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# WHEATEN WORDS



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## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Greetings! Although the Dog Days of summer are over there is still a lot of Florida heat left to endure.

On June 18<sup>th</sup> the club contributed to a supported entry at the 2022 Sunshine State Cluster Dog Show which was held at the Florida State Fairgrounds in Tampa. A general meeting was held in-person and via zoom. The zoom presence was well attended. Although the in-person portion was slight, it was awesome to see club members I haven't seen in years and meet new ones. Fortunately, we timed the meeting right. It didn't overlap the judging of the Wheatens. It's always a treat to see them in the ring.

The board has been trying to come up with a plan for the last general meeting of the year. A dinner has proven to be very challenging. We have struggled finding a location that can accommodate the silent auction and meal at a reasonable price. I have personally been asked about a picnic by a couple of members. As a result, I am looking into that option and hoping to put together a picnic on either the second weekend in November or the first or second weekend in December. We will notify you as soon as plans have been made.

You should have received emails regarding two board positions: President and Director. Both positions will become vacant as of April 1. Please consider joining the board. Seven years ago, while at Meet the Breed in Orlando, I agreed to take on the Treasurer position. Since I am an accountant/CPA by trade it was a no brainer. I held the position for 3 years and was approached to move into the President role when Ann McCormick termed out. I have met so many wonderful people as a result of being on the board and attending club events. Ultimately knowing the work benefits our wonderful breed makes it all worthwhile. Once again, please consider joining the board. I'd be happy to discuss the two roles with anyone who may have an interest.

Thank you for your membership and continued support

Cindy Jacuk  
President

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The Board of the SCWTCGTB would like to thank the following members and friends for donating to our Health, Murffy and/or Rescue funds.

And thanks to our other donors! You are all so much appreciated!

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## THERAPY DOG - ELVIS

On National Dog Day I put all my training to work . Mom and I had our first time as a Carrying Paws team with Baycare countryside hospital. Mom told me I could do this and I did! 84 people wanted to pet me. I have so much fun and gave out so many licks too. It's a good thing mom has good reflexes, I almost jumped in bed with one of the patients , mom caught me before I did . I get to do this again next Friday and every Friday, living up to my AKC registered name, Aingeal Eyes of Comfort and Joy.





## NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to the Soft  
Coated Wheaten Terrier  
Club of Greater Tampa  
Bay

Robert and Polly Knapp  
Santa Rosa  
Beach

Angela "Angie" and Marc  
Krebs  
Orlando



## CELEBRATING OUR SENIOR WHEATENS

**Scout Jacuk**  
**14 years young**



Scout celebrated his 14<sup>th</sup> birthday on 8/29/22. He has been an amazing family member and given us nothing but joy and happiness from day 1. He's starting to show his age but still looks forward to walks, treats, and an open window car ride. We couldn't have asked for a better fur kid!



## Celebration of Life Bentley Elliot



GCHS, CDN CH, Sho-well's Bree's Boy Toy, CGC "Bentley", left this world quietly overnight on June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Bentley would have been 15 years old on July 1st.

It is important for many to know that although Bentley carried both markers for PLN he lived a healthy life to 3 weeks short of turning 15 years old. His biggest health problem during his long life was a recurring yeast infection in his eye. Although Bentley hadn't lived with me for many years, I loved that boy so much and remained responsible for him until he crossed the Rainbow Bridge.

He was the Wheaten that started my journey into conformation and subsequent breeding program under the Airlé prefix - pronounced on-ya. (They are always on-ya). He was bred by founding club member, Marilyn Stowell and came to me as a pet at 8 weeks old. Jane Cook, another long-time club member and owner of Bentley's sire, CH Keepsake's The Chaz Singer, talked (read nagged - wink, wink) me into showing him when I didn't know one thing about dog shows. That first day, I showed up with my dog and Jane took him in the ring. That was also the first time I met Debie Scurr and Linda Hallas.

What was to be showing only at the Brooksville circuit in January of 2008 continued for a number of years and changed the course of my life to a world I didn't even know existed. Years later, Bentley's legacy continues through all the dogs I bred including two of the dogs that live with me today. Without "Mr. B", membership in SCWTCGTB wouldn't have happened, as well as the involvement I still have today in different clubs and Wheaten related activities.

Bentley was the start of it all and taught me many lessons along the way. Although those he sired, and the generations that followed had some wonderful wins, there are more important things he was responsible for - the long-time friendships and many new experiences that resulted from this journey would never have happened without him leading the way. As they say, ribbons fade, medals tarnish but memories and friendship last.

RIP, handsome boy, your legacy lives on both in and out of the conformation ring!

Pictured above, Bentley winning The Tampa Bay Terrier Club show and Sassy winning Best Puppy. The only time our Club took both top spots. Sassy was bred by Club member Helen Fraguera and owned by club members Walter and Barbara Bates. Sadly, both Walter and Barbara are no longer with us.

