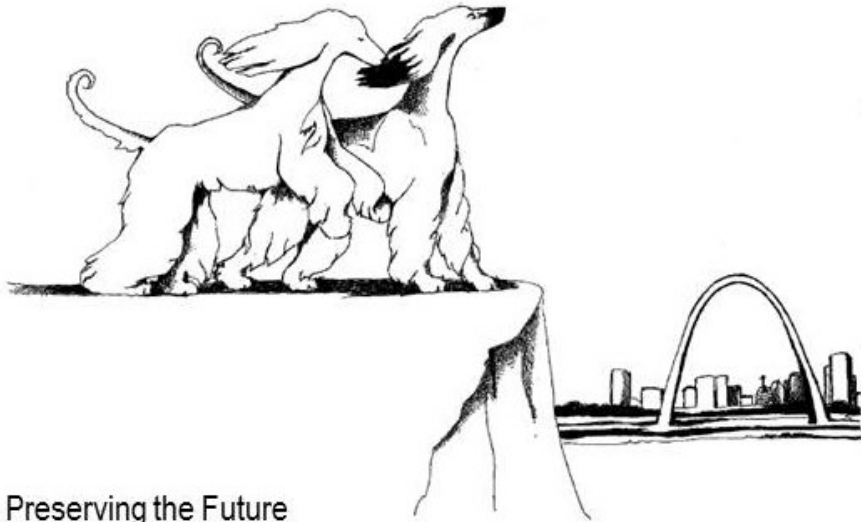


PREMIUM LIST

EARLY ENTRIES CLOSE: **6:00 PM Wednesday, August 16th, 2017**
AT THE FTS' ADDRESS: 123 Glendale Rd., Limestone, TN 37681
DAY OF TRIAL ENTRIES CLOSE: 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO ROLL CALL

The 81st NATIONAL SPECIALTY
ASFA LURE COURSING TRIAL
AFGHAN HOUNDS ONLY



Preserving the Future

The 81st Annual Afghan Hound Club of America National Specialty

September 11-14, 2017 Purina Farms, Gray Summit, MO

<http://afghanhoundclubofamerica.org/>

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th, 2017

Early Trial Entry Fees \$33.00 for the first hound entered
\$26.00 each additional hound

Day of Trial Entry Fees \$40.00 all hounds entered

Purina Farms, Herding Field

200 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO. 63039

All Hounds entering Open, Veteran or Limited Stakes for the first time MUST include a completed ASFA Certification Form or Waiver Form and a copy of the hound's registration certificate (Certification waived for Single Stake entries only).



*Permission has been granted by the
American Sight Hound Field Association for the holding of this
event under ASFA Rules and Regulations.
Audrey Silverstein, Chairperson, ASFA Scheduling Committee*

AHCA Officers

President	Ken Amos
1 st Vice President	Jennifer Taylor
2 nd Vice President	H. Russell Hastings III
Treasurer	Bob Jordan
Recording Secretary	Toni Richmond
Corresponding Secretary	Dorma Sue Busby
Board	Erica Jantos, Alicia Jones, Eddie Kominek, Allan Reznik, Anna Stromberg, Anna Tyler



Judges & Assignments (* : provisional judge or breed | + : single judge)

* Leonore Abordo *	P.O. Box 760, Sandia Park, NM 87047	Trial
Sandra Moore	Quebeck, TN	Trial

Field Committee

Chairman	Selma Kominek, 423-491-1558
Secretary	Eddie Kominek, 123 Glendale Rd. Limestone, TN 37681 (C) 205-757-0290 eddie@kominekafghans.com
Clerks	Linda Jordan, Ann Nicholson
Lure Operator	Anna Midgarden
Hunt Masters	Eddie Kominek, Julia Callaghan, Vicki Fagre-Stroetz
Inspection	Maureen Brodeur, Ken Hudson, Vicki Fagre-Stroetz

Trial Hours

Trial Hours: 7:00 AM until complete.

Day-of-Trial Entries Close: 7:45 AM

Trial Roll Call: 8:00 AM ALL BREEDS, early roll call for Field Committee.

Draw: Immediately following Roll Call.

