

**CAVALIERS OF THE MIDWEST**

**Specialty Show Weekend and AGM  
Betty Deemer Memorial Trophy Show  
Three Conformation Shows  
Sweepstakes, Pee Wee Puppy  
Junior Showmanship**



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**July 25, 2024 to July 28, 2024**

**Doubletree By Hilton**

**2826 Terminal Dr, Hebron, KY 41048 (Cincinnati Airport)**

## JUDGING PANEL

Thursday, July 25, 2024

**PUPPY, ADULT & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES:** Ms. Holly Young May, Clarmarian Cavaliers, OH, USA

Friday, July 26, 2024

**CONFORMATION:** Ms. Judith Echazarra, Ursidos Kodiak Cavaliers, Spain

**JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP:** Pam Gogol, Seraphaven Cavaliers, OH, USA

Saturday, July 27, 2024

**CONFORMATION:** Mr. Ted Rogerson, Rabymar Cavaliers, UK

**JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP:** Linda Whitmire, Almeara Cavaliers, GA, USA

Sunday, July 28, 2024

**CONFORMATION:** Mr. Doug Johnson, AKC

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## SHOW CHAIRS

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**email entries accepted at:** [CMWShowSec@gmail.com](mailto:CMWShowSec@gmail.com)

**email subject:** CMW July 2025 Show Entry

**See (Show Entries..) below for sending an email entry. DO NOT SEND credit card info.**

## SHOW RULES COMMITTEE

Chris Degen (Address and telephone above)

Phyllis White (Address and telephone above)

Kathy Gentil 264 Beech Rd., Loveland, OH 45140 513.236.0005

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Thursday, July 25, 2024

6:00 PM

Welcome Table

7:00 PM

**Puppy, Adult, & Veteran Sweepstakes**, Ms. Holly Young May, Clarmarian Cavaliers

### Friday, July 26, 2024

9:00 AM

Registration: Pee Wee Puppy

9:00 AM

**Conformation Judging**, - Ms. Judith Echazarra, Ursidos Kodiak Cavaliers  
Dog Classes

**Junior Showmanship**, - Pam Gogol, Seraphaven Cavaliers

Conformation Judging *continues*

Winners, AOM, Best Puppy, and Special Dog Competitions

**Break**

**Pee Wee Puppy Competition**

Conformation Judging *continues*

Bitch Classes

Winners, AOM, Best Puppy, and Special Bitch Competitions

Unofficial Classes

Best in Show, Best Puppy, and Special Awards Competitions

Following Show

**Judge & Volunteer Ring Etiquette Seminar w/Free Appetizers**- Details in GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### Saturday, July 27, 2024

9:00 AM

**AGM & TROPHY DAY**

Registration: Pee Wee Puppy

9:00 AM

**Heart Clinic:** 9:00am - 4 pm. By Appointment Only.

9:00 AM

**Conformation Judging**, - Mr. Ted Rogerson, Rabymar Cavaliers  
Dog Classes (through Senior Open Dog)

**Junior Showmanship**, - Linda Whitmire, Almeara Cavaliers

Conformation Judging *continues*

Winners, AOM, Best Puppy, and Special Dog Competitions

**Break**

**Pee Wee Puppy Competition**

Conformation Judging *continues*

Bitch Classes

Winners, AOM, Best Puppy, and Special Bitch Competitions

Unofficial Classes

**Stud Dog Exposition** - Details in GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS below.

Best in Show, Best Puppy, and Special Awards Competitions

30 MIN after BIS

**AGM** - Details in GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS below.

**6:30 PM**

**Decade Dinner and Art Auction** - Details in GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

**7:30 PM**

**BINGO** - Details in GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS below.

### Sunday, July 28, 2024

9:00 AM

Registration: Pee Wee Puppy

9:00 AM

**Conformation Judging**, Mr. Doug Johnson, AKC  
Dog Classes

**Junior Showmanship**, Mr. Doug Johnson, AKC

Conformation Judging *continues*

Winners, AOM, Best Puppy, and Special Dog Competitions

**Break** Ice Cream Special – Details in GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

**Pee Wee Puppy Competition**

Conformation Judging *continues*

Bitch Classes

Winners, AOM, Best Puppy, and Special Bitch Competitions

Veteran & Unofficial Classes

Best in Show, Best Puppy, and Special Awards Competitions

**NOTE:** Hebron, KY is in the Eastern Daylight Zone. All times are Eastern Daylight Time (EDT). Lunch breaks are at the judge's discretion. The time to resume conformation judging is announced just prior to the lunch break.

