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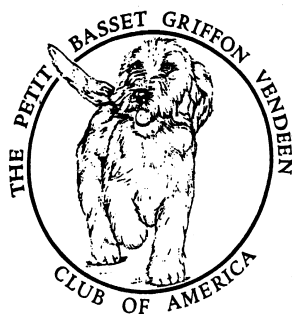
ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON January 4, 2017, 8:00AM at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON March 1, 2017, 6:00PM (after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

PETIT BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN CLUB OF AMERICA

**Agility Trials
PREMIUM LIST**

AKC Member Events



PBGVCA Eastern Region Agility Trial #1 PBGVCA National Agility Trial #2

(Member of the American Kennel Club)
Event No. 2017452603 (Trial No. 1)
Event No. 2017452604 (Trial No. 2)

March 28, 2017

**Piedmont Kennel Club Showplace
13607 Choate Circle, Charlotte, NC 28273**

ENTRY LIMITS

Tuesday – 100 runs per trial for a total of 200 runs per day

Outdoors on Grass: 100 X 100

Trial Hours: Tuesday – 7:00am to 7:00pm

Judge:

Robert J. Jeffers, Odessa, FL



CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary

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EVENT COMMITTEE

Vickie Willmann, Paul Urban, Roni Kaluza, Andy Elledge, all Officers and Directors of PBGVCA present at the trial.

JUDGE

Robert J. Jeffers #70505, 19312 Eastbrook Dr., Odessa, FL 33556-4205

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Animal Emergency and Trauma Center at 2225 Township Road
Charlotte, NC 28273 , Phone; (704) 504-9608
3.4 miles from trial site

EMERGENCY CLINIC: Start out going northwest on Choate Circle toward Legree Lane for about 4 tenths of a mile. Then take the 3rd right onto S. Tryon Street/NC-49. In about 2.85 miles turn left onto Township Road. The clinic will be on your left in .08 miles

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 SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police
Mecklenburg County
911

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

Regional Trial 1 and National Trial 2 will run concurrently.

Trial 1 (Regional) T2B, JWW (Master/Exc, Open, Novice)
Standard, (Master/Exc, Open, Novice)

Trial 2 (National) T2B, JWW (Master/Exc, Open, Novice)
Standard, (Master/Exc, Open, Novice)

Judging will begin at 8:00am

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
26"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion

MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

Effective January 1, 2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to Trial Secretaries that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. Furthermore, this change eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with an entry form. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" or 26" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog *before* its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all Petit Basset Griffon Vendéens fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP).. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under four (4) months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

ENTRY FEES PER TRIAL

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)..... \$34.00
Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)..... \$24.00
Third entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) \$14.00

E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form. If you do not have an e-mail address and would like to know the status of your entry prior to the issuance of the judging schedule upon closing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard along with your entry

Mail entry forms and fees to: Sunrise Agility TSS, Tina Eastman-, P O Box 1022, York, SC 29745, Please make checks payable to PBGVCA No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Vickie Willmann, tvwill@aol.com, No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. **Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. A \$25 collection fee will be added to the amount of each returned check.

COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, may be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place outdoors on grass. Ring size will be 100 X 100.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

- The Piedmont Kennel Club Showplace is located approximately 20 minutes (12 miles) from the 2017 PBGVCA National show hotel the Sheraton Charlotte Airport Hotel (704) 392-1200
- Trials will be held outdoors on grass in a securely fenced area with 6-8 foot high fencing
- Plenty of parking on the trial grounds as well as a large grassy area for dog walking
- No overnight camping or RV parking allowed but you may park your RV onsite during the trial
- Shade is limited so it is recommended you plan to bring your own shade cover but several pop ups will be set up for community use to crate under.
- Indoor restrooms will be available but no creating will be allowed in the building
- Lunch will be available onsite for purchase and there is a selection of fast food restaurants close by

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Rosettes will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

First Place.....	Blue
Second Place.....	Red
Third Place.....	Yellow
Fourth Place.....	White
Qualifying Score.....	Dark Green

We will offer a MACH bar for anyone finishing the MACH or PACH

Highest Scoring Dog in Trial is awarded on the basis of highest score which must be 100. If there is a tie for the highest score, then the dog with the most yards per second prevails. Standard run time will be adjusted for the pause table when figuring YPS for HIT only.

