



The AKC Pointing Breed Championships Association

2013

AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championships

Dear Field Trialers,

The AKC Performance Events Department selected the Nebraska Field Trial Association (NFTA) as the host for the 2013 AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championship that will be held at the Branched Oak Dog Trail Area at Raymond, NE (near Lincoln, NE).

The event will kick off on Saturday, March 16, 2013. There will be two Championship stakes (retrieving and non-retrieving) plus an Open Derby Classic. A portion of the event's proceeds will support the NFTA's effort to maintain and improve the Branched Oak Dog Trial Area leased from the Nebraska Games and Parks Commission (NGPC).

This premium includes your entry forms and other pertinent information regarding this Championship.

NOTE

- Read the updated qualification information inside this premium for details.
- Please submit a separate entry for each dog entered in the Championship.
- All entries must be completed in full, must be accurate, and accompanied by the appropriate fees (please print or type information so it is readable).
- Checks for entry fees will be deposited when received.
- Please include a telephone number and email address on each entry so we can contact you if there is a question or we need to notify you of a change.
- Entries limited to 100 dogs per Championship stake and 50 Derby dogs

For those trialers who use Facebook®, search for "AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championships" or copy and paste the following link into your browser:

<http://www.facebook.com/groups/AKCPointingBreedGunDogChampionships/>

We update information on the page frequently. Check for updates. The premium and additional Information can also be found at the AKC Gun Dog Championships website at: http://akc.org/events/field_trials/pointing_breeds/gun_dog_championships

If you have any questions prior to the trial, please feel free to contact Joe Fingerlin at (402) 679-2150 or joefingerlin@msn.com or me at (402) 786-0268 or dbergmeyer@sblcweb.com.

Don Bergmeyer
Field Trial Secretary

AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championship
c/o Don Bergmeyer, FTS
6800 N. 190th Street
Lincoln, NE 68527



Twentieth Annual
AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB
POINTING BREED GUN DOG CHAMPIONSHIPS



AKC Licensed

Branched Oak Dog Trial Area
Raymond, NE (near Lincoln, NE)

March 16, 2013 to Conclusion

This Field Trial is held under the Rules and Procedures of the
AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

MAIL COMPLETED ENTRIES WITH CHECKS TO:

Don Bergmeyer
Field Trial Secretary,
6800 N 190th Street, Lincoln, NE 68527

A separate entry form must be sent for each dog/stake entered.
Make all checks payable to AKC Gun Dog Championships.

RUNNING ORDER

Non-Retrieve.....Continuous Course
Retrieve.....First Series, Main Course
Derby.....Will run during the First Series on Area 9
Retrieve.....Second Series, Continuous Course

Checks will be deposited when received. No phone, faxed, or email
entries will be accepted. Entries received without full payment will not be
accepted.

ENTRIES WILL CLOSE AT 7:00 PM (CST), Friday, February 22, 2013 at 6800 N. 190th
Street, Lincoln, NE 68527. DRAWING WILL TAKE PLACE AT 2:00 PM (CDT),
Saturday, February 23, 2013 at 6800 N. 190th Street, Lincoln, NE 68527.

Entries limited to 100 dogs per Championship stake
and 50 Derby dogs

STAKE, SCHEDULE, AND ENTRY FEE

Non-Retreiving Championship.....	\$ 150.00
Retrieving Championship.....	\$ 150.00
Open Derby.....	\$ 65.00

QUALIFICATIONS

The Championship stakes are open to all AKC-registered pointing breeds that have earned an AKC Field Championship or Amateur Field Championship title, or any dog that, during the period of one year prior to the closing date of the trial, has placed first, second or third in any AKC Gun Dog stake (Open or Amateur) with at least 8, 13 or 18 starters respectively.

In honor of the 20th running of the Championship, a 30-minute single series Open Derby Stake will be held. There are no special qualifications for dogs entered in the Open Derby stake.

FORMAT

The Non-Retreiving Championship will consist of a one-hour single series. The Retrieving Championship will again be a two series event. The first will be 30 minutes, retrieving on course (first shootable bird). Dogs will be called back at the judge's discretion for the second series, which will consist of 45 minutes retrieving on course (first shootable bird).

Horseback handling is permitted. Please contact the Wranger (information is in this premium) if you would like to rent a horse. All horses will be kept at a FLAT WALK.