## HOTEL INFORMATION

DoubleTree by Hilton  
Hebron, (Cincinnati Airport), KY  
2826 Terminal Dr, Hebron, KY 41048  
859.371.6166

Reservations: Call the hotel directly at 859.371.6166.

Identify yourself as being with **Cavaliers of the Midwest** to receive the special group rate.

Rates: \$152 **PLUS TAXES & FEES** Single or Double Occupancy

Hotel Cutoff date: **July 3rd**.

Note: There is no deposit for dogs, however, there is a limit of three (3) dogs per room.

## HOTEL AND GROUND RULES

Everyone must comply with the request that ALL DOGS must be **crated** at all times when not under the direct supervision of a wide awake, responsible adult person. This is for your protection, for the protection of the dog, and the Hotel's protection.

Please cover furnishings and bed with your OWN SHEETS and TOWELS if dogs will get on the furniture.

**No** bathing of dogs. If feet need touch-up, use your OWN TOWELS. **CLEAN HAIR FROM SINKS AND TUBS. NO WET DOGS ON THE FURNITURE.**

Bring with you the necessary equipment for immediate clean-up -- plenty of baggies, paper towels, sponge, pooper-scooper, trash bags, etc.

Inform hotel of any serious damage to your room. This is **your** responsibility.

Report barking dogs, catch any running loose, carry extra baggies, etc. for emergencies and a helping hand.

Pick up all litter -- including paper cups, cigarette butts, soft drink cans -- and place them in a trash bag.

Future Shows at this site/hotel depend on how well you control your dog, your children, and yourself. Please make this one a success and future shows a possibility.

## TRANSPORTATION

### DIRECTIONS TO <HOTEL FROM AIRPORT

Hotel is on airport grounds. From I-71, take I-275 West towards the airport. Exit Route 212 South and proceed to Terminal Drive.

### AIRPORT SHUTTLE SERVICES

The hotel provides a complimentary shuttle to and from the airport. Upon arrival, call the Doubletree at 859-371- 6166 for pickup.

## SHOW VETERINARIAN AND EMERGENCY VET INFO.

Greater Cincinnati Veterinary Services	Care Center (24hrs)	MedVet (24hrs)
859-572-0560	513-530-0911	513-561-0069
Weekdays 4-10pm and weekends 8am-8pm	6995 East Kemper Road	3964 Red Bank Road
114 Beacon Dr. Wilder, KY 41076	Cincinnati, OH 45249	Fairfax, OH 45227

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

*For more information and late-breaking news, go to our website, [www.ckcsc.org](http://www.ckcsc.org)!*

**Supplemental Entry Form** and proof of foreign registration are **required** if you need to enter a dog using its Foreign Registry Number. The Supplemental Entry Form can be downloaded from the club's website. If you have any questions or cannot download the form, please contact Show Secretary.

**Veteran, Puppy and Adult Sweepstakes** will take place on **Thursday evening**. Cash prizes to class winners and Best Puppy, Adult and Veteran. (See Class Definitions for classes offered.)

**Pee Wee Puppy Fun Match** will be held immediately following the lunch break all three days. Sign up at the show. Entry fee is \$5. (See Pee Wee Puppy Fun Match Rules in the premium for rules and eligibility.)

**Grooming Area** will be available. Please ask at the reception desk for the location.

**Awards Of Merit** 2 AOMs per sex will be awarded each day. If you place in a class, be prepared for the possibility of returning to the ring.

