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**COMBINED PREMIUM LIST
GREATER VALLEY FORGE
RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK
CLUB**

**SATURDAY, Sept. 22, 2018 Event Number: 2018288908
SUNDAY, Sept. 23, 2018 Event Number: 2018288909**

**North Branch Park
355 Milltown Rd
Bridgewater, NJ 08873**

**ALL BREED LURE COURSING TEST AND
TRIAL LICENSED BY THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB
***Pre-Entries Close 6:00 PM Wednesday Sept. 19, 2018
At the Field Trial Secretary address*****

**Trial Entry Fee: \$20.00 First Hound;
\$16.00 Subsequent Hounds, Same Owner
\$15.00 entry fee for Junior handled entries***

***See Page 4 for details**

Test Entry fee: JC: \$25.00, QC: \$20.00

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club (AKC) for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations

Singles offered – Limit 10 entries

Late Entries - \$25.00

Close 8:00AM at the Field Secretary's Desk – no exceptions

GVFRRC OFFICERS

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JUDGES - TEST AND TRIAL

Denise Gentile (97730) Elizabeth Rotondi (92344) Kathy Sanders (100047)
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Saturday 09/22/2018

	A	Ba	BZ	CDE	G	Ib	IW	IG	P	PPP	RR	Sa	SD	SL	W	FSS	JC/ QC
DG		X									X						
ER	X			X	X	X		X		X		X		X		X	X
KS			X				X		X				X		X		

Singles: Kathy Sanders

Sunday 09/23/2018

	A	Ba	BZ	CDE	G	Ib	IW	IG	P	PPP	RR	Sa	SD	SL	W	FSS	JC/ QC
ER		X	X				X		X				X		X		
KS	X			X	X	X		X		X	X	X		X		X	X

Singles: Elizabeth Rotondi

FIELD COMMITTEE

Field Chairman Gail James (610) 285-2331 (H)
 10451 Old 22, Kutztown, PA 19530
jamesgang12@verizon.net

Field Trial Secretary John Arvin 399 N Main St, Barnegat, NJ 08005
Ridgebacks@mysticrers.com (609) 891-0417 (H)
 Cell phone day of trial ONLY (609) 290-2056

Field Clerks Joanne Sora, Susan Newman
Lure Operators Bob O'Neill, Paul Obelcz, Susan Newman
Inspection Nancy Roberts, Susan Newman, Joanne Sora
Hunt Masters Bob O'Neill, Susan Newman, Gail James

TROPHIES

BIF: Rosette
Best of Breed: Rosettes
Ribbons: First-Blue, Second-Red, Third-Yellow, Fourth-White, Fifth-Pink.
Test Qualifiers: Dark Green Ribbon.

It is strongly recommended that every Qualifying Hound have been run previously alone and that to the handler's satisfaction runs cleanly and keenly. It is additionally recommended that every Qualifying Hound practices with other hounds prior to being presented for a qualifying courser test. It is to be understood by all that training prior to running a hound with other hounds in competition is essential to ensure that the hound is prepared to run safely with other hounds.

All dogs one year of age or older from the following breeds are eligible to participate in Lure Coursing Events.

AKC Recognized Breeds

- Afghan Hound
- Basenji
- Borzoi
- Cirneco Dell'Etna
- Greyhound
- Ibizan Hound
- Irish Wolfhound
- Italian Greyhound
- Pharaoh Hound
- Portuguese Podengo Pequeno
- Rhodesian Ridgeback
- Saluki
- Scottish Deerhound
- Sloughi
- Whippet

*** Foundation Stock Service Breeds (FSS)**

- Azawakh
- Norrbottenspets
- Peruvian Inca Orchid
- Portuguese Podengos (Medio & Grande)
- Thai Ridgeback

* May compete for suffix titles only

- Dogs of these breeds recorded with the Purebred Alternative Listing Program/Indefinite Listing Privilege (PAL/ILP) or dogs with Conditional registration are eligible to participate.
- Spayed and neutered dogs are eligible to participate.
- Monorchid and cryptorchid dogs are ineligible to participate.
- Bitches in season are not eligible to participate.
- Hounds with breed disqualifications, as listed in the AKC Breed Standards, are ineligible to enter lure coursing trials and tests.
- Dogs with Limited Registration are eligible to participate.

