

Cavaliers of the Northeast



Spring-Summer 2020





Cavaliers of the Northeast President's Message

Memorial Day, the unofficial start of summer is now behind us as we welcome warm, sunny days to the Northeast. No parades, no public remembrances, no large BBQs. Many of us gathered together for the last time in mid- March at the Williamsburg show featuring Puppy of the Year – the cusp of the COVID19 pandemic. Many of us worried of the seriousness of what was to come after that weekend. “What a long strange trip it’s been”. We are now veterans of self-quarantine, sheltering at home for 2 ½ months relinquishing our freedom for health. Some of us are essential workers, some at the front lines in healthcare, and still facing the challenges of treating those with the pervasive virus, struggling with the challenges of keeping our supply chain going and providing necessary services. Who would have thought that we were going to be navigating uncharted territory that Sunday evening in March? The pandemic has altered our lives and will continue to do so for the foreseeable future. Business has changed with so many transitioned to work from home if they can, others furloughed until we return to more normalcy. Our attire is now very relaxed. Our exciting travel plans now include the weekly masked trip to the grocery and hardware store. We have become chefs, gardeners, artists, painters, walkers, readers and musicians in our new found spare time. A tank of gas lasts weeks....and the sky is clearer. Curbside pick-up is the new mode of operation whether for wine or your Cavalier's progesterone test at the vet. Those expensive grooming tools work great on human hair, too! Members who are breeders need a receptionist to answer all of the calls and emails about puppies.



There is one positive to come from our tribulations - our Cavaliers and other companion animals are the beneficiaries of our homebody status. We long for our sense of community again. We miss our friends and families; dining out, concerts, plays, parties, sporting events, church – and perhaps most of all, dog shows. Please be assured that the boards of CKCSC-USA and CNE are working very hard behind the scene to develop a plan to provide a safe environment for shows to resume as soon as possible. We have to be cognizant of state and local restrictions and requirements, travel issues, and the ability to provide a quality competitive and social event while remembering that our members' safety is paramount. The National Board and committees are establishing standards and protocol as we move forward understanding the differences between regions and the willingness and ability of our members to travel to our shows. We are working together and awaiting the direction of National in determining how we should proceed with our shows and begin again. And what a party that first show will be!



SPEARFISHING: When you hear this word, do you think of Tom Hanks in Castaway or Brendan Twaites in Blue Lagoon? Or do you think of Spear Phishing, defined by Wikipedia as “the fraudulent attempt to obtain sensitive information such as usernames, passwords and credit card details by disguising

oneself as a trustworthy entity in an electronic communication, generally via sending emails ostensibly from a known or trusted sender in order to induce targeted individuals to reveal confidential information.” Spear phishing is targeted to you, personally. The phish will acquire personal details about you, such as your friends, hometown, employer, locations you frequent, and what you have recently bought online. The attackers then disguise themselves as a trustworthy friend or entity to acquire sensitive information, typically through email or other online messaging. This is the most successful form of acquiring confidential information on the internet, accounting for 91% of attacks.

With the increased internet use as we work remotely, this threat should be top of mind for our club and our members. Because CNE Board members and directors email details are in the public domain (CKCSC Website), many of us receive these requests daily. The most recent example arrived in my email today allegedly from someone I know: Liz Greak:

Hello Anne, Are you available to assist? I am out of the State now and I've got credence in you to take care of this. I would have called your phone but I presently do not have access to my mobile phone. Cavalier Of The Northeast /Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club (CKCSC) needs some gift cards for donation to Veterans at Hospice and Palliative care units for preventive items against Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19). I have decided to make it a personal duty. I will be responsible for the reimbursement.

Regards, Elizabeth Greak-President. CNE.

Sadly, there is no easy way to defeat the phishers, other than vigilance on our part. First, with regards to CNE, any request for funds must come to me from Liz Greak, and if greater than \$200, must also be approved by our committee. I will confirm with Liz via phone before disbursement. If your bank or credit card company advises you by email that your personal account is locked/blocked, forward that email to your institution’s fraud department. Do not click any links or provide any account or password information. Finally, if you use mobile banking, investigate installing a VPN (virtual private network); this can be obtained from your anti-virus provider.

As always, please be safe!

Anne Knauss CNE Treasurer

We can all identify with a bad hair day...or month or two!



