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UKC TEAM IN THE FIELD

— An update from Domenick Muoio



With each day growing cooler and shorter, I am reminded of the upcoming hunting and trial season, and I am eager for both. I must imagine even though the canine athletes have consistent training year-round, the cooler weather and fresh fallen leaves give the seasoned dogs a hint of the upcoming seasons as well. The weather is finally starting to cool down, but the Hall of Fame voting continues to heat up.

At the time of writing this, the subscriber votes are still in full swing, but by the time everyone reads this, ballots are on their way to the voting committee, along with the tally of all subscriber votes. A few months back, we posted the titles of the individuals who comprise the voting committee. If you are a voting committee member and do not receive your ballot by the second week of October, please reach out.

I hope everyone remains safe, whether hunting or training and to those who are competing this month, good luck! And good luck to our Hall of Fame nominees.

— *Domenick Muoio*
Field Trial & Hunt Test Program Manager



National Champion



TOUCH'S GALLATIN FIRE

Alex Rickert, Owner | Mark McLean, Handler | Keith A. Wright, Breeder

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CH. PANTHER CREEK ROSIE

2023-24 Purina Top Shooting Dog of the Year

#F1691574 • Sire: R-U Ch. Panther Creek Merlin • Dam: Pineywood's Belle Aire
Frank & Colleen Rutland, Owners • Tommy Rice, Handler



CONGRATULATIONS

2024 PURINA ALL-AGE AWARD WINNERS

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RAY
HANEY'S ALL IN
 OPEN ALL-AGE DOG OF THE YEAR

Owned by
 Steve and Stacey Croy
 Handled by
 Mark McLean



MARK MCLEAN
 HANDLER OF THE YEAR



REX
HANEY'S SILVER DOLLAR
 AMATEUR ALL-AGE DOG OF THE YEAR

Owned & Handled by
 Chris Cagle Sr. and
 Chris Cagle Jr.



MIKE
RAMPAGE
 OPEN ALL-AGE DERBY OF THE YEAR

Owned by
 S. Tucker Johnson
 Handled by
 Luke Eisenhart

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2024 PURINA SHOOTING DOG AWARD WINNERS

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PANTHER CREEK ROSIE
OPEN SHOOTING DOG OF THE YEAR

Owned by
Frank Rutland
Handled by
Tommy Rice



MIKE TRACY
OPEN SHOOTING DOG HANDLER OF THE YEAR



HONEY
ONE DAY QUEEN BEE
AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG OF THE YEAR

Owned by
Lane and Darcy Hodges
Handled by
Lane Hodges



JILL
MO'S CURTAIN CALL
OPEN SHOOTING DOG DERBY OF THE YEAR

Owned by
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Theresa Morrell
Handled by
Mike Tracy

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A Conversation with Billy Wayne Morton

By Robert Franks

Billy Wayne Morton has witnessed and done what only a few field trialers can claim in his lifetime. He learned his craft from two HOF greats and their scouts and played and worked on the prairies when times were tough.

While growing up at Sedgefield Plantation, he came in contact with a who's who of the sport in what's considered a golden age of field trial heaven. He has played the game himself and now manages one of the premier plantations in the south.

His advice is solid, and his memories take us back to the times of dogs and people that most of us have only read about.

• **Your dad, Billy Lee Morton, is more than a handler; he's a trainer. What are the most important things he taught you?**

"Starting puppies young and introducing them to as many situations as possible. It's important for them to be around people and be happy while learning how to go with you and hunt. The ability has got to be in the dog, but you have to stay with them and get them used to liking you and people."

• **Your dad's work ethic has always impressed me. By watching your dad and Hoyle Eaton work from daylight to dark trialing and training, what type of impression did that have on your trial career?**

"To have good dogs, you have to work them. It takes time and effort, especially when getting ready for a three-hour endurance trial. You have to get a dog to slow down, which takes quite a

while to do, especially when you're working with numerous dogs. At one time, I had seven or eight dogs at the National. Now that was work! It liked to have got us all by the time they were ready to go the three hours."

• **What was it like growing up around two of the best: your dad and Hoyle Eaton?**

"There was a lot of work ethic bestowed upon me. Get up and care for your dogs, then make sure everything is taken care of in the morning and again at night when you feed. It was hard work in Canada and North Dakota, which make for some pretty long days."

• **As a boy, what was it like going to the prairies as opposed to as a man?**

"It was an adventure to go up there. When we were going with Mr. Hoyle, we had to go into town for drinking water, and there was no electricity. We had oil lamps, a gas refrigerator, and a battery-powered radio we listened to upstairs at night. Mrs. Betty took care of us and fed us good. Looking back at it, we didn't want for a whole lot. We were happy and just happy to be there."

• **How do you combine yard-breaking and learning puppies to hunt and explore?**

"We turn them loose when they are puppies before we start yard-breaking them. Getting them to hunt and like birds cannot be stressed enough. Birds are so very important. The more you get them into birds, the better off you are. They've got to like birds, and they have to want to come and go with you."

• **When trying to pick out a young trial dog, what traits do you look for?**

"For dogs nowadays, they've got to have a high tail and be high-headed. They need to have a snappy lick and they have got to look good doing all of this."

• **What were your impressions of your dad's and Mr. Eaton's scouts?**

"I always had great respect for the scouts; that's kind of what I started out doing for Daddy and a few others. Robert Burris was one of them, and there was HOF Man Rand, who scouted for Mr. Clyde. I hope I'm right, but Man scouted nine National Championships for Mr. Clyde and two for Daddy. He scouted the National eleven times, and Mr. Clyde won the National eleven times."

• **What were the most important things they taught you?**

"Man had an uncanny ability to find dogs. He knew where to look for them on point, and he knew what to do when he found one. Bringing them in from the rear was not an option. He always brought them in from the side and the front. He knew his dogs, which had a lot to do with being able to find them on point. I never forgot these things."

• **What was it like growing up in the field trial world?**

"As a kid being raised on Sedgefield Plantation, it was in your blood to love field trialing. When it was time for the Free-For-All and the National Derby Championship, it was just like Christmas. I'd wait up to see people when they got there. Watching all those trucks come in with the horses and dogs was quite the sight to see. There were times when the Free-For-All and the National Derby would last almost three weeks. Andy, Mr. Bud, Daddy, Tony Terrell, and some others stayed with me

down at a little cabin. We would cook and eat deer meat at night and had some really good times there. It was a special time for me. I remember the first time I met Tony Terrell and his brother Terry. They came from Texas in 1975. Tony always had some really good dogs. He trained and broke a lot of dogs, trained them for hunting camps on the King Ranch, and had a lot of good field trial dogs. I surely miss him. It was special to see Mr. George Moreland come with shaved horses from Georgia. I always loved to see John Rex come, he had Tommy Long helping him at that time, which accounted for a lot of dog knowledge and stories. That reminds me of the greatest three-hour competition I have ever seen, Oklahoma Flush and Wrap Up in the Free for All. Wrap Up finally beat him, but she beat him in the last 40 minutes. When you won back then, sometimes you had to beat 85 or 90 dogs."

• **How was the quail population when you came to Mercer Mill Plantation in 2006?**

"The bird population was so low at that time that they were releasing birds. Mr. Remy Trafelet owns Mercer Mill plantation now. In 2008, he asked me if I thought we had a chance to get the wild birds back, and I replied that I would like to have a chance to do it. Mr. Trafelet made some concessions as far as hunting and not hunting, and through our program, we have not released any birds since 2008. Last year was really good as we averaged a little over seven coveys an hour. We've done a lot of cleaning up and predator control. With the help of Tall Timbers and especially Clay Sisson, the place has come a long way. We burn around forty percent of the grounds every year."

• **Remembering the dogs you have trained, handled, or owned, which dogs stand out?**

"I've had several. Rebels Replay was an extremely nice dog. He always wanted to be with you, was good to the front, and was good on his birds. Then there was Peacemaker—the same kind of dog. Lehar's Main Tech was another good one. Andy had her for quite a while and put seven Championships on her. When I came across her, I had a chance to win five. She was the Purina Top Dog for two years in a row."

• **Of all the dogs you have seen run, which were your favorites?**

"I'm going to be a little prejudiced here and say Allure, that was my daddy's dog. I enjoyed her and scouted her quite a bit. She was after Wrap Up. Allure was a very consistent dog and not a dog that went out and hunted for herself. She loved people and was raised in the house. Wrap Up also stayed in the house with us when we were kids. I think that meant a lot. When we got Lehar's Main Tech, she stayed in the house, and I think that helped her by staying with us. I've seen some awfully good dogs. Bear Creek Bess was a nice dog; I always liked her. She came from Joe Don House, a man who deserves a tremendous amount of credit. He put a lot of dogs out there with a bunch of trainers."

• **If someone wanted to start in the field trial business as a professional handler, what would you tell them?**

"Be prepared for some long days and nights. Just driving to the field trials won't get it; it takes hard work. I would say that most of all, you need somewhere that you can work your dogs. You've just got to have a place with birds that's big enough for your dogs to stretch out. Then, when your dogs are ready, go to a field trial."



SOUTHERN BIRD HUNTERS ASSOCIATION

Association Meeting & Summer Awards Banquet

By Georgie Casey | Carrollton, Georgia | July 19, 2024



Our Board: Teresa Justice (Points Coordinator and Youth Director), Georgie Casey (Treasurer) and daughter Ivy Casey, Marty Robinson (President), Brian Casey (Vice President), and Bruce Mercer (Secretary).

The SBHA business meeting kicked off on Friday, July 19, at the Courtyard Marriott in Carrollton, Georgia. The social hour started at 5 p.m. in the hotel lobby, and then a group of approximately 35 headed to the Irish Bred Pub and Grill for dinner and drinks. It was a good time reconnecting with friends. The business meeting began Saturday morning. The Board of Directors present were President Marty Robinson, Vice President Brian Casey, Secretary Bruce Mercer, Treasurer Georgie Casey, and Points Coordinator and Youth Director Teresa Justice. Regional Directors appointed were

Southeast Coordinator Jeff Gibbons and Northeast Coordinators Joe Lordi and Joe Cincotta.

Some new business for discussion was making Eukanuba our exclusive pet food partner. Eukanuba has been a generous contributor who has assisted the SBHA in the ability to help local clubs with the expense of hosting their trials. Our horseback stakes were strong this season, and we will reach the all-age market in the upcoming season. We are excited to see where this partnership takes us! One of the new trials that will be added is the SBHA Horseback National Amateur Classic, which will be held in March in Cedartown, Georgia. To all our horseback competitors, please put this on your calendars; it is certain to be a great event.

The SBHA takes pride in our ability to contribute financially to our beloved sport. Our generous donors have blessed the SBHA to have the ability to bolster our supporters monetarily. In July, the SBHA made a \$5,000 contribution to the Central Alabama Field Trial Club. This donation was used to reroof the clubhouse in Alberta, Alabama, at Jimmy Hinton's Sedgfield Plantation and add a utility shed and a barbecue pit. In the 2023-24 season, the SBHA contributed approximately \$1,800 to weekend trials,

\$7,100 to classics and championships, and \$22,500 to our classic and end-of-year award winners. The SBHA feels that having money in hand rather than handouts is the best way to assist our members.

The awards ceremony took place the following Saturday at the beautiful Muse Farms in Bremen, Georgia. There was a large crowd to celebrate, with members who traveled for hours from reaches such as Pennsylvania and even Maryland. The evening started with a social hour, including an open bar, a large silent auction, and raffle ticket sales. A live auction also took place thanks to the auctioneering skills of Roger Key.

It was a good time catching up with old and new friends. A stunning buffet was provided by Good Neighbor Catering that included smoked chicken, green beans, scalloped potatoes, strawberry salad, rolls, and cobbler, most assuredly the best meal offered in the field trial season. The setting at Muse Farms is a widespread venue that offers a large stage for displaying and presenting awards adjacent to beautifully decorated tables for dining and social time. There are smaller private surrounding rooms that offer two separate bar spaces, a game room with a pool table, and a quiet seating area with comfortable outdoor furniture capped by a large stone fireplace. The landscaping and gardens are beautiful and impeccably groomed. The SBHA takes pride in providing the best accommodations



Mike Tracy, Horseback Handler of the Year



Kerri Elfvin, Top Ladies' Handler of the Year

available to celebrate its members and bring back the nostalgic atmosphere of a true celebration rooted in field trial history. We invite you to celebrate with us next year and experience what we are about.



Dr. Jim Cook, Amateur Walking Shooting Dog of the Year Handler



Saddle presented to Youth Handler of the Year, Addison McDuffie, accepted by her father, Hunter McDuffie.

LAKE STATES FIELD TRIAL CLUB

Summer 2024 Trial

By Denise Peters | Meredith, Michigan | August 10, 2024

The Lake States Field Trial Club held its summer trial on August 10 and 11 at the prestigious Gladwin Field Trial Grounds in Meredith, Michigan. The weather was a surprise and treated us to temperatures in the 70s. The courses were all in good shape, as we have had our work detail days completed. A couple of new changes were completed, and some for contemplation for the future.

