



Scot's Chatter

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Message from the President:

Saturday, January 28th, was a full meeting day for Members, Officers and Board members.

The Show Committee, under the Chairmanship of Bill Pool, convened to review progress for the 35th Annual Specialty to be held at the Wyndham Garden Hotel on Saturday, March 31st, in Miamisburg, Ohio.

We are all excited about our new location which is just off I-75 south of Dayton, Ohio. Everything is under one roof: lodging, boutique, hospitality, grooming, and banquet. One aspect of the location that is highly favored is the close proximity of the grooming area to the show ring. Many of our exhibitors like to be able to observe the classes while grooming their Scotties.

A Board meeting followed to nominate a Nominating Committee to secure a slate of Officers and Board for 2012. The Nominating Committee will consist of three members and two alternates, not more than one of whom shall be a member of the Board.

The Corresponding Secretary will notify the members and alternates of their selection by the Board.

Jack Anastasia was recruited and nominated for Chairman of the Nominating Committee and will call a committee meeting on or before February 15th.

From the Editor:

Special "Thanks" to all the folks who contributed to the January 2012 Scot's Chatter Newsletter. Next issue will be March 31, 2012. Deadline for the March issue submissions is March 15, 2012.

Your Editor,
Elayne Snell

Health and Wellness

Your Pet's Dental Health.

It's always smile time when you practice good pet dental care.

Did you know that dental disease can lead to your pet experiencing more serious problems, including heart, lung and kidney diseases? That is because your pet's mouth is one of the most important lines of defense against germs and bacteria infiltrating his or her system.

However, many pet owners overlook dental care because they think bad breath is just something that comes with the territory. In fact, according to the American Veterinary Dental Society (AVDS), 80 percent of dogs and 70 percent of cats show signs of oral disease by age three.

With good preventative dental care, you can help protect your pet from dental disease. Schedule regular examinations and cleanings with your veterinarian. You can also give your pet special toys, chew, treats and food that are designed to help keep his or her teeth and mouth clean.

Between veterinarian visits, make sure to brush your Pet's teeth at home too. You can get a pet toothbrush and toothpaste at your local pet supply store. But before you try and that toothbrush, follow these steps to get your pet used to the process.

- 1) Start by gently rubbing your pet's gum line with your finger.
- 2) Once your pet is used to that felling, graduate to doing it with a little bit of gauze around your finger.
- 3) When it appears your pet is comfortable with the gauze, then you are ready for the toothbrush.

Remember, the earlier in your pet's life that you start brushing his or her teeth, the more easily your pet will become accustomed to it and the easier your job will be – not to mention the benefits for your pet's oral health. If you haven't started yet, start today.

February is National Pet Dental Health Care Month.





BRAGS

August 26, 2011

Sawnee Mtn KC of Georgia
Charhill Stargazer – Winners Bitch
GCH Charhill Power Broker – Best of Breed

August 27, 2011

Lawrenceville KC
Charhill Premier Performance Winners Dog, Best of Winners
Charhill Stargazer – Winners Bitch
GCH Charhill Power Broker – Best of Breed

August 28, 2011

Conyers KC of GA
Charhill Premier Performance Winners Dog
Charhill Stargazer – Winners Bitch, Best of Winners
GCH Charhill Power Broker – Best of Breed

October 6, 2011

Hatboro Dog Club Charhill Premier Performance Winners Dog
Best of Winners 3 pt major
Charhill Charisma Reserve Winners Bitch
GCH Charhill Power Broker – Award of Merit

October 7, 2011

Hatboro Dog Club GCH Charhill Power Broker – Award of Merit

October 9, 2011

Montgomery County Kennel Club SCTA National Specialty
Charhill Premier Performance 1st in 15 to 18 class
Charhill Charisma 1st in 15 to 18 class
GCH Charhill Power Broker – Award of Merit

October 15, 2011

Catonsville Kennel Club
Charhill Power Trader – Winners Dog 3 pt major

October 29, 2011

Scottish Terrier Club of Northern Ohio

Anstamm Benscot Power Ranger Best in Sweepstakes and WD for his 2nd specialty major.

