

## **FREE Seminar, Saturday, April 15, 2023, 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.**

### **PARSON RUSSELL TERRIER**

#### **CONSTRUCTION & GAIT FOR PURPOSE & FUNCTION**

THE PRATAA is honored to offer a free seminar open to everyone! Attendees are invited to donate with all proceeds donated to our PRATAA Health and Genetics to be used for PRT Research.

#### **Seminar Description**

Would a Ferrari function well on an ‘Off road’ adventure? Would a Sumo wrestler win an Olympic 100m sprint? Of course not! They have the wrong chassis or body type to function successfully. They are constructed incorrectly for this purpose.

Let’s investigate body types in dogs and how we can use this along with the ‘Rules of anatomy’, proportions, balance, and angles to create an understanding of the requirements for the successful performance of the Parson in relation to his purpose and function.



#### **MS. GLENYS ALEXANDER - International All Breeds Judge**

Dog breeding and showing became part of Glenys’ life at a very young age as she became a partner in the family’s world recognized ‘Walamara Dobermans’ at twelve years of age.

There are too many wins to count over the years with over 160 ‘Walamara’ Champions in countries including Australia, New Zealand, USA, Singapore, India and Greece and many, many Supreme Champions, Grand Champions, Best In Shows, Specialty and National Specialty winners. American, Canadian and South American imports and frozen semen have assisted in this extreme success for over 50 years.

Marrying into a 4 generation Smooth Fox Terrier family in 1980 fired her love of Terriers and she began her ‘Ivanhoe Wires’ journey in 1983 with the hugely successful Am. & Aust Ch. Aldees Poncharelo of Ana-Dare (Imp USA) winning Number 1 Terrier 1983-85. More imports followed and several Best in Show winners were bred.

Other Terrier breeds that Glenys has owned, bred, handled and/or campaigned over the years include Fox Terrier (Smooth), Jack Russell Terriers and Lakeland Terriers. Over the years Glenys has also owned Whippets, a Dalmatian and Pugs.

Glenys began judging at 18 years of age and has been writing and delivering Training Programs, seminars, mentoring and lecturing within Judge’s Education/Training, Breeder Education, Breed Clubs and examination of Judges in Australia and several other countries for the past 20 years and is a passionate Committee member of Dogs Australia Breed Standards Committee, Judges Committee and Terrier Coordinator/Leader Judges Training.

Judging assignments have taken her to all States of Australia and countries including, New Zealand, USA, Canada, Japan, India, Philippines, South Africa, Thailand and Indonesia with some prestige appointments at Royal Melbourne Show, FCI Internationals and many Specialties across the globe.