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Questions? Please contact the 2023 Donation Chair
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tazaafghans@yahoo.com

PREMIUM LIST

National Specialty Show (unbenched)

Event # 2023169302

Entries Close **6:00 PM EDT, Wednesday September 27, 2023** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

AFGHAN HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA
(Member of the American Kennel Club)

86th NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW
OCTOBER 17-21, 2023



SHOW HOURS:
6:00 AM to 6:00 PM EDT
Judging will be indoors.

ROBERTS CENTRE
123 Gano Road, Wilmington, OH 45177

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the official AKC entry form for this event.



**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB**

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

GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary

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When a dog is entered in more than one class, the highest priced class is considered the first entry.

PLEASE MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
Erie Canine Event Services

Closing Date: Wednesday, September 27, 2023
6:00 PM EDT

First Entry of each dog (except Puppy, Bred By Exhibitor & Non-Regular Classes).....	\$35.00
Each Additional Entry of the same dog	\$30.00
Puppy Classes (6-9 & 9-12)& Bred By Exhibitor Classes & Non Regular Classes.....	\$28.00
Veterans Class....Over 7 years.....	\$25.00
Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes.....	\$28.00
Brace (As a Unit).....	\$35.00
Stud Dog/Brood Bitch.....	\$28.00
Breeders Class.....	\$28.00
Junior Showmanship	FREE
Parade of Veterans & Parade of Rescue*	FREE

**List in "ADDITIONAL CLASSES" on entry form & provide 150-word resume to be read in the ring during the parade.*

SEE SEPARATE PREMIUM AND ENTRY INFORMATION FOR PERFORMANCE EVENTS (Lure Coursing, Racing & Fast Cat), and COMPANION EVENTS (Agility, Obedience, Rally, Triathlon).

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS: MAIL IN ENTRIES

A mail in entry form is provided on www.eriek9events.com for your convenience (properly laid out for mail in entries). Entry can be filled out online, printed, signed and mailed.

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT THE USPS IS NOT DEPENDABLE. MAIL YOUR ENTRIES EARLY. ALLOW AT LEAST 10 DAYS FOR DELIVERY.

ENTRY FEES:

Prepaid catalogs: Catalogs are available for pre-order. \$20.00 each. Check box on entry form and add payment to entry fees.

Entry fees- include 50 cent AKC recording fee and \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee. Separate for each dog, each day.

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I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefor, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves) or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this show or obedience trial, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

INSTRUCTIONS

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- The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition; Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which according to their owners records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
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JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP. If this entry is for Jr Showmanship, please give the following information:

AKC JR HANDLER #

JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH

NAME OF JUNIOR HANDLER _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP + 4** _____

If Jr. Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Jr. Handler to the owner? _____

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SHOW DATE: OCTOBER 19-21, 2023

- AFGHAN HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA– NATIONAL SPECIALTY
- PARADE OF VETERANS
- PARADE OF RESCUE
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See page 2 for entry fees

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5 BREED	1 VARIETY	SEX	
2, 3 DOG SHOW CLASS	3 CLASS DIVISION		
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEDIENCE CLASS (Jump Height)	RALLY CLASS (Jump Height)	JR. SHOWMANSHIP CLASS
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)		JR. HANDLER NUMBER	
FULL NAME OF DOG			
Enter number here		DATE OF	
AKC® NO.	BIRTH		
PAL/ILP NO.	PLACE OF BIRTH (list country)		
FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY		Do not print the above in catalog.	

BREEDER _____

SIRE _____

DAM _____

ACTUAL OWNER(S) _____
(Please Print)

OWNER'S
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT
(IF ANY) AT THE SHOW _____

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Rescue Raffle	Martha Powell
RV Parking	Darla Miller
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Erie Canine Event Services
4300 Denison Ave.
Cleveland, Ohio 44109
erick9events@gmail.com
<https://www.erick9events.com>
216-402-9022

PHOTOGRAPHER: Turley Photography, www.TurleyPhoto.com
Tina@TurleyPhoto.com. PO Box 7, Chesterland, OH 44026 440-256-3155

VETERINARIAN : Care Center Veterinarian-Two Offices (see below), must use
Emergency Mobile Check-In. Send text to check-in online as shown below.

Cincinnati
6995 E Kemper Rd
Cincinnati OH 45249
513-530-0911 Google Maps says 36 miles, 37 minutes.
If you are going to this vet, text CINCINNATI to 34947

Dayton
6421 Cloy Rd.
Centerville OH 45459
937-428-0911 Google Maps says 21 miles, 31 minutes.
If you are going to this vet, text DAYTON to 34947

HOSPITAL
Clinton Memorial
610 W. Main St
Wilmington, Ohio 45177
1-937-382-6611

The current President, the Show Chairman, Co-Show Chairman 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.

