Entries Close at the Superintendent’s Office, at 12:00 Noon (PDT), Wednesday, September 1, 2021, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules or Ch. 1, Sec. 16 of the Obedience Regulations.

PREMIUM LIST

Gordon Setter Club of America, Inc.
(Member of the American Kennel Club)

Presents

Mid-Atlantic Area Regional Specialty
featuring Sweepstakes, Veteran Sweepstakes,
Junior Showmanship & the National Owner-Handled Series
Event Number: 2021079846

2021 National Specialty Show
featuring Agility Trial, Obedience Trial, Rally Trial,
Sweepstakes, Veteran Sweepstakes,
COVID Cup Sweepstakes, Junior Showmanship,
4-6 Months Puppy & the National Owner-Handled Series
Event Numbers: 2021079839-Rally, 2021079843-Obedience
2021079842-Sweepstakes, Veteran Sweepstakes &
COVID Cup Sweepstakes,
2021079844-Parent Club Specialty & Junior Showmanship
2021079845-4-6 Month Beginner Puppy

Founders Inn and Spa
5641 Indian River Rd
Virginia Beach, VA 23464

Saturday through Tuesday
September 18-21, 2021

All Classes will be held Indoors
ALL NATIONAL ENTRIES REQUIRE AKC DNA PROFILE NUMBER UNLESS REGISTERED WITH AKC PAL
FOR AGILITY, OBEDIENCE, OR RALLY EVENTS

NOVICE & AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER CLASSES OFFERED AT THE NATIONAL SPECIALTY ONLY

UNBENCHED – INDOORS – FOR GORDON SETTERS ONLY
SHOW HOURS - 7:00AM-6:00PM
Dogs are not required to be at the show until scheduled time of judging.
All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

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# Schedule of Events

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Exhibitors, judges, volunteers and spectators will be required to comply with all Facility, Local and State mandates in place at the time of the event. BE PREPARED TO WEAR A MASK IN THE RING IF YOUR JUDGE HAS REQUESTED THAT EXHIBITORS BE MASKED.

In the event of cancellation prior to entry closing, any entries submitted will be refunded minus the $5.00 processing fee charged by BaRay. In the event of cancellation after entry closing, entries submitted will be refunded minus expenses.

CERTIFICATION
Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules & regulations.

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ENTRY FEES

Includes all AKC Fees where applicable. When a dog is entered in more than one class, the highest priced class is considered the first entry.

CONFORMATION
First Conformation Class in which a dog is entered ............................................................... $35.00
Each Additional Entry of the same dog .......................................................... $20.00
Stud Dog/Brood Bitch Class ........................................................................... $35.00
Brace Class (Per Dog) ..................................................................................... $17.50
Sweepstakes & COVID CUP Sweepstakes (Must be Entered in a Regular Class) .......... $25.00
Veterans Sweepstakes (Need Not be Entered in a Regular Class) ............................. $25.00
Junior Showmanship Only or as an Additional Entry .................................................... No Charge
4-6 Month Beginner Puppy .................................................................................. $25.00

OBEDIENCE
First Obedience Class in which a dog is entered .............................................................. $35.00
Each Additional Entry of the same dog in Obedience ................................................. $20.00

RALLY
First Rally Class in which a dog is entered ..................................................................... $35.00
Each Additional Entry of the same dog in Rally ......................................................... $20.00

Canadian Exhibitors must make fees payable in U. S. Funds.

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES to BaRay Event Services, PO Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233
See Entry Submission Guidelines, Page 22.

The GSCA Board of Governors has voted that, effective with the 2008 National Specialty and National Championship, ALL entries MUST be DNA certified. The certification will be provided by the AKC DNA number that will be required on all entries. The only exception is dogs with PAL numbers competing in Obedience or Rally.

JUDGES

MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL SPECIALTY JUDGES

Mrs. Betsy Horn Humer [5156] .................................................................................. PUNGOTEAGUE, VA
ALL REGULAR, NON-REGULAR & JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES

Mr. Tom Dowell ........................................................................................................... POWHATAN, VA
SWEEPSTAKES & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

NATIONAL SPECIALTY JUDGES

Mrs. Nena Dee [22682] .......................................................................................... LEESBURG, VA
REGULAR, NON-REGULAR, JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP & 4-6 MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY CLASSES

Ms. Dianne Avery .................................................................................................... BROOKLYN, MI
SWEEPSTAKES & COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES

Mr. Bob Mellis ............................................................................................................ INTERLAKEN, NY
VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Mrs. Betsy Horn Humer [5156] .................................................................................. PUNGOTEAGUE, VA
OBEEDIENCE & RALLY TRIAL

Ms. Patricia Dunseith .................................................................................................. REISTERSTOWN, MD
AGILITY TRIAL
ROUTES TO SHOW

DRIVING FROM THE SOUTH (VIA I-95)
Take I-95 North to Virginia At Emporia take US 58 East
Continue through Franklin and Suffolk to I-64 West.
Take exit 286 B Indian River Road, East.
Go to the first traffic light,
turn right into The Founders Inn and Spa entrance.

DRIVING FROM THE NORTH (VIA I-95)
Take I-95 South to I-295 in Richmond (I-295 is a bypass around Richmond)
I-295 to I-64, East
Take exit 286 B Indian River Road, East.
Go to the first traffic light,
turn right into The Founders Inn and Spa entrance.

DRIVING FROM THE WEST (VIA I-64)
Take I-64 East
Take exit 286 B, Indian River Road, East.
Go to the first traffic light,
turn right into The Founders Inn and Spa entrance.

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NORFOLK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (ORF) is located 20 minutes from the oceanfront via Interstate 64-264 or Shore Drive. Allegiant, American, Delta, Frontier, Southwest and United provide air service. 24-hour ground transportation is available via James River Transportation shuttle service, rental cars, taxis, Lyft, and Uber. For more information visit www.norfolkairport.com or call 757-857-3351.

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CONFORMATION CLASSIFICATION

Regular Classes

NOVICE & AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER CLASSES OFFERED AT THE NATIONAL SPECIALTY ONLY

PUPPY DOGS (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)  PUPPY BITCHES (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)
PUPPY DOGS (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)  PUPPY BITCHES (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)
12-18 MONTHS DOGS  12-18 MONTHS BITCHES
NOVICE DOGS  NOVICE BITCHES
AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER DOG  AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER BITCHES
BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS  BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES
AMERICAN-BRED DOGS  AMERICAN-BRED BITCHES
OPEN DOGS  OPEN BITCHES
WINNERS DOG  WINNERS BITCH

The dog designated Reserve Winners Dog and the bitch designated Reserve Winners Bitch will be awarded a three-point major, provided that the number of dogs competing in the regular classes of the Reserve Winner’s sex totals at least twice the number required for a five point major, in the region in which the event is held.

