



The Bedlington Terrier Club of America, Inc.

GUIDELINES FOR STATISTICS AND AWARDS, ANNUAL AWARDS, SPECIAL AWARDS, AND ONGOING AWARDS

MISSION STATEMENT: The BTCA wishes to recognize high achievement in AKC events and in breeding programs by its members in good standing. Only BTCA members in good standing are eligible for the BTCA annual awards, hence statistics are kept only for the dogs owned by members in good standing.

RULES: BTCA Board Directors adopted the BTCA rules for the annual and ongoing awards. These rules are the basis of making all BTCA awards, and set the parameters and stipulations. Special awards concerning AKC Events and special recognition of high achievement in breeding efforts are also defined in the rules. Application for Best of Breed and five point major awards must be applied for within 60 days of the show where the award was won. The application must be made in writing, either by U. S. mail or email, to the BTCA Corresponding Secretary, and must be confirmed in the AKC Show Awards before the award is issued.

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REGULAR DUTIES OF THE BTCA STATISTICIAN

On a yearly basis the BTCA Statistician will record the results of competition in which Bedlington Terriers are represented for the purpose of compiling yearly results for our annual awards.

CURRENT BTCA STATISTICIAN

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REGULAR DUTIES OF THE BTCA AWARDS CHAIRPERSON

The awards chairperson will evaluate and grant the applications for Breeder of Distinction awards on a yearly basis if the qualifications are met. The awards chairperson will order all of the annual awards and present a report of the annual awards at the BTCA Annual meeting. The awards chairperson will present the awards at the annual awards dinner during the national specialty weekend and ship all awards to recipients unable to attend the annual awards dinner for a fee. Shipping costs for members receiving multiple awards and/or living outside of the United States will be calculated on an individual basis.

CURRENT BTCA AWARDS CHAIRPERSON

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RULES CONCERNING ALL AWARDS

1. All current members in good standing of the Bedlington Terrier Club of America, Inc. are eligible to compete. Points toward all awards will be calculated from the date an applicant's dues are recorded by the BTCA treasurer.
2. The competition period encompasses those American Kennel Club licensed shows and trials held between January 1 and December 31, inclusive of any given calendar year unless otherwise stated.
3. It is the owner's responsibility to notify the BTCA Corresponding Secretary of any changes in ownership for any dog being considered for a BTCA award.
4. Where dogs are registered in co-ownership, at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA for credit to be awarded. Where dogs are registered in co-ownership all owners names will appear on the award.
5. The following will apply to changes in membership status:
 - a) No credits shall be retroactively applied.
 - b) Wins achieved during a lapsed membership will not be credited.
 - c) Wins for dogs of co-owners will be tabulated from the date of membership recorded.
6. It is the members' responsibility to notify the BTCA statistician of any errors occurring in published show results, as well as to notify the AKC Show Records Department to request a correction be printed. The BTCA club records will be corrected only upon such publication.
7. It is the member's responsibility to notify the BTCA statistician of all obedience and rally obedience competition scores, including scores and date of trials, in order to be considered for the BTCA annual top obedience dog and top rally obedience dog award.
8. In the event that the awards chairperson and or statistician have an unresolved interpretation of the awards rules, authority to make a decision will revert to the BTCA board. The BTCA officers and board of directors will have the final authority to establish rules and to determine the granting of awards.

BEDLINGTON TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA ANNUAL AWARDS

All annual awards will be walnut photo plaques and will be awarded at the BTCA annual meeting each year by the BTCA awards Chairperson. In the case of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers who is a current member in good standing of the BTCA. Additional awards may be purchased from the BTCA awards chairperson for a fee.

