



# Sheltie Showdown



A publication of the Central Indiana Shetland Sheepdog Club

January 2017

## Club Meetings

Our membership meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. at Camp Bow Wow, 10830 Pendleton Pike, Indianapolis, IN 46236. Camp Bow Wow is just past North German Church Rd. **Next**

**Membership Meeting: January 6th.**

We will vote on 2017 Officers and Board Members.



## 2017 Dues

Your annual membership dues of \$15.00 are due on January 1<sup>st</sup>. Checks, cash and PayPal are accepted. Contact Doug McKee.



## 2016 Officers

President: Carole Creech

Vice President: Linda Lee

Treasurer: Doug McKee

Recording Secretary: Cheryl Sharp

Corresponding Secretary: Kathy McKee

## Board of Directors

Elizabeth "Babs" Beck

Becky Hamm

Kathleen Morphew

Kathy Underwood

## Standing Committees

Agility Trial: Babs Beck

Education: Linda Lee

Equipment: Doug McKee

Judges Selection: Carole Creech

Legislative: Carole Creech

Librarian: Karen Burton

Membership: Kathy McKee

Policies & Constitution: Cheryl Sharp

Sheltie Info Line: Becky Hamm

Showdown: Carole Creech

Specialty Show: Cheryl Sharp

Website: Carole Creech

## 2017 CISSC Upcoming Events

### Specialty Shows - Back-to-Back

May 13, 2017

Johnson County Fairgrounds

Franklin, IN

Sweeps: Gael Silverman

A.M. Judge: Kim Schive

P.M. Judge: Yvonne DeFreitas



### Agility Trials

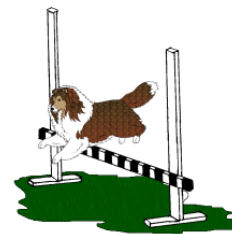
August 5-6, 2017

November 18-19, 2017

Pawsitive Partners Dog

Training Center

Beech Grove, IN



**Happy New Year!**

# SAVE THE DATE

*The Central Indiana Shetland Sheepdog Club,  
Overboard Portuguese Water Dog Club and  
White River Golden Retriever Club will host*

**July 29, 2017: Avidog's Transformational Puppy Rearing: Raising Healthy, Stable Dogs!**

**July 30, 2017: Avidog's Transformational Puppy Evaluation System: Matching Puppies To Lifetime Homes.**

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days

Location and Registration information to come.

**SEMINAR DETAILS:** What we do in the first months of a dog's life set the stage for its future! Through simple methods, we can change our dog's health and temperament, setting it up for lifetime success. During this fast-paced, fun two-day seminar we will explore canine development from conception on and the specific techniques we can use to bring out the best in every puppy.

**DAY 1:** *Avidog's Transformational Puppy Rearing: Raising Healthy, Stable Dogs!* will focus on puppy rearing from before conception to 16 weeks. We will investigate what goes on with pups each step of their early lives and how we can influence them so they become healthy, stable dogs, well prepared for their future lives. This seminar presents easy-to-understand research and easy-to-use techniques for raising brave and healthy puppies.

**DAY 2:** *Avidog's Transformational Puppy Evaluation System: Matching Puppies To Lifetime Homes* introduces the when, what, why and how of puppy and owner evaluations so we can match puppies to homes where they will thrive. How can you determine which pup you should keep? If you are a breeder, how do you pick the right pup for each home? And once you've made your choice, how do you use what you know about each pup to create a tailored socialization plan for it? If you are new to puppy evaluation, you'll find out that it's not as hard as you think. If you've been doing it for years, you'll learn some new tips about this important skill!

**Who Should Attend:** The seminar has something to offer any serious dog person, including dog **breeders** and **owners** seeking stable, confident canine competitors and companions. Dog **trainers** who test and evaluate individual puppies or entire litters will also benefit.