**Class/Major Awards/BIS Sponsorships/Etc.** greatly help defray the costs of the lovely prizes awarded. Event 1 = Coffee break, Sweepstakes, or BIS. Event 2 = Major Award. Event 3 = Health Clinic. Please note on Summary Amount Due Form which Sponsorship you would like to help with and the name you would like printed in the catalog. We appreciate your help with Sponsorships!

**Sales Tables** may be reserved for \$50.00 per 6-foot table. To reserve space, please send your requirements, a Summary Amount Due Form noting Sales Table and a check payable to the Cavaliers of the Midwest. Space is limited.

**AGM** CMW Paid Members - Join us in the Ballroom 30 minutes after the show Saturday afternoon for a brief update of 2024 Fund Raisers and Exciting Show Events & Locations for 2025.

**STUD DOG EXPOSITION (No Charge)** is Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, just before BIS, CMW will hold a Stud Dog Expo. Many dogs are not seen much at shows once they receive their Championship status. Our hope is that this will provide an opportunity for the stud dogs to be seen in person by many breeders. Everyone in the room will get a folder with each exhibited dog's 1) Pedigree, 2) Health Clearances and 3) Notable Wins of the dog as well as their offspring. We would like to encourage the stud dogs to be shown over the weekend also. Email Phyllis White and she will email you the form that has been created for this event. Complete the form and return it to Phyllis ([whiteontime89@gmail.com](mailto:whiteontime89@gmail.com)) with a copy of the pedigree.

**Judge & Volunteer Seminar** Friday, July 26<sup>th</sup> is a great opportunity for those in the Judges Program to meet requirements as well as those who volunteer and want to be well informed regarding volunteer positions and show etiquette. Covid changed a lot of things in our world and perhaps we all can use a little refresher course on our ring etiquette. Guidelines for future reference will be provided in print.

The Seminar will be concise, and appetizers will be provided to tide you over until dinner.

**Heart Clinic** is being offered on Saturday from 9:00 am to 4 pm, reservations recommended. Contact Wendy McCulloch (859-229-8424 or email: [wendy@wrenwoodcavaliers.com](mailto:wendy@wrenwoodcavaliers.com)) to schedule by July 24<sup>th</sup>. See Heart Clinic Appointment Sheet for appointment details.

**Decade Dinner and Art Auction** Sat. Evening from **6:30pm - 9:00pm**. Join us for a Decades Dinner and Bingo! That's right! Dress up for the occasion, think of your Favorite Decade, -- 50's, 70's, 80's, etc. Let's go all out for this! During dinner, we will be auctioning off one of Mary Grace's newest beautiful Cavalier paintings! The cost for dinner is \$50, please note on the Summary Amount Due form. The menu includes: Caesar Salad, Chicken Breast Seasoned and Seared with a Lemon Beurre Blanc with Yukon Gold Potatoes. Seasonal Vegetable, Warm rolls and butter, and Carrot Cake! Of course, Water and Tea will be served and Coffee upon request

**Bingo** will follow the Decade Dinner and Auction. Bingo cards may be purchased at the door. **CASH ONLY PLEASE!** Booklets are \$10 each and there are 3 cards per page. We will play 10 games and there are prizes for every Win!

**Sundaes on Sunday** a delicious treat on our last show day! Ice Cream will be served along with an assortment of toppings including M&M's, Gummy Bears, Sprinkles, Nuts, Chocolate, Strawberry and Butterscotch syrup. Whipped Cream and Cherries as well.

**Catalog Ad** space is available at the cost of \$ 50 for a **full page**. Ad must be print ready and sent with the Summary Amount Due Form by July 5, 2024, to [CMWShowSec@gmail.com](mailto:CMWShowSec@gmail.com) with "CMW April Show Catalog Ad" in the Subject line.

**Artwork** painted and generously donated by the talented Mary Grace Eubank.

**Ballroom Fee** of \$25 per exhibitor is required.

## SHOW RULES ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Show Rules** last changed 5/16/24 effective 7/1/24.

**Definition of Classes** last changed 3/4/24 effective 4/2/24.

**Performance Show Rules** last changed 8/18/22 effective 9/1/22.

**Performance Class Definitions** last changed 6/27/23 effective 10/1/23.

The CKCSC-USA Show Rules are available on the Club's website [www.ckcsc.org](http://www.ckcsc.org). Please review the updated Show Rules carefully. The effective date appears at the top of each set of rules.

for Show Rules, select **Events – Conformation Info – Show Rules**.

for Performance Show Rules, select **Events – Performance Info – Show Rules**.