AKC approved tracking collars used in accordance with AKC rules will be permitted. The host club will not provide tracking collars.

Bitches in season permitted. Please advise the FTS in advance of trial or no later than 7AM the day of running if your dog comes into season.

SCRATCH POLICY AFTER CLOSING DATE

Per AKC Field Trials Rules and Standard Procedure for Pointing Breeds - Entries will be refunded in full only to dogs that have injury or illness that prevent running in the registered stake or that are deceased prior to running in the registered stake. Club may require an appropriate veterinary certificate.

JUDGES

Non-Retrieving

Jim Douglass.....Z1820.....757 Comanche St, Columbus, NE 68601
Peter WilkinZF634.....23325 W 119th St, Olathe, KS 66061

Retrieving

Heath Kooima47416.....10565 Hedge Ave, Ireton, IA 51027
Tom White17828.....3760 Meyers Road, San Bernardino, CA 92407

Open Derby

Bonnie BergmeyerZ1960.....6800 N 190th Street, Lincoln, NE 68527
Cindy Findley35560.....2905 235th St, Ventura, IA 50482

PRIZES

Specially created trophies awarded to all placed dogs in both Championships. Rosettes to all placed dogs in both Championships. Belt buckles and jackets to the owners of all placed dogs in both Championships. TRI-TRONICS training collar awarded to the winner of each Championship. Purina will provide products for all placed dogs. A rosette to top dog of each breed in both Championships.

NOTE TO TRIAL PARTICIPANTS AND VISITORS

Please use designated areas for camping and parking. Exhibitors are expected to clean up after themselves and their animals. This includes filling in any holes their dogs/horses create, spreading/removing horse manure, removing leftover hay, picking up/removing dog waste, and generally cleaning up their camp area before leaving. Those who fail to do so may be charged a minimum \$100 clean-up fee and denied entry to future events. All participants, guests, and entries are accepted on the condition that the AKC Pointing Breed Championship, its officers, members, officials, and volunteers, Nebraska Field Trial Association and Nebraska Games and Parks Commission are released from liability for loss, damage or injury sustained by people, dogs, or horses in connection with or during the trial.

SPECIAL INFO REGARDING HORSES

All horses must be accompanied by proof of a negative Coggins test that is current within the past 12 months. Bring a copy for the NFTA with you.

Outside horse pens are available, at no cost, on a first-come, first-served basis, with the exception that Judges and key trial staff will have pens reserved.

WRANGLER

Jim Juergens, R.R. 2, Box 124, Mount Ayr, IA 50854.....(641) 202-6604
Reservations are recommended. Walk up rental of horses might be available, but cannot be guaranteed.

FIELD TRIAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: Joe Fingerlin, 5211 Magnolia, Street, Omaha, NE 68137
Secretary: Don Bergmeyer, Treasurer: David Borg, Committee Members: Jack Higgins, Bill Perkins, Art Armbrust, Randy Rathman, Bruce Bryant, Terry Hawkins, Captain of Guns: Jack Bender

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL GROUNDS

Directions to the Trial Grounds: From Hwy 79 and West Raymond Road turn west, proceed for 3 miles. Turn right at the Branched Oak Sign (NW 98th STR) and follow the blacktop over the dam and continue around the lake for approximately 5 miles. The name of the road changes twice as you go around the lake, first to West Davey Road, then to W Rock Creek Rd, but just continue around the lake to the entrance. The field trail grounds entrance is on the left, marked with a sign. Directional signs will be posted. (See map posted to Facebook page.)

Airports are located in Lincoln, NE (Lincoln Municipal Airport) and Omaha, NE (Eppley Airfield).

AREA MOTELS AND DISTANCE FROM GROUNDS

Area motels are located in Lincoln, 15-20 minutes from the grounds
Travelodge - 2801 West O St, 402-475-4921 or 800-578-7878
West O Super 8 - 2635 West O St, 402-476-8887 or 800-800-8000
Best Western Airport Inn - 3200 NW 12th, 402-475-9541 or 800-742-7373
Days Inn Airport - 2920 NW 12TH, 402-475-3616 or 800-DAYSINN
Econo Lodge I-80 - 2410 NW 12th, 402-474-1311 or 800-747-9311
Holiday Inn Express Airport - 1010 W Bond, 402-474-1417 or 800-HOLIDAY

CAMPING

Overnight camping is allowed on the dog trail grounds. There are limited areas with electrical hook-ups. They are first, come first served. There is a \$3.00 charge per day for electrical hook-ups - payable to the Field Trial Secretary. Water is available on the grounds for your animals. Outhouses are onsite. NE Park facility showers are closed for the winter.

