



Blue Ridge Australian Shepherd Club's

# "Spring Fling"

**March 10,11, & 12, 2023**

**\*\*(NEW DATE)\*\***

**3 All Breed Rally Trials**

**5 ASCA Conformation Shows**

(ASCA SANCTIONING PENDING)

WEYERS CAVE COMMUNITY CENTER

682 Weyers Cave Road

Weyers Cave, VA 24486

*INDOOR \*\*Climate Controlled\*\* BUILDING*

*Grooming with electric and crating indoors while building open.*

*Matted ring over concrete linoleum floor*

**\*\*We will comply with VA State Covid and CDC\*\***

SATURDAY March 11	1st show:	<b>Joan Skinner</b> –ASCA SBJ	Show Secretary, Alisa Matricciani
SATURDAY March 11	2nd show:	<b>Kristina Churchill</b> – ASCA SBJ	Show Secretary, Alisa Matricciani
SATURDAY March 11	3rd show	<b>Mary Detor</b> - ASCA	Show Secretary, Alisa Matricciani
SUNDAY March 12	1st show:	<b>Richard Todd Jackson</b> -AKC	Show Secretary, Alisa Matricciani
SUNDAY March 12	2nd show:	<b>Suzan Guynn</b> -AKC	Show Secretary, Alisa Matricciani

**REGISTRATION AND STARTING TIMES:** Day of entries and registrations close **30 minutes** prior to each show's judging.

Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> Show	Classes Starts at 9a.m.
Saturday 2nd show	Classes to start 30 minutes after LUNCH
Saturday 3rd show	Classes to start 30 minutes after second show ends
Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> show	Classes start 9 a.m.
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> show:	Classes start 30 minutes after the first show

**\*\*Open to ASCA registered Australian Shepherds only, except for Junior Showmanship\*\***

**NOTE- If you make a class change from original entry, you must complete the ASCA Class Change form at the entry desk explaining why you are changing the class. NO Exceptions.**

**Order of Go all other shows: Non-Regular Puppies, Veterans, Junior Handlers, Altered & Intact**

**Non-Regular classes include: 2-4- & 4-6-month puppies, Peewee 3-5 & Sub Jr. 6-7 Handlers, Veterans**

**Altered Regular & Intact Regular classes: Dogs & Bitches: 6-9, 9-12, 12-15, 15-18 mo., Novice, American Bred, Bred by Exhibitor, Open Blue Merle, Open Red Merle, Open Black, Open Red**

**ENTRY FEES:**

CLASS	<u>PRE-ENTRY</u>	<u>DAY OF ENTRY</u>
Regular	\$25.00	\$30.00
Non-Regular	\$10.00	\$15.00
Juniors	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00

All 5 Shows Pre-Entry Package  
for same dog (no class changes)  
\$105 regular classes  
\$45 non-regular classes

All entries must be on official ASCA entry forms. Obtain the official form here:

<https://asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/conentyform.pdf>

*A copy of your dog's registration and a copy of a rabies certificate should be on hand.*

**PLEASE USE ONE ENTRY FORM PER DOG.** No entry shall be accepted from: A dog or handler disqualified from the ASCA Conformation program; a dog or handler disqualified from all ASCA programs; or a person not in good standing with ASCA. For rules and regulations pertaining to ASCA sanctioned trials, please refer to the ASCA web site at [www.asca.org](http://www.asca.org)

**PRE-ENTRIES MUST BE postmark February 28, 2023,**.... Emails & regular mailed entries must be dated or postmarked no later than the closing date to be eligible for the Pre-Entry Package Price. Any entry made after that date will be considered a "Day of entry".  
**NO REFUNDS.**

**Make checks payable to BRASC.** Returned checks will incur a \$30 fee plus any bank charges. Accounts not resolved within 30 days will be reported to the ASCA Business office.

**Send CONFORMATION Pre-Entries ONLY to:**

Alisa Matricciani  
18163 York Rd  
Parkton MD 21120  
443-463-8980  
[Aussiedogx3@gmail.com](mailto:Aussiedogx3@gmail.com)

CONFORMATION AWARDS: Classes 1<sup>ST</sup> thru 4<sup>th</sup> place ribbons; Rosettes for BOBPSW, BOSPSW, BOBP, BOSP, BJH, RJH, WD, WB, RWD, RWB, BOW, BOS and BOB, as well as donated trophies for some placements.

