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Objective and Purpose:

To promote cooperation and friendship among the breeders and owners of Brittanys and to encourage higher standards in breeding, training and showing of Brittanys in the field and in the show ring; to discourage the breed from becoming split into groups of "field dogs" and "show dogs" and to strive to keep it forever a "dual dog".

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**Nominations begin March 1
and close July 1**

On behalf of the Brittany Field Trial Hall of Fame (BFTHF), we are asking you to participate in the BFTHF nomination process. The BFTHF is part of the Bird Dog Foundation, Grand Junction, TN.

Purpose

The purpose of the BFTHF is to recognize and honor Brittanys and Brittany owners that have made significant contributions to the Sport of Field Trialing. To date, **75** Brittanys and **47** Brittany enthusiasts have been inducted and pictures of these dogs and people are displayed in the Hall of Fame.

“To be enshrined in a Hall of Fame is the greatest achievement in field trial sports”

Nominations

You are a member of the nominating committee and your support is needed. We want you to nominate those you believe are **Outstanding** Brittanys and **Distinguished** Brittany people.

Outstanding dogs are recognized by their entire competitive career, field trial performance record (championship wins) and production record. They must be deceased at least one year prior to opening of nominations March 1. These are the same dogs you would like to find in the pedigree of that good pup you just bought !

Distinguished people have rendered exemplary service to the sport of field trialing both locally and nationally for a long period of time. These contributions may be as a judge, a breeder, a field trial official, a reporter, a patron or any combination thereof. The sport is better because of these people who are givers, not takers or self promoters.

Nominations Process

Visit the Election Procedure page on our website at www.brittanyfieldtrialhalloffame.com to review the Election Criteria and Guidelines. A nominator should prepare a bio with facts that outline a dog or person's worthiness to be a member of the BFTHF. The nomination and a photo should be sent by email to JandMBrittanys1@juno.com or by regular mail to Mary Crawford, Corresponding Secretary, 11902 Mile Dr., Houston, TX 77065. Support letters should be sent to mail@BrittanyFieldTrialHallOfFame.com by anyone wishing to add support for a nominee.

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