

The Saint Bernard Club of America's



**Obedience, Tracking, Agility &
Performance Awards
Past & Present**

*The Saint Bernard Club of America's
1st National Obedience Challenge Trophy*



donated by
Samuel & Mary Harris in 1966

The rules for the awarding of the trophy were as follows:

1. Recipient must be a member of the SBCA while obtaining all scores to be considered toward the award.
2. The award to be given to the Saint Bernard with the highest score average from any three (3) AKC obedience trials obtained at AKC licensed shows during the period from January 1 to December 31. Said scores can be obtained in one or more obedience classes (Novice, Open, Utility), but must be obtained by the same dog. The average score will be computed from the official results published in the AKC GAZETTE.
3. In case of a tie of two (2) or more dogs, the trophy will remain in the possession of each winner for equal parts of the year.
4. In the event the trophy is won three (3) times by the same owner, the trophy shall remain in their possession and will be replaced with a trophy of equal value the following year.
5. Winners will supply to the *Saint Fancier*, the official publication of the SBCA, a suitable photograph, pedigree, and show record for publication at a suitable time.
6. Awarding of the trophy will be made at the SBCA's Annual Meeting of the club (usually the evening of the National Specialty Show) and the owner or his duly authorized representative shall be present to receive the award.

Past Recipients From 1966 to 1976

Remember these are the three highest scores of member's dogs only. A few years there were higher scores by non-members.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Dog</u>	<u>3 score average</u>	<u>Owner</u>
1966	Donbies Big Bertha CDX	195.50	Don Peterson
1967	Donbies Big Bertha CDX	197.33	Don Peterson
1968	Donbies Big Bertha UD	198.00	Don Peterson

The Saint Bernard Club of America's 1st Obedience Challenge Trophy was retired in 1968.

In 1969 The Saint Bernard Club of America purchased the 2nd Obedience Challenge Trophy.



1969	Donbies Big Bertha UD	193.83	Don Peterson
1970	Swiss Temerlane CDX	194.16	Mr. & Mrs. Coapstick
1971	Sanctuary Woods Up-Beat CD	195.50	Mrs. John Olson
1972	CH Bruno V Erick CDX	193.66	Richard & Susan Pratt
1973	Donbies Big Abe CD	197.50	Don Peterson
1974	Mistihil Turmwirt CDX	198.50	Ron McCallister
1975	Mistihil Turmwirt UD	199.30	Ron McCallister
1976	Mistihil Turmwirt UD	199.15	Ron McCallister

The Saint Bernard Club of America's 2nd Obedience Challenge Trophy was retired in 1976.

The trophy was discontinued and a National Challenge Obedience Trophy was offered, in its place, for the Highest Scoring Dog from the regular classes at the SBCA's National Specialty Trial.

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*The Saint Bernard Club of America's
Top Obedience Competition & Class Awards
1977-1986*

In 1976 the Saint Bernard Club of America's (SBCA) Achievement in Obedience Challenge trophy was retired (for the second time) and not replaced. Instead, a new challenge trophy was first offered in 1977 to the highest scoring dog from the regular classes at the SBCA's National Specialty Trial.

The first Achievement in Obedience trophy (donated by Samuel and Mary Harris) was instituted in 1966. Donbies Big Bertha UD and Don Peterson retired the trophy in 1968. The trophy was replaced by the SBCA in 1969. Mistihil Turmwirt UD and Ron McCallister retired the second National trophy in 1976. These early trophies were awarded to the Saint Bernard with the three highest scores from any of the American Kennel Club's (AKC) Novice, Open or Utility classes. The owner of the dog had to be a member of the SBCA to receive the award.