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.

All rights to TELEVISION, VIDEOTAPE, 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.

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JUDGES

Nancy Edgington

4991 Taft St.

Chino, CA 91710

Mrs. Edgington will judge: Regular & Non-Regular Dog Classes, Best of Breed, Best Puppy, Best Bred-By Exhibitor, Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Breeder's Class, Brace

Lou Guerrero

15555 Main St. STE D4, PMB 202

Hesperia, CA 92345-3423

Mr. Guerrero will judge: Regular & Non-Regular Bitch Classes

Mary Ann Giordano

5 Lower Landsdown Rd.

Annandale, NJ 08801

Mrs. Giordano will judge: Sweepstakes Classes (All), Triathlon

Marla Capozzi

1346 Ernest Neal Rd.

Crossville, TN 38571

Mrs. Capozzi will judge Junior Handling Classes (All)

Lure Coursing

Anne Midgarden,

12014 Bay Rd., Wapakoneta, OH 45895

Tracy and Jeff Leonard

1693 Shady Ln

Beavercreek, OH 45432-3924

Agility

Tim Pinneri

167 Greenbank Rd

Gahanna, OH 43230-1775

Obedience/Rally

Kathleen A. Cook

3448 Jackson Pike

Williamsburg, OH 45176-9566

THE RIBBON PRIZES WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

REGULAR CLASSES:

First Place—Blue Rosette
Second Place—Red Rosette
Third Place—Yellow Rosette
Fourth Place—White Rosette
Winners—Purple Rosette
Reserve Winners—Purple & White Rosette
Best of Winners—Blue & White Rosette
Best of Breed—Purple & Gold Rosette
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed—Red & White Rosette
Select—Light Blue & White Rosette
National Owner-Handled Series BOB—Maroon Rosette
Award of Merit—Black & Gold Rosette
Best In Breeders Class—Dark Green Rosette
Best Puppy—Dark Green Rosette
Best Bred By Exhibitor—Dark Green Rosette
Best Veteran—Dark Green Rosette
Stud Dog First Place- Dark Green Rosette
Brood Bitch First Place—Dark Green Rosette
Best Brace —Dark Green Rosette

NON-REGULAR CLASSES:

Best In Sweepstakes - Pink & Lt Green Rosette
Best Of Opposite Sex In Sweepstakes-Lavender Rosette
Best Veteran In Sweepstakes - Pink & Lt Green Rosette
Best of Opposite Sex in Veteran Sweepstakes - Lavender Rosette
First Place-Rose Rosette
Second Place-Brown Rosette
Third Place-Lt. Green Rosette
Fourth Place-Gray Rosette

Parade of Veterans -Beige & Aqua Rosette
Parade Of Rescue -Beige & Aqua Rosette

New Champion - Dark Blue Rosette

Jr. Showmanship (Afghan Hounds Only):

Best Junior Handler—Pink & Lt. Green Rosette
Reserve Best Junior Handler-Lavender Rosette

**PERFORMANCE &
COMPANION EVENTS:**

**SEE SEPARATE PREMIUM LISTS FOR
INFORMATION AND ENTRY FORMS
FOR:**

LURE COURSING

RACING & FAST CAT

AGILITY

**Please join us for a complimentary Continental Breakfast
to be served ringside on Thursday Morning to cheer on our
talented Afghan Hounds. All Exhibitors, Workers, and
Guests are welcome. Hope to see you there!**

OBEDIENCE

RALLY

TRIATHLON

**See the Afghan Hound Club of America Web
Site for additional event information and pre-
mium lists.**

WWW.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

ANNUAL ART AUCTION & DINNER

Friday, October 20, 2023

Cash Bar 6:00 P.M.

Dinner 7:00 P.M.

Art Auction

Italian Dinner Buffet

Garden Salad-Vegatable Lasagna-Spaghetti Bolognese-Asparagus with
Parmesan-Assorted Desserts

Cost: \$40.00/Person

Auctioneer: Jason Taylor

Please plan to join us for an evening of food and fun. If you would like to donate an item to the auction please contact the 2023 Auction Chair:

Leslie Stoffels, 904-718-7246, lesliestoffels@gmail.com

RESERVATIONS CAN BE MADE ON THE AHCA WEBSITE:

www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

Reservations required for dinner. Reservations must be received by Oct. 6, 2023

ANNUAL AWARDS GALA

Saturday, October 21, 2023

Cash Bar: 6:00 P.M. Dinner 7:00 P.M.

Comfort Food Buffet

Garden Salad-Beer Cheese Mac & Cheese-Pot Roast-Herb Roasted
Chicken-Vegetable Medley-Assorted Desserts

Cost \$45.00/Person

Master of Ceremonies: Jason Taylor

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CLASSIFICATION - Regular Classes

Both Dogs/Bitches

Puppy—6 mos. & under 9 mos.

