



# CSPCA EXPRESS

## May 2018

Newsletter of the Chinese Shar-Pei Club of America, Inc.

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The Barker has moved to a quarterly publication and the CSPCA Express bi-monthly newsletter was instituted to provide members with timely information and announcements. The newsletter also allows applicants to move to full membership and gain privileges in a shorter time period.

The CSPCA Express is a work in progress and we welcome your feedback. Please contact Melissa Castillo ([Melissa.Castillo2@laverne.edu](mailto:Melissa.Castillo2@laverne.edu)) or Alex Mossotti ([AlexMossotti@gmail.com](mailto:AlexMossotti@gmail.com)) with any comment or concern.

## NOMINATIONS OPEN FOR AKC DELEGATE

AKC Delegate Nomination and Appointment: The CSPCA Delegate to the American Kennel Club shall be selected according to the following timetable and procedure:

In years of the delegate appointment (even numbered years), the BOD will accept nominations for the position of CSPCA Delegate from April 1 - May 31st. Nominations must be made to the CSPCA Secretary in writing by a CSPCA Member in Good Standing and accepted in writing by the nominated delegate. Nominations must be received by May 31st.

Nominees for the position of CSPCA Delegate may choose to address the CSPCA Officers and Directors at a regularly scheduled meeting in June or July. Each nominee, if desired may have ten minutes to ask or answer questions and discuss their qualifications for the position of CSPCA delegate to the AKC. The BOD will elect the CSPCA delegate by majority vote in executive session following the regularly scheduled July meeting. The term of the elected delegate shall begin the following August.

AKC Delegate Duties: The CSPCA Delegate to the American Kennel Club is a non-voting member of the CSPCA Board of Directors whose election and duties are prescribed in Article III, Section 3(b) of the CSPCA Bylaws: The Directors will elect by majority vote, a person to serve at the pleasure of the Board as a Delegate to the American Kennel Club. The American Kennel Club Delegate shall: shall be to represent the Club before The American Kennel Club at meetings of the AKC Delegate body; communicate decisions of the Delegate body to the Club and seek direction from the Board on issues considered by the Delegate body. Such Delegate need not be a member of the Board. The Club shall comply with American Kennel Club rules regarding the credentials and appointments of said Delegate. The term of office shall be two (2) years; each year shall run from August 1st - July 31st. The Delegates term shall be selected in even numbered years. As of March 23, 2006 the board approved a \$1500 per year expense allotment.

In addition the AKC Delegate shall:

- Participate in CSPCA BOD meetings scheduled immediately prior to AKC delegate meetings.
- Attend all quarterly meetings of the AKC Delegates at the delegate's expense, and report back to the CSPCA Board of Directors in a timely fashion.
- Report to the CSPCA Board information pertinent to breed matters and other information discussed by the AKC.
- Serve as a liaison between the AKC and the CSPCA.
- Advise the CSPCA Board regarding upcoming AKC votes with request for instructions on how to vote.
- Assist and address concerns of CSPCA members when requested.

Please send all nominations and acceptances to the CSPCA Secretary. The nominations and acceptances may be sent by USPS mail or by email. Mailing Address:

CSPCA Secretary- Melissa Castillo; 1587 Club Drive; Pomona, CA 91768

Email: [melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu](mailto:melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu)



### Announcing the arrival of Miss Liliana Sofia Mossotti

We would like to welcome Liliana Sofia Mossotti to the world. She is the new daughter of our Express Newsletter staff member, Alex Mossotti and her husband, Matthew. She was delivered on April 30, 2018 at 9:04 pm. 6lbs 12oz 19.5in. Congratulations and welcome to the world!

## Upcoming Specialties

More information about the upcoming Specialty Shows can be found on the CSPCA website.