In 1977 (an era with large numbers of Saint Bernards in *all classes* of obedience), the SBCA's National Obedience Committee proposed a different set of criteria to recognize all the top obedience Saint Bernards in the *different regular AKC classes*, plus *the top overall competition dog* in the nation. A certificate was awarded at the Annual Meeting to the recipients. The following criteria and awards went into effect in 1977:

At the end of the calendar year, all the qualifying scores from the AKC's obedience classes (Novice, Open and Utility) were calculated based on the chart below. The dog with the highest point total was the **Top Competition Saint Bernard** in the nation. Also, the **Top scoring individual Saint Bernard in Novice, Open and Utility** were recognized. For the Top Novice, Open and Utility Saint, the *three highest score average* in said classes determined the recipient of that award. A certificate was presented to the dog's owner at the Annual Meeting of the Saint Bernard Club of America.

Competition points were calculated on the following chart

Every qualifying score from a regular obedience class (earned in a calendar year) counts. This system awards the high scoring dog, plus it awards the consistent scoring dog with many scores, which may not be all high scores.

<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
200.....	8
198-199½.....	7
195-197½.....	6
190-194½.....	5
185-189½.....	4
180-184½.....	3
175-179½.....	2
170-174½.....	1

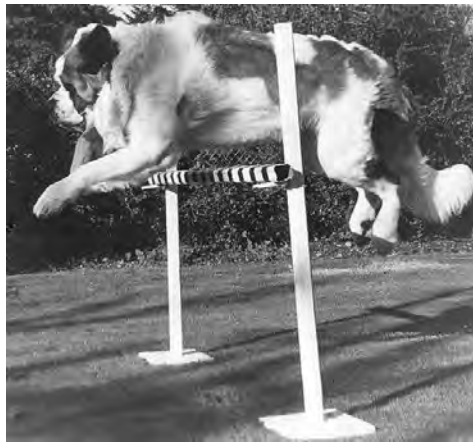
**Past Recipients of the Saint Bernard Club of America's
Top Obedience Competition & Class Awards**

From 1977-1986

<u>Year</u>	<u>Dog</u>	<u>Top Dog Total</u>	<u>Novice, Open, Utility High score average</u>	<u>Owner</u>
1977	Baroness V Manduke I CD	70		M. Szurek
Novice	Baroness V Manduke I CD		197.66	M. Szurek
Open	Lovecrafts Nita Nicklus UD		196.33	J. Sanderson
Utility	Lovecrafts Nita Nicklus UD		194.66	J. Sanderson

<u>Year</u>	<u>Dog</u>	<u>Top Dog</u> <u>Total</u>	<u>Novice, Open, Utility</u> <u>High score average</u>	<u>Owner</u>
1978	Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD	109		K. & D. Buxton
Novice	Sally XXII		195.66	B. Ingram
Open	Miss Aggies Brandy Bernard UD		195.33	J. & J. Meriweather
Utility	Miss Aggies Brandy Bernard UD		195.33	J. & J. Meriweather
1979	Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD	169		K. & D. Buxton
Novice	Folly Barns Ganymede CD		196.00	R. Jahnke
Open	Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD		197.83	K. & D. Buxton
Utility	Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD		196.00	K. & D. Buxton
1980	Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD	108		F. & D. Hahn
Novice	Lady Beatrice of Queens CD		197.33	K. & D. Buxton
Open	Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD		198.17	K. & D. Buxton
Utility	Twin Oaks Honey Bear UD		193.00	K. & D. Buxton
1981	CH Schnitzers Kunstwerk UD	87		Marilyn Murphy
Novice	Dustyacres Sweet Serenade CD		196.33	Steve Barret
Open	Lord Titus Groan CDX		196.00	Robert Harris
Utility	CH Schnitzers Kunstwerk UD		196.00	
1982	CH Schnitzers Kunstwerk UD	136		Robert Harris
Novice	Highpoints Mundys Muse CD		198.00	D. & B. Brenneman
Open	Highpoints Mundys Muse CDX		196.50	D. & B. Brenneman
Utility	CH Schnitzers Kunstwerk UD		196.33	R. Harris
1983	Dutchess Saint Catherine UD	73		M. Phillips
Novice	Locust Runs Thor XXXVI CD		196.16	J. & D. Waldrep
Open	Highpoints Mundys Muse CDX		197.00	D. & B. Brenneman
Utility	Dutchess Saint Catherine UD		192.66	M. Phillips
1984	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD	129		D. & B. Brenneman
Novice	Hickory Hills Hilda CD		191.83	M. Peters
Open	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD		198.16	D. & B. Brenneman
Utility	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD		194.83	D. & B. Brenneman
1985	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD	434		D. & B. Brenneman
Novice	Arcadias Alexanders Cujo CD		195.33	J. Foshee
Open	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD		199.16	D. & B. Brenneman
Utility	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD		198.33	D. & B. Brenneman
1986	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD	370		D. & B. Brenneman
Novice	Apogee Diamondlight Dawn CD		194.00	C. Biggs
Open	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD		198.33	D. & B. Brenneman
Utility	Highpoints Mundys Muse UD		196.66	D. & B. Brenneman

