

## **NEW MEMBERS AND REINSTATES – NOVEMBER 2019 .. FOR 2020 MEMBERSHIP YEAR**

### **New Members**

#### **USA**

**AZ Ellen Franklin**, 19803 N 71 st Ave., Glendale, AZ, 85308, 623.523.3138,  
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Sponsor: Karen Thomas (AZ) Has known applicant for how long and under what circumstances?  
2 years-mentoring and dog shows

Sponsor: Jenny Satyavlu (AZ) Has known applicant for how long and under what circumstances?  
2 years-mentoring and dog shows.

#### Occupation

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? Because I want to be an active participant in bettering the collie breed and because I love the breed.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: I bought a collie puppy and showed up at a show and met all the other collie people and they showed me what I needed to do.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 1 Bitches? 3 Altered? Do you own any other breeds?

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 1 Collie litters? 1

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? No

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs and offices held. Norther Arizona Collie Fanciers

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? I am willing to help with anything if I can

**CA-S Steven Tamae**, 2937 Winlock Rd., Torrance, CA, 90505, 310.720.8594,  
triumphsteven@gmail.com

Sponsor: Cindy Weiner-Robinson (CA) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? Have

known Stevie since birth. Have watched him over the years at shows with his mom & grandma. Watched him in juniors

as well as breed ring. Great with dogs & always willing to help.

Sponsor: Heather Newcomb (CA) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? I have known Steve since he was born. We have been showing together with my daughter for years. He is a lovely young man and loves his collies.

Occupation Student

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? I was a junior member of the CCA doing junior showmanship. I am interested in becoming a member now that I have aged out.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: My mother and grandmother showed collies and took me to shows often.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 1 Bitches? 2 Altered? 0 Do you own any other breeds? No

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 1 Collie litters? 1

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? No

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. N/a

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? Carrying stuff, help set up.

**FL Patti Ann Swanson**, 275 Flamingo Rd., Venice, FL, 34293, 941.893.8901,  
pattiswanson29@gmail.com

Sponsor: Gail Currie (FL) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 1 year. Interviewed with me as possible puppy purchaser (parent) & about joining local collie club which she is in process of.

Sponsor: Connie DuBois (FL) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? Member of Greater Tampa Bay Collie Club in good standing 1 year

Occupation: Semi-retired

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? My entire adult life I have dedicated to collies as being important members of my family. I strive to learn, educate, promote and assist anything I can to help the breed that holds my heart.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: My mother, long since passed was a breeder of collies. She did obedience and conformation, which is where I learned juniors, and my early love of animals and this beautiful, intelligent breed.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 3 Bitches? 1 Altered? 0 Do you own any other breeds? No

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? No

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Just applied to Greater Tampa Bay Collie Club

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? Some computer skills, artistic, helpful.

**IL Elisa Ellis**, 668 S. Cannon Ave., Kankakee, IL 60901, 815.933.2726, 815.263.7726, elliselisa162@yahoo.com

Sponsor: Carol Steiner (IL) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? I met Elisa at a dog show and have been friends now for five years. Very loving dog owner.

Sponsor: Misti Labs (IN) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? I have known Elise since 2013 when purchasing a collie from me. She continues to provide a loving home for her collie while doing obedience & therapy work.

Occupation: Teacher

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? I want to be a member of CCA because I have fallen in love with this wonderful breed. It is my hope to show as much unconditional love to others as these dogs give every day.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: I grew up with Kay a beautiful sable and white collie who was my canine "babysitter". I now have Andrew who is a Ch. sired collie that is an exceptional T.D.I. dog. He is the love of my life.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 1 Bitches? 1 Altered? 1 Do you own any other breeds? No

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? No Performance events? Obedience

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. I'm not a member of any other clubs

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? I enjoy writing and am comfortable with public speaking. I also sing and play the flute.

**MI Joe and Cindy Fraga**, 1270 Kempster, Lake Orion, MI, 48362, 248.693.7105,  
camf@comcast.net

Sponsor: Michael Garner (MI) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? For 2 year as a member of Greater Brighton Collie Club and have been at many shows at the same time.