### MAY 2018

#### CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB OF AMERICA SPONSORED BY LINCOLN LAND CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB

May 18-20  
Illinois State Fairgrounds, 801 E Sangamon Ave, Springfield, IL  
Closing; May 2 Entry Fees: \$30/\$25



#### CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

May 17-20 ~ 4 Designated Specialty shows – Same location  
Location- Solano County Fairgrounds- 900 Fairgrounds Dr., Vallejo, CA  
Closing Date: May 2 Entry Fees: \$31/\$22

#### CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB OF AMERICA SPONSORED BY CAJUN CLUB

May 25-26  
Monroe Civic Center, 401 Lea Joyner Memorial Expressway, Monroe, LA  
Closing Date: May 9, 2018 Entry Fee: \$20/\$18

#### CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB OF AMERICA SPONSORED BY LINCOLN LAND CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB

May 25-28  
Interstate Center, 2301 West Market, Bloomington, IL  
Closing: May 9, 2018 Entry Fee: \$29/\$24

#### GOLDEN STATE CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB

May 26-27 - Concurrent Specialties  
Shows Close: May 9  
Los Encinos Kennel Club and Antelope Valley Kennel Club ~ MISSION CIRCUIT  
Los Angeles County Fairplex; 1101 W. McKinley Avenue; Pomona, CA 91768  
Closing Date: May 9 Entry Fees: \$27.00 / \$20.00

### JUNE 2018

#### CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB OF AMERICA - SPONSORED BY GATEWAY CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB

June 3-4, 2018  
Purina Farms, 200 Checkerboard Drive, Gray Summit, MO  
Closing: May 16, 2018 Entry Fees: \$28/\$25

#### STAR OF THE NORTH CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB

June 22-23, 2018 ~ 6 Shows in 4 days  
Summer Solstice Cluster – June 21-24  
Isanti County Fairgrounds Mn Highway 95 Cambridge, MN  
Entry Fees: \$26/\$21 Shows Closing: June 6

**JULY 2018****CSPCA SHAR-PEI CLUB OF AMERICA  
SPONSORED BY DOMINO PARKER AND DONNA JOURDAN**Dates – July 5-8 ~ **7 shows in 4 days**

Location: Dallas Market Hall, Dallas, TX

This show is held in conjunction with the Trinity Valley Kennel Club at same location

Specialty Entry Fees: Breed - \$23...Puppy/Bred By/Veterans - \$16...

Jr Showmanship - \$10 or free as additional entry, Puppy/Veteran Sweepstakes - \$12

Closing: June 20, 2018

**CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB OF AMERICA - SPONSORED BY DOUG HOBBS**

July 7-8

Bridge View Center, 102 Church Street, Ottumwa, IA

Entry Fee: \$28/\$25 Closing Date: June 20, 2018

**September 2018****GATEWAY CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB**

September 15

Location: Purina Farms 200 Checkerboard Drive Gray Summit Mo 63039

Entry Fees: \$28.00/\$25.00 Closing Date: Aug. 29

**Listing of New Applicants for CSPCA Membership**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>CITY/STATE</b>
Claudia Canestra		Fayetteville, NC
Frank Carmazzi		Charlotte, NC
Brian & Heather Healy		Searcy, AR
Scott & Katy Pace	Janice Sayce	Antioch, TN
Randy & Regina Price		Pittsboro, IN
Jennifer Rimerman		Cape May, NJ
Mark & Dawn Sadler		Eden Prairie, MN
Kimberly Suozzi	Lori Johnson	Columbus, MI
Kristi & Keith Turner		Guthrie, OK
Tom & Kay Zeman	Tony Carter	Scottsdale, AZ

**Members in good standing may oppose accepting any applicant by advising the Membership Secretary within 30 days. Letters of opposition should have supporting, verifiable documentation and must be signed.**

Members in good standing may oppose accepting any applicant by advising the Membership Secretary within 30 days. Letters of opposition should have supporting, verifiable documentation and must be signed. Mail to: Bob Calltharp, Membership Chairman; 44 Mt Parnassus Rd.; East Haddam, CT 06423-1446; [bob@cspca.com](mailto:bob@cspca.com)

**Clothing Sales Reminder**

This year we have a new process for ordering Nationals clothing. We are asking you to preorder your clothing for delivery at Nationals. This allows you to choose the type, color and size you want in advance. All preorders and pre-payments must be received no later than **August 1, 2018**. A limited number of items will be available at nationals for those who do not take advantage of this offer, however we cannot guarantee that we will have the type, color or size you may want. You can find the order form on our website. Click on the Club Info button and then the Forms button. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Mike Hardy, Clothing Sales Lead at 310.890.1456 or [mdjhardy@gmail.com](mailto:mdjhardy@gmail.com).

