

NEWSLETTER

of the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club

A Note from the President....

Hi Everyone,

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving. I cannot believe how fast 2014 has gone by and in less than a month it will be Christmas, Hanukkah, and New Years. I wish everyone a Happy and Healthy Holiday Season.

The National is behind us and I have to say our club is always represented well, whether by four legged or two legged. There were so many wonderful dogs there. Every year I learn more and more about exhibitor styles and performance objectives. There is always something that you and your trusted companion can do together.

Our next agility trial, which helps fund our specialties, is February 14 and 15, 2015, at American K9 Country, 336 Route 101, Amherst, NH. Again we need membership support. So if you could spend a few hours of your time with Sue Ellen and myself, it would be much appreciated. AKC requires we have 5 active members present each day.

Earlier this year, we pledged \$2,500 to the AKC Disaster Relief trailer that would be located in Springfield, MA. The trailer will contain crates, food, water, shavings, bedding, a generator, cleaning products, etc., that may be use to care for about 60 animals in the event of an emergency. The trailer will be permanently housed at a local firehouse in Springfield. The trailer will display our club logo. We held an iPad raffle and were able to raise a portion of the pledge. We would like to thank an anonymous donor that stepped forward and donated the remaining balance of our pledge.

March 14 and 15, 2015, brings our supported entry at the New England Sporting Dog Group Assoc., at the Big E in Springfield. The judges will be as follows:

Saturday, March 14, sweeps - Mari Beth O'Neil;

classes - Beverly R. Andersen. Sunday, March

15 – sweeps – William Shelton; classes – Kathy Lorentzen. Linda Johnson is our chair for this event. Thank you, Linda!

All the best,

John W. Healy President



BRAGS!!!

I know this is what you all have been waiting to read, so here they are. Congratulations to all of the dogs earning new titles and wins.

Shami got her championship Oct. 26th in Springfield. She is out of GCH. Cerise Signature of Telltale CD RN and Ch. Cerise Naked Maja and thanks to Sue Ellen Healy she finished with a third 3 pt. major. Currently she is co-owned by both of us. Maurene Walker

On Saturday, October 25, 2014, at the Brevard County Dog Training Club Obedience and Rally trial in Melbourne, FL, "Archie" (Kirwin All American Cary Grant CDX RAE2 OA OAJ, bred by Sue Gearhart and Kathy Kirk) took a 1st place in Rally Excellent B with a score of 100 and a 2nd place in Advanced B with a score of 97. Archie also took "Highest Scoring Dog in Trial" and "Highest Combined Score in Trial". This was Archie's 8th leg toward his RAE 3. Currently Archie is ranked #1 Rally Springer in the country. At the same trial in Melbourne, FL, "McGee" (CH Vistah's Caru Too Hot To Tango CD RE OA OAJ, bred by Judy Manley) took a 4th place in Rally Excellent B with a score of 95, and earned her RE title.

Archie and McGee are proudly owned and handled by Ruth Burgart of Stuart, FL

River Birch Top Of The Line aka "Benelli" on September 14, 2014 at the Cape Cod supported entry went Winners Dog under judge Diane Malenfant and Best In Sweeps under breeder judge Cindy Lester. At Riverhead Kennel Club show on October 26, 2014, Benelli , went Best Of Winners for a 3 point major under judge Sharon Lyons. Benelli is bred, owned and handled by Debbie Nadeau and co-owned in spirit with my dad.



At the EESSC Labor Day Agility Trial Darcy earned her NA and is now *Ch Chivalry's Celtic Treasure NA NAJ*. She also made a good start on her open titles, with two legs toward her OA and one towards her OAJ. Ben earned his NA and is now *Ch Chivalry's Code of Honor NA*, (needs one more leg to get his NAJ and has one OA leg) Out of our 12 runs we got 8 Qs, so we had a great trial weekend!

Darcy earned 2 firsts, a second and a 4th place in her qualifying runs, Ben earned 3 firsts and a second, so we came home with lots of pretty ribbons!

Pat Kearney



Nov. 2,2014 at the Bullmastiff show at Master Peace, *Starlites Irish Patty Quinn RE, CGC* "Quinn")received her third leg in REA. Quinn received a First in Rally Excellent and a Fourth in Rally Advance. Proudly handled by Cindy Larson. Cindy Larson

NEW MEMBERS

On behalf of all the members of EESSC, I would like to welcome the following newly approved member into the EESSC family. Please add these names to your 2014 Membership Book.

