

Obedience, Rally, Tracking and DWD News

Annual Awards

The annual Queensland Dog Sports Committee presentation of awards for achievements in 2017 will take place on Saturday **18th January 2020**. Further details of the event will be published in the near future.

In the meantime, below are the rules and qualifying conditions for the following special awards.

Individual Awards

1. GENERAL RULES

The following rules apply to all the individual awards listed below.

- 1.1. **Award year:** Scores claimed must have been Qualifying scores gained within the period 1st December to the 30th November.
- 1.2. **Eligible members:** To be eligible for any of these awards, the competitor must be a current financial member of the Canine Control Council (Queensland) (CCCQ). The named owner of the dog must be consistent on all submitted Qualifying Certificates.
- 1.3. **Eligible Results:** Unless otherwise specified, only results from trials (including breed specific trials) held in Queensland during the qualifying period shall be eligible to be counted.
- 1.4. **Application:** Any competitor wishing to be considered for a specific award must do so in writing and forwarded to the address nominated below for that award. Each application must include photocopies of all relevant Qualifying Certificates or, in the case of title awards, the relevant Title Certificate.
- 1.5. **Closing Date:** The closing date for applications 30th November 2019.
- 1.6. **No Award:** If in any year there is no eligible applicant for a particular trophy, no award shall be made for that year.

2 CHAMPIONSHIP AND GRAND CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES

2.1. Title Trophies are awarded for the following titles:

- - Obedience Champion
- - Obedience Grand Champion
- - Rally Obedience Champion
- - Tracking Champion
- - Track and Search Champion
- - Track and Search Grand Champion
- - Dances with Dogs Champion

Application for the above title trophies should be forwarded to:

Mrs T. Young, 22 Boomerang Rd, TAMBORINE Qld 4270. or email to theyoungs4@bigpond.com.

2.2 Tracking Champion/ Track & Search Champions and Grand Champions Queensland Honour Board.

The name of any dog which has achieved a Tracking Champion title will be recorded on the Tracking Champions Queensland Honour Board. The name of any dog which has achieved a Track and Search Champion or Grand Champion title will be recorded on the Track and Search/Grand Champions Queensland Honour Board.

3. UTILITY DOG EXCELLENT CLASS UDX Perpetual Trophy

This trophy is donated by Mrs Linda Bennett in memory of the Irish Red and White Setter O.Gr. Ch. Tintookie Finegansrainbo UDX who, at the time of his death, was the only Setter of any variety, anywhere in the world, to hold the title of Obedience Grand Champion.

The award is based on the highest aggregate across four (4) qualifying scores gained in the UDX class. Applications should be forwarded to:

The UDX Perpetual Trophy will remain in the Durack Trophy cabinet and a Memento trophy will be given to the winner to keep.

Applications to:-

Ms P. Kettle
134 Blackwater Road
Greenbank Qld 4124

4 UTILITY DOG CLASS

Peter Harden Utility Dog of the Year Perpetual Trophy - South East Qld

This trophy was donated by the family of Dr. Peter Harden, a respected senior obedience judge who was killed in a car accident while travelling to judge obedience at the Royal Queensland Show.

The award is based on the highest aggregate across six (6) qualifying scores gained in the UD class in Zone 1 - SE Qld,.

Applications should be forwarded to:

Ms. D. McKay
5 Glencarron Street
Kenmore Qld 4069

The Peter Harden UD Dog of the Year Perpetual Trophy will remain in the Durack Trophy cabinet and a Memento trophy will be given to the winner to keep.

4a. UTILITY DOG CLASS

Dogs Queensland Utility Dog of the Year

This trophy was donated by Dogs Qld Obedience Committee to recognise the highest aggregate six (6) qualifying scores gained in the UD Class throughout Queensland. Applications should be forwarded to:

D. M.Kay
5 Glencarron Street
Kenmore Qld 4069

5. OPEN CLASS

Gold and Silver Dumbbell Pins

A competitor may apply for only one (1) Silver Pin and/or one (1) Gold Pin for the same dog across its lifetime.

Silver Pin - To be eligible for award of a Silver Pin the dog must achieve six (6) Qualifying scores of 185 points or more in the Open class within the qualifying period.

A Silver Pin shall only be awarded if the competitor has not applied for a Gold Pin for that dog. Qualifying scores used for the Silver Pin award may not also be used to apply for a Gold Pin.

Gold Pin - To be eligible for award of a Silver Pin the dog must achieve six (6) Qualifying scores of 190 points or more in the Open class within the qualifying period.

A competitor may apply for a Gold Pin prior to being awarded a Silver Pin. However, award of a Gold Pin will disqualify the dog from eligibility for a Silver Pin.

Applications should be forwarded to:

Ms. Pam Kettle
134 Blackwater Road
Greenbank Qld 4124

6 The Viking Muzzles Open Dog of the Year Trophy

This award is donated by Viking Muzzles.

The award is based on six (6) Qualifying scores gained in the Open Class but including no more than two (2) qualifying scores under the same judge.

Applications should be forwarded to:

Mrs M. Doyle
258 – 268 Boorah Road.
Jimboomba Qld 4280

7 NOVICE CLASS

Castastar Kennels Novice Dog of the Year

This award is donated by Warren and Mandy Doyle.

The award is based on the highest aggregate across three (3) Qualifying scores gained in the

Novice Class under at least two (2) different judges. Australia may be counted for the purpose of this award.

Applications should be forwarded to:

Mrs M. Doyle
258 – 268 Boorah Road.
Jimboomba Qld 4280

Qualifying scores must be gained anywhere in Qld.

8 CCD CLASS - Community Companion Dog of the Year Perpetual Trophy

This award is donated by Dogs Qld Obedience Sub Committee

The award is based on the highest aggregate across three (3) qualifying scores gained in CCD

Class under at least two (2) different judges. for the purpose of this award.

Application should be forwarded to:

Mrs T. Young.
22 Boomerang Road.
Tamborine Qld 4270

Qualifying scores must be gained in Queensland. The CCD Dog of the Year Perpetual Trophy will remain in the Durack Trophy cabinet and a Memento trophy will be given to the winner to keep.

9. RALLY OBEDIENCE

Rally Obedience Dog of the Year Perpetual Trophy.

This award is donated by Helen Meharg. The award is based on the highest aggregate across ten (10) Qualifying scores gained in Rally Master Class in the calendar year. The Rally O Perpetual trophy will remain in the Durack Trophy cabinet and a Memento trophy will be given to the winner to keep. Applications should be forwarded to:

Ms S. Davies
66 Cook Street
FOREST LAKE Qld 4078

10. DANCES WITH DOGS

Dances with Dogs Dog of the Year

This award is donated by the Dances with Dogs Club Queensland and will comprise one Dog of the Year award in each of the Heelwork to Music and Freestyle Divisions. The award in each division is based on the highest aggregate across three (3) submitted qualifying certificates achieved in the relevant division, irrespective of the class level at which the Qualifying score was achieved. Applications should be forwarded to:

Ms G. Westmore
PO Box 335
Albany Creek Qld 4035