## AKC 2018 Point Schedule

Effective May 16, 2018

	1 POINT	2 POINTS	3 POINTS	4 POINTS	5 POINTS
	Dogs/Bitches	Dogs/Bitches	Dogs/Bitches	Dogs/Bitches	Dogs/Bitches
<b>Division 1:</b> Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 6
<b>Division 2:</b> Delaware, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 4	4 / 5	5 / 7	6 / 13
<b>Division 3:</b> District of Columbia, Maryland, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 6
<b>Division 4:</b> Florida, Georgia, South Carolina					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 6
<b>Division 5:</b> Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 4	4 / 5	5 / 7	6 / 11
<b>Division 6:</b> Arizona, Colorado					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	4 / 3	5 / 4	6 / 5	7 / 6
<b>Division 7:</b> Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 8
<b>Division 8:</b> Oregon, Washington					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 6
<b>Division 9:</b> California					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	4 / 5	5 / 6	6 / 7	10 / 10
<b>Division 10:</b> Alaska					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 6
<b>Division 11:</b> Hawaii					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 6
<b>Division 12:</b> Puerto Rico					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 6
<b>Division 13:</b> Idaho, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 7
<b>Division 14:</b> Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 7
<b>Division 15:</b> Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Wisconsin.					
Chinese Shar-Pei	2 / 2	3 / 3	4 / 4	5 / 5	6 / 7

## Updating Your Information

Just a reminder- If your name, address, phone number or email address changes, you need to notify the CSPCA Membership Secretary at [Bob@cspca.com](mailto:Bob@cspca.com)

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

The CSPCA Board of Directors would like to thank the 2018 Nominating Committee (Mike Hardy - Chairman, Elizabeth Cleary, Jan Kolnik - Alternates: Roy Anderson and Terry Faulkner for the slate of officers that they have put forth:

**Vice-President** - Mike Barker  
**Treasurer** - Sue Allan  
**Central Director** - Ann Cookson  
**Director at Large** - Doug Hobbs  
**Director at Large** - Tammy Bohlke  
**Director at Large** - Loretta Anders

The following people are running from the floor:

**Treasurer**, Marie Bradley  
**Director at Large**, Dora Wagoner

*Just a reminder: Only members with Individual, Family & Lifetime memberships are eligible to vote in our elections. Associates and Foreign Memberships are not eligible to vote. Ballots will be mailed out at the end of July to all members of the club that were in good standing on June 1. Ballots must be returned to the Parliamentarians by August 31 to be valid.*

## Upcoming Additions to The Barker

We are trying a couple of new things so members can get more voice in our dog club and get to know each other better. It is not always easy to know what is happening on the other side of the country. A few new things are being added to The Barker in an effort to work on this. We hope you will help us get these off the ground. Thanks in advance for any contributions.

### **Bark Back**

This column is your chance to let us know what you think. It can basically be about anything Shar-Pei or club related. This column will take up no more than one page in each issue and we hope to have multiple people contributing, so try to keep it short. For example: If you have comments on a previous article - agree or disagree - let us know, but keep it positive. Nothing derogatory or mean spirited will be printed.

### **Thank You Notes**

Has someone in this dog club done something nice for you lately? Maybe they helped you show a dog when you needed a hand. Maybe they loaned you a leash when yours broke, or helped you think of a dog name or words for an ad. If there is someone you would like to thank, please write it down and send it to us. It can be no more than three sentences, and it must be a positive thank you. The message must include the first and last name of the people that helped you, and all messages must be signed with your first and last name. We hope to get lots of these for our next issue.

### **Volunteer Spotlight**

In an effort to get to know our volunteers better we are starting a column on spotlighting our volunteers. These are the people that help make our club run smoothly. We want everyone to know who they are so the volunteer spotlight is getting started. We will randomly choose a volunteer or Committee to be in the spotlight, but we need the volunteers help with what to say about them. Of course we will need a photo as well so you can put a name with the face. The Barker staff is hoping that if you are asked to be in the spotlight that you will help make this a successful column.

