



Summer Showdown August 17-19, 2018

3 Days/5 Shows
CASUAL DRESS

**Australian Shepherd Conformation
All-Breed Junior Handling**

**3 All-Breed/Mixed-Breed Agility Trials
3 All-Breed/Mixed-Breed Obedience Trials
4 All-Breed/Mixed-Breed Rally Trials**
(Agility and Obedience/Rally Premiums Sanctioned Separately)

at the



500 William Danforth Way, Gray Summit, MO, 63039
(Indoor 45,000 sq. ft. air-conditioned exhibition hall w/rubber flooring)

**Exhibitor Parking In Rear of Event Center
Car Show on Front Parking Lot This Weekend**

Entries will not be accepted postmarked before 07/02/17
Pre-entries close at 6 p.m. CDT, Monday, 08/06/17
Gate entries will be accepted for all shows/trials
Agility runs are limited, so get your entries in early!
Building available for exhibitor set-up at 7:30 a.m. Friday
Building will open at 6:30 a.m. Saturday & Sunday
Trial Hours – 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

ASCA Sanctioned
Hosted by the Gateway Australian Shepherd Club
www.gatewayasc.org

SHOW/TRIAL SECRETARIES

Conformation – Diane DeVoto, PO BOX 1560, Fenton, MO 63026 herdeweacres@yahoo.com, 636-208-1410

Show Coordinator and Trial Committee Chair – Diane Bettis, dbettis@swbell.net, 314-960-7876

SCHEDULE & JUDGES

	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<u>Conformation Classes</u> (Classes Listed on Following Page) Junior Handling Non-Regular – Puppies Regular – Altered & Intact Gate Entries: Judging Begins:		<u>Show #2</u> <u>Judge</u> Eric Brickson Enon, OH 8 - 8:30 a.m. 9 a.m.	<u>Show #5</u> <u>Judge</u> Steve Dobbins MO 9 - 9:30 a.m. 10 a.m.
Gate Entries: Judging Begins:	<u>Show #1</u> <u>Judge</u> Gemi Sasson Brickson Enon, OH 4 - 5 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	<u>Show #3</u> <u>Judge</u> Carol Ann Hartnagle Brighton, CO 11 – 11:30 a.m. 12N or ½ Hr. After Show #2	
Gate Entries: Judging Begins:		<u>Show #4</u> <u>Judge</u> Deb Tessmann Van Leaven Buffalo NY 1:30 – 2 p.m. 3 p.m. or ½ Hr. After Show #3	

CLASSES

All-Breed Junior Handling

Non-Regular Pee Wee (3-5 Years), Sub-Junior (6-7 Years)

Regular Novice Jr. (8-12 Years), Novice Sr. (13-17 Years)
Open Jr. (8-12 Years), Open Sr. (13-17 Years)

Australian Shepherd Conformation (Divided By Sex)

Non-Regular 2-4 Month Puppy, 4-6 Month Puppy

Regular Altered 6-9 Month, 9-12 Month, 12-15 Month, 15-18 Month
Novice, American Bred, Bred By Exhibitor
Open (by color), Best of Breed

Regular Intact 6-9 Month, 9-12 Month, 12-15 Month, 15-18 Month
Novice, American Bred, Bred By Exhibitor
Open (by color), Best of Breed

All-Breed/Mixed-Breed Obedience

Regular & Titling Utility A/B; Open CDX A/B; Open ODX A/B, Novice A/B;
Beginner Novice A/B

Non-Regular Wildcard Utility, Open, Novice; Versatility

All-Breed/Mixed Breed Rally

Regular Masters, Excellent, Advanced, Novice (All Levels B, A, & C)

SPECIAL AWARDS

Conformation

Best Puppy
Best of Breed
Best Opposite Sex
Best of Winners
New Title Rosette & Zipper Pull

ENTRIES

All entries must be complete and on ASCA forms. Copies of forms must include the release and a signature on the back. The parent or legal guardian of any Junior under the age of 18 must sign the back of their entry form. All entry forms can be found at <http://www.asca.org/formsandrulebooks>.

Entry fees will not be refunded after entries have closed. Pulled entries are not considered withdrawn until you have received written confirmation from the corresponding Trial or Show Secretary. Partial payments do not constitute a valid entry. Checks returned for insufficient funds will be considered a void entry. There will be a \$25 service charge for returned checks.

