSC Charitable Trust

You can keep up on the happenings of the Specialty Show,
Banquet & Auction by attending our monthly meetings, getting involved in a committee,
checking out our website and reading the Cavalier Chronicle!!



..."we do
appreciate the
support our
members provide
in donating items
for the auction."

Minutes of Meeting CKCSCGA Regular Meeting Tuesday Aug 4, 2009

Regular Meeting Agenda

Welcome Guests

Roll Call

Approve minutes of last meeting

Report of President

Report of Secretary

Report of Treasurer

Reports of the Committees

Election of New Members

Unfinished Business

Adjournment

Braggs

Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 pm by Alice Alford.

Members Attending:

Alice Alford

Paula Ayers

Missy Crane

Susan Hardwick

Jeff Herring

Vickie Herring

Wes Sherrill

Sonya Thompson

Dixie Westmoreland

Linda Whitmire

Mark Fitchpatrick

Sharon Onorato

Ronnie Owings

Guests Attending:

Gail LaBarge, Georgia Canine Coalition

Welcome Guests

Alice and the membership welcomed our guest.

The June 2, 2009 minutes were published the June 2009 newsletter. Jeff Herring motioned that the June minutes be approved as published. Linda Whitmire seconded the motion. All Approved.

Report of President

Alice Alford thanked members for the flowers sent by the Sunshine Committee following her husband Randy's cardiac procedure. In September we plan to have a regular business meeting. We will explore with the Doubletree the possibility of bringing puppies for socialization and handling workshop, grooming table practice, etc.

Report of Secretary

Associate Membership Applications: Second Reading: Debra Ferros, John Ferros, and Laine Morgan. Regular Membership Applications: Second Reading: Holly Majka, Mark Fitchpatrick, and Larry Crane.

Regular Membership Applications: First Reading: Michele Henson.

Report of Treasurer

Vickie Herring presented the Treasurer's report. Our Total Balance as of Aug 4, 2009, is \$23,461.20 with monies held in Reserve for the Health and Education Fund of \$2,444.14 and the Trophy Fund of \$320.16, resulting in a General Fund balance of \$19,212.23.

Committee Reports

Show Committee – The Specialty is scheduled for Thursday Feb 4, 2010. The AKC has approved our event and our judging contract with Shelagh Waters is in place.

Judging Committee - 2011 Specialty judge selection is in process.

Auction Committee - The committee met with Sue Hardwick to transition, and Sharon Onorato and Michele Henson will start PR for the auction and banquet and soliciting items at the August Cherokee Rose Cluster.

Social Committee – Our Fall Puppy Picnic is scheduled for Sunday November 15, and there will be heart and eye clinics.

Bylaws Committee - The Bylaws updates are progress.

Program Committee – The October program will be Tim Link, a local animal communicator. Our 2010 programs will start with the topics of Probiotics and then Cardiology.

Election of New Members

All applicants being elected tonight were elected unanimously. Welcome new Associate members Debra Ferros, John Ferros, and Laine Morgan and new Regular members Holly Majka, Mark Fitchpatrick, and Larry Crane

Unfinished Business

None.

New Business

None.

Adiournment

Mark Fitchpatrick motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:05pm. Jeff Herring Seconded the motion. All Approved.

Submitted by Sue Hardwick, CKCSCGA Secretary.

NC Breeder's Bill Passes Senate by a Single Vote: Moves to House



Won't you please consider being a volunteer at our upcoming eye and health clinics in November??? Please contact Linda Whitmire if you are interested!

The North Carolina Senate passed SB 460 on 8/5/09 by a vote of 23-22. While the AKC appreciates the many changes that were made to the bill, we remain concerned that the bill has been too rushed to allow time for legislators and the public to adequately review the bill and fully understand its implications. The AKC also believes that SB 460 is unnecessary, as North Carolina already has strong laws that address any cruel or negligent treatment of animals. The AKC Government Relations Department thanks the North Carolina Federation, its coalition partners, and all the many clubs and individuals who have worked so hard over the past six months to defeat SB 460. This bill will now go to the House, where it will be introduced and assigned to one or more committees. It is likely there may not be sufficient time in the re-

mainder of this year's session to take up the bill. However, we fully expect that this bill will be brought up in the House either in the remainder of this session or next year. The AKC continues to oppose a number of problematic provisions in the latest version of the bill,

