Trial Secretary – Linda Hurst 4474 Jonesville Rd., Clarkrange, TN 38553 Cell: 865-604-7734 Email: nevargiants@vahoo.com

Make Check payable to Speed Dog Coursing (SDC) Please put your dog(s) name and the Event (GSD Atlanta) on your check,

PLEASE ENTER YOUR INFORMATION ONLINE EVEN IF YOU ARE SENDING A CHECK!

GO TO THE SPEED DOG WEBSITE TO ENTER. Premium List. PayPal and Entry Forms available

Speed Dog Coursing website: www.speeddogcoursing.com

Trial Site - The trials will be held on the baseball outfield at Diamond Lakes Park 4335 Windsor Spring Rd. Hephzibah, Georgia 30815

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE (Fast CAT field is in the Ballfield on left – follow signs for parking

From I-20 East or I-20 West

Take Exit 196A, I-20 to I-520 East. Go to Exit 5 and turn right towards Wrens. Go 5.4 miles and turn left on Willis Foreman (EXXON Station on corner). Go 3.3 miles and turn left into Diamond Lakes Park. Go 1/4 mile and the show ring is in the Ballfield on the left and the Campground is on the right.

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS

Water and electricity are available at the show site.

Restrooms are close to the field.

Lunch will be available for purchase both Friday and Saturday..

NO ALCOHOL IS ALLOWED WITHIN THE DIAMOND LAKES PARK.

THE GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF ATLANTA, INC DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS EVENT

Pre-entries close 6 p.m. EDT September 2. 2020 at the home of the Trial Secretary

Entries Limited to 100 Per Test Day of Trial Entries taken unless/until the limit has been reached



The German Shepherd Dog Club of Atlanta All Breed Fast CAT

PLEASE NOTE: Fast CATs will be operated by Speed Dog Coursing, LLC

AKC ALL BREED <u>FAST</u> CAT Open to all AKC Registered and Mixed Breeds (via AKC Canine Partners)

> Diamond Lakes Park 4335 Windsor Spring Rd. Hephzibah, Georgia 30815

September 11-13, 2020 Six Events in One Weekend

Friday 2020085903, 2020085904 Saturday 2020085905, 2020085906 Sunday 2020085907, 2020085908

The Fast CAT Track will be fully fenced Electronic Timers will be used to record run times



CERTIFICATION Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations. Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary

German Shepherd Dog Club of Atlanta, Inc OFFICERS & BOARD MEMBERS

President	 Joye Evans
Member At Large	 Alice Carnahan
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Trial Committee

Joye Evans Trial Chair 3600 Mill Creek Ln SW, Marietta, GA 30060

Linda Hurst...... Trial Secretary 4474 Jonesville Rd., Clarkrange, TN 38553 Cell: 865-604-7734 Email: <u>nevargiants@yahoo.com</u>

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Event Committee Members: Joye Evans, Ren Lewis, Morgan Lewis, Jessica Ball, Alice Carnahan

Inspection: Linda Hurst, Beverly Garvin Morean

.FAST CAT TESTS ROLL CALL

Roll call is the time when participants are expected to check-in by. Check-in is followed by inspection for fitness, lameness or "in season" females

TRIAL HOURS: Friday – Saturday 8:00 a.m. EDT until 5 pm Sunday until 3 pm

PUBLICATION All rights to televise, videotape, advertise, photograph, promote or otherwise exploit this event are vested in the club, or in persons to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing by the club. All persons and animals attending these shows grant the club the right to use their likeness and voice in any matter without further consent.

OFFICIAL Fast CAT PHOTOGRAPHER

Jasmine Sanders is the official photographer for these events. No other photographer will be allowed to photograph dogs/people without the express consent of Jasmine C Sanders Photography and the Trial Chairman. Anyone caught photographing these events, or any portion thereof, without permission will be asked to leave the field. An AKC Event Committee hearing may also be called if unsportsmanlike behavior is evident.

