



BAY AREA CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB MEETING NOTICE

May 23rd, 2021 1pm via Zoom Video Conferencing

Please join us Sunday May 23rd at 1PM for our general meeting followed by our presenters Judy Vanderlip and Kevin Ellingson.

Please note the link to the Zoom meeting has been provided to members via email. If you are a guest, please email Victoria.marinabaycavaliers@gmail.com by 12PM 5/23 to receive the link.

The "NEW" Dog Show 101

Kevin Ellingson and Judy Vanderlip will discuss the ways conformation dog shows are different due to COVID 19 protocols from the perspective of exhibitors, ring stewards, and judges. We will offer some tips to help improve your dog show experience and so you will know what to expect. We will also briefly touch on dog events other than conformation that you can participate in, frequently held in conjunction with conformation shows.

Kevin Ellingson has been involved in confirmation shows for over 13 years with 10 years experience working as a Ring Steward and 5 years of experience as an exhibitor. He has served as Chief Ring Steward for several shows, including two clusters of shows in November and March that were held under COVID-19 protocols.

Judy Vanderlip has been officially involved with dog shows since 1972 but had gone to shows with her parents as a spectator as a young child. Her love for English Springer Spaniels started with her first one at age 7 "Tina" who was a drop out from hunting school as she was gun shy. In 1972 she met Welsh Springer and American Cocker breeders Rick and Emily Preston while at a show looking for a family pet. They struck up a friendship and Judy was taken under their wing and taught all about the dog show world as an owner handler as well as all aspects of breeding pure bred dogs. Judy handled and bred her own dogs and the Prestons for almost 30 years. Finishing all three breeds to their championships. Judy became an AKC judge in 1998 but still keeps up with her quest to learn more about other breeds that peak her interest other than the ones she judges.

