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August A (OA) Match Report

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The Central Carolina Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club held their 2ND A/OA match this year on Saturday, August 19, 2006 at the Durham Kennel Club facility in Hillsborough, North Carolina. The beautiful day set the tone with 29 Cavaliers in 31 entries from North Carolina and Virginia. These included two obedience entries.

The Cavalier Cafe was a hit again. Our thanks to Mary and Darrell Rich for all their hard work in heading up the Cafe again and to Sunny Johnson Lewis for all her efforts as well. The food was enjoyed so much by everyone.

We had Kevin Seifert doing doggy pictures for everyone and that seemed to please everyone judging from the line of folks waiting. For those not attending, you missed seeing our wonderful cover photo on the Show Catalog entitled "King Charles Spaniels" by artist Christine Merrill, American 20th Century Photograph courtesy of William Secord Gallery New York, New York.

I also wish to thank all those that helped to make the match the success it was. Gwen and Ron Wells, Wellington Cavaliers and club members were the donors of all our trophies again.

LF and Cathy Eason were our Obedience Chairs and Stewards, Mary Pickett checked everyone in and made sure they had the correct numbers as well as took care of catalog sales, Joyce McHenry did an unbelievable job cleaning the club and setting the ring up and stayed for clean up afterwards. Amy Martin was our ever ready head ring steward as well as co-chairing the match with me. I am greatly indebted for all her hard work as I am with Steve Wallis who has been right there to do whatever I have ask of him and helped me stay on tract with AKC.

We especially wish to thank our Judges. Conformation and Junior Showmanship was Anne Thaeader, Redthea Cavaliers, Hilton Head Island, South Carolina and Obedience was Anne Standen, Pilot Mountain, NC. We really appreciate your time.

After the match, about 16 people gathered at the Stonewood Grill in Raleigh for the Judges Dinner.

If I missed anyone that had a job I apologize and hope you will tell me. The success of our matches always falls on the wonderful volunteer's we have. We are fortunate to have some of the best. As many of you know, the club has applied to AKC for permission to hold specialty shows which will allow us to have points towards a dog's championship. In order to do this we need more members to become involved in the process by doing a small job. I trust everyone will realize how fortunate we are to be stewards of such a wonderful breed and sign up in the months ahead to participate in our first specialty.

Meeting Notice CCCKCSC General Meeting

Date: November 4,
2006

Time: 12 noon for han-
dling class

1:00 PM for meeting

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

Program: Handling
practice starts at 12 noon
followed by a program &
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 dish to share, &
maybe a chair, for the pot luck.

CCCKCSC Board Meeting

Date: Oct. 19, 2006

Time: 6:30 PM

Location:

Home of Bill Nelson

Up Coming Events

Awards Banquet, Jan.
20, 2007. Place TBA



Match Winners.

Puppy, 6-9 month Dogs; Rainbow Sizzlin Rumba

12-18 month Dogs: Imagine Dream Come True

Bred by Exhibitor Dogs: Lynsfaire Gimme A Kiss

American Bred Dogs; Cameliabay Top Hat At Lynsfaire

Open Dogs; Twickenham Charmin Red Rogue

Puppy, 6-9 months, Bitches; Krystal Noonvale Caliente of Lynsfaire

Puppy, 9-12 month, Bitches; Lynsfaire Game-Set-Match

12-18 Month bitches; Wildflower Stargazer.

Bred by Exhibitor, Bitches; Willenbec Rainbow The Last Diva

Open Bitches; Roi C'est La Vie

Best of Breed; Cameliabay Top Hat At Lynsfaire

Best of Opposite; Krystal Noonvale Caliente of Lynsfaire

Best Junior Showmanship Competition; Rainbow Highland Fling Handled by Leah Whitney

Dogs Reduce Loneliness in Nursing Homes

From Jane Kyper

According to a recent study in *Anthrozoos*, March 2006, nursing home residents feel much less lonely after spending time alone with a dog. Study author Dr. William Banks, MD, indicated this was an unexpected finding.

The expected finding was that dogs act as a social lubricant to increase interaction between the residents in nursing homes. The residents found a little quiet time with a dog was much nicer than spending time with a dog and other people. In the study, people who had one-on-one quality time experienced a significant decrease in loneliness after five or six weeks of visits. The one on one time gave the individuals an experience to talk about and share with other residents at meal times and other social events.

New Members Announced

Jamie Cook, Ken & Jen McQuade, and Joyce Sothoron were voted in as members at the Sept. meeting..

For Additional Breed information, answers to health questions and interesting articles check out the AKC Parent club web site @

www.ACKCSC.org



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Puppy Rules

To be posted VERY LOW on the refrigerator

The stairway was not designed by NASCAR and is not a racetrack. Beating me to the bottom is not the object. Tripping me doesn't help because I fall faster than you can run.

The dishes with the paw prints are yours and contain your food. The other dishes are mine and contain my food. Please note, placing a paw print in the middle of my plate and food does not stake a claim for it becoming your food and dish, nor do I find that aesthetically pleasing in the slightest.

I cannot buy anything bigger than a king sized bed. I am very sorry about this. Do not think I will continue sleeping on the couch to ensure your comfort. Dogs can actually curl up in a ball when they sleep. It is not necessary to sleep perpendicular to each other stretched out to the fullest extent possible. I also know that sticking tails straight out and having tongues hanging out the other end to maximize space is nothing but sarcasm

For the last time, there is not a secret exit from the bathroom. If by some miracle I beat you there and manage to get the door shut, it is not necessary to claw, whine, or try to turn the knob or get your paw under the edge and try to pull the door open. I must exit through the same door I entered. Also, I have been using the bathroom for years – canine attendance is not required.

The proper order is kiss me, then go smell the other dog butt. I cannot stress this enough!

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www.carolinacavaliers.com