Sponsor: Kyle Musselman (MI) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 2 years. She/they bought a dog from me. Showed and finished his championship

Occupation: Banker/claims

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? For the knowledge, experience & mentorship of the collie breed.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: Helen Gill mentor but owned collies over 30+ years

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 2 Bitches? Altered? Do you own any other breeds? Currently 2 dogs, but they are #6 & 7

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? Yes

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Greater Brighton Collie Club

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA?  
Computer

**MI Barbara Jean and Terry Hanson**, 2651 Pinch Hwy, Charlotte, MI, 48813, 517.444.1443, 517.543.5484, [bananafight@att.net](mailto:bananafight@att.net)

Sponsor: Kyle Musselman (MI) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? I've known Jeannie & Terry for several years. They have three of my collies. Great people. Co-own one of my bitches w/me.

Sponsor: Theresa Ballantine (Sutter) (MI) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? A couple years through Kyle Musselman and dog shows.

Occupation: Teacher/chef

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? To promote and support the Collie. Special interest in therapy dog work.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: I owned and showed 2 collies as a young teen. Fell in love with the breed as a kid

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 0 Bitches? 3 Altered? 2 Do you own any other breeds? No

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? No Performance events? Want to start obedience work

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. None

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? I am an established artist (Art Teacher)

**MI Sarah Koster**, 9984 E. Jones Rd., Bellevue, MI, 49021, 317.376.9809,  
koster4christ@gmail.com

Sponsor: Karen Weber (IN) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 1 ½ years-I have been their mentor (mom & Junior)

Sponsor: Cindi Turner (MI) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 5 months. We met at a dog show

Occupation Stay at home mom

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? To learn more about the breed standard and health, to be able to better the breed not only through education, but also through breeding

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: We bought our first collie in 2014 after 2 years of research. Fell in love, went to Indiana Collie Club Show, met Karen Weber in 2017 and have been learning under her wisdom.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 3 Bitches? 1 Altered? 2 Do you own any other breeds? Yes (1) mini Schnauzer

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? Yes

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Indiana Collie Club (2017-2018, in process of becoming mbr of Greater Brighton CC, CHF mbr 2018

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? I can do basic Word, Excel, email on the computer: not sure what else to say, to be honest

NE **Gary Newsham**, 1504 County Road 45, Fort Calhoun, NE, 68023,  
[plainsman023@hotmail.com](mailto:plainsman023@hotmail.com)

CCA Member: 1995 - 2007

Sponsor: Lily Russell (IA) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 14 years. I have known Gary through Collie Specialties & (National included) & all breed shows. He is a conscientious breeder exhibitor of multiple champions. He takes the health issues of the Collie seriously & is a member of the Collie Health Foundation. I think he will be an asset to the club.

Sponsor: Michelle Struble (IA) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 20 years. Met Gary at Nebraska CC show in 1999. He has owned very nice collies and has studied the breed for years. We currently co-own collies together and he is a very good "dog person" in all areas.

Occupation: Retired

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? To further my knowledge of collies

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: Carolyn Foreman

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 3 Bitches? 2 Altered? 0 Do you own any other breeds? Yes, Cavalier King Charles Spaniel

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 1 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events?

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Nebraska Kennel Club-President, Board Member, Chief Ring Steward, Honorary Lifetime member

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA?  
Stewarding organization

**OH** **Lisa Pyman**, 7094 W. Camper Rd., Genoa, OH, 43430, 810.516.8597,  
pymancollies@yahoo.com

Sponsor: Lilah Williamson (OH) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 10 years. As a friend, exhibitor, club member & she shows my dogs.

Sponsor: Laura Barnes (MI) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 10 years or more. Dog shows in Michigan, now good friend.

Occupation: Customer service

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? To keep learning more about the breed and stay on top of current topics.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: My mom and to be around others who want to better the breed.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 2 Bitches? 2 Altered? 1 Do you own any other breeds? Yes, pit bull and cocker spaniel

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 2 Collie litters? 2

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? No

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Toledo Collie Club

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? n/a

**PA** **Marcell Spohn Wright**, 121 Woodlawn Ave, Bedford, PA 15522, 814.285.8440,  
missyspohn@hotmail.com

Sponsor: Rayleen Hendrix (TN) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? Met first she bought a dog from me then we became friends & over the years our friendship grew.

Sponsor: Jacque Bailey (TN) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? Have known her for a while. Met her through a mutual friend. Think she would be an asset to the club.



