

INFORMATION BOOKLET

FOR

BLENHEIM WEEKEND

21st & 22nd AUGUST 2010



Contains all relevant booking forms

Please keep safe !

SPONSORSHIP

Please help make this a truly memorable event!

We are seeking help with the costs of this event and hope that as many of you as possible will consider any one of the options below. All sponsorship will be acknowledged in the catalogue with grateful thanks!

GOLD – 5 “packages” available at £1000 each to include:

2 Formal Dinner tickets (no draw required)

2 nights hotel accommodation for 2 people

Advert in the show catalogue (restricted to Gold Package)

Picnic Hamper for Championship Show for 2 people

Acknowledgement as principal sponsors for the Event in the Schedule & Show Catalogue

SILVER – Acknowledgement in the Schedule & Show Catalogue

We would like to present the following – all engraved glass – any offers...?

Square coasters – Class Winners - £4.60

Picture Frame (large) for Dog CC Winner - £42

Picture Frame (large) for Bitch CC Winner - £42

Picture Frame (large) for Best in Match Winner - £42

Champagne Bucket for Best in Show - £56

BRONZE – Rosettes – Acknowledgement in the Show Catalogue.

A donation of £6 will pay for Rosettes for a Class – all donations gratefully accepted!

ANY OTHER OFFERS WILL BE GRATEFULLY RECEIVED. ANY TROPHIES DONATED WILL BE WON OUTRIGHT.

We are grateful to the continued support of ROYAL CANIN who have kindly agreed to not only offer product for the Winners at the Championship Show but also for our “Cavaliers of the Year”.



ROYAL CANIN

Tailor-Made Nutrition For Dogs And Cats

The Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club is hosting a "Cavalier Extravangza" the weekend of 21st & 22nd August 2010 and we welcome owners & lovers of the breed from around the world to join us to celebrate the Cavalier.

We are grateful to Blenheim Palace for allowing us to use their wonderful grounds to stage this event. Whilst we do not pay for the "hire of the venue" there is an admission charge for all cars. This will be subsidised by the Cavalier KCS Club and be free to members. Passes will need to be obtained in advance with entries or direct from the Show Manager: Sheena Maclaine, The Grove, Mundon, Maldon, Essex CM9 6NT and will be limited to 1 car pass per membership (either single or joint)! This charge will cover a card, driver and 1 passenger. If you require a 2-day car park ticket the cost will be £20.

It should be noted: The admission charge is for entrance to the Palace grounds & formal gardens only and include 2,000 acres of stunning parkland, formal Gardens, Pleasure Gardens including Marlborough Maze, Adventure Play Area, Butterfly House, Lavender Garden, miniature train rides, and the 'Blenheim Bygones' exhibition. Tickets also include entrance to the popular 'Churchills' Destiny – the story of two great war leaders' Exhibition.

Tickets for the Palace, Park & Gardens cost (2008) Adults £17.50, Concessions £14.00, Child £10.00, Family £46.00.

SATURDAY 21st AUGUST

DAYTIME – we will be holding the following:

MATCH COMPETITION – 10 a.m. – organised by Mrs Sylvia Lymer
Cavalier King Charles Spaniels versus King Charles Spaniels
This event will require a team of Puppies, Juniors, Opens & Veterans – more information to follow
Mystery Judge – not to be announced until the day!

AGILITY DEMONSTRATION & TRICKS by "Clever Cavaliers" – 1 p.m. (Dee Phillips 01798 813329) followed by the opportunity for all to have a go too!

CAVALIER OF THE YEAR – see our website www.cavalierclub.co.uk or www.cavalierplanet.com for details of this award. There are a great many Cavaliers that have proved themselves to be somewhat extra special and we thought that it was high time that a Special Award was given to honour dogs such as these. We want to show the world that it's not just top winning show dogs that we treasure; companion dogs are equally important. Those listed in the Roll of Honour will be invited to join us at Blenheim with the top award being presented – organised by Tina & Dennis Homes.

FUN FOR ALL 2.30 p.m. – organised by Rob Dix

- CHOCOLATE BUTTON RACE
- FANCY DRESS (DOGS) – plenty of time to make an outfit!
- BEST 6 LEGS
- MUSICAL NEWSPAPERS
- HANDSOME DOG / PRETTIEST BITCH
- FAMILY RACE
- GOLDEN OLDIES
- TREASURE HUNT

CATERING WILL BE PROVIDED BY SODEXHO

Panini Bar, Coffee Bar, Sandwiches, Bacon Rolls, Mobile Bar, Icecream Van!

ACCOMMODATION

Blenheim Palace nestles in the beautiful Cotswold countryside and there is plenty for our visitors to see and do in area. For those with internet access a full list of accommodation can be found on www.oxfordshirecotswolds.org.

Jeanne Boyd (01923 266124) has available Accommodation brochures which can also be obtained via the tourist information centres:

The Brewery, Sheep Street, Burford OX18 4LP – 01993 823558

26a Market Square, Witney OX28 6BB – 01993 775802

The Oxfordshire Museum, Park Street, Woodstock OX20 4SN – 01993 813632

Hotels in close proximity:

THE FEATHERS (0.5 miles), Market Street, Woodstock OX20 1SX – 01993 812291

THE MARLBOROUGH (0.5 miles), A44 Woodleys, Woodstock OX20 7HT – 01993 811460

MACDONALD BEAR (0.5 miles), Park Street, Woodstock OX20 1SZ – 0870 400 8902

EYNSHAM HALL, North Leigh, Witney OX29 6PN – 01993 885200

HOLIDAY INN OXFORD (4.7 miles), Peartree Road Roundabout, Oxford OX2 8JD – 0871 423 4931

OXFORDSHIRE INN HOTEL (5.1 miles), Heathfield Village, Oxford OX5 3DX – 01869 351444

TRAVELODGE OXFORD (4.7 miles), Peartree Roundabout, Woodstock Road, Oxford – 0870 191 1705

WITNEY FOUR PILLARS (7.3 miles), Ducklington Lane, Witney – 01993 779777

CARAVANS – for those requiring facilities – Jeanne Boyd has a list of local sites. There are a limited number of spaces available at Blenheim but there are no facilities available. Please book early to avoid disappointment!

