


BCSA 2022 NATIONAL SPECIALTY GENERAL INFORMATION SECTION



ALL ENTRIES OPEN:
WEDNESDAY, July 13, 2022 8am CDT
ALL ENTRIES CLOSE:
WEDNESDAY, September 7, 2022 6pm CDT
OR WHEN LIMITS ARE REACHED

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**Express mail entries MUST have signature waiver. No
hand deliveries.**

To whom respective entries should be mailed:

AGILITY SECRETARY

JPAWS Agility

1139 Mary Jane Ln, Beach Park IL 60099

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10321 Harrison Rd, Rockton IL 61072

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10403 Northwestern Ave, Franksville WI 53126

SPECIALTY JUDGING PANEL

Herding: Anita Ramsey, John Holman and Rick Hardin

Agility: Sandy Moody and Geoff Nieder

Obedience: Kathy Sweet and Alice Peterson

Rally: Kathy Sweet and Alice Peterson

Sweepstakes: Patricia Spradley

National Specialty: Linda Clark

Parent Specialty: Sulie Greendale-Paveza

2022 NATIONAL SPECIALTY CHAIRS/COMMITTEES

National Specialty Chair:

CHAIRS –Megan Harrison 515-577-6390

Lisa Pruksa 815-494-0384

<p>Agility: Amber McCune Conformation: Megan Harrison Herding Chair: Diana Smith Obedience: Lisa Pruksa Rally: Lisa Pruksa Camping/RV: Dan Flynn Catalog/Advertising: Angel Duffy Catalog Pre-orders: Angel Duffy Health Testing: Janice Swofford Herding Instinct Test: Diana Smith Judges' Education: Ronda Bermke Judges' Hospitality: Linda Ramas</p>	<p>Janet Larson Award: Lisa Pruksa Logo Design: Kate May Fitch Photographer: Teddy Lei Ribbons: Lisa Pruksa Silent Auction/Baskets: Pam Norman Specialty Wear: Julie Bosier Treasurer: Karen Mull Trophies: Show Chairs Vendors: Julie Fuller Banquet: BCSA</p>

EVENTS SCHEDULE (PRELIMINARY)

Monday – September 26

Herding

Tuesday – September 27

Herding

Wednesday – September 28

Agility:8am

Thursday – September 29

Agility: 8am

Dock Diving: 9am – 5pm

Splashes:9-12am

Hydrodash:12-1pm

Air Retrieve:4-5pm

Chili Cookoff 6pm

Annual Meeting 8pm

Friday – September 30

Herding Instinct Testing: 8am

Sweepstakes: 1pm

Rally Trial One

Rally Trial Two*

CAER exams: noon to 4pm

Dock Diving: 9am – 5pm

Splashes:9-12am

Hydrodash:12-1pm

Air Retrieve:4-5pm

Saturday – October 1

Junior Showmanship

National Specialty

Obedience

Sunday – October 2

Junior Showmanship

Parent Specialty

Obedience

This schedule is preliminary and subject to change.
Check your entry confirmation for final schedule.

ADVERTISING AND CATALOGS

Let the world know about your fantastic Border Collie! Whether it's a notable achievement or simply a dog you love, we encourage you to promote your dog, in the 2022 National Specialty Catalog. Full-page advertisers are entitled to a free catalog.

ADVERTISING RATES/INFORMATION

Individual advertisers are entitled to one free catalog to be picked up at the Specialty.

BCSA Members

Full-page Ad: \$85

Non-Members

Full-page Ad: \$100

Preferred Page Advertising

Inside front cover: \$400

Inside back cover: \$200

E-mail: Angel Duffy at
Duffak53@yahoo.com

NOTE: Begins 7/1/22 - First
come, first serve

- Ads will be placed in the order they're received except for preferred pages and inside front/back cover. All catalog advertising is in black and white, however, color, if provided, will be used on the web site.
- Preferred spots will be first come, first serve beginning on 7/1/22 at 8:00 am. E-mail your request to Angel Duffy at Duffak53@yahoo.com
- Sizes: Full: 4½" wide x 7½" tall
- You may set your own ad and e-mail it

[Advertising Form](#)

CATALOG PRICES

Pre-orders: Catalog (show pick-up) – \$40

A limited number of catalogs will be available for purchase at the Specialty for \$50, but they are guaranteed to sell out quickly! To ensure that you get one, we highly recommend you pre-order.

[Catalog Pre-Order Form](#)

CATALOG ADS ARE DUE WITH PAYMENT BEFORE
AUGUST 15

STUD DOG SOCIAL – NEW EVENT FOR 2022

Sips N' Studs ***A Stud Dog Showcase***

To Be Held Saturday Night, October 1, 2022
Approximately 1 Hour after Best of Breed
Grooming Room

Welcome to a new fun and exciting social event at the National Specialty, combining a pre-banquet happy hour and stud dogs! This event will be showcasing stud dogs, past or present, in a fun, educational format for breeders and exhibitors.

