Premium List

Outdoors– Unbenched Show
Hours 8 am to 10 pm

Greater Swiss Mountain Dog Club of America, Inc.

Member of The American Kennel Club

Friday, November 6, 2020

Eastern Regional & Independent Specialties

Hosted by Chesapeake and Potomac GSMDC

AM Eastern Regional Specialty with Sweepstakes # 2020491623
PM Independent Specialty #2020491624

Entries close October 21, 2020

ENTRIES LIMITED TO 100 PER SHOW

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the official AKC Entry For for these events.

Show Location

Double Q Farm
361 Foster Trail, Louisa, VA 23093

All exhibitors and guests are required to sign a waiver prior to entering the property—no exceptions—see enclosed

Officers & Board of Directors

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Event Secretary

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804-357-1875
showoperationservice@gmail.com

Show Photographer

Catherine Wilcox — 329 Oak St., Forest City, NC 28043
828-245-1031
photodog6@gmail.com

Judges

Anna Wallace — 9168 Liberty Run Rd, Gutherie, OK 73044
Eastern Regional Specialty & Juniors

Arron Todd Miller — 9707 Hwy UU, Louisiana, MO 63353
Sweepstakes

Dawn Gabig — 902 Rollingwood Dr NW, Wilson, NC 27896-1542
Independent Regional Specialty & Juniors

Food Truck On Site (breakfast & lunch)

Just Dogs & Catering — facebook @ justdogsva

AKC COVID-19 Best Practices

The following list of best practices will be enforced while attending this event:

General Practices

- Club officials and participants will follow state and local guidelines that apply to the area and site where the event is held.
- Practice social distancing consistent with guidelines in effect at the time.
- While in the ring, **masks must be worn** by exhibitors, judges and stewards.
- Hand sanitizer will be available at numerous locations around the site. A hand washing station will be available at the portable johns.
- Avoid shaking hands, hugging or other physical contact.
- Avoid touching dogs who are not your responsibility.
- There will be two ring gates; one for dogs entering and one for exiting.

Exhibitor Practices

- Plan to be self-sufficient; bring sanitizer, a generator for electricity, personal use masks, plenty of drinking water.
- Know the armband numbers for your entries before going to the ring.
- Do not congregate at the ring or ring gate.
- While showing your dog, maintain social distances with other exhibitors.
- Grooming beside the exhibitor's vehicle including the use of pop-up tents is recommended. No grooming tent will be provided.
- Exhibitors will pick up ribbons, trophies and prizes at the table as they exit the ring.
- Red spray painted circles 6' apart encourage distancing while in the ring.
- Fans and hand-held hair dryers must be pointed toward the dogs and away from the ring. **NO FORCE DRYERS!**

Judge Practices

- All classes should be called in the catalog order to provide order and efficiency.
- Judges should practice ring awareness; be conscious of spacing and avoid crowding of exhibitors.
- Judges are to have the exhibitor display the oral exam.
- Judges are encouraged to personally pull ribbons for placements.
- **Judges have the right to enforce wearing masks in the ring.**

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

Directions to Show Site

Showgrounds available starting at noon Thursday, November 5.

From the West on I-64: Exit from I-64 at exit 143 onto Rt. 208 and turn north (right) toward Ferncliff. After one half mile, turn left onto Rt. 250 East. After 3.6 miles, turn left onto Rt. 604 (Roundabout Rd). After .8 miles, turn right onto gravel road Foster Trail. Please drive slowly until you reach the gate--code is on the keypad.

From the East on I-64: Exit from I-64 at exit 148 onto Shannon Hill Rd and turn north (left). After one half mile, turn right onto Rt. 250 West. After 3.1 miles, turn right onto Rt. 604 (Roundabout Rd). After .8 miles, turn right onto gravel road Foster Trail. Please drive slowly until you reach the gate--code is on the keypad.

