

2012 Collie Club of America

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National Specialty

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March 24 - March 31, 2012
Greater Philadelphia Expo Center
Oaks, PA

Dear CCA Members:

Due to an uncooperative CCA 2012 Host Hotel, uncertain ownership of the 2012 National Show Site, and constructive complaints from the membership, the 2012 CCA Show Committee made a decision. With the approval of the Executive Committee, the 2012 CCA National will now be held in Oaks, PA at the Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, the site of the National Dog Show which is aired on Thanksgiving Day.

This show site offers the CCA more amenities and a better schedule, while the number of hotels in the area quadruples those in Reading. The hotels, used to having dogs from the National Dog Show, are incredibly pet friendly and have much better rates per night. Oaks is only forty minutes from Philadelphia International Airport, and only 15 minutes from King of Prussia, PA, a fabulous place for shopping and food. Due to date conflicts, this site change requires a change in our show dates.

We, the Show Committee, hope that you all find Oaks, PA much more inviting and convenient. Please refer to the CCA website after July 8 for up-to-date information on hotels and more as they become available. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mike Esch & Keystone Collie Club
Show Chair & Host Club



TROPHIES!!

Nothing says "Pennsylvania Dutch" like hex signs and redware and stoneware pottery and our trophies have it all!



The top prizes will be handcrafted Redware Pottery created by the Clay Distelfink pottery studio of sgraffito artist Marilyn Stoltzfus White, who hand crafts the entire piece. The pottery is drape-molded, slip-painted and designed freehand. It is then hand carved (sgraffito), hand painted in traditional bright Dutch colors, glazed and fired. Our show logo will be incorporated in the design.

Class placements will be Salt-Glazed Stoneware Pottery from the Eldreth Pottery Company, American made pottery inspired by Pennsylvania German styles and methodology. These pieces will also feature the show logo.



We are sure you will be proud to be a sponsor of these beautiful trophies. A pledge list can be seen at http://www.collieclubofamerica.org/national_2012/index.html#trophies.

Contact Joanne Huff, stonehavencollies@hotmail.com or 262-878-3580 for an up to the minute list.

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NATIONAL JUDGES

Leslie Canavan - BOB, Intersex & Junior Show.
Carole Stanley - Dogs
Phyllis Autrey - Bitches
Joel Levinson - Herding
Leida Jones - Herding
Betsy Horn Hummer - Obedience & Rally
Marylou McCloskey - Obedience
M.E. Betsy Baird - Obedience & Rally
Lavonda Herring - Agility
Barbara Diaz - Agility

SHOW SITES

Conformation, Obedience and Rally will be at the
Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, Oaks, PA.

Herding will be held at Scarlets Mill Farm, Birdsboro,
PA. Cattle, Sheep, ducks and tests.

Agility will be held at In The Net, Palmyra, PA

HOTELS

Please refer to the CCA website for information on hotels.

SHOW SECRETARY

Jim Rau Dog Shows
www.raudogshows.com

AGILITY SHOW SECRETARY

Noreen Bennett
PawPrint Trials
www.pawprint.com

HERDING SHOW SECRETARY

Beverly White
Smyrna, DE

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

*Schedule subject to change

Saturday, March 24, 2012
Herding Trials 1

Sunday, March 25, 2012
Herding Trials 2

Monday, March 26, 2012
Agility Trial 1

Tuesday, March 27, 2012
Agility Trial 2

Breed and Judges' Education Seminars
Move In Date

Wednesday, March 28, 2012
Opening Ceremony

Conformation Judging Begins
Obedience Trial 1 & Rally Trial 1
National Invitational (Exhibition)

Thursday, March 29, 2012
Conformation Judging Continues
Obedience Trial 2 & Rally Trial 2
CCA Health Foundation Auction & Dinner
Junior Showmanship Seminar

Friday, March 30, 2012
Conformation Judging Continues
Smooth Best of Variety
Junior Showmanship Seminar
Quarter Century Group Banquet

Saturday, March 31, 2012
Conformation Judging Continues
Junior Showmanship Judging
Most Versatile Collie Award
Rough Best of Variety Judging
Best of Breed
Other Awards Judging