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2022 FIELD TRIAL HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES



NGSPA Hawkeye Shooting Dog Championships

Branched Oaks Field Trial Grounds Raymond, NE

April 29, 2023 - May 4, 2023 Stakes Offered: OSD, ASD

Judges: TBA

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NGSPA Region 4

Ionia, MI

Start Date: 5/3/2023

Stakes Offered: OAA, OSD and ASD

ATTENTION: ALL NGSPA CHAMPIONSHIP COORDINATORS

ALL pre-Championship forms and post Championship forms must be submitted via the Championship page on the NGSPA website. Any questions or assistance please contact Chad Inderman or Anthony Rusciano (mobile: 848-565-6698)



NGSPA SHARPTAIL CHAMPIONSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT OF CHANGES AND REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

The NGSPA Board of Trustees received a complaint against the leadership of the Sharptail Championship requesting that the NGSPA remove sanctioning from the NGSPA Sharptail Association for a number of specified reasons. A hearing regarding this matter was held on April 4, 2023 in Grovespring, MO.

After considering all of the written testimony and evidence the Board of Trustees unanimously approved the following motion:

It has been sufficiently proven that the board should remove the sanctioning of the NGSPA Sharptail Association as it is currently organized under the Chairmanship of Tom Davis, and if the Sharptail Championship is reorganized in the future, Tom Davis will not be allowed to be a part of the leadership team.

As a result the sanctioning for the NGSPA Sharptail Association as it has been organized has been removed.

The Board of Trustees wants to see the NGSPA Sharptail Championship reorganized under leadership capable of holding a wild bird Championship meeting the standards of excellence required by the NGSPA.

We will hear proposals from interested and qualified parties at our June, 2, 3 meeting.

Sincerely.

Keith Richardson President, NGSPA

2022 Field Trial Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony



The Luncheon



Tonya Brotherton with opening remarks



Bonnie Hidalgo



Professional Handlers John Rabidou, Chris Goegan, Keith Gulled, Phil Mathiowetz, Dan Hoke & David Walker in attendance for the induction ceremonies

By Don Kidd

An estimated crowd of four hundred people gathered at Grand Junction, Tennessee, on Saturday, February 11th, 2023, to honor the induction of individuals and several breeds of bird dogs into the National Bird Dog Hal of Fame.

The morning started with the English Springer Spaniel Field Trial Association inducting Mike Elsasser, a professional spring trainer and handler, along with Spring Spanies, Cathy's Kris of Burnsget and Flushing Wing Annie into their Hall of Fame. This was followed by the Retrievers inducting Laura Parrott and the late Jack Vollstedt along with Labrador Retrievers Bayou Star Beyond Independent and Lock Five's Got Her Blue Genes On into the Retriever Hall of Fame.

Nestle Purina sponsored an excellent luncheon which featured two different salads, roasted pork and chicken, baked potatoes with bacon bits, butter beans, rolls and two different desserts. A total of 340 individuals were served lunch in connection with the Hall of Fame activities. Ainley Kennels and Fabrication, Avery Sporting Dog, Garmin, and Gundog Central also cosponsored the events of the day.

There were a number of Shorthair enthusiasts in attendance who spent time in the improving Shorthair exhibit of the museum. Mike Aldrich and Gene Mosley deserve your accolades for their work, time, and effort on the Shorthair exhibit.

Tonya Brotherton, Executive Director of the Bird Dog Foundation, Mark Medford, President of the Bird Dog Foundation, and Karl Gunzer of Nestle' Purina made opening remarks to start the afternoon session of the Hall of Fame ceremonies.

This afternoon session followed with the presentation of a plaque by Bonnie Hidalgo honoring the late Ray Dohse of Wrightsville, Georgia, a professional bird dog trainer who enjoyed success with German Shorthairs and Irish Setters. This was followed by Don Kidd presenting a



Dean Crabbs



Dean's photograph that will be displayed at the Hall of Fame

plaque honoring Jim Yates of Pickniville, Michigan, an outstanding German Shorthair field trailer, to the Bird Dog Museum.

The following program honored the distinguished individuals and the owner of an outstanding dog who were elected to the German Shorthaired pointer Field Trial Hall of Fame in 2022.

DEAN CRABBS

Dean Crabbs' commitment to the sport of field trialing and to the German Shorthaired Pointer has made him most deserving of induction into the German Shorthaired Pointer Hall of Fame.

Dean has been a tireless worker at field trials. He has been an instrumental leader and worker for the GSPC of Idaho helping to conduct AKC field trials, the NGSPA Region 9 Championship, and the AKC Gun Dog Championship when it was held in Idaho. He successfully chaired the NGSPA National Championship for several years, and this championship grew each year under his leadership.

Dean served not only as the President of the GSPC of Idaho but, also, was a member of the board of the NGSPA for several years. In addition to being involved in GSP leadership positions, he has stepped up numerous times to judge countless AKC trials, several NGSPA Championships, along with trials for other pointing dog breeds. Dean has also been known to volunteer his time judging AKC hunt test and working at other GSP events.

Dean has owned several Shorthairs who have earned both AKC and American Field trial wins and placements. Lonewolf's Huachuca Jake, who was not only Dean's trusted chukar hunting companion, but was also, a successful trial dog. While Jake was an AKC Field Champion and a AKC Amateur Field Champion, Dean handled Jake to fourteen American Field Trial placements of which better than half were Championships.

As evident through his selfless dedication to the sport of field trialing and, to the German Shorthaired breed, dean exemplifies what it means to be a member of the GSP Field Trial Hall of Fame.