Cindy Larson 146 Mason Road W. Townsend, MA 01474 home - <u>978-597-620</u> email: <u>cindyspringers@comcast.net</u>

Richard and Cathy Mellon 24 Lake Ave. Hillburn, NY 10931-031 Email: <u>crmellon@optonline.net</u> Tel: 845-357-5749

Alice A. Musburger 626 South Swift Ave. Litchfield, MN 55355 Kennel Name: Rosebud Email: <u>rosebudspringers@gmail.com</u> Tel: 320-290-31

Barbara H. Last 168 Peregrine White Drive Marshfield, MA 02050 Email: <u>barbaralast@aol.com</u> Tel: 781-254-4446 Barbara Orr 697 Route 825 Garnett Settlement, NB E2S 1X8 Kennel Name: Shore Email: <u>borr@nbaibn.com</u> Tel: 506-638-8038

Toby & Deb Aaron 606 Shermantown Road Saunderstown, RI 02874 Email: toby@thewickfordcollection.com Tel: 401-862-6882

NEW APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

The following applications for membership have been submitted and received by the Board of Directors.

Victoria Phillips Galloway, NJ Sponsored by: Sue Ellen Healy, Betsy Davis and Pat Kearney

They are hereby submitted to the membership to review as to their suitability for membership in the Club. Please submit any comments in writing to Crickett Redmond Kerrebock, Membership Chairperson <u>rkrk2007@verizon.net</u> by January 5, 2015



A REMINDER TO ALL EESSC MEMBERS

The next newsletter will be published the last week in January. The deadline for submission of brags and articles is January 20th. Please send in submissions as soon as possible to eliminate a crunch here in putting everything together. We welcome any newsworthy articles related to the club or Springers in general. Send in flyers for upcoming events and seminars or pictures that you think the members would enjoy seeing. With pictures please send a narrative describing the pictures.

We do have an **OBITUARY** column to keep our members informed of recent deaths and a **NEW LITTER** column for you proud parents to show off your new babies. We are pretty open to ideas, so send in your article and if we deem it to be newsworthy (nothing has ever been rejected) it will be printed.

With our members spread all over the country, it's nice to hear about what's going on in your neck of the woods.

Your Editors Tom & Pat Baker

EESSC NEW MEMBER APPLICATION

The following 2 pages contain the EESSC New Member Application Form. Please pass this on to any potential new members that you may know.



EASTERN ENGLISH SPRINGER SPANIEL CLUB, INC.

Membership Application

The Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc., was organized in 1946 by a small group of people who were interested in the improvement and promotion of the breed. It is now one of the largest Springer Clubs in the United States.

Activities include matches to provide ring experience for young dogs and their owners; annual

awards to recognize significant accomplishments of members' dogs; an Annual Dinner to renew old

friendships; an Annual Specialty Show, Obedience Trials, Rally Trials, Agility Trials, and ringside

mentoring at the specialty shows, to provide a showcase for the English Springer Spaniel.

Membership is by invitation only. Applicants must be endorsed by three members in good standing, none of whom shall be from the same household. Yearly dues are \$25 for an individual member, \$40 for a household membership ~ two adult members residing in the same household, and \$5 for a junior member (up to the age of 18).

I(*we*) apply for membership in the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc. **Please Print:**

Mr./Mrs./Ms./Miss:	
Address:	
Phone: E-Mai	il:
Kennel Name: D	Date of Birth (Juniors Only)
Primary Interest in Dogs:	
Conformation Obedience Tracking BreedingDog 0	_ Agility Field Agility Owner Other:
Breeds you presently own	
Have you bred any litters?	How many?
Please list a few that interest you If accepted for membership, are you willing In what capacity? Do you belong to or have you belonged to a	g to assist with our Annual show, Agility Trials, or Match?
Are you in good standing with the AKC?	If not, why not?
Have you ever been suspended from AKC	privileges?



What have you done to better the breed or Eastern?

Briefly explain why you wish to become a member of EESSC:

The invitation of Membership shall carry the endorsement of three members in good standing:

1. I believe this applicant is worthy of membership in EESSC because ______

Signature:

Print Name:

2. I believe this applicant is worthy of membership in EESSC because

Signature: Print Name:

3. I believe this applicant is worthy of membership in EESSC because _____

Signature:

Print Name:

If granted membership in the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc., I (we) agree to:

- 1. Accept the standard of the Breed as approved by the American Kennel Club as the only standard by which the English Springer Spaniel should be judged.
- 2. Encourage and promote responsible breeding of purebred English Springer Spaniels; and protect the breed by never selling puppies or adult dogs to commercial outlets or in litter lots.
- 3. Advance the interests of the Breed by practicing and encouraging sportsmanlike behavior.
- 4. Support and abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc., and the rules of the American Kennel Club.
- 5. I understand that failure to comply with these rules will result in my suspension and possible expulsion.

SIGNATURE: _____ Date: ____

Please return application and check (made payable to EESSC) for the first year's dues to the Secretary: Lorena Clark, 547 Mail Road Exeter, RI 02822