



## 2021 Recognition Book

### Honoring 2020 Awards



**2020 Superstar Savvy and Rough Rider Jones  
Working Terrier Earthdog Award: MACH7 Pinelake's  
Happy Fearless Explorer RE MXG2 PAD MJS3 PJS  
MFS TQX T2B5 ME EE4 RATN CGC TKI**



**2020 River Bend Award:  
Wildtrout's Late Show BN CGC**



**2020 Let the Good Times Roll Award:  
Dignipop Lunar Rock RE OA OAJ AXP  
MJP CGC TKN**



**2020 Top Norwich Dog:  
GCHS CH Verdant's Levi  
The Lucky One**



**2020 Top Norwich Bitch:  
GCH CH Thistledew's Rhymes with Dolores**



**2020 Top Owner-Handled:  
GCHB CH Camio's Charred Oak**

# NORWICH TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA



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2020 data sources: AKC Title Reports, AKC TopDogs using Breed Totals, AKC TopDogs in Agility MACH Competition, AKC TopDogs in Agility PACH Competition, AKC custom obedience report.

Lists of all AKC titles earned by Norwich terriers are available at the NTCA website in the members-only section

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## 2020 Top Member-Owned Norwich Dog & Bitch

| Top Member-Owned Norwich Dog            |                                             |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Dog's Name                              | Owner's Name                                |
| GCHS CH Verdant's Levi The Lucky One    | Barbara Miller & Andrew Chen & Cary Trexler |
| Top Member-Owned Norwich Bitch          |                                             |
| Bitch's Name                            | Owner's Name                                |
| GCH CH Thistledew's Rhymes With Dolores | Jill Rossi                                  |

## Top 20 Norwich Terriers

| Rank | Dog's Name                                |
|------|-------------------------------------------|
| 1    | GCHS CH Verdant's Levi The Lucky One      |
| 2    | GCHG CH Wildefox's Ace Up My Sleeve       |
| 3    | GCHS CH Country Boy Classic Black Bentley |
| 4    | GCHG CH Littlefield Jersey Boy            |
| 5    | GCHS CH Barnstable Ripple Effect          |
| 6    | GCHS CH Country Boy Liam Of Fine Hill     |

## Top 20 Norwich Terriers

| Rank | Dog's Name                                           |
|------|------------------------------------------------------|
| 7    | GCHS CH Frabjous Fergus By Littlefield               |
| 8    | GCHB CH Thistledews's Rhymes With Dolores (B)        |
| 9    | GCHS CH Foxbriar's National Treasure From Itsy Bitsy |
| 10   | GCHB CH Highwood's Disorderly Deceiver               |
| 11   | GCHG CH Llanerch Fens Henchard Of Castorbridge       |
| 12   | GCH CH White Diamonds Dungeness Little Dipper        |
| 13   | GCH CH Rabbit Ridge Teddy Brown Dog                  |
| 14   | GCH CH Littlefield I'M Your Huckleberry              |
| 15   | CH Itsy Bitsy Thistledown Flying Spur                |
| 16   | GCH CH Alegria Take A Chance On Me TKN               |
| 17   | CH Amblegreen Dralion Mr Bean                        |
| 18   | GCHG CH Janoras Twinkle Twinkle Little Star (B)      |
| 19   | GCHB CH Thistledews Great Grover                     |
| 20   | CH Taliesin A Royal Affair                           |



## 2020 Bred by Exhibitor Awards

These conformation awards are presented to each NTCA member-owned Norwich terrier dog and bitch earning all his / her championship points from the Bred by Exhibitor class.

### John Paul Jones Award (Norwich Dog)

This award is named in honor of influential prick ear sire CH John Paul Jones of Groton. John Paul Jones was bred in 1943 by Mrs. John C Winthrop (later Mrs. A C Randolph), and owned by Norwich Terrier Club President (1955-1960) Mr. Alden Blodget and his wife, Cornelia Otis Skinner. Blind in one eye from a hunting accident, he won Best of Breed at Westminster in 1946 and was the first post World War II American-bred champion. He lived to the ripe old age of 18.

| <b>Titled Dog's Name</b>                 | <b>Owner's Name</b>                                          |
|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>CH Verdant's Validation By Design</b> | <b>Mercedes Danekas &amp; Andrew Chen &amp; Cary Trexler</b> |

### High Rising Award (Norwich Bitch)

This award is named on honor of early American prick ear breeders, Mr Grant Dickson Green, and his wife Betty, of High Rising Kennels. Their many great homebred Norwich champions were influential in the breed both in the USA and abroad (England and Canada). A notable dam was **their** outstanding CH High Rising Hardy Perennial, twice Best in Show at early Norwich Club specialties.

