

September 2002

September 2002 Secretary's Report

This report details the day to day activities of the ASCA Board of Directors and includes issues brought before the ASCA Board and communications done by mail, fax, e-mail and/or phone.

September 1- 30, 2002

90:03 SHOW RULES CHANGE - Section 3.14.

Motion by Davenport.

I move the following Conformation Committee motion.

In an effort to allow clubs who feel capable of doing so to host multiple conformation shows in one day and bring the Conformation rules in line with the recently changed Obedience rule allowing for multiple trials to be held on one day, the following rule change has been proposed:

MOTION by Joni Johnson, Second by Shelly Hollen

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2003

PROPOSED CONFORMATION RULE CHANGE

SECTION 3.14 - Only ASCA Affiliate Clubs, in good standing, may sanction ASCA events. A "type of event" is defined as Conformation or Obedience or Stockdog Trial or Tracking or Agility. An ASCA Affiliate club may host more than one Conformation event per day, per state or area (for those states or regions divided by areas).

a. California is divided into three (3) areas: from the Mexican border north to the city of Ventura, from Ventura north to San Jose, from San Jose north to Oregon.

Nevada is divided in two (2) areas:

From the southernmost border North to Highway 6 North to the Oregon and Idaho borders.

TO REPLACE CURRENT CONFORMATION RULE:

SECTION 3.14 Only ASCA Affiliate Clubs, in good standing, may sanction and conduct ASCA events. Only one type of event may be held in each state or area (in those states divided into areas). A type of event is defined as Conformation or Obedience or Stockdog Trial or Tracking or Agility. Same type of events would not be allowed to occur, such as more than one Conformation event per day per area.

a. California is divided into three (3) areas: from the Mexican border north to the city of Ventura, from Ventura north to San Jose, from San Jose north to Oregon. Nevada is divided into two (2) areas: From the southernmost border North to Highway 6 North to the Oregon and Idaho borders.

I. Alaska Affiliates may have more than one type of event per day from October 1 through March 30.

FOR: Kim Cochran, Peter Kontos, Andrea Torres, Denise Creelman, Liz Gibson, Shelly Hollen, Joni Johnson, Wendy Finsterwald, Celeste Telles, Gemi Brickson AGAINST: Teena Meadors (comments: I could see how this would benefit club that are renting an expense facility or clubs in distant locales such as Alaska or Germany but once it was allowed I know clubs would use it to host 6-8 shows over a holiday weekend. Somehow I begin to wonder about the creation of those 'cheap Champions.) NON VOTING: Mary Hellmeister

Board voting: Approve: Toft, Davenport, Trumbull-Clark & Warren. Disapprove: Aufox, Gray & Berryessa. Abstain: DeChant. Motion is approved.

98:11 OBEDIENCE RULES - Chapter 10, Section 6

Motion by Trumbull-Clark.

I move to accept the following recommendation from the Obedience Committee.

The Obedience Committee recommends to the Board of Directors the following change to the Obedience Rules, to become effective 1-1-03.

Chapter 10, Section 6, 7th sub section, delete "B. The second go-round of the Super Dog competition. 1. There will be 3 decks of cards, One will be marked Novice, one Open and one Utility. 2. The exhibitor will pick two cards from each deck for a total of six exercises. 3. Group exercises will be eliminated." replace with: "B. The second Versatility go-round of the Super Dog competition. C. Group Exercises will be eliminated. D. Bitches in season shall be allowed to compete.

Comments: This change is necessary to be consistent with the Section 6, paragraphs 2 3, and 4 which all refer to "go-rounds of Versatility" which is described as a class in Chapter 8, Section 6. The Versatility Class was corrected so as to be done fairly for all competitors by picking the order of 7 named exercises, rather than picking cards. This motion is not changing any rules per se, just cleaning up wording. Motion by Link, second Willems, unanimously approved.

Board voting: Approve: Aufox, Toft, Davenport, Trumbull-Clark, Berryessa, Warren and DeChant.
Abstain: Gray. Motion is approved.

Approved

Barbara Applegate from Provisional Breeder Judge to ASCA Approved Breeder Judge

Mary Quam from Provisional Breeder Judge to ASCA Approved Breeder Judge

Rachel Vest from Provisional Judge to ASCA Stockdog Judge

Ken Lyle from Provisional Judge to ASCA Stockdog Judge

Claire Gustafson as a member of the Junior Committee

Beth MacLehose from Region 4 as a member the MVA Committee

2003 NATIONAL SPECIALTY PREMIUM LIST -- Draft Approved with the following:

Correct list of ASCA Officers & Board of Directors. Add Catalogue to Summary Submission Form

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Registry Membership Show/Stock

Ind. Regs 515 New-Single 71 Sanc. Rec'd 13

Non Breeding 44 New - Dual 13 Sanc. Proc. 10

Litters 214 New-Foreign 0 Sanc. Pend 7

Transfer 70 New-Canadian 1 Results Rec'd

Lease 3 Renew-Single 212 Results Proc.

LEP 4 Renew-Dual 63 Results Pend. 11

Duplicates 8 Renew-Foreign 3 S&T Subscrip. 2

Hardships 3 Renew-Canadian 3 Certificates 1058

Pedigrees 21 JR Times 8

New Kennels 3 Affil. - New 0

Renew Kennels 18 Affil - Renew 0

New - Service 84

Lifetime 1

Judges Apps 2 Shows Held:

E-mail Requests 2342 # of Con/Obed 16

DNA Kits Mailed 32 # of Stock 8

DNA Tests Done 64 # of Ranch 4

of Agility 12

of Tracking 0