## ENTRY METHOD

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Thursday, October 30, 2024, 5:00 pm EST at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON Friday, November 15, 2024 5 PM EST after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted. Entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

DAY OF EVENT ENTRIES: Day of event entries will be permitted at this Fetch testing if entry limits are not reached prior to closing.

# PREMIUM LIST

Hosted By Denise Cooper at Suburban Dog Training Club

Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Retriever

November 23, 2024 Event #2024768569 Event #2024768570

## Suburban Dog Training Club 1011 E. Willow Grove Avenue Wyndmoor, PA 19038

## ENTRY LIMITS

40 entries per Fetch event

To be held outdoors in a permanently fenced in area. Both trials will run CONCURRENTLY using a BLOCK SCHEDULE with rolling check-in. Plan to arrive at least 30 minutes prior to your scheduled run block(s). Once you have completed, we ask that you depart the site. Day of entries will be accepted until we meet our trial limits, starting at 7:30am.

> Testing Hours: Saturday– 8:00 AM to 2:00 AM Check-in will start at 7:30 AM



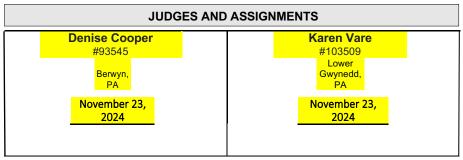
## CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECERTARY			
JANET KRUPP	ALYSSE COOPER			
26 King Rd,	421 Daventry Rd,			
Telford, PA 18969	Berwyn, PA 19312			
rkrupp@comcast.net	Gsp-mom@verizon.net			

## EVENT COMMITTEE

Alysse Cooper, Janet Krupp, Kathy Wagner, Eric Peterman, Lora Durr, Leslie Adams and Andi Ottey



#### VETERINARIAN

#### Chestnut Hill Veterinary Hospital 903 Bethlehem Pike, Glenside, PA 19038 215-836-2950 Directions- Right on E Willow Grove Ave. Right on to Stenton Ave. Continue straight on Bethlehem Pike

#### **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- Montgomery County 911

## LOCAL HOSPITAL

Chestnut Hill Hospital 8835 Germantown Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19118 (~2 miles away)

#### TEST LEVELS OFFERED

Saturday, November 23, 2024 Trial 1	Saturday, November 23, 202 Trial 2				
Novice	Novice				
Intermediate	Intermediate				
Advanced	Advanced				
Retriever	Retriever				
Testing begins at 8:00 AM for Retriever and Advanced. Other levels to follow.	Testing begins for each time block following Trial 1.				

## <u>Move-Ups to the next higher level WILL NOT be offered after 8AM on the day of the</u> <u>trial.</u>

#### DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

**Condition of the Dog.** Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the Fetch test. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs are allowed to enter so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the test, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

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## **ENTRY FEES**

All Entries: \$30.00

We very much prefer that you use our online entry system which can be accessed at <u>https://www.suburbandogtraining.com/</u> or directly at <u>https://www.eagerdog.com/</u>. This will ensure that you are able to choose time blocks that work for you. If you mail an entry, you will be receiving whatever blocks are available when your entry is received.

If you are unable to use our online entry system, mail entry forms and fees to: Alysse Cooper

421 Daventry Rd,

Berwyn, PA 19312

Please make checks payable to Suburban Dog Training Club.

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Alysse Cooper at <u>gsp-mom@verizon.net</u>.

No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry.

The Trial Secretary will add a \$50.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. We will accept day of entries 30 minutes prior to each hour time block. The 9 AM-10 AM time block will be reserved for Advanced and Retriever entries until the day of the trial.

#### Mail entry forms and fees to: Alysse Cooper

421 Daventry Rd, Berwyn, PA 19312

Please make checks payable to the Suburban Dog Training Club.

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## SIGN-IN and CRATING Areas

There will be a secretary table for check-ins and information.

Dogs will be crated out of view of the Fetch test area, or far enough away as to not cause a distraction to the dog being tested. Since this event is outdoors, exhibitors should expect to crate in their cars.

#### ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Please do not allow your dog to urinate on any buildings or equipment. Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. There will be a garbage can located by the front parking lot.

#### **RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES**

Qualifying Score.....Dark Green
New Titles.....Red

#### NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all searches safely. 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 an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such a case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The American Kennel Club, Suburban Dog Training Club, Denise Cooper (host) and any agents, employees etc. will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The American Kennel Club, Suburban Dog Training Club, Denise Cooper (host) and any agents, employees etc. reserve the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the American Kennel Club, Suburban Dog Training Club, Denise Cooper (host) and any agents, employees etc. or any official thereof. Dogs will remain in each staging area until instructed to move by the stewards.

Collars, Leashes and Harnesses - Dogs may wear slip collars, buckle collars, and Martingales in the AKC Fetch test. They may not wear prong collars, e-collars, head collars, muzzles, or body harnesses. Leashes should be 4 ft. to 6 ft. long and should be made of fabric, leather or biothane. All dogs must be on leash at all times, and retractable leashes may not be used when on trial grounds. Dogs must enter and exit the test area with the leash attached to the collar, including when waiting in the test area before and after their retrieve. Dogs must only use the potty area in the front of the parking lot. Walking behind the building is exclusively for getting to the trial area

Refunds - No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are eligible for a refund only with a veterinarian's note.

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee with a veterinarian's note for all but one run per day. Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial. Bitches in season may be tested as the last dog(s) at the end of the day. If there are two events on one day, a bitch in season may only be tested as the last dog in the last event. Bitches in season should not be waiting in the are with other dogs.

Excusals - The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required. If a dog shows signs of aggression, it is Disqualified. An excusal is used in situations such as when the handler requests to be excused because the handler is not feeling well, does not want to proceed with the test, etc. Other examples include a dog that may also be excused by the judge for being out of control (e.g., running around the

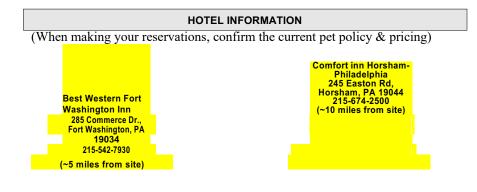
course), urinating or defecating on the course, being so fearful it will not work, or simply not being trained to perform the test items. Dogs may be excused from the Fetch test or test area by a judge for excessively delaying during the test, being found unfit to compete, interference with the test in progress by the owner or handler, or not being present when called to be tested. Dogs must be given 5 minutes grace time to arrive at the test area when called.

Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

#### RINGSIDE

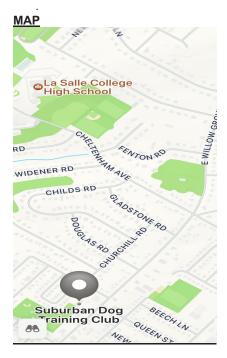
Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.



### DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

Directions from the South: Take 202 North, to the PA turnpike east, Exit at Fort Washington-Exit 339, Take 309 South to the Second Exit Paper Mill Road. Turn right on to Paper Mill road go 0.2 miles, turn left on Cheltenham Ave, Go about 1mile to next traffic light, turn right on Willow Grove Avenue, Suburban Dog training Club will be on the right (if you get to the 7-11 you just passed it).

Directions from the West: Take PA turnpike east to Exit 339, follow directions as above.



### **AKC Official Entry Form**

Saturday	□	□	□	□ Retriever
11/23/24 Trial 1	Novice	Intermediate	Advanced	
Saturday	□	□	□	□ Retriever
11/23/24 Trial 2	Novice	Intermediate	Advanced	

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Handler name (if different from owner):		Junior Handle		app	licable):		

Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED.

Fields marked in gray must be completed if the information is known.

\*\*\*Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse. No form will be processed

without your signature!

Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site at:

www.akc.org/fetch

#### 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. 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. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 of 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 person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). 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 THIS 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.

## SIGN HERE X: Phone #:

Email:

In case of Emergency – Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_