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#### President's Message

Our September meeting was a great success and without a speaker!

Bringing our dogs turned out to be one of the best ideas anyone has come up with. I am glad we finally have a place where we can do this. It is so much fun to see everyones puppies and it's great for the dogs to socialize. Hopefully we can do this at each meeting where we don't have a speaker. It was great!!!

On November 15, we will be having our members match/fun day. We will also be holding a heart and eye clinic. Charlene Blischok and Stacy Andrew are a board certified cardiologist and ophthalmologist, respectively. Let's have a great turnout, we may want them to come again.

If you have friends with cavaliers, encourage them to come. There will be lots of fun things to do plus get their doos heart and eves checked. I am sure you will enjoy the day. Look elsewhere in the newsletter for more information.

Hope everyone is enjoying this nice fall weather. My cavaliers love it!

See you at the October meeting!

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Alice Alford, President

#### Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club Of Greater Atlanta

#### **Special Information:**

Our next scheduled business meeting is Tuesday
October 6, 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

#### Member Spotlight— Lu Dunham & Helen Jesse

Helen and Lu are the owners of O'Skot, which marked it's 20th anniversary in August. They have been breeding cavaliers for 12 years and are just 2 points away from completing their 15th champion! They are "10 year veterans" of our club, joining in September 1998.

Both Helen and Lu provided their time and talents to our club as show chairs, trophy chairs, auction chairs and newsletter editors (whew)!
Lu served as our club
president from 2000-2006.
During this time, the club
became AKC licensed and
was able to hold our own
point shows.

Helen takes great pride in the fact that our club is the ONLY regional club to be a Grand Benefactor to the ACKCSC Charitable Trust. Helen has a deep passion for the Charitable Trust.

She has also served as chair of the Trust's Auction—a huge undertaking!

Lu is a licenced AKC judge for Cavaliers, Shetland Sheepdogs and Jr. Showmanship. She is working on adding more breeds and enjoys judging.

Helen sews and makes items for cavaliers, such as donut, confetti and mama beds. (cont pg 2)

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#### 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 intrigued 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 ton!

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

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Our October speaker will be Mr. Tim Link from Wagging **Tales** 

#### Member Spotlight-Lu Dunham and Helen Jesse (cont)

Helen embroiders for many all breed clubs and cavalier clubs—trophies and shirts. She is also responsible for many of the embroidered items sold by our parent club at several Nationals.

Their proudest cavalier moments include: putting an obecavalier, CH Rattlebridge Ditto ranked as a top ten breed and resulted in an invitation

to the first AKC Eukanuba American Dog Show Classic and their foundation brood bitch. Dharma (Ch Rattlebridge American Pie) attaining her ROM.

Lu and Helen initially were showing Shelties until Lu could no longer lift them due to an iniury. That is when they searched for a small breed and got bitten by the cavalier bug! "Ditto" Ch Rattlebridge Ditto Master, CD was their first and most loved and spoiled dog in the history of cavaliers!

Today, Lu currently serves as the Corresponding Secretary for our parent club and is President of the Newnan Kennel Club.

We are very lucky to have Lu & Helen in our club!



dience title on a 19 month old Master, CD; CH Peglen All Things Considered (Jesse) top twenty all breed which

#### CKCSCGA Regular Business Meeting Agenda— October 6, 2009

#### Agenda

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

- Secretary's Report
- Treasurer's Report
- Committee Reports
- Unfinished Business
- **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

#### **SAVE THE DATES!!!**

**November** Puppy Picnic and clinics at

Linda Whitmire's: 11/15/09

December: TRD nur. annual Christmas Party and Dinner!!

February 5th Specialty Show Banquet & Auction







Wes Sherrill (CastleHill Cavaliers) is bragging on OkayC Katie Scarlett O'Hara (Scarlett). Scarlett is co-owned by Wesley Sherrill and Holly Majka and won two 4 point majors on Friday (August 21) and Sunday (August 23) at the Cherokee Rose Cluster Shows. This completed Scarlett's AKC championship so she is now a dual club champion!!

Maureen Miles just has to brag about her boy CH Ivylane Jacob at Pied Piper (Jacob)! And no wonder she is bragging! Jacob is TEN years old and still heart clear!! Maureen is VERY proud of her wonderful, healthy boy!!

