



NEWSLETTER

of the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club

A Note from the President....

The EESSC BOD is continuing to make plans for the June 2018 show, and hopes to help everyone in Eastern put on another great show! The deadline for your catalog ads is approaching. Donations will also be needed for the trophy funds and for the raffle. Please consider running an ad and/or making a donation to support the show.

We are also working on the 2019 and 2020 shows, including working on a new show site. As I am sure that you have heard, after 20 years at the Crown Plaza in Warwick, RI, we now need to move to a new show site. EESSC will actually be the very last club to hold a show at the Crown Plaza, as a building will be erected on the show site and the hotel will be undergoing extensive renovations. A show site is currently being negotiated for 2019.

There will be a EESSC supported entry as part of the Pioneer Valley KC show followed by a members meeting and tailgate on April 21, 2018 at The Big E In West Springfield, MA. The Garden State ESS Club will be having a supported entry at the same site on April 22, 2018 as part pf the South Windsor KC show.

Hoping that spring weather will arrive soon!

Pat Kearney



April Supported Entries

Don't forget about the Supported Entries on April 21 and 22, 2018, at Springfield. Eastern is supporting Saturday. Garden State is supporting Sunday.

Judges for Saturday:
Sweeps - Kris Kelso
Breed - Mrs. Geringer

Judges for Sunday:
Sweeps - Monica Bowers
Breed - Mrs. Boutwell

Entries close on **Wednesday, April 4, 2018, at noon EST**. Infodog.com.

There will be an Eastern members' meeting following judging, as well as a tailgate on Saturday.

Please let Betsy Davis know what you will bring to the tailgate. 508-775-6505. No emails please.

2018 EESSC ELECTION CANDIDATES

The EESSC Board of Directors would like to thank the 2018 nomination committee:

Nomination committee chair: Patricia Kearney and members Tom Faust and Laureen Camisi.

Reserve committee members Dawn D'Amato and Mimi Huntley

The nomination committee presents to you our slate for the 2018 EESSC nominations:

President: Jennye Hansen
Vice President: Clemencia Saavedra
Treasurer: Sue Ellen Healy
Secretary: Cheryl Keller

2 BOD members: Betsy Davis, Maurene Walker

Sincerely,
Cheryl L. Keller- EESSC Secretary



Specialty Show Raffle

Hello EESSC members, hello Spring! I have great news! We are going back to our traditional raffle this year!!!

Please help us by donating an item! Let's make this the best one ever!!! Please email me with the item(s) you wish to donate!

Cgiampapa@live.com

Thanks for your support!

Keller Cheryl

Hotel Reservation Reminders

Please make your reservations for our June specialty as soon as you can. The rooms are almost full. Please call the hotel directly at 401-732-6000 and let them know you are with the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club so you will be given our special room rate. Be sure to join us for the Welcome Party on Thursday night, June 21, 2018, which will be followed by our Annual Meeting.

Eastern English Springer Spaniel Specialty Catalog Advertising

Members and Friends:

It's time again to showcase our wonderful Springers. Our Specialty catalogue last year was spectacular!! A real keepsake for all of us. For 2018, we hope to have an even better one. Let's see those incredible Springers in all their glory:

Companions and Couch Potatoes

Conformation – new champions, wins and placements!

Agility – flying through the course

Obedience – new titles and legs

Puppies – the best of all!

Hunt and Tracking



Rates:

Full page (4-1/2" x 7-3/8") with one picture - \$50.00 (each additional picture - \$10.00)
Full page (4-1/2" x 7-3/8") no picture - \$40.00

Make checks payable to "EESSC, Inc."

And mail to:

Patricia Kearney
18 Fieldside Dr
Cumberland RI 02864

Deadline – Must be received by Pat Kearney on or before **May 5th, 2018**

IMPORTANT!

PRINT PLAINLY OR TYPEWRITE ALL AD COPY TO AVOID TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS, GIVING SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO THE DOG AND OWNERS NAME.

PHOTOGRAPHS ARE SCANNED FOR AD PLACEMENT. FOR BEST RESULTS PLEASE SEND ORIGINAL PHOTOGRAPH. NO SCREENED PHOTOS. NO NEGATIVES.