Occupation: Behavioral Specialist Consultant, retired

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? I'm interested in supporting the CCA because of my life long love for Collies. They've given me so much over the years and I'm in a position to give back to them.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: 56 years ago when my parents brought me home from the hospital, they had 2 tri collies. My mother used to show in the obedience as well as the confirmation ring. Then almost 30 years ago I met Rayleen Hendrix and was blessed to own a few of her dogs over the years. Her enthusiasm of collies is inspiring which is why I have asked her to be my mentor.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 2 Bitches? 2 Altered? 2 Do you own any other breeds? No

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? No Performance events? No

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. I am a member of the Collie Health Foundation. While working on my masters degree I became the president for our local chapter of International Sociology Honor Society

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? I'm not sure what you need but I would be willing to help. I'm comfortable with using computers, doing research and public relations, to name a few. I was also a judicial board member at Indiana University of Pennsylvania

**SC Cheryl Dunham**, 1143 Walhalla Hwy, Pickens, SC, 29671-9601, 941.468.8024, cheridan@live.com

Sponsor: Kate Hodges (SC) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? Have known Cheryl for over a year. Met at the Greenville Kennel Club which we are both members of.

Sponsor: Bobbie Fairbanks (SC) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? Have met and known applicant a short time as she joined Greenville Kennel

Club this past year and I am a long time member. She was a volunteer helper at the recent Greenville KC shows, so apparently does not mind working... She has a smooth Collie from Dru Deaton and is taking it to training classes. I discussed with her the importance only breeding very carefully. She and her husband formerly had Gordons.

Occupation: Retired

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? To learn more about Collies and to meet other collie fans.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: I have a 8 mo. Old smooth from Dew Deaton

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? Bitches? 1 Altered? Do you own any other breeds? Yes, Gordon Setters

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 3 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? Yes, Obedience, barn hunt, lure coursing, hunt tests

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Gordon Setter Club of America, Grtr., Atlanta Gordon Setter Club, Clemson KC, Greenville KC

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? No special skills, but am willing behind the scenes.

**SC Drew Deaton**, 402 Mcgee Rd., Anderson, SC, 29625, 864.940.6891,  
calidadekennels@gmail.com

Sponsor: Linda Ayers Turner Knorr (SC) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 4 years-met Drew at the AKC National Championship where he was working in our Meet the Breeds booth. He is a member of the Greenville Kennel Club where he just chaired our AKC RDO Day. He is a worker & strives to learn and better our breed.

Sponsor: Bobbie Fairbanks (SC) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances?  
1 year. Have met at Greenville Kennel Club activities, also CCA Nationals and other shows.  
Always a good worker.

Occupation: Groomer

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? Continuing Education

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: Saw them at a show and fell in love

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 0 Bitches? 2 Altered? 0 Do you own any other breeds? No

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 1 Collie litters? 1

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? No

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Clemson Kennel Club, Greenville Kennel Club

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? Any computer/marketing needs

**TX Roxane Jourdain**, 2500 Marketplace Dr. Apt 433, Waco, TX 76711, 318.507.4209,  
roxanejourdain@gmail.com

Sponsor: Tina Patterson (TX) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances?  
Known since Nov. 2018 when Roxane contacted about collies and membership. Breed mentor,  
breeder of Roxane's dog Matt. Members of the Fort Worth Collie Club and Collie Club of Austin.

Sponsor: Lea Bertsch (TX) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances?  
Known since Jan 2019. Members of the Collie Club of Austin. Co-breeder of Roxane's dog.  
Show mentor

Occupation PHD student/researcher in organic chemistry

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? I have been involved in collies and am showing my boy. CCA has a lot of resources. My 1yr smooth is working on his GCH and has won a couple BOV's, Also Q's in RN.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: Heard of them on internet (r/dogs subreddit) and met them in person at a show. Got in contact with my current mentor/breeder after that.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 1 Bitches? Altered? Do you own any other breeds? Yes, mixed breed (Mountain cur x Aussie x etc

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? Yes

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Collie Club of Austin: Vice President (2019), Fort Worth Collie Club: Secretary (2019)

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? Photoshop, illustrator, literature research, science (mostly medical chemistry), education, outreach, photography

**TX Kristin Brooke Parma**, PO Box 626, Adkins, TX, 78101, 541.221.9372, kparma@texas-wildlife.org

Sponsor: Denise Williamson (LA) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 3 years, collie groups, agility, shows

Sponsor: Tina Patterson (TX) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? 3 years, collie events & agility trials

Occupation Membership coordinator (Texas Wildlife Association)

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? I support CCA and want to further represent collies in competitive AKC sports. I currently show my AKC collie in agility, obedience, and herding.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: My family has had collies for decades & my aunt bred in the 70's. I grew up with the breed and can't imagine life without one. Jane is my first collie as an adult.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? Bitches? Altered? 1 Do you own any other breeds? Yes, German Shorthair Pointer

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? No Performance events? Yes

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held.

