

July 23, 2017



Greetings STCA Members and Friends!

We invite you all to join the Skye Terrier Club of America for our annual grand celebration of our beautiful Skye Terriers and Skye festivities during the STCA Montgomery County National Specialty weekend! The Show Committee has been busy making plans, and we look forward to having you join us this year as we present another Specialty Weekend of shows and fun filled events, capped off by our 106<sup>th</sup> National Specialty Show on Sunday October 8, 2017. Now's the time to mark your calendars, and make your reservations!

The weekend will kick off on Thursday and Friday, October 5 and 6, with the STCA supported entry at the Hatboro Dog Club Shows. As we have traditionally done, our Thursday evening event, held at our host hotel, will be a casual "**Fun Night**" Buffet Dinner with Skye items galore for sale, silent auction and the always popular live auction, with a few very special pieces waiting for the right price. The Friday evening event will see us again at the Host Hotel for our **Gala Banquet** Awards Dinner and STCA Annual Membership Meeting. Saturday, October 7 will find many of us at the Devon Kennel Club show, and of course the weekend will culminate with our STCA National Specialty on Sunday, October 8, held with the Montgomery County Kennel Club Show! Once again, the MCKC will again offer Best of Breed Bred-By-Exhibitor and Group Competitions. For the STCA, this competition will feature the gorgeous silver plated punch bowl challenge trophy, won originally for a Best in Show win by Walter Goodman with his exquisite CH Jacinthe de Ricelaine, and now offered by the club in memory of Walter and his mother Adele Goodman. It will be another Skye weekend to remember and not to be missed!

Enclosed you will find information for hotel reservations, an itinerary for the weekend, menus, and descriptions of all the weekend events. Also included are the forms you will need to complete and return to submit for Catalog Ads for the Specialty Show Catalog, and all the Dinner Events (please note deadlines! Up to date information on events and all forms can also be found by checking the STCA website at <http://skye.us/>; or the STCA Facebook Page, and finally on our STCA social FB page: Skye Terrier Central Station. Be sure to check these pages frequently for updates, changes, or additions to the enclosed information packet.

(PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING KEY DEADLINES)

- CATALOG ADVERTISING DEADLINE: **Saturday, August 19, 2017**
- ROOM RESERVATIONS: **Monday, September 4, 2017**
- ENTRIES FOR ALL SHOWS CLOSE: **Wednesday, September 20, 2017**
- ALL DINNER PROGRAM RESERVATIONS DUE: **Monday, September 25, 2017**

STCA events are only a success with **member** support and we always look forward to seeing our members, and getting to know our new members, as well as those new to the breed! As always we welcome **all** friends of Skyes! Questions are always welcome and we are available if you need help, so please contact any one of us by phone or email for additional information. See you soon!!!

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