In honor of...



The Ch. Cherryacres Nicklus Von Hyden CD, CDX, UD

Saint Bernard Club of America Achievement in Obedience/Tracking Award
1987 to date

In 1986 the Saint Bernard Club of America's (SBCA) National Obedience Committee once again updated the criteria for recognizing the top achieving Saint Bernard in the United States. These revisions reflected the following changes, in the sport of obedience, for Saint Bernards:

1. The large obedience entries of the past era were now dropping off in our breed.
2. The American Kennel Club (AKC) was introducing many new "performance" titles to be earned in the fields of obedience and tracking.

The SBCA's Obedience Committee felt it necessary now to reward the Saint Bernard which kept showing year after year adding *many obedience and/or tracking titles* to its name. The committee felt it was time to reward the consistent dog that passed *many performance* events as opposed to one who did well in only one obedience class or one venue. The new award and criteria was adopted in 1987:

Each year a plaque in memory of **Ch. Cherryacres Nicklus Von Hyden UD** will be awarded to the Saint Bernard with the **Highest Achievement in Obedience and/or Tracking**. The presentation of the award to this dog's owner, or their duly authorized representative, shall be at the Saint Bernard Club of America's Annual Meeting providing the tally for the prior calendar year is possible (due to the timing of the Annual Meeting in relation to the publishing of the prior year's statistics in *American Kennel Club's AWARDS*).

This award will honor the Saint Bernard and its owner for the highest achievement in obedience and/or tracking as determined by the criteria set forth below. The criteria for the award are based on all AKC scores, titles, trials and tests for obedience and/or tracking in the preceding calendar year. These results are to be taken from the *AKC AWARDS*.

This award will be given to the dog that comes the closest to the highest criteria (#1 being the highest). The criteria are listed in order of difficulty for Saint Bernards based on the data from the Saint Bernard National Archives and Hall of Fame records from 1936 (first year of obedience/tracking) to date. These records may be viewed at: <http://clubs.akc.org/saints/Archives/Welcome.htm>

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| 1. OTCh, UDX, CT | 13. UDX, TDX |
| 2. OTCh, UDX, VST | 14. UDX, TD |
| 3. OTCh, UDX, TDX | 15. CT |
| 4. OTCh, UDX, TD | 16. VST |
| 5. OTCh, CT | 17. TDX |
| 6. OTCh, VST | 18. UDX |
| 7. OTCh, TDX | 19. UDT |
| 8. OTCh, TD | 20. UD |
| 9. OTCh, UDX | 21. TD |
| 10. OTCh | 22. CDX |
| 11. UDX, CT | 23. CD |
| 12. UDX, VST | 24. Highest Obedience Competition Dog
(Details at end of article) |

Tie-Breaking

If two or more Saint Bernards were to earn the same highest-level criteria (**for the calendar year**) for the Highest Achievement In Obedience/Tracking Award, the top dog would be chosen in the following order:

1. If the highest criteria Saint Bernards have more than one title, the dog earning the most obedience/tracking titles for the calendar year would be the recipient of the Highest Achievement Award.
2. If the above were still equal, the one with the highest competition points (for the calendar year) would be the recipient of Highest Achievement Award.
3. If the highest criteria dogs have obedience and tracking titles, the one with the highest competition points in obedience (for the calendar year) would be the recipient of the Highest Achievement Award.
4. If the highest criteria dogs have a tracking title(s) only, the award would be shared.
5. If two Saint Bernards were to tie for Highest Achievement Award (where no new titles were earned by any Saint Bernard for the calendar year) the Highest Achievement Award would be chosen in the following order:
 - a. The Saint Bernard with the highest obedience title with the most qualifying scores toward the next higher obedience title would be the recipient.
 - b. If all the above were still equal, then the Saint Bernard with the highest competition points towards the next higher obedience title would be the recipient of the Highest Achievement Award.
 - c. If the tie is between dogs that have scores *only* in the classes in which they **are** titled (Novice, Open, Utility), and no qualifying score(s) towards a higher title, then the Saint Bernard with the highest competition points will be the recipient of the award. The higher obedience class will take precedence, if needed, to break the tie.
 - d. If it comes down to a tie between dogs that have earned qualifying scores *only* in the Novice classes, in which they are **not** titled (and no other Saint Bernards earned titles for the calendar year), then the Saint Bernard with the highest competition points in Novice will be the recipient of the award.

Winners will supply to the *Saint Fancier*, the official publication of the SBCA, a suitable photograph, pedigree, and show record for publication at a suitable time.

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170-174½.....	1

**Past Recipients of the Saint Bernard Club of America's
Achievement in Obedience/Tracking Award**

1987 First Year of the Award

<u>Year</u>	<u>Dog</u>	<u>Owner</u>
1987	O.T. CH Highpoints Mundys Muse CD, CDX, UD	Barbara Brennemen
1988	WDCH Mar-Wil's Markus Von Hyden CD, CDX, TD, DD	John Cox
1989	WDCH Mar-Wil's Markus Von Hyden CD, CDX, UD, TD, DD	John Cox
1990	Excalibur's Distinction CD, CDX, UD	Barry & Judith Roland
1991	Brandy Stations Lady Ashley CD, CDX, UD	Patricia M. Olsen
1992	Schnitzer's Missing Link CD, CDX, TD	Thomas Pollard
1993	Hiltzbury's Tasha Baby CD, CDX	Rob-Lyn Hiltz
1994	Morris' Calla Lilly TD	Ann Crecelius & Walter Alsup
1995	Sand Creek Compadre v Montdor CD, TD	Dan & Maureen Wheeler
1996	CH Storybooks Legend v Sand Creek TD	Dan & Maureen Wheeler
1997	Beethoven Born To Please CD, CDX, UD	Darlene & Marc Bossu
1998	Nerthus Chrissy's Alpen Joy CD, CDX, UD	Norbert & Christine Kowal
1999	Nerthus Chrissy's Alpen Joy CD, CDX, UD, UDX	Norbert & Christine Kowal
2000	Belyn's Wendy Darlin CD, CDX, UD, DD	Penny Mahon & Lovey Olbrich
2001	Nerthus Chrissy's Alpen Joy CD, CDX, UD, UDX, UDX2	Norbert & Christine Kowal
2002	CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, VCD1, VCD2, DD	Johh & Suzanne Cox
2003	Nerthus Philys Chances R Good CD, CDX, UD, UDX	Norbert & Christine Kowal
2004	CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, UDX, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP, MJP, VCD1, VCD2, DD	Johh & Suzanne Cox
2005	WDCH Echos Utmost CD, CDX, UD, TD, TDX, NA, NAJ, OA, OAJ, VCD1, VCD2, DD, WP	Lovey Olbrich
2006	Kings Row Uno Mas St. Hampton CD, CDX	Louie & Jill Urbina
2007	Stoans Greta of Mabri CD, RN	Dr. Fay Cho
2008	CH Echos Xtra Sweetie V Eddy CD, CDX, RN, RA, DD, WP	Lovey Olbrich
2009	CH/WDCH Echos Xtra Sweetie V Eddy CD, CDX, TD, RN, RA, DD, WP	Lovey Olbrich
2010	Snowy Pine's Hummer CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, NAP,	