Medical Care

Humans

MedExpress Urgent Care
260 Pantops Center
Charlottesville, VA 22911
(434) 244-3027

Dogs

Crossroads Animal Hospital
65 Jefferson Ct,
Zion Crossroads VA 22942
(540) 832-1751

Greenbrier Emergency Animal Hospital
370 Greenbrier Dr #2,
Charlottesville, VA 22901
(434) 202-1616

Airports/transportation

Richmond International Airport
Approx 50 miles (53 minutes to show site)
1 Richard E Byrd Terminal Dr., Richmond, VA 23250
804-226-3000
Airport Code: **RIC**
flyrichmond.com

Charlottesville-Arbemarle Airport
Approx 36 miles (45 minutes to show site)
100 Bowden Loop, Charlottesville, VA 22911
434-973-8342
Airport Code: **CHO**
Gocho.com

Dulles International Airport
Approx 101 miles (2 hours to show site)
1 Saarin Cir., Dulles, VA 20166
703-572-2700
Airport code: **IAD**
Flydulles.com

Accommodations

When considering hotels, we encourage you to search locations listed as "Zion Crossroads" "Innsbrook" "Short Pump" "Glen Allen" "Lake Anna" or "Pantops". Numerous choices for dining and shopping are near all of these hotels. Exhibitors are responsible for keeping grounds free of dog waste.

The following hotels will accept guests with dogs:

Best Western Plus Crossroads
135 Wood Ridge Terrace, Zion Crossroads, VA 540-832-1700
($30 pet fee per night up to 2 dogs)

Aloft Richmond West Short Pump
3939 Duckling Dr., Glen Allen, VA 804-433-1888
(No pet fee—limit 1 dog per room)

Candlewood Suites West Short Pump
4120 Tom Leonard Dr., Glen Allen, VA 804-364-2000
($75 pet fee per stay)

Hilton Garden Inn Innsbrook
4050 Cox Rd., Glen Allen, VA 804-521-2900
($50 pet fee per stay)

Extended Stay America West End
10961 West Broad St., Glen Allen, VA 804-747-8898
($25 pet fee per night per dog)

Hilton Inn Express Short Pump
9933 Mayland Drive, Richmond, VA 804-934-9300
($50 pet fee per might plus $50 cleaning fee)

RV Parking
Available on-site—NO HOOK UPS
Electricity (120 volt/30 AMP) for 2 RVs is available.

Campground
Small Country Campground
4400 Byrd Mill Rd, Louisa, VA 23093
(540) 967-2431
https://smallcountry.com/

Let's Go Swimming!!

Exhibitors are invited to cool off with their dogs in the spring-fed pond (no algae or agricultural runoff) on the property AT THEIR OWN RISK. Water depths vary from a few inches to many feet. Banks can be muddy.

Entry Information

Entries close at 6:00 PM, Eastern Standard Time, on Wednesday, October 21, 2020 at Show Secretary's home, after which time, entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted except as provided in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

Entry Fees Each Conformation Entry Fee includes $3.00 AKC Event Service Fee & $.50 AKC Recording Fee (First Entry Only).

First entry of dog	$30
Each additional entry of same dog unless otherwise specified	$25
Stud Dog & Brood Bitch classes	$25
Puppy Sweepstakes (must be entered in regular class)	$25
Veteran Sweepstakes (need not be entered in regular class)	$25
Junior Showmanship	No fee

When a dog is entered in more than one class, the highest priced class is considered the first entry.

Transfer between classes will be permitted until 30 minutes before judging begins.

Mail entries with fees made payable to:

Rachal Sager, 2426 Sandy Hook Rd., Goochland, VA 23063

OR email your entries!!

Scan entries and waivers to showoperationservice@gmail.com
Payment accepted through Paypal at showoperationservice@gmail.com
Please include $3 per DOG for Paypal fees.

Entry Fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee. If because of COVID-19, riots, wars, strikes, civil disturbances, national emergencies, health emergencies, and the dictates of law enforcement or of the owner(s) of the grounds and/or facilities or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the event, **partial refund of entry fee** will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snow storms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, heavy rains, or other circumstances including, but not limited to, the condition of the facilities or grounds and/or the ingress and egress from the grounds, must be considered for the health and safety of the dogs, exhibitors and spectators. The well-being of dogs, exhibitors and spectators is of paramount importance and, in the event, it is necessary to cancel or stop the event before completion, **partial refund of entry fee** will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Event Cancellation Hotline (877) 252-3229.

Judges Award of Merit

Two Awards of Merit will be awarded after Best of Breed judging is completed to Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs in the Best of Breed competition that exemplify the breed's characteristics. These awards are reserved for those quality animals the judge feels are worthy of final consideration for Best of Breed. The dogs selected for Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Select Dog and Select Bitch are not eligible for an Award of Merit. At the judge's discretion, up to two awards of merit will be awarded in the Best of Breed competition, which shall include move-ups, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, and first place in Veteran Dog and Bitch Classes.