Thanks to Trisha DePhillip



Henrietta, owned and loved by Robert Goodfellow, bracing against the wind in a beautiful pose on the shores of Tuxedo Lake, NY

How Our Puppies Helped Us Cope With COVID

By Charlie Weidig—BlackFire Cavaliers

We whelped a litter of puppies on March 13, exactly one week before our Governor put the state on lock-down. Our daughter and granddaughter were at our house at the time, so they experienced both the wonder of bringing new life into the world, and the dismay of being confined in a home that's over 1,000 miles from the rest of their family.

For a litter born on Friday the thirteenth, these three puppies certainly brought us an abundance of good luck. In the first place, we had something positive and constructive to distract from the uneasiness that was rapidly gripping the nation. Between staying up half the night to make sure the puppies were nursing, insuring that the temperature was sufficiently warm for our newborns, and keeping the whelping box clean and sanitary, there was always something to do.

Once the puppies were a week old, and our state joined others in encouraging people to stay home, I began to feel confident that this litter would not present any problems, and (of course) boredom ensued. So I did what any other 21st Century person would do – I grabbed my iPhone, and asked myself, “what can I do with this to keep myself occupied?” My alter ego immediately answered: “Facebook Live.” Much to my surprise, a 3 minute long broadcast of puppies sleeping in the whelping box netted 38 comments, 93 likes, and an audience that reached not just throughout the country, but also into Europe, including the UK and Italy.

And so my daily puppy reports were born. Every day – with very few exceptions – I would broadcast and narrate reports on such exciting topics as puppies nursing from their mother, how we come up with names, when nails have to be trimmed, how their mother stimulates them to pee and poop, how we keep them warm, and so on. Again, to my surprise, I was flooded with comments like “I love these videos” and “keep them coming,” as well as “this just brightens my day.” So over the next few weeks, we followed the pups from their early crawling days in the whelping box, to the puppy playpen. My little Facebook Live world watched them take their first hesitant steps, begin to play with each other, eat their first solid food, and go outside for the first time.



The Ken-Puppy Derby Entries:

Salty, Triska, and Stevie

When the pups hit 7 weeks of age, I realized that this beautiful day was the first Saturday in May, but that the Kentucky Derby would not be run on this date – the first time in 75 years. The four of us set about making up for that loss, as we instituted the first Cavalier Ken-Puppy Derby in our back yard. We marked off the turf track (no turns, just one big straightaway), made number bibs for the puppies to wear, and placed them in the makeshift starting gate. When the gates opened, the pups ran chaotically in the general direction of the finish line ... with a little help from the humans.

On my iPhone, I noticed that there was a worldwide audience of 24 who watched it live, and several thousand more who saw the recorded race within the next few days. OK, maybe not the kind of ratings garnered by the first leg of the Triple Crown, but still pretty impressive for an amateur broadcast. If you are among those who witnessed the race, you'll know that there were a few surprises, but the winner was the only Tricolor in the litter, BlackFire Triskaidekaphobia, known affectionately as Triska. If you missed it, it's easy enough to catch; if I'm not mistaken, it's the only video on You Tube called "Cavalier Ken-Puppy Derby."

At this writing, we have been hunkered down for about two months, and we are still unsure how much longer it will be. I'm so grateful to have these wonderful little companions to keep me distracted, even when I have to go out with them in a dark and rainy yard to do their business. I don't know what I will do when they

The Ken-Puppy Derby Track



The winner - Triska!

Trick Dog Titling Program

What are Dog Tricks?

Dog tricks are when we the owner associate a command to a specific behavior displayed by our dog. We all teach our cavaliers basic home training like sit or down. These commands are actually tricks. Historically as jesters to the court of King Charles I, cavaliers have been rewarded by praises for their silly behaviors like spin or dance. What more could a Cavalier want beside lots of treats and praise while doing amazingly difficult and/or wonderfully simple skills. Tricks can be complex and difficult or simple and elegant. The choice is yours.

The trick dog titling program recognizes the biddability of the cavalier to perform their jester-like ability on command. Almost anything you teach your cavalier can be performed as a trick for a trick dog title. There are four levels of trick dog titles, each level requires you to complete the lower level before you apply for the higher level. Please see details on CKCSC-USA under performance.

Trick Dog evaluations are available online in addition to live performances at designated CKCSC, USA events. Online evaluations will use video conference or videos sent from your phone or computer.

