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BCOA Announcement

Judge Selection Ballot

2024 Conf

2023 Sweeps

Stage 1 - deadline Jan 5, 2022

Stage 2 Jan BB - deadline March 7, 2022

Stage 3 Announced in April BB, US mailed by April 15. - Deadline May 23, 2022

The board is going to try requesting resumes from judges that will appear on the Stage 3 mailed Ballot. Those resumes will be included with the ballot to all voting members.

Stage 1 Form can be found in this Bulletin Board.

Judge Selection Committee – Dianna Sanders, dianna487@hotmail.com; Pat Marshall, berimo@aol.com; Janet Ketz, Secretary@basenji.org

Stage 1 Form included in this Bulletin Board Newsletter. See very last **PAGE 4**.

News From the Secretary

Janet Ketz, secretary@basenji.org

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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the BCOA Board Members. This issue will be very short & sweet but contains some important reminders.

1. See **Judge Selection Ballot** on page 4. Your input is needed as very few received so far.
2. Renewal Notices will be sent the first week of January for 2022. Please contact the secretary if you do not receive yours. Also consider making your donation to the **Basenji Health Endowment**.
3. Printed **2022 Roster** Ad. Info will be included with your dues notice.
4. **2022 BCOA National Specialty** will be at Purina Farms in Missouri Oct 9-15. Hope to see you there. Please consider volunteering to help the host committee.
5. Content is needed for the **BCOA Bulletin Board**. Please send committee reports, Affiliated Club news, and any other Basenji activity news to be included.
newsletter@basenji.org

Quick Reference

Send address & email changes to:

Laura Mae Hesse, Treasurer@basenji.org

Sunshine Committee

To ask the BCOA to send a card regarding an ILLNESS, BIRTH, MARRIAGE or DEATH of a member or a member's immediate family, notify Linda Stillwell at 580-251-0930 or linda.stilwell71@gmail.com

Submitting expenses to BCOA Treasurer

Per BCOA Ballot 2004-48, published in January 2005 Bulletin Board:

"BCOA members incurring expenses covering BCOA budgeted items during the fiscal year shall submit invoices to the Treasurer on or before March 1st of the next year to be eligible for reimbursement. Expenditures incurred by members that are not covered by the Budget shall require Board approval. These bills shall be submitted to the Treasurer on or before February 1st of the next year. Committee Chairs shall be responsible for notifying committee members to submit receipts for expenses within this time frame."

The link to the reimbursement form is on the Members' page of www.Basenji.org

BCOA Bulletin Board Subscription information

The *Bulletin Board Newsletter* is published in conjunction with membership in the Basenji Club of America, Inc. Dues are \$30 for single members; \$42 for household memberships. All applications for membership require the signatures of two BCOA members in good standing. Send membership inquiries to Janet Ketz, Secretary@basenji.org

Send submissions to:

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National Specialty Dates

Any questions or volunteers for any of the upcoming National Specialty Events should contact **National Specialty Advisory Committee (NSAC)**, Jon Curby at jcurby@offa.org

All judges are pending AKC approval.

2022 Purina Farms October 9-15

BCOA will share facility with Bouvier des Flandres & Giant Schnauzers.

Event Chair: Sharron Schmigdall (MI)
stonwykebasenji@aol.com

Judges: Conformation: Katie Campbell
Sweeps: Stella Sapios

Sharron is currently accepting members to contact her regarding any committee or activity assistance.

2023 Aug 7—Aug 11, Argus Ranch, Auburn WA

Event Chair: Natalie Scherwin (WA)
Assistant Chair Barbara Reisinger, AZ
Judges: Conformation: Mia Lowbeer,
Sweepstakes: pending

2024 East Region

A deposit has been made for Purina Farms with dates planned for October 7-14, 2024. Currently managed by BCOA Board.

Looking for members willing to take on any or all of the planning and management of this event. Contact any Officer or Board Member for information/assistance.

Judges: pending

2025

The west region will have first option to host the 2025 National Specialty. Per Procedure, this host bid is not due yet but if your affiliate club or 8 BCOA members in good standing are interested, please let the NSAC know ASAP.

https://basenji.org/ClubDocs/NS_Procedures_Rev_P.pdf

Region, Year of Event and Bid Year

West	2025	Bid 2022
Central	2026	Bid 2023
East	2027	Bid 2024
West	2028	Bid 2025
Central	2029	Bid 2026
East	2030	Bid 2027

The AKC Rally® Virtual Program has been made a permanent sport feature with AKC.

<https://www.akc.org/sports/rally/rally-virtual-entry/>

BCOA on FaceBook

Keep up with the latest information on Social Media at:

<https://www.facebook.com/basenji.org/>



Our AKC Delegate, Katie Campbell, invites you to contact her by email at taji@krcampbell.com with any questions you have about the AKC, issues you have encountered, or praises that you'd like to sing. She is happy to have you reach out to her and looks forward to facilitating solutions.

The AKC is pleased to announce that an **enhanced DNA test kit** will become available July 2021, utilizing a new and improved way of submitting your canine DNA samples to AKC.

Submitting DNA samples is now simpler than ever. The new AKC DNA kits contain a barcode and an activation code, which customers will enter along with their contact and dog information via an online portal (www.dna.akc.org). No more pen and ink paper forms are required and customers will mail their DNA samples directly to AKC's lab in Lincoln, NE, greatly improving processing turnaround time.

Also, customers will now automatically receive email notifications of sample status, eliminating guesswork and letting customers know the status of their sample as soon as possible. Results and DNA certificates ordered will still be mailed directly to the customer when processing of the sample is complete.

The current non-barcoded AKC DNA test kits (both prepaid and regular \$50 kits) will be phased out in July 2021. Any AKC DNA kits purchased prior to the barcoded kit update will still be accepted for processing. The original procedure of mailing the sample, payment and completed forms directly to AKC DNA Operations will still be required for processing these old-style, non-barcoded kits.

For any questions or for more information, contact dna@akc.org or call 919-816-3508.



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Basenji Club of America
Voting Member Notice

Judges Selection—STAGE 1—Nomination Collection

All names submitted will be compiled and presented to membership for Stage 2.
Candidates do not need to be submitted more than once to make the Stage 2 list.

Deadline for Stage I voting is January 5, 2022

You may nominate up to **FIVE** Judges in each category.

Please VERIFY that your candidate is eligible to judge Basenjis if nominating a CONFORMATION Judge candidate. Additionally, non-approved individuals may be approved by AKC to judge specialties on a case-by-case basis pending review of their knowledge and success breeding / exhibiting Basenjis for 15 years or more. You may nominate such a candidate in Stage 1.

Finally, it is recommended (but not required) that you ensure your Sweepstakes nominee would be interested and available for the assignment.

BCOA 2024 National Specialty CONFORMATION CLASSES

NOT ELIGIBLE: Mia Lowbeer (2023, pending AKC Approval), Katie Campbell (2022) Michael Canalizo (2021), No Event (2020), Dr. Stan Carter (2019), Lisa Warren (2018), Laura Pond (2017), William Shelton (2016), Michael Work (2015)

BCOA 2023 National Specialty SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES

NOT ELIGIBLE: Stella Sapios (2022), No Event (2020), Laurie Stargell (2019) Pat Cembura (2018), Cecily Rappe (2017), Pat Marshall (2016), Julie Jones (2015), A. Tad Brooks (2014), and Andrew Sawler (2013)

Nominating BCOA Member Name and Address:

**You may email your selections to dianna487@hotmail.com
or
U.S. mail this form to: Pat Marshall, 1030 CR 284, Jasper, TX 75951.**