

# Sunshine Schnauzers



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## CFMSC Upcoming Events or meetings:



### Shows, Matches and Other Events Held in Florida

- Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> Brooksville (Pam Joy Douglas) 6<sup>th</sup> (Charlotte Patterson) 7<sup>th</sup> (Judith Franklin) 8<sup>th</sup> (Merle Taylor)
- Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> Ocala (Sally Baugniet) 13<sup>th</sup> (James Frederiksen) 14<sup>th</sup> (Louise Harris) 15<sup>th</sup> (Robert Naun)
- Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> Naples (James Wright) 22<sup>nd</sup> (Cindy Vogels)
- Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> Arcadia (Robert Moore) 29<sup>th</sup> (Joe Purkhiser)
- Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> Miami (Lenora Riddle) 4<sup>th</sup> (Ed Birin) 5<sup>th</sup> (Carole Beattie) 6<sup>th</sup> (Norman Patton)
- Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> Orlando (David Ojalvo) 12<sup>th</sup> (Dennis McCoy) 13<sup>th</sup> (Enrique Filippini)

The 2010 AKC/Eukanuba National Championship will be held in Orlando

### Welcome New Members:

- Carole Reid, 1564 NW Spruce Ridge Dr., Stuart, FL 34994  
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### Ask the Judges

What do you believe is the biggest fault you see when judging our breed?

Carole Weinberger says the biggest fault she sees in the Miniature Schnauzers that she judges is poor front assembly. "I'm not certain everyone understands correct front assembly and how important it is to movement and outline."

*Carole Weinberger*

### Grooming Tips

The Furminator brand is fabulous for getting undercoat out of a stripped or rolled coat.

*Amy Gordon*



If you dog's beard is "red"...give 1/8th tsp of TYLAN powder daily in food...makes SUPER WHITE BEARDS

*Susan Hersee*

**Chagas Disease**

Some breeders in South Texas are starting to see Chagas disease in their dogs. Chagas disease is caused by a protozoan parasite called *Trypanosoma cruzi*

The protozoan infects humans and animals through an insect called a "kissing bug" (or "assassin bug"). The disease can be seen in dogs and humans and initially causes flu like signs (fever, headache), which can progress to heart failure over a long period of time.

In the U.S. dogs, opossums and armadillos are most likely to carry the protozoan that causes Chagas' disease.

Many other animals can serve as carriers (or reservoirs), including cats, rabbits, raccoons, and rodents. Generally, dogs are the only animals that show signs of disease.

Humans can also get Chagas disease through contact with the kissing bug. People with Chagas' disease will have fever, loss of appetite, fatigue, swelling at the "kissing bug" bite site and swollen glands or lymph nodes. The bug usually bites around the eye.

If you suspect you or your dog has symptoms of Chagas Disease. Contact your physician or veterinarian immediately.

*Jana King*

**Pilot's and Paws Jim Matthews Holding a very pregnant Keri**



Keri is a 3 year old beautiful black Schnauzer who came into rescue just days from giving birth. She had been tied up outside most of her life and when she became pregnant, she was dropped at the pound. She was scheduled to be euthanized puppies and all. A Pilot from a new program called Pilot's and Paws flew to Panama City to get her. When we picked her up from the airport, she was already in labor. Carole Weinberger graciously offered for me to stay with her so that she could whelp this litter of pups.

Labor was risky for Keri because she has a strong case of heart worms. She pulled through and delivered nine healthy puppies. The pups appear to be from at least three different fathers. It was a terrific learning experience for me having never been present for the birth of puppies. Seeing the kindness and compassion that Carole showed this little Schnauzer, was very inspiring. The outpouring of support from the club was incredible. Joe Wake docked tails, removed dewclaws, and is giving vaccinations at cost. Flo Bessemer sent puppy supplies, overnight to Carole's house. I have received many calls and emails from members checking on the puppies and wishing them well. Keri's puppies were all adopted to well screened homes at 10 – 12 weeks of age. Thank you to all who helped and wished us well.