FOOD

Breakfast, lunch, and refreshments will be available for purchase in the Field Trial Clubhouse (no showers or restrooms in the Clubhouse).

HOSTED EVENTS

There will be a Social Hour most evenings at the Clubhouse, as well as scheduled dinners throughout the duration of the event. The dinner schedule will be posted in the Clubhouse and in the catalog.

VETERINARY CLINIC

Clinic provides both equine and canine care.

Hillcrest Animal Clinic

Kelly Stich, DVM, DACT, Pat McInteer, DVM, Adam Gengenbach, DVM
 Address: 9011 Branched Oak Road, Lincoln, NE 68517
 Telephone: (402) 785-1025 or Emergency Telephone: (402) 314-3477

FARRIERS

Two farriers are available. Call to arrange for service.
 Rick Adams at (402) 450-2982 or Rich Fortner at (402) 432-2554

MISC INFO

Dog Wagon: A dog wagon will be available for the stakes using a continuous course. Dog wagon available on request for the Derby stake

Hay: Hay will be available for sale on the grounds.

Training: Dog training is not permitted on Nebraska State grounds. Contact the NE Game and Parks Commission for information/options.

SUPPORT THE GUN DOG CHAMPIONSHIP. IF YOU CANNOT JOIN US, ADVERTISE IN THE CATALOG.

Advertising Rates

Full Page (7.5 h x 4.5 w) Color\$150
 Half Page (3.75 h x 4.5 w) Color \$75

These are exact measurements, with no bleed and room for ½ inch white margin all the way around.

E-mail files in jpg or pdf format to: trinitydogs@gmail.com

Ad deadline Feb. 22, 2013

Send payment to Trish James, 4508 Sandfort Rd, Seale AL 36875.

Ask about discounts for exhibitors and clubs! Free assistance with ad set-up.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB FIELD TRIAL or HUNT TEST ENTRY FORM				
Club: AKC Pointing Breed Gun Dog Championship	Date(s): March 16, 2013 to Conclusion	Event: 2013552501		
Location: Branched Oak Dog Trial Area	Event type (test/trial): Field Trial	Retrieve or Non Retrieve (Circle Stake)		
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC # <input type="checkbox"/> AKC Litter No. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP # <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign # & List Country		I enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$150.00		
Full Name of Dog:				
Breed:	Reg #:	Call Name:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder:				
Actual Owner(s):				
Owner's Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:				
Agent/Handler's Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
List Qualifying Trial:				
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org AGREEMENT I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged on to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or other persons. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.				
Telephone:		Email address:		

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Full Name of Dog:				
Breed:	Reg #:	Call Name:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder:				
Actual Owner(s):				
Owner's Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:				
Agent/Handler's Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
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Telephone:		Email address:		

Completion and Submitting of Entry Form indicates compliance with following:

AGREEMENT

I (we) acknowledge that the Rules Applying to Registration and Dog Shows and, if this entry is for an obedience trial, the "Obedience Regulations" and, if this entry is for a field trial, the "Registration and Field Trial Rules and Standard Procedure for Pointing Breeds" and, if this entry is for a hunting test, the "Regulations for AKC Hunting Tests for Pointing Breeds," have been made available to me (us), and that I am (we are) familiar with their contents. I (we) agree that the club holding this show or obedience trial or field trial has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the show or obedience trial or field trial or hunting test and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons, trophies or other prizes, I (we) agree to hold this club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, show secretary or field trial secretary or hunting test secretary and the owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties, harmless from any claim or loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the show or obedience or field trial premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim (or loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily Injuries, Including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this show or obedience trial or field trial or hunting test, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

All rights to televise, videotape, audiotape, photograph, promote and/or otherwise exploit this event are vested in The American Kennel Club, Inc. (the "AKC"), or in persons to whom grants of such rights have been made in writing by the AKC. All persons and animals on the show grounds at any time while the show is in progress, do by attending this event or participating therein, grant to the AKC the right to televise, videotape, audiotape, photograph, disseminate, reproduce, print and publish or otherwise use in any manner whatsoever their names, biographies, voices, likenesses and personalities in any manner whatsoever without further release or consent.

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