

SHELTIE TALES

August 2011

Newsletter of the Shetland Sheepdog Club of Southeast Florida, Inc.

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Upcoming Club Events -----

August General Membership Meeting: Saturday, August 27, 2011, at 10:00 a.m.

August Sheltie Social: Immediately following club meeting.

What to Bring: **For your dog:** Ex-pen, water bowl, and water.

For you: Chair, bring your own drinks and main dish. Plus, bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Location: Tradewinds Park (North side)
3600 West Sample Road
Coconut Creek, Florida 33073

CGC Testing and Photography: Sunday, October 9, 2011, at 9:00

AKC Sanctioned Match: Sunday, October 9, 2011, at 10:00

Sheltie Olympics: Sunday, October 9, 2011, at 11:00

Location: Tradewinds Park (North side)
3600 West Sample Road
Coconut Creek, Florida 33073

See attached flyers for additional information on AKC-Sanctioned Match, Olympics, CGC Testing, and Professional Photography.

Club Information-----

All-breed Olympics, CGC Testing, Professional Photography, and AKC-Sanctioned Specialty Match: Keep October 9, 2011, open for some fun.

Tradewinds Park will be the location for this fun-filled day. **See the attached flyers** for information concerning these events. Gael Silverman of Gala Shelties will be the match judge.

Annual Audit: Lucy Carr and Lorna Staab are performing the annual audit of the club's finances.

Membership: The club is delighted to welcome Joni Lowther as a new associate club member. Shawn Kneipple has filled out an application for associate membership.

Meet Our Newest Club Member-----

Joni Lowther is the Club's newest member. She has submitted the follow bio on herself:

I grew up in Gainesville, Florida. Our family home was just a few blocks from the UF campus, so the "Gators" have been a part of my life for as long as I can remember. Although I worked as a vet tech while getting my first degree in physiology, my dreams of being a veterinarian never materialized. I went back to school and got my second UF degree in Building Construction from the College of Architecture. After graduating, I got my Class A general contractor's license and worked as a residential project manager for a construction company. My husband, Rex, and I lived in Boston briefly while he did a post doc at MIT. What a wonderful experience that was. I'd never seen snow until then. Our daughter, Britte, was born there in 1985. Our son, Grant, was born in 1986, after we'd moved back to Palm Bay. While raising our children, I worked intermittently as a designer and I also worked in area public schools as an artist doing set design for plays and giving seminars in puppetry.

I got my first sheltie, CH Lucky Acres Full Time Kipp, "Kipp," in 1998, and I'm thankful to Joanne Korn for mentoring me. I got my second sheltie, CH Jade Mist Kippen Ghillie Dhu, "Ghillie," in 2005, from Carol Howell in Maryland. Finishing both my shelties as an owner-handler has been one of the most rewarding and fulfilling experiences in my life. All these years later, with Kipp now 13 years old and Ghillie 6, I'm still excited about it. There will be more shelties in my future. I love showing, but with two kids in medical school, well, you know, priorities. In the meantime, I help at shows with either grooming or handling when extra hands are needed. I also groom rescues for Mid-Florida Sheltie Rescue.

Interesting Information -----

Fleas: If you are having a flea problem and would like to address it without using chemicals, there is a good article to read entitled “Eliminate Fleas Without Poisons—Integrated Pest Management is a nontoxic way to effectively control fleas” at: <http://www.homevet.com/petcare/documents/fleacontrol.pdf>.

Heartworms: In the July 2011 *Whole Dog Journal*, there is an article entitled: “Time to step it up: the protocols used to protect dogs from heartworm may have lost some effectiveness; here's what you can do to protect your dog now.” It is a very informative article mentioning such things as:

- There is now ample evidence that at least one strain of heartworms has developed resistance to some of the market's best-known preventives;
- The U.S. Food and Drug Administration's Center for Veterinary Medicine has sent at least one warning letter to Merial, the maker of Heartgard, asking the company to stop claiming 100 percent effectiveness for heartworm prevention;
- That the efficacy rate for three popular products was determined to average 95.5 percent; and
- "95 percent effective" **does not** means that 95 percent of dogs remained heartworm-free; it actually means that treated dogs have 95 percent fewer adult worms than untreated dogs. This statement was an eye opener for me!

