DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE

<u>From I-69N or S</u> – Exit at M78 (Butterfield Hwy) (Exit 48). Take M78 West towards Bellevue. At the stop light, turn left to continue on M78 W. In about 1.2 miles turn left on River Rd. Farm is about 1.7 miles on the left.

HOTELS

Check pet policies and restrictions before reserving rooms. Some may have changed or have a limit in dogs.

Battle Creek - 194

Red Roof Inn, 5050 Beckley Rd, Battle Creek 937-328-1821

Marshall – I94 and I69

Hampton Inn, 325 Sam Hill Dr, Marshall Holiday Inn Express 329 Sam Hill Dr Marshall Howard's Motel 14884 W Michigan Ave, Marshall

Charlotte

America's Best Value Inn, 828 E Shepherd St, Charlotte

Lansing

Red Roof Inn LAnsing West 7412 W Saginaw Hwy Lansing

CAMPING

Permitted on site. Dry Camping only. No hookups, no water, no electricity.

Alternate Camping with Full Hookups

Camp Turkeyville RV Resort, 18935 15 1/2 Mile Rd, Marshall, MI 49068

EMERGENCY VETERINARIAN

Greater Lansing Veterinary Center 1290 W Grand River Ave Suite 500, Williamston, MI 48895 517-708-2525

PREMIUM LIST

Early entries close on Wednesday, June 5, 2024 at 9:00 PM Gate entries for JC/QC close on the day of the event at 7:15 AM Gate entries for trial close on the day of the event at 8:00 AM



Michigan Gazehound Association

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All Breed Lure Coursing Tests and Trials

LICENSED BY THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

All Breed JC/QC and Trial Saturday, June 8, 2024, #2024261006 Sunday, Juune 9, 2024, #2024261007

> Cowan Farm 9809 River Rd Bellevue, MI

Open/Specials/Veteran/Singles Stake Trial Fees \$20 early entry or \$30 at gate for each entry Junior Courser (JC) & Qualified Courser (QC) Test Fees \$10 early entry or \$15 at gate for each entry

Make checks payable to "MGA" in US funds. Mail to...

Jessica Epstein

984 Merry Ln

Leslie MI 49251

Do NOT send entries "signature required".

The Field Trial Secretary cannot accept conditional, unsigned, incomplete or unpaid entries; please check your completed entry carefully. Entries by e-mail will not be accepted.



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

American Kennel Club[®]

GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary

MICHIGAN GAZEHOUND ASSOCIATION

President—Matt Botzau; Vice President—Lianna Frazer Secretary—Jessica Epstein; Treasurer—Cathy Kirchmeyer; Director—Echo Prafke-Marson

JUDGES & ASSIGNMENTS

Karen Catt, New Liskeard Ontario Lianna Frazer, Clinton Twp, Michigan Terry Sayre, Lowell, Arkansas Don White, Grove City, Ohio

Saturday Judges		RR	Sa	РН	TR	PP	PIO	No	IH	Wh	IG	CE	SD	Ba	Gr	IW	SI	Во	АН	Az	PPP	Sno
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Running order is as above. Stakes will run in order of Open, Specials, and Veterans. JC/QC tests will be run before the all breed lure coursing trial.

FIELD COMMITTEE

Field Trial Chair: Michelle Hogan 20836 Hall Rd PMB 327 Clinton Twp, MI 48038

Email: pandorabasenjis@gmail.com Phone: (586) 246-6261 Field Trial Secretary: Jessica Epstein, 984 Merry Ln, Leslie MI 49251

Email: wolfpine8@gmail.comPhone: 517-749-1115

Lure Operator: Matt Botzau, Denis Seeley, Joe Shoemaker, Jarret Teamer, Don White, Meg Willis-Redfern, Echo Prafke-Marson

Additional Members: Jill Botzau, Lianna Frazer, Diane Guest, Suzanne LaCroix,

David Matt, Vicki Roll

TRIAL HOURS: 7:00 AM – until completion ROLL CALL & INSPECTION

Trial Hounds at 8:30 AM. JC/QC Hounds at 7:30 AM

Early acceptance of hounds may begin 1/2 hour prior to the times listed above.

RIBBONS

JC Test / QC Test - Dark Green.

First - Blue, Second - Red, Third - Yellow, Fourth - White, Fifth - Pink.

