2006 PWCCA National Specialty



Exhibitor and Visitor Information



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Tentative Schedule

Saturday, October 28, 2006

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Herding Trial

Open House at Jan Sheets (Cypress) in Vacaville (10 minutes from both the herding site and the Dixon-May Fairgrounds – see GGPWCF home page for information on three-day supported entry show weekend)

Sunday, October 29, 2006

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Herding Trial 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Tracking (VST)

Monday, October 30, 2006

7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Tracking (TD/TDX) 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Agility Trial #1

Tuesday, October 31, 2006

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Agility Trial #2 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Board Meeting 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Welcome Hospitality

Wednesday, November 1, 2006

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Obedience Trial and Rally 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Puppy Sweepstakes

Thursday, November 2, 2006

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Veteran Sweepstakes 10:00 a.m. Start of regular classes

5:00 p.m or one hour after end of judging for the day - Regular Membership Meeting

Friday, November 3, 2006

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Continuation of Regular Classes

2:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Judges Education Program (followed by hands-on after end of judging for the day)

6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Peer Education Workshop and Buffet Dinner

"The History and Evolution of the Pembroke Welsh Corgi in the U.K. and the U.S." This

will be the first chapter in the PWCCA's Breeder's Education course. Advance

registration required. \$30 fee w/buffet; \$20 w/o buffet.

Saturday, November 4, 2006

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Junior Showmanship, conclusion of regular classes, Best of Breed, Best Puppy, Best

Veteran, Non-Regular classes

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m Cash Bar 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Banquet

Advertising

Catalog advertising is available at the following rates:

Full page \$40.00 Half page \$20.00 Business card \$10.00 Photos: \$10.00 each

DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 13, 2006. There is a separate Performance Program for agility, herding and tracking this year, so you can advertise in the regular catalog, the performance program, or both.

To advertise in the regular catalog, send your ads to:

Kathy Runkle 7317 Walnut Rd Fair Oaks, CA, 95628 916-863-6026 kathy.runkle@comcast.net

MB-F's Guidelines for Submitting Catalog Advertising Material can be found at http://infodog.com/help/guidelines.htm, but please do NOT send ads to MB-F directly. All ad copy must be submitted to Kathy.

To advertise in the performance program, send your ads to:

Jackie Peterson 4027 Constitution Ave Fairfield, CA 94533 707-426-4160 corgis@pvbb.net

All checks must be in U.S. funds payable to the PWCCA. If using overnight delivery, be sure to waive signature requirements. Catalog advertising is open to all corgi owners and vendors.

Agility

There will be two days of agility trials on October 30-31, 2006, at the Sonoma County Fairgrounds in Santa Rosa, CA, which is about 10 minutes from the main show site at the Doubletree in Rohnert Park. Entries open at 8:00 a.m. on September 11, 2006 and close at 6:00 p.m. on October 16, 2006. The premium list will be mailed on September 1. Online entries and the premium list will also be available at www.abbadogs.com.

Judging will begin at 8:00 a.m. each day. Rings will be outside on grass. In the case of inclement weather, the rings will be moved to Lyttle Cow Palace at the fairgrounds, which is under cover on dirt, and the start time will be noon, Monday only. Start time on Tuesday will remain at 8:00 a.m. Electronic timers will be used.

To volunteer and for more information, contact the agility trial chair, Jacqueline Quam, at ilquam@earthlink.net or Rebecca Lane at rebecca@rebeccalane.com.

Barbecue

There will be a catered barbecue dinner on Monday, October 30, after the completion of the FAST demo runs or approximately 6:30 p.m., whichever is later. Come and join us for a relaxed evening and good food provided by Dannie's Catering. The menu is tri-tip, chicken and pork ribs with BBQ beans, potato and green salads, rolls and butter, water or soda, and dessert. The cost is \$18.00. Prepaid reservations are required. Use the order form on the agility premium list. You don't have to be an exhibitor — **everyone** is welcome!

Directions

Take Hwy 101 to Santa Rosa. Exit onto Hwy 12 E towards Sonoma. Exit Hwy 12 at the South E St/Downtown exit. Upon reaching the surface street, Bennett Valley Rd, you will come to a stoplight and just in front of you on the right will be the fairgrounds. Coming from Hwy 12 W, take the Downtown exit and turn left at the stop light, which will lead you to the entrance to the fairgrounds.