The Open Shooting Dog Qualifier commenced at 7 a.m. on Course 4 with Mike Brown and Ken DeLong as walking judges. We had 11 entries for our judges' viewing. First place was awarded to Rowdy Timber Runner, owned and handled by Travis Whitfield. Rowdy is a hard-running, forward-working, often pushing the limits of bell range, young Pointer. His bell went silent in the first cutting at the two-minute mark. A couple of tinks from his bell helped the handler and judge locate the dog. A woodcock was flushed as they approached, all in order. Rowdy continued to hunt the likely cover, strong, without further birdwork. Second place was awarded to Moonshine Henry, which is owned and handled by Sean McKellip. This young Setter male put down a nice race. He challenged his handler at times as he searched the good cover and was in the right places at the right times. Henry scored finds on timberdoodles at 12 and 25. The Setter female Northview's Dixie Storm took third with a nice, consistent race and handled well. She scoured Course 4 to no avail. She was called back



Mike Grostic Amateur Shooting Dog Memorial (l-r): K Del's Eagle Magnum Hotshot with Ken DeLong (owner/handler), Tammy Chaffee (judge), Baxter's Indian Arrowhead with Brent Peters (owner/handler), Scott Chaffee (judge), and Gracie Ballroom Star with Stephen McKalko (handler).

to the bird field, where she pointed a quail nicely to the judge's satisfaction. Also based on strong races and intelligent application, "Doc" with Brent Peters and "Kati" with Mike Singleton were first and second reserve dogs named by the judges. Thanks to Ken DeLong, who offered up this information on this stake.

Immediately following the Open Shooting Dog Qualifier stake, the Open Derby took off on Course 10. Judges Dave Heavlin and Tom Fruchey took over the walking judge detail. We had nine derbies for our judges to take a good look

at. First place was awarded to Hitail Roxy Afield, owned and handled by Russell Fazio of Pennsylvania. "Rosy" ran a strong forward and classy race with good range and a minimal amount of handling to get successfully around. Second place went to Hifive's Sweet Basil, owned by Eric Rizza and handled by Bruce Minard. Basil hunted forward well and searched all the right spots that might hold a bird. Basil was very biddable and enjoyable to watch. Hatton Hills Luci took third place, owned and handled by Shane Haskin. Luci was very classy with nice speed. She hunted well with good range and was



Open Shooting Dog (l-r): Rowdy Timber Runner with Travis Whitfield (owner/handler), Moonshine Henry with Sean McKellip (owner/handler), and Brent Peters (President of LSFTC).

very pleasing to the eye. Thanks to Tom Fruchey, who shared these words on a very nice stake.

After the Derby stake, everyone went back to the Alibi Hall for brats and hotdogs and some welcomed announcements.

Sunday, we were blessed with the weather still in the 70s. We were able to get started close to 7 a.m. on Course 7; Scott and Tammy Chaffee were ready to walk the braces and judge 14 nice amateur contenders. Ken DeLong, with his K Del's Eagle Magnum Hotshot, took top honors, with Shooter having a big forward race with a nice grouse covey find. He scored again on a second find on a woodcock on Course 12. Second place was awarded



Open Derby (l-r): Hitail Roxy Afield with Russell Fazio (owner/handler), Dave Heavlin (judge), Tom Fruchey (judge), and Hatton Hills Luci with Shane Haskin (owner/handler).

to Baxter's Indian Arrowhead with Brent Peters. "Indy" also had a big forward race with a good woodcock find at the beginning of Course 7. Gracie Ballroom Star, owned by George Najor and handled by Stephen McKalko, ran a more moderate race with two woodcock finds on Course 9. We all went back to the Alibi for announcements. Thank you, Tammy, for sharing this information on a well-run amateur stake.

Congratulations to all the winners this weekend. A big thank you to everyone who helped move cars and walked braces. A big thank you to PURINA for being our sponsor and supporting us with the \$15 dog food coupons.

Meredith, Mich., August 10

Judges: Mike Brown and Kenric DeLong

OPEN SHOOTING DOG – 3 Pointers and 8 Setters

1st-**ROWDY TIMBER RUNNER**, F1702883, pointer male, by Amarugia Elhew Heir Strike-Hackberry's Ice Taya. Travis Whitfield, owner and handler.

2d-**MOONSHINE HENRY**, F1696411, setter male, by Ponderosa Mac-Grouse River Woodcock Annie. Sean & Stacy McKellip, owners; Sean McKellip, handler.

3d-**NORTHVIEW'S DIXIE STORM**, F1688886, setter female, by Thornapple Cody-Hifive's Guilty As Charged. Mark A. Dikzas, owner; Bruce Minard, handler.

Judges: Tom Fruchey and Dave Havlin

OPEN DERBY – 1 Pointer, 7 Setters, and 1 Brittany

1st-**HITAIL ROXY AFIELD**, F1705101, setter female, by Dun Rovens Zip-Castle Rock's Autumn Breeze. Russell M. Fazio, owner and handler.

2d-**HIFIVE'S SWEET BASIL**, F1705357, pointer female, by Hifive's Ruff Runner-Wild Apple Siri. Eric Rizza, owner; Bruce Minard, handler.

3d-**HATTON HILLS LUCI**, F1706362, setter female, by Swift Rock Lawbreaker-Swift Rock Julie. Shane Haskin, owner and handler.

Judges: Scott Chaffee and Tamara Chaffee

MIKE GROSTIC AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG MEMORIAL – 3 Pointers, 9 Setters, and 2 Brittanys

1st-**K DEL'S EAGLE MAGNUM HOTSHOT**, F1685770, Brittany male, by Magnum High Velocity-K Del's Eagle's Chance To Soar. Kenric J. DeLong, owner and handler.

2d-**BAXTER'S INDIAN ARROWHEAD**, F1685299, setter male, by Baxter's Apache John-Baxter's Mary Katherine. Brent & Denise Peters, owners; Brent Peters, handler.

3d-**GRACIE BALLROOM STAR**, F1694839, setter female, by Sunrise Star-Lucy Two Star. George D. Najor, owner; Stephen McKalko, handler.

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NATIONAL BRITTANY OPEN GROUSE CHAMPIONSHIP ASSOCIATION

By Kenny DeLong | Meredith, Michigan | August 24, 2024



Open Shooting Dog (l-r): Rachel Butler with Confidence Squared Kelly, Dale Ash with Rouge River Woodstock, and Marc Forman with Goldstone Griz. (Behind): Tom Butler, Chris Wasserman (judge), Kenny DeLong, Steve McKalko (judge), and Jeff “Keystone” Keller.



Junior Handlers (l-r): Alexis Miski, Theo Wasserman, Lucie Wasserman, Alyce Rittenger, Rayla Dunn, Hollis Dunn, and Ciera Weems. (Behind): Max Bambach (judge) and Josh Bambach (judge).



Open Derby (l-r): Christy Helmes with Christys Kaylee Girl, Russ Fazio with Hypointe Monarch Express, and Mike “Bad Boy” Bandos with Bandito’s Bandit. (Behind): Sean McKellip (judge) and Kenny DeLong (judge).

Great summer trial! We had a great turnout, good weather, fine canines, and best of all—lots of birds! Over the course of the weekend, some three dozen grouse were moved, massively overshadowing the six or eight woodcock seen. The club was also excited and pleased to host the first Junior Handler event in several years—a stake that had been a staple at our summer trial for decades. We thank Greg Blair & Purina for their sponsorship, Steve McKalko, as has become the custom, for the Saturday cookout, Tammi Savage for her overall administrative expertise, all the helpers, marshals, and vehicle movers, and, of course, all the participants for their entries!

Saturday morning, Open Derby Judges Sean McKellip and Kenny DeLong scrutinized five braces. Christy Helmes’ tiny Brittany stole the show with a very mature performance in Brace 3 on newly re-routed Course 6! Ms. Helmes guided the little liver dog to six finds in her half hour. Forward, animated, with intelligent application throughout, Kaylee carded four grouse finds (two with multiple birds) and two woodcock—with nearly perfect adult manners. This was a no-brainer, Blue! Russ Fazio’s Pointer female Tessa hit the early cover on Course 8 to score a woodcock and continued mostly forward and hitting the right spots to take second place. A Llewelin male handled by “Bad Boy” Bandos also scored early in the cuttings on Course 7. Bandit’s bell went silent at 4, and after a short search, the handsome Setter watched Mike flush both a grouse and then a woodcock. He continued at

moderate range, finishing forward, and was awarded the yellow ribbon.

We re-convened at the bird field for announcements and a lunch of burgers and chili dogs. Then the kids took over. Quail were released, and four braces of eager, energetic youngsters, ages 6-13, guided Pointers, Setters, and Brittanys in search of “Bob.” The father-son team of Max and Josh Bambach judged. Adults watched, encouraged, and applauded from the sidelines. What a treat to see the smiles as this next generation of field trialers got their feet wet! All participants were awarded. We thank Tammi Savage again for putting together the “goody bags” and Crabdog Creations for designing a special logo that appeared on t-shirts, canvas tote bags, and notebooks for all the Juniors. First through third place were captured by Hollis Dunn, Rayla Dunn, and Alyce Rittenger (respectively)—all handling Kenny DeLong’s Pointer, Justice. Fourth place went to Ciera Weems with Elaine and Carlos Gust’s Brittany, Amos. Judges commented how impressed they were with all the performances, and Honorable Mentions were awarded!

A nice entry of 16 for the Open Shooting Dog kept Judges Chris Wasserman and Steve McKalko busy until early afternoon Sunday. Top honors went to Butler’s pointer female Kelly, running on course 7. Rachel handled her to early finds on grouse and woodcock, keeping her forward and strong throughout. Dale Ash’s young Setter female ran a moderate race with a very nice grouse find on the first half of Course 8—good for the red ribbon.

Third place was awarded to Marc Forman with Setter male Cub, who handled well and scored two well-spaced grouse finds on Course 10.

Thankful, as always, for the blessings of a good trial, and looking forward to an eventful fall season at Gladwin. We welcome and encourage you to see us again October 3-6 for our half-hour Open Shooting Dog, Restricted Breed Open Grouse Championship, Open Derby, and Open Puppy. God Bless!

Meredith, Mich., August 24

Judges: Sean McKellip and Kenric DeLong

OPEN DERBY – 1 Pointer, 5 Setters, 2 Brittanys,

1 German Shorthair, and 1 Llewelin Setter

1st-CHRISTYS KAYLEE GIRL, R331-522, Brittany female.

Christina Helmes, owner and handler.

2d-HYPOINTE MONARCH EXPRESS, F1704239, pointer

female, by Springflow’s Backcountry P-Apple Annie’s Sweet

Delight. Nicholas Mellon Jr., owner; Russell Fazio, handler.

3d-BANDITOS’ BANDIT, F1704686, Llewelin setter male,

by Hidden Creek Fred-Fancy Betty’s Pride. Mike Bandos, owner and handler.

Judges: Steve McKalko and Chris Wasserman

OPEN SHOOTING DOG – 6 Pointers, 9 Setters,

and 2 Brittanys

1st-CONFIDENCE SQUARED KELLY, F1703363, pointer

female, by True Confidence-My Lucky Day. Thomas &

Rachel Butler, owners.

2d-ROUGE RIVER WOODSTOCK, F1705746, setter female,

by Chip’s Charlie Brown-Rouge River Wing Nut. Dale Ash,

owner and handler.

3d-GOLDSTONE GRIZ, F1699282, setter male, by Blast

Zone-Gold Rush. Jeremy Estep, owner; Marc Forman,

handler.

Roy D. Jines

EXCEPTIONAL BIRD DOG MAN

1931-2024

By David A. Fletcher

Roy Daniel Jines, age 93, of Forkland, Alabama, passed away September 9. He was born August 30, 1931, in Dahlgren, Ill.

Roy was perhaps the most broadly talented dog trainer I have ever met. Not only did he train and handle pointing dogs, campaigning them on the major circuit for 30 years or more, he worked with dogs in many other areas. Roy spent some years in the military. His assignment: train dogs for use in military activities. He was exceptional in that duty.

Back in the 1960s, the Southwestern Championship was held on the old sanatorium grounds at Booneville, Ark., before that major tuberculosis facility was closed. The sanatorium venue was spacious, lots of wild birds, and the briar cover was very tough for bird dogs to hunt the good places. After the first day's trial running, Roy invited me to go fox hunting with a group on the grounds that evening, a venture that lasted well into the night. I got to know Roy Jines very well around a campfire the initial day of the Championship. It was my first American Field assignment after editor Bill Brown hired me as a reporter and a full-time employee of the American Field.

Roy was a very talented dog trainer. He handled such major stakes competitors as Moss Allegheny Buck, California Sammy, Crewman, Nice and Easy, K's High Rise, and The Hub, to

name just a few of Roy's charges, all very notable field trial winners.