*Jana King*



**Central Florida Miniature Schnauzer Club**

**Members of the American Miniature Schnauzer Club**



***Congratulations!***

*Royalcourt Black & Chrome* International Thai Champion, born May 2008 is sired by Ch Destineez Texas Ranger (Travis); his dam is Ch Royalcourt Topsy Turvey Doll; his breeders are Gloria Lewis and Jackie Ebersbach. Chrome was sent in Oct 2008 to his new owner Ben Teoh of Malaysia and has since achieved seven best puppy/best junior in show in Thailand and two best puppy/best junior in show in Malaysia. Chrome has done this at every show he has entered. Chrome has returned to the US to stay with Gloria and achieve his AKC championship. Chrome represents the 5th generation of Royalcourt show dogs!!!



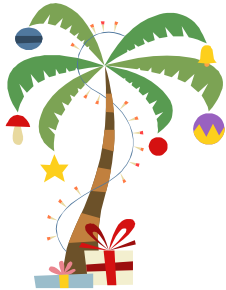
***Note to Dog:***

If the humans bring a large tree into the house and cover it with lights and decorations. Bizarre as this may seem to you, it is an important ritual for humans, so there are some things you need to know: For instance, don't pee on the tree... don't drink water in the container that holds the tree... If there are packages under the tree, even ones that smell interesting, don't rip them open... And, don't chew on the cord that runs from the funny-looking hole in the wall to the tree. That is a particularly important 'don't'.

*Ch. Savanas My Move Busta*

October 2, 2009  
 Hatoboro Dog Club  
 Wright's Town, PA  
 Award of Merit





Carole Weinberger has graciously offered to host our holiday party again this year!

Mark your calendar for Saturday, December 12<sup>th</sup>.

**News!**

Sheila Marks has been appointed Delegate to AKC from The Lakeland - Winter Haven Dog Club.

Jackie Ebersbach has a new home address and new email address:  
 Saxony Miniature Schnauzers  
 424 45<sup>th</sup> Street,  
 West Palm Beach, Florida 33407  
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**Update on 2010 National Roving Specialty**

Please book your rooms for the show. Our host hotel, Comfort Inn, will accept discounted reservations up until February 11, 2010.

## American Miniature Schnauzer Club

### Roving National "TropiCasual" Specialty

March 12-14, 2010  
 South Florida Fairgrounds – West Palm Beach, Florida

**Thursday, March 11, 2010**  
 3:00-4:00 p.m. - Dental Seminar by Dr. Jan Bellow - Comfort Inn  
 4:00-6:00 p.m. - Breeders Seminar – AMSC – Comfort Inn  
 6:00 p.m. - Welcome Party hosted by CFM5C (finger foods provided/ beverages for purchase)

**Friday, March 12, 2010**  
 Everglades Terrier Club – Judge Barry Day (UK)  
 6:30 p.m. - AMSC Board Meeting - Comfort Inn  
 Lunch hosted by CFM5C *in grooming area*

**Saturday, March 13, 2010**  
 Central Florida MSC Specialty held w/Palm Beach Dog Fanciers Assn.  
 Judges: Sweeps - Hilde Haakenson – Reg. - Lynda Berar (Canada)  
 Lunch hosted by CFM5C *in grooming area*  
 CERF/Heart Clinics offered at show  
 6:30 p.m. – "Welcome to Margaritaville" Buffet Banquet – Palm Beach Sail Club. Details tba

**Sunday, March 14, 2010**  
 AMSC Roving National Specialty held w/PBDFA All Breed Show  
 Judges: Sweeps - Carma Ewer - Reg. - Marcia Feld  
 Lunch hosted by CFM5C *in grooming area*

**Plan to Attend!**

*3 shows – 1 Location*

Host Hotel - Comfort Inn  
 1901 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd.  
 West Palm Beach, FL  
 (561) 689-6100  
*Make your reservations early!*

*Awesome, one-of-a-kind raffle!  
 Grooming table, custom designed wickets, terrier custom made quilt and much much more!! Tickets go on sale this fall.*

For more details, visit the AMSC website ([www.amsc.us](http://www.amsc.us)), contact Gloria Lewis (Show Chairman) @ 561-697-9634 / 561-310-9838 or email her at [glorialewis@bellsouth.net](mailto:glorialewis@bellsouth.net)

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