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State:

Zip:

Handler's USCA Membership #

PHONE:

Handler's E-mail:

**DATE AND ORGANIZATION WHERE HANDLER / OWNER ACHIEVED THE BH:**

**(New BH Handlers /Owners please be prepared to take the written exam on the day of the trial)**

**NON USCA MEMBERS PLEASE ADD \$50.00 PER ENTRY.**

**Please mail check and entry form to:  
Southwest Florida Schutzhund Club  
10911 Sharon Drive, North Fort Myers, Florida, 33917**

**Please make checks payable to Southwest Florida Schutzhund Club  
There will be NO Refunds!**

**Final Deadline: Entries must be received with payment no later than one week before the Event in order to be accepted and listed in show catalogue. Catalogue are free of charge. Late Entries will be accepted with an \$50 late fee.**

Check One	Show: Entry Fee's		Long Hair	
			YES	NO
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Baby Puppy Class 3-6m</b>	<b>\$55.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Junior Puppy 6-9m</b>	<b>\$55.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Senior Puppy Class 9-12m</b>	<b>\$55.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Youth Dog 12-18m</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Young Dog Class 18-24m</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Open Class 24m with no title</b>	<b>\$85.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Working Dog Class with title</b>	<b>\$85.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Veterans Class</b>	<b>\$85.00</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Dental Notation</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>AD</b>	<b>\$70.00</b>		

**OWNER/HANDLER SIGNATURE**

**DATE:**

**\$50.00 Scorebook Bond payable to United Schutzhund Clubs of America is required if scorebook is not available on the day of trial. You will not be allowed in the trial without a valid scorebook or a valid check Release statement: It is understood that every dog at this event will at all times be the care and control of the dog's handler. It is further understood that the undersigned agrees to be fully**

responsible for the actions of his/her dog(s) while on the trial grounds. I agree to hold Southwest Florida Schutzhund Club, as well as its members, officers, directors, and all property owners HARMLESS for loss or injury which may have allegedly been caused directly to any person or thing by any act of my dog(s) or to my dog(s) while on the trial premises. I hereby assume all responsibility and liability for such claims. I further relinquish all claims and agree to hold Southwest Florida Schutzhund Club, as well as its members, officers, directors, and all property owners HARMLESS for loss or injury which may have allegedly been caused directly or indirectly to myself or my dog(s) during participation in this event.

#### **CONFORMATION SHOW, BREED SURVEY, & AD REQUIREMENTS**

Mandatory paperwork for the different classes listed below. Mail required copies of the official pedigree, registration papers, scorebook, show card, breed survey report, and/or elbow & hip certification ("a" or OFA) along with a copy of the rabies certificate. Bring all originals of the required paperwork with you to the show.

**All Puppy Classes 4-6, 6-9, & 9-12 months:**

1. Proof of dog's AKC, SV, USCA, WUSV or other FCI registration papers or a notarized copy. (USCA registration is not mandatory).
2. Dogs must have a tattoo or microchip.
3. Proof of current rabies vaccination.

**Youth 12-18 mos., Young 18-24 mos., Adult w/o Title 24mos + & Veteran Class:**

1. Proof of dog's AKC, SV, USCA, WUSV or other FCI registration papers or a notarized copy. (USCA registration is not mandatory).
2. Four generation certified pedigree.
3. Proof of current rabies vaccination.
4. Dog must have a tattoo or microchip.
5. Veteran's are dogs 6 years & older (former retired show dogs & not for first time shown dogs) bring all required paperwork. (No ratings are awarded but, the dogs are ranked & placed according to quality).

