...TO FOSTER AND PROMOTE THE STUDY OF AND RESEARCH ON THE PARTICULAR PROBLEMS OF COLLIES...

From the President, Robette Johns
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There are always so many things going on in our Collie community, that each year seems to go faster than the last. While I had hoped that testing with Wisdom Health would be simplified with their new website and including OptiGen in their operation, it is not. I believe their quality controls are the best, when compared to other labs, and Wisdom Health is highly respected among the research community. But, they may not be the cheapest. I will work hard to get our members the best cost subsidies that the Collie Health Foundation can afford.

At the time I write this, we are still waiting for Wisdom Health to get back to us with how we can work together to give our members the best prices on testing possible. The two tests not available as part of the Optimal Selection™ test are the DMS Risk Assessment and the rcd2-PRA tests. These tests will be transferred to a new lab from OptiGen but are not available at this time. There will be a different website for ordering these tests rather than the Optimal Selection website. Watch for a Facebook announcement and an email blast announcement once these tests are again available. I have asked for the maximum discount available on these tests. I also have asked for us to be able to handle the tests the same way we are handling the Optimal Selection™ testing with our members paying the difference between the cost and the cost subsidy. I don’t have firm answers on these two tests at this time. The Board will be voting on these cost subsidies (what we have called rebates in the past) in December.

In new news, CHF has been working with the Collie Club of America’s Breed Education Committee. Dr. Casey Knox, from Wisdom Health, will be the speaker for the 2020 Breed Education Seminar in Syracuse. Dr Knox has offered to manage an Optimal Selection collection clinic at the 2020 National too. We will need a few volunteers to help her so keep it in mind. We are planning another wonderful evening of education, good food, and entertainment with our live auction in Syracuse. We will have a lot more information available at the beginning of the year.

Fall 2019 marks the start of our election process. Our last Election Committee has agreed to serve again. Chair Ginny White and her committee members have spent the last two years trying to streamline our election process. There are a few
things I would like for anyone who runs for a position to keep in mind. The Collie Health Foundation is a charitable foundation, not a club or a business. People that volunteer and serve if elected have a fiduciary responsibility to the Collie Health Foundation and every donor. This means you need to participate in voting and in volunteering.

We need lots of help in the research studies taking place right now. If you can help with much needed samples, it might lead to a new genetic marker, gene modifier or some other great discovery. The projects are listed on page 14 of the newsletter.

Even those who don’t have the time to volunteer can still help the Collie Health Foundation in other ways. Anyone looking for gift ideas this holiday season, check the shop on our website. We have had people on Facebook raise money for their birthdays by suggesting donations to the Collie Health Foundation. What a great idea! Thank you! Considering adding the Collie Health Foundation to your will. We have been lucky enough to have a couple of large bequests to the Foundation. One of these bequests has been earmarked as the Martha E. Hoffman CHIC DNA Banking project. This project fulfills an important original purpose for the Collie Health Foundation founders when we were incorporated thirty-three years ago.

Lastly, I hope your holiday season brings you great joy, lots of Collie kisses and time with family by a warm fire.

Happy Holidays! 🎄🎁

-- Robette
SUNNYBANK, HOME OF LAD: A DOG

The Visit

I walk The Place as dusk settles into the trees, light slips over the lake, shadows form around the wisteria vines. I’ve come to see Sunnybank prior to tomorrow’s crowd of people and dogs. Perry, my Collie companion for thirteen years, and the puppies are with me. In youthful glee the youngsters run exuberantly, stretch legs and chase each other. Oblivious to who has come before, they race across the lawn in pure puppy now-ness.

My own steps slow with his, as Perry explores the grounds like a familiar guest. Do all Collies feel this comfortable here? Well-worn paths draw us to stones covering dusty bones of long dead heroes. Heroes of fur and teeth, courage and loyalty. The wind stirs treetops and whispers to us. I turn towards the grassy hilltop and imagine a house embraced by porches, smothered in vines. If Terhune were on that hillside, in shade of aging oaks and faded imprint of a home, would he recall his own memories of great hearts, wise eyes, and unspoken love?

As daylight fades, I remember stories of Lad, most loved. I rest my hand gently on the aging head beside me and know the same spirit lies within skin, bone, and heart of my own dog.

