



January/February 2021 Issue



A NOTE FROM KATHY

Happy New Year!

The year began with the sad news Erv Cizek, husband of long time BOD member past ESAA president Mary Cizek passed away. I have such nice memories of spending time with Mary and Erv at their beautiful home. More on Erv and Mary can be found in the newsletter.

I am hopeful as the year progresses, life will return to some semblance of normal. In anticipation of "normal", plans are underway for a number of ESAA events.

Our Field Trial Committee put together plans for a Walking Field Trial in Paris Kentucky in record time. It was presented to the ESAA BOD for approval early in January for a trial that was held January 30th and 31st. By all accounts it was a HUGE success. It goes to show that where there is a will there is a way!

Click [here](#) for the full article.

ESAA National Specialty Information

More details will soon be available on the National website, www.national.esaa.com. Our webmaster Lisa Moreau will update the website with new information as it becomes available, and it will be your most reliable and up-to-date information source.

Check the National website for a tentative day-by-day schedule, committee chair contacts, judges and information regarding the host hotel/room reservations.



Logo clothing is now available to purchase. Please click [here](#) to download your order form. If you have any questions contact Tannley @ tannley@outlook.com



ESAA
SEATTLE, WA
2021
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2021 ESAA National Specialty

hosted by **Puget Sound English Setter Club**
Seattle Airport Marriott
3201 South 176th Street, Seattle, Washington 98188
206-241-2000
<https://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/seawa-seattle-airport-marriott/>

NATIONAL INFORMATION

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!! **MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS!!**

Visit the 2021 National Specialty website. We are in the early stages of getting everything online. Things to come will be online payment options, downloadable forms & more.

<http://www.national.esaa.com/>

HOTEL RESERVATION INFO

We are excited for all we have planned and look forward to seeing everyone in September!

You can now make your hotel reservations. Best place to start is at the National website [national.esaa.com](http://www.national.esaa.com)

Group Rate Code for phone reservations 24 hours a day is: **206-241-2000** Group Code: **ESAA2021**

Online reservations can be made 24 hours a day at the link listed on the National website.

Event Hotel Summary:

Start Date: Friday, September 10, 2021
End Date: Sunday, September 19, 2021
Last Day to Book: Thursday, August 19, 2021

The Seattle Airport Marriott offers a special group rate of \$149 USD per night



REGIONAL SPECIALTIES



Puget Sound English Setter Club Specialty
Saturday, September 18, 2021



Willamette Valley ES Fanciers Specialty
Sunday, September 19, 2021

Also, Don't Forget!

LOGO CLOTHING

There are lots of great clothing items still available; quilted vests, t-shirts, sweatshirts, hats, towels and many more!

If you are interested in any of these items please contact Tannley at: tannley@outlook.com

Visit the website at [national.esaa.com](http://www.national.esaa.com) to download an order form.



ESAA's Junior Handlers

ESAA's Junior Handlers continue to be a highlight of our organization. This year Jessica Braatz, Abigail Van Meter, and Ali Apollos all qualified to compete in the AKC National Championships with their English Setter partners. We are so fortunate to have these amazing young handlers love our breed!

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We hope to highlight their experiences and share them with the larger ESAA community in upcoming months. This month we caught up with Jessica Braatz about her experiences:

Click [here](#) for the full article



Your English Setter History Photos of the Month of January & February

By Carl Sillman

Click [here](#) for the full article

ESAA 2021 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Hi Everyone,

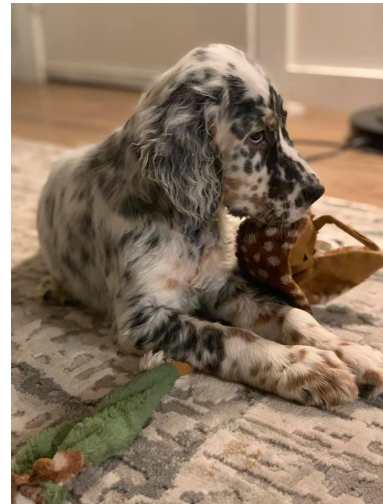
Last call to renew your ESAA membership! The membership renewal period ends March 1, 2021.

Important points about your renewal:

1. The renewal deadline is MARCH 1, 2021. If I do not have your renewal by that date you will have to reapply as a new member. So please renew as soon

as possible. I really hate being the bad guy who has to tell someone who has been a member for years that they have to reapply for membership!!!

Click [here](#) for the full article



The 2021 Misty Mondok Myers Courage

and Academic Scholarship

The 2021 Misty Mondok Myers Courage and Academic Scholarship applications are available to any eligible ESAA Junior and are due Wednesday, March 31, 2021. Misty Mondok Myers (1969-2015) “found” her English Setters around 1980. Her first English Setter, “Missy”, Ch. Foxtract Miss Kitty Marksman, was her junior’s dog. Misty took to handling right off the bat, showing in junior showmanship and conformation. She worked for different handlers and absorbed every bit of information she could in grooming and handling English setters, as well as other breeds. Over the years Misty honed her handling abilities and loved every minute of it. In 1985 she was awarded the ESAA Annual Award for Best Open Senior and Best Junior Handler Overall. Misty went on to handle additional English Setters to their championships and helped others learn how to groom and handle English Setters. Misty was in her element at a dog show...rain or shine, always smiling and laughing and ready to help anyone.

ESAA is honored to perpetuate Misty's memory by supporting our Juniors in their educational pursuits! For more information go to [English Setter Association of America](#).

