

**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 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 or veteran stake. Any hound entered in open, 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 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

**AKC:** QC SC FC

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

**PREMIUM LIST**

**87<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL SPECIALTY  
ASFA LURE COURSING TRIAL  
AFGHAN HOUNDS ONLY, PRE-ENTRY ONLY**



**Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Twin Towers Park Glider Fields  
501 Yellow Springs-Fairfield Rd., Fairborn, OH 45387**

**Trial Hours 9:00 AM EDT to the conclusion of the trial awards ceremony**

The field is unfenced. There are partial natural boundaries (trees & bushes), and the parking lot also supplies a partial boundary. It is quite a distance from the road. Courses will be running in the other direction from the road.

**EARLY ENTRIES CLOSE AT 6 P.M. EDT WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024,**

**AT THE OFFICE OF THE FIELD TRIAL SECRETARY:  
Eddie Kominek, 123 Glendale Rd., Limestone, TN 37681**

- Pre-Trial Entry Fees \$32.00 for first hound entered  
\$26.00 for additional hounds, same household/owner
- Day-Of Trial Fees \$35.00 per hound
- Breeder Stake \$10.00 per pair
- Kennel Stake \$10.00 per pair

Permission granted by the American Sighthound Field Association for the holding of this event under ASFA Rules and Regulations.

Samantha Duryee, Chairperson, ASFA Scheduling Committee



**AHCA Officers**

President	Scott Pfeil
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Jennifer Taylor
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Lynda Hicks
Treasurer	Ann Nicholson
Recording Secretary	Eddie Kominek
Corresponding Secretary	Helen Stein, 13360 Campanile Ct., Venice, FL 34293
Board Members	Connie Butherus, Rita Figg, Israel Garcia, Beth Ann Hall, Christine O'Connor, Christine Pinkston

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

Matthew Coughlin	Orlando, FL	A, Singles
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**Field Committee**

Chairman	Selma Kominek, <a href="mailto:selma@kominekafghans.com">selma@kominekafghans.com</a>
Secretary	Eddie Kominek, 123 Glendale Rd., Limestone, TN 37681 (c) 205-757-0290 <a href="mailto:eddie@kominekafghans.com">eddie@kominekafghans.com</a>
Trial Committee	Beth Erisman-Thomas, Lynda Hicks, Linda Jordan, Selma Kominek, Susan Weatherhead
Lure Operator	Anne Midgarden

**Tests/Trial Hours & Fees****Event Hours: 9:00 AM EST until complete.****Day-of Entries due by 9:00 AM EST the day of the trial.****There will be no Certification runs at this event. An AKC JC/QC test will be available at 8:00 AM which may be used as an ASFA certification waiver. See AKC Premium List for entry information.****Trial Roll Call: 9:00 AM EST**, early roll call for Field Committee followed by draw**Entry Notice**

You will be expected to have complete info on your dog for each entry.  
 Incomplete entries and those submitted by **E-MAIL WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**  
 Regular entries may be acknowledged by email.

**ONLINE ENTRY:** <https://enter.ahca.club/>**OFFICIAL AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM**

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2024

Entries close MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2024. 9 AM EDT at the FTS's desk.  
 PRE-ENTRY FEES: Regular Stakes: \$32.00 first hound; \$26.00 additional hounds, same household. DAY-OF FEES: Regular Stakes: \$35.00 per hound.

Breeder & Kennel Stakes \$10.00 per pair, must be marked on the entry form.  
 Substitutions, same owner, until October 14, 2024, 9 am eastern daylight time.

Make checks payable (in US funds) to AHCA and mail to:  
 Eddie Kominek, FTS, 123 Glendale Rd, Limestone TN 37681

ONLINE ENTRIES: <https://enter.ahca.club>

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		Additional Stakes <input type="checkbox"/> Kennel <input type="checkbox"/> Breeder <input type="checkbox"/> Bench
<b>Registration Number:</b> (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, Provisional.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a first-time entry, a copy of the official Registration of this hound must accompany this entry unless NGA.		
<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 \_\_\_\_\_