Vague definitions of "commercial breeder" and licensing requirements

Commercial breeder is defined as someone who owns 15 or more intact females "of breeding age" and 30 or more puppies. It remains unclear whether these numbers refer to the number of dogs on the property at one certain time, or if this is cumulative over the course of a year. Kennels or establishments that operate for the purpose of boarding or training hunting, sporting, herding, show, or working dogs are exemoted from the licensina reauirements. The bill does not exempt the *breeders* of such dogs. It is also unclear if someone who trains show dogs, but also sells puppies is exempt from the licensina requirement.

New, problematic legislative findings. The new version of SB 460 inserts eight legislative findings into the bill. We believe that some of these findings are based on unsubstantiated claims. Furthermore, the findings claim that the bill does not interfere with a person's right to participate in hunting and working activities with their dog. The actual bill, however, states that only those who board

or train dogs for show, hunting, working, etc. are exempted. Those that breed these doos are still subject to the provisions of the bill.

Unclear enforcement provisions. It appears that the bill seeks to exclusively empower localities to investigate violations. However, should the bill be enacted, this provision would appear in a section of existing law that empowers the State Director of Animal Welfare to investigate violations. These contradictory provisions could effectively create an unfunded mandate in which localities would be responsible for the cost of state-generated enforcement activities. The new version of this bill also would establish an Internet "registry" of all North Carolinians who would fall under the vaquely-defined "commercial" definition. While this online list might be good advertising for true commercial breeders, the AKC believes that this may be an intrusion of the privacy rights of hobby (show, hunting, working, etc.) breeders.

The AKC Government Relations Department will provide updated information on our web site as it becomes available. Copyright AKC 2009

Volunteers Needed for Our Health Clinics

Calling all volunteers! We need you to help out our Fall Puppy Picnic Eye and Heart clinics!

We will need about 6-8 folks to work the tables and assist in making the process smooth. This includes checking pups in, completing paperwork, etc.

If you can help out for a block of time, please contact Linda

Whitmire at 770-929-0234

We are very lucky to have two board certified DVM's at our heart and eye clinic!

Dr. Darlene Blischok will be performing the heart clinic and Dr. Stacy Andrew will be performing the eye clinic. Both these DVM's are specialists and Diplomates of the American College of Veternary Medicine.

Watch for your "evite" coming to your email address—it will also have a spot to indicate if you want to participate in the clinics and if you want to help out at the clinic!



9th Annual Specialty Show Trophy Fund Drive

Help support our upcoming Specialty Show by contributing to the Trophy Fund. This is a unique way to show your support of the Club & the breed!

You can choose to honor or remember someone special in your life, a beloved cavalier or promote your kennel with your donation. Donations at the Donor Level & above will be published in the 9th Annual Specialty Show Catalog, the Club's website and on our display table at the Specialty.

· Benefactor Level: \$100 and above

Sponsor Level: \$50 to \$99

Donor Level: \$25 to \$49

Friend Level: \$24 or less



Donations can be made by checks payable to the CKCSC of Greater Atlanta. Please visit our website (www.ckcscatlanta.org) for more information on the Specialty Show and donation form.

Please send checks & donation form to:

CKCSC of Greater Atlanta

c/o Vickie Herring, Treasurer CKCSC of Greater Atlanta 97 Spivey Chase Trail Jonesboro, Georgia 30236 The 9th Annual CKCSC of Greater Atlanta Specialty Show will be held on Thursday, February 4, 2010 at the Atlanta Exposition Center, Jonesboro Rd, Atlanta GA Page 12 The Cavalier Chronicle

CLUB MEMBER

CKCSC of Greater Atlanta Trophy Fund Donation
Benefactor = \$100 or more; Sponsor = \$50-\$99; Donor = \$25-\$49; Friend = less than \$25
The names of all contributors to the 2010 Trophy Fund will be listed in our Specialty Show catalog and on our club website. Please print clearly how you would like your donation identified. (i.e.: name only; name & kennel name; etc.).
If you would like your donation listed as "in honor of" or "in memory of" please fill in the appropriate space below:
In honor of:
In memory of:
Make checks payable to: CKCSCGA
Please return this form along with your check.
Mail to: CKCSC of Greater Atlanta c/o Vickie Herring 97 Spivey Chase Trail Jonesboro, GA 30236-5476

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Save the Date for the CKCSC of Greater Atlanta Puppy Picnic!