Keith & Robbi Gulledge



Photograph of Keith & Robbi Gulledge which will be on display at the Hall of Fame

KEITH & ROBBI GULLEDGE

Keith & Robbi Gulled of Blue Dawn Kennels, located in Madison, KS, are arguably the most accomplished husband and wife team in field trial history. While Keith is known as an exceptional field trial handler, he points out how Robbi has contributed to their success. She is, not only, known as an exceptional scout, but is also responsible for their successful breeding program and was the AKC 2021 GSPCA Breeder of the Year. She is also the first female to place dogs in both the GSPCA National Open Gun Dog and the GSPCA National All Age Championship.

The Gulledges not only attend field trials but they help with ten, as well. They have used their strong relationships with landowners in the area to help secure grounds for area field trials. In addition to both of them having been in the judicial saddle on several occasions, they assist with the GSPCA National Championship which is held nearby in Eureka, KS. They frequently scout for other professional handlers when asked.

Their win record is most impressive. The Gulledges have finished 96 AKC Field Champions, won the GSPCA All Age Championship ten times, the GSPCA National Gun Dog Championship eight times, and the GSPCA Futurity four times. They have won the NGSPA National All-Age Championship three times, the NGSPA Shooting Dog Championship nine times, and the NGSPA Futurity four times. In addition, they have won the National German Pointing Dog Association All-Age Championship three times and the Open Shooting Dog Championship four times.

These wins alone are more than enough to deserve their distinct honor of joining the current members of the German Shorthaired Pointer Field Trial Hall of Fame. There is more to a Hall of Fame than just winning field trials. The Gulledges have dedicated their lives to improving, participating and promoting all aspects of field trials and the German Shorthaired Pointer breed.



Robert Reynolds & Chris Goegan commenting on Kyle's Hightailing Luke



Photograph of Kyle's Hightailing Luke to be displayed at the Hall of Fame

KYLE'S HIGHTAILING LUKE

Kyle's Hightailing Luke, a German. Shorthaired Pointer male, was whelped on February 13, 2001, in a litter bred by Stephanie Devine. He was sired by Hall of Fame KJ's Hightailing Saddle and bred to Stephanie's All-Age bitch Devine's Tasmanian She Devil, who was a daughter of Heide's Mighty City Slicker and Chicoree's Cherry Cola.

Luke was acquired at an early age by Hank Lewis. Luke showed early promise and capped off his derby career by winning the 2002 NGSPA Pheasant Derby Classic.

Robert Reynolds, DVM, purchased Luke in the Spring of 2003. Luke finished his AKC Field Championship in September 2003 at the Michigan field trial by winning the Open Limited Gun Dog stake against an impressive field.

Luke, who had a host of field trial wins, was the first dog to win the NGSPA All-Age Pheasant Championship three times only to be equaled by his son, Kane, as a three time winner. An unfortunate kennel accident claimed Luke's life when he was reaching the height of his competitive career at 6 years of age.

Even with limited production due to his early death, Luke produced eleven AKC Field Trial Champions, seven Amateur Field Trial Champions, and three GSPCA Futurity placements. In American Field competition, he produced twelve winners with 152 placements.

These include nine championships including a NGSPA All-Age Champion and two National German Pointing Dog Association All-Age Championships. Luke's ability to pass on his Natural abilities through his get is evidenced by his grandson, Hi-N's Feed Jake, the 2015 National Al-Age Champion.

Luke has truly had a positive genetic impact upon the breed and deserves recognition in the German Shorthaired Pointer Field Trial Hall of Fame.

William F Fred Rail, Jr. a professional bird dog trainer and David Johnson were elected into the Pointer/Setter Field Trial Hall of Fame. Fred Ray handled twenty-eight champions of which three -Builder's Addition, Fiddler and Fidler's Pride, were elected to the Hall of Fame. David Johnson, over his career scouted 130 champion pointers to their wins. He is considered a living tribute to the "Golden Age of Scouting".

Miller's Happy Jake, owned by Scott Griffin of Mint Hall of North Carolina and handled by Randy Anderson of Vinita, Oklahoma, and Just Irresistible, owned by Mary Devon, and handled by Jamie Daniels were the Pointer/Setter dogs inducted into the Hall of Fame.

The American Brittany Club (ABC) selected Mary E Crawford for induction into the Field Trial Hall of Fame. Mary, who is well known to many Shorthair field trailers, served a s Field Trial Secretary for the ABC national All Age Championship for several years, was a member of the National Show Committee in the 1990's and currently serves on the Judges Education Committee.

Mary and her Husband, Jim, have produced 14 dual/amateur field champions, 3 field/amateur field champions.

Mary is a Bird Dog Foundation member, serving as secretary, and a donor to the Brittany Endowment Fund. She personally researched and save photographs of Hall of Fame dogs and people. She personally framed 57 photographs to complete the ABC exhibit of Hall of Famers. The afternoon continued with the National Red Setter Field Trial Club announcing that their 2022 Hall o Fame Inductee was Roger Boser of Seven Valleys, Pennsylvania, who joined the Red Setter club at age 16 and maintained that membership for 64 years. He held nearly every position in the Red Setter Field Trial Club and successfully field trialed Red Setters to 87 championships and 82 runner-up placements.

Zan Sett Simply Red, bred by Stan Zdanzcewicz, owned by Catherine Lewis an DeanReinke and handled by Tom Waite was the 2022 Red Setter to be inducted.

A reception honoring all of the day's hall of Fame inductees sponsored by the United Kennel Club followed the foregoing presentations.