Paula Ayers & Brenda Martz (Brookhaven Cavaliers) are bragging that on Friday (August 21) at the Cherokee Rose Cluster, a AKC CH & CKCSC CH Pascavale Pancho bitch won Winners Bitch and an AKC CH and CKCSC CH Pascavale Stanley boy won Winners Dog! On Saturday (August 22) Brookhaven Lady in Red won Winners Bitch and Best of Winners!

Sue Hardwick (Tusus Cavaliers) is bragging on Tusus Kissed by an Angel (Andy). Andy took Breed and a Group 2 Saturday under judge Janis Mercer. Andy also tookBreed on Sunday and a Group 4 under judge Charles Scott, while being expertly handled by Joseph Threadcraft. Andy is owned by Michele Henson and was bred by Susan Hardwick and Paula Avers (Eng. CH Pascavale Enchanted x Brookhaven Peyton Place).

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

#### 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 <a href="website!">www.georgiacaninecoalition.org</a>

#### **Member News**

- Keeping Sonya T. in our thoughts and prayers.
- Keeping Wes S. in our thoughts and prayers .
- Keeping Jill S. in our thoughts and prayers as she is recuperating from surgery

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!

#### Homemade Frozen Yogurt

There is really nothing cuter than watching a dog lick from a cup between his paws. It's one of life's great pleasures. Instead of sending you off for pre-made treats, whip up a batch of Frosty Paws at home. It's so easy, even your dog could do it!



#### Here's all you need:

l quart vanilla yogurt (preferably nonfat) l ripe banana 2 tablespoons peanut butter 2 tablespoons honey.

First, puree the banana in a blender. Add the peanut butter and honey and continue processing until smooth. Then, add yogurt and process until all ingredients are blended together.

Pour the mix into small containers like Glad reusable mini containers or Dixie 3-ounce mini cups. Freeze until solid and you'll make about 10 per batch.

Recipe from woofreport.com



# SO YOU WANT A DOG?

FIRST, FIND A BREEDER YOU TRUST.
Find a breeder who is knowledgeable, experienced and works to improve the breed at www.akc.org.

A MESSAGE FROM:



#### **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...



Cadi is Dixie Westmoreland's beautiful, sweet tri!

Guess who is David and who is Goliath? And guess who wins the stare down!!! Black and Tan's rule no matter WHAT size! - Paula Ayers







Parker is saying "Yes mom, I KNOW I AM"!!! Have you ever seen such beautiful ears???? - Sonya Thompson

Parker is getting some well deserved beauty sleep during a hectic show weekend! Counting sheep or bully sticks!!!! -Sonya Thompson





This little Pascavale Bruce girl is making sure she keeps control of the food situation - ain't NOBODY gettin' nuthin' without her knowing!! - Paula Ayers

# **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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Club	City	State	Info	Type	Fee	1/0	Super	Date	Closing	Barrel bulance	Com budges
				Aug-09						Breed Judges Cavalier King Charles	Grp Judges
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		North									
Danville KC	Greensboro	Carolina		<u>AB</u>	\$269	IN	MBF	Wed 08/05	Wed 07/22	Judges not yet listed	
Donuillo I/C	Oraanahara	North				INI	MOC	Thu 09/06	Mad 07/00	ludges pet ust listed	
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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Conyers KC	Atlanta	Georgia		<u>AB/O</u>	\$24	IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Sun 08/23	Wed 08/05	Malenfant [Sh]	# Don Rogers [Sh]
										Cavalier King Charles	
		<b>N.</b>		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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Singing River KC	DIIUXI	Mississippi		<u>AB</u>		IN	<u>Onofrio</u>	Fri 09/11	Wed 08/26	[Sh] # Mr. Malcolm E.	Geringer [Sh] # Mrs. Lee
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.
Moore Cnty KC	Pinehurst	Carolina		AB/O	\$26	Out	MBE .	Sat 09/12	Wed 08/26	[Sh]	<u>Montford</u>
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Mobile KC	Biloxi	Mississippi North		<u>AB</u>	\$27	IN	Show Sec	Sun 09/13	Wed 08/26	[Sh]  # Lorri Isenhath	McGowan [Sh] # Kenneth M.
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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		North		Oct-09						Spaniel	TOY
Hanover KC	Wilmington	Carolina		<u>AB</u>	\$27	Out	MBF	Sat 10/10	Wed 09/23	Judges not yet listed	
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Hanover KC	Wilmington	Carolina		<u>AB</u>	\$27	Out	MBF	Sun 10/11	Wed 09/23	Judges not yet listed	
										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	
Anniston KC	Montgomes	Alohomo				INI	Opotrio	Eri 44/20	10/ook 44 /04	Dempsey Alderman	# Edd E Divin (Ch)
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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]

#### Cherokee Rose Cluster Show

This past August 18-20th the annual Cherokee Rose Cluster Show was held at the Atlanta Exposition Center. It was sponsored by the Douglasville KC. Atlanta KC and Newnan KC.

