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Southern Bird Hunters Association

Announcing the Forty-Fourth Renewal of the

GULF COAST OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by Conecuh Station Field Trial Club • Union Springs, AL

Trial starts Monday, January 18, 2027, 8:00 a.m., until completion

— A Qualifying Trial for the National Open Shooting Dog Championship —
SBHA Top Open Shooting Dog Award Points Trial
Alabama Field Trial Association, Dixie Trace Field Trial Association,
& Southern Bird Hunters Association Points Trial
United States Shooting Dog Invitational Championship Points Trial

Shotguns With Blank Ammo Only. No Pistols.

Entry Fee: $300.00 (Payable prior to running) • **Purse:** 60% of entry fees split 60% to Winner and 40% to Runner-up.

Judges: Hoyt Henley Jr. and Brian Spear

Drawing: Tuesday, January 12, 6:00 p.m. (CST), at Conecuh Station Clubhouse. **Qualification:** Entry must have a placement in a recognized Open Shooting Dog or Open Derby stake. Handlers will not be required to run in more than two consecutive braces. Registration information required. **Directions to Grounds:** Take Hwy. 29 south from Union Springs, AL. Travel approximately 8 miles. Turn right on South Gate Rd., just past Mile Marker 136. Look for Conecuh Station field trial sign. **Accommodations:** Master Rack Lodge—(334) 474-3600. Ask for field trial rates. Barn, lots, and camper set-ups available at field trial site with handlers and their owners having priority. Breakfast and lunch provided.

Entries to: LISA LITTELL • Phone: (334) 649-0076

— The 2027 Championship to sponsor a celebration dinner at the 2028 running of the Gulf Coast Open Shooting Dog Championship —

Entries accepted with the understanding that the Conecuh Station Field Trial Club, its officers, and landowners are not in any way responsible and cannot be held liable for any accidents or injuries involving anyone attending the trial, their horses, dogs, or equipment. Abuse of Judges and Club Officials will not be tolerated. Unsportsmanlike conduct will result in immediate disqualification. The CSFTC Board of Directors reserves all rights to refuse entry in trial or on grounds to anyone not in good standing with CSFTC, SBHA, Dixie Trace, Field Dog Stud Book, AFTCA, AFTA, and UKC.

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