SATURDAY EVENING - OPTION 1

FORMAL DINNER in the ORANGERY, BLENHEIM PALACE

Tickets will be on sale from 1st August 2009 and all applications must be accompanied by payment in full.

Please send your ticket request to:

Show Manager: Sheena Maclaine, The Grove, Mundon, Maldon, Essex CM9 6NT
CLEARLY MARK THE ENVELOPE WITH "BLENHEIM DINNER – UK" or "BLENHEIM DINNER – OVERSEAS".

We have approximately 1000 UK Members and 500 Overseas Members and are sure this will be a popular event – therefore 100 tickets have been allocated for UK Members and 50 for Overseas Members. No envelopes will be opened before the DRAW for tickets which will take place at the CKCS Club Open Show on Sunday 23rd August 2009. A list of those successful will be posted on the Cavalier Club's website – www.thecavalierclub.co.uk and tickets will be sent the following week. Unsuccessful applications & cheques will be destroyed unless return requested with S.A.E.

Tickets are priced at £125 and are limited to 2 per single member/joint member/partnership and restricted to over 16 years of age.

Dress code is strictly Formal or Lounge Suit.

Best handwriting please !!!

NAME OF MEMBER.....

ADDRESS.....

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TELEPHONE NUMBER.....

E-MAIL.....

NO. OF TICKETS REQUIRED (LIMITED TO 2).....

SATURDAY EVENING - OPTION 2

BARN DANCE in the MARQUEE, BLENHEIM PALACE

Tickets will be on sale from 1st August 2009 and all applications must be accompanied by payment in full – you may wish to wait until the results of the draw for Formal Dinner Tickets.

Please send your ticket request to:

Show Manager: Sheena Maclaine, The Grove, Mundon, Maldon, Essex CM9 6NT
CLEARLY MARK THE ENVELOPE WITH "BARN DANCE".

We are sure that we will have many Members who will be disappointed by not being successful in the draw for our Formal Dinner and would very much like to welcome as many of you from home and overseas to join us in the marquee for a BARN DANCE.

The very professional CATS WHISKERS will provide our entertainment – fiddle, accordion, keyboard & excellent caller! If anyone requires any more information regarding a barn dance please contact organiser – Sandra Ireland 01989 780200.

The evening will commence at 7.30 and finish promptly at 11 p.m.

Tickets are priced at £10 for the Barn Dance and £25 for the Barbeque (provided by Sodexo Ltd). There will be a licensed bar.

Dress code: Casual

Best handwriting please !!!

NAME OF MEMBER.....

ADDRESS.....
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TELEPHONE NUMBER.....

E-MAIL.....

NO. OF TICKETS - BARN DANCE ONLY @ £10.....

NO. OF TICKETS – BARN DANCE & BARBEQUE @ £35.....

Please note that only food/alcohol provided by Sodexo Ltd can be consumed in the marquee!

CARAVANS

Blenheim Palace have kindly agreed to a limited number of caravan spaces –
please book early to avoid disappointment.

Show Manager: Sheena Maclaine, The Grove, Mundon, Maldon, Essex CM9 6NT
CLEARLY MARK THE ENVELOPE WITH "CARAVAN".

Please be aware that this is a very basic field adjacent to the field with the Marquee. THERE ARE NO FACILITIES other than a water point and waste disposal. Plots will be limited to 10m frontage x 10m depth.

There will be a charge of £15 per night or £40 to include Friday, Saturday & Sunday nights.

Best handwriting please !!!

NAME OF MEMBER.....

ADDRESS.....
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TELEPHONE NUMBER.....

E-MAIL.....

SINGLE NIGHT @ £15 – NO. OF NIGHTS £.....

3 NIGHTS @ £40 £.....

PRIZES ALREADY DONATED !!

Jeanne Boyd has generously donated 2 tickets for the Formal Dinner to be raffled at Shows between 1st August 2009 and 13th March 2010 – in aid of the Health Fund.

Barry Medforth & James Skerritt have kindly donated a splendid work of art – a hand-painted Cavalier bowl depicting Blenheim Palace in the background – for the winner of Best in Show. (James formerly painted for Royal Worcester).

Elaine Dolamore has made a beautiful “bed throw” to be presented to the winner of Best Puppy in Show.

Please keep them coming...

AUCTION

The Cavalier KCS Club will be holding an on-line Auction for which final bids can be made up to mid-day on the Sunday 22 August in aid of the Health Fund – if you have any suitable items for this please contact:
Elaine Dolamore, Harwood House, Cemetery Lane, Woodmancote,
Emsworth, Hampshire PO10 8QA – Telephone 01243 376035

SUNDAY 22nd AUGUST 2010 **JOINT CAVALIER CLUB'S CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW** Hosted by **THE CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB**

JUDGES: MRS. JEANNIE MONTFORD (Dogs)
MRS. DI FRY (Bitches)

Schedules for this event will be available from 6th March 2010.

CATERING WILL BE PROVIDED BY SODEXHO
Panini Bar, Coffee Bar, Sandwiches, Bacon Rolls, Mobile Licensed Bar,
Icecream Van !

PICNIC HAMPERS will also be available – see Schedule to book with entries.