



Breeders' Class



The Breeders' Class is a new AKC "Special Attraction" to showcase successful breeders and offered only at Independent specialties.

This class is unique in that the entry must be made by the *Breeder* or *Co-Breeder*. The basis for the awards in this class is the consistent superior quality of the breeder's entry, a unit of four dogs.

NCNE is honored to present the NCA Inaugural Breeders' Class on Wednesday following Sweepstakes judging. The judge for this event is Sylvia Hammarstrom. Ms. Hammarstrom is an AKC Working Group judge who has bred more than 1000 Giant Schnauzer champions under the Skansen kennel prefix.

In order to make this new Breeders' showcase as memorable as possible, we are soliciting donations to cover the expense of special trophies, rosettes, exhibitor tokens, ring favors, etc. Everyone who donates to this fund will be acknowledged in the catalog. Sponsors contributing \$50 or more will be entered in a Thank You drawing for a hand painted wooden Newfoundland sign. The donation form is below.

The Breeders' Class entry form and eligibility requirements can be found on pages 2 and 3. If you are entering this special class please make sure you send in both the entry form and the instructions and agreement page. Entries close on March 10. Please see the article in *Newf Tide*, Volume 38 Number 4, for additional information about the class.

We hope to see you in the ring or ringside, after Sweepstakes, for this exciting new event!

Breeders' Class Donation Form

Deadline: March 1, 2008

Mail to: Susan Carbone, P.O. Box 434, Turner, ME 04282

For more information: Marget Johnson, 40 Journey's End, Surry, ME 04684 wwnewf@wildmoo.net

The Newfoundland Club of New England welcomes your donation in any amount to the inaugural Breeders' Class. All donations will be acknowledged in the catalog. Sponsors who contribute \$50 or more will be entered in a Thank You Drawing for a custom-designed Newfoundland sign hand painted by Anne Parsons. The winner of the drawing will be announced at the Welcome Reception on Tuesday night. If you would like to make a donation please complete the form below:

Sponsor _____

Amount \$ _____

In Honor of _____

In Memory of _____

Best number to reach you _____ Email _____

Submitting multiple payments? To write one check/credit card authorization use the order summary form.

METHOD OF PAYMENT

enclosed check (US funds) payable to NCNE 08 OR credit card indicated: MasterCard Visa Discover
Please note the credit card transaction will appear on your statement as: NEWF NATIONAL 08

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Expiration Date _____ Signature _____

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Breeders' Class Entry Form

ENTRIES CLOSE: March 10, 2008



The Breeders' Class recognizes the BREEDER who consistently breeds quality animals. This is a conformation class and will be judged by AKC Working Group judge Ms. Sylvia Hammarstrom after Sweepstakes on Wednesday. There is no other venue to present your dogs and your breeding goals in quite this fashion. It is **YOUR** chance to show **YOUR** point of view where the Newfoundland is concerned!

Entry Fee: \$40.00 (ONE fee for four [4] dogs as a unit). The breeder must be present but is not required to handle any entrant. Please read and sign the agreement on the reverse. Unsigned entries will NOT be accepted.
All entries will be listed in the catalog.

DOG #1

Name of Dog: _____ AKC#: _____ Birthdate: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Breeders: _____ Owners: _____

DOG #2

Name of Dog: _____ AKC#: _____ Birthdate: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Breeders: _____ Owners: _____

DOG #3

Name of Dog: _____ AKC#: _____ Birthdate: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Breeders: _____ Owners: _____

DOG #4

Name of Dog: _____ AKC#: _____ Birthdate: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Breeders: _____ Owners: _____

In order for this entry to be accepted you must agree to and sign the reverse. You must include both the front and the back along with your payment. Failure to do so will result in the entry being rejected.

DO NOT MAIL THIS FORM TO THE SUPERINTENDENT! MAIL, ALONG WITH YOUR ENTRY FEE OF \$40.00, TO:

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Breeders' Class Instructions and Agreement



Instructions

1. All dogs MUST be entered in another regular or non-regular class at this show. This will be verified. Dogs NOT entered in another regular or non-regular class at this show will prevent the entire UNIT from being shown.
2. All Neutered and Spayed Newfoundlands ARE eligible.
3. All dogs presented will be judged to the breed standard.
4. Each dog must have its own handler.
5. Dogs may be entered in ONE unit only.
6. The Breeder must be present to accept an award but is not required to handle any entrant.
7. The 4 Newfoundlands comprising each entry MUST HAVE ONE BREEDER/CO-BREEDER IN COMMON FOR EACH DOG.
For Example Joan Smith enters the following Unit of 4 dogs:
 - Dog #1 Bred by Joan Smith
 - Dog #2 Bred by Joan Smith and Tom Jones
 - Dog #3 Bred by Harry Brown and Joan Smith
 - Dog #4 Bred by Joan Smith
8. Unit entries must be made on the form on the reverse side.
9. The Unit must represent more than one litter and no more than two entrants shall have identical parentage.
10. The Breeder need not be the owner of any of the dogs.

Agreement

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. **I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.**

I CERTIFY that I am the actual breeder or co-breeder of the dogs and that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner(s) whose names I have entered on the reverse. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed above. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

Person authorized to make this entry:

Print Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____ Phone: _____