

Saturday, April 11, 2009

Potomac Valley Golden Retriever Club

Judging Program

35<sup>th</sup> Independent Specialty Show & Obedience Trial / 5<sup>th</sup> Rally Trial

(Licensed By The American Kennel Club)

There are 225 Golden Retrievers entered in this show with a total of 330 entries,  
 including 209 entries in Conformation, 78 entries in Obedience and 43 entries in Rally.

For your convenience, the following totals have been carefully tabulated. Neither the Club nor the Show Secretary assumes responsibility for absolute accuracy

Sweepstakes, Conformation and Junior Showmanship

Ring 1  
 8:00 a.m.  
 Judge: Sandra Novocin

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 11:30 a.m.  
 Judge: Jean Fournier

Ring 2  
 10:00 a.m.  
 Judge: Bruce Wylie

Junior Showmanship

Novice  
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Sweepstakes	
Puppy Sweepstakes	
Dogs 6-9	2
Dogs 9-12	4
Dogs 12-15	1
Dogs 15-18	0
Bitches 6-9	7
Bitches 9-12	8
Bitches 12-15	4
Bitches 15-18	7
<i>Best in Puppy Sweeps</i>	

Regular Classes		Regular Classes	
Dogs		Bitches	
6-9 Puppy	4	6-9 Puppy	9
9-12 Puppy	8	9-12 Puppy	11
12-18 Junior	4	12-18 Junior	17
Amateur Owner Handler	2	Novice	1
Bred-by Exhibitor	6	Bred-by Exhibitor	9
American Bred	7	American Bred	5
Open	21	Open	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>65</b>
<i>Winners Dog</i>		<i>Winners Bitch</i>	

Veteran Sweepstakes	
Dogs 7-9	4
Dogs 9+	4
Bitches 7-9	1
Bitches 9+	4
<i>Best in Veteran Sweeps</i>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>

Non-Regular Classes		Non-Regular Classes	
Dogs		Bitches	
Veteran 7-9 years	3	Veteran 7-9 years	1
Veteran 9 & Older	4	Veteran 9 & Older	7
Hunting Retriever	1	Hunting Retriever	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>

Best of Breed	
Dogs	18
Bitches	6
<i>Best Puppy</i>	
<i>Best Veteran</i>	
Stud Dog	2
Brood Bitch	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>88</b>

**Total 75**

There will be a 15-minute break prior to judging of Best of Breed.  
 Judges will take a lunch break at their discretion.

Division 3 Golden Retriever

	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Dogs</b>	2	10	17	23	33
<b>Bitches</b>	3	12	21	27	37

IMPORTANT!

TRANSFERS of dogs from regular classes to Best of Breed/Variety Competition (Ch. 11, Sec 6, AKC Rules)  
 MUST be made to the Show Secretary at least ½ hour prior to the start of any regular conformation judging at this show.

## Obedience & Rally

Obedience/Rally Move-Ups will be permitted in accordance with Obedience Regulations, Ch. 1, Sec. 16.

<b>Ring 3</b> <b>8:00 a.m.</b> <b>Judge: Donald A. Levinson</b>		
3	Utility A	300-302
	<i>Novice A Walkthrough</i>	
2	Novice A	100-101
12	Open B	250-261
4	Graduate Novice	400-403
3	Graduate Open	450-452
1	Veteran Novice	550
1	Team**	650
3	Brace	600-602
3	Wildcard Utility	800-802
<b>32</b>	<b>Total</b>	

<b>Ring 4</b> <b>8:00 a.m.</b> <b>Judge: Virginia Kinion</b>		
11	Utility B	350-360
5	Open A	200-204
10	Novice B	150-159
5	Versatility	500-504
1	Team**	650
6	Wildcard Novice	700-705
2	Wildcard Open	750-751
<b>40</b>	<b>Total</b>	

\*\* Team judging will begin at the conclusion of Veteran Novice and Versatility

<b>Ring 5</b> <b>Rally will begin ½ hour after the completion</b> <b>of Obedience judging in either Ring 3 or 4,</b> <b>but not before 1:00 p.m.</b> <b>Judge: Cheryl Pratt</b>		
5	Rally Novice A	1000-1004
10	Rally Novice B	1100-1109
6	Rally Advanced A	1200-1205
9	Rally Advanced B	1300-1308
2	Rally Excellent A	1400-1401
11	Rally Excellent B	1500-1510
<b>43</b>	<b>Total</b>	

Rally: There will be a walk-through prior to the start of each class. Walk-throughs may be combined at the judge's discretion.