**Avidog Seminar presented by Dr. Gayle L. Watkins, Ph.D.**



A weekend with Dr. Gayle Watkins will be filled with stories, ideas and easy-to-use

techniques to bring out the best in every puppy. Gayle has actively shown and bred multi-purpose Golden Retrievers under the Gaylan's kennel prefix since 1979. Over the past 35 years, she has produced, owned and/or shown over 60 American and Canadian conformation, obedience, agility and tracking champions, as well as Master Hunters, Qualified All-Age, and mission-ready Search and Rescue dogs. Her breeding program has also produced over a dozen GRCA Outstanding Dams and Sires. The key to Gaylan's consistent success is the science that underlies the techniques we use to rear litters, evaluate puppies, and match them to homes based on measurable traits. For 15 years, Gayle has been teaching this science and techniques to breeders of all types from around the world. Her fun, fast-paced, easy-to-understand presentation style will introduce you to puppy-raising science and methods so you can use them, too.

"Gayle's intelligence, passion, and commitment, along with her dynamic delivery and wonderful sense of humor, made the days fly by and left me wanting more." – Kelly St Jacques, Kaidan Shelties



**CENTRAL INDIANA SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB**  
**APPLICATION FOR MERIT AWARDS**  
January 1, 2016 - December 31, 2016

**MEMBERS ONLY**

Please fill out the form below to entitle you to your CISSC Merit Award for any of the titles listed below. You must be owner or co-owner of record to qualify for an award on an individual dog.

**PLAQUES:** Awarded for the following accomplishments – successive awards for the same dog will be presented as additional engraved brass plate to be attached to the original plaque – **please indicate if your dog already has a plaque.**

Champion Titles (GCH, CH, MACH, PACH, OTCH, HC, TC)

**CERTIFICATES:**

CD, CDX, UD, UDX, HT, PT, HS, HI, HX, RN, RA, RE, RAE, TD, TDX, VST, NA, NAJ, OA, OAJ, AX, AXJ, MX, MXJ, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP, MJP, NF, OF, XF, MXF, NFP, OFP, XFP, MFP, NT2B, OT2B, XT2B, NPT2B, OPT2B, XPT2B, MXB, MXS, MXG, MJB, MJS, MJG, MJC, PAX, FTC1, THD, FDC, FM, ONYX)

High in Trial (all breed or specialty show)

Best in Show (all breed or specialty show)

Breeder or an owner for any of the following placements at the National Specialty:  
(BIS, BOS, WD, WB, Award of Merit Winner, HIT)

Breeder of the most Champions within the award year.

Breeder of the most Obedience titled dogs within the award year.

Breeder of the most Agility titled dogs within the award year.

Breeder of the most Herding titled dogs within the award year.

Versatility Award (any dog obtaining 3 titles; i.e. CH, UD, HT, TD, or any combination thereof)

Breeder or Owner of a sire or dam of Merit (Sire=10 CH, Dam=5 CH)

Breeder of Conformation Champion; Breeder of an Agility, Obedience, Tracking or Herding titled Dog

High Combined

Group Placement or Major Win

Placement at a National Specialty Show

Non-regular Obedience Classes: Beginner Novice, Graduate Novice, Graduate Open



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You must have qualified for an award between the dates of *January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016*. Please use a separate application for each award for each dog and submit the names and dates of the shows/trials where your dog qualified for the award. ***You must be owner or co-owner of record to qualify for an award on an individual dog except for breeder awards.*** Be sure to clearly print or type this information because this goes to the printer/engraver and must be legible. Return this application to:

Carole Creech, 12945 Fleetwood Drive N., Carmel, IN 46032 or scan form and email to [sassyroo1@yahoo.com](mailto:sassyroo1@yahoo.com). ***DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING THE APPLICATION FOR MERIT AWARDS IS JANUARY 20, 2017.***

TYPE OF AWARD: \_\_\_\_\_

SHOW & DATE QUALIFIED: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC REGISTERED NAME OF DOG: \_\_\_\_\_

BREEDER: \_\_\_\_\_

SIRE: \_\_\_\_\_

DAM: \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER: \_\_\_\_\_

Please note, if a dog is co-owned and the co-owner wishes a plaque or certificate, a 2nd certificate or plaque can be purchased. **Only one plaque or certificate will be awarded.**