Entry Fees

Trial Pre-Entry Fees \$33.00 for first afghan hound entered
\$26.00 for each additional afghan hound, same household/owner

Breeder/Kennel Entry Fees: \$10.00 per Pair

Day-of Entry Fee \$40.00 per afghan hound

Make checks payable to "AHCA" Eddie Kominek, FTS
Mail pre entries to Trial Secretary: 123 Glendale Rd.
Limestone, TN 37681
205-757-0290, eddie@kominekafghans.com

ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACKNOWLEDGED BY RETURN MAIL OR PHONE;
ENTRIES WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED BY E-MAIL AFTER THE EARLY CLOSING DEADLINE.
INCOMPLETE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

For the latest ASFA news & updates – go to <http://www.asfa.org>

Conditions of Entry

All entries must be one year or older on the day of the trial • Stakes will be split into flights by public random draw if the entry in any regular stake is 20 or more • Bitches in season, lame hounds and hounds with breed disqualifications will be excused at roll call • Spayed, neutered, monorchid or cryptorchid hounds without breed disqualifications may be entered • Hounds with breed disqualifications are not eligible to enter except in the Single Stake • Hounds not present at the time of roll call will be scratched • All hounds will run twice, in trios if possible or braces (except in the Single Stake), unless excused, dismissed or disqualified.

Eligible Breeds and Registry

Only purebred Afghan Hounds may be entered in the regular and non-regular stakes. All entries shall be individually registered with the AKC (ILP/PAL included), the UKC, the FCI, an ASFA-recognized foreign or ASFA Board approved registry. A photocopy of acceptable registry must be submitted with each hound's first ASFA field trial entry.

Certification/Waiver Requirements

All hounds must be certified prior to competing in an ASFA trial, except for the Singles Stakes. Hound certification runs will not be offered on the day of trial. If this is the first trial for your hound your certification/waiver form MUST accompany your entry.

Ribbons & Prizes

(All ribbons and prizes are donated by AHCA except where noted)

Best in Event	Red, White & Blue Rosette, 6" Gary Newton Bronze Original Ceramic by Julie Roche
Best of Breed	Purple & Gold Rosette, 3" Terry d. Chacon Bronze, ASFA Medallion, Original Ceramic by Julie Roche, \$50 Gift Certificate
First Place	Blue Rosette & 2" AHCA Medallion on Blue Ribbon Original Sculpture by Julie Roche, \$20 Gift Certificate
Second Place	Red Rosette & 2" AHCA Medallion on Red Ribbon, \$10 Gift Cert.
Third Place	Yellow Rosette & 2" AHCA Medallion on Yellow Ribbon, \$10 Gift Cert.
Fourth Place	White Rosette & 2" AHCA Medallion on White Ribbon, \$10 Gift Cert.
NBQ	Pink Rosette & 2" AHCA Medallion on Pink Ribbon, \$10 Gift Cert.
Kennel Stake	2" AHCA Medallion on Blue Ribbon
Breeder Stake	2" AHCA Medallion on Blue Ribbon
1st-5th Place	Grooming Apron from SUMMERWinds

All gift certificates and grooming aprons were generously donated by SUMMERWinds BIS and redeemable at the SUMMERWinds BIS vendor booth



Stakes Offered

Open Stake: Any eligible Afghan Hound excluding ASFA Field Champions of record. Open to any eligible Afghan Hound that has obtained ASFA certification, AKC qualified courser or other qualifying waivers prior to close of entries. A copy of certificate must be submitted to host club with the entry form.

Field Champion Stake: Any ASFA Field Champion Afghan Hound;

Veteran Stake: Any eligible Afghan Hound whose age is a least seven years old.

Single Stake: Any eligible sighthound including those disqualified to run in other stakes. Not eligible for Best of Breed or Best in Field. Hounds are eligible to earn TCP and CPX titles from the Singles stake. Limited breeds are not eligible for these titles.

Breeder Stake: (non-regular) For Afghan Hounds; an entry shall consist of two hounds entered in one of the regular stakes, designated at time of entry, being bred by the same individual.

Kennel Stake: (non-regular) For Afghan Hounds; an entry shall consist of two hounds entered in one of the regular stakes, designated at time of entry, being owned and kenneled by the same individual.

