

2019 GPCA BOARD OF DIRECTORS
CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE
For **ONE YEAR POSITION**

Name: David Daugherty **City/State:** Danville, IN **Member of GPCA since:** 2010

Nominated by: Mike Alpert, Deborah Hibberd, Kim Kentopp, Michele Miller, Jill Morgan

Biographical Summary:

My wife Darla and I have been involved in Great Pyrenees since 1991 showing, breeding, mentoring, and now as All-Breed Professional Handlers. We have handled hundreds of Pyrenees, our own, and those owned by others to their Championship and beyond. I have multiple B.I.S. wins, a National Specialty win, multiple breed wins at Westminster, and Eukanueba/Royal Canin, all with Great Pyrenees. It is our belief that no breed touches your soul like a Great Pyrenees. They are the Gate Keepers

Why I want to serve on the Board:

I want to serve on the Board to bring a fresh perspective to problems we are having in the club I want to mend the division between the Board and the club members. I believe the Board should exist, not to serve its own agenda, but to serve the breed and its club members, current and future in a manner that preserves the breed and growth of the membership forever.

Prior experiences- Offices/Chairmanships/Committees served on:

GPCA: None

Regional Pyr club: Past President and Board member of The Great Pyrenees Club of Indiana

All – Breed: 10 year member of the Hoosier Kennel Club, were I have served as a Board member

I believe that the 3 areas of greatest concern to the GPCA should be:

- 1.Membership and its stark decline in retention and growth.
- 2.The relationship of separation between the Board and club members
- 3.Preservation of the Breed Standard and the working purpose of the Great Pyrenees, form and function.

I will attend the Annual Meeting, wherever it may be held in the US (barring a personal emergency), and will support my own travel expenses. Yes No

Of the last 5 Annual Meetings, I have attended 5.

Of the last 5 National Specialties, I have attended 5.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, the above is true and correct.

Signed: David Daugherty