September 26 & 27 2006

GIANT SCHNAUZER CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.

(Member of the American Kennel Club)



TWO GIANT SCHNAUZER ONLY AGILITY TRIALS (Held under AKC Rules and Regulations)

Opening Date Monday June 12, 2006 8:00 am First Received **Closing Date** Saturday September 9, 2006 7:00 pm

PURINA FARMS, 200 Checkerboard Dr., GRAY SUMMIT, MO 63039

LIMITED TO 330 RUNS PER DAY Jennifer McDonald - Tuesday Standard & JWW, Wednesday Standard & JWW

Trial Hours 11 am to 7 pm on Tuesday and 7am to 3 pm on Wednesday. Held outside on grass in one 100'x 100' ring.

Crating outside on grass with no shade, bring shade tents.



Certification Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under rules and regulations- James P. Crowley, Secretary Events 2006066514 (Sept. 26), 2006066515 (Sept. 27)

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Judges: Jennifer McDonald, 878 Cherokee Ridge Lane Labadie, MO, 63055

VETERINARIAN On Call St. Louis Emergency Group, Inc., Animal Emergency Clinic (24 hrs)

9937 Big Bend Rd

St. Lois, MO

(314) 822-7600 please call ahead

ENTRY INFORMATION

Entry Fee: \$15 /day, first entry (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee) & \$15 /day, same dog second entry (includes \$1.00 AKC recording fee).

Use one entry form per dog for all days.

Catalog: \$10 a limited number of catalogues are available for purchase at the trial.

Please pre-order catalogs using entry form.

Entries: A maximum of 10 entries per envelope is allowed.

DUE TO THE TRIALS SMALL SIZE, ONLY PAPER ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Only complete entries will be accepted and processed. A complete entry includes an accurate & signed official AKC agility trial entry form including the second "Agreement" page, payment in full for runs entered (check, money order, credit certificate or some combination thereof made out to Giant Schnauzer Club of America or GSCA).

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A refund of the entry fee, less the \$3.00 & \$1.00 AKC recording fees and \$3.00 judging fee per day will be given for any bitch that comes into season with written notification from a veterinarian provided to the Trial Secretary, before the start of the trial.

JUDGING SCHEDULE

Jennifer McDonald – Tuesday Standard & JWW, Wednesday Standard & JWW

Judging Begins 1:00 PM Tuesday & **8 AM** Wednesday. These trials will be held in one 100'x 100' ring outside on grass. Crating outside on grass with no shade, bring shade tents.

OBSTACLES

Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of <u>AKC Regulations for Agility Trials</u>. All jumps will be displaceable.

WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UPS

Handlers in all classes will be permitted to walk the course without a dog prior to the start of a class. At the judge's discretion, if the size of the entry for any class might inhibit a safe and fair walk-through by handlers, height divisions may be used to divide the walk-through into groups, e.g. walk-through for the 8", 12", and 16" division handlers followed by runs for those height divisions; then walk-through and subsequent runs for the 20" and 24" divisions. A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided. There will be no obstacle familiarization.

MOVE-UPS

Move-ups after entries close must be submitted to the Trial Secretary in writing (email is acceptable) by 6 PM PDT on September 18, 2006. Moves-ups will be accepted from Tuesday to Wednesday at the trial and must be submitted in writing no later than 30 minutes after the trial ends Tuesday.

AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded to first through fourth place in each height division in each class. A qualifying score is required for all awards. All awards must be claimed at the show.

First Place: Blue & Second Place: Red & Third Place: Yellow & Fourth Place: White & Qualifying Score: Dark Green

Additionally, first place in the following classes will receive an additional award that has not yet been determined:

24" NOVICE A STANDARD/REGULAR -1st 24" NOVICE B STANDARD/REGULAR -1st 24" OPEN STANDARD/REGULAR -1st 24" EXCELLENT A STANDARD/REGULAR-1st 24" EXCELLENT B STANDARD/REGULAR-1st 26" EXCELLENT B STANDARD/REGULAR-1st

20" NOVICE STANDARD/ PREFERRED -1st 20" OPEN STANDARD/PREFERRED -1st 20" EXCELLENT A STANDARD/ PREFERRED -1st 20" EXCELLENT B STANDARD/ PREFERRED -1st 24" NOVICE A JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/STANDARD-1st 24" NOVICE B JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/STANDARD-1st 24" OPEN JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/STANDARD-1st 24" EXCELLENT A JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/STANDARD-1st 24" EXCELLENT B JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/STANDARD-1st 26" EXCELLENT B JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/STANDARD-1st

20" NOVICE JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/PREFERRED-1st 20" OPEN JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/PREFERRED-1st 20" EXCELLENT A JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/PREFERRED-1st 20" EXCELLENT B JUMPERS WITH WEAVES/PREFERRED-1st

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This Trial is open to all giant schnauzers over the age of **15 months** that are registered with the American Kennel Club or are that have obtained ILP numbers from AKC, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs, blind or deaf dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. **Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations**.