*Judges will take a lunch break at their discretion.*

PLEASE REVIEW YOUR ENTRY INFORMATION CAREFULLY AND PROVIDE ANY CORRECTIONS TO THE SHOW SECRETARY.

**Rhonda Toren, Show Secretary**

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Phone: 410-997-3698



*The Potomac Valley Golden Retriever Club wishes to thank all of the exhibitors for supporting our specialty.*

Howard County Fairgrounds, 2210 Fairgrounds Rd., West Friendship, Maryland 21794  
Indoors - Unbenched Show Hours 6:30 AM – 7:00 PM

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

**Show Site will be open on Friday (April 10) between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. for Setup.  
Show Building Opens Saturday (April 11) at 6:30 a.m.**

**Exercise areas** will be marked. These are the only places to exercise your dogs. Please keep these areas cleaned up with the equipment provided. If we are to have access to these facilities again, exhibitors and handlers **MUST** keep them clean. Exhibitors and handlers are responsible for clean conditions in/around their crate and vehicles.

There will be **no smoking** in the building. Please dispose of trash in the proper manner.

Parents must be responsible for children. Children must be kept under supervision at all times. No strollers, please, for the safety of your child.

All dogs present must be held on leash or confined to their crates except when being judged. Please keep dogs on leash at all times. No flexi-leads inside the show building.

Dogs may not be left overnight. No dogs will be allowed on the grounds except those entered in the show.

Free admission/Free parking. See special RV Parking information.

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

**JUDGING WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY AS SCHEDULED.** Dogs need to be at the show only at the scheduled time of judging and may leave immediately thereafter unless required for further judging. **The judge is not required to wait for dogs.** It is the responsibility of the owner or handler to have the dog at ringside when its class is called. The PVGRC has no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system or steward/runner for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

**Overnight parking** for campers at this show is permitted at a fee of \$20.00 for Friday, April 10, 2009 ONLY. Limited electric is available, advance reservation does not guarantee electric hook-up. This is on a first-come, first-served basis. There will be NO water hook-ups. No electric lines can be laid across roads. NO Parking in barns. As a courtesy, please do not operate generators between 11:00p.m. and 6:00a.m. Fire lanes must be kept open at all times. Make checks payable to: Potomac Valley Golden Retriever Club (PVGRC). Mail to: Belinda Gosnell, 1208 Mill Creek Road, Fallston, MD 21047

### VETERINARIAN (ON CALL)

**The Emergency Animal Hospital**  
10270 Baltimore National Pike, Route 40 West  
Ellicott City, MD  
(410) 750-1177

### EMERGENCY SERVICES

**DIAL 911**

**Day of Show Emergency Contact:**  
**Belinda Gosnell**  
**410-459-4011 (day of show ONLY)**

## ACCOMMODATIONS

Policies can change. Please call ahead to verify that your dog is welcome. Thanks!

**Quality Inn**, 999 W. Patrick St., Frederick, MD 21702.....Phone: 301-662-5141  
**Holiday Inn Express**, 5579 Spectrum Dr., Frederick MD 21703.....Phone: 800-629-8749  
**Forest Motel**, 10021 Baltimore National Pike (Rt. 40), Ellicott City, MD 21042.....Phone: 410-465-2090  
**Red Roof Inn**-Jessup, 8000 Washington Blvd., Jessup, MD 20794.....Phone: 410-796-0380  
**Comfort Suites**,14402 Laurel Place, Laurel, MD 20707.....Phone: 301-206-2600

## DIRECTIONS

[www.howardcountyfair.com](http://www.howardcountyfair.com)

### From the Northeast:

I-95 South to 695 West (Baltimore Beltway) to I-70 West to Rt. 32 South to Rt. 144. Turn right. West to Fairgrounds Rd. on your right.

### From Baltimore:

Take I-70 West from Baltimore Beltway (695) to Rt. 32 South to Rt. 144. Turn Right. West to Fairgrounds Rd. on your right.

### From Washington:

Take I-270 North from Washington towards Frederick. Follow signs to I-70 East (towards Baltimore) to Rt. 32 South. Follow directions above to Rt. 144 or take Georgia Ave. (Rt. 97) North from Washington Beltway to Rt. 144. Turn Right onto Rt. 144 and then west to Fairgrounds Rd. on your left.

### Alternate Route from Washington:

Take either Washington-Baltimore Parkway (I-295) or I-95 North to Rt. 32 North, follow Rt. 32 to Rt. 144, turn left and proceed to Fairgrounds.

**Fairground entrance GPS Coordinates: N 39° 18' 22.6" / W 76° 57' 55.7"**