ALL PHOTOGRAPHS AND ARTWORK WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM THE SHOW OR ADVERTISING CHAIRMAN ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW.

PLEASE BE SURE TO LABEL ALL PHOTOGRAPHS AND ARTWORK. DO NOT BEND, FOLD, STAPLE OR TAPE PHOTOGRAPHS.

Reproductions of pictures from show catalogs, telephone books, business cards, screen photos, faxed logos or artwork etc. result in POOR QUALITY and are not guaranteed. Copy and logos on dark colored backgrounds cannot be guaranteed separation.

Late ads may be refused and /or subject to an additional charge.

Need help? Call Pat at (401) 333-6271



BRAGS!!!

I know this is what you have been waiting to read, so here they are. Congratulations to all of the dogs earning new titles and their wins!

GCH Sapphire n Twin Oaks Sweet Charlotte
"Charlotte" -Best of Opposite at the Long Island ESSC Specialty, in Edison NJ on March 24.

GCH Sapphires Precious Gemstone "Jewel"
was Select bitch at the New Brunswick KC and again on Sunday at the Long Island ESSC Supported Entry in Edison NJ. She earned her Grand Champion Title. Whoo hoo

Everyone at Cerise is so proud of our Junior Lily Mancini who won the ultimate prize 'Best Junior' at Westminster Kennel Club showing ***GCH Cerise Celtic Thunder "Liam"***. Lily was previously Best Junior Kennel Club. Liam was also beautifully handled by Meagan Ulfers 3times at the ESSFTA. Nine years of hard work paid off this year with Meagan winning BOB with him. Wow!

Introducing "Emmett". *Sademont Wil-Orion Runaway Rebel Heart* (CH Polesitter Blown Away X GCH Wil-Orion Crownroyal Naugh-tea or Nice OA OAJ), took "Reserve" in his first-time showing at the Orlando Classic in Orlando, FL on 12/14/17 at the tender age of 7 months. Emmett was handled by Jodi Paquette and Laurie Green.

At the Gator Classic in Ocala, FL on Jan 26 and 28, 2018, Emmett took Winners Dog, Best of Winners and Best of Opposite on both days. At the same show, on Jan. 27, 2018, Emmett took Best of Breed and Best Springer Puppy, sending him to Puppy Sporting Group where he took a Fourth Place. Emmett was handled by Rindi Guadet .

Emmett was bred by Deb Peck, Mary Osbun, Janice L. Johnson & Laurie Green and is proudly owned by Ruth Burgart of Stuart, FL, Deb Peck and Laurie Green.





AM GCHB/CAN GCH Cerise Springfire's Hobo has come home from Canada as the #1 English Springer Spaniel for 2017 and will be shown in US by Professional Handler Norm Fargo and Brian Hubbard. They will also be showing our new edition Brydens N Springfire's Our Song, owned by Barbara and Harold VanSchoick and David B Sweatwood.

Caryhill N Seamist Forget Me Not was awarded Best of Opposite in Sweeps at the Susquehanna Valley English Springer Spaniel Club specialty on Friday, March 16, 2018 under Judge Dr. Kammi Kai Hefner. Chloe was 6 1/2 months old at the time. This was her first set of shows and she handled it like a pro! We are looking forward to a very exciting future with Chloe. Chloe is bred by Sue Ellen and John Healy and Kathryn Kirk. She is owned by Sue Ellen and John Healy and Betsy Davis.



REMINDER TO ALL EESSC MEMBERS

The next newsletter will be published the last week in May. The deadline for submission of brags and articles is May 20th. Please send in submissions as soon as possible to eliminate a crunch here in putting everything together. We welcome any newsworthy articles related to the club or Springers in general. Send in flyers for upcoming **events** and **seminars** or **pictures** that you think the members would enjoy seeing. With pictures please send a narrative describing the pictures.

We do have an **OBITUARY** column to keep our members informed of recent deaths and a **NEW LITTER** column for you proud parents to show off your new babies. We are pretty open to ideas, so send in your article and if we deem it to be newsworthy (nothing has ever been rejected) it will be printed. With our members spread all over the country, it's nice to hear about what's going on in your neck of the woods.

