

SHELTIE TALES

May-July 2013

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

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Maryann Lannon
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Upcoming Club Events -----

July General Membership Meeting:

Location:

Tuesday, July 9, 2013, at 7:30 p.m.

Home of: Walter and Dee Silverstein
17518 North 66th Court
Loxahatchee, Florida 33470-3235
561-753-3330

AKC Sanctioned Match, BBQ, Social, and
August General Membership Meeting:

Location:

Saturday, August 10, 2013, at
9:15 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. (Park opens at 9:00)

Oakhill Equestrian Park
3100 Southwest 130th Avenue
Davie, Florida 33330

**See the exciting details below and in
the attached flyer and entry form!**

September General Membership Meeting:

Location:

Tuesday, September 10, 2013, at 7:30 p.m.

Home of: Anna Whiting
59 Katrina Circle
West Palm Beach, Florida 33415-3117
561-684-8145

Club Information-----

Upcoming Educational Events: Lorna Staab, our club vice president, has been working very diligently on several educational events. One that is currently being slated is an informative two-hour seminar. Tentatively, the first hour will be on “**Health Concerns of the Sheltie**” and the second hour will be on “**Canine Reproduction.**” Lorna is also working on an educational seminar that will be presented by Royal Canin and a seminar presented by Tom Coen of Macdega Shelties.

Membership: At the May general membership meeting, the lifetime membership nominations for Christy Clark, John Clark, and Colleen Kessler were voted on and the motion carried unanimously. Christy Clark, John Clark, and Colleen Kessler are now lifetime members of the club.

At the February general membership meeting, Cindy Bates was unanimously voted into full membership. Welcome Cindy!

2014 Back-to-Back Specialties: The club will host one sweeps and two back-to-back specialties in 2014. Our 2014 back-to-back specialties will be March 7, 2014, West Palm Beach, Florida. Bring your ideas for judges to the next membership meeting.

AKC Sanctioned Match, “Fun for Everyone and Their Shelties Match,” BBQ, Sheltie Social, and August General Membership Meeting: A day of fun-filled activities is scheduled for Saturday, August 10, 2013, at the Oakhill Equestrian Park, 3100 Southwest 130th Avenue, Davie, Florida. **Please see the attached flyer for information on the AKC Sanctioned B Match.**

Immediately following the match, there will be a “Fun for Everyone and Their Shelties Match.” The “Fun for Everyone” match is free to members and a \$3.00 donation from non-members. All are invited to participate.

Following both matches, there is a BBQ luncheon planned. Meat will be provided by the club and prepared by our master chefs, Lorna and John. Please bring a side dish, salad, or dessert to share. Bring your own beverages. There is no charge for members and a \$5.00 donation per person from non-members.

Following the BBQ luncheon, there will be a sheltie social, a club meeting, and a 50/50 raffle.

Help is always appreciated. Please contact Ellen at erbandymama@aol.com if you would like to volunteer to help.

Sheltie Olympics: The club is planning another fun-filled day of activities at our annual Sheltie Olympics. This year, Walter and Dee Silverstein have agreed to host the Sheltie Olympics at their home in Loxahatchee, Florida. Specific details will follow in coming months. If you would like to volunteer to help in this endeavor, please express your desire at the next club meeting.

Miscellaneous Odds and Ends -----

Wanted: Do you have any gently used grooming supplies or a grooming table that you no longer need? If so, please contact Ellen Ragland at 954-599-7386 or erbandymama@aol.com.

Interesting Information -----

Fleas: *The Whole Dog Journal* published an article entitled “Are ‘Spot-On’ Flea Killers Safe?” You may find it educational and interesting to read. It is located at <http://www.apnm.org/publications/resources/fleachemfin.pdf>.

If you would like to address a flea problem 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/images/pdfs/fleacontrol.pdf>.

Dermatomyositis (DM): Dr. Leigh Anne Clark of Clemson University recently received word that her research grant regarding dermatomyositis (DM) has been funded. Blood samples from DM affected and from older healthy control shelties are being requested. Project details can be found at: http://projectreporter.nih.gov/project_info_description.cfm?aid=8433553&icde=16397110&ddparam=&ddvalue=&ddsub=&cr=1&csb=default&cs=ASC.

The Club’s Newest AKC Champion -----

Club member Cay Ireland is extremely proud of “Belleek,” a/k/a CH Ireland’s Belleek, who finished her AKC championship. “Belleek’s” sire and dam are: CH Suncrest Rhetoric x CH Wistwin Ireland's Blue Willow.

“Belleek” finished by winning three majors in April and June 2013.



“Belleek” was bred by Cay Ireland and is her fourth homebred champion and the third homebred champion for “Belleek’s” dam.

With Sorrow -----

Club member, Colleen Kessler, announces the passing of “Pogo,” U-AGI Simcos Meyer the Cryer, RN, CGC, TDInc., born on March 6, 1999. “Pogo” was 14 years old and was owned by Jana Thomas. “Pogo” made pet therapy visits and comforted hundreds of people on his hospital, nursing home, and hospice visits. He was a therapy dog not only for the elderly, but also with kids in a reading program.



