



Irish Water Spaniel Club of America

AWARDS APPLICATION

*(Submit separate applications for **each** dog)*

Congratulations on your accomplishments with your Irish Water Spaniel! The IWSCA would love to recognize your achievements, so please fill out this application so that we can!

Between January 1, 2018 and December 31, 2018, did you and your dog:

- EARN ANY NEW TITLES?** If so, please fill out the section on page 3

Conformation

- Earn a Best In Show? If so, please fill out the section on page 4
- Did your stud dog or brood bitch have any new champions this year? If so, see page 5
- Earn a Championship title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3

Obedience

- Earn a CD title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a CDX title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a UD title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a Beginner Novice (BN) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a Graduate Novice (GN) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a Graduate Open (GO) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a Versatility Obedience (VER) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a Preferred Companion Dog (PCD) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 5
- Earn a Preferred Companion Dog Excellent (PCDX) title? Please fill out the section on pgs 3 and 6
- Earn a Preferred Utility Dog (PUTD) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 6
- Earned at least one Combined Obedience (CDX + UD at one trial)? See section on page 6
- Earned at least one Highest Combined Obedience (highest CDX+UD at one trial) See page 6
- Earned at least one High In Trial? If so, please fill out the section page 6
- Did you earn OTCH points in 2018? If so, please fill out the section on page 6
- Did you earn at least one CD, CDX, or UD leg in 2018? If so, please fill out the “Irish Mist Perpetual Trophy” section on page 6

Rally

- Earn a Rally Novice (RN) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 6
- Earn a Rally Advanced (RA) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 6
- Earn a Rally Excellent (RE) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7
- Earn a Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7
- Earn a Rally Intermediate (RI) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7
- Earn a Rally Master (RM) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7
- Did you earn at least one RAE leg in 2018? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7

Agility

- Earn a Novice Agility (NA) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7
- Earn a Novice Agility Preferred (NAP) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7
- Earn a Open Agility (OA) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 7
- Earn a Open Agility Preferred (OAP) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn a Excellent Agility (AX) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn a Excellent Agility Preferred (AXP) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8

Field Awards

- Earn a Junior Retriever Hunter (JH) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn a Senior Retriever Hunter (SH) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn a Master Retriever Hunter (MH) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn a Junior Upland Hunter (JHU) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn a Senior Upland Hunter (SHU) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn a Master Upland Hunter (JHU) title? If so, please fill out the section on page 3 and 8
- Earn enough to be the Top Retriever, Upland Spaniel, or Field Trial IWS, see page 9

Scent Work

- Did you compete in a Scent Work Trial? If so, please see section on pages 9 and 10

IWSCA QVA Award

- In 2018, did you earn the fifth AKC title that will qualify you for the IWSCA QVA award? Please go to page 10 to read the requirements and record your new title(s).

IWSCA All-Around Award

- In 2018, did you earn the third AKC title that will qualify you for the IWSCA All-Around award? Please go to page 4 to read the requirements and record your new title(s).

IWSCA Milestone Award

- In 2018, did you achieve a significant milestone award? Please go to page **Error! Bookmark not defined.** to read the requirements for this award.

AKC National Championship Attendee

- Did your dog qualify for an AKC national championship in a sport or receive an invitation to an invitational? Please go to page 4 to read the requirements to be recognized.

Club-Tabulated Awards

In addition to above awards, the club also uses information from the AKC to automatically determine additional awards (e.g. Top 5 Breed, Top 5 All-Breed, etc.). Please refer to page 12 for more information.

Spotlight Award Nomination

- Would you like to nominate a dog and handler team for special accomplishments in the world of dog sports? Please refer to page 13 for more information.

General Instructions:

If you believe your dog may qualify for any of the IWSCA annual awards (trophies or certificates), you must apply for it using this form **ONLY**. Sorry, we will not accept award information submitted in any format other than this official application. You **MUST** be a current member and have renewed your dues by March 31, 2019. All co-owners do not need to be members as long as one owner is a member on record.

Events included from January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018.

DEADLINE for Awards applications is:

February 28, 2019 – NO EXCEPTIONS!

