

CCRCA Records Committee Annual Report 2017/2018

Date: 5/24/2018 Update to Jan 2018 Report

Chairperson: Mary Kay Morel

Committee Members: None. (But Committee interfaces with Stephanie Ayers and Andy Ayers)

Previous Year's Goals (2017)

- Verify HOF/ROM/ROMX applications submitted.
- Coordinate appropriate plaques and award them to recipients. (These honors are usually awarded at the club's National Specialty banquet and awards dinner. If recipient(s) do not attend, plaque(s) are shipped to them.)
- Update HOF/ROM/ROMX lists for inclusion in Specialty catalog list. Provide timely list updates to Stephanie Ayers, who has been coordinating the Specialty catalog).
- Get official approval from CCRCA BOD regarding plaques versus certificates for ROM and ROMX, similar to HOF.
- Verify ROM award for Flash (CH Jangio's Lightning Bug, CD RAE CGC ROM) and provide certificate to his primary owner, Winnie Reed.

Progress Toward 2017 Goals

- CCRCA approved motion to award plaques (versus just certificates) for ROM and ROMX Curlies, similar in design to HOF plaques. Note: ROM/ROMX plaques include more text and are necessarily larger and more expensive than HOF awards.
- ROMX award plaque for CH Pizzazz Over the Top (Sirius") was awarded to Iris Andre at the 2017 Specialty banquet.
- Verified that ROM award for Flash (CH Jangio's Lightning Bug, CD RAE CGC ROM) and provided confirming certificate to his primary owner, Winnie Reed.

Note: even though Previous Records Chair, Kathy Kail, had already awarded a plaque for this dog to Winnie Reed, that action was never properly recorded or communicated to interim Records Chair (Andy Ayers) or current Records Chair (Mary Kay Morel). As a result, the dog's name was also not included in the list of ROM dogs in the Specialty catalog. This inadvertent omission was very distressing to the owner(s). After many requests and a lot of miscommunication relating to identifying the issue and then rectifying it, a ROM application was submitted, along with a photo of the ROM plaque previously awarded. Mary Kay Morel verified that this dog did indeed earn his ROM, (but did not yet meet the requirements for a ROMX). The ROM listing was rectified in the 2017 catalog and Chairperson publicly apologized to Winnie Reed during the awards banquet for the inadvertent omission. The certificate was not presented at the banquet itself, but was hand-delivered to Winnie Reed by the club president, Jennifer Harms since the dog was not receiving a new award.

2018 Goals

- Update application forms for HOF/ROM/ROMX on website to make current Records Chairperson Mary Kay Morel the contact instead of previous Interim Chairperson Andy Ayers. Also need to add owner's email, phone and dog's call name to the application form. (((Incomplete)))
- Continue with previously stated goals of verifying applications for HOF/ROM/ROMX titles, updating the list for club use and awarding plaques to honorees. (((Complete)))
- Investigate ideas for updating qualifying title criteria towards these awards. Possibly get additional definition on "worthy exceptions" that can be voted on by the BOD. (((Ongoing, incomplete Mary Kay Morel requested clarification from the BOD regarding ambiguity in ROM/ROMX criteria relating to Obedience. BOD did not feel Emergency Motion was needed and left decision about ROM/ROMX award up to Records Committee (MKM), who decided to make the award based on points and overall merit/contribution to the breed.)))

Budget Request for 2018

- \$250 requested (usage breakdown follows)
 - \$150 for plaques and engraving. (Cost is approx \$55 per HOF and \$55-\$75 for ROM/ ROMX). So far, two applications for awards have been received: Iris Andre for CH Pizzazz Bellissimo ("Bella") and Kathy Shifflett for CH Addidas Such Charm ("CeCe"). Anticipate receiving at

least one or two additional applications for awards prior to May 2018 Specialty. (((completed in 2017)))

- Shipment of plaques, if required. (((No Shipment Needed. Recipients Attending.)))

Budget Disbursements

- Approximately \$107 billed directly to club by engravers (Gilson's Inc. in Montgomery, Ohio).
- Approximately \$43 remaining funds in committee budget from 2017. (((Due to billing mix-U by Gilson's, this was not paid until late in 2017.)))
- No disbursements made yet against 2018 budget (((Invoice for \$107.00 for 2018 awards is being billed directly to CCRCA for 2018.)))
- For 2019, anticipate three, but possibly more applications for ROM/ROMX. (((Willow, Bella (ROMX), and Caper)))

Recommendations to the Board

- To approve proposed annual report and budget as submitted.