

Entries close at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 17, 2017 at the show secretary's address, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of *AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows*.

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50th Independent Specialty Show  
**Colonial Shetland  
Sheepdog Club, Inc.**



(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

**Friday, June 2, 2017**

Crackerbarrel Fairgrounds  
Wrentham Developmental Center  
Emerald Street, Wrentham, MA

Mail entries to:  
Donna Vera  
274 Colburn Road  
Canterbury, CT 06331

Show Hours: 8:00 am to 6:00 p.m.  
For Shetland Sheepdogs Only—Unbenched—Outdoors



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION  
Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary

Donna Vera, Show Secretary  
Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club  
274 Colburn Road  
Canterbury, CT 06331

## Officers of the Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club

President.....Robert Olsen  
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Corresponding secretary.....Ann Lyman  
158C Old Plainfield Pike, Foster, RI

### Board of Directors

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### Show Committee

Show chair .....Carolyn Ing  
493 Westford Street, Carlisle, MA 01741  
978-371-1195  
carolyning@mac.com  
Trophies.....Bob Olsen  
Catalog advertising.....Carolyn Ing  
Chief steward.....Susan Morris  
Raffle.....Karen Manchester

### Judging Panel

Conformation and Junior Showmanship.....Mark Lucas  
425 Shepherds Way, Osceola, IN 46561-8889  
Puppy Sweepstakes.....Mark Hersman  
1869 Pecanwood Avenue, Manteca, CA 95336-2602

Colonial will be supporting the entries at the weekend Ladies Dog Club shows on June 2-3. Judges will be Linda More on Saturday and Lydia Coleman Hutchinson on Sunday.

### 24-Hour Veterinary Service

Tufts Veterinary Emergency  
Treatment Services  
923 Main Street  
Walpole, MA 02081  
(508) 668-5454

### Official Photographer

Fritz Clark  
The Standard Image  
PO Box 74  
Gilsum, NH 03448

## Notice to Exhibitors

Entry fees: \$29.00 for the first entry of a dog except puppy classes which are \$25.00 (including \$3.00 AKC event service fee and \$.50 AKC recording fee) and \$20.00 for each additional entry of the same dog. No fee for stud dog or brood bitch if entered in a regular class. \$10.00 for puppy sweepstakes. Junior showmanship only \$15.00 (including \$1.50 AKC event service fee and \$.50 AKC recording fee).

Make all checks and money orders payable to CSSC. Canadian exhibitors must make fees payable in U.S. funds.

All entries should be mailed with fees to: Donna Vera, Show Secretary, 274 Colburn Rd, Canterbury CT 06331. Phone (860) 546-6775.

If sending entries by courier or overnight delivery, please waive signature requirement.

Telegraph, telephone and unsigned entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on an official AKC entry form and photocopies of entry forms without agreement and rules on the reverse side of the official AKC entry form are not acceptable. Entries received without fees will not be accepted. Acknowledgement of entries will be made via regular mail as soon as practicable.

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Show Secretary will add a \$30 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent or disqualified, or excused by the judge or veterinarian, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee. No refunds for bitches in season. If because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond the control of the show-giving club, it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refunds will be made. Effective January 1, 2008, Event Service Fees on all AKC events will be \$3 for the first entry and \$3 for each additional entry in addition to the \$.50 recording fee for the first entry of each dog (*American Kennel Club Rules, Chapter 11, Section 2*).

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. Dogs need to be at the show only at the scheduled time of judging and may leave immediately thereafter unless required for further judging. It is the responsibility of the owner or handler to have the dog at ringside when required and without being called.

The show will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

All dogs present must be on leash or confined to their crates except when being judged.

Exhibitors will be responsible for clean conditions in and around their areas. If we are to have access to these grounds in the future, exhibitors and handlers must keep them clean.

Free admission and parking.

