

NORTHERN ARIZONA GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER CLUB

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November 20-22, 2009
Paulden, AZ

The Northern Arizona German Shorthaired Pointer Club completed another outstanding AKC licensed Field Trial in Paulden last weekend amid very nice conditions for the dogs and participants. Unlike our spring event that featured flat-line winds in excess of 50mph, this time around we had only an occasional annoying gust on Saturday and for the remaining days it was light and variable and very pleasant.

We had a total of 81 entries drawn and with 3 days to run them, we elected to use a single course for all of the gun dog stakes and extended it for the all-age stake which kicked things off on Friday morning under the judgment of Jim Schultz and Nick Besenick. 9 dogs competed and in the end PR's Gustopher of Rockpoint emerged as close to the top as his performance allowed, 3rd. All other placements were withheld. Lee Holsinger joined Jim Schultz next for the running of 18 dogs in the Open Limited Gun Dog Stake. Five (5) braces were completed on Friday with the remaining 4 braces run on Saturday morning. The results were:
1st— Holzer's Desert Willow, handled by Blair Holzer; 2nd—Viesoo's Desert Dakota, handled by Mike George; 3rd— Slick Smokin' Colt, handled by Terry Chandler; and 4th—Faraway Island's Ranger, also handled by Blair Holzer.

Next up was the 12 dog Amateur Gun Dog stake, judged by Nick Besenick and Cindy Pescod. Here is the way it turned out: 1st: Viesoo's Desert Dakota, handled by Mike George; 2nd: Teton's Million Dollar Baby, handled by Don Lee; 3rd: Prairie Wind's Teton Sage, also handled by Don Lee; 4th: FC. Huachuca's Mai Tai, handled by Phil Casdorff.

While the AGD stake was running it was decided to run the Open Puppy and Open Derby stakes on a second course. Sal Satalante and Tom Pescod judged the Open Puppy stake and Lee Holsinger and Cindy Pescod judged the Open Derby. The Derby was won by: No Limit Rebuy, handled by Jim



Pintado's High Jack
Winner—Open Gun Dog
Owner: Tim Baranski

Schultz; 2nd: Senator's Chicken Hawk, handled by R.F. Henderson; 3rd: Tekoa Mountain Tia, handled by Terry Chandler; and 4th: Ricochet's Buckmark, handled by Gene Wullkotte. The Puppy went to Senator's Chicken Hawk, handled by R.F. Henderson; 2nd: Ricochet's Buckmark, handled by Gene Wullkotte; 3rd: DRK Cruisin' Cody; and 4th: DRK's Gone In Sixty Seconds.

On Sunday, Tom Pescod and Sal Satalante joined up to judge the 27 dog Open Gun Dog Stake. 1st: Pintado's High Jack, handled by Tim Baranski; 2nd: Wild Willie von Greiwe, handled by Gene Wullkotte; 3rd: Power Surge von Greiwe, also handled by Gene Wullkotte; and 4th: Chelcee's Little Pistol, handled by Ken Hart.

It was a smoothly run event thanks to a long list of club members that worked hard both before the event and were there to help during the running. Arlene Walker received the entries and did an excellent job of organization before she turned them over to the event Secretary, Stevi Casdorff, who also did an outstanding job. On Thursday, Phil Casdorff, Bob Walker, Tom Clare, Karen Nelson, Dave Harris, Jeff Hallett and Bob Williams joined me at the Casdorff's barn to load and again onsite to set up the camp tent, tables, chairs, water trailer, bird box and such. Birds were delivered as well as our toilets, and at the end of the day we were ready to go.

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During the running on Friday, Saturday and Sunday a number of members helped keep things going and prepared food, etc. Bob Williams, Karen Nelson, Bob Walker, Stevi Casdorff worked together to salt the course, plant birds, fill bird bags, fill water barrels and line marshal. Pat Lee brought out a huge pot of "Pasta Fazul" for lunch on Friday and it was quickly enjoyed by everyone. John McCune grilled delicious cheeseburgers for us on Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday evening we had a pot luck dinner and once again John McCune grilled up the chicken that Stevi pre-cooked. There were some great salads, side dishes and desserts brought by participants. The highlight Saturday evening was the drawing of the Garmin Astro 220/DC30 GPS dog tracking unit to the lucky winner of our club's raffle. Mike George was the winner, and that made it a "two-fer" as he also won the Amateur Gun Dog stake. Congratulations Mike— that was quite a day!

This trial was the debut of our newly made bird box, and it worked out very, very well. Bob Walker, Bob Williams, Tom Clare and I finished it a couple of weeks before the trial after seeing a similar bird box at the GSPCA Nationals in Eureka, Kansas. Having clean, well maintained, healthy birds makes a big difference and this unit is just about perfect for the task. In fact, I think we could have taken a couple of orders from members of the other clubs that were admiring it.

After lunch on Sunday, club members worked together to take down the tent, pack away the gear and transport it all back to the Casdorff's and return the water trailer to my house.

I would like to thank everyone for coming to our event and participating. I would especially like to thank the members of our club that worked so very hard to make it a success. In addition, we could not have had such a successful event without our judges: Tom and Cindy Pescod, Jim Schultz, Lee Holsinger, Nick Besnick and Sal Satalante. Thank you everyone!