We are extremely fortunate to have Fran Hellman, a wonderful AKC Certified Trick Dog Evaluator as our evaluator. To receive approval for a “unique” trick, please contact Fran Hellman sunjayscav@aol.com 845-234-1645 est.

Have fun with your cavalier, learning and teaching new skills and post those videos. Each application and evaluation cost \$25 payable to the CKCSC, USA.

To register for online evaluation:

- Fill out the application
- Indicate the level you are performing and the tricks you plan to perform.
- If paying by credit card, complete the CKCSC Performance Title Application Credit Card Authorization Form included with this application (page 4).
- Mail completed application and check or authorization form to: CKCSC, USA Membership, 10444 Tuminaro Lane, Amite, LA 70422. Or FAX completed application and authorization form to 985-748-8589.



GET READY FOR TRICKY TIMES!!

Where can you find the list of tricks your cavalier can perform for their Trick Dog title?

You can request the list of tricks from the evaluator (Fran Hellman sunjayscav@aol.com 845-234-1645 est.) or performance recorder (Sabine Gregory sgregory5@verizon.net).



Fran and Rumor (CKCSC-USA CH/AKC CH Sunjays Rumor Has It RI, C-RI, CGCA, TKI, C-TKI) lovingly connecting with a high-five.

IMPORTANT NEW CHANGES

WE WILL NO LONGER SHARE SHOW WEEKENDS WITH OTHER REGIONS

Effective January 1, 2020

The lead show region will now assume full responsibility for all upcoming show weekends and will honor all existing contracts with hotels and judges.

*York, PA November 2020 show CNE

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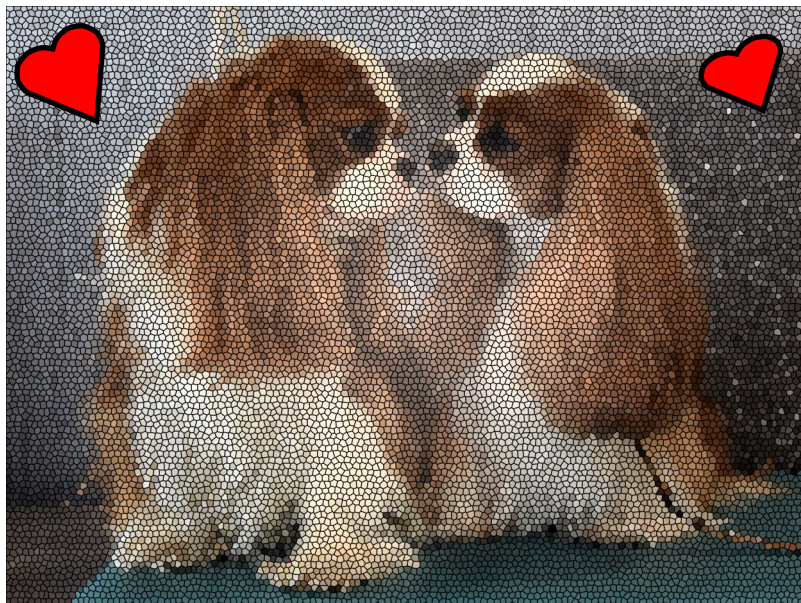
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BITCHES IN SEASON TO BE ALLOWED TO BE EXHIBITED AT ALL CKCSC SHOW WEEKENDS

Effective January 1, 2020

No conformation entries will be changed or refunded for any in season bitches.

Please be aware of rules governing grooming areas and proximity to ring at times other than scheduled competition. Please use common sense.



UPCOMING CNE EVENTS

****We Are Now Live Streaming Our Shows****

Go to Our FB Page - Cavaliers of the Northeast

****CNE JUNE SHOW** Cancelled because of COVID19**

New Show Schedule Debuts! June 12-14, 2020

Best Western Inn at Hunt's Landing, Matamoras, PA

Three conformation shows in 2 days, Puppy and Veteran Sweeps

Pee Wee Puppy, Annual General Meeting, Health Clinic

****CNE AUGUST SHOW** Cancelled because of COVID19**

August 13-16, 2020, Note our exciting new location for this show - Double Tree by Hilton, Danvers, MA near Boston!