BEST IN FIELD WILL NOT BE OFFERED

Notice to Exhibitors

- Refunds will not be given except for circumstances listed in ASFA Rules Ch. I, Sec. 3: (a) Hounds determined to have a breed disqualification at the time of roll call shall be barred from competition and their entry fees shall be refunded. Spayed, monorchid, cryptorchid, and neutered hounds without breed disqualifications may be entered (b) Hounds determined to be lame at the time of roll call shall be barred from competition and their entry fees shall be refunded. (c) Bitches in season, or bitches showing a discharge characteristic of being in season, or which come in season after the close of entries, shall be excepted from this rule and their entry fees shall be refunded. Notification to the field secretary of bitches in season must be made before or during the roll call. Bitches known to be in season should not be brought onto the trial grounds. (d) Hounds that have been disqualified, or which do not meet the requirements for entry, are also eligible to have their entry fees refunded by check within 90 days of the trial. Fees will be refunded only if the owner or agent notifies the field secretary of such ineligibility prior to or during roll call.
- No entry fees will be refunded if the event cannot be started or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, extreme and/or dangerous weather conditions, an Act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the Club or its members and representatives.
- No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance.
- Entries will not be accepted without fees, signatures or the "Agreement" found on the Official ASFA Entry Form.
- A return check fee of \$35.00 will be assessed for any check(s) returned for insufficient funds.
- All rights to televise, videotape, 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 attending these shows grant the club the right to use their likeness and voice in any matter without further consent.
- Consumption of alcoholic beverages is not allowed.

Emergency Veterinarian

St. Louis Veterinary Emergency Group, Inc.
Animal Emergency Clinic
Open 24 hours - (314) 822-7600
9937 Big Bend Rd., St. Louis, MO 63122

Emergency Medical

Mercy Hospital Washington
Open 24 hours, Level III Trauma Center—636-239-8000
901 E. Fifth Street, Washington, MO 63090
Head west on Checkerboard Dr., Turn right toward 4 Square Dr., Slight right onto Checkerboard Loop., Turn left onto Hwy Mm., Turn left onto Coleman Rd., Turn right onto Elder Rd., Slight left onto Old Hwy 100W., Turn right onto MO-100., Turn right onto E Fifth St

Hotels

(HOST) Holiday Inn St Louis West at Six Flags, 4901 Six Flags Rd, Eureka, MO 63025

You MUST call the hotel directly to get the AHCA rate of \$119.95. (636.938.6661)

Quality Inn (636) 257-8400 1400 West Osage St., Pacific MO 63069

• 5 miles East of Purina Farms

Comfort Inn (636) 257-4600 1320 Thornton St., Pacific MO 63069

• 5 miles East of Purina Farms

Decker House of Labadie (314) 520-8333 2600 Hwy T, Labadie, MO 63055

• 5 miles from Purina Farms

Eureka Super 8 (636) 938-4368 1733 W 5th St, Eureka MO 63025

• 10 miles East of Purina Farms

Motel 6 (636) 587-7000 15 Hilltop Village Center Dr., Eureka, MO 63025

• 10 miles East of Purina Farms

America's Best Inn @ Six Flags (636) 549-3384 1725 W 5th St, Eureka MO

• 10 miles East of Purina Farms

Budget Lodging (636) 629-1000 866 S I-44 Outer Rd, St Clair MO 63077

• 13 miles West of Purina Farms

CAMPING:

KOA Campground—(636) 257-3018 18475 Old Highway 66 Eureka, MO

• 10 miles East of Purina Farms

Jellystone Park Campground - (636) 938-5925 5300 Fox Creek Rd., Eureka MO

• 10 miles East of Purina Farms

FOR MORE PET FRIENDLY HOTELS and Camping GO TO: <https://www.purina.com/purina-farms/clubs-and-exhibitors/purina-event-center#/booking-an-event>

PLEASE VERIFY CURRENT PET POLICIES WHEN MAKING RESERVATIONS

THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO CAMPING PERMITTED AT THE TRIAL SITE

RV CAMPING information available in the AHCA Conformation Premium List

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OFFICIAL AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM

Afghan Hound Club of America

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Mail entries and payment in US Funds to "AHCA" to:

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Fee Paid _____ The Field Secretary cannot accept conditional, unsigned, incomplete or unpaid entries; please check your completed entry carefully.

