

## **CRC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS**

(From the CRC Policy document, revised & BOD approved Sept 2011)

The Colonial Rottweiler Club Achievement Awards were created to recognize the achievements of Rottweilers owned by CRC members in good standing with special recognition given to those titles earned by owner handlers. These awards were designed to recognize those members who honor:

“the emphasis shall be placed upon working ability and other outstanding qualities of the character of this breed, as well as appearance”,

as stated in the first sentence of the CRC Code of Ethics, and

“to encourage and promote the highest standards in the breeding of pure-bred Rottweilers and to do all possible to bring their natural qualities to perfection”,

as stated in the CRC By-Laws.

Since the CRC is a sanctioned AKC club, point preference is given to AKC titles.

These awards are for Rottweilers owned by CRC members in good standing. In the case of co-ownership, at least one of the co-owners must have been a member of CRC when the dog earned the point requirement, but both co-owners must be members to be eligible for the Achievement Award. The only exception is if the co-owner is a member of the immediate family, as defined by AKC \*, in which case only one co-owner need be a CRC member. (\* Immediate Family as defined by AKC: husband, wife, father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister.)

To be eligible for any award, a Rottweiler must meet the following requirements:

1. have earned at least one (1) “3 pt” working title
2. have earned each point while the dog is owned (and co-owned, if applicable) by a CRC member(s) in good standing, and
3. have met the point requirements

Application must be made for these awards within 1 (one) year of earning the required points to become eligible for each level.

A copy of the dog’s individual registration certificate **MUST** accompany the application.

Eligibility for points must be verified by:

- a copy of the title certificate for obedience and championship titles;
- a copy of the scorebook for schutzhund titles;
- the date, show, class and judge’s name for scores, HIT, 5 point majors and specialty wins;
- a signed affidavit of hours of volunteer work by the appropriate hospital or organization for therapy/service dogs.

**BRONZE AWARD**  
**15 points**

**SILVER AWARD**  
**40 points**

**GOLD AWARD**  
**60 points**

### **CONFORMATION**

#### **SERVICE DOGS**

To obtain credit for service work as Therapy Dogs, Hearing Dogs, or Handicapped Helpers, the Therapy Dog must have completed 52 hours of work with patients and be registered with an accredited organization such as Therapy Dogs International or Delta, and the Hearing Dog or Handicapped Helper must have completed one (1) year of service to a handicapped person and be registered with an accredited service dog organization. Therapy Dogs and Hearing or Handicapped Dogs are eligible even if they have not earned a working title.

#### **HEROIC DEEDS**

To be eligible for points, the heroic deed must be authenticated by a recognized system (e.g. Gaines). Dogs having performed a heroic deed are eligible for an Achievement Award even if they have not earned a working title.

#### **CARTING**

To be eligible for points, dogs must be **OWNER HANDLED** (this applies to immediate family as defined by AKC) to titles. If the dog was previously titled when purchased by a CRC member, the dog is **NOT** eligible for points for those titles unless the title was obtained while the dog was owned by a CRC member in good standing.

## **RALLY**

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## **SCHUTZHUND**

To be eligible for points, dogs must be OWNER HANDLED (This applies to immediate family as defined by AKC) to titles. If the dog was previously titled when purchased by a CRC member, the dog is NOT eligible for points for those titles unless the title was obtained while the dog was owned by a CRC member in good standing. Only those titles obtained at DVG, USA or ADRK Trials will be recognized, except that titles earned at NASA Trials prior to 1984 will be recognized. High In Trial, if more than 3 competing and score is at least an SG rating and courage is “pronounced” or “a” 3

## **OBEDIENCE**

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## **TRACKING**

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## **HERDING**

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## **AGILITY**

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## **ARC VERSATILITY TITLES**

**Application for an award must be made within one year of becoming eligible for that level.**

The Achievement Awards will be presented at the CRC Annual Meeting.