Where summerhouse once caught the lakeside breeze, we pause. One puppy, impatient with our progress, runs upward towards the clapboard shelter of bygone days, where toes twitched in sleep and minds dreamt of future exploits. Perhaps he thinks someone is there to greet him, but finding no one, hurries back to me.

-Marianne Sullivan
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Millknock’s Perry

The Visit, winner of the Essence of Sunnybank Essay Contest, September 2002, written by Marianne Sullivan, set the stage for this year’s celebration of the 100th Anniversary of Lad: A Dog and the Sunnybank House of 50 years ago.

Visitors at the 2019 Gathering took their own walking tour of the famous Sunnybank grounds stopping at the famous landmarks—the Evening Lookout, the Root Cellar, Champion Rock, the dog’s graves, the Sheep-nosed Tree, the Lily Pond and the Puppy Pen. The Terhune Sunnybank Memorial guides, experts in Sunnybank’s rich history provided details. Large display boards helped to visual Sunnybank as it once was.
Once gathered back under the tent, CHF welcomed special guest Passaic County Deputy Director, Freeholder Cassandra Lazzara, pictured to the left.

Not only is Sandi dedicated to the issues related to Passaic County but she is also a lifelong Terhune fan. She enjoyed going on the walking tour and meeting all the collie fans.

Terhune Sunnybank Memorial (TSM) Archivist, Kathryn George, began the morning program by reminding the audience how Terhune’s parents fell in love with the property, saved its wooded areas, and built their cottage overlooking the lake up on the hill. Kathy described Sunnybank House as a plain farmhouse structure in the Italian/Gothic Revival style. It was a simple cottage design but very inviting with small rooms, large leaded glass bay windows that let in the light and enhanced the view, a large fireplace, a music room, no bathrooms, and a big wraparound porch draped in wisteria to provide relief from the summer heat. This “simple” cottage didn’t stop the Terhunes from entertaining many famous visitors including Cecil B. DeMille and Bob Hope who danced on the veranda! It was also the perfect tranquil setting for Albert Payson Terhune to write.

Expert on the Sunnybank dogs, Kristina Marshall, provided details on the life of the dogs that lived here. Emphasis on the pups that were born on The Place was quality and character. APT relied heavily on the expertise afforded by his trusted kennel manager, Robert Friend, insisting on patience and common sense. The pups were born in the barn and, when old enough, socialized in the 30’ X 20’ Puppy Run. While puppies, pregnant dogs and nursing mothers were offered a mush of raw eggs, milk and bread, the older dogs were served bread, milk, bones and meat scraps—but no cooked chicken bones or potatoes! The Sunnybank pups were sold only to those without children and who didn’t live in the city. Cost? $75! Equivalent today is $1,500-$2,000.

Up next, TSM President, Judy Leathers, shared a heartwarming letter she had written to a friend back in July 1960. Her letter described her family vacation which included a visit to Sunnybank. As seen through the eyes of a young girl, she described Sunnybank and meeting Anice Terhune. She also shared her observations of the details she had noticed such as: trophies, collie statues, armor, weapons, and the goldfish in the pond. The Mistress was 86 at the time and proudly declared she had all her own teeth!

Judy also talked about the latest TSM projects. The grave markers for Albert Payson Terhune and Anice Terhune at the Pompton Reformed Church cemetery in nearby Pompton Lakes, NJ, were refurbished. And, there is a new Jack the Frog statue at the Lily Pond at Sunnybank.

Marilyn Horowitz continued the panel presentation with, “April 29th, 1969 was the blackest day in history for Sunnybank. It marked the day of the bulldozers.” Marilyn described getting a phone call at work on that day about the demolition. She felt helpless. There was nothing more she could do. The order had been given by the mayor who claimed it was unsafe for children and invited vandals. Despite the landmark’s literary and historical significance, the house was gone. But, Marilyn discovered that she was not alone. Angry fans from everywhere sent donations to save the nine acres left so that Sunnybank remained. Marilyn quoted her friend and Sunnybank Champion, Claire Leishman, “As long as we read his tales, The Place will remain in that place in our hearts!”

To celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Lad: A Dog, Kathleen Rais MacMurray’s presentation covered Terhune’s most famous book. His first dog book. Laddie died in 1918 and APT thought a book of his stories should be published. Despite his difficulty in getting someone to publish it, he finally convinced John Macrae of E. P. Dutton of its value. The publication of Lad: A Dog propelled his career in 1919 and cemented his fame. As first time visitor to Sunnybank, Gail Diedrichsen, Collie Rescue of Greater Illinois, Inc., reported: According to Kathleen, Terhune was a successful screenwriter and journalist. He had a friendship with a man by the name of Ray Long who was the editor of Redbook Magazine. He happened to be visiting his friend at
Sunnybank when Lad laid his head affectionately in Ray’s lap. Ray looked down at the collie and said to his friend, Bert, “I want you to write a story about Lad.” Fulfilling Long’s request, Terhune wrote the story we know today introducing the Master, the Mistress, Lad’s mate, Lady, and Sunnybank to the magazine’s many readers. His readers begged for more, so subsequently more Lad stories were published in Redbook. Eventually Terhune’s collection of Lad’s stories were compiled with the intention of publishing a book. Surprisingly, no publishing house seemed to be interested. Kathleen explained, “This was after The Great War. Nobody knew what was being read. It wasn’t for kids, and there didn’t seem to be a moral to the story.” When it looked as if Lad’s book would never come to fruition, his luck changed. The book caught the attention of John Macrae of E.P. Dutton Publishing. After all, Macrae was a good Scotsman, thus he appreciated the true to life stories of this loyal Scottish Collie, named Lad. Macrae’s instincts were spot on. Once published he claimed, “Lad is on a rampage, and cannot be stopped!” How right he was. So popular, in fact, Lad’s story was eventually adapted for the silver screen. Scholastics still prints the children’s edition of Lad’s story to this day.

Kathleen posed the question: “Why was this book so popular and why has its popularity continued for a century?” Answering her own question, she gave her explanation, “This was Terhune’s best writing because he was writing about what he loved... Lad and Sunnybank. The book’s human characters are in the background. They don’t really have names other than, Master and Mistress, and they remain a mystery. They are like the cutouts at the fair where there are no faces, only holes so that we can put our faces in the opening to become the character. Terhune does this. We put our faces in. It hits us in a deep place, and it becomes very personal even after 100 years.”

To celebrate Lad’s 100th Anniversary, Kathy George created this beautiful poster. The design was printed on souvenir t-shirts and calendars with a special design just for the Sunnybank jar candles. Souvenirs are still available on the CHF website, www.coliehealth.org.

Another special guest, Alan Fausel, Executive Director of the AKC Museum of the Dog, joined us to share the wonderful treasures to be found at the museum. A bucket list must for anyone visiting the New York area.

After lunch, Collie Rescue of Northern New Jersey’s Ava-Grace Hahn, along with her Mom, Karyn Hahn and Shannon Schrier proudly introduced the participants in the 2019 Rescue Parade. Ava-Grace read each rescue story as the dogs and owners entered the ring and Shannon gently placed a medallion around each dog’s neck.

Medals donated by CRNNJ were awarded to 34 entries from around the country, including photos of 8 of them who could not make the long trip. Eight of these collies were placed by CRNNJ.
From Karyn: “All of us at CRNNJ are honored to host the Rescue Parade every other year. It warms my heart to see the adopted collies get their moment in "the ring". The pictures of the collies who weren't able to make the trip are very special as well. Their owners are so proud and they clearly love their collies with their whole hearts. Shannon did an outstanding job placing the ribbons on them when they returned. Her love for them all was so easy to see - almost tangible. Looking forward to 2021!”

Later on, in tribute to the Terhune’s artistic abilities, the Collie Health Foundation hosted “Catch the Spirit.” Attendees enjoyed an afternoon of crafts and creativity under the main tent. Hosted by Kristina Marshall, Heidi Wirtner, and Denise Glova, and joined by Jen Massi, participants tried their hand at story writing, poetry, painting, decoupage using vintage Sunnybank prints, and even spinning collie hair! Each person got to take home their finished artwork as souvenirs.

Back in 2013, a tradition was started to honor special people who do things “just for the collie.” Collie Health Foundation established the Noah Award. Deserving recipients don’t look for recognition but just make things nicer for all of us. Noah is the CHF logo mascot. He also “made things nicer”. Noah was born at Camloch Collies with a serious heart defect and was not expected to live. But he fooled everyone by growing up and showing he had a really big heart. He took it upon himself to leash break all the puppies that came along and teach them how to behave. What better example of CHF’s mission than to have Noah leading the next generation to a healthier life!