Breed: AFGHAN HOUND	Call Name:	
Registered Name of Hound:		
Stake: <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> FCH <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Limited	Additional Stakes: <input type="checkbox"/> Kennel <input type="checkbox"/> Breeder <input type="checkbox"/> Bench	
Registration Number: (please write in registering body before number)		
<input type="checkbox"/> If possible, please separate my hounds	Date of Birth:	Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Bitch
Name of actual owner(s):		
Address:		Phone:
City:	State:	Zip:
E-mail (Optional)		(Optional) Region of Residence:
Emergency Contact Name and Phone (Optional)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is the first ASFA trial for this hound. Attach a Hound Certification or waiver if entered in Open, Veterans, Limited.		
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<input type="checkbox"/> Check if any information has changed since the last ASFA trial entry. Regarding _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if this hound has been dismissed within the last 6 trials entered. Must be marked in order to qualify for a "clean" trial requirement.		

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this 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 and the opportunity to have this dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Sighthound Field Association in effect at the time of this lure field trial, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this lure field trial. I (we) agree that the club holding this lure field trial has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the club shall deem to be sufficient. I (we) agree to hold this club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents or other functionaries, any employees of the aforementioned parties and the owner(s) of the trial premises or grounds 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 upon the lure field trial 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 loss of this dog by disappearance, theft damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the aforementioned parties or by the negligence of any person or any other cause or causes. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to person or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance of the forgoing representations and agreements

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent
duly authorized to make this entry _____

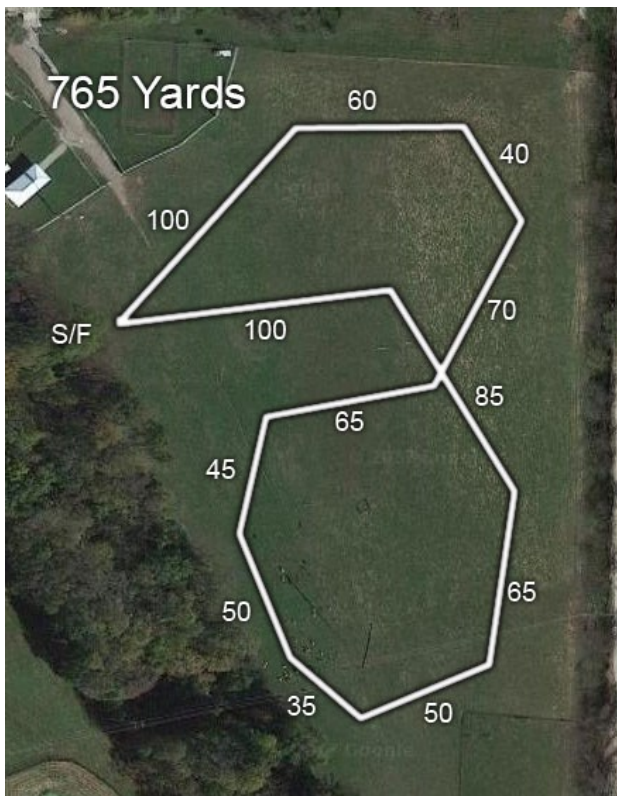
Field & Course Plans

- The field has little shade and has natural and fence boundaries.
- Please bring your own shade and water.
- Battery powered, continuous loop lure machines will be used.
- The lure will consist of plastic and/or fur strips.
- The members of the Afghan Hound Club of America reserve the right to alter the course plan as required by weather and/or field conditions on the day of the trial.
- The field will be reversed for the finals, runoffs, Best of Breed, and Best in Event.
- Muzzles are not required; it is the responsibility of the owners to determine if their hound should be muzzled.
- A penalty of \$5.00 will be assessed for any loose hounds not competing in the course in progress and from any person not cleaning up after his/her hound.
- Any person, upon reasonable complaint, may be asked to leave the grounds of the field trial by the Field Committee and may be disciplined by the ASFA.