To print, use the Print function of your browser.

NOTE: New Scent Work Title program is effective 1/1/21. Rules, Class Definitions, and Title Requirements as of 9/1/22 are posted on the website.

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### SHOW RULES CHANGE

6/27/23 Show Rule II. Dogs – 6: Dogs with one testicle as a result of a medical procedure are allowed to compete.

5/16/24 Show Rule I. Owner/Exhibitors - 13: Cavaliers entered in Bred By Exhibitor may be moved to Open if the breeder/owner is unavailable to show the dog. Restrictions apply. Form is required. Other ineligible entries are no longer allowed to move to Open and must be withdrawn.

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### DEFINITION OF CLASSES CHANGE

6/27/23 Rally: Added Rally Choice title effective 10/1/2023.

3/4/24 Added Unofficial Veteran Classes by Age using the age categories in Veteran Sweepstakes for National Shows only effective 4/3/24.

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### IMPORTANT!

**Supplemental Entry Form** and proof of foreign registration are **required** if you need to enter a dog using its Foreign Registry Number while you are waiting on a CKCSC number. Proof of foreign registration is any document that shows the foreign number is assigned to that dog. The application to register the individual dog or the litter **must have been received by the Registration Office** by late closing or the **entry will not be accepted**. If you have any questions or cannot download the form, please contact Beth Bales. (Refer to Show Rules Section II. Rule 1.)

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### CONFIRMATION DATE IS SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2023!

Entry confirmations will be sent on Sunday, July 13, 2024. Please read your confirmation carefully and contact the Show Secretary with any changes immediately upon receipt. If you have not heard from the Show Secretary by this date, contact them immediately.

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### RINGSIDE READY REMINDER!

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to have their dog ringside for all competitions for which they are eligible, including dogs that are eligible to return to the ring for Reserve and Award of Merit competitions. The grooming area and hotel rooms are not ringside. Dogs that are not ringside and ready to enter when called to join the competition may not be allowed to enter the ring (Refer to Show Rules Section I. Rule 21.)

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## TROPHIES

The CMW Trophy Show is on Saturday July 27, 2024, and all trophies must be inside the ballroom BEFORE the show begins.

If returning them by mail, please send to Chris Degen, 10200 Dorchester Pl., Pickerington, OH 43147 to arrive NO LATER THAN July 12, 2024. Please do not ship Trophies to the hotel. Exhibitors will be held responsible for lost Trophies or any fees, the hotel may charge.

Trophies brought with you to the show must be returned polished to the Trophy Table inside the ballroom on Friday morning between 8:30 to 10:00 am and Friday afternoon between 3:00 to 5:00 pm. PLEASE DO NOT WAIT UNTIL SATURDAY MORNING TO RETURN YOUR TROPHY! If you have any questions, please call Chris Degen at 409-504-5513.

The member responsible for any unreturned trophy will be *fined \$250 and cannot show until the fine is paid.* (Refer to Show Rule Section I. Number 5.)

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### CLASS ELIGIBILITY UPDATES TO SHOW RULES

#### Ineligible Entries Can No Longer Move To Open

Effective July 1, 2024, ineligible entries in the catalog may no longer be moved to the Open Class. **Please review your confirmation carefully to ensure that there are no mistakes made by you or the Show Secretary.**

#### Bred By Exhibitor Class Eligibility Change After Closing

Effective July 1, 2024, if you enter your Cavalier in the Bred By Exhibitor Class and are not available to show your dog in that class after closing for the show, you may move the dog to Open for the remainder of the show weekend.

You must submit a Bred By Exhibitor Class Change Form to the Show Secretary or a Member of the On-site Show Rules Committee as described on the form. Form can be submitted any time after the closing date and 30 minutes prior to the start of all judging for the day.