The final two dogs on the list were special to me during my reporting days with the American Field. I reported the three-hour National Free-for-All Championship at Jimmy Hinton's Sedgefields Plantation, where K's High Rise competed under Roy's guidance for owner Eddie Kuntz of O'Fallon, Mo. She won the Free-for-All, likely the toughest three-hour Championship in North America, on two consecutive years. The second year, 1985, was a disaster weather-wise. A "norwester" blew in as she ran, and temperatures dropped in the low forties, with high wind and sleet, yet this dog found and handled quail in great fashion, a tribute to Roy Jines' talented training ability and conditioning, and of course the attributes, both physical and mental, of K's High Rise.

The Hub was another special dog. I had the opportunity to judge and report the Missouri Open Championship with Jimmy White, who judged the National Championship at Ames Plantation on several occasions, and we named The Hub champion. This dog was a true all-age dog, kept in touch with his handler despite a very wide hunting search, and was a great bird finder that was even better at relocating coveys that had walked away from his scent cone. Roy had a prominent hand in refining this bold,

forceful dog. If I remember correctly, The Hub had seven finds that hour.

To summarize Roy's success in winning major field trials, he won the United States Chicken Championship six times, the Missouri Open seven times, the three-hour National Free-for-All four times, and the Florida Championship twice. He also won the Quail Championship Invitational, the United States Open Championship, the International Pheasant Championship twice, and the All-America Championship twice. An impressive record. Added to these laurels. Roy capped his career by election to the Field Trial Hall of Fame in 1994.

Roy's ability with bird dog dogs was impressive. Not only did he train dogs that went into battle with troops in wartime, but also skillfully developed bird dogs with endurance and notable style and manners around game that achieved distinction in the field trial sport.

Roy was preceded in death by his wife, Fairybell "Dixie" Howe Jines, and his several siblings. He is survived by a son, Roy Louis Jines, and sisters, Donna Yeager and Barbara Lynam.

A graveside service was held September 14 in Forkland, Ala.

His son, Roy, requested that contributions in his father's memory be made to the Bird Dog Foundation.

Fond Remembrances of Ryan Frame

By David A. Fletcher

With a sad heart, I report the passing of my close friend Ryan Frame, one of the outstanding stalwarts of the grouse trial world. Ryan died August 30 in a hospital in Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Born October 6, 1960, in Windber, Pennsylvania, Ryan was educated there in elementary and high school. He graduated from Millersville University with a degree in Sociology.

Ryan worked a few years with Hamilton Technology until his brother Rob acquired a German Shorthair to hunt grouse and woodcock, and Ryan accompanied him on those outings. Shortly thereafter, Rob secured a Setter pup from Bob Watts, who shared the breeding of grouse dog field trial prospects with Dick Brenneman. Bob Watts' first dog was a natural and won many field trial placements and the Pennsylvania Grouse Championship.

Ryan was brother Rob's scout/part-time trainer and got his love of the field trial game securely planted. Rob's field trial dogs continued to win in trials, and Ryan was there with him, taking many roles in the development of his winning dogs. Competing with his brother in the Pennsylvania, Michigan, and New York grouse trials, Ryan met Dave Hughes. Dave was very complimentary of Ryan's abilities training and handling bird dogs. He and Dave soon became good friends, and on occasion, they worked dogs together. Dave offered Ryan the opportunity to come to his kennel and work dogs together. Ryan worked with Dave some 20 years as a friend, no salary, but shared a bit

of the Hughes kennel income and had a home supplied on the Hughes property.

Dave Hughes had extensive back surgery, creating a need for help with the "heavy lifting," and Ryan was there to assist. Ryan attended many seasons of grouse trials with Dave, scouted the Hughes entries, and graphically reported many of these events. Ryan would not ride a horse. He walked, whether scouting or reporting, every brace of the stake.

Nothing could dim Ryan's desire to amass knowledge and skills in the realm of pointing dog grouse trials, their history, and the methods of training and handling. He assembled an impressive library of training books; the older the book and author, the more anxious he was to own such books and absorb the author's knowledge. His library had books by such notables as A. F. Hochwalt, William F. Brown, Horace Lytle, Henry P. Davis, and Er Shelley. He also was a great fan of the Ryman dogs and the Ryman writings.

He videotaped countless hours of his training sessions in the woods with grouse and woodcock dogs. He furnished a great tape of these proceedings to the Bird Dog Foundation for the Grand National Grouse exhibit there, and Purina donated a TV tape player so visitors could view Ryan's tape.

He wrote two very popular training books. Puppy book No. 1 covered puppies to six months of age; Puppy book No. 2 focused on puppies six months to 18 months. Ryan was one of the very few authors who wrote

about young dogs, socializing them, his "soft touch" training method, and what could be accomplished with a young dog. Those two books became very popular, and I was pleased to print them and fill the orders. Ryan was very giving. He did not keep the revenue from his book sales, donating the earnings to the William Harnden Foster Awards and other deserving projects.

When Shadow Oak Bo won the National Championship two consecutive years (2013 and 2014), I wrote a book about those wins and all the other Setter winners from the start of the National Championship, and Ryan contributed a very cogent chapter.

Ryan endured health problems in his later years. He suffered heart issues, diabetes, and blood disorders and perhaps unwisely put off his doctor sessions as much as he could but never spoke much of his physical troubles. Unable physically to work with Dave Hughes the last few seasons, Ryan hung out his own shingle and worked dogs at his pace for customers, especially young dogs, handled a few of them in trials, and wrote his books.

His efforts on behalf of field trials will be remembered by the many of us who walked the braces at major cover dog events with him for several years. He and I shared many championship reporting assignments, and I remember fondly those evenings when we composed copy together for the report.

Rest in peace, Ryan; you will be fondly remembered.

A Milestone Day

By David A. Fletcher

Wednesday, August 28, 2024, was a milestone day in my life. It was my 90th birthday. I wanted not only to feel good about being alive, reasonably mobile, and healthy at that age, I wanted to celebrate and have a memorable session with friends and family, including great things to eat and lots of conversation. It happened. I had to move the date to a Saturday so working family members could attend, and as it turned out, we had a well-attended gathering. My daughter Melissa cooked skillfully with a pair of crockpots, which fed over 30 and prepared many side items, and my son David put up the rain tents and tables so guests could sit outside despite rain if it came. My garden furnished fresh ear corn, baking-sized potatoes, and ripe goodly sized red tomatoes. It was a feast.

Relatives, friends, and field trial people attended. Field trials were represented by Bernie Matthys, for 50 years, owner and editor of *The American Field*, along with son-in-law Jason Lee, who also worked at the FIELD; Jason missed the photos. Others pictured are Al Mannes, former reporter of the Michigan Open Shooting Dog Championship; Ron Sposita, president of the Highland Field Trial Club; and Jim Cipponeri, perhaps the most active field trial personality in Michigan as president of the Michigan Shooting Dog Championship, the Wolverine Field Trial Club and the Grand Valley Field Trial Club.



Host Dave Fletcher prepares to slice his sizeable birthday cake as attendees sing "Happy Birthday." From left Jim Cipponeri, Ron Sposita and Al Mannes look on.



Bernie Matthys, charged with the weekend care of two of his family's dogs, brought them along on leashes. (Were they bird dogs?)

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October 5-6, 2024

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A PURINA POINTS TRIAL • AN AMATEUR INVITATIONAL POINTS TRIAL

Grounds: Ionia Recreation Area, Ionia, MI, Course 2.

Drawing: Tuesday, October 1, 7:00 p.m., at home of the secretary.

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SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC (1 Hour) \$100.00

OPEN DERBY—Rosettes \$ 40.00

Points awarded toward Michigan Assn. Dog of the Year Awards

Judges: *Classic*—Bill Branham, Carleton, MI, and Jim Stevens, Traverse City, MI; *Derby*—To be announced.



Entries to: **BILL BRANHAM**, Secretary • Phone: (313) 820-2745
6232 Colf Rd., Carleton, MI 48117

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OCTOBER 6, 2024 • HORSEBACK TRIAL • STARTS 7:30 A.M.

Grounds: Peaslee WMA, near Estell Manor, NJ. Take Rt. 55 S to Rt. 49 and head east. Look for Peaslee WMA sign and turn left onto Estell Manor Rd. Follow field trial signs to grounds. Drawing: Thursday, October 3, 7:00 p.m., at the home of Bo Mamounis; Phone: (856) 498-5575.

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG—Horseback \$55.00
AMATEUR DERBY—Horseback \$55.00

Judges: To be announced
Entries to: **BO MAMOUNIS**
749 Whitehall Rd., Newfield, NJ 08344
Phone: (856) 498-5575

**PLAIN FIELDS
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October 11-13, 2024 • Starts 7:30 a.m. (EST)
Kentucky WMA, Berea, KY

Drawing: Wednesday, October 9, 8:00 p.m., at Czeszka Kennel, Lebanon Junction, KY.

(Fri.) *OPEN ALL-AGE(30 Min.)—Horseback; 40%, 50-30-20 \$55.00
*OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—Horseback; 40%, 50-30-20 \$55.00
*OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—Horseback; 40%, 50-30-20; At club's discretion \$55.00
(Sat./Sun.) AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (30 Min. or Course)—Ribbons \$50.00
AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min. or Course)—Ribbons \$50.00
AMATEUR PUPPY (15 Min.)—Ribbons; At club's discretion \$25.00
OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min. or Course)—40%, 50-30-20 \$50.00
OPEN DERBY (30 Min. or Course)—40%, 50-30-20 \$50.00
OPEN PUPPY (15 Min.)—Ribbons; At club's discretion \$25.00

**Horseback stakes may run on Sunday, following the Walking stakes*

Judges: To be announced





Entries to: **DYLAN LEAR**, 1218 Barret Ave., Louisville, KY 40204
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OCTOBER 17-20, 2024 (pending entries) • STARTS 8:00 A.M. (EST)
J. L. LESTER WMA, 2568 ANTIOCH RD., CEDARTOWN, GA
Drawing: Monday, October 14, 8:00 p.m., at the home of Marty Robinson.

HORSEBACK TRIAL
STAKES AND ORDER OF RUNNING:

OPEN PUPPY (20 Min.)—Awards	\$40.00
*OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)	\$50.00
*OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)	\$55.00
AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min.)—Awards	\$45.00
AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—Awards	\$50.00
AMATEUR GUN DOG (30 Min.)—Time permitting; Awards	\$45.00

*Purse: 40% of entries divided 50-30-20
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Entries to: MARTY ROBINSON • Cell: (770) 862-6568
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OCTOBER 18-20, 2024 • STARTS 8:00 A.M.
PYRAMID STATE PARK, CAPTAIN UNIT, CUTLER, IL
Drawing: Tuesday, October 15, 7:00 p.m.,
 at the home of Jim Lawless.

OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)	\$50.00
OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)	\$40.00
AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)	\$30.00
OPEN WALKING SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)	\$50.00
OPEN WALKING DERBY (30 Min.)	\$40.00
AMATEUR GUN DOG—Judgment ceases at flush	\$35.00

Judges: To be announced

PURINA

Entries to: JIM LAWLESS
 8760 County Line Road, Sparta, IL 62286
 Jim's Cell: (618) 317-7811 • Kay's Cell: (618) 443-8275
 Email: lawlesskennels@yahoo.com

NBHA WESTARK FIELD TRIAL CLUB
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October 19-20, 2024 • Booneville, AR

Grounds: From intersection Hwy. 10 and Hwy. 23 in Booneville, AR, go 3 blocks south, turn left on Hwy. 217, go 7.3 miles. Turn left between graveyard and church house, go 1/4 mile to clubhouse. **Drawing:** Thursday, October 17, 6:00 p.m.

OPEN SHOOTING DOG	\$40.00
OPEN DERBY	\$30.00
OPEN PUPPY	\$30.00
AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG	\$40.00
AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG—Judgment ceases at flush	\$35.00
AMATEUR DERBY	\$30.00
AMATEUR PUPPY	\$30.00

Judges: Ronnie Miller, Van Buren, AR, and Jerry Oswalt, Booneville, AR

GARMIN PURINA GARMIN

Entries to: GLENN CUMBIE • Phone: (479) 461-5509

SOUTHERN CIRCUIT FIELD TRIAL CLUB
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Ronnie Rogers **PURINA** **Pam Morrison**
 President Secretary

OCTOBER 18-20, 2024 • STARTS 7:30 A.M. (CST)
A Region 6 Points, Southern Circuit Points for Saddle & Invitational Points Trial
Grounds: Percy Priest Wildlife Area, LaVergne, TN. From Nashville, I-24 East to Waldron Rd. (Exit 64), right on Waldron Rd. to Hwy. 41, turning right through LaVergne, left on Fergus Rd., right on Jones Mill Rd., and follow signs. Lunches will be served. **Drawing:** Tuesday, October 15, 7:00 P.M. (CST), at the home of Pam Morrison. Phone: (931) 668-9319 [call after 6:00 P.M.]. Motel Accommodations: Econo Lodge, LaVergne, TN, on I-24. Phone: (800) 228-5150 or (615) 793-3600.

