



Scott's Chatter

January 2023 edition—Lee Ann Whaley Editor

Greetings to all!

Happy New Year to one and all! God Bless America!

Hope your holidays were wonderful!

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It is a new year and lots of cool things happening in our club. We are now having a two-day show March 31, and April 1, 2023! Amazing!

Show Chairs for Friday are Marcia Dawson and me. Saturday's Chair is Pam Williams. We will have a formal banquet at the Hope Hotel on Friday night! How fun is that!

The Nominating Committee is up and running. The Chair is Sue Call. If you are interested in serving, please reach out to Sue with your interest.

Hug your pups. They are the reason we are here together!

Barb Zink, President

Schedule and Deadlines for the Newsletter

The newsletter for the STCGD will be published quarterly. Articles and notices can be submitted by the 15th of the month before publication.

Publication months are:

January, April, July and October

For updates between issues, please go to www.STCGD.com

Future Activities for our Club
Save the Dates for upcoming meetings!
Feb. 18, 2023 (Saturday)
Noon for lunch; 1 p.m. General Meeting
MCL Cafeteria
4485 Far Hills Ave.
Kettering, Ohio
March 11, 2023 (Saturday)
Location - TBD



Hello Everyone,

Per the nominating process as stated in the STCGD Constitution, Article IV, Section 4, the Board met on Dec. 11, 2022, to select names from the membership for the Nominating Committee and Chairman.

The following members were selected by the Board to participate on the STCGD 2023 Nominating Committee. They are listed below:

Sue Call - Nominating Committee Chairperson

Pandy Broyles (primary)

Marcia Dawson (primary)

Arleen Hoeweler (alternate)

Lee Ann Whaley (alternate)

The Nominating Committee will meet in January to prepare a 2023 slate of nominees to fill the positions of all Officers and three Directors.

If you are a member in good standing and would like to be considered for one of these positions, please contact the Chairperson, Sue Call at graciegirl.call728@gmail.com no later than **Jan. 15, 2023**.

Thank you,

Pam Williams

Corresponding Secretary, STCGD

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Braggs for our Club Members! Congrats to all!

Afton Spirit in the Sky (Mia) and Afton Rolling Thunder (Harley) attended the Scottish Terrier Club of America National Specialty week in Pennsylvania in October 2022. They both placed in their classes! It was their first show, and they did very well. Mia also placed in the Sweepstakes Run-Off!



Afton Spirit in the Sky (Mia) received her first points in Columbus, Ohio
November 2022

Winner's Bitch and Best of Winner's



Breeder/Owner: Pam Williams

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Wild Wind Forget-me-not "Farrah "
9-30-22 Terrier Club of Michigan- WB, BOW and BOS-4pt
11-19-22 Lima KC - WB-3pt



Wild Wind Stealth Fighter "Caden"
11-17-22 Sandusky KC- WD, BOW
11-18-22 Dayton KC- WD
11-19-22 Lima KC - WD, BOW - 3pt



Breeder/Owner: Kim Lindsay Stroede

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All three Scotties did amazing at a recent AKC Scent Work trial held at the historic Wigwam Event Center in Pickerington, Ohio. Keeper (13 years old) came out of retirement to earn both a Scent Work Exterior Advanced (SEA) title and his overall Scent Work Advanced (SWA) title. Freddie earned a Scent Work Container Advanced (SCA) title, and Kenna earned a Scent Work Exterior Novice (SEN) title and her overall Scent Work Novice (SWN) title. They all worked through the bitter cold temperatures like champs. Keeper has now trialed in temps ranging from the 20s to 90 degrees. He has also trialed successfully in rain at night. Scotties can do just about anything!



Owner: Lee Ann Whaley

Report on Bladder Screening in November 2022

Our club sponsored a Bladder Screening Clinic with Dr. Gary Smith Nov. 6, 2022. The cost to the owner was \$25; the balance of the cost was supported by our grant from the STCA Health Trust. The requirements were: Age >5 years and never diagnosed with bladder cancer.

We had a total of 19 Scotties registered for the Ultrasound, 18 were able to make it to the clinic for the test. There were 17 normal screenings and one abnormal screen.

This screening was reasonably priced and certainly beneficial to our Scotties, as bladder cancer is a problem with our breed.

Thank you to the STCA HTF, Dr. Gary Smith and all the participants who came to the clinic in Mason, Ohio.

Barb Zink, President

Specialty News 2023 – Friday, March 31 & Saturday, April 1, 2023

In 2023 we will host our first two-day show weekend! On Friday, we will have a Specialty show with regular and non-regular classes in the early afternoon. This is in lieu of the Fun Match that we have had in the past. Next year points will be awarded on Friday as well as Saturday!

We will come together to set up on Friday as we usually do. We will provide a hospitality luncheon to members and exhibitors followed by the show. That evening we will move to the Hope Hotel, where we will also have a block of reserved rooms, for our annual banquet. We have all been to the Hope Hotel and are familiar with its location and setup. The buffet dinner will be followed by a live auction. Kim Stroede will receive reservations and details on this can be found in the Premium List which is posted to the website (www.stcgd.com). We will also have hard copies available at the January meeting.

On Saturday, we will host a breakfast and lunch hospitality as well. Sweepstakes will be held in the morning with a break for lunch. The regular classes will be held after lunch. After Best of Breed and photos, we will break down everything and pack up to return it to the locker.

This is only slightly different than what we've done in the past. We will be looking for donations for food for the lunches and breakfast hospitality. It would be helpful if folks let us know what they will bring for any of these meals. You don't have to bring something for all of them. The grounds crew, led by Jim Jackson, will be looking for assistance to get things from, and back to, the locker. We also will be looking for donations to the boutique and for the silent auction. Please bring anything you wish to donate to a meeting beforehand if you can.

