

CSPCA EXPRESS – November 2013

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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Veterans Day Honoring All Who Served 11/11/2013

Come Follow the Yellow Brick Road to Kan.sa.s in 2014

CSPCA 2014 National Specialty October 5-11

Lawrence Holiday Inn & Convention Center

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, Jessica Tauber and Cate Stewart.

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2014 Nationals Raffle for 7 Nights in a Suite

Did we tell you about the raffle for 7 days in a suite at Nationals next year in Lawrence, Kansas? Tickets are \$10.00 each or six for \$50.00. All ticket sales will be acknowledged with an e-mail confirmation and ticket #'s. **Deadline for purchasing tickets is February 14, 2014**. The drawing will be held at the Arizona Specialty Shows on February 22-23, 2014

Send ticket orders to:

Cathi DiGiacomo 6820 Cherry Tree Ct New Market, MD 21774

Make all checks payable to CSPCA, Inc. If you pay via the CSPCA web page with Credit Card or PayPal please don't forget to make a note that your purchase is for 2014 Raffle tickets. E-mail a copy of your receipt to Cathi DiGiacomo: cathi1947@comcast.net

Email confirmations & ticket numbers were emailed to everyone that has purchased Suite Raffle tickets. If you purchased tickets from Marge Calltharp before Nationals and did not receive an email confirmation, please contact Cathi DiGiacomo.



Thank you!

The members of the CSPCA Board of Directors would like to extend our sincere thank you to everyone that helped us to make the CSPCA 2013 Nationals a huge success. To everyone that sponsored a trophy, donated to the raffle/auction, took out an ad in our catalog and the many people that chaired a committee, we want you to know how grateful we are for your help. A special thank you to our three wonderful show co-chairmen, Cathi, DiGiacomo, Marge Calltharp and Grace Fritz, we want you to know how much we appreciate your stepping forward to tackle this job in such a short amount of time. Everyone did a top notch job!

FUREVER 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!



Porkchop is one year old boy and is available for adoption through <u>www.peipeople.com</u> He has one eye after losing one due to a congenital defect. Is your home the one Porkchop has been waiting for?

Shar-Pei rescue of Virginia are so full they have dogs in boarding now. Please consider fostering or better yet adopting! Meet Gee.



He is an owner surrender from NYC. Gee is very good looking and quiet active and is presently in a kennel awaiting an open foster home. Gee is very sweet and gets along with dogs. He knows how to sit and loves treats.

Laura sharpeirescueofva.org 609 494 0020 Rocky is a wonderful three year old boy looking for a great new home. He is currently blind and would love a home where his parents are home or someone is home with him. He doesn't like the crate but enjoys his walks. He likes dogs but doesn't care for the little ones. He likes to sit in his kiddy pool to cool off. This precious boy will bring a lot of joy to the right home!



http://www,.peipeople.com

Shar-Pei rescue of Virginia are so full they have dogs in boarding now. Please consider fostering or better yet adopting! Meet Tucker



'Tucker is a sweet male Pei rescued from a Virginia shelter. He is best buddies with his little boy. He would do best with a family that has kids, and does well with other dogs.

Laura sharpeirescueofva.org 609 494 0020 They call me Ryder and I am new with FSPR. I'm around 2-3 years old and have what they call an Apricot Dilute Horsecoat. I am a nice boy, have lot's of energy and I love to run outside. I know how to sit for treats and am just looking for a new human to rescue. Please, keep your eye on me if you think I can rescue you!

info@floridasharpeirescue.com



Bentley like the car he is named for is beautiful, sleek and awesome. He is a beautiful Shar-Pei with a gorgeous black horse coat and is good with other dogs although he does get excited. He is 3 - 4 years old and thinks he is much younger. This dog is as smart as they come and picks up on things quickly especially if there is a treat involved. Bentley loves to play and loves his toys. Because he does get so excited playing he would be better in a home without children under the age of

12. Cats MAYBE ok. Bentley is up to date on his shots and is neutered. He is VERY interested in someone to give him kisses so he can give them kisses back and he can call them his own. For more information please contact Pam at <u>epostermeier@qmail.com</u>





Cora is located in Atlanta! Cora is a beautiful young girl, loves people and cats. She is currently in foster with an older patient male dog what is teaching her canine manners. She will soon go into HW treatment and will need to be quiet for a couple weeks. Come see her. She is a great girl.

> Animal Location: Atlanta, GA Contact: Carmin Reimer at 404-249-9257



Beatrice is a year old shar pei. She is very mouthy and likes to grab everything in her mouth. She is ready for her forever home, older kids ok but not younger. For more information please fill out an application:

http://www.californiasharpeirescue.com/help/adoption. php?id_dog=342

THE HOLIDAYS ARE AMONG US!