Bred by Exhibitor Class Eligibility

All dogs entered in the Bred by Exhibitor Class must be individually registered with the AKC. The person handling the dog must be a breeder of record of the dog and an owner of record of the dog. To exhibit in this class, family members must be a breeder and owner of record.

Best Puppy in Regular Puppy Class

The First Place Winners from the individual Regular Puppy Classes (6-9 mos. and 9-12 mos.) will compete for the award of Best Puppy in the Regular Classes. Best Puppy competition will follow Winners Bitch judging.

Best Bred-By-Exhibitor in Bred-By-Exhibitor Classes

The First Place Winners from the individual Bred-By-Exhibitor Classes will compete for the award of Best Bred-By-Exhibitor. Best Bred-By-Exhibitor competition will follow Winners Bitch judging.

Best Veteran in the Veteran Classes

The First Place Winners from the Veteran Classes will compete for the award of Best Veteran and Best of Opposite Veteran. Best Veteran competition will follow Best of Breed Judging.

Non-Regular Classes Involving Single Dog Entries

The Following Classes are offered for Dogs and Bitches

Veterans 7 years - 9 years and Veterans 9+ years

Veterans Note: 1st place winners of Veteran Dog and Veteran Bitch classes are eligible to compete for Best of Breed if undefeated in any other classes at this show. Ribbon prizes will be awarded for first through fourth place in each class. Neutered Dogs and Spayed Bitches may be entered.

Non-Regular Classes Involving Multiple Dog Entries

These classes will be judged after the Best of Breed judging.

STUD DOG CLASS – For Stud Dog and a minimum of two (2); maximum of four (4) of their Get. It is not necessary that the Get be under the same ownership as that of the Stud Dog. The Stud Dog may be entered separately in one of the regular classes, or if a Champion of Record in Best of Breed Competition, but MUST be entered in the Stud Dog Class, the Get MUST be entered in one of the regular classes. The Stud Dog shall be considered as one entry and requires one entry fee, this being the regular fee plus the additional class fee if the Stud Dog is entered in a\nother class. The Stud Dog must be shown in the ring with the Get. The class will be judged on the merits of the Get. Note – Chapter 11, Section 8, of the AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, provides that neutered dogs may be entered as the Stud Dog.

BROOD BITCH CLASS –Same as for the Stud Dog except substitute Brood Bitch for Stud Dog and Produce for Get.

When making entries in the Multiple Dog Entry Classes….

PLEASE indicate on the entry forms as to which dog(s) are to make up that entry in each Stud Dog or Brood Bitch Classes.

Classifications

The following classes will be provided for both dogs and bitches:

Puppy – 6 months and under 9 months
Puppy – 9 months and under 12 months
12 months and under 18 months
Novice
Amateur Owner Handler
Bred by Exhibitor
American Bred
Open
Winners
Best of Breed Competition

Junior Showmanship Competition

Novice Junior Class - for boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 12 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.
Novice Intermediate Class - for boys and girls who are at least 12 years old and under 15 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.
Novice Senior Class - for boys and girls who are at least 15 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.
Open Junior Class - for boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 12 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.
Open Intermediate Class - for boys and girls who are at least 12 years old and under 15 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.
Open Senior Class - for boys and girls who are at least 15 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.
Master Class - for boys & girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years on the day of the show, and who have won the 10 first place wins in an Open Class, with competition to be eligible to enter the Limited Class Competition. The calendar for this class will be November 1 - October 31 of the following year. All Juniors meeting the criteria for this class are required to enter the Master Class and may change their entry the day of the show if entries have already closed.

NOTICE: Junior Handlers must include their AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER on each entry. You may obtain your junior identification number by calling the AKC, Judges Education Department (919)233-9767. Bitches in season are not eligible.

