



## **THE PORTUGUESE POINTER CLUB UK**



Annual report 2021

Good afternoon, Madam Chairman, ladies and gentlemen, I have pleasure in presenting this year's annual report.

It has been a different year for the executive committee in 2020/2021 due to the continuation of Covid 19.

Since the last AGM your committee has been continuing with meetings via zoom and we have completed a number of tasks in the background.

Our Breed Education Coordinator ran a Breed Appreciation Day as per the Kennel Club requirements, we filled all the available spaces and this covered the costs of the platform, conference room and certificates. We had a presentation delivered by Penny Westaway & Helga Edmondson, we then had Tiago Fortuna from Portugal for questions and answers at the end. We had 30 participants who attended and completed the online question paper, we had 28 with 100% and 2 with 98%, our reviews on the day provided us with excellent feed back and were extremely positive in the responses. Mentoring sessions will now be offered to judges who meet Level 2 JEP.

Our web page has been developed and should be live now, thanks to all who assisted.

Our Match has taken place at a later than normal National Dog Show in Stafford. Our judge on the day was Martyn Rees who had a good entry of dogs, with the majority being Portuguese Pointers. The Slovakian Rough Haired Pointer Club ran it this year and our thanks have gone to them.

This year has seen 4 litters been born with possibly another 2 being planned so the breed is progressing numerically. There has also been an increase in the numbers of Portuguese Pointers being shown this year at Championship shows which again is good for the breed going forward.

I ask you to accept this the Annual report 2021.

Tom Gorrian

Hon Secretary