

**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**

1. (Variety) if you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
2. The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
3. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e. age division, color division, weight division.
4. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
5. Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

The above number **MUST** be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 233-9767.

**By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.**

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

☐ If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

## OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

STEEL VALLEY CLUSTER - Canfield Fairgrounds, Route 46, Canfield, Ohio 44406

- 770 ☐ FORT STEUBEN KENNEL ASSOCIATION, INC. (BREED/OBED) - THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2023 - 2023102601  
4087 ☐ FORT STEUBEN KENNEL ASSOCIATION, INC. (RALLY) - THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2023 - 2023102603  
555 ☐ FORT STEUBEN KENNEL ASSOCIATION, INC. (4-6 MOS) - THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2023 - 2023102602  
133 ☐ COLUMBIANA COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, INC. (BREED/OBED) - FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023 - 2023099402  
1471 ☐ COLUMBIANA COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, INC. (RALLY) - FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023 - 2023099404  
4050 ☐ COLUMBIANA COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, INC. (4-6 MOS) - FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023 - 2023099403  
207 ☐ BEAVER COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, INC. (BREED/OBED) - SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023 - 2023082902  
1642 ☐ BEAVER COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, INC. (RALLY) - SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023 - 2023082901  
1017 ☐ BEAVER COUNTY KENNEL CLUB, INC. (4-6 MOS) - SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023 - 2023082903  
210 ☐ MAHONING-SHENANGO KENNEL CLUB, INC. (BREED/OBED) - SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2023 - 2023108402  
936 ☐ MAHONING-SHENANGO KENNEL CLUB, INC. (RALLY) - SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2023 - 2023108404  
5074 ☐ MAHONING-SHENANGO KENNEL CLUB, INC. (4-6 MOS) - SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2023 - 2023108403

Entry Fees Each Event: SEE PAGE 90.

Entries Close at Superintendent's Office at 12:00 NOON, WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

Mail Entries With Fees To: MB-F, Inc., Superintendent, P.O. Box 22107, Greensboro, NC 27420.

Make Checks or Money Orders Payable To: MB-F, Inc. Canadian/Foreign Exhibitors must make fees payable in U.S. Funds. When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check.

I ENCLOSE \$\_\_\_\_\_for entry fees

IMPORTANT-Read Carefully Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT)

BREED <sup>5</sup>		VARIETY <sup>1</sup>		SEX
DOG <sup>2,3</sup> SHOW CLASS		CLASS <sup>3</sup> DIVISION Weight, color, etc.		
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEDIENCE CLASS (Jump Height)	RALLY CLASS (Jump Height)	JR. SHOWMANSHIP CLASS	
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (If any)				JR. HANDLER NUMBER
FULL OF DOG				
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC® NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY		Enter number here DATE OF BIRTH  PLACE OF BIRTH (list country) Do not print the above in catalog.		
BREEDER				
SIRE				
DAM				

ACTUAL OWNER(S)<sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

OWNER'S ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT  
(IF ANY) AT THE SHOW \_\_\_\_\_

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 event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, 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 persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

☒ SIGNATURE of owner or his/her agent  
duly authorized to make this entry \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a new exhibitor? Yes ☐ No ☐ Owner/Handled Eligible? Yes ☐ No ☐

E-MAIL Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address)

Emergency contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Green Option: Check box to receive ☐ ID/Judging Program and/or ☐ Premium List information by E-Mail only, in lieu of a printed copy through the US Postal Mail.

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## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

**Telegraph, Telephone (Except Dial-N-Entry®) and Unsigned Entries Cannot Be Accepted. Entries Not On Official AKC Entry Forms, Downloaded and/or Photocopies of Entry Forms without Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Entry Form are NOT ACCEPTABLE.**

**Mail All Entries With Fees to MB-F, Inc., Superintendent, P.O. Box 22107, Greensboro, NC 27420. Entries received without fees will not be accepted.** Acknowledgement of entries will be made as soon as practicable with tickets and/or identification cards. The person accompanying a dog must show tickets of admission and identification before the dog will be received. **Should such acknowledgement not be received by the exhibitor** within a reasonable time, please verify your entry with the MB-F Office in North Carolina.

