The 2013 Most Versatile Performance Old English Sheepdog Competition

Eligibility: to be eligible for this competition, an Old English Sheepdog must participate in at least two of the four performance events offered at the 2013 OESCA National Specialty (herding, agility, obedience and rally) and the dog must be specifically pre-entered in this competition for scores to count (see entry form).

Entry fee: $10 payable to 2013 OESCA National Specialty

Closing: The deadline for entry is Wednesday, September 25, 2013, 6:00 p.m.

Entry form should be mailed to Judi Cunningham, 576 Beaucaire Drive, St. Louis, MO 63122

The rules are as follows:

(1) The OES need not be handled by the same person in all events
(2) The OES needs a qualifying score* (as defined below) in at least two performance events to be in contention for the award.
(3) Only one score in each event will be counted.
(4) The OES that obtains the highest point total is the winner
(5) The winner will receive a rosette and a gift certificate to J&J Dog Supply

The scoring system is as follows:

HERDING:

Both Trial and Test classes will count towards this competition. Only the highest qualifying score counts.
If a qualifying score is received in both herding trials only the highest score from one trial will count.

- Herding Advanced (HX): Total score plus 15 points
- Herding Intermediate (HI): Total score plus 10 points
- Herding Started (HS): Total score plus 5 points
- Pre-Trial Test (PT): 60 points
- Herding Test (HT): 40 points
- Instinct Test (no title): 20 points
- High in Trial winner will be awarded an additional 5 points

AGILITY:

Only the highest qualifying score of a dog's qualifying agility scores will be counted in this event

- Excellent – Standard, JWW and FAST(preferred or regular): Total score plus 15 points
- Open - Standard, JWW and FAST(preferred or regular): Total score plus 10 points
- Novice - Standard, JWW and FAST(preferred or regular): Total score plus 5 points
- T2B (preferred or regular): Total points awarded multiplied by 10
- A dog that qualifies in 2 out of the 4 classes will be awarded an additional 5 points
- A dog that qualifies in 3 out of the 4 classes will be awarded an additional 8 points
- A dog that qualifies in 4 out of the 4 classes will be awarded an additional 10 points
- High in Trial winner will be awarded an additional 5 points

OBEDIENCE:

Only the highest qualifying score of a dog's qualifying obedience scores will be counted in this event
Regular, optional titling and non-regular classes will all count towards this competition.

- Utility: 50% of total score plus 15 points
- Open: 50% of total score plus 10 points
- Graduate Novice: 50% of total score plus 7 points
- Novice or Veterans: 50% of total score plus 5 points
- Beginner Novice: 50% of total score
- A dog that qualifies in both Utility B and Open B will be awarded an additional 5 points
- High in Trial winner will be awarded an additional 5 points
- High Combined Score winner will be awarded an additional 5 points

RALLY:

Only the highest qualifying score of a dog's qualifying rally scores will be counted in this event

- Rally Excellent : Total score plus 10 points
- Rally Advanced: Total score plus 5 points
- Rally Novice: Total score
- A dog that qualifies in both Excellent B and Advanced B will be awarded an additional 5 points

*** Qualifying scores defined:**

For the purpose of this competition, "qualifying score" means any score of 170 or higher in AKC obedience in any of the regular, optional titling or non-regular obedience classes offered, with the exception of Brace, when offered. In AKC rally a qualifying score is a score of 70 points or higher. In agility and herding, standard AKC requirements for earning a qualifying score apply in all classes offered at all levels. Test class passes are assigned points as designated in the scoring section.

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ENTRY FORM

Dog's AKC Registered Name:

Dog's Call Name:

AKC Registration/ILP Number:

DOB:

EVENTS ENTERED (check all that apply):

☐ **Herding** ☐ **Agility** ☐ **Obedience** ☐ **Rally**

Breeder(s):

Owner(s):

Address:

E-mail Address:

Telephone Number:

Signature of Person Authorized to Enter:

Entry Fee: **$10**

Make check payable to: ***2013 OESCA National Specialty***

Mail check and entry form to:

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