Participating stud dogs will be out on the grooming tables in setups in Purina Farms' Grooming Hall (noted by an identifiable marker where each dog to view is), where breeders and owners will offer participants the ability to meet these stud dogs in person, physically go over them, and engage with each other to talk about these special boys. Participants will wander from area to area, learning about the studs available in the breed. Dogs from all disciplines are welcome to participate. Have frozen semen available on a special dog of the past? We welcome frozen semen stud participants as well.

Bring some snacks to share in your setups with others and enjoy the cash bar that Purina Farms offers! Those who come to the event will also receive a punch card. Fill up your punch card after visiting a certain number of stud dogs, and you will have a chance to win a prize!

Each stud owner should be able to provide interested parties a stud packet or materials which would include a photo, pedigree, and copies of any health testing or clearances. We encourage creativity with your materials and your grooming table display!

No cost to enter or participate!

Pre-Registration Deadline: September 10, 2022

While pre-registration is encouraged, day-of registration is also welcome!

To pre-register your stud, please email Katie Rodgers at kageebcs@gmail.com

Pre-registrations will have their stud dog included in a program booklet that participants will receive at the entrance to the event, highlighting the stud dogs on display.

BANQUET

Immediately following the Stud Dog Social, please join us upstairs for our annual banquet. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WILL BE UPDATED HERE. PLEASE CHECK BACK!**

- Awards and Recognition
 - Quilt Auction
- Oil Painting Auction (2022 Logo)
- Silent Auction for Raffle Baskets

JUNIOR RECOGNITION

Saturday October 1st at the BANQUET

This year we would like to encourage all of the junior Border Collie fanciers to attend the banquet. We would like to introduce you and your dogs and brag about your accomplishments.

Please send a photo and a brief bio of your involvement with the Border Collie Breed. List special awards, brags, community service and number of years that you have been involved, why you like Border Collies and/or anything else that you would like. Photos and bios will be published in the specialty catalog. We want to get to know you and are glad to have you as a part of the BCSA. There will be a special gift for any junior attending the Junior Recognition!

[JUNIOR RECOGNITION REGISTRATION FORM](#)

JANET LARSON VERSATILITY AWARD

The Janet Larson Award recognizes the dog that exemplifies true versatility by successfully competing in herding and performance competitions. Dogs must qualify in herding and two other venues. You **MUST** be pre-registered to compete. Participants must submit a form with their acquired points at the end of each day.

HERDING: HIGHEST QUALIFYING SCORE FROM THE TRIAL CLASSES, SHEEP OR DUCKS, ANY COURSE OFFERED. STARTED THRU ADVANCED. Pre-Trial & Herding Test do not count. If a dog qualifies on more than one type of stock or course, the highest score will apply, with additional points awarded for the additional qualifying scores (as noted below). Each trial, each day, will be available for earning points, however only 1 score will count towards the weighted score, each additional qualifying score will be counted as detailed below. All scores used must be earned on the same day

Versatility Scores will be computed as follows:

Started: raw score

Intermediate: raw score plus 5 points

Advanced: raw score plus 10 points

Additional Qualifying Score Points will be computed as follows:

Started: 5 Points

Intermediate: 7.5 Points

Advanced: 10 Points

OBEDIENCE: 50% OF HIGHEST QUALIFYING SCORE FROM A REGULAR CLASS, NOVICE A & B, OPEN A & B, UTILITY A & B. Dogs may enter any combination of rally and/or regular or preferred obedience, however only 2 scores will count toward the versatility score

Versatility Scores will be computed as follows:

Novice: 50% of raw score/Preferred

Novice: 50% of raw score

Open: 50% of raw score plus 5 points/Preferred Open: 50% of raw score plus 5 points

Utility: 50% of raw score plus 10 points/Preferred Utility: 50% of raw score plus 10 points

RALLY: 50% OF HIGHEST QUALIFYING SCORE FROM A REGULAR CLASS, NOVICE A & B, ADVANCED A & B, and EXCELLENT A & B. Dogs may enter any combination of rally and/or regular or preferred obedience, however only 2 scores will count toward the versatility score

Versatility Scores will be computed as follows:

Novice: 50% of raw score

Advanced: 50% of raw score plus 5 points

Excellent: 50% of raw score plus 10 points

Masters: 50% of raw score plus 12.5 points

AGILITY: HIGHEST QUALIFYING SCORE FROM A STANDARD or JUMPERS CLASS. Only one qualifying run will accrue weighted points toward the total and only one additional score will count for additional points

Versatility Scores will be computed as follows:

Novice: raw score/Preferred Novice: raw score

Open: raw score plus 5 points/Preferred Open raw score plus 5 points

Excellent/Master: raw score plus 10 points/Preferred E/M: raw score plus 10 points

Premier: raw score plus 12.5 points

Additional Qualifying Score Points will be computed as follows:

Obedience Novice, Rally Novice, Agility Novice (including preferred classes): 5 Points

*Obedience Open, Rally Advanced, Agility Open
(including preferred classes): 7.5 Points
Obedience Utility, Rally Excellent and Agility Excellent
(including preferred classes): 10 Points
Rally Masters, Premier Agility: 12.5 points*

CONFORMATION: In order to earn maximum points for conformation, dogs should enter the conformation evaluation. All dogs competing for the versatility award will be judged against the BCSA AKC Breed Standard. Two judges, who will have qualifications appropriate to judging conformation, will judge the class using the score sheet from the BCSA Top 20 conformation competition. The scores from both judges will be added together and averaged to determine the final score. Details on ring procedure will be included in the premium each year. Additional points can be earned by also entering Working Sweepstakes or the National Specialty Conformation show

Versatility Score will be computed as follows:

*The average score given by the judges –
maximum 100 points.*

Additional Qualifying Score Points will be computed as follows:

*Compete in Working Sweeps or National Conformation: 5
Points
Win sweepstakes class or national
conformation class: 7.5 Points
Win major award (BOB, BOS, BOW,
AOM, etc): 10 Points*

TIES: The entire stock score will be used to break any ties. If the stock scores are even, then the rules to break a tie from the Herding Regulations will be used: (score from centerline on A course and score from outrun on B course). Exhibitors should keep their herding score sheets

[JANET LARSON ENTRY FORM](#)

TOP 20

The Top 20 showcases a select group of dogs which have excelled in AKC conformation competition. A multi-judge panel evaluates and scores the entrants.

We are honored to invite the following dogs:

**GCHG CH Sporting Fields Aeirs Above PT FDC THDN
CGC TKN ATT**

GCHG CH Mvr Diamonds In The Rough

GCHP CH Allymoon Curtain Call To Gladwyn

GCHG CH Rising Star's Happy One CGC TKI

GCHG CH Bon-Clyde Script's Grand Finale

GCHG CH Brittemar's Be Merry

GCHS CH Jbk The Battalion Of A&M At Baletka

GCHS CH Bellaclan Thway U Work It Sunset View

GCHS CH Elite Wedgewood Majestic Reign

**GCHS CH Element's Mystery Spot Reykjavik BN RN CGC
TKA**

**GCHS CH Hot Shot's Ticket To Twin Silos RA HT CGC
TKN**

GCHG CH Sporting Fields Winston Churchill

GCHB CH Stonewood's Living Proof Of Fenwick

GCH CH Kensington's Sun Also Rises

GCHS CH Omegamtn's Surprise Ending CA BCAT CGC

GCH CH Jbk Rock'N Me Amadeus

**GCHB CH Bold North Sporting Fields Get Ready 2 Be
Airborne BN RA NA OF BCAT ACT2 CGCA TKI**

**GCHB CH Bold North Sporting Fields Trip To P'Air'Adise
BN RA NA OF BCAT ACT2 CGCA TKI**

GCH CH Prairie Fire Garden In The Shade

GCHB CH Bmw Back In Black CA ACT1

**GCHB CH Blue Rose Bon-Clyde I Want To Be Starr CGC
TKN**

Top 20 Qualification Dates January 1 2021 through December 31, 2021

**We will also be hosting the Top 20 Owner Handler
Invitational for BCSA members. Invitees will be
determined by qualifying during October 1, 2021 – June
30th, 2022. Stay Tuned!**

Please join us in celebration of your beautiful border collies.

Start time 5pm Friday September 30, 2022

HANDLERS MEETING: We will host a handlers meeting at 2 pm on Friday September 30, 2022, next to the superintendents table. At this time, a random draw for running order will occur. If you're not available, please send someone on your behalf to draw your running order. We will explain event procedure and answer any questions you may have. Please let us know ahead of time if you will need assistance.

ATTIRE: Cocktail attire please

JUDGES: Three judge panel

CATALOG: The top 20 catalog will include a photo of the entered dog and a write up provided by owners, breeders or handler. We will read the write up for each dog at the completion of the Top 20 with awards. Please keep it to under one minute.

Entered dogs will receive a personalized ribbon. Entry fees are \$65.

AWARDS: The following awards are available

The Top 20 Winner will receive a ribbon and metal art.
The Owner Handler Top 20 award will receive a ribbon and metal art.

The People's Choice Award will be determined by spectator voting. Tickets will be available during judging. There will be no limit for how many tickets one person can buy. The award will be a ribbon. The proceeds will be divided 50/50 with breed rescue and the BCSA.