ANNUAL CONFORMATION AWARDS

TOP BEDLINGTON TERRIER BEST OF BREED ANNUAL AWARD

The Top Bedlington Terrier Best of Breed Annual Award will be presented to the member owning the Bedlington Terrier with the highest number of points in Bedlington Terrier Best of Breed competition as reported by either the Canine Chronicle or Show Sight. In the case of co-ownership at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA. In the case of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the person that is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers who is a current member in good standing of the BTCA. This said Bedlington Terrier would be designated as the top Bedlington Terrier Best of Breed for the year.

TOP BEDLINGTON TERRIER BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO THE TOP BEDLINGTON TERRIER BEST OF BREED ANNUAL AWARD

The Top Bedlington Terrier Opposite Sex to the Top Bedlington Terrier Best of Breed Annual Award will be presented to the member owning the Bedlington Terrier of the Opposite Sex to the top Bedlington Terrier Best of Breed with the highest number of points in Bedlington Terrier Best of Breed competition as reported by either the Canine Chronicle or Show Sight. In the case of co-ownership at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA. In the case of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers who is a current member in good standing of the BTCA. This said Bedlington Terrier would be designated as the top Bedlington Terrier Best of Opposite to Top Bedlington Terrier Best of Breed for the year.

TOP BEDLINGTON TERRIER BREEDER OWNER HANDLER ANNUAL AWARD

The Top Bedlington Terrier Breeder Owner Handler Annual Award will be presented to the BTCA member with the highest number of points in Best of Breed competition for a dog who is breeder owner handled as reported by either the Canine Chronicle or Show Sight. This said BTCA member would be designated as the top Bedlington Terrier Breeder Owner Handler for the year.

TOP BEDLINGTON TERRIER OPPOSITE SEX BREEDER OWNER HANDLER ANNUAL AWARD

The Top Bedlington Terrier Opposite Sex to the Top Bedlington Terrier Breeder Owner Handler Annual Award will be presented to the BTCA member with the highest number of points in Best of Breed competition for a dog who is the best of opposite sex to the top Bedlington Terrier Breeder Owner Handler as reported by either the Canine Chronicle or Show Sight. This said Bedlington Terrier will be designated as the top Bedlington Terrier Opposite Sex Breeder Owner Handler for the year.

TOP BEDLINGTON TERRIER ALL BREED ANNUAL AWARD

The Top Bedlington Terrier All Breed Annual Award will be presented to the member owning the Bedlington Terrier with the highest number of points in all breed competition as reported by either the Canine Chronicle or Show Sight. In the case of co-ownership at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA. In the case of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers who is a current member in good standing of the BTCA. This said Bedlington Terrier will be designated as the top Bedlington Terrier All Breed for the year.

CONFORMATION TITLE ANNUAL AWARD PROTOCOL

Any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, that earns its CH title in Conformation is entitled to an award certificate.

ANNUAL COMPANION EVENTS AWARDS

The purpose of the annual Companion Events awards is to encourage Bedlington Terrier participation and excellence in Obedience, Rally Obedience, Agility, and Tracking trials. The competition period encompasses those American Kennel Club licensed trials held between January 1 and December 31, inclusive of any calendar year. Owners of dogs must submit scores and trial dates to the statistician by January 31st of the following year.

OTCH TITLE AWARD PROTOCOL

Any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which earns its first AKC OTCH (Obedience Trial Champion) title or its first POC (Preferred Obedience Champion) in Obedience is entitled to an award plaque.

TOP OBEDIENCE DOG ANNUAL AWARD PROTOCOL

The annual award is presented to the member whose Bedlington Terrier earns the highest average score for the legs (qualifying scores) required for a particular AKC Obedience title according to the below stated protocol for a given calendar year. Only a Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, is eligible to compete for the Top Obedience annual award.

The Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which earns the OTCH title that year is eligible for the BTCA's Obedience Dog Annual Award. If in a given year, more than one Bedlington, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, earns the OTCH title, then the dog with the highest combined scores for the three first/second placements required for the OTCH title will earn the BTCA's Obedience Dog Annual Award.

