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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 Melissa Castillo (ftpei@yahoo.com) with any comment or concern.

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ALBUQUERQUE

*NEW LOCATION - CSPCA Nationals 2013
Park Inn by Radisson Hotel & Water Park
2500 Carlisle Boulevard NE
Albuquerque, NM 87110
\$89 a night + tax

Regionals 9/22 - 9/23 (Sun-Mon)
Nationals 9-24 - 9/27 (Tues-Fri)

RAFFLE TICKET

Our National Suite Raffle deadline has been extended to April 15, 2013! Would you like to win seven (7) nights in a suite at the CSPCA 2013 National Specialty Show in Albuquerque, New Mexico?

The Park Inn by Radisson
2500 Carlisle Blvd NE
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87110
<http://www.parkinn.com/hotel-albuquerque>

Tickets are \$10.00 each, or 6 tickets for \$50.00. Send your checks, money orders or credit card payments to:

CSPCA, Treasurer
Lynn Olds
20046 E Lancaster Blvd
Lancaster, CA 93535

The drawing will be conducted by Pat Evetts, Robert Hall & Gary Sparschu & held just before Best In Show on April 22, 2013 at the Cherry Blossom Cluster in Timonium, Maryland. FMI contact: Cathi DiGiacomo, 2013 National Show Chairman cathi1947@comcast.net

CSPCA Board of Directors and Officers: President – Bonnie Berney, Vice-President – Jeff Vidt, Secretary – Jocelyn Barker, Treasurer – Lynn Olds, Eastern Director – Don Gillett, Central Director – Rosie Steinke, Western Director – Deanna Liskey, Directors At Large: Darin Cox, Alice Fix, Georgette Schaefer, Dorothy Schuerman, and Cate Stewart.

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

*******2013 NATIONAL SPECIALTY UPDATE*******
NEW SHOW SITE

Park Inn by Radisson
2500 Carlisle Blvd. NE
Albuquerque, NM 87110 505-888-3311

For More Info Contact:

Cathi DiGiacomo, Show Chair cathi1947@comcast.net
Marge Calltharp, Co Chair mar-bo@sbcglobal.net

Saturday, September 21, 2013

Desert to the Sea Shar-Pei Club of Riverside Unsanctioned Evening Puppy Match, Judge Lynn Olds

Sunday, September 22, 2013

Desert to the Sea Shar-Pei Club of Riverside 4-6 Puppy Competition – Judge Christie Smith
Puppy and Veteran Sweepstakes – Judge Don Gillette
Junior Showmanship – Judge Christie Smith
Non-Regular Classes/Stud Dog/Brood Bitch – Judge Christie Smith

Monday, September 23, 2013, Regionals

Regular Classes: Dogs – Judge Chris Levy Bitches – Judge Christie Smith
Best of Breed: Judge Chris Levy
Best Bred By Exhibitor – Judge Christie Smith
Best Veteran – Judge Chris Levy

Tuesday, September 24, 2013, Nationals

Futurity/Maturity Mr. Robert Ennis
Back To Back Obedience & Rally Trials Mrs. Janis Anthes

Wednesday, September 25, 2013, Nationals

Sweepstakes: Puppy Dog, Veteran Bitch & Best Puppy Mrs. Georgette Schaefer
Sweepstakes: Puppy Bitch/ Veteran Dog & Best Veteran Ms. Denise Beagle

Thursday, September 26, 2013, Nationals

All Regular & Non Regular Dog Classes & Brace Mr. William Cunningham
All Regular & Non Regular Bitch Classes Mr. Frank Sabella

Friday, September 27, 2013, Nationals

Junior Showmanship, Best of Breed, Best Bred By Exhibitor & Best Veteran Mrs. Rosie Steinke

All Judges Pending AKC Approval

****STAY TUNED FOR MORE EVENT INFORMATION****

POSITION OPENINGS IN THE CSPCA

NATIONAL JUDGE BALLOT COMMITTEE

The CSPCA needs members to serve on the committee to handle the selection of National Specialty judges ballot. There is a need for a Chairman and for two committee members. To be considered for this appointment an individual must be a member in good standing of the CSPCA. Prior experience is not necessary. There is a process in place for conducting the business of this committee.