RULES FOR CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFICATIONS Revised June 1, 2022

ELIGIBLE DOGS

Running Rules Chapter 2, Article II, Section 6. Eligible Dogs.

All dogs entered in any NGSPA Championship must be registered as a German Shorthaired Pointer in the American Field Dog Stud Book ("FDSB"). All dogs must comply with American Field Dog Stud Book DNA testing requirements. (See NOTE below)

CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFICATIONS

These Qualifications are for dogs entering any NGSPA recognized Championships, Regional or Species. They do not apply to the Nationals or Invitational.

Section 6. Qualifications.

Any eligible dog may be entered in any NGSPA Championship or Derby Classic.

NOTE: The *Field Dog Stud Book* requires all pointing dogs that win championship placements (winner and runner-up), open and amateur, to submit DNA to the FDSB for testing within 30 days of the win. Failure to comply with this requirement shall result in those dogs' records being suspended until this requirement is met.

- <u>DNA "KITS"</u> can be obtained from the *Field Dog Stud Book*. Please contact Jason Lee at (269)-343-9020, ext. 330. Email: jlee@ukcdogs.com
- Refer to their website: www.americanfield.com for submission details.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFICATIONS

Running Rules Chapter 2, Article IIL Section 2. Qualifications for the National Championship, National Amateur Championship, National Open Shooting Dog Championship, National Amateur Shooting Dog Championship, and any other National Championship stakes.

- (A) Qualification for Life. The following qualify a dog for life, for entry in the National Championship (All Age), National Amateur Championship (All Age), National Open Shooting Dog Championship, National Amateur Shooting Dog Championship, and any other National Championship(s) (excluding the Futurity) the Board determines to hold:
 - (a) A win (Champion or RU Champion) in an NGSPA or American Field Championship of an hour in length or more.
 - (2) A win (1st, 2nd, or 3rd) in a broke dog stake in any NGSPA, American Field or AKC sanctioned pointing dog field trial.

2023 NGSPA Savannah River Championships

The 2023 NGSPA Savannah River Championship was held at Showtime Plantation in Bronwood, GA starting on Feb. 5th. A special thank you to the land owners, Larrin & Laura Copeland for graciously allowing us to use this beautiful place. We look forward to this being "home" for these trials. Thank you to Larrin, Colt, Brady and Scooter Jones for marshalling of the courses and dog wagon duties. We were blessed with wonderful weather for the most part, plenty of wild birds, three one-hour courses and a superb plantation. We also enjoyed the use of the club house with a patio for viewing parts of the trial and the wild life. You should already be making plans to attend next year.

Thank you to Purina for their support of these trials. Also, thanks to Greg Blair, Carl Gunzer and Terry Trzcinski for all the work you do behind the scenes. Thank You to SportDog and Mr. Jim Moorehouse for always supporting us with collars.

Thank you to Diane Coppens, Becky & Andy Dynkiewicz, Art Terstage, Cheryl and Gale Graves for helping with lunches, suppers and the club house. Thank you to everyone who helped clean up after supper and lunches.

We would like to thank all the participates, Dan DiMambro, April Raber, Joe Orndorff, Kirk Loftin, Sherri Tangsrud, Hank & Dina Lewis, Doug & Heather Miller, Lyndsay Cuming, Andy Dynkiewicz, Art Terstage, Anthony Rusciano, and Peter Coppens. Hopefully, we didn't forget anyone. Without the support of everyone, we could not have these Championships. Thank you to our judges George Hickox and Debbie Ozner the Amateur Championships. Thank you judges, Jarrett Bell & Dave Walker, in the Shooting Dog Championship. Thank you judges, Gary Hill and Jarrett Bell in the All Age Championship. Thank



Open Shooting Dog Winners
(Back) Kirk Loftin, Judge Jarrett Bell, Judge Dave Walker
(Front). Sherri Tangsrud with Uodibar's Robbie Jo, April
Raber with Monkeyshine's Call Me The Breeze and Dan
DiMambro

you to judges, TK Smith and Joe Orndorff for the Amateur All Age Championship. Thank you to our judges Allison Bell and Kirk Loftin in the Derby. Thank you to Mrs. Dan DiMambro (April Raber) for cleaning the club house at the conclusion of the 2023 Savannah River Championship. Thank you to Diane Coppens our secretary / treasurer for all the paperwork, constant reminding and trying to keep us on the straight and narrow. Our scribe was President Peter Coppens with help from the judges. Thank you Peter & Art Terstage (& the rest of the board) for your dedication to this sport. This championship would not happen if it were not for you.

OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

The Savannah River Shooting Dog started off the Championship on Feb. 5th. Jarrett Bell and Dave Walker were our capable judges and we thank them for their time in the saddle. Eighteen GSPs entered the stake and we had beautiful Georgia weather.

Uodibar's Robbi Jo was named Champion. Robbi is a female GSP owned by Sherri Tangsrud, handled Kirk Loftin. Robbi ran on the first day in the 4th brace. Robbie was gone forward from the break away. She had finds at 35 & 55. All manners in order and finished the hour strong and to the front. This performance earned her the championship title.

The Runner Up went to Monkeyshine's Call Me the Breeze (Breezy). Breezy is owned/handled by Dan DiMambro and April Raber. She ran in the first brace of day two of the stake. Breezy ran a forward race and handled well for Dan. She was found on point at 45 and worked birds successfully. Breezy had a forward and very consistent Shooting Dog Run and was rewarded with the Runner Up placement.



