

BICHON FRISE CLUB OF AMERICA

Incorporated

(Member of the American Kennel Club)



**45th National Specialty Show, Sweepstakes,
Obedience, & Rally May 21st and May 22nd, 2020
Activities start May 19, 2020**

**Wyndham Indianapolis West Hotel
2544 Executive Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46241**

Reservations:

Link: [Bichon Frise 2020](#)

Phone Number: 1-877-361-4511 and identify yourself as part of BFCA

Schedule of Events

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| <p>Tuesday, May 19, 2020</p> | <p>Grooming Techniques/New Products– 1:00-3:00 PM and then Scissors/Scissoring– 3:00-5:00PM by Shannon Moore & Lindsey Dickens Handling Seminar 4:30-5:30 PM Welcome Night—6:00 PM Hosted by BFCA with no-host bar. Raffle Ticket Sales Begin</p> |
| <p>Wednesday, May 20, 2020</p> | <p>Seminar—8:00 AM Scissoring the Bichon Head Raffle Ticket Sales Continue</p> <p>BFCA Annual Meeting—1:00 PM</p> <p>BFCA Annual Awards Banquet and Raffle/Silent Auction: Begins at 5:30 PM with No Host bar and Raffle Ticket Sales Awards Banquet—6:00 PM</p> |
| <p>Thursday, May 21, 2020</p> | <p>Obedience Trials Rally Trials Judge—Mrs. Betty Ribble</p> <p>4 & Under 6 Months Puppy Competition Judge---Mr. Timothy Catterson</p> <p>Puppy and Junior Sweepstakes Judge—Ms. Kayley Kovar</p> <p>Special Attraction – Bred-by-Exhibitor Dogs Judge---Ms. Joanne Rubin</p> <p>Parade of Titleholders</p> <p>Special Attraction – Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches Judge---Ms. Joanne Rubin</p> <p>Judges Seminar For more information, contact: Mimi Winkler 917-617-9414 iamjudgeschoice@aol.com</p> |
| <p>Friday, May 22, 2020</p> | <p>Junior Showmanship Judge---Mr. Ted Lee</p> <p>Conformation Judge---Mr. John Hutchison</p> |



Contacts and Deadlines

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| <p>Trophy Donations: Deadline to be printed in the catalog: Contact: Lynn Ramich 523 California Ave, Monroeville PA15146 (412)607-7551 • lynnramich@aol.com</p> | <p>April 15, 2020</p> |
| <p>Advertisements Deadline: Send copy to: Roz Allen 1681 Meadow Vista, CA 95722 1-530-878-4602 • Lorebichon@icloud.com</p> | <p>April 8, 2020</p> |
| <p>Specialty Entries Close Deadline: Specialty Superintendent Foy Trent Dog Shows (573)- 687 – 2101 mail@foytrentdogshows.com</p> | <p>April 29, 2020</p> |
| <p>Hotel Reservations: Wyndham Indianapolis West 317-248-2481 or 877-361-4511 Bichon Frise 2020 Group Name: Bichon frise Club of America</p> | <p>April 27, 2020</p> |
| <p>Vendor Booth Sales Deadline: Contact: Myra Wotton 2900 Foxpoint Road, Burnsville, MN 55337 952-882-9188 • myblissbichon@comcast.net</p> | <p>May 1, 2020</p> |
| <p>Motor Home Parking Deadline: Contact: Matt Abbott 3129 Barberr Court, Murrysville, PA 15668-8021 724-325-5424 • abbottms17@comcast.net</p> | <p>May 8, 2020</p> |
| <p>Banquet & Seminar Deadline: Contact: Myra Wotton 2900 Foxpoint Rd, Burnsville, MN 55337-1070 952-882-9188 • myblissbichon@comcast.net</p> | <p>May 8, 2020</p> |
| <p>Raffle & Silent Auction Contact: Sheri Kennedy 206-799-8456 • sheri@absolutelybichons.com</p> | |
| <p>Logo Merchandise Pre-Order Deadline: Contact: Wendy Ball 967A Boat Dock Rd, Somerset, KY 42501 270-676-3024 bichonbabe@mchsi.com * It is suggested to pre-order so you will be guaranteed your color and size. There will only be a limited amount of extra items to be sold.*</p> | <p>April 24, 2020</p> |

