

JUDGING PROGRAM

2019194522, 2019194524, 2019194527, 2019194521, 2019194528 (LC), 2019194523 (A)
(refer to their premium lists for further information)



RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK CLUB OF THE UNITED STATES, INC.

Member of the American Kennel Club

www.rrcus.org

88th National Specialty

Sweepstakes, 4-6 Months Puppy Competition,
Obedience Trial, Rally Trial,
Lure Coursing Trial, Agility Trial

Special attractions: Endurance Trial, Triathlon, Best Ridge Competition,
Top 25 & Best Veteran in Show Competitions

October 6 - 12, 2019

At the National Specialty, the dog designated Reserve Winners Dog and the bitch designated Reserve Winners Bitch will be awarded a three-point major, provided that the number of dogs competing in the regular classes of the Reserve Winners sex totals at least twice the number required for a five-point major in the region in which the event is held.

All events unbenched, indoors and outdoors at:
Sawmill Creek Resort, 400 Sawmill Creek Drive West, Huron, OH 44839

Except (indoors and outdoors)

Agility Trial held at Pinnacle Sports Center, 1006 Crocker Rd, Westlake, OH 44145
Lure Coursing Trial held at Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Avenue, Huron, OH 44839

SHOW HOURS
6:00am – 10:00pm

Notices & Information for Exhibitors

- All rights to TELEVISION, VIDEO TAPE, ADVERTISE, PHOTOGRAPH, PROMOTE or otherwise exploit this event are vested in the Club, or in persons to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing by the Club. All persons and animals on the show grounds at any time while the show is in progress, do by attending this show or participating therein, grant to the Club the right to photograph, televise, video tape audio tape or otherwise use their likeness and voice in any manner without further release or consent.
- The club and its officials are not responsible for the actions or products of commercial vendors at this show.
- **Entry fees shall not be refunded** in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by veterinarian or judge, or barred from competition by action of the event's show committee. If because of riots, wars, strikes, civil disturbances, national emergencies, health emergencies and the dictates of law enforcement or of the owner(s) of the grounds and/or facilities or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the show, no refund of entry fee will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snow storms, tornados, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, heavy rains, or other circumstances including but not limited to, the condition of the facilities or grounds and/or the ingress and egress from the grounds, must be considered for the health and safety of the dogs, exhibitors, and spectators. The well-being of dogs, exhibitors and spectators is of paramount importance and, in the event it is necessary to cancel or stop the show before completion, no refund of entry will be made.
- **No refund for duplicate entries.** Every effort will be made to find duplicate entries, however, if an entry has been processed, no refund will be made.
- **Dogs may arrive any time prior to their scheduled time of judging.** Dogs not required for further judging will be excused. Judges will not wait for any dog holding up a class. Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging ring when their classes are called to be judged.
- All dogs present must be held on leash or confined to their crates except when being judged or when in the exercising pen.
- **Class monetary prizes** will be paid in the ring to the person showing the dog. Claims for prize money must be made in the ring before the judging of that breed is over, and the Show Superintendent's office advised at once. The Show Superintendent and show-giving club disclaim any liability for such prizes after the judging of the breed is over.

THIS CLUB DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS EVENT.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- **KEEP ALL FIRE EXITS CLEAR.** NO SMOKING. Any vehicle blocking fire lanes, entrances/exits, will be towed at the owners/exhibitor's expense. PLEASE obey all posted signs.
 - **Keep aisle ways clear.**
 - **There will be trash containers available.** Please use them and pick up after your dogs.
 - **NO STROLLERS OF ANY KIND** allowed.
 - **RESTROOMS:** NO DOGS permitted in restrooms. NO cleaning of dog food bowls in restrooms. There will be an area for cleaning of bowls and bathing dogs, if necessary. All violators will be dealt with by an Event Committee.
 - **FOOD:** There will be food service at these shows.
 - **CATALOGS:** Except for the Top 25 catalog, there will be no free catalogs at these shows.
 - **MOTELS:** Exhibitors are urged to avoid damage to hotel-motel property and to clean up after your dogs. Anyone reported to have damaged their rooms will be handled by the Event Committee accordingly.
 - **DOGS IN DISTRESS:** The Event Committee will exercise the right to remove from vehicles any dogs or animals that appear to be in danger of overheating or other life-threatening problems. Damages are the responsibility of the vehicle owner.
 - **SELLING DOGS:** Will not be allowed on show grounds.
 - **SHOW CHAIRPERSONS:** Will have the authority to change rules for the safety and comfort of dogs & exhibitors. All exhibitors are expected to display good sportsmanship. The Event Committee will deal with violations in this area.
 - **CHILDREN:** Are the responsibility of the exhibitor/parent/agent and must be under control at all times for their safety and well-being.
 - **NO CRATES ARE ALLOWED RINGSIDE. CRATES ARE ONLY ALLOWED IN THE DESIGNATED CRATING AREAS.** SHOW CHAIRPERSONS reserve the right to ask any or all crates to be removed at any time.
- CHAIRS ALLOWED IN DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY DURING JUDGING. FIRE AISLES MUST BE KEPT CLEAR.**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2019

