

## Collie Club of America

The following questionnaire is designed to produce a biography that will educate our newer club members about your history when deciding how to vote for our national specialty judges. Biographies will be posted on the CCA website.

Please keep answers brief and complete. Editor has the option of editing for brevity prior to publication, if necessary.

**What is your name?** Jacqueline Caruso

**What is your email address?** rjcars42@gmail.com

**What is your kennel name?** Devinwood

**What year did you join CCA?** 1981

**How many CCA National Specialties have you attended?** 30

**Have you ever served the CCA in any capacity? If yes, what?**

District Director NY and CT combined 30 years  
Chair Breed Education (former)-responsible for the Collie as a Family Dog project  
Chair Realignment Committee (former)  
Chair Election Committee

**What year did you receive regular status to judge Collies?** 2013

**Have you previously judged the CCA National Specialty? (If so, indicate year and location of each assignment)**

No

**What mentors or dogs influenced your breeding program?**

Mary Benjamin  
Ben & Joyce Houser  
Tom Coen  
Joe Koehler

**What year did you breed your first litter?** 1985

**What year did you breed your last litter?** 2021

**How many litters have you bred?** 25

**How many champions have you bred?** 23

**Please name three dogs that have been most important to you in your breeding program.**

Ch. Twin Oaks High Plains Drifter  
Ch. Devinwood Hi Plains Rambler  
Ch. Devinwood Ramblin Man

**Which dogs, bred by you, have received National Specialty awards or placements?**

Platinum GCH Devinwood A Perfect Stranger  
Ch. Ashbury Wild Horses  
Ch. Devinwood Ramblin Rosie  
Ch. Devinwood Stealing Beauty  
Ch. Devinwood Ramble On  
Ch. Devinwood Hi Plains Renegade

**Please state the top three virtues you believe are most important in relation to the Collie Standard.**

Head ( Skull properties)  
Eye /Expression  
Overall Balance