



Saint Bernard National Archives & Hall of Fame

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New Criteria Added to the Hall of Fame (HF) -- Retroactive

In the past the Hall of Fame has required only **10 independent specialty show wins** to be inducted (BOB and/or BOS=10); SBCA win(s) need **not** be part of the count.

The National win(s) may be counted as part of the **10 independent wins** to reach the total of the 10 needed.

We also have a criteria of **2 SBCA wins only** to be inducted into the HF (BOB and/or BOS=2 at the National).

The new criteria now offers **1 SBCA win (BOB and/or BOS) PLUS 5 independent specialty show wins (BOB and/or BOS)**. **This is a combination criteria of a required SBCA win PLUS five OTHER independent specialty show wins.** The SBCA win(s) would **NOT** be part of the count of 5 independent specialty wins.

In going through the databases (129 years worth of complete data), only 10 new dogs were inducted from 1879 to date under this new criteria. There are also nineteen additional dogs inducted under this new criterion. This was due to the fact the nineteen were already in the HF from their prior 10 independent specialty wins and/or 2 SBCA wins. They merely met the new criteria first and then went on to meet another criteria. It did not change their standings any as they have now just met two HF criteria.

This new criteria does not make the HF any easier or open any "flood-gates." Again, only ten new dogs in our 129 year database were inducted. A dog that wins 5 independent specialties **PLUS** 1 SBCA win is quite an accomplishment and it **combines** and gives recognition to the dog who can win at both shows (independent and the SBCA National). *This is a little different twist from what we formerly had.*

The new criterion also extends to the Obedience wins. As it stood, (like conformation) 10 Independent High in Trials (HIT) were required for induction. As with conformation above, 2 SBCA HITs are also criteria for induction. **The new criterion requires 1 SBCA HIT, PLUS 5 OTHER independent specialty HITs wins.** This affects only two dogs from 1974 (the first SBCA Trial) to date. Since there are less independent trials now, this is a good addition, but not easy as one win would have to be at the SBCA trial.

Doubling the numbers (**2 SBCA wins PLUS 10 independent specialty wins**) earns a Plateau of Excellent, in conformation or obedience.

The following pages have the statistics of the change.

Regards,

John Cox

31 Inducted Dogs Under the New Criteria Retroactively

(*10 new Conformation inductees, *1 new Obedience inductee)

2 New Obedience Inductees

*SBCA 1 + Specialty Trials 5 1995 Beethovens Born To Please CD m Bossu, Darlene
SBCA 1 + Specialty Trials 5 1979 Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD f Buxton, K & D

29 New Conformation Inductees

SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2004 CH Aksalas Arie m	Baker, E & L & Lewis, S & R
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1970 CH Beau Cheval Traci La Mardoug f	Anderson, Marlene
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1987 CH Benbarons Yondo Von Gizer m	Beninger, B & A
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1997 CH Cache Retreat Academy f	Palmlblad, Ivan
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1991 CH Cache Retreat On A Clear Day f	Palmlblad, Ivan
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1980 CH Cypress Woods Baccarat m	Young, Bets
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1976 CH Da-Lu's Red Eagle m	Wolf, J & C
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2003 CH Halo St. Bala V Saviour f	Shields, C & G
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1976 CH High Chateaus Gero m	Vogel, H & W
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2006 CH Jamelles U Outabe In Picutres f	Mulligan, J & M
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1996 CH Lynchcreeks Executive m	Dunphy, C
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2000 CH Majestics Cenicienta f	Salmi-Kirkbride, Melody
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1985 CH Opdykes Cabernet Sauvignon f	Radcliffe, G & T
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1989 CH Opdykes Emerald f	Radcliffe/Paup
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1989 CH Opdykes Fair Warning m	Radcliffe, G
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2005 CH Opdykes On The Sauce f	Carolyn Cataldo & Radcliffe,
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1976 CH Opdykes Pure Sugar f	Radcliffe, G
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1995 CH Opdykes Stetson m	Radcliffe, G
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1991 CH Raphael Van Rijn m	Sykora, B & S
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2001 CH Revilos Quick Pick m	Oliver, B & D
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1997 CH Revilos Quincy m	Oliver, B & D
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1972 CH Rudes Hi Jinks V Buster f	Rude, Stan
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2005 CH Scandias Simon m	Boorsma, Paul
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1980 CH Sherimins Erica f	Paup, W & C
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1989 CH Snowsage Rasputin Van Rijn m	Sykora, B & S
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	1995 CH Sweetholms Heartbreak Kid m	Surface, L. & Diaz, M.
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2000 CH Trusts Gentle Ben V Slaton m	Bulicz, Linda/Wolf, J & S
SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2000 CH Woodhavens Bijan f	Cole-Sykora, Sherry
*SBCA 1 + Specialty Wins 5	2004 CH Woodhavens Rigene f	Vogel, H & Cole-Sykora, S