Please consider sending a donation to these wonderful organizations. Many have Facebook pages and have wonderful fundraisers. Need a gift? Why not donate and get your gifts from rescue! VISIT THEM TODAY http://www.cspca.com/pdfs/rescuegroups.pdf

LOGO FOR 2014 NATIONALS

The theme for the 2014 Nationals logo will be the Wizard of Oz. Grace Fritz has found some wonderful Wizard of Oz props that we can use to decorate Nationals with. We would like to open a logo contest for anyone that would like to offer a logo to go with the Wizard of Oz theme. We are looking for entries from all of our creative artists in the club.

All logos should be submitted by December 31, 2013. The winner of the logo contest will receive \$100. The final selection of the official logo will be made by the CSPCA Board of Directors.

Please submit your logos to Grace Fritz at grfritz@hotmail.com



CSPCA Website Store is Now Open

The CSPCA website store is now open! We have several items for purchase. You can find CSPCA coloring books, Top 25 Invitational Calendar for 2014, microchips, slobber rags, Danny Quest tiles and Nationals clothing.

To get to the store, go to the website: <u>www.cspca.com</u> Click on the gold Shop Button which is right by the Members Login box. That will take you directly to the store.

Looking for Club Members in Pennsylvania

Looking for Shar-Pei lovers in the state of Pennsylvania! The South Eastern Keystone Chinese Shar-Pei Club is located in PA. Their Club has not been active for a while and there is an effort to reactivate it. If you live in the area and would like to be a part of that, please call in to the conference call on

December 29th from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. EST looking for input and ideas! The call-in phone number is 712-432-1500 Participant Code # 122220#. Please announce yourself when you connect to the group. For more information contact Darin Cox- wudaface@verizon.net



Greater Chicagoland Chinese Shar-Pei club December 7 & 8

Donald E. Stephens Convention Center 5555 N. River Road Rosemont, Illinois 60018 (indoors) Show Chairman Velta Kocacek 630-495-0022 Judges: 12-7 Conformation- Dr. Anthony Di Nardo 12-8 Conformation- Mrs. Connie S. Clapp Sweeps - Marla Jordan Show Secreatary- Onofrio, 3401 NE 23rd St., Oklahoma City, OK 73121-2447 405-427-0405 1st Entry of each class: \$29.00 Additional entry: \$20 Puppy & Non-Regular: \$25

Hoosier State Chinese Shar-Pei Club

Indiana State Fairgrounds, Show Chair Victoria Straub (502)810-8088 February 17, 2014 Conformation Judge – Mr. Vince P. Rogers Sweepstakes Judge – Ms. Christine Smith Roy Jones Superintendent Saturday, February 8, 2014 Conformation Judge – Mrs. Diana L. Skibinski Sweepstakes Judge – Mrs. Dora Wagoner

Desert to the Sea Chinese Shar-Pei Club of Riverside

Show Secretary Stephanie Weise – 760 972 4558 E-Mail: doggie sec@hotmail.com 1/3/2014 Sweeps: Janet Jackson CONFORMATION: Janice Pardue and Lynn Myall (2 shows) Closes 12/18/2013 Empire Equestrian Park and Polo Field Avenue 51 and Monroe Street Indio. CA

Arizona Chinese Shar-Pei Club

Stephanie Weise – 760 972 4558 E-Mail: doggie sec@hotmail.com Show Secretary 2/22/2014 Judges: Noreen Cartwright & Luis Sosa Sweeps: Patricia Sosa 2/23/2014 Judges: Larry F. Mackai & Gary Dunlop Closes 02/05/2014 Clarion Hotel Phoenix 5121 E La Puente Ave. Phoenix, AZ

Listing of New Applicants for CSPCA Membership

Brandon Collazo Gabriela Dodero Luciano Del Po Robert Gabler Sarah James Frank Madach Lisa Mitchell Douglas & Michael Ohlinger-Hobbs Council Bluffs, IA Dr. Laura VanDalen Adele Vermaak Montedeoca Carazol Michelle Clark Maria DeMarco John Porcellino Stephanie Dorman Marilyn Funke Susan Gregg Georgia Lehnert Roland & Dorothy Smith

Rochester, NY Brandsen, Argentina Brandsen, Argentina Boston. MA Moorpark, CA Foley, AL Patchogue, NY Winder, GA Sasolburg, South Africa Malesherbes, France Alta Loma. CA Sewell, NJ Beloit, WI Beloit. WI Cumming, GA Lancaster, PA Westfield, NJ Thomaston, CT

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.

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