## TOPS TERRIER AWARD Scoring

## **TOPS Terrier Rules**

- All terriers who qualify in at least 2 eligible performance venues during TOPS are eligible for a prize
- Eligible performance venues are as follows:
  - Agility standard and JWW on Friday and Saturday
  - Barn Hunt Friday and Saturday
  - o Obedience Saturday and Sunday
  - o Rally Saturday and Sunday
  - Earthdog is NOT an eligible venue because not all terriers can compete
- Owners shall submit a score sheet during the first performance venue they compete in during the weekend
- Owners are responsible for updating the score sheet by the end of each day
- Points go to the terrier, regardless of the handler in each venue
- In the case of a tie, the tie breaker will be as follows:
  - 1. Each dog in the tie shall be given one additional point for every Q at the highest level of the venue. In agility only 1 standard and 1 JWW Q will count so that each of the 4 leveled venues has a possible 2 additional points.

2. If the dogs are still tied, each dog in the tie shall be given one additional point for every "bonus point" they earned (such as High in Trial or TOPS agility terrier).

3. If the dogs are still tied, the winner shall be decided by a coin toss.

## **TOPS Junior Award**

- For the TOPS Junior Award the points will be collected by the Junior for every dog they handle that qualifies in any venue. No minimum number of dogs or venues is required.
- Juniors need not own or co-own dogs to accrue points for handling them.
- In Fast CAT handling is defined as either releasing or catching a dog.
- Juniors and dogs they handle are eligible for the regular TOPS and over achiever awards under those requirements

Dog's Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

## Handler:\_\_\_\_\_

Agility	Novice STD	Novice JWW	Open STD	Open JWW	Ex/Mas STD	Ex/Mas JWW	TOPS agility	Total
Trial 1 (Fri)	1	1	2	2	3	3	1	
Trial 2 (Sat)	1	1	2	2	3	3	1	

Obedience*	Beginner Novice *	Novice*	Grad Nov*	Open *	Grad Open*	Utility *	High Combined	Total
Trial 1 (Sat)	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	
Trial 2 (Sun)	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	

\* Terriers earn TOPS points only for the *highest-level class in which they qualify*. For example, a Q in both Open and Utility earns 6 points. A Q in Open and an NQ in Utility earn 4 points. Qs in BN and N earn 2 points.

Rally*	Novice*	Intermediate *	Advanced *	Excellent *	Master *	High Combined	Total
Trial 1 (Sat)	2	3	4	5	6	1	
Trial 2 (Sun)	2	3	4	5	6	1	

\* If a terrier qualifies in two or more runs from advanced, excellent, or master, *points are accrued only from the highest* qualifying class. For example, a Triple Q earns 6 points. Qualifiers in both advanced and excellent earn 5 points.

Barn Hunt	Novice	Open	Senior	Master	First in Master	Total
Trial 1 (Fri AM)	2	4	5	6	1	
Trial 2 (Fri PM)	2	4	5	6	1	