CLASSES OFFERED

A complete set of rules for all classes is available form the American Kennel Club (5580 Centerview Drive, Suite 200, Raleigh, NC 27606) or from the AKC web site (www.akc.org). It is the exhibitor's responsibility to enter their dog in the correct class. The Trial Secretary cannot make any changes (except move-ups, as noted, title updates and spelling corrections) after the closing date of the trial. **Be sure to check your entry form carefully and make certain you have entered the correct class(s)**. Dogs may not be entered both regular <u>AND</u> preferred classes in this set of trials. Standard Agility and JWW class descriptions:

Novice – is divided into <u>Division A</u> for persons and dogs that have never acquired an agility title, and <u>Division B</u> for dogs that have acquired the Novice Agility title, persons who have handled a dog to an AKC agility title, and for agility judges. **Note** – if you have a title in JWW you may not show in Novice A in Standard and vice versa

Open – Open to dogs that have acquired the Novice Agility or Open Agility titles but which have not acquired the Agility Excellent title.

Excellent Class A – is open to dogs that have acquired the Open Agility title and to dogs that have not acquired the Agility Excellent title.

Excellent Class B –is open to dogs that have acquired Agility Excellent title.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

The following jump height divisions shall be used in all trial classes:

8 inches	for dogs 11 inches and under at the withers	4" Preferred class
12 inches	for dogs 14 inches and under at the withers	8" Preferred class
16 inches	for dogs 18 inches and under at the withers	12" Preferred class
20 inches	for dogs 22 inches and under at the withers	16" Preferred class
24 inches	for dogs over 22 inches at the withers	20" Preferred class
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26 inches for dogs over 22 inches at the owner's request

Please include a copy of your Jump Height Card with your entry. All Dogs without height cards must be measured by the judge, except those competing at 24" and 26" unless a VMO or REP is present.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR EXHIBITORS

- ♦ All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warmup area. AKC does not permit pinch/prong collars, electrical or special training collars anywhere on the trial grounds.
- ◆ The safety of dogs is of primary concern. By entering the Trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of the sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.
- ◆ Confirmation of entry and schedule of judging time will be sent to the address on the official AKC entry form after the closing date. If an exhibitor has not received a copy of the schedule at least seven days prior to the show, contact the Trial Secretary, Bridgette Tuerler (Btsquared@aol.com or 360-666-5202). Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry.
- ♦ Conditional, unsigned, incomplete, illegible, telephone or emailed entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on official AKC forms or photocopies of AKC forms without the signed agreement and rules on the reverse side of the official AKC entry form are not acceptable.
- ◆ Entry fees will not be refunded in the event of errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date, or in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by the Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by the Trial Committee or the AKC. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed for reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- ◆ The Giant Schnauzer Club of America, Inc., and Purina Farms assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assumes no responsibility for injury to any child not under the control of his or her parents or guardians.
- ♦ It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and /or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the Trial site. In such cases, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

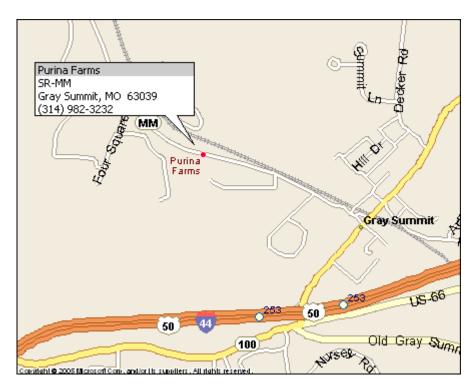
It is a requirement of the club and the facility that <u>dogs be on leash at all times</u> <u>except in designated off-leash areas</u> and owners must clean up after their dogs or they may be barred from further trials.

All owners and handlers are responsible for correctly entering and participating in this trial in accordance with the AKC rules including changes taking effect Sept 1, 2006.