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE: Ms. Ann O'Mara
190 Rhine Road SE
White, GA 30184

8:00 A.M.-73 - Veteran Sweepstakes

- 15- Veteran Dogs 7-9 yrs
- 14- Veteran Dogs 9-11 yrs
- 6- Veteran Dogs 11 yrs & Over
- 17- Veteran Bitches 7-9 yrs
- 12- Veteran Bitches 9-11 yrs
- 9- Veteran Bitches 11 yrs & Over
- Best in Veteran Sweepstakes

Best of Opposite Sex to Best Veteran in Sweepstakes

Judge will take a luncheon break at her discretion

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE: Mrs. Barbara Rupert
1606 Joshua Tree Lane
Fallbrook, CA 92028

4:30 P.M.-17 - 4-6 Mos Puppy Attraction- (5-12)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2019

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE: Ms. Ann O'Mara

8:00 A.M.- 62- Rhodesian Ridgeback Puppy Sweepstakes

- 9 - 6-9 mos Puppy Dogs
- 13 - 9-12 mos Puppy Dogs
- 22- 6-9 mos Puppy Bitches
- 18- 9-12 mos Puppy Bitches
- Best in Sweepstakes

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes

To Follow - 103- Rhodesian Ridgeback Junior Sweepstakes

- 17- 12-15 mos Dogs
- 18 - 15-18 mos Dogs
- 11- 18-22 mos Dogs
- 27- 12-15 mos Bitches
- 23- 15-18 mos Bitches
- 7 - 18-22 mos Bitches

Best in Junior Sweepstakes

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Junior Sweepstakes

Judge will take a luncheon break at her discretion

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2019 Continued

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE:Ms. Shelley Hennessey
5849 Meteor Avenue
Toledo, OH 43623

Following Sweepstakes- 4- Junior Showmanship

3- Open Junior
1- Master

RING TWO - BIRDS OF PREY - 59- OBEDIENCE

JUDGE:Mrs. Anita Eisthen
10010 Bennington Drive
Cincinnati, OH 45241

8:00 A.M. - 1- Utility "B" 305
8:15 A.M. - 2- Open "B" 201-202
5- Open "A" 134-138
9:15 A.M. - 1- Graduate Novice 501
9:30 A.M. - 19- Novice "B" 70-88
11:45 A.M. - 5- Novice "A" 5-9
After Noon - 7- Veterans 651-657
8- Beginner Novice "B" 951-958
11- Beginner Novice "A" 901-911

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2019

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE:Mr. James Reynolds
3580 Rivergate Way, Suite 405
Ottawa, Ontario, CN K1V 1V5

8:00 A.M.- 149- Rhodesian Ridgeback

9 - 6-9 mos Puppy Dogs
12 - 9-12 mos Puppy Dogs
10 - 12-15 mos Dogs
8 - 15-18 mos Dogs
4 - A.O.H. Dogs
22 - Bred-by-Exhibitor Dogs
8 - American-bred Dogs
19 - Open Dogs
- Winners Dog
17 - Veteran Dogs 7-9 yrs
15 - Veteran Dogs 9-11 yrs
6 - Veteran Dogs 11 yrs & Over
12 - Field Trial Dogs
7 - Altered Dogs

