

AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award

In the American Kennel Club's ongoing efforts to recognize and celebrate its volunteer club members, The AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award program was established in 2006 to provide each member club with an AKC Medallion to award to one of its own on a yearly basis.

This award honors those individuals who deserve special recognition that have made a difference in the sport of purebred dogs, embodied the AKC Code of Sportsmanship, and have been an active and valued member of an AKC member club.

TO NOMINATE:

Nominations: AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award will be solicited in the "To the Point" newsletter issue before the February 1st deadline. Submitted names will be presented at the annual Board meeting. Board members may submit one name at the meeting.

The candidates nominated must demonstrate some of the following qualities:

- I. Promotes goodwill amongst others.
- II. Supports the activities/wins of others, extending good wishes
- III. Has the "good of the dogs" at heart
- IV. Encourages others who may need encouragement
- V. Is courteous, friendly, and kind, especially to newcomers
- VI. Volunteers time to educate people about dogs, the club and club activities.

Shows interest regarding other breeders' ideas and thoughts on breeding, their litters and their dogs

- VII. Offers ideas for breeding, care, grooming, handling, training, etc
- VIII. Displays integrity, fairness and honesty

Deadline for submission **February 1st yearly. Please submit letter of recommendation along with nominee's name.**

Nominations for this prestigious award should be sent to:
correspondingsecretary@americanpointerclub.org



AKC Outstanding Sportsmanship Award established 2006. The following are APC recipients.

*Kristie Reisenweaver
Susan Bleckley
Karen Spey
Kathy Parks
Debra Freidus DVM
Karen Blasche
Susan London
Patricia Lillesand
Phyllis Kroll
Susan Kissik
Karen Gaupp
Valerie Stern
Pam Waitman
Diane Townsend*