Open All Age Winners
(Back) Judge Jarrett Bell, Peter Coppens, Judge Gary
Hill (Front) Allison Bell with Stoney Hill's Pinnacle Dee,
Kirk Loftin and Sherry Tangsrud with Uodibar's Robbi
Jo

OPEN ALL AGE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Savannah River All Age followed immediately after the Shooting dog. Gary Hill and Jarrett Bell were our trusted judges. Twelve GSPs entered the stake and we had another great weather day.

Stoney Hill's Pinnacle Dee was name Champion. Dee is owned and handled by Kirk Loftin. She ran a consistent All Age Race and had one find at 55. This earned her the honor of Champion.

Uodibar's Robbi Jo was named Runner Up Champion. She is owned/scouted by Sherri Tangsrud and handled by Kirk Loftin. Robbi had a find at 50 and ran a nice consistent All Age Race. This earned her the Runner Up title.



Derby Classic Winners
(Back) Cheryl Graves, Gale Graves, Judge Jarrett
Bell, Judge Allison Bell
(Front) Joe Orndorff with Ream's Winnie, April Raber
with Chicoree's Four Leaf Clover II, Rebecca
Dynkiewicz and Andy Dynkiewicz with Caprock's
Bella County Gabin

DERBY CLASSIC

Derby – Judges: Allison Bell and Kirk Loftin. We thank both of them for stepping up and their time in the saddle.

The NGSPA Savannah River Derby Classic was held with 17 hopefuls going to the line.

1st was awarded to Ream's Winnie who is owned by Derrick Ream and handled by Joe Orndorff

2nd was awarded to Chicoree's Four Leaf Clover II (Chloe) owned by Fred Ryan and handled by Dan DiMambro

3rd was awarded to Caprock's Bella's Country Gamin (Bella) who is owned by Joe Vandiver and handled by Dan DiMambro



Amateur All-Age Winner
Judge TK Smith, Mary Lynn Miller, Doug Miller,
Heather Miller with SP Little Hurricane (Lucy) and
Judge Joe Orndorff

AMATEUR ALL-AGE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Savannah River Amateur All Age followed the Derby. TK Smith and Joe Orndorff were our judges. And we thank them for their time in the saddle. Ten GSPs entered the stake.

The Champion was SP Little Hurricane (Lucy) owned by Heather and Doug Miller and handled by Doug. Lucy had a covey find at 47. She ran an all-age race consistently thru out the hour. She had a big finish and was going away. She handled perfect for Miller and was awarded the championship trophy.

Runner up was withheld



Amateur Shooting Dog Winner (Back) Colt Copeland, Jarrett Bell, Doug Miller (Front) Kirk Loftin, Judge George Hickox, Sherri Tangsrud with Uodibar's Lover Boy (Blue), Deb owner and Mary Lynn Miller

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

The Savannah River Amateur Shooting Dog followed the Amateur All Age. George Hickox and Debbie Ozner were our trusty judges. Sixteen GSPs entered the stake and nice weather with a little bit of rain.

The Champion was Uodibar's Lover Boy (Blue) owned/scouted by Sherri Tangsrud and handled by Kirk Loftin. Blue was cut loose by her handler and he showed us all what a champion is meant to be. Blue had finds at 22 & 45. He had nice style on all bird work and worked well for his handler. Blue was powerful and to the front. This is why he was named the champion.

Runner up was Hi-N's Free Ride (Toby), owned by Derrick Ream & Hank Lewis. He was handled by Lewis. Toby broke away with a large, strong move. He continued to work in this manner and came up with a find at 54 and displayed good style and intensity. This performance earned Toby the Runner Up Title.

THE WINNERS

OPEN SHOOTING DOG

Judges: Jarrett Bell & Dave Walker

18 Starters

Champion

Uodibar's Robbi Jo

GSP Female 1/2/2015

FDSB# 1662507

Sire: Uodibar's Against All Odds Dam: BDK's Jessie's Sin City Cassino

Owner: Sherri Tangsrud Handler: Kirk Loftin

Runner-Up

Monkeyshine's Call Me The Breeze

GSP Female 9/1/2021 Sire: Riden High Rudy

Dam: Cuttin Wild's Space Cowgirl (Lena?) Owner: Dan DiMambro & April Raber

Handler: Dan DiMambro

OPEN ALL-AGE

Judges: Jarrett Bell & Gary Hill

12 Starters

Champion

Stoneyhill's Pinnacle Dee GSP Female 5/14/2017

FDSB# 1694168 Sire: Simon's Gunner

Dam: Shadow Rocks Mighty Mouse

Owner/Handler: Kirk Loftin

Runner-Up

Uodibar's Robbi Jo

GSP Female 1/2/2015

FDSB# 1662507

Sire: Uodibar's Against All Odds Dam: BDK's Jessie's Sin City Cassino

Owner: Sherri Tangsrud Handler: Kirk Loftin

DERBY CLASSIC

Judges: Kirk Loftin & Allison Bell

17 Starters

1st Place

Ream's Winnie

GSP Female 6/25/2021

FDSB# 1703217

Sire: BMB's Free Loader

Dam: Autry's Natural Chromoly

Owner: Derrick Ream Handler: Joe Orndorff

2nd Place

Chicoree's Four Leaf Clover II GSP Female 1/2/2022 Sire: Twin Creeks Running Ruger Dam: Hi-N's Allison Miranda

