

SGBI Junior Board of Directors Election Form/Rules and Regulations

This form and all required documents must be postmarked no later than May 25, 2018 and sent to the correct address that is listed at the bottom of the page. This address is NOT the same as where BOD Applications are mailed.

1. Please submit a headshot of yourself, no larger than 5x7, that we can place on a trifold next to the ballot box.
 - a. Keep this photo no larger than a 5x7. Your photo will not be placed on the trifold if it is any larger.
2. Please submit a brief, 2-3 sentence, paragraph explaining why you want to be a director/what you will bring to the board that can be placed underneath your headshot on a trifold next to the ballot box.
 - a. Keep this paragraph to a minimum. No more than 3 sentences. Your paragraph will not be placed on the trifold if it is any longer.
3. Please prepare a SHORT speech to give during the opening dinner and during the junior dance.
 - a. You do not need to send this speech in, however, it is advised that you begin preparing before arriving at Junior Nationals.
 - b. This speech is used to introduce yourself, your experience within the breed and why you would like to run for director.
 - c. There is no time restriction for the length of your speech, however, please keep your speech to a minimum as we have many candidates running.
 - i. Often times, highlighting a few important things about yourself in a brief speech is more beneficial than a lengthy, wordy speech.

Rules & Regulations

Please read our Rules & Regulations and sign at the bottom of the page to state that you agree with the rules and regulations listed below. We do not have a long or strict rule system; however, we want to make sure that each candidate has a fair chance and that the Junior Board of Directors is properly represented throughout the show.

1. There will be no foul play or inappropriate behavior towards other candidates or current members of the SGBI Junior Board of Directors.
 - a. The Junior Board is a team that must work together, treat each other with respect and support each other in order to properly represent SGBI.
2. Please keep all candidate displays clean, professional and appropriate.
 - a. Candy, snacks, and bottled/canned drinks (soda, water, Gatorade, etc.) are allowed. Please do not serve any drinks that can be poured, spilt, or bring flies to displays.

- b. No inappropriate things will be allowed on your displays.
 - 1. If you have to question whether or not something is appropriate, simply do not include it.
- 3. Respect other candidate's campaign photos, posters and displays.
 - a. You may hang photos and posters as a part of your campaign as long as they are respectful and appropriate.
 - b. The Junior Board is a team that must work together, treat each other with respect and support each other in order to properly represent SGBI.
- 4. Represent SGBI, the SGBI Junior Board, your affiliate and yourself in a professional and respectful manner.
 - a. When you run for director, you are representing the entire breed association and those involved with the board. Please keep this in mind as you enjoy the 2018 Junior National Show, running for director and as you are mingling with others.
 - b. Underage drinking is prohibited by SGBI as well as the United States. Every candidate and current board member must be under the age of 21 to be on the board. Therefore, everyone running or currently on the board is under the legal age of drinking. Please keep this in mind as you are representing the breed, yourself and the board.

I, _____, have read and understand the Rules & Regulations that the SGBI Junior Board of Directors has in order to keep the election process fair and respectable. I promise to follow these rules and properly represent myself as a future Junior Board member. I know that I now represent the breed and the Board of Directors as I am running for a director position and promise to uphold the team-like qualities and characteristics that a member of the board should possess.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

This form and all required documents must be POSTMARKED no later than May 26, 2018.

**Please send this form and all required documents to:
Shelby Ferguson
1342 Malmaison Ridge Drive
Spring, TX 77379**