



### **Mr. Tom Alexander**

I have bred German Shorthaired Pointers under the Thomashenry prefix since 1980. Our kennel has had number one GSP 1986, 1988, 1990, 1991 and 1996 with several in the top three in the sporting group in other years.

We have had the top winning GSP / number one Sporting Dog & number three all breeds in South America as well as the first GSP ever to win the group at the World show in 1992. A Thomashenry dog was Best of Winners at the American National Specialty in 2000. We have champions in six countries.

I have also bred English Springer Spaniels and grew up with Irish Water Spaniels. We currently have Labrador Retrievers and our Dachshunds have placed in the top five many years including number one, boasting Best in Shows and Best in Specialty shows.

I am CKC licensed to judge all breeds. I have judged Sporting, Working and Hound Specialties , and Nationals, in both Canada , the USA, Australia, Japan and New Zealand and have also judged in Iceland , Hong Kong, Indonesia , Chile ,Colombia and Manila.



## **Mr. Robert Denis**

My wife and I have been breeding and exhibiting under the Lotus prefix since the early nineties. We have bred numerous American and Canadian Champions as well as Group, Specialty and Best in Show winners. Our first breed was shih-tzu and currently we breed and exhibit pekingese.

In 2002 we acquired our first Pekingese. The breed was always close to my heart and the opportunity to own and show my first was a thrill. Shortly afterwards I was honored with the opportunity to go into partnership with R. William Taylor and the late Nigel Aubrey-Jones of the St. Aubrey Elsdon Pekingese.

The latest Pekingese to be campaigned was BIS BISS A/C Ch. St. Aubrey Niklaus of Elsdon. He was Canada's Top Dog of All Breeds for 2011. To be the breeders of Canada's Top Dog is the dream of a lifetime. We continue to breed and show on a very limited scale as we have always felt that selective breeding can consistently produce quality.

Niklaus' grandsire was the great Multi BIS BISS A/C Ch. St. Aubrey Jubilation of Elsdon. "Bobby" was bred by R. William Taylor and campaigned in partnership with Dawne Deeley. He remains Canada's All time Top Best in Show winning Pekingese and All time Top Best in Show winning Toy. To have owner handled "Bobby" to his very first Best in Show will always remain a very special memory.

I have been involved in judging since 2007 and started with the Toy group. I am now licensed to judge all Toys, all Non Sporting dogs and am currently on permit for the remainder of the Sporting Group. To have been asked to judge Sweeps at the Pekingese Club of America and the Canadian Shih Tzu Club National Specialties early on is what I believe gave me the nudge not to mention the bug to get into judging.

Every assignment and every moment in the ring for me is anticipation of finding that truly special example of it's breed. As a breeder this was what always motivated and inspired me to truly present the best I had to offer to the fancy.



### **Mr. Frederico R. Fernandez Diaz**

I am a licensed All Breed FCD/FCI judge. I started in the sport of dogs in the 60's. During these years I have been a handler and exhibitor of countless breeds. During my exhibiting career, I have bred and successfully handled dogs in different States in the U.S.A., and different parts of the Americas. As a handler, I finished championships in many different breeds.

At the present time I am General Secretary of the Dominican Yorkshire Terrier Kennel Club and President of the Club Dominicano de Canofilos, an active member of the American Dog Show Judges Association and the Canadian Dog Judges Association. During my judging career, I have judged in Venezuela, Brazil, Columbia, Dominican Republic, Canada, Mexico, Puerto Rico, Chile, Ecuador, Australia, Panama, Argentina and the United States.

With my wife, Montserrat and with the constant support of our children, Montse, Marcelle and Gabriel we still keep our kennel, MontMar, where we own several breeds including Pembroke Welsh Corgis, Miniature Pinschers, Pugs, Yorkshire Terriers, Doberman Pinschers, Whippets, Cocker Spaniels, English Pointers and Chihuahuas (long and smooth hair).

At this stage in my life I am an Amateur Golfer, just as long as it does not interfere with any Dog Show Events.

I am a professional broker and President of Frederico R. Fernandez Advisors.



### Mr. Chris Graham:

I first started showing dogs in 1978 when I got my first English Setter. I have bred only a few dogs (under my Kennel Name of Windsor Park) but with some success, having an “In Show” winning home bred bitch in New Zealand and also exporting dogs to Australia.

I became involved in club management in 1978 when I was elected to the committees of both the English Setter Club and the Southern Gundog Society. I spent 10 years as the Secretary/Treasurer of the English Setter Club and was Vice President and then President of the Southern Gundog Society. I am now an honorary life member of this Society.