Owner: Fred Ryan Handler: Dan DiMambro

3rd Place

Caprock's Bella Country Cabin GSP Female 5/30/2021

FDSB# 8252301

Sire: Llano's Game On Dude Dam: Chicoree's Country Fan

Owner: Joe Vandiver Handler: Dan DiMambro

AMATEUR ALL-AGE

Judges: TK Smith & Joe Orndorff

10 Starters

Champion

SP Little Hurricane

GSP Female 7/13/2014

FDSB# 1664084

Sire: Hi N's Hurricane Express Dam: Miller's Mischievous Maebyn Owner/Handler: Doug Miller

Runner-Up

Placement Withheld

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG

Judges: George Hickox & Deb Ozner

16 Starters

Champion

Uodibar's Lover Boy GSP Male 7/30/2019

FDSB# 1689423

Sire: FC Diamond S Texas Express Dam: Uodibar's Bet Your Booty Owner: Sherry Tangsrud

Handler: Kirk Loftin

Runner-Up

Hi-N's Free Ride

GSP Male 10/11/2020

FDSB# 1696637 Sire: BMB's Free Ride

Dam: Covey Up Controlled Burn Owner: Hank Lewis & Derrick Ream

Handler: Hank Lewis

OPEN SHOOTING DOG

Judges: Jarrett Bell & Dave Walker

18 Starters

Champion

Uodibar's Robbi Jo

GSP Female 1/2/2015

FDSB# 1662507

Sire: Uodibar's Against All Odds Dam: BDK's Jessie's Sin City Cassino

Owner: Sherri Tangsrud Handler: Kirk Loftin

Runner-Up

Monkeyshine's Call Me The Breeze

GSP Female 9/1/2021 Sire: Riden High Rudy

Dam: Cuttin Wild's Space Cowgirl (Lena?)
Owner: Dan DiMambro & April Raber

Handler: Dan DiMambro

THE NATIONAL GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER ASSOCIATION, INC.

67TH NGSPA Futurity · Running Spring 2025 · Litter Enrollment

Nominations will be accepted for German Shorthaired Pointers whelped between January 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023

Nomination Procedure:

- Fill out the litter enrollment form within six months of whelping.
- Individual nomination fee of \$25.00 due before puppy is one year old
- 3. Entry fee is due the night of the drawing (to be advertised)

NGSPA Futurity Manager Jeff Wallace 1564 McKimber Drive Knoxville, Iowa 50138 641-891-9513

Operators of the American Field sanctioned National Championship, National Shooting Dog, National Amateur Shooting Dog and the National Futurity for German Shorthaired Pointers.

OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM

Bitches Name:	
Bitches Registration #:	
Stud Dog Name:	
Stud Dog Registration #:	
Breeder's Name:	
Breeder's Address:	
Breeder's Email Address:	
Within six (6) months of Whelping d forward with enrollment fee of \$25.0 certificates to be presented to the P	00 You will then receive the registration
Date of Whelping	
# of Males	# of Females

"The oldest and most prestigious breeder's stake serving and promoting German Shorthaired Pointers"

2023 NGSPA Region 5 Championships



2023 NGSPA REGION 5 OPEN SHOOTING DOG
BACK ROW: JUDGE RODNEY ALBIN, CHRIS YOUNG, JUDGE BRANDON BLUM,
KIRK LOFTIN, DR. ROBER REYNOLDS
FRONT ROW: ABRAHAM MACKE WITH LLANO'S GAME ON GRETA AND
SHERRI TANGSRUD WITH UODIBAR'S ROBBI JO

The championship began 3/11 at Pyramid State Park near Pinckneyville, Illinois. We would like to thank Purina for their continued support of this trial. Shout out to Greg Blair, Terry Trzcinski, Karl Gunzer, Alan Davidson and Jim Moorehouse. Jim is also a generous supplier of SportDog collars for our champions. Dogs Unlimited and Alan Davison are wonderful supporters of this trial. We'd like to thank Diane Rakers for lunches, paperwork, clean up, picking up where we need help and staying on us to get our write up turned in. A trial doesn't happen without volunteers to drive the dog wagon, plant birds, and make trips into town. Hoping we don't forget anyone, Dan DiMambro, Mike Patrick, Diane Rakers and Peter Coppens. We

had a couple of new to us faces, Josh Nieman and Ab Macke, who also worked to help this trial be a success. We would also like to thank our participants this year. We love having the faithful participants and also new faces. Thank you judges. Thank you to the President of Region 5, Peter Coppens. If it wasn't for his love and dedication to this sport there would not be a Region 5 Championship. Finally thank you to Brad, the site superintendent, Henry, Mike & Jason for all you do to make sure our trial runs successfully. The scribe was Peter Coppens with the help of the judges.



2023 NGSPA REGION 5 OPEN ALL AGE
BACK: DAN DIMAMBRO, JUDGE CHRIS YOUNG, JUDGE JOHN SCHOONOVER,
JOSH NIEMAN, AB MACKE
FRONT ROW: APRIL RABER WITH CHICOREE'S RIDEN HIGH TRIXIE AND MIKE PATRICK
WITH CUTTIN WILD'S REBEL YELL

OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

The championship began with the Shooting Dog. It was capably judged by Brandon Blum and Rodney Albin. The judges were presented with twelve braces of quality dogs to watch. Thank you to the handlers, Josh Nieman, Mr. & Mrs. Dan DiMambro (April Raber), Jay Wade, Kirk Loftin & Sherri Tangsrud.

The Judges announced Llano's Game On Greta who is owned by Chad Inderman and handled by Josh Nieman as the Champion. Greta had finds at 12, 21, 37, 52 and NP at 35. She was perfect on her style before and after the flush. Greta ran a powerful shooting dog race. She was aways forward and handled kindly. Her very nice powerful moves are what earned her the Champion.

