

CSPCT FALL UPDATE

This past summer has been a very exciting time for Chinese Shar-Pei Breeders and Exhibitors. The news of the test that was developed for SPAID by Dr. Linda Tintle and her colleagues that has been in the works for so many years has become a reality. The Chinese Shar-Pei Charitable Trust accelerated the availability of this test by making a donation to Cornell University to buy the equipment that will get the tests done a lot quicker, and the results available to those who wish to participate.

As the fall approaches, the CSPCA Nationals will be taking place in the beginning of October and part of the proceeds of the raffle being conducted will benefit the CSPCT. We thank the Board of Directors of the CSPCA for making this possible. As Chairman of the Trust, I will be making a report at the General Meeting, which will include our financials for this past year.

I am happy to report that the CSPCT is a member of Amazon Smile. So any donations you give to the Trust a small percentage is also donated by Amazon since we are a 501©3 Non-Profit.

It is a fact that the popularity of our Breed and the litters and puppies registered has declined through the years. However, for those of you who still breed and those of you who have our cherished Shar-Pei, kindly keep the CSPCT in your thoughts to support. Our work continues to be the Stewards of our Breed's health and needs, and that can only happen with your donations and support.

Look for another On-Line Auction on Facebook in the future. The Trust benefitted greatly from the auctions held last year and this year. Our Thanks to everyone for your participation and donations and our "Shar-Pei Angels" who put it together.

Enjoy the wonderful fall weather wherever you are...and share good times with your Shar-Pei.

Lee Arnold
Chairman CSPCT