



Yankee Program Meeting
Tuesday, November 18, 2014
7:00PM at the Holiday Inn, Boxborough MA



An Introduction to
Showing Dogs in Conformation

Gregg von Sternberg, President of Yankee GRC, will present an overview of

- how conformation dog shows work and are structured
- steps to determine if your dog is of show quality
- how to get involved in showing
- showing your dog yourself or using a professional handler

Gregg and his wife Margaret own Starhill Golden Retrievers, located in North Andover MA. Over the past 16 years they have shown a number of their dogs in the US and Canada to their conformation championships.

In addition to being the club's current president, Gregg was Yankee's Bench Committee Chair and Show Chair for the 2013 Specialty. He is also an Evaluator for the Golden Retriever Club of America's Conformation Assessment (CCA) program.

Gregg has arranged several seminars for the club including a George Alston show handling seminar and Dr. Claudia Orlandi's *The ABC's of Dog Breeding*.