

# TRI-STATE SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB

**COME JOIN US FOR OUR SEMINAR:**

## Casino Royale - Gambling with Genetics in Dog Breeding

Bio: The seminar will be presented by Dr. Victor J Stora DVM, a leading Veterinary Theriogenologist in the field of genetics. Dr. Stora graduated with his doctor of veterinary medicine from Louisiana State University. He then completed a rotating internship in small animal medicine and surgery at the Virginia Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine. After his internship he sought specialty training in reproduction, genetics, and pediatrics at the University of Pennsylvania where he completed his residency. He is now a post-doctoral fellow at the University of Pennsylvania's RCAM lab. Dr Stora is primarily a research based veterinarian out of the University of Pennsylvania where he works with diseases of small animal genetic disorders, as insight into pediatric genetic disorders of man. He sees clinical appointments in Staten Island, NY, at The Eltingville Veterinary Practice, is a genetic counselor to the AKC and fellow dog breeder of Shetland Sheepdogs. Dr Stora believes each pillar of his academic, work and dog breeder life provides unique insight and ideas, and sharing these insights with others, is his greatest passion.

Abstract: The seminar will focus on creating a deep understanding of the high stakes game of genetics. The audience will gather knowledge of biologic principles and theories, in essence the rules of the game. More importantly however, they will understand how these rules can be applied to a breeding program to increase ones chance of a win condition, the royal flush, large, healthy litters! There will be time for a Q & A session as well as a "How I use these principles in my kennel" section where you can see how the geneticist applies the principles in his own breeding kennel to strengthen the understanding and utility of the principles discussed.

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FROM I-90: To Massachusetts, take exit 2 for US-20E to MA-8 S to Connecticut. Continue on CT-8/US-6 W to exit 11 (Bridgeport Avenue). Continue to Shelton Road. Turn right onto North St. Turn right onto Huntington Turnpike. Turn left onto Mischa Hill Rd. Turn left onto Booth Hill Rd. Slight right onto E. Lake Rd. Clubhouse is on the left.

FROM I-95 and I-395: I-395 S to I-95 S to exit 38 for State Route 15 toward Merritt Parkway/Wilbur Cross Parkway. Merge onto Milford Parkway Take the CT 15 S exit on the left toward Merritt Parkway/NY City. Merge onto CT-15 S/Merritt Parkway. Take exit 50 for CT-127 toward Trumbull. Turn left onto CT-127 S/White Plains Road. Turn left onto Unity Road. Slight left onto Booth Hill Rd. Sharp left onto E. Lake Road. Clubhouse will be on the left.