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The CSPCA Express

Newsletter for the Chinese Shar-Pei Club of America



The CSPCA is publishing a bi-monthly newsletter. **The Barker** has moved to quarterly publication and the **CSPCA Express** 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 – we welcome your feedback. Please contact Georgette Schaefer (ghschaef@gmail.com) with any comment or concern.

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Find us on FACEBOOK!
We post current information on that page along with notices etc that our club members might be interested in.

Please forward this Newsletter to all Shar-Pei fanciers! We'd love to find homes for the featured rescue dogs!

SCROLL OF HONOR Honor Your Pet/Family Member

Do you wish to recognize the life and honor the memory of any of your Shar-Pei who has passed away? Any CSPCA members, both foreign and domestic, may submit the name of a dog that they owned who has passed January 1 through December 31, 2012 to be recognized. The submission should include the registered name of the dog, the dog's call name, full date of birth and death, and name of owner(s). If more than one owner, permission for inclusion must be given by all parties. Send all information to jihlo@q.com and I will acknowledge receipt of the information. I am happy to answer any questions you may have.

Vicki O'Neill
jihlo@q.com

CSPCA Board of Directors and Officers: President – Bonnie Berney, Vice-President – Jeff Vidt, Secretary – Jocelyn Barker, Treasurer – Marilyn Currey, Eastern Director – Don Gillett, Central Director – Rosie Steinke, Western Director – Karen Burgess, Directors At Large: Alice Fix, Gail Garrison, Georgette Schaefer, Dorothy Schuerman, Cate Stewart and Beverly Wall.

Contact information for club officials can be found at www.cspca.com and in each issue of **The Barker**.

CSPCA SPECIALTY SHOW CALENDAR

Attention Affiliated Clubs! Please send information on your upcoming specialty shows to the CSPCA webmaster. (suefp@royalsharpei.com) Any CSPCA affiliated club may have their show announcement posted online and in the newsletter free of charge.

Chinese Shar-Pei Club of Greater Houston

July 19-22, 2012

Entry Fees- Sweepstakes for Thursday - \$18/\$22

Specialty – \$30/\$25

Juniors - \$3

Sweepstakes for Friday - \$25

Friday, Saturday & Sunday shows - \$32

Closing Date- July 4, 2012

This show is held in conjunction with the Houston, Galveston and Beaumont Kennel Club's at Reliant Center – 1 Reliant Center Drive – Houston TX

Show Superintendent- Onofrio

Website: www.onofrio.com

Mailing address: Jack Onofrio Dog Shows, LLC

PO Box 25764 Oklahoma City, OK 73125-0764

Judges- Thursday July 19, 2012

Sweepstakes – Mr. Garry K Newton

Specialty – Mr. Timothy S Robbins

Friday – July 20, 2012

Sweepstakes – Dr. Carol White-Moser

Conformation – Mr. David A Alexander

Saturday- July 21, 2012

Breed – Mr. Roger R Hartinger

Sunday- July 22, 2012

Breed – Ms. Angela J Porpora

Listing of New Applicants for CSPCA Membership

Name	Sponsor	City, State
Sharon & Michael Chambliss		Milan, TN
Robert Long & Hope Norman	Deb Camp	Springfield, VT
John Soldavini		Naples, FL
Wanda Bloxham		Providance, UT
Amber DeRouin		Hope Mills, NC
Clayton Johnson		Robertsville, MO
Tina Johnson		Robertsville, MO
CeSea Lawson, DVM		Fayetteville, NC
Sheli Scott		Ozark, MO

FOREVER HOMES NEEDED

In each issue, we feature dogs currently up for adoption from CSPCA affiliated rescue groups. The CSPCA and its members sincerely appreciate the work provided by these fine organizations. **Please help our hard working rescue volunteers find homes for these dogs, and ALL the great dogs listed on their websites. CSPCA affiliated rescue groups are listed in each issue of The Barker and on the website.**



Peggy was found in the California desert wandering for days. Peggy was skin and bones the day we got her. Her spine and ribcage were so prominent that she appeared to be on her last days.

Now, many months later, Peggy is a 6 year old happy go lucky girl, who bears little resemblance to the skeleton she once was. She plays with her foster brothers, and is a loving, curious girl. She's spayed, vaccinated, well-adjusted, and ready for a loving home. visit www.Peipeople.com or www.facebook.com/peipeople to learn more about adopting Peggy.

Info Coming





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Meet Archie, a wonderful @ 3 year old male horsecoat. He is a super sweet, calm and mild-mannered young man who just wants to be someone's main companion. He likes to go everywhere with his people and would prefer to not be left home alone too much – in fact, at the boarding place where he lives, he is spoiled rotten and gets to go bye-bye with his daycare mommy almost every day. She takes him to the bank, the store, etc. and not only is he a very good rider, but he almost never orders his own burgers at the drive thru! Archie is crate trained but he is a very sensitive man and he much prefers to be loose and have the run of the place. He gets depressed if left alone too much and would not do well crated and alone all day. He does like other dogs and would do well with the company of others, but, in the end, he is a true people-person and when he bonds, he bonds hard. Contact: www.sharpei Rescue.com
Debby Smith sharpei Rescue@prodigy.net





