

APRIL 2021 OFFICIAL NOTICES FROM THE RECORDING SECRETARY

BID FOR BEARDIE BULLETIN EDITOR

Bids are now being solicited and accepted for editing the Beardie Bulletin for 2021-2022. If you are interested, please contact the Recording Secretary for bid specifications.

If you have experience in editing/publishing/creative design, or would like to learn, bids are still being accepted for editing the Beardie Bulletin, BCCA's official publication. The Beardie Bulletin is normally published four times a year. Please contact the Recording Secretary, Merilynn Bergstresser, at mmberg50@gmail.com, for bid specifications if you are interested.

2021 NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Nominating Committee, comprised of Chair Sonja Blanchard, Rosemary Schroeder, and Julie Sneed have submitted the following nominations for the 2021 election:

Officers

President: Michele Ritter

Vice President: Linda Taylor

Recording Secretary: Merilynn Bergstresser

Corresponding Secretary: David Williamson

Treasurer: Don Means

Directors, Class of 2023

Deborah Furlow

Moly McNamara

Meaghan Edwards

AKC Delegate 2021 – 2024

Kathy Coxwell

The BCCA Bylaws, Article V, Sections 4 D & E, state "Each member may nominate a candidate for officer and director positions by signing a document that is sent to the recording secretary by a date to be determined by the board each year (April 15, 2021). The name of a candidate who receives nomination signatures from five percent of the members in good standing shall appear on the ballot.

1. Nominations for each office shall be submitted as a separate document.
2. A nomination document may contain the signatures of more than one member.

The nominating committee shall verify that each candidate meets the requirements for the position for which nominated and shall secure from each candidate a written consent to serve if elected."

The BCCA membership number currently stands at 649, so 33 signatures (5%) are required to support each petition.

All additional nominations should be mailed to

Merilynn Bergstresser, 1092 Millwood Ct, Brentwood, TN 37027

Respectfully submitted,

Sonja Blanchard, BCCA 2021 Nominating Committee Chair

2020 MEMBER OF THE YEAR NOMINATIONS

Standing Rule 4.7.1 • Member of the Year. This award will recognize the BCCA member or group of members who, as a result of their activity, has made the most significant contribution to the advancement of the Bearded Collie Club of America or the bearded collie. The award will be publicly announced and presented at the National Specialty banquet in the year following the calendar year for which the honor is awarded. Nominations for the award will be accepted from any BCCA member in good standing. Nominations must be received by the recording secretary on or before **April 15th** of the year following the calendar year for which the award is made. Each nomination shall be accompanied by a 250-word (maximum) statement justifying the award for the nominee. Seated officers and board members are not eligible for the award.