The famous PBGV singing group the Stone House Hounds' Howlers (SHHH or Howlers) consisting of ZZTuX, Flirt Girl and Rockin' Rowdy - are so excited their PBGV friends could join them back in Charlotte, NC for the 2017 PBGV National. To show their appreciation, they are offering special gifts selected exclusively for you as a thank you for your entries and attendance to many of the events. These special thank you gifts are sponsored solely by the "Howlers" who decided what events they would sponsor and what gifts they would present. The "Howlers" are very disappointed they are not eligible to win their special gifts themselves but understand the conflict of interest rule put into their contract. The "Howlers" may or may not perform at these events.

At the PBGV National and Regional Agility Trials held outside at the Piedmont Kennel Club on March 28th, the Stone House Hounds' Howlers are sponsoring a special thank you gift for your agility entries. Winning this gift has nothing to do with scores and Qs. Each and every PBGV agility entry will be put in a "crown" and have a chance to win a National logoed embroidered picnic chair and a bag of special treats loved by the "Howlers" and from their very own personal collection. The drawing will be held at the Agility lunch. You must be present to win.

REGIONAL TROPHIES

PBGVCA Member Deborah Dobie has always worked with images - being in the golf business and working with club or tournament logos. She has always loved applying images to fabric and her mother taught her to sew at an early age. Over the years she started combining her love of images with her love of lush fabric and gorgeous trims to design and sew beautiful pillows. Members have bid on many of her pillows at past PBGVCA Annual Auctions. For the 2017 PBGVCA Regional Debbie is once again using her artistry with fabric and designing and sewing the Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex, High in Trial Obedience, and High in Trial Agility trophies in French Rabbit tradition. The pillows are co-sponsored by Sandy Bustin.

We thank both Debby Dobie and Sandy Bustin for their donation to the 2017 PBGV Regional trophies.

High in Trial for agility will receive a custom made pillow designed by Debby Dobie in true French Rabbit fashion.

First place winners in agility receive a 6"x 9" full color 2017 PBGV National logo sublimation luminosity accessory tray with stand.

Second – Fourth place in classes for agility receive a full color 2017 PBGV National logo sublimation ticket.

NATIONAL TROPHIES

Robert (Bob) Morris is a retired industrial designer and creative wood worker. He is a board member of the Carolina PBGV Club, a 10 year member of PBGVCA, and the talented artisan behind every trophy presented at the 2017 PBGV National. These beautiful wood trophies, turned out of Ambrosia Maple, Spalted Maple, Figured Maple, Oak, and Cherry were hand turned, lovingly finished, and branded by Bob. The brand was compiled from of the National logo sponsored by Stone House Hounds and designed by Nate Thomason, Signal 43 Art & Design. The Carolina PBGV Club sponsored the purchasing of the hard wood and branding iron. Bob spent many hours in his wood shop producing all the National trophies.

Thank you Bob Morris and Carolina PBGV Club for your donation to the 2017 PBGV National trophies.

High in Trial for agility will receive a 8.5" dia. X 2.75" Figured Ambrosia Maple Bowl branded with the 2017 National Logo

First Place winners in each agility class receive a 4.5" x 7.5" Oak Butcher Block Cheese Board branded with the 2017 National Logo

Second – Fourth place in each agility class receive a 3.75" dia. Coaster (variety of woods) branded with 2017 National Logo

Hotel Information

6SHERATON CHARLOTTE AIRPORT

3315 Scott Futrell Drive, Charlotte, NC
sheratoncharlotteairport.com | 704.392.1200

Hotel Reservations

Rooms must be reserved by **March 8, 2017**. Rates are available three days prior to March 26 and three days after April 1, 2017 based on availability. Rates do not include applicable state and local taxes. You must state you are reserving in the PBGVCA Room Block by calling **1-800-325-3535 before March 8, 2017**

- Single, Double, Triple or Quad Rate: \$105
- \$50 One-time non-refundable pet fee per each room in group block to allow for up to four dogs under 50 pounds. Must use plastic under all dog crates. Plastic will be supplied by PBGVCA. NO DOGS UNATTENDED in guest rooms or public areas.
- Free parking for all guests including RVs. Guests are NOT PERMITTED to stay in RV's overnight.

