

## STANDARD SCHNAUZER CLUB OF CANADA Awards Guidelines

(The Treasurer is responsible for giving the Tabulator an up-to-date membership List)

- Members whose dogs are competing for any award requiring an application shall be submitting that appropriate form with all the required information completed.
- **Forms must be submitted to the tabulator** no later than the date indicated on the application forms for the year submitted.
- All titles must be earned in the contest year, *i.e. Jan. 1 – Dec. 31 2012*
- Dogs In Canada/CKC Web Site will be the official source for all points claimed by contestants.
- Members whose dogs are competing for awards must be in good standing with the Standard Schnauzer Club of Canada and the CKC for the entire period during which they compete.
- If a dog should be Co-owned, at least one of the co-owners she be a member in good standing as above.
- A dog which has been disqualified from showing under the rules of the CKC is ineligible to compete for these awards unless it is reinstated by April 15 of the following year.
- Awards will be mailed, recipients will be mentioned in the newsletter and recognition will be given at the SSCC National Specialty Dinner for all dogs receiving awards that year. Send completed forms to Michelle Ross, 10510 First Line, Moffat, ON L0P 1J0
- Phone/ fax: 905-854-1966, e-mail: [tealwood@sympatico.ca](mailto:tealwood@sympatico.ca)

Entry form are available on the SSCC Web site. Forms must be in our hands by **June 1, 2013**

### CONFORMATION AWARDS

**Standard Schnauzer of the Year Award:** Determination of the winner shall be made by identifying the dog/bitch having accumulated the greatest number of points claimed according to the score system established.

**Best of Opposite Sex Award:** Will be given to the dog/bitch of the opposite sex to the Standard Schnauzer of the Year which accumulates the greatest number of points according to the same scoring system.

**These awards are calculated by the Tabulator and no application by members is required.**

### Stud Dog of the year/Brood Bitch of the Year:

\* Dogs and Bitches entered in this competition must have either an OFA number or a certificate of freedom from Hip Dysplasia provided by one of the recognized Colleges of Veterinary Medicine in Canada. This information must be sent to the Tabulator along with your application for these awards.

\* The Dog/Bitch having the greatest number of immediate offspring to finish their Championship or Obedience Titles during the contest year shall be declared the winner. If the offspring were to complete more than one title during the competition year, all titles shall be counted.

\* In the case of a tie the tabulator will decide the winner by using the scoring system established for the SS of the Year Awards to determine the dog/bitch whose offspring have accumulated the greatest number of points scored.

\* Owners of the dogs/bitches in the competition for Stud Dog/Brood Bitch of the Year may not accumulate points prior to the date that their membership takes effect. Offspring finishing their Championship/Titles prior to the effective date of membership of the stud dog/brood bitch owner may NOT be counted in the competition.

**An Application for this award is required.**

### Scoring for Annual Awards

Determination of the winner shall be made by identifying the dog/bitch having accumulated the greatest number of points claimed according to the score system established by Dogs in Canada where one point is given for each dog beaten.

### OWNER HANDLER AWARDS

This award will be given to the club member who accumulates the most points handling dogs owned or co-owned by them, to wins of BB, BOS, BW, WD, & WB with points awarded as above. The dog must be handled, by the owner or co-owner, in order to qualify for points awarded. (If the dog is exhibited by someone other than the owner/co-owner the dog may not count wins during that time.)

**An application must be submitted** by the date indicated on the awards entry form. The submissions for this award are on the honour system as far as who handled the dog at which show. Please try to make every effort to make correct entries. In future years, if you are not doing so now, please keep a record of the shows in which you handled your own dog.

### Novice Owner Handler of the Year.

The purpose of this award is to encourage new handlers; therefore this award will be given to the handler who has exhibited their dog during the competition year but has not in previous years.

Applications must be completed and submitted by the date indicated on the awards entry form.

Submissions for this award are on the honour system as far as who handled the dog at which show.

**Application is required.**

### OBEDIENCE AWARDS

### **Novice Standard Schnauzer of the Year**

Top Novice Dog is calculated from the first three qualifying scores this dog obtains while competing at the Novice Level (the same scores to qualify for their CD)

The winner will be determined from the highest average score.

This award is presented by the club to the winning dog that is owned/c-owned by a member.

**No application is required.**

### **Top Obedience Standard Schnauzer of the Year**

The top obedience award shall be presented to the Standard Schnauzer owned/co-owned by a member having earned at least a CDX Title from the CKC

May use any combination of 5 scores of their choice, a minimum requirement of 3 scores to be earned in either Open or Utility.

Maximum of 2 allowed from Novice level competition.

Only scores earned within the competition year are eligible.

In the event of a tie, the winner will be determined as follows:

0 Novice0 Open	5 Utility
0 Novice1 Open	4 Utility
0 Novice2 Open	3Utility
0 Novice3 Open	2 Utility
0 Novice4 Open	1 Utility
0 Novice5 Open	0 Utility
1 Novice4 Open	0 Utility
2 Novice3 Open	0 Utility

In the event that no application is submitted the Top Obedience Award may be presented at the Tabulator's discretion.

### **Top Rally Obedience Award**

The Top Rally Obedience Award shall be presented to the SS owner/co-owned by a member having earned at least an Advanced title from the CKC. They may use any combination of 5 scores of their choice, a minimum requirement of three scores earned in either Advanced or Excellent and a maximum of 2 scores allowed from Novice competition. Only scores earned within the competitive year are eligible for this award. Application forms must be completed and submitted to the Obedience Tabulator by the date indicated on the award entry form.

In the event of a tie, the winner will be determined as per chart

0 Novice 0 Advanced 5 Excellent
0 Novice 1 Advanced 4 Excellent
0 Novice 2 Advanced 3 Excellent
0 Novice 3 Advanced 2 Excellent
0 Novice 4 Advanced 1 Excellent
0 Novice 5 Advanced 0 Excellent
1 Novice 4 Advanced 0 Excellent
2 Novice 3 Advanced 0 Excellent

In the event that no application is submitted, the award may be presented at the Tabulator's discretion.

### **Also look for Guidelines and forms for the Versatility Awards on this site**

**YOU MUST FILL OUR THE REQUIRED FORMS AN SUBMIT THEM TO:**

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