Uodibar's Robbi Jo who is owned/scouted by Sheri Tangsrud and was handled by Kirk Loftin was the Runner Up. Robbi had finds at 2, 28, and 46. She also handled kindly and had a powerful run. All manners were in order on her birds. Both of these dogs were rewarded for their superior effort. Congratulations.

OPEN ALL-AGE CHAMPIONSHIP

We started the All Age on Tuesday, March 14th. It was capably judged by Chris Young and John Schoonover. Big thank you to you both for filling these judging spots. Six braces were drawn.

Chicoree's Riden High Trixie was named the Champion. Trixie is owned by Rondal Alexander and handled by Dan DiMambro. She ran in the 7th brace. She impressed the judges with her consistency and forward run. Trixie had several finds with impeccable style and all manners in order. She worked in conjunction with her handled and had a strong finish. With all these elements put together Trixie was named our champion this year.



2023 NGSPA REGION 5 AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG
BACK ROW: JUDGE PETER COPPENS, DR. ROBERT RENEYOLDS, JUDGES MARY SUE
SCHALK, KIRK LOFTIN, TERRYTRZCINSKI (PURINA)
FRONT ROW: CHRIS YOU WITH IN COUNTRY'S HURRICANE JANIE AND SHERRI
TANGSRUD WITH UODIBAR'S ROBBI JO

Runner up went to Cuttin Wild's Rebel Yell. Rebel is owned by Mike Patrick and handled by Josh Nieman. Rebel was also a great contender in this stake. He came from the 4th brace. He was strong and forward with multiple finds. Rebel listened well to his handler and was stylish on his bird work. This performance is what earned him the Runner Up Champion.

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

The Amateur was judged by Mary Sue Schalk and Peter Coppens. We thank both of you for your time and expertise. We had 17 dogs and would like to thank all the Amateurs who support us.

Champion was In Country's Hurricane Janie who is owned by Dr. Robert Reynolds & Chris Young and handled by Chris Young. Janie broke away strong. She had her first find at 11 in the autumn olives on the hill. She had impeccable style. The birds were buried and dog was relocated. The

handler finally raised the birds. All manners were in order. She had another find at 33, single in the cow pasture. The next find was at 50 in the autumn olives. She stayed solid as the handler flushed the bird. Janey's last find was at time below the dozer. Throughout the hour this dog ran forward, held game with manners thus garnering the Title of Region 5 Amateur Shooting Dog.

Runner Up was Uodibar's Robbi Jo is owned and scouted by Sherri Tangsrud. Kirk Loftin was the handler. Robbi's first find was at 25. She then had a big find at 49 on the other side of the lake. Her final find was at 49. Robbi Jo had a forward, strong ground race and a big finish to the front. This performance garnered Robbi the Runner Up Title. Congratulations!



2023 NGSPA REGION 5 DERBY CLASSIC
BACK ROW: JOSH NIEMAN, JUDGE PETER COPPENS, ANDY DYNKIEWICZ,
JUDGE DR. ROBERT REYNOLDS, DAN DIMAMBRO
FRONT ROW: AB MACKE WITH DK'S LAST SHOT (COLT), APRIL RABER WITH TOP
FUEL'S EAST BOND AND DOWN (SNOWMAN), AND MIKE PATRICK WITH CUTTIN WILD'S
AMERICAN BEAUTY (BRANDI)

DERBY CLASSIC

The 2023 NGSPA Region 5 Derby was run on Wednesday, March 15th at the Denmark Unit of Pyramid State Park near Pinckneyville, IL. It was a sunny day with ideal conditions to run young dogs. The 14-dog competition was high in this stake and many of the dogs that did not receive nods in this stake could have won in other derby stakes. A big thank you to Dr. Robert Reynolds and Peter Coppens for their capable judging time.

First place went to DK's Last Shot (Colt) who is owned by Donavan Kelly and handled by Josh Nieman.

Second place was awarded to Top Fuel's East Bound and Down (Snowman) who is owned by Courtney Campeau (loved by Brian Robert) and handled by Dan DiMambro. Third place was earned by Cuttin Wild's American Beauty (Brandi) owned by Mike Patrick and handled by Josh Nieman.

THE WINNERS

OPEN ALL AGE CHAMPIONSHIP

Judges: John Schooner & Chris Young 12 Starters

Champion

Chicoree's Riden High Trixie GSP Female 11/14/2018 FDSB# 8769302

Sire: Riden High Rudy

Dam: Chicoree's Sparkle In Her Eye

Owner: Randal Alexander Handler: Dan DiMambro

Runner-Up

Cuttin Wild's Rebel Yell GSP Male 2/2/2018

FDSB# 1673649

Sire: Slicks Cuttin Wild Dam: CLK Point Me The Way

Owner: Mike Patrick Handler: Josh Nieman

OPEN SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Judges: Rodney Albin & Brandon Blum

20 Starters

Champion

Llano's Game On Greta

GSP Female 10/4/2017

FDSB# 1679141

Sire: llano's Game On Dude Dam: HK Angie's Slick Image Owner: Chad Inderman Handler: Josh Nieman

Runner-Up

Uodibar's Robbi Jo

GSP Female 1/2/2015

FDSB# 1662507

Sire: Uodibar's Against All Odds Dam: BDK's Jessie's Sin City Owner: Sherri Tangsrud Handler: Kirk Loftin