Non-Regular Classes Involving Single Dog Entries

Both Mid-Atlantic Regional and National Specialties

VETERAN DOGS (7 yrs. & older)  VETERAN BITCHES (7 yrs. & older)
Neutered dogs and spayed bitches may be entered in the veterans classes.

FIELD TRAIL DOG CLASS  FIELD TRIAL BITCH CLASS
For dogs and bitches who have a placement in a senior stake (e.g. Gun Dog or All Age)
or a first place in a Derby Stake at an AKC Licensed Field Trial.

HUNTING DOG CLASS  HUNTING BITCH CLASS
For dogs and bitches that have achieved any AKC Hunting Test Title (Junior, Senior or Master Hunter) or the GSCA Working Dog (WD) or Working Dog Retriever (WDR) Title.

NOTE: First place winners of the above classes are eligible to compete for Best of Breed if undefeated in any other class at this show.

BEST OF BREED COMPETITION

SELECT DOG/BITCH • AWARDS OF MERIT* • NOHS BEST OF BREED
BEST PUPPY* • BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR* • BEST VETERAN*

NON-REGULAR CLASSES - INVOLVING MULTIPLE DOG ENTRIES:

Note: Non-regular classes involving multiple entries may be judged before or after Best of Breed. As the judge’s decision in these classes will be based on the merits of more than one dog, no one of the dogs making up the entry judged first in the class will be eligible to compete for Best of Breed or Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed by virtue of having won the class.

Stud Dog Class and Brood Bitch Class: Each entry is allowed two get. The merits of the Stud Dog or Brood Bitch are not considered in the placement of the entry. It is the quality of the get that forms the basis for the judge’s decision. All get must be examined and gaited. The Stud Dog or Brood Bitch must also be examined to determine if there is a condition that would require disqualification or excusal under the Rules, AKC policy or the breed standard. All get must be entered in a regular class in order to be eligible to compete in the Stud Dog or Brood Bitch Class. Handlers of the Stud Dog or Brood Bitch, and all get being exhibited, must wear armbands. Ch. 11, Sec. 8 of the “Rules Applying to Dog Shows” provides that “a castrated male may be entered as a Stud Dog in the Stud Dog Class and a spayed bitch may be entered as a Brood Bitch in the Brood Bitch Class.”

Brace Class (National Specialty Only): Two Dogs, performing in unison, and presented by a maximum of two handlers. Both dogs competing in the brace class must have at least one common owner. Dogs do not need to be entered in any other class. Dogs comprising a Brace Class must be named at the time of entry, and full particulars must be given for each dog on individual entry forms. If a dog which is to be part of a Brace is not entered in another class, it must be entered for “Brace Class only.” An entry form for a dog entered in another class and entered as part of a Brace must be marked accordingly in the space provided for additional classes as “Brace Class.” If more than one Brace is entered by the same owner, the dogs comprising EACH Brace must be so designated, ‘Brace No. 1’ ‘Brace No. 2’, etc. Brace Class entrants MUST identify their other team member with name and registration number at the time of entry, or their entry may be refused.

* See page 7

Reserve Winners Dog and Reserve Winners Bitch will be awarded a three-point major, provided the criteria set forth in Chapter 16, Section 1 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows is met.
**SPECIAL AWARDS**

**AWARDS OF MERIT (BOTH EVENTS)** - At the conclusion of Best of Breed judging, after selecting Best of Breed, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Select Dog and Select Bitch, the judge at his/her discretion may choose up to 10% of the Best of Breed entry for an Award of Merit.

**BEST PUPPY (NATIONAL ONLY)** – During the course of Regular judging, the assigned judge will select a Best Puppy from the Class winners of the 6 mos. and under 9 mos. and the 9 mos. and under 12 mos. Classes. This will be done after the Best of Breed & Award of Merit Competition judging unless the Best Puppy award is automatic. **Example:** An entry from the Puppy Classes is awarded Best of Winners or Best of Breed. Only dogs and bitches undefeated in a Puppy Class are eligible for Best Puppy Competition. If the first place winner is not present, the second place winner may not compete.

**BEST BRED-BY-EXHIBITOR (NATIONAL ONLY)** – During the course of Regular judging, the assigned judge will select a Best Bred-By-Exhibitor in each Bred-By-Exhibitor Class winners. This will be done after the Best of Breed & Award of Merit Competition unless the Best Bred-By-Exhibitor award is automatic. **Example:** An entry from the Bred By Exhibitor Class is awarded Best of Winners or Best of Breed. Only dogs and bitches undefeated in a Bred-By-Exhibitor Class are eligible for the Best Bred-By-Exhibitor Competition. If the first place winner is not present, the second place winner may not compete.

**BEST VETERAN (NATIONAL ONLY)** – During the course of Regular judging, the assigned judge will select a Best Veteran in Breed from the Non-Regular Veteran Dog & Veteran Bitch Classes. This will be done after Best of Breed & Award of Merit judging. **Example:** A Veteran Class winner is awarded Best of Breed then Best Veteran award is automatic. Only dogs not defeated in regular Veteran classes are eligible to compete for Best Veteran.

**FOUR-TO-SIX MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION - NATIONAL ONLY**

One combined class will be offered for Gordon Setters that are (4) four months & under (6) six months. An AKC registration number or AKC litter number will be required for entries of an AKC recognized breed. A foreign born dog may enter this class if they are registered in the country of origin.

Dogs are required to be vaccinated (including rabies) in accordance with their veterinarian’s protocol in order to avoid inadvertent transmission of illness by/to puppies not yet fully immunized.

Dogs that are owned or co-owned by a professional handler may compete in this class, but must be handled by a non-professional handler. Professional handlers are defined as any person who belongs or has belonged to a professional handlers’ organization, distributed rate cards, or otherwise advertised or represented themselves as handling dogs for pay within the last five years. Dogs may not be exhibited by current assistants or household members of a professional handler. A current assistant is defined as anyone employed by a professional handler on a full-time basis, or, assisting a professional handler at the show or any show during the cluster/weekend. Minors (under 18) with amateur status who reside with professional handlers and current assistants to professional handlers that are eligible to compete in Junior Showmanship (meet age and amateur status requirements) may personally exhibit dogs in the Four-to-Six Month (Beginner Puppy) Competition.

