

ALISON STRANG VERSATILITY CHALLENGE AWARD

The Versatility Challenge Award is to recognize outstanding achievement by a dog in multiple venues and to promote continued versatility in the Breed.

To qualify for this award a dog must complete either a CKC Championship Title and/or a CKC Field Title. Only these 2 Titles can be completed prior to the 2 year timeframe as laid out below. A dog must then obtain CKC Certificates in a minimum of 3 additional separate venues. Title Points are cumulative. A Minimum of 5 Titles are required and must be achieved in the 2 year timeframe between National Specialties. There is no maximum for titles earned.

There will be a GOLD, SILVER and BRONZE awarded to the top 3 qualifying Dogs. The Award is to honour the top 3 dogs in the specified 2 year period. Any one dog can only receive each level, BRONZE, SILVER and GOLD a maximum of one time. If a dog receives the Bronze Award, he/she is still eligible to receive the Silver or Gold. If a dog is awarded Silver he/she is still eligible for the Gold. If a dog is awarded Gold he/she is no longer eligible for this award.

Copies of all CKC Certificates are required as evidence of completed Titles in order to be counted towards your point total. Partially completed legs will not be counted.

Title Certificates must be submitted by April 30 prior to the upcoming Specialty.

Any Certificates received after this date will not count.

Timeframe to complete the requirements is from Jan 1 to Jan 1 coinciding with the National Specialty years, ie 2021, 2023 etc. This is to allow enough time for Certificates to be received from the CKC and then sent in to be calculated for your point total.

The Points awarded are cumulative and are totalled based on certificates received by April 30 prior to the National Specialty in the 2 year period. For example, if a dog receives a CD and CDX in the same 2 year period, the points for the CD would be 2 points and the points awarded for the CDX would be 4 points. Both Titles will count towards the dog's total. This is applicable across all the eligible events.

The points for BISS, BOSS, SELECT DOG AND SELECT BITCH from the previous National Specialty only can be included as part of a dog's total points in order to accommodate the tallying of points so that the award can be given out at the following Specialty Banquet Dinner. This award will be given out every 2 years. If the recipient is not in attendance the award will be sent to them.

All other EVENTS other than BISS, BOSS, SELECT DOG and SELECT BITCH will require proof of a Certificate of completion.

This Award is for Canadian Kennel Club Titles Only.

Only Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever Club of Canada members are eligible for this award. Members must be in good standing with the Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever Club of Canada and must maintain their membership during the qualifying timeframe. A lapse in payment of membership dues will result in disqualification from the Alison Strange Versatility Challenge.

The NSDTRCC reserves the right to add in other venues when the CKC develops new events and there are multiple Tollers competing in the event.

Submissions can be sent to:

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POINT SCHEDULE

CONFORMATION

CHAMPION	2 POINTS
ALTERED CHAMPION	2 POINTS
GRAND CHAMPION	3 POINTS
GRAND CHAMPION EXCELLENT	5 POINTS
**SELECT DOG AT NATIONAL SPECIALTY	5 POINTS
**SELECT BITCH AT NATIONAL SPECIALTY	5 POINTS
**BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX AT NATIONAL SPECIALTY	7 POINTS
**BEST IN SPECIALTY SHOW AT NATIONAL SPECIALTY	10 POINTS

**THE POINTS AWARDED FOR SELECT DOG, SELECT BITCH, BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX AND BEST IN SHOW ARE ONLY APPLICABLE FROM THE PREVIOUS NATIONAL SPECIALTY THAT IS INCLUDED IN THE 2 YEAR TIMEFRAME REQUIREMENT.