Member Brags -----

Walter and Dee Silverstein:

“Posh,” Karmuns Fashionista Bi Silver Trails:

Sire and dam: BISS GCH Serenity Walk In The Park ex Karmuns Silver Lining.

- On March 25, 2013, “Posh” was Best Puppy at the Greater Fort Myers Dog Club show.

Charlyn Davis:

“Kobe,” Lorain’s Jet Stream:

Sire and dam are: CH Lorain's Luck of the Draw ex Raymar Skyrocket.

- On April 20, 2013, “Kobe” was Winners Dog at the Heartland Dog Club of Florida, Inc. show.
- On June 8, 2013, “Kobe” was Reserve Winners Dog at the Boca Raton Dog Club, Inc. show.
- On June 9, 2013, “Kobe” was Reserve Winners Dog at the Boca Raton Dog Club, Inc. show.

Anna Whiting:

“Denim,” Highfields Remember When:

Sire and dam are: CH Cameo Dreamchaser ex Highfields Almost Winter.

- On April 27, 2013, at the Treasure Coast Kennel Club of Florida, Inc., “Denim” was Winners Dog, Best of Winners, and Best of Breed.

Frank and Maryann Lannon:

“Reese,” Larrikin Legally Blond:

Sire and dam: Larrikin Just My Opinion ex Larrikin Show And Tell.

- On June 8, 2013, “Reese” was Reserve Winners Bitch at the Boca Raton Dog Club, Inc. show.

Lorna Staab:

“Spencer,” Sta-A-Bit True Blue:

Sire and dam: GCH Rosmoor Protocol ex CH Cameo It Must Be Love.

- On March 25, 2013, “Spencer,” was Winners Dog at the Greater Fort Myer Dog Club show.
- On March 26, 2013, “Spencer,” was Reserve Winners Dog at the Greater Fort Myer Dog Club show

John Gorbas:

“Sky,” Vankrol Midnight Blue:

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

- On March 25, 2013, “Sky,” was Reserve Winners Dog at the Greater Fort Myer Dog Club show.

Joni Lowther:

“Ghillie,” CH Jade Mist Kippen Ghillie Dhu:

Sire and dam: CH Jade Mist Memorandum ex Jade Mist Perfect Touch.

- On June 22, 2013, at the Central Florida Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Ghillie” was Select Bitch.
- On June 23, 2013, at the Space Coast Kennel Club of Palm Bay show, “Ghillie” was Best of Opposite Sex.

Cathy Smith and Karen Salvage:

“Tech,” GCH Sunspun System Analyst:

“Tech’s” sire and dam: CH Heatherland’s Analyze This ex Touchtone Sunspun AutumnStar.

- On June 21, 2013, at the Brevard Kennel Club show, “Tech” was Select Dog.
 - On June 22, 2013, at the Central Florida Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Tech” was Select Dog.
 - On June 22, 2013, at the Space Coast Kennel Club show, “Tech” was Select Dog.
- “Tech” is now a Grand Champion!

Karen Salvage:

“Turbo,” Sunspun Program Analyst:

“Turbo’s” sire and dam: CH Heatherland’s Analyze This ex Touchtone Sunspun AutumnStar.

- On June 22, 2013, at the Central Florida Kennel Club, Inc. show, “Turbo” was Reserve Winners Dog.

SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB OF SOUTHEAST FLORIDA



AKC Sanctioned B Match Saturday, August 10, 2013

Oakhill Equestrian Park
3100 SW 130th Avenue
Davie, FL 33330

Breed judge: Dee Silverstein

Directions: From I-95 or the Turnpike, take I-595 exit. Go West to Flamingo Road exit. Travel South for 2 ³/₄ mi. Turn West onto SW 36th Ct. Go ¹/₂ mi. to SW 130th Ave, turn North. Park is on the East side of 130th Avenue.

MATCH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

9:15 a.m.—9:45 a.m. - Day-of-Match Entries 10:00 a.m. - Conformation judging

ENTRIES:

Pre-entries are \$8.00 per class and must be received by Saturday, August 3, 2013. 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 Puppy, Best Adult and Best in Match

ENTRY FORM

Sheltie's Name: _____ DOB: _____

Class: _____ Sex: () Dog () Bitch

Sire: _____ AKC # _____ Dam: _____

Breeder (s): _____ Owner(s) _____

The Shetland Sheepdog Club of Southeast Florida, Inc., the match chair, their agents, employees, etc. and the Town of Davie assume NO responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors, spectators, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assume no responsibility for injury to children not under the control of their parents or guardians.

Signature of Owner/Agent: _____ Date: _____

Make check payable to the SSCSEF, Inc. and mail Entry Form(s)
c/o Match Chair: **Ellen Ragland**, 2030 NE 62nd Street, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308
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