

Conference call meeting

1/17/2019

President Reagan sent a group text out to all board members asking for a rule change. The original rule stated: All classes **must** offer all five classes to be considered a SWCDA trial.

Recommendations for change: It is recommended but not mandatory to offer all five classes to be considered a SWCDA trial.

A unanimous vote for the change was received.

Reason: Due to the difference in the ending year between SWCDA and NCA, there is a six month gap that nursery dogs cannot compete in a SWCDA trial that is sanctioned with NCA and receive points for NCA because of the age rule.

Also, the Intermediate handlers that have to move up after the SWCDA finals, are still eligible to compete in the NCA for points towards the NCA finals.

This change will allow Nursery dogs and Intermediate handlers to continue to receive points from NCA sanctioned trials until March 31 when the NCA year ends.