| <b>Titled Bitch's Name</b>                                       | <b>Owner's Name</b>           |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>CH Country Girl Miss Micki</b>                                | <b>Linda McCutcheon</b>       |
| <b>CH Breakaway's All Betties Are Off OA<br/>OAJ XF BCAT TKI</b> | <b>Rainee Johnson<br/>DVM</b> |

## 2020 Top Norwich Stud Dog & Brood Bitch

This award was established by the NTCA in 2014 to honor Norwich that have the greatest number of offspring that earned their AKC championship during the calendar year. Sire or dam must be NTCA member-owned. Sire or dam need not be alive at the time of the award. Offspring must have earned AKC championship in 2020.

| <b>Top Norwich Stud Dog 2020</b>                      |            |                                       |
|-------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Dog's Name</b>                                     | <b>#CH</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>                   |
| <b>GCHG CH Michan's Mick Like A Rolling Stone ROM</b> | <b>5</b>   | <b>Howard &amp; Lynn Marshall</b>     |
| <b>Top Norwich Brood Bitch 2020</b>                   |            |                                       |
| <b>Bitch's Name</b>                                   | <b>#CH</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>                   |
| <b>GCH CH Verdant's Dreamin' Of The Ivy League</b>    | <b>2</b>   | <b>Andrew Chen &amp; Cary Trexler</b> |

## 2020 National Owner Handled Top Norwich Terrier

2019 was the inaugural year for this award, which honors the top Norwich in the AKC's National Owner Handled Series.

| <b>Titled Dog's Name</b>           | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>     |
|------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------|
| <b>GCHB CH Camio's Charred Oak</b> | <b>D</b>   | <b>Catherine Rogers</b> |

## Register of Merit

No Register of Merit for 2020

### 2020 Versatility Awards

The Versatility Awards give special recognition to talented Norwich who have excelled in multiple venues. There are two levels: Versatility Award (VN) acknowledges the achievements of member-owned Norwich who compete in a minimum of 3 unrelated venues, and earn 16 points. In categories where multiple levels have titles, only the highest title earned by the dog will be counted.

Versatility Excellent Award (VNX) acknowledges the achievements of member-owned Norwich who compete in a minimum of 4 unrelated venues, and earn 20 points. In categories where multiple levels have titles, only the highest title earned by the dog will be counted. One title must be in the Field (Earth Dog / Barn Hunt) category and one title must be GCH, CH, OTCH, UDX, RACH, MACH, PACH, MX, MXP, EE, ME, RATCH.

| <b>Versatility Excellent Award (VNX)</b>                                                                     |            |                                               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Dog's Name</b>                                                                                            | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>                           |
| <b>CH MACH3 M&amp;M's Litle Miss<br/>Sunshine BN RN FDC MXC MJC<br/>PJD MFG TQX T2B4 JE FCAT<br/>CGC TKN</b> | <b>B</b>   | <b>Patty Fornelli &amp;<br/>Lynn Marshall</b> |
| <b>CH Kilyka's Witch Hazel UD<br/>NAP NJP RATN VN ROM</b>                                                    | <b>B</b>   | <b>Betty McDonnell</b>                        |
| <b>CH Kilyka's Early Bird UD NA<br/>NAJ RATO VN</b>                                                          | <b>B</b>   | <b>Betty McDonnell</b>                        |

| <b>Versatility Award (VN)</b> |            |                     |
|-------------------------------|------------|---------------------|
| <b>Dog's Name</b>             | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b> |
| No award recipient for 2020   |            |                     |

## **2020 Superstar Savvy & Top 5 Agility Teams**

The Superstar Savvy Award honors the top NTCA member-owned agility team based on AKC ranking of score (Double Q's x 10) + MACH points (Double Q equals two qualifying runs on the same day)

| <b>Superstar Savvy Award</b>                                                                          |            |                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------|
| <b>Dog's Name</b>                                                                                     | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b> |
| <b>MACH7 Pinelake's Happy Fearless Explorer RE MXG2 PAD MJS3 PJS MFS TQX T2B5 ME EE4 RATN CGC TKI</b> | <b>D</b>   | <b>Joan Krantz</b>  |

In addition to The Double Q Plus Award winner, the Top 5 Agility Teams Award honors the next five NTCA member-owned agility teams based on AKC ranking of score (Double Q's x 10) + MACH points.