Please send your thank you notes and Bark Back comments to:

Paula Perry: [paulapei@yahoo.com](mailto:paulapei@yahoo.com) or Alice Fix: [alleydoll3@comcast.net](mailto:alleydoll3@comcast.net)

To make sure we do not miss your comments, please put **Barker- Thank You** or **Barker- Bark Back** in the subject line of your email.



## Call For Nominations For CSPCA Valued Member Award

The **CSPCA Valued Member Award** - is seen as a way to recognize the many individuals who contribute positively to our breed or club. The CSPCA is a large and diverse organization with no paid employees. Therefore, the efforts of our volunteers are directly responsible for the success of our club and its programs. I believe it is an honor to be able to reward a CSPCA member for distinguished service.

Now it is your opportunity to follow suit and nominate another CSPCA member as YOUR Most Valued Member choice. This award is NOT just something to be passed around amongst friends, in fact is actually our hope that you do NOT do this. Instead, it is for that unsung hero who works for the CSPCA with their heart and soul, who has contributed their time, energy and efforts to the Club, our CSPCA, because of their love for the Breed and the Club which fosters it. It is for a person who is one of those folks who so often works very hard behind the scenes, not asking for or expecting recognition but working because they care, because it is just what they DO. It is for a person who is not just a member of the CSPCA, but who makes a truly valuable contribution to the CSPCA - thus a Most Valued Member award. We want to let these unsung heroes KNOW that we see what they give to the CSPCA and our breed and that we honestly appreciate it.

If you know of someone who deserves this award and has not received it yet, please consider nominating them. **We need a brief write up of why you think the person should get the award, along with their name and your name. Include the things they have done for the club that make them a Valued Member in your write up.** The board will take all the nominations and select one winner each quarter. **The deadline for nominations is June 15.** All nominations should be sent to Cathi DiGiacomo at [cathi1947@comcast.net](mailto:cathi1947@comcast.net) If the person that you nominated wins, you will be notified and will need to get a high - resolution photo for printing in The Barker. *All winners will be announced in The Barker and with a certificate at the CSPCA Awards Program the following year.*

*If you miss this deadline, the next deadline will be September 15, 2018.*

### **Alphabetical Order of People that have won the award and therefore are ineligible to be nominated again.**

Loretta Anders	Gayle Gold	Don Gillett	Lisa Myers	Trish Sullivan
Roy Anderson	Creasman	Larry Harvey	Rebecca Pentecost	Dr. Linda Tintle
Lee Arnold	Terry Faulkner	Debbie Johnson	Paula Perry	Dr. Jeff Vidt
Jocelyn Barker	Alice Fix	Alan Klessig	Harry Roach	Marilyn Vinson
Marilyn Braunstein	Grace Fritz	Barbara LaVere	Pat Zimmel Roach	Melissa Walquist
Karen Burgess	Beverly Foster	Annabelle Linn	Kay Rosenberger	Louise Watson
Ann Cookson	Holly Fuller	Deanna Liskey	Georgette Schaefer	
Darin Cox	Gari Gardner	Tami Luddeke	Debby Smith	

## Special Announcements

*Dear Members of the Chinese Shar-Pei Club of America -*

*On April 23, the CSPCA Board approved two policies, a Membership Directory Policy and a Privacy Policy. These two Policies are attached/included for your information. These policies were developed by an ad hoc group with the advice of legal counsel. The CSPCA intends to publish a Membership Directory in the Members Only section of the CSPCA's Website on or about September 1, 2018. This Directory will be for everyone's use within the guidelines of these Policies. It is the Board's intention the Membership Directory will be searchable and "read-only". With this notice, each Member is being given the opportunity to decide whether you want only your name in the Directory, or the following information in the Directory; name, address, phone number, email address, membership start date, and membership expiration*

date. No action on the part of a Member will signify that Member's consent to have their information published in the Directory. In other words, you do not need to take any action unless you want only your name included in the Membership Directory. Any Member wishing to "opt out" and have only their name appear in the Directory must send a signed statement to the CSPCA Membership Secretary ([Bob@cspca.com](mailto:Bob@cspca.com)) no later than July 15, 2018. The Statement should say -

