

American Belgian Tervuren Club
Breeder Accomplishment Record (BAR)

This award recognizes the outstanding quality of progeny produced. "Where as the American Belgian Tervuren Club bestows on this Tervuren the Breeders Accomplishment Record for the valuable contribution to the Belgian Tervuren Breed"

There are three ABTC BAR Plaque Awards. Conformation, Obedience (includes Tracking) and Performance (Agility and Herding). BAR points are calculated from American Kennel Club titles that offspring and grand offspring are awarded.

The owner of a Tervuren who is awarded two Breeder Achievement Records, any combination, may apply for a BAR Pin.

Owners must apply for a BAR plaque/pin and must be an ABTC member during the year the BAR was earned and during the year the plaque is requested. Only one BAR plaque is offered per dog regardless of multiple co-owners. Additional BAR plaques may be purchased for \$90.00 ea. Only 1 BAR pin will be awarded regardless of multiple co-owners or multiple Tervuren owned by a member who have earned multiple BAR's. Due to limited supplies, additional BAR pins may not be purchased at this time.

BAR point calculations are tabulated from the AKC monthly awards publication. The BAR calculation period runs from Jan 1st to Dec 31st. Titles earned after December 31st can not be applied to BAR point totals during the time gap between December 31st and the preparation of BAR awards the subsequent calendar year.

Owners should track their dogs BAR points but do not have to submit records to verify BAR calculations of American Kennel Club titles unless there is a discrepancy between the owners BAR calculations and the ABTC BAR calculations. When the request for a BAR award is submitted the owner will be notified if the Tervuren does not have the required points according to ABTC calculations.

BAR Awards are prepared once a year and either presented at the Awards Banquet with each National Specialty or mailed. [Owners not attending the National Specialty will receive their awards by mail.] The deadline to apply for a BAR award is February 28th for banquet presentation (or to be mailed). Remember, the BAR calculation period runs from Jan 1st to Dec 31st. Titles earned after December 31st can not be applied to BAR point totals during the time gap between December 31st and the preparation of BAR awards the subsequent calendar year.

Breeder Achievement Record Award Application

Email requests will not be accepted unless they contain all information requested in the application. The application may be sent by mail, as a pdf attachment, as a FAX (303-457-3045) or an email if ALL required information is included in the email. Helen Hittesdorf, 10485 Balsam St, Broomfield, CO 80021. hhhitt@msn.com *You will not be contacted for missing information. If your application is missing information a plaque will not be prepared and you will have to submit a new request with complete information the following year.*

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You must be an ABTC member the year the BAR was earned and an ABTC member the year the BAR award is applied for.

AKC registered name of dog with AKC titles only (as it will appear on the plaque)

Owner Name – include all co-owners (as it will appear on the plaque)

Address: _____

Banquet Presentation ONLY to attendees of the Awards Banquet. If you are not attending the banquet your award will be mailed.

Circle one: Attending Banquet

Please Mail

Applying for (circle appropriate award/s):

**Conformation
Plaque**

**Obedience
Plaque**

**Performance
Plaque**

**BAR Pin
(Tervuren has earned 2 Bars)**

CALCULATING BREEDER ACCOMPLISHMENT RECORD (BAR)

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CONFORMATION BREEDER ACHIEVEMENT RECORD – C BAR

Males require 100 points, bitches require 50 points.

Direct Champion offspring = 5 points.

Grand Champion offspring = 2 points

OBEDIENCE BREEDER ACHIEVEMENT RECORD – O BAR

Males require 100 points, bitches require 50 points.

Direct Companion Dog title (CD) = 2

Direct Companion Dog Excellent Title (CDX) = 3

Direct Utility Dog Title (UD) = 4

Direct Utility Dog Excellent Title (UDX) = 4

Direct Obedience Trial Champion Title (OTCH) = 5

Direct Tracking Dog Title (TD) = 3

Direct Tracking Dog Excellent Title (TDX) = 4

Direct Versatile Surface Tracker (VST) = 4

Direct Champion Tracker (CT) = 5

Grand parents are awarded half points for each title.

AKC Optional Titling classes are not awarded BAR points.

UDX is awarded 4 points, additional levels of UDX do not multiply the BAR points awarded.

Rally titles are not awarded Obedience BAR points.

PERFORMANCE BREEDER ACHIEVEMENT RECORD – P BAR

Males require 100 points, bitches require 50 points.

Multiple agility and herding titles are offered by the AKC for each level. Agility: Novice, Open, Excellent. Herding: Started, Intermediate, Advanced. BAR points are awarded by level not per title. Example: A Tervuren who earns 3 Novice agility or 3 Herding Started titles credits parents with one set of points for that level. Preferred agility titles are not awarded Performance BAR points.

Direct Novice Agility Title = 2

Direct Open Agility Title = 3

Direct Excellent Agility Title = 4

Direct Master Agility Title = 4

Direct Master Agility Champion (MACH) = 5

MACH is awarded 5 points, additional levels of MACH do not multiply the BAR points awarded.

Grand parents are awarded half points for each title.

Direct Herding Started Title = 2

Direct Herding Intermediate Title = 3

Direct Herding Advanced Title = 4

Direct Herding Trial Champion = 5

Grand parents are awarded half points for each title.

Foreign titles (Canadian, Mexican) can be credited to sire and dam, and grand sire/grand dam, if the offspring is a resident of that country and a copy of the title is submitted. Requests to include foreign titles for BAR points MUST include the following information: date of birth, sire, dam, all 4 grand sire/grand dams and AKC registration number *if* the Tervuren earning the foreign title/s also has an AKC registration number. If a dog earns titles in two countries only one set of BAR points are awarded. For example: a Tervuren who is an American/Canadian Champion credits parents and grand parents with one set of Champion BAR points only. Titles from other foreign registration organizations *may* be considered for ABTC BAR points if the offspring is a resident of that country and the title/s earned can be shown to be equivalent to an established AKC title. Providing information on the requirements for the title, copies of the title, etc. are the responsibility of the person requesting they be applied to BAR calculations.