Breeder: Elizabeth Griffin

Owners: Anstamm Kennels and Elizabeth Griffin

October 29, 2011

Scottish Terrier Club of Northern Ohio

New Ch. Anstamm Maryscot Just One Look WB, BW and BOB to finish her championship with her third 5-point major at a specialty.

Breeders: Mary O'Neal & Anstamm Kennels

Owners: Anstamm Kennels

October 29, 2011

Scottish Terrier Club of Northern Ohio

GCh. Anstamm Wild West Select Dog

Breeders/Owners: Jan Craig & Anstamm Kennels

November 11, 2011

Scottish Terrier Club of Tampa Bay

Anstamm Prime Minister Winners Dog

Breeders/Owners: Anstamm Kennels

November 11, 2011

Scottish Terrier Club of Tampa Bay

Ch. Anstamm Maryscot Just One Look Best of Opposite Sex

Breeders: Mary O'Neal & Anstamm Kennels

Owners: Anstamm Kennels

November 17, 2011

Sandusky KC

Anstamm Life of the Party WB & BOS

Breeders/Owners: Jan Craig & Anstamm Kennels

December 3, 2011

Ingham County KC

Anstamm Prime Minister WD

Breeders/Owners: Anstamm Kennels

December 4, 2011

Ingham County KC

New Ch. Anstamm Prime Minister WD & BOS to finish with five majors.

Breeders/Owners: Anstamm Kennels

STCGD CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS AND PLAQUES 2012

All club members who have finished champion(s) in 2011 please send the plates from your champion plaque to:

Lucy Berninger
11411 Edgewood Road
Harrison, Ohio 45030
(513) 367-7927
Lucy@schaafleatherwork.com

If this is your first champion, or the plates on your plaque are completely filled, let Lucy know so a plaque can be ordered for you. Also, she will need the following information:

- 1) AKC registered name of Scottie.
- 2) Print the name exactly as you want it to appear on the plate in block letters.
- 3) Indicate plate top with arrow so plates fit back on plaque correctly.
- 4) Owner's name.

Deadline for this information to reach Lucy will be March 5, 2012. The Championship Awards will be presented at the STCGD Specialty Banquet Saturday, March 31, 2012.



2012 Specialty News

For this year's theme ""Scotties In The Garden"
Check out the following website for Pillows, Coasters, Boxes

<http://www.cafepress.com/scottydogstuff>

Other News

The Scottish Terrier Rescue of the Carolinas have their first edition of the STRC Cookbook available for sale. Price is \$20 or \$25 with shipping. If you are interested, please send a check made out to STRC, to: Harry Bufkin, 9812 Saddle Ave, Marvin, NC 28173
I promise you will be happy and your cookbook will ship the day we get your check.

Greetings from the Snell Clan



McGuirk, Molly, Cameron, Leona and Duncan



Rescue News

2011 wasn't as stressful as 2010 in numbers of Scotties needing rescue. Most of the Scots who came into STCGD's care were relatively healthy and didn't require extraordinary care; one little girl was only with us for 10 days before she was adopted. All together we took in 14 Scotties and adopted out 12. Sadly, two of our rescues went to their forever home at the Rainbow Bridge. Although they both had the strong hearts of a Scot, their little bodies couldn't overcome the ravages of disease; Rowdy succumbed to mange and infection.

Colton developed a fast-moving, aggressive lymphoma.

Even if their lives were not the best, they passed surrounded by love.

At the 2012 Specialty Show, we plan to honor the 2011 adoptees at the Rescue Parade. There will also be a Rescue Raffle basket auctioned off at the banquet to support the Rescue fund.

Thanks to all of you for the support you give these little Scotties. They don't start with the lives each one deserves, but with all of us pulling together, each one will find comfort and love.

