

Register of Merit Program Requirements

Open to CDCA members in good standing who own AKC-registered Canaan Dogs who have produced outstanding offspring. To be eligible, the dog or bitch must have OFA hip certification of “Good” or better or equivalent PennHip clearance and up-to-date “normal” CERF clearances. To receive a Register of Merit (ROM), a bitch must produce three (3) AKC conformation Champions of Record and a dog must produce five (5) AKC conformation Champions of Record. To receive a Register of Merit Excellent (ROMX), a bitch must produce five (5) and a dog must produce eight (8) AKC conformation Champions of Record. To receive a Grand Champion Register of Merit (GROM), a bitch must produce three (3) AKC conformation Grand Champions of Record and a dog must produce five (5) AKC conformation Grand Champions of Record. To receive a Grand Champion Register of Merit Excellent (GROMX), a bitch must produce five (5) and a dog must produce eight (8) AKC conformation Grand Champions of Record.

To receive a Versatility Register of Merit (VROM), a bitch must produce three (3) CDCA Versatility-awarded (V) offspring and a dog must produce five (5) CDCA Versatility-awarded (V) offspring. To receive a Versatility Register of Merit Excellent (VROMX), a bitch must produce five (5) and a dog must produce eight (8) CDCA Versatility-awarded (V) offspring.

For more information on the CDCA Registry of Merit, please contact Marianne Smith Vargas. To apply for a Register of Merit Award, fill out the Register of Merit form and submit it to Marianne Smith Vargas (msmith2010@gmail.com).