Jim and I attended the Saturday show and of course, our eyes were focused on Ring I at 8am to watch the cavaliers!

The judge for Saturday was Dr. Daniel W Dowling and while Jim and I settled into our chairs, we could see that our Club was well represented!

It was a beehive of excitement watching everyone get ready for their time in the ring! Flat irons, combs, brushes and sprays were being used in high gear to make our already adorable looking cavaliers even more royal!

Charnell Cosmopolitan (Tanner) took the twelve to eighteen month dog class on Saturday and proud ownerVickie Herring told me that this was Tanner's first AKC weekend! What a weekend it was for this lovely boy from across the Pond!

Tusus Party Like A Rock Star (Robby P) took first on the Bred by Exhibitor dog class, while St Jon Startin'A Fire took American Bred Dogs. Jayba's In Your Dream took the Open Dogs class/Winners Dog with Tanner taking Reserve Winners Dog!

In the Bitch classes, Forestcreek On A Roll took the 9 months and under, while Orchard Hill On A Lark (handled by Linda Whitmire) took the 12 to 18 month bitches class.

Bred by Exhibitor Bitch went to Jayba's Sweet Tea and American Bred Bitch went to Castlekeep Hollywood.

The Open Bitch class/Winners Bitch was CH Brookhaven Lady in Red—a beautiful Ruby girl indeed! Reserve Winners Bitch went to Winning Colors Riva Ridge.

The Best of Breed Competition on Saturday went to Firethorne Majesty, Best of Winners awarded to CH Brookhaven Lady in Red and Best of Opposite Sex was Jayba's In Your Dream!!

We also took time to walk the vendor floor to try to find those hard to find goodies and I was also trying to see if we could line up any Silent Auction donations too!

Jim and I love to attend the shows and watch not only the Cavaliers, but also the Boston Terriers, Chins and Poodles. Even though we do not have "trained eyes", we love to watch the cavaliers in the ring and pick out our favorites to see how we fare against the judges.

Sometimes, we are right on too!

I was also pleased to see several members from our local Cavalier meetup group in attendance. They were new to the meetup group and were excited to learn about the show. This is a great venue to experience your first taste of the dog show world and get to meet breeders, see obedience, agility and different breeds all under one roof. Oh yeah, and the food ain't that bad either!

Plus it was great to see all of you in your element! Game faces on, ready to roll!

Jim and I have developed an appreciation of the dedication it truly takes to train and show a dog and each of you deserve KUDOS!!!

All of you deserve a blue ribbon and we are proud to be members of a club that has so many WONDERFUL cavaliers AND people!!

And check out the pictures from the day in this issue of the Chronicle!



Cats Motto: No matter what you've done wrong, always try to make it look like the dog did it.

- unknown



#### Minutes of Meeting

CKCSCGA Regular Meeting Tuesday Sep 1, 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

Karen Evans

Susan Hardwick

Jeff Herring

Vickie Herring

Brenda Martz

Kay-C Phipps

Wes Sherrill

Dixie Westmoreland

Linda Whitmire

Mark Fitchpatrick

Sharon Onorato

Holly Majka

#### **Guests Attending:**

Margie Roe

#### **Welcome Guests**

Alice and the membership welcomed our quest.

The Aug 4, 2009 minutes were published the August 2009 newsletter. Kay-C Phipps motioned that the June minutes be approved as published. Linda Whitmire seconded the motion. All Approved.

#### Report of President

The Macon Kennel Club communicated that there are visits from Animal Control being conducted in various counties in the area. Be aware of your rights. The newsletter will publish the "What to do when animal comes' article.

#### Report of Secretary

Associate Membership Applications: First Reading: Margie Roe Regular Membership Applications: Second Reading: Michele Henson.

AKC Legislative Report: Gail LaBerge and Michele Henson (Stone Mountain State Congresswoman) met for lunch for discussion. There are several mandatory spay neuter (MSN) language suggestions being sent to members of the Georgia Assembly to be considered for a bill. Expect this in the upcoming January session. The GCC and Sue Hardwick will keep the club informed if a letter writing campaign will be needed.

