



# Let's Celebrate the Phalène!



Join the Phalène Fanciers for our  
**Annual Phalène Match and  
“Let’s Talk About Phalène” Banquet!**

To be held at the Papillon Club of America National Specialty

**Founders Inn**  
Virginia Ball Room  
5641 Indian River Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23464  
4:00 PM Thursday, May 25, 2023,

Phalène Match starts at 4:00 PM Thursday, May 25, 2023, No Host Dinner to follow at 5:00 PM at the Restaurant inside the hotel. Exhibitors and spectators invited.

Mrs. Tracy Burdick who is a well-known figure in the papillon world has graciously agreed to be our judge for the match! She has bred and shown papillons under the Denzel prefix since 1983, showing the breeds first Ch-UDT prior to that and began in junior handler. There are now hundreds of Denzel titleholders produced over the last 40 years. She is most proud of being a Breeder-Owner-Handler on Best in Show, High in Trial, and Specialty winners. Mrs. Burdick has judged local club matches, Junior Handling, and Obedience, as well as the PCA National Sweepstakes twice in 2000 and 2013.

Marcy Wyrens has agreed to be our Match Chair and will be taking Entries immediately preceding the match at 3:30 PM, the cost is \$5.00 per entry. Don't forget to enter the Longest Fringes' category! Champion Phalènes can be entered in the Exhibition Only category.

**Please note that entries can only be made by PCA Club Members.**

Our “Let’s talk about Phalène” Dinner will start after the match at 5:00 PM at the Swan Terrace Restaurant with Lakeview seating located inside the Host Hotel. All Phalène fanciers are welcome! Please RSVP to Kim Barbolini at [Kimbarbolini22@gmail.com](mailto:Kimbarbolini22@gmail.com), so that she may add you to our count. We plan to be wrapped up by 6:30 PM so everyone can exercise dogs and still have time to attend the PCA Annual General Meeting starting at 7:00 PM.

Phalène Achievement Booklet - For those who own and show Phalènes, please send a good clear picture of your dog(s) in a large format and all information about your dog and any awards earned during the past year (any and all Championships earned, Agility or Obedience titles earned, all conformation point wins, legs toward Agility titles, Canine Good Citizen awards, other performance sport titles, Therapy Dog awards, etc.) for inclusion in our Achievement Booklet to Louann Hansen, [louannh@nucleus.com](mailto:louannh@nucleus.com), +1 (403) 931-2277 (Canadian phone number). Thank you to Louann for again offering to organize and get this booklet published every year. They will be available at the National for \$10 payable to Louann to defray her costs. Please do not hesitate to contact if you have questions! Deadline for submission is May 1, 2023.

Raffle - The Phalène Fanciers will be holding a raffle at the Specialty and the draw will be on Saturday before the Best of Breed competition. The raffle is to help pay for Phalène Match costs and expenses. We would love volunteers to help sell tickets for the raffle. Please contact Kim Barbolini or Cheryl Maas ([andali2424@gmail.com](mailto:andali2424@gmail.com)) if you are willing to help.

We hope to have a great turn out of exhibitors and spectators to help us celebrate and support our wonderful Phalène.