Please note all forms are now located at the end of the Newsletter, including the EESSC New Member Application. Please pass this on to any potential new members that you may know.

Deb Murphy
Editor



EESSC Futurity -- A Short Course

The Eastern Futurity is one of few -- if not the only -- Futurity held for Springers. It is an old tradition and worthy of note. The Futurity year runs from **December 1 to November 30** each year. The year is timed that way so that the classes for ages of puppies works out appropriately for our Specialty show in June.

There are three steps to entering puppies in the Futurity at the EESSC specialty show. **First**, nominate a bitch prior to whelping for \$10 (or within 60 days after the puppies are whelped for \$15). Nomination forms are readily available from the Futurity Chair, on the EESSC.org website (where for a convenience fee you can enter using PayPal), and are often printed in the Newsletter. **Second**, enroll the puppies from the litter that you might want to enter in the futurity when the puppies are six months of age. The enrollment forms are sent to the breeder just prior to the litter's six-month birthday and the breeder has a one month window, after the litter's 6 month birthday, to return the forms to the Futurity Chair for a fee of \$5 per puppy. However, if for some reason you are late with enrollment, you will still be able to enroll a puppy from a nominated litter up until May 1 for a fee of \$50. **Third**, enter the puppy in the Futurity for the June show -- on the entry form just indicate the Futurity class on the entry. The puppy must be entered in Regular classes as well.

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU USE THE PROPER FORM to enter your animals in the Futurity to ensure that all the proper information is given -- entries missing information will not be eligible. **Nominations and enrollments** will not be accepted on the telephone, fax, or by email -- however, questions about the Futurity are welcome by telephone, email or "snail mail." I hope that this synopsis has helped clarify this wonderful tradition. I look forward to working with all of you.

Jennye Hansen, Futurity Chair
660 Ellsworth Avenue
New Haven, CT 06511
(203) 773-1296
erhansen@snet.net



Bitch Nomination Form for EESSC 201_ Futurity

Use this form to nominate a bitch due to whelp between December 1, 201_ and November 30, 201_, inclusive.

Mail to: Jennye Hansen
660 Ellsworth Avenue
New Haven, CT 06511

Make checks payable to EESSC, Inc.
(203) 773-1296

I hereby nominate the following dam, thus making her puppies eligible for enrollment in the EESSC 201_ Futurity. Nomination fee is \$10.00 for dams nominated before puppies are whelped. (Nominations are accepted after the puppies are whelped **up to 60 days of age** for a fee of \$15.00.) Only the owner or lessee of the bitch may make the nomination.

Dam: _____ AKC # _____

Dam Owned By (please list all owners): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Whelping Date: _____

Sire: _____

Sire Owned By: _____

Signature of owner or lessee: _____

Yes, I would like a confirmation of my nomination. I enclose a **SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED POSTCARD** or my email address: _____.



EASTERN ENGLISH SPRINGER SPANIEL CLUB, INC.

Membership Application

The Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc., was organized in 1946 by a small group of people who were interested in the improvement and promotion of the breed. It is now one of the largest Springer Clubs in the United States.

Activities include matches to provide ring experience for young dogs and their owners; annual awards to recognize significant accomplishments of members' dogs; an Annual Dinner to renew old friendships; an Annual Specialty Show, Obedience Trials, Rally Trials, Agility Trials, and ringside mentoring at the specialty shows, to provide a showcase for the English Springer Spaniel.

Membership is by invitation only. Applicants must be endorsed by three members in good standing, none of whom shall be from the same household. Yearly dues are \$25 for an individual member, \$40 for a household membership ~ two adult members residing in the same household, and \$5 for a junior member (up to the age of 18).

I (we) apply for membership in the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc.