Don Lee, Chairman

OPEN PUPPY

Judges: T Pescod and S Satalante
8 Starters

1. Senator's Chicken Hawk
Pointer Male 2/13/2009
SR572284/01
Sire: Miller's On Line
Dam: Rebel's Royal Addition
Owner/Handler: RT Henderson
2. Ricochet's Buckmark
GSP Male 9/25/2008
SR523640/01
Sire: Bitty's Diamond Dude
Dam: Ricochet's Arrieta
Owner: Larry Shaw
Handler: Gene Wullkotte
3. DRK's Crusin Cody
GSP Male 4/12/2009
SR555453/06
Sire: Reo Pawnee
Dam: Holzer's Desert Willow
Owner/Handler: Ron Yospur
4. DRK's Gone in Sixty Seconds
GSP Female 4/12/2009
SR555453/01
Sire: Reo Pawnee
Dam: Holzer's Desert Willow
Owner: Jean and Blair Holzer
Handler: Blair Holzer

OPEN DERBY

Judges: C Pescod and L Holsinger
6 Starters

1. No Limit Rebuy
Pointer Male 10/6/2008
SR565905/01
Sire: Rock Acre Duramax
Dam: Rock Acre Dreamgirl
Owner/Handler: Jim Schultz

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2. Senator's Chicken Hawk
Pointer Male 2/13/2009
SR572284/01
Sire: Miller's On Line
Dam: Rebel's Royal Addition
Owner/Handler: RT Henderson

3. Tekoa Mountain Tia
Setter Female 5/6/2008
SR493784/02
Sire: Tekoa Mountain Patriot
Dam: Tekoa Mountain Sunrays
Owner: Guy Mollicone
Handler: Terry Chandler

4. Ricochet's Buckmark
GSP Male 9/25/2008
SR523640/01
Sire: Bitty's Diamond Dude
Dam: Ricochet's Arrieta
Owner: Larry Shaw
Handler: Gene Wullkotte

AMATEUR GUN DOG (Retrieving)
Judges: C Pescod and T Besenick
12 Starters

1. Diesoo's Desert Dakota
Vizsla Male 2/25/2006
Sr392859/01
Sire: Lil Red Streak of Litnin
Dam: Dry Creeks Lightning Bug
Owner/Handler: Mike George

2. Teton's Million Dollar Baby
GSP Female 3/16/2006
SR331171/05
Sire: Teton's Sport
Dam: Teton's Powder River
Owner/Handler: Don Lee

3. Prairie Wind's Teton Sage
GSP Female 11/6/2005
SR301218/01
Sire: Sport's See That Spekk
Dam: Prairie Wind's Just A Flirt
Owner/Handler: Don Lee

4. Huachuca's Mai Tai
GSP Male 7/16/2000
SN762128/01
Sire: Huachuca Pudding River Kit
Dam: Uodibar's Carrying the News
Owner: Phil and Stephanie Casdorff
Handler: Phil Casdorff

OPEN ALL AGE (Retrieving)
Judges: JD Schultz and T B Besenick
9 Starters

1. Withheld
2. Withheld

3. PR's Gustopher of Rockpoint
Vizsla Male 12/4/2001
SN885483/04
Sire: Fieldstone Rockets Red Glare
Dam: Mehagian's McKenzie
Owner: Tom and Cindy Pescod
Handler: Tom Pescod

4. Withheld

OPEN GUN DOG (Retrieving)
Judges: T Pescod and S Satallante
27 Starters

1. Pintado's High Jack
GSP Male 4/13/2006
SR342378/05
Sire: Dunfur's Charlie Bailey Gates
Dam: Pintada Florabunda
Owner/Handler: Tim Baranski

2. Wild Willie von Griewe
GSP Male 7/11/2005
SR286372/03
Sire: Rockin Rip von Greiwe
Dam: Miss Maggie von Greiwe
Owner: Cline Preble
Handler: Gene Wullkotte

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3. Power Surge von Greiwe
GSP Male 7/11/2005
SR286372/01
Sire: Rockin Rip von Greiwe
Dam: Miss Maggie von Greiwe
Owner: Larry Shaw
Handler: Gene Wullkotte
4. Chelcee's Little Pistol
Vizsla Female 2/18/2002
SR012857/02
Sire: Sun Up Magnum Forty-Four
Dam: Chelcee Jene PV
Owner/Handler: Ken Hart



OPEN LIMITED GUN DOG (Retrieving)
Judges: JD Schultz and L Holsinger

Holzer's Desert Willow
Winner—Open Limited Gun Dog
Owner: Blair and Jean Holzer

1. Holzer's Desert Willow
GSP Female 1/31/2002
SR000682/06
Sire: Grand Funk's Riocky Road
Dam: Holzer's Desert Rose
Owner: Blair and Jean Holzer
Handler: Blair Holzer
2. Diesoo's Desert Dakota
Vizsla Male 2/25/2006
Sr392859/01
Sire: Lil Red Streak of Litnin
Dam: Dry Creeks Lightning Bug
Owner/Handler: Mike George
3. Slick Smokin Colt
GSP Male 6/1/2006
SR354640/05
Sire: Magnum's King of Aces
Dam: Kojac's Blazin Ruby
Handler: Terry Chandler
4. Faraway Island's Ranger
GSP Male 1/31/2002
SR000682/11
Sire: Grand Funk's Riocky Road
Dam: Holzer's Desert Rose
Owner: Blair and Jean Holzer
Handler: Blair Holzer

2010 AKC GUN DOG CHAMPIONSHIPS

The AKC announces that the 2010 Gun Dog Championship will be held at Fort Robinson State Park near Crawford, NE starting May 1. The Colorado Pointer Club will be the host club. Co-Chairs are Steve Bailey and Tom Maneely. More information will be posted as it becomes available.

2010 JUDGES

Non-Retrieving Championship:

Stan Truksa – Nebraska
John Malone – Connecticut

Retrieving Championship:

Mike Aldrich – New Mexico
James Schultz – Arizona