

## OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Canada

## FIELD DOG TESTS FOR POINTING BREEDS (2 FDJ, 2 FD) September 14, 2013

The German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Canada will conduct 2 CKC licensed Field Dog Tests for all CKC recognised pointing breeds in Upper Stewiake, NS on September 14. The tests will be held under the Rules of The Canadian Kennel Club, Suite 400, 200 Ronson Drive, Etobicoke ON M9W5Z9.

German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Canada Officials and Field Test Committee:				
President: Maxine Moinier	Vice President: Tammy Parris			
Treasurer: Barbara Taws	Secretary: Maria Foster			
Field Test Chair: Houston Stewart, 1893 North York River Road, Warren Grove, PE C0A1H5				
Field Test Secretary: Karen Walsh				
Field Test Complaints Committee: Houston Stewart, Karen Walsh, Mabel Bingley, LInda Currie				

For the CKC:

Chief Executive Officer: Mr. Lance Novak CEO, 200 Ronson Ave., Suite 400 Etobicoke, ON M9W 5Z9 CKC Director for NS/NL: Mrs. Lee Steeves 1009 Hwy 214, Belnan NS B2S 2R1

NS/NL Pointing Breeds Representative: Ms. Barbara Deg 143 Arklow Drive, Dartmouth, NS B2W 4J1

Judge:			
FDJ/FD	JACK A DAFOE	TAMMY PARRIS	MICHAEL LEITCH
	PORT COLBORNE, ON	LYNDEN, ON	GODERICH, ON

Entries: Entries should be submitted to Field Test Secretary at the address listed below:

Karen Walsh 1508 Peters Road Emyvale, PE, COA1YO (902) 675-5483 karencwalsh@yahoo.ca

Entries will close at 8:00pm sharp on Monday, September 9, 2013 (or when entry limit of 12 dogs has been reached BEFORE SEPTEMBER 9, 2013). The draw for the running order will be held immediately after the close OF ENTRIES at the home of the field test secretary. Starting time will be determined once entries close. The first two dogs running at the test will be notified by phone or email.

Day of Test entries WILL be permitted, provided the entry limit of 12 has not been reached, and must be brought to the field test secretary up to minimum thirty minutes prior to the start of the test. Once the limit of 12 dogs has been reached, no more will be accepted. Please bring your dog's CKC registration information with you to avoid a listing fee.

**Entry fees**: **\$55.00** per FDJ or FD dog per test. Are to be paid in Canadian funds by cash, cheque or money order payable to the **German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Canada** and must accompany the entry.

**Listing Fee:** A listing 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 listing fee is \$9.65 (including HST) per dog per test entered and is in addition to the entry fee (s).

All entries for this Field Test are accepted on condition that German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Canada, its officials and members, and landowners, are released from all liabilities for loss, damage or injury sustained by dog, or person in conjunction with, or during the running of this Field Test. All minors shall be under the direct care and supervision of the parent or guardian.

## **TEST INFORMATION:**

- **Courses & Birds** Quail and/or chukar will be released. Other native game birds may be present. The tests course will be single course with bird field. Birds will also be released along the course.
- **Gallery** At the handler's discretion, a gallery of up to 6 spectators may be permitted to follow the test dogs. Spectators must wear blaze orange, remain together at all times and shall follow the directions of the judges, marshal & gunners. All other spectators must remain in the camp area.
- Total entries will be limited to 12 dogs per test.
- **Starting times** will be announced after the draw (earliest start will be 8:00 am). Running times are an estimate only and may change due to absentees or dogs "picked up" early. It is the handler's responsibility to be at the start of the course when it is their turn to run.
- FDJ & FD dogs will have 20-30 minutes to complete all aspects of the test. Dogs will be run individually.
- Firearms Official gunners will be the only persons permitted to carry firearms on the test site. In FD, shotguns will be fired over dogs with bird work when possible. Shooting will be done by official gunners only. In FDJ blank shells will be fired please provide your own starting pistol (calibre not less than .22 long).
- Blaze orange Blaze orange must be worn by any individual on the course during the FD tests.
- Bitches in season will NOT be permitted to run.
- **Collaring** a dog will be allowed only at the judge's instruction.
- Tracking Collars and any apparel that could be considered a training aid will not be permitted.
- **Training or exercising** of dogs is prohibited on the test grounds before, during, or after the test without the permission of the Field Test Chairman or the Field Test Secretary.
- Moving up eligible dogs may move up to the next level, provided they inform the field test secretary one hour prior to the commencement of the test.
- Accommodations: Truro motels: Willow Bend Motel: 1-888-594-5569 (\$89.00 for two occupants per night pets stay free free continental breakfast please quote Atlantic Pointing Breed Club)
- **Prizes** Standard CKC qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all qualifying dogs. All ribbons are to be claimed at the Test no ribbons will be mailed. A suitable prize will be offered to the top scoring dog in FDJ and FD in each of the tests. A suitable prize will be offered to the top scoring FDJ and FD GSP in each test.
- All participants must be familiar with CKC Rules and Regulations and also the rules, conditions and provisions of this Premium List. CKC Field Test Rules are available from the CKC. NOTE: Make sure you review the rules for Field Dog Tests (available on the CKC website: www.ckc.ca)
- Location –Firefly Kennels, 636 Southside Road, Upper Stewiacke, Nova Scotia. The club wishes to thank Darren and Crystal Miller for use of the grounds. Please contact the trial secretary for directions to the grounds.
- **Meals** Please contact the Test Secretary <u>karencwalsh@yahoo.ca</u> if you wish to participate in a potluck lunch. Otherwise, meals will not be provided.

It shall be the duty and obligation of the test-giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer, or competitor is not subject to indignities of any kind.

## **Release, Consent, and Indemnity**

In consideration of the German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Canada (the Club) allowing me to attend and/or participate in this test, I acknowledge that there may be inherent risks in attending and/or participating in this test, including risks associated with guns.

I am attending and/or participating at my own risk.

I release the Club, the Canadian Kennel Club (the CKC), judges, Clubs' members, directors, officers, agents, committee members, test secretary, gunners, volunteers, and landowners from any claim for loss or damages respecting personal injury (including death) and property (including loss of or injury to my dogs) that may arise in any way from anything to do with this test. I will comply with Official Premium List requirements. I will indemnify and hold harmless those listed above respecting any claims that may arise for injury or loss caused by me or my dogs.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Note: All participants in the GSPCC tests will be required to sign a copy of this form before running their dogs. It may be submitted to the Test Secretary with the entry form or presented to the Test Secretary on the Test Site.

Thank you.