*I UNDERSTAND THE LISTING OF MY MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION IS REVOCABLE AT ANY TIME BY WRITING TO THE MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY OF THE CSPCA. I WISH TO ONLY HAVE MY NAME LISTED IN THE MEMBERS ONLY SECTION OF THE CSPCA WEBSITE AND TO OPT OUT FROM LISTING MY MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION,*

SIGNED : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*This Notice is being communicated to CSPCA members by the following four methods prior to July, 2018;*

- 1) publishing the policies and plans in The Barker,*
- 2) publishing the policies and plans in the Newsletter,*
- 3) sending out an email notice to the Members Yahoo List, and*
- 4) sending out the email notice to all members who currently receive CSPCA email notices.*

*Members with email will receive this notification three or four times, and Members who only receive postal mail will receive this notification twice. Future New Members will receive a similar Notification, including the Membership Directory and Privacy Policies in the New Members Handbook which gets mailed to each new member. The New Member packet will also include a postage prepaid postcard giving new members the opportunity to request only their name be listed in the Membership Directory, if desired.*

*The Membership Secretary will maintain the Membership Directory for the CSPCA. Updates to the Directory will be made by the Membership Secretary at least twice per year.*

## CSPCA Privacy Policy

Protecting your private information is a CSPCA priority. This Privacy Policy applies to [www.cspca.com](http://www.cspca.com) and The Chinese Shar-Pei Club of America and governs data collection and usage. For the purposes of this Privacy Policy, unless otherwise noted, all references to The Chinese Shar-Pei Club of America include [www.cspca.com](http://www.cspca.com) and CSPCA. The CSPCA website is a Membership Directory site. By using the CSPCA website, you consent to the data practices described in this statement.

### Collection of your Personal Information

We do not collect any personal information about you unless you voluntarily provide it to us. However, you may be required to provide certain personal information to us when you elect to use certain products or services available on the Site. These may include: (a) registering for an account on our Site; (b) entering contest sponsored by us; (c) signing up for special offers from selected third parties; (d) sending us an email message; (e) submitting your credit card or other payment information when ordering and purchasing products and services on our Site. To wit, we will use your information for, but not limited to, communicating with you in relation to services and/or products you have requested from us. We also may gather additional personal or non-personal information in the future.

### Use of your Personal Information

CSPCA collects and uses your personal information to operate its website(s) and deliver the services you have requested.

CSPCA may also use your personally identifiable information to inform you of other products or services available from CSPCA.

### Sharing Information with Third Parties



CSPCA does not sell, rent or lease its membership lists to third parties.

CSPCA may share data with trusted partners to help perform statistical analysis, send you email or postal mail, provide customer support, or arrange for deliveries. All such third parties are prohibited from using your personal information except to provide these services to CSPCA, and they are required to maintain the confidentiality of your information.

CSPCA may disclose your personal information, without notice, if required to do so by law or in the good faith belief that such action is necessary to: (a) conform to the edicts of the law or comply with legal process served on CSPCA or the site; (b) protect and defend the rights or property of CSPCA; and/or (c) act under exigent circumstances to protect the personal safety of users of CSPCA, or the public.

### Links

The CSPCA website contains links to other sites. Please be aware that we are not responsible for the content or privacy practices of such other sites. We encourage our users to be aware when they leave our site and to read the privacy statements of any other site that collects personally identifiable information.

### All Junior Members

All Junior Members will automatically be excluded from the Membership Directory published in the Members only section of the CSPCA Website [www.cspca.com](http://www.cspca.com).

### E-mail Communications

From time to time, CSPCA may contact you via email for providing announcements, promotional offers, alerts, confirmations, surveys, and/or other general communication. If any member would like to stop receiving via email from CSPCA, you may opt out of such communications by written notification.

### Changes to this Statement

CSPCA reserves the right to change this Privacy Policy from time to time. We will notify you about significant changes in the way we treat personal information by sending a notice to the primary email address specified in your account, by placing a prominent notice on our site, and/or by updating any privacy information on this page. Your continued use of the Site and/or Services available through this Site after such modifications will constitute your: (a) acknowledgment of the modified Privacy Policy; and (b) agreement to abide and be bound by that Policy.