The link to the article is at:

<http://go.galegroup.com/ps/infomark.do?action=interpret&docType=IAC&source=gale&prodId=ITOF&userGroupName=broward29&tabID=T002&digest=08242d3b6cbc0572291064ee7d6462b3&docId=A262037858&type=retrieve&version=1.0&authCount=1&u=broward29>.

Emergency Checklists: Attached are two checklists which have been prepared by the American Kennel Club. One is an Evacuation Checklist and the other is a Portable First-Aid Kit Checklist.

Judging: The May 2011 *AKC Gazette* has an article written by Kim Schive entitled “Strength in Numbers—Keeping Your Cool When Judging Large Classes and Groups.” If you would like to read the article digitally, it is located on page 20 at: <http://viewer.zmags.com/publication/c536a5ee#/c536a5ee/23>.

Vaccinations: An interesting article on vaccinations demonstrating the need for all pet owners to be informed is entitled “The Purdue Vaccination Studies and Auto-antibodies” and can be read at: <http://www.dogsnaturallymagazine.com/purdue-vaccination-studies/>.

With Sorrow -----

It is with deep sorrow and broken hearts that Dr. Amy Danser and Kathy Murphy inform all who loved and cared for their little “Adam,” CH Buehneman's No More Tears, that he passed away on July 8, 2011, at the age of 16. “Adam” was born on June 8, 1995, and was sired by CH Ozark Crest Tears In Heaven ex CH Buehneman's Lady In Red. “Adam” filled their hearts with joy and they are grateful to his breeder, LuAnn Buehneman, for allowing this special boy to join their family. “Adam's” sweet face and gentle soul will never be forgotten. Amy and Kathy miss him greatly



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The Club's Newest AKC Champion -----

Club member Lorna Staab is extremely proud of “Wyatt,” a/k/a CH Cameo Gray Market, who finished his AKC championship on June 25, 2011. “Wyatt's” sire and dam are: CH Carloway Black Market ex Cameo Song Sung Blue.

On the way to his championship, “Wyatt” secured the following impressive wins:

- On July 6, 2007, “Wyatt,” took a specialty major reserve at the Tampa Bay Area Shetland Sheepdog Club under breeder/judge Dianne Hawes in Sarasota, Florida. “Wyatt” was shown by Judy Stachowski and was only 13 months old at the time of this major reserve.
- On March 2, 2008, at the South Dade Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Wyatt” took Winner's Dog, Best of Winners, Best of Breed, and a Group III.



- On Friday, June 6, 2008, at the Tampa Bay Area Shetland Sheepdog Club show, “Wyatt,” Cameo Gray Market, was Winner’s Dog for his first major.
- On March 6, 2009, “Wyatt” was Reserve Winners Dog at the Shetland Sheepdog Club of Southeast Florida, Inc. show under Joseph Molloy.
- On June 25, 2011, at the Central Florida Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Wyatt” was Winners Dog with a three-point major which finished his championship.

“Wyatt” was bred by Marilyn Marlow and is owned by Lorna Staab and Marilyn Marlow. “Wyatt” certainly has made his owner and breeder proud.

The Club’s First AKC Grand Champion -----

Club member Cay Ireland of [Ireland Shelties](#) is overjoyed that “Chappie,” a/k/a CH Ireland's Aviator, finished his AKC Grand Championship on July 10, 2011,--one year to the day of his finishing his AKC Championship! “Chappie’s” sire and dam are: BISS CH Pop Star SS of Northern Farm, ROM, ex CH Wistwin Ireland's Blue Willow.