I will be sending out the reminders for Championship Award plates soon. Please get those ready to submit if you have finished a champion in 2022. We provide plates for new champions and for new grand champions. If you sponsor a trophy, you will soon receive a reminder there as well.

We could use some help in various areas. If you are willing to assist, please let me or Barb know. Barb Zink and Marcia Dawson are the Co-Chairs for Friday.

This will be an exciting event for us. We look forward to seeing you!

Pam Williams
Show Chairman (Saturday)

The Christmas Party 2022

Hosted by Alan and Arleen Hoeweler

A Victorian Christmas was enjoyed by several members of STCGD Dec. 10 at the beautifully decorated home of Alan and Arleen Hoeweler. It was truly a Victorian Christmas in this stately, period home. The tour brought out many oohs and aahs in the Victorian décor. The food was plentiful and delicious. Arleen is the perfect hostess and she had prepared games for our entertainment which were fun and brought out some competitiveness among the players (no surprise there). And the gift exchange was a fun round of giving and “stealing.” It was a truly special evening filled with good friends, good food and lots of laughs and camaraderie. Thank you, Arleen and Alan for a memorable evening.



STCGD 2023 Raffle- Two Items!

Radley Grab Bag

"Texture Dog" Design

12" x 8" x 6"

Dual handles, 26" detachable strap

Zippered top closure

Multiple Interior compartments, zip and slip pockets

Wipe clean PVC Coated Cotton



Radley Backpack

"Texture Dog" Design

9.5" x10.5" x 5"

Full Zippered closure

Webbing grab handles and adjustable straps

Interior zip and slip pockets

Wipe clean PVC Coated Cotton



Tickets: One for \$5.00, five for \$20.00

Available Friday and Saturday of show

Available also online at www.stcgd.com

Drawing to be held on Saturday 4/1/23

between Sweeps & Regular Class judging

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2022 STCGD Rescue Report

The year 2022 began with a couple of boys “left over” from the previous year.

Darby, the escape artist, spent a timeout at Halo K9, as there was a yet unknown trigger that makes him take a sudden and hateful dislike to other male dogs. The director of Halo K9, Regina, found a suitable home for him through her organization in an only-dog home and keeps in touch with his new family, as they bring Darby to her for grooming and boarding.

Sir William (he prefers to be called Sir!) became an orphan upon the death of his lifelong owner, who was a Columbus artist and teacher. Sir was very pampered, but it didn't take too long to find a new home that would keep him in the comfort he deserved. His new owner works from home, so he always has staff at his beck and call.

Now we're into March and was it a long, dry spell for homeless Scotties! Things began to pick up by Labor Day.

McDuff is a 1 ½-year-old wheaten male whose owner had to give him up when she was forced to move to an apartment that didn't allow pets. We found him a foster home, had him groomed by Kim, neutered and brought UTD on vaccines. He has a big fenced yard to romp in and keep free of squirrels. The TV is set to his favorite channels. As you might expect, this was a foster failure and McDuff was already home.

Bella's owner was having health issues and would be moving into assisted living. She found a foster home with a Springfield family whose Scottie has died in Jan 2022. Bella is 11 and took some time to adjust to her changed surroundings. She is a quiet, gentle lady who likes her walks and her spot by the fire. Surprise, another failure! Bella didn't have to change her address because she was already home.

Lee Ann alerted us to a male Scottie in her part of Ohio. We still don't have a good understanding of Everett's history, but it really doesn't matter. Kevin and Jim in Columbus had adopted Archie from STCGD in 2020 and had added another girl Scot to their family a year later. Would they be able to foster another for a while? Kevin drove to the shelter where Everett was held and brought him to their home. They have paid for the vet care he needed and worked on a few behavior issues. At some point he was renamed Duke. EPIC failure! Duke is not going anywhere; he's already home. (Do you see a pattern?)

Scotty was in the Brown County, Ohio shelter. His owner had died and although friends had taken Scotty in, he did not get along with their male dogs, so he was in need of a home. The shelter neutered him, brought him UTD and transferred him to STCGD. He lived with Cheryl while he relearned his house

manners. He is a sweet-natured, 6-year-old. Rus and Ron had adopted two Scotties from STCGD, Sir Duke of Earl (who died a year ago) and the Lady Rose. They came to meet Scotty and Lady Rose approved him as her new consort. They all went home together. Not only did he get a new address, but a new, more-fitting name, is being considered.

Now for Charlie. There are angels among us. At the beginning of October, on a dark and stormy night, a woman who lives in the country outside Wilmington found a wet, injured Scottie huddled outside her patio door. He had been mauled by a coyote or another dog and his right ear was almost torn off. Linda took him to a vet expecting him to be euthanized. She was told “no we can save him but there’s a price tag”. She didn’t hesitate and Stray Charles (as he was named by the clinic staff) began his road to recovery. Linda paid for his care and was growing fond of him. Charlie doesn’t like to be alone and Linda’s work schedule and volunteer commitments didn’t allow for the companionship he needs. Linda contacted STCGD for help in finding him a new forever home. We found a great couple who have been looking for a Scottie for a long time. They are retired, have a Westie named Bennie and after the new year met up with Charlie. That boy literally did not look back when he jumped in their car and drove off to the new rest of his life. Mazel Tov!

What a year!



Time to get moving: Make your plans for STCA's 2023 Black & White Agility today.

This year's Black & White Agility Trial premium list is available (<http://qcdtc.org/pdf/BW%202023.pdf>)! Trial entries opened Jan. 2; entries close Feb. 6, 2023.

The Black & White Agility Trial, hosted by the Scottish Terrier and West Highland White Terrier Clubs of America, is set for March 3–5, 2023, at Queen City Dog Training Club, Sharonville (Cincinnati), OH.

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