**Please separate the entries before submitting to FTS.**

## Notice to Exhibitors

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- The gate to the Park is no longer locked.
- The pasture field has no amenities or shade available. Please ensure the comfort of you and your hounds by bringing your own portable shade/shelter and water.
- Permanent Restrooms available
- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
- ALL RIGHTS TO TELEVISION, VIDEO TAPE, ADVERTISE, PHOTOGRAPH, PROMOTE or otherwise exploit this event are vested in the Afghan Hound Club of America, Inc., or in persons to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing by the Club. All persons and animals on the Show Grounds at any time while the show is in progress, do by attending this show or participating therein, grant to the Club the right to photograph, televise, video tape, or otherwise use their likeness and voice in any manner without further release or consent.
- A penalty of \$5.00 will be assessed for any loose hounds not competing in the course in progress.
- A return check fee of \$35.00 will be assessed for any check(s) returned for insufficient funds.
- Field Committee Members and Trial Volunteers may have their hounds inspected prior to the designated inspection time by the full inspection committee.
- Consumption of alcoholic beverages is not allowed.
- Be a Good Neighbor !!! CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS
- THE AFGHAN HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA RESERVES THE RIGHT TO TAKE CORRECTIVE ACTION against any individual(s) who engage in inappropriate conduct prejudicial to the interest of the sport of purebred dogs, or the Club, as determined by Club officials, and/or the Event Committee. Individuals who engage in disruptive or aggressive conduct at any event during the National Specialty will be subject to corrective action, including discipline and/or expulsion from the event. Should the Event Committee determine that expulsion is the appropriate course of action, refunds will not be given.
- 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.

## Conditions of Entry

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- All entries must be one year of age or older on the day of the trial.
- Stakes will be split into flights by random public draw if the entry in any regular stake is 20 or more.
- Bitches in season, hounds with breed disqualifications, and lame hounds will be excused.
- Hounds not present at the time of roll call will be scratched.
- 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.
- Each hound requires an individual entry form for each event in which it is entered.
- 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.
- Muzzles are not required; it is the responsibility of the owners to determine if their hound should be muzzled.
- 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.
- The current President, the Show Chairperson, Co-Show Chairperson and members of the Bench Show Committee, and members of their household, shall not exhibit, nor cause to be exhibited, dogs they own, or co-own, in competitive classes at this National Specialty Show.

## Ribbons & Prizes

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

1 <sup>st</sup> Placements	Blue Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion on Blue Ribbon 6" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
2 <sup>nd</sup> Placements	Red Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion on Red Ribbon 4" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
3 <sup>rd</sup> Placements	Yellow Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion on Yellow Ribbon 4" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
4 <sup>th</sup> Placements	White Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion on White Ribbon 4" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
NBQ	Green Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion on Green Ribbon 4" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
Best of Breed (All)	Purple and Gold rosette 3" Terry d. Chacon Bronze ASFA provides a plaque to the winner of the ASFA trial with ASFA logo, club, year and space for the winner's name. Small Ginger Jar
Best in Event	Red, White & Blue Rosette 6" Gary Newton Bronze Large Ginger Jar Utility Wagon
High Single Stake	Navy & Gold Rosette
Kennel Stake, Breeder Stake	Purple Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion on Purple Ribbon

## Eligible Breeds and Registry

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Only purebred Afghan Hounds may be entered. 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.

## Stakes Offered

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### REGULAR STAKES

**OPEN:** 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 the host club with the entry form.

**FIELD CHAMPION:** Any ASFA Field Champion Afghan Hound.

**VETERAN:** Any eligible Afghan Hound whose age is at least seven years old and that has met the certification requirements. Points and placements go to a V-FCh. or V-LCM title.

**SINGLES:** Any eligible Afghan Hounds including those disqualified to run in other stakes. Each hound runs alone. Not eligible for Best of Breed. Hounds are eligible to earn TCP and CPX titles from the Singles stake. **Hounds under disqualification from AKC, ASFA, or CKC Field Trials may NOT be entered in OPEN, VETERAN or FIELD CHAMPION stakes.**