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (1 Hour)	\$ 85.00
AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min.)	\$ 60.00
OPEN SHOOTING DOG (1 Hour)—50%, 50-30-20	\$135.00
OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—Time Permitting: 50%, 50-30-20	\$ 85.00

Judges: Kent Patterson, Franklin, TN, and Shane Duckworth, Morganfield, KY
Entries to: PAM MORRISON, 251 Ponderosa Dr., McMinnville, TN 37110
Phone: (931) 668-9319 • Email: bpjmorrison@benlomand.net
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VIRGINIA CAPITAL FIELD TRIAL ASSOCIATION
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October 19, 2024 • Starts 8:00 a.m.
Dick Cross WMA, Rt. 4, Boydton, VA

PURINA

Drawing: Wednesday, October 16, 8:00 p.m., at the home of the chairman, 554 Treetop Ln., Chase City, VA 23924.

OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—Ribbons	\$50.00
OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—Ribbons	\$50.00

Judges: Grace Ann Lawson, Powhatan, VA; Art Cohen, Skipwith, VA; and Larry King, Shepherdstown, WV.

Entries to: JEFFREY SMITH, Chairman
 554 Treetop Ln., Chase City, VA 23924
 Phone: (603) 344-6960 [Text preferred]
 Email: Jwsmith603@gmail.com

BROAD RIVER CLASSIC
 Hosted by Broad River Field Trial Club
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October 24-27, 2024 • Starts 8:00 a.m.
Fall Horseback & Walking Trial

PURINA

Grounds: Located seven miles east of Camden, SC, off U.S. Hwy. 1, on Kershaw County Park Land. Trial grounds courtesy of Mid-Carolina Field Trial Club. One course on liberated quail. **Pre-Drawing:** Sunday, October 20, 9:00 p.m., at the home of Cliff Monroe.

OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—40%, less \$10.00/dog, 50-30-20....	Entry Fee: \$60.00
OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—40%, less \$10.00/dog, 50-30-20	Entry Fee: \$50.00
AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—Prizes to winners.....	Entry Fee: \$50.00
AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min.)—Prizes to winners.....	Entry Fee: \$40.00
AMATEUR PUPPY (20 Min.)—Prizes to winners.....	Entry Fee: \$30.00
(Sun.) OPEN WALKING SHOOTING DOG (45 Min.)—Awards.....	Entry Fee: \$50.00
AMATEUR WALKING SHOOTING DOG (45 Min.)—Awards	Entry Fee: \$50.00

Judges: Rotating panel
Entries to: CLIFF MONROE • Phone: (704) 692-3580
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WEST KENTUCKY FIELD TRIAL CLUB

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OCTOBER 25-27, 2024 • STARTS 8:00 A.M. • DIXON, KY
(Start day and time subject to entries)
— Walking Event —

GPS Address: 335 State Route 1063, Dixon, KY 42409. Please enter second driveway past mailbox to proceed down the hill for parking. Accommodations: Contact Mary Sue Schalk. Drawing: Tuesday, October 22, 6:00 p.m. (CST), at the home of Mary Sue Schalk. BBQ Friday night; please RSVP at Upland Addiction Lodge.

- OPEN PUPPY (20 Min.)—Awards to placements\$40.00
- OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—Awards to placements.....\$60.00
- OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—Awards to placements.....\$45.00
- AMATEUR PUPPY (20 Min.)—Awards to placements\$40.00
- AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—Awards to placements\$60.00
- AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min.)—Awards to placements\$45.00

Judges: Ty Vincent, Henderson, KY; Olivia Rader, Danville, IN; Mary Sue Schalk, Dixon, KY; Mike Crouse, Dixon, KY; Vincent Major, Providence, KY; James Kleve, Paris, KY; Joe Hopkins, London, KY; and Michael Stovall, Hawesville, KY.

Entries to: MARY SUE SCHALK, West Kentucky FTC President • (270) 625-0196



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CHICKAHOMINY FIELD TRIAL ASSOCIATION

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OCTOBER 26-27, 2024 • JARRATT, VA
DAVE POMFRET MEMORIAL FIELD TRIAL

Grounds: Hunt's Shooting Preserve, 5142 Hunt Rd., Jarratt, VA. Horseback scouting, handicap handling, and retrieval collars within U.S. Complete, FDSB and UKC rules permitted. 4-wheeler use on course is limited to handicap handling. Lunch served daily. A gallery wagon will follow all walking braces. Drawing: Thursday, October 24, 8:00 p.m., at the home of Mert and Judy Jones, Mechanicsville, VA; Phone at drawing: (804) 512-7567.

(Saturday) U.S. COMPLETE SHOOTING DOG STAKES & ORDER OF RUNNING:

- AMATEUR PUPPY\$30.00
 - AMATEUR DERBY\$45.00
 - DAVE POMFRET MEMORIAL AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG.....\$50.00
- Judges: AP & AD—Sharon Townley, Richardsville, VA, and Phil Rutter, Marshall, VA;
ASD—Grace Ann Lawson, Powhatan, VA, and Terry McCormick, Dinwiddle, VA.

(Sunday) ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA CLUBS HORSEBACK STAKES & ORDER OF RUNNING:

- AMATEUR PUPPY\$30.00
 - AMATEUR DERBY\$45.00
 - AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG\$50.00
- Judges: AP & AD—Phil Rutter, Marshall, VA, and Sharon Townley, Richardsville, VA;
ASD—Jim Jones, Gloucester, VA, and Art Cohen, Skipwith, VA.



Entries to: MERT JONES—(804) 512-7567 or JUDY JONES—(804) 512-9637
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SANDLAPPER CLASSIC

Hosted by Sandlapper Field Trial Club

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October 31-November 3, 2024 • Starts 8:00 a.m.
Fall Horseback & Walking Trial



Grounds: Located seven miles east of Camden, SC, off U.S. Hwy. 1, on Kershaw County Park Land. Trial grounds courtesy of Mid-Carolina Field Trial Club. One course on liberated quail. Pre-Drawing: Monday, October 28, 9:00 p.m., at the home of Cliff Monroe.

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- OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—40%, less \$10.00/dog, 50-30-20Entry Fee: \$50.00
- AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—Prizes to winners.....Entry Fee: \$50.00
- AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min.)—Prizes to winners.....Entry Fee: \$40.00
- AMATEUR PUPPY (20 Min.)—Prizes to winners.....Entry Fee: \$30.00
- (Sun.) OPEN WALKING SHOOTING DOG (45 Min.)—Awards.....Entry Fee: \$50.00
- AMATEUR WALKING SHOOTING DOG (45 Min.)—AwardsEntry Fee: \$50.00

Judges: Rotating panel

Entries to: CLIFF MONROE • Phone: (704) 692-3580

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HANOVER FIELD TRIAL ASSOCIATION

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NOVEMBER 2, 2024 • STARTS 7:30 A.M.

Grounds: Cohoke Shooting Preserve, King William, VA. No live ammunition allowed on the grounds. Lunch will be provided. Drawing: Thursday, October 31, 7:00 p.m., at the home of Kirk Regensburg; Phone: (804) 730-8433.

All Continental Breeds welcome!

STAKES AND ORDER OF RUNNING:

- *AMATEUR PUPPY\$25.00
- AMATEUR DERBY\$45.00
- WAVERLY COLEMAN AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG\$50.00

*Puppy stake run at the club's discretion and may be run on a separate course

Judges: To be announced



Entries to: KIRK REGENSBURG
Home: (804) 730-8433 • Cell: (804) 543-3470
Email: regensburginwood@gmail.com
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CENTRAL PRAIRIE FIELD TRIAL CLUB

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NOVEMBER 2, 2024 • ORCHARDVILLE, IL

Grounds: Located 5.7 miles off Rt. 161 at Orchardville, on CR 250 E, 1.2 miles west on CR 250 N. Follow signs. GPS: County Road 1250 N, Keenes, IL 62851. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Drawing: Wednesday, October 30, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the chairman.

BUTCH SPELBRING MEMORIAL

- AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG—Plaques\$50.00
- AMATEUR DERBY—Plaques.....\$50.00
- AMATEUR GUN DOG—Plaques\$50.00
- AMATEUR PUPPY—Plaques\$30.00

Judges: To be announced

Entries to: RICK STANFORD • (618) 838-6762

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MID-SOUTH BIRD HUNTERS CLUB

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NOVEMBER 3, 2024 • ORCHARDVILLE, IL

Grounds: Located 5.7 miles off Rt. 161 at Orchardville, on CR 250 E, 1.2 miles west on CR 250 N. Follow signs. GPS: County Road 1250 N, Keenes, IL 62851. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Drawing: Wednesday, October 30, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the chairman.

- AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG—Plaques\$50.00
- AMATEUR DERBY—Plaques.....\$50.00
- JOHN ELLIS MEMORIAL AMATEUR GUN DOG—Plaques...\$50.00
- AMATEUR PUPPY—Plaques\$30.00

Judges: To be announced

Entries to: BRAD HARGIS • (618) 292-1798

Club and landowners are not responsible for accidents.





AMERICAN RED SETTER BIRD DOG CLUB

Amateur Shooting Dog Classic

November 16-19, 2024 • Starts promptly at 7:30 a.m. daily
On the grounds of Bruce Bennett near Ellenburg Center, New York
Run on native grouse and woodcock • Open to all FDSB Pointing Breeds



— U.S. Complete Points Trial —

Grounds: Located at 449 Steam Mill Rd., Ellenburg Center, NY 12934. Google Maps GPS Location: 44.83592063868279, -73.94194930883909. Lunch served daily on grounds. Grounds can accommodate some trailers. Drawing: Thursday, November 14, 7:00 p.m., at the On-the-Wing Grouse Camp, Ellenburg Center, NY. Entries close at the time of the drawing. All stakes except Gun Dog run on multiple courses. Hotel accommodations in Malone, NY, a 25-minute drive west.

BRUCE BENNETT AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC (1 Hour)—Awards to winners.....\$70.00
OPEN SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)—40%, 50-30-20 minus dog fees.....\$50.00
OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—Time permitting; Awards to winners.....\$45.00
*AMATEUR GUN DOG (30 Min.).....\$40.00

*Run concurrently with Classic, single course, liberated quail

Judges: ASD—Mark Hughes and Marc Forman; OSD—Adam Dubriske and Jeff Keller;
OD—Eric Munden and Krysta Munden; Gun Dog—Jeff Keller and Allen Fazenbaker.

Entries to: ANDY WEIK, Secretary • Phone: (607) 793-4832 • Email: andyweik99@gmail.com
(No text or social media entries. All email entries confirmed by phone call.)

Manufactured closed barrels only. Retrieval collars permitted but not provided. USCSA and ARSBC, its officers, directors and sponsors are not in any way responsible for accidents or injury to person, animal or property.

Upcoming Print Deadlines

November Issue — October 5
December Issue — November 5
January Issue — December 5

FLINT HILLS AMATEUR ALL-AGE CLASSIC & ROGER DUNCAN MEMORIAL OPEN SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC

Hosted by Holler Point Field Trial Club

Member AFTCA & KFTCA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

Begins October 3, 2024* • Starts 8:00 a.m. each day
Holler Point Farm, Abilene, KS

— AFTCA, KFTCA & U. S. Derby Invitational Points Trial —



*If entries are sufficient; If not, October 4 start. Directions to Grounds: Near Abilene, KS, exit I-70 at Abilene; Go south on Hwy. 15 for 20.6 miles. Entrance to farm is between 400 and 300 Ave., off Hwy. 15. Look for signs on west side of the road. Trial to be run on 3 one-hour continuous courses on native quail, prairie chickens and pheasants, with substitution of pre-released coveys. Meals: Lunch to be served daily; Friday—Fish Fry (Ling cod caught in British Columbia and donated by Mark and Emily Wasserman; big thanks!); Saturday Night Banquet—Ribeye steaks hot off the new fire pit grill! Drawing: Monday, September 30, 7:00 p.m., at the home of Diane Shoemaker. Lodging: America's Best Value—(785) 263-2050; Super 8 Motel—(785) 263-4545; Budget Lodge—(785) 263-3600. There will be great food, great prizes, and plenty of birds; we hope everyone can make it!

STAKES AND ORDER OF RUNNING:

ROGER DUNCAN OPEN SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC (1 Hour)..... Entry Fee: \$110.00

National Amateur Points; Prizes to 1st & 2nd; Points to 3rd only

LARRY SMITH MEMORIAL OPEN DERBY CLASSIC (30 Min.)..... Entry Fee: \$ 65.00

U.S. Derby Invitational Points

FLINT HILLS AMATEUR ALL-AGE CLASSIC (1 Hour)..... Entry Fee: \$110.00

Purina Amateur & National Amateur Points; Prizes to 1st & 2nd; Points to 3rd only

Judges: OSD—Alex Jacocks and Jay Lewis; OD—Alex Jacocks and Laura Miller;

AA—Greg Gibson and Frank Schoenborn.