FIELD

WORKING CERTIFICATE (WC)	2 POINTS
WORKING CERTIFICATE INTERMEDIATE (WCI)	3 POINTS
WORKING CERTIFICATE EXCELLENT (WCX)	5 POINTS
JUNIOR HUNTER (JH)	3 POINTS
SENIOR HUNTER (SH)	5 POINTS
MASTER HUNTER (MH)	8 POINTS
GRAND MASTER HUNTER (GMH)	10 POINTS
NATIONAL MASTER HUNTER (NMH)	10 POINTS

OBEDIENCE

PRE-NOVICE (PCD)	1 POINT
NOVICE (CD)	2 POINTS
NOVICE INTERMEDIATE (CDI)	3 POINTS
OPEN (CDX)	4 POINTS
UTILITY (UD/OTCH)	5 POINTS
OTCHX	7 POINTS
MOTCH	8 POINTS
GMOTCH	10 POINTS

RALLY OBEDIENCE

NOVICE (RN)	1 POINT
INTERMEDIATE (RI)	2 POINTS
ADVANCED (RA)	3 POINTS
EXCELLENT (RE)	5 POINTS
ADVANCED EXCELLENT (RAE)	6 POINTS
MASTER (RM)	7 POINTS
RALLY MASTER EXCELLENT (RMX)	8 POINTS
RALLY CHAMPION (RCH)	9 POINTS
RALLY GRAND CHAMPION (RGCH)	10 POINTS

TRACKING

TRACKING DOG (TD)	2 POINTS
TRACKING DOG EXCELLENT (TDX)	5 POINTS
URBAN TRACKING DOG (UTD)	3 POINTS
URBAN TRACKING DOG EXCELLENT (UTDX)	5 POINTS
TRACKING DOG CHAMPION (TDCH)	10 POINTS

AGILITY

<u>STANDARD</u>	
NOVICE (AGN)	2 POINTS
INTERMEDIATE (AGI)	3 POINTS
EXCELLENT (AGX)	5 POINTS
MASTERS (AGXM)	10 POINTS
<u>JUMPERS</u>	
NOVICE JUMPERS (AGNJ)	1 POINT
INTERMEDIATE JUMPERS (AGIJ)	2 POINTS
EXCELLENT JUMPERS (AGXJ)	4 POINTS
AGILITY MASTER CHAMPION (AG.M.CH)	8 POINTS
GRAND AGILITY MASTER CHAMPION (G.AG.M.CH)	10 POINTS

BARN HUNT

RATN (NOVICE)	1 POINT
RATN (OPEN)	3 POINTS
RATO (SENIOR)	5 POINTS
RATS (MASTER)	7 POINTS
RATCH	8 POINTS
RATCHX	10 POINTS

SCENT DETECTION

INSTINCT (SDIN)	1 POINT
NOVICE (SDN)	2 POINTS
OPEN (SDO)	3 POINTS

SCENT DETECTION

EXCELLENT (SDE)	5 POINTS
MASTER (SDM)	10 POINTS

CHASE ABILITY PROGRAM

CHASE ABILITY (CA)	1 POINT
CA EXCELLENT (CAX)	3 POINTS
CA EXCELLENT 2 (CAX2)	5 POINTS
CA EXCELLENT 3 (CAX3)	10 POINTS

DOCK DIVING (NADD)

<u>DISTANCE TITLES</u>	
DIVISION NOVICE	1 POINT
DIVISION ADVANCED	3 POINTS
DIVISION EXCELLENT	5 POINTS
<u>AIR RETRIEVE</u>	
DIVISION NOVICE	1 POINT
DIVISION ADVANCED	3 POINTS
DIVISION EXCELLENT	5 POINTS

THERAPY DOG

THERAPY DOG NOVICE (THDN) - 10 VISITS	1 POINT
THERAPY DOG (THD) - 50 VISITS	2 POINTS
THERAPY DOG ADVANCED (THDA) - 100 VISITS	3 POINTS
THERAPY DOG EXCELLENT (THDX) - 200 VISITS	5 POINTS

THERAPY DOG

THERAPY DOG DISTINGUISHED (THDD) - 500 VISITS	10 POINTS
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CANINE GOOD NEIGHBOUR

CGN	2 POINTS
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