**For Hand Delivery,** street address: 620 Industrial Ave., Greensboro, NC 27406 or 32351 Edward Ave., Madison Heights, MI 48071.

**Entries may be made online - [www.infodog.com](http://www.infodog.com) or through Dial-N-Entry® - (1-800) 334-8978 or (336) 379-9605.**

**Fax Entries, 1-336-272-0864 or 1-800-SHO-FAXS.** Both sides of entry form must be transmitted. Entries must be accompanied by a cover sheet stating the number of pages, what shows and how many dogs per show. Visa/Mastercard/Discover/American Express number and expiration date, as well as the printed cardholder's name and address must be included on cover sheet. Visa/Mastercard/Discover/American Express number, expiration date and cardholder's name must appear on each entry. Fax entries must be received by the closing hour/date. Fax fee: \$4.95 per entry in addition to entry fee. All credit card entries, regardless of method submitted, are processed through the Fax program and are charged the \$4.95 administrative fee. This Fax Fee is subject to change without notice.

**Make All Checks and Money Orders** payable to MB-F, Inc. **CANADIAN/FOREIGN** exhibitors must make fees payable in U.S. FUNDS. When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check. Please mail checks or money orders with entries. Superintendent assumes no responsibility for cash sent through the mail. Tabulate carefully. Due to cost of processing, no refunds \$5.00 and under will be made.

**Post Dated Checks, Returned Checks and Declined Credit Cards** do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Superintendent will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check or declined card. Subsequent returned checks or declined cards from the same exhibitors may result in their being put on a **CASH ONLY** basis.

**CHARGEBACKS on Credit Cards** are considered a violation of your agreement to pay the required entry fee for entry into a show and the AKC Compliance Dept. will be notified for their disciplinary action. Also, if this remains a bad debt, the club may decline future entries for their shows and the superintendent will decline future entries for ANY show submitted via any method of payment until the debt is paid (Chap 11, Sec 15, AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows). Thereafter, the superintendent will refuse all future credit card entries from the exhibitor. All future entries must be paid for in cash or by money order or check.

**An AKC Recording Fee of \$.50 first entry only and an AKC Event Service Fee of \$3.00 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Show, Obedience Trial or Tracking Test. An AKC Recording Fee of \$.50 will be required for each first entry and \$3.00 each additional entry in any Licensed or Member Club Rally Trial. An AKC Event Service Fee of \$2.00 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Open Show. All Recording and Event Service Fees are paid to the American Kennel Club. (There is no Recording Fee or Event Service Fee for Junior Showmanship, Sweepstakes, Futurities, Brace/Team, Multi-Dog Classes or Special Attractions.)**

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

**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 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 event, no refund of entry fee will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snow storms, 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 event before completion, no refund of entry fee will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Event Cancellation Hotline (877) 252-3229.

**No Refund for Duplicate Entries.** Every effort to find all duplicate entries will be made; however, if entry has been processed, no refund will be made. **An Administrative Fee of \$5.00 will be charged or withheld from refunds for duplicate entries.**

**An Administrative Fee of \$5.00 will be withheld** from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.

**Errors on Entry Blanks.** Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date.

**Each Owner and Agent** listed on the entry form and/or individual responsible for the dog at a show is bound by the Certification and Agreement on the front and back of the entry form regardless of who may have completed & submitted the entry form.

**As specified in Chapter 12, Section 4** of the AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, information contained on the entry form is required to be published in the club's show catalog. This information is also subject to publication in other media.

**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 ring.

**Class Cash 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 Superintendent's Office advised at once. The Superintendent and Show-Giving Club disclaim any liability for cash prizes after the judging of the breed is over.

**No gasoline or diesel generators** are permitted inside any building or within 100 feet of any tent in which this dog show is conducted.