BCCA JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES

Purpose

Compile the statistics for juniors who compete in AKC events with a bearded collie. The committee serves as liaison between juniors and the Board and promotes the participation of juniors in activities with their bearded collies.

Responsibilities of the Committee Chair

1. Review the AKC Awards Publication / CD in order to identify juniors who have shown a bearded collie.
2. Compile the statistics from these events.
3. Tabulate documentation of junior participation in performance events.
4. Report these results to the Awards Committee so that the awards identified in Standing Rules can be presented.
5. Encourage juniors to take part in junior showmanship classes.
6. Be well-versed in all standing rules that apply to this position.
7. Attend the AGM of the BCCA if possible.

Committee Yearly Workplan

Activities	Date to Be Accomplished	Person(s) Responsibility
Tabulate statistics for Awards	Ongoing	Chair
Send information to Awards Chair for presentation at the National Specialty	September	Chair
dd	Ongoing	Chair
Prepare Annual Written Report to Board	September	Chair
Attend AGM	September/October	Chair

Additional Information

The Junior Showmanship Chair shall receive the appropriate statistical reports from the AKC.

Applicable Standing Rules

5.0 COMMITTEES AND AFFILIATE CLUBS	
5.1	**Committees of the BCCA.** Chairs are appointed by the board at the first meeting of the fiscal year (July) and when necessary. All committee chairs shall operate in accordance with the job description for their committee. Job descriptions are approved by the board.
5.2	**Committee Records**, such as statistics, historical documentation, photographs, and displays are the sole property of the Bearded Collie Club of America and must be surrendered immediately when notified by the recording secretary at the direction of the board. 03/94-03, 06/99-02

9.0 AWARDS AND TROPHIES		
9.1 General		
	9.1.1	**Awards Year.** Except where otherwise specified, an awards year shall be January 1 – December 31. 01/90-04, 7/90-07, 01/95-05, 05/95-03
	9.1.2	**Eligibility.** In order to qualify for a BCCA award, at least one owner of a dog and one parent of a junior handler must be a BCCA member in good standing.
	9.1.3	**Trophy Approval.** The board shall approve any trophy, plaque, award, or certificate presented at the national specialty. 07/04-01
	9.1.4	**Trophies and Awards.** Winners of trophies have the option to take their trophies home or leave them in the custody of BCCA. Awards are won outright and reside with the recipients.
	9.1.5	**Club Trophies.** The following trophies will be displayed at all BCCA national specialties, and will remain in the permanent possession of the club: **Perpetual Trophies** Gail E. Miller High Scoring Junior Handler Trophy - Conformation

9.5 Junior Handler Trophies and Awards		
	9.5.1	**Gail E. Miller High Scoring Junior Handler Trophy** will be presented to the high scoring junior handler of a bearded collie at AKC-licensed shows during the past year. This award, consisting of a 16-inch silver loving cup on a wooden base with the top juniors' names engraved on plates surrounding the base, shall be computed as follows: 4 points for 1st place 2 points for 3rd place 3 points for 2nd place 1 point for 4th place One additional point shall also be awarded for each junior handler defeated per show, including those defeated in other junior showmanship classes by virtue of winning best junior handler. In addition to the trophy, a scholarship in the amount of $250 will be awarded annually to the individual receiving this award. The recipient will also receive a print of a watercolor painting, offered and financed by private funds. 07/04-01, 07/04-02
	9.5.2	**High Scoring Junior Handler Awards for Herding, Agility, Obedience, or Tracking** will be presented to the high scoring junior handlers of a bearded collie at AKC-licensed herding, agility, obedience and tracking events. In order to compute awards for these events, juniors should obtain a supply of AKC Junior Handler Certification forms from any show superintendent or from the Junior Show Committee Chair. These steps should then be followed: 1. Fill out your portion of the form and then have the judge sign and date it. 2. Return the yellow copy to the judge. 3. Make a copy of the forms and send them to the Junior Show Chair for tabulation. All forms must be received by the Junior Show Chair no later than April 30th. In computing awards for Top Junior Handler in these events, each junior shall receive: 5 points for 1st place, 4 points for 2nd place, 3 points for 3rd place, 2 points for 4th place and 1 point for qualifying. These points may not be combined from multiple venues. Scholarships in the amount of $250 will be awarded to the individuals receiving these awards. 06/05-03