Hotel Accommodations

Mention Bichon frise Club of America for special rate of \$129.00 plus applicable taxes per night. This special rate is available for 3 days before May 18, 2020, and 1 day after May 22, 2020, SUBJECT TO HOTEL SPACE AVAILABILITY. The pet fee is \$50 per room and is non-refundable; YOU ARE responsible for any damages. Hotel will provide complimentary parking, except for RVs. High-speed internet is provided complimentary in guestrooms. All sleeping rooms shall be subject to an Early Departure Fee equal to one night's room rate, plus applicable fees, taxes and assessments if 24-hour notice is not given. Cancellation must be done one day in advance before 3 pm EST. Complimentary Airport Shuttle.

The hotel reservation deadline is April 27, 2020.

Reservations can be made online at:

[Bichon Frise 2020](#)

Above link takes you directly to our Reservation page.

Group Name: Bichon frise Club of America

If you wish to make your reservation by phone, please call the hotel directly at

1-877-361-4511

DIRECTIONS:



- From North:** 65S to 465S to Sam Jones Expy. E. to Executive Dr.
- From South:** 65N to 465N to Sam Jones Expy. E. to Executive Dr.
- From East:** 170E to Sam Jones Expy. to Executive Dr.
- From West:** 170E to 465N to Sam Jones Expy. E. to Executive Dr.

Specialty Trophy Information

Deadline to be printed in the catalog: April 15, 2020.

PLEASE NOTE THE DISCOUNTED PRICE (THIS COLOR) IF PAY BY CHECK

Unless otherwise indicated*, the following trophies are offered by the Bichon Frise Club of America, Inc. and will be unique Dannyquest Bichon Creations.

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| Best of Breed..... | \$300.00 | \$312.00 |
| Best of Winners..... | \$200.00 | \$208.00 |
| Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed..... | \$200.00 | \$208.00 |
| Select Dog..... | \$ 75.00 | \$ 78.00 |
| Select Bitch | \$ 75.00 | \$ 78.00 |
| Winners Dog..... | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| Reserve Winners Dog | \$ 75.00 | \$ 78.00 |
| Winners Bitch..... | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| Reserve Winners Bitch | \$ 75.00 | \$ 78.00 |
| Best Owner-Handled | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| Best Puppy in Puppy Classes..... | \$ 75.00 | \$ 78.00 |
| Best of Opposite Sex to Best Puppy in Puppy Classes | \$ 75.00 | \$ 78.00 |
| Best Bred-by-Exhibitor | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| *Best Junior Handler | \$ 70.00 | \$ 72.80 |
| Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Classes..... | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| Best Puppy in Sweepstakes | \$200.00 | \$208.00 |
| Best of Opposite Sex to Best Puppy in Sweepstakes | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| Best Junior in Sweepstakes | \$200.00 | \$208.00 |
| Best of Opposite Sex to Best Junior in Sweepstakes | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| Grand Sweepstakes Winner | \$300.00 | \$312.00 |
| Special Attraction Bred-by-Exhibitor Best of Breed..... | \$200.00 | \$208.00 |
| Special Attraction Bred-by-Exhibitor Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |

Entire Class \$60.00 \$ 62.40

Patrons of the Trophy Fund \$100.00 \$104.00

*Best Junior Handler trophy will be an embroidered gift.

Contact: LYNN RAMICH

523 California Ave, Monroeville PA15146
(412)607-7551 • lynnramich@aol.com

You may go to the BFCFA website www.bichon.org and fill out the form there and pay with PayPal.

Donations will be accepted in order of receipt. Please make a 1st and 2nd choice in case another request preceded yours. **To obtain the discounted price, mail your completed trophy donations form along with a check payable to BFCFA to Lynn Ramich at the above address.** All foreign exhibitors, not using PayPal, must pay with checks drawn on U.S. accounts or with International money orders in U.S. funds.