Puppy - 9 mos. & under 12 mos.

12 mos. & under 18 mos.

Bred by Exhibitor- Puppy (6 months & Under 12 months)

Bred By-Exhibitor- Adult (12 months & Over)

American Bred

Open

Veterans

Field Trial

BEST OF BREED

BEST PUPPY/BEST BRED-BY EXHIBITOR

STUD DOG/BROOD BITCH

BREEDERS CLASS

BRACE

NOTE TO EXHIBITORS:

The AKC has, at the option of the show-giving club, split the BRED - BY class into two classes: PUPPY & ADULT. You may now enter your puppies in the Bred-By Puppy class to compete with other puppies. Please note either Bred-By Puppy or Bred-By Adult on the entry form.

**FIRST IN BRED-BY PUPPY WILL ALSO BE ELIGIBLE
TO COMPETE FOR BEST PUPPY**

AWARDS OF MERIT: The Judge may, at his discretion, award up to five (5) AHCA Certificates of Recognition. These certificates are reserved for those quality animals the Judge feels are worthy of final consideration for Best of Breed.

NON-REGULAR CLASSES INVOLVING SINGLE DOG ENTRIES

FIELD TRIAL DOG CLASS FIELD TRIAL BITCH CLASS

For Afghan Hounds who are AKC registered and have not had their coats shaved and meet all AKC eligibility requirements according to the AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, Chapter 11, Section 8 and are confirmed Field Champions or Coursers of Merit. Note: A copy of the certificate awarding the title or a screen shot of the electronic page from the AKC Website showing the official title, or a copy of notification from ASFA confirming title will be accepted as proof. Dogs will not be entered into this class without proof of title accompanying the entry form. *The winners of these classes are eligible to compete for Best of Breed Competition provided they have not been defeated in another class.*

VETERAN DOG CLASS -VETERAN BITCH CLASS

For Dogs and Bitches 7 years & over. Neutered dogs and spayed bitches may be entered in Veteran Classes. *The winners of these classes are eligible to compete for Best of Breed Competition provided they have not been defeated in another class.*

NON-REGULAR CLASSES INVOLVING MULTIPLE DOG ENTRIES

As the judge's decision in the Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Brace & Breeders classes will be based on the merits of more than one dog or bitch, none of the dogs or bitches making up the entry judged first in the class will be eligible for Best of Breed by virtue of having won these classes.

STUD DOG CLASS – For Stud Dogs and two to four of their Get. It is not necessary that the Get be under the same ownership as that of the Stud Dog. The Stud Dog may be entered separately in one of the Regular or Non-Regular Classes or if a Champion of Record, for Best of Breed Competition or may be entered for Stud Dog Class only at the regular entry fee. The Get **MUST** be entered in one of the Regular Classes. The Stud Dog unit shall be considered as one entry and requires only one entry fee. The Stud Dog must be entered in the Stud Dog Class and shown in the ring with his Get. Get only to be judged on the merits of the Get. While the merits of the Stud dog are not to be considered in the placement of the entry, the Stud Dog must be examined to determine if it has a condition that would require its disqualification or excusal under the Dog Show rules, AKC policy or the standard for the Breed.

BROOD BITCH CLASS – Same as Stud Dog Class except substitute Brood Bitch for Stud Dog and Produce for Get.

BRACE CLASS – Effective January 1, 2005. A Brace is defined as two dogs of the same recognized breed that are similar in appearance, performing in unison, and presented by a maximum of two handlers. Both dogs competing in brace competition must have at least one common owner. The dogs comprising a Brace **MUST** be named at the time of entry. If a dog which is to be part of a Brace is not entered in another class it must be entered for “Brace Class Only”. In making entries for “Brace Class Only” full particulars must be given for each dog on individual regular entry forms. An entry form for a dog entered in another class and entered as part of a Brace **MUST** be marked accordingly in the space provided for Additional Classes “Brace Class”. If more than one Brace is entered by the same owner, the dogs comprising EACH Brace unit must be so designated “Brace NO. 1”, “Brace No. 2”, etc. **PLEASE SUBMIT BRACE ENTRIES TOGETHER.**

BREEDER’S CLASS – **Entry Fee \$28.00** The Breeders Class is multiple entry class consisting of 3-5 dogs regardless of sex. This class is open to all breeders. All dogs entered must have at least one breeder in common who must be present. The individual dogs comprising the entry must be from at least two different combinations of parents but need not be owned or handled by the breeder. Entrants must be entered individually in some other conformation, performance or companion class. **ONE** dog must be pre-entered in the class. Other 2-3 dogs: armband numbers must be submitted to the ring steward the day of the event.