Three Conformation Shows, Obedience, Rally, Puppy Sweeps, Special Banquet

Pee Wee Puppy, Junior Showmanship, Health Clinic, and more!

****CNE NOVEMBER SHOW****

November 12-15, 2020, Wyndham Garden Inn, York, PA. Three Conformation Shows, Puppy Sweeps, Junior Showmanship, Health Clinic, and MORE!

Stay tuned for more details!

2020 CKCSC National October 7-11, 2020

Radisson Camp Hill, Harrisburg, PA

DON'T MISS THIS EXTRA SPECIAL EVENT PACKED WEEKEND

Watch for Fun Matches and Other Major Events

Visit www.CKCSC.org for all of the details, Premiums and entry forms

Visit our Facebook Page—Cavaliers of the Northeast and our hopefully soon to be newly revamped website: <http://cne-ckcsc.org/>

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Thank you to all of this issue's contributors! We welcome ideas and articles of interest to membership and always enjoy candid photos of your Cavaliers!

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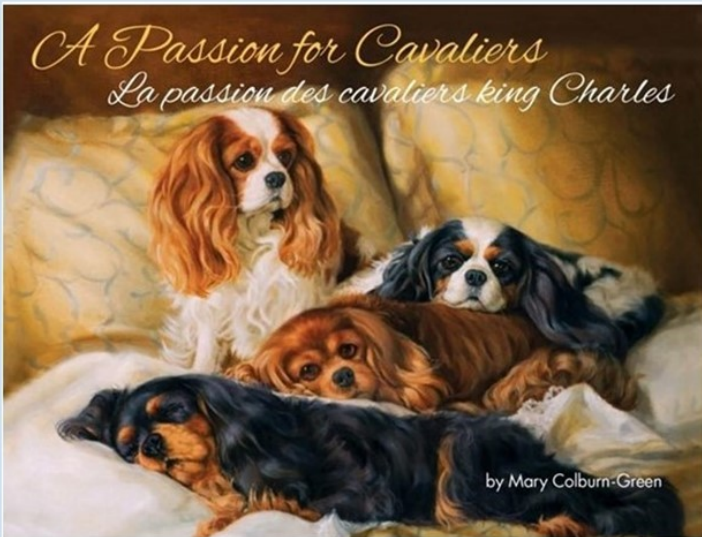
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By Mary Colburn-Green

the 4th book in the Cavalier Quartet will be published this July.

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The book chronicles the author's struggles to become a breeder and features chapters on puppies, seniors, regal and agility Cavaliers, as well as Cavaliers in nature and art

Photos from as many as 500 different breeders in the US and other parts of the world as well as pet owners and artists. Approximately 260 pages with more than 1000 pictures.

Cavaliers in Nature



Axel. Tiffany Bolton Corbin, USA

50% of profits will go to Cavalier Rescue Trust.

Cavaliers in Art



Award-winning Oil Painting by Artist Madeline Falk

The book has been the author's Passion for a year and you are going to love it as much as she loved writing it.

Precious Puppies



Breeder Chantal Tranchant, FR

Special CKCSC, USA sale available until June 30th, 2020. Cost is \$60 plus \$15 shipping.

To place your pre-order, send \$75 via www.paypal.com to marycg1948@gmail.com
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To follow the progress of this amazing new book, join the Facebook site, **A Passion for Cavaliers.**

Cavaliers in Agility



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Puppy Referral



The CNE Puppy Referral website is located at <http://www.eastcoastcavalierbreeders.com> and is one of the best ways on the Internet for puppy buyers to learn about the great breeders we have in the club. The website provides lots of valuable information to help puppy buyers make an informed decision about where they get their new puppy from. We encourage CNE breeders to advertise their Puppies on the website. Contact Francesca Gross at fgross@bluedaycavaliers.com for details how to get your puppies listed! This site also works well for retired adults as well. Check out this website also if you are a member looking to add a Cavalier to your family from a reputable breeder with available puppies! CNE has business cards for this service available for your use at no charge. Please email or call Liz Greak to obtain them. Also available at our shows—another reason to be there!

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IT'S ALWAYS MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL TIME!

Don't forget to renew your membership in the CKSC-USA and CNE for 2020.

Membership includes this newsletter via electronic delivery and many more benefits!

National membership includes a subscription to the Bulletin Magazine and a copy to the annual CKSC-USA Yearbook, both beautifully produced color publications!