There shall be no refunds or entries withdrawn after the closing date or in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by the judge or club, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. In addition, no entry fees will be refunded if the trials cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strike or any other cause beyond the control of GASC.

Any exhibitor whose bitch entered in these trials comes into season after the closing date may obtain a partial refund of their entry fees. Upon presentation of a veterinarian's certificate to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging the morning of the trial, entry fees paid for said bitch will be refunded, less \$5 per day entered.

Copies of ASCA registration papers must be presented to Show/Trial Secretary, if requested, for any Australian Shepherd 6 months old and over. All other entries must provide proof of registration or recognized club membership.

All dogs 6 months and older must have an individual ASCA Registration, LEP, or Tracking Number to compete in ASCA-sanctioned Obedience and Rally Trials. A dog will be allowed to be shown at the trial where the handler applies for an ASCA Tracking Number. The handler will be issued a receipt by the Registration table valid for 60 days to allow the ASCA Business office time to issue the Tracking Number. To obtain an ASCA Service Membership and Tracking Number Application, please go to: <http://www.asca.org/Portals/0/trackapp.pdf>.

Exhibitors, through submission of their entry/entries, acknowledge they are knowledgeable of ASCA Rules and Regulations. No entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Exhibitors will be competing for ASCA titles. All dogs, regardless of breed, must show in the class appropriate to any previous ASCA titles earned. Exhibitors who have NEVER earned an ASCA Obedience or Rally title must enter at the Novice level.

Confirmation of Obedience & Rally Entries – Exhibitors will receive confirmation of receipt of their entry/entries if an email address or self-addressed, stamped envelope is provided.

Make entries payable to GASC:

MAIL CONFORMATION ENTRIES TO:

Diane DeVoto
PO BOX 1560
Fenton, MO 63026

**No entry shall be accepted from a dog or handler disqualified from
ASCA programs or not in good standing with ASCA.**

ENTRY FEES

Class	Pre-Entry	Gate
Regular Conformation & BOB, Obedience, Rally	\$18	\$22
2 nd Entry, Same Dog, Same Trial (2nd Obedience or 2nd Rally Entry Per Trial)	\$10	\$12
Conformation Package – 5 Shows, Same Dog	\$75	\$90
Non-Regular Conformation and Wildcard & Versatility Obedience	\$10	\$12
Jr. Handling (8 Years & Older)	\$9*	\$11*
Pee Wee (3-5); Sub-Junior (6-7)	FREE	FREE

* This fee is for Junior Showmanship only. Juniors entering Obedience or Rally classes must pay regular entry fees.

****PayPal Entries**** - If you want to pay for your entries using PayPal, email your completed & signed entry form(s) to gasc1995@gmail.com. You will then receive a request for payment from PayPal from that same email address. All pre-entry monies must be cleared in full before the date of trial. We will **NOT** have a card reader at the show site for day-of-show entries for this weekend.

Processing fees are: \$1 per class - \$5 for Conformation Packages

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Regular Obedience and Rally classes receive 1st – 4th place ribbons. Qualifying score ribbons to all qualifiers in Obedience and Rally classes. Small rosettes provided for New Titles. Awards and rosettes provided for Special Awards listed on following page.

Obedience and Rally trials are open to all breeds and mixed breeds. This is not a match. Corrections and training are NOT allowed in the ring.

All wire crates and ex-pens must have a ground cover under them. Crates and equipment may be left in the building, but all dogs must be removed. Personal belongings are left at your own risk. The building is locked at night with security checks.

Please use designated exercise areas. Exhibitors must clean up after their dogs. If an exhibitor is observed violating this policy at the show site or motels, they will be removed from our mailing list and not allowed to return to future shows.

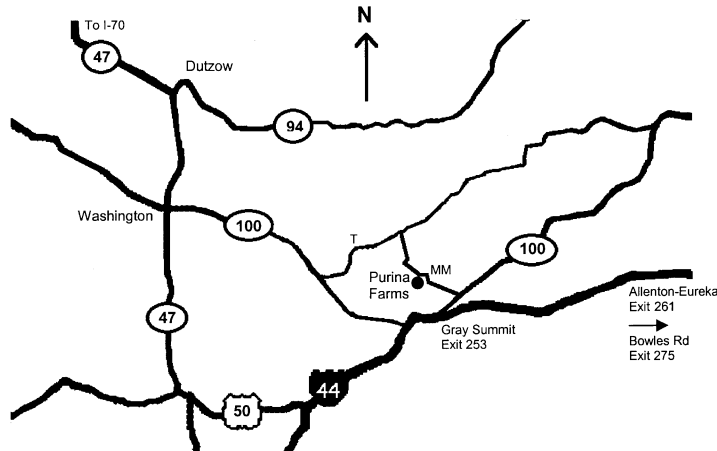
No puppies under the age of 8 weeks allowed at the show site.