“Chappie” secured his first point when he was just seven months old. On the way to his AKC championship, “Chappie” secured a number of impressive wins, including a couple of Best of Breed wins. “Chappie” finished his grand championship with three consecutive five-point majors as follows:

- On July 8, 2011, at the Northeastern Maryland Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Chappie” was Best of Breed and Group III.
- On July 9, 2011, at the Upper Marlboro Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Chappie” was Best of Breed and Group IV.
- On July 10, 2011, at the National Capital Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Chappie” was Best of Breed.

What’s next for “Chappie” and Cay? Well, Cay mentions that they will be going to the AKC/Eukanuba National Championship show in Orlando in December 2011.



Who Has What Available for Placement -----

The membership is invited to let the newsletter editor know if they have something available for placement—puppies or adults. This month . . .

Dee and Walter Silverstein have available for placement Silver Trails She's All That, a/k/a "Allie," a sable-and-white female born January 2, 2007. The sire and dam are: CH Silver Trails WYSIWYG ex CH Tapestry's Centre of Attention.

Member Brags -----

John Gorbas:

"Sky," Vankrol Midnight Blue:

Sire and dam are: Highfields Winter Weather ex Vankrols Tin Lizzy.

- On July 17, 2011, at the Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc. show, "Sky" was Winners Dog and Best of Winners.

Anna Whiting:

"Caper," Highfields Winter Landscape:

Sire and dam are: Highfields Winter Weather (major points) ex Vankrols Taegan.

- On July 16, 2011, at the Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc. show, "Caper" was Winners Dog.

Holly Potts:

"Lacey," GrandGables A Gracious Gift, AX, AXJ:

Sire and dam: Am/Can CH GrandGables Dancing Along ex BIS/BISS Am/Can CH GrandGables Homecomin' Queen (RWB ASSA 2006).

- On July 17, 2011, at the Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc. show, "Lacey" was Winners Bitch.
- On August 5, 2011, at the Tailwagger's Agility Club of South Florida agility trial, "Lacey" qualified in Excellent B Jumpers with a first place win and qualified in Excellent B Standard with a second place win for another double Q towards her MACH title.
- On August 6, 2011, at the Tailwagger's Agility Club of South Florida agility trial, "Lacey" qualified in Excellent B Jumpers with a first place win.

Bill and Irene Munsey:

“Turbo,” Donlyn’s Walking on Sunshine:

Sire and dam: CH Summerloves Look My Way, PT, NAJ ex Donlyn's Starfall Ascension.

- On June 24, 2011, at the Brevard Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Turbo” was Reserve Winners Dog.

Lorna Staab:

“Wyatt,” Cameo Gray Market:

Sire and dam: CH Carloway Black Market ex Cameo Song Sung Blue.

- On June 25, 2011, at the Central Florida Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Wyatt” was Winners Dog for a three-point major.
- This completed “Wyatt’s” championship.

“Socks,” Cameo Chase A Dream:

Sire and dam: BPISS/BISS AKC/UKC/CKC CH Cameo Dreamchaser ex Cameo Song Sung Blue.

- On July 2, 2011, at the Bushy Run Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Socks” was Winners Dog for a three-point major.
- This completed “Sock’s” championship!
- This makes four AKC champions for “Sock’s” sire: BPISS/BISS AKC/UKC/CKC CH Cameo Dreamchaser!
- If you would like to see “Socks” SheltiesOnline ad it can be seen at: http://www.sheltiesonline.com/ad_archive_2011/whitehall_073011.html.

“Olivia,” Trilliant Beloved:

Sire and dam: CH Belmark Lo and Behold, ROM ROMC, ex CH Cameo It Must Be Love.

- On July 16, 2011, at the Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc. show, “Olivia” was Reserve Winners Bitch at her very first show.

Bonny Thatcher:

“Lacey,” Enclave Tribute To Doc Levenson, BN, RN, NA:

Sire and dam are: CH Ilemist as You Like It, ROM, ex CH Coastal Mango Madness.

- On July 30, 2011, at the Upper Suncoast Dog Training Club, Inc. trial, “Lacey” completed her obedience Novice A title with a first place score of 188.

Walter and Dee Silverstein:

“BT,” Silver Trails Tapestry Boy Toy:

BISS CH GrandGables Boy Oh Boy ex CH Tapestry’s Centre of Attention.

