### NEW PROJECTS AND EVENTS FOR PARTICIPATION BY CLUBS AND MEMBERS

#### NEW COLLIE CLUB OF AMERICA AWARDS

The Public Relations Committee announces two new Collie Club of America (CCA) awards. Award # 1 recognizes CCA members for their outstanding service to CCA. Award # 2 recognizes local collie clubs for their outstanding collie promotion and outreach. Local collie clubs are located throughout the country. The foremost ambassador of collie promotion and outreach is the local collie club. With several social constraints that we have dealt with the last few years, it is paramount that we promote the collie and reach out to our communities. We want to honor CCA members and local collie clubs that are doing outstanding jobs.

Award # 1: "Certificate of Appreciation"

Nominations are open throughout the year to a CCA member who is recognized for his/her assistance in making the wheels of our organization turn so well. Some of our unsung CCA members contribute and go without recognition. We want to show our gratitude throughout the year with awarding the Certificate of Appreciation. The Certificate of Appreciation will be awarded quarterly.

Award # 2: "Outstanding Local Collie Club"

"Two local collie clubs will be recognized annually for outstanding collie promotion activities. To allow all clubs to participate, there are two tiers based on membership and resources.

• Tier 1 Clubs with membership of 25 or less

• Tier 2 Clubs with membership more than 25

Nominations will be accepted January 1 – January 31 (deadline).

Both local collie club honorees will receive recognition at the national and receive the coveted Collie Club of America Loving Cup. CCA will donate a Loving Cup to each honored club to be used for their Conformation show only and to be offered as their trophy for their Best of Breed prize or Best Opposite to Best of Breed or Best of Winners ONLY."

Refer to the CCA website for more information and the Nomination Forms. Honorees will be determined by the Public Relations Committee.

## LIBRARY OF CHAMPION BOOKS

<u>UPDATE FROM KAREN ANDERSON</u> on the pricing and moving forward for the production of new Library of Champions book series. Don't forget she even has an area for those of you that didn't make the deadlines previously and would still like to get your collies submitted.

The things to send her are as follows:

The Library of Champions accepts photos from either owners or breeders of collie AKC champions.

In order, to be included the photos either need to be mailed to the address below or send as an attachment to an email (please no embedded photos). Electronic submissions should be at least 300dpi which in size is roughly 1-3MB.

Submissions MUST include the following information:

Dog's registered name

Dog's AKC number

Dog's year of birth

Dog's year championship awarded by AKC

Sire

Dam

Breeder

Owner at the time of championship

There is no cost to be included in the Library of Champions

But if the owner/breeder submits the photos via USPS then return postage should be included, or the photos will not be returned.

## CONTACT by email preferred.

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# INFORMATION REGARDING UPCOMING HERDING TRIALS

Western Herding Regional September 8-10, 2023 – Fido's Farms, 9829 Evergreen Valley Road SE, Olympia WA

Chair – Linda Ward – <u>sinkonacollies@gmail.com</u>
Hotel Accommodations: Motel 6 – Turnwater & Quality Inn, Lacey WA – within 15 miles of site and Campground – 20 minutes from site.

Show Secretary - Kathy Walson - Walshona@aol.com

#### **Eastern Herding Regional**

September 23 – 24, 2023 – Scarlet Mills Farm, Birdsboro PA

Chair - Michelle Shoemaker - Treasurerco@aol.com

Hotel Accommodations: Comfort Inn, Pottstown, PA and Denver, PA and Red Roof, Denver PA (no overnight parking)

Show Secretary – BD White, delbayherding@gmail.com