If in a given year there are no Bedlingtons earning the OTCH title, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which earns the POC (Preferred Obedience Champion) is eligible for the award. If in a given year, more than one Bedlington, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, earns the POC title, then the dog with the highest combined scores for the three first/second placements required for the POC title will earn the BTCA's Obedience Dog Annual Award.

If in a given year there are no Bedlingtons earning the OTCH title or POC title, then the annual award is presented to the member whose Bedlington Terrier earns the highest average score for the legs (qualifying scores) required for a particular AKC Obedience title according to the below stated protocol.

Any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the OGM (Obedience Grand Master) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a OGM title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the OM (Obedience Master) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a OM title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the UDX (Utility Dog Excellent) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a UDX title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the PUDX (Preferred Utility Dog Excellent) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a PUDX title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the UD (Utility Dog) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a UD title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has highest average score in earning the PUTD (Preferred Utility) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a PUTD title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has highest average score in earning the GO (Graduate Open) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a GO title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the CDX (Companion Dog Excellent) title that year is eligible for this award. The CDX title is also referred to as the Open Title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a CDX title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the PCDX (Preferred Open) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a PCDX title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the GN (Graduate Novice) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a GN title in any given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the CD (Companion Dog) title that year is eligible for this award. The CD title is also referred to as the Novice title.

TOP RALLY OBEDIENCE DOG ANNUAL AWARD

The annual award is presented to the member whose Bedlington Terrier earns the highest average score for the legs (qualifying scores) required for a particular AKC Rally Obedience title according to the below stated protocol for a given calendar year. Only a Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, is eligible to compete for the Top Rally Obedience annual award.

RALLY OBEDIENCE PROTOCOL

In any given year, the Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the RAE (Rally Advanced Excellent) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a RAE title in any given year then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the RE (Rally Excellent) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a RE title in any given year then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the RA (Rally Advanced) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a RA title in any given year then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has the highest average score in earning the RN (Rally Novice) title that year is eligible for this award.

TOP BEDLINGTON TERRIER AGILITY ANNUAL AWARD

The purpose of the top Bedlington Terrier agility award is to encourage Bedlington Terrier participation and excellence in agility trials. The top agility annual award will be presented to the Bedlington Terrier who receives the Top Bedlington Terrier Agility Award from the AKC for any given year. In order to receive the Top Agility Annual Award, the primary owner of this Bedlington must be a BTCA member in good standing.

MACH TITLE AWARD PROTOCOL

Any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which earns its First MACH title in Agility, is entitled to an award certificate.

TOP TRACKING DOG ANNUAL AWARD PROTOCOL

Only a Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, is eligible to compete for the Top Tracking Dog annual award.

In any given year the Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the VST (Variable Surface Tracking Test) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons completing the VST title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the TDX (Tracking Dog Excellent Test) title that year is eligible for this award.

If there are no Bedlingtons completing the TDX title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the TD (Tracking Dog Test) title that year is eligible for this award.

Owners must submit the trials and dates of accomplishment to the statistician by December 31 of the applicable year.

ANNUAL PERFORMANCE EVENTS AWARDS

The purpose of the annual Performance Events awards is to encourage Bedlington Terrier participation and excellence in Earthdog, Coursing, Fast CAT, and Barn Hunt. The competition period encompasses those American Kennel Club licensed trials held between January 1 and December 31, inclusive of any calendar year. Owners of dogs must submit scores and trial dates to the statistician by January 31st of the following year.

TOP EARTHDOG ANNUAL AWARD PROTOCOL

Only a Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, is eligible to compete for the Top Earthdog annual award.

In any given year, the Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the EE (Endurance Earthdog) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one EE dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog that earns the most extra EE

(Endurance Earthdog) legs after getting the EE title.

