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A Message From the Editor

Here is your second newsletter of the year. The show season is now in full swing. Good luck to all of you out there showing this summer and safe travels to all that are travelling far and wide.

In this edition of the ACSCC newsletter, you will find several brags and Carol Chalmers provided a report on the correction match held May 7th.

Chris Wagner, Newsletter Editor

New Member Applicant

The following new applicants have applied for membership in the American Cocker Spaniel Club of Canada. If you have any objections, please forward in writing to the [Secretary](#)* with 30 days of publication of this Newsletter.

Patty (Patricia) Vossen Amherstburg ON	Bonnie Richards Lower Sackville, NS	Kathy Lecky Charlottetown, PEI
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If your personal information has changed, please fill out the attached and mail it to Kelly Ladouceur,

Change of Personal Information

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BRAGS

Kay Nickle, Kathy Fullerton and Joey's breeder Trudy Haukeness-Fecho/Gerri Mozel are pleased to announce that "Joey" Shaankata Kataxin Bit of Jazz has his Canadian Championship with his win at The National Regional Specialty Show this past Saturday, winning Best of Winners and Best Puppy! Joey's sister Zeva finished in style two weeks ago at the Thunder Bay Specialty winning Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex and Best Puppy! Joey and Zeva are out of Shaankata Kataxin Guilty as Sin and Nickleodeon's Classic Jazz!

I am thrilled to announce that my little buff girl Rayna is now formally known as CH Mycrests Ray of Sunshyne. She was bred by myself and co bred with Jackie Forchuk (Calla Cockers) of Devon Alberta. I bred our black girl Halle (CH Fairwinds Black Seductress) to Drake (Am Can Ch Bodegas Bold Explorer) and produced this wonderful very light buff girl. Just seven trips into the rings here in Alberta and she became a Champion. She is such a sweet girl and so full of energy which was great for the show ring, but hard to put up with at home on a lot of days! She is now entered as a puppy special at our Nationals out here in Edmonton Alberta the first weekend in June and I am hoping that she can stay on all four legs just long enough to make a trip or two around the ring. Thanks for letting me brag and hope to have some brags for her litter brother Ryder (Mycrests Bold Adventure) in the near future. Hope you all had a great long weekend.

Donna Kjorsvik
Mycrests Cockers
Bowden, AB

Hi everyone

I am just back home from the Thunder Bay Cocker Spaniel Club specialty show today and I am so thrilled with my girl Zeva!

At the age of 10 1/2 months and after being shown only parts of 2 weekends she completed her Canadian Championship today at the specialty by winning Winners Bitch, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex and Best Puppy in Specialty for 4 points!

Thanks to judge Ms. Marilyn O'Neil of Larmaro cockers!

Zeva is now Can Ch Shaankata Kataxin Devil's Play, sired by Am/Can Ch Nickleodeon Classic Jazz dam is Am/Can Ch Shaankata Kataxin Guilty as Sin, bred and owned by myself and co-bred by Geri Mozel of Kataxin cockers.

Earlier today at the all breed show Zeva won Best of Winners and Best Puppy in Breed for a 3 point win under judge Michael Shoreman!

Thanks for letting me share!

Trudy Haukeness-Fecho
Shaankata Reg'd American Cocker Spaniels
Dryden, Ontario, Canada

Lea Silverdi's Illusions In Life PCD Am/Can CD CDI CGC CGN RN completed her Rally Novice title. This was a first for both of us as we have never done rally before. Lea can add this to her other titles

Brag from Silverdi's Perm Reg

MORE BRAGS

Brag for my Cocker Monsters!!

Well 2010 of the year was busy for the Cocker Monsters!

Latte & I travelled to California for some agility training with Greg & Laura Derrett & check out the sites. A good time was had by all.

In April both Cocker Monsters (Boston & Latte) traveled to Lolo, Montana where they both earned their AKC Novice Agility (NA) title & 2 legs towards their Novice Fast title. Boston also earned 1 leg towards his Open Agility title & 1 more leg towards his Novice Jumpers title (he only needs 1 more leg!!). On top of that, Boston earned his Expert Team Relay Bronze title in AAC.

The big honour was, Boston (Nay's Boston Blackie) earned the ranking of #2 Top Agility American Cocker Spaniel in Canada for 2009 by the CKC. Plus, on May 29, Boston finally earned his Agility Trial Champion (ATCh) & Bronze Award of Merit (AAC)! These were very proud moments for me, especially seeing as Boston has just celebrated his 9th birthday a couple weeks before!!