### Contact Information

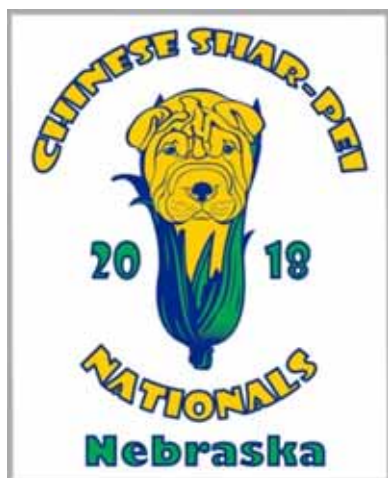
CSPCA welcomes your questions or comments regarding this Statement of Privacy. If you believe that CSPCA has not adhered to this Statement, please contact CSPCA Secretary- Melissa Castillo; 1587 Club Drive; Pomona, CA 91768; 909-374-3764; [Melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu](mailto:Melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu) Effective as of June 01, 2018

## Auction/Raffle



We need your help collecting items for the Silent Auction/Raffle! The proceeds from the raffle benefit the Club, Rescue Fund, the Juniors, Veterans Obedience Showcase and Charitable Trust. If you have a donation for the raffle/auction, please let Holly Fuller know at [hafu2112@yahoo.com](mailto:hafu2112@yahoo.com) or 281-341-5522 Raffle tickets will be sold at the club table, and new items will be added to the raffle daily. If you have items that need to be mailed, please send those to: Doug Hobbs; 221 Linden Ave.; Council Bluffs, Iowa 51503; 515-822-2561; [hobbsgv@gmail.com](mailto:hobbsgv@gmail.com) . The auction items will be on display and auctioned off at the Awards Banquet. Thank you in advance for your donations to this good cause.

## CSPCA National Specialty Show October 8-12, 2018



**Delta Hotels South Sioux City Riverfront**  
**385 East 4th Street**  
**South Sioux City, Nebraska 68776**  
**Phone 402-494-4000, Option 0**

Room rate \$104.00 per night + tax

<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/suxde-delta-hotels-south-sioux-city-riverfront/>

Room rate is good for 3 days prior to Nationals and 3 days after Nationals if rooms are available. There are king rooms and double queen rooms in the block. *Suites are available but not discounted.* \$25 non-refundable deposit for all rooms with dogs.

### Tentative Schedule – Subject to change

- Sun. Oct. 7 ~** Move-in & Set Up. Puppy Fun Match
- Mon. Oct. 8 ~** Regional Specialty: Judge- Karen Kleinhans DeSilva # 17348,  
 4-6 Puppy: Judge- Sandy Orr  
 Welcome Party
- Tues. Oct. 9 ~** Futurity/Maturity: Judge- Bradley Jenkins #7469,  
 Agility: City Park Baseball Field, Judge- TBA  
 Top 25 Invitational Dinner & Judging
- Wed. Oct. 10 ~** Sweepstakes: Judges-  
 Bitches, Best Puppy & Veteran Dogs- Susanna Bjornsson  
 Dogs, Best Veteran & Veteran Bitches- Arlene Dannemiller  
 Obedience/Rally: TBA  
 General Membership Meeting, Awards Dinner & Program
- Thurs. Oct. 11 ~** Dogs, Bitches, Stud Dog & Brood Bitch: Judge-Marilyn Vinson #55614  
 Judges Education
- Fri. Oct. 12 ~** Junior Showmanship, Non-Regular Veterans, Best of Breed, Best  
 Owner Handled, Best Bred By Exhibitor, Best Veteran & Brace  
 Class: Judge- Vicki Abbott #6644  
 Judges Education

**Show Chairman: Marge Calltharp** [marbo@portone.com](mailto:marbo@portone.com)

**Assistance Show Chairmen: Don Gillett-** [Dgill1122@aol.com](mailto:Dgill1122@aol.com)

**Mike Hardy-** [mdihardy@gmail.com](mailto:mdihardy@gmail.com)

**Obedience/Rally Chairman: Sarah Beurkens** [beurkens09@hotmail.com](mailto:beurkens09@hotmail.com)

Check the CSPCA Nationals web page often as new information is added as it becomes available. We also encourage you to join the Chinese Shar-Pei National Specialty 2018 Facebook Page to get more information about everything to do with Nationals and the surrounding area.