Photographs may be purchased by going to <u>https://jasminecsanders.smugmug.com</u>

TRIALS WILL BE HELD CONCURRENTLY

*MORNING ROLL CALL: 8:00 a.m. AFTERNOON ROLL CALL: 12:45 p.m. Friday-Saturday 12:30 p.m. Sunday

*Workers will be Roll Called early and will run first

You will be expected to have complete info for your dog. Incomplete entries WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

ENTRY FEE* a \$1 fee will be added to each entry when using PayPal Pre-Entry \$20.00 for each entry

Day of Test Entries \$30.00 per test (Day of Test: Entries accepted as space allows.)

Each Event will be Limited to 100 runs

FOR THESE EVENTS WE WILL BE HOLDING A "ROLLING ROLL CALL

- BASICALLY WHEN YOU ARE READY TO RUN DURING YOUR SCHEDULED BLOCK, YOU COME AND WE WILL CHECK YOUR DOG AND PUT YOU ON THE ORDER OF GO LIST. WE WILL TRY OUR BEST TO WORK AROUND THE OTHER ACTIVITES YOU MAY BE ENTERED IN THIS WEEKEND. PLEASE NOTE – SOM ETIMES THE ORDER OF GO IS ALREADY AN HOUR WAIT TIME BY MID MORNING!!!!

We will be running a "block schedule" running order – you will receive an email with your Block and information when entries close

We give each dog a run ticket for each event. You MUST present your run ticket at the field gate in order to run.

HELP AT THE FIELD IS ALWAYS NEEDED – WE DO "ON THE JOB" TRAINING and YOU EARN "BUNNY BUCKS" – GOOD TOWARDS ENTRY FEES

Ribbons and Rosettes

A Qualifying Run Is Required For All Prizes

A Light Blue Qualifying Ribbon will be given to each dog attaining a Qualifying Run.

New Title Rosettes will be awarded to dogs attaining a BCAT, DCAT, FCAT or FCAT#.

We request that you notify us prior to the event if you feel that your dog may earn a new title.

VETERINARIAN (On Call) Augusta Animal Emergency 800.527.0419 -706.733.7458 208 Hudson Trace Augusta GA

www.augustaanimalemergency.com

Directions to Augusta Animal Emergency Clinic

North on Windsor Spring Rd to I-520 WEST. Take Exit 1A-B for I-20, continue on Exit 1B for I-20 EAST. Take exit 199 for Washington Rd./GA-28. Turn left onto GA-28/Washington Rd. Turn right onto Stevens Creek Rd., turn left to stay on Stevens Creek Rd. Turn left onto Hudson Trace

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

• FIRST AND FOREMOST:

• <u>As an exhibitor, be aware that violations may be referred to the Event</u> <u>Committee if written charges are preferred. If such charges are upheld by the</u> <u>Event Committee, it may lead to suspension from future show privileges.</u>

Hotel Policies

- NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS/EXHIBITORS WHEN YOU SIGN THE ENTRY FORM, YOU AUTOMATICALLY AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS CONCERNING MOTELS EXTENDING THEIR PLACE TO YOU. THE FOLLOWING RULES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR THE GOOD OF ALL EXHIBITORS CONCERNED.
- All exhibitors read the regulations on hotel/motel accommodations.
- All motels accepting dogs require plastic under crates

Plastic sheeting is to be placed under every crate in motel rooms. This will keep carpets clean & dry. It will be the responsibility of each exhibitor to provide

his/her own plastic sheeting for each crate.

•Dogs must be crated when owner is out of the room. NO EXCEPTIONS! •Dogs must be kept on a leash at all times while in the hotel, lobbies or on hotel grounds. Rooms & lobby must be kept clean of dog debris.

• Dogs should be "exercised" in designated areas on motel premises. Every dog owner/handler is expected to pick up after his/her dog & dispose of waste in designated trash cans. It is the responsibility of the dog owner to find out from the innkeeper where these areas & cans are located.

• Due to severe clogging problems with the drain pipes, no dog may be bathed in the hotel. Crating & bathing facilities with hot & cold water are available at the show site.

•Rooms will be inspected daily by members of the hotel staff &

observed violations or damages will be reported to the hotel management and/or the investigative committee.