| <b>Top 5 Agility Teams</b>                                          |            |                                            |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------------|
| <b>Dog's Name</b>                                                   | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>                        |
| <b>CH Dignpop Central Dogma MX MXB MXJ MJB CA BCAT RATO CGC TKI</b> | <b>D</b>   | <b>Dr Chris Zink &amp; Magda Chiarella</b> |

| <b>Dog's Name</b>                                                                                             | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>                                              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>MACH4 Shaksper Amanda<br/>Seyfried RN MXC PAD MJB2<br/>PJD CGC</b>                                         | <b>B</b>   | <b>Blair Kelly</b>                                               |
| <b>High Pines Tansy MX MXG MXJ<br/>MJB BCAT ACT1 THDD CGC<br/>TKN</b>                                         | <b>B</b>   | <b>Melanie Bryson &amp;<br/>Annie Sikorski MD</b>                |
| <b>CH MACH3 M&amp;M's Little Miss<br/>Sunshine BN RN FDC MXC MJC<br/>PJD MFG TQX T2B4 JE FCAT<br/>CGC TKN</b> | <b>B</b>   | <b>Patty Fornelli &amp;<br/>Lynn Marshall</b>                    |
| <b>Shaksper Guiderius MX MXJ<br/>MJB CGC TKI</b>                                                              | <b>D</b>   | <b>Jennifer Hollar &amp;<br/>Blair Kelly &amp; Keith<br/>Lee</b> |

## **2020 Double Q Plus Preferred & Top 5 Preferred Agility Teams**

The Double Q Plus Preferred Award honors the top NTCA member-owned preferred agility team based on AKC ranking of score (Double Q's x 10) + PACH points (Double Q equals two qualifying runs on the same day)

| <b>Double Q Plus Preferred Award</b>                                    |            |                                               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Dog's Name</b>                                                       | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>                           |
| <b>Itsy Bitsy "I Can't Get No...." MX<br/>MXJ MXP MP XF T2B CGC TKI</b> | <b>B</b>   | <b>Cindy Wagner &amp;<br/>Tonnie Willrich</b> |

In addition to The Double Q Plus Preferred Award winner, the Top 5 Preferred Agility Teams Award honors the next five NTCA member-owned agility teams based on AKC ranking of score (Double Q's x 10) + PACH points.

### **Top 5 Preferred Agility Teams Award**

| <b>Dog's Name</b>                                                                                   | <b>Sex</b> | <b>Owner's Name</b>                                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Dignpop Duke of Normandy OA<br/>AXJ MXP MJP2 MJPB NF OFP<br/>BCAT TKN</b>                        | <b>D</b>   | <b>Vanessa Andrews<br/>&amp; Brian Andrews</b>                                   |
| <b>MACH2 PACH Slightly The<br/>Hired Hand MXS2 MJS2 MXP6<br/>MXPS MJP7 MJPG PAX MXF<br/>MFP T2B</b> | <b>D</b>   | <b>Ursula Walsh &amp;<br/>Sheila I Walsh</b>                                     |
| <b>Dignpop Lunar Rock RE OA<br/>OAJ AXP MJP CGC TKN</b>                                             | <b>D</b>   | <b>Joanie Brobst</b>                                                             |
| <b>MACH Highwood's Lady<br/>Renegade RE FDC MXG MJS<br/>MFB TQX T2B3 RATN CGCA<br/>TKN</b>          | <b>B</b>   | <b>Kathleen<br/>Gregorieff &amp;<br/>Knowlton<br/>Reynders</b>                   |
| <b>Kilyka's Wylie Wonder AX AXJ<br/>XF MFP</b>                                                      | <b>D</b>   | <b>C Donald<br/>Shlimbaum &amp; Lark<br/>Shlimbaum &amp; Betty<br/>McDonnell</b> |

## 2020 Let The Good Times Roll Award

2019 was the inaugural year for this award, which honors the top NTCA member-owned Norwich in rally (based on triple Q's + number of points).

| Dog's Name                                              | Sex      | Owner's Name         |
|---------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| <b>Dignpop Lunar Rock RE OA<br/>OAJ AXP MJP CGC TKN</b> | <b>D</b> | <b>Joanie Brobst</b> |

## 2020 River Bend Award & Top 3 Obedience Teams

The River Bend Award was established in 1967 by the NTC. It is named in honor of Norwich / Norfolk breeder and enthusiast Sylvia Warren (River Bend). She bred the wonderful Puff (CH Puff CD CDX) whose 'personality' led them into obedience training. Awarded to the NTCA member-owned obedience team based on the most points (based on scores).

| <b>River Bend Award</b>             |          |                                |
|-------------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|
| Dog's Name                          | Sex      | Owner's Name                   |
| <b>Wildtrout's Late Show BN CGC</b> | <b>D</b> | <b>Joan &amp; Anthony Jung</b> |

Awarded to the three NTCA member-owned obedience teams with the most points (based on scores) after the River Bend winner.

| <b>Top 3 Obedience Teams</b>                          |          |                        |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------|
| Dog's Name                                            | Sex      | Owner's Name           |
| <b>CH Kilyka's Witch Upon A Star<br/>UD RN NA NAJ</b> | <b>B</b> | <b>Betty McDonnell</b> |