Best of Breed - Purple & Gold Rosette.

Best in Field - Red, White & Blue Rosette.

ELIGIBILITY

Only purebred Afghan Hound, Azawakh, Basenji, Borzoi, Cirneco dell'Etna, Greyhound, Ibizan Hound, Italian Greyhound, Irish Wolfhound, Norrbottenspet, Peruvian Inca Orchid, Pharaoh Hound, Portuguese Podengo, Portuguese Podengo Pequeno, Rhodesian Ridgeback, Saluki, Sloughi, Scottish Deerhound, Thai Ridgeback, and Whippet that are one year of age or older and have been registered with The American Kennel Club or an AKC recognized foreign registry or that have been granted an Indefinite Listing Privilege (ILP) may be entered. Breed disgualifications apply.

TESTS OFFERED

Junior Courser (JC): Open to all eligible sighthounds. A hound running alone must receive a certification from a Judge on one date, and a second certification from a different Judge at a later date, with each Judge stating that the hound completed a (minimum) 600-yard course with a minimum of 4 turns. The hound must complete the entire course with enthusiasm and without interruption. Ribbons (Dark Green) will be awarded to all hounds that successfully complete the AKC Junior Courser Test.

Qualifying Courser (QC): Open to all eligible sighthounds. The qualifying hound will run with another hound, completing a (minimum) 600-yard course with a minimum of 5 turns. The qualifying hound must complete the entire course with enthusiasm, without interruption, and without coursing, interfering with, or aggressing on the other hound. Owner of qualifying dog must provide or arrange for a hound of like running style for their hound to run with in this test.

STAKES OFFERED

OPEN: Open only to hounds of eligible breed, with no breed disqualifications, that hold an AKC QC certificate OR have run in the Open Stake prior to Jan. 1, 2010, OR have a Senior Courser title OR have an ASFA or CKC field champion title (a copy of this title must be attached to the entry form if the QC requirement is to be waived) OR have an ASFA Hound Certification (a copy of which must be attached to the entry form if the QC requirement is to be waived). Championship points are awarded from this stake. Hounds under disqualification from AKC, ASFA or CKC Field Trials may **NOT** be entered.

SPECIALS: Open only to hounds that are eligible to enter the Open Stake **and** have earned their AKC Field Championship title. LCX points may be awarded from this stake. Hounds under disqualification from AKC, ASFA or CKC Field Trials may **NOT** be entered.

VETERAN: Open only to hounds that are eligible to enter either Open or Specials Stake, and are of Veteran age as determined by their Parent Breed Club (6 years of age; except 5 years for Irish Woflhounds and 7 years for Afghan Hounds, Ibizan Hounds, Rhodesian Ridgebacks, Salukis, and Whippets). Championship or LCX points may be awarded from this stake. Hounds under disqualification from AKC, ASFA or CKC Field Trials may **NOT** be entered.

SINGLES: Open to all hounds of eligible breed, including those that are otherwise disqualified from entering the regular stakes (Open, Specials, and Veteran). Hounds entered in the Singles Stake may not also enter a regular stake at the same event. **NO** championship or LCX points are awarded from this stake.

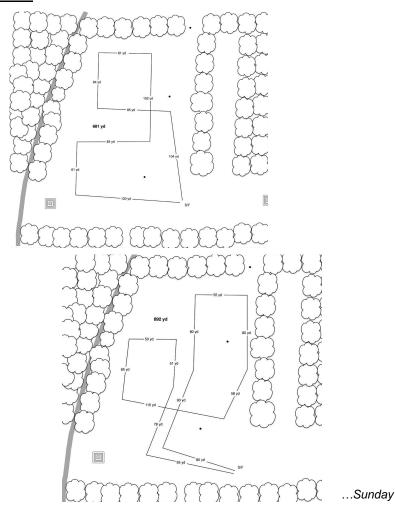
BEST IN FIELD (BIF): Will be offered. Note that Portuguese Podengo Pequeno and Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are not eligible to compete for Best in Field.

NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

- All entries must be one year of age or older on the day of the trial.
- Hounds not present at the time of roll call will be scratched after a 5-minute grace period and no refund will be given.
- Stakes may be split if sufficient entries are present in any one stake at the time of the draw to support more than one 5-point major.
- Bitches in season and lame hounds will be excused. Entries will be refunded. These are the only reasons that pre-entries will be refunded after the pre-entry closing date.
- There will be a minimum \$25 returned check charge.
- Hounds will be checked for breed disqualifications. Spayed and neutered hounds are eligible to participate. Monorchid and cryptorchid hounds are ineligible to participate.
- Owners of hounds entered for a QC run are responsible for providing and/or arranging for the additional hound to run with.
- A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any loose hound on the field that is not competing in the course in progress.
- ❖ A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any handler not cleaning up after their hound.
- Any person may, upon reasonable complaint, be asked to leave the grounds by the Field Committee. Children MUST be under control of their parents or guardians at all times.
- Only the Lure Operator, Huntmaster, Judges and Handlers of the hounds running in the course in progress will be permitted near the lure machine.
- All attempts will be made to separate hounds that have the same owner and live in the same household or being handled by the same person these entries MUST be submitted together to qualify.
- All dogs run at owners' sole risk. The hosting clubs and property owners, their agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc. assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors and handlers or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children or spectators before, during, or after this event.
- Garbage cans will be onsite for food, dog poop etc. Please respect this field and pick up after yourself. DO NOT LEAVE unwanted items such as busted canopies, large trash, etc. Take that with you!

COURSE PLANS

Saturday...



Course will be reversed for finals, run-offs and BOB. The field is not fenced; adequate shade and cool/drinking water should be provided by the participants.

MGA reserves the right to alter course due to field and/or weather conditions on the day of the trial.

Gas powered, continuous loop equipment will be used. Lures consist of white or black plastic.

How to enter your dog and earn AKC Titles

- ✓ Your dog must first earn a Qualifying Courser (QC) certification. Be sure to CHECK OFF "QC" ON THE ENTRY FORM.
- ✓ Next, if your dog has practiced successfully with other dogs (not interfering either aggressively OR playfully), you should enter him in Open and work towards the Senior Courser (SC) title. If your dog also wins a placement he will earn points towards his Field Championship (see point scale below). CHECK "OPEN" ON THE ENTRY FORM, AND PAY THE ENTRY FEE FOR OPEN. There is no additional fee for the SC leg. To earn the SC title, the hound must run with at least one other hound, and must receive qualifying scores at FOUR (4) AKC trials under two different judges or judging panels.
- ✓ When your dog has earned the SC title, he most likely will still be competing for Field Championship points. If he receives qualifying scores in 25 trials, he will earn the Master Courser (MC) title.
- The title of Field Champion (FC) is a prefix to a hound's name. It is earned by obtaining 15 points from the Open or Veteran stakes. Dog must win 2 first placements worth 3 or more points under two different judges or judging panels (majors).
- ✓ A dog who has earned his Field Champion title must be entered in the Specials Stake or, if eligible, the Veteran Stake.

			Championship		
Region 3 Nor	th Central: I	ND, SD, NE,	KS, MN, IA, MO,	WI, IL, MI,	IN, KY, OH
POINTS	5pts	4pts	3pts	2pts	1pt
AH	6	5	4	3	2
Az	6	5	4	3	2
Ва	6	5	4	3	2
Во	10	8	5	3	2
CE	6	5	4	3	2
Gr	6	5	4	3	2
ΙH	6	5	4	3	2
IW	6	5	4	3	2
IG	6	5	4	3	2
PH	6	5	4	3	2
PPP	6	5	4	3	2
RR	8	6	5	3	2
Sa	6	5	4	3	2
SD	6	5	4	3	2
SI	6	5	4	3	2
Wh	15	11	8	4	2

1st place earns	5 pts	4 pts	3 pts
2nd place earns	3 pts	2 pts	1 pt
3rd place earns	2 pts	1 pt	0 pts

Notes for the Day

- If you have ANY questions about what stakes/tests to enter your dog, e-mail the field trial secretary.
- BRING YOUR OWN FOOD AND WATER. Lunch will NOT be available for purchase on-site. Lunch will be provded for workers
- Make sure to bring shade and water for your hounds.
- All hounds finishing their QC titles are eligible to run in Open BUT IT IS ONLY ENCOURAGED if they've run more than just the QC with another hound, and have run cleanly without coursing another hound or interfering in any way.
- ❖ Your hound does not need a JC to enter a trial, but the JC still appears as a title after your hounds name if they earn it.
- There will be a portable toilet on site.
- Make sure to pay attention to the running order, your dog's colors, and to the paddock master – if your hound is ready and waiting when it's their turn to run, the trial runs more smoothly for everyone. Any hound that is more than five minutes late in getting to the line for their course may be excused from competition for the day as per AKC rules.
- ❖ If you are new to the sport, grab someone and ask questions! We're always happy to help "newbies" learn the ropes!