Meet Charlei: Handsome, healthy and happy are but a few of his wonderful traits. Charlei is a big guy weighing in at 63 lbs. of solid muscle that is balanced with an equal amount of gentle nature. He loves people, especially children, and is looking for a new family to call his own. He spends a lot of time entertaining himself. He is not a dog that will be bored if you are not entertaining him. He has made an area in his run that he stores his toys in (we call it his man cave!) He spends many hours chewing on his bones, and enjoying his outside porch at the shelter. He enjoys people, but he's independent and has no problem finding fun things to do on his own. He walks great on a lead, rides well in a car, and listens well to commands. He is @ 5 years old, HW negative, up to date on vaccinations, neutered and ready for adoption. Name spelling is correct, Charlei's owner surrendered him due to her own dire circumstances. He came in with the cute name. Contact: Debby Smith www.sharpei Rescue.com sharpei Rescue@prodigy.net

Rocky has the heart of a champion. He also has only three legs but shhhh.....don't tell him. We don't think he knows! He can do anything a four legged dog can do and not miss a beat. Rocky loves everybody he meets and is very gentle. We do not know what happened to Rocky that he had to have his leg amputated but long before he came into rescue. Rocky had been living with a homeless man and was taken to animal control when he could no longer care for him. They contacted NASPR for help in finding him a family deserving of such a special dog. Rocky is about 3 years old and has lots of love to give to some very special family. Could that be yours? If so, please send in your application for Rocky today. Contact: www.sharpei Rescue.com Debby Smith sharpei Rescue@prodigy.net



Two Ways to Protect Your Rights ...

AKC PAC: Help Support Dog-Friendly Government Officials

The American Kennel Club has taken the lead in supporting legislation across the country that protects the rights of responsible dog owners. The AKC Political Action Committee gives us an additional tool with which to interface with legislators. Through the PAC, we can demonstrate a unity of purpose that helps us advance a positive legislative agenda. The AKC PAC collects voluntary contributions from individuals and uses these donations to support candidates who defend dog owners' rights and can effectively influence legislation impacting animal owners.

Your donation will be pooled with contributions from AKC club members across the country to strengthen our

support for reasonable, enforceable laws that protect the health and welfare of purebred dogs and do not restrict the rights of breeders and owners who take their responsibilities seriously.



Contributions to this fund are not deductible on federal tax returns. Federal law requires us to use our best efforts to collect and report the name, mailing address, occupation and name of employer of individuals whose contributions exceed \$200 in a calendar year. The maximum annual contribution to the AKC PAC is \$5,000. All contributions are voluntary.

AKC Canine Legislation Support Fund: Support Responsible Dog Owner Rights

The American Kennel Club has been advocating for purebred dog owners since our founding in 1884 and the Government Relations department was founded in 1990 to enable the AKC to take an even more active role in protecting owners' and breeders' rights. The right to own and breed dogs responsibly is seriously threatened by the introduction of repressive canine legislation at the state and local levels.

Combating negative canine legislation is a costly endeavor. In response to the many inquiries we have received about where clubs could send donations to support AKC's efforts, we have established a Canine Legislation



Support Fund, an account devoted solely to government relations efforts. Any assistance you or your club chooses to provide will greatly enhance our efforts to defeat the onslaught of repressive legislative initiatives and ensure our rights, not only at the present time but for generations to come.

Contributions can be made on-line or via check made payable to the American Kennel Club and the memo line on the check should indicate the funds are to be utilized for "Government Relations Costs". Contributions to this fund are not tax deductible.

For more information and to contribute online, visit www.akc.org/canine_legislation and click on the "Two Ways to Protect Your Rights" link.

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If additional space is needed, please copy this page. For more information, call (919) 816-3720 or e-mail akcpac@akc.org.

All Aboard The Chattanooga Choo Choo

CSPCA 2012 National Specialty - September 23rd-28th

Chattanooga Choo Choo Hotel
1400 Market Street
Chattanooga, TN 37402
800-872-2529
www.choochoo.com



Room Rate: \$99 a night
Mention the CSPCA

Foy Trent Superintendent
foytrentdogshows.com

- 9/22- Saturday - Move in day and Evening "B" Puppy Match**
9/23- Sunday - Regionals- Non Regular classes, 4-6 Puppy - Sue Davis
Sweepstakes- Puppy & Veteran - Alan Klessig
9/24 -Monday - Regionals Specialty Show- Dogs & Bitches - Carmen Battaglia
Best Of Breed, Best Bred by, Best Veteran- Fred Basset

2012 National Specialty Show

- 9/25 - Tuesday - Obedience/Rally-Richard Mullen & Futurity/Maturity - Randy Garren**
 Juniors meeting, Mast Cell Cancer Seminar - Dr. Jeff Vidt, Top 25 Invitational
9/26 - Wednesday - Sweepstakes- Jessica Tauber and Andrea Robins
 Club President's meeting, Annual Meeting, Raffle/Silent Auction
9/27 - Thursday - Conformation: Dogs - Terry Lyddon Bitches - Joe Walton
 Awards Banquet, Dingo Bingo
9/28 - Friday - Junior Showmanship & Best of Breed - Judith Daniels
 Judge's Education Seminar

Judges Education Seminar **Mast Cell Cancer - Dr. Jeff Vidt** **Introduction to Agility -**

Come learn how to use the equipment in a supervised environment. Look for sign-up form.
 We are also offering Health testing and CGC testing. Watch for more details.