•The investigative committee, working with a fair & equitable system, is charged with investigating complaints.

•Each dog owner/registrant is expected to cooperate with the investigative committee, hopefully settling damage claims on the spot, or else must be willing to furnish information such as insurance policy numbers & other pertinent information as required/requested.

•Should a hotel/motel, for cause, deem it necessary to cancel room privileges, the registrant agrees to forego legal actions against CLUSTER CLUBS & the hotel/motel.

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Accommodations

Pet policies vary by hotel – exhibitors should inquire at the time of making reservations.

HOST MOTEL

Baymont By Wyndham, Augusta/Ft. Gordon 2155 Gordon Hwy., Augusta GA 706.737.2300

Separate wing is dog-friendly for guests with pets. Bar and Grill (breakfast/lunch/dinner) on site.

Alternate Motel Red Roof Inn 4328 Belair Frontage Rd., Augusta GA 706-228-3031

RV Accommodations

Diamond Lakes RV Park (adjacent to show site) 4335 Windsor Springs Rd., Hephzibah GA 30815

Make reservations at: www.reserveamerica.com Go to Diamond Lakes Regional Park Campground, Augusta Rate: \$30 per night (includes water, sewage and electricity) Senior Rate: \$25 per night (Over 62 and military)

NOTE: DISREGARD DIRECTIONS ON RESERVE AMERICA WEBSITE TO CAMPGROUNDS. THEY TAKE THE LONG WAY AROUND AND THROUGH CONGESTED AREAS.

FAST CAT

The FAST CAT is a timed straight race of 100 yards where a dog chases a lure. Dogs are run singularly and earn points based on their handicapped speed. There are no placements. Titles are issued at designated benchmarks. The dog's time to complete the 100 yard dash is converted into MPH. Dogs earn points based on their handicapped speed. A handicap system is applied to a dog's MPH to determine the number of points earned. The handicap system is based on the height of the dog at its withers:

- 18" or greater = handicap is 1.0
- 12" up to less than 18" = handicap is 1.5
- Below 12" = handicap is 2.0

204.545 /time = MPH Example: The dog's time is 8.14 seconds. 204.545/8.14 = 25.13 MPH

Points = MPH multiplied by the dog's handicap

Titles are earned by accumulating points. The following titles will be awarded: BCAT = 150 points DCAT = 500 points FCAT = 1,000 points FCAT = every additional 500 points.

Top 20 by Breed by Year: The AKC Fast CAT website will feature the Top 20 Fastest Dogs by Breed by Year national standings. The standings will be updated as event results are processed.

Fast CAT is open to all dogs 12 months of age or older that are individually registered/ listed with the AKC registration as purebreds, Foundation Stock Service (FSS) dogs, Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) dogs and AKC Canine Partner Program.

Coursing is an athletic activity that can tax a dog's physical strength. Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion. The Inspection Committee has the authority to disallow a dog's entry into a test, and in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded.

Entries will be acknowledged by E-MAIL IF **legible e-mail** address is provided.

ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNER'S SOLE RISK

- All entries must be 12 months of age or older on the day of the test.
- Each dog requires an individual entry form.
- Entries will not be accepted without fees, signatures, or the "Agreement" found on the Official AKC Entry Form.
- · Bitches in season and lame dogs will be excused. Entries will be refunded
- Mixed breeds must be spayed or neutered to be eligible to run. AKC registered dogs with breed disqualifications may be entered.
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• A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any loose dog on the field that is not competing in the course in progress.

•Battery powered, continuous loop equipment will be used. Lures consist of white plastic.

Light Curtain times will be used. Stop watches will be available as back up timers

- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are fee of parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
- The Huntmaster is responsible for field safety and therefore he/she is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. In service to this responsibility, he/she has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve a testing dog.
- Persons exhibit conduct detrimental to the AKC/any dog(s)/other person(s) will be asked to leave the trial site.
- Bring your own shade and water.
- 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.