- 2011 Shadow Mtn Playit Again V Reema **CD RN TD DD** Lovey Olbrich
- 2012 **WDCH** Stoans One Hit Wonder V Yixy **CD, CDX, UD, RN, TD, DD2, DDX** Wendy Lee
- 2013 **WDCH** Shadow Mtn Playit Again V Reema **CD, CDX, UD, GN, RN, RA, RE, RAE, TDX, DD** Lovey Olbrich
- 2014 **WDCH** Shadow Mtn Playit Again V Reema **CD, CDX, UD UDX, OM1, GN, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, TDX, DD** Lovey Olbrich
- 2015 **Excaliburs Muse** **CD, CDX, BN, RN, RA, DDX, WP** Barry Roland
- 2016 **CH Summerlyns U R My Keb V Showme** **CD, CDX, BN, RE, ThD, CGCA**
Colette Weishaar & Sheila Rush & William Buell III
- 2017 **WDCH Excaliburs Muse** **CD, CDX, UD, BN, RN, RA, DDX, TDD, WP, WPX, WPS**
Barry Roland
- 2018 Blue Collars Once to Every Woman **CD, CDX, BN, GN, RN, RA, RE, RM, RAE, RAE2, FDC, CGC** James Trunk
- 2019 Joker Alsani Giants **CD, BN, CGC** Janet Russie
- 2020 Brandau Ridge Tak'n A Walk Thru Ur Heart **BN, NAP, NJP, OAP, RN, SCN, SHDN, SBN, SIN, SEN, SWN, SINE, SCNE, SCA, SIA, SBNE, SENE, SWNE, SBA, SCAE, SEA, SIAE, SWA, SCE, TKN, BCAT, DCAT, CGC** Shari Hoffman-Preucil

Thanks to Nancilyn Kroushl for researching many the past recipients from the 1960s and early 1970s.

In honor of...



CH/WDCH Stoans Dudley Do Right Of Jay-U, CD, CDX, DD, WP, WPX, WPS
Saint Bernard Club of America Achievement in Agility Award

Each year a plaque in memory of **Ch/WDCh Stoans Dudley Do Right Of Jay-U CDX, DD, WPS** (*the FIRST Saint Bernard to qualify in American Kennel Club (AKC) Agility on June 24, 1995*) will be awarded to the Saint Bernard with the **Highest Achievement in Agility**. The presentation of the award to this dog's owner, or their duly authorized representative, shall be at the SBCA's Annual Meeting, providing the tally for the prior calendar year is possible (due to the timing of the Annual Meeting in relation to the publishing of the prior year's statistics in the *American Kennel Club's AWARDS*).

This award will honor the Saint Bernard and its owner for the highest achievement in AKC Agility as determined by the criteria set forth below. The criteria for the award is based on all AKC scores, times, titles, and trials for agility in the preceding calendar year. These results are to be taken from the *AKC AWARDS*.

This award will be given to the dog that comes the closest to the highest criteria (#1 being the highest). The criteria are listed in order of difficulty for Saint Bernards based on the data from the Saint Bernard National Archives and Hall of Fame records from 1994 (first year of AKC Agility Trials) to date. These records may be viewed at: <http://clubs.akc.org/saints/Archives/Welcome.htm>

Winners will supply to the *Saint Fancier*, the official publication of the SBCA, a suitable photograph, pedigree, and show record for publication at a suitable time.

1. **MACH**
2. **PACH**
3. **PAX**
4. **FTC1, FTCP2**
5. **Lifetime Awards, Bronze, Silver, Gold & Century, in that order**
6. **MX, MXJ or MXP, MJP or MF, MFP or T2B2**
7. **AX, AXJ or AXP, AJP or XF, XFP or T2B**
8. **OA, OAJ or OAP, OJP or OF, OFP**
9. **NA, NAJ or NAP, NJP or NF, NFP**
10. **Top Agility Competition Dog—details at #4 in Tie-Breaking.**

Tie-Breaking

If two or more Saint Bernards were to earn the same highest-level criteria (**for the calendar year**) for the Highest Achievement In Agility Award, the top dog would be chosen in the following order:

1. If the highest criteria Saint Bernards have more than one agility title, the dog earning the most agility titles for the calendar year would be the recipient of the Highest Achievement Award.
2. If the dogs were still equal, the one with the most qualifying scores towards the next highest agility title would be the recipient of Highest Achievement Award.
3. If the dogs were still equal, the one with the highest qualifying scores (for a title[s] in the calendar year) would be the recipient of Highest Achievement Award.
4. If the dogs were still equal, then the Saint Bernard with the highest qualifying scores and lowest times would be the recipient of the Highest Achievement Award.
5. If two or more Saint Bernards were to tie for Highest Achievement Award (where no new agility titles were earned by any Saint Bernard for the calendar year) the Highest Achievement Award would be chosen in the following order:
 - a. The Saint Bernard with the highest agility title with the most qualifying score(s) toward the next highest agility title(s) would be the recipient.
 - b. If the dogs were still equal, then the Saint Bernard with the highest qualifying scores and lowest times towards the next higher agility title(s) would be the recipient of the Highest Achievement Award.
 - c. If the tie is between dogs that have scores only in the classes in which they **are** titled, then the Saint Bernard with the highest scores and lowest times (for the calendar year) will be the recipient of the award.
 - d. If it comes down to a tie between dogs that have earned qualifying scores *only* in the novice classes in which they are **not** titled (and no other Saint Bernards earned titles for the calendar year), then the Saint Bernard with the highest scores and lowest times will be the recipient of the award.

**Past Recipients of the Saint Bernard Club of America's
Achievement in Agility Award**

2001 First Year of the Award

<u>Year</u>	<u>Dog</u>	<u>Owner</u>
2001	Sir Hennessy Cognac NA, NAJ, OA, OAJ, DD, WP, WPX, WPS	Ray & Barbara Slish
2002	Sir Hennessy Cognac NA, NAP, NAJ, NJP, OA, OAP, OAJ, OJP, DD, WP, WPX, WPS	Ray & Barbara Slish
2003	CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP, MJP, VCD1, VCD2, DD	John & Suzanne Cox
2004	WDCH Sir Hennessy Cognac NA, NAP, NAJ, NJP, OA, OAP, OAJ, OJP, AXJ, AXP, AJP, DD, WP, WPX, WPS	Ray & Barbara Slish
2005	CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, UDX, RN, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP, MXP 2, MXP3, MXPB, MJP, MJP2, VCD1, VCD2, DD, WP, WPX	John & Suzanne Cox
2006	CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, UDX, RN, RA, RE, RAE, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP, MXP 2, MXP3, MXP4, MXPB, MJP, MJP2, MJP3, MJPB, VCD1, VCD2, DD, WP, WPX, WPS	John & Suzanne Cox
2007	CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, UDX, RN, RA, RE, RAE, RAE2, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXPB, MXPS, MJP, MJP2, MJP3, MJP4, MJPB, NFP, OFP, XFP, VCD1, VCD2, DD, WP, WPX, WPS	John & Suzanne Cox
2008	Almshaus Joshua Kool Diamond NA, NAJ, NAP, NJP, RN, RA, WP, WPX, WPS	Ray & Barbara Slish
2009	Almshaus Joshua Kool Diamond NA, NAJ, NAP, NJP, RN, RA, WP, WPX, WPS	Ray & Barbara Slish
2010	Snowy Pine's Hummer CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, NAP, NJP, NFP, OJP, OFP, DD, TD	Terry Popish
2011	WDCH Snowy Pine's Hummer CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, NAP, NJP, NFP, OAP, OJP, OFP, AJP, XFP, DD, TDD	Terry Popish
2012	WDCH Snowy Pine's Hummer CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, RAE2, NAP, NJP, NFP, OAP, OJP, OFP, AXP, AJP, MJP, MJP2, XFP, DD, TDD	Terry Popish
2013	PACH/WDCH Snowy Pine's Hummer CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, RAE2, NAP, NJP, NFP, OAP, OJP, OFP, AXP, AJP, XFP, MXP, MXP2, MXP3, MXPB, MJP, MJP2, MJP3, MJP4, MJP5, MJP6, MJP7, MJPB, MJPS, PAX, MFP, T2BP, T2BP2, T2BP3, DD, TDD, CGC	Terry Popish
2014	PACH2/WDCH Snowy Pine's Hummer CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, RAE2, NAP, NJP, NFP, OAP, OJP, OFP, AXP, AJP, XFP, MXP, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP6, MXP7, MXPB, MXPS, MJP, MJP2, MJP3, MJP4, MJP5, MJP6, MJP7, MJP8, MJP9, MJP10, MJP11, MJP12, MJPB, MJPS, MJPG, MJPC, PAX, PAX2, MFP, MFPB, T2BP, T2BP2, T2BP3, T2BP4, T2BP5, TQXP, DD, TDD, CGC, CGCA	Terry Popish