### NON-REGULAR STAKES

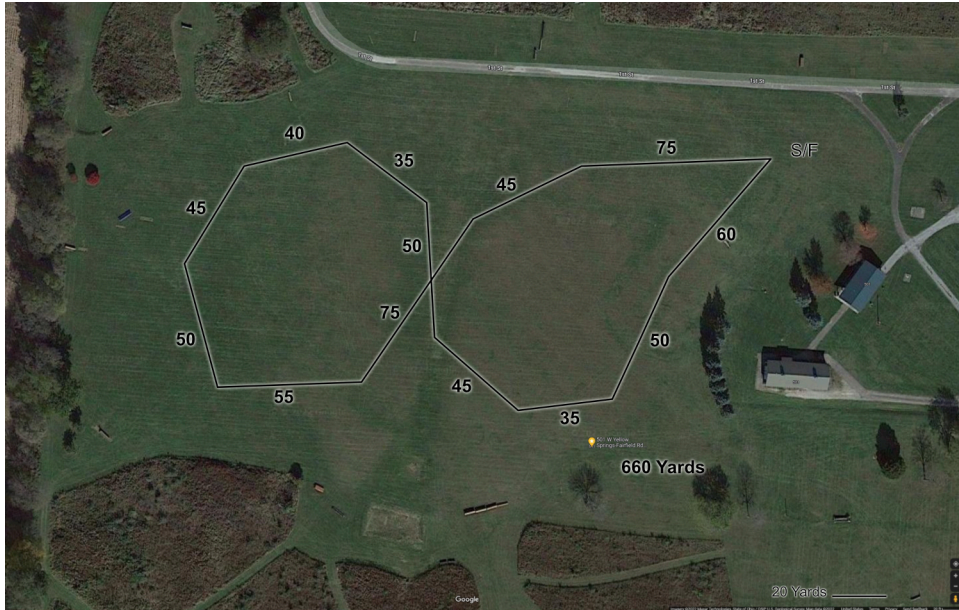
**BREEDER:** For Afghan Hounds; an entry shall consist of two hounds entered in one of the regular stakes, designated at time of entry, being bred by the same individual.

**KENNEL:** 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 EVENT (BIE) will be offered as a run-off between the AKC Best of Breed and ASFA Best of Breed winners. Judge for Best in Event will be Anne Midgarden**

## Field & Course Plans

- The course will be reversed for Finals.
- Run-offs and Best in Event course direction will be determined at the judge's discretion.
- Battery powered, continuous loop lure machines will be used. Back up equipment will be available.
- The lure will consist of plastic contrasting in color with the immediate field environment.
- The members of the AHCA reserve the right to alter the course plan as required by weather and/or field conditions on the day of the trial.
- Please do not park on the grass.



## Emergency Veterinarian

Cincinnati Animal Referral Care Center - [6995 E. Kemper Ct., Cincinnati, OH 45249](https://www.cincinnatianimalreferral.com/)

[513-530-0911](tel:513-530-0911)

If you are going to this vet, [text CINCINNATI to 34947](sms:CINCINNATI)

Dayton Animal Referral Care Center - [6421 Clyn Rd. Centerville, OH 45459](https://www.daytonanimalreferral.com/)

[937-428-0911](tel:937-428-0911)

If you are going to this vet, [text DAYTON to 34947](sms:DAYTON)

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

## Emergency Medical

Clinton Memorial Hospital - [610 W Main St, Wilmington, OH 45177](https://www.clintonmemorialhospital.com/)

[937-382-6611](tel:937-382-6611)

SECURITY PERSONNEL: Robert Jordan - 301-938-4558

Fire & EMS: Fairborn Fire Department - Dial 911

Police: City of Fairborn Police Dept - Dial 911

## RV's & Camping

RV's are welcome; there are no hookups. Overnight camping **IS NOT** permitted. Be aware there is a low underpass on the route from I-70 if you come that way. You should enter Yellow Springs Fairfield Rd. from 235.

## Food

We plan on ordering food to the field, most likely pizza and wings.

## Nearby Lodging

Red Roof Inn - 937-426-6116 - Fairborn, I-675 & Fairfield Road.

Red Roof Inn - 937-866-0705 - 222 Byers Rd, Dayton, I-75 & Rt 725 West

## Directions from the Roberts Centre, Host Hotel

Start at: 123 Gano Rd., Wilmington, OH 45177

West on Gano Rd/Co Hwy-58 toward N US Highway 68/US-68 N

13 mi.

Take 1st right onto N US Highway 68/US-68 N

12.2 mi.

Turn right onto S Detroit St/US-68 N. Continue to follow US-68 N

4.1 mi.

Turn left onto State Route 235/OH-235

3.8 mi.

Turn right onto W Dayton Yellow Springs Rd

1 mi.

Turn left onto W Enon Rd

2 mi.

Turn right onto Yellow Springs Fairfield Rd

.2 mi

GPS Coordinates of the parking lot: [39°49'10.7"N 83°56'32.5"W](https://www.google.com/maps/place/39°49'10.7\)