Front Marshal & Reporter: Dr. Stan Wint

Trial Chairman: Rodney Shoemaker—(816) 558-2427

All entries to: DIANE SHOEMAKER • (816) 309-4773

Participation in the trial as a spectator, handler, owner, scout or any other capacity, constitutes a waiver and release of the landowners, Field Trial Clubs and their members from any and all liabilities for accidents or other losses.

FLEETWOOD OPEN SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC

Hosted by Westark Field Trial Club

Member AFTCA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

STARTS OCTOBER 7, 2024 • STARTS 8:00 A.M.
BOONEVILLE, AR



A PURINA TOP SHOOTING DOG

& PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR POINTS STAKE

Directions: From the intersection of Hwy. 10 & 23 in Booneville, take Hwy. 23 three blocks south. Turn left on Hwy. 217 and go 6 1/2 miles to clubhouse. Drawing: Thursday, October 3, 6:00 p.m., at the home of Ronnie Miller. Phone: (479) 629-3281.

FLEETWOOD OPEN

SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC (1 Hour).....Entry Fee: \$210.00

*OPEN DERBY (30 Min.).....Entry Fee: \$100.00

*Shooting Dog Standards

Purses: 50% of entry fees, less \$40.00 for grounds fees, split 50-30-20

Judges: Ken Sauer, Alvord, TX, and Tim Thornton, Cheyenne, OK

Field Marshal: Ronnie Miller

Entries to: RONNIE MILLER • Cell: (479) 629-3281
110 So. 40, Van Buren, AR 72956

Beginning at the conclusion of the
Fleetwood Open Shooting Dog Classic & Derby
To be held at Booneville, AR

LONE STAR OPEN SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC

presented by the Westark Field Trial Club

Member AFTCA & OFTCA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!



A PURINA TOP SHOOTING DOG

& PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR POINTS STAKE

LONE STAR OPEN

SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC (1 Hour)... Entry Fee: \$210.00*

*Includes \$40.00 grounds fee

Purse: 50% of entry fees, less \$40.00 for grounds fees, split 50-30-20

Judges: Jim Martin, Wooster, AR, and Henry Brewster, Locust Grove, AR

Drawing: Thursday, October 3, 6:00 p.m., at the home of Rick Thorne.

Field Marshals: Ronnie Miller and Rick Thorne

Entries to: MIKE LEMONS—(501) 269-252

-or- RICK THORNE—(479) 857-3773

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HATCHECHUBBEE CLASSICS FIELD TRIAL CLUB

Member AFTCA, AFTA & Dixie Trace • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

JOHN O'NEALL JR. MEMORIAL AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC

A PURINA TOP AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG AWARD
& AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG INVITATIONAL POINTS TRIAL



Generously sponsored by Purina. Special thanks to Greg Blair!

October 24, 2024 • Starts 8:00 A.M. (CST)

Pat O'Neill Field Trial Grounds

248 Zion Hill Rd., Hatchechubbee, AL

Pre-Drawing: Tuesday, October 22, 6:00 p.m. (EST),
at the home of Alan Atkins. Phone: (706) 681-2450.

** JOHN HYDER MEMORIAL AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min.)..... \$ 60.00
**Sponsored by RK Livestock

OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—Depending on entries..... \$ 60.00

JOHN O'NEALL JR. AMATEUR HORSEBACK
SHOOTING DOG CLASSIC (1 Hour)..... \$125.00

Judges: Hunter McDuffie, Cecil, AL,
and Harrison Lee, Union Springs, AL.

Entries to: ROGER KEY • (334) 750-3705

The Hatchechubbee Classics FTC, officers and landowner are not in any way responsible and cannot be held liable for injury to anyone attending the trial, their animals or property during these events. No abuse will be tolerated by the judges.

NORTH CAROLINA FIELD TRIAL ASSOCIATION

Member AFTCA & NCFTA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

NOVEMBER 8-10, 2024 • STARTS 8:00 A.M.
BOB GORDON GAMELANDS, HOFFMAN, NC



NATIONAL AMATEUR INVITATIONAL
& PURINA AMATEUR ALL-AGE AWARD POINTS TRIAL

Pre-Drawing: Tuesday, November 5, 7:00 p.m. Hotel
Accommodations: Microtel Motel, Southern Pines,
NC—(877) 693-3738.

AMATEUR ALL-AGE (1 Hour)..... \$120.00
AMATEUR DERBY (30 Min.).....\$ 60.00

Judges: ASD—Calvin Curnutte, Jackson Springs,
NC, and Worth Lewis, Ayden, NC; AA-A—Calvin
Curnutte, Jackson Springs, NC, and Tom Green,
Orangeburg, SC.

All entries to: GRAYSON FRANCIS, Chairman
Cell: (434) 610-8601

The NC Wildlife Dept., NCFTA or any members are not liable for any loss,
injury or accident to any persons, animals or equipment on grounds.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA BIRD DOG CLUB

STARTS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2024
J. ICHORD'S HORNITOS RANCH,
CATHEY'S VALLEY, CA



BROCK AND WELLS SHOOTING DOG (30 Min.)..... \$ 55.00
Judges: Jim Wolthuis, Sacramento, CA, and Jarry Walton, Reno, NV

REGION 11 (AFTCA)

AMATEUR ALL-AGE DERBY (30 Min.)..... \$ 55.00
Judges: Sheldon Twer, Oakdale, CA, and Jim Rose, Clayton, CA

MACK SMITH OPEN ALL-AGE (30 Min.)..... \$55.00
Judges: Gina Bosio, Modesto, CA, and Tom Griffin, Esparto, CA

OPEN SHOOTING DOG DERBY (30 Min.)..... \$55.00
Judges: Jim Rose, Clayton, CA, and Jim Wolthuis, Sacramento, CA

OPEN ALL-AGE DERBY (30 Min.) \$55.00
Judges: Marc Cupeo, Sonoma, CA, and Sean Kelly, Loomis, CA

Directions to Grounds: From Hwy. 99, take Exit 186B. Go east on Hwy.
140 for 24 miles and turn left onto Hornitos Road. Go 8 miles, turn right
onto Mt. Gaines Road, and follow signs to grounds. Drawing: Thursday,
October 24, 6:00 p.m.

— Purina Dog Food to the Winners —

For entries and information, contact:
SEAN KELLY • Phone: (916) 871-5767
Email: skexcavating@gmail.com

The Northern California Bird Dog Club, Hornitos Ranch, its officers, and membership assume no
responsibility for participants or spectators in the event of injury or damage to persons or property.

SOUTH CAROLINA AMATEUR CLASSIC CELEBRATION

Sponsored by Palmetto Quail Club

Member SBHA, AFTCA & ASCFTC • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

December 20-22, 2024 • Pamplico, SC



A PURINA TOP AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG AWARD
& AMATEUR INVITATIONAL POINTS TRIAL

Grounds: Palmetto Quail Club, 364 E. Shirley Rd.,
Pamplico, SC 29583. Drawing: Tuesday, December 17,
6:00 p.m., at the Palmetto Quail Club.

— HORSEBACK TRIAL —

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG (1 Hour)—Awards.. \$100.00
*OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—50%, 50-30-20..... \$ 50.00

*Time permitting

Judges: Johnny Atkinson, Marion, SC,
and Carl Owens, Awendaw, SC

Entries to: RODNEY POSTON

Phone: (843) 319-4814

Email: Rposton1023@gmail.com



TENNESSEE VALLEY FIELD TRIAL CLUB

Member ABHA, AFTCA & KFTA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

ABHA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

October 3-6, 2024 • Berea, KY

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PERFORMANCE DOG FOOD



Grounds: Miller-Welch Central Kentucky WMA, 638 Dreyfus Rd., Berea, KY 40403, 9 miles southeast of Richond, KY.

Drawing: Monday, September 30, 7:00 p.m., at the home of Ronnie Rogers.

ABHA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour)—Payout: 40%, 60-40	Entry Fee: \$185.00
OPEN WALKING DERBY CLASSIC (45 Min.)—Payout: 40%, 60-40	Entry Fee: \$ 75.00
OPEN WALKING PUPPY (20 Min.)—Payout: 40%, 60-40	Entry Fee: \$ 50.00

Judges: Ed Stevens, West Union, OH, and Matt Pendergest, Lexington, KY

— *Tennessee Valley companion horseback stakes to follow, but not before October 6* —

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG—Single Course.....	Entry Fee: \$ 40.00
OPEN ALL-AGE—40%, 50-30-20; Single Course.....	Entry Fee: \$ 60.00
OPEN SHOOTING DOG—40%, 50-30-20; Single Course	Entry Fee: \$ 60.00
OPEN DERBY—40%, 50-30-20; Single Course	Entry Fee: \$ 60.00

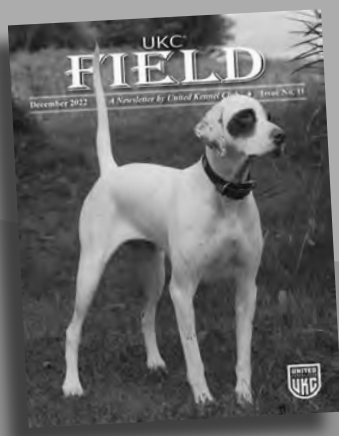
Drawing: Friday, October 4, 7:00 p.m., on the grounds.

Judges: Rotating Panel

Entries to: RONNIE ROGERS • Phone: (865) 712-9229 • Email: IndianCrestSheepFarm@hotmail.com

Tennessee Valley Field Trial Club not responsible for injury or loss to participants, animals or property during course of this event.

Submit a photo to be considered for the cover of UKC® Field online at:
ukcdogs.com/cover-dog



All cover photo submissions must include FDSB number, name, and a brief description of the dog(s) pictured.

For questions, email gsmith@ukcdogs.com.

**High-Resolution Color Images Preferred.*

REGION 2 (AFTCA) AMATEUR WALKING SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only! Horseback scouting not permitted.

October 5*-6, 2024 • Entry Fee: \$125.00 • Felton, DE

**May start October 4, if entries warrant.*

**Hosted by Mountain View Bird Dog Club
One-Hour, Single Course**



Grounds: Petersburg Tract of Norman G. Wilder Wildlife Area, Felton, DE.

Drawing: Tuesday, October 1, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the trial chairman.

Judges: Ben Dillard, Hagerstown, MD, and Bart Hastings, Seaford, DE

Entries to: THOR KAIN • Phone: (570) 892-1043

Entries accepted with the understanding that the clubs, their officers and landowners are not in any way responsible and cannot be held liable for any accidents involving anyone attending the trial, their horses, dogs or equipment.



REGION 1 (AFTCA) AMATEUR HORSEBACK SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by Associated Field Trial Clubs of Connecticut and New Britain Field Trial Club

Member AFTCA & ANEFTC • Blank Ammo Only! No Live Ammunition Allowed on Grounds!



ROTATING TROPHY
Donated by Gene Casale



October 11-13, 2024 (depending on entries), 7:00 a.m.

Flaherty Field Trial Area, East Windsor, CT

Entry Fee: \$150 • One-Hour Heats

**A PURINA TOP AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG AWARD
& NATIONAL AMATEUR INVITATIONAL POINTS TRIAL**

Single course on liberated quail.

Entries Close: Wednesday, October 9, 7:00 p.m. Drawing to be held at the home of Dave O'Brien.

Qualifications: AFTCA Win Certificate in an Amateur Derby or Amateur Shooting Dog stake.

Judges: John Olfson, West Hartford, CT, and Jeff Phelps, Darien, NY

Field Trial Committee: Dave O'Brien, Gene Casale, Pete Murphy, and John Olfson
Plaques • Purina Pro Plan® to Champion and Runner-up

*Tim Cavanaugh, President | Pete LaBella, 1st Vice-President | Kellie Short, 2nd Vice-President
Jim Hathaway, Secretary | John Olfson, Treasurer | Elias Richardson, Trustee*

Entries to: DAVE O'BRIEN • Phone: (860) 798-6673

REGION 19 (AFTCA) AMATEUR WALKING SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Member AFTCA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

OCTOBER 11-13, 2024 • MOOSE JUNCTION, WI



These premier grounds are on Douglas County Forest lands, in the heart of Northern Wisconsin's top grouse and woodcock cover. We will meet at the corner of WI State Hwy. 35 and Douglas County Road M (Moose Junction) each morning at 7:30 a.m.; breakaway at 8:00 a.m. sharp. Lunches will be available each day near the grounds. Stakes will be run on multiple courses. **Entries Close:** Monday, October 7, 11:59 P.M. **Drawing:** Tuesday, October 8, 8:30 a.m., by HuntSecretary and certified by Bill Frahm, Minong, WI. **Area Motels:** Swanson's—(715) 378-2215 or St. Croix Inn—(715) 378-4444.

REGION 19 AMATEUR WALKING

SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour)—40%, 60-40; Ribbon to 3rd.....\$100.00
OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—50%, 50-30-20.....\$ 50.00

Judges: *Championship*—Neil Anderson, Duluth, MN, and Jordan Pharris, Big Lake, MN;
OD—Eric Saetre, Esko, MN, and Tim Kaufman, Poplar, WI.

