

Coon Rapids, Iowa

Midwest Epagneul Breton Gun Dog Club



FIELD TRIALS & TAN

**WHERE:
AVAD Hunt Club**

Saturday March 10th, 2012

Event type- Type (W) Wild bird

Open Solo Class

Event Type- Type (L) Liberated Bird

Gun Solo Class

Event Type-T.A.N.

9:00 am Start

Sunday March 11th, 2012

Event Type- Type (L) Liberated Bird

Open Solo Class

Gun Solo Class

9:00 am Start

***Designated Game for ALL Type (L) Liberated bird field trials in this venue is Bobwhite Quail,
Chukar or Pheasant**

**** Designated game for TAN is quail**



U.K.C. Sanctioned Events

Midwest EB Gun Dog Club

CLUB OFFICERS

**PRESIDENT: Royce Stangl
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FIELD TRIAL COMMITTEE

**Co-Chairperson – Randy Meester
Co-Chairperson Gene Nosco**

Field Trial Secretary – Royce Stangl

Mail Field Trial Entries to:

**Royce Stangl
Attn: Field Trial/TAN Secretary
26321 Hwy 141
Coon Rapids, IA 50058
avad@iowatelecom.net
(712)-683-5752**

Scott Faulkner DVM will be the veterinary on site for the event.

Please take note the closing date for entries submissions is March 1st, 2012.

Food and Accommodations in the area

Whiterock Resorts

1390 Hwy 141 Coon Rapids, IA 50058
712-684-2964

Dogs allowed in all cabins except Garst farm house

Carrollton Inn

1730 Hwy 71 North, Carroll, IA 51401
800-798-3535

Dogs not allowed in Room

Super 8 East

701 Bella Vista Dr, Carroll, IA 51401
800-800-8000

Dogs not allowed in rooms

Carroll Days INN

1127 W Hwy 30, Carroll, IA 51401
800-329-7466

Dogs not allowed in rooms

The Midwest EB Gun Dog Club has not made any special arrangements for accommodations at this time. However, we are planning on having an evening meal at the AVAD meeting room Saturday night, March 10th, 2012. There will also be food on site for lunch both days of the events. All meals will be at your own expense. Proceeds from the food will go toward the events expenses. Weather permitting the trap and skeet range will be open Saturday evening. Awards will be presented each day after the events for that days .

Directions to AVAD Hunt Club:

From Coon Rapids, IA – go 5 miles west on Hwy 141 – located at the intersection of Hwy 141 and Quartz Ave. Additional directions can be found at

www.avadhuntclub.com

FIELD TRIAL/TAN JUDGES

The Honorable Robert Olson, Indiana U.S.A.

The Honorable Anne Johnson, Minnesota U.S.A.

* Specific Judging Assignments and Fields will be established when the field of entrants materializes and running order is posted.

NOTE: ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE FIELD TRIAL SECRETARY NO LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. E.S.T., on Thursday March 1st 2012. Entries tendered and accepted after that time must pay a \$10.00 late fee. Any late entry tendered and accepted is the discretion by the Field Trial Secretary or Chairman The Field Trial Committee Reserves the right to reject any and all late entries in their sole discretion.

CLASSIFICATION

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| <p>T.A.N.:</p> | <p>Dogs entering the T.A.N. must be three years of age or less on the day of the T.A.N., must be registered with the UKC or with TL or LP number and may not have already earned a T.A.N. previously. No dogs in heat may participate in the T.A.N.</p> |
| <p>Field Trial:</p> <p>There are two Classes, Gun Dog and Open</p> | <p>The Gundog Class is open to Epagneul Breton dogs 6 months of age or older registered with the UKC or with TL or LP Number.</p> <p>The Open dog class is open to Epagneul Breton dogs 1 year of age or older registered with the UKC or with TL or LP number.</p> <p>No dogs in heat may participate in the field trial.</p> |

**ALL PRIZES MUST BE CLAIMED THE WEEKEND OF THE EVENTS
—NONE WILL BE MAILED—**

Subject to the specific information set forth herein, the MEBGDC Field Trial Committee hereby adopts by reference and expressly incorporates the United Kennel Club Inc. Field Trial and TAN Rules and Regulations Standard Premium List Template Found at pages 49-54 of the OFFICIAL UKC POINTING DOG RULE BOOK effective January 1, 2009.

All owners and handlers must sign the release and waiver of liability which is a part of the entry form as a condition of being allowed to participate.

TRIAL AREA AND TYPE

The Field Trials will be conducted on native vegetation and planted vegetation habitat usual to the Iowa upland bird ecosystem. The trials will be a Type W (wild bird) and Type L (Liberated Bird). The T.A.N, will employ liberated birds. The handler is asked to read, be familiar with and abide by the T.A.N. and Field Trial Rules as published by U.K.C.

The drawn running order is a *guideline* as to running order and time. Handlers and their dogs must be readily available at the judges' disposal to accommodate any change in running order. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

ENTRY FEES

A. T.A.N.: \$25.00 Gun Class: \$35.00 Open Class Events \$40.00

SUBMITTING ENTRIES

1. Entries may be submitted on the Official U.K.C. Entry Form found on any current official U.K.C. Entry Form. Downloaded copies or photocopies of these forms may be used as well. All entries must be directed to Field Trial Secretary.
2. Entries must include the fully completed Entry Form and the associated fees. Entries received without fees will not be accepted.
3. Advance Entries must be received no later than 5:00 P.M. Thursday March 1st, 2012. Entries tendered and accepted after that time must pay a \$10.00 late fee. The Field Trail Committee reserves the right to reject any late entry, depending up space, birds, logistics and other considerations. The running order of any dog entered late and after the drawing of the running order shall be solely at the discretion of the Field Trial Chairman and Secretary.

PAYMENT

1. Payment may be made by cash, check, or money order. No entry will be accepted without payment.
2. Make checks and money orders payable to "MEBGDC". Checks and money orders must be payable in U.S. funds.
3. Post-dated checks or returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. MEBGDC will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check or money order. Exhibitors who repeatedly submit invalid entry fees may be put on a CASH ONLY basis.

REFUNDS

1. No refund of entry fees will be made for entries cancelled after the Entry deadline, except in the cases of bitches that come into season or if an event is cancelled due to lack of entries or other consideration. In those cases, refunds may be obtained by providing MEBGDC with a veterinarian's certificate verifying that the bitch came into season after the closing date or inspection by the Field Trial Chairman or Secretary.
2. 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 Event Committee.
3. If, because of riots, civil disturbances, in climate weather or other acts beyond the control of the host organization it is impossible to open or to complete a show or trial, no refund of entry fee may be made if necessary to cover non-refundable incurred expenses.
4. If, in the opinion of the host club, the well being of dogs, exhibitors or spectators is at risk due to extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snow storms, hurricanes, lightning, or extreme heat, the host club may cancel or stop a show or trial before completion. No refunds will be made in such cases if necessary to cover incurred expenses.

ENTRY CONFIRMATION

1. Written confirmation of entries will be made by the Field Trial Secretary by email (if one is provided) as soon as practicable after receipt of the Entries. If you do not receive your confirmation by the Saturday preceding this event, please notify the MEBGDC Field Trial Secretary Royce Stangl at 712-683-5752.
2. Receipt of e-mail entries will be acknowledged immediately by return e-mail but this does not constitute an official entry nor a confirmation of the entry. Entry will be confirmed upon receipt of the appropriate entry fees.

ARMBANDS

One armband will be assigned to each entered dog for all shows and trials in which the dog is entered for the weekend. Please **pick up your armband** prior to the start of judging.