EXHIBITION ONLY CLASSES

Note: Closing Time for entries 6:00 PM EDT Sept. 27, 2023

PARADE OF VETERANS – **No Entry Fee:** Eligibility: Open to all dogs and bitches 7 years of age or older. These entries will not be judged in conformation competition. Each dog will be presented a personalized Rosette and a Bronze Medallion depicting the Club emblem suspended from a Red, White & Blue Ribbon will also be offered by the Afghan Hound Club of America, Inc. **VETERANS IN THE PARADE WILL BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE IN VETERANS SWEEPSTAKES AND NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE IN ANY OTHER REGULAR OR NON-REGULAR CONFORMATION CLASS AT THIS SHOW**, and may compete in Obedience, Rally, Agility, one or both Lure Trials & the Triathlon. The dog **MUST BE PRESENT IN THE RING** in order to receive the award.

PARADE OF RESCUE – **No Entry Fee:** Open to all Afghan Hounds who have been adopted through a rescue program or shelter. We honor those of you who have taken these beautiful Afghan Hounds into your lives. The Afghan Hound Club of America will present each **RESCUED AFGHAN HOUND IN THIS PARADE** with a ribbon and a 2” white Enamel Medallion with AHCA Logo suspended from a White Ribbon. The dog **MUST BE PRESENT IN THE RING** in order to receive the award. List as additional entry on entry form.

Please go to: www.akc.org

For information regarding the AKC National Owner-Handled Series



Breeder Education Seminar

Friday, October 20, 2023

8:30 AM

Please join us for buffet Breakfast:
Scrambled Eggs-Biscuits & Sausage Gravy-Bacon-Hash Brown
Casserole-Fresh Fruit Pastry-Coffee-Juice-Water

Update on the New AKC Semen Preservation Program
Presented by Dr. Charles Garvin
Member AKC Board of Directors and Chairman AKC Canine Health Foundation

Breakfast Buffet will begin at 8:30 AM Followed by Seminar at 9:00 AM

Reservation deadline is Oct. 6, 2023

Total cost for both the Seminar and Buffet Breakfast: \$20.00

RESERVATIONS CAN BE MADE ON THE AHCA WEBSITE:

www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

AHCA Sweepstakes & Vendor “One More Time” Welcome Party

Join the fun by digging out that old National Souvenir Clothing Item and wearing it “One More Time”. The oldest National represented will receive a special recognition prize.

A fun-filled evening of Sweepstakes, Socializing and Shopping!

Cash Bar - Heavy Hors D’oeuvres

Thursday evening, October 19th —Main Exhibition Hall
Time TBA

Attention Vendors: If you haven’t booked your booth yet, please contact the 2023 Vendor Chair:

Ken Amos
nightshade1962@gmail.com
847-687-1148

BOOTH PAYMENT CAN BE MADE ON THE AHCA WEBSITE:

www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

Booth Reservations \$25.00 plus item donation of \$50.00, or greater value. Includes two tables and one chair.

TROPHY DONATIONS

Please consider donating to the 2023 AHCA Trophy Fund! All trophy donors will have their names listed on the General Trophy page in the Show Catalog. **Any amount is welcome and appreciated.** Those who **donate \$50.00** or more will receive a Free Catalog to be picked up at the National, **donations of \$125.00** or more will receive a bound souvenir journal featuring a cover with original embossed Afghan art by Julie Luther in addition to a catalog. In order for your sponsorship to be recognized in the show catalog, please make your donation by **September 1, 2023**. Donations taken after September 1, 2023 are greatly appreciated but may not be listed in the catalog.

PAYMENT CAN BE MADE ON THE AHCA WEBSITE:

www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

Questions? Please contact the 2023 Donation Chair, Beth Collins:
tazaafghans@yahoo.com

The Bath Bar

Need a bathing appointment? Contact the Chair Susan Weatherhead to pre-book a bathing time for your dog.

sweatherhead@comcast.net 651-428-1706 C; 651-653-0970 H

JUDGES' EDUCATION

Friday

October 20, 2023

8:30 AM

This study group consists of a classroom presentation, a hands on demonstration and application, and ring side tutoring. **Attendees must participate in all three parts to receive a certificate.**

This Judges' Educational Seminar is open to any approved judge, prospective applicant thereof, and any Afghan Hound breeder who is otherwise fully qualified to apply (*see AKC website for current requirements to apply to judge*) but not necessarily applying to judge the breed at this time.

