

DELAWARE VALLEY GWP CLUB



~~Our Mission~~

Encourage & promote the breeding of better GWP's & to do all possible to bring their natural qualities to perfection.

Do all in our power to protect & advance the interest of the breed by encouraging sportsman like competition at breed shows, field trials & hunting tests.

To conduct specialty shows, field trials & hunting tests, under the rules of the AKC.

We would like to welcome all entrants, guests, and spectators. We wish you success and a pleasurable time at our 2 day event. We hope that you will appreciate our efforts to run a well organized and top quality event by utilizing experienced Judges, top quality flight birds, and planting more than the basic required number of birds to give every dog/bitch an opportunity to show its best work. We hope you will enjoy yourself and all that our test has to offer the whole family and we welcome you, your family, and friends to join us again at future events.

HUNTING TEST PREMIUM

Saturday October 28, 2017 (Event #2017151903) & Sunday October 29, 2017 (Event #2017151904)

Freeland Kennel Club in Weatherly, Pennsylvania

ALL TESTS OPEN TO ALL AKC REGISTERED POINTING BREEDS

This hunting test is held under the rules & procedures of the AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

ENTRIES LIMITED to the number of dogs which can be run during all available daylight hours and entries will close when the limit is reached, if this occurs prior to the specified closing time. The club reserves the right to cancel or postpone this Hunt Test for extreme weather conditions.

Bitches in season are **NOT** permitted on the grounds.

AKC Approved Tracking Collars **WILL** be Permitted in all Test Levels

Make checks payable to "Delaware Valley GWP Club" and please mail with completed entry form to
Kathie Tufano, Hunt Test Secretary
Box 296
Blawenburg, NJ 08504-0296
609 309-5596
kjst1343@gmail.com

EMAIL entries will be accepted, **PHONE** entries will **NOT** be accepted
No dog/bitch will be permitted to run prior to the secretary receiving payment, completed, and signed
entry form.

**If a check should bounce, the cost of the bounce check plus the entry fee will be due as soon as possible to the
secretary in the form of cash or a cashier's check.

*Entries will close at 7 PM(EST) Wednesday October 25, 2017 with the HT Secretary at 520 Rt 518,
Blawenburg, NJ & Drawing will take place at 8 PM(EST) Wednesday October 25, 2017 @ the home of
the HT Secretary*

Bracing Information will be posted on the website ---www.delvalgwp.com

JUDGES & STAKES TO BE JUDGED

SATURDAY October 28, 2017 AKC Event #20171519-03

MASTERS & SENIORS

Mike Moser:(#93542)647 Huffs Church Road, Alburtus, PA 18011 (484 824-4675)

Ralph Easton:(#28610)RR3 Box 186-10 Dallas, PA 18612 (570 333-4642)

Lori Smith:(#29685) Blue Rocks Rd., Lenhartsville, PA 19534-9417 (484 388-9706)

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Dan Jolly:(#99877) 737 Pine Street, North Brunswick, NJ 08902-2625

Brian Rolison:(#78930) 1118 Old Lincoln Highway, Langhorne, PA 19047-2646 (215 702-1540)

SUNDAY October 29, 2017 AKC Event #20171519-04

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Schedule & Entry Fees

MASTER: NOT before 6:45 AM on 10/28/17 & 10/29/17	\$50.00
SENIOR: To follow MASTER on 10/28/17 & 10/29/17	\$50.00
JUNIOR: To follow second brace of SENIOR on 10/28/17 & 10/29/17	\$40.00

COURSES & BIRDS

All Test levels will be single course with bird field
Master/Senior run 30 minutes & Juniors run 15 min
Quail , Chukar, or Pheasant to be released in all test levels
Shooting done by Official Gunners only.
Junior Test will be blank pistol only.
NO horseback handling is permitted

Prizes

STANDARD AKC ROSETTES TO ALL DOGS/BITCHES THAT RECEIVE A QUALIFYING SCORE

PLEASE NOTE!

ALL HANDLERS & GALLERY MUST WEAR **BLAZE ORANGE ACCORDING TO STATE'S SMALL GAME LAW**
(Vest with orange front & back, and hat)

ALL DOGS/BITCHES MUST BE LEASHED when on the grounds and not competing.

Please check in with the SECRETARY and/or LINE MARSHALL upon arrival.

****Waiver of Liability:** An entry in this hunting test constitutes as a waiver of liability to the Delaware Valley GWP Club, its officers, members, and participants for any accidents in reference to the attendance at this hunting test in conjunction with the dogs, birds, or equipment.

CLUB OFFICERS:

President: Charlie Kissinger 547 Bellevue Ave., Penndel, PA 19047
V.President: Rich Warwick 3 Ravine Ct Scotch Plains, NJ 07076
Secretary: Kathie Tufano 520 Rt 518, Box 296, Blawenburg, NJ 08504-0296
Treasurer: Rich Tufano 520 Rt 518, Box 183, Blawenburg, NJ 08504-0183

HUNTING TEST COMMITTEE

Jerry Krepak: Chairman
Tom Jarnich, Rich Warwick, Wendy Warwick, Rich Tufano, Charlie Kissinger

~~FOOD/WATER~~

Breakfast and lunch will be available on the Event Grounds as well as a Judge's dinner to be held after the last brace on Saturday. There will be plenty of water on the grounds for human and dog consumption. Make sure you have a container to carry water in for watering your dogs in the field during the running of your braces.

