### FUTURITY INFORMATION JANUARY & JULY





#### **January**

## AMERICAN SPANIEL CLUB, INC. JANUARY ANNUAL FLUSHING SPANIEL SHOW

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#### July

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# AMERICAN SPANIEL CLUB, INC. JANUARY ANNUAL FLUSHING SPANIEL SHOW JULY ANNUAL COCKER SPANIEL NATIONAL SPECIALTY

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#### RULES FOR COCKER SPANIEL FUTURITY STAKE

BREEDERS OF ENTRIES for the Futurity MUST BE American Spaniel Club, Inc. (ASC) members in good standing through all steps of the Futurity process (have annual dues paid, no suspensions). Any suspension of a breeder or co-breeder by AKC and/or ASC shall automatically disqualify the breeder(s) from participation in the Futurity, to include any nominations for bitches owned, co-owned or leased during the suspension and any puppies bred or co-bred during the suspension. This includes disqualifying any existing bitch nominations or puppy enrollments and also disallows any future bitch nominations or puppy enrollments during the suspension period. No puppy will be eligible for futurity enrollment from any litter which was bred or co-bred by a suspended member, regardless of ownership. Owners (if other than the breeder) of futurity puppy entries are not required to be ASC Members.

Nominations and enrollments shall be sent to the Futurity Chairman only on the forms issued by the ASC. You may photocopy the forms. The forms state the required payment and information. Incomplete forms will be returned. Fees must be paid in U.S. Funds, checks drawn on U.S. Banks and U.S. Money Orders or through PayPal via the ASC Website. Checks on Foreign Banks for U.S. funds are not acceptable and if sent will be returned along with the Futurity Form. Checks that do not clear the bank MUST BE REPLACED WITH MONEY ORDERS PLUS BANK CHARGES for returned checks. There will be no refunds.

Steps which must be taken to Futurity nominate are as follows:

#### **BITCH NOMINATION**

- 1. Owner and co-owner(s) to include lessees of the dam to be nominated must be American Spaniel Club, Inc. (ASC) members in good standing as of the date of breeding and through all steps of the Futurity process.
- 2. The bitch must be properly nominated prior to whelping.
  - a. Nominations made between January 1 and June 30 inclusive for January Futurity.
  - b. Nominations made between July 1 and December 31 inclusive for July Futurity.
- 3. Nominations may be submitted either through the postal service (USPS) or electronically.
  - a. **Postal Service (USPS):** The nomination envelope must bear a post office cancellation stamp with a date prior to the whelping date. POSTAGE METER IS NOT VALID for a postmark date.

- If the postmark is not legible or is missing, the nomination will be considered to be postmarked two days prior to the date received.
- b. Electronically: Forms may be submitted electronically to the Futurity Chairman and must be received prior to the whelping date. Payment must be made through PayPal via the ASC website and must be made prior to the whelping date. POSTMARK DATE WILL BE CONSIDERED THE DATE OF PAYMENT.
- 4. A fee of **\$10.00** for each bitch nominated must accompany the form, in accordance with the instructions stated on the form. If the bitch's due date is such that she may whelp in either the January or July Futurity, you should nominate her for both and include a fee of \$20.00.
- 5. Both sire and dam must be at least 2 years old before the breeding takes place.

#### 6. **Health Testing requirements**:

- a. OFA or PennHip certification must be done on or after the age of 2 for both sire and dam.
- b. Eye exams must be done on or after the age of 2 for both sire and dam and annually thereafter. Exams dated prior to the age of 2 or more than 12 months prior to the date of breeding will not be accepted. A clear eye exam after the age of 8 for both sire and dam will be accepted as permanently clear.

# 7. Documents which must accompany the nomination form: (All documents must be complete and legible.)

- a. Photocopies of the individual AKC Registration Certificates for both sire and dam.
- b. Photocopies of the Certification of clear eyes from a Board certified ophthalmologist or similar designation in the case of foreign entries for both sire and dam.
- c. Photocopies of OFA or PennHip certification for normal hips for both sire and dam or similar certification in the case of foreign entries for both sire and dam.
- d. If sire and/or dam are listed in the ASC Health Registry, it is not necessary to forward copies of the eye or hip certification for that animal.
- e. If the bitch is leased, send photocopies of the AKC Lease Acknowledgement received from the American Kennel Club.

#### **PUPPY NOMINATIONS**

- 1. Only puppies from nominated bitches, whelped after date of nomination, are eligible.
- 2. No puppy will be eligible for futurity enrollment from any litter which was bred or co-bred by a suspended member, regardless of ownership.
- Owners (if other than the breeders) of futurity puppy entries are not required to be ASC members.

- 4. Enrollment of any puppies must be made ON OR BEFORE November 1 for the January Futurity and May 1 for the July Futurity.
- 5. Enrollments must be made on individual forms issued by ASC and a payment of **\$10.00** per puppy is required. Forms and payment may be submitted to the Futurity Chairman either through the postal service (USPS) or electronically.
- 6. The form will state the complete requirements, including, the name of the puppy, the name of the sire and dam, date of birth, sex, variety and individual AKC Registration Number must be given. Puppies bred outside the United States by ASC members may provide a registration number from an AKC recognized international registry, if an AKC number is not yet obtained.
- 7. Late Enrollment: You may make a late puppy enrollment for a TOTAL fee of \$25.00 per puppy, provided all other requirements are met. Late enrollments may be made through the postal service (USPS) or electronically. LATE ENROLLMENTS DO NOT GO BY POSTMARK; THEY MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE FUTURITY CHAIRMAN BY DECEMBER 1 FOR JANUARY FUTURITY AND JUNE 1 FOR JULY FUTURITY.

