

Definition of Closing Date: The last day entries for a trial will be accepted.

Date Ranges

- NOC season: Begins the day after the closing date of the previous year's NOC through the final closing date for the current NOC.
- NAC season: Begins the day after the closing date of the previous year's NAC through the final closing of the current NAC.
- Puppy Dates: From the latest National of the previous year to the latest National of the current year. Begins with the starting date of whichever National was last in the previous year to the starting date of the National that starts last in the current year. Based on start dates rather than closing dates.
- Dan Langhans Award Dates: The combination of points earned by amateur and open dogs during the relative qualifying season.
- North American Award Dates: September 1 through August 31.

Awards

- Hogan award
 - Total, weighted points for a handler for the NOC season.
 - Point weights:
 - For all Open stakes except the National Open. Includes HOF trials.
 - First place Number of starters X10
 - Second place Number of starters X5
 - Third place Number of starters X3.3
 - Fourth place Number of starters X2.5
 - For Placements awarded in the National Open
 - First place Number of starters X5
 - Second place Number of starters X3
 - Third place Number of starters X2
 - Fourth place Number of starters X1
- Dan Langhans award
 - Combined total, weighted points for both amateur and open placements by dog. Includes HOF trials but not points earned in the National Championships.
 - First place Number of starters X5
 - Second place Number of starters X3
 - Third place Number of starters X2
 - Fourth place Number of starters X1
- Lorenz Award
 - Total, weighted points for a puppy for the trial year.
 - Point weights for all Puppy stakes including HOF trials.
 - First place Number of starters X5
 - Second place Number of starters X3
 - Third place Number of starters X2
 - Fourth place Number of starters X1

- North American Award

Total weighted points for a dog in Open and Amateur Stakes. Does not include any national stakes. This is sent to the Canadian representative in separate reports (open and amateur) and used along with Canadian placements to calculate the award.

Point weights:

- For all-age stakes including HOF trials
- First place Number of starters X5
- Second place Number of starters X3
- Third place Number of starters X2
- Fourth place Number of starters X1

- High Point Open

Total calculated points for NOC season. Includes HOF and the National Open trials.

Point calculations:

- First Place Open National 10 points
- Second Place Open National 6 points
- Third Place Open national 4 points
- Fourth Place Open National 2 points

All other open stakes

- First Place 5 points
- Second place 3 points
- Third place 2 points
- Fourth place 1 point

- High Point Amateur

Total calculated points NAC Season. Includes HOF trials. Does not include National Amateur trial.

Point calculations

- First Place 5 points
- Second place 3 points
- Third place 2 points
- Fourth place 1 point

- Open High Point by Interclub

Total calculated open all-age points for the NOC season based on trials held in each interclub. Does not include the NOC or parent club-sponsored HOF trials.

Point calculations:

- First Place 5 points
- Second place 3 points
- Third place 2 points
- Fourth place 1 point

- Amateur High Point by Interclub

Total calculated amateur all-age points for the NAC season based on trials held in each interclub. Does not include the NAC or parent club-sponsored HOF trials.

Point calculations:

- First Place 5 points
- Second place 3 points
- Third place 2 points
- Fourth place 1 point