### The club will not be sponsoring lunch.

The Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club, the Show Secretary, or their members or agents assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handler or to any of their dogs or property; and further assume no responsibility for any injury to children in attendance.

Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club reserves the right to remove any animal in distress from a vehicle or crate, and all persons attending this dog show hereby waive any claim for damages against the club for such removal.

## RV and Overnight Parking

Overnight parking on show grounds is by reservation only. Reservations must be received by May 19. Parking is available from 3:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 1 and during the stated hours of the specialty show. Send the parking fee of \$30.00 (checks made payable to Ladies Dog Club) to Jennifer Krieger, 84 Smith Road, Charlton MA 01607, sequelpwds@aol.com. You MUST park in designated areas ONLY. All units must be self-contained. No camper hook-ups available. No vehicles with dogs may be left unattended overnight. Overnight parking in designated areas only. Fire lanes must be maintained. No holding of space. Entering together is the only way of staying together. All trash must be placed inside CLEAN plastic bags and placed in barrels provided by the club. Please do your part in keeping this site available to us! There will be an additional \$5.00 per night for those arriving without reservations made prior to the May 19 deadline. No exceptions!

## Accommodations

Please respect the wishes of the hotel management and guests without dogs and make sure that dogs kept in the hotel room are crated and quiet and the hotel grounds are kept clean.

Red Roof Inn, 60 Forbes Blvd., Mansfield, 508-339-2323, no pet fee  
LaQuinta, 24 Beaver Street, Milford, 508-478-8243, no pet fee  
Holiday Inn Express, 50 Fortune Blvd, Milford, 508-634-1054, \$35 pet fee  
Quality Inn, Rt. 44, Raynham, 508-824-8647, \$10/day pet fee

## Directions to Show Site

**From Rte 95 North & South:** Take Exit 6B to 495 North to Exit 15 (RT 1A). At the end of the ramp, follow Route 1A North for 3 miles; stay on Route 1A; go past the intersection on Rte. 140. Take left at blinking yellow light (North St.), Turn left on Emerald Street and follow the signs.

**From the west:** Take the Massachusetts Turnpike (I-90) East to 495 South to Exit 15. Take left at the end of the ramp, follow directions above.

## Catalog Advertising

Advertise in the show catalog! Use the form below and send in your payment before May 3, 2017.

Carolyn Ing  
493 Westford Street  
Carlisle, MA 01741

Please insert our enclosed \_\_\_\_\_ page advertisement in the catalog of the Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club show on June 2, 2017 for which we enclose our check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. Make checks payable to CSSC.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

### Rates:

Back cover \$45.00  
Full page - \$30.00  
Half page - \$18.00  
One-third page - \$15.00  
Quarter page - \$12.00  
Business card - \$10.00  
Add \$5.00 for each photograph

## Classes for Shetland Sheepdogs

### Regular Classes (for Dogs and Bitches)

Puppy, 6 months and under 9 months \* Puppy, 9 months and under 12 months  
12 months and under 18 months \* Bred by Exhibitor  
American Bred \* Open Black  
Open Blue \* Open Sable  
Winners  
Best of Breed

### Non-Regular Classes Involving Single Dog Entries

**Veterans class\*:** Classes for dogs and bitches seven years of age and over.

\*The American Kennel Club allows spayed bitches and castrated dogs to be shown in the Veterans Class at Independent Specialty Shows, and are eligible for competition in Best of Breed Competition if otherwise undefeated the day of the show. *Chapter 11, Section 8 of the Dog Show Rules.*

### Non-Regular Classes Involving Multiple Dog Entries

**Stud Dog class\***, where indicated, will be for stud dogs and two of their get. Stud dogs must be entered in the Stud Dog class and must be shown in the ring with their get. The owner of the stud dog need not necessarily be the owner of the get. While the merits of the stud dog are not to be considered in the placement of the entry, the stud dog must be examined to determine if it has a condition that would require disqualification or excusal under Dog Show Rules, AKC policy, or the standard for its breed. Get must be entered in a regular class, Best of Breed (Variety) competition, or some other non-regular class.