If there is no Bedlingtons earning EE title in a given year, then the Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for ME (Master Earthdog) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one ME dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the EE (Earthdog Endurance) title. If there is more than one ME dog eligible and neither dog earns legs towards the EE (Earthdog Endurance) title, then the award will go to the dog that earns the most Master Earthdog legs after getting the ME title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning the ME title in a given year then, any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for SE (Senior Earthdog) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one SE dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the ME (Master Earthdog) title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning the SE title in a given year then, any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for JE (Junior Earthdog) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one JE dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the SE (Senior Earthdog) title.

TOP COURSING ABILITY ANNUAL AWARD PROTOCOL

Only a Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, is eligible to compete for the Top Coursing Ability annual award.

In a given year, the Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the CAX (Coursing Ability Excellent) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one CAX dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most CAX legs towards the next CAX title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a CAX title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the CAA (Coursing Ability Advanced) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one CAA dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the CAX (Coursing Ability Excellent) title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning the CAA title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing which has completed the requirements for the CA (Coursing Ability) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one CA dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the CAA (Coursing Ability Advanced) title.

TOP FAST CAT ANNUAL AWARD PROTOCOL

Only a Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, is eligible to compete for the Top Fast CAT annual award.

In a given year, the Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the FCAT (Fast CAT) title AND has the fastest MPH (as determined by the AKC Fast CAT rankings for Bedlingtons that year) is eligible for this award. If there is more than one FCAT dog with the same MPH, then the award will go to the dog with the most points over 1000.

In a given year, if there is no Bedlington earning a FCAT title and that also has the fastest MPH (as determined by the AKC Fast CAT rankings for Bedlingtons that year), then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the DCAT (Dedicated CAT) title AND has the fastest MPH (as determined by the AKC Fast CAT rankings for Bedlingtons that year) is eligible for this award. If there is more than one DCAT dog with the same MPH, then the award will go to the dog with the most points over 500.

In a given year, if there is no Bedlington earning a DCAT title and that also has the fastest MPH (as determined by the AKC Fast CAT rankings for Bedlingtons that year), then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the BCAT (Beginner CAT) title AND has the fastest MPH (as determined by the AKC Fast CAT rankings for Bedlingtons that year) is eligible for this award. If there is more than one BCAT dog with the same MPH, then the award will go to the dog with the most points over 150.

TOP BARN HUNT ANNUAL AWARD PROTOCOL

Only a Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, is eligible to compete for the Barn Hunt annual award.

In a given year, the Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the RATChX (Barn Hunt Master Champion Excellent) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one RATChX dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most RATChX legs towards the next RATChX title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a RATChX title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the RATCh (Barn Hunt Master Champion) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one RATCh dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the RATChX title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning a RATCh title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier, whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing, which has completed the requirements for the RATM (Master Barn Hunt) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one RATM dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the RATCh (Barn Hunt Master Champion) title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning the RATM title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing which has completed the requirements for the RATS (Senior Barn Hunt) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one RATS dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the RATM (Master Barn Hunt) title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning the RATS title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing which has completed the requirements for the RATO (Open Barn Hunt) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one RATO dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the RATS (Senior Barn Hunt) title.

If there are no Bedlingtons earning the RATO title in a given year, then any Bedlington Terrier whose primary owner is a BTCA member in good standing which has completed the requirements for the RATN (Novice Barn Hunt) title that year is eligible for this award. If there is more than one RATN dog eligible, then the award will go to the dog with the most legs towards the RATO (Open Barn Hunt) title.

To verify the legs/titles earned in Barn Hunt, the owner must submit copies of the Trial Secretary Reports listing the dog's earned leg(s) and/or copies of the competition stickers indicating the trial, date, and statistics.

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR HANDLER ANNUAL AWARDS PROTOCOL

All Bedlington Terrier Junior Handlers who are ranked, based upon points won in Junior Showmanship competition, as reported by www.todaysbestjunior.com will receive an annual award. The #1 Junior Handler based upon Junior Showmanship points during that calendar year will receive an annual award plaque. Juniors ranked #2-#10 based upon their yearly Junior Showmanship Points will receive a rosette noting their achievements. All other ranked juniors will receive award certificates. The parent(s) of the junior handler must have a current BTCA family membership in good standing or the junior must be a current member in good standing.