AKC Field Trial

ESAA held an AKC Field Trial in Paris Kentucky on Saturday, January 30, 2021 and Sunday, January 31, 2021. Results are below.

OLGD (all breed):

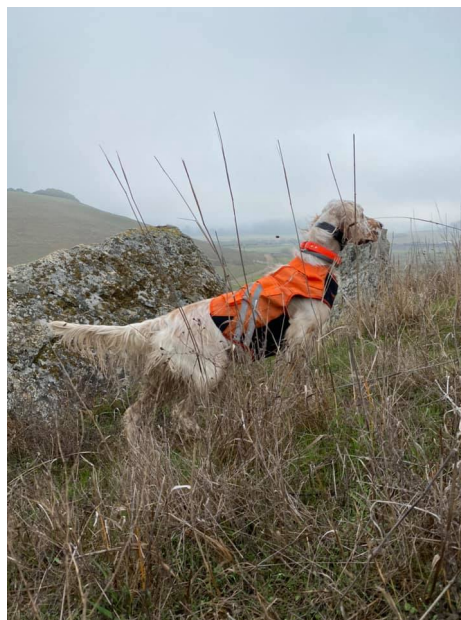
1st - Annie - FC/AFC Autumn Annie (ES - F) - Renius (3 pts)

2nd - Ella - CH. Hiddenlane She is Back to the Future (ES-F) - Lishinski & McVeigh

3rd - Hunter - Windsor's Hurricane Hunter of Pinewalker (ES - M) - Garland

4th - Hawk - Windsor's Stormy Nighthawk of Pinewalker (ES - M) - Garland

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Buckeye ES Club Specialties
ESAA Regional Specialty
2020 ESAA Futurity & Maturity
 Memorial Day Weekend - Cincinnati, Ohio
 May 28-30, 2021



3 English Setter Specialties
2 English Setter Supported Shows
= 5 opportunities for majors!

- ✦ On Friday morning, our specialty only - there is no all-breed show.
- ✦ On Friday afternoon/evening - the 2020 ESAA Futurity & Maturity will be held.
- ✦ On Saturday & Sunday, our specialties will run concurrently with the Cincinnati Kennel Club all-breed shows.
- ✦ There is no show on Monday.

We have a building to ourselves and everything is easily accessible

- ✦ A large (indoor) show ring
- ✦ Plenty of grooming space & free electricity
- ✦ A dog bathing station
- ✦ Parking just outside the building

Hospitality is provided each day and we'll have a great raffle too!

Friday, May 28

- **BUCKEYE ENGLISH SETTER CLUB SPECIALTY**
 - Sweeps Judge: Mrs. Susan Kerwin-Bush
 - Specialty Judge: Mr. Gerard Penta
- **ESAA 2020 FUTURITY & MATURITY COMPETITION**
 - Judge: Dr. B.J. Parsons, DVM

Saturday, May 29

- **BUCKEYE ENGLISH SETTER CLUB SPECIALTY**
 - Sweeps Judge: Dr. Vicki Sandage, DVM
 - Specialty Judge: Ms. Marjorie Underwood
- Concurrent with
- Cincinnati Kennel Club (Supported by the BESC)
 - Breed Judge: Mr. Carl Liepmann

Sunday, May 30

- **ENGLISH SETTER ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA REGIONAL SPECIALTY**
 - Sweeps Judge: Mrs. Mary Nowak
 - Specialty Judge: Mrs. Donna Ernst
- Concurrent with
- Cincinnati Kennel Club (Supported by the BESC)
 - Breed Judge: Mr. Jon Cole

Tribute to Erv Ciszek
9/11/1932 – 1/09/2021

Erv was the youngest of five, whose father died when he was very young. Erv grew up on the north side of Chicago, speaking only Polish in his home, and learning English while in grade school. He graduated from Roosevelt High School, after which he attended Loyola University, where he graduated with B.S. degrees in chemistry and biology. While in college, Erv and his buddy, Hank, were cruising around in Erv's convertible when they saw two beautiful, young women waiting at a bus stop on the northwest side of the city. Erv and Hank asked the young women if they needed a

ride, to which they politely refused. Luckily, the bus never came and due to Erv's persistence, the young women finally acquiesced to the ride. Erv and Mary began dating, as did Hank and Pat. And the rest is history.

Click [here](#) for the full article

NEXT SETTER LETTER DEADLINE:



March 1, 2021

Submit text information in a Word document and photos in a JPEG format to enewslettereditor@esaa.com

NEW TITLE LISTINGS

CHECK OUT December click [here](#) & January click [here](#) TITLE LISTING!

Do you have a new field, agility, obedience, conformation or other title on your English Setter?

Simply submit the below information,

BE SURE TO GET IN YOUR INFORMATION BY THE SETTER LETTER DEADLINE OR IT WILL GO INTO THE FOLLOWING MONTH'S ISSUE.

IN THE BELOW ORDER,

by the Setter Letter deadline, to

Ross Rice at ross.rice@comcast.net

Click [here](#) to educate yourself on all of AKC's titles and abbreviations listed alphabetically!

NOTE: IN EMAIL SUBJECT LINE WRITE "NEW TITLE"

Click [here](#) to view all AKC sport titles!

Complete Name of Dog

New Title (acronym only)

Month Title was Attained

Age of Dog

Breeder

Owner

GO ASK SPOT

Let's get started with the first question for go Ask Spot:

There are so many beautiful setters with gorgeous coats out there. Please share the products and process you follow for keeping your dogs in such excellent coat.

Please remember to submit your answer and any questions you might have to askspot@esaa.com.



English Setter SPOTLIGHT





[ESAA Website](#)



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