Food/Hospitality

Morning hospitality will be provided through the generosity of the Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club of Southern California. Food will also be available for purchase from Five Star Catering.

Lodging

See the Lodging section below for information on the host hotel and other accommodations in the area.

Parking

Parking is available in the Brookwood lot across the street from the fairgrounds or under the freeway. There is a daily parking fee. Overnight parking is also available – see the RV Parking section below.

Photographer/Videographer

Photographers Chuck and Nicky Guthrie of Pix 'n Pages will be on site for action and win shots. For more information: www.pixnpages.com or 407-351-0344. Agility in Motion, www.agilityinmotion.com, will be on site to videotape your runs.

Airports

San Francisco International - SFO http://www.flysfo.com (50 miles from host hotel)
Oakland - OAK http://www.oaklandairport.com/index2.cfm (54 miles from host hotel)
Sacramento - SMF http://www.sacairports.org/int/index.html (101 miles from host hotel; closest airport to herding site in Vacaville)

There are more direct flights into SFO. Traveling to the host hotel is a toss-up in terms of distance from either SFO or Oakland, but the Oakland-Doubletree route is all freeway where the SFO-Doubletree route is both freeway and surface streets (there is no freeway through San Francisco). This may make the trip from Oakland shorter in terms of time – however, during commute hours, all bets are off. Avoid those hours if you can, especially if you're arriving on Friday. If you can't, be prepared for a long and tedious drive (in other words, bring snacks and, if you're alone, a good book on tape).

Airport Transportation

Car/Van Rentals

San Francisco International http://www.flysfo.com/transport/rentalcars/gt rcr carcenter.asp: SFO's Rental Car Center allows travelers to pick up and drop off rental cars at one convenient, central location. Alamo, Avis, Budget, Dollar, Enterprise, Hertz, National and Thrifty car rental counters are located on the fourth floor of the SFO Rental Car Center.

To access the Rental Car Center from the Airport terminals, take the <u>AirTrain</u> Blue Line. AirTrain, SFO's fully automated people mover system, operates 24 hours every day and provides convenient and frequent service throughout SFO. AirTrain stations are located in all terminals, parking garages, the Rental Car Center and SFO's BART station.

Oakland International http://www.oaklandairport.com/car_rentals.shtml: Rental Car Shuttle buses operate between the terminals and the Rental Car Center, every 10 minutes; however, it operates "on demand" between 1:30 a.m. and 4:30 a.m.

While the Rental Car Center is open 24 hours a day, travelers should check with their car rental agency's reservation center for hours of operation at OAK and make arrangements for special arrival and departure requests.

Sacramento International http://www.sacairports.org/int/terminal/rental.htm: All rental car agencies at Sacramento International Airport (SMF) are located in one centralized area. Shuttle busses frequently transport passengers between the rental car terminal and the rental car shuttle stops in front of each

terminal. This terminal serves Alamo, Avis, Budget, Enterprise, Dollar, Hertz and National as well as serves as a pick up point for two local off-airport agencies.

Bus Service

There is bus service, the Sonoma County Airport Express, http://www.airportexpressinc.com, from the San Francisco and Oakland airports. They do allow pets in carriers, but they have to ride in the cargo hold. We'll continue to check out other options as well, but if you're traveling with dogs, your best bet is to rent a car or van

Banquet

Saturday, November 4, 2006, Doubletree Hotel Cash Bar 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Dinner 7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. Use RSVP page. (DOC) (PDF)

MENU

Sonoma Organic Mixed Green Salad

And your choice of

Herb crusted salmon filet
Pacific salmon in lime coriander cream

Herb roasted free range chicken With rosemary lemon cream sauce

Wild Mushroom Napoleon
Layers of grilled vegetables and herbed polenta

all served with fresh seasonal vegetables, whipped garlic potatoes, assorted rolls and butter, and a beverage

with a rich tomato coulis

Dessert will be **New York Style Cheesecake**with fresh seasonal berries

Equipment Loans

We will have a limited number of grooming tables and crates available on loan for those of you who are flying. Contact Sheila Broderick for details at 408-258-4775 (8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. only) or corgigrmr@aol.com.

Event Sites

Conformation, obedience and rally will take place on the lawns on the south side of the host hotel, the Doubletree (see below under Lodging).

Agility will take place at the Sonoma County Fairgrounds in Santa Rosa, about five miles from the Doubletree. These will be outdoor trials on grass, although we have the option of moving indoors if it rains. For more information, see the Agility section above.