Cost: \$25.00
(AHCA members \$20.00)

Please contact Judges' Education Chair James Donahue for information and registration.
chicagoflutist@gmail.com

PAYMENT CAN BE MADE ON THE AHCA WEBSITE:

www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION

Novice Junior 9 & under 12 yrs * Open Junior 9 & under 12 yrs
Novice Intermediate 12 & under 15 yrs * Open Intermediate 12 & under 15 yrs
Novice Senior 15 & under 18 yrs * Open Senior 15 & under 18 yrs * Master Class

NOVICE CLASS: Shall be for boys and girls who are at least 9 years and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class. A first place in Novice without competition leading to a Best Junior award with competition would count as one win towards moving to Open at a licensed or member show. Junior Handlers who win a third Novice Class with competition, if a win in Novice leads to a Best Junior with competition present it will count as one win towards moving to Open, after the closing of entries for a show are required to transfer their entry from the Novice Class to the Open Class by notifying the Superintendent or Show Secretary prior to the judging of the class at the show.

OPEN CLASS: Shall be for boys and girls who are at least 9 years and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who have won three (3) first place awards in a Novice Class or if a win in Novice leads to a Best Junior with competition present it will count as one win towards moving to Open in a licensed or member show.

MASTER CLASS: Will be for boys and girls who are at least 9 years and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who have won 10 Best Junior wins with competition. The calendar for this class will be consistent with the eligibility dates for the AKC National Championship. All Juniors meeting the criteria for this class are required to enter the Master Class and must change their entry the day of the show if entries have already closed. Once the eligibility time frame for that year has passed all participants return to the Open Class to complete for the following year.

No entry may be changed or cancelled unless notice of the change or cancellation is received in writing by the Superintendent or Show Secretary named in the premium list to receive entries, prior to the closing date and hour for entries, except that a correction may be made from one age division to another, as well as, move from Master to Open or Open to Novice if a win has been disallowed or the Junior miscalculated number of placements, provided this transfer is made by the Superintendent or Show Secretary prior to the judging of the class at the show.

NOTICE: Junior Handlers must include their AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER on each entry. You may obtain your junior identification number by calling the AKC Judges Education Department (919) 233-9767.

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP
RIBBONS & TROPHIES

BEST JUNIOR HANDLER: Pink & Light Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3” Sculptured Bronze, 2” AHCA Bronze-plated Medallion suspended on a Red, White and Blue Ribbon, \$25.00 Gift Card.

RESERVE BEST JUNIOR HANDLER: Lavender Rosette, 2” AHCA Gold-toned Medallion suspended on a Rose & Gray Ribbon, \$15.00 Gift Card.

FIRST IN EACH CLASS: Rose Rosette, 2” AHCA Medallion suspended on a Rose Ribbon, Afghan Note Cards.

SECOND IN EACH CLASS: Brown Rosette, 2”AHCA Medallion suspended on a Brown ribbon, Afghan Note Cards.

THIRD IN EACH CLASS: Light Green Rosette, 2”AHCA Medallion suspended on a Light Green ribbon, Afghan Note Cards.

FOURTH IN EACH CLASS: Gray Rosette, 2”AHCA Medallion suspended on a Gray ribbon, Afghan Note Cards.

“ONE MORE TIME”



AHCA NATIONAL SPECIALTY
2023

RESERVATIONS & PAYMENTS
FOR ALL EVENTS
ARE AVAILABLE ON THE
AFGHAN HOUND OF AMERICA WEBSITE:

Breed Education
Art Auction Dinner
Annual Award Banquet

www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

86th AHCA National Specialty
2023 Catalog Advertising Rates

Make The 2023 Afghan Hound Club of America YOUR Specialty!

THE FOLLOWING ARE OFFERED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS:
(AHCA Members receive \$5 Discount/Page)

INSIDE BACK COVER.....\$100.00
OUTSIDE BACK COVER.....\$150.00
(Free catalog with ad)

INSIDE CATALOG ADVERTISING RATES:
Full Page Ad.....\$50.00
Two page spread.....\$90.00
FREE CATALOG WITH A 2 PAGE AD!

*Regional Clubs - now's the time to advertise your 2023 UPCOMING SPECIALTY
or any news you may want to share!*
\$25.00 per Ad

All Advertising will be in color.

Please send all ad materials electronically to Joy Atkins Miller at the address below. Ads should be in a jpg or pdf format, 4.5” x 7.5”, CAMERA READY. **Deadline is September 1, 2023.**

PAYMENT CAN BE MADE ON THE AHCA WEBSITE:
www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

ADS TO: JOY ATKINS MILLER
EMAIL: amonrih@gmail.com
PHONE NUMBER: (636) 584-5656

Thank you for supporting the 86th National Specialty Show Catalog!