TRIAL HOURS 7:00 AM UNTIL COMPLETION
 LATE ENTRIES CLOSE 8:00AM - NO EXCEPTIONS
 EARLY ROLL CALL FOR FIELD COMMITTEE - 8:00 AM
TRIAL ROLL CALL 8:30 AM - JC/QC TEST ROLL CALL 2:00PM
 JC/QC TESTS BEGIN AT CONCLUSION OF TRIAL

Tests Offered

QUALIFIED COURSER (QC) CERTIFICATE: A hound at least 12 months of age (Qualifying Hound) running with another hound of the same breed - or another breed with a similar running style - (Testing Hound) shall receive certification from a licensed judge. The hound must complete the course with enthusiasm and without interruption, sufficiently course the lure and not course the Testing Hound. The judge will certify that the Qualifying Hound ran cleanly and did not appear to present a hazard to the Testing Hound at any point in the qualifying course. This certificate is required to enter a hound in an Open Stake.

JUNIOR COURSER: Open to all eligible sighthounds at least 12 months of age. 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.

Stakes Offered

OPEN STAKE. Open to all hounds that have obtained an AKC Qualified Courser certificate or ASFA certification. This requirement will be waived for hounds that have earned a Field Championship title from the American Sighthound Field Association (ASFA) or the Canadian Kennel Club (CKC). ASFA or CKC Field Champions must submit a copy of their title certificate to the host club when they enter their first AKC Open Stake. This copy must be included when the results of the trial are sent to the AKC. Championship points earned from the Open Stake will only count toward a Field Champion title. Hounds that have earned an AKC Field Championship title are not eligible to enter the Open Stake.

VETERAN STAKE: Open to all hounds which are eligible to enter Open or Special stakes and meet the age requirement for a veteran as established by the breed's parent club – 6 years of age; except Irish Wolfhounds = 5 years, Whippets, Rhodesian Ridgebacks, and Afghan Hounds = 7 years. Championship points will be awarded. Points won from the Veteran Stake may count toward either a Field Championship title or Lure Courser Excellent title.

SPECIALS STAKE: Open to all hounds that have earned their AKC Field Championship titles. Championship points earned from the Specials Stake will count toward Lure Courser Excellent titles. Qualifying scores earned from the Specials Stake will count toward a Senior Courser or Master Courser title.

Singles (Limited to 10 entries): Open to all sighthound breeds approved to participate in AKC Lure Coursing trials. Hounds with breed disqualifications are eligible to enter. Hounds entered in the Singles Stake shall not be allowed to enter the regular stakes (Open, Specials or Veteran) at the same event. Each hound shall run the course alone. The order of running shall be determined by random draw. Judges shall score a dog's performance the same as a regular stake. Singles Stake entries from all breeds shall be combined to determine placements. Placements shall be awarded based on the combined preliminary and final course scores. The winner of the stake shall not be eligible to compete in Best of Breed and/or Best in Field courses.

Best in Field (BIF):

Will be offered, Portuguese Podengo Pequenos and FSS breeds are not eligible to compete.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS: All Hounds will run twice, in trios if possible or braces unless excused, dismissed or disqualified. Bitches in season and lame hounds will be excused. Hounds not present at time of Roll Call will be scratched after a 5 minute grace period. Each entry will be examined at inspection for breed disqualifications. Battery powered, continuous loop lure machines will be used. The lure will consist of white plastic bags or strips. Backup equipment will be available. The course will be reversed for the final courses. The members of GVFRRC reserve the right to alter the course plan as required by weather and/or field conditions on the day of the trial.

THERE WILL BE A \$5 FINE ASSESSED FOR ANY LOOSE HOUND INTERRUPTING A COURSE IN PROGRESS.

VETERINARIANS:

Animerge 908-707-9077
21 US Highway 206 South, Raritan, NJ

Bridgewater Veterinary Hospital 908-704-6700
691 US Highway 202/206, Bridgewater, NJ

AREA HOTELS:

FairBridge Hotel & Conference Center 732-356-1700
195 Davidson Ave, Somerset, NJ 08873

Days Inn by Wyndham Hillsborough 908-800-2698
118 US-206, Hillsborough Township, NJ 08844

Super 8 Raritan NJ 908-722-5690
119 Hwy 206 South Somerville Circle Raritan, NJ 08869 US

****** Please note that some of these hotels may have changed their policies since this list was compiled and some may charge a security deposit per dog, so we strongly recommend that you confirm their pet policy and rates when making your reservation.**

- Hounds under disqualification from AKC, ASFA or CKC Field Trials may NOT be entered.

