

Award Requirements:

- The Awards Year runs January 1st to December 31st
- Awards are only given to **current** members of the RTCC, if a dog is co-owned by a non-member, ONLY the current member will receive the award.
- For Conformation – all points must be earned in CKC Conformation during the Awards Year.
- For Performance & Agility - titles must be finished within the Awards Year. You may have earned a qualifying leg(s) in a previous year(s). Performance titles may be earned in non-CKC events.
- All performance titles must be earned in “mandatory” levels. Titles in levels which are not considered mandatory to move up to the next level are not eligible for consideration, eg. Pre-Novice Obedience, Rally Intermediate etc.
- Copies of official documents showing the dogs registered name may be requested as verification for all NON-CKC awards

Junior Handling Awards:

- As per above and including:
 - **Conformation:** CKC Junior Handling awards will be as per CKC records. The Junior handler and their parent must certify that all points were earned using a Rat Terrier.
 - **Performance:** Junior handlers and their parents must certify that the Junior handled the dog in all legs of the title earned.

CONFORMATION AWARDS

Rat Terrier of the Year

Awarded to the Rat Terrier with the highest point standing per CKC Top Dog standings.

This award does not require application.

Opposite Sex Rat Terrier of the Year

Awarded to the Rat Terrier (opposite sex to Rat Terrier of the Year) with the highest point standing per CKC Top Dog standings.

This award does not require application.

Canadian Bred Rat Terrier of the Year

Awarded to the Canadian-bred Rat Terrier with the highest conformation point standing per CKC Top Dog standings. If a member is not in the top 5 published by the CKC, Canuck Dogs results will be used. Canadian-bred criteria is as reflected by CKC.

This award does not require application.

Conformation Breeder of the Year

Awarded to the current member who has bred the most dogs who have received conformation championships in the Awards Year.

This award requires application.

Conformation Sire & Dam of the Year (Two separate Awards)

Awarded to the Sire and Dam of the Year with the most conformation championships earned by their offspring in the Awards Year. **This award requires application.**

Junior Handler of the Year

This will be awarded to the Junior handler/Rat Terrier team who ranks the highest in the CKC Junior handling standings.

This award requires application.

PERFORMANCE AWARDS

Versatility Rat Terrier of the Year

This Award is granted to the member/Rat Terrier team who earns the most performance titles within multiple performance venues within the Awards year. Each discipline counts once (i.e. if a dog earns 3 agility titles they count as one discipline, Rally Obedience and Obedience are different disciplines). All DMWYD (Do more with your dog) titles count as one discipline.

This award requires application.

Barn Hunt Rat Terrier of the Year

This Award is granted to the member/Rat Terrier team who earns the highest level Barn Hunt title in the year. If multiple applicants have achieved the same level, the award will be determined based on fastest times earned in qualifying for the title.

This award requires application.

CKC Agility Rat Terrier of the Year

This Award is granted to the member/Rat Terrier team ranked as highest overall per the CKC Agility rankings.

This award does not require application.

AAC Agility Rat Terrier of the Year

This Award is granted to the member/Rat Terrier team earning the highest AAC agility title with the Awards year.

This award requires application.

Obedience Rat Terrier of the Year

This Award is granted to the member/Rat Terrier team ranked as highest overall per the CKC Obedience title as per the CKC rankings.

This award does not require application.

Rally-Obedience Rat Terrier of the Year

This Award is granted to the member/Rat Terrier team ranked as highest overall per the CKC Rally-Obedience title as per the CKC rankings.

This award does not require application.

Performance Breeder of the Year

Awarded to the member who has bred the most dogs earning performance titles during the Awards Year. Similar to the Versatility dog of the year, each offspring is only counted once. titles count per discipline (i.e. agility 1 point, rally-o 1 point, a dog earning 3 agility titles only contributes 1 point).

This award requires application.

Performance Sire & Dam of the Year (Two separate Awards)

Awarded to the Sire and Dam of the Year with the most performance titled offspring. Titles are earned as per Performance Breeder of the Year. **This award requires application.**

Performance Junior Handler of the Year

This Award is granted to the Junior Handler/Rat Terrier team who earns the most Performance Titles during the Awards Year.

This award requires application.