#### Report of Treasurer

Vickie Herring presented the Treasurer's report. Our Total Balance as of Sep 1, 2009, is \$21,829.75 with monies held in Reserve for the Health and Education Fund of \$2,444.14 and the Trophy Fund of \$393.13, resulting in a General Fund balance of \$18,992.48.

**Trophy Committee** – Vickie Herring shared an example trophy with the meeting. These will be hand painted by a local artist. She had Trophy Fund forms available for donations.

#### 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. Bob Whitney signed the 2011 judging contract.

In order to finalize the banquet, the Board presented the following options to set the price:

\$40 a plate without wine, or \$45 a plate with a bottle each of red and white wine at the table. Membership voted for \$45 the Banquet dinner with Wine.

Judging Committee - 2011 Regular Judging is in place. The committee is identifying possible Sweeps judges.

Auction Committee – We have begun to receive items, and we are sending out letter to vendors in October.

Social Committee – Our Fall Puppy Picnic is scheduled for Sunday November 15. Sharon will be organizing the eVite for membership, and the menu is hot dog & hamburgers and covered dishes.

Bylaws Committee – The Bylaws updates are progress. The November meeting is the target to review the changes, in conjunction with the Puppy Picnic.

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 as scheduling permits.

Newsletter – The newsletter will be mailed out Monday Sep 7 and Sharon will be out of town for the rest of the month.

#### **Election of New Members**

Welcome new Regular member Michele Henson.

#### Unfinished Business

None.

#### **New Business**

None.

#### Adjournment

Holly Majka motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:28pm. Kay-C Seconded the motion. All Approved.

Submitted by Sue Hardwick, CKCSCGA Secretary.

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#### 2010 Specialty Banquet and Auction

We are in full procurement mode for our upcoming live and silent auctions to be held during our 2010 Specialty Banquet on Friday, February 5th.

We will be at a new and exciting venue, the Hilton Atlanta Airport on Virginia Avenue, so please make sure you reserve the date and attend the banouet & auction.

At our monthly meetings, there will be a signup sheet circulating regarding donations for the auction. If you would like to donate, please take time to write down your name and how you would like to contribute —the live auction, the silent auction or both! You can indicate if you would like to donate an item or make a monetary donation and let the auction committee do your shopping for you!

If you have items to donate, please begin to bring them to the

monthly meetings and give them to Sharon Utych. Please remember to provide the monetary value of the item so we can capture it for reporting purposes.

Not sure what to give? Try a quick search on e-bay for "cavalier king charles" and see if there is something you could bid on or purchase for the auction. Are you handy at painting or embroidery? How about a tote bag, apron or blanket?

Or, think about a "goodie basket" - with a cookbook, baking tin or doggie cake mixes?

How about a book on training your dog for the ring and lead or a comb or both? Or even a small grooming pack with a snood, comb, brush and spray or shampoo?

And how about those gourmet dog cookies for that special cavalier in your life???

Know of a local business that would like to donate a gift certificate? It does not even have to be cavalier related! How about a facial or massage for the tired but triumphant owner?? The possibilities are endless...

Next month, I will be putting together items (with cost)that you can sponsor and we will purchase on your behalf...you will just need to be the first person to email me with a commitment to sponsor the item(s), and the committee will make the purchase!

#### 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 beginning at Ilam,

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.

You should have received your "evite" in your email for the Picnic—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!



Won't you please

consider being a

volunteer at our

health clinics in

November???

Please contact

Linda Whitmire if

you are interested!

upcoming eye and

# 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
<b>Benefactor</b> = \$100 or more; <b>Sponsor</b> = \$50-\$99; <b>Donor</b> = \$25-\$49; <b>Friend</b> = 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 You should have received 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!

an "evite" via email last week. Be sure to click on the link and 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!!

#### Standing Committees & Chairpersons

Program Committee—Sue Hardwick (chair); Member Alice Alford

Education / Publicity Committee—Sue Hardwick (chair)

Rescue Committee—Sonya Thompson (chair)

Judges Selection Committee—Paula Ayers (chair); Members Linda Whitmire & Vickie Herring

Show Committee—Carol Lesley (chair); Alice Alford (assistant chair)

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Social Committee- Linda Whitmire (chair); Member Mark Fitchpatrick

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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"In my long career of working with domestic animals, pets, and wild animals, they never cease to amaze me! Whether it is their impressive strength, adaptability to new circumstances, social skills or their ability to communicate, they continue to re-define the term 'animal.' Perhaps what we don't know about animals will be the most incredible finding yet! Tim Link's accounts in Wagging Tales will make you start thinking..."