Driving Directions to Purina Farms

- Take I-44 EAST or WEST to exit 253 (Gray Summit)
- Head north for two blocks on Missouri Highway 100
- Turn left onto County Road MM
- Entrance to Purina Farms is one mile on the left



LODGING

Please refer to the GSCA web site for updated information on host hotel, over flow hotel and on site camping at Purina Farms: http://www.giantschnauzerclubofamerica.com/Events/Specialties/2006/national.htm

Host Hotel: Holiday Inn at Six Flags
4901 Six Flags Road
Eureka, MO 63025
10 miles east of Purina Farms
1-800-782-8108
GSCA Block
\$104 per night
\$25 pet non-refundable fee for the stay
1-800-782-8108 ask for Crystal in sales

Host Hotel Amenities:

Complimentary continental breakfast.

Dog grooming and bathing room with towels provided.

Large grassy area to walk our Giants.

Overflow Hotel:

Diamond Inn (formerly known as the Best Western Diamond Inn) 2875 Highway 100, Villa Ridge, MO \$79.00 + tax and a \$25 non-refundable pet fee for the stay 1-800-782-8487

This is an older facility about 2 miles from Purina Farms. It does not have a restaurant. Continental Breakfast provided. It has a separate dog grooming and bathing room with towels provided. Large Grassy area to walk our Giants.

VOLUNTEER FORM:

Volunteers are the key to a successful trial and are greatly appreciated. We will make sure that your volunteering will not interfere with your runs.

Name	
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Please circle all that apply to the dog(s) you will be running these Trials

Standard	Novice Open	Excellent	Sat Sun	4 8 12 16 20 24
JWW	Novice Open	Excellent	Sat Sun	4 8 12 16 20 24

Circle one or more jobs that you can help with:

TIMER COURSE BUILDER SCRIBE

RING CREW GATE STEWARD LEASH RUNNER

SCRIBE RUNNER ANYTHING

What is your level of experience?



Email Address

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM FOR AGILITY TRIAL

GIANT SCHNAUZER CLUB OF AMERICA, Inc.

Tuesday September 26 & Wednesday September 27, 2006 AKC Licensed Club Two Giant Schnauzer only Agility Trials

Purina Farms 200 Checkerboard Dr, Gray Summit, MO 63039

Entries close at 7:00 PM PDT, Saturday September 9, 2006

Limited to 330 runs Tuesday & Wednesday

Mail entries with fees to: Bridgette Tuerler, PO Box 2336, Battle Ground, WA 98604

Make checks payable to **GSCA**

Entry Fees: \$15 per day first entry, \$15 per day second entry same dog

All fees include \$3 & \$1 AKC recording fee. ☐ Catalog \$10 **ENCLOSE A COPY OF YOUR HEIGHT CARD** Tuesday: ☐ Standard ☐ JWW Wednesday: ☐ Standard ☐ JWW (Important: carefully read instructions on reverse side before filling out) BREED HT. AT WITHERS VARIETY (1) SEX JUMP HEIGHT (circle one) JUMPERS WITH WEAVES (circle one) STANDARD CLASS (circle one) Nov A Nov B Open Ex Á Ex B Nov A Nov B Open Ex A Ex B 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26" PREFERRED CLASS (circle one) PREFERRED CLASS (circle one) JUMP HEIGHT (circle one) Nov A Nov B Open Ex A Ex B Nov A Nov B Open Ex A Ex B 8" 12" 16" 20" Non-Regular Agility Classes: International Sweepstakes Class JUMP HEIGHT (circle one) STD JWW (circle one) 14 18 26 AKC REGISTERED (include AKC titles only) CALL NAME ☐ AKC REG. NO. DATE OF BIRTH **AKC JUNIOR HANDLER#** ☐ AKC LITTER NO ☐ LP. NO. PLACE OF BIRTH ☐ FOREIGN REG. NO □USA □ CANADA **□FOREIGN** BREEDER SIRE DAM **ACTUAL OWNERS OWNERS ADDRESS** □ New Address ZIP+4 CITY STATE HANDLER (Junior Handler see back) Fee Enclosed 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 agility trial, 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 person or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and agreement. SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry Telephone

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

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher height division for all *Regular* titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division.

Dogs entered in the *Preferred* classes <u>must</u> compete at the required jump height and <u>may not</u> compete in a jump height division <u>higher or lower</u> than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. The Judge's measurement will be valid for this trial *or back-to-back trials* only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP JE AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER	R.'S DATE OF BIRTH	,	
The above number MUST be included Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 816-3776.	l. Should you not have yo	ur Junior Handler numbe	er, this may be obtained from the American
By signing the entry form I (we) cer agent/handler for pay while continu			nd will not at any time, act as an
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CITY If Junior Handler is not the owner of Owner?		ZIPace of this form, what is	the relationship of the Junior Handler to the