

GSDCA PROGENY GROUP RULES

Progeny Groups demonstrate the quality of dogs produced by frequently used stud dogs and brood bitches. The genetic dominance is evaluated through the consistency of individual strengths and weaknesses in the offspring. Progeny groups are critiqued in detail. However, no placements (first, second, etc.) are awarded.

All dogs presented in a Progeny Group must have been entered and shown in a regular class at the current event. The stud dog or brood bitch is NOT required to be shown. At the current event, a Progeny Group will be automatically scheduled for any sire or dam who meets the participation requirements.

There is no entry fee to present a Progeny Group.

Stud Dog Progeny Requirements:

- 1. The Progeny group requires a minimum of six (6) dogs.
- 2. All dogs must be a direct descendent of the stud dog.
- 3. For the Progeny group, only the descendants from litters where the sire was at least two years old at the time of the breeding are eligible.

Brood Bitch Progeny Requirements:

- 1. The Progeny group requires a minimum of three (3) dogs.
- 2. The dogs entered in the brood bitch Progeny group may consist of direct descendants of the brood bitch and also 2nd generation (grand offspring) of the brood bitch.
- 3. For the Progeny group, only the descendants from litters where the brood bitch was at least two years old at the time of the breeding are eligible.