TIPS FOR HANDLERS

- The field is fenced. However, it is strongly recommended that prior to running your dog, you have good "recall" control over your dog, as the dogs will be off leash.
- Handlers should wear comfortable shoes and be physically able to hold and release their dogs, as well as catch them.
- Dogs will be brought to the start line on leash and released only upon a verbal signal ("Tally-Ho!") from the Huntmaster. Dogs may be released by hand, folded leash or using a traditional lure coursing slip lead.

Handler should have someone familiar with the dog at the end of the course to retrieve the dog or have someone else release their dog at the start line. The handler is expected to promptly secure the dog and leave the field with the dog on leash.

Handlers are allowed to recall their dogs

- Lure coursing is a physically demanding sport so please make sure your dog is in good shape. If you are not sure, make an appointment with a veterinarian to get an opinion.
- Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for about 10 minutes afterwards.
- Any person, upon reasonable complaint, may be asked to leave the grounds of the test by the Field Committee and may be disciplined by the AKC. Children must be under control of their parents or guardian(s) at all times.

The German Shepherd Dog Club of Atlanta, Inc, Speed Dog Coursing, LLC, Members, Directors, Agents, Superintendents & Employees are not Responsible for Loss or Damage to, or Death of Any Dogs at these events or for the Possessions of Any Participant, whether the Result of an Accident or any other cause. It is expressly understood that every dog at this show is in the care, custody and control of the owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

OFFICIAL AMERIC	AN KENNEL CLUE	BLURE COURS	ING ENTRY F	FORM
Club:The German Shepherd Dog Club of Atlanta, Inc	Date:			
Location: Hephzibah, GA	Event typ	e: CAT tests	I Enclose Ent amount of: \$	ry fees in the
Class: Fri AM	[:Sat A □Sat Pl		Sun AM	
Size/of dog at the withers: Leave blank if unsure	Under 12"	Over 12" &	less than 18"	Over 18"
BREED			Sex:	Date of Birth:
Registration #				<u> </u>
AKC Registered Name:			Call Name:	
Actual Owner(s):				
Owner's Address:				
City:	S	tate:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Han	dler (if any at Trial:			
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guide I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this consideration of the acceptance of this entry this trial, and by any additional rules and reg entered is not a hazard to persons or other that the club holding this event has the right this entry and of the holding of this event an hold the AKC, the event giving club, their m of the premises and any provider of services any AKC approved judge, judging at this even indirectly to any person or thing by the act of personally assume all responsibility and liat claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. the aforementioned parties harmless from a aforementioned parties harmless from aforementioned parties for damage because person or persons, including myself (oursely event, however such, injuries death or prop- have been caused by the negligence of the ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERS THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND M AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY A ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO A FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH M GUIDELINES.	AGRE stog, or that I am the duly auth- y. I (we) agree to abide by the ru gulations appearing in the premit dogs. The entry is submitted for to refuse this entry for cause w d of the opportunity to have the embers, directors, governors, of that are necessary to hold this ent, harmless from any claim for if this dog while in or about the e bilty for any such claim; and I (w Additionally, I (we) hereby ass my and all loss and expense (in of bodily injuries, including dea es) or on account of damage to aforementioned parties or any c Y or CLAIM ARISING OUT O YSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS RBITRATION ALL APPLICABL	EMENT rized agent of the actual of les and regulations of The um list for this trial, and end acceptance on the foregoin hich the club shall deem si dog judged and to win priz icers, agents superintende event and any employees loss or injury which may t event premises or grounds e) further agent to the further sole responsibility Juding legal fees) by reas- th at any time resulting the property, arising out of or d whether or not the same f their employees, agents, F OR RELATED TO THE TO THE CONSTRUCTION THE APPLICABLE RULE E AKC BYLAWS, RULE:	where whose name I ha American Kennel Club ry form. I (we) certify a grepresentation and / fifcient. In consideratio e money, ribbons, or trr rints or event secretary or volunters of the afo e alleged to have been or near any entrance th aforementioned partie for and agree to inder no of the liability impose a forementioned partie for and agree to inder may have been causes or any other persons. I ENTRY, EXHIBITION N, INTERPRETATION S OF THE AMERICAN S, REGULATIONS AN	in effect at the time of in effect at the time of ind represent that the dog Agreement. I (we) agree to and the owner or lessor rementioned parties, and caused directly or hereto, and I (we) is harmless form any nify, defend and save ad by law upon any of the any (our) participation in this d or may be alleged to I (WE) AGREE THAT OR ATTENDANCE AT AND EFFECT OF THIS A ARBITRATION D PROCEDURES MUST
Signature of Owner or his Agent	duly authorized to make	the entry:		
Telephone:	E-mail Address:			