Herding will take place outdoors at the Herding4Ewe Training Center, http://www.herding4ewe.com, 5212 Allendale Road, Vacaville, which is about 70 miles from the Doubletree.

Herding

There will be two days of herding tests and trials on October 28-29, 2006, at Herding 4 Ewe Training Facility, 5212 Allendale Rd, Vacaville, CA, which is about an hour and 15 minutes from the main show site at the Doubletree in Rohnert Park. Entries open at 8:00 a.m. on September 11, 2006 and close at 6:00 p.m. on October 11, 2006. The premium list will be mailed on September 1. Online entries and the premium list will also be available at www.infodog.com.

There will be tests and trials on sheep; trials only on ducks. Rings will be outside, so please be prepared with both shade and rain gear. To volunteer or for more information, contact the Herding Trial chair, Vicki Northway, drifan@hotmail.com.

Directions

From the West: Take I-80 E to 505 N. Take 505 to the Allendale exit. Right on Allendale to 5212 Allendale (1.2 miles; driveway is on right). Look for big wooden posts with wrought iron gates. Look for herding trial signs.

From the East: Take I-80 West Dixon Ave exit. Right on Dixon Ave, go to end (3 miles). Right on Meridian Rd. Go .4 mile to Allendale. Turn left (street sign is hard to see) and go to 5212 Allendale, .2 mile. Driveway on the left. Look for big wooden posts with wrought iron gates. Look for herding trial signs.

From Vacaville Best Western (host hotel for herding): Start out going .1 mile SW on E. Monte Vista Ave toward Allison Dr. Turn L onto Allison. Merge onto I-80 E towards Sacramento (.9 miles). Merge onto I-505 N towards Winters/Redding (5.8 miles). Take Allendale Rd exit. Right on Allendale to 5212 Allendale (1.2 miles; driveway is on right). Look for big wooden posts with wrought iron gates. Look for herding trial signs.

Food/Hospitality

Morning hospitality will be provided through the generosity of the Sunshine Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club. Lunch on Saturday and Sunday can be pre-ordered using the form in the premium list. Saturday's lunch is pre-paid; Sunday's is free, hosted by the officers and board of the Golden Gate Pembroke Welsh Corgi Fanciers. Inc.

Lodging

Best Western Heritage Inn

1420 E. Monte Vista Ave Vacaville, CA 95688 (707) 448-8453 // Mention PWCCA for herding rate

This motel is approximately 8 miles from the trial site. There is no pet fee.

Open House

Jan and Dean Sheets, Cypress Corgis, will be hosting an Open House on Saturday, October 28. Their home is at 7340 Stocking Ln, Vacaville, about 10 minutes from the trial site. More information and directions will be available from the trial secretary.

Parking

There is ample day-of-trial parking. Overnight parking is also available – see the RV Parking section below.

Photographer

Photographers Chuck and Nicky Guthrie of Pix 'n Pages will be on site for action and win shots. For more information: www.pixnpages.com or 407-351-0344.

Hospitality

Welcome Hospitality

Tuesday, October 31, 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, Doubletree Hotel.



Celebrating the fact that it falls on Halloween, the Welcome Hospitality Party for the 2006 PWCCA Specialty will be a costume MASK party with a prize going to the best homemade mask. (Full costumes not required, just bring your MASK!) Located at our host hotel, the Doubletree in Rohnert Park, this welcome party will kick the specialty off in grand style. Kay Hammel is party planner for this bash and, as anyone attending events planned by Kay knows, this is one welcome party you don't want to miss. Bring your mask, but please leave your Corgis behind --- this Halloween MASK party is for two-legged party animals only! Live Mariachi band, complimentary snacks, and cash bar.

Morning Hospitality

Starting at 7:00 a.m., Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Ringside

There will be coffee, tea and pastries for exhibitors and spectators compliments of PWCC of Greater Atlanta, Gaitway PWCC of Greater St. Louis, Mayflower PWCC, and Cascade PWCC.

Junior Showmanship

Novice and Open Junior, Intermediate and Senior classes will be offered on Saturday morning, November 4. The judge is Stephanie Hedgepath (Jimanie).

Judges' Education Workshop

The workshop is presented by the Judges' Education Committee. It is scheduled for **Friday**, **November 3**, **2006**, and is open to judges, potential judges and invited guests only. Advance reservations are required. The fee is \$25.00.