Judge will take a luncheon break at his discretion

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2019 Continued

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE:Ms. Ann O'Mara

Following Altered Dog Class
23- Stud Dogs

RING TWO - BIRDS OF PREY- 68- RALLY

JUDGE:Ms. Shelley Hennessy
5849 Meteor Avenue
Toledo, OH 43623

8:00 A.M. - Walk Thru

8:15 A.M. - 2- Masters 900-901

8:30 A.M. - 6- Excellent "B" 800-805

9:00 A.M. - 8- Advanced "B" 600-607
2- Advanced "A" 400-401

10:15 A.M. - 9- Intermediate 300-308

11:15 A.M. - 24- Novice "B" 200-223

After Noon - 9- Novice "A" 5-12, 14
8- Pairs Novice

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2019

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE:Mr. James Reynolds

8:00 A.M. 200- Rhodesian Ridgeback Bitches

19- 6-9 mos Puppy Bitches

20- 9-12 mos Puppy Bitches

21- 12-15 mos Bitches

13- 15-18 mos Bitches

6- A O H Bitches

35- Bred-by-Exhibitor Bitches

20- American-bred Bitches

22- Open Bitches

- Winners Bitch

20- Veteran Bitches 7-9 yrs

15- Veteran Bitches 9-11 yrs

9- Veteran Bitches 11 yrs & Over

Judge will take a lunch break at his discretion

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE:Ann O'Mara

Following Veteran Bitches

26- Brood Bitches

24- Brace

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019

RING ONE - WILDERNESS HALL

JUDGE:Mr. James Reynolds

8:00 A.M.- 179 (cont.) Rhodesian Ridgeback Bitches

11 - Field Bitches

3 - Altered Bitches

8:30 A.M. - BOB

165- B O B (91-74)

- Best Veteran

Judge will take a luncheon break at his discretion

THERE ARE 638 DOGS IN THIS SHOW WITH A TOTAL OF 905 ENTRIES
PLUS 76 RALLY ENTRIES AND 17 4-6 MOS PUPPIES

Huron, Ohio **EMERGENCY Information**

For All Emergencies

Call 911

Further Assistance and Services		
EMERGENCY VET CARE:		
NOAH Pet Clinic	2405 E Perkins Ave, Sandusky, OH	419-625-2484
PetMed Clinic	355 Cooper Foster Park Rd, Lorain, OH	440-233-8557
Animal Clinic Northview OPEN 24 HOURS	36400 Center Ridge Rd, North Ridgeville, OH	440-327-8282
HOSPITAL	Firelands Regional Medical Center	419-557-7400
FIRE	Huron Fire Division	419-433-3544
POLICE	Huron City Police Department	419-433-5568

OFFICIAL CONFORMATION WIN & CANDID PHOTOGRAPHER
COVERING OBEDIENCE, RALLY, CGC, TDI AND TRICK DOG:
TURLEY PHOTOGRAPHY
Tina Turley-Kocab and Mark S. Kocab
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turleyphoto@yahoo.com

COVERING AGILITY, LURE COURSING, AND ENDURANCE TRIAL:
ML BAER PHOTOGRAPHY
Mark Baer
413-441-5011
mark@mlbaer.com

**Only the official photographers may take
conformation and performance event candids.**

ALTERNATE HOTELS

**** PLEASE CONFIRM PET POLICIES ****

Quality Inn, Port Clinton (no additional pet fee)	419-732-2929
Holiday Inn Express, Vermilion (pet fee: \$35/stay)	440-967-8770
La Quinta Inn, Sandusky (pet fee: \$20/night, \$40 maximum/stay)	419-626-6766
Motel 6, Huron	419-433-7829
Firefly Beach Resort, Huron.....	419-557-4108
Plantation Motel Huron (\$15/night)	419-433-4790
Camp Sandusky, Sandusky, RV/Tent Camping/Cabins (no additional pet fee)	800-431-7449



WELCOME TO HURON, OHIO

"A Great Lake Place". Huron, Ohio is located on the southernmost point of Lake Erie, midway between Toledo and Cleveland, Ohio. The state animal is the White-Tailed Deer, state bird is the Cardinal, state flower is the Sunflower, and state reptile is the Ornate Box Turtle.

FEELIN' GROOVY IN "THE GREAT LAKE PLACE"!

TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATIONS

HOST HOTEL: SAWMILL CREEK RESORT

400 Sawmill Creek Drive West, Huron, OH 44839

www.sawmillcreekresort.com

Reservations: 800-729-6455

Phone: 419-433-3800

The RRCUS rate for the host hotel DOUBLE: \$129.00* and KING: \$135.00* per night. Most of the events will be held at this hotel.

* All group room rates are per night. There is no parking charge. Hotel room rates are subject to applicable state and local taxes.

CANCELLATION DEADLINE: To avoid cancellation charges, reservations must be cancelled **72 hours prior to day of arrival**.

NOTE: RRCUS Group Room Rates are based upon our room block total, once this has been met, the hotel has the right to charge at whatever their current room rate is set.

PET GUIDELINES

All guests with pets will be required to sign the following Pet Guidelines. Based on the nature of this event attendees are to adhere to the following considerations and guidelines:

1. Each attendee with a dog agrees to provide to Hotel a \$50.00 NON-REFUNDABLE pet deposit (one-time fee per room).
2. Limit of up to 3 dogs per room.
3. Dogs are not permitted in the front lobby, restaurants, swimming pool areas, gift shop, or meeting room areas except those designated as dog show areas.
4. Dogs must be leashed at all times except when in guest rooms or in designated off-leash areas.
5. Plastic sheeting is required under dog crates in guest rooms.
6. If damages exceed \$50.00, the total amount owed will reflect the damage done to the Hotel property. I acknowledge that upon inspection by Hotel staff, if any damage is found, my credit card will be charged accordingly. I have the right to be in attendance during such inspection. I will take full responsibility for this infraction.
7. I understand that the Hotel requires that all dogs left unattended in guest rooms be secured in crates at all times. Guest rooms with unrestrained dogs will not be serviced by Housekeeping.
8. I will be responsible for handling any arrangements for water and waste.
9. I agree to use designated walk areas for all dogs. Pick up and immediate removal of waste will be my responsibility.
10. The Hotel has a designated dog washing area. Dogs may NOT be bathed or groomed in guest rooms. A dog washing station with hot water will be available in the crating area behind the conformation ballroom throughout the week during regular show hours. Please bring your own towels for bathing dogs; the use of hotel linens for bathing dogs is NOT permitted. Trash disposal and clean-up for this and all areas will be the responsibility of the dog Owner

ABSOLUTELY NO CRATING IS PERMITTED IN HOTEL HALLWAYS. CRATING IS ALLOWED ONLY IN THE DESIGNATED CRATING AREAS.

Liability: The Management, RRCUS, or their subcontract labor are not responsible for the loss of, damage to, or death of any dog exhibited, or the possessions of any participant, whether the result of accident or any other cause. It is expressly understood that every dog at this show is in the care, custody & control of its owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS



TO HOST HOTEL SITE – 400 Sawmill Creek Drive West, Huron, OH 44839

Directions within 1/2 mile of the Resort:

When you exit Rt. 2 onto Rye Beach Road turn North to the light. At the traffic light, turn left onto Cleveland Road (SR 6). The Lodge at Sawmill Creek Resort is located 500 yards around the bend on the right.

From Cleveland (East) on Ohio Turnpike (80/90):

West to Exit 135 (Baumhart Road/Vermilion), proceed North on Baumhart Road to Route 2 West. Go West on Route 2 to Rye Beach Road exit. Turn right onto Rye Beach Road. At the traffic light, turn left onto Cleveland Road (SR 6). The Lodge at Sawmill Creek Resort is located 500 yards around the bend on the right side of the road.

From Cleveland Hopkins Airport:

Follow signs for Route 480 West to Ohio Turnpike (80) West to Exit 135 (Baumhart Road/Vermilion), proceed North on Baumhart Road to Route 2 West. Go West on Route 2 to Rye Beach Road exit. Turn right onto Rye Beach Road. At the traffic light, turn left onto Cleveland Road (SR 6). The Lodge at Sawmill Creek Resort is located 500 yards around the bend on the right side of the road.

From Columbus:

Take Route 23 North to Route 98 North to Route 4 North to Route 2 East. Go East on Route 2 to the Rye Beach Road Exit. Turn left onto Rye Beach Road. Go to the traffic light, turn left onto Cleveland Road. Go around the bend approximately 500 yards. The Lodge at Sawmill Creek Resort is on the right side.

From Toledo/Detroit:

I-75 South to Route 280 South. Follow Route 280 to I-80/90 (Ohio Turnpike). Take Turnpike (80/90) East to Exit 118 (Route 250 North) Go North on 250 approximately 7 miles to Route 2. Take Route 2 East to the Rye Beach Road Exit. Turn left (North) onto Rye Beach Road. Go to traffic light, turn left onto Cleveland Road (SR 6). The Lodge at Sawmill Creek Resort is located 500 yards around the bend on the right side of the road.

TO LURE COURSING TRIAL..... less than 10 minutes!

Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Avenue, Huron, OH 44839

Turn right onto US-6W and drive west for 2.1 miles. Take a slight left onto Perkins Avenue and drive for 0.1 miles. Osborn MetroPark is on the left.

TO AGILITY TRIAL..... about 45 minutes from Sawmill Creek.

Pinnacle Sports Center, 1006 Crocker Rd, Westlake, OH 44145

Head south on Sawmill Creek Dr. W toward US-6 E. Turn left onto US-6 E. Turn right to stay on US-6 E. Turn left to merge onto OH-2 E/US-6 E toward Cleveland. Continue on OH-2 E. Take I-80 E to OH-10 E/Lorain Rd in North Ridgeville. Take exit 2 from I-480 E. Merge onto OH-2 E/US-6 E. Continue onto OH-2 E. Merge onto I-90 E/OH-2 E. Take exit 145 for Ohio 57 S toward Elyria/Lorain. Turn right onto OH-57 S/Lorain Blvd. Use the right lane to take the ramp onto I-80 E. Take exit 151 to merge onto I-480 E toward Cleveland (partial toll road). Take exit 2 for Lorain Rd/OH-10 E. Turn right onto OH-10 E/Lorain Rd.