Email entries to: HELENA LARKIN • Email: AKCdiv@huntsecretary.com
Phone: (936) 852-20280

— All entries must be confirmed before they become official —

Entrants participate at their own risk; The landowners, MRGDC, or its officers are not responsible for injury or accidents.

NORTHEASTERN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP



Starting Monday, October 14, 2024, 8:00 a.m.*

**Start time will depend on number of dogs drawn*

Flaherty Field Trial Area, East Windsor, CT

(Exit 44 off I-91, then follow Rt. 5 South)

Entry Fee: \$250.00 (includes \$20 grounds and association fees)

A PURINA TOP SHOOTING DOG AWARD AND PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD POINTS TRIAL

Purse: 50% of entry fees (less \$20 grounds and association fees) divided 70-30, if Runner-Up is named.

Judges: John Malone, Bolton, CT, and Chris Catanzarite, Scenery Hill, PA

Course: One-hour single course to be run on liberated quail. Run to Shooting Dog standards. **Qualifications:** A recognized placement in an Open Derby or Open Shooting Dog stake. Dogs must be shot over with a .32 blank or 209 primer revolver. **Drawing:** Wednesday, October 9, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the chairman.

Entries to: GENE CASALE, Chairman

Phone: (860) 202-1143 • Email: gacasale@gmail.com

ANEFTC not responsible for loss, injury, or theft.

SUNFLOWER STATE OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by: Flint Hills Field Trial Club



Running to commence Monday, October 14, 2024, 8:00 a.m.

Bill Westfall Ranch, Elk City, KS

One-Hour • Purse: 50%, 70-30 • \$240.00 + \$25.00 Grounds Fee

**A PURINA TOP SHOOTING DOG AWARD, PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD
& PURINA TOP DERBY AWARD POINTS TRIAL**

Judges: Eddie Smith, Frutivale, TX, and Jon Lam, Makanda, IL

Qualification: A placement in a recognized Open Shooting Dog or Open Derby stake.

THE MARVIN McDOWELL DERBY CLASSIC

Run at club's discretion • 30 Min. • Purse: 50%, 50-30-20 • \$120.00 + \$20.00 grounds fee

Directions to Grounds: From Independence, KS, go west on 160 for 18 miles to Road 1300, then north $\frac{3}{4}$ mile to Road 5800, then west 1 mile. From Longton, KS, go east on 160 to Blackjack Rd., then east 1 mile. **Drawing:** Thursday, October 10, 7:00 p.m., at the home of Luke Topp.

Entries to: LUKE TOPP • Phone/Text: (402) 239-8167

Directors: Luke Topp, President; Dave Merritt, Bill Westfall, Harold Gearhart

There will be absolutely no tolerance for harassment of judges or club officials.

The Sunflower Association and its landowners are not responsible for any accidents with persons, horses, dogs or equipment.

BEAVERTON GROUSE DOG CLUB

Member AFTCA & AMFTC • On behalf of the Association of Michigan Field Trial Clubs

Presents the 15th Running of the

NORTHERN MICHIGAN COVER DOG CHAMPIONSHIP



— In Honor of George Fruchey —

\$1,500 Guaranteed Purse (If Runner-up is named, purse to be divided \$900/\$600)

Starts Tuesday, October 15, 2024 to Conclusion • Gladwin Field Trial Area, Meredith, MI

Entry Fee: \$100.00 • One-Hour Heats • Multiple Courses • Native Grouse & Woodcock

Judges: Ben Mergens and Shane Haskin

Owner of winner to receive Framed and Matted Grouse Society print and Perpetual Rotating Crystal Bowl to Winner.

Prior American Field recognized Open Derby, Shooting Dog or All-Age placement required to participate.

WOLVERINE DERBY CLASSIC (30 Min.)—Multiple Courses • Entry Fee: \$50.00

Purse: 40% of entry fees divided 50-30-20 • Perpetual rotating trophy to winner and rosettes to all placements

Starting time to be announced no sooner than Saturday, October 19

Judges: Sean McKellip and Tom Fruchey

Pre-Drawing (for both events): Sunday, October 13, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the secretary.

All entries to include complete registered name, FDSB number and qualifying event. \$3.00 of all entry fees go to Grounds Fund and AMFTC.

Owners' and Handlers' Banquet on Saturday after the day's running.

Mail, Phone or Email Entries to: TOM FRUCHEY, Secretary, 952 Van Dyke Rd., Beaverton, MI 48612

Phone: (989) 435-3793 • Text: (989) 324-8451 • Email: tomnkeliinc@yahoo.com

No entry official until confirmed by Secretary. The Beaverton Grouse Dog Club, its directors and the State of Michigan are not liable for any accidents or conditions involving participants, spectators, animals or equipment.



TAR HEEL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP



John Atkinson, *President* • Grayson Francis, *Vice President* • John Ivester, *Secretary*

North Carolina Field Trial Association proudly announces the
94th Running at the Sandhills Wildlife Management Area, Hoffman, NC
Starting October 17, 2024 to Conclusion



Entry Fee: \$325* • Purse: 50% divided 70-30
*\$20 fee per dog for National Championship included



A PURINA AWARD POINTS, PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD POINTS
& NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFYING STAKE
Manufactured Barrel Guns With Blank Ammo To Be Used!



Qualification: A recognized placement in an Open All-Age or Open Derby stake.
Pre-Drawing: Monday, October 14, 4:00 p.m., at the office of the trial secretary.

Judges: Tony Bingham, Lawndale, NC, and Scott Little, Clarksville, TN • **Reporter:** Maria Bassham, Quitman, GA

Accommodations: Best Western Motel, Southern Pines, NC—(910) 692-0640.
NCFTA has RV hook-ups available at \$10 per day. Must make reservations with entries.



JOHN IVESTER, Trial Secretary
8832 Sidney Circle, Charlotte, NC 28269 • Phone: (704) 641-1570



CENTRAL CAROLINA FIELD TRIAL CLUB

Member AFTCA & North Carolina FTA • Blank ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns only!



Sam Giddens, President • **John Ivester, Secretary/Treasurer**

Directors: Dr. Claude Kidd, John Ivester, Sam Giddens and Nida Giddens

72ND ANNUAL FALL TRIAL • STARTS OCTOBER 20*, 2024

**Or immediately following the Tar Heel Championship*



— To be run over the continuous courses of the Sandhills Wildlife Area at Hoffman, NC —



A PURINA AWARD, PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD, PURINA DERBY AWARD,
NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFYING STAKE & AMERICAN DERBY INVITATIONAL POINTS TRIAL

Pre-Drawing: Monday, October 14, 6:00 p.m., at the secretary's office—(704) 641-1570.

STAKES AND ORDER OF RUNNING:

OPEN DERBY (30 Minutes)—50%, divided 50-30-20.....Entry Fee: \$150.00
*BILL ANDREWS OPEN ALL-AGE (1 Hour)—50%, divided 50-30-20.....Entry Fee: \$325.00

**\$20 National Championship Qualifying Fee included in Entry Fee listed*

Judges: OA-A—Jason Williams, Blakely, GA, and Chris Carahan, Clarksburg, PA;
OD—Jason Williams, Blakely, GA, and Tony Bingham, Lawndale, NC.

Reporter: Maria Bassham, Quitman, GA • **Marshals:** Nida Giddens, Sam Giddens, Lefty Henry, Claude Kidd

Headquarters: Clubhouse on grounds. NCFTA has RV hook-ups available at \$10 per day. Must make reservations with entries.

Reminder: Field Trial Handlers, Scouts & Judges: All North Carolina residents must have a hunting license and gamelands use permit. All non-residents must have a hunting license from their resident state.

JOHN IVESTER, Secretary/Trial Chairman, 8832 Sidney Circle, Charlotte, NC 28269 • (704) 641-1570

An entry is accepted as a waiver of any claim for loss or damage from the sponsoring club and officers.

PENNSYLVANIA GROUSE TRIAL CLUB

Pennsylvania Grouse Championship & Accompanying Stakes

Featuring the David E. Blakley Memorial Walking Derby Classic



Starting Tuesday, October 22*, 2024 • Marienville, PA

**May start Tuesday, October 22, based on entries, but no sooner than Monday, October 21*

Grounds: Championship will be run on continuous courses in Allegheny National Forest near Marienville, PA. Championship will begin Tuesday, October 22*, 7:00 a.m. Derby to be run on single course with top dogs called back on birds.
Public Drawing: Friday, October 18, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the secretary.

PENNSYLVANIA GROUSE CHAMPIONSHIP (One-Hour Heats)—A Purina Points Trial Entry Fee: \$125.00

Judges: Tim Perschke, Butler Pa, and Jarrod Specht, Newmanstown Pa

\$2,000 guaranteed purse • Purse divided 75%-25%, if runner-up is named.

For dogs with a placement in an Open Derby, Open All-Age or Open Shooting Dog Stake.

OPEN PUPPY—Purse: 40% divided 50-30-20 Entry Fee: \$ 35.00

OPEN DERBY (30-Minute Heats)—Purse: 50% divided 50-30-20 Entry Fee: \$ 50.00

— A PURINA POINTS TRIAL —

Judges: OP & OD—To be announced

\$2.00 of Derby and Puppy and \$4.00 of Championship entry fees paid to grounds fund.

Dick Brenneman, Stake Manager • Mike Husenits, Reporter

Phone entries to: DAVE DUELL, Secretary • Phone: (814) 706-6728

P.O. Box 651, Sheffield, PA 16347 • Email: duell651@windstream.net

(Entries accepted via email until October 18)

The Club, its officers and club members are not responsible for accidents, injury, or loss.

— 80th Annual —

LAKE STATES GROUSE DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

— On behalf of the Association of Michigan Field Trial Clubs, Inc. —

Member AFTCA & AMFTC • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only! American Field requirements regarding electronic devices will be enforced!

Starts Tuesday, October 22, 2024, 7:45 a.m. • Gladwin Field Trial Area, Meredith, MI

A PURINA COVER DOG HANDLER OF THE YEAR POINTS TRIAL



\$2,000 Purse* • Entry Fee: \$150.00

**If 40 or more dogs entered; 40% (less \$3 entry fee per dog) of entries will be awarded if there are less than 40 dogs.*

Judges: Larry Guild, Jordan, MN, and Vance Butler, New Era, MI • **Reporter:** TBD

Entries close: Saturday, October 19, at 6:00 p.m. The drawing will follow at 7:00 P.M., at the home of Secretary—Treasurer Denise Peters, 7888 Greenwood Rd., Gladwin, MI. All are welcome.

To be run on native grouse, over multiple courses, one-hour heats. Additional running at discretion of judges. All dogs must have a placement in an Open All-Age or Open Derby stake. Rotating Lake States Bronze Trophy to the Winner. Certificates and Ribbons to the owner of the Champion and Runner-Up, if named. If Runner-Up is named, purse divided 70-30 respectively.

THE ROGER JOHNSON CUP OPEN DERBY (30 Min.)—40%, divided 50-30-20 (multiple courses).....\$55.00

OPEN PUPPY (20 Min.)—40%, divided 50-30-20 (single course)\$45.00

Judges: *Open Derby*—Craig Merlington and Abraham Downer; *Open Puppy*—Sean McKellip and John McKellop.

The Open Derby is scheduled to begin at the conclusion of the Championship, but no later than Sunday morning.

The Puppy stake start time TBD, but no later than Saturday morning, October 26.

There will be a Handlers' Dinner on Monday night, October 21, 6:00 p.m., at the Alibi. This "Walleye" Fish Fry will be hosted by Mike and Christine Brown.

Brent Peters, Stake Manager

Entries should be directed to: DENISE PETERS, 7888 Greenwood Rd., Gladwin, MI 48624

Phone: (269) 209-1255 • Email: dpeters1255@yahoo.com



Entrants and spectators participate at their own risk. LSFTC and/or its officers are not responsible for injury or accidents.



KENTUCKY OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by Kentucky Field Trial Association

Member AFTCA & ABHA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!



November 2, 2024 to Conclusion
Miller-Welch Central Kentucky Wildlife Area
630 Dreyfus Rd., Berea, KY 40403

Judges: Mike Crouse, Dixon, KY, and Rich Meadows, Somerset, KY

CHAMPIONSHIP (One-Hour)—Single course Entry Fee: \$150.00

Qualification: Must have a recognized Open Shooting Dog or Open Derby placement.

Purse: 40% of entry fees divided 70-30, if champion and runner-up are named

OPEN DERBY (30 Min.) Entry Fee: \$ 75.00

Purse: 40% of entry fees divided 50-30-20

Drawing: Monday, October 28, 7:30 p.m., at the home of the chairman.

Entries to: TERRY W. BOATRIGHT, Trial Chairman • Phone: (859) 582-8566
248 Meadowbrook Rd., Richmond, KY 40475

Entries accepted with the understanding that the Kentucky Field Trial Association, its officers and directors, are not in any way responsible and cannot be held liable for any accidents involving anyone attending the trial, their horses, dogs or equipment.