You will not be allowed to show any dog in a Bred By Exhibitor Class for the remainder of the weekend.

Refer to Show Rule Section I. Owners and Exhibitors, Rule 13 for specifics. Fillable form is available on the event page.

#### Eligibility Change for Dogs With One Testicle

Effective 6/23/23, dogs who have had one testicle removed as a result of a necessary medical procedure are allowed to show. (Refer to Section II Dogs, Rule 6 for specifics.)

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## DONATION AND SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES!

Donations towards the show expenses are greatly appreciated. All sponsorships and donations will be acknowledged in the catalog. In addition to a donation of any amount, please consider one of these opportunities, even if you are not able to attend the show.

**Class Sponsorships** are \$10 per class and greatly help defray the costs of the lovely prizes awarded in each class. Sponsor names are printed in the Catalog.

**Event Sponsorships** are used where needed for general show expenses. The following Event Sponsorships are available and should be noted on the Summary Amount Form for payment in the same section where Class Sponsorships are noted.

Event Sponsor 1 - \$ 100 Coffee Break, Sweepstakes or BIS.

Event Sponsor 2 - \$50 Major Award.

Event Sponsor 3 - \$25 Health Clinic

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## LIVE STREAMING!!!

The CKCSC, USA offers **live streaming** at all of our shows. The show – including **SOUND** – is streamed right onto the **CKCSC, USA Facebook** page ([www.facebook.com/ckcscusa](http://www.facebook.com/ckcscusa)). A **digital catalog** is available to follow along with the live stream. It is the same catalog as the printed one picked up by exhibitors at the show. Anyone ordering the digital catalog will receive it as an email attachment on Thursday afternoon once they are available at the venue.

Live stream coverage is provided free of charge and is set up and ran by volunteers. From time to time viewing what's going on in the ring in its entirety may not be optimal however we are still thankful to be able to provide this service while keeping costs down and saving thousands of dollars by not hiring a full professional tech team. We wish of course that you could be with us in person, however we are thankful for this opportunity to connect with you via Facebook livestream.

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**CLASS ELIGIBILITY BY BIRTHDATE** (July 26 - July 28, 2024): Please refer to the following chart to ensure your dog's age is within the eligible age range (inclusive) for the class.

<u>Class Name</u>	<u>Friday (7/26/24)</u>	<u>Saturday 7/27/24</u>	<u>Sunday (7/28/24)</u>
Junior Puppy	10/27/23 - 2/26/24	10/28/23 - 2/27/24	10/29/23 - 2/28/24
Senior Puppy	7/27/23 - 10/26/24	7/28/23 - 10/27/24	7/29/23 - 10/28/24
Graduate Puppy	1/27/23 - 7/26/23	1/28/23 - 7/27/23	1/29/23 - 7/28/23
Novice	before 2/27/23	before 2/28/23	before 2/29/23
Bred By	before 2/27/23	before 2/28/23	before 2/29/23
Junior American Bred	1/27/23 - 2/26/24	1/28/23 - 2/27/24	1/29/23 - 2/28/24
American Bred	before 1/27/23	before 1/28/23	before 1/29/23
Second Generation American Bred	before 2/27/23	before 2/28/23	before 2/29/23
Health/Conformation	before 7/27/19	before 7/28/19	before 7/29/19
Special Limit	before 2/27/23	before 2/28/23	before 2/29/23
Open	before 2/27/23	before 2/28/23	before 2/29/23
Sr Open, Veteran	before 7/27/17	before 7/28/17	before 7/29/17

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## CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED FOR ENTRY FEES VIA PAYPAL INVOICE ONLY

Cavaliers of the Midwest (CMW) will accept credit card payment through PayPal for entry fees in addition to checks but will not be accepting any credit card information with your show entry. CMW has switched to a completely different method done entirely with PayPal.