Advertisements

Advertising Support for the BFCA 45th Annual National Specialty Show Catalog Deadline: April 8, 2020

PLEASE NOTE THE DISCOUNTED PRICE (THIS COLOR) IF PAY BY CHECK

| | | |
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| Full page, Black/White, with/without photo | \$60.00 | \$62.40 |
| Full page, Color, with/without photo | \$80.00 | \$83.20 |
| Back Cover, Black/White with/without photo | \$100.00 | \$104.00 |
| Back Cover, Color, with/without photo | \$125.00 | \$130.00 |
| More than 1 photo/ad is \$10.00 for each additional photo (B/W or color) | | |

Finished catalog page size is 4.5" x 7.25"

Photo resolution must be a minimum of 1350 x 2175 pixels and 300 dpi.

For help with your ad, please contact Roz with the text and images you would like, and she will send back a proof of your ad for approval.

You may go to the BFCA website www.bichon.org and fill out the form there and pay with your credit card. After completing the transaction, mail copy and pictures to Roz Allen.

To obtain the discounted price, mail your completed ad verbiage and photo(s) along with a check payable to BFCA to Roz Allen at the address below. All foreign exhibitors, not using PayPal, must pay with checks drawn on U.S. accounts or with International money orders in U.S. funds.

Payment must accompany photos. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Send copy to:

Roz Allen

1681 Meadow Vista Road

Meadow Vista, CA 95722

530-878-4602 • Lorebichon@icloud.com

Vendors Table Space - Early Reservation Advised

Vendor/Booth Sales

Deadline: May 1, 2020

Cost for 1 skirted table for 2 days is \$125.00. Signed Vendor contract is required. Please contact Myra Wotton for a contract. Please contact Myra Wotton for a larger display area quote and information concerning electrical hookup. Cost of electricity, if applicable, will be charged separately.

Mail signed contract along with your check made payable to BFCA in US funds to:

Myra Wotton
2900 Foxpoint Road, Burnsville, MN 55337
952-882-9188 • myblissbichon@comcast.net

Raffle and Auction

Contact:

Sheri Kennedy
7527 171st Ave., SE, Snohomish, WA 98290
206-799-8456 • _sheri@absolutelybichons.com

When donating items, please call or email Sheri with a description and donor name.
If you are not able to bring items to the show, please contact and ship to:

Mollie Fletcher
17320 66th St. Circle, West
Eden Prairie, MN 55346
612-396-6861 • mollie@clausbichons.com

Motor Home Parking Early Reservation Advised

RV Parking Deadline: May 8, 2020 (No refunds after May 9, 2020)

Parking will be on a level blacktop surface. No power, water or sewer is available. No dumping of ANY fluids allowed. No grilling, cooking or food preparation of any kind outside of RV's. Reservations are required. Limit 10 RV's so it is a first come first serve basis.

RV parking is \$41.60 per night; **However**, if you pay **by Check**, you will receive a discounted price of **\$40.00** per night. **Please note** that if you pay for **at least 1 night in a guest room**, the RV **parking fee will be waived** for the entire event (up to 5 days). To pay with PayPal at \$41.60/night, go to the BFC A website and fill out the form.

OR

If paying **by check for \$40.00 per night**, send Check made payable to BFC A and completed Reservation Form to:

Matt Abbott
3129 Barberry Court, Murrysville, PA 19604-2334
724-325-5424 • abbottms17@comcast.net

RV Reservation Form

CHECK HERE IF PAID FOR AT LEAST 1 NIGHT IN HOTEL

| | | |
|--|-------|------------------|
| Name | | Phone |
| Address | | |
| City | State | Zip |
| Email | | |
| Handicap Permit # | | License No/State |
| Type of Vehicle or Combination | | |
| Total Length and Breadth with Slide(s) | | |
| Arrival date | | Departure date |
| Total of nights | | |

Name Tag & Banquet Form

If you are coming, fill this out! **Deadline May 8, 2020**
Separate form for Each Person - Please Print Legibly

Name.....
(for name tag)

Hometown.....
(for name tag)

Kennel Name (opt).....
(for name tag)

Phone.....

