

Agility Grand Champion

The Board reviewed a recommendation to create a new title called Agility Grand Champion (AGCH). This prefix title is designed to recognize the lifetime achievement of dogs that excel across all classes in the AKC agility program. The AGCH title will add value to the FAST, Time 2 Beat, Premier Standard and Premier JWW classes. These classes currently are not part of the Master Agility Championship (MACH) or Preferred Agility Champion (PACH) titles.

To earn the AGCH title, the following number of qualifying scores must be earned at the highest level of these classes: Standard & Jumper with Weaves – 100 each; Fast and Time 2 Beat – 75 each; Premier Standard and Premier JWW – 50 each.

These qualifying scores may be earned from either the Regular or Preferred classes or a combination of both these classes. Qualifying legs will be grandfathered back to July 1, 1999. Following a motion by Mr. Kalter, seconded by Dr. Davies, it was VOTED (unanimously) to approve the addition of this title and approved the following changes to the **Regulations for Agility Trials - Chapter 2**, with titles starting to be awarded on July 6, 2016.

Regulations for Agility Trials Chapter 2

Section 3. Recognized Achievement. (insert as last paragraph in Section)

Agility Grand Champion (AGCH) Title. The Agility Grand Champion (AGCH) recognizes dogs that show consistency and versatility across all classes of the AKC agility program. To earn the AGCH title, the following number of qualifying scores must be earned at the highest level of these classes: Standard & Jumper with Weaves – 100 each; Fast and Time 2 Beat – 75 each; Premier Standard and Premier JWW – 50 each. These qualifying scores may be earned from either the Regular or Preferred classes or a combination of both these classes. Qualifying scores will be grandfathered.

This title will start to be awarded on July 6, 2016.