If you are interested in being considered for this position please submit a letter of interest and a resume of your activities within the CSPCA. If you feel outside interests, talents or certifications should be considered, please list those items as well. Your material should be submitted to the CSPCA Secretary, Jocelyn Barker at cspcasecretary@gmail.com; or mjbarker53@hotmail.com or by post to 7739 Schafer Road, Bozeman, MT 59715. **The deadline for submission is March 24, 2013.**

DIRECTOR-AT-LARGE

Recently Beverly Wall, Director at Large for the CSPCA resigned due to ill health. The Board of Directors is soliciting letters of interest from members to serve our club through the end of the current term. The seat will be up for election in the 2013 election cycle and the person so appointed could run for the position at that time if he/she so chooses.

Interested persons should consult the CSPCA Bylaws for requirements, duties and expectations of those serving the club as members of the Board of Directors. To be considered for this appointment an individual should meet the following qualifications

1. Be a member in Good standing of the CSPCA
2. Have been a CSPCA member for at least two years

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NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Board of the CSPCA is seeking members interested in serving on the Nominating Committee to develop a slate of officer and director candidates to appear on the ballot during 2013. The Policy and Procedure Manual carries the following information about the Nominating Committee:

The committee shall consist of three (3) members, one from each of the three regions of the USA and two alternates. All must be members in good standing and no more than one of who may be a member of the current Board of Directors. The Board shall name a chairperson for this committee. The nominating committee may conduct its business by mail all pursuant to Article Four, Section Four (a) (b). The nominating committee is responsible of identifying and recommending eligible CSPCA members for open offices. The committee will compile a list of persons that have contacted the committee expressing an interest in running for office. From that list, the committee will consider the applicants and then develop a slate recommending one person for each open office. The committee must forward its recommendations to the CSPCA Secretary prior to April 1, 2013. The nominating committee should recognize there are many capable CSPCA members worthy of holding club office. To insure that the name of each interested party is eligible to appear on the CSPCA ballot, each applicant will complete the following procedure. **(Deadline March 10)**

A CSPCA member in good standing should nominate a candidate (in writing) for a specific office the CSPCA Secretary. The candidate should also contact the CSPCA Secretary (in writing) acknowledging their willingness to have their name placed on the CSPCA ballot.

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Position Openings in the CSPCA, Cont.

If you are interested in serving on the Nominating Committee please submit a note expressing your interest to the CSPCA Secretary **by March 10, 2013**. This deadline has been extended from March 1 due to extenuating circumstances.

Jocelyn Barker, CSPCA Secretary
7739 Schafer Road
Bozeman, MT 59715
cspcasecretary@gmail.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 babies!

Shar-Pei Rescue of Virginia

Hi, I'm Lulu! I'm a very sweet girl and a big lovebug who loves to snuggle! I am wonderful with kids and other dogs. I love everyone! Even during my vet visits, I am the hit of the office! Everyone loves me!



Shar-Pei Rescue of VA, Inc.
PO Box 968, Barnegat Light, NJ
08006
info@sharpeirescueofva.org
609-494-0020

Peipeople.com

Pretty girl Nelly needs a home to call her own.



Pei People Shar Pei Rescue Inc.
P.O. Box 1526 Lake Forest, CA 92609-1526
sue@peipeople.com

Peipeople.com

Bear is a 14 month old male brush coat. He is neutered, chipped and up to date on vaccines. He is high energy and great with other dogs. Peipeople's wonderful volunteer started him on obedience training and is doing well. Older kids/adult homes please.



sue@peipeople.com

North American Shar-Pei Rescue

Alma was found as a stray and was tired and thin. Her foot pads were raw. Alma's foster mom says she's got lots of love to give and will be a wonderful pet.



