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The

CSPCA Express



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

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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**Please forward this
Newsletter to all
Shar-Pei fanciers!**

**We'd love to find
Homes for the
Featured rescue dogs!**

The CSPCA has several job openings listed in this newsletter. We depend on our volunteers to get the work on the club done and really appreciate the donation of their time spent on our behalf. There are descriptions of the jobs that needed to be filled as well as the dead-line dates for applications. Please check each listing carefully so you don't miss the deadlines. Thanks to anyone that considers helping out!

We had a videographer at our National Specialty Show this year and he has videos from Nationals available for sale. Be sure to check out all the information about that.

There are always rescue dogs held by our affiliated rescue groups that need homes. If you know someone looking for a dog, please share the newsletter with them. If you would like to help transport, foster, and help any of our rescue groups, that help is always appreciated. The complete list can be found on our website: www.cspca.com.

And speaking of websites, the CSPCA is almost ready to launch our new redesigned website. Be looking for the new look for our website to be active soon. We would like to thank everyone that had a hand in making that happen!

The CSPCA would also like to encourage everyone to support our local clubs. They do great work in representing our breed and helping owners find the information that they need. The ways you can help:

- *Join a local club if you aren't already a member
- *Enter your dogs in the local specialty show
- *Donate a trophy for their show
- *Donate to their raffles and buy tickets
- *Support their various fund raising events

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.

Club Name: GREATER CHICAGOLAND CSP CLUB

Location: Rosemont, Illinois

Show Secretary: Onofrio Dog Shows

Closing Date: Wednesday Noon, November 21, 2012

Show Dates:

December 8, 2012- Designated Specialty

Judges: Mrs Keke Kahn **All Sweepstakes:** Stan Matsumoto

Group: Dr Robert D Smith **BIS:** Mrs Keke Kahn

Entry Fees: Conformation- \$28 **All Sweepstakes-** \$20

December 9, 2012 Concurrent Specialty

Judges: Dr Robert D Smith **All Sweepstakes:** Don Gillett

Entry Fees: \$29 **Puppy & Bred-By-** \$25 **All Sweepstake classes:** \$20

December 9- Skokie Valley Kennel Club- Supported Entry

Judge- Mrs Robert D Smith **Group:** Mrs Robert D Smith **BIS:** Dr Robert D Smith

Entry Fee: \$28

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### Club Name: CHINESE SHAR-PEI CLUB OF AMERICA REGIONAL SPECIALTIES

**Location:** Ridgefield, Washington

**Show Secretary:** Foy Trent Dog Shows, PO Box C, Sturgeon, MO 65284

**Entry fees- 1<sup>st</sup> Entry-** \$25 **and \$18 each additional entry of same dog Veterans-** \$18

**Sweeps-** \$18 (Puppies must be entered in a Regular Class for sweeps but not Veterans)

**Closing date:** Wednesday November 21, 2012 12 noon

**Show Dates:** Friday December 7, 2012 AM

**Judges: AM: Conformation-** Mr. Chuck Winslow **All Sweeps-** Mrs. Anne Savory Bolus

**PM: Conformation-** Mr. Luc Boileau **All Sweeps-** Ms. Joanne N. Paulk

**All Breed Shows- Same Location**

**Club Name:** Greater Clark County Kennel Club, Inc.

**Location:** Ridgefield, Washington

**Show Secretary:** Onofrio Dog Shows, P. O. Box 25764, Oklahoma City, OK 73125

**Entry fees- 1<sup>st</sup> Entry-** \$29, **Puppy & Bred-By:** \$20 **Each additional entry of same dog** \$20

**Junior Showmanship-** Free

**Closing date:** Wednesday November 21, 2012 12 noon

**Show Dates:**

**Sat. Dec. 7, 2012 Judges: Breed & Group-** Fred C Bassett **BIS-** Mr Chuck Winslow

**Sun Dec. 8 2012 Judges: Breed & Group-** Charlotte Patterson **BIS-** Mr Adrian W Woodfork

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Mark Your Calendars-

September 23 – 28, 2013 CSPCA 2013 National Specialty Show

Grand Sierra Resort 2500 East Second Street Reno, Nevada 89595 775-789-2000

Room Rate: \$99 per night

<http://grandsierraresort.com>



Listing of New Applicants for CSPCA Membership

| Name | Sponsor | City, State |
|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Jacqueline Bridges | | Winona, MS |
| Charles Marthin | | Winona, MS |
| Isabella Rocanova | | Union, NJ |
| Aza-Tifarah Firlit | | New Bedford, MA |
| Kathy Baily | Paula Burkholder | Milwaukee, WI |