~~MOTELS~~

Comfort Inn--Rt 940 at I-80 & I-476 , White Haven, PA 18661 --570-443-8461 (pet friendly)
Econo Lodge--10 Woodmere Dr., Drums, PA 18222--570-788-4121 (pet friendly)
Ramada Hazleton--1221 N. Church St., Route 309 North, Hazleton, PA 18202--570-455-2061 (pet friendly)

**Camping IS permitted on the grounds. Electricity Hook Ups are available for a fee. Please clean up after yourself.

~~DIRECTIONS~~

FROM POINTS NORTH, EAST, & WEST

Rt 80, take exit #273 (was old exit 40) to Rt 940 (west or south). Follow to Lehigh Gorge Rd on your left, approx. 1 mile, turn left. Follow to Buck Mountain Rd, approx 5-1/2 miles (watch for small gas station on your left) and turn right. Follow to Stagecoach Rd., turn left. Follow to the dirt road on your right and continue to club house.

FROM POINTS SOUTH

Rt. 81, Take the PA-309 exit, Exit 138, toward McCadoo 1 mile, Merge onto PA-309 S toward Tamaqua 2.1 mile, Turn Left onto Ben Titus Rd 2.8 mile, Ben Titus Rd. becomes Quakake Rd. 6.3 mile, Quakake Rd. becomes Brenkman Dr. 1.6 mile, Brenkman Dr. becomes Hudsondale St.. Follow Hudsondale St. to Main St. turn Right heading East. Go across the railroad tracks to the next street, Wilbur St. turn right again. At the end turn left onto 1st St., you will pass 3 streets, at the 4th street, Fell St. turn left, at the end turn right onto E. Main St. E. Main St. becomes S. Lehigh Gorge Dr.. Follow this to S. Stagecoach Rd., veer left (you will drive quite a ways to a "Y", it's not marked very well). Stay on S. Stagecoach Rd., you will go a short ways & you will come to a dirt road, turn left. Follow this road to the club house.

For those using GPS : N40 58.594 W075 47.205 Google Earth

Club: Delaware Valley GWP Club		Date: 10/28/17	Event #: 2017151903
Location: Freeland Kennel Club, Weatherly, PA		Event type(test or trial): HUNT TEST	
AKC No.	Event Entered:	DOB:	Enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$
Full Name of Dog:			
Breed:	Call Name:		Sex:
Sire:			
Dam:			
Name of Breeder:			
Actual Owner:			
Owners Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Agent/Handler:			
Handlers Phone:			
<p>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org</p> <p>AGREEMENT</p> <p>I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 less or 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. 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 there from, 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 person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). 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 THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) 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:			
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Club: Delaware Valley GWP Club		Date: 10/29/17	Event #: 2017151904	E v
Location: Freeland Kennel Club, Weatherly, PA		Event type (test or trial): HUNT TEST	DOB:	E n M
AKC® No.	Sex:	Test Entered:		enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$
Full Name of Dog:-				
Breed:	Call Name:			
Sire:				
Dam:				
Name of Breeder:				
Actual Owner:				
Owners Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
Name of Handler:				
Handlers Phone:				
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Signature of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry:				
Tel:		Email:		

THE STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE

JUNIOR HUNTER

A Junior Hunting Dog must show a keen desire to hunt, be bold and independent, have a fast, yet attractive, manner of hunting, and demonstrate not only intelligence in seeking objectives, but also the ability to find game. A Junior Hunting Dog must establish point on at least fifty (50) percent of the birds it encounters, but no additional credit shall be given for steadiness to wing and shot. If the handler is within reasonable gun range of a bird which has been flushed after a point, a blank cartridge must be fired by the handler. Junior hunting dogs must hold point until the handler gets within normal gunshot range. *This requirement should be tempered by practical considerations such as the dog's distance from the handler when it finds a bird.* Junior Hunting Dogs must also show reasonable obedience to their handler's commands.

SENIOR HUNTER

A Senior Hunting Dog must show all of the attributes of a Junior Hunting Dog. In addition, the Senior Hunting dog must be steady to wing on all pointed birds and must remain in position until the shot or they are released. A Senior Hunting Dog must retrieve. All birds that are pointed by the Senior dog in a bird field must be shot where safety allows. If gunning is being done on course, all birds pointed on course must be shot where safety allows. A legitimate attempt to retrieve all downed birds must be made. Conditions such as the type of cover where the bird landed, the terrain, and the condition of the downed bird, sometimes make a retrieve impossible and this should not reflect negatively on the score of the Senior dog. Whenever it encounters its brace mate on point, it must honor. A dog that steals its brace mate's point cannot receive a Qualifying score.

MASTER HUNTER

A Master Hunting Dog must positively demonstrate its steadiness to wing and shot. All birds that are pointed by the Master dog in a bird field must be shot where safety allows. If gunning is being done on course, all birds pointed on course must be shot where safety allows. Gunning must be done by Official Guns only. A legitimate attempt to retrieve all downed birds must be made. Conditions such as the type of cover, where the birds landed, the terrain, and the condition of the downed bird, sometimes make a retrieve impossible and this should not reflect negatively on the score of the Master dog. All killed birds must be retrieved promptly, tenderly and absolutely to hand. The handler shall not command or signal the dog to retrieve until positive steadiness has been demonstrated.

* The updates to the Standards of Performance have been added & are in *Italics*.