SWEEPSTAKES

Judging & Ring Procedure:

- Observers will not be permitted in the ring at this Specialty.
- Cash Prizes must be picked up in the ring by the person handling the dog. Claims for prize money must be made in the ring before the judging is over. The Show Chairman and the Afghan Hound Club of America, Inc., disclaim any liability for cash prizes after the judging is over.
- Dogs must be ready for judging. Neither the Club nor its Show Chairman will be responsible or obligated to furnish any service for notifying exhibitors or their agents of Breed or Class Judging. Judges need not wait for any dog holding up a class.
- Owners or agents are responsible for their dog's presence in the judging ring. Dogs need be present only for scheduled judging and will be released if not needed for further judging.

Liability & Safety:

- The show giving Club, its agents, employees, etc, assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, vendors, spectators or any of their dogs OR property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.
- **DO NOT** leave any dogs in an unventilated vehicle. If you can't be found, and dog appears to be in danger, your windows will be broken, for purpose of saving dog(s). The Afghan Hound Club of America reserves the right to remove any animal in distress from a parked vehicle or crate, and all persons attending this dog show hereby waive any claim for damages against the Club for such removal.
- **All AHCA events will be held in smoke-free environments.**

PREPAID CATALOGS

EXHIBITORS MAY PURCHASE A CATALOG ON THE ENTRY FORM. OTHERS MAY PURCHASE A CATALOG ON THE AHCA WEBSITE:

www.afghanhoundclubofamerica.org

All catalogs must be picked up at show. None will be mailed.

Summary & Requirements

Dogs shown in Sweepstakes **MUST ALSO** be entered in one of the regular classes at the regular entry fee on the entry form. Entry made by writing "Sweepstakes" in Additional Class. This Sweepstakes is open to all Afghan Hounds, 6 months old and under 18 months old. Sweepstakes Entry is **\$28.00**.

SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION

Puppy Dogs 6 mos. & under 9 mos. Puppy Dogs 9 mos. & under 12 mos. Dogs 12 mos. & under 15 mos. Dogs 15 mos. & under 18 mos. (same classes for Bitches).

BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES

DIVISION OF PRIZE MONEY FOR SWEEPSTAKES

35% of total entry fees will be retained by the Club for expenses. The remainder of the entry fees in each class will be divided as follows:

FIRST IN EACH CLASS.....	40% of entry fees of that class
SECOND IN EACH CLASS.....	30% of entry fees of that class
THIRD IN EACH CLASS.....	20% of entry fees of that class
FOURTH IN EACH CLASS.....	10% of entry fees of that class

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Summary & Requirements

The Veteran Sweepstakes is open to all Afghan Hounds including Champions & Non-Champions, **seven (7) years** of age or older and **NEED NOT** be entered in another class at this Specialty. **Entry fee is \$28.00** and shall be made on the same entry form as for the Regular Classes. Indicate "Veteran Sweepstakes" the appropriate age and sex in the space provided for "Additional Classes". Spayed and neutered Veterans are eligible for entry in the Veteran Sweepstakes.

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION

Dogs - 7 yrs & under 9 yrs, Dogs 9 yrs & under 12 yrs, Dogs 12 yrs & over (same classes for Bitches)

BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

DIVISION OF PRIZE MONEY FOR VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

35% of total entry fees will be retained by the Club for expenses. The remainder of the entry fees in each class will be divided as follows:

FIRST IN EACH CLASS.....	40% of entry fees of that class
SECOND IN EACH CLASS.....	30% of entry fees of that class
THIRD IN EACH CLASS.....	20% of entry fees of that class
FOURTH IN EACH CLASS.....	10% of entry fees of that class

SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES

BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES: Pink and Light Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3” sculptured bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN SWEEPSTAKES: Lavender Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3” sculptured bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works

FIRST IN EACH CLASS: Rose Rosette

SECOND IN EACH CLASS: Brown Rosette

THIRD IN EACH CLASS: Light Green Rosette

FOURTH IN EACH CLASS: Gray Rosette

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES

BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES: Pink and Light Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3” sculptured bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES: Lavender Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3” sculptured bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

FIRST IN EACH CLASS: Rose Rosette

SECOND IN EACH CLASS: Brown Rosette

THIRD IN EACH CLASS: Light Green Rosette

FOURTH IN EACH CLASS: Gray Rosette

HOST HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS:

- **There is a one time, \$50.00 NON-refundable pet fee**, for anyone staying with a dog in their room.
- Dogs **MUST BE** crated while left unattended in rooms. **PLASTIC** will be provided by the **Hotel** to be put under dog crates. Guests are responsible for all property damages and/or personal injuries resulting from their pet.
- Bathing and grooming will be in a designated area at the Bath Station on the receiving dock.
- **DO NOT BATHE DOGS IN THE BATHTUBS OR HOTEL SHOWERS.** The Hotel reserves the right to charge guest's account commensurate to the cost of such damages. The Event Show Committee will be notified and may immediately begin disciplinary action under AKC Rules and Regulations, and you **MAY BE SUBJECT TO SUSPENSION OF ALL AKC PRIVILEGES.**