Send the completed application in the mail or e-mailed as an attachment (do not submit the application in the text of an email) to:

Stephanie O'Reilly
137 Chatterton Way, Hamden, CT 06518
stepho@nabs.net

New title picture for slide show: Please submit a picture of your dog to be included for the New Title presentation at the annual awards banquet. Pictures can be sent in the mail or as an attachment by email. Pictures sent by mail will not be returned.

Required for all submissions:

Dogs Registered Name with current AKC titles:

Dogs Call Name: _____ **Email:** _____ **Phone:** _____

Owner(s): _____

Pick-up or Shipping of Awards: Awards will be available for pick-up at the Annual Awards Dinner at the National each year. If you are unable to attend, please arrange to have your award picked up by either yourself or a friend. Those not picked up will be shipped after the national but shipping charges will apply.

New AKC Titles earned in 2018:

Please list new title/s below. In recognition of your recent accomplishments, at our annual awards banquet, we will be distributing a list of all dogs that have achieved NEW AKC titles (all events) from the time period January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018.

Please list all NEW 2018 titles here (and go to the appropriate section, fill in scores to apply for awards) - submit a picture of your dog with your application:

IS THIS YOUR DOGS FIRST TITLE? : yes no If so a certificate will be given.

AKC All-Rounder Award:

Presented to the dog who has achieved an AKC Championship title, an AKC obedience title (CD, CDX or UD), and an AKC Hunt Retriever Test title (Junior, Senior or Master).

This dog qualifies as a **NEW** AKC All-Rounder: yes no

Milestone Recognition:

The IWSCA will be celebrating these specific milestones at our Annual Awards banquet:

- Best in Show (BIS) (IWSCA Supported Entries & Specialties excluded)
- Best in Show Owner Handler (IWSCA Supported Entries & Specialties excluded)
- Platinum Level Grand Champion (GCHP)
- High in Trial (HIT) (IWSCA Supported Entries & Specialties excluded)
- Obedience Trial Champion (OTCH)
- Master Agility Champion (MACH)
- Preferred Agility Champion (PACH)
- Amateur Field Trial Champion (AFC)
- Field Champion (FC)
- Qualified All Age (QAA)
- Qualifying for the Master Nationals
- Tracking Champion (CT)
- Rally Champion (RACH)

A dog and handler team will receive a two-inch IWSCA medallion attached to a personalized satin ribbon. The team will receive the medallion for the first time the achievement is earned (first BIS, first HIT, first MACH, etc.). Therefore, a team earning multiple BIS's and multiple MACH's, for example, would only receive a medallion for the first BIS and the first MACH. Please list the milestone achieved during the year.

AKC National Championship Attendee:

IWSCA would like to acknowledge your achievement for qualifying for an AKC national championship in a sport or receive an invitation to an invitational?" List the venue.

Conformation Awards for 2018:

Cu'Chulain Best in Show Trophy - Presented to the IWS that wins their first Best in Show in 2018. To apply for this award you must include the following information:

Show: _____ Date won: _____

Judge: _____ Handler: _____

Outstanding Producers - Presented to a stud dog that has 5 champion get or to a brood bitch with 3 champion get. This award is only given once when they achieve either the 5 or the 3 champions. To apply for this award you must include the following information:

Names of Champion Get: _____

Obedience Awards for 2018:

All of the following OBEDIENCE awards will be awarded to the IWS, while achieving their title in 2018, earns the highest average score using the first three passes towards their title. All scores must have been earned in 2018.

Top Novice A Obedience (CD)

Three Novice A Scores: _____

Top Novice B Obedience (CD)

Three Novice B Scores: _____

Top Novice (CD) Trophy for 2018 will be presented to the dog with the highest average score out of the A and B class.

Top Open A Obedience (CDX)

Three Open A Scores: _____

Top Open B Obedience (CDX)

Three Open B Scores: _____

Top Open (CDX) Trophy will be presented to the dog with the highest average score out of the A and B class.

Top Utility A Obedience (UD)

Three Utility A Scores: _____

Top Utility B Obedience (UD)

Three Utility B Scores: _____

Top Utility (UD) Trophy will be presented to the dog with the highest average score out of the A and B class.