AKC Rules in Dealing with Misconduct will be applicable to any person and dog entered at this competition. All applicable rules found in Rules Applying to Dog Shows will govern the conduct of this competition unless these regulations state otherwise. Exhibitors should plan on opening the mouth of their puppy for the judges. Breed standard disqualifications such as color, height, weight or dentition shall not be a point of consideration in the judging process for this 4 & Under 6 Months Puppy Competition.

**CLASSIFICATION – CLASSES COMBINED – PUPPY, 4 & UNDER 6 MONTHS**

ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN THROUGH OUR SUPERINTENDENT

NO PUPPIES UNDER THE AGE OF SIX (6) MONTHS, EXCEPT THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE 4-6 MONTH PUPPY COMPETITION, MAY BE ON THE GROUNDS.

**FOUR-TO-SIX MO BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION PRIZES**

4-6 MONTHS PUPPY BEST OF BREED: Scout Bag
4-6 MONTHS PUPPY BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST OF BREED: Scout Bag
CONFORMATION TROPHIES – BOTH EVENTS

BREED PRIZES – NATIONAL SPECIALTY
BEST OF BREED: Dannyquest Bronze medium pair on lamp base
BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST OF BREED: Dannyquest Bronze small pair running
BEST OF WINNERS: Dannyquest Bronze small bust
SELECT DOG: Dannyquest Bronze large moving
SELECT BITCH: Dannyquest Bronze large moving
AWARD OF MERIT: Engraved paper weight
WINNERS DOG: Dannyquest Bronze small flushing
WINNERS BITCH: Dannyquest Bronze small flushing
RESERVE WINNERS DOG: Dannyquest Bronze small standing
RESERVE WINNERS BITCH: Dannyquest Bronze small standing
FIRST PLACE, EACH REGULAR CLASS: Bucket with treats
FIRST PLACE, EACH NON-REGULAR CLASS: Bucket with treats
SECOND - FOURTH, EACH REGULAR CLASS: Bucket with treats
SECOND - FOURTH, EACH NON-REGULAR CLASS: Bucket with treats
NOHS BEST OF BREED: Dannyquest Bronze laying with toy
BEST PUPPY: Engraved paper weight
BEST BRED-BY-EXHIBITOR: Engraved paper weight and one free AKC Litter Registration
BEST VETERAN: Engraved paper weight

BREED PRIZES – MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL SPECIALTY
Embroidered items and mugs by Chesapeake Enterprises will feature our special 2021 MidAtlantic Specialty logo created by Susan Howe.
BEST OF BREED: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios.
BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST OF BREED: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
BEST OF WINNERS: Handcrafted Ceramic Piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
SELECT DOG: Embroidered canvas tote
SELECT BITCH: Embroidered canvas tote
AWARD OF MERIT: 11 oz. ceramic coffee mug with logo
WINNERS DOG: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
WINNERS BITCH: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
RESERVE WINNERS DOG: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
RESERVE WINNERS BITCH: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
FIRST PLACE, EACH REGULAR CLASS: Embroidered 12-pack cooler bag
FIRST PLACE, EACH NON-REGULAR CLASS: Embroidered 12-pack cooler bag
SECOND - FOURTH, EACH REGULAR CLASS: Embroidered 6-pack cooler bag
SECOND - FOURTH, EACH NON-REGULAR CLASS: Embroidered 6-pack cooler bag
NOHS BEST OF BREED: Bowl with gamebird design
The purpose of the AKC National Owner Handled Series (NOHS) is to recognize and showcase the quality dogs being exhibited by owner/handlers and to provide a venue for the owner/handlers to compete against their peers. The determination of the awards in the AKC National Owner Handled Series is based solely on the quality of the entry. The owner/handler’s handling ability is not of consideration.

• There is no additional fee to enter this competition.
• Entries must be marked as eligible to compete in the AKC NOHS prior to the closing of entries for that show.
• The handler must be an owner of record according to the AKC’s records as of the date of the show.
• Professional handler, household members and current assistants to professional handlers in conformation are not eligible to exhibit in this competition. A current assistant is defined as anyone employed by a professional handler on a full time basis, or assisting a professional handler at the show.
• Professional handler is defined as any person who belongs or has belonged to a professional handlers’ organization, distributed rate cards, or otherwise advertised or represented themselves as handling dogs for pay within the last five years.
• Dogs must be handled by an eligible owner/handler for the AKC NOHS throughout the breed level (all classes, Winners, and Best of Breed) competition. Additionally, dogs must be handled by an eligible owner/handler for all AKC National Owner Handled Series competition.
• Eligibility restrictions apply to all members of the same household.
• Dogs declared eligible must be identified by an asterisk or other representative mark in the judge’s book, steward’s book, and the show catalog. The Owner Handled Best of Breed will be selected from the eligible dogs that competed in the Best of Breed competition for the regular show. This includes Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, and the undefeated winners of the non regular classes. This excludes all dogs defeated during class and winners competition for the regular show.
• If the Best of Breed winner of the regular show is eligible for the AKC National Owner Handled Series competition, it will also be awarded Owner Handled Best of Breed.
• If the regular show Best of Breed winner is not eligible for AKC National Owner Handled Series competition and the regular show Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed is eligible, the regular show Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed will compete against the eligible exhibits of the other sex to determine Owner Handled Best of Breed.
• If neither the Best of Breed nor the Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed from the regular show is eligible for the AKC National Owner Handled Series competition and both the Select Dog and Select Bitch are eligible, the judge is to choose Owner Handled Best of Breed from the Selects and any eligible Winners Dog or Winners Bitch.
• If one of the Selects from the regular show is eligible for AKC National Owner Handled Series competition, excuse all eligible champions and non regular class winners of the same sex and then choose Owner Handled Best of Breed from the remaining eligible dogs of the opposite sex including the eligible Winners.
• If the regular show Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Select Dog & Select Bitch are not eligible, the judge may choose any eligible dog that competed in Best of Breed including Winners Dog or Winners Bitch as the Owner Handled Best of Breed.
• If no dog remaining in the ring is eligible for the AKC National Owner Handled Series competition, Owner Handled Best of Breed will not be awarded.
OBEDIENCE & RALLY TRIAL CLASSES - NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW

Jump heights must be indicated on all applicable Obedience & Rally Classes
“Dog” means either sex.
Qualifying Scores will be Required for All Prizes in Regular & Optional Titling Classes.
Qualifying Scores are not Required For All Prizes In the Non-Regular Classes.
Scores from the Optional Titling and Non-Regular Classes are not eligible
for Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Classes.