You can find the more details on the CSPCA website ([www.cspca.com](http://www.cspca.com)) and on the Chinese Shar-Pei National Specialty 2018 Facebook page.

## Nominations for CSPCA Awards Reminder- 2018

This is the reminder of CSPCA Awards deadline for 2018. The following is a list of the Awards that must be applied for. For a reminder of the requirements for each award please see the CSPCA website, or e-mail the Committee Chairman for further clarification. Unless stated otherwise, we are trying to get all awards turned in by August 8, 2018.

**Agility Awards-** The AKC top agility dogs report only shows dogs competing at the highest level, so in order to receive recognition it is the responsibility of the owner/handler to keep up with the required information and submit it to the Agility Chairperson. **You must send the information from each qualifying leg of a title—score, standard course time, actual time, and placement (if any) to the Agility Chairman by July 1 each year.** Send your certifications and paperwork to the Committee Chairman: Paula Perry; P. O. Box 335; Wolfforth, TX 79382; [PaulaPei@yahoo.com](mailto:PaulaPei@yahoo.com)

**AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award-** Any CSPCA member in good standing or any CSPCA Affiliated club may nominate any CSPCA member in good standing for this award based on the AKC Code of Sportsmanship. Nominations open on **June 15**, and must be received by the current CSPCA Secretary on or before **August 1** each year. Nominations must be submitted in writing, and limited to 300 words or less, and signed by the person submitting the nomination. All nominees and nominators will be verified as to being members in good standing of the CSPCA before a nomination is considered. Send nominations to:

CSPCA Secretary – Melissa Castillo; 1587 Club Drive; Pomona, CA 91768; [Melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu](mailto:Melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu)

**CSPCA Canine Distinguished Service Award-** Any CSPCA member or CSPCA Affiliated Club can nominate a Shar-Pei. This award is to recognize any Shar-Pei that has made an extraordinary contribution to their community or to an individual. This must be something that is above and beyond their normal contribution as a member of a family in order to be recognized for this award. Nominations must be received by the **August 1** deadline. Nominations should be submitted to the CSPCA Secretary-

Melissa Castillo; 1587 Club Drive; Pomona, CA 91768; [Melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu](mailto:Melissa.castillo2@laverne.edu)

**Canine Good Citizen Awards-** Any CSPCA member that has a Shar-Pei that has passed a CGC test in the past year is eligible to be recognized by having their dog's name listed in The Barker. If your dog passed a CGC test or earned a GCGC during 2017, please send a copy of the test results or the CGC certificate by the **deadline of August 1** to:

Joni Monnich; 3929 W 113 Ave.; Crown Point, IN 46302; [sharpei4u@earthlink.net](mailto:sharpei4u@earthlink.net)

**Morison Award-** Any CSPCA member can nominate someone for this Award. An explanation of 250 words or less as to why the nominee deserves recognition for this award must accompany all nominations. All nominations must be signed, and you must be a member of the CSPCA to make a nomination. All nominations must be submitted by **July 1**.

Send your nominations to: Dr. Jeff Vidt; 210 S. Park St.; Westmont, IL 60559; [drjwv@aol.com](mailto:drjwv@aol.com)

**Rescue Awards-** Rescue Award nominations to be presented at the 2018 national specialty are due to Debby Smith **no later than June 1**. Please submit your nomination, explaining why you feel the individual should be nominated for a rescue award in 100 words or less. Nominees must be members in good standing of the Chinese Shar-Pei Club of America, and nomination must include active rescue work undertaken by the individual. Send your nominations to:

Debby Smith; 2203 Walnut Grove Lane; Richmond, TX 77406; [sharpeirescue@prodigy.net](mailto:sharpeirescue@prodigy.net)

**Therapy Awards-** Dogs & Owners that are members of the CSPCA and have earned an AKC Therapy Dog title in 2017 will be recognized at the 2018 Awards Banquet. A copy of your certificate must be sent to the Therapy Dog Chairman by **June 1**. All dogs that were active in a Therapy dog program the previous year and meet the requirements will be recognized in The Barker. Send your certifications and paperwork to the Committee Chairman:

Tina Chase; PO Box 553; Belmont, MI 49306-0553; [cspgwpmom@gmail.com](mailto:cspgwpmom@gmail.com)

**Versatility Awards-** Versatility Shar-Pei is one that has earned two (2) or more titles in two (2) separate fields in any of the AKC performance and conformation events or any comparable titles from other organizations. Eligibility is based on membership in CSPCA as a member in good standing at the time the award is earned. The complete rules, instructions and forms can be found on at: [www.cspca.com](http://www.cspca.com). Click on "Dog Recognition", and then on "Versatility". Deadline to get your paperwork turned in to the Chairman is **July 31**. Send your certifications and paperwork to the Committee Chairman: Paula Perry; P. O. Box 335; Wolfforth, TX 79382; [PaulaPei@yahoo.com](mailto:PaulaPei@yahoo.com)

***To All Chairmen:*** Your list of awards should be sent to Judy Dorough by August 8, 2018 so they will be included in the Awards Program. Send to: Judy Dorough; 11340 Casa Blanca Ave; Yucaipa, CA 92399; 909-989-9501; [tujs@live.com](mailto:tujs@live.com)

## FOREVER HOMES NEEDED

The CSPCA and its members sincerely appreciate the work provided by these fine affiliated rescue groups. Contact a wonderful volunteer at the email listed below for additional information. Make a web visit! While you are there consider making a donation to help these beautiful Shar-Pei!



**Mai Mai** is a 7 yr old typical Shar Pei who could use a home with a fenced in yard. She's good with other dogs in the house & would do best in a home with adults only. She's in good health, likes attention and is a quiet dog. While on a walk with her foster father, she was attacked by a dog running at large & required 30+ stiches, incurred 14 puncture wounds all to the face & has the scars to prove it. She has since become very defensive outside the home when she sees other dogs. She's a very sweet girl inside the home where she's safe. She weighs 44 lbs. Contact: Macspro; [www.macspro.org](http://www.macspro.org) ; [peirescue@macspro.org](mailto:peirescue@macspro.org) 301-881-1221



Hi, my name is **Lulu!** I am an adorable little 2-3 year old female Shar-Pei! I am about 13 inches at the withers, a definite mini. I am stocky and strong now. I only weighed 33 lbs when I came to rescue, but I have gained weight and am looking beautiful. I have a few more lbs to go and should probably be around 40 lbs. I do love my food and treats! Everyone who has met me has said I am so SWEET! I am good with other dogs, but I am not so good with cats. I will be spayed on 5/3 and will be ready to go to my furever home! Contact: Shar-Pei Rescue of VA; Barnegat Light, NJ 08006 609-494-0020 [info@sharpeirescueofva.org](mailto:info@sharpeirescueofva.org)



Meet **Miss Honeybee!** She is the funniest lady....She is a mini purebred 11 years old and weighs 30lbs. She gets along just fine and once she knows the layout just rarely bumps into things. She is full of life and personality. She is healthy otherwise and gets around just fine. She so deserves to finish living out her life in a healthy loving environment. She does great taking her eye drops which she will need the rest of her life. She does great with other dogs unless they try to sleep with her..she is so funny ...she even uses the doggie door! Loves being outside....finds things to scratch her back with and just plain knows what she wants in life! Contact: Please contact Kelly at [K9Wrinkles@aol.com](mailto:K9Wrinkles@aol.com) if you are interested in adopting or fostering.



**Max** is a very handsome 7 year old brushcoat Shar Pei in **Nashua, NH** who was given up by his elderly owners who could no longer care for him. He came into rescue needing entropion surgery and because of the lack of care to his eyes over the years, his eyesight is somewhat compromised. He has had surgery, and although helped his eyes feel better, his eyesight still is not great, but gets along just fine. In fact, although he is 7 years old, he is very playful and mischievous boy and loves to play with the other dogs at his foster home. He also loves attention from people, and likes to cuddle up on the couch. Contact: Peis And Strays Naspr; Suzanne Wyman Milford, NH; 603-930-5089 [suzanneWyman@yahoo.com](mailto:suzanneWyman@yahoo.com)