- On July 17, 2011, at the Duluth Kennel Club, “BT” was Reserve Winners Dog.

“Annie,” a/k/a Am/Can CH Tapestry’s Centre of Attention:

Sire and dam are: CH Reinmaur’s Firecracker ex CH Playland Some Like It Hot.

- On July 16, 2011, at the Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc. show, “Annie” was Best Opposite Sex for points towards her Grand Championship.

Cay Ireland:

“Chappie,” Ireland's Aviator:

Sire and dam: CH Pop Star SS of Northern Farm ex CH Wistwin Ireland's Blue Willow.

- On July 8, 2011, at the Northeastern Maryland Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Chappie” was Best of Breed and Group III.
- On July 9, 2011, at the Upper Marlboro Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Chappie” was Best of Breed and Group IV.
- On July 10, 2011, at the National Capital Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Chappie” was Best of Breed. This completed “Chappie’s” Grand Championship title!

“Trinket,” Ireland’s Souvenir:

Sire and dam are: BISS CH Solange Surround Sound ex Barwoods Antigua.

- On June 25, 2011, at the Virginia Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Trinket” was Reserve Winners Bitch.

Meredith and Hector Hector:

“Ari,” Hillstone Enclave Arigato:

Sire and dam: BISS CH Kismet's Shogun ex MBISS CH Hillstone I Love Trouble.

- On July 17, 2011, at the Jupiter-Tequesta Dog Club, Inc. show, “Ari” was Reserve Winners Bitch.

Karen Salvage:

“Zivah,” Sunspun Florida Sunshine:

“Zivah’s” sire and dam: CH Shield Crest Colorado ex Touchtone Sunspun AutumnStar.

- “Zivah” and “Mattie” made their television debut. If you would like to see the news clip of the two, it can be viewed at: <http://bit.ly/nOrq2M>.

SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB OF SOUTHEAST FLORIDA IS PLEASED TO PRESENT . . .



Sunday, October 9, 2011

Tradewinds Park North – Belgian Pavilion
3600 West Sample Road
Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Directions: From 95 North or South take the Sample Rd. exit West. Park is across the street from Butterfly World

Canine Good Citizen (CGC) testing
(Holly Blakney, CPDT-KA, VSPDT)

\$20 includes test and CGC award rosette., limited to 15 dogs

Canine photography

(Anne Barbieri, Top Room Studios)

4 x6 photo with \$10 advance registration/\$15 day of event

****package orders and holiday backdrop available****

9:00 a.m. photography and CGC testing begin!

same site, same day: all breed K-9 Olympics & AKC sanction B conformation match (Shelties only)

Note: No aggressive dogs (the Shetland Sheepdog Club of Southeast Florida, its members and agents reserve the right to remove any dogs exhibiting aggressive behavior); dogs must have proof of vaccinations; dogs must remain on leash at all times; no retractable leads .

There will be a *BAKE SALE* and drinks will be available for purchase.
Please bring your own lunch, chair, and water for your dogs.

REGISTRATION FORM

Dog's Name: _____ Breed : _____ Sex: () Dog () Bitch
Owner (s): _____
Owner (s) address: _____

CGC testing \$20: () photography \$10: () TOTAL = \$ _____

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Signature of owner/agent: _____ Date: _____

Make check payable to the SSCSEF, Inc. and mail entry form(s) c/o the event chair:

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SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB OF SOUTHEAST FLORIDA

AKC Sanctioned B Match Sunday, October 9, 2011



Tradewinds Park North – Belgian Pavilion
3600 West Sample Road
Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Breed judge: Gael Silverman (Gala shelties)

Directions: From 95 North or South take the Sample Rd. exit West. Park is across the street from Butterfly World.