#### **ENTERING THE FUTURITY CLASS**

- 1. The breeder(s) of the puppy MUST STILL BE A CURRENT MEMBER OF ASC in good standing.
- 2. Each puppy shall be entered in one of the Regular Classes and, in addition, the entry blank must also be designated "Futurity Stake".
- 3. A final payment of \$15.00 for each puppy to be shown in the Futurity shall be made to the Superintendent of the Show before the closing of entries for the Show, at which time the Name, AKC Number, Date of Birth, Breed, Sex, Variety and Class of each puppy must be given on the Regular AKC approved Entry Blank, together with the payment of the Regular Entry Fee.
- 4. The ASC is not responsible for any errors made on the Entry Blank and no refunds will be made by ASC.

# AMERICAN SPANIEL CLUB, IC. BITCH NOMINATION FORM FOR COCKER SPANIEL FUTURITY

**NOTICE:** Postage Meter is NOT valid for a postmark date. If the postmark date is not legible or is missing, the nomination will be considered postmarked two days before the date received. Checks that do not clear the bank MUST BE REPLACED WITH MONEY ORDERS PLUS BANK CHARGES for returned checks. Fees must be paid in U.S. Funds (Checks drawn on U.S. Banks and U.S. Money Orders only). Checks on Foreign Banks for U.S. funds are not acceptable and if sent will be returned along with the Futurity Form. Form submissions and payments may be made electronically.

#### PLEASE READ COMPLETE FUTURITY RULES BEFORE SUBMITTING THIS FORM.

Complete Futurity Rules are printed on the ASC website or may be obtained from the ASC Secretary or the Futurity Chairman. (www.asccockerspaniel.org/forms/index.asp)

#### CHECK THIS LIST BEFORE SENDING BITCH NOMINATION FORMS

( ) Have you as owner, co-owner(s) to include lessees of the dam	to be nominated paid this year's ann	nual dues?
( ) Have you enclosed photocopies of the Individual AKC Registra the bitch is leased, you MUST ALSO enclose a copy of the Lease Ac		
( ) Have you enclosed photocopies of certification of clear eyes o Health Registry?	n both bitch and sire of the litter if th	ney are not listed in the ASC
( ) Have you enclosed photocopies of OFA or PennHip certification listed in the ASC Health Registry?	n of normal hips for both bitch and s	ire of the litter if they are not
( ) Are you sending the correct form (BITCH vs. PUPPY)? Check the whelping could take place into the next Futurity, nominate the bit BEFORE the litter is whelped.	• =	·
( ) Have you enclosed payment, payable to the American Spaniel may also be made electronically through PayPal via the ASC website.		nch bitch nomination? Payment
Send completed form WITH payment to Futurity Chairman. Nomi (USPS).	nation will be acknowledged electro	nically or by postal service
Please check one: January Nomination (Jan. 1-June 30) ( ) July Nomination (July 1-Dec.31) ( )		
Date of Breeding / /		
Name of Bitch	AKC #	DOB
Owner/Lessee Name	Address	
Phone Number	E-Mail Address	
Breeder of Bitch (Dam)		
Name of Dog	AKC #	DOB
Owner of Dog (Sire)		

## AMERICAN SPANIEL CLUB, INC. PUPPY NOMINATION FORM FOR COCKER SPANIEL FUTURITY

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#### CHECK THIS LIST BEFORE SENDING PUPPY NOMINATION FORMS

**JANUARY FUTURITY:** Puppy enrollments are due November 1 for January Futurity. If you miss this deadline, late enrollment can be made by paying an additional \$15.00 late fee (\$25.00 total fee) if the enrollment is received by the Futurity Chairman no later than December 1.

<b>JULY FUTURITY:</b> Puppy enrollments are due May 1 for July Futurity. If you miss this deadline, late enrollment can be made by paying an additional <b>\$15.00</b> late fee (\$25.00 total fee) if the enrollment is received by the Futurity Chairman no later than June 1.		
( ) Have you as Breeder, co-breeder and lessee of dam paid this year's	annual dues? Owner(s) of puppy need not be ASC members.	
( ) Is this puppy from a litter nominated before the dam whelped and whelped during the appropriate 6 month period (January 1 to June 30 for the January Futurity and July 1 to December 31 for the July Futurity)?		
( ) Have you received a Registration Certificate from AKC for this puppy? You must use the Individual Registration Number on the form. Puppies bred outside the United States by ASC members may provide a registration number from an AKC recognized international registry, if an AKC number is not yet obtained.		
( ) Have you enclosed payment, payable to the American Spaniel Club, in the amount of \$10.00 for each puppy enrollment? Payment may also be made electronically through PayPal via the ASC website.		
Send completed form WITH payment to Futurity Chairman. Nomination will be acknowledged electronically or by postal service (USPS).		
Please check one: January Nomination (Jan. 1-June 30) ( ) July Nomination (July 1- Dec. 31) ( )		
Name of Puppy	AKC #	
Date Whelped Sex	Variety/Color	
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Sire		
Dam		
Dam		
Dam Name(s) of Breeder(s)		
Name(s) of Breeder(s)  Name(s) of Owner(s)  Address		
Name(s) of Breeder(s)  Name(s) of Owner(s)  Address	E-Mail Address	