2015 **PACH3/WDCH** Snowy Pine's Hummer **CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, RAE2, NAP, NJP, NFP, OAP, OJP, OFP, AXP, AJP, XFP, MXP, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP6, MXP7, MXP8, MXP9, MXPB, MXPS, MXPG, MJP, MJP2, MJP3, MJP4, MJP5, MJP6, MJP7, MJP8, MJP9, MJP10, MJP11, MJP12, MJP13, MJP14, MJP15, MJPB, MJPB2, MJPS, MJP2, MJPG, MJPC, PAX, PAX2, PAX3, MFP, MFPB, MFPS, T2BP, T2BP2, T2BP3, T2BP4, T2BP5, TQXP, DD, TDD, TDD2, CGC, CGCA, CGCU**
Terry Popish

2016 **PACH4/WDCH** Snowy Pine's Hummer **CD, CDX, UD, GN, GO, VER, RN, RA, RE, RAE, RAE2, NAP, NJP, NFP, OAP, OJP, OFP, AXP, AJP, XFP, MXP, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP6, MXP7, MXP8, MXP9, MXP10, MXPB, MXPS, MXPG, MXPC, MJP, MJP2, MJP3, MJP4, MJP5, MJP6, MJP7, MJP8, MJP9, MJP10, MJP11, MJP12, MJP13, MJP14, MJP15, MJP16, MJP17, MJPB, MJPB2, MJPS, MJP2, MJPG, MJPC, PAX, PAX2, PAX3, PAX4, MFP, MFPB, MFPS, T2BP, T2BP2, T2BP3, T2BP4, T2BP5, T2BP6, TQXP, DD, TDD, TDD2, CGC, CGCA, CGCU**
Terry Popish

2017 **No Recipient**

2018 Brandau Ridge Takn A Walk Thru Ur Heart **BN, NAP, NJP, RN, SCN, SIN, SINE, SBN, SHDN, SWN, TKN, CGC**
Shari Hoffman-Preucil

2019 Brandau Ridge Takn A Walk Thru Ur Heart **BN, NAP, NJP, OJP, RN, SCN, SIN, SINE, SBN, SHDN, SWN, SBNE, SCA, SENE, SIA, SWNE, TKN, BCAT, CGC**
Shari Hoffman-Preucil

2020 Swissmiss Shayne Snowflake **BN, NAP, NJP, OAP, NFP, OFP, XFP, RN, RA, RE, SEN, SIN, TKN, TKI, TKA, CGC, CGCA**
Sarah Friedlander

In honor of...



CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, UDX, RN, RA, RE, RAE, RAE2, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXPB, MXPS, MJP, MJP2, MJP3, MJP4, MJPB, NFP, OFP, XFP, VCD1, VCD2, DD, WP, WPX, WPS

Saint Bernard Club of America Achievement in Performance Events Award

Each year a plaque in honor of **CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van t' Hof Ten Eynder VCD2, UDX, RAE2, MXP5, MJP4, XFP, DD, WPS** (the **FIRST** Saint Bernard to earn a AKC's Versatile Companion Dog [VCD title] in 2002) will be awarded to the Saint Bernard with the **Highest Achievement in AKC Performance Events**. The presentation of the award to this dog's owner, or their duly authorized representative, shall be at the SBCA's Annual Meeting, providing the tally for the prior calendar year is possible (due to the timing of the Annual Meeting in relation to the publishing of the prior year's statistics in *American Kennel Club's AWARDS*).