Puppy Sweepstakes Requirements and Classification

Sweepstakes are open to Greater Swiss Mountain dogs and bitches that are at least 6 months old, but not more than 18 months old on the day of the show. Entry shown in Sweepstakes must be entered in one of the regular classes at the regular entry fee and on the regular entry form. Indicate your Sweepstakes Class with the age division in the space provided for "Additional Class". **Professional Handlers will not be allowed to exhibit any dog they do not own or co-own.**

The following classes will be provided for both dogs and bitches

Puppy, 6 Mos & Under 9 Mos; Puppy, 9 Mos & Under 12 Mos; Puppy, 12 Mos & Under 15 Mos; Puppy, 15 Mos & Under 18 Mos

Division of Entry Money as Prizes

Thirty percent (30%) of total entry fees will be retained by the Club for expenses. The remaining 70% will be divided as follows:

Best in Sweepstakes	15% of Sweepstakes entries
Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes	10% of Sweepstakes entries
First Place	30% of Sweepstakes entries
Second Place	20% of Sweepstakes entries
Third Place	15% of Sweepstakes entries
Fourth Place	10% of Sweepstakes entries

Veteran Sweepstakes Requirements & Classification

Veteran Sweepstakes are open to Greater Swiss Mountain dogs and bitches that are 7 years of age and older on the day of the show. Dogs do not have to be entered in a regular class. Veteran Sweepstakes Class and age division must be indicated on the entry form. Neutered dogs and spayed bitches may be entered in Veteran Sweepstakes only or as an additional class. **Professional Handlers will not be allowed to exhibit any dog they do not own or co-own.**

The following classes will be provided for both dogs and bitches: 7 - 9 years and 9+ year

Division of Entry Money as Prizes

Thirty percent (30%) of total entry fees will be retained by the Club for expenses. The remaining 70% will be divided as follows:

Best in Sweepstakes	15% of Sweepstakes entries
Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes	10% of Sweepstakes entries
First Place	30% of Sweepstakes entries
Second Place	20% of Sweepstakes entries
Third Place	15% of Sweepstakes entries
Fourth Place	10% of Sweepstakes entries

Notice to Exhibitors

Telephone Entries and Unsigned Entries Cannot Be Accepted. Entries Not on Official AKC Entry Forms and Photocopies of Entry Forms without Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Entry Form are NOT ACCEPTABLE.

Entries received without fees will not be accepted. Acknowledgement of entries will be made as soon as practical after closing via mail or email. **Should acknowledgement not be received by the exhibitor** within a reasonable time, please notify the secretary.

Canadian exhibitors must submit entries with checks drawn on US account or with international money orders in US funds.

RETURNED CHECKS / INVALID CREDIT CARDS do not constitute a valid entry. The secretary will add a collection fee of $25 to the amount of each returned check and credit card. Subsequent returned checks and credit card from the same exhibitors may result in their being put on a cash-only basis. Entry Fee will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or judge, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee.

No Refund for Duplicate Entries. Every effort to find all duplicate entries will be made; however, if entry has been processed, no refund will be made.

No Entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. Dogs need to be present only for scheduled judging and will be released if not needed for further judging. Dogs must be ready for judging. Neither the club nor the Superintendent will be responsible or obligated to furnish any service for notifying exhibitors or their agents of Breed or Class judging. Judges need not wait for any dog holding up the class.

Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging rings.

The show giving club, the secretary, their agents, the property owners, etc., assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers to any of their dogs or property, and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.

Eastern Regional Specialty Prizes

Heartfelt thanks and much appreciation to our sponsors!

Best of Breed: glitter crate bucket offered by John and Sally Baffa
Best of Winners: glitter crate bucket offered by Wildest Dream Swissies, Tina & John Bailey
Best of Opposite: glitter crate bucket offered by Phyllis & Kate Walker Bawa
Select Dog: glitter crate bucket offered by Leslie Gillette
Select Bitch: glitter crate bucket offered by Mary Spaar
Award of Merit: glitter crate bucket offered by Stephanie & Daniel Dooley
Award of Merit: glitter crate bucket offered by Swallowfield Farm, Martha Tubman
Owner-Handled: glitter crate bucket offered by Mary Sezer
Winners Dog: glitter crate bucket offered by Gina Aurichio
Reserve Winners Dog: glitter food bowl offered by Randy & Katie Markley
Winners Bitch: glitter crate bucket offered by C & P GSMDC IMO Katrine Shorb
Reserve Winners Bitch: glitter food bowl offered by Yvonne Peregoy
Best Puppy (in regular classes): glitter crate bucket offered by Debra Martin & Chip Dever
Best Bred-By: glitter crate bucket offered by Double Q GSMD, Mary Jo Rasmussen IMO Dicey
Best Veteran: glitter crate bucket offered by Blue View GSMD, Megan & Dustin Westenmeyer IMO Kenzie
Best of Opposite Veteran: glitter crate bucket offered by Debra Echols & Alan McFadden

