# HILL COUNTRY AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB Spring Fling Weekend

May 11 & 12, 2019

## Austin Canine Central, 5402 Middle Fiskville Rd., Austin, TX

Show held indoors in air-conditioned building on mats. We MUST be careful of the mats! NO ex-pens; NO metal crates without mats under them; tables must have plastic or rubber feet! Please read show information below!

## Schedule of Events

DATE/TIME	EVENT	JUDGE	SHOW SEC'Y	REGISTRATION
Saturday, May 11 11:00 AM	Conformation Show 1	Brandy Esch Provisional ASCA Breeder Judge Greeley, Colorado	Laura Gibson	10:00 – 10:30 AM
Saturday, May 11 3:00 PM	Conformation Show 2	Tammy Seaman Weidner ASCA Breeder Judge Estancia, New Mexico	Laura Gibson	2:00 - 2:30 PM
Sunday, May 12 9:00 AM	Conformation Show 3	Claire Thomas ASCA Senior Breeder Judge Phoenix, Arizona	Laura Gibson	8:00 – 8:30 AM
Sunday, May 12 12:00 P.M. or 30 minutes after A.M. show, whichever is earlier	Conformation Show 4	<b>Debbie Reneau</b> ASCA Senior Breeder Judge Granbury, Texas	Laura Gibson	8:00 – 8:30 AM

## Mail pre-entries with checks payable to "Hill Country ASC"

POSTMARKED by Monday, May 6, 2019 to:

Laura Gibson 249 Gallagher Drive Canyon Lake, Texas 78133 (940) 733-1914

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This is an ASCA sanctioned event and will be governed by the rules of the Australian Shepherd Club of America.

For a copy of these rules, contact: ASCA, 6091 E. SH 21, Bryan, TX 77808, 979-778-1082.

Show rules for conformation can be viewed online at http://www.asca.org/Forms+and+Rule+Books.

#### **Directions to Austin Canine Central:**

From the south: Take I35 to Austin; Exit 237A toward Airport Blvd.; Turn left onto Airport Blvd./TX 111 Loop; Turn left onto E. 55th St.; Take the first left onto Middle Fiskville Rd.; show site is on the right

<u>From the north:</u> Take I35 to Austin; Take the US-290E Exit (Exit 238 B-A) toward RM 2222 W/Houston; Take the FM 2222W Exit, Exit 238A; stay straight to go onto I-35N; Turn right onto E. Koenig Ln.; Turn left onto Airport Blvd.; Turn right onto E 55<sup>th</sup> St.; Take the first left onto Middle Fiskville Rd.; show site is on the right

# Show Photographer - Shelly Hollen - Wood

#### **Conformation Information:**

- 1. <u>Junior Showmanship</u>-- (non-regular) Peewee (at least 3 years, to under 6 yrs) Sub-Junior (at least 6 years, to under 8 yrs); (regular) Novice Junior (8-12 yrs), Open Junior (8-12 yrs), Novice Senior (13-17 yrs), Open Senior (13-17 yrs). Non-regular Peewees and Sub-Juniors will each receive a participant ribbon and a prize and are not given class placements.
- 2. <u>Puppies</u>-- (non-regular) 2-4 and 4-6 puppy classes, divided by sex. First place winners will compete for Best of Breed Puppy and Best Opposite Sex Puppy.
- Altered & Intact—(regular) 6-9, 9-12, 12-15, 15-18, Novice, American Bred, Bred By, Open Blue Merle, Open Red Merle, Open Black, Open Red, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, Best of Breed.
- 4. <u>Veteran Classes</u> (non-regular) 7 10 years and 10 years and up, divided by sex; class winners compete for Best Veteran and Best of Opposite Sex Veteran
- 5. Exhibitors should be ringside for all classes, ready to be called in. It is the judge's discretion whether to delay a class or to allow an exhibitor to enter the ring late.
- 6. Rosettes and small prizes are given for Best Junior, Reserve Junior, Best of Breed Puppy, Best Opposite Sex Puppy, Best Veteran, Best of Opposite Sex Veteran, Altered and Intact Winners Dog/Bitch, Altered and Intact Reserve Winners Dog/Bitch; Altered and Intact Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex and Best of Winners.