Entries will open July 1, 2022 and will close September 1, 2022. After you've completed and entry form you will receive a square link for payment. Entries are not valid until payment is received.

[TOP 20 ENTRY FORM](#)

[OWNER HANDLED INVITATIONAL ENTRY FORM](#)

Please contact Julie Despot with any questions.
lildespot@gmail.com

AGILITY

High In Trial & Reserve HIT Each Day For Each Level

Combined STD & JWW scores will be converted to yps

EX/Mast Dog

Open Dog

Novice Dog

BCSA Games Champion & Reserve Champion

Combine scores from T2B & FAST

For BOTH Days. All levels will compete against each other.

BCSA "Premier Cup" Champion (Place 1st through 3rd)

Scores combined from Prem STD & JWW BOTH Days.
All levels will compete against each other.

BCSA Border Collie Classic Champion

Top 10 dogs in each height from Ex/Mast STD & JWW combined scores from BOTH days will move on to a Finals Hybrid course on Thursday afternoon. Winner will be from in each height- preferred dogs will be scored in their regular height.

Veteran Glory Run Wednesday

This is a chance for you and your dog to celebrate your dog's agility career and will be held following agility on Wednesday. As the handler, you can choose any course and any jump height for the course.

Please complete the registration link below. Registration includes a personalized ribbon.

[Veterans Glory Run Entry Form](#)

RESERVED GROOMING

Reserved grooming is available in the Gateway Hall for \$20 per space. Grooming reservations are available starting July 13th. You will be able to choose your spot based on the order they're received. Please note, NO grooming will be allowed in the Great Hall.

[Reserved Grooming Reservation](#)

HEALTH TESTING AVAILABLE

BCSA is excited to be able to offer several opportunities for health testing at the National Specialty. We require 30 dogs to be able to offer CAER and BAER testing.

CAER Test – Thursday, September 29, 2022

Dr. Ben Johnson, Animal Eye Associates, St. Louis, MO

BCSA Members: \$60/dog

Non Members: \$70/dog

BAER Test – Thursday, September 29, 2022

Dr. Donald York

BCSA Members: \$60/dog

Non Members: \$70/dog

[CAER Registration Form](#)

[BAER Registration Form](#)

Please complete one form per dog! Thank you!

PHOTOGRAPHER POLICIES AND INFORMATION

- All first-place winners and major award winners are **REQUIRED** to have a photograph taken by the official show photographer. That photo is paid for by BCSA and becomes the property of BCSA and BCSA reserves the right to use all photographs in publishing show results in Borderlines.
- Anyone who desires a **PERSONAL** copy of the photo is requested to advise the photographer of this fact at the time the photo is taken. The photo is to be paid for at the time the order is placed.

PHOTOGRAPHERS:

Teddy Lei

<https://teddylei.smugmug.com>

PURINA INFORMATION

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CALL**



Please make sure you are prepared for an emergency with your dog(s). We recommend having your dog's photo, veterinarian's name and number, microchip information and emergency instructions attached to your dog's crate. Please include emergency contacts for yourself as well.

IMPORTANT CONTACT NUMBERS

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CALL SITE SECURITY:314-982-2222 IF LIFE-THREATENING, CALL 911 AND THEN CONTACT SITE SECURITY

Boles Fire Protection District:636-742-2313

Meramec Ambulance District:636-257-3048

Washington Veterinary Clinic:636-239-5445

Pacific Animal Hospital:636-257-2100

St. Louis Animal Emergency Clinic (24 hours): 314-822-7600

Webster Groves Animal Hospital & Urgent Care Center (24 hours):314-968-4310

Franklin County Sheriff Department:636-583-2560

Mercy Hospital in Washington, MO:636-239-8000

SSM Health St. Clare Hospital:636-496-2000

JUDGES' EDUCATION

There will be a JUDGES EDUCATION STUDY GROUP at the BCSA National Specialty on **SEPTEMBER 30TH AND OCTOBER 1ST**. Additional information will be updated here.



CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS

We need your help. Raise your hand to volunteer and make our National Specialty a memorable one! 🙌

To make the specialty a success we need volunteers for every event. No offers will be refused. We can find a job for you even if you can only give us a few hours per day throughout the specialty or work one full day.

[VOLUNTEER FORM](#)

CAMPING/RV INFO

RV reservations open July 13th.

Please email Dan Flynn at ButterflyfarmRI@gmail.com for a form.

All reservations must be made through Purina Farms by emailing the completed reservation form attached to rvparking@purina.nestle.com or mailing to Purina Farms, Att: RV Engagement Specialist, 300 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039. Please call (866) 979-2488 with any overnight camping questions.

Reservation Deadline is September 12th.

Please direct any BCSA RV related questions to Dan Flynn, our 2022 RV chair.



