



Jacquelyn Fogel
Candidate: BHCA Treasurer

It is a sincere honor to be supported by many more than the minimum twenty-five required petition signers to stand for election as the BHCA Treasurer. The position is not one that I take lightly. BHCA Membership counts for a lot to many people so, no petition signer or club member should ever feel let down, least of all by me, as we work for the good of the Club and the Basset Hound breed.

I have a B.A. and M.A. from the University of Arizona, specializing in population studies. I worked for the City of Tucson's Budget and Research Department for two years, and in 1977 I moved to Milwaukee, WI to work on the budget staff of the Mayor of Milwaukee. While there, I co-authored a paper designing an innovative approach to Municipal budgeting that gained worldwide recognition. From 1985 – 1989 I served as the executive director of United Way of Washington County, WI, then built Cedar Creek Pet Resort in Jackson, WI.

My husband, Tom, and I were both active in the Kettle Moraine club, and our non-profit, Keep Your Pets, and we still own and manage Cedar Creek Pet Resort. I wrote a regular column for Showsight Magazine for ten-years and have had many of my articles published in other magazines including the AKC Gazette. In 2014 I became an AKC Delegate for our all-breed club and served on the All-Breed Club committee. In 2022 Tom and I moved to Gardnerville, NV, where we continue to breed Basset Hounds and Bedlington terriers. I am currently serving on the Reno Kennel Club's show committee.

My first basset was a gift in 1969, and came from a show kennel in Tucson, AZ. I bred my first litter in 1971. Our first homebred champion was bred to a Tal-E-Ho dog owned by Don Martin, and all First Class Bassets (more than 75 champions to date) go back to that breeding. Our early litters bore the Fogel-Rich kennel name, which was changed to "First Class" in 1990. I became an AKC judge in 2008, and I am approved to judge 6 breeds. I was thrilled to be asked to judge extended stud-dog and brood-bitch classes at the 2015 Whippet National Specialty, and I have judged many Basset and Dachshund specialties throughout the years. In 2012, I judged the Bedlington Terrier National Specialty in Louisville, KY.

The opportunity and pleasure of meeting many of you over the years has been a true pleasure and as a loyal BHCA Member since 1985, I know that the BHCA is worth the time and energy that I am willing to give as the BHCA Treasurer. Your active support and VOTE will be genuinely appreciated.