

# TO THE POINT



American Pointer Club

June 2016



A few of the highlights from the June APC Board Meeting included the approval of Purebred Studios for a one-year contract to video the 2017 National Specialty. **We need people to step up and help narrate the conformation events. To make it easier on everyone if we have three people, each taking one day, to sit with the videographer and name each dog as they are being examined it would be great. Contact Susan Savage if you would like to help. If we do not have anyone to step up and assist the videographer watching the video will be like watching the old silent movies without the music!**

Be on the lookout for a survey from the Website committee. The survey will arrive on your computer. The committee is interested in knowing just what you the members would like to see on the new website. The Health and Research Committee also have a survey in the works.

Starting next year, only the official show photographs will be used in the b/w section of Pointer Points that identifying all the winners.

The Board voted to continue the Purina Parent Club Partnership. See description of the program below.

The Board also voted to reinstate the Thyroid rebates through May 1, 2017.



## PURINA PARENT CLUB PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM BENEFITS TO THE APC

### Purina Parent Club Partnership Program

For 2015 APC had 955 Pro Club Members declare for the PPCPP, but only 174 members submitted weight circles for the year. We earned \$5,033.80. Half of this, \$2,516.90 is given to the Canine Health Foundation (CHF), for use in our donor advised fund. The remaining half is given to APC to be used specifically for funding education, health research and/or rescue.

In the last 10 years that APC has participated with Purina's program we have generated just over \$60,000. That is a lot of support, with half going to research via our donor advised fund at CHF, and the other half to our Club's use in funding education, health and/or rescue. Just think of what we could have earned had more Pro Club members taken the time to submit their weight circles! If you are using Purina join their Pro Club and turn in those circles! To those of you that have been turning in circles Purina, Canine Health Foundation, and APC thank you—keep up the good work!

# FUTURITY CHANGES

## Futurity Changes Beginning with 2018 Enrollments

FIRST ENROLLMENT AND LATE FIRST ENROLLMENT -The First Enrollment is due before the puppy is three (3) months of age. The fee is \$10.00 if all owners are members of APC and \$20.00 if any owner is not a member of APC. The fee for the first enrollment if late, but before four (4) months of age, is \$20.00 if all owners are members of APC and \$30.00 if any owner is not a member of APC. No first enrollments can be accepted after the puppy is four (4) months of age.

SECOND ENROLLMENT AND LATE SECOND ENROLLMENT -The Second Enrollment is due before the puppy is six (6) months of age. The fee is \$10.00 if all owners are members of APC and \$20.00 if any owner is not a member of APC. The fee for the second enrollment if late, but before seven (7) months of age, is \$20.00 if all owners are members of APC and \$30.00 if any owner is not a member of APC. No second enrollment can be accepted after the puppy is seven (7) months of age.

FINAL ENROLLMENT - The Final Enrollment Fee is due **at least thirty (30) days prior to the APC National Specialty Show & Field Futurity Stake** for which the puppy has been nominated. The fee of \$10.00 if all owners are members of APC and \$20.00 if any owner is not a member of APC.

### THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT WILL BE ADDED TO THE PPG

In the event of fees hand-delivered to the futurity chair, the futurity chair will send an e-mail confirmation to the person. Fees are accepted by either cash, check, money order, or PayPal and the date of submission is based on the postmark of the envelope containing the fees or the date of the PayPal transaction.

## Up Coming Regional Club Events: September

**Greater Delaware Valley Pointer Club**  
**Specialty Show and Sweepstakes – September 10, 2016**  
Somerset County Kennel Club – Bridgewater, NJ  
Contact Information – Karen Spey Karen.spey@yahoo.com  
Superintendent – MB-F  
Breed Judge – Debra Thornton  
Sweepstakes Judge – Susie Kissik