

**American Pointer Club
National Field Trial Championship**

AKC Licensed Trial
Mingo Sportsman Club
Bloomingdale, Ohio
October 4-8, 2023

This Field Trial is Run Under the Rules and Procedures of the
American Kennel Club

Open To all AKC Registrable Pointers six months of age or older. National Grand Championship and National Amateur Grand Championship qualifications: Dogs must have placed first, second, third or fourth in any Open or Amateur Gun Dog or All-Age stake. Bitches in season may compete in the Championship stakes. Tracking collars will be allowed under AKC rules.

Mail advance entries with your check to:
Debra Freidus, Field Trial Secretary
388 Burlington Road, Harwinton, CT 06791
Phone 860-485-0323

Email: blackthornpt@earthlink.net

Entries will be accepted after 9:00 AM EST, Tuesday, August 8, 2023

Entries will close at **7:00 pm EST Monday, September 18, 2023**
with the Field Trial Secretary at 388 Burlington Ave, Harwinton, CT 06791
Drawing will take place at **9:00 pm EST Monday September 18, 2023**

at 388 Burlington Road, Harwinton, CT 06791

**A separate entry form is required for each stake.
Make checks payable to American Pointer Club.**

JUDGES AND STAKES TO BE JUDGED

Bonnie Hildago, # 44720, 29100E 148th Ave, Brighton, CO
National Grand Championship, Open Puppy Classic, Field Futurity

Sheila Hart, # 25969, 211 Phoenixville, Malvern, PA
National Grand Championship, Open Puppy Classic, Field Futurity

Greg Knight, #9ZB653, 9826 Avalon St, Alta Loma, CA
National Grand Amateur Championship, Open Derby Classic

Will Langley #18243, 13246 Lake Ave, Nampa, ID
National Grand Amateur Championship, Open Derby Classic

FIELD TRIAL MARSHALLS

Tracy Black, Deb Harper

Debra Freidus DVM
Field Trial Secretary
388 Burlington Road,
Harwinton, CT 06791



STAKES, SCHEDULE AND ENTRY FEES

Open Puppy Classic	30 Minute Braces	\$75.00
To begin no earlier than 8:00 A.M. Wednesday, October 4, 2023		
Field Futurity 2023	30 Minute Braces	\$85.00
To follow Open Puppy Classic		
National Grand Championship	One Hour Braces	\$175.00
To follow Field Futurity		
Open Derby Classic	30 Minute Braces	\$85.00
To follow National Grand Championship		
National Grand Amateur Championship	One Hour Braces	\$175.00
To follow Open Derby Classic		

COURSES AND BIRDS

National Open & Amateur Grand Championships are a single course without birdfields. Open Puppy, Open Derby Classics & Field Futurity are 30 minutes. Released quail will be used in all stakes except Open Puppy Classic. Native quail, chukar & pheasants may be present on course. A blank pistol will be fired in all stakes except Open Puppy Classic. Only a blank pistol incapable of firing live ammunition may be used. Horseback handling will be permitted in all stakes. Rental horses for handlers and spectators are available if requested in advance. **No training on the Championship course two weeks prior to the start of the event.**

PRIZES

AKC Rosettes and special keepsake trophies, to all placed dogs. Perpetual trophies are given to the owners of the winners of the National Grand Championship, the National Grand Amateur Championship, the Open Derby Classic, and the Open Puppy Classic and are to be held for one year.

OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

Diane Townsend – President, Fort Wayne, IN
Susan Bleckley – Vice President, Newport Beach, CA
Tonya Saks – Corresponding Secretary, Moss Point, MS
Susan Savage – Recording Secretary Salisbury, NC
Susan Bleckley – Acting Treasurer Newport Beach, CA
Danny Seymour – Delegate to AKC Wilmington, DE

FIELD TRIAL COMMITTEE

Chairman

Angela Schillereff, 23200 NW Reeder Road, Portland, OR 97231

Committee Members

Susan Bleckley, Debby Freidus, Judith Hamilton,
Jamie O'Donnell, Chuck Savage, Tracy Black, Deb Harper

All horses must be accompanied by proof of negative Coggins test that is current within the past 12 months. Please bring a copy with you. Animal water is available.

Welcome to the 27th annual American Pointer Club National Field Trial Championships. This year the trial will be run at Mingo Sportsman Club a privately owned hunting club on 4300 acres. The grounds have rolling hills and open prairies and had been groomed to provide outstanding opportunities for dogs to show their bird finding abilities. Prairie grasses have been planted in key areas and lead you through the hills past several lakes and tree lined fields of these amazing grounds. The championship stakes will be one hour on a single course. The Puppy and Derby Classics will be 30 minutes. There is a dog wagon.

Directions

From US-22, take the OH-152 exit toward Bloomingdale/Richmond. Follow County Road 22A into Bloomingdale, Ohio. Take third left onto Bloomingdale-Smithfield-Chandler/High Street. Take the third left onto Fernwood/Bloomingdale Road. Follow Fernwood/Bloomingdale Road for 4.8 miles. Take slight right turn onto Township Road 184 to grounds.

Airport information

Pittsburgh International is approximately 30 miles from the grounds.

