

## National Bird Dog Museum 2021

# HALL OF FAME

Hello! I am happy to share this special issue Hall of Fame newsletter with you! As you all are aware, the past year has been unusual in many ways. The events of the past year have affected just about everyone and the National Bird Dog Museum has not been an exception. The main effect here has been that we were unable to hold the Hall of Fame Induction Ceremonies and the National Championship Kick-Off at the traditional time in February. Therefore, the National Championship Field Trails came and went without much activity here at the museum. However, the board of directors decided to hold the 2021 Hall of Fame inductions in June and we did it! The inductions were held on June 12. The number of attendees was down quite a bit this year, but we had an enjoyable time with all those present. Due to the inductions being in June, the sweltering Tennessee humidity was here to welcome everyone. It was great to see all of the induction regulars again. Thanks to all of you who did make the trip to take part in the inductions. I especially want to thank our sponsors of the event—[PURINA](#), [AINLEY KENNELS & FABRICATION](#), [GARMIN](#), and [AVERY](#).

The morning session consisted of the inductions of the English Cocker Spaniels presided over by Steve Beyer (who stepped in for Bethann Wiley who was unable to attend), the English Springer Spaniels presided over by Steve Beyer, and the Retrievers presided over by Mark Medford.

Following the morning inductions, a luncheon sponsored by Purina was held. As some of you know, we lost our friend, sponsor, and supporter Catherine Bowling Dean back in January of this year. Catherine was the owner of Me & My Tea Room Catering, which has catered the induction ceremonies for several years now. Just 48 hours later, we also lost Jean Holmes, who was Catherine's head cook. But Catherine's family and friends worked tirelessly to keep the company going as she would have wanted and expected. They provided us with a wonderful light lunch, complete with some wonderful desserts. They also made some great food for the afternoon reception.

The inductions resumed in the afternoon session which consisted of the inductions of the Red Setters presided over by Andrew Agnew and the Brittanys presided over by Rick Smith. The German Shorthair Pointers and the Weimaraners were unable to attend the ceremonies. The Pointer/Setter breed had no elections this year.

Thanks to our wonderful volunteers that we had here to help out—Misty Burnette, Donnis Lake, Rex Brotherton, Nancy McCellandan, and Barbara Sweeney. I would also like to thank Vera Courtney for taking the pictures for us. I would especially like to thank the inductees and their families and friends who attended and shared this experience with us.

Tonya Brotherton

Executive Director

# ENGLISH COCKER SPANIEL INDUCTEES



**Hob Brown owner of Cassie at right**



**Inductee Ballymena's Lucky Shamrock "Cassie" Owned by Lisa and Hob Brown**



**Camino's Cheetah Owned by Dan McGrew Inductee**



**Hartwell S. "Bucky" Moore Inductee**



**Tawney Crawford Inductee**



# English Springer Spaniel Inductees



**Inductee Bob Child pictured with his wife Gail**



**Inductee Ed & Esther Faraci Ed is deceased**

# RETRIEVER INDUCTEES



**Inductee Mitch Patterson  
pictured with his wife Linda**



**Inductee Martha  
Russell pictured with  
her husband John**



**Inductee Tealcreek  
Patton's Saber—owners  
Chris and Portia Hatch**



**Inductee Lanes Lets Get  
Ready to Rumble  
Owner Bobby Lane with his  
wife Valerie**



**Inductee  
Gary  
Ahlgren**

**Gary  
was  
unable  
to  
attend**



# Red Setter Inductees



**Inductee Stanley Zdanczewicz (deceased) - pictured is his family that was here for the induction**



**Inductee Breakstone  
Owner Roger Boser**

# BRITTANY INDUCTEES



**Inductee Diana Kubitz with Gary her husband and son**



**Inductee Ken Jacobson**



**Inductee Bernie Crain with his wife Barb**



**Joe Jung (center) owner of Bourbon XIII at right**



**Inductee Bourbon XIII  
Owner Joe Jung**



# German Shorthaired Pointer

These are the GSP inductees but none were able to attend the ceremonies.



**Inductee Uodibar's  
Shoot the Moon owned  
by John & Susan  
Rabidou**



**Inductee Robert  
Holcomb**



**Inductee MSR's Opalescence  
owned by James & Sarah  
Messer**

# Weimaraner

These are the Weimaraner inductees but none were able to attend the ceremonies.



**Charles "Charlie" G.  
Williams (deceased)**



**Snake Breaks Sgt. Schultz  
owned by Steve Reynolds**

*There were no Pointer/Setter elections for the Hall of Fame*

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# *Ways to Support the Museum*

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$50.00 Annual Membership**

**(You receive a small appreciation gift and discount in gift shop)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$500.00 Life Membership**

**(You receive an appreciation gift, tax letter and discount in gift shop)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$1200.00 Life Patron / Patron Memorial**

**(You receive a plaque to be hung in the museum and one for family)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$1000.00 President's Council**

**(You receive a certificate, name on a special plaque and discount)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$1400.00 Walk of Champion Dog Marker**

**(You receive a granite stone to be placed along the walkway in the front of the museum with a dog's name on it)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$250.00 Memorial Wall Plaque**

**(You receive a bronze plaque to be placed on the memorial wall outside)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **General Fund (in any amount you choose)**

**This is always greatly appreciated.**

*You may also choose to support the museum in your will.*

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# Parting thoughts and upcoming news

**Watch our website, Facebook and upcoming newsletters for news on our Gun Giveaway. I think you will love our choice this year!**



**What would we do without our volunteers?**  
**Thanks Misty and Nancy!**  
**Misty always helps with that beautiful smile.**  
**(The famous Bryant smile)**



**As of February 16, 2021 we have been here for 30 years!!!**

**Left and right are the T-shirts we had made for this celebration.**

**Available here at the museum.**

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**I want to leave you with this thought—  
Life is like a camera just focus on what's important—  
Capture the good times—  
Develop from the negatives—  
If things don't work out just take another shot.**