

## **A Message from our Scorekeeper**

### WASH Points Explained

Quite a few WASH members have asked me how scores are kept for WASH. The association has tried to make it fair for everyone to have a chance of placing in your class.

The five highest scores will be counted for each team. If two people run the same dog, scores will be kept separate for each one. If you run at twenty different trials, only the five highest scores will count. If you enter only five trials all scores will count. Naturally, the more trials you enter, and the trials with more entries, the greater your chance of success.

The number of runs in the class will determine the score for each contestant. If thirty dogs run, and you finish first, your score would be thirty. Second would be twenty-nine, and so forth. If you and your dog don't finish the run there would be no score for the team. Non-competes don't count toward scores.

Only Washington state trials count for scores. If a trial host or designated person doesn't send the results, no scores will be given for that trial.

If you have any questions about scores please contact me (Norm Rivers) at [fishing.nut@hotmail.com](mailto:fishing.nut@hotmail.com). I will be able to answer any questions, and if I cannot, I will pass the information on to the board.