7 New Plateaus of Excellence

1 New Obedience Plateau

SBCA 2 + Specialty Trials 10 1981 Twin Oaks Honey Bear UDT f Buxton, K & D

6 New Conformation Plateaus

SBCA 2 + Specialty Wins 10	1992 CH Cache Retreat On A Clear Day f	Palmlblad, Ivan
SBCA 2 + Specialty Wins 10	1978 CH High Chateaus Gero m	Vogel, H & W
SBCA 2 + Specialty Wins 10	2001 CH Majestics Cenicienta f	Salmi-Kirkbride, Melody
SBCA 2 + Specialty Wins 10	1990 CH Opdykes Emerald f	Radcliffe/Paup
SBCA 2 + Specialty Wins 10	1977 CH Opdykes Pure Sugar f	Radcliffe, G
SBCA 2 + Specialty Wins 10	1998 CH Revilos Quincy m	Oliver, B & D

24 Affected Years From The New Inductees And Plateaus

1970, 1972, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979
1980, 1981, 1985, 1987, 1989
1990, 1991, 1992, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998
2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006

New additions to the Criteria For Induction and Plateaus of Excellence for the Saint Bernard Hall of Fame are now in effect in regards to Obedience...January 1, 2014.

There have been quite a few new obedience titles that the American Kennel Club (AKC) has introduced from 2009 forward. In 2009 the Graduate Novice (GN) & Versatility (VER) classes were changed into *titling* classes. Prior to 2009 they were non-regular classes. Also introduced in 2009 was the new Graduate Open (GO) titling class. In 2010 Beginner Novice (BN) came into being as an introductory class into obedience and/or a crossover from the introductory Rally classes.

It has now been FIVE (5) years since the GN, GO & VER classes were introduced thus giving us a five (5) year database for each class to evaluate. The databases show trends and the difficulty of the classes in regards to Saint Bernards earning titles in these new classes. Or should I say the trends in the owners training their dogs for the more advanced classes.

Saint Bernards titling numbers in the following classes since 2009:

Graduate Novice...5 titles

Graduate Open...1 title

Versatility...1 title

Beginner Novice...24 titles

In 2013 three (3) more classes have been introduced, Pre-Novice (PCD), Pre-Open (PCDX) and Pre Utility (PUTD). These classes are very similar to Regular classes so we can use the Regular class databases as a guide for how the new Pre-classes will prevail in regards to our breed titling. The main differences are a different Stay exercise in Novice, no Group exercises in Open plus optional lower jump heights. Pre-Utility has a three variations from the Regular Utility class.

In 2014 we now have new Urban Tracking titles to add in.

In regards to our Hall of Fame Criteria For Induction and Plateaus of Excellence the following classes are be added into to the mix in the Hall of Fame:

Graduate Novice (GN)

Graduate Open (GO)

Versatility (VER)

Pre-Novice (PCD)

Pre-Open (PCDX)

Pre-Utility (PUTD)

Urban Tracking titles

All the above changes are RETROACTIVE and have been updated in the databases.

Rally titles and Beginner Novice titles are not a part of the Hall of Fame criteria as they are *introductory level* classes. The Saint Bernard National Archives does track the titles and scores for Rally and Beginner Novice. One has to go beyond the *introductory levels* in performance to earn induction into the Hall of Fame.