BEDLINGTON TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA SPECIAL AWARDS

ANNUAL STUD DOG AND BROOD BITCH AWARDS: All dogs that complete the requirements will be eligible for the annual award.

Annual Stud Dog Award

The Annual Stud Dog(s) Award is awarded to the owner of any dog(s) who is the sire of 5 or more get who complete their championship requirements during any given twelve month period. In the case of coownership at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA. In the event of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the breeder, if the breeder is a CO-owner of the dog. If the breeder is not a CO-owner of the dog, the award will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers. Additional awards may be purchased from the Awards Chairperson for a fee.

Annual Brood Bitch Award

The Annual Brood Bitch(s) Award is awarded annually to the owner of any dog(s) who is the dam of 3 or more produce that complete their championship requirements during any given 12 month period. In the event of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the breeder, if the breeder is a CO-owner of the dog. If the breeder is not a co-owner of the dog, the award will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers. Additional awards may be purchased from the awards chairperson for a fee.

All Time Top Producing Sire Award

The All Time Top Producing Sire Award is presented to the owner of a dog who has sired 17 or more champions during his lifetime. The owners of the dog must notify the BTCA awards chairperson when they believe their dog's record is complete. In the event of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the breeder, if the breeder is a co-owner of the dog. If the breeder is not a co-owner of the dog, the plaque

will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers. Additional awards may be purchased from the awards chairperson for a fee.

All Time Top Producing Brood Bitch Award

The All Time Top Producing Brood Bitch Award is presented to the owner of the dog who is the dam of 8 or more champions. In the event of multiple ownership, the award will be presented to the breeder, if the breeder is a co-owner of the dog. If the breeder is not a co-owner of the dog, the plaque will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers. Additional awards may be purchased from the Awards Chairperson for a fee.

NOTE: The owners of the Champion get of the top producers need not be BTCA members.

BEDLINGTON TERRIER BREEDER OF DISTINCTION AWARD

The Bedlington Terrier Breeder of Distinction Award is open to all BTCA members in good standing who have owned/and or produced at least 20 Bedlington Terrier Champions. The member must either be the owner of the Champion, or the breeder of record. All CO-owners and/or CO-breeders need not be members.

The breeder must submit records of AKC confirmation to the BTCA awards chairperson on or before August 1 of any given calendar year. Each year all new recipients of the Breeder of Distinction award will be published in the spring issue of Tassels and Tales.

VERSATILE DOG AWARD

The award is presented to the BTCA member in good standing whose Bedlington Terrier earns titles in three (3) of the ten (10) available AKC events. In the case of co-ownership at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA. In the case of multiple ownership, the award plaque will be presented to the person who is listed first on the dog's AKC registration papers who is a current member in good standing of the BTCA. The same dog can only win this award once. In the event that some of the titles were earned prior to the owner becoming a member, the most recent title must have been earned after the owner became a BTCA club member. To receive the award, the owner must contact the BTCA awards chairperson by January 31st of the year in which the award is to be presented with the following information:

1. Names of the titles earned
 2. Dates and location of qualifying legs earned for performance and companion titles
 3. Dates and location of completion of conformation championship title.
- The Versatile Dog Awards will be presented once per year at the annual meeting of the BTCA, and published in Tassels and Tales.

