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CSCOC Newsletter

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CSCOC Highlights .....

2003 Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee was selected at the February Board Meeting. The committee members are Linda Praznik (Chair), Bonnie Compas, and Jane Wade with Lori Garris as alternate. Their recommendations may be reviewed in the Nomination Letter included in this issue.

Meetings & Programs

Many thanks to Bonnie Compas for providing her home for our March Meeting.

Scheduled Upcoming Programs:

April— The Awards Dinner Meeting to be held at the Olive Gardens in Brea. Please be sure to get your reservations into Bea as soon as possible. See Attached Flyer.

May — We have a "NOT TO MISS" program scheduled for the May 2003 Meeting. AKC Rep, Mike Shea, will be speaking to our club on how to conduct a Bench Committee Review. We already have 2 visitors from other clubs scheduled to join us to hear Mike talk. Let's make a good turn-out for our guest speaker!

June — Review of upcoming National in Riverside and what our club needs to do to assist.

Awards Dinner

Our annual Awards Dinner is coming up on April 1st, Bea Jones (chairperson) has sent out the forms to fill out for the various club awards. Be sure to fill them out and get them back to her ASAP. The April Awards Dinner is a time to celebrate our achievements from the year 2002, so you all there!

The following are the objectives which this Club honors and abides by:

To encourage and promote the breeding of pure-bred Cocker Spaniels and to do all possible to bring their natural qualities to perfection:

To urge members and breeders to accept the standard of the breed as approved by the American Kennel Club as the only standard of excellence by which Cocker Spaniels shall be judged:

To do all in its power to protect and advance the interests of the breed by encouraging sportsmanlike competition at dog shows, obedience trials and field trials.

To conduct sanctioned and licensed specialty shows, obedience trials, and field trials under the rules of the American Kennel Club.

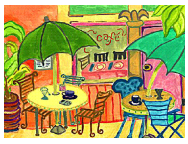
Upcoming Meetings

Board Meeting

Tuesday, March 25, 2003

Mimi's Café

7:30pm



General Meeting

Tuesday, April 1, 2003

Olive Gardens

7:00pm



CSCOC Highlights (cont'd)



Rummage Sale

The Rummage Sale was a success! Thanks to the efforts of everyone, we earned to **$913.85** to donate to the National!!

Another National Raffle

There's another raffle in the works. Win 4 free nights at the Mission Inn!! They're $10 a ticket. Contact Julie Virosteck for more information.

Eye Clinic

Our Annual Eye Clinic is April 12th. Dr. Mac will again be conducting the examinations. These exams are for genetic eye diseases only. A flyer is included in this issue.

2003 Junior & Senior Winter Futurity/Sweepstaks Judge Nominations—Reminder

At the **June** General Meeting, nominations *and election* for the 2003 Junior and Senior Winter Futurity & Sweepstakes Judges will be held. Please come prepared to nominate a knowledgeable candidate.

Futurity

There are 2 bitches nominated at this time for the 2003 Summer Futurity which (for one-time only) has been re-named the "Senior Futurity" to be held at the 2003 Winter Specialty. Four bitches and 1 puppy have been nominated for the "Junior Futurity" at the 2003 Winter Specialty at this time.

Pet Fair

It has been decided to by-pass the Cocker Booth at the Pet Fair this year due to extenuating circumstances and other conflicting events that weekend.

Absurd Dog Breeding

~ **Pointer + Setter** = Pointsetter, a traditional Christmas pet

~ **Kerry Blue Terrier + Skye Terrier** = Blue Skye, a dog for visionaries

~ **Great Pyrenees + Dachshund** = Pyradachs, a puzzling breed

~ **Pekinese + Lhasa Apso** = Peekasso, an abstract dog

~ **Irish Water Spaniel + English Springer Spaniel** = Irish Springer, a dog fresh and clean as a whistle

~ **Labrador Retriever + Curly Coated Retriever** = Lab Coat Retriever, the choice of research scientists

~ **Newfoundland + Basset Hound** = Newfound Asset Hound, a dog for financial advisors

~ **Terrier + Bulldog** = Terribull, a dog that makes awful mistakes

~ **Bloodhound + Labrador** = Blabrador, a dog that barks incessantly

~ **Malamute + Pointer** = Moot Point, owned by... oh, well, it doesn't matter anyway

~ **Collie + Malamute** = Commute, a dog that 'travels to work

Other Information Biscuits.....