Please send any address or email changes to Earline Barrois

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Don't miss out on club communications

JOIN, VOLUNTEER AND HAVE FUN

Thanks to the people who step up and volunteer their time we're able to participate in dog events and enjoy the many other benefits that CNE provides. Do you and your dogs enjoy shows and other events? Do you participate in club activities such as fun matches or health clinics. These activities and events don't run themselves. Club members who volunteer their time are the ones who make it happen! There are all kinds of volunteer opportunities. You'll have a great time and learn more about our

great pastime. More experienced members are happy to mentor! Always wanted to be a newscaster? Be an announcer at one of our shows? Like to organize and direct? Gate and ring stewarding might be for you. Friendly and outgoing? Join the hospitality crew. Get involved as a show co-chair to really see what goes into our great long weekend events. Some volunteer roles are more demanding than others but even a couple of hours will be appreciated! If

you regularly participate in events, taking your turn in a volunteer role is an important part of the sport. We always appreciate contributions to this newsletter...as easy as sending a snapshot of your special Cavalier or if the creative spirit hits you, an article about your involvement with the club, your dogs, something of general or specific interest to members and potential members. Come and join us! Besides, it can be lots of fun and very rewarding. Please feel free to contact our board members for more information.



IMPORTANT ENOUGH TO PRINT AGAIN

From: Fran Hellman

The Cavaliers of The Northeast has a **Canine First Aid Kit**. This kit was given as a donation and will be maintained by the donor. It will be present at all CNE shows at the Hospitality table. If you should need any of it's contents please ask someone at the Hospitality table to get it for you. It's important that you inform us of any items that were used so that we can replace them. Please be aware that this kit should not be considered your only "go-to" canine first aid kit. Every exhibitor should bring their own kit to shows as each dog has it's own individual needs.



Please keep this in mind:

** The CNE is not liable for any additional items that may be needed for a specific emergency. First aid care is not a substitute for veterinary care. As with any antidote administered for a poisoning, dosage is to be determined by pet poison control or a veterinarian. Consult with a veterinarian for dosing of any medication.*

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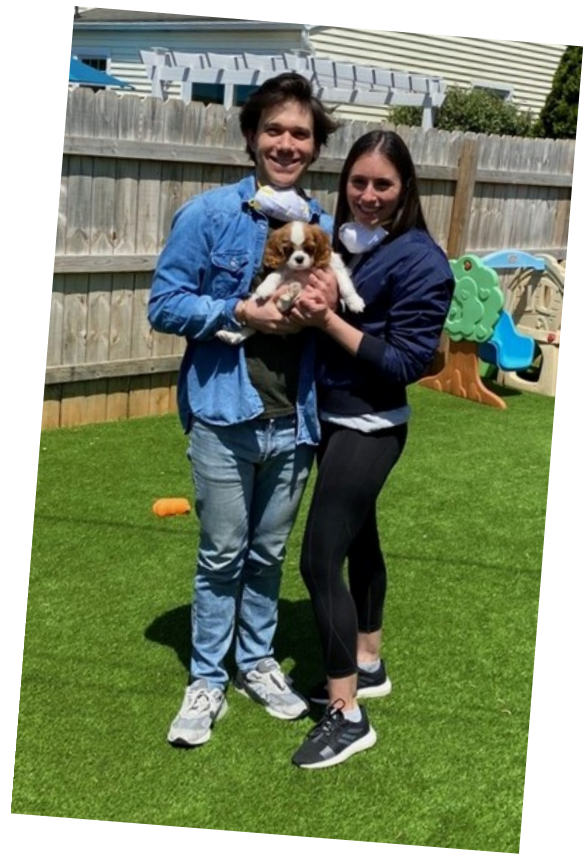
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Still one of favorite summer photos!



The spiritual side of Cavaliers social distancing watching televised mass during COVID19



No words needed here.
Thanks Carla Close for sharing the joy!



Rocky enjoying spring flowers.
Sorry you can't eat them!





Master Gardener Hytea Black Magic showing off the fruits of his labor !

Dawson is owned by Shirley Coyle.



Misty in the box and on the peanut. Misty and Sabine Gregory are working on Trick Dog Titles while in quarantine at home. We want to encourage everyone to give this a try. The tricks are easy to train and the dogs are less stressed at home.

