# MOST VERSATILE COLLIE AT THE 2014 NATIONAL SPECIALTY (Revised 3/10/14)

- Most Versatile Collie Trophies: 15" CCA Loving Cup & MVC Rosette offered by Collie Club of America
  - S&W Rough Collie hand sculpted by Pam MacClintock, in memory of Lois Russell (Cannondale Collies)
  - Porcelain Statue of CH Wind-Call's Ballerina from original 1964 molds in memory of the artist and collie icon, Glen Twiford (1919-2013). Re-issued editions by Laura Weiss-2014, offered by Janine Walker-Keith.

Most Versatile Collie Qualifiers: • 8" Pewter Plate with CCA logo and Qualifying Rosette

To be eligible for this award a Collie must participate in at least two of the four AKC events offered by the CCA (Breed, Obedience/Rally, Agility or Herding). [NOTE: MVC qualifier requirements were revised due to ducks-only herding trials.] Sign up for the award at any performance event. You must sign up for the award to be eligible, and signup sheets must be turned in to **Jim or Judy Smotrel** by the end of the agility trials.

The following rules will be used to determine the winner from the Collies that qualify for the award. Note that weighting factors are used in each of the performance events to recognize the increased difficulty of the higher level classes. In the BOV conformation classes, points are awarded based on number of cuts the dog makes. In the non-BOV classes, points are awarded based on the number of dogs defeated in the class. All scores will be recorded from the posted Judge's sheets. Jim Smotrel will maintain the official scores at this show.

#### RULES FOR THE MOST VERSATILE COLLIE AWARD

To qualify for this award, your Collie needs a qualifying score in at least two of the four AKC events at the National Specialty. Only one score will be counted for each event. The Collie obtaining the highest point total will win the award. In each event, the highest score that can be obtained towards this award is 100. The following scoring system will apply:

## **BREED:**

- All Collies that are a conformation Champion or have at least 5 championship points will receive a minimum of 40 MVC points for entering and showing in a conformation class at the CCA National.
- Collies with less than 5 championship points will not automatically receive any MVC points for showing in a conformation class. Points will only be awarded for placing in a class and defeating competition.
- Since this is an individual award, Brace Class performances do not count. No points will be awarded to Collies entering a conformation class and not showing (i.e. marked absent).
- In the BOV class, points will be awarded as follows:

Making no cuts: 40 points Making first cut: 50 points Making second cut: 60 points Making third cut: 70 points 80 points Awards of Merit: Reserve Winners: 75 points Winners: 80 points Best of Winners: 85 points BOS to BOV: 90 points Best of Variety: 100 points

- In all other conformation classes, points will be awarded based on the number of dogs defeated in that class as follows:
  - No placement 40 points for conformation Champions and Collies with 5 or more CH points

0 points for Collies with less than 5 CH points

Two (2) MVC points are awarded for every dog defeated in the class up to a maximum Placements

total number of 70 MVC points.

### HERDING: (No Points are awarded for Herding Instinct or for Exhibition Only entries)

Passing: 50 points Herding Tested Class: Pre-Trial Tested Class: Passing: 50 points

Started Trial Class: 90% of total score (out of 100) Intermediate Trial Class: 95% of total score (out of 100) Advanced Trial Class: 100% of total score (out of 100)

### **OBEDIENCE/RALLY OBEDIENCE:**

Beginner Novice: 40% of total score (out of 200) Novice: 45% of total score (out of 200) Grad. Novice: 46% of total score (out of 200) Open: 47% of total score (out of 200) Utility: 50% of total score (out of 200) Veterans: 45% of total score (out of 200) Rally Novice: 60% of total score (out of 100) Rally Advanced: 75% of total score (out of 100) Rally Excellent: 90% of total score (out of 100)

## **AGILITY:**

Standard & JWW Classes, both Regular and Preferred:

Novice: 90% of total score (out of 100) Open: 95% of total score (out of 100) 100% of total score (out of 100) Excellent: FAST Class, all levels: 125% of total score (out of possible 80) Time 2 Beat: 95% of (90 + T2B points earned)