MATCH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

8:30 a.m.—9:45 a.m. - Day-of-Match Entries 10:00 a.m. - Conformation judging

****same site, same day - all-breed Canine Olympics, professional canine photographer, and Canine Good Citizen testing!****

ENTRIES:

Pre-entries are \$7.00 per class and must be received by Saturday, October 1, 2011. Please use the entry form at the bottom of this flyer or print one from the Shetland Sheepdog Club of Southeast Florida, Inc. web site: <http://www.sscsefl.com/>

Day-of Match entries are \$10.00 per class.

Classes (divided by sex and limited to Shelties only): 3-6 months, 6-9 months, 9-12 months, 12-18 months and Adult

Note: No dogs with major points, no taped ears; professional handlers may only show dogs they own or co-own.

Ribbons for all class placements. Rosettes and prizes for Best Jr. Puppy (3-6 & 6-9), Best Sr. Puppy (9-12 & 12-18), Best Adult and Best in Match

Drinks will be available for purchase. There will be a **BAKE SALE. Please bring your own lunch, chair, and water for your dogs.**

ENTRY FORM

Dog's Name: _____ Breed: _____
Class (es): _____ Sex: () Dog () Bitch
Sire: _____ AKC #: _____
Dam: _____ Birth date: _____
Breeder (s): _____ Owner (s): _____
Owner (s) address: _____

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ALL BREED K-9 OLYMPICS

Sunday, October 9, 2011

Tradewinds Park North – Belgian Pavilion
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games run by Broward County Paw patrol Dog Scouts Troop 157

Directions: From 95 North or South take the Sample Rd. exit West. Park is across the street from Butterfly World.

8:30 - 10:45 a.m. registration

11:00 a.m. let the games begin!

games include . . .

Fido Says

Handler Agility

Obstacle Course

Red Light/Green Light

Team Relay

same site, same day: professional canine photographer, Canine Good Citizen testing, and AKC sanction B conformation match (Shelties only)

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There will be a **BAKE SALE** and drinks will be available for purchase.
Please bring your own lunch, chair, and water for your dogs.

REGISTRATION FORM

Dog's Name: _____ Breed: _____ Sex: () Dog () Bitch

Owner (s): _____

Owner (s) address: _____

Game(s): 1 () 2 () 3 () 4 () 5 () 6 () 7 () 8 () **\$3 per game or \$20 for 8** TOTAL = \$ _____

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Proper emergency planning can help save the life of your pet. The American Kennel Club has prepared the following checklists to help pet owners pack a portable pet first-aid kit and prepare for an emergency evacuation. Preparedness is important in any disaster situation and these checklists can be applied to any emergency that calls for evacuation from your home.

Evacuation Checklist for Pets

Dog medicine(s), i.e. heart worm, flea, ear mite medicine, etc.
Dog Bowls
Dog Food (1-week minimum, 2-week suggested), dog treats, etc.
Can opener
Leashes: walking leash, short leash
Harness (to attach to seat belt)
Extra dog tag, (masking tape, laundry pen)
Cell #, Hotel # and Room #
Pet records stored in waterproof container or plastic sealable bag
Crate
Dog bed/blanket/toys
Supplies/paper towels, rug cleaner, toilettes, towels, flash light
Current dog photograph(s) with your notification information: useful for fliers should your dog go missing or must be left at shelter
Dog friendly hotel listings/ telephone lists
Shampoo
Litter/portable litter pan
Duct tape
Bottled water
Pet First Aid Kit

Portable First Aid Kit for Pets

Water-proof storage container for kit
Antiseptic/anti-bacterial cleansing wipes/Alcohol prep pads
Eye wash
Eye and skin wash in one
A sock (foot wrapper)
Latex surgical gloves
Electrolyte powder (add to water on hot days)
Emergency space blanket
Small flashlight
Bottled water
Medicated balm
Leash and collar
Soft muzzle
Speak to your vet about what to pack in case your dog has a sudden allergic reaction
Flexible bandage
Gauze roll
Bandage scissors- to cut gauze and to clip hair around wounds
Wood splint
Paper towels
Plastic baggies
Small cold pack and hot pack (self activating)
Cotton swabs
Antibiotic ointment/packets
Tweezers
Space for copy of dog's papers & vet records (sealed in plastic bag)