Please Find Enclosed

- Upcoming April Events
- Directions to the April Meeting
- Eye Clinic Flyer
- Awards Dinner Flyer
- Nomination Letter
- SAVKC Match Flyer

Future Meeting Reminders

- April Board Meeting – **As Scheduled— April 29, 2003**
- May General Meeting — **As Scheduled— May 6, 2003**
- May Board Meeting – **As Scheduled— May 27, 2003**

News Clips



If you have any articles you'd like to have included in future newsletters, please mail them to Mindy.

If you know of someone interested in Cockers and our Club's activities, perhaps they would like to receive a complimentary 3-month subscription. Forward their name and address to Mindy.

For a 12-month subscription, please forward a $10.00 check payable to CSCOC to the Newsletter Editor:
Mindy Donovan-Tandy, Newsletter Editor
Mldt@earthlink.net

Events In April ……..

Date	Event	Judge
4/4	**Cocker Spaniel Club of Las Vegas Specialty Las Vegas, NV**	
4/5 — 4/6	Silver State Kennel Club Las Vegas, NV	Michele Billings (Mrs) Robert S. Forsyth
4/4 — 4/6	AKC Agility Trials Las Vegas, NV	Roger Greenwald Lisa Miller
4/6	Golden State Dog Fanciers All Breed and Obedience Match West Covina,	Info Contact: E-Mail: ford46rag@aol.com
4/12 — 4/13	AKC Agility Trials Simi Valley, CA	Gillian Crawford Kera Holm
4/13	Santa Ana Valley Kennel Club All Breed & Obedience Match Cypress, CA	Info Contact: E-Mail: mar1@aol.com
4/20	Golden State Dog Fanciers All Breed and Obedience Match West Covina, CA	Info Contact: E-Mail: ford46rag@aol.com
4/26 — 4/27	Lake Matthews Kennel Club Chino, CA	Michael H. Faulkner Stephen J. Hubbell
4/26 — 4/27	AKC Agility Trials Simi Valley, Ca	Pat Charlton Terry Brown

CSCOC Board Members

President:
Julie Virosteck

Vice-President:
Mindy Donovan-Tandy

Secretary:
Marleta McFarlane

Treasurer:
Linda Praznik

Delegate:
Bea Jones

Delegate:
Quinn Ruvacava

Delegate:
Lois Wilson

Delegate:
Doug McFarlane

Past-President:
Hap Jones

Cocker Spaniel Club of Orange County, Inc.

March 24, 2003

TO: GENERAL MEMBERSHIP

FROM: MARLETA MC FARLANE, SECRETARY

SUBJECT: NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2003-2004

In compliance with our By-Laws, the Nomination Committee, chaired by Ms. Linda Praznik, held a meeting and submits the following names for Officers and Boad Members for 2003-2004.

DELEGATE:	- Bea Jones	(2 Year Term)
DELEGATE:	- Lois Wilson	(2 Year Term)

Board Members who were elected for 2 year terms last year and who will be eligible for re-elections in 2004 are:

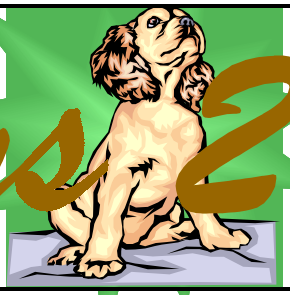
PRESIDENT:	- Julie Virosteck
VICE-PRESIDENT:	- Mindy Donovan-Tandy
SECRETARY:	- Marleta McFarlane
TREASURER:	- Linda Praznik
PAST PRESIDENT:	- Hap Jones
DELEGATE:	- Doug Mc Farlane
DELEGATE:	- Quinn Ruvacava

According to our By-Laws, Article IV, Section 4E: "Additional nominations may be made at the May Meeting by any member in attendance provided that the person so nominated does not decline when his name is proposed, and provided further that if the proposed candidate is not in attendance at this meeting, his proposer shall present to the Secretary a written statement from the proposed candidate signifying his willingness to be a candidate. No person may be a candidate for more than one position, and the additional nominations which are provided for herein may be made only from those members who have not accepted a nomination of the Nominating Committee."