THINGS TO KNOW

Owners entering hounds in the Qualifying Courser test are responsible for obtaining a hound of the same breed, or of similar running style, to run with the qualifying hound in the QC test.

- Food will be available
- **Do not send entries requiring a signature for delivery.**
- **Entry forms MUST be separated and be 5.5" x 8.5 " in size**
- Hounds must be one year of age or older on the day of the trial.
- Owners must keep their hounds under control and clean up after them.
- Bring your own water and shade.
- Weather and other conditions permitting, practice will be held on **Saturday** after the trial - \$3 per run, per dog.

AKC regulation for Junior handled entries

The regulations allow clubs holding herding, earthdog, lure coursing and coursing ability events to offer, at the club's discretion, a lower entry fee for dogs handled by Juniors. A Junior is defined as anyone younger than 18 years of age. The Junior must handle the dog in the class to qualify for the reduced entry fee. If the dog is entered under this provision but the Junior does not handle the dog, the owner must pay the

regular entry fee as published. If offered, the reduced Junior entry fee shall be published in the premium.

- Please enter the Junior handler name in the space designated on the entry form for agent/handler.
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Directions to the site:

From Route 202 Northbound:

- Take the U-Turn/Left Turn exit (on your right) for Milltown Rd. Turn left at Stop sign onto Milltown Rd. Go through 1 traffic light crossing over Route 202. Travel a half mile, and North Branch Park will be on the left.

Common directions from Route 202 Southbound:

- Approximately two miles south of 287 on Route 202, you will travel under a train overpass. Make a right at the next turn onto Milltown Road. Travel a half mile, and North Branch Park will be on the left.

From Route 287 Southbound:

- Follow **Route 287 South** to **Exit 17** (Somerville/Rte. 202/206 South). When the highways split, take **Route 202 South**. (Follow common directions above)

From Route 287 Northbound:

- Follow **Route 287 North** to **Route 22 West** to **Route 202/206 South**. After a half mile, the highways split. Take **Route 202 South**. (Follow common directions above)

From I-78 Westbound:

- Follow **Route 78 West** to **Route 287 South** to Exit 17 (Somerville/Rte. 202/206 South). When the highways split, take **Route 202 South**. (Follow common directions above)

From I-78 Eastbound:

- Follow **Route 78 East** to **Route 22 East**. Follow Route 22 East through Branchburg. Make a **right** turn onto **Milltown Road**. Follow Milltown Road for 1 mile and bear right under the railroad trestle. North Branch Park will be on the right.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM

Club: GVFRRC, Inc.	Date(s): 09/22/18	Event #: 2018288908
Location: Somerset, NJ	Event type (test or trial): <input type="checkbox"/> Test <input type="checkbox"/> Trial	
Stakes: <input type="checkbox"/> QC <input type="checkbox"/> Singles <input type="checkbox"/> JC <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran	Breed:	I enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$ <input type="checkbox"/>
Breeder:	Registration No:	Sex: Date of Birth:
Call Name:	AKC No. <input type="checkbox"/>	AKC Litter No. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP No. <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign & List Country <input type="checkbox"/>
Full Name of Dog:		
Sire:		
Dam:		
Actual Owner(s):		
Owner's Address		
City:	State:	Zip:
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Trial: (Enter Junior Handler name here)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Please Separate My Entries.	<input type="checkbox"/> Hound Dismissed Within the Last 6 Trials.	

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org
AGREEMENT

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. 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.**

Signature of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry: _____

Tel: _____ Email: _____

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Breeder:	Registration No:	Sex: Date of Birth:
Call Name:	AKC No. <input type="checkbox"/>	AKC Litter No. <input type="checkbox"/> ILP No. <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign & List Country <input type="checkbox"/>
Full Name of Dog:		
Sire:		
Dam:		
Actual Owner(s):		
Owner's Address		
City:	State:	Zip:
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Trial: (Enter Junior Handler name here)		
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