**Working Classes 24mos. + with Title:**

1. Proof of dog's AKC, SV, USCA, WUSV or other FCI registration papers or a notarized copy. (USCA registration is not mandatory).
2. Proof of dog's registration: either original pedigree, notarized copy of original pedigree, or letter of pending registration.
3. Proof of Breed Survey Report: either original or notarized copy of original. If dog has already been breed surveyed or is over 3 ½ years old vying for the rating of excellent.
4. Proof of hip certification: either the "a" stamp on the pedigree or proof of OFA certification. If dog entered is vying for the rating of excellent.
5. Proof of completion of the dog earning at least a SchH1, IPO or an HGH, & all other approved titles.
6. As of 1/1/2012 USCA now requires: Proof of elbow certification: for USCA only OFA or WUSV approved certifications and the SV must have SV elbow certifications. The SV does not accept OFA elbow certifications. If dog is entered and vying for the rating of excellent.
7. Dog must have a tattoo or microchip.
8. Proof of current rabies vaccination.

**Breed Survey OR Resurvey:**

If your GSD is Breed Surveyed for 2013-2014, you must present the dog for reselection by December 31, 2014 to be reselected for life. Otherwise, the time period allowed between surveys has been exceeded and the dog must start over with an original survey. (As of January 1, 2011, the SV no longer allows dogs to be presented for a breed survey extension).

Mail copies of the official pedigree, registration papers, USCA recognized scorebook, hip certification ("a" stamp or OFA), elbow certification, show card, original survey (if it is for lifetime or resurvey), proof of AD, and rabies certification. Bring all originals of the required paperwork with you to the show.

1. Age requirement: Dogs must be a minimum of two years old in the year of the survey.

2. Proof of dog's USCA/SV or USCA registration: either original pedigree, notarized copy of original pedigree, or letter of pending registration from USCA (if residing in the United States). Must be a certified four generation pedigree.
3. Proof of Breed Survey Report: either original or notarized copy of original, if the dog is entered for any type of survey other than a first-time survey.
4. Proof of hip certification: either the "a" stamp on the pedigree or proof of OFA certification with tattoo number or microchip identification, if not entered on pedigree.
5. Proof of elbow certification: as of 1/1/2012 USCA only Breed Surveys also require elbow certifications.  
OFA or WUSV approved elbow certifications will be accepted by the office.  
The SV does not accept OFA elbow certifications.  
The SV Breed Survey must have SV elbow certifications.
6. Proof of completion of a BH under a WUSV recognized judge. The SV now recognizes BH's awarded under SV, USCA, & USCA-SV Judges for SV Breed Surveys (effective as of March 2014).
7. Proof of completion of an AD under an SV or USCA-SV Judge (effective as of March 2014).
8. Proof of completion of at least one SchH1, IPO, or HGH under a USCA recognized Judge. (IPO 1-3 one of the titles must be under an SV or USCA-SV Judge--effective as of March 2014).
9. Proof of at show rating of at least a "G" (book/show card) under a USCA recognized Conformation Judge once a dog turns 12 mos. (Adult Class 24+ mos. w/o title are not accepted).
10. Dog must have a tattoo or microchip.
11. Proof of current USCA membership or a copy of USCA membership card if you are a resident of the United States.

**THE AD: (at least 16 months old & maximum permissible age is 6 years)**

1. Scorebook: USCA accepts scorebooks from all our AWDF, WUSV, or FCI organizations.
2. Four generation pedigree.
3. Proof of dog's AKC, SV, USCA, WUSV or other FCI registration papers or a notarized copy.
4. Proof of current USCA membership or a copy of USCA membership card if you are a resident of the United States.
5. All non USCA members are required to pay a \$100.00 non membership fee to the USCA Office.

Exempt for this fee are GSSCC members from Canada.

**Dental Notation Procedure: (Dogs must be 12 months + older)**

As set forth in "USCA", a summary of paragraph 4.3 of the SV conformation show rules provides: "Conformation show ratings are not influenced by teeth which are partially or completely missing due to external influence. It is required to have proof of the existence of a previously healthy & strong dentition with a complete scissor bite. The following proof is acceptable:

- 1). Entry by a Koermeister or conformation judge in the corresponding section of the score book, showing proof of complete dentition as soon as dog receives permanent teeth.
- 2). Koerschein showing proof of dental status at time of first survey.
- 3). Entry by the USCA Office in the pedigree.

