

SHELTIE TALES

January 2011

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

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President: Meredith Hector
Vice-President: Lorna Staab
Secretary: Ellen Ragland
Treasurer: Karen Salvage
Board of Directors: Hector Hector
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Committees:

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Maryann Lannon
Karen Salvage

Upcoming Club Events -----

Next General Membership Meeting: Tuesday, January 11, 2011, at 7:30 p.m.
After Meeting: "The Dogs 101—Shetland Sheepdog" will be shown as educational material.

Location: Home of: Lorna Staab
410 Southeast Second Avenue
Pompano Beach, Florida 33060-8074

I-95 to Atlantic Boulevard. Go east on Atlantic Boulevard. Turn south (right) on South Cypress Road. Turn east (left) on Southeast Fifth Court. Turn north (left) on Southeast First Terrace. Turn east (right) on Southeast Second Avenue.

Do not park on the sidewalk as you may get a ticket.

Seminar: Saturday, February 5, 2011
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Royal Canin Seminar on
Canine Nutrition and Reproduction

Location: Doric Masonic Lodge
401 Southeast 15th Street
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33316

February General Membership Meeting: Wednesday, February 9, 2011, at 7:30 p.m.
 Location: Home of:
 Hector and Meredith Hector
 1100 Southwest 128th Drive
 Davie, Florida 33325

Club Information-----

Raffle: If you would like to donate items to the raffle for our upcoming 2011 Back-to-Back Specialties, please bring them to the January meeting. Do you have any gift baskets to donate? Keep your eyes open for any gift baskets that may be available from deliveries at your place of employment. Do you have any high-quality sheltie or dog-related items to donate? If so, Kelly McDonough is overseeing the raffle this year. If you cannot make the next meeting to drop off your items, please contact Kelly McDonough to arrange a time and place to meet.

Royal Canin Seminar: The Royal Canin seminar on Canine Nutrition and Reproduction will be held on February 5, 2011, at the Doric Masonic Lodge, 401 Southeast 15th Street, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33316, (954) 292-5735. The charge for members will be \$20.00 and \$25.00 for non-members. The seminar will include lunch and possibly a light continental breakfast. Members are requested to bring a dessert. Colleen Kessler, Ellen Ragland, and Kelly McDonough volunteered to be on the food committee for the function. **See attached flyer and registration form.**

2011 Back-to-Back Specialties: The club's 2011 back-to-back specialties will be on Friday, March 11, 2011, at the South Florida Fair Grounds, 9067 Southern Boulevard, West Palm Beach, Florida 33411. Breed judges will be Marjorie Tuff and Dianne Hawes. Sweeps judges will be Merrylee Malanowski and Gini Shaw.

Trophy Sponsorship for the 2011 Back-to-Back Specialties: Please contact Meredith Hector if you would like to sponsor a trophy for the club's 2011 back-to-back specialties. Sponsorship is still available for the following:

12-18 DOG	\$10.00	\$10.00
12-18 Bitch	\$10.00	\$10.00
Bred By Dog	\$10.00	\$10.00
Bred By Bitch	\$10.00	\$10.00

If you would like to contribute and do not have a preference as to where your donation is applied, donations for the general trophy fund are being accepted.

Nominating Committee: The nominating committee has nominated the following members for club positions:

- President: Meredith Hector
- Vice President: Lorna Staab
- Treasurer: Karen Salvage
- Secretary: Ellen Ragland
- Board: Hector Hector, Anna Whiting, and Lisa Malanowski.

Additional nominations may be taken from the floor at the February meeting after which time the nominations will close. All nominees may present their qualifications to the general membership in writing for submission in the February newsletter. The annual meeting and election occur at the March meeting.

Membership Dues: Membership dues are due on or before January 1, 2011. If the club does not have your current address, please contact Ellen Ragland (Secretary) and give her any updated address, e-mail address, telephone numbers, and other contact information on yourself. Also, contact Karen Salvage (Treasurer) and make arrangements for payment.

With Sorrow -----

Club members, Walter and Dee Silverstein, announce the passing of “Kiki,” Silver Trails Full Circle, on January 1, 2011. “Kiki” was born April 26, 2003, and was sired by CH Silver Trails WYSIWYG ex Heart Lake’s Circle of Life.

“Kiki” was minored out and Wally and Dee were waiting for the majors to start up again so she could finish her championship.

“Kiki” died from a bowel obstruction on New Years Day after she had surgery on the previous day. Wally and Dee will miss her terribly.



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 . . .

Lorna Staab of [Sta-A-Bit Shetland Sheepdogs](#) has a youngster available for placement. "Caleb" is a young tri male whose date of birth is January 11, 2010. His sire and dam are: Am/UKC/Can CH Cameo Dreamchaser ex CH Cameo It Must Be Love.

Interesting Information -----

"A New Way to Spay: Fewer Complications Result from Removal of Only the Dog's Ovaries" is the title of an article in the December 2010 [Whole Dog Journal](#). If you would like to read the article, it can be located at:

[http://find.galegroup.com/gtx/infomark.do?docType=IAC&action=interpret&type=trieve&tabID=T002&docId=A245106454&prodId=ITOF&digest=08242d3b6cbc0572291064ee7d6462b3&source=gale&userGroupName=broward29&version=1.0](http://find.galegroup.com/gtx/infomark.do?docType=IAC&action=interpret&type=retrieve&tabID=T002&docId=A245106454&prodId=ITOF&digest=08242d3b6cbc0572291064ee7d6462b3&source=gale&userGroupName=broward29&version=1.0). The article was written by Nancy Kay, DVM, who is a Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (ACVIM) and recipient of the American Animal Hospital Association 2009 Animal Welfare and Humane Ethics Award. She is also author of [Speaking for Spot: Be the Advocate Your Dog Needs to Live a Happy, Healthy, Longer Life](#), and a staff internist at VCA Animal Care Center in Rohnert Park, California.

