



## **Jennie Mallowney, Vice President of the OVPDC**



While relatively new to the pointing dog world, Jennifer (Jennie) Mallowney has loved and owned working sporting dogs since 1993. Upon acquiring her first pointing dog in 2013, a jovial Irish Setter named Jiggs Dinner, Jennie has not only fallen hard for the breed but has become increasingly involved with her husband (with some success) in rally-o, obedience, conformation and field work. All this in the interest of keeping her beloved Jiggs occupied both in body and mind. Hailing from Wakefield in the Gatineau Hills, Jennie has a deep connection and respect for the outdoors. She prefers to spend her time roaming the fields with her dogs than behind a desk and it seemed like a naturally good fit to volunteer as field director for the Ottawa Valley Pointing Dog Club. Jennie works as project manager for Global Affairs Canada, overseeing natural resources development projects in Sub-Saharan Africa. She has a keen interest in human and veterinary health, function and mobility. Jennie is looking forward to the 2016 field season and watching some great pointing dogs accomplish what they were bred for.