

**Presidents** Hope everyone had a great Memorial Day **Message** weekend. As we remember all the Veterans and all those who are protecting our free-

doms, let's also remember the folks and the lost pets in Moore Oklahoma.

Great things have been happening at the CKCSC Atlanta meetings. We had an awesome meeting in May and I am proud to say the room was full. We had to bring in more chairs.

Sue Hardwick Bess is doing a fine job with setting up programs and I can see that educational programs do bring in attendance.

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So mark your calendars and let's all continue to support our club by attending meetings.

Alice Alford, President

## Upcoming for the June Meeting

Those of you who missed the May meeting missed out on a fabulous program and discussion. Susan Hardwick Bess has done a wonderful job bringing us important educational programs. For the May meeting we were pleased to have "Ticks and Fleas and Worms Oh My!" presented by Dr. Carole Amos and Dr. Zack Mills of Tiger Tails Animal Hospital in Duluth, GA. We learned a great deal about vaccines, parasites and tick-borne diseases and joined in a discussion of parasite control in breeding animals. Susan has several excellent programs on the schedule for the next several months....even into 2014. At the June meeting Dr. Michelle Tillman will speak to us on keeping dogs young. In August we will have Dr. Carmen Battaglia speaking on breeding better dogs. part of his talk will be how to study and learn from a pedigree. The September meeting will bring us Dr. Pat Joyce, an infections disease specialist and Cairn Terrier breeder, with her

"Poop 101" presentation on what can go wrong in the GI tract. In October we will be visited by Royal Canin with a presentation on keeping your kennel clean. The programs that are scheduled in 2014 include a visit from AKC Field Rep Tim Pawling and a refresher talk on cardiology by Georgia Veterinary Specialists. Many thanks go out to Susan for doing such a wonderful and important job. As you can see, one of the most important benefits of CKCSCGA membership is education. If you are not attending our monthly meetings you are missing out on a tremendous opportunity to expand your knowledge. Not only do we learn from our informed speakers, we learn from each other through the discussions that always go along with the presentations. We look forward to seeing all of you at our upcoming meetings.

Mark Fitchpatrick, Correspondence Secretary

The June meeting will be held Tuesday, June 4th at Northlake Holiday Inn. The board meeting begins at 6:00, social hour begins at 7:00 and member meeting/dinner begins at 7:30. Election of the 2013 board will be held at the May meeting. Northlake Holiday Inn is located at 2158 Ranchwood Dr, Tucker, GA 30345; phone number 770-934-6000. We look forward to seeing you there.

Mark Fitchpatrick, Correspondence Secretary.

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### **Future Meeting Programs**

Dr. Michelle Tilghman will present "Keeping Dogs Young" in June, and Dr. Carmen Battaglia will present Breeding Better Dogs – Pedigree Analysis in August. Their respective websites are <a href="http://www.lovingtouchac.com/">http://www.lovingtouchac.com/</a> and <a href="http://www.lovingtouchac.com/">www.breedingbetterdogs.com/</a>

Susan Hardwick Bess

Members who would like to make a personal donation to the OK Tornado Dog Rescue Fund can send money to the Oklahoma City Kennel Club. The kennel club will use all of the money to buy supplies for the local rescue effort. By going to either of the links below you can make a secure on-line donation.

Mark Fitchpatrick, Correspondence secretary

# Look at our Brags







In Perry, Ga On Thursday May 9<sup>th</sup>, my Oliver took WD for his first point. Also went Reserve on Sunday 5/12 Jackson, Tenn on May 16 WD/BOW, May 17 Reserve and May 18 Reserve Oliver is A Royce son. Alice Alford

### Chef's Corner

### Fowl Weather Treats

- 2 Large jars of chicken– flavored baby food
- 4 Cups cooked ground Turkey
- 1 Cup grated cheddar cheese
- 1 Cup cheddar cheese cracker crumbs
- 1 Tsp. Poultry seasoning
- 1 Tsp. garlic powder
- 1 Medium onion, minced
- 1 1/2 Tsp. salt

#### Crushed cracker crumbs

Mix all ingredients and roll into balls (sized to suit your dog). Roll balls into additional cracker crumbs. Place on wax paper lined baking sheet and freeze until solid. Transfer to freezer bags and store until ready to use.