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.**



HARLEY-

NASPR Texas: Harley is a sweet and loving 2 ½ year old male who came to NASPR when his family moved out of state. He is housetrained, neutered, and current on vaccinations. Harley loves to give kisses and will be a wonderful friend to some lucky family. If you're the Pei perfect home for Harley, or know that family, contact: Debby Smith at sharpeirescue@prodigy.net or www.sharpeirescue.com

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#### MASSEY

Massey first came into rescue on Christmas Eve of 2010. A large animal control seizure in a neighboring state had her headed for Texas with 2 dozen of her best dog buddies, all Shar-Pei. Upon arrival Massey was quite unsocialized and seemed to be frightened and unsure of almost everything!

Apparently she had never been in a home, had a family of her own, or even walked on a lead. But in the new year ahead all of that was getting ready to change! Massey went into a foster home and began her total makeover. Immunizations and spay surgery were done first. With those out of the way, we then discovered she was indeed heartworm positive. Her heartworm treatment was completed in the next two months and after a little rest she is now ready for a family of her own. A very Happy New Year and a wonderful outcome for Massey who is now healthy and available for adoption! If you're the Pei perfect home for Massey, or know that family, contact: Debby Smith at [sharpeirescue@prodigy.net](mailto:sharpeirescue@prodigy.net) or [www.sharpeirescue.com](http://www.sharpeirescue.com) You can also find them on Facebook at: [www.facebook.com/#!/pages/North-American-Shar-Pei-Rescue/42562236330?fref=ts](https://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/North-American-Shar-Pei-Rescue/42562236330?fref=ts)





### TABBY

Hi. My name is Tabby. I am a BEAUTIFUL, 18 month old, chocolate brush coat girl. I am looking for a family to love and adore me so I can love and adore them right back. When I first came to my foster home I was VERY shy but now, watch out world, I have learned to love life everything about it. I have started obedience classes and I am a star. My foster mom tells me I like cats way to much, so for the safety of the cats I need to be in a home free of cats. A fenced yard is a must for me because I love to run and play. The thought of running and playing during the day and curled up in front of the tv at night with my own people really appeals to me. I am not good with other female dogs but could possibly deal with a sweet male. I have been spayed and am up to date with my shots. Please contact Sally at [sharpei@stny.rr.com](mailto:sharpei@stny.rr.com) for more information and an application. I am excitedly waiting to hear from you.

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MAX

This may be a “face only a mother could love” but this boy has an awesome personality. According to *Webster* sweet is “a pleasant or gratifying experience.” This is Maxwell aka Max to a T. This guy likes cats, dogs AND people. When rescue first saw pictures of this fellow he was just a puddle of eyes lying on the cement floor of a shelter. He had been picked up as a stray on the street. Now in a foster home he is full of life. He is a lilac horse coat with a solid lavender tongue. Max is approximately 2 years old, is neutered and has all his shots. He would love to have a family or be an only child. If you would be interested in making this young man part of your family please contact Sally at sharpei@stny.rr.com



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### PEGGY

Meet Peggy, a 6-1/2yr old purebred blue Shar Pei. Peggy was a stray and ended up in a remote, central California shelter. Once rescued by Pei People Shar Pei Rescue and in foster, Peggy received much needed TLC, learned to trust and has really become such a well-adjusted, awesomely behaved, happy wiggly girl. Peggy will make a great addition to a family with pets as she's been fostered in homes with dogs of all sizes. Peggy is very food motivated and any noise in the kitchen she comes running for a possible treat. Peggy knows her basic commands and is good on a leash. She is housebroken and loves the freedom of a doggie door. Typical Shar Pei behavior, she's alert, but not a barker unless there's a good reason. Peggy is spayed, micro-chipped & up-to-date on vaccines. To learn more about Peggy or our other Shar Pei in need of homes, visit [www.peipeople.com](http://www.peipeople.com) or email [info@peipeople.com](mailto:info@peipeople.com). You can also see Peggy's video at <http://youtu.be/7X9KM53BP-0>.