82nd Running — 1943-2024



GRAND NATIONAL GROUSE CHAMPIONSHIP & 80TH RUNNING OF THE GROUSE FUTURITY

Grand National Grouse Championship starts Tuesday, November 5, in Augusta, WI
\$3,000.00 Guaranteed Purse • Entry Fee \$150.00 • One-Hour Contiguous Courses • A Purina Award Points Stake

Entries Close: Thursday, October 31, 5:00 p.m., with drawing to follow at the home of the secretary.

Judges: Mike Brown, Linden, MI, and Adam Dubriske, Keene, NH

Reporter: Chris Bye, River Falls, WI, and Jeremy Moore, Pulaski, WI • **Stake Manager:** Brad Peterson, Cedar Grove, WI

Winner to receive Purse plus LaViano Gold Pin, a Garmin collar, and Leg on Grouse Bowl and automatic invitation to the Grouse & Woodcock Invitational Championship. If runner-up named, purse divided 70-30 and runner-up receives Silver Pin.

Eligible dogs must have a placement in an Open All-Age or Shooting Dog stake.

Entries & Information, contact: BRIAN RALPH, Secretary • Phone: (814) 332-0433 • Email: brianralph@allstate.com

Grand National Grouse Futurity starts Sunday, November 3*

**May start Monday if entries warrant*

\$1,500.00 Purse (divided between Owners and Breeders) • Entry Fee \$75.00 • A Purina Coverdog Points Trial

Four Placements if there are 16 or more entries • Winner to receive a Garmin collar

Public Pre-Drawing: Wednesday, October 30, at the home of the Secretary. Entries close at time of drawing.

Judges: Bill Frahm, Minong, WI, and Bert Benshoof, Roseville, MN

Reporter: Ben Brettingen, Vaconia, MN • **Stake Manager:** Rod Lein, Chippewa Falls, WI

Entries to: THOR KAIN, Secretary • Phone: (570) 892-1043 • Email: tkain63@gmail.com

.32 Blank Ammo or 209 Primers required





REGION 6 (AFTCA) AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by Alabama Field Trial Club

Member AFTCA, Region 6 & Mid-South AFTA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

Starting Thursday, November 7, 2024*

Hell Creek WMA, 4120 County Rd. 825, Myrtle, MS 38650

(*At the conclusion of the Kentucky Lake Open All-Age Championship)

**A NATIONAL AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG INVITATIONAL, REGION 6 AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG OF THE YEAR
& PURINA TOP AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG AWARD POINTS TRIAL**



**Entry Fee: \$125.00 + \$25 bird fee • One-Hour Heats
AFTCA Win Certificate Number required**



Judges: David Russell, Como, MS, and Chris Cagle Jr., Woodlawn, TN
Stake Managers: Joe Hughes and Lisa Little

Drawing: Monday, November 4, 7:00 p.m. (CST), at the home of Lisa Little, Region 6 Secretary.
An AFTCA Membership number and UKC/FDSB registered name and number must accompany each entry.

**Entries to: LISA LITTLE, Region 6 Secretary, 1301 Ross Dr., Woodlawn, TN 37191
Phone: (931) 980-0452 • Email: doubletroublestables@yahoo.com**

Region 6 and its members are not responsible for accidents. Participation in the trial as either a spectator, handler, owner, scout, or in any other capacity constitutes a waiver and release of Region 6 officers, members and landowners from any and all liabilities for accidents or other losses.

REGION 17 (AFTCA) AMATEUR ALL-AGE CHAMPIONSHIP & UNITED STATES AMATEUR DERBY CENTRAL REGION SUPER QUALIFIER

Hosted by Holler Point Field Trial Club

Member AFTCA & KFTCA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

**Begins November 14*, 2024 to Conclusion • Starts 8:00 A.M. each day
Holler Point Farm, Abilene, KS**

**If entries are sufficient; if not, November 15 start • AFTCA Points Trial*



Directions to Grounds: Near Abilene, KS, exit I-70 at Abilene; Go south on Hwy. 15 for 20.6 miles. Entrance to farm is between 400 and 300 Ave., off Hwy. 15. Look for signs on west side of the road. Trial to be run on 3 one-hour continuous courses on native quail, prairie chickens and pheasants, with substitution of pre-released coveys. **Meals:** Lunch to be served daily; *Friday night*—Supper hot off the grill; *Saturday night Banquet*—Seafood Boil out on the prairie (shrimp, crab legs, and all the other good stuff!) **Drawing:** Monday, November 11, 7:00 p.m., at the home of Secretary Diane Shoemaker. **Lodging:** America's Best Value—(785) 263-2050; Super 8 Motel—(785) 263-4545; Budget Lodge—(785) 263-3600. There will be great food and plenty of birds; we hope everyone can make it!

STAKES AND ORDER OF RUNNING:

REGION 17 AMATEUR ALL-AGE CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour).....Entry Fee: \$150.00

Purina Amateur All-Age Award & National Amateur Points

UNITED STATES AMATEUR DERBY CENTRAL REGION SUPER QUALIFIER (45 Min.).....Entry Fee: \$125.00*

**Includes all fees • Bonus Points: 25 to 1st, 15 to 2nd, and 10 to 3rd plus standard 3-2-1.*

Purina Pro Plan to winners • Tack saddle to 1st; Saddlebags to 2nd and 3rd.

Judges: *Championship*—Alex Jacocks, Edmond, OK, and Kirk Swanson, Red Oak, IA;
Derby Super Qualifier—Jon Lam, Makanda, IL, and Jim Lawless, Sparta, IL.

Trial Chairman: Rodney Shoemaker—(816) 558-2427

All entries to: DIANE SHOEMAKER • (816) 309-4773

Entries accepted and attendance of this event are with the understanding that AFTCA, Region 17, KFTCA, their officers, directors, members, sponsors and the landowner(s) are not in any way responsible and cannot be held liable for any accidents or occurrences involving anyone attending the trial, their animals, or equipment.



NBHA NATIONAL AMATEUR INVITATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by North Missouri Field Trial Association, Inc.

Member NBHA, MBHA & AFTCA • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!

November 18, 2024 • First Series start 8:00 a.m. • Covington, IN



K Del's Eagle Magnum Hotshot, 2023 Champion

- K Del's Eagle Magnum Hotshot (BM) Kenny DeLong
- Emert's Sho Me Motu (ESM) David Emert
- Hirollins Gone and Doneit (PM) Warren Parrott
- Bakers Shining Star Duke (GSPM) Mike Baker
- Craigs Runin Roxie (PF) Craig Hiatt
- Raintree Blue Moon (ISM) Cathy Lewis
- Erin's Gypsy Lady (PF) Matthew Puckett
- Foxy Lady Sadie (ISF) Mike Fox
- Glover's Flintstone (ESM) Jack Glover
- Glover's Pepper Shaker (ESF) Jack Glover
- The Need For Speed (ESM) Chris Kobs
- Sky Hawk's Little Rascal (ESM) Rob Warner

Directions to Grounds: Keith Wright's Redwood Farm, Hwy. 63 & W 350 S, Covington, IN. Drawing: Sunday, November 10, 7:00 p.m. (CT), at the home of the trial chairman, Tim Penn—(660) 341-1165. Qualification: Entries by invitation only. Handlers/owners must be an AFTCA member. Accommodations: Hotels located in Danville, IL (rooms are limited; book early!). No electrical hook-ups on site; generators allowed.

NATIONAL AMATEUR INVITATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour)—One-hour Final Series \$160.00

Judges: John Hott, Hoopeston, IL, and Aaron McAfee, Clinton, IL

Entries to: TIM PENN, Edina, MO—Phone: (660) 341-1165 -or- KEVIN WESTERN, Queen City, MO—Phone: (660) 341-3522

Neither North Missouri Field Trial Association, Inc., nor landowners, are responsible for any accident or mishap to spectators, handlers, dogs, etc.



SOUTH CAROLINA OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Sponsored by the Association of South Carolina Field Trial Clubs

Member AFTCA & ASCFTC • Blank Ammo & Manufactured Barrel Guns Only!



December 2, 2024 to Conclusion

H. Cooper Black, Jr. Memorial Field Trial & Recreation Area
279 Sporting Dog Trail, Cheraw, SC 29520

— A Qualifying Trial for the National Open Shooting Dog Championship —

SOUTH CAROLINA OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour; Single Course)—Purse: 50% divided 70-30.....\$275.00

— A PURINA TOP SHOOTING DOG AWARD & PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD POINTS TRIAL —

Judges: George Hickox, Ochlocknee, GA, and Dr. Debbie Ozner, Ochlocknee, GA

Qualification: Entry must have a placement in a recognized Open Shooting Dog or Open Derby stake.

OPEN SHOOTING DOG DERBY (30 Min.)—Time Permitting; Purse: 50% divided 50-30-20\$125.00

Entries Close: Tuesday, November 26, 6:30 p.m.

Drawing: Tuesday, November 26, 7:30 p.m., at the Mid-Carolina clubhouse, Camden, SC.

— Lunch and dinners will be provided —

Entries to: DR. ROGER MCPHERSON, 197 Lucious Davis Rd., Chesterfield, SC 29709

Cell: (814) 657-0712 • Home: (843) 623-2186 • Email: rjmcpherson46@gmail.com [Email entries will be confirmed]

Entries and participants accepted with the understanding that the South Carolina Open Shooting Dog Championship, Inc., ASCFTC, AFTCA and the State of South Carolina, their officers, directors and members are not responsible for any accidents involving anyone attending the trial, their horses, dogs or equipment.

Join us at our new field trial grounds!

NGSPA PHEASANT CHAMPIONSHIPS

— A PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR POINTS TRIAL —

Not to start before Wednesday, October 2, 2024, to Conclusion

Mingo Sportsman Club Field Trial Grounds

Dawson Rd., Mingo Junction, OH 43938

Limited spots with electric available. \$15.00 daily charge for electric hookup will be collected.



Closing (OSD only): Tuesday, October 1, 6:00 p.m. **Drawing (OSD only):** Tuesday, October 1, 6:30 p.m., at 4595 Poe Rd., Medina, OH 44256. **Closing & Drawing (all other stakes):** At the pavilion the evening before each stake runs.

— OPEN TO GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTERS ONLY —

OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP • Entry Fee: \$215.00*

Continuous course, one-hour heats on native and released pheasants.

Purse: \$500 to champion; \$250 to runner-up (with a minimum of 24 entries)

Club will retain purse in the event champion or runner-up are withheld.

Plaques and Ribbons to champion and runner-up

Judges: Chris Catanzarite and Tim McClurg

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP • Entry Fee: \$195.00*

Continuous course, one-hour heats on native and released pheasants.

Plaques and Ribbons to champion and runner-up

Judges: Jack Alexander and Fred Ryan

OPEN ALL-AGE CHAMPIONSHIP • Entry Fee: \$215.00*

Continuous course, one-hour heats on native and released pheasants.

Purse: \$500 to champion; \$250 to runner-up (with a minimum of 14 entries)

Club will retain purse in the event champion or runner-up are withheld.

Plaques and Ribbons to champion and runner-up

Judges: Chris Young and Helmut Schoen

DERBY CLASSIC • Entry Fee: \$100.00*

To be run if time permits • 30-minute heats on native and released pheasants

Purse: \$100 to 1st; \$75 to 2nd; and \$50 to 3rd (with a minimum of 14 entries)

Plaques and Ribbons to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd placements

Judges: To be announced

**Includes \$15.00 grounds fee*

Mail entries and checks to:

JENNIFER GOODALL, 4595 Poe Rd., Medina, OH 44256

Phone: (330) 607-1064 • Email: gooje@aol.com

Approved retrieval collars permitted. Only blank ammo permitted. Run under NGSPA and UKC/American Field rules. Entries accepted with the understanding that the NGSPA Pheasant Association, its members, and the State of Ohio are not responsible and cannot be held liable for accident, injury or loss/damage to any individual/property during the conduct of this field trial.

NGSPA REGION 3 CHAMPIONSHIPS

— A PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR POINTS TRIAL —

To follow the NGSPA Pheasant Championships

Mingo Sportsman Club Field Trial Grounds

Dawson Rd., Mingo Junction, OH 43938

Limited spots with electric available. \$15.00 daily charge for electric hookup will be collected.



Closing & Drawing: At the pavilion the evening before each stake runs. Completed entry forms must be received prior to drawing and must include dog's registered name, *FDSB* number, DNA number, and names of owners and handlers. Entry fees due at closing.

— OPEN TO GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTERS ONLY —

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour) • Entry Fee: \$175.00*

Judges: To be announced

Plaques and Ribbons to champion and runner-up

OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour) • Entry Fee: \$195.00*

Judges: Art Terstage and one to be announced

Purse: \$350 to champion; \$250 to runner-up (with a minimum of 24 entries)

Club will retain purse if champion or runner-up are withheld.