CONFORMATION

1. **Conformation:** Championship (CH.) title

COMPANION EVENTS

2. **Obedience:** Companion Dog (CD), Graduate Novice (GN), Preferred Open (PCDX), Companion Dog Excellent (CDX), Graduate Open (GO), Preferred Utility (PUTD), Utility Dog (UD), Preferred Utility Dog (PUDX), Utility Dog Excellent (UDX), Obedience Master (OM), Obedience Grand Master (OGM), Preferred Obedience Champion (POC), Obedience Trial Champion (OTCH), Versatility (VER) titles
3. **Rally Obedience:** Rally Novice (RN), Rally Advanced (RA), Rally Excellent (RE), Rally Advanced

Excellent (RAE) titles

4. **Agility:** Novice Agility Standard (NA), Novice Preferred Standard (NAP), Novice Agility Jumpers (NAJ), Novice Jumpers Preferred (NJP), Open Agility Standard (OA), Open Agility Standard Preferred (OAP), Open Agility Jumpers (OAJ), Open Agility Jumpers Preferred (OJP), Agility Excellent Standard (AX), Agility Excellent Standard Preferred (AXP), Agility Excellent Jumpers (AXJ), Agility Excellent Jumpers Preferred (AJP), Master Agility Standard (MX), Master Agility Standard Preferred (MXP), Master Agility Jumpers (MXJ), Master Agility Jumpers Preferred (MJP), Novice Fast (NF), Novice Preferred Fast (NFP), Open Agility Fast (OF), Open Agility Fast Preferred (OFP), Agility Excellent Fast (XF), Agility Excellent Preferred Fast (XFP), Master Agility Fast (MXF), Master Agility Fast Preferred (MFP), Master Agility Champion (MACH), Preferred Agility Excellent (PAX), Preferred Agility Champion (PACH), Fast Century title (FTC1), Fast Century Preferred title (FTCP), Triple Q Excellent (TQX), Triple Q Excellent Preferred (TQXP), Time 2 Beat (T2B), Time 2 Beat Preferred (T2BP) titles
5. **Tracking:** Tracking Dog (TD), Tracking Dog Excellent (TDX), Variable Surface Tracking (VST), Champion Tracking Dog (CT) titles
6. **Therapy Dog:** Therapy Dog (THD), Therapy Dog Advanced (THDA), Therapy Dog Excellent (THDX), Therapy Dog Distinguished (THDD) titles

PERFORMANCE EVENTS

7. **Earthdog:** Junior Earthdog (JE), Senior Earthdog (SE), Master Earthdog (ME), Endurance Earthdog (EE) titles
8. **Lure Coursing:** Coursing Ability (CA), Coursing Ability Advanced (CAA), Coursing Ability Excellent (CAX), BCAT (Beginner CAT), DCAT (Dedicated CAT), FCAT (Fast CAT) titles
9. **Urban Search and Rescue:** Urban Search and Rescue Type I (SAR-U1), Urban Search and Rescue Type II (SAR-U2) titles
10. **Barn Hunt:** RATN (Novice Barn Hunt), RATO (Open Barn Hunt), RATS (Senior Barn Hunt), RATM (Master Barn Hunt), RATCh (Barn Hunt Master Champion), RATChX (Barn Hunt Champion Excellent)

ONGOING BTCA AWARDS

FIVE POINT MAJOR AWARD

The five point major award will be presented to any dog that earns a 5-point major in Bedlington Terrier breed competition. The same dog can only win this award once. In the case of co-ownership at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA. Written application for this award must be received by the BTCA Corresponding Secretary within 60 days of the show date where the award was received.

BEST OF BREED AWARD

The Best of Breed award will be presented to any dog who wins Best of Breed when 15 or more Bedlington Terrier dogs actually compete. The same dog can only win this award once. In the case of co-ownership at least one owner must be a current member in good standing of the BTCA. The BTCA Corresponding Secretary must receive written application for this award within 60 days of the show date where the award was received.

PLEASE NOTE: When a Bedlington Terrier is awarded BOTH a five point major and Best of Breed, with fifteen or more Bedlington Terriers present at the same time, the dog is eligible to receive BOTH the five point major award and the Best of Breed award. In the case of co-ownership at least one owner must be a

current member in good standing of the BTCA.

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