## CSPCA Position Openings

### Chairman of the Top 25 Invitational

1. The board would like to thank Alan Klessig for the job he has done as Chairman of the Top 25 Invitational in the past. He is retiring and we are looking for a volunteer to Chair this committee. The Chairman's job includes:

- Send invitations to the Top 25 dogs
- Plan and organize food and the running of the event at Nationals.
- Coordinate the committee members that score and help put on the event
- Hire the judges for the event
- Making and printing programs for the event.

*Note: The chairman can show a dog in this event but their score will not count. They would be ineligible to win the event.* Any club member interested in this opportunity should send a statement of interest and a resume of relevant experience to the CSPCA Secretary, Jocelyn Barker, [mjbarker53@hotmail.com](mailto:mjbarker53@hotmail.com) or [cspcasecretary@gmail.com](mailto:cspcasecretary@gmail.com) by **November 25, 2012**.

### Raffle/Auction Chairman

2. We are looking for a volunteer to Chair the National Specialty Raffle/Auction in 2013 at Reno, Nevada and beyond. Beverly Wall is unlikely to be able to do the entire job herself in 2013 and Holly Fuller, who did a super job during the 2012 Nationals, is not able to attend the 2013 show. This person would be responsible for:

- soliciting and collecting items for the raffle/auction
- Organizing the raffle and auction items at Nationals
- Selling raffle tickets and overseeing the items
- Recording the sales and where the funds for items are to be credited
- Coordinating volunteers to help
- Combining items to make gift baskets for the raffle

The Board requests statements of interest in this position from the general membership. Please send your resume and statement of interest to the CSPCA Secretary at [cspcasecretary@gmail.com](mailto:cspcasecretary@gmail.com) or [mjbarker53@hotmail.com](mailto:mjbarker53@hotmail.com) on or before **January 15, 2013**.

### Website Store/E Commerce Chairman

3. The CSPCA is redesigning our website and adding a shopping area to sell items. We are looking for a volunteer that would be willing to be in charge of our e-commerce as Website Store Chairman on the website. This person would:

- store and keep track of the inventory,
- mail out the items that are purchased
- update the website as to what items are available.
- Take photos of the items to be included in our website store.

The CSPCA Treasurer would be handling payments, so that is not required. Members interested in providing this service to our club should send a resume and statement of interest to: [cspcasecretary@gmail.com](mailto:cspcasecretary@gmail.com) or [mjbarker53@hotmail.com](mailto:mjbarker53@hotmail.com) on or before **January 15, 2013**.

### Equipment Manager/Chairman

4. The CSPCA has a significant amount of equipment that we use at our National Specialty Show. We are looking for a volunteer to be the Equipment Manager or Chairman. The job would include:

- Keep track of who has what equipment.
- Arrange for people to transport the items to Nationals each year.
- Arrange for people to take the different items home for storage until the next year.

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It is not expected that the Chairman will provide the transportation him or herself, but that they will make sure someone brings the necessary equipment each year. Members interested in this position should send a statement of interest and a resume to [cspcasecretary@gmail.com](mailto:cspcasecretary@gmail.com) or [mjbarker53@hotmail.com](mailto:mjbarker53@hotmail.com) on or before **January 15, 2013**

# ShowDog



# VideoPros.com

Did you miss Nationals this year? Did you go and want to remember exactly what happened in the ring? Would you like a video record of your wins or your favorite dogs? Did you want to compare dogs for potential stud services? Show Dog Video Pros can help you. They videographed the entire National Specialty for us and have copies of their videos for sale. The National Show videos are the only complete records of sires, dams, get and breeding programs in a visual form. Folks refer back to them for years in the future. You can purchase a full set of all the videos, just particular classes, or even just video of your own dog in the ring. They would be happy to customize your order for you. These superb National Specialty videos are supplied to you on high quality Digital Video Disc (DVD). Video clips are on a USB Flash Drive and are great for posting to Facebook, YouTube, Websites, Blogs and E-mails.,

Click on this link: [www.showdogvideopros.com/](http://www.showdogvideopros.com/). On that page, click on the link to Chinese Shar-Pei. That will take you to the order page. They have discounted packages or you can custom order video as well. They can ship the DVD's internationally as well as in the United States. All the contact and order information is listed on their website.



*Happy Holidays*  
from  
the CSPCA

As 2012 draws to a close and we focus on the blessings of friends and family, we wanted to wish every one of you a wonderful holiday season and thank you for your continued support of the CSPCA.