Official Photographer

Penny's Pastime Pics
 Penny McNiel—3ppcs@gmail.com
 314-651-0429

**Monday
 September 11th 2017
 765 Yards**



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Registration Number: (please write in registering body before number)		
<input type="checkbox"/> If possible, please separate my hounds	Date of Birth:	Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Bitch
Name of actual owner(s):		
Address:		Phone:
City:	State:	Zip:
E-mail (Optional)		(Optional) Region of Residence:
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Directions

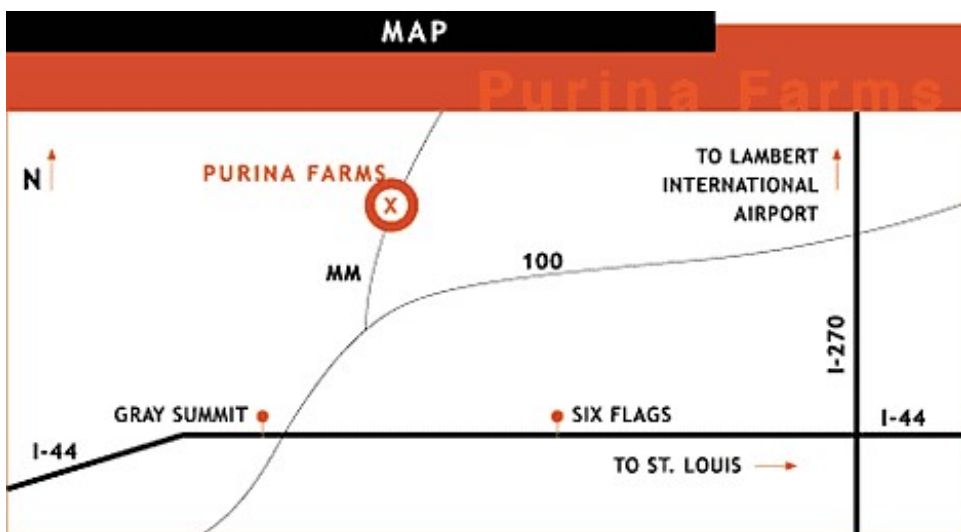
From St. Louis or Springfield, MO

Take I-44 to the Gray Summit exit (Highway 100). Go north and follow Hwy 100 until you spot Hwy MM and the Purina Farms sign (approximately 1/2 mile). Turn left onto Hwy. MM. Drive about one mile until you reach the Purina Farms Visitor's Center on your left. Turn left into Purina and pass thru the security checkpoint. Follow the signs to the field.

From Kansas City

Take I-70 east to the Warrenton exit at Hwy. 47. Go south on Hwy. 47 for approximately 25 miles until you reach Hwy. 100 in Washington. Turn left onto Hwy. 100 and continue to I-44 (approximately 10 miles). Go east on I-44. Follow the directions above from Springfield.

NOTE: Although the field is completely fenced, it is also used as a pasture for cows and sheep during the week.



Lunch

Catering by Purina Farms of sandwich platters, chips and a drink for \$5 per person will be available on the field. Please include names, count and payment for lunches with your entries.

LUNCH RSVP FORM

Name(s): _____

Total Number of Meals: ____ (x \$5.00/meal) = Total : \$ ____
 (make check payable to: AHCA; may combine with your entries)

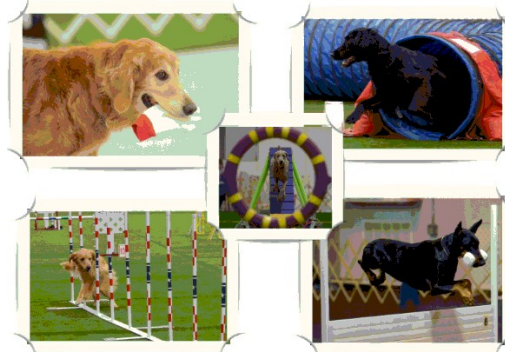
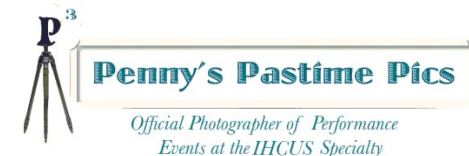
Important Property Information