1. On the *Summary of Amounts Due*, check the line below TOTAL ALL ITEMS when prompted to indicate that you authorize CMW to send you an invoice via PayPal. **There is a \$10 convenience fee to use PayPal for payment.**
  2. Beginning the week of July 22,2024, you will receive an email from [service@paypal.com](mailto:service@paypal.com) with subject **Invoice from Cavaliers of the Midwest** . It will contain a link to your invoice.
  3. Click on the link in the email and you will go directly to your PayPal invoice. The invoice will identify Cavaliers of the Midwest and Treasurer, Deb Johnson. Enter your credit card number and amount into PayPal secure website. No one sees or has access to your information. The payment goes directly into the Cavaliers of the Midwest account at PayPal.
  4. Do **NOT** submit any credit card information with your entries.
  5. DO make sure that the email address on your show entry has the email address to which you wish the invoice to be sent.
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## SHOW ENTRIES ACCEPTED VIA EMAIL AND US POSTAL MAIL

Cavaliers of the Midwest (CMW) will accept entries via email in addition to postal mail under the following conditions. PLEASE read the instructions CAREFULLY. **Entries will not be accepted until payment is received.** DO NOT SEND ANY CREDIT CARD INFORMATION WITH YOUR ENTRIES.

1. Entries submitted by mail must include either a check or payment is assumed to be via PayPal. Entries postmarked after the postmark closing date are considered late entries subject to the late fee.
2. Entries submitted by email must be received by the postmark closing date. Checks that are mailed must be postmarked by postmark closing.

### TO USE THE FILLABLE FORMS

1. DOWNLOAD the CMW July 2024 Summary and Entry Forms from the CKCSC website [www.ckcsc.org](http://www.ckcsc.org) to your computer. (Current Events – [July 2024 CMW Show](#), More Information link.)
2. TYPE all the information required on the form.
3. PRINT the completed forms.
4. SIGN the completed forms. **(It is a requirement that all entry forms be signed.)**
5. For this show we are also asking for your Kennel Name for the purpose of Show Site Décor.

### TO SUBMIT THESE FORMS VIA EMAIL

1. SCAN and SAVE the completed and **signed** forms to your computer as a single file.
2. EMAIL the file to the Show Secretary at [CMWShowSec@gmail.com](mailto:CMWShowSec@gmail.com).
3. If you are paying by check, mail the check.

TO SUBMIT BY MAIL: Mail the forms to the Show Secretary at the address on the Summary Form. **Be sure to keep a copy.**

If you have any questions about these procedures, or need assistance, please call Elizabeth Vezina at 469-363-1824 or [CMWShowSec@gmail.com](mailto:CMWShowSec@gmail.com).

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# CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB, USA DEFINITION OF CLASSES

As of 03/04/24

The term "Dog" applies to both sexes unless otherwise specified.

## CONFORMATION

As of 3/4/24

### OFFICIAL CONFORMATION CLASSES

(Championship Points awarded if entry justifies.)

<b>Junior Puppy</b>	Puppies 5 months but not yet 9 months.
<b>Senior Puppy</b>	Puppies 9 months but not yet 12 months.
<b>Graduate Puppy</b>	Dogs 12 months but not yet 18 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title.
<b>Novice</b>	Dogs 5 months and older, never to have won any points at a CKCSC, USA, or CKCSC Regional Championship Show, nor a major win, nor a championship in any Registry in which the Breed is recognized.
<b>Bred By Exhibitor</b>	Dogs 5 months and older, owned by the breeder and handled in the ring by the breeder or his/her spouse or domestic partner. The breeder is the registered owner of the dam at the time of mating.
<b>Junior American Bred</b>	Dogs 5 months but not yet 18 months, whelped in the USA of a mating that took place in the USA, and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship if over 12 months of age.
<b>American Bred</b>	Dogs 18 months and older, whelped in the USA of a mating that took place in the USA and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title.
<b>Second Generation American Bred</b>	Dogs 5 months and older which are American Bred and of which both sire and dam are American Bred, and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title. (Offered at the National Specialty, Elizabeth I. Spalding Memorial Show, and Trudy Brown Memorial Rally only.)
<b>Health &amp; Conformation</b>	Dogs 5 years of age and older with an OFA certificate that shows and OFA registry number and states that the dog has no evidence of hip dysplasia after 2 years of age and is certified clear within 1 year of the postmark closing date for that show of the following diseases: 1) Heart – by a board certified cardiologist; 2) Patellar Luxation – by a licensed veterinarian or via an OFA patella certificate; 3) Eyes – by CERF or by a board certified veterinary ophthalmologist's exam sheet indicating that eyes are "normal". Copies of the 4 certificates must accompany the entry form for any dog entering this class.
<b>Special Limit Blenheim</b>	Blenheim dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.
<b>Special Limit Tricolor</b>	Tricolor dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.
<b>Special Limit Ruby</b>	Ruby dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.
<b>Special Limit Black &amp; Tan</b>	Black & Tan dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.
<b>Open</b>	Dogs 5 months and older.
<b>Senior Open</b>	Dogs 7 years and older.

