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# A Message From the Editor

In South West Ontario, we have barely been kissed by winter this year, and signs of an early spring are all around us; lets hope at least.

Not much to report in this issue. We have a few brags. Thank you to those who submitted.

Our election is complete and the results are: Jean Ashley is the new Vice President and Ken Nelson was elected as Director for Saskatchewan. Congratulations to both of you!

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.

Nadine McLellan  
133-120 Wye Road  
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Valerie Brideau  
Ellershouse, NS  
Endorsed by Rod Giffen, regional director.

**If your personal information has changed, please fill out the attached and mail it to Kelly Ladouceur,**

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### Change of Personal Information

Name:		
Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Phone Number:	Email Address:	

# A Message From the President

Hi all, I would like to welcome Jean Ashley as the new Vice President and Ken Nelson as the new Saskatchewan director to the ACSCC.

I am so pleased with the number of ballots that were returned to our election chairman Christine Rehmann. If we can continue with this magnitude of involvement from the members we can go a long ways toward seeing some changes in the future.

We are not all going to agree on what we'd like to see changed but I do feel there are a number of areas that we will agree on. Times change and with that we also need to be more proactive as a National club and work together.

I know this club was started many years ago by some very dedicated members, we need to hold onto the past in some areas, recognize

the dedication and devotion that it took to build this club to what it is today, however we also have to be able to look towards the future and open up

our minds to new ideas and suggestions.

We have several new members in our club that need a guiding hand, we have some very knowledgeable members and that is where the new people involved in cockers need to be able to go, to lean on you for that information and knowledge that you have.

We should all try to stick together & work together and help each other out.

I thank you all so very much for making this club one to be proud of and hope we can continue to do so, please stand up and voice your

opinions in a positive way, lets work together and see our breed be recognized for what it should be.

"How can I be of help?" she asked,

"I have a good idea," he said,

"Here, hold my hand," she suggested,

"We'll do it together," they offered.

"We'll be right here until it's done."

"Let's do it this way, its more fun!"

"It's what we're here for it's no fuss."

"Call us back if you should need us."

"She needs our help, God bless her heart."

"Oh, I'm just glad to do my part."

"Walk with me, I'll show the way."

"Goodness no, I don't want pay."

"You can do it, I'll show you how."

"You need it when? I'll do it now."

"If you need anything I'm right here."

"Who am I? A volunteer."

I wish all of you a wonderful 2010

Donna Kjorsvik

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# BRAGS

I have a brag for Remus – Ladyhawk Prisoner of Azkaban – at the PACE AAC Agility Trial on January 23 and 24, he earned his Masters Steeplechase Title MSCDC. And thanks to Renee Sobie for capturing it on video!

Sandi Maday

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I would like to brag about Midas, MBIS, MBISS Am & Can Grand Champion Sjoblom's All That He Touches and his great start to the New Year. This guy came out running with a Group One the first day, a group one followed by a Best in Show the second day and then a group four for the first weekend out. He followed up with another two Group Ones his next weekend out. This boy seems to be giving his all as he matures.

I would also like to brag about our American success at Puyallup in January where we finished our boy Hoss (now Am & Can Ch Redjack N Sjoblom Crime of Fashn). This boy finished very very quickly in the states with only a couple of trips down including 2 specialty majors. Both these boys have been shown by thier friend Bernie Reddick (and coowner/cobreeder of Hoss). Thanks for letting me brag.

Val Mackie

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Hi everyone

Just have to share this picture and brag of Zeva with you from the weekend (Argus shows in Thunder Bay).

It was her first show at 8 months of age, first day of the show and from the junior puppy class she won WB for 3 points, then on to taking the breed over a special and on to a Group 3rd behind the Irish Setter which took BIS and the Flat Coated Retriever which took BIS the 2nd day of the show and also Best Puppy in Group for a total of 5 points! She lost the Best Puppy in Show to an Afghan puppy. What a day!

Zeva is Shaankata Kataxin Devil's Play sired by Am/Can Ch Nickleodeon Classic Jazz and dam is Am/Can Ch Shaankata Kataxin Guiltyas Sin. Zeva is owned by myself and bred by myself and Geri Mozel.

Huge thanks to judge Mr. David Markus.

Zeva is a 1/2 sister (on the dam's side) to Am Ch Shaankata Kataxin Chorus Girl who was #5 parti colour in the U.S. for 2009. And Zeva is also the 1/2 sister (on the sire's side) to RBIS Am/Can Ch Madilane's Devil Made Me Do It CGN who was the #1 parti colour and #3 cocker in Canada for 2009.

Thanks for letting me share my excitement!

Trudy Haukeness-Fecho  
Shaankata Reg'd American Cocker Spaniels

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Much to my surprise & delight my parti colour boy, Bett's Dungarvan Lil Boots, earned his CD at the Golden Retriever Club trials Feb 6 & 7th going High in Class 3 straight with scores of 197, 196.5 & 198. This is a son of my special girl, Summer.

Bev Bettridge

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# MORE BRAGS

Kathy Fullerton and Kay Nickle are pleased to announce that "Joey" Shaankata Kataxin Bit of Jazz came away with 7 points at The Ontario Breeders Show this past weekend. Joey was Best of Winners and Best Puppy 3 days and Winner's dog and Best Puppy on the 4th day (no female entry) Bred by Trudy Haukeness-Fecho and Gerri Mozel out of Am/Cdn CH Nickleodeon Klassic Jazz and Am/Cdn CH Shaankata Kataxin Guilty as Sin.

Kathy & Kay  
Nickleodeon

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## In Loving Memory



**MBIS & MBISS Am. Can. Ch. Nickleodeon's Bobbie Magee Aug. 18, 1997 - January 5, 2010**  
**Sired by Am. Can. Ch. Nickleodeon's Devil May Dare ex Ch. Kamps Kountry Tridtion:**

Alfons and I are so very sad to let you know that Bobbie passed away on January 5th of this year. Bobbie is the top ranked Canadian Bred American Cocker Spaniel in CKC history. Bobbie was campaigned less than two years and during that time he was # 1 American Cocker Spaniel in 1999 and 2000, # 2 Sporting Dog and # 5 All Breeds in 2000 and in 1999 he was #5 Sporting Dog and #13 All Breeds. In addition he won 4 Specialties, Group 1st and 2nd at the Show of Shows and Group 1st and 3rd at the Nickel Classic. In 2008 we donated the "Nickleodeon's Bobbie Magee Perpetual Best of Breed Trophy which has been presented at the National Specialty for the past two years and will continue to be presented for years to come. He is missed so very, very much by Alfons and I, Kay Nickle and Kathy Fullerton his breeders, and his sister Maggie and brother Ricky.

Pat Konrad