REGULAR OBEDIENCE CLASSES
Novice A, Novice B, Open A, Open B, Utility A, Utility B

OPTIONAL TITLING CLASSES
Beginner Novice A, Beginner Novice B

NON-REGULAR CLASSES
Veteran

Refer to current AKC Obedience Regulations for full descriptions of all classes.

RALLY TRIAL – RING SIZE: 40 X 60
Novice A • Novice B • Intermediate
Advanced A• Advanced B• Excellent A• Excellent B• Master

A Refund of all but $5.00 of the entry fee will be refunded for bitches entered in Obedience or Rally
that come in season after the event closing date. A Veterinarian’s certificate must be presented to the
Superintendent no later than 1/2 hour prior to the start of the first class in the trial. Transfers will be
allowed at this Trial per AKC Regulations.

OBEDIENCE PRIZES
HIGHEST SCORING DOG IN THE REGULAR CLASSES: Dannyquest Bronze small flushing
HIGHEST COMBINED SCORE IN OPEN B & UTILITY: Engraved paperweight
EACH OBEDIENCE EXHIBIT (FIRST ENTRY ONLY): Stainless steel tumbler

RALLY PRIZES
HIGHEST COMBINED SCORE IN ADVANCED B & EXCELLENT B: Engraved paperweight
HIGHEST COMBINED TRIPLE SCORE: Dannyquest Bronze small flushing
EACH RALLY EXHIBIT (FIRST ENTRY ONLY): Stainless steel tumbler
JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP - BOTH EVENTS

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION

NOVICE CLASS: For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class. A first place in Novice without competition leading to a Best Junior award with competition would count as one win towards moving to Open at a licensed or member show.

OPEN CLASS: For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show, and who have won three first place awards in a Novice Class or if a win in Novice leads to a Best Junior with competition present it will count as one win towards moving to Open in a licensed or member show. Juniors which according to their records have completed the requirements to compete in the Open class but whose status is unconfirmed by the American Kennel Club are limited to competing in the Open Class for a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the Junior completed the requirements according to their records.

MASTER CLASS: This class will be for boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years on the day of the show, and who have 10 Best Junior wins with competition. The calendar for this class will be consistent with the eligibility dates for the AKC National Championship. All Juniors meeting the criteria for this class are required to enter the Master Class and may change their entry the day of the show if entries have already closed. Once the eligibility time frame for that year has passed all participants return to the Open Class to compete for the following year.

After the judge has awarded the Best Junior Handler, the second place winner from the class that the Junior was awarded Best Junior Handler is to return to the ring to compete for Reserve Best Junior Handler.

NOTICE: Junior Handlers must include their AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER on each entry. You may obtain your junior identification number by calling the AKC, Judges Education Department, 919-233-9767. BE SURE ALL INFORMATION for Junior Showmanship Classes is entered on front and back of entry form.

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP PRIZES

MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL
BEST JUNIOR HANDLER: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
RESERVE BEST JUNIOR HANDLER: Embroidered canvas tote
FIRST – FOURTH, EACH CLASS: 11 Oz. ceramic coffee mug with logo

NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW
BEST JUNIOR HANDLER: Scout Cooler Bag
RESERVE BEST JUNIOR HANDLER: Scout Cooler Bag
FIRST – FOURTH, EACH CLASS: Bucket with treats
EACH SWEEPSTAKES – MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL – SATURDAY

SWEEPSTAKES – MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL
This Sweepstakes is open to all Gordon Setters who, on the day of the show, will be at least six months and under 18 months of age. Sweepstakes Classes will be judged prior to Regular Classes. Winners of the Sweepstakes classes will compete for Best in Sweepstakes and Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes. All entries in Sweepstakes Classes must also be entered in a Regular Class at this show. Sweepstakes Classes will be divided as follows:

SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION
Puppy, Dogs, 6 mos. & under 9 mos.  Puppy, Bitches, 6 mos. & under 9 mos.
Puppy Dogs, 9 mos. & under 12 mos.  Puppy Bitches, 9 mos. & under 12 mos.
Dogs, 12 mos. & under 15 mos.  Bitches, 12 mos. & under 15 mos.
Dogs, 15 mos. & under 18 mos.  Bitches, 15 mos. & under 18 mos.
BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES • BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES
This Sweepstakes is open to all Gordon Setters who, on the day of the show, will be at least seven years. Veteran Sweepstakes Classes will be judged prior to Regular Classes. Winners of the Veteran Sweepstakes classes will compete for Best Veteran in Sweepstakes and Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes. All entries in Veteran Sweepstakes Classes need not be entered in a Regular Class at this show. Sweepstakes Classes will be divided as follows:

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION – MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL
Veteran Dogs, 7 years & under 9 years  Veteran Bitches, 7 years 9 under 8 years
Veteran Dogs, 9 years & under 11 years  Veteran Bitches, 9 years & under 11 years
Veteran Dogs, 11 years & older  Veteran Bitches, 11 years & older
BEST INVETERANSWEEPSTAKES • BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST VETERAN IN SWEEPSTAKES

SWEEPSTAKES/VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES PRIZE MONIES
After 35% deduction for Each Sweepstakes expenses, the remaining 65% will be divided as follows:
First Place in each Class ................................................................. 40% of total class fees
Second Place in each Class .......................................................... 30% of total class fees
Third Place in each Class ............................................................. 20% of total class fees
Fourth Place in each Class .......................................................... 10% of total class fees

SWEEPSTAKES/VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES
The Club reserves the right to substitute an item of equal or greater value.
BEST IN EACH SWEEPSTAKES: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN EACH SWEEPSTAKES: Handcrafted ceramic piece created by Furrytale Ceramic Studios
FIRST - FOURTH PLACE, EACH SWEEPSTAKES CLASS: 11 oz. ceramic coffee mug with logo
EACH SWEEPSTAKES – NATIONAL SPECIALTY – SUNDAY

SWEEPSTAKES - NATIONAL SPECIALTY
This Sweepstakes is open to all Gordon Setters who, on the day of the show, will be at least six months and under 18 months of age. Sweepstakes Classes will be judged prior to Regular Classes. Winners of the Sweepstakes classes will compete for Best in Sweepstakes and Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes. All entries in Sweepstakes Classes must also be entered in a Regular Class at this show. Sweepstakes Classes will be divided as follows:

SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION
Puppy, Dogs, 6 mos. & under 9 mos.  Puppy, Bitches, 6 mos. & under 9 mos.
Puppy Dogs, 9 mos. & under 12 mos.  Puppy Bitches, 9 mos. & under 12 mos.
Dogs, 12 mos. & under 15 mos.  Bitches, 12 mos. & under 15 mos.
Dogs, 15 mos. & under 18 mos.  Bitches, 15 mos. & under 18 mos.
BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES • BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES

COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES – NATIONAL SPECIALTY
This Sweepstakes is open to all Gordon Setters who, on the day of the show, will be at least 18 months and under 30 months of age. COVID Cup Sweepstakes Classes will be judged prior to Regular Classes. Winners of the COVID Cup Sweepstakes classes will compete for Best in COVID Cup Sweepstakes and Best of Opposite Sex to Best in COVID Cup Sweepstakes. All entries in COVID Cup Sweepstakes Classes must also be entered in a Regular Class at this show. COVID Cup Sweepstakes Classes will be divided as follows:

COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION
Dogs, 18 mos. & under 24 mos.  Bitches, 18 mos. & under 24 mos.
Dogs, 24 mos. & under 30 mos.  Bitches, 24 mos. & under 30 mos.
BEST IN COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES • BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES – NATIONAL SPECIALTY
This Sweepstakes is open to all Gordon Setters who, on the day of the show, will be at least seven years. Veteran Sweepstakes Classes will be judged prior to Regular Classes. Winners of the Veteran Sweepstakes classes will compete for Best Veteran in Sweepstakes and Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes. All entries in Veteran Sweepstakes Classes need not be entered in a Regular Class at this show. Sweepstakes Classes will be divided as follows:

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION
Veteran Dogs, 7 years & under 9 years  Veteran Bitches, 7 years 9 under 8 years
Veteran Dogs, 9 years & under 11 years  Veteran Bitches, 9 years & under 11 years
Veteran Dogs, 11 years & older  Veteran Bitches, 11 years & older
BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES • BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST VETERAN IN SWEEPSTAKES

SWEEPSTAKES/COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES/VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES PRIZE MONIES
After 35% deduction for Each Sweepstakes expenses, the remaining 65% will be divided as follows:
First Place in each Class .................................................................................. 40% of total class fees
Second Place in each Class ............................................................................. 30% of total class fees
Third Place in each Class ................................................................................ 20% of total class fees
Fourth Place in each Class ............................................................................. 10% of total class fees

SWEEPSTAKES/COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES/ VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES
The Club reserves the right to substitute an item of equal or greater value.
BEST IN EACH SWEEPSTAKES: Scout cooler bag
BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN EACH SWEEPSTAKES: Scout cooler bag
FIRST - FOURTH PLACE, EACH SWEEPSTAKES CLASS: Stainless steel tumbler
EACH EXHIBIT, SWEEPSTAKES/COVID CUP SWEEPSTAKES: Tug toy
EACH EXHIBIT, VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES: Commemorative medallion
OLDEST VETERAN IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES: Stainless steel tumbler
CANINE GOOD CITIZEN AND TRICK DOG CLASSES

We are offering CANINE GOOD CITIZEN, CANINE GOOD CITIZEN ADVANCED and NOVICE, INTERMEDIATE and ADVANCED TRICK DOG Evaluations this year. The AKC Canine Good Citizen and Trick Dog Programs are a fun way to demonstrate your dog’s good manners and smarts! All dogs are welcome to participate in the program. Most evaluations are performed on leash. Dogs should wear a well-fitting buckle or slip collar (including martingales) made of leather, fabric, or chain. They may also wear body harnesses for the CGC evaluation. Bring a comb or brush for the CGC evaluation. Please bring your own equipment/props if you are doing tricks that require them.

The list of requirements for the CGC and Trick Dog titles are listed on the AKC website.

CGC and Trick Dog Evaluations are tentatively scheduled for Monday, September 20, 2021, after the Rally and Obedience trials.
Watch for the CGC Banner.

The CGC or TRICK DOG Evaluation Fee is $20. A combined CGC and TRICK DOG Package is $35.

The following titling classes will be offered for evaluation:
- Canine Good Citizen (CGC)
- Canine Good Community Good Citizen Advanced (CGCA)
- Trick Dog Novice (TKN)
- Trick Dog Intermediate (TKI)
- Trick Dog Advanced (TKA)

Date and Time to be confirmed after show closing

Contact: Linda McRae
610-304-1216 • lmcreae52@gmail.com
- or-
Diane Dargay
910-754-9641 • email ddargay55@aol.com.

Applicants should arrive early to fill out an Application Form.
**ROSETTE/RIBBON PRIZES**

**CONFORMATION, OBEDIENCE & RALLY REGULAR CLASSES**

**OBEDIENCE OPTIONAL TITLING CLASSES**

First Prize ............................................. Blue Rosette
Second Prize ...................................... Red Rosette
Winners ............................................. Purple Rosette
Best of Winners .................. Blue & White Rosette
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed ............................................. Red & White Rosette
Select Dog & Select Bitch ......................................................... Light Blue & White Rosette
NOHS Best of Breed .................................................................. Maroon Rosette
Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Classes (Obedience) ............................................. Blue & Gold Rosette
Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility (Obedience) ............................................. Blue & Green Rosette
Highest Combined Score in Advanced B & Excellent B (Rally) ............................................. Blue & Green Rosette
Highest Combined Triple Score (Rally) .......................................................... Blue & Red Rosette
Qualifying Score in the Regular Obedience and Rally Classes ................................... Dark Green Rosette

**NON-REGULAR CLASSES – SWEEPSTAKES – JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP**

First Prize ............................................. Rose Rosette
Second Prize ...................................... Brown Rosette
Award of Merit .................................................. Teal and Tan Rosette
Best Puppy from the Regular Puppy Classes (National Only) .................................. Black & Rust Rosette
Best from the Bred by Exhibitor Classes (National Only) .................................. Black & Rust Rosette
Best from the Veterans Classes (National Only) .................................................. Black & Rust Rosette
Best Junior Handler ................................................. Rose & Lt. Green Rosette
Best in Each Sweepstakes .......................................................... Pink & Lt. Green Rosette
Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Each Sweepstakes ........................................... Lavender Rosette

**AGILITY CLASSES**

Highest Combined Score in STD and JWW Classes ............................................. Blue & Green Rosette
Qualifying Score (Agility) .................................................................... Dark Green Rosette

