



**Bay Area Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club
General Membership Meeting
Sunday January 21, 2024**

1:00 pm via Zoom teleconferencing

Please join us for an informative presentation with Dr. Franklin Utchen, DVM, co-founder of Bishop Ranch Veterinary, San Ramon, CA who will share with us how we can keep our dogs younger for longer!

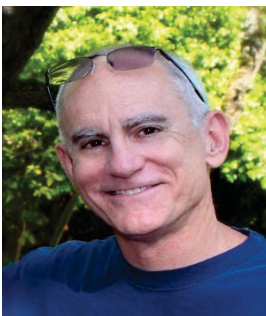
The meeting will also include our annual awards presentation to recognize new titles and accomplishments of our club members and their dogs. Please send your dog's registered name, new title, and name of owners to Allyson Gonyo allysongonyo@outlook.com no later than January 15 to be included. Eligibility period (1/1/23-12/31/23)

If you are a guest and would like to attend, please email Dave Moody at davemoody98@gmail.com to receive the zoom link.

UNLOCKING THE LONGEVITY DOOR FOR DOGS

with Dr. Franklin Utchen, DVM

Dr. Utchen will discuss 5 medications and nutritional supplements that can be used to delay the very process of aging itself and give us more time with our dogs. These medications help delay the underlying reasons that we all (humans, dogs, mice, etc.) age in the first place; they don't actually treat age-related diseases, but rather they help the body repair itself, and specifically help DNA repair and other things which are what actually causes us to start to decline health-wise in the first place when we get old. Starting early can act as a preventative for age-related diseases — even when started in middle age and old age- can still help.



Dr. Utchen graduated from the University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine in 1986. In 1989 he and Dr. DeLano co-founded Norris Canyon Veterinary Medical Center in San Ramon, which in the year 2000 became Bishop Ranch Veterinary Center. His special interests are Orthopedic and Soft Tissue Surgery, Internal Medicine, Emergency/Critical Care, Dentistry, and Anesthesiology/Pain Management.