



# CAROLINA CAVALIER

Central Carolina Cavalier  
King Charles Spaniel Club

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## Let the Fun Begin!!! CCCKCSC Receives AKC Sanctioning

### AKC Approves Central Carolina Cavalier Club to Give Plan A(OA) Matches

The American Kennel Club has acted favorably on the club's request for sanctioned status as a Cavalier specialty club. In early August, the club was notified of its recognition as a sanctioned regional specialty club and, of special note, that it could hold a Plan A(OA) match. The AKC gave as its reasoning the club's history of activities over the past nine years.

The Central Carolina Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club began in January of 1996, shortly after the AKC recognized the Cavalier as one of its breeds. At that time the club affiliated itself with the American Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club (the parent club) as a regional Cavalier club.

Since 1996 the club has held an annual "fun" match for Cavalier fanciers to show their dogs in conformation, obedience and in fun classes. Usually a club will do only two or three fun matches before applying for AKC sanctioning. But because the Central Carolina CKCS membership was small for a number of years, the club's board felt the need to be patient and have the membership grow prior to making such an application.

The decision was made this past year to apply for sanctioning and the paper work was begun. Records needed to be assembled, dates checked, activities chronicled. However, because of the club's years of experience in giving fun matches, it was decided to ask the AKC to allow the club to go directly to the highest level of match – the Plan A(OA). This would allow the club to qualify for "licensed" status at least two years earlier than otherwise. A licensed show is where championship points are awarded in conformation judging, and where "legs" may be earned toward obedience titles.

The club will hold two Plan A(OA) matches over the next year before it seeks licensing status. The first of such matches is expected to be held in late 2005 or early 2006. Dana Pritchett has agreed to serve as Match Secretary for this match and she will again need all club members to pitch in to ensure its success.

A Plan A(OA) match is somewhat different from a fun match as it only takes pre-entries, has a catalog, and offers only regular classes. Its purpose is to prepare and train the club's members to give a licensed show. After two such events the club may apply to give a regular licensed "point" show. Currently, only five regional Cavalier clubs can give point shows - two clubs on the west coast, and three on the east coast. The Central Carolina Cavalier Club looks forward to being able to give its first point show in 2007.

### Meeting Notice CCCKCSC General Meeting

**Date:** Sept. 10, 2005

**Time:** 1:30 PM

**Location:** You Lucky  
Dog Day Care & Board-  
ing @ 8604 Jersey Court

**Program:** CGC test &  
commentary be followed by  
a Potluck Lunch.

**Directions:** This location  
is just south/east of 540 / US 70  
junction. From 70 take Angus  
Dr., then left on Jersey Court.

Please bring a chair & dish to  
share for the pot luck.

### CCCKCSC Board Meeting

**Date:** Oct 7, 2005

**Time:** 6:30 PM

**Location:**

Home of Bill Nelson

### Up Coming Events

Regional Dog Show

Labor Day Weekend at the  
NC State Fair Grounds

Labor Day Weekend

Lots of Clinics on Saturday,  
sponsored by the Durham  
Kennel Club.

# CGC Test

Date: Saturday 9/10/2005

Time: 11:00 am to 1:00 pmish

The Canine Good Citizen Test  
will be held at You Lucky Dog.

sponsored by

You Lucky Dog

and

The Central Carolina Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club.

The test is open to all dogs.

For more info about the  
test see:

[www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org)

For more detail and ques-  
tions see:

[www.carolinacavaliers.com](http://www.carolinacavaliers.com)

Or

[www.youluckydograleigh.com](http://www.youluckydograleigh.com)

Location:

You Lucky Dog Day Care & Boarding

8604 Jersey Court

Raleigh, NC

This location is just south/east of the  
540 / Hwy 70 junction.

From 70 take Angus Dr, then left on  
Jersey Ct.

Please RSVP to Dee Wallis at  
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## Brag of the Month

Eileen Wilson of Asheville has a lot to be proud of.

Front and Finish, a magazine for canine performance sports, has an annual list for the top ten scoring dogs in each breed in obedience each year. Eileen's Gray Stone Tinker Toy, UD NAJ is the number one Cavalier in this listing for 2004!

Tinker is a joy to watch and has delighted our members at our fun matches. Huge Kudos to a beautiful team.

## Editor's Corner

I look forward to letters and articles submitted to the newsletter. Given the mission of the club, these items should be informative, educational or humorous in nature. All submissions must indicate the name of the author.

Any and all pertinent articles, educational material, book reviews, pictures and creative writing are welcome.

Please send your Articles, Obedience, Show, Agility results, pictures and litter announcements to the editor prior to the 1st of Aug., Oct., Dec., Feb., April, June.

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## General Announcements

### Club Logo

Calling all members with artistic talents!  
 The club needs a logo and the board is looking for help and input from our members in the development of the logo.

If you have ideas, please contact Newsletter editor Amy Leigh Martin @ [amyleighmartin@msn.com](mailto:amyleighmartin@msn.com)

Or call 919-787-2994



## July Meeting Minutes

Central Carolina Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club  
Minutes of the meeting held July 9, 2005  
at You Lucky Dog, Raleigh, NC

President Nelson started the meeting with a program on Cavalier structure at 5:55pm.

Business meeting started at 6:15pm. There were 13 members and 5 guests present.

Minutes of the May meeting were approved as published.

There was no President's report.

Treasurer reported an account balance of \$4,519.29.

The Secretary reported a request for sanctioning had been sent to the AKC on June 30<sup>th</sup>.

Membership: Dee Wallis read the names of Rebecca Klemp and Marcia Earwood as new member applicants. They will be voted on at the September meeting. Dee also noted membership renewals were past the due date. Anyone who has not renewed yet needs to send their renewal form and dues in ASAP. Another notice will be sent out.

Rescue: Lynn Lake reported a Blenheim male had been rescued by the club. New owner is Amanda Kelly.

Program Committee: Dee Wallis reported that September is AKC's Responsible Dog Ownership month. The club will participate again this year by offering a Canine Good Citizens test as our meeting program in September. Future meetings' programs will be centered on Responsible Dog Ownership. Dee distributed a handout on the effects of summer heat on dogs.

Next member meeting will be September 10, 2005 at You Lucky Dog. Time is 1:30pm.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:30pm

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Wallis –Secy/Treas.

**Don't forget to bring a dish to share for to the  
Meeting & Potluck Sept.**

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**An End of Summer Meal suggestion: Tuna Pasta**

**Ingredients**

- 12-14 assorted Olives (pitted)
- 2 T capers
- 3 Tbs Pine Nuts, lightly toasted
- 1 large clove garlic, peeled and minced
- 3 T chopped Italian parsley
- 1-2 bunches Fresh Basil, leaves cut in julienne
- 2 cans Tuna packed in oil, drained
- 1 lb penne or rigatoni
- juice of 1 Lemon
- 6T EVOO
- Salt to taste

**Preparation**

Cook pasta in boiling water per pkg directions. While pasta cooks, Coarsely chop black olives and pine nuts separately. In a pasta bowl combine olives, capers, pine nuts, garlic, parsley, basil, and tuna. Mix gently, breaking tuna very slightly. Drain Pasta and place in Pasta Bowl. Dress with lemon juice and EVOO. Season with salt and serve immediately. Serves 6-8

Optional ingredients: halved grape tomatoes, chopped artichoke hearts, goat cheese crumbles.