Please Print Clearly:

Mr./Mrs./Ms./Miss: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Kennel Name: _____ Date of Birth (Juniors Only) _____

Primary Interest in Dogs:

Conformation _____ Obedience _____ Agility _____ Field _____ Agility _____ Tracking _____

Breeding _____ Dog Owner _____ Other: _____

Breeds you presently own _____

Have you bred any litters? _____ How many? _____

If accepted for membership, will you actively serve on one of the Club's committees if requested? _____ Please list a few that interest you _____

If accepted for membership, are you willing to assist with our Annual show, Agility Trials, or Match? ____ In what capacity? _____

Do you belong to or have you belonged to any other kennel or specialty clubs? _____

If so, list offices/positions held, if any, and give your reason for leaving, if you have done so.

Are you in good standing with the AKC? _____ If not, why not? _____

Have you ever been suspended from AKC privileges? _____

What have you done to better the breed or Eastern? _____

Briefly explain why you wish to become a member of EESSC: _____

The invitation of Membership shall carry the endorsement of three members in good standing:

1. I believe this applicant is worthy of membership in EESSC because _____

Signature: _____ **Print Name Clearly:** _____

2. I believe this applicant is worthy of membership in EESSC because _____

Signature: _____ **Print Name Clearly:** _____

3. I believe this applicant is worthy of membership in EESSC because _____

Signature: _____ **Print Name Clearly:** _____

If granted membership in the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc., I (we) agree to:

1. Accept the standard of the Breed as approved by the American Kennel Club as the only standard by which the English Springer Spaniel should be judged.
2. Encourage and promote responsible breeding of purebred English Springer Spaniels; and protect the breed by never selling puppies or adult dogs to commercial outlets or in litter lots.
3. Advance the interests of the Breed by practicing and encouraging sportsmanlike behavior.
4. Support and abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club, Inc., and the rules of the American Kennel Club.

I understand that failure to comply with these rules will result in my suspension and possible expulsion.

SIGNATURE: _____ Date: _____

**Please return application and check (made payable to EESSC) for the first year's dues to the Secretary:
Cheryl Keller, c/o Crickett Redmond Kerrebock 29 Boyce Farm Rd. Lincoln, MA 01773**

2018 SPECIALTY CATALOG ADVERTISING FORM

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP _____

RATES:

FULL PAGE: WITH ONE PICTURE \$50.00 _____ (Each additional picture \$10.00)

FULL PAGE: NO PICTURE \$40.00 _____

Deadline: Must be received by Pat on or before May 5, 2018

Mail to:

Patricia Kearney
18 Fieldside Dr
Cumberland RI 02864

Phone: (401) 333-6271 Email : Pek1919@cox.net

Please be sure to label all photographs and artwork **Do not bend, fold, staple or tape photographs.**

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: **EESSC, Inc.**

Eastern English Springer Spaniel Club Inc.
www.eessg.org
2018 EESSC Specialty Trophy Donation Form

Your generous contribution toward the EESSC Trophy Fund is greatly appreciated, whether you choose to sponsor a specific class or make a donation to our General Trophy Fund. Either way, your support of this important aspect of our show will be acknowledged in the outgoing MB-F Premium List, as well as the show catalog.

Name(s) _____

Phone: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Kennel Name _____

In Memory of _____

Amount of Donation: _____ *Please indicate how you would like your gift to be designated:*

_____ General Trophy Fund (*any amount*) _____ Specific class or Award (*fill in below*)

Suggested donations to sponsor classes/awards:

\$100 Best of Breed

\$85 Best of Opposite to Best of Breed \$50 Best in Puppy Sweepstakes, Futurity or Veteran

\$75 Best of Winners

\$40 Best of Opposite Futurity, Veteran or Puppy Sweepstakes

\$50 Winners Dog/Bitch

\$40 Any Specific class (1st-4th) placements including Juniors

\$40 Reserve Winners Dog/Bitch

(*i.e. Bred by Bitches Saturday*)

\$50 Best Puppy

\$50 Best Bred by

\$50 Best Junior Handler

Contact Kathleen Nugent to check on availability of trophies as some may already be sponsored.

First Choice: _____ _____ Friday _____ Saturday

Second Choice: _____ _____ Friday _____ Saturday

Third Choice: _____ _____ Friday _____ Saturday

*Make check payable to **EESSC, Inc.** and return with this form to:*

Kathleen Nugent
48 Turner Street
Quincy, MA 02169