Any handler, owner, or spectator using excessive corrections or abuse towards a dog or exhibiting poor sportsmanship while at the show site will be asked to leave for the duration of the show weekend.

This show will follow all rules of the Australian Shepherd Club of America. For a copy of ASCA's rules, please go to: <http://www.asca.org/formsandrulebooks>.

Directions to the Purina Event Center

I-44 From East or West – Take Gray Summit Exit #253 (Hwy 100 E). Turn north on Hwy 100 E. Go approximately ½ mile to County Road MM & turn left. There are small Purina signs on the corner. MM is a very winding road. Large vehicles should use care. Entrance to Purina is about 1 mile on the left. Go through the large security gates. Follow signs to the Event Center.



MOTELS

Located off of I-44

BUDGET LODGING – St. Clair, Exit 240, 636-629-1000, very dog friendly

DIAMOND INN TRAVELODGE - Gray Summit, Exit 253, (636) 742-3501 - Purina rate is \$79/night (includes pet fee)

COMFORT INN - Pacific, Exit 257, (636) 257-4600, dogs in smoking rooms only

SUPER 8 - Washington, Exit 251, 636-390-0088, \$10 pet fee per day

THE WILDWOOD HOTEL – Wildwood, Exit 264, 2801 Fountain Place, (636) 733-9100

HOLIDAY INN AT SIX FLAGS – Allenton/Eureka, Exit 261, (800) 782-8108 - Restaurant and dog bathing/grooming room on grounds

ECONOLODGE – Allenton/Eureka, Exit 261, 636-938-5348, \$10 pet fee per day

SUPER 8 – Allenton/Eureka, Exit 261, 636-938-4368, \$10 pet fee per day

DRURY INN - Fenton, Exit 272, 1088 South Highway Drive, (636) 861-8300, no pet charge, hot breakfast

PEAR TREE INN – Fenton, Exit 274A, 1100 South Highway Drive, (636) 343-8820

**Make reservations early, as this is a tourist area.
Please verify pet policy with motel of your choice.
Dogs may not be left in rooms unattended.**

RV SPACE RENTAL

RV spaces with hook-ups are available on site. Please submit the following Reservation Form with your entry:

RV Space Reservation Form

**FEE: \$25 per night
50 amp electric – water – sewer**

*Make separate check payable to **GASC** *

Payment is required for all RVs parked at hook-ups at the Purina Event Center. Exhibitors will be responsible for maintaining the cleanliness of their space. Anyone abusing this privilege may forfeit future parking spaces and could be subject to disciplinary action by the Show Committee, including expulsion from this and all future trials.

Name:	
Address:	
City:	State:
Length:	Circle one: RV 5 th Wheel Trailer
Plate #:	State:
Email:	
Cell Phone:	Enclosed Fee:
Signature:	

LOCAL VETERINARIANS

Washington Veterinary Clinic
John Stoltz, DVM
5585 Highway 100
Washington, MO 63090
(636) 239-5445

Pacific Animal Hospital
William C. Jones, DVM
24-Hour Emergency Service
450 Flier Dr.
Pacific, MO 63069
(626) 257-2100

ST. LOUIS ANIMAL EMERGENCY CLINIC

I-44 East to Big Bend Road (Exit 278)
Make slight right onto Big Bend Road
Clinic will be on the left.
9937 Big Bend Road
St. Louis, MO 63122
(314) 822-7600

LUNCH & REFRESHMENT INFORMATION

Purina's food concessions will be available for this event. Outside food & drink are not allowed in the Event Center unless you have special dietary needs. There are several fast food restaurants less than 5 miles from the event grounds at the I-44 Pacific Exit (# 257), one exit east of Purina.

RAFFLE

GASC will host a raffle; drawing at 11 a.m. Sunday