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG CHAMPIONSHIP

Judges: Peter Coppens & Mary Schalk

14 Starters

Champion

In Country's Hurricane Jane GSP Female 7/2/2018

FDSB# 1672744

Sire: Hi N's Bodacious

Dam: Slaterock Mattie Clark Owner: Dr Robert Reynolds

Handler: Chris Young

Runner-Up

Uodibar's Robbi Io

GSP Female 1/2/2015

FDSB# 1662507

Sire: Uodibar's Against All Odds Dam: BDK's Jessie's Sin City Owner: Sherri Tangsrud Handler: Kirk Loftin

DERBY CLASSIC

Judges: Peter Coppens & Robert Reynolds

13 Starters

1st Place

DK's Last Shot

GSP Male 1/1/2022

FDSB# 1702797

Sire: Lambourn's Slick Shot Dam: Wind Dancer's Lucy Lieu

Owner: Donavan Kelly Handler: Josh Nieman

2nd Place

Top Fuel's East Bond & Down GSP Male 10/22/2021

FDSB#1701889

Sire: Evergreen's Jed

Dam: Top Fuels Bail Jumper Owner: Courtney Campeau Handler: Dan DiMambro

3rd Place

Cuttin Wild's American Beauty GSP Female 3/22/2021

FDSB#

Sire: Cuttin Wild's Rebel Yell Dam: Uodibar's PS I Love You

Owner: Mike Patrick Handler: Josh Nieman

2023 NGSPA Dog of the Year Standings

OPEN ALL AGE STANDINGS

#1 Stoney Hill's Pinnacle Dee 942 points Owner: Kirk Loftin

#2 AO Keg Creek Tripps To Win 348 points Owner: Alan O Davison

#3 Uodibar's Robbi Jo 248 points Owner: Sherri Tangsrud

OPEN SHOOTING DOG STANDINGS

#1 PJ Wildfire's Little Lexi 602 points Owner: Kirk Loftin

#2 Uodibar's Robbi Jo 444 points Owner: Sherri Tangsrud

#3 Chisholm Creeks Cutter Loose 376 points Owner: Mark Wasserman

#4 Monkeyshine's Call Me The Breeze272 pointsOwner: Dan DiMambro & April Raber

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG STANDINGS

#1 Stoney Hill's Pinnacle Dee 666 points Owner: Kirk Loftin

#2 Uodibar's Lover Boy 428 points Owner: Sherri Tangsrud
#3 Hi-N's Allison Miranda
408 points
Owner: Kirk Loftin

#4 Hi-N's Free Ride264 pointsOwner: Derrick Ream & Hank Lewis

AMATEUR ALL-AGE STANDINGS

#1 Hi-N's Allison Miranda 594 points Owner: Kirk Loftin

#2 SP Little Hurricane 380 points Owner: Doug Miller

#3 BMB's Free Ride
372 points
Owner: Brandon & Jennifer Blum

NOTE: UPDATES FOR THE DOG OF THE YEAR STANDINGS WERE NOT RECEIVED IN TIME TO MAKE THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER.

Invitational Point Standings Fall 2022 - Spring 2023

OPEN ALL-AGE INVITATIONAL

#1 Chicoree's Riden High Trixie Auto

Owner: Ronald J Alexander

#2 Stoney Hill's Pinnacle Dee 942 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