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### **3 ALL BREED Rally Trials**

*OPEN TO ALL BREEDS & MIXED BREEDS*

**\*\*see note about tracking number\*\***

Friday, March 10, 2023 – Indoors – Downstairs on mats

Classes - Masters C/B/A, Excellent C/B/A, Advanced C/B/A, Novice C/B/A

**Pre-entry: \$20.00\*    Day of Show Entry: \$25.00\*\***

\*Second pre-entry, same dog, same show for Excellent /Masters: \$15.00/class

\*\*Second Day of Show Entry, same dog, same show for Excellent/Masters: \$20.00

#### **LIMITED ENTRIES**

3 FRIDAY TRIALS – EACH LIMITED TO 30 ENTRIES PER TRIAL

\*\*\*\* DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES TAKEN IF TRIALS ARE NOT FILLED \*\*\*\*

**\*\*\*NO BITCHES IN SEASON MAY COMPETE\*\*\***

**FRIDAY: Judge Joan Skinner**

**Trial #1 and 2- Day of Entries - 8:00 – 8:30 a.m....Trial starts at 9:00 A.M....Class order: M-N**

**Trial #2 – Starts 30 minutes after the end of Trial #1...Class order: M-N**

**Friday: Judge Kathryn Meyer**

**Trial #3 – Day of Entries - 8:30-9:30 a.m..... Trial starts 2:00 or 30 minutes after trial #2....Class order: M-N**

### **Prizes/Trophies**

**Rally:** Classes 1<sup>st</sup> thru 4<sup>th</sup> place flat ribbons, Qualifying Score, Special X Qualifying ribbons for Rally scores of 195 or higher; Rosettes for HIT, High Combined, HIT Junior **New RTCH ribbon for anyone Completing their RTCH at this trial**

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Rally official entry forms: [www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/rallyentryform.pdf](http://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/rallyentryform.pdf)

Tracking number form for non-ASCA registered dogs: <https://asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/qtsvcapp.pdf>

**Make checks payable to BRASC.** Returned checks will incur a \$30 fee PLUS any bank charges. Accounts not resolved within 30 days will be reported to the ASCA Business office.

**Send RALLY Pre-Entries ONLY to:**     **Becky Pugh, Rally Trial Secretary**  
**129 Fieldbrook Ln**  
**Monroe, VA 24574**  
**(407) 709-2630**  
**Beckyp2000@gmail.com**

### **Notice to Exhibitors**

These shows will be judged and run by the **Current Show Rules and Regulations** of the Australian Shepherd Club of America. All dogs, six months or older must have an ASCA Registration Number or ASCA Tracking Number (for Agility, Obedience or Rally) in order to compete and earn titles in ANY venue (please have a copy of this number available at the show.) This includes purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness that may affect the dog's mental or physical performance or dogs exhibiting any signs of aggression toward people or other dogs. **As of January 1, 2003, ASCA requires registration of all non-ASCA registered dogs in order to track and record these dogs for ASCA titles.** To have your qualifying scores recorded and receive ASCA titling certificates, you must register your dog and become a service member of ASCA at the time of registration. Forms will be available at the registration table and at [www.asca.org](http://www.asca.org) the ASCA website. The management will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result was by accident or any other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and custody and control of its owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the show committee be asked to leave the site. In such case, no entry fees will be refunded. No entry shall be accepted for a dog or handler disqualified from ASCA Rally programs; a dog or handler disqualified from all other ASCA programs or a member not in good standing with ASCA. A list of such dogs will be supplied by the business office along with the sanctioning paperwork. Dogs must be on leash when not competing in the ring. Please clean up after yourself and your dog. No entry will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riot, civil disobedience, fire, public emergency, act of God or act of a public enemy or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee, except as noted above. There will be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date, or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless for the reason for the dismissal. Refunds will be issued for bitches that come in season, if notification in writing or by email is received before the trial begins. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$30.00 service charge for returned checks. Any dog which demonstrates aggression towards any person or any dog, whether inside or outside the ring, must be excused from the trial. Any dog which the judge feels is not in enough control to perform the course in a safe manner will be excused from the trial.

**\*\*Additional COVID-19 requirements may be implemented in accordance with the state of Virginia's mandates\*\***

Fast Food is available nearby but packing your own lunch and beverages is encouraged. No individual seating is provided. Please bring your own chair or stool.

**\*\*Show site will open to exhibitors at 7:00 a.m. on Friday. Assistance with set up will be appreciated\*\***

Show site has a large, paved parking lot, and grassy areas for exercising dogs. Overnight parking for RV's is allowed. There are **no hook-ups** Bring your auxiliary power or to plug into the community center power, the charge is **\$100 for RV electric for the whole weekend**. We do not charge for camping, but power is only available for the fee the community center charges. This does not apply to grooming, Space is limited in the building, please stack your crates, and give room to other exhibitors.

HELP MAKE OUR SHOW A SUCCESS BY **VOLUNTEERING** YOUR TIME!! ALL OF THE JOBS ARE EASY AND FUN AND DON'T TAKE ALL DAY. THE SHOW COMMITTEE WORKS VERY HARD TO PRESENT THIS EVENT FOR YOUR BENEFIT, WE TRULY APPRECIATE ALL THE HELP FROM CLUB MEMBERS AND NON-CLUB MEMBERS. WITHOUT IT, WE COULD NOT PUT ON THIS SHOW. THANK YOU.