-Jack Hanna, Director Emeritus, Columbus Zoo, Host of TV's Into the Wild

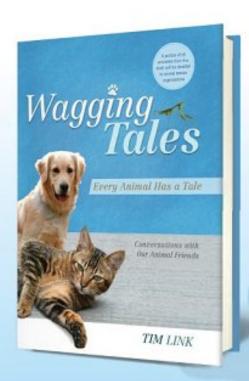
# Every Animal Has a Tale

MANY PEOPLE HAVE A SPECIAL BOND WITH ANIMALS, but few have the ability to understand the innermost thoughts, feelings, and desires of different creatures. Author Tim Link is one such individual—a man blessed with the ability to communicate with animals telepathically.

In this book, the author details some of his most dramatic and moving encounters with the animal kingdom. From helping a lost cat find her way home, to comforting a Catalan sheepdog after back surgery. Link shares stories that are both entertaining and heartfelt.

A full-time animal communicator and a Reiki energy healer for animals, Link has never failed to reach an animal, even if the animal has transitioned to the next world. In these dramatic and moving stories, Link describes how he communicates with animals, not only in words, but also in feelings, smells, tastes, emotions, and images. By building powerful intuitive connections with other species, Link has transformed the lives of numerous animals and the people who care for them. His honestly crafted stories will transform the lives of readers as well, as they learn to open their minds and hearts to all creatures great and small.

A portion of all proceeds from the sale of this book will be donated to animal rescue organizations.





# Talk and Book Signing by Tim Link October 6, 2009 During the monthly CKCSCGA meeting

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Bart & Linda Whitmire's

2784 Bonds Lake Road NE Convers, GA 30012



# CKCSCGA Fall Puppy Picnic



Our annual puppy picnic is not to be missed! Join us for fantastic food, fun doggie matches, great people and CAVALIERS! We will also be sponsoring a heart and eye clinic with board certified veternarians. This is a great apportunity to have your cavalier's heart and eyes screened for a nominal fee AND meet other cavalier lovers! Not a member of CKCSC? Not a problem! Come see what our dub is all about and join us for a fantastic day as our Fall Fun Match is open to EVERYONE and ALL cavaliers!.

TIME

11:00 am



Sunday 11/15/2009





Sharon Onorato (770) 569.9508 or email

utych@earthlink.net for an exite invitations and be sure to visit our website at ckcscatlanta.org



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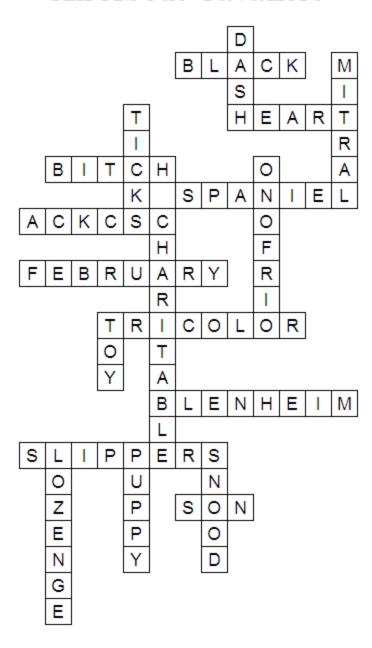


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Weimaraner
BichonErise
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Whippet
Papillon
ChineseCrested
EnglishCockerSpaniel
GiantSchnauzer
SuintBernard
GreatDane

#### **All About Cavaliers**



Hi everyone! I hope you got the answers to the JULY crossword puzzle! IF not, here are the answers! I forgot to put them into the August edition of the Cavalier Chronicle (cops!) Enjoy this month's puzzle!

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# Photos from the Cherokee Rose Cluster Show—Saturday August 22nd—Lawrenceville Kennel Club; Dr. Daniel W. Dowling was the Judge in Ring 1 for Saturday's show!