## UNOFFICIAL CONFORMATION CLASSES

(No championship points awarded.)

<b>Veteran</b>	Dogs 7 years and older. Class to be judged on overall quality and conformation of the dogs, regardless of their age. (Offered at the Regional Clubs shows only.)
<b>Bronze Veteran</b>	Dogs 7 years but not yet 9 years. Class to be judged on overall quality and conformation of the dogs, regardless of their age. (Offered at the National Specialty, Elizabeth I. Spalding Memorial Show, and Trudy Brown Memorial Rally only.)
<b>Silver Veteran</b>	Dogs 9 years but not yet 11 years. Class to be judged on overall quality and conformation of the dogs, regardless of their age. (Offered at the National Specialty, Elizabeth I. Spalding Memorial Show, and Trudy Brown Memorial Rally only.)
<b>Gold Veteran</b>	Dogs 11 years and older. Class to be judged on overall quality and conformation of the dogs, regardless of their age. (Offered at the National Specialty, Elizabeth I. Spalding Memorial Show, and Trudy Brown Memorial Rally only.)
<b>Stud Dog</b>	Stud dogs to parade with 2 or more of their get from at least 2 different litters, not necessarily in the same ownership. Get must be entered in an Official or Unofficial Conformation Class at this Show. Class to be judged on quality and consistency of get only.
<b>Brood Bitch</b>	Brood bitches to parade with two or more of their produce from at least two different litters, not necessarily in the same ownership. Produce must be entered in an Official or Unofficial Conformation Class at this Show. Class to be judged on quality and consistency of produce only.
<b>Brace</b>	Two dogs 5 months or older, of the same color and in the same ownership but not necessarily of the same sex. Class to be judged on similarity and quality.

## FINAL AND SPECIAL AWARDS

### AWARDS

All official conformation classes are judged for dogs, then bitches. Winners/Reserve Winners/Best Puppy competitions take place after judging concludes for that sex. Initial competition for Special Awards Best American Bred, Bred By Exhibitor, Blenheim, Tricolor, Ruby, and Black-and-Tan In Show is held after Best Puppy for that sex is awarded. Unofficial conformation classes, including Best Veteran In Show, are judged after the competition for Winners/Reserve Winners/Best Puppy Bitch. The remaining Final and Special Awards follow the unofficial conformation classes.

### FINAL AWARDS *(Championship points awarded if entry justifies.)*

**Winners** (WD, WB) is awarded from the Class Winners.

**Reserve Winners** (RWD, RWB) is awarded from the remaining Class Winners and the second place dog to Winners.

**Best Puppy** (BPD, BPB) is awarded from all undefeated puppies under one year of age after Reserve Winners and AOM's are awarded.

**Best In Show** (BIS) is awarded from Winners Dog and Winners Bitch.

**Reserved Best In Show** (RBIS) is awarded from the Opposite Sex Winners and the Reserve Winners to Best In Show.

**Best Puppy In Show** (BPIS) is awarded from the winners of Best Puppy Dog and Best Puppy Bitch after Best In Show is awarded.

**Award of Merit (AOM)** is awarded after Reserve Winners from the remaining Class Winners and next placing dog to Reserve Winners or the first AOM winner. (Up to two AOM's are awarded to each sex at all National shows and every championship show during the Regional Annual General Meeting (AGM) weekend.)