Email.....
(For confirmation if form is mailed, enclose self-addressed stamped envelope.)

..... Name Tag only - not attending dinner

5:30pm No Host Bar

Banquet (Dressy Casual) - 6:00 pm Wednesday, May 20, 2020

Please indicate selection – **ONE FORM PER PERSON**

PLEASE NOTE DISCOUNTED PRICES IF PAY BY CHECK

Entrée Choices

.....**\$59.00** \$61.36 • Braised Boneless Beef Short Rib with Malbec Demi-Glaze & Pickled Onions

.....**\$56.00** \$58.24 • Macadamia Nut Crusted Chicken with Orange-Brandy Glaze

.....**\$49.00** \$51.00 • Vegetarian - Penne Pasta Primavera with Seasoned Grilled Vegetables, Tomatoes, Basil, & Extra Virgin Olive Oil

All Plated Dinners include Salad, Rolls & Butter, Coffee /Tea & Iced Tea and Dessert.

Note: Price includes tax and tip.

You may go to the BFCFA website and fill out the form there and pay with PayPal.

-OR-

Send form and check payable to BFCFA to:

Myra Wotton, 2900 Foxpoint Road, Burnsville, MN 55337

952-882-9188 myblissbichon@comcast.net

All international attendees must pay with checks drawn on US Accounts or with International money orders in US funds.

NO REFUNDS AFTER May 9, 2020

SEMINARS & HANDS-ON RESERVATION FORM

DEADLINE: May 8, 2020
(NO REFUNDS AFTER May 9, 2020)

SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH PERSON

Please Print Legibly

Name: _____

Phone _____ Email: _____

If you don't receive an e-mailed confirmation from me, then your reservation form has not been received.

Please indicate selection—**ONE FORM PER PERSON**

PLEASE NOTE DISCOUNTED PRICE IF PAY BY CHECK

**Tuesday & Wednesday Hands-On Each Limited to 15 participants;
Must bring a table & your dog bathed, blown out, and ready to be scissored.
Non-Refundable; Non-Transferable.**

Seminar 1:00 PM, Tuesday, May 19, 2020 - Grooming Techniques & New Products
_____ ~~\$15.00~~ \$15.60

Seminar 3:00 PM, Tuesday, May 19, 2020 – Hands-On Beginners Guide to Scissors/Scissoring
_____ ~~\$45.00~~ \$46.80

Hands-On 8:00 AM, Wednesday, May 20, 2020 - Scissoring the Bichon Head

_____ ~~\$100.00~~ \$104.00

Observation Only of Hands-On

_____ ~~\$50.00~~ \$52.00

For Tuesday Seminars & Wednesday Hands-On

_____ The \$15 Tuesday Seminar Plus Hands-On - ~~\$110.00~~ \$114.40

_____ The \$45 Tuesday Seminar Plus Hands-On - ~~\$140.00~~ \$145.60

_____ Both Tuesday Seminars Plus Hands-On - ~~\$155.00~~ \$161.20

For Tuesday Seminars & Observation of Hands-On

_____ The \$15 Tuesday Seminar Plus Observation of Hands-On - ~~\$60.00~~ \$62.40

_____ The \$45 Tuesday Seminar Plus Observation of Hands-On - ~~\$90.00~~ \$93.60

_____ Both Tuesday Seminars Plus Observation of Hands-On - ~~\$105.00~~ \$109.20

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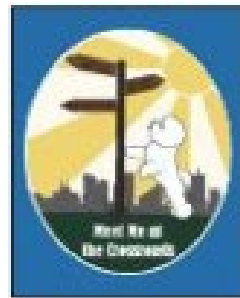
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Logo Merchandise Pre-Order Information