When it is treat time, take out as many as needed, place on ungreased baking sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 5-7 minutes or until cheese melts. If you want to serve only a few, heat in microwave until cheese is melted.

# MINUTES OF MEETING CKCSCGA - REGULAR MEETING

May 7, 2013

Holiday Inn Northlake 2158 Ranchwood Dr NE, Atlanta, GA 30345

#### **REGULAR MEETING AGENDA:**

Welcome Guests

Roll Call

Approve Minutes of Last Meeting

Report of President

Report of Corresponding Secretary

Report of Recording Secretary

Report of Treasurer

Reports of the Committees

Election of New Members

**Unfinished Business** 

**New Business** 

Adjournment

Brags

#### MINUTES:

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Alice.

#### WELCOME GUESTS: Nicholas Daunch, Dr. Zack Mills

#### MEMBERS ATTENDING: Quorum Present? yes

Regular members: Holly Brookins, Lee Chenevert, Larry Crane, Missy Crane, Paula Ayers, Linda Whitmire, Mark Fitchpatrick, Jennifer Daunch, Alice Alford, Jonathan Alford, Inna Alexeeva, Margie Roe, Vickie Herring, Jeff Herring, Carole Amos, Shannon Schilling, Jan Schmidt, Susan Hardwick Bess. Associate members: Denise Newlon, Sharon Onorato, Calandra Davis, Ken Bess, Beverly Manley, George Manley, Lynette Bragg. Guests: Nicholas Daunch, Zack Mills.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:

A motion was made by Margie Roe to approve the April 2, 2013 minutes as submitted. The motion was seconded by Missy Crane. Motion carried.

#### REPORT OF PRESIDENT:

none

#### REPORT OF RECORDING SECRETARY:

none

#### REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY:

Mark sent an email re: Handling class in Marietta.

#### REPORT OF TREASURER:

Letter from Charitable Trust thanking us for donation.

#### **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:**

Show committee: Show Thursday January 30, 5 majors for weekend. Sweepstakes will be held the following Saturday with Griffin Kennel Club's Cavalier entry.

Alice Alford is working on app for both shows (will be like 2 different events). Judge for regular classes will be Ted Eu-

banks, Brenda Martz possibly sweepstakes judge, juniors on Thursday (no judge yet)

Pat Hastings seminar on Sat, Feb 1 "A Glimpse of Structure in Action", will be 4 hours. Not sure of cost yet. Larry Crane will be advertising/PR person. Volunteers needed to help Alice

Alford with this. Please contact her.

Auction chair needed as well as donations.

Puppy picnic- Nov 17, heart and eye clinics

Trophy: donations needed

Hospitality committee: none

Program committee-

Upcoming Programs

Dr. Amos and Dr Mills tonight- Flea and Ticks

June- Dr. Michelle Tillman- Keeping Dogs Young

August- Dr Carmen Battaglia- breeding better dogs- bring a pedigree

Tim Pawling- AKC field rep (will present in 2014)

Royal Canin- will present in Oct (Keeping your Kennel Clean) Pat Joyce- infectious disease specialist (Cairn Terrier breeder) presentation on what can go wrong in GI tract/what to have to treat (Poop 101- What every breeder needs to know)- Sept Refresh on cardiology (two new cardiologists at GVS)- 2014

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

none

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

RDO day - Meet the Breed, first Sunday in Oct. 10-4. Rogers Park Road in Duluth at Chattapoochie dog park. We may sell popcorn/cotton candy with proceeds to go to Trophy Fund. Please volunteer your time this year. We need a lot of help with Pat Hastings, show and puppy picnic. Email Alice. Secretary Holly Brookins made a motion that the slate of officers for the 2013 board be approved. The motion carried. The new 2013 CKCSCGA board of officers is Pres. Alice Alford, Vice Pres Linda Whitmire, Recording Secretary Shannon Shilling, Corresponding Secretary Mark Fitchpatrick, Treasurer Vickie Herring, Board Member Paula Ayers, Board Member Missy Crane.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

At 7:56 PM Mark Fitchpatrick made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Margie Roe. The motion carried.

Submitted by Holly M. Brookins, Recording Secretary May 13, 2013