#### **General Information:**

- 1. The building will be available at 9:30 A.M. on Saturday morning, May 11. PLEASE do not set up until Laura Gibson is there to direct you as to where to set up. There will be no set up Friday night.
- 2. PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOGS, at the show site AND hotels. NO BATHING/GROOMING DOGS AT HOTELS! There are NO wash racks available to the public at the show site.
- There is a limited number of electrical outlets, so please use power strips/surge protectors to share outlets and help avoid tripping the breakers.
- DOG/PUPPY SALES ARE NOT ALLOWED. Any person found to be selling dogs on the premises will be asked to leave and not return.
- 5. Puppies under the age of 2 months are prohibited from the show grounds.
- 6. Puppies/dogs over the age of 16 wks are required to have proof of rabies vaccination. Tags do not constitute such proof.
- 7. Hill Country ASC, ASCA, and Austin Canine Central assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs, personal property, and/or children. Children are to be supervised at all times.
- 8. Any handler, owner, or spectator being abusive towards a dog or exhibiting poor sportsmanship will be asked to leave the show site for the duration of the show weekend.
- 9. Entries on newest official ASCA entry forms only. Copies may be made if signed statement is on the back. No other forms accepted. All entries must be signed on the "back." Any entry form that is not properly completed does not constitute a valid entry, and armband numbers will NOT be issued until the entry form is complete and correct!!! Entry forms can be filled in online (as "text entry") at: <a href="http://www.asca.org/Portals/812b34ca-1ab9-41bb-9dc9-d7b90411dbdc/showentrywtx.pdf">http://www.asca.org/Portals/812b34ca-1ab9-41bb-9dc9-d7b90411dbdc/showentrywtx.pdf</a>, then printed out, SIGNED on the back, and mailed in.
- 10. No entry fees will be refunded. Make checks payable to **Hill Country ASC.** Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There is a \$25 service charge for returned checks.
- 11. All dogs' ages will be calculated by their age on each day of show. Be prepared to present papers on all dogs six months of age or older. Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of ASCA rules and regulations. No entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.
- 12. No entry shall be accepted from a dog or handler disqualified from the ASCA Conformation program, a dog or handler disqualified from all ASCA programs, or a person not in good standing with ASCA.

### **Site Specific Information – PLEASE READ:**

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- 2. Due to Austin Canine Central's padded mat flooring, all wire crates must have mats underneath them, and all tables must have rubber or plastic feet.
- Due to limited grooming and crating space, exhibitors are limited to ONE table per FOUR dogs entered. Be ready to stack crates.
- 4. There will be **NO ex-pens** in the building.
- 5. There will be NO CHALKING allowed in the building.
- 6. There are NO wash racks available to the public at the show site.
- 7. There is a limited number of electrical outlets, so please use power strips/surge protectors to **share outlets** and help avoid tripping the breakers.
- 8. There will be an unloading zone in the alley behind the building. Exhibitors can use the back doors and this unloading zone up until 30 minutes before first show each morning; after that time, the doors will be locked for the show and access will be limited to the front entrance.

#### ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE NOT TO BE CONSUMED ON THE SHOW GROUNDS!

Any person found to be drinking alcohol on the grounds during show hours will be asked to leave for the remainder of the show weekend.

## **ENTRY FEES**

CLASS	PRE-ENTRY	DAY OF SHOW	EXTRA PRE-ENTRY DISCOUNTS!
JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP	free	free	
PUPPIES	\$5.00	\$8.00	
ALTERED CONFORMATION	\$10.00	\$15.00	
INTACT CONFORMATION	\$15.00	\$17.00	\$50 all 4 Intact shows

PRE-ENTRIES ARE OPEN NOW BUT MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MONDAY, MAY 6, 2019, TO QUALIFY FOR THE PRE-ENTRY DISCOUNTS!!!

# **ASCA Entry Forms with text entry at**

http://www.asca.org/Portals/812b34ca-1ab9-41bb-9dc9-d7b90411dbdc/showentrywtx.pdf

#### **Hotel Information**.

**La Quinta Inn Austin** – ½ mile 5812 I-35 North Austin, TX 78751 512-459-4381

Drury Inn & Suites North - 1 mile

6711 IH 35 North Austin, TX, 78752 512-467-9500

Motel 6 Austin Central-South/Univ. of TX #1118 - 1/2 mile

5330 North Interregional Highway (IH35) I-35 at 51st Street, Exits #238-A/238-B Austin, TX, 78751 512- 467-9111

**RV Information:** RV sites will not be available on the grounds, but self-contained RVs may be parked on the side of the facility.

# **Emergency Veterinary Care:**

**Austin Vet Care** 

4106 North Lamar Austin, Texas 78756

512-459-4336 24 Hour Emergency Clinic