Deadline: April 24, 2020

| Short Sleeve T-Shirt | Sizes | Colors | Price | Long Sleeve T-Shirt | Sizes | Colors | Price |
|---|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------|
|  | S, M L, XL | Navy, Forrest Green Dark Chocolate, Sapphire, Maroon | \$20.80 \$20.00 |  | S, M L, XL | Navy, Forrest Green Dark Chocolate, Sapphire, Maroon | \$26.00 \$25.00 |
| | 2XL, 3XL, 4XL*, 5XL* | Same colors as above <i>* Pre-order only, not available at Specialty</i> | \$31.20 \$30.00 | | 2XL, 3XL, 4XL*, 5XL* | Same colors as above <i>* Pre-order only, not available at Specialty</i> | \$36.40 \$35.00 |
| Crew Sweat-shirt | Sizes | Colors | Price | Baseball Shirt | Sizes | Colors | Price |
|  | S, M, L, XL | Forest Green, Sapphire, Dark Chocolate, Maroon | \$36.40 \$35.00 |  | S, M, L, XL | White/Navy | \$31.20 \$30.00 |
| | 2XL, 3XL, 4XL* | Same colors as above <i>* Pre-order only, not available at Specialty</i> | \$41.60 \$40.00 | | 2XL, 3XL, 4XL* | Same colors as above <i>* Pre-order only, not available at Specialty</i> | \$36.40 \$35.00 |



Navy

Forest Green

Dark Chocolate

Sapphire

Maroon

| | Price | Size | Color | Qty | Sub Total (\$USD) | Shipping (\$USD) | Shipping Canada/Mexico (\$USD) | Shipping International (\$USD) | Total (\$USD) |
|----------------------|-------|------|-------|-----|-------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Short Sleeve T-Shirt | | | | | | \$8.00 ea | \$12.00 ea | \$15.00 ea | |
| Long Sleeve T-Shirt | | | | | | \$8.00 ea | \$12.00 ea | \$15.00 ea | |
| Crew Sweatshirt | | | | | | \$8.00 ea | \$12.00 ea | \$15.00 ea | |
| Baseball Shirt | | | | | | \$8.00 ea | \$12.00 ea | \$15.00 ea | |

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| Ship to Name: | TOTAL Enclosed |
| Ship to Street: | |
| Ship to City, State, Zip:: | |
| | Email: |
| | Phone: |

LOGO MERCHANDISE PRE-ORDER

* It is suggested to pre-order so you will be guaranteed your color and size. There will only be a limited amount of extra items to be sold at the show.*

Mail checks and order form by **April 24, 2020**

Check if you are picking up at show

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-OR-

Send form and check payable to BFCAs. All International attendees must pay with checks drawn on U.S. Accounts or with international money orders in U.S. funds to:

Wendy Ball
967A Boat Dock Rd, Somerset, KY 42501
270-676-3024
bichonbabe@mchsi.com

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The 2020 BFCA National Specialty Show

May 21-22, 2020

Catalog Order Information

You can place your order in advance for the Marked National Catalog. Orders can be placed on the www.bichon.org website with any major credit card using the PayPal button. You can also place your order at the National Specialty.

Mail checks (payable to BFCA) and order form by June 22, 2020 to:

Laurie Zelek

P.O. Box 897 Old Lyme, CT 06371

860-662-0011/ renee12015@yahoo.com

| Item | Price Each | Qty | \$ Subtotal | Shipping (\$USD) | Shipping Canada/ Mexico (\$USD) | Shipping International (\$USD) | Total (\$USD) |
|-----------------|------------|-----|-------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Catalog, Marked | \$22.00 | | | \$5.00 each | \$15.00 each | \$20.00 each | |

Ship to Name:

TOTAL Enclosed

Ship to Street:

Phone:

Ship to City, State Zip:

Email:

**BICHON FRISE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.
NATIONAL SPECIALTY 2020**

JUDGES SEMINAR

**Thursday, May 21st – after judging
\$25.00 fee to attend**

For more information contact:

Mimi Winkler

914-617-9414 • iamjudgeschoice@aol.com

Bichon DNA Collection

At the BFCA Health Committee table, you will have the opportunity to obtain cheek swabs to collect DNA on your Bichons for three purposes:

1. To register the DNA with AKC.
2. To send DNA samples to the CHIC depository for future research.
3. To collect DNA samples on litters for future research.

Stop at the BFCA Health Committee table to receive swabs, forms, and instructions.



**For more information visit the
BFCA Official Website at:
www.bichon.org**