Some scorebooks at this time do not contain a dental notation section. The required form, which may be inserted in your dog's scorebook, can be obtained at the show registration desk.

**\*\*Please refer to the USCA web site at: [www.germanshepherddog.com](http://www.germanshepherddog.com) for complete information on USCA Breed Survey Regulations, Dental Notations, Official Forms, AD's, Conformation Shows Rules & Regulations, & other membership information.**

**GENERAL RULES FOR THE SHOW**

1. Only German Shepherd Dogs are allowed to enter the show.
2. Dogs must be registered with an AKC, SV, USCA, WUSV or other FCI Registry. Dogs born in the US must present AKC registration.
3. All dogs over the age of 12 months must have a certified four generation pedigree.
4. All dogs shown in the Breed Survey must be registered with USCA/SV or USCA Breed Registry Program if you are a US resident.
5. The cost is \$104.00 for USCA/SV or \$35.00 for USCA only registration payable to USCA. A registration application can be completed on the day of the show but, the dog(s) show entry form should be sent in before the conformation show.
6. Please refer to USCA's web site for complete information on the required documentation for USCA/SV or USCA only registration.

7. If your papers are in process with the USCA Office, you must provide a letter confirming that USCA registration is in the process.
8. For the Breed Survey If you do not bring a letter from the USCA Office confirming registration is in process, you will have to reregister your dog and pay the registration fees again at the show. The USCA Office can then verify the registration & will contact you.
9. USCA membership is only required for the Breed Survey and Lifetime Survey.
10. Application for USCA membership may be completed on the day of the show.
11. The age of the dog for determining the proper class shall be its age on the first day of the show.
12. All dogs over 12 months of age will be tested for gun sureness.
13. Dogs entered in the working dog classes WILL be required to show proof of working titles.
14. Approved working titles are: SchH, IPO, HGH, and DPO titles under a USCA recognized judge.
15. All dogs entered in the working class, you must be able to provide the scorebook, hip & elbow certification and when more than 3 1/2 years of age must be surveyed in order to be eligible for a "V" rating by providing the respective forms.
16. A \$50.00 bond for a missing scorebook is only allowed for USCA members.
17. Handlers of dogs in each class must have in their possession the original or notarized copy of the original pedigree for the dog.
18. The adult class is designed to accommodate dogs over 24 months of age that do not yet have a working title.
19. Dogs older than 6 years of age may be shown in the Veterans Class. No ratings are awarded but, the dogs are ranked and placed according to quality.
20. Dogs can only be shown on a fur-saver type collar. No leather and/or nylon collars are permitted.
21. All dogs MUST be tattooed or micro chipped before entry into the conformation show.
22. It is the responsibility of the dog owner to bring a working chip reader to the show.
23. Proof of current vaccinations is required for all dogs entered.
24. No surgically altered dogs.
25. Dogs must be FREE of all signs of illness. Sick dogs will be excused from the show grounds.
26. Any person that has been barred from exhibiting dogs shall not own a dog entered in the show.
27. Dogs cannot be barred from progeny registration.
28. Only those dogs entered in the show will be allowed on the show grounds.
29. Only dogs entered in the class being judged will be allowed near the show ring.
30. Show entries must be paid for all dogs entered in the show even if the dog is not shown.

**There will be NO Refunds!**

31. All entries received one week before the show, will be considered on time.
32. After this week the dog will not be entered in the catalog.

**Show Site Information:**

33. Free parking is available and is on a first come first serve basis.
34. Electricity, shade, and shelter are not available.
35. Bring water for your dogs.
36. Bring your own chairs, crates, and canopies.
37. Dogs MUST be on leash or in crates at all times. Dogs will not be allowed to be tied out.
38. Designated exercise areas will be posted for your dogs (off the field). Trash cans and pooper scooper will be provided.
39. Please clean up after your own dogs.
40. Only those dogs entered in the show will be allowed on the show grounds.
41. Only dogs entered in the class being judged will be allowed near the show ring.
42. Food and beverages will be available all day throughout each day.
43. The show will be held outdoors—rain or shine!