~~PLEASE BE COURTEOUS AND CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS~~  
(At both the show site and your lodging site)

QUESTIONS or TO VOLUNTEER: Secretary Alisa Matricciani, [Aussiedogx3@gmail.com](mailto:Aussiedogx3@gmail.com) , (443)463-8980. Show Coordinator, Lynne Skinner [aliyahaussies1@gmail.com](mailto:aliyahaussies1@gmail.com) , (315)317-6722. Rally info Becky Pugh, (407) 709-2630  
[Beckyp2000@gmail.com](mailto:Beckyp2000@gmail.com)

Check our website for updates & future events, [www.blueridgegeasc.org](http://www.blueridgegeasc.org) or join us at Blue Ridge Australian Shepherd Club on Facebook!

***DIRECTIONS/LODGING/RESTAURANT INFORMATION***

The Show will be held at the Weyers Cave Community Center in Weyers Cave, Virginia. The Center is on Route 256, just east of I-81, at the Weyers Cave Exit #235. The center will be on your left just beyond the traffic light in Weyers Cave. The town of Weyers Cave is located north of Staunton and south of Harrisonburg, VA, along Interstate 81.

**HOTEL INFORMATION:**

- Best Western** – (540) 885-1112...92 Rowe Road, Staunton, VA 24401 (I-81 Exit # 222) – **NO Limit on dogs**
- Sleep Inn** – (540) 887-6500...222 Jefferson Hwy., Staunton, VA 24401 (I-81 Exit # 222) - **NO Limit on dogs**
- Motel 6** – (540) 248-5111...96 Baker Lane, Staunton, VA 24401 (I-81 Exit # 225) – Limit 3 dogs per room
- Comfort Inn** – (540) 932-3060...1302 Richmond Rd., Staunton, VA 24401 (I-81 Exit # 222) – Limit 2 dogs per room
- Holiday Inn** – (800) 844-7924...152 Fairway Lane, Staunton, VA 24401 (I-81 Exit # 225)
- Motel 6** - (540) 433-6939...10 Linda Lane, Harrisonburg VA (I-81 Exit #247-A)
- Village Inn & Restaurant** – (540) 434-7355...4979 S. Valley Pike (Hwy 11) Harrisonburg, VA (I-81 Exit # 240)
- Super 8 Motel** – (540) 433-8888...3330 S. Main St., Harrisonburg, VA (I-81 Exit # 243)
- Ramada Inn** 540-434-9981...91 Pleasant Valley Rd., Harrisonburg, VA (I-81 exit #243)
- Augusta Motel**- (540) 248-8040...1930 Lee Hwy (Rt.11), Mt. Sidney, VA

Also see [www.bringfido.com/lodging](http://www.bringfido.com/lodging) for many more “dog friendly” motels in the area but call to confirm their policy.

**RESTAURANTS:**

- 1.) I-81 South to Verona Exit # 227 – Wendy’s, McDonald’s, Hardee’s, Ciro’s Pizza, Rack’em Stack’em Ribs, Armstrong’s Restaurant, Mio Rancho Mexican, Dairy Queen Brazier, Subway
- 2.) I-81 South to I-64 East Exit # 94 – Applebee’s, Silk Road, Panera Bread, Cracker Barrel, Waffle House, Golden Corral, Five Guys Burgers, Starbucks, KFC, Sonic
- 3.) I-81 South to Staunton - Exit # 222 - Texas Steakhouse, Cracker Barrel, Mrs. Rowe’s Family Restaurant, Chili’s, Starbucks
- 4.) I-81 North to Harrisonburg - Exit # 243 – Joe’s Griddle & Grill, Cracker Barrel, Sub Station Mexican Grill, Hokkaido Japanese Restaurant, Pano’s Restaurant & Lounge
- 5.) I-81 North to Harrisonburg – Exit # 245 – Green’s & Grains Café, Asian City Chinese, Vito’s Italian Kitchen, Vitopia

**Cedarcrest Veterinary – (540) 943-7577**

121 Ladd Rd. Regular hours: Mon.-Fri. 7 am-7pm  
Fishersville, VA 22939 Sat. 7 am-5 p.m.

**Maple Lane Veterinary Clinic – (540)234-8003**

54 Fadley Rd. Reg. hours: Mon.-Fri. 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.  
Weyers Cave, VA 24486 Sat. 8 a.m.-Noon

**Veterinary Emergency Services – (Open all night) ... (540)248-1051**

465 Lee Highway Suite 111  
Verona, VA 24482