**Brood Bitch class\*** – Same as for the stud dog except substitute brood bitch for stud dog and produce for get.

\*Chapter 11, Section 8 of the Dog Show Rules provide that "a castrated male may be entered as stud dog in the stud dog class and a spayed bitch may be entered as brood bitch in the brood bitch class."

## Ribbon Prizes

### Regular Classes

First Prize.....Blue rosette  
Second Prize.....Red ribbon  
Third Prize.....Yellow ribbon  
Fourth Prize.....White ribbon  
Winners.....Purple rosette  
Reserve Winners.....Purple & white rosette  
Best of Winners.....Blue & white rosette  
Best of Breed.....Purple & gold rosette  
Best of Opposite Sex.....Red & white rosette  
Grand Champion Select.....Light blue & white rosette

### Non-Regular Classes

Best in Sweepstakes.....Rose & green rosette  
Runner Up to Best in Sweepstakes.....Lavender rosette  
First Prize.....Rose rosette  
Second Prize.....Brown ribbon  
Third Prize.....Light green ribbon  
Fourth Prize.....Grey ribbon

### Trophies and Prizes

Sea Isle Memorial Challenge Trophy III, pewter Revere bowl on wooden base, offered by the Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club. The Best of Breed winner will have his or her name and year of win engraved on the trophy, which will remain in the possession of the club. For permanent possession to be won three times by the same owner, not necessarily the same dog, nor at consecutive shows.

Rosettes and other prizes for this show are offered through the generosity of members and friends of the Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club, Inc. A full list of donors will appear in the catalog or contact:

Bob Olsen  
372 Cushing Street  
Hingham, MA 02043

Special prizes will be presented to each of the following:

Best of Breed  
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed  
Winners Dog, Winners Bitch  
Reserve Winners Dog, Reserve Winners Bitch  
Best in Sweepstakes  
Best Junior Handler

The Colonial Shetland Sheepdog Club offers Winners Dog and Winners Bitch a sterling silver and enamel medallion with the logo of the American Shetland Sheepdog Association.

### Puppy Sweepstakes

Sweepstakes are open to Shetland Sheepdog puppies 6 months and under 18 months. Each entry must also be entered in the Regular Class in the morning show. Champions of Record are NOT eligible to compete. Indicate Sweepstakes on the regular entry form in the space for additional classes (state age).

#### **Puppy Classes (for Dogs and Bitches)**

Puppy, 6 – 9 months  
Junior Dogs, 12 – 18 months  
Puppy, 9 – 12 months

The Puppy Sweepstakes at this show has a reduced entry fee of \$10.00.

The amount of money received from each separate sweepstakes fees will be divided as follows: 40% retained by the club for expenses, with 60% to be divided between the two winners of the sweepstakes as follows:

Best in Sweeps 70%  
Runner Up 30%

### Junior Showmanship

**Novice class:** For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have not won three first places in a Novice class at a licensed or member show.

**Open class:** For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have won three first places with competition present in a Novice Junior Showmanship class at a licensed or member show.

**Master class:** This class will be for boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and, who at the time entries close, have won the 10 first place wins in an Open class with competition to be eligible to enter the Limited Class Competition. The calendar for this class will be consistent with the eligibility dates for the AKC Eukanuba National Championship. All Juniors meeting the criteria for this class are required to enter the Master Class and may change their entry the day of the show if entries have already closed. Once the eligibility time frame for that year has passed, all participants return to the Open Class to compete for the following year.

Junior Handlers must include their AKC Junior Handler Number on each entry. You may obtain your junior identification number by calling the AKC at (919) 233-9767. Be sure all information for Junior classes is entered on the front and back of the entry form.

Bitches in season are not eligible. At Specialty shows, dog must be of the breed for which the show is held.