The Noah award recognizes this same heart in us. Earlier winners were Leigh Cohen 2013; Les Canavan 2014; Kathy George 2015, Susie DeLorenzo 2016, Diane Mierz 2017 and Sue Chandler 2018. This year I’m proud to award the 2019 Noah Award to Robin Borck-Sturgis. Robin is the smiling face that greets you at the hostess table at the banquet dinner every Saturday evening as she has done for the past 10 years! Thank you and congratulations Robin!

Collie Day Sunday at Sunnybank began with the famous Virtues Match. New host, Carrie Lenhart of Marnus Collies fame introduced the judges: Ron Keller of Marnus, Judy Pitt of Kitleigh and Trish Blakely of Larkspur. These three collie experts worked together to find the collies with the best virtues. They searched for the best examples of a good outline, expression, profile, skull, muzzle, front, rear, and side gait. Here are this year’s winners.
Best Profile
#29 - Quilt by GCh. Creekwood Lochlomun
I’ll Be Damned x Creekwood Cindy Lou
Who b/o Robin Reed & Ginger Mehr

Best Muzzle
#22 - Lollipop by Ch. Donnybrooke’s Mallorca x Ch. Creekwood Hot Chocolate
bred by Robin Reed, Ginger Mehr, Dona & Taylor Williams and Elena Geldkop,
Owned by Robin Reed & Ginger Mehr

Best Skull
#14 - Excalibur’s Skye Blue Tiny Dancer by Ch. Excalibur’s Feel Like A Rock Star x Excalibur’s …? Bred By Bernie Noland
Owned by Johanna Lance & Bernie Noland

Best Front
#28 - Maddie by Countryview Rocket Man
x ??? b/o George Rohde

Best Junior Forrest Rosenberg with Ch. Creekwood Wilshire Against All Odds

The Lad Memorial Match was judged by Jeffrey Silverman Presley of Ballyhara and Steve Barger of Mainstay.

The Lad Match Alexander Frasier Draper Memorial Trophy
As we congratulate all the fine winners and thank everyone for coming to Sunnybank. We are already looking forward to next year when we will celebrate **Bruce: 2020 Hindsight!** Be sure to join us on August 15th & 16th.

Gerrie Oliver  
aka The Madam

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**Collie Health Foundation, Inc.**  
**Cocktails & Speaker – Dinner with Live Auction to Follow**

**Thursday April 2, 2020 – 6:00 PM - ????**

Marriott Syracuse Downtown - The Persian Terrace  
100 East Onondaga Street, Syracuse, NY 13202

Cocktails & Speaker 6:00 PM – Cash Bar

*Inherited Eye Diseases in Collies and other Canines*  
**Speaker: Sue Pierce-Kelling Manager of OptiGen a Division of Wisdom Health**

Introduction of CHF Officers, Board Members & Corportors 7:00 PM  
Announcement of the 2019 President’s Trophy Winner

Dinner 7:15 PM – Italian Buffet - Auction to follow  
- Salad & Bread  
- Cheese Tortellini and Marinara  
- Choice of Pasta & 2 Sauces  
- Meatballs & Gianelli Sausage  
- Chef’s Choice Dessert

$40 Per Person – Children Under 6 Free, 7 through 12 Reduced Price  
Reservations after January 1st


Mail Reservations with checks made out to CHF after January 1st to:  
Krista Hansen, CHF, 1525 Minkel Road, North Java, New York, 14113 assistanttreas@colliehealth.org

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF INFORMATION, COMRADEY, AND FUN, FUN, FUN!
Grant Update!

Andrea Fiumefreddo, MS, AKC CHF Programs Director, has provided progress reports on several AKC CHF grants the Collie Health Foundation has helped to fund:

Grant 02502: Precision Medicine for Canine Lymphoma
Principal Investigator: Nicola Mason, BVetMed; Research Institution: University of Pennsylvania
Grant Amount: $86,400