**AKC SANCTIONED 4-6 MONTHS BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION**

4-6 Months Puppy Best of Breed (National Only) ............................................. Orange Rosette
4-6 Months Puppy Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed (National Only) ............ Lavender Rosette

**CGC AND TRICK DOG**

Canine Good Citizen .................................................. Green & White Rosette
Canine Good Citizen Advanced .................................................. Green & White Rosette
Trick Dog Novice .......................................................... Red & White Rosette
Trick Dog Intermediate .......................................................... Red & White Rosette
Trick Dog Advanced .......................................................... Red & White Rosette
HOST HOTEL

Founders Inn and Spa, Tapestry Collection by Hilton
5641 Indian River Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23464
757-366-5700

Standard rooms for $139/night + taxes (rate does not apply to Deluxe rooms or suites). Up to 4 dogs allowed per guest room for a one-time $50 pet fee

Additional Details:
- Pet Friendly Lodging including a 30,000sq. ft. Dog Park with Customary Dog Features
- Mini Refrigerators and Safes available in all Guest Rooms
- 24 Hour Security for Hotel and Grounds
- Complimentary WiFi Throughout the Hotel and Meeting Space
- Four (4) Onsite Restaurants
- State of the Art Fitness Center Open Daily with Indoor Heated Pool & (2) Outdoor Saltwater Swimming Pools
- Full service Spa Open Daily
- Airport Shuttle Service Available with Advanced Reservation
- Complimentary Beach Shuttle
- Business Center Open 24 Hours, 7 Days a Week

RESERVATION INFORMATION:

Group Name: GSCA National Specialty

DEPOSIT: At the time of booking, there will be a deposit of one night’s stay which is refundable upon cancellation up to 30 days prior to check in.

NOTE: The group rate will be available for guests arriving up to 3 days before the event and leaving up to 3 days following the event pending availability.

The Founders Inn and Spa is a Hilton Hotel! Anyone who is a Hilton Honors member can use their Hilton Honors Points to stay at the hotel. Not a Hilton Honors member? You can join here https://secure3.hilton.com/en/hh/customer/join/joinHHonors.htm.

THE HOST HOTEL IS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE SHOW COMMITTEE.

ONSITE RV RESERVATIONS

There will be a limited number of dry camping RV spots (no electric, water or sewer hookups) located close to the Dog Park. There is a bath/shower house available nearby. Cost is $25 per night and reservations are to be made on the ALL IN ONE Form, or through the National Store online.

Golf cart rentals can be made through Ricky’s Golf Carts: http://rickyscustomcarts.com/ or 757-934-7700. Carts are allowed at the Founders, but must follow cart path rules dictated by weather/ground conditions.

GROOMING RESERVATIONS

Reserved Grooming: Exhibitors looking to secure a 10’x10’ grooming space with electricity close to the ring for the week may do so for a fee of $70. Ex-Pens not allowed in lieu of crates.

Non-Reserved Grooming: Exhibitors wishing to bring their own pop-up tents for grooming and crating may do so but will need to supply their own power. Ex-Pens not allowed in lieu of crates.

Only handheld dryers will be allowed. No force dryers will be permitted for use indoors.

All reservations must be made in advance. Requests for side-by-side grooming spaces MUST BE SUBMITTED TOGETHER.

SEE ALL IN ONE FORM FOR RV/GROOMING RESERVATIONS

Contact: Kevin Fritz • fritzfamily123@yahoo.com

MERCHANDISE

Sample photos and merchandise orders: https://2020gordonsetternational.square.site or via the logowear order form. For more information contact: Melissa Fritz • fritzfamily123@yahoo.com
RAFFLE AND SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS

Donations can be sent to GSCA Specialty Raffle, c/o Becky Haley, 524 Rogers Ave, Hampton, VA 23664. Include a note card with your info OR email mardebri@gmail.com to let us know it is coming. OR, bring it with you.

Send an email to Debbie Bjerkestrand at mardebri@gmail.com to let her know what you are bringing. Some helpful tips for items:

- Reach out to any vendors you frequent (this is advertisement for them—Human and Dog alike)
- What does your Gordon love
- What is your favorite Gordon item
- What is your favorite training item
- What is something you wish you had
- What would you like to try
- Share your Talent with all of us!!! What are you good at?

TROPHY SPONSORSHIP

Trophy and Ribbon sponsorship is very important to the success of the shows. Please consider sponsoring and dedicating a trophy at: https://2020gordonsetternational.square.site.

Contact: Kristyn Stout • kmccart332@gmail.com with any questions

PARADE OF RESCUES

Calling all Rescues dogs! Come strut your stuff on Tuesday afternoon.

Parade will begin 15 minutes after conclusion of judging for the day.

Register your dogs for parades at: https://2020gordonsetternational.square.site

HOSPITALITY

Breakfast and Lunch Buffets – Daily Breakfast $17/adult & Daily Lunch $19/adult

The Gordon Setter Club of America and The Founders Inn have collaborated to offer discounted meal vouchers for the breakfast and lunch buffets at The Swan Terrace Restaurant, one of the restaurants onsite at the Founders Inn. Vouchers are inclusive of taxes and fees. This discount comes to about a 15% reduction from the standard list price!

Grab & Go Cafe

During show hours, the Paw Cafe will have a grab & go menu available for purchase. All conveniently located next to the ballroom!

Welcome Party Happy Hour – Saturday Free for registered attendees

Join us for a nice spread of hors d’oeuvres as we celebrate the kick off of another fabulous National Specialty! All registered attendees are welcome to come meet and greet the rest of our Gordon Clan in attendance.

GSCA Meeting & Italian Buffet – Sunday $25 Adult/ $12.50 Child 11 and under

Garlic Bread, Caesar Salad, Garlic Green Beans, Carbonara, Lasagna Bolognese with fresh mozzarella, Seafood Linguini with bay scallops and shrimp in a pesto cream sauce, Penne Arrabbiata with fresh ricotta, mozzarella, basil, and heirloom tomatoes. Dessert: Tiramisu and Cannoli

Monday Awards Banquet – Plated Dinner - $35 Adult/ $17.50 Child 11 and under

Founders Salad, Mixed Greens, Cucumbers, Grape Tomatoes, Carrots with White Balsamic Shallot vinaigrette Choice of Entrée: Bistro Filet with Port Wine and Blue Cheese Demi Glaze, Pan Seared Salmon with Dill Beurre Blanc, Pan Seared Chicken with Wild Mushroom Sauce and for vegetarians a Quinoa Stuffed Pepper, accompanied by Chef’s Season Sides. Dessert: Cheesecake/Chocolate Cake

Complete your Registration and Meal Reservations at the 2020 GSCA National Online Store or using the All in One Form.

https://2020gordonsetternational.square.site
VENDORS

Vendor rates are $75 OR $25 + a donation to the raffle of at least $50 value. Standard booth spaces are 10’x10’ for all four days of the event. Space is limited, reservations are accepted on a first come, first served basis.