Hotel Shuttle

There is a complimentary hotel shuttle that departs from the hotel on the hour and half hour by request. The travel time to and from the airport is five minutes. Contact: [\(704\) 392-1200](tel:7043921200).

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE AND EMERGENCY VET

From the Sheraton Charlotte Airport Hotel at 3315 Scott Futrell Drive, Charlotte, NC
Start out going southeast on Scott Futrell Dr toward Billy Graham Pkwy. Take the 1st left onto Billy Graham Pkwy. Merge onto I-85 S toward Gastonia. In 3.21 miles merge onto I-485 S via EXIT 30A. In 8.46 miles take the NC-49/S Tryon St exit, EXIT 1. In .38 miles turn right onto S Tryon St/NC-49. (if you reach I-485 S you've gone too far) In .73 miles turn right onto Township Rd. The Piedmont Kennel Club Showplace at 2225 Township Rd will be about .07 miles on the left.

From Greenville, SC: Take I-85 North to South I-485 (Exit 30) towards Pineville. Take I-77/21 South (Exit 67) towards Columbia. Note: on I-485 the exit numbers will decline to 0 and then start at 67 at the I-77 exit.

From I-77 South, take exit 90 (Rt. 21, Carowinds Blvd). Turn right onto Carowinds Blvd and go .8 miles to Choate Circle (3rd stoplight). Turn left onto Choate Circle and go 1.7 miles to the show site on the right.

From Virginia/Raleigh: Take I-85 South to I-77 South; take I-77 to Exit 90 (Rt. 21, Carowinds Blvd)

. Proceed as directed in Greenville directions above.

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NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The PBGVCA and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The **PBGVCA** reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the PBGVCA or any official thereof.

All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

REFUNDS

There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn in the event a dog and/or handler are injured, absent, or dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of management it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refund of entry fee will be made. Refunds are allowed if requested before the closing date. Refunds after closing date for bitches in season only.

Bitches in season shall not be eligible to participate. PBGVCA will retain \$10 (for expenses) from the first entry of a dog entered in obedience, rally or agility that is withdrawn due to being in season. If the bitch is on site, verification must be made by the Show Chairman or Chairman's designee. A veterinarian letter, on the practice's letterhead, will be accepted if submitted after closing and no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial.

Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

PBGVCA
March 28, 2017

Opens: January 4, 2017 • Closes: March 1, 2017

STD JWW T2B

Table with 4 columns (Trial #1, Trial #2) and 3 rows (STD, JWW, T2B) for marking entries.

Entry Fee PER TRIAL: 1st run \$34, 2nd run: \$24, 3rd run \$14

Make checks payable to: PBGVCA 2017 and mail to:

Sunrise Agility TSS, Tina Eastman, P O Box 1022, York, SC 29745 PH: 843-271-2711

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

Table comparing Regular Classes (8", 12", 16") and Preferred Classes (4", 8", 12") with sub-classes like STD, JWW, T2B.

Form fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured (Yes/No), BREED, VARIETY, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, CALL NAME.

AKC* NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form fields: AKC* NO, ILP NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH.

Form fields: SIRE, DAM, ACTUAL OWNERS.

Form fields: OWNERS ADDRESS, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE ZIP + 4, NEW checkbox.

Form fields: HANDLER applicable, ENTER JR. HANDLER # if.

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org.

AGREEMENT

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. 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...

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 THIS 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.

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred classes must compete at the required jump height and may not compete in a jump height division higher or lower than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine PartnersSM program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767.

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

SIGN HERE X _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ [] New Email

In Case of Emergency - Name: _____ Phone #: _____