Original Project Description:
The clinical response of dogs with lymphoma to multi-agent chemotherapy is highly variable. Although up to 85% of dogs respond initially, some relapse within weeks, while others enjoy remission times of two years. This heterogeneity in clinical response is in part explained by the recognition that "lymphoma" is not a single disease entity, but consists of different subtypes that can be characterized on a molecular level by mutations in specific genes. As in human medicine, it follows that different lymphoma subtypes, driven by different molecular mechanisms, may respond better to therapies that are specifically selected to inhibit the driver mechanisms within that patient's tumor. Recent work using sophisticated genetic sequencing tools (next-generation sequencing (NGS)) has begun to shed light on the different molecular subtypes of canine B cell lymphoma, and specific therapies aimed at targeting patient-specific driver genes and pathways are being developed. To enable targeted therapies to move into the clinic, a personalized diagnostic tool must be developed that can rapidly and cost-effectively determine the mutational profile of a patient's cancer allowing selection of the most effective drug for that patient. The investigators aim to develop a NGS diagnostic test that can be employed on standard biopsy samples to identify molecular drivers of a patient's lymphoma (personalized diagnostics), enabling the most appropriate targeted therapy to be selected for that patient. In addition, they aim to determine whether specific mutational profiles within canine lymphoma identified by their NGS panel are predictive of clinical outcome.

Report to Grant Sponsor from Investigator:
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Welcome to the Family!

The Collie Health Foundation Welcomes the Following New Members

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New Member Club

Collie Club of Northeast Pennsylvania
Spring Brook Township, PA

Note: **indicates previous member…Welcome Back!
New Members – July 12, 2019 through November 15, 2019

Donations in Honor/Celebration/Memory/General Donations
July 12, 2019 – November 15, 2019

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Sharon Calahan
Susi Crowe
Judy Cummings
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Sue Decker
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Vernon & Lora Esch
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Kay & Elwin Goolsby
Rich & Bi Bi Hand
Robette & Stephen Johns
Pat Jung
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Marie Markovich
Nancy Marks
Shirley McAlear

In honor/celebration/memory of…continued

General Fund
In Memory of 2019 Deceased CCA Members
In Memory of Edith Berry
In Honor of Pati Merrill
In Memory of CH Barksdale Chasing Daylight and CH Barksdale Burning Daylight
In Memory of Edith Berry
In Memory of Legendhold Urgent Owl – Hedwig
In Thankfulness to Krissy Marshall for all she has done to help them find their perfect Collie
In Honor of my beautiful sweet rough collie Dream Chaser Chase
In Memory of McCauley, lovingly owned by Christine & Ted Podles
In Honor of all her Collies, past and present
In Memory of Edith Berry
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In Honor of the 6 members of the Egger’s Thundering Herding Group
General Fund
In Loving Memory of CH Marnus Clearing the Bases
In Loving Memory of Wyldrose Diamond in the Ruff CD RN HIC (ptd.)
In Memory of Edith Berry
In Memory of their dear friend, Sheila Nichols
In Memory of GCH Row-Bar's She's the One HT – Paris - lost before her 11th birthday to Lymphoma
In Memory of Bill Holbrook
In Honor of Jeannette Poling for going above & beyond in giving her Collies the best home & care
In Memory of Bill Holbrook
In Memory of Sue Kuechenmeister
In Memory of a great companion & producer of champions – CH Markos Quest for Gems ROM
In Honor of Nancy McDonald and Brenda Walker for their kindness
In Memory of Robbie – her special tri boy
Donor continued

Donations from Facebook Fundraisers celebrating Gail Currie’s birthday

Antje Alberda       Paula Dennis       Pati Merrill       Lin Roth
Larry Carsman       Mary Hunter       Marc Poirier       Karen Walker
Laurie Corbin       Robette Johns      Jeannette Poling

Donations from Facebook Fundraisers celebrating Doreen Ingrassia’s birthday

Borge G. Andreassen  Steve Fromsaac     Simona Fenini Leoni  Juliet Schuler
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Eileen Bator         Ana Goulet        Kristy Marie        David Shmerler
Cameron Batten       Joan Hamilton      Nan Marks            Christina de Sira
Denise Benjamin      Elisabeth Ladd Heacock  Pati Merrill      Susan K. Smith
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Michael Johnson
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Sandra Nigg
Amy Iozzino Nilson
Michael Nilson
Michele Lea O’Neil
Fran Peltz
Emily Pindell
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Lisa Soldato
Philip Strauss
Debbie Taylor
Nancy VanNote
Astrid Voitel
Ray Yeung

Celebrating Our Seniors!
July 12, 2019 through November 15, 2019

Dr. Glenn & Mrs. Susan Hurley
GCH Pleasant Acre Fond Regards – Abbey
DOB: 10/12/2010
Breeder: Mary Lee Shingle
Owner: Susan R. Hurley