Elections of the new Officers and Board Members will be held at the June 2003 Meeting by secret, written ballot from those nominated in accordance with Section 4 of Article IV. They shall take office immediately upon the conclusion of the election. Only members who are in good standing, whose dues are paid for the current year, are entitled to vote.

MARLETA Mc FARLANE,
Secretary, CSCOC

Brags 2003



The Brags Page is dedicated to those who wish to share with others. Not always does it have to be about dogs or about happy times. The wish to share is all that counts.

Lois Wilson

Ch. Glenmurray's Highland Mist bred to Can. Ch. Braewood's Hiram Walker had 3 boys and 2 girls …. All Buff.

Kate's Promises, Promises (Pug) has 14 points with 2 majors. She is being shown by co-owner, Linda Moore.

Hap & Bea Jones

Jo-Bea's Tristar finished her championship at Santa Clara .

Jo-Bea's Just Peachy went WB and BOS at Del Mar.

Jo-Bea's Windwalker got a 3 point Major at Santa Clara.

Doug & Marleta McFarlane

Marimac's Joy Ride ("Porsche") went WB/BOW for a 5-point Major at the ASC Flushing Spaniel Show. Two weeks later, Porsche went WB at Orange Empire to finish!

Julie Virosteck

"Barney" (English Cocker) was Best of Breed at the ASC Flushing Spaniel Show at almost 8 years of age.

"Shirley" has 4 males and 3 bitches ….. All Buff!

Eye Clinic

For All Dog Breeds

Saturday, April 12, 2003

Sponsored by
The Cocker Spaniel Club of Orange County, Inc.

At Jo-Bea Kennels
1829 E. Elm Street
Ontario, CA 91761

(909) 947-7554

Dr. Alan MacMillan CERF Certification Available

Cost: $15.00 per dog

For reservations or additional information, please contact:
Bea Jones
telephone (909) 947-7554 or email hap_bea@jobea.net
Debra Praznik
telephone (909) 489-7117 or email depraznik@aol.com

Jo-Bea's is in Ontario, California just above the 60 freeway.
Exit at Vineyard and go north 9/10th of a mile then turn left on Elm Street.

Eye Clinic for Genetic Eye Disease Testing Only

CSCOC
AWARDS DINNER

Come Join the Fun!
Tuesday, April 1st, 2003

at the
OLIVE GARDEN
in the Brea Mall at State College and Birch

$16.95 per person, tax & tip included
choice of one:

Ravioli di Portobello
Fettuccine Alfredo
Spaghetti & Meatballs

Soup or salad, breadsticks,
beverage and ice cream included

7:00 pm - 7:30 pm - Social time
7:30 pm - 8:00 pm - Short Meeting
8:00 pm - - Dinner & Awards

SEE YOU THERE

Call Bea for reservations
at 909-947-3617
before March 25 th



Santa Ana Valley Kennel Club

Announces its
AKC sanctioned B-OB

Match

Sunday, April 13, 2003

Cypress College
9200 Valley View Street
Cypress, California

Entry Fees:

$ 5.00	Pre-Entry
$ 6.00	Day of Match
$ 3.00	Additional Class (same dog)
$10.00	CGC Testing*
$15.00	TDI Testing*

***Requires Rabies certificate. Flat buckle collars only for TDI**

Pre-Entries Close April 8, 2003
Submit to:
Peggy Johnson (714) 731-6428
13981 Stratton Way
Santa Ana, CA 92705

Times:

Day of Match Entries	9:00-11:00 am
Obedience Judging	11:00 am
Jr. Showmanship	11:30 am
Conformation	12:00 noon
CGC & TDI Testing	10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Additional Information:
Mark Whitley (714) 995-2010
Match Chairman

Classes:

Conformation: 3-6, 6-9, 9-12, 12-18 months, Open **Rare Breeds Welcome!**
- **No dogs with major championship points**
- **Professional Handlers may exhibit only their own dogs**

Obedience: Novice A & B, Open A & B, Utility A & B, Grad Novice and Sub-Novice
- **Obedience entries must be over 6 months of age**
- **Dogs may trophy in one class only**

Jr. Showmanship: Novice (8-10 years), Junior (11-13 years), Senior (14-16 years)



It’s a busy month! Make your plans to attend the Awards Dinner AND have your dog’s eyes examined at the eye clinic!