No additional Obedience Teams identified

## 2020 The Rough-Rider Jones Working Terrier Achievement Awards

### The Rough Rider Jones Working Terrier Earthdog Award

An award established in 2018 to recognize the NTCA member-owned dog that achieves the highest title in the AKC Earth Dog performance tests - Endurance Earth Dog. This title requires the dog to have the Master ED title as well as passing both a Senior Earthdog test and the Master Earthdog test at the same event on 5 occasions.

| Dog's Name                                                                                            | Sex      | Owner's Name       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|--------------------|
| <b>MACH7 Pinelake's Happy Fearless Explorer RE MXG2 PAD MJS3 PJS MFS TQX T2B5 ME EE4 RATN CGC TKI</b> | <b>D</b> | <b>Joan Krantz</b> |

### The Rough Rider Jones Working Terrier Barnhunt Award

An award established in 2018 to recognize the NTCA member-owned dog that achieves the highest title in AKC recognized / certified Barn Hunt tests - RATCHX. This title requires that the dog have the RATCH title as well as 10 additional qualifying scores.

No award recipient for 2020



## 2021 AKC Sportsmanship Award

Dana Esquibel has been participating in the sport of dogs for many years. Dana was one of the first members of the NTCA Registry Integrity Committee and now serves as Chair. She was the Nominating Committee Chair for the NTCA in 2020-2021 and has served as CHIC Liaison and Rescue Chair. She also served as a Director on the first NTCA Board. In the NNTC Dana served as Chair of the Rescue Committee and was CHIC Liaison. She served as the first President of the Norwich Terrier Club of Northern California, in addition to the Corresponding Secretary, Rescue Chair, Public Education Chair, Show Chair and Membership Secretary. Dana bred Norwich for over 20 years under the prefix "Tinytowne". Dana is a member of the Contra Costa Kennel Club in CA and volunteered with Notions and as Supported Entry Coordinator for the Terrier Group for several years. Her work on the Registry Integrity committee demonstrates her extraordinary support of our breed. Since the committee's inception to today, Dana continues to monitor and research pedigrees to ensure our breed remains "purebred." It is because of her committee's work that faux Norwich have been removed from not only the AKC registry, but those in Japan and the Philippines as well. Dana is a courteous and supportive competitor and is always professional, thorough, and dedicated to the mission of the RIC and NTCA. She possesses an extensive knowledge of pedigrees and the history of our breed. Her recent work on the Nominating Committee was impressive, impartial, and innovative – putting the needs of our club above everything else and always looking for the person who could most benefit the NTCA. Working quietly behind the scenes, Dana continues to be an active and valued member of the Norwich Terrier Club of America.



## Retrospective of National Specialty Winners



**2009**

**CH SKYCOT'S POKER CHIP**

**Owner: Caroline Dodwell**

**Breeder: Leslie Becker**



**2010**

**CH ITSY BITSY TROUBADOUR**

**Owner: Tonnie & Gerard Willrich**

**Breeder: Kristin Conlan & Peggy Schmidt & Tonnie & Gerard Willrich**



**2011**

**GCH CH WAITEROCK JACK FALSTAFF**

**Owner: Candice Harper**

**Breeder: Candice Harper**



**2012**

**GCH CH SKYCOT'S TEXAS HOLD 'EM**

**Owner: Sharon Esposito MD**

**Breeder: Leslie Becker**

## Retrospective of National Specialty Winners



2013

**GCH CH  
HIGHWOOD'S  
WHIRLING DUN**

**Owner: Janos & Nancy  
Fonyo**

**Breeder: Knowlton  
Reynders**



2014

**GCH CH DANCY'S  
ROUGH RIDER**

**Owner: Nancy & Dwain  
Lentz**

**Breeder: Nancy & Dwain  
Lentz**



2015

**CH ROSEROCK'S  
ATTICUS FINCH**

**Owner: Alejandro Garza  
& Manual Lopez**

**Breeder: Ellen Ford**



2016

**GCH CH TALIESIN  
TWICE AS NICE**

**Owner: Lisa Sons & Kim  
& Jeffery Sime**

**Breeder: Lisa & John  
Sons & Joan Eckert**

## Retrospective of National Specialty Winners



**2017**

**CH PARADYM  
LAUGHS OUT LOUD**

**Owner: Kelly Wood**

**Breeder: Kelly Wood**



**2018**

**CH PARADYM  
LAUGHS OUT LOUD**

**Owner: Kelly Wood**

**Breeder: Kelly Wood**



**2019**

**PARADYM COOL  
YOUR JETS**

**Owner: Donna  
McFarlane & Thomas  
Barlow & Kelly Wood**

**Breeder: Kelly Wood**