#3 PW Bert's Joke On Us

700 points

Owner: Keith & Bobbi Richardson

#4 Hi-N's Allison Miranda

676 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

#5 HighStanding Cuttin Edge

650 points

Owner: Anthony & Dayna Rusciano

#6 Chicoree's Glitter and Gold

642 points

Owner: Fred Ryan

#7 AO Keg Creek Tripps To Win

592 points

Owner: Alan O Davison

#8 Tulli's Faraway Giddy Up

564 points

Owner: Joe Amatulli

#9 Uodibar's Robbi Jo

512 points

Owner: Sherri Tangsrud

10. BMB's Samsquanmch

500 points

Owner: Brandon & jennifer Blum

11. PW Out On A Limb

396 points

Owner: Keith & Bobbi Richardson

12. FC Evergreen's Jed

396 points

Owner: Lance Olsen

13. BMB's Free Ride

388 points

Owner: Brandon & Jennifer Blum

14. BMB's Freeloader

382 points

Owner: Brandon & Jennifer Blum

OPEN SHOOTING DOG INVITATIONAL

#1 Perfection's Huckleberry

Auto

Owner: Chase M Benton

#2 Slate Rock's Mountain Heart

924 points

Owner: James & Andy Dynkiewicz

#3 Quijano's WD40

770 points

Owner: David Quijano

#4 Llano's Game On Greta

752 points

Owner: Chad Inderman

#5 Uodibar's Robbi Jo

736 points

Owner: Sherri Tangsrud

#6 Hi N's Allison Miranda

730 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

7. PJ Wildfire's Little Lexi 602 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

8. PW Evolution's Re-Creation

516 points

Owner: Keith & Bobbi Richardson

9. OB's Stick In The Mud

484 points

Owner: David O'Brien

10. Hi-N's Curtain Call

412 points

Owner: Hank Lewis

11. Chisholm Creek's Cutter Loose

376 points

Owner: Mark Wasserman

12. Twin Creek Running Rocky

308 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

13. Monkeyshine's Call Me The Breeze

272 points

Owner: Dan DiMambro & April Raber

14. Stoney Hill's Pinnacle Dee

256 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

#5 High Standing Cuttin Edge

698 points

Owner: Anthony & Dayna Rusciano

#6 Llano's Game On Greta

508 points

Owner: Chad Inderman

#7 Uodibar's Lover Boy

428 points

Owner: Sherri Tangsrud

#8 Hi-N's Curtain Call

396 points

Owner: Hank Lewis

#9 MSR's Rowdy Rhonda

304 points

Owner: James & Sarah Messer

#10 Hi-N's Free Ride

264 points

Owner: Derrick Ream & Hank Lewis

AMATEUR SHOOTING DOG INVITATIONAL

#1 Stoney Hill's Pinnacle Dee

Auto

Owner: Kirk Loftin

#2 Hi-N's Allison Miranda

1,308 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

#3 BMB's Madison Ave

1,056 points

Owner: Brandon & Jennifer Blum

#4 Twin Creek Running Rocky

978 points

Owner: Kirk Loftin

NOTE: UPDATES FOR THE INVITATIONAL POINT STANDINGS WERE NOT RECEIVED IN TIME TO MAKE THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER.

FIELD TRIAL HALL OF FAME

GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES

PURPOSE:

To identify and honor those persons and dogs, both past and present, whose accomplishments in Field Trial Competition are exceptional, and whose contributions to the sport are outstanding.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

PEOPLE

- 1. The person must be at least 65 years old.
- 2. The person should have a significant record as a Field Trial competitor over a sustained period of time.
- 3. The person should have made a significant and sustained contribution to the sport by "giving back" through donation of time, resources and expertise, (for example: running trials, helping at trials, scribing, judging, providing grounds, encouraging and teaching newcomers, etc., etc.).
- 4. The person must have exhibited exceptional sportsmanship, integrity, and a history of unselfish giving to the sport.

DOGS

- 1. The dog must be deceased.
- 2. The dog must have a distinguished Field Trial record, especially in one hour Championships.
- 3. The dog must have a record of producing outstanding progeny, both as a competitors and as producers.

PROCESS OF SELECTION:

Nomination and selection occurs on an annual basis. The nominations open January 1 and close August 31 annually. Any individual may nominate dogs and/or persons. It is the responsibility of the nominating person to all relevant data with regard to the nominees' accomplishments, which will support why that person or dog deserves to be considered for this award.

Nomination forms are available on the NGSPA website (www.ngspa.org) or from the Committee Chairman. Completed forms and supporting documentation must be received by the Chairman by the first of September (September 1) each year. If a nominee is not selected to enter "The Hall" in the year nominated, the nominee will remain eligible for consideration for two (2) additional years. Thus, a nomination is valid for three (3) years, at which time, it will expire if the nominee has not been selected into the Hall of Fame. Nominations will not be accepted for a nominee that fails to be selected in the first three year period until a minimum of three (3) years after the expiration of the first nomination.

SELECTION COMMITTEE:

The Selection Committee is comprised of individuals who are selected for their experience, character and integrity in German Shorthaired Pointer field trials, and in breeding superior German Shorthaired Pointers. Their decision on the merits of nominees are independent and kept anonymous. Each year's Honorees will be announced no later than the first of December annually. Individuals elected to the selection committee will serve a 3 year term, and be eligible for one more consecutive second 3 year term.

INTRODUCTION:

Those selected will be formally inducted at ceremonies held at the Hall of Fame (Bird Dog Museum) in Grand Junction, Tennessee, on the Saturday before the beginning of the Pointer National Championship.

Committee members & their dog(s) are ineligible for nomination to the Hall of Fame during their service on the committee.

HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE STRUCTURAL GUIDELINES (These reflect past precedents)

- While the GSP Hall of Fame Selection Committee services at the pleasure of the NGSPA Board of Trustees, its decisions regarding inductees are to be totally independent of the board influence.
- It's operational procedures and membership are subject to the BOT approval.
- The maximum size of the committee is 15.

CHAIRMAN RESPONSIBILITIES

- The Chairman will be responsible to advise the Board of Committee resignations, and to present nominees to the Board for Approval.
- The Chairman will serve as the GSOP representative and present the inductees at the official induction ceremony.
- The Chairman will present proposed changes to procedures and processes to the BOT for approval.
- The Committee Chairman will provide a report at the annual BOT meeting.

FIELD TRIAL HALL OF FAME

2023 NOMINATION FORM

Please note all nominations must be received no later than August 31 of the nomination year. (Nominations are good for three years).

In order to be nominated, dogs must be deceased. Persons may be nominated, living or dead; however, they must be at lease 65 years of age, if still living.

FOR DOGS

In order to be considered, a resume that depicts a candidates complete field trial record in all types of field trial events, the candidate's progeny and their quality. The dogs candidacy should be dependent on his entire competitive career, and the quality of his/her offspring.

FOR PERSONS

Persons to be nominated and selected into the GSP Field Trial Hall of Fame, need to have rendered outstanding service to the sport of field trialing, both at a local and national level for a long period of time. They need to have significant contributions that have made a measurable difference in the improvement to the sport of Field Trialing. Activities such as judging, being a club official, breeder, handler and/or a sustained record of breeding German Shorthaired Pointers which have contributed to the improvement of the GSP as a breed.

Because this is a great honor to bestow upon a person, the Election Committee needs an accurate and complete biography. Incorrect or misleading facts within the biography will cause the nomination to be denied until it is updated and corrected.

I wish to nominate the following person/dog to the 2021 German Shorthaired Pointer Hall of Fame.

Name of Person/Dog			
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Submitted By			
Data	Email		
Date:	Email:	 	

SEND COMPLETED FORM TO:

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PLEASE ATTACH BIOGRAPHY TO THIS FORM