Official Premium List



The German Shorthaired Pointer Field Club of Alberta

Spring WALKING FIELD TRIAL May 5,6, 2023

The German Shorthaired Pointer Field Club of Alberta will conduct a licensed field trial for all pointing breeds on the McNair Ranchlands Ltd. land, near Irricana, Alberta. This trial is held under the Rules and Regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club, 5397 Eglinton Avenue W., Suite 101, Etobicoke, ON M9C 5K6

STAKES		ENTRY FEE
Licenced Trial		
Open Shooting Dog	10:00 am Friday May 5th, 2023	
	(for dogs over 6 months)	\$65.00*
Open Derby	To Follow Open Shooting Dog	
	CKC for dogs not over 27 months of age on May 5th, 2023	\$65.00*
Open Puppy- Course 2	Saturday, May 6 th 2023–9:00 a.m.	
	CKC for dogs not over 18 months of age on May 5th, 2023	\$40.00*
Amateur Shooting Dog	Saturday, May 6 th 2023–8:00 a.m.	
	CKC for dogs over 6 months of age	\$65.00*

*THOSE ENTERING VIA DOGSHOW.CA WILL RECEIVE A \$3.00 DISCOUNT OFF ENTRY FEE. THIS ONLY APPLIES TO DOGSHOW.CA

STAKE OUT Fee in effect. Each entrant will pay a \$5.00 "Stakeout Fee". This is a one time charge for the event for all participants on the grounds. Proceeds from this fee are paid directly to the landowner to offset incidental pasture damage from vehicles and animals. Please include this with your entries.

Please note: ALL PERSONS WHO ENTER THE GROUNDS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGN A WAIVER PRIOR to ENTERING OR ENGAGING IN ANY ACTIVITIES ON THE GROUNDS. This is the requirement of the landowner. We need to have as many waivers as we can prior to the trial. Please return your waiver with your entry.

Courses and Birds: Native Pheasant and Hungarian partridge, pen raised pheasants, partridge or quail. The Open Puppy will be single course, with no birds released and no bird field. All other stakes will be run on a single course with birds released on the back course only. At the discretion of the Field Trial Committee courses may be added, deleted or altered to accommodate as many dogs as possible.

JUDGES

Open Shooting Dog:	Michell McDougall Calgary AB T2Z 3L3	Megan Bastien Ft McMurray, AB	
Open Derby:	Leslie Andreas Maple Creek SK	Devin Werewka Taber, AB	
Amateur Shooting Dog:	Devin Werewka Taber, AB	Darrel Curtis High River, AB	
Open Puppy:	Jo Anne Archibald Edmonton AB T6R 0M9	Megan Bastien Ft McMurray, AB	

Club Officials & Field Trial Committee		
President	Arwen Dabb	
Vice President	Karen Ibbitson	
Secretary	Kate Dowson	
Treasurer	Stephen Short	
Field Trial Chairman	Stephen Short	
Field Trial Secretary	Arwen Dabb	
For the CKC	CKC Executive Director Jeff Cornett	
Committee	Stephen Short, Kate Dowson, Karen ibbotson	

It shall be the duty and obligation of the trial giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer, or any participant at an event held under these rules, is not subject to indignities of any kind

LOCATION

Directions will be provided with entry confirmation. The club is grateful to have the use of these grounds and asks for your cooperation in keeping them free of litter by using garbage bags provided. Parking will be restricted to the designated camping areas. Camping on the grounds will be allowed from 4pm May 4th until 6pm May 7th, 2023. Training and running of dogs on the grounds will not be permitted immediately before, during or after the trial. Hay must be removed from grounds upon departure.

The GSPFCA is grateful to Monty and Roger McNair and the McNair Family for the use of these grounds. Please respect and abide by all good neighbour rules. Please clean up all garbage before leaving no matter how small.