Member Brags -----

John Gorbas:

"Sky," Vankrol Midnight Blue:

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

- On December 9, 2010, at the South Dade Kennel Club, Inc. show, "Sky" was Winners Dog.
- On December 12, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, "Sky" was Reserve Winners Dog.

Anna Whiting:

"Caper," Highfields Winter Landscape:

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

- On December 9, 2010, at the South Dade Kennel Club, Inc. show, "Caper" was Reserve Winners Dog, Best Bred-By Exhibitor, and Bred-By Exhibitor Group I.
- On December 10, 2010, at the South Dade Kennel Club, Inc. show, "Caper" was Reserve Winners Dog.
- On December 11, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, "Caper" was Winners Dog and Best of Winners.
- On December 17, 2010, at the Space Coast Kennel Club Of Palm Bay, "Caper" was Reserve Winners Dog.
- On December 19, 2010, at the Brevard Kennel Club, Inc. show, "Caper" was Reserve Winners Dog.

Colleen Kessler:

“Gidget,” Simcos Wild Blue Yonder:

Sire and dam are: BISS CH Shadow Hills Air Force One, OA, OAJ ex Simcos Splendor In The Grass.

- On December 10, 2010, at the South Dade Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Gidget” was Winners Bitch.
- On December 12, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, “Gidget” was Reserve Winners Bitch.

Walter and Dee Silverstein:

“Rudy,” Silver Trails Valentino:

Sire and dam are: CH Silver Trails WYSIWYG ex Am/Can CH Tapestry's Centre Of Attention.

- On December 11, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, “Rudy” was Reserve Winners Dog.
- On December 12, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, “Rudy” was Winners Dog and Best of Winners.

“Prissy,” Silver Trails Sylvan Palm Beach Princess:

Sire and dam are: CH Karosel's Playing The Field ex CH Tapestry's Centre Of Attention

- On December 11, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, “Prissy” was Best Puppy and Puppy Group IV.

Jackie Corwin:

“Splash,” Royale Crest With A Splash:

Sire and dam are: Royale Crest Arbitrage ex Royal Crest Ringsend Moonstruk.

- On December 18, 2010, at the Central Florida Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Splash” was Reserve Winners Dog.
- On December 19, 2010, at the Brevard Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Splash” was Winners Dog and Best of Winners.

Debbie Canderelli:

“Heidi,” Plails Simply Irresistible, RN, OA, OAJ, OF:

“Heidi’s” sire and dam: MACH Triune's Keen Midnite Affair, RN ex Shadow Hill Mad Dash At Plails, CD RN HT NA NAJ.

- On December 11, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, “Heidi” was Winners Bitch.

Holly Potts:

“Lacey,” GrandGables A Gracious Gift, AX, AXJ:

“Lacey’s” sire and dam: Am/Can CH GrandGables Dancing Along ex BIS/BISS Am/Can CH GrandGables Homecomin’ Queen (RWB ASSA 2006).

- On December 11, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, “Lacey” was Reserve Winners Bitch.
- On December 12, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. show, “Lacey” was Winners Bitch and Best of Opposite Sex.
- On December 11, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. agility trial, “Lacey” was fourth in Excellent Standard. (“Lacey” stopped for a little site seeing when at the apex of the A-frame).
- On December 12, 2010, at the Greater Miami Dog Club, Inc. agility trial, “Lacey” was first in Excellent Jumpers. This completed “Lacey’s” AXJ title.
- On December 30, 2010, at the Tailwagger's Learning Center of South Florida Obedience Training Club, Inc. agility trial, “Lacey” garnered her first Double Q with a placement in both Excellent Jumpers and Excellent Standard!

Canine Nutrition & Reproduction

a seminar for all dog breeders & enthusiasts

with **ROYAL CANIN**
veterinarians
Dr. Avi Deshmukh &
Dr. Breatigne Jones

**veterinarians are subject to change*

February 5, 2011
9:00-4:00
Doric Masonic Lodge No. 140
401 SE 15th St.
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316
www.doric140.org

JUST \$25!

- **Nutrition topics include:**
 - ◇ feeding puppies
 - ◇ dental health
 - ◇ ingredients vs. nutrients
- **Reproduction topics include:**
 - ◇ breeding nutrition
 - ◇ Lactation
 - ◇ Factors that influence litter size



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Dr. Avi Deshmukh DVM, Ph.D. (nutrition)

Dr. Deshmukh is a scientific communication manager for Royal Canin. He has been with Royal Canin since 1995 and provides technical services, trains retail and veterinary sales staff and offers guest lectures in the veterinary colleges. Prior to Royal Canin he was a senior scientist in the Nestle Purina Company for 12 years.

Dr. Breatigne Jones, BS, DVM, MS (reproduction)

Dr. Jones earned her BS and DVM at the University of Missouri, Columbia, and her MS at Lindenwood University, St. Charles, MO. Dr. Jones has owned her own companion animal veterinary clinic, as well as working for the Missouri Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health. She has worked in the pet food industry for 6 years, and in her work with Royal Canin focuses on breeding for dogs and cats. She teaches breeders, veterinarians, and pet owners around the United States about nutrition, reproduction, and optimal performance.

Registration form

space is limited so

REGISTER TODAY

Mail registration to:

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City, State, Zip

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Enclose \$25 for the 1 day seminar (\$20 for SSCSEF members). Make check payable to SSCSEF. A light breakfast and full lunch will be served.