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LEHIGH VALLEY COURSING CLUB (LVCC)

LARGE GAZEHOUND RACING ASSOCIATION (LGRA)

Independent Whippet Racing Organization (IWRO) Race Meet

200 yard straight race meet

May 4th and 5th, 2024 AND

May 11th and 12th, 2023

AT OUR RINGOES/LAMBERTVILLE, NEW JERSEY LOCATION

AND

WE NOW HAVE TIMING EQUIPMENT.

Hunterdon County 4-H Fairgrounds
South County Park
1207 Route 179
Lambertville, NJ 08530

ENTRIES

Entry forms can be downloaded from the LGRA website at: WWW.LGRA.CLUB

Please include your **cell phone number** on your pre-entry

Please pre-enter so we can look up your hound's grading record and create the race plates ahead of time. This will speed up the process on race day.

Pre-entries close Thursday, May 2nd at 7:00 pm for our May 4/8 trial and Thursday, May 9th at 7:00 pm for our May 11/12 trial. Pre-entries are \$15.00 for the first hound per owner, \$12.00 for each additional hound for the same owner. Five or more dogs, same owner, \$60.00 per day.

Same day entries are \$20.00 for each hound entered. No kennel price.

Make checks payable to "LVCC" and bring to the event OR send entry fees to paypal at LVCC@LVCoursingClub.com OR Venmo to Terri-Jones-61. If you pay by paypal, please add \$2 to your total fee. If you prefer US mail, please mail ahead in plenty of time to
Race Secretary:

Terri Jones, 1037 Grand St, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865
Cell Phone: (732) 261-3587
Email: SnoopyRockyMom@Gmail.com

Inspection and roll call at 9:00 am Saturday and Sunday. It would be appreciated if a few people show up early to help us set up the track on Saturday!!!! I can't walk anymore!

Race meets will be 3 program, 4 dog races, 200-yard straight sprints. NOTE: All breeds except Irish Wolfhounds and Scottish Deerhounds will start from the box.

Schooling runs will be required for all FTE dogs before they may compete.

All breeds must run with muzzles and racing blankets. A small number of muzzles and blankets will be available for loan.

Ribbons will be awarded for High Score in each breed. Turtle awards will be offered for each breed.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to purebred Afghan Hounds, Azawakhs, Basenji, Borzoi, Chart Polski, Cirneco dell'ETNA, Greyhounds, Ibizan Hounds, Irish Wolfhounds, Italian Greyhounds, Magyar Agars, Pharaoh Hounds, Portuguese Podengo Medio/Grande, Rhodesian Ridgebacks, Salukis, Scottish Deerhounds, Silken Windhounds, and Sloughi.

Whippets will run under IWRO rules.

All hounds must be 1 year of age or older on the day of the race meet, and must neither be lame, sick, nor in season.

Each hound must be individually registered with the American Kennel Club (AKC), Canadian Kennel Club (CKC), United Kennel Club (UKC), or with the National Greyhound Association (NGA). Hounds registered with the AKC under Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) or Indefinite Listing Privilege (ILP) or the CKC equivalent may also be entered.

Each hound must have a completed and signed entry form. Those with First Time Entered (FTE) hounds must attach a photocopy of your dog's registration to your entry form, along with a one-time \$2.00 registration fee.

HOUNDS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER WITHOUT A COMPLETED AND SIGNED ENTRY FORM.

A completed entry includes the photocopy of the dogs registration for FTEs!!!

FACILITIES

There is very little shade and NO water available, so please plan accordingly. No overnight parking permitted. No dogs are allowed off-leash, other than when racing.

FOOD

No food will be provided, so please plan accordingly. There aren't any places nearby that deliver, so make sure you bring your own!

This is a Quick Chek near-by on route 31 and a deli in the town of Ringoes.

PRACTICES

There will be practice and runs between programs and after the meet on Saturday, weather and equipment permitting. Practices on Sunday will ONLY be between programs. NO practices after the meet on Sunday. Practices are \$5 per dog unless you are a club member. Club members practice for free.

DIRECTIONS:

From the North: Parkway or Turnpike to Rte 78W. Exit 17/Rte 31S 10 miles to Flemington Circle to Rte 202/31 S. 5 miles to Rte 179 South exit to Lambertville. Fairgrounds on right after exit ramp. 3rd entrance. South Gate #3.

From the South: Rte 95N or 295N to 31N, 12 miles to Rte 202. You can only enter to 202N, go 1/4 mi to U-turn at Wertsville Rd. then 1/2 mile 202 South to Rte 179 South exit to Lambertville. Fairgrounds on right after exit ramp. 3rd entrance. South Gate #3.

From the East: (Jersey Shore) Parkway to 195W to 295/95N (Loop around Trenton) to 31N, 12 miles to Rte 202. Entrance will put you on 202N, go 1/4 mi to U-turn at Wertsville Rd. then 1/2 mile 202S to Rte 179 South exit to Lambertville. Fairgrounds on right after exit ramp. 3rd entrance. South Gate #3.

From the West: (Pennsylvania) 202N 6 miles from state border to Rte 179S/Lambertville exit. Fairgrounds on right after exit ramp. 3rd entrance. South Gate #3.

24-Hour Emergency Veterinarians:

1) ANIMERGE
(24 miles and 32 minutes from the field)
21 US Highway 206
Raritan, NJ 08869
908-707-9077

Directions from field: Make a right out of the field. Turn onto route 202 North. Go 19.3 miles on route 202 North. Be sure to stay on route 202 North through the circle. Take route 206 South/Route 28 ramp towards Somerville/Princeton. Enter the next roundabout and take 1st exit onto route 206 South. Go 3/10 of a mile to #21.

2) CROWN VETERINARY SPECIALISTS
(24 miles and 33 minutes from the field)
23 Blossom Hill Rd
Lebanon, NJ 08833
908-236-4120

Directions from field: Make a left out of the field. Turn onto route 202 North.

6.5 miles to roundabout on the left. Take the 2nd exit in the roundabout to Route 31 North. 9.9 miles to Route 78 East. To 0.4 miles to exit 18. Go 3.2 miles, left on Blossom Hill Rd. Vet is on the left after you cross over route 22.

Accommodations: (Check with facilities to confirm rates and pet policy)

Red Roof Inn – 18.6 miles away
3203 Brunswick Pike
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
609-896-3388

Hampton Inn Clinton – 18 miles away
16 Frontage Drive
Clinton, NJ 08809
908-713-4800

The Ramada Inn Flemington
About 10 minutes from the field
250 Highway 202 & 31
Flemington, NJ
908-782-7472