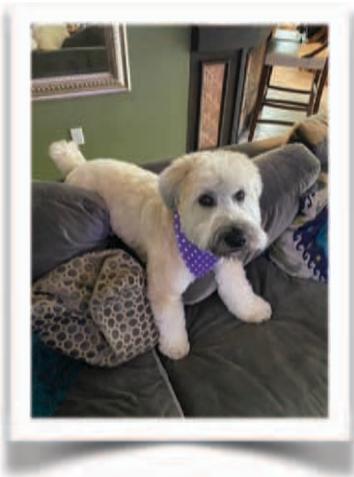
If I can leave you with one thought, you joined the SCWTCGTB because of your love for your Wheaten. Get involved, participate, and let your dog take you on a journey in the wheaten world that may be on varying levels for everyone but guarantees to open new doors and friendships for both you and your four-legged best friend(s) - a wonderful legacy for you and your wheaten that you will look back on with wonderful memories.

# RESCUE REPORT

LOVE  
RESCUED ME

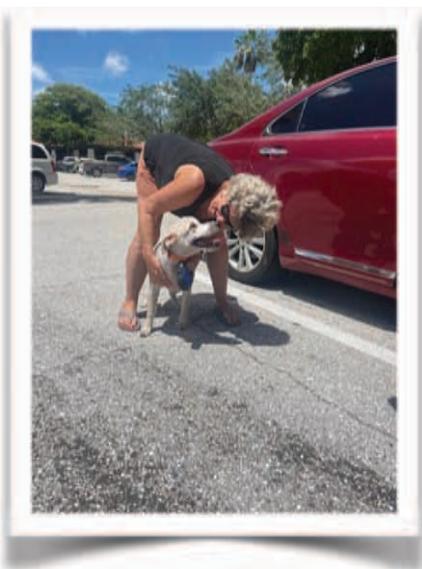


The young Wheaten mix Kiki fostered by the Nelson's went to her forever home at the beginning of June. A very nice home....mother and son in Northport.



Two year old Watson in Sarasota belonged to a very busy family with 4 kids and no time for him. His world was the inside of a crate. Thanks to Jeanne Jessup for meeting the owner and holding on to him for a couple of days. Watson went to a fabulous home in Orlando - Angie and Marc Krebs. They adopted a juvenile delinquent SCWT from us a few years ago and he is now a therapy dog, does rally, barn hunting and the like. They turned him around with lots of love and training.

Six year old Henry from Jacksonville was fostered by Jody in Jax for two weeks. Henry's family had a busy family life and no time for him. He went to a great couple in Punta Gorda the beginning of July. Henry is smiling all the time now.



August arrived and things popped! Three year old Norbert, now Jimmy, came from a lady in Pompano Beach who had been a stay at home mom, but had to go back to work. No time for Norbert - we see this reason for giving up a dog over and over. Jimmy has been adopted by our very own Jeanne Jessup in Vero Beach and boy, has he hit the doggie jackpot! We call Jeanne's home Shady Pines because she has adopted and cared for so many seniors from us over the years.

We found eight year old Coco from Lutz on Craigslist. Luckily the family agreed to go through us. Sue DeLaRosa in Oldsmar is fostering Coco and reports that she is a sweet dog who is starting to relax and gain some confidence. Coco was not current on any of her medical needs, so she needs some vetting.



Five year old Millie in Hernando was dearly loved by her people. However, the husband developed some medical issues, and they were unable to care for her properly. Thanks to Jody for meeting the owner and taking sweet Millie to her new home in Jacksonville, a widower who was more than ready for a canine to love.

Currently we have two dogs that need homes. Two year old Daisy came from NJ. She was turned into the Humane Society in Tallahassee who contacted us. Jan Dobson in Tally is coordinating everything with Daisy. Daisy is a great dog but she is reactive with other dogs and needs a quiet home with a fenced yard. Look for Daisy on our Facebook page.



Ten year old Maddie in Longboat Key needs a home. Her owner tells us that she is an amazing, sweet dog but she has developed an aversion to her Yorkie. Maddie needs a home with no other dogs, cats, or young children. If you are interested in adopting this lovely senior contact Melissa Nelson.

We don't know if August is a harbinger of things to come, but it has been the busiest month since the pandemic started! Thanks again to all of you who kindly support our Rescue in many ways.

Hug your Wheatens, everyone!!

