

AMERICAN STOCK DOG REGISTRY

TOP DOG PROGRAM (ADULT & JUNIOR)

Point System

Top scoring dog will be designated Top Dog, Second place dog will be Reserve. All others receive Top five recognition.

- * **As per rules listed, dogs running for Top Dog- Adult or Junior must compete in everything available. There will be no exceptions.**
- * **Juniors will be scored against the juniors**
- * **Dog must be shown in all performance events throughout show by the same person for points to count. May be shown by another person in conformation when multiple dogs of the same age and sex are being shown by the same person.**
- * **Champion, Senior and Altered dogs are eligible to compete.**
- * **Intent to try for Top Dog must be declared upon entry.**
- * **Points will be calculated at all American Stockdog Registry shows, except conformation only.**

Point schedule is as follows:

- 1st place in class = 25 pts with competition
(without competition = 20pts)
- 2nd place in class = 15 pts
- 3rd place in class = 10 pts
- Participation = 5 pts.
- Bred by Exhibitor (Initial Class) 10 pts.

- BOB = additional 10 pts
- BOB Bred by= 5 pts
- BOS= additional 5 pts.
- BIS (all BIS) = additional 10 pts

Performance Classes (Agility and Rally and Nosework) **Juniors and adults scored separately**

- 1st place = 25 pts
- 2nd place = 15 pts
- 3rd place = 10 pts
- Participation = 5 pts

You will receive these additional points if you are competing in one of these levels and have a qualifying score:

- Level 2—5 pts
- Level 3—10 pts
- Level 4—15 pts
- Level 5—20 pts
- Level 6--25 pts

Qualifying runs that do not place will receive the bonus points for their level, in addition to participation points.

Non-qualifying runs will receive participation points only, no bonus points.

*Dogs competing in beginning agility will get a flat 10 points participation because there are no placements.

*Nosework also includes an ORC (Odor Recognition Certificate) that is required to compete. You will receive 5 pts for completing each odor (Birch, Clove, Anise) and those points will be added to each show's points in addition to the Nosework trial points.

CGC/PHD--25 pts for passing.

These points will carry over and count toward final score only at shows where CGC/PHD is available. There is no need to take it again at each show. Outside CGC will also count at shows where CGC/PHD is available. **You must bring copy of the outside CGC certificate as proof for points to count.**

When all competition is complete and the score sheets have been tabulated but not placed, you will receive your score sheet to view. You have 15 minutes to check it to make sure nothing is left off and the tabulation is correct. Once you have signed off and you turn this back to the tabulator, your score will stand. The tabulators will then place the dogs and announce awards.