Guthrie Award
Outstanding Corriedale Breeder of the Year
1951-2013

The Guthrie Award for the Outstanding Corriedale Breeder of the Year began in 1951 when it was first presented to J.F. Walker, Gambier, Ohio. Senator J.F. Guthrie donated this trophy to the Association, noted Corriedale breeder in Geelong, Victoria, Australia. Many stud rams were imported from his flock to the United States in the early years. The Guthrie trophy is given to a Corriedale breeder who has made major genetic contributions to the improvement and advancement of the Corriedale breed over at least the past three years. Show and sale results and participation in state and national activities are all considered in the evaluation of the nominees.

PS-The following was presented by Senator Guthrie and the Guthrie Trophy Committee as a point system to use in make the award selection:

1. Number of flocks—started—20 pts
2. Advertising—20 pts
3. Service to the Association and to the breed—20 pts
4. Improvement accomplished for the breed—40 pts

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1951  J F Walker, Ohio
1952  Leslie Crane, California
1953  A L King, Wyoming
1954  Ernest A Ramstetter, Colorado
1955  H C Noelke, Jr, Texas
1956  R F Hesler, Iowa
1957  Wesley Wooden, California
1958  Perry Johnston, Oregon
1959  Lloyd F Smith, Iowa
1960   Charles S Brown, Missouri
1961   Truett C Stanford, Texas
1962   Sam Murrell, Missouri
1963   J H Bone, Indiana
1964   K M Wagner, Iowa
1965   Wilbur C Hartpence, Ohio
1966   Jim Cretcher, California
1967   Carl Dunbar, Illinois
1968   Kin Brothers, Ohio
1969   Kenneth Livengood, Iowa
1970   Herbert J Milroy, Ohio
1971   Lyle & Lanny Crawford, Iowa
1972   Dorsey McLaughlin, California
1973   Dante Calvi, California
1974   Theodore Rowe, Nebraska
1975   Ken Bortel, Ohio
1976   Nelson Wolf & Family, Ohio
1977   Paul & Van Cruit, Illinois
1978   Phil Reister, Washington
1979   Harley Martin, Wyoming
1980   Max L Woolever, Illinois
1981   Mr & Mrs Lynn Omer, Illinois
1982   K & K Corriedales, Ohio
1983   Theodore Rowe, Nebraska
1984   Clayton Wells, Michigan
1985   Robert & Joan Olsen, Michigan
1986   Dayle & Donna Waddington, California
1987   John Merlau, Indiana
1988   Van Cruit, Illinois
1989   Ed Craig & Family, Illinois
1990   Bruce Hoffman & Family, South Dakota
1991   Lester & Renetta Phillipi, Montana
1992   Hal & Carole Walker, Maryland
1993    Duane & Lois Martin, Michigan
1994   Ruppert’s Corriedales, Pennsylvania
1995    Buck & Dixie Monson, Illinois
1996    Marty Moran, Illinois
1997    Ben & Mary Bow & Family, Pennsylvania
1998    Coleman Corriedales, Illinois
1999    Sherman-Franklin Corriedales, Connecticut
2000    Dayle & Donna Waddington, California
2001    Henry Shultz & Family, Missouri
2002    Statewood Farms, Ohio
2003    Dew Drop Farms, Minnesota
2004    S Bar S Ranch/Seals, California
2005    Peters’ Corriedales, Ohio
2006    Ruth Hartman, Pennsylvania
2007    Lightning Ridge Farm, Massachusetts
2008    Bryan & Gina Vining/Federer Corriedales, Wyoming
2009    Joana Friesz, North Dakota
2010    Rodney Morris & Family, Illinois
2011    Phillippi Corriedales, Montana
2012    Ryan Craig, Illinois
2013    Owl Ridge Farm, Massachusetts
2014    Kin Brothers, Ohio
2015    Wolf Brothers, Ohio
2016    Bruce Hoffman & Family, South Dakota
2017    Michael Bandt, Wisconsin
2018    Joana Friesz, North Dakota
2019    5-H Farms/Gary Heibertshausen, Montana