

# Winter Newsletter December, 2021

Greeting's and Happy Holidays Tri-State Members,

The elections for board members were held the 5<sup>th</sup> through the 12<sup>th</sup> of December utilizing Election Runner. The current board will continue on an interim basis for the 2022 year. Elections for a new Board will be held in December 2022. We encourage you to get involved and perhaps consider a position on the 2023-2024 board. 2022 Election results can be reviewed here:  
<https://vote.electionrunner.com/election/60J6p/results>

2022 Board Members are:

President: Susan Getty

Vice President: Lynn Hawley

Secretary: Deanna Gillette

Treasurer: Chet Stewart

Membership Secretary: Cheryl Costello

Past President: Kelly Melberg

There seems to be a lot of misinformation swirling around out there, and I would like to quell your concerns.

First, the Tri-State Club is not being disbanded and funds dispersed. Plans are underway for a Spring Play-day in Idaho, and the Treasure Valley Gemboree scheduled for June 11-12, 2022 in New Plymouth Idaho. Our Conformation Judges will be Stephanie Taylor on Saturday and Stephen Darroch on Sunday. Both judges have not been out to the West Coast in many years and we're excited to have them. Connie McKee and Stephanie Poppe have agreed to again be our GTG and Super Earth Judges and Jacob Trujillo is geared to return with the ever-popular Urban Hunter.

Second, the Tri-State sponsored Rainier Hunt Classics will not be held in Washington in 2022, that does not mean there will not be another Rainier Hunt Classic. Logistics and trial costs prompted the Board to move the Tri-State Sponsored Trial to Idaho for the 2022 season only. It is our desire, that new Trial Administrators be found for 2023. Those individuals are welcome to hold the Tri-State Sponsored trial in any of the three states the club represents.

WEB PAGE: Don't forget our JRTCA/TSJRTC Breeders page. This is a free service to Tri-State Members in good standing and hopefully will drive people in the Western Region to the Tri-State page. If you would like to be included, please send your Kennel Name, contact information and a link to your website or Face Book page to [Vsteel@victorsteel.biz](mailto:Vsteel@victorsteel.biz).

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL: Reminder that Memberships are due on January 1, 2022 and are good for one year. Please try to get those renewals done as soon as possible. There is a link on the Web Site so you can complete and mail your application. We accept checks or you can pay your dues using the PayPal button on the site. And if you know someone, invite them to join us as well. Tri State Jack Russell Terrier Club, Inc. ([tristatejackrussellclub.com](http://tristatejackrussellclub.com))

Wishing you all a Happy New Year!  
See you in the Spring!