MOST IMPORTANT: NO SMOKING OR OPEN FLAME OF ANY KIND WILL BE PERMITTED OUTSIDE OF YOUR VEHICLE. THIS AREA IS EXTREMELY DRY AND SENSITIVE TO THE SMALLEST SPARK. PLEASE RESPECT THE LAND OWNERS WISH AND ABIDE BY THIS RULE.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Running and Handling: Handling will be done on foot only. Only judges, Marshall's and bird planters may be mounted.

Tracking collars: The GSPFCA is allowing the use of electronic tracking collars in the trial. Only tracking collars that meet the CKC guidelines will be allowed. Participants must declare that they are using the tracking collars to the Field Trial Chairman and also to the judges. Garmin GPS collars that are <u>not</u> approved for use in Canada will not be permitted.

Collaring: Collaring a dog away after contact with game **will** be allowed.

Blank Pistols: .22 calibre or larger will be fired over all dogs with bird work in senior and derby stakes. Blank pistols will not be fired in the puppy stake.

Total Entries: Entries will be limited to the number of dogs that can be run in the available daylight hours Senior and Derby stakes are 30 min. and the Puppy stake will be 20 min. length. In order to accommodate as many dogs as possible in the event of a large entry, or any other unforeseen circumstances, a 20 min Derby stake and a 15 min. Puppy Stake may be run. At the discretion of the Committee, stakes may be rearranged or courses altered to accommodate as many entries as possible. This includes the addition of a birdfield.

Bitches in season: Bitches in season will be allowed to run in Open Derby only.

All participants must be familiar with the CKC Rules and Regulations and also the rules, conditions, and provisions of this Premium List. CKC Field Trial Rules are available from the CKC.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Camping will be allowed on the grounds for participants only in the area specified. Please do not leave the trail with your vehicles while driving on the pasture. Facilities are limited, come prepared. Outhouse is provided. Other accommodations available in the area: Strathmore, Leroy's Motor Inn 934-3545, Best Western 934-5777. Beiseker Motel 9, 947-2555.

FOOD

There will be lunches available Saturday and Sunday. Please prepay with your entries. There are no planned suppers on the grounds.

PRIZES

Standard CKC rosettes will be awarded to all four placing dogs in all stakes.

ENTRIES

Completed entries and payment must be submitted to Field Trial Secretary no earlier than 6 p.m. Monday April 17 th and by 7 p.m. Monday May 1st, 2023.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE!!!!! PLEASE READ THIS

Entry fees are to be paid in cash, cheque, money order or PayPal. ALL ENTRY FORMS ARE TO BE COMPLETED AND IN THE HANDS OF THE FIELD TRIAL SECRETARY AND ENTRY FEES PAID IN FULL BY SPECIFIED DATE. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.

DOGSHOW.CA WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ENTRIES INTO THIS TRIAL. If you are entering electronically please insure your payment is mailed ahead of time or take advantage of this service. Please check the GSPFCA Website at:

In the case of entries electronically transmitted, the entry is not considered complete until the entry form is signed and the fee is paid.

Entries will close 7:00 PM sharp, Monday May 1, 2023. Draw will be held:Tuesday May 2nd , 2023, 7:00 pm at the home of Field Trial Secretary Phone: (403) 948-2525

Temporary Competition Number (TCN) FEE: A TCN fee as established by The Canadian Kennel Club must accompany the entry of a dog for which a Canadian Kennel Club individual registration number or Event Registration Number (ERN) is not shown on the entry form. This TCN fee is \$10.50 per dog per each event entered during the field test and is in addition to the entry fee(s). Exhibitors should be aware that the CKC does not confer a title on any dog until it is registered individually in their records.

Things to remember:

- 1. There will be lunches available on Saturday and Sunday. Please prepay with your entries
- 2. Bring water and food for yourself and your dogs.

3. The Club is grateful to have the use of these grounds. We ask for your co-operation in keeping the grounds free of litter by using the garbage bags provided. Parking will be restricted to the marked areas and limited if grounds are wet. No smoking will be allowed on the trial grounds. Smoking is only permitted in your parked vehicle.

4. If your dog poops, please scoop and dispose in the provided garbage bags or consider packing out your own waste.