The rate includes a skirted table and 2 chairs are available for $30. Payment must accompany your reservation form and is non-refundable after August 15, 2021. The Specialty Committee reserves the right to determine vendor location and space.

Note: No signs, banners, or decorations may be affixed to the walls or doors of the event area. Ballroom will be available for set-up on Friday, September 17, 2021 at 2PM. All vendors must take down their booths and be moved out by 4PM, Tuesday. No food or alcohol may be served from vendors’ booths. Pet food is permitted.

Reservations MUST be made directly with Kevin Fritz • fritzfamily123@yahoo.com who will send you a form.

VOLUNTEERING

The GSCA National depends on volunteers to make it a successful event. If you are interested in volunteering some time during the week please contact Rachel Fritz • Corisandegordons@yahoo.com. Volunteering is a great way to meet new people, too!

CATALOGS

Pre-ordered Catalog: $20.00, a small number of catalogs will be available for purchase at the show for $25.00. SEE ALL IN ONE FORM TO ORDER

CATALOG ADVERTISING

It has been too long since we had a National! Why not place an ad in this keepsake catalog? Here’s an opportunity to feature an up-and-coming dog, a planned breeding, and, of course that special veteran.

Be proud of achievements in the ring, in the field, and the many performance events in which our Gordons compete. This catalog will be shared with Gordon lovers here and abroad for many years. Regional Clubs should also take the opportunity to let folks know you are out there, serving local Gordon communities

The deadline for Ad Submission is August 8, 2021

Special Back Cover Special Advertising Opportunity!

Inside the back cover (color only) is available for $125. Since there is only one page available, we will be drawing one lucky ad. If you would like to be entered, email Laura Bedford and your name will be put into a hat. One name will be drawn: August 15, 2021

Inside Back Cover – 4.5” x 7.5” including one photo.............................................................. $125

Full Page Color – 4.5” x 7.5” including one photo ............................................................... $90

Full Page Black & White – 4.5” x 7.5” including one photo....................................................... $50

Additional Pictures for any Ad ............................................................................................... $10/picture

Ad Rates

Acceptable formats are pdf, jpeg, InDesign, Illustrator or Photoshop.

All photos should be scanned at 300 dpi. Do not crop the original.

Questions? Contact: Laura Bedford • designbyhalcyon@gmail.com • 860-836-9468

Help in preparing a simple ad will be provided at no cost.

More extensive design may incur some charges.

If not submitting a “photo-ready” ad, please let me know what you have in mind, and send the information to me via email or snail mail.

Ad Submission

Please submit all ads and checks, made out to GSCA, by August 8, 2021 to:

Laura Bedford
11 Shafer Road, New Hartford, CT 06057
designbyhalcyon@gmail.com
Logo Wear Order Form

**Logo Merchandise**

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Please select one of the following Order Delivery Options

**SHIP** (include SHIPPING noted below):

OR

**PICKUP FROM FOLLOWING LOCATIONS** (No shipping costs)

Order MUST be received 3 weeks prior to specialty pickup date:

- **St. Paul, MN Specialty**
- **Rye Brook, NY Specialties**
- **Vallejo, CA Specialties**
- **Perry, GA Specialties**
- **Lima, OH Specialties**
- **Cambridge, MN Specialty**
- **Monroe, MI Specialties**
- **Greeley, CO Specialties**
- **Santa Rosa, CA Specialty**

**SHIPPING FEES (ONLY TO US ADDRESSES):**

- small (8 5/8” x 5 3/8” x 1 5/8”) $10.00
- medium (13 5/8” x 11 7/8” x 3 3/8”) $15.00
- large (12” x 12” x 5 1/2”) $20.00

Mail order form and payment (checks payable to GSCA; credit card payments can be arranged) to:

Melissa Fritz, 1500 Parkspur Lane, Fenton, MO., 63026

Questions? Email fritzfamily123@yahoo.com or call Melissa Fritz at 636-349-4589

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## 2020/2021 GSCA Reservation Order Form

This form and payment must be received by September 3, 2021. Acknowledgement of receipt of your form and payment will be made to the email address provided on this form.

### General Fund Donations

Name/Kennel Name: 

In Memory Of: 

### Hospitality Donations

Name/Kennel Name: 

In Memory Of: 

### Catalogs

Unmarked Catalog $20 ($25 at show) 

Catalogs Requested: 

### RV Reservations

$50/day • Requests for side-by-side rv parking MUST be noted under RV special requests.

Type of RV: 

Total Length: 

Date Arriving: 

Date Departing: 

Number of Overnights: 

RV Special Requests: 

### Reserved Grooming

$70 per 10’ x 19’ space • Requests for side-by-side grooming MUST be noted under grooming special requests.

Reserve Grooming Special Requests: 

Spaces Requested: 

### Hospitality

Breakfast Buffet Voucher $17 per meal per day 

# Vouchers: 

Lunch Buffet Voucher $19 per meal per day 

# Vouchers: 

Saturday September 18: Welcome Party (with Cash Bar) MUST indicate # of people: 

Sunday, September 19: Italian Buffet after General Membership Meeting (with Cash Bar) - $25 per person 

# Meals: 

Sunday, September 19: Italian Buffet after General Membership Meeting CHILD - $12.50 per child 

# Meals: 

Monday, September 20: GSCA Awards Banquet ADULT (with Cash Bar) - $35 per person 

# Meals: 

Monday, September 20: GSCA Awards Banquet CHILD - $17.50 per child 

# Meals: 

Dietary Restrictions (specify):

### Logowear

Total from logowear order form (If applicable): 

### Complete Your Order

Make checks payable to: GSCA

Mail Order and Payment To: Melissa Fritz 1500 Parklawn Lane Fenton, MO 63026

Questions? Email cordinator.arkana@bush.com or call 636-844-8599

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NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS – ALL EVENTS

The American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations will govern this Show and Exhibitors must make themselves familiar with the agreement of the American Kennel Club, referred to on the reverse side of the entry blanks that accompany this Show Premium List.

