



Sled/Working Dog Classes at Specialties

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TITLED SLED DOGS

That the current SHCC sled dog classes (Limited & Unlimited) be eliminated and that the remaining CKC title classes (SD, SDX, SDU) be revised to combine the sexes in each of the 3 classes. Males & females would now compete together. In each of the 3 unofficial classes for Titled Sled dog – “SD, SDX, SDU”, awards would be presented to First, Second, Third and Fourth position. The 3 winners (Best SD, Best SDX and Best SDU) would compete for Best Overall Sled Dog and the perpetual trophy. The perpetual trophy remains property of the SHCC with a substantial keeper prize to be presented to the winner. Copy of CKC title certificate must accompany all entries.

TITLED WORKING DOGS

That a Working Dog Class be introduced as an optional offering at National Specialties. Two classes to be offered for dogs who have obtained their SHCC WD or WDX certificate. A copy of the title certificate must accompany all entries. Males & Females to be judged together. In each of the two unofficial classes (WD and WDX) awards would be presented for First, Second, Third and Fourth position. The 2 winners – (Best WD and Best WDX), will compete

for Best Overall Working Dog and the re-assigned perpetual trophy. The perpetual trophy to remains the property of the SHCC with a substantial keeper prize presented to the winner.

UNTITLED SLED/WORKING DOGS

Sled Dog Sweeps would be replaced by Untitled Sled/working Dogs sweeps and would be available only to the untitled Dogs. Untitled Sled/working dog Sweeps be an additional offering at a National Specialty (at the host area's option). Dogs entered must be over 12 months of age. Males & Females to be judged together. A best in Untitled Sweeps and a Best Opposite in Untitled Sweeps be awarded. Titled dogs (SD, SDX, SDU, WD and WDX) may not compete in this class. All entries must be accompanied by proof that the dog has run in harness (e.g. copy of the CKC Sled dog passport or the Specialty entry form for untitled sled/working dogs).

TROPHIES

That the current SHCC Sled Dog perpetual trophies be re-assigned, with the larger of the two trophies being offered for the re-designed Sled Dog Class and the smaller plaque offered as a perpetual trophy to a newly introduced Working Dog Class. Engraving of the perpetual to be the responsibility of the host area. Host area will also be responsible for providing substantial keeper trophies to both the Sled Dog and Working Dog winners. Consideration to be given to obtaining most economical means of transporting the perpetual trophies.

NOTE:

The above classes may also be offered at Regional Specialties using the same rules but without the use of the perpetual trophies.