HOW TO ENTER

Scanned/E-mailed entries are acceptable. However, payment MUST be made at the time of sending entries using the payment option on the Michigan Gazehound Association website. The email payment confirmation you receive from PayPal can be forwarded to the FTS as proof of payment.

MAILED entries may be paid by either a check in US Funds or by using the payment button at the Michigan Gazehound Association Website.

Online entries are also accepted via the AKC entry forms for sighthounds at the Michigan Gazehound Association website. Payment can be made after submitting your online entries.

NO EXCEPTIONS.

If you have NOT provided payment by roll call on the day of trial, your entry will be considered conditional and not accepted.

ONLINE: Instructions on how to Enter and Pay ONLINE can be found on the Online Entries Page on the Michigan Gazehound Association website: https://www.michigangazehound.com/online-entries

Saturday



Pot Luck Dinner

June 8th after the trial in the camping area
BBQ Sandwiches: MGA will provide meat, cheese, buns, & BBQ sauce (on the side)
Please bring a dish to pass and your own beverage (flammable beverages are permitted)

Entrance to the field, Day parking and Camping



Entrance to the field is an easement under the electric towers. Parking is along the tree line to the south on Saturday or to the east. On Sunday the start finish is close to the treeline so plan on parking to the east if possible. Please keep a drivable lane. A club member should be there to help direct people as needed. Please contact the FTS if you plan on camping.

ADDITIONAL NOTES ABOUT QC RUNS

- All dogs entering the Open stake must now earn a Qualifying Courser certification. (Unless said hound has run in the open or open veteran stake in a trial prior to Jan. 1. 2010, holds a field champion title from ASFA or CKC, or holds a Hound Certification from ASFA – a copy of such title or certification needs to accompany the hounds first trial entry).
- You are responsible for finding a hound of like running style to run your QC hound with. You cannot expect to run your hound for a QC without arranging for another hound to help certify yours.
- You will be handed a form to fill out at roll call. You must fill this out and RETURN it to the Field Trial Secretary BEFORE the QC runs are to begin – THIS IS IMPORTANT! Make sure you have your hound's AKC Registration Number with you.
- Once your hound has completed its QC and the judge has come off the field, please see the Field Trial Secretary to retrieve your certification form. You will need to attach this (or a copy of it) to your hound's first official entry into the Open or Open Veteran stake.
- The JC test is no longer required AT ALL to enter the open stake and, in fact, a hound may have a JC title but without the QC (or other stated requirements) a hound MAY NOT enter the Open or Open Veteran stake at a trial.
- If you have any questions about this please contact your Field Trial Secretary.
- This weekend we will be running ALL QC runs (and JC tests) BEFORE the trial.



To be completed by owner/agent:

Qualified Courser Certificate

Instructions: This form is to be used when a hound successfully completes the Qualified Courser Test at an AKC Lure Coursing event. A hound must have received this certification to be eligible to compete in an AKC Lure Coursing Trial in the Open or Open Veteran stake. This form must be properly completed and submitted along with this hound's first entry in an AKC Lure Coursing Trial in either stake.

* Hounds who have earned a Field Championship from either the American Sighthound Field Association (ASFA) or the Canadian Kennel Club (CKC) are exempt from this requirement. A copy of the applicable FC certificate must accompany the first entry of these hounds.

AKC [®] Registered Name
AKC Registration Number
hereby certify that the hound running in the Qualifying Course is the hound identified above and the information provided is true and correct.
Printed Name of Owner/Agent
Signature of Owner/Agent Date
To be completed by certifying judge:
hereby certify that the above referenced hound passed the Qualified Courser Test by running clean with another hound of the same breed or one with a similar running style completing a course a minimum of 600 yards.
Judge's Printed Name Judge's Number
Judge's Signature Date

Official American Kennel Club Lure Coursing Entry Form

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