Plaques and Ribbons to champion and runner-up

OPEN ALL-AGE CHAMPIONSHIP (1 Hour) • Entry Fee: \$195.00*

Judges: To be announced

Purse: \$350 to champion; \$250 to runner-up (with a minimum of 14 entries)

Club will retain purse if champion or runner-up are withheld.

Plaques and Ribbons to champion and runner-up

OPEN DERBY CLASSIC (Time permitting) • Entry Fee: \$75.00*

Judges: To be announced

Purse: \$100 to 1st; \$75 to 2nd; and \$50 to 3rd (with a minimum of 14 entries)

Ribbons to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd placements

**Includes \$15.00 grounds fee*

Entries and checks to:

DAYNA RUSCIANO, P.O. Box 634, Newfield, NJ 08344

Phone: (848) 565-6699 • Email: ngsparegion3@gmail.com

Online entries at: www.ngspa.org/events/championships

Approved retrieval collars permitted. Only blank ammo permitted. Run under NGSPA and UKC/American Field rules. Entries accepted with the understanding that the NGSPA Region III, its members, and the State of Ohio are not responsible and cannot be held liable for accident, injury or loss/damage to any individual/property during the conduct of this field trial.

INTERNATIONAL PHEASANT CHAMPIONSHIP

— Sponsored by The Pheasant Championship Club, Inc. —

TO BE HELD AT THE SANDHILLS WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA, HOFFMAN, NC

Starts Tuesday, October 22, 2024 or within 24 hours
of the conclusion of the Central Carolina trials

Championship Entry Fee: \$325.00

(National Championship fee is included in \$325 entry fee)

Purse: 60% divided 70% to champion and 30% to runner-up

**POINTS AWARDED TOWARD THE PURINA TOP DOG AWARD
& PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD
A NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER**



Miller's Heat Advisory
2023 Champion

Championship Judges: Joe Hughes, Birmingham, AL, and Tessa Hughes, Birmingham, AL

Reporter: Tessa Hughes, Birmingham, AL

Drawing: Tuesday, October 15, 6:00 p.m. (CST), at Magnolia Enterprises, Corinth, MS.

TOM HONECKER MEMORIAL DERBY (30 Min.)—60% divided 50-30-20; American Derby Inv. Chmp. Points.. Entry Fee: \$150.00

Derby Judges: Joe Hughes, Birmingham, AL, and Tessa Hughes, Birmingham, AL

Directors: Dr. Fred Corder, Andy Cline, Mike Jackson, William Smith • **Dog Wagon Driver:** Greg Robinson



NATIONAL OPEN PHEASANT CHAMPIONSHIP

FIRST HELD IN 1926 | DEDICATED TO PRESERVE AND IMPROVE THE OPEN ALL-AGE PHEASANT DOG

— Sponsored by the National Open Pheasant Championship Club —

Starting within 24 hours or at the conclusion of the Tom Honecker Memorial Derby

Run over Contiguous Courses • One-Hour Heats

Championship Entry Fee: \$325.00

(National Championship fee is included in \$325 entry fee)

Purse: 60% divided 70-30

**POINTS AWARDED TOWARD THE PURINA TOP DOG OF THE YEAR AWARD & PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD
A NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER**

Judges: Bill Mason, Moundsville, AL, and Ray Carter, Genola, UT

Drawing: Tuesday, October 15, 6:00 p.m. (CST), at Magnolia Enterprises, Corinth, MS, immediately following the International Pheasant Championship/Tom Honecker Memorial Derby drawing—(662) 415-5244.

Directors: Dr. Fred Corder, Andy Cline, Mike Jackson, William Smith • **Dog Wagon Driver:** Greg Robinson

Headquarters: Clubhouse on grounds of Sandhills Wildlife Management Area, Hoffman, NC.

Accommodations: Best Western Motel. Southern Pines, NC—(910) 692-0640.

★
The Pheasant Championships are graciously supported by the Carolina Jamboree (Carl Owens)
who has sponsored the grounds fees/dog wagon driver, allowing for a lower entry fee for all.
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DR. FRED CORDER, President
Phone: (662) 415-5244

ANDY CLINE, Secretary/Treasurer
Phone: (740) 596-4877

Only manufactured guns with blank ammo to be used. The Pheasant Championship Club, officials, and the State of North Carolina and the Sandhills WMA are not liable for accidents, injuries, or losses that occur during these trials.

OIL CAPITAL FIELD TRIAL ASSOCIATION

Presents the

INOLA OPEN ALL-AGE

Member Region 8, OFTCA & Oil Capital FTA

Starts Monday, October 28, 2024 • Sponsored by Purina



Barry Moore, President • Steve Burrus, Secretary/Treasurer

A Purina & Purina Handler of the Year Points Stake • A National Championship Qualifying Stake
One-Hour Heats • Entry Fee \$350.00* (includes NFTCA dog tax) • Purse: 50% divided 50-30-20

INOLA OPEN DERBY

Derby Invitational Points Stake

30-Minute Heats • Entry Fee: \$125.00* • Purse: 60% divided 50-30-20

*Includes Grounds Fee

Judges: Stan Wint, Gardner, KS, and Ken Chenoweth, Fair Grove, MO

Stake Manager: Barry Moore, Collinsville, OK

Grounds: McFarlin-Ingersoll and Gene Stout Ranches. Directions: 8 miles south of Claremore, OK, on Hwy. 88 to Rd. 560 East. Two miles north of US 412 on 88 to Rd. 560 East. Pre-Drawing: Friday, October 25, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the chairman.

Lunches: Homestyle cooked lunches provided daily.

Order of Running: Inola Open All-Age followed by the Inola Open Derby.

Entries to: BARRY MOORE, Collinsville, OK • Phone: (918) 850-8585

Manufactured Barrel Gun — Blank Ammunition Only! • All horses must have a current Negative Coggins (12 months)



Win Ingersoll, President (Emeritus) • Barry Moore, Vice President • Steve Burrus, Secretary/Treasurer

OKLAHOMA OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP INC.

Presents the

OKLAHOMA OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Immediately following the Inola Open Trials • Sponsored by Purina



A Purina & Purina Handler of the Year Points Stake • A National Championship Qualifying Stake
One-Hour Heats • Entry Fee \$350.00* (includes NFTCA dog tax)

Purse: 50% divided 60-40, if runner-up named

*Includes Grounds Fee

Judges: Stan Wint, Gardner, KS, and Ken Chenoweth, Fair Grove, MO

Grounds: McFarlin-Ingersoll and Gene Stout Ranches on Hwy. 88, eight miles south of Claremore, OK.

Qualification: Entries must have Open All-Age or Open Derby placement.

Pre-Drawing: Friday, October 25, 7:00 p.m., at the home of the chairman.

Lodging: Contact Will Rogers Motor Inn, Claremore, OK. Phone: (800) 644-WILL. Local phone number is (918) 341-4410.

Banquet: Ribeye steak banquet Tuesday night, October 29, courtesy of last year's winner, Bill Westfall and Westfall's Wheels Up.

Please inform the Will Rogers Motel that you are a field trialer for a reduced rate.

Manufactured Barrel Gun — Blank Ammunition Only! • All horses must have a current Negative Coggins (12 months)

BARRY MOORE, Collinsville, OK • Phone: (918) 850-8585



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RECOGNIZED FIELD TRIALS

NGSPA Pheasant Championships

October 2 / Mingo Junction, OH
Contact: Jennifer Goodall
Phone: (330) 607-1064
Email: gooje@aol.com

Flint Hills Amateur All-Age & Roger Duncan Memorial Open Shooting Dog Classics

October 3 / Abilene, KS
Contact: Diane Shoemaker
Phone: (816) 309-4773

NBOGCA Restricted Breed Open Grouse Championship

October 3 / Meredith, MI
Contact: Kenny DeLong
Phone: (616) 894-7447
Email: birddawgger@hotmail.com

NGSPA Region 3 Championships

October 3 / Mingo Junction, OH
Contact: Dayna Rusciano
Phone: (848) 565-6699
Email: ngsparegion3@gmail.com

North Country Shooting Dog Championship

October 3 / Augusta, WI
Contact: Helena Larkin
Phone: (936) 852-2080
Email: AKCdiv@huntsecretary.com

Duplin County Field Trial Club

October 4 / Clinton, NC
Contact: Carolyn Quinn
Phone: (910) 941-8742

Region 2 (AFTCA)

Amateur Walking Shooting Dog Championship
October 4 / Felton, DE
Contact: Thor Kain
Phone: (570) 892-1043

Region 19 (AFTCA)

Amateur Shooting Dog Championship
October 4 / Danbury, WI
Contact: Adam DeLude
Phone: (920) 579-0344

Region 19 (AFTCA)

Amateur All-Age Championship
October 4 / Danbury, WI
Contact: Todd Manns
Phone: (612) 819-0288

Farmer Sportsmen's Field Trial Club

October 5 / Ionia, MI
Contact: Bill Branham
Phone: (313) 820-2745

Mid-State Bird Dog Club

October 5 / Chandlerville, IL
Contact: Jeff Wagoner
Phone: (309) 657-2536
Email: rollinghillskennel@yahoo.com

National Amateur Chukar All-Age Championship

October 5 / Marsing, ID
Contact: Piper Huffman
Phone: (662) 471-1700

Can/Am Open Shooting Dog Classic

October 6 / Marsing, ID
Contact: Bill Owen
Phone: (805) 886-7339
Email: billowen@cox.net

Fleetwood Open Shooting Dog Classic

October 7 / Booneville, AR
Contact: Ronnie Miller
Phone: (479) 629-3281

Wisconsin Cover Dog Championship

October 7 / Augusta, WI
Contact: Helena Larkin
Phone: (936) 852-2080
Email: AKCdiv@huntsecretary.com

Lone Star Open Shooting Dog Classic

October 8 / Booneville, AR
Contact: Mike Lemons
Phone: (501) 269-2520

Michigan Woodcock Championship

October 8 / Gladwin, MI
Contact: Chris Wasserman
Phone: (989) 802-3939
Email: chris.m.wasserman@gmail.com

Region 5 (AFTCA)

Amateur Shooting Dog Championship
October 10 / Grovespring, MO
Contact: Eddie Berendzen
Phone: (573) 268-6921
Email: onpointconstruction@hotmail.com

Region 1 (AFTCA)

Amateur Horseback Shooting Dog Championship
October 11 / East Windsor, CT
Contact: Dave O'Brien
Phone: (860) 798-6673

Region 19 (AFTCA)

Amateur Walking Shooting Dog Championship
October 11 / Moose Junction, WI
Contact: Helena Larkin
Phone: (936) 852-2080
Email: AKCdiv@huntsecretary.com

RECOGNIZED FIELD TRIALS

Quail Hollow Field Trial Club

October 12 / Norman Park, GA
 Contact: Karen Norton
 Phone: (229) 891-8391
 Email: knorton12386@gmail.com

Southwestern Field Trial Club

October 12 / Chandlerville, IL
 Contact: Jeff Wagoner
 Phone: (309) 657-2536
 Email: rollinghillskennel@yahoo.com

Northeastern Open Championship

October 14 / East Windsor, CT
 Contact: Gene Casale
 Phone: (860) 202-1143
 Email: gacasale@gmail.com

Sunflower State Open Shooting Dog Championship

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October 15 / Meredith, MI
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Tar Heel Open Championship

October 17 / Hoffman, NC
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Southern Circuit Field Trial Association

October 18 / LaVergne, TN
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October 18 / Cutler, IL
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October 20 / Petersburg, PA
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October 21 / Medicine Lodge, KS
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October 21 / Marienville, PA
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October 24 / Hatchchubbee, AL
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Oklahoma Open Championship

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Central Carolina Field Trial Club

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November 2 / Berea, KY
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Dixie Open Shooting Dog Classic

November 4 / Union Springs, AL
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Amateur Shooting Dog Championship

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November 8 / Hoffman, NC
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November 11 / Union Springs, AL
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Region 17 (AFTCA)

Amateur All-Age Championship

November 14 / Abilene, KS
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November 24 / Ibarak, Japan
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November 30 / Kevil, KY
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December 2 / Union Springs, AL
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December 2 / Cheraw, SC
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March 13 / Union Springs, AL
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Kanto Pointing Dog Club

March 23 / Fujioka-City, Gunma Pref.
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Region 5 (AFTCA)

Amateur All-Age Championship

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The Broad River Classic

October 24 / Camden, SC
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October 31 / Camden, SC
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October 18 / Cheyenne, OK
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October 19 / Booneville, AR
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Wichita Bird Dog Club

October 19 / Winfield, KS
 Contact: Frank Schoenborn
 Phone: (316) 641-8144

West Kentucky Field Trial Club

October 25 / Dixon, KY
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 Phone: (270) 625-0196

Central Prairie Field Trial Club

November 2 / Orchardville, IL
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 Phone: (618) 838-6762

Mid-South Bird Hunters Club

November 3 / Orchardville, IL
 Contact: Brad Hargis
 Phone: (618) 292-1798

NBHA National Amateur Invitational Championship

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December 20 / Kevil, KY
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April 11 / Dixon, KY
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