sharpeirescue@prodigy.net

North American Shar-Pei Rescue

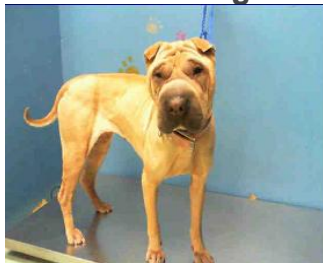
Max is the sweetest pei. He loves everyone especially kids. Max is looking for a wonderful home where he will be loved and treasured.



epostermeier@gmail.com

North American Shar-Pei Rescue

Fergie came from Houston's BARC and will be looking for a new home.



sharpeirescue@prodigy.net

North American Shar-Pei Rescue

Henry is 12-18 months and was recently taken in to NASPR's care when called by Good Samaritans who had been seeing him daily in search of food. Henry had a dislocated hip and was extremely underweight and had sores on his body from an infection.

Henry will need surgery to repair his broken hip, can you help? Visit NASPR's website for more information.



NASPR Treasurer

Name: Kristie Gormley

Address: 2324 NW 25th Street

Oklahoma City, OK 73107

kristie.gormley@gmail.com

sharpeirescue@prodigy.net

Did you know that the CSPCA has a rescue fund in order to support CSPCA shar pei rescues? This fund is used to supply grants annually to rescues, as well as to support unusual rescues situation such as multiple dog hoarding rescues. You can donate by going to www.cspca.com and clicking on the PAYPAL feature and listing "rescue fund" in the description or by sending a check to CSPCA, 521 Pioneer Road, Sapulpa, OK 74066-9309 and clearly list "rescue fund" in the memo on the check.

CSPCA SPECIALTY SHOW CALENDAR

Desert to the Sea Chinese Shar-Pei Club of Riverside & the CSPCA

April 6 & 7, 2013 – Hotel Claremont, Claremont, CA

Show Sect. – Stephanie Weise, 70-394 Mission Drive West, LaQuinta, CA 92253

Sat. Judges: Marilyn Vinson, Lani McKennon

Sun. Judges: Chuck Suda and Paulett Delong

Sweepstakes Judges: Carolyn Hensley and Christine Palmer

Please contact Stephanie Weise for additional information doggie_sec@hotmail.com

Chinese Shar-Pei Club of Northern California Show

May 18&19, 2013(Designated Specialty) and May 16 & 17, 2013(Supported Entries) Show Chairman-

(Deanna Liskey, 39346 Ide Ct., Fremont, CA 94538 (510)795-9456 cspcnc@yahoo.com) Entry Fees-

\$29.00 Closing Date- May 1, 2013 Show Superintendent-MBF, Inc. : www.infodog.com

No. CA Non-Sporting Dog Club, Thurs. (5/16/13) - Supported Entry Breed/Group- Gary L. Andersen

No. CA Non-Sporting Dog Club Fri. (5/17/13) - Supported Entry Breed & Group- Mrs. Charlotte Patterson

Coyote Hills Kennel Club Sat. (5/18/13) - Designated Specialty Breed- Mr. Robin L. Stansell

Coyote Hills Kennel Club Sun. (5/19/13) - Supported Entry Breed- Ms. Carolyn A. Herbel.

Golden State Chinese Shar-Pei Club

July 4, 2013 (back to back Specialties) Ventura, CA

Judges: Sonny Ambrosio and Charlotte Patterson

Sweepstakes Judges: TBA

Please contact Stephanie Weise for additional information doggie_sec@hotmail.com

Star of the North Chinese Shar-Pei Club

September 13, 2013 Rochester, MN

Judges TBA mailroom@onofrio.com



ATTENTION AFFILIATED CLUBS

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

Listing of New Applicants for CSPCA Membership

Name	Sponsor	City, State
Adrienne Ward		Union Beach, NJ
Bert & Doris Hickman		Jacksonville, FL
Marilyn Flanders		Foster, RI
Antonio Raposo		Middletown, RI
Ronald Singer		Valencia, CA