RV RESERVATIONS

**RV RESERVATION MAY BE MADE DIRECTLY THROUGH THE
HOLIDAY INN AT THE ROBERTS CENTRE.
(937) 283-3200
kristy.woods@robertscentre.com**

ADDITIONAL ACCOMODATIONS

Holiday Inn Express-Wilmington

155 Holiday Dr.
Wilmington , OH 45177
937-382-5858

Hampton Inn-Wilmington

201 Holiday Dr.
Wilmington, OH 45177
937-382-4400

The Show Site will be available to Exhibitors for set-up no earlier than Thursday Oct. 19th at 8:00 AM

- All attendees are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs.
- There shall be neither benching, nor offering for sale or breeding, nor display of unaltered dogs.
- All dogs shall be subject to all rules relating to health and veterinarians. The owners or agents shall be responsible for the care and safety of such dogs (AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, Chapter 11, Section 11).
- Due to limited space, unentered dogs are not allowed in the Exhibition or Grooming areas during show hours.
- Only authorized vendors will be allowed to sell in the Grooming Area.
- Underage dogs are not allowed in the Exhibition or Grooming areas during show hours.
- **DOGS MUST BE REMOVED FROM GROOMING AREA EACH NIGHT BY 10:00 PM. NO DOGS WILL BE ALLOWED TO REMAIN IN THE EXHIBITION OR GROOMING AREAS OVERNIGHT.**

HOST HOTEL:

HOLIDAY INN – ROBERTS CENTRE

123 Gano Road, Wilmington, OH 45177

800-654-7036 or 937-283-3200 fax- 937-655-8746

<http://www.robertscentre.com> (booking code AHCA)

Rooms are \$139.00+taxes All major Credit Cards accepted

One-time \$50.00 NON-refundable Pet Fee will be applied if staying with Pets

Columbus International Airport: (4600 International Gateway, Columbus, Ohio 43219) 65.25 miles – 1 hr. 6 min.

1. West on INTERNATIONAL GATEWAY toward SAWYER RD./INTERNATIONAL GATEWAY (Go 0.2 Miles)
2. Turn Slight Right onto Sawyer Rd./International Gateway. Continue to follow INTERNATIONAL GATEWAY (Go 1.7 MILES)
3. Merge onto I-670 W. the exit on the LEFT toward COLUMBUS (Go 6.1 Miles)
4. Merge onto OH-315 S. via exit 2a (Go 2.0 Miles)
5. OH-315 S. becomes I-71 S. (Go 54.8 Miles)
6. Take EXIT #50 Turn Right onto US-68 (Go 0.3 Miles)
7. Take the 1st Right onto Gano Rd. (Go 0.1 Miles) The Holiday Inn/Roberts Centre is on the left.

Dayton International Airport: (3600 Terminal Drive, Vandalia, OH 45377) 42.55 miles-53 min.

1. NORTHWEST on TERMINAL DR. (Go 1.4 Miles)
2. TERMINAL DR. becomes DAYTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT ACCESS RD. (Go 1.7 miles)
3. Merge onto I-70 E. via the exit on the left toward COLUMBUS (Go 1.6 Miles)
4. Merge onto I-75 S. via exit 33A toward DAYTON (Go 8.8 Miles)
5. Merge onto US-35 E. via EXIT 52B toward XENIA (Go 17.9 Miles)
6. Take the US-68 toward HOME AVE/WILMINGTON (Go .2 miles)
7. Turn RIGHT onto US-68 (Go 10.8 miles)
8. Turn LEFT onto GANO Rd. (Go .1 miles) The Holiday Inn/Roberts Centre is on the left.

Cincinnati /Northern Kentucky International Airport: (2939 Terminal Dr. Hebron, KY 41048) 63.04 miles – 1 hr. 8 min.

1. SOUTHWEST on TERMINAL DR. (Go .02 Miles)
2. SLIGHT RIGHT toward RENTAL CAR RETURN/WEST SERVICE AREA (Go .03 miles)
3. Turn Slight Right onto LOOMIS RD. (Go .3 miles)
4. Right onto Donaldson Rd./KY-236 (Go .3 miles)
5. Merge onto KY212 E. via the ramp on the left toward I-275/CINCINNATI/I-71/I-75 (Go 7.7 miles)
6. Merge onto I-275 E. toward I-71/CINCINNATI/I-75/LEXINGTON/LOUISVILLE (Go 3.4 miles)
7. Merge onto I-71 N. toward I-75 N. via EXIT #84 toward CINCINNATI (Crossing into Ohio) (Go 7.7 miles)
8. Keep RIGHT to take I-71 N. via EXIT 1B toward US-50 E./COLUMBUS (Go 50.3 miles)
9. Take the US-68 exit, EXIT #50 toward XENIA (Go .3 miles)
10. Turn LEFT onto US-68 (Go .3 miles)
11. Turn RIGHT on GANO RD (Go .1 miles) The Holiday Inn/Roberts Centre is on the left.