Donna Walle
Bienville Lord of the Mist GCG HIC - Michael
DOB: 8/14/2008
Breeder/Owner: Donna Walle

Robette & Stephen Johns
Ch. Row-Bar's Dalamore Lacey HT - Lacey
DOB: 9/8/2008
Breeder: Robette & Stephen Johns
Owners: Robette Stephen Johns & Helene Robbins

Donna Walle
Bienville Winsome Spirit HIC - Misty
DOB: 8/14/2008
Breeder/Owner: Donna Walle

Donna Walle
Bienville Vibrant Spirt HIC – Duckie
DOB: 8/14/2008
Breeder/Owner: Donna Walle

Sue Webber
GCHG Laredo Here Comes The Sun RN - "Tucker"
DOB: 4/12/2006
Breeder/Owner: Sue Webber

Report on Rebates

From January 1 through November 15, 2019, CHF has issued rebates in the amount of $1,700 for CEA tests, $12,960 for DMS tests, $1,540 for MDR1 tests, and $2,650 for PRA tests. In addition, $969.75 was paid in rebates for CHIC DNA banking and $42,050 was paid in rebates for the Optimal Selection™ test by Wisdom Health. Finally, $825 was paid in rebates for x-rays submitted to OFA. In all, the Collie Health Foundation returned $62,694.75 in rebates to members! Keep up the good work. Let’s continue to make a difference through health testing!
Research Studies Need Volunteers

Dermatomyositis Modifier Study: Clemson University – Dr. Leigh Anne Clark
Collies that are 8 years old and older – DMS Genotype AA/bb & Collies with signs of DMS
Clemson will test any dog with signs of DMS for free. Please contact Sarah Murphy at
scmurphy@g.clemson.edu

Epilepsy Study: Clemson University – Dr. Leigh Anne Clark
Dr. Clark is looking for Normal controls for this study. Collies should be 8 years or older and 1) have no
sign of epilepsy and 2) have no relatives with epilepsy. Three generation pedigrees must be provided. Prefer
dogs that have had one owner and have lived indoors.

Dr. Clark needs epileptic Collies. Dr. Clark prefers a pedigree on the epileptic Collies too but will take the
sample anyway if necessary. Samples should be blood. Please contact Sydney Abrams at
srabram@g.clemson.edu

If you have dogs banked with CHIC that fit these studies, please let Sarah or Sydney know.

Collie Health Foundation
Statement of Financial Position
As of October 31, 2019

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Collie Health Foundation
Statement of Financial Income and Expense
Accrual Basis
January through October 2019

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| Gross Profit | 219,636.90 |

| Expense |
| 7000 · Grants & Direct Assistance |
| 7001 · Grants | 59,466.00 |
| 7050 · Rebates | 62,294.75 |
| Total 7000 · Grants & Direct Assistance | 121,760.75 |
| 7500 · Contract Service Exp | 15,357.27 |
| 8100 · Office | 2,078.80 |
| 8500 · Other Expense | 6,895.11 |
| 8600 · Business Expense | 250.00 |
| 99010 · Bank Service Charges | 195.00 |
| Total Expense | 146,536.93 |

| Net Income | 73,099.97 |
Dues are due 12/31/19

Please check level of membership desired: I’m interested in volunteering:

- Individual Membership - $25
- Family Membership - $40
- Sustaining Membership - $100
- Patron - $500
- Benefactor - $1,000

- Promotions
- Sunnybank
- Auctions
- Newsletter
- Other: ______________________________

Send your check (US funds only), payable to Collie Health Foundation or CHF to:

Gail Currie – CHF Membership
16150 Bonzai Trail
Brooksville, FL 34613

PAYPAL: membership@colliehealth.org

Name (as you wish to be listed): _______________________________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________________________

City: ___________________________ State: ___________ Zip: ______________

Phone: _________________________ Kennel Name: _______________________________

Email: __________________________________________________________________________

- Please check if this is a new address.
- I have included CHF in my will.
- Please send me information about including CHF in my will.

Do you or your spouse work for a matching gift company? Some companies will match gifts of employees and/or retirees. Please contact your personnel office for details and a matching gift form.

Company Name: ________________________________________________________________

Form Enclosed: __ Yes __ No

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTION (circle one:) in Memory, Celebration, Honoring:

_______________________________________________________________________________

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