Top Beginner Novice A Obedience (BN)

Three Beginner Novice A Scores: _____

Top Beginner Novice B Obedience (BN)

Three Beginner Novice B Scores: _____

Top Graduate Novice Obedience (GN)

Three Graduate Novice Scores: _____

Top Graduate Open Obedience (GO)

Three Graduate Open Scores: _____

Top Versatility Obedience (VER)

Three Versatility Scores: _____

Top Preferred Companion Dog (PCD)

Three Pre Companion Dog Scores: _____

Top Preferred Companion Dog Excellent (PCDX)

Three Pre Companion Dog Ex. Scores: _____

Top Preferred Utility Dog (PUTD)

Three Pre Utility Dog Scores: _____

Most Combined Obedience Winner -Most passes out of Open B and Utility A or B classes (team must have qualifying scores at the same trial in both classes)

Open B _____ (please add extra scores on another sheet)

Utility A or B _____

Highest Combined passing scores from the Open B and Utility A or B classes (team must have qualifying scores at the same trial in both classes)

Open B _____ Utility A or B _____

Top High in Trial Trophy - Presented to the IWS that achieves the highest score while being awarded High in Trial. To apply for this award you must include the following information:

HIT Score: _____ Date: _____

High Obedience Trophy - Presented to the IWS that earns the most OTCH points for the award calendar year.

2018 OTCH Points _____

Irish Mist Perpetual Trophy – Donated by Evelyn Van Uden, Laurel Baglia and Cynthia Rathbun in memory of CH OTCH Irish Mist Fistful O Dollars VCD2 UDX OM1 VER RE MX MXJ NAP NJP (“Sully”) to be presented to the dog earning the highest score in the Regular Obedience Classes (Novice, Open, Utility) for the year. Ties will be broken by the highest score in the upper class. For example, if a novice dog had a 197 and an open dog had a 197, the upper class would prevail, i.e., the Open dog.

Highest Score earned in 2018: _____ Class Score Earned in: _____

Rally Awards for 2018:

All of the following RALLY awards will be awarded to the IWS, while achieving their title in 2018, earns the highest average score using the first three passes towards their title. All scores must have been earned in 2018.

Top Rally Novice A (RN)

Three Rally Novice A Scores: _____

Top Rally Novice B (RN)

Three Rally Novice B Scores: _____

Top Rally Novice Trophy will be presented to the dog with the highest average score out of the A and B class.

Top Rally Advanced A (RA)

Three Rally Advanced A Scores: _____

Top Rally Advanced B (RA)

Three Rally Advanced B Scores: _____

Top Rally Advance Trophy will be presented to the dog with the highest average score out of the A and B class.

Top Retriever Hunt Test IWS Trophy - Presented to the IWS who while competing in AKC Retriever Hunt Tests amasses the highest number of points as a result of passing tests in the Junior, Senior or Master Retriever Stakes in any one year. Bonus points to be awarded for completion of a title, qualifying for the Master National and/or completion of the Master National (Retriever). Please list the number of legs at each level and if dog titled, the date dog completed title. Number of passes and the level: _____

Bonus for title: _____

Top Upland Hunt Test IWS Trophy - Presented to the IWS who while competing in AKC Upland Hunt Tests amasses the highest number of points as a result of passing tests in the Junior, Senior or Master Upland Stakes in any one year. Bonus points to be awarded for completion of a title. Please list the number of legs at each level and if dog titled, the date dog completed title.

Number of passes and the level: _____

Bonus for title: _____

Top Field Trial IWS Trophy - Presented to the IWS who while competing in AKC Retriever Field Trials amasses the highest number of points as a result of finishing any AKC field trial stake in any one year. Bonus points to be awarded for completion of a title, qualifying all age, qualifying for the Open and/or Amateur National Retriever Trial. Please list the number of legs at each level and if dog titled, the date dog completed title. If dog titled or qualified all age, the date dog completed title or qualified.