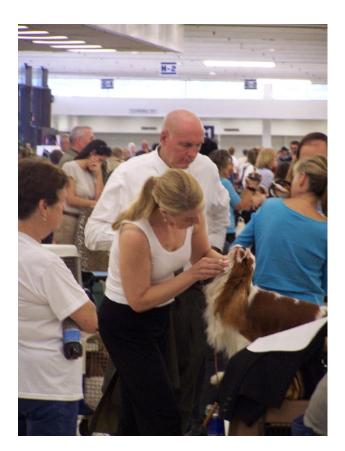






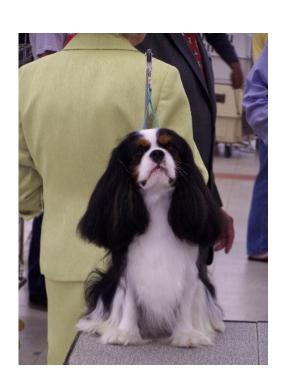


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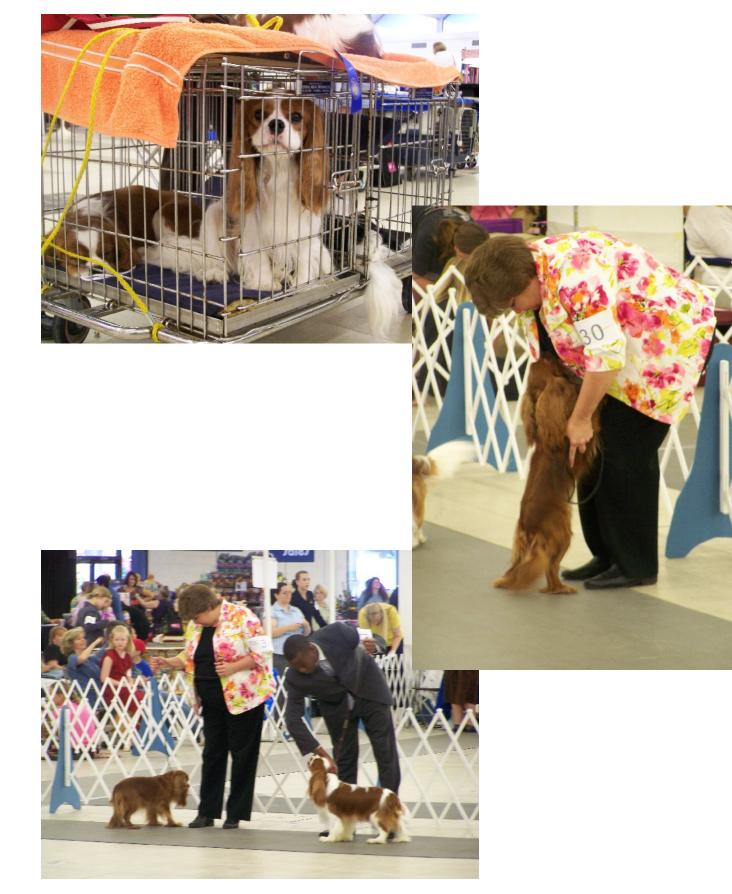








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Scott's Showcases

\*PBM Safes



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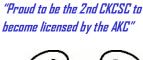






We are a sanctioned breed specialty club and licensed by the AKC to conduct dog shows and matches. We maintain membership in the American Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club, the ACKCSC, which is the AKC Parent Club for the breed. The purpose of our Club is to protect and advance the interests of the 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.





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

#### Editor's Note

Wait!

You are probably thinking"Didn't I just receive my August issue of the Chronicle"? Yes you did and this issue IS early. I wanted to be sure there was a September issue as Jim and I will be on vacation the remainder of the month!

I am looking forward to our trip! We are celebrating 25 years of "wedded bliss" and part of our holiday is a trip to Paris. We are excited to see the sights and especially the Louvre and Versailles. Then, we are off to England to visit friends and a few cavaliers too! Our dear friend Margaret owns a ruby and a black and tan—Amber and Poppy— and I cannot wait to see

them! Finn & Skye will be staying with "Gran" and her cavalier, Winston (Brookhaven Professor Dog). Winnie and Finn's dad is Pancho so the bro's get to spend some quality time together! I can only imagine how my dad will put up with three dogs!

Life is beginning to settle down at the "palace" too. Stephen has started his tenure at Vandy and is very happy and Michael has landed part time employment. He still would like to be a teacher but that will come in time....

As it gets quiet around the palace, things are happening all over in our Club! We had our pups at our meeting for the

first time. October's meeting has a really interesting speaker, November is our Puppy Picnic and December is our Holiday Gathering! Throw a few dog shows in the mix, sprinkle in getting ready for the Specialty Show and top it off with the Banquet and Auction.....who has TIME to catch their breath??? Oh and surrounding all that are Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays! Before you know it, the Specialty will be upon us. Don't let it creep up on you! Give early to the Trophy Fund and the Auction! We need YOUR support!

A tout a l'heure!

-BLOW-



Autumn will soon be in the