The workshop begins with a **Seminar at 1:00 p.m.** at the show site and host hotel, the Doubletree Sonoma Wine Country in Rohnert Park, California. There will be a discussion of the illustrated standard for the Pembroke Welsh Corgi, which will include the use of live animals to highlight the various points of the standard. Participants will receive a copy of *The Illustrated Standard* and other materials supplied by the JEC, including a specialty catalog.

Friday afternoon, immediately following the conclusion of regular class judging, there will be a **Hands-On Opportunity** outdoors in the ring area on the Doubletree's south lawn. This continuation of the afternoon program provides participants with an opportunity to examine a variety of Pembrokes and evaluate movement.

Certificates of attendance will be provided upon completion of the hands-on portion of the program. Ringside mentoring will be available Friday and Saturday. Mentoring other days is available by request to the JEC.

Advance reservations and payment is required. Contact Marilyn Van Vleit, 3687 Croisan Creek Rd. S, Salem, OR 97302-9331; Phone: 503-581-5144; e-mail: mvanvleit@farmersagent.com. **Deadline for reservations is**

October 25, 2006.

Lodging

Host Hotel: Doubletree Sonoma Wine Country

One Doubletree Drive Rohnert Park, CA 94928

707-584-5466

The Doubletree in northern California's wine country is situated just off US-101 between Petaluma and Santa Rosa, approximately one hour from San Francisco. It's a full-service resort style hotel surrounded by two 18-hole championship golf courses. The group rate is \$99 for single or double rooms. There are three floors with two elevators, one on either side of the hotel. The rooms on the south side are closest to the rings, but there is no direct access from the rooms onto the lawn area and you cannot pull up to your room with your vehicle. Rooms can be accessed only through the inside corridors.

Alternates: Best Western Garden Inn

1500 Santa Rosa Ave Santa Rosa, CA 95404 800-346-8357

Best Western Inn

6500 Redwood Dr Rohnert Park, CA 94928 707-584-7435

Comfort Inn

2632 Cleveland Ave Santa Rosa, CA 95404 707-542-5544

Hillside Inn Motel

2901 4th St Santa Rosa, CA 95404 707-546-9353

Ramada Limited

6288 Redwood Dr Rohnert Park 94928 800-664-6835

Santa Rosa Travel Lodge

1815 Santa Rosa Ave Santa Rosa, CA 95404 707-542-3472

Herding: Best Western Heritage Inn

1420 E. Monte Vista Ave Vacaville, CA 95688

(707) 448-8453 // Mention PWCCA for herding rate

Peer Education Workshop (Pembroke Welsh Corgi University)

Friday, November 3, 2006, 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m., Doubletree Hotel Advance reservations required. Fee: \$30.00 w/buffet; \$20 without. Use RSVP page. (DOC) (PDF)

This event is being hosted by the Peer Education Committee (Robert Nesbitt, Chair). It's the first installment of **Pembroke Welsh Corgi University**, a multi-installment breed certification program. This introduction to the breed will consist of a roundtable discussion anchored by Gayle Garvin and Michael Sauve. They will present a look at some of the first Pembrokes imported to the U.S. and the first U.S. champions, with emphasis placed on the evolution of the Pembroke in this country. It will include mention of the breeders that have influenced the breed since it arrived here and the inception and growth of the PWCCA. This is going to be an informative, informal group discussion/presentation where active participation by those attending will be encouraged.

Raffle

Tickets: 6 for \$5.00; **pre-show special, 25 for \$10.00**. If buying in advance of the show, use the RSVP page. (DOC) (PDF)

Chair Joan Scott has put together an exciting raffle this year: not one but two quilts, each made by club member Kathy Shannon out of the quilt squares from the contest held at last year's National; an antique coffee table w/three fox scenes painted by Caroline Coffey of Sassafras Studio; a custom Enamel pin of your own dog donated by The Horse Brooch; and a Patriot crate donated by Len and Carol (Boitano) Hoare.

Reserved Grooming

Reserved grooming (with power) will be available in the grooming tent. Cost is \$15 for each 5' x 6' space. Use RSVP page. (DOC) (PDF) A bathing station with booster baths will also be available at no charge.