I first became involved in judging dogs in 1983 when I judged my first Ribbon Parade. I gained my Gundog Group licence in 1987 and am now an All Breeds judge at Championship level. I was on the committee of the Canterbury Branch of the Judges Association for several years. I have judged All Breeds throughout NZ, in Australia (Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia and West Australia) and also Canada.

I enjoy being a part of the “dog world” and having contact with the people and their dogs. I really look forward to each and every judging appointment and to me there is nothing better than having the privilege of judging beautiful dogs and meeting great people along the way (except maybe riding my new Triumph Street Triple motorcycle!)



**Ms. Karen LeJeune**

I got my first Doberman in 1979, and I still have one in my home today.

Although they will always be my heart breed, I now own, breed and show Whippets. I have been the President of the Red Deer Kennel Club for the past three years, and am/have been involved in several Breed clubs as well.

It is an honor to have been asked to Judge the All Breed Sweepstakes for the Evelyn Kenny Kennel & Obedience Club this summer.



### **LYNNE OSLACH**

I have always loved animals and horses in particular. When I met my husband Paul in 2001 I spent most of my time at the barn with my horse. Paul, who had owned Cavalier King Charles Spaniels for over 25 years, was not only an obedience judge but had trained the first Cavalier in North America to its OTCh. Within the year I had a Cavalier of my own. Joy and I learned about obedience together as we took our first classes. I found out how exciting it could be to work with your dog as a team. By titling together Joy gave me the opportunity to become an obedience judge.

I have had a wonderful time judging in Canada, the US and Bermuda.

My greatest pleasure is to see a happy dog and handler team who know each other's every move working together in the ring. When I'm not involved a dog activity I like to spend my time outdoors doing photography.

### **PAUL OSLACH**

Paul bought his first Cavalier in 1978. While showing his dog in conformation he looked across the arena to see people working with their dogs in another ring. It didn't look like conformation. He went to find out what they were doing. That was when he got hooked on obedience. By 1982, he had achieved the first OTCh. on a Cavalier in North America with Ch. & OT Ch. Picbrand Mardigras. By 1988 Paul was a CKC judge. Since that time he has judged in the US and Bermuda as well as across Canada.



**CHERYL PATERSON**

I have been showing and breeding Alaskan Malamutes under the “Terrapin” Registered prefix since 1990 and I still exhibit on a regular basis. We have bred over 30+ Canadian, American, European, Australian and Mexican champions. Over the years we have been involved in obedience, back packing and sledding as well as conformation.

Wanting to have something different to show, I bought our first Saluki in 2006, and we now have four of them which have taken over our household.

I have been licensed by the Canadian Kennel Club to judge since 2006. I am licensed to judge all of the breeds in Working, Herding, Sporting, Hounds and Non-Sporting. I have had the honour of judging several breed Regional and National Specialties in Canada as well as in many different countries. I also had the privilege of judging at the European Dog Show in the Czech Republic this past year.

I would like to thank you for the opportunity for inviting me to judge at your upcoming show(s).



**Judith Snowdon**

Shadowbar Shepherds, set in the picturesque foothills of Lundbreck, Alberta, is the home of Judi and Darryl Snowdon.

Judi has always had German shepherd dogs in her life. With them, she has received multiple High in Trial Awards in CKC Obedience and Herding trials and the first German shepherd to ever earn a Draft Dog Excellent title in Canada, which inspired Judi to become a Draft Dog Judge, was from Shadowbar.

Judi designed and implemented the program of training for the Karelian Beardog Teams in the government of Alberta Wildlife Management Program. She has received the Prime Minister's Award for Teaching Excellence and the Alberta SPCA Teacher of the Year Award for her work with grade 7 & 8 Crowsnest Pass students in Humane Education.

Her interest in Rally Obedience was sealed when, at the first ever Rally Obedience Trial held in Alberta, Judge Lawrence Klassen saw fit to award both Judi's German shepherds, Token and Mesa, perfect scores of 100, tying them for first place in a class of 90 entries. That interest has continued and has led Judi to become a CKC Rally Obedience judge and an avid competitor in the sport.





### **Ms. Barbara Wolosiuk**

Barbara Wolosiuk was born and raised in Alberta; being raised on a rural farm outside Lethbridge she took to loving animals at a young age. Establishing an Afghan Hound Kennel – Aphra – in 1980, she invested her time into breeding and showing Afghan Hounds. Barb has experience breeding and showing Afghans’ and Papillions’; her showing career has taken her and her animals throughout Canada and the United States. Barb is now a lifetime member of the Canadian Kennel Club.

In addition to her love of dogs, Barb also invests her passion into Friesen horses. Owning a gelding and mare; Barb is an active member of both the Alberta Friesen Club, and the North American Friesen Club. Barb is active within the surrounding community; working alongside the Mountain View Humane Society since 2012 to find homes for many stray and surrendered animals.