Number of passes and the level: _____

Bonus for title: _____

The point system for the calculation of the Field Awards is as follows:

TOP IWS RETRIEVER & UPLAND HUNT TESTS		TOP IWS RETRIEVER FIELD TRIALS	
		Awarded for each Derby Stake completed	
JH points per pass	2	Derby Jam points	10
JH title bonus points	5	Derby Placement points	15
SH points per pass	6	Awarded for each Qualifying Stake completed	
SH title bonus points	10	Qualifying Stake Jam	20
		Qualifying Stake 3rd or 4th place	30
MH points per pass	10	Qualifying Stake 1st or 2nd (QAA)	50
MH title bonus points	20	Qualified All Age Designation	50
Master National qualifier/participant (Retriever only)	20	Second Qualified All Age Designation	50
Master National Pass (Retriever only)	30		
Master National Title Bonus (Retriever only)	50	Awarded for each All Age Stake/Title completed	
		Jam in All Age Stake	100
		Placement in an All Age Stake	200
		FC or AFC Title	200

Top Scent Work IWS for 2018

Presented to the IWS who, while competing in AKC Scent Work trials, amasses the highest number of points as a result of completing Scent Work titles. Points are also amassed for passes in the Detective class.

The Point System to calculate Top Scent Work IWS: In each row, circle the titles earned in 2018. Multiply the number of titles by the assigned points for your total. If you had Detective class qualifications, multiply the Qs by the assigned points. Total all points earned for your overall score.

A tie will be broken based on the number of placements you earned in 2018. Dates of these trials will need to be available upon request.

Class/title	Titles earned	Points per title	Total
Novice Element titles	SCN, SIN, SEN, SBN	1 pt each title	
Novice Elite Element titles	SCNE, SINE, SENE, SBNE	2 pts each title	
Scent Work Novice title	SWN	4 pts	
Scent Work Novice Elite title	SWNE	5 pts	
Handler Discrimination Novice title	SHDN	1 pts	
Handler Discrimination Novice Elite title	SHDNE	2 pts each title	
Advanced Element titles	SCA, SIA, SEA, SBA	2 pts each title	
Advanced Elite Element titles	SCAE, SIAE, SEAE, SBAE	3 pts each title	
Scent Work Advanced title	SWA	8 pts	
Scent Work Advanced Elite title	SWAE	9 pts	
Handler Discrimination Advanced title	SHDA	2 pts	
Handler Discrimination Advanced Elite title	SHDAE	3 pts	
Excellent Element titles	SCE, SIE, SEE, SBE	3 pts each title	
Excellent Elite Element titles	SCEE, SIEE, SEEE, SBEE	4 pts each title	
Scent Work Excellent title	SWE	12 pts	
Scent Work Excellent Elite title	SWEE	13 pts	
Handler Discrimination Excellent title	SHDE	3 pts	
Handler Discrimination Excellent Elite title	SHDEE	4 pts	
Master Element titles	SCM, SIM, SEM, SBM	4 pts each title	
Master Elite Element titles	SCME, SIME, SEME, SBME	5 pts each title	
Scent Work Master title	SWM	16 pts	
Scent Work Master Elite title	SWME	17 pts	
Scent Work Handler Discrimination Master	SHDM	4 pts	
Scent Work Handler Discrimination Master Elite	SHDME	5 pts	
Scent Work Detective title	SWD	100 pts	
Class	Number of passes	Points per Q	Total
Detective		25 pts each	

How many Placements did your dog earn?

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ 4th _____

Overall Total

The Quintessential Versatility Award Application:

The Award requires five titles out of fifteen identified venues. An Irish Water Spaniel may title in any of the fifteen venues in order to qualify for the Award. The venues are: Field Trials, Retriever Hunting Tests, Upland Hunting Tests, Conformation, Obedience, Rally, Agility, Tracking, Coursing Ability Tests, FastCat, Therapy Dog, Barn Hunt, Dock Diving, Scent Work and Flyball. The titles listed below are the minimum level title needed to qualify for the IWSCA QVA award. Any higher title/designations would qualify.