Darlene Ward pottery ornaments for the following classes:
6-9 Puppy Dog: offered by Prism GSMD, Kelly Lovley
9-12 Puppy Dog: offered by Prism GSMD, Kelly Lovley
12-18 Puppy Dog: offered by Tonia Adams
Bred By Dog: offered by Cabro GSMD, Carol Gehret IMO Anna
Am Bred Dog: offered by
Open Dog: offered by Shadetree GSMD, Cathy Cooper
Amateur Owner-Handled Dog: offered by GSMDCA
6-9 Puppy Bitch: offered by Tracy Brainard & Darlene Ward
9-12 Puppy Bitch: offered by Firefly Swissies, Michelle Charters
12-18 Puppy Bitch: offered by Firefly Swissies, Michelle Charters
Bred By Bitch: offered by John & Sally Baffa
Am Bred Bitch: offered by GSMDCA
Open Bitch: offered by Alastair GSMD, Cheryl & Dave Gerzabek
Amateur Owner-Handled Bitch: offered by Tracy Brainard & Darlene Ward
Veteran Dog 7-9: offered by Blue View GSMD, Megan & Dustin Westenmeyer
Veteran Dog 9+: offered by Jana Furst
Veteran Bitch 7-9: offered by Simply Swissies, Dana Hounsell
Veteran Bitch 9+: offered by Blue View GSMD, Megan & Dustin Westenmeyer IMO Kenzie
Stud Dog: glitter crate bucket offered by Dahlgren GSMD, Jenna Starr & Tony Collins IMO Izzy
Brood Bitch: glitter crate bucket offered by Dahlgren GSMD, Jenna Starr & Tony Collins IMO Ava

Junior Showmanship

Novice: offered by GSMDCA
Open Intermediate: offered by GSMDCA

Eastern Regional Specialty Sweepstakes Prizes

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Puppy Sweepstakes
Darlene Ward pottery ornaments for the following classes:
6-9 Puppy Dog: offered by Marc Sabo & Denise Richardson
9-12 Puppy Dog: offered by Nancy Wolfe
12-15 Puppy Dog: offered by Nancy Wolfe
15-18 Puppy Dog: offered by Double Q GSMD, Mary Jo Rasmussen
6-9 Puppy Bitch: offered by Double Q GSMD, Mary Jo Rasmussen
9-12 Puppy Bitch: offered by Double Q GSMD, Mary Jo Rasmussen
12-15 Puppy Bitch: offered by Double Q GSMD, Mary Jo Rasmussen
15-18 Puppy Bitch: offered by Yvonne Peregoy
Best Puppy in Sweepstakes: glitter spray bottle offered by Alastair GSMD, Cheryl Gerzabek
Best of Opposite Puppy: glitter spray bottle offered by Marc Sabo & Denise Richardson

Veteran Sweepstakes
Darlene Ward pottery ornaments for the following classes:
Dogs 7 and under 9: offered by Jana Furst
Dogs 9+: offered by Double Q GSMD, Mary Jo Rasmussen IMO Fadri
Bitches 7 and under 9: offered by Debra Echols & Alan McFadden
Bitches 9+: offered by Jan Smith Clifford
Best Veteran in Sweeps glitter spray bottle offered by Denise Mitterando
Best Opposite Veteran in Sweeps glitter spray bottle offered by Denise Mitterando