## **SPECIAL AWARDS** *(No championship points awarded.)*

**Best Veteran In Show (Regional Shows)** is awarded from the winners of the Veteran Classes immediately following the Veteran Class competition.

**Best Veteran Dog In Show (National Shows)** is awarded from the winners of the Veteran Dog Class Winners immediately following the Veteran Dog Class competition.

**Best Veteran Bitch In Show (National Shows)** is awarded from the winners of the Veteran Bitch Classes immediately following the Veteran Bitch Class competition.

**Best Veteran In Show (National Shows)** is awarded from the winners of the Best Veteran Dog and Best Veteran Bitch.

**Best Health and Conformation In Show** is awarded from the winners of the Health and Conformation Classes immediately following the Best Black-and-Tan In Show competition.

**Special Awards:** Awarded from eligible dogs from all of the classes. The definition for the Special Award is the same as the associated class definition. They must include:

- Best American Bred in Show
- Best Bred By Exhibitor In Show
- Best Blenheim In Show
- Best Tricolor In Show
- Best Ruby In Show
- Best Black-and-Tan In Show

## **PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES**

*(No Championship Points awarded.)*

<b>Junior Puppy</b>	Puppies 5 months but not yet 9 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA, championship title.
<b>Senior Puppy</b>	Puppies 9 months but not yet 12 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA, championship title.
<b>Graduate Puppy</b>	Dogs 12 months but not yet 18 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA, championship title.

## **ADULT SWEEPSTAKES**

*As of 2/21/19*

*(No Championship Points awarded.)*

<b>Adult</b>	Dogs 18 months but not yet 7 years and not holding a CKCSC, USA, championship title.
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# VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

As of 2/21/19

(No Championship Points awarded.)

<b>Bronze Veteran</b>	Dogs 7 years but not yet 9 years.
<b>Silver Veteran</b>	Dogs 9 years but not yet 11 years.
<b>Gold Veteran</b>	Dogs 11 years and older.

# JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

(To be judged on how well the dogs are handled, NOT on the dogs themselves.)

As of 8/1/22

<b>Pee Wee Class</b>	Handlers 5 years but not yet 11 years. Dogs not to be placed upon the examining table. Handler is allowed to have an adult accompany them in the ring. All participants are awarded first place ribbons. Wins are not eligible for yearend awards.
<b>Junior Class</b>	Handlers 6 years but not yet 10 years. Dogs not to be placed upon the examining table.
<b>Intermediate Class</b>	Handlers 10 years but not yet 14 years. Dogs to be placed on the examining table.
<b>Senior Class</b>	Handlers 14 years but not yet 18 years. Dogs to be placed upon examining table.

## CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB, USA,

### MATCH RULES

as of 9/1/19

#### PEE WEE PUPPY

as of 9/1/19

(The term "Puppy" applies to both sexes unless otherwise specified.)

1. Where applicable, the Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club, USA, (CKCSC, USA) "Procedure for Registration and Transfer of Dogs" and "Show Rules" will be followed.
2. CKCSC, USA, Members can show any Cavalier King Charles Spaniel puppy that is registered with or awaiting registration with the CKCSC, USA; has a Performance Event Number (PEN); or is ineligible for registration with the CKCSC, USA. Any non-member is welcome to enter their Cavalier King Charles Spaniel puppy.
3. No puppy may be entered under a Judge by whom it was bred or to whom it currently or has previously belonged, including co-ownerships.
4. No Championship Points shall be earned at Pee Wee Puppy Matches.
5. A single class will be offered for puppies at least three (3) months of age, but not yet five (5) months. Best Pee Wee Puppy will be awarded to the class winner. Puppies of the opposite sex to the winner will compete for Best of Opposite Sex to Best Pee Wee Puppy. Critiques will be written for both winners.
6. Puppies must be current on all age-appropriate vaccinations. This is the owner's responsibility. By entering the competition, the owner acknowledges that the Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club, USA, Inc., assumes no liability for any illness contracted by the puppy as a result of entering the competition.
7. A puppy may be shown on a collar and leash or harness.