Hotels

Cadiz Inn (Host) – 82468 Cadiz-Jewett Road, Cadiz, Ohio (740) 942-4044

Say you are with APC rate is \$72 + tax, \$10 pet fee per night, breakfast included
Microtel by Windham Steubenville – 620 Lincoln Ave, Cadiz, Ohio
(740) 942-1161 breakfast included rate around \$100 + \$25 per night pet fee
Super 8 - 1505 University Blvd, Steubenville, OH (740) 282-4565
breakfast included

Holiday Inn Weirton 350 Three Springs Drive, Weirton, WV
(304) 723-5522 No breakfast included

Food

Breakfast & lunch will be available daily at the outdoor pavilion. Hospitality every night during the event with special dinners planned during the week.

Microchipping Clinic

Microchipping and AKC Reunite registration on site for all animals.

Camping

Primitive overnight camping is allowed on the grounds. There are 10 sites with 30 amp electrical hookups for \$25 a night. There is plenty of room for staking out horses and dogs at the field trial grounds. Showers are near the clubhouse. Porta-potties are near the outdoor pavilion and there are additional restrooms at the Mingo Clubhouse.

Veterinarians

Polly Modransky- Country Rd Vet Clinic East Springfield, OH (740) 543-1419
Scott Pendleton- Cadiz Animal Clinic- Cadiz, OH (740) 942-3267
Tina Costerella- Equine Vet- Hammondsville, OH (330) 679-2406

Farrier

Farrier Bryon Wilson (740) 945-0257 will be on call.

Wrangler

There will be gaited horses and there will be a limited number available for rent. Please contact Debby Freidus in advance for horse rental reservations.

Feed stores in the area

Jefferson Landmark, 1525 St Route 152, Bloomingdale, OH 740-944-1890
Tractor Supply, 1500 Main St, Follansbee, WV 304-527-0050

Hospital & Urgent Care

Trinity Medical Center West, 3200 Johnson Road, Steubenville, OH
Trinity Express Care, 148 Main Street, Wintersville, OH
They are open 7 days a week 8am to 8pm

Catalog Ads

Please support the Nationals with an advertisement in our Catalog. Full page with color photo \$50; B&W ads are \$40. Contact our Catalog Editor, Tracy Black, to submit your advertisement at 713-702-4946 or email tracyblack318@gmail.com

Auction/Raffle

Please contact Debby Freidus to donate auction and raffle items. You may ship them in advance to:

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Tentative Schedule of Events

Tuesday October 3	Welcome to Nationals hospitality- evening
Wednesday October 4	Open Puppy Classic Field Futurity to Follow OPC National Grand Championship to follow FF Dinner - OPC and FF awards
Thursday October 5	Continuation of the National Grand Championship Dinner - Raffle
Friday October 6	Continuation of National Grand Championship Open Derby Classic to follow NGC Dinner - NGC and ODC awards
Saturday October 7	National Grand Amateur Championship Dinner - Auction
Sunday October 8	Continuation of National Grand Amateur Championship NGAC awards at the conclusion of the event.

NATIONAL FIELD TRIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Trophy and Rosette sponsorship

Please donate towards the National Field Trial Championships by sponsoring a trophy or set of rosettes for the 2023 event. Your name will be included in the National Catalog list of donors. The following trophies and rosettes are available:

Open Puppy Classic

Rosettes 1-4 place \$75
First place trophy \$75
Second place trophy \$50
Third place trophy \$40
Fourth place trophy \$40

Open Derby Classic

Rosettes 1-4 place \$75
First place trophy \$75
Second place trophy \$50
Third place trophy \$40
Fourth place trophy \$40

National Grand Championship

Rosettes 1-4 place \$75
Second place trophy \$75
Third place trophy \$50
Fourth place trophy \$50

National Grand Amateur Championship

Rosettes 1-4 place \$75
First place trophy \$100
Second place trophy \$75
Third place trophy \$50
Fourth place trophy \$50

Please contact Debra Freidus to secure your sponsorship.

We will be accepting cash, checks or PayPal apcnfieldtrial@gmail.com

Thank you for your support!

Our Sponsors:



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB FIELD TRIAL or HUNT TEST ENTRY FORM

Club: AMERICAN POINTER CLUB		Date: Oct. 4-8, 2023	Event # 2023149407	
Location: Bloomingtondale, Ohio		Event Type (test or trial): TRIAL		
Enter in Stake/Test		I enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$ _____		
Breed: POINTER	Reg. #:	Call Name:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC No. <input type="checkbox"/> AKC Litter No. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP No. <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign No. & list country: _____				
Full Name of Dog:				
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder:				
Actual Owner(s):				
Owner's Address:		Phone:		
City:	State:	Zip:		
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:				
<p>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club web site: www.akc.org</p> <p style="text-align: center;">AGREEMENT</p> <p>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 and 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.</p> <p>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 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 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 any 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.</p>				
Signature of owner or his Agent duly authorized to make this entry: _____				
Telephone:		Email address:		

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Full Name of Dog:				
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder:				
Actual Owner(s):				
Owner's Address:		Phone:		
City:	State:	Zip:		
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:				
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