This award will honor the Saint Bernard and its owner for the highest achievement in AKC's Performance Events as determined by the criteria set forth below. The criteria for the award are based on all AKC scores, times, titles, trials and tests from AKC performance events. These results are to be taken from the *AKC AWARDS*.

This award will be given to the dog that comes the closest to the highest criteria (#1 being the highest). The criteria are listed in order of difficulty for Saint Bernards based on the data from the Saint Bernard National Archives and Hall of Fame records from 2001 (first year of VCD titles) to date. All performance titles earned by Saint Bernards from 1936 (1936 was first year of Obedience/Tracking and 1994 was the first year of AKC Agility) to date are listed in the Archives. These records may be viewed at:

<http://clubs.akc.org/saints/Archives/Welcome.htm>

Winners will supply to the *Saint Fancier*, the official publication of the SBCA, and a suitable photograph, pedigree, and show record for publication at a suitable time.

1. **VCCh {Versatile Companion Champion} = OTCH, MACH & CT**
2. **VCD4 {Versatile Companion Dog 4} = UDX, MX, MXJ or MXP, MJP, VST**
3. **VCD3 {Versatile Companion Dog 3} = UD, AX AXJ or AXP, AJP, TD**
4. **VCD2 {Versatile Companion Dog 2} = CDX, OA, OAJ or OAP, OJP, TD**
5. **VCD1 {Versatile Companion Dog 1} = CD, NA, NAJ or NAP, NJP, TD**
6. **The dog having a title from each of the three performance venues**

Tie-Breaking

If two or more Saint Bernards were to earn the same highest-level criteria (**for the calendar year**) for the Highest Achievement In Performance Events Award, the top dog would be chosen in the following order:

1. The Saint Bernard earning the most obedience/tracking/agility titles for the calendar year would be recipient of the Highest Achievement Award.
2. If the dogs were still equal, the one with the highest competition points in obedience and/or the highest agility scores and lowest times (for the calendar year) would be the recipient of Highest Performance Achievement Award.
3. If a tracking title was the **only** title making the dogs eligible for the calendar year, then the tie would be broken by the one with the highest competition points in obedience and/or the highest agility scores and lowest times (for the past calendar **years**) would be the recipient of Highest Performance Achievement Award.

Competition points are calculated on the following chart

Every qualifying score from a regular obedience class earned in a calendar year counts. This system awards the high scoring dog, plus it awards the consistent scoring dog with many scores which may not be high scores.

<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
200.....	8
198-199½.....	7
195-197½.....	6
190-194½.....	5
185-189½.....	4
180-184½.....	3
175-179½.....	2
170-174½.....	1

**Past Recipients of the Saint Bernard Club of America's
Achievement in Performance Events Award**

2001 First Year of the Award

<u>Year</u>	<u>Dog</u>	<u>Owner</u>
2001	No recipient	
2002	CH/WDCH Xmax Kris Van t' Hof Ten Eynder CD, CDX, UD, TD, NAP, NJP, OAP, OJP, VCD1, VCD2, DD	John & Suzanne Cox
2003	Echo's Utmost CD, TD, NA, NAJ, VCD1, OA	Lovey Olbrich
2004	Echo's Utmost CD, CDX, UD, TD, NA, NAJ, OA, OAJ, VCD1, VCD2, DD, WP	Lovey Olbrich
2005	No recipient	
2006	No recipient	
2007	No recipient	
2008	No recipient	
2009	No recipient	
2010	No recipient	
2011	No recipient	
2012	No recipient	
2013	No recipient	
2014	No recipient	
2015	No recipient	
2016	No recipient	
2017	No recipient	
2018	No recipient	
2019	No recipient	
2020	No recipient	