

**SHOW LOCATION:**

**Holiday Inn Express & Suite (Candlewood Suites 9/18)  
5401 28<sup>th</sup> Street Court, SE  
Grand Rapids, MI 49546  
616-940-8100**

**(Show site is located on the southeast side of Grand Rapids off the I96 Expressway next to Meijer at Exit 43B...you can see Hotel from Hwy)**

**All hotels listed do allow dogs including Host Hotel—fees vary...**

**Country Inn & Suites – 616-977-0909 (next to show location)  
5399 28<sup>th</sup> Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49546**

**Red Roof Inn – 616-942-0800**

**5131 28<sup>th</sup> Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49512**

**Econo Lodge & Suites – 616-940-1777**

**2985 Kraft Ave SE, Grand Rapids MI 49512**

**Directions:**

**From the southwest: northbound on 131 Or I94 to eastbound I196 through Grand Rapids it will become I96 then get off at Exit 43B (eastbound 28<sup>th</sup> St) turn right to Kraft Ave...turn left to 28<sup>th</sup> Street Court (behind Meijer Store).**

**From the East/Southeast...take either I69 or I75/23 to westbound I96 to Exit 43B.**

**Veterinarian On Call:**

**Cascade Hospital for Animals- 6730 Cascade Road SE, Cascade, MI—616-949-0960 (left turn onto 28<sup>th</sup> St to Cascade Road, then a left on Cascade Rd, go 1 ½ blocks...Hospital on left side) hours: Saturday 8 to 5 /Sunday 10 to 5**

**Blue Pearl Emergency Vet Clinic – 1425 Michigan St, NE Grand Rapids MI – 616-284-5300 (right on 28<sup>th</sup> St...then a right onto westbound I96 then get onto I196/Holland to the Fuller Street exit, turn left onto Fuller to Michigan Street, then turn left on Michigan Street—Clinic on the left side. Hours: 24 hours a day/7 days a week.**

**Show Premiums  
Wolverine German Shepherd Dog Club  
of West Michigan**

**Saturday, September 1, 2018**

**#2018071301**

**AM Show -- Judge: Herman Stiefferman**

**#2018071305**

**PM Show – Judge: Ileana Noguerras**

**Sunday, September 2, 2018**

**#2018071302**

**Judge: Jim Martin**



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**Event to be held Outdoors. Hours: 8 am to 9 pm**

**Entries Close Friday, August 17, 2018 @ 8 pm**

**THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION**

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Gina M Dinardo, Executive Secretary



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# WOLVERINE GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB Of WEST MICHIGAN

## Officers of the Club

President .....Larry Parks  
Vice-President .....Brandon Parks  
Treasurer .....Michelle Graham  
Secretary .....Brenda Hansen

## SHOW COMMITTEE

**Show Secretary.....Michelle Graham**  
**1500 E Holland Lake Rd**  
**Sheridan, MI 48884**  
**E-mail: [vicisheps@gmail.com](mailto:vicisheps@gmail.com)**  
**Phone: 989-291-5065/616-894-4840**

**Show Chairman.....Brenda Hansen**  
**Lowell, MI 49331**  
**E-mail: [brendahansen.bh@gmail.com](mailto:brendahansen.bh@gmail.com)**  
**Phone:**

**Hospitality, Grounds, Catalog, Raffle.....All Club Members**

## Judges

**Saturday AM ---Herman "Butch" Stiefferman - Dittmer MO**

**Saturday PM ---Ileana Noguerras – Decatur, TX**

**Sunday --- Jim "James" Martin – Bentonville, AK**

## ATTENTION EXHIBITORS

A Recording Fee and Event Fee will be required for each dog entered at any licensed or member club show. These fees are to be collected by the show-giving club and paid to the American Kennel Club. If a dog is entered in more than one class in the show, the Fees are to be collected on the first entry.

Telegraph, Telephone, and unsigned entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on official AKC Entry Forms, and photocopies of Entry Forms without agreement and rules on the reverse side of the official AKC Entry Forms are not acceptable.

Dogs must be ready for judging. Neither the club nor the show secretary are responsible or obligated to furnish any services 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 alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging rings.

No entry fees will be refunded in the event of errors or cancellation of entries after entries close nor in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a veterinarian or a judge or barred from competition by action of the show committee.

**NO REFUNDS FOR DUPLICATE ENTRIES.**

No entry fee will be refunded if the show cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fires, an act of God, public emergency, Act of Public enemy, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the Club or the show secretary.

No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies a condition as to its acceptance. Entries will not be accepted without all information an entry filled out, fees and signatures. There will be a \$25.00 Fee for all returned checks. Management is not responsible for the loss of, damage to, or death of any dog exhibited or not exhibited, or for possessions of any participant, whether the result of accident or an other cause. It is expressly understood that every dog at this show is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

Exhibitors please note: Effective for all shows held on or after July 1, 1980, dogs which, according to their owner's records, but whose championships are unconfirmed, may be transferred from one of the regular classes to the Best of Breed competition, provided this transfer is made by the superintendent or show secretary prior to the start of judging at the show. (AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, Chapter 11, Section 6, Amended to December 10, 1996.

The Wolverine German Shepherd Dog Club of West Michigan, its Show Secretary, Proprietors of this Show Site, their agents, employees, etc., assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by spectators, exhibitors, handlers, their employees or children, etc., or to any of the dogs or property. Entrants and Spectators to the show do so entirely at their own risk.

**\*\*\*\*ENTRY CONFIRMATION WILL BE SENT BY EMAIL TO THOSE EMAIL ADDRESSES PROVIDED ON ENTRY FORMS\*\*\*\***

**Entry Fees:** \$28 entry fee for regular classes, Except for Puppy Classes [ 6-9, & 9-12 months], Bred-By-Exhibitor & Veterans \$16 (includes AKC recording & event fees totaling \$3.50). Make all Checks or Money Orders payable to Wolverine GSDC of W. MI. There will be a service fee of \$40.00 for all checks returned for non-payment.

**Mail Entries to:** Michelle Graham  
1500 E Holland Lake Rd  
Sheridan, MI 48884

**Entries Close:**

Friday, August 17, 2018 @ 8 P.M.  
Ribbon Prizes

Best of Breed .....	Rosette
Best Opposite Sex .....	Rosette
Best of Winners .....	Rosette
Winners Dog & Bitch .....	Rosette
Reserve Winners Dog & Bitch .....	Rosette
Best Puppy .....	Rosette
Best Opposite Puppy .....	Rosette
Best Jr Handler .....	Rosette
Best Veteran .....	Rosette
Ribbons for 1 <sup>st</sup> thru 4 <sup>th</sup> place in each class	

(Complete list of prizes to be published in catalog)

**Regular Classes Divided by Sex**

6-9 month puppy -----9-12 month puppy  
12-18 Months -----Novice  
Amateur/Owner Handler-----Bred-By Exhibitor  
American Bred-----Open  
Veterans-----Winners

***Members of the Wolverine GSDC welcomes all exhibitors & guest! We will be hosting a hospitality Saturday in appreciation for your support of our events!!***

***We will also be hosting a GSDCA Temperment Test on Sunday following the Speciality Show. For more information, contact show Secretary after August 2, 2018***

**Additional Information**

- ***There is outside water available for bathing...***
- ***No bathing dogs in your hotel rooms.***
- ***Food and drink available at show site.***
- ***50/50 Raffle each day***

