



# Capital City Cocker Club

And

## Eye Care for Animals of Annapolis, MD



Announce the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual

## CCCC All-Breed Eye Clinic

with Jennifer Hyman MA, VMD, DACVO

(Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Ophthalmologists)

**Sunday December 14, 2008**

**10 AM to 3 PM**

*In the interest of breeding better dogs genetically, all breeding stock should be examined and cleared annually by a VETERINARIAN OPHTHALMOLOGIST to continue in any breeding program. Inherited eye anomalies are not always detected with the "naked eye" or by your veterinarian.*

The examination covers almost all portions of the eye. Depending on the breed and age of the dog, the following diseases can be detected:

1. Cataract (opacity of the lens), especially the genetic type in many breeds especially in: Spaniels, Retrievers, Siberians, and Schnauzers\*
2. Progressive retinal atrophy, a serious blinding disease, especially in: Poodles, Spaniels, Retrievers, Siberians, and Schnauzers\*
3. Retinal dysplasia, an abnormal development of a portion (or all) of the retina, especially in: Cockers, Springers, Labs, Goldens, and Corgis.
4. Retinal folds, (a less serious problem than Retinal Dysplasia) in: Cockers, Springers, Labs, Goldens, Corgis, and Samoyeds.
5. Persistent pupillary membrane, occurs in all breeds, but is most important in: Corgis, Basenjis, and English Cockers.
6. Collie eye anomaly, a birth defect in: Collies, Shelties, and Aussies.
7. Corneal dystrophy, especially in Siberians.

\* many other breeds and problems

The exam is a general eye exam, which can also detect non-genetic abnormalities and problems. However, it is not a medical examination for existing problems; it is a screening exam for dogs who may enter the breeding arena.

**FEES:**            1 dog \$35.00            2+ dogs \$30.00 each  
(includes CERF forms)

**NEW LOCATION:** Catoctin Kennel Club Training Building  
4016 Rock Hall Road  
Point of Rocks, MD 21777

See reverse for directions

**APPOINTMENTS:** Call Terri Pascal after 12:00 noon at (301) 608-0947 for appointments as soon as possible, and no later than Thursday December 11, 2008.

**PLEASE arrive at least 30 minutes in advance of your appointment so that dogs' eyes may be dropped. Be sure to bring all necessary information on dogs to be examined; i.e. registration and permanent ID information, etc.**

## Directions to Catoctin Kennel Club Training Building

Website info and map: <http://www.catoctinkennelclub.org/Location.htm>

Directions **From I-70**: take US Rt 340 & 15 South from Frederick towards Leesburg & Harpers Ferry; take US 15 South to Point Of Rocks/MD Rt 28 (flashing yellow light immediately before Potomac River Bridge); turn left onto Rt 28 and go approximately 1 mile and turn right onto Rock Hall Rd. (immediately after RR); site is one story building on left.

Directions **From Washington I-270**: follow signs for Rt 340 to Rt 15 South and follow as above.