Independent Specialty Prizes

Darlene Ward pottery for the following classes:
Best of Breed: offered by "Santa" Wayne & Janie Hecker
Best of Winners: offered by John & Sally Baffa
Best of Opposite: offered by Quiet Valley, Pat Cole & Traci Routh
Select Dog: offered by Firefly Swissies, Michelle Charters
Select Bitch: offered by Mary Spaar
Award of Merit: offered by Jan Collins
Award of Merit: offered by Double Q GSMD, Mary Jo Rasmussen
Owner-Handled: offered by Tracy Brainard & Darlene Ward
Winners Dog: offered by Tonia Adams
Reserve Winners Dog: offered by Mary Sezer
Winners Bitch: offered by Stephen Hewitt & Mercedes Meyer
Reserve Winners Bitch: offered by Shadetree GSMD, Cathy Cooper
Best Puppy (in regular classes): offered by Tonia Adams
Best Bred-By-Exhibitor: offered by Stephen Hewitt & Mercedes Meyer
6-9 Puppy Dog: offered by Shadetree GSMD, Cathy Cooper
9-12 Puppy Dog: offered by Shadetree GSMD, Cathy Cooper
12-18 Puppy Dog: offered by Shadetree GSMD, Cathy Cooper
Bred By Dog: offered by Stephen Hewitt & Mercedes Meyer
Am Bred Dog: offered by
Open Dog: offered by Stephen Hewitt & Mercedes Meyer

Amateur Owner-Handled Dog: offered by Swallowfield Farm, Martha Tubman
6-9 Puppy Bitch: offered by Tracy Brainard & Darlene Ward
9-12 Puppy Bitch: offered by
12-18 Puppy Bitch: offered by
Bred By Bitch: offered by Leslie Gillette
Am Bred Bitch: offered by
Open Bitch: offered by John & Sally Baffa
Amateur Owner-Handled Bitch: offered by
Veteran Dog 7-9: offered by Jan Smith Clifford
Veteran Dog 9+: offered by Jana Furst
Veteran Bitch 7-9: offered Blue View GSMD, Megan & Dustin Westenmeyer
Veteran Bitch 9+: offered Simply Swissies, Dana Hounsell
Best Veteran: offered by Allison Allen
Best Opposite Veteran: offered by C & P IMO Huck Bothner

Junior Showmanship
Novice Junior: offered by Jan Collins
Open Intermediate: offered by Leslie Gillette

The Greater Swiss Mountain Dog Club of America, Inc., reserves the right to substitute a prize with one of equal or greater value.

C & P FALL FESTIVAL!!

November 6-9

Tentative Schedule

Food Truck on-site Friday, Saturday, Sunday
breakfast & lunch

Please join us for a really fun weekend with your dog and other enthusiasts. All breeds welcome for performance and companion events Saturday-Monday.

Friday

9AM	Eastern Regional Specialty with Sweeps
1PM	Independent Specialty

Saturday

8-12	Farm Dog Evaluation—1st leg
10-12	Agility Practice Draft Practice
1-5	Farm Dog Evaluation—2nd leg
1-3	Agility Practice Draft Practice

Sunday

8-12	Draft Trial (2 concurrent tests)
1-3	Agility Capability Test 1—1st & 2nd legs
3-5	Agility Capability Test 2—1st & 2nd legs
1-5	CGC & Trick Dog Evaluations

Monday

8-12	Draft Trial

All events in Louisa, VA at Double Q Farm

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. 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 lessor 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 therefrom, 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 persons. **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 ITS 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.**

INSTRUCTIONS

1. (Variety) if you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).

2. The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.

3. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e, age division, color division, weight division.

4. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)

5. Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH _____

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER _____

The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 233-9767.

By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

GSMDCA Eastern Regional Specialty Friday, November 6, 2020 (AM Specialty)_____
GSMDCA Eastern Regional Specialty Sweepstakes Friday, November 6, 2020 (AM)_____
GSMDCA Independent Regional Specialty Friday, November 6, 2020 (PM Specialty)

ENTRY FEES-SEE PAGE 6 Entries close 6:00PM (EST) Wednesday October 21, 2020 or when the entry limits are reached before that date, after which entries cannot be accepted, changed, cancelled, altered, or substituted except under CH. 11 Sect.6 of the Dog Show Rules. Make checks payable to Rachal Sager and mail entries with fees to: **Rachal Sager, 2426 Sandy Hook Rd., Goochland, VA 23063**. For Paypal, include $3 per dog and send to: Showoperationservice@gmail.com

I ENCLOSE $ _____ for entry fees

IMPORTANT-Read Carefully Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT)