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM

Club: The German Shepherd Dog Club of Atlanta, Inc	Date:				
Location: Hephzibah, GA	Event type:	I Enclose Entry fees in the amount of: \$			
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Full Name of Dog:		Call Name:			
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Owner's Address: City:	State:	Zip:			
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if	any at Trial:				
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are	available on the American Kennel Club webs	ite: www.akc.org			
I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this dog, or th consideration of the acceptance of this entry. I (we) ac this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations a dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. agree that the club holding this event has the right to r acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this ever (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event giving club, their the owner or lessor of the premises and any provider (aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge have been caused directly or indirectly to any person entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all res aforementioned parties harmless form any claim for lo for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the afore reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the resulting there from, sustained by any person or perso consequence of my (our) participation in this event, ho may have been caused or may be alleged to have beer or any other persons. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAI ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE E CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITR BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND PROCEDU BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND PROCEDU	ree to abide by the rules and regulations of ppearing in the premium list for this trial, and The entry is submitted for acceptance on the fuse this entry for cause which the club sha it and of the opportunity to have the dog judg ir members, directors, governors, officers, ag of services that are necessary to hold this ev judging at this event, harmless from any cla or thing by the act of this dog while in or abor ponsibility and liability for any such claim; an ss, injury or damage to this dog. Additional mentioned parties harmless from any and all aforementioned parties for damage because ns, including myself (ourselves) or on accou USE OF ACTION, CONTROVERY OR CL. VENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND MYSELF TOF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETT ATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOF RES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SE	The American Kennel Clu entry form. I (we) certify foregoing representation II deem sufficient. In cons led and to win prize mon- lents superintendents or ent and any employees o im for loss or injury which ut the event premises or d I (we) lutter agree to i y, I (we) hereby assume I loss and expense (incluc of bodily injuries, includin nt of damage to property, ge may be caused, and w toned parties or any of the AIM ARISING OUT OF C (OURSELVES) OR AS I LED BY ARBITRATION AL	b in effect at the time o and represent that the and Agreement. I (we ideration of the ey, ribbons, or trophies, event secretary and r volunters of the n may be alleged to grounds or near any old the the sole responsibility ding legal fees) by g death at any time arising out of or in arising out of or in the ther or not the same eier employees, agents R RELATED TO THE PURSUANT TO THE L APPLICABLE AKC		
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Dog not registered with AKC? Want to earn titles on your dog? Not a problem! Enroll your dog in AKC's Canine Partner Program TODAY! Have every run count towards an AKC Title!

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Enrollment Application

Address:		
City:	State:	Zip
Phone:	Alternate Ph	one:

Dogs must be Spayed or Neutered

Dog Name:	Sex: Male a Female a
Dog Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year):	Date Dog Joined Your Family:
Breed 1:	Breed 2 (if applicable):
Color: Black = Orange Gray G Blue G Red G White G Brown G Tan G Tri Color D Yellow G	Markings: Brindle D Merie D Speckled D Spotted D Parti-color D Solid D

Three ways to pay!

Submit this completed enrollment form, along with your <u>\$19.00</u> payment, to your Event Organizer.

Payment for Canine Partners enrollment must be separate from event fees for competition.

Credit Card (be sure to complete the Credit Card authorization below)

Cash Check (make checks payable to AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB)

Visa MasterCard American Express Account Number (no dashes)

Discover Security Code

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Signature:

Printed Name of Cardholder:



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