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**LIMITED TO 100 ENTRIES**

Entries Close at Show Secretary's Office at 12:00 NOON, April 21, 2021, or when the numerical limit has been reached, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

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**Premium List**

116 and 117th Semi-Annual Specialty Shows  
(Unbenched)

# German Shepherd Dog Club of Northern Ohio, Inc.

(American Kennel Club Licensed)



Cleveland Metroparks  
Chestnut/River Grove Shelter  
2944 River Road, Willoughby Hills, Ohio

## Saturday, May 8, 2021

Show Hours: 8:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.  
Judging Will Be Outdoors

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

Gina M. DiNardo, Executive Secretary

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# Don't Miss Out!

## August Specialty and Supported Entries

### Steel Valley Cluster



August 5-8, 2021  
Canfield Fairgrounds, Canfield, Ohio

## Attention Owners/Exhibitors of Foreign Registered Dogs

If you are the owner/exhibitor of a dog registered with a foreign registry (not yet dual registered with AKC) please review the eligibility requirements in The Rules Applying to Dog Shows, chapter 11 section 1. The dog show rules are posted on the AKC Web site at <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RREGS3.pdf>. Most important to note are the following:

1. Dogs must be individually registered with the American Kennel Club by the day of the event to be eligible for exhibit in the Bred by Exhibitor class.
2. Dogs are eligible to compete in AKC events using the foreign registration for a period of 30 days. That 30-day period begins with the date of first exhibit, *regardless of whether the dog earned any points or awards*. To continue to compete in AKC events beyond the initial 30-day period the dog must be either individually AKC registered or by the date of the event have been granted an extension to exhibit using the foreign registration. The owner or agent can request an extension using the form found on the AKC Web site at <http://images.akc.org/pdf/extenap.pdf>.

If you have question or need assistance with registration or obtaining an extension, please contact the AKC Special Services Department at: [awards@akc.org](mailto:awards@akc.org) or (919) 233-9767 (followed by selecting option 4).

**Mail completed entry form with agreement, fees, & signed COVID-19 release form to:**

Ms. Mary Mignogna, Show Secretary  
5612 Norquest Boulevard, Austintown OH 44515  
(330) 518-9920  
[MiMarAkitas@gmail.com](mailto:MiMarAkitas@gmail.com)

Please note we will be honoring any State of Ohio / Gov. DeWine COVID-19 mandates & restrictions which may be in effect at the time of our shows.

**Officers of the German Shepherd Dog Club of Northern Ohio, Inc.**

President .....Janeane Cappara  
Vice-President .....Joe Beccia  
Treasurer .....Zoriana Peters  
Corresponding Secretary.....Carol Grossman  
Recording Secretary ..... Leslie Beccia

1080 West River Rd., Valley City, OH 44280  
(330) 350-1345 E-mail: signaturegsd@aol.com

**Board of Directors**

Amanda Dash-Segedi Jeff Glenn Tari Kridler Don LaFond

**Event Committee**

Jeffrey Glenn, Show Chairperson  
7315 Free Avenue Oakwood Village, Ohio 44146  
(216) 299-6270 E-mail: dogtrainerexpert@yahoo.com

Caroline Grossman, Assistant Show Chairperson  
7429 Rollingbrook Trail, Solon, OH 44139  
(440) 498-0118 E-mail: raintree74@aol.com

Show committee: Joe Beccia, Leslie Beccia, Janeane  
Cappara, Jeff Glenn, Carol Grossman, Zoriana  
Peters and all Officers & Board Members of  
the Club

**Committees**

Advertising.....Carol Grossman  
Trophy Chairperson..... Leslie Beccia  
Food .....Zoriana Peters  
Grounds .....Joe Beccia, Jeff Glenn & Dave Mongo

**Chief Ring Steward: Paula Cianciolo**

**Official Photographer:**  
TBA

**Veterinarian for day calls**

**Kirtland Veterinary Hospital, Inc.**

9222 Chillicothe Road  
Kirtland, OH 44094  
(440) 256-3319

**Animal Hospital Inc.**

2735 Som Center Rd, Willoughby Hills,  
OH 44094  
(440) 946-2800

**Veterinarian after hours emergency**

**MedVet Cleveland Northeast**

8250 Tyler Boulevard #C,  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 255-0770

**Animal Clinic of Northview**

36400 Center Ridge Rd,  
North Ridgeville, OH 44039  
(440) 327-8282

*“Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian’s recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.”*





# Hotel Listing

## Please Contact Hotel for Pet Deposit Information

Extended Stay America  
3625 Orange Place  
Beachwood, OH 44122  
1-216-896-5555

Hampton Inn and Suites  
3840 Orange Place  
Beachwood, OH 44122  
(216) 831-3735

Courtyard by Marriott  
35103 Maplegrove Road  
Willoughby, OH 44094  
(440) 530-1100

Red Roof Inn  
4166 OH-306,  
Willoughby, OH 44094  
(440) 946-9872

Hilton Garden Inn  
700 Beta Drive  
Mayfield, OH 44143-2376  
(440) 646-1777

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott  
3750 Orange Place  
Beachwood, OH 44122  
(216) 831-3300

Super Eight by Wyndham  
3795 Orange Place  
Beachwood, OH 44122  
(216) 831-7200

Motel 6  
35110 Maplegrove Road  
Willoughby, OH 44094  
(440) 975-9922

Holiday Inn  
780 Beta Dr,  
Mayfield, OH 44143-2328  
(440) 461-9200

Comfort Inn  
1421 Golden Gate Blvd,  
Mayfield Heights, OH 44124  
(440) 442-8400

### Routes to the Shows

From I 80 West: 271N/480W to 271N to I-90 East, Exit SR91 (S.O.M. Center Road) South to US Route 6 East, South on River Road/OH174, show site on the right.

From East – I-90W to SR- 91 South (S.O.M. Center Road) to US 6 East to River Road/OH174 to the park.

From West- I90E to SR-91S to US6 East to River Road OH-174S, to the park.

From North, Rt. 91 South to US 6 East to River Road OH-174S, to the park

From the southwest: I80 East to I-271 N/I-480 W, then approximately 2.4 miles to I-271 North toward Erie, Pa. Exit US 322/Mayfield Road, Wilson- Mills Road. Merge onto Mayfield Road/ US 322 East via Exit 34 toward Gates Mills. Turn left onto Chagrin River Road/OH-174. The venue is on the left side about 3.8 miles from the Mayfield Road/Chagrin Road