BREED [5] GSMD	VARIETY [1]	SEX
DOG SHOW CLASS [2,3]	CLASS [3] DIVISION Weight, color, etc.	
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEDIENCE CLASS (Jump Height)	RALLY CLASS (Jump Height) / JR. SHOWMANSHIP CLASS
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (If any)	JR. HANDLER NUMBER	
FULL NAME OF DOG		
☐ AKC® NO. ☐ PAL/ILP NO. ☐ FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY (Enter number here)	DATE OF BIRTH / PLACE OF BIRTH (list country) Do not print the above in catalog.	
BREEDER		
SIRE		
DAM		

ACTUAL OWNER(S) [4] _____
(Please Print)

OWNER'S ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (IF ANY) AT THE SHOW _____

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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his/her agent duly authorized to make this entry _____

TELEPHONE # _____ E-MAIL Address _____

Are you a new exhibitor? Yes ☐ No ☐ Owner/Handled Eligible? Yes ☐ No ☐

E-MAIL Address (An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address):

Emergency contact: _____ Telephone _____

COVID- 19 and other Communicable Disease Release And Waiver of Liabilities for entry onto 361 Foster Trail, Louisa, VA from 11/5/20-11/9/20

State of Virginia, County of Louisa

Release and Waiver of Liability and Claims

I fully attest, to the best of my knowledge, that I do not have COVID- 19 or any other Communicable Disease at the time of attending the Fall Festival Specialties and Performance and Companion events, (the "Event") on 11/5/20-11/9/20 in Louisa, Va. I also attest that I have not been in contact, nor have I been exposed to any known carrier of COVID- 19 or any other Communicable Disease within the past 14 days. I agree that I am attending the "Event" entirely at my own risk and take full responsibility for my own health and safety during the "Event". I will follow the American Kennel Club and Greater Swiss Mountain Dog Club of America requirements, procedures, protocols and guidelines to help reduce any exposure to or risk from spreading COVID- 19 or any other Communicable Disease.

In consideration for and as a condition to the undersigned being permitted to enter and participate in the "Event", the undersigned on his or her behalf of his or her heirs, legal representatives, and assigns (collectively hereinafter referred to as the "Undersigned") hereby RELEASES, WAIVES, AND DISCHARGES the "Club" and their respective heirs, legal representatives, officers, employees, agents, assigns and affiliates, as appropriate (such parties, together with the "Club", hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Released Parties"), from any and all liability, claims, demands, or causes of action that the Undersigned may have now and hereafter for any and all injuries to his or her person or property and for damages, including but not limited to, those injuries or damages CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASED PARTIES while the Undersigned is on the property at 361 Foster Trail, for any purpose or participation in any activity whatsoever.

The Undersigned hereby EXPRESSLY AGREES he or she WILL NOT SUE OR MAKE A CLAIM against the Released Parties for damages or other losses sustained as a result of his or her presence on or participation in any activity on such property.

The Undersigned further AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS the Released Parties and each of them from any loss, liability, damage, or cost that the Released Parties may incur due to the presence of the Undersigned on the property of Owner, including, without limitation, subrogation and/or derivative claims brought by any third party or insurer in connection with any injury or damage the Undersigned may incur while on the property of Owner, including the pond. The Undersigned AFFIRMS he or she is covered under appropriate general liability and personal health insurance policies issued through a licensed insurance carrier.

The Undersigned EXPRESSLY ACKNOWLEDGES, AGREEES, AND UNDERSTANDS his or her presence and participation in activities on the property have inherent risks and dangers no amount of care, caution, instruction, or expertise can eliminate these risks and dangers, and he or she EXPRESSLY AND VOLUNTARILY ASSUMES ALL RISK OF DEATH OR PERSONAL INJURY SUSTAINED WHILE PARTICIPATING IN SUCH ACTIVITIES ON THE PROPERTY WHETHER OR NOT CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASED PARTIES. The Undersigned further EXPRESSLY AGREES the foregoing release, waiver, and indemnity agreement is intended to be a s broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State in which the activities are conducted and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding continue in full legal force.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THE RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND CLAIMS, AND UNDERSTANDS THAT HE OR SHE HAS GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT, ASSURANCE, OR GUARANTEE BEING MADE TO HIM OR HER, AND INTENDS THAT HIS OR HER SIGNATURE IS A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY OF THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW. The Undersigned further AGREES than no oral representations, statements, or inducements apart from the foregoing written agreement have been made.

GUEST SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

GUEST NAME:_____ADDRESS:_____

PARENT SIGNATURE:_____ (if under 18 years old)