- DO NOT TURN DOGS LOOSE IN ANY OF THE FENCED AREAS
- Make sure to pay attention to the running order, your dog's colors, and to the paddock master – if your hound is ready and waiting, when it's his turn to run, the trial goes smoother for everyone. Any hound that is more than five minutes late in getting to the line for their course may be excused from competition for the day.
- Please park in the parking lot located prior to the bridge
- No cigarette smoking near the field.
- CARE of the GROUNDS. Kindly enter the field at the designated gate only. Please clean up after your hounds. SMOKERS, please do NOT leave cigarette butts on the ground. There will be a \$15 fine levied on all smokers leaving cigarette butts on the grounds. Please help us to be good stewards of this property and reciprocate our hosts generosity by leaving only our footprints and good memories.
- THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO CAMPING PERMITTED AT THE TRIAL SITE
- Camping is available at the Purina Show grounds. Forms available on AHCA website - National specialty page
- Please ensure comfort for you and your hounds by bringing SHADE and WATER for your hounds. Pop-up tents are allowed during the day of the trial.
- Portable restrooms will be made available. NO putting dog poop bags in Porta-John.
- Children must be under control of their parent(s) or guardian(s) at all times.
- The event-hosting club, its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc, assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children or spectators.

ATTENTION: AFGHAN HOUND EXHIBITORS

There will be a group photo taken BEFORE the ribbons are awarded at both the AKC and ASFA Trials. This will be for any owner/handler AND dog(s) that are available during the Lure Coursing Trials.

If you want to be in the photo please be at the coursing field 30 minutes before the end of each trial.



Sign up at the Photographer's Table to have your dog's picture taken!

Find me at Agility, Obedience, Rally and Lure Coursing!

Contact:
Penny McNiel

3ppics@gmail.com
(314) 651-0429

AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION

HOUND CERTIFICATION

Rule effective October 1, 1994: Ch. V, Sec. 4 (a) OPEN STAKE: *To be eligible to enter the open stake, a hound must have been certified by a licensed judge within the year preceding the closing date for the entry or have previously competed in the Open Stake.* This eligibility requirement also applies to a hound entered in the Limited or Veteran Stake, which has not competed in Open previously. Please complete this portion of this form and attach it to the entry form for the hound's first entry, including an entry for a Fun Trial.

Registered Name of Hound: _____
 Registration Number: _____ Breed: _____
 Registered Owner's Name: _____

I hereby certify that on (date) _____, the above named hound completed a lure course of at least 500 yards, running with another hound of the same breed (or another breed with a similar running style). During the course the above named hound showed no inclination to interfere with the other hound. I further certify that I am a licensed judge for the ASFA.

Name of Licensed Judge: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

I hereby certify that the hound running in the certification course is the hound identified above and that information provided on this form is true and correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Owner or Authorized Agent of Hound

This certification form must be attached to the entry form the first time this hound is entered in an open, limited, or veteran stake. Any hound entered in open, limited, or veteran (as a first time entered hound), which has not been certified, shall be declared ineligible by the records coordinator and shall forfeit any points and placements awarded.

PLEASE RETAIN A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS.

**AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION
 HOUND CERTIFICATION WAIVER**

Waiver of Requirement: *This requirement will be waived for a hound that has earned a lure coursing or racing title from another recognized organization, if such title requires competition, and if a waiver for such title has been approved by the ASFA, or a CKC Hound Certification Form. If your hound qualifies for a waiver, complete this portion of this form and attach it to your entry form. Proof of waivers must accompany this certification form.*

Registered Name of Hound: _____
 Registration Number: _____ Breed: _____
 Registered Owner's Name: _____

CKC:	FCH	FCHX	CWA:	ARX	TRP	SRA	DPC
AKC:	FC	SC	LGRA:	GRC	NAWRA:	RCH	SR
WRA:	CR	WRCH	NOTRA:	ORC	OTR	SORC	SOR

Hound Certification previously submitted.

I hereby certify that the hound identified above has completed the requirements for the title indicated above (or that the required Certification was previously submitted) and that the information provided on this form is true and correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
 Owner or Authorized Agent of Hound



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