**Melissa Nelson**  
**Rescue Co-coordinator**





# SHOW RESULTS

**GCHB CH Adako Villanova Deja Vu**

**"Miss Boo"**

July 2022

Ranked as of 7/31/22 #1 Bitch All Breed

#2 Bitch Breed

Breeders: Brittany Phelps and

Ray and Melissa Pickett

Owner: Linda Robison



**GCHB CH Cela Blue Moon**

**"Archer"**

July 2022

Ranked as of 7/31/22 #5 Wheaten Breed

and All Breed

Breeders: Michele Lomax & Peggy Gardner

Owner: Linda Robison



## SCWTCGTB CONTRIBUTORS

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Jody Greene

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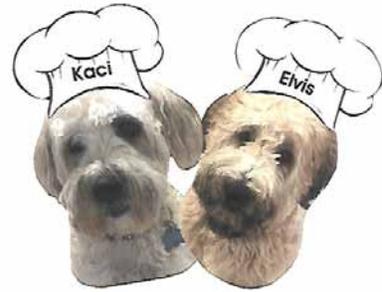
Debie Scurr

Ann McCormick

Lois Hiers

# IN THE KITCHEN

## KACI & ELVIS



### Four Ingredient Blueberry Cookies

#### Ingredients:

- 2 tablespoons coconut oil
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup whole wheat flour (or the flour of your choice)
- 1/2 cup blueberries

#### Directions:

- Preheat oven to 350 degrees F
- Combine all ingredients
- Form into dough 1/2 inch thick
- Cut out your favorite shapes
- Bake for 15 minutes

Allow to cool before serving.



**Taste tested and approved!**

### Blueberry Pup-sicles

#### Ingredients:

- Plain (unflavored and unsweetened Greek Yogurt
- Fresh, frozen or freeze-dried blueberries

#### Directions:

- Mix ingredients together
- Pour into popsicle molds
- Let freeze 3-4 hours or until frozen

Recipes submitted by  
Gail Cox, Kaci & Elvis



# SCWTGTB AWARDS 2021

By Ann McCormick, Awards  
Chairman

Dogs who complete titles during the previous calendar year are recognized when their owners submit information in response to our call for award submissions.

GCH Sandcastle's Princess Of Far, Far  
Away  
Earned her DCAT in fastcat on  
2/26/2021  
Fiona is owned and bred by  
Sherri Kase-McKenzie



GCH Sandcastle's Princess Of Far, Far  
Away DCAT  
Also earned her Barnhunt Senior  
RATS title on 4/4/2021



Sandcastle's Buzzard's Bay  
Earned his CH 2/28/2021



Buzz is owned by Sherri Kase-McKenzie, Cathie and Jack Firestone,  
Bred by Sherri Kase-McKenzie



Sandcastle's JunkInTheTrunk  
Earned her CH 4/9/2021



Penelope is owned by Ricky Owen,  
Brian Gossett and  
Sherri Kase-McKenzie  
Bred by Sherri Kase-McKenzie



Leaping Leprechaun's Queen's Legacy  
Earned her CH 6/2/2021



St Brigid is owned & bred by Ricky  
Owen & Sherri Kase-McKenzie



Sandcastle's Aingeal Eyes Of Comfort  
And Joy  
Earned his TKN 5/25/2021



Elvis is owned by Gail and Richard  
Cox

Bred by Sherri Kase-McKenzie



CH Sandcastle's Surf's Up Bro  
Earned his BCAT on 3/6/2021



Brodie is owned by Bonnie and Roy  
Brees and Sherri Kase-McKenzie  
Bred by Sherri Kase-McKenzie



Trinity's Par Ti All Along The  
Watchtower



Earned his CH on 9/24/2021

Dylan is owned by Terry Fein  
Bred by Michelle and Raymond  
Serafin



Members of SCWTCGTB who own and/or bred these dogs will receive a brass plate with the dog's registered name, new title, and date earned, to hang on their congratulatory plaque. Those for whom this is a first award will also receive their plaque. Congratulations to all of you on your achievements.

## Meet Daisy



### FOSTER and FUREVER HOME NEEDED

She urgently needs a soft place to land so she can decompress and learn to feel comfortable. We are looking for a temporary foster and a furever home for this 2-yr old girl.

Daisy is a purebred wheaten -- spayed, crate trained, house trained, and loves people. She is unsure and gets overly excited around other animals. She is sensitive to loud noises and needs a calm home with no dogs, no cats, a fenced yard and no small children. For more information about Daisy, please contact Rescue Coordinator Melissa Nelson at 305-297-8956 or [Wheatenrescuemia@gmail.com](mailto:Wheatenrescuemia@gmail.com).



#### NEWSLETTER DEADLINES

Photos of adorable Wheatens  
Articles for future newsletters  
Brag

Senior Wheatens (13 yo or older)

Celebrations of Life

Show Results

Performance Results

Litter Announcements

Rescue updates

**Next Newsletter Deadline**

November 30, 2022

All brags and show results must have occurred between  
September 1 and November 30, 2022!

Email Debie at [flwheaten@gmail.com](mailto:flwheaten@gmail.com) with your information!