- The American Kennel Club will collect: a $3.00 Event Service Fee and $.50 Recording Fee where applicable for the first entry of a dog, plus a $3.00 service fee for each additional entry of the same dog in the regular and non-regular recordable single-entry classes, in all AKC licensed and member club events. At every licensed or member club rally trial, a recording fee of $3.50 is required for the first entry of each dog and a recording fee of $3.00 is required for each additional entry of the same dog.

- No Entry will be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Telegraph, e-mail and unsigned entries cannot be accepted and will be returned. Entries not on Official AKC Entry Forms and Photocopies of Entry Forms without Agreement and Rules on reverse side are NOT ACCEPTABLE. The Club and/or Baray Events assumes no responsibility for wrong or incomplete information given on the entry blank by the owner or the owner’s agent. RESPONSIBILITY FOR COMPLETENESS OF ENTRY RESTS SOLELY WITH ENTRANT.

- RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY FEE. BaRay Events will add a $30.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. We will not re-process checks. The exhibitor will be contacted & required to send a money order for the original amount PLUS the $30.00 NSF fee. Subsequent returned checks from same person may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY BASIS.

- REFUNDS for cancellations due to judge change or cancellations made prior to entries closing will be mailed by the Club to said Exhibitor or Agent AFTER THE SHOW. An administrative fee of $5.00 will be withheld from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.

- Females in season are not permitted to compete in Obedience or Rally Trials. If a female is withdrawn from competition because it came into season and the Superintendent is notified no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class in the trial, the Clubs is required to refund the entry fee. The Clubs may retain a processing fee and must publish this information in the premium. Clubs may determine the documentation, if any that is required to confirm the female is in season. This shall be stated in the premium. Note: No fee is paid to the AKC for females in season who are withdrawn.

- FAX ENTRIES – Fax entries will be accepted up to closing time. Fee is $4.00 per dog per show. If the credit card charge is denied for any reason, an additional service charge of $20.00 will be added. FAX NUMBER: 360-755-2248. This is for Fax Machine ONLY. Incomplete or illegible Fax entries are not acceptable as a valid entry in a show. Proof of transmission is not proof of receipt of a legible or complete transmission (under AKC Rule Ch. 11, Sec. 4). A Fax-Friendly entry blank PDF is available for download at www.BarayEvents.com

- Entries will be acknowledged after entries close with entry acknowledgment and judging program to address on entry. Should Exhibitor NOT receive an acknowledgment within a reasonable time, PLEASE notify BaRay Events at 360-755-7086 or email dogshows@barayevents.com.

- Entry fees shall NOT be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by the Judge or Veterinarian, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee, or because it has been entered incorrectly. There is no refund for DUPLICATE ENTRIES or OVERPAYMENTS. If, because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open, or to complete the Show NO REFUND will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Event Cancellation Hotline 877-252-3229.

- Please note: Any hotel or motel listed in the premium list is subject to Event Committee Rules. We expect our exhibitors to be responsible guests. A report that an exhibitor at this show has abused hotel or motel property during this weekend may result in disciplinary action. Clubs reserve the right to decline future entries from the offending party in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 11, Section 15 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

- Dogs need be present only for scheduled judging and will be released if not needed for further judging. Dogs must be ready for judging. Neither the club nor its Superintendent will be responsible or obligated to furnish any service for notifying exhibitors or their agents of Breed or Class Judging. Judges need not wait for any dog holding up a class. Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging rings.

- Only dogs eligible for these shows will be admitted into the show area. There is no provision for unentered dogs.

- LOSS OR DAMAGE – The Show Committee will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume any liability in the event of any accident or misfortune, to either dogs or exhibitors participating in these Shows. The welfare of an Exhibitor’s child is assumed to be the responsibility of the Exhibitor. It is distinctly understood that Exhibitors will exercise control and restraint over their children.

- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian’s recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. Additionally, clubs should include any specific local health requirements; for example proof of rabies vaccination.

- PUBLICATION RIGHTS – By entering this show, all owners, handlers, breeders and kennels agree that all rights to televise, videotape, photograph, advertise, promote and publicize or otherwise exploit this show, or the persons or animals participating in it or the results of the competition before, during or after the event, shall belong solely to The American Kennel Club and their respective assigns, including the use of the names, likenesses or biographical matter of all dogs, owners, handlers, breeders and kennels participating in the show and no such owner, handler, breeder or kennel shall allow any other party to make commercial use of any videotape or photograph of any person or animal participating in this competition.

ENTER ONLINE: http://www.BaRayEvents.com
AKC Code of Sportsmanship

PREFACE: The sport of purebred dog competitive events dates prior to 1884, the year of AKC’s birth. Shared values of those involved in the sport include principles of sportsmanship. They are practiced in all sectors of our sport: conformation, performance and companion. Many believe that these principles of sportsmanship are the prime reason why our sport has thrived for over one hundred years. With the belief that it is useful to periodically articulate the fundamentals of our sport, this code is presented.

- Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.
- Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behavior.
- The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge’s placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.
- The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- The sportsman respects the AKC bylaws, rules, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of their competition and the effort of competitors.
- Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport.
- Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.
- Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.
- Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.
- Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the sport, the American Kennel Club, or themselves while taking part in the sport.

ENTRY SUBMISSIONS, CANCELLATIONS, CHANGES, TRANSFERS

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES to PO Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233. CANADIANS make all entry fees payable in U.S. funds. FAX ENTRIES: Fax number: 360-755-2248. $4.00 per dog per show added for FAX-Credit Card entries. Both sides of entry form must be transmitted. Entries must be accompanied by a cover sheet stating the number of pages, what shows and how many dogs per show. Visa, MasterCard, and American Express are accepted for FAX entries. Credit card information (Credit Card number, expiration date, and cardholder name) must be on cover sheet. Note: Visa and MasterCard users – You must include the 3-digit security code that appears above your signature on the back of the card. Proof of fax transmission is not proof of receipt of a legible or complete transmission (under AKC Rule Ch. 11, Sec. 4). A Fax-Friendly entry blank PDF is available for download at www.BarayEvents.com. ONLINE ENTRIES: Web site is BarayEvents.com Follow instructions on Web site. $3.00 charge per dog per show. FEDEX, UPS, AIRBORNE or HAND-DELIVERED: Do NOT require signature. 113 E. Fairhaven Ave., Burlington, WA 98233. PHONE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. CANCELLATIONS, CHANGES AND TRANSFERS will be accepted according to AKC Rules. Any refunds will be made within three weeks after the show. An administration fee may apply. (01/2016)