Karen started agility in 1992 and decided to focus on agility full time in 2007. Karen believes that fundamental skills and consistency are crucial to success and dogs can achieve their full potential with the right mix of education and motivation. Karen's intuitive eye for minute adjustments in handling skills can have a profound impact on a team relationship. This balanced perspective is central to her philosophy that agility is a team sport and should always be fun for dog and human. She is a 15-time USA World Team Member with different dogs at different heights, 5-time National Champion, Gold and Silver Medalist at the World Agility Open, Silver Medalist at the FCI World Championships and Silver and Bronze Medalist at the IFCS World Championships.