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? Hobby photography.

**WA Debra Bohn**, 3732 SE Skyhawk Lane, Port Orchard, WA, 98367, 360.876.0327, tdbohn19@wavecable.com

Sponsor: Mary Griffith-Russell (WA) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? I have known Debbie for 1+yr-going to matches & dog shows. We practice Rally obedience & obedience together.

Sponsor: Michele Inman (WA) Has known applicant for how long & under what circumstances? Have know Debbie for about 2 ½ years through the training center where we both train our dogs. We also are both members of Overlake Collie Club

Occupation: Office Administrator

Why do you want to be a member of the CCA? Would like to learn more about Collies and possibly participate in local activities.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: My husband and I first owned a Sheltie and then when we moved & had more room, got a Collie. Have had 3 Collies over the past 28 years (one at a time). We love their personality & beauty.

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 3 Bitches? Altered? Do you own any other breeds? Not currently, previously owned a Sheltie

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters?

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? Yes

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. Overlake Collie Club (Tacoma, WA)  
no offices held

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA?  
Photography, computer skills including Excel, Quickbooks, digital graphic design (hobby)

### **Junior**

**MI Summer Koster**, 9984 E. Jones Rd., Bellevue, MI, 49021, 317.376.9809,  
koster4christ@gmail.com

DoB 29 January 2006 AKC# 1359126002

Parent or Guardian: Sarah Koster Is your parent or guardian a member of CCA? Membership application is presented in this communique

Why are you interested in joining the CCA as a junior member? I enjoy showing Collies and owning them. They are a great breed who I love showing and teaching others about as well. By joining the Collie Club of America, I hope to learn more about Collies and from other breeders who have been in the Collie world for longer than me.

Explain how you got started in Collies: My parents bought me my first Collie for 4H when I was 8 years old. His name is Koda and I fell in love with him and his breed, overall. After doing 4H for a couple of years, I asked my Mom if we could do real dog shows as well. After some research and reaching out to a mentor, this became a reality in 2017, thanks to Karen Weber

Who is your Mentor? Karen Weber, 5680 W. Beechwood Ln, New Palestine, IN 46163

Is your mentor a CCA member? Yes

Do you volunteer or belong to any club? I do 4H Dogs every year, volunteer under my Mom to help with dog sitting, grooming and care.

Besides handling in the ring, how do you bond with your dog: grooming, feeding, training, social activities, showing in performance

Sponsor: Karen Weber (IN) Explain why you are sponsoring this young person as an applicant to be a Junior Member of the Collie Club of America. She has a natural dog knowledge, and loves showing and doing performance. We need her!

Sponsor: Cindi Turner (MI) Explain why you are sponsoring this young person as an applicant to be a Junior Member of the Collie Club of America. Summer has a insatiable love for the knowledge of showing dogs & understanding everything about collies. She enjoys everything from conformation to performance with her collies.

District Director Helen Naum Gill (MI) Explain why you, as a DD or DAL, believe this young person will be a responsible Junior member of the Collie Club of America .. I have seen Summer groom and handle collies at local dog shows. She is an intelligent and bright young woman who would be an asset to our breed. (Summer has also WON handling Collies in the ring)

## **Reinstatement**

**USA**

**OH Catherine Crawford**, 744 Navajo Trail, Macedonia, OH, 44056, 216.408.8686  
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CCA Member: 1986 – 2007, & 2017

Occupation: Office manager

Why do you want to be reinstated as a member of the CCA? Club is a great organization. Would like to help upcoming events.

Explain what and/or who got you started in Collies: Albert Payson Terhune/Jim Jares-uncle showed German Shorthaired Pointers

Number of Collies owned. Dogs? 2 Bitches? 1 Altered? 1 Do you own any other breeds? No

Number of litters bred (all breeds) in past 5 years: 0 Collie litters? 0

Do you show your dogs in Conformation events? Yes Performance events? Yes

Have you ever sold dogs to a commercial outlet? No

Member of what local or national clubs & offices held. -

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from or refused membership in CCA, AKC, or any other dog club? No

What special skills (including computer) do you have that might be helpful to the CCA? Obedience/agility