NAFA® Iron Dog FY2020 Waiver Information

All dogs eligible to be listed on a time sheet in FY2020 (October 1st, 2019 to September 30th, 2020) have now received credit towards the Iron Dog title for FY2020. You can check this out for your dog in the NAFA® database:

1. The Iron Dog Calculator (on your dog’s Dog Point Detail page) now indicates if the waiver has been applied.

2. If your dog needed the waiver applied in order to be awarded title for FY2020, your dog’s Iron Dog title now appears on the Dog Point Detail page. Plaques will be sent out in the next awards run (April 2021).

A decision has not been made yet regarding a similar waiver for FY2021. If you have any questions that are not answered in the FAQ below please email database@flyball.org or flyball@flyball.org.

FAQ

Q. What will I see in the Iron Dog Calculator if the waiver has been applied for my dog?
A. If your dog did NOT get an actual point in FY2020 and is eligible for the waiver, a ‘yes*’ appears in the ‘One point earned?’ column and there will be a note at the bottom that says: ‘*Requirement is waived for FY2020’.

Q. What makes a dog eligible for the waiver?
A. The dog must have been eligible to be listed on a time sheet in FY2020. This means they needed to have a CRN and be at least fifteen months old by September 30, 2020.

Q. Why don’t I see a ‘virtual point’ for FY2020 awarded to my dog in the listing of points on the Dog Points Detail page?
A. There was no virtual point awarded to meet the requirement, the requirement itself is waived.

Q. Why don’t all eligible dogs have the waiver applied in the Iron Dog Calculator?
A. If your dog is eligible for the waiver, but has not run in the past six years, the Iron Dog Calculator will not show the waiver as having been applied (to be sensitive to cases where a dog may have retired or passed away). However, if with the waiver, your dog does achieve 10 consecutive years of racing, the title will be awarded automatically.