BREED PRIZES

BEST OF BREED - Purple & Gold Rosette, AHCA Medallion Gold-Plated with Club Emblem Suspended from a Purple & Gold Ribbon, Garry Newton 6" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST OF BREED - Red & White Rosette, AHCA Medallion Gold Silverplate with Club Emblem suspended from a Red & White Ribbon, Garry Newton 6" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST OF WINNERS: Blue & White Rosette

SELECT DOG/BITCH: Light Blue & White Rosette, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST OF BREED NOHS: Maroon Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

AWARD OF MERIT: Black & Gold Ribbon, Commemorative Certificate.

WINNERS DOG - Purple Rosette, AHCA Medallion Silverplate with Club Emblem suspended from a Blue & White Ribbon, Garry Newton 6" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

WINNERS BITCH- Purple Rosette, AHCA Medallion Silverplate with Club Emblem suspended from a Blue & White Ribbon, Garry Newton 6" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

RESERVE WINNERS DOG - Purple & White Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

RESERVE WINNERS BITCH - Purple & White Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR: Dark Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Free Litter Registration Offered by AKC, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST PUPPY: Dark Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST VETERAN: Dark Green Rosette, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST IN BREEDER'S CLASS: Dark Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST STUD DOG: Dark Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST BROOD BITCH: Dark Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BEST BRACE: Dark Green Rosette, Terry D. Chacon 3" Sculptured Bronze, Afghan Art by Walker Works.

BREED PRIZES, CONT'D

PARADE OF VETERANS: Personalized Beige & Aqua Rosette, 2” AHCA Bronze-plated Medallion Suspended on a Red, White & Blue Ribbon.

PARADE OF RESCUE: Beige & Aqua Rosette, 2” white Enamel Medallion with AHCA Logo suspended on a White Ribbon.

FIRST IN EACH REGULAR CLASS - Blue Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion suspended on a Blue ribbon, Laminated Afghan Art Bookmark by Walker Works

SECOND IN EACH REGULAR CLASS – Red Rosette, 2" AHCA Medallion suspended on a Red ribbon, Specialty Logo Embossed Memorabilia.

THIRD IN EACH REGULAR CLASS - Yellow Rosette, 2" AHCA National Medallion Suspended on a Yellow Ribbon , Specialty Logo Embossed Memorabilia.

FOURTH IN EACH REGULAR CLASS - White Rosette, 2" AHCA National Medallion Suspended on a White Ribbon, Specialty Logo Embossed Memorabilia.

Each entry in the Veteran classes will receive a 2” AHCA Bronze-plated Medallion Suspended on a Red, White & Blue Ribbon, Specialty Logo Embossed Memorabilia.

**FREE AKC LITTER REGISTRATION
FOR BEST BRED-BY EXHIBITOR**

The Afghan Hound Club of America is pleased to offer, through the generosity of the AKC, a free litter registration to the Best Bred-by Exhibitor.

All Trophies must be claimed the day of the show - None will be mailed. The Club reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value.

All Royal Canin Prizes, if not presented in the ring, must be picked up during the event at the Royal Canin Booth. Presentation of the winning ribbon is required. Royal Canin Reserves the right to make prize substitutions of equal or greater value in the event a specific listed prize is not available.

DATE	TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
Tuesday, Oct 17	AM: LGRA Racing PM: Fast CAT
Wednesday, Oct 18	AM: AKC Lure Coursing PM: ASFA Lure Coursing
Thursday, Oct 19	AM/PM Agility with complimentary Continental Breakfast, Obedience, Rally, Fast CAT EVE: Veteran Sweepstakes, Puppy Sweepstakes, Triathlon Conformation Judging Vendor Welcome Party and One More Time Contest
Friday, Oct 20	AM: Breed Education with Complimentary Breakfast, Judges’ Education PM: Dog Judging, Bitch Judging EVE: Dinner and Art Auction
Saturday, Oct 21	AM: General Membership Meeting PM: Junior Showmanship, Parade of Veterans, Parade of Rescue, Presentation of Performance & Companion Awards, Best of Breed Judging EVE: Annual Awards Banquet
Sunday, Oct 22	AM: Regional Specialty PM: Regional Specialty

**-AHCA General Membership Meeting-
Saturday, October 21, 2023
9:00AM**