FULL NAME OF DOG (with titles) _____

FULL NAME OF OWNER(s): _____

Field Venues (only two titles/designations from the three field venues would count for the purpose of this award)

AKC Field Trials

QAA (Qualified All Age) Date of Qualification _____

AKC Retriever Hunting Tests

JH (Junior Hunter) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Upland Hunting Tests

JHU (Junior Hunter Upland) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

Conformation

AKC Ch. (Champion) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Obedience

AKC Obedience Trials

CD (Companion Dog) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Rally

RN (Rally Novice) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Agility (Only one title from the Agility venue will count towards this award)

NA (Novice Agility) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

NAJ (Novice Agility Jumper) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

NAP (Novice Agility Preferred) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

NJP (Novice Agility Jumpers Preferred) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Tracking

TD (Tracking Dog) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Lure Coursing (only one title/designation from the two lure coursing venues would count for the purpose of this award)

CA (Coursing Ability) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

FastCat (Fast Coursing Ability) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Therapy Dog

THD (Therapy Dog Title) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Barn Hunt

RATN (Novice Barn Hunt) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Dock Diving

DN (Dock Novice) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Scent Work (Only one title from the Scent Work venue will count towards this award)

Element (Container, Exterior, Interior, Buried) Novice

Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

AKC Flyball

Flyball Dog Champion (FDCH) Title _____ Date Awarded: _____

The following awards do not need to be applied for. AKC statistics are used.

Conformation:

Top 5 IWS by Breed Points Trophy - Members DO NOT need to apply for this award. We will obtain the information from the AKC.

Top 5 IWS All Breed Points Trophy - Members DO NOT need to apply for this award. We will obtain the information from the AKC.

Top 5 Owner-Handled IWS Trophy - Members DO NOT need to apply for this award. We will obtain the information from the AKC.

Winners Dog Trophy - Presented to the IWS dog that defeated the most dogs (males) on his way to completing his championship with all points awarded in one year. Members DO NOT need to apply for this award. We will obtain the information from the AKC.

Winners Bitch Trophy - Presented to the IWS bitch that defeated the most bitches, on her way to completing her championship, with all points awarded in one year. Members DO NOT need to apply for this award. We will obtain the information from the AKC.

Marsh Brood Bitch Trophy: The Marsh Brood Bitch Trophy is a perpetual trophy awarded to the bitch that produces the most champion offspring during the year. Members DO NOT need to apply for this award. We will obtain the information from the AKC

Agility:

Taoide Top MACH Trophy – Donated by Pat Morton in memory of Taoide agility dogs. This stained glass art piece, created by Deb Nezgoda, is presented to the dog that earns the most MACH points in one year. In the event of a tie, the trophy will be awarded to the dog having earned the most lifetime MACH points. Members do not need to submit results for these trophies as they will be determined by official AKC reports.

Mole End Agility Double Q Trophy – Presented to the dog who earns the most Agility double qualifying scores (qualifying in Excellent B in Standard and Jumpers on the same day) in a year. In the event of a tie, the award will be determined by the most lifetime double qualifications. If this should still result in a tie, it will then be determined by the most lifetime MACH points. Members do not need to submit results for these trophies as they will be determined by official AKC reports.

Cuardach Top PACH Trophy – Donated by Stephanie O’Reilly in memory of Scout (CH MACH PACH4 Madcap’s Way To My Heart UD RE JH PAX4 MXS MJS MXP11 MXPC MJP12 MJPC XF NFP WC), the first IWS to have earned a PACH agility title. The trophy is presented to the dog that has the most PACH points using the AKC system of determining the top agility preferred dog for each breed. This system gives one point for each speed point earned and ten points for each double Q earned. In the event of a tie, the trophy will be awarded to the dog having earned the most lifetime PACH points. Members do not need to submit results for these trophies as they will be determined by official AKC reports.

Top Agility Trophy: Presented to the dog that has the most points using the AKC system of determining the top agility dog for each breed. This system gives one point for each speed point earned and ten points for each double Q earned. Members do not need to submit results for these trophies as they will be determined by official AKC reports.

Top Agility Preferred Trophy: Presented to the dog that has the most points using the AKC system of determining the top preferred agility dog for each breed. This system gives one point for each speed point earned and ten points for each double Q earned. Members do not need to submit results for these trophies as they will be determined by official AKC reports.

Spotlight Award Nomination:

The Spotlight Award was established to recognize a team for special accomplishments such as placements at National events, dedication to the world of dog sports, or any other notable occurrence worthy of special recognition from the club. If there is a team who you like to nominate for this award, please provide their names and a detailed description in the space below of why you are nominating them. This will be presented to the Awards Committee for consideration.

I would like to nominate: _____