

WISCONSIN WOODCOCK CHAMPIONSHIP

PUPPY STAKE

Dogs under 14 months on the date of the trial are eligible for this stake. They will be judged on their ability to hunt for game, use of their nose, response to commands and reaction to birds and gunfire. While the dogs in this stake are not required to be steady to flush, they are expected to establish point and handle birds to a certain degree. Puppies will be run for twenty minutes, one at a time.*

DERBY STAKE

Dogs from 14 to 21 months of age on the date of the trial are eligible for this stake. Like the puppy stake, they will be judged on their ability to hunt for game, use their nose, respond to commands and reaction to birds and gunfire. Dogs in this stake will show their desire to hunt for the gun, establish point and handle birds to a certain degree. Dogs in this stake will be run for twenty minutes, one at a time.*

HUNTERS (GUN DOG) STAKE

Dogs entered in this stake are expected to be steady on point until the bird is flushed. Judges will expect to watch dogs that hunt for their handler, demonstrate proper range for conditions, while showing experience in handling birds. There is no age restriction for this thirty minute brace (two dogs).

CHAMPION STAKE

This thirty minute brace requires dogs to be steady to wing and shot. These finished dogs will be judged on their steadiness, ability to hunt intelligently, within suitable range for conditions and responsiveness to handler. Dog's in this stake are expected to honor a brace mate on point.

GENERAL RULES

- *Only blank guns and ammunition allowed.**
- *Only pointing breeds will compete.**
- *All courses will be designated by field marshal in cover suitable for woodcock and grouse.**
- *Handlers are allowed to verbally handle dogs, however physical restraint will be penalized.**
- *Judges must be allowed to view dogs throughout the pointing process.**

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- *All dogs will be required to wear bells (electronic OK).
- *Electric shocking collars not allowed.
- *Dogs considered "out of control" by the judges will not qualify for awards.
- *Once dog establishes point, handler is expected to notify nearest judge before bird is flushed. Remember, judging cannot be accomplished unless judge views dog on point.
- *Spectators may follow braces with permission from both handlers, however, scouting will not be allowed.
- *The dog finding the most birds will not necessarily win the competition. Quality of handling is of utmost importance.
- *The decisions of the judges are final.

WISCONSIN WOODCOCK CHAMPIONSHIP ENTRY FORM

Owner's Name _____ Handler's Name _____
Address _____ City _____ ZIP _____
Phone _____ E-Mail _____
Stake? Puppy Derby Gun Dog Champion (circle one)
Dog's Registered Name _____
Dog's Call Name _____
Breed _____ Sex _____
Date Whelped _____ Registration # _____

Clip and mail to: Ken M. Blomberg
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Junction City, WI 54443
KBGSP@tznet.com

Make checks payable to: The Pointing Gun Dog Association.
Photocopy for additional entries (one entry per form).

Are you planning on attending Saturday night's dinner? Yes ___ No ___