Latte unfortunately injured herself & has been on strict cage rest for the month on May but she & Boston are looking forward to the ACSCCC National Specialty at NACA in June where they will get to play in the conformation ring & on the agility course. They wish all the cockers competing the best of luck!! The Cocker Monsters are also looking forward to the AAC Regionals Championships also being held this coming June. This will be Latte's 1st & Boston's 4th-we're getting excited!!

Proudly,

Renee Sobie (Edmonton) & The Cocker Monsters:

Abbey was entered at the St. Catharine's club rally trials the end of April where she earned her 2nd and 3rd legs (with very good scores of 96 and 94) for her CKC Rally Advanced title now making her Lurians Abbey Road RNCL CGN CD RN RA. We will now work on her CKC Excellent and CARO Advanced titles. Abbey was one of 3 dogs whose picture appeared in the "Niagara This Week" newspaper from the shows that weekend.

Lizzie was also at the St. Catharine's club rally trials and earned her first two legs (with terrific scores of 98 and 97!) towards her CKC Rally Novice title along with two 2nd place finishes! On May 30th she earned her 3rd leg (scoring a very good 95) along with a 3rd place finish at the Poodle Club rally trials held in Etobicoke now making her Nesmar's Elizzie Beth's Sam RNMCL RN. In the fall, we will concentrate on the Pre-Novice obedience title. Way to go girls!!!

Virginia Davies

Robin and Carol Edwards of Aladdin Cockers are proud to announce their New CH. Brookwood N Aladdin's Catch A Wave (Surf) who went BOW to finish at the Battleford, SK show with Shannon Scheer handling. She was BOS the following day at the booster. The following weekend she won the breed in Edmonton and went on to take a Group 4th followed by two more BOS. This past weekend she won the booster in Regina, SK and took another Group 4th handled by Shannon's sister Alana. On May 29th she earned her first point toward her US Championship in Spokane, WA. We are so proud of our girl who is just under 18 months of age.

Thanks,

Carol

Litter Box

Shandys is pleased to announce that on May 3 2010 we had a litter by CH Nesmar Christycrest OnBroadway (Gabriel) x Shandys Tri N Catch me CDX AMCD (Sadie). We have 4 boys and 3 girls all Tri colour.

Janet Marechal
Shandys Kennels Reg'd

Obedience Correction Match

Friday, May 7th. 2010

The ACSCC – Ontario South hosted an Obedience correction match on Friday May 7th, 2010 @ Campaign Dog Academy in Georgetown, Ontario. The owner of this great facility, Debbie Desjardine-Jones, knowing that this was a fund raiser for the Cocker club was very generous by providing us with the use of her school for the day at a very reasonable price! The ACSCC – Ontario South event was also listed on the Campaign web site which allowed the exhibitors to enter the match electronically and saved us many hours of dealing directly with entries. All were scheduled prior to the event with a list of competitors provided to us for the day.

The registration desk was manned by Pat Wick and Tally Hill, a non-member who generously came out to help.

Even though May 7th was a Friday and a workday for many, we had a great turn out with a confirmed entry of 53 teams. Two obedience rings were set up for the day and judging alternated during the day by 2 non-members Maria Mateljan, Hildegard Mueller and members Virginia Davies, Bonnie Christie and Carol Chalmers. Ring stewarding was provided by members Margo Pereira, Cathy Richardson, Bev Bettridge & Pat Wick with others filling in when these people were running their own dogs. We had a great showing of 14 American Cockers for this event, with each team honing their skills at all levels of obedience.

We were very fortunate to have volunteers from the obedience community to share the jobs of judging & stewarding in each of the two rings. The day would not have run as smoothly had it not been for their help.

Thanks to Margo, Virginia, Cathy, Pat, Bev, Bonnie & Carol for providing the food & drinks for all of the hungry workers. The nibbles were also offered to the competitors for any donation they wished to provide.

The members who attended did the clean-up at the end of the day.

Some very nice teamwork was demonstrated by the 14 cocker entrants who participated throughout the day. It was great at the end of the day to see the Cockers lined up in a row so proudly doing their sit-stays. We are all very pleased with our little partners.

A good day was had by one and all, members and Cockers.

Carol Chalmers & Bonnie Christie