RV Parking

The Doubletree: The RV coordinator for the Doubletree, the host hotel, is Dede Rodgers, k9corgis@aol.com. Space for RV's is very limited, so reservations will have to be pre-paid and will be available on a first-come basis. There are no hookups. A reservation form is available on the National web page, which you can access through www.pwcca.org or http://www.goldengatecorgis.org/specialties/2006_nat_specialty/RV_reservation_form.pdf.

Agility: The agility site is the Sonoma County Fairgrounds, which is about 5-10 minutes from the Doubletree. RV parking is available with hookups. All reservations go through the fairgrounds.

RV Parking for PWCCA Agility Trial at Sonoma Fairgrounds

There are 164 RV parking locations within the Sonoma Fairgrounds. There are up to 7 locations available directly adjacent to the Carnival lot. Please contact the Julie by phone or at julie@sonomacountyfair.com in advance to verify RV specifications requirements, arrival dates and length of stay. NOTE: RVs will need to contact one of the three numbers provided for payment and slot assignment at the time of arrival. Spaces will be assigned per the fairground on a "first come first served basis."

Weekdays 9AM to 5PM

Julie: office phone 707.545.4200, Ext. 205

cell phone 707.293.8414

Arrivals on Saturday/Sunday Before 5 PM

Eric: cell phone 707.975.7174

<u>Arrivals Saturday/Sunday After 5 PM</u>
Julian: cell phone 707.293.8412

Herding: Limited overnight RV parking is available at the herding facility, Herding4Ewe in Vacaville, www.herding4ewe.com, which is about 70 miles from the Doubletree. There are no hookups. Contact Jerry Pratt at 562-594-0363 or sharnjer@aol.com for a reserved space. If the ground is too wet, RV parking will not be allowed, but alternative sites are available.

Overflow: Those with tow vehicles can use the fairgrounds as an alternative to the Doubletree. There is also a very nice KOA campground about 9 miles south: 20 Rainsville Rd., Petaluma, CA 94952, Voice: (707) 763-1492 / (800) 992-CAMP, Fax: (707) 765-2668, E-mail: SFKOA@aol.com.

If you're unable to get a space at the Doubletree, or would rather be at a site with full hookups, and you don't have a tow vehicle, there's an Enterprise rental car office in Rohnert Park: 368 Rohnert Park Expy W, Rohnert Park, CA 94928-7936, Tel: (707) 586-5600.

Questions about RV parking should be directed to Dede Rodgers at k9corgis@aol.com.

Silent Auction

A silent auction will be held during the banquet. To donate items, contact Sue King, (908) 788-0704, brumbaercorgi@msn.com.

Tracking

We are offering all three levels of tracking tests. These tracking tests are open to all breeds, but Corgis are given preference in the draw. Entries close on Wednesday, October 4, 2006, at 6:00 p.m. If you would like to volunteer, or would like additional information, please contact Chris Robinette at robinette@wvi.com

VST

There will be two VST tracks offered at the College of Marin, Indian Valley Campus, 1800 Ignacio Blvd, Novato, on Sunday morning, October 29. This is a lovely small college campus with trees, wooden bridges, walkways, and open areas.

TD/TDX

The TD and TDX tests will take place on Monday morning, October 30. The location is Martindale Ranch, 12620 Bodega Hwy, Freestone, a private cattle ranch. We will be offering two TD tracks plus one alternate; and one TDX track plus one alternate. The TD terrain is mostly flat and the TDX terrain is hilly.

Directions

To VST test: From Highway 101, take the Ignacio Blvd. exit. Continue on Ignacio Blvd. approximately 2 miles to the Indian Valley campus on the left.

To TD/TDX test: Take Bodega Highway (Hwy 12) west out of Santa Rosa and Sebastopol. The Martindale Ranch is at 12620 Bodega Highway, on the right side of the road. The ranch is just outside of Freestone, within sight of the intersection of Bodega Hwy and Bohemian Hwy, and kitty-corner from the Wild Flour Bakery.

Hospitality

Morning hospitality and beverages will be provided through the generosity of the Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club of the Western Reserve.

Trophy Donations

Closing date (for listing in the catalog): **September 13, 2006**. Your generous donations will help defray some of the trophy expenses and are greatly appreciated. Use the RSVP page. (DOC) (PDF)

Vendors

For booth information, contact Mike and Nancy Oehlhof, Phone: 419-347-1398, Fax: 419-342-2051, moehlhof@neo.rr.com. Rate is \$50.00 per day.