Mark your calenders and be there will be FOOD???

sure to keep Sunday, November 15th open. Why? Well, you do not want to miss attending our Fun Puppy Picnic Day!!

We will be holding the event on Linda and Bart Whitmire's Be on the lookout for an property. Plans include fun matches, heart and eye clinics and much more. Nh and I did mention that

The weather should be cool enough for the guests of honor (our cavaliers of couse) to also enjoy the day!

"evite" coming to you via email and be sure to respond so we can have a proper count! And checkout the article soliciting help for the clinics in this month's Chronicle

This is a great time to get together and socialize and it is also open to all cavalier owners, so if you know of anvone who would like to attend and participate in the clinics and the fun be sure to let them know so they can save the date too!



Get ready to have some fun at our November Puppy Picnic!!

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We are always looking for ideas for programs & fundraiser or suggestions to make our club more successful! Please do not hesitate to contact any officer, board or committee member with your suggestions or if you would like to join a committee!

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Winners Dog

Best in Specialty Show Best of Winners Champion Fancier Group Show Lead Points Ribbons Show Ring Winners Bitch

The Cavalier Chronicle

This is from an email I received from a friend who knows how much I love my cavaliers. The age old question that every child wonders..."do dogs go to heaven when they die?" Well, a Catholic church and a Presbyterian church supposedly held the discussion via their church signage....even if it did not really happen, this is really cute!



















Confused? Don't be...here is the answer!!!!



Non Sequitur by Wiley Miller - 08.24.2005

The Cavalier Chronicle





We are a sanctioned breed specialty club and licensed by the AKC to conduct dog shows and matches. We maintain membership in the American Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club, the ACKCSC, which is the AKC Parent Club for the breed. The purpose of our Club is to protect and advance the interests of the breed by promoting quality breeding, sportsmanlike competition, and the education of both its members and the general public.

Our members range from experienced show competitors and breeders to first time pet owners, and we are the second Cavalier King Charles Spaniel local specialty breed club to become licensed by the American Kennel Club.

Cavalier King Charles Club of Greater Atlanta

"Proud to be the 2nd CKCSC to become licensed by the AKC"



Find us on line for all the latest at <u>CKSCGA</u>!! Visit us at www.ckcscatlanta.org

Editor's Note

Summer is almost over...and the infamous "ber" months are fast approaching! They should be called the "blur" months because they go by so very quickly and always seem to be packed with activites and holidays.

Our latest activity was moving our eldest son up to Nashville to attend Vanderbilt. This is the first time one of our boys have lived this far away. It seems like we just moved them back home! Only Michael and Willy remain home now. We are hoping the job market opens up so Michael can find employment. It has been a tough, disappointing summer for his job search.

Finn & Skye have been enjoying the cooler mornings but still struggle in the afternoon heat. As they walk, they look for their new little furiend—the BUNNY—that lives in the shrubs in a neighbors yard. You would think they are hound dogs vs. cavaliers the way they keep their noses to the ground!

Jim and I are getting ready for our holiday during the first "ber" month! We will be off to Paris and then to the UK to visit friends and see the country side. I am also hoping to pick up a little something to donate to for the Silent Auction in February. I hope that each of you would consider donating or

sponsoring an item for the Specialty Auction. Pulling everything together is a daunting task! Your donations will help to make this Auction a huge success, not to mention loads of fun! Also, YOUR help is needed, no matter how small. Please consider volunteering. It is fun and rewardng.

Lastly, if you have any topics or items or articles that you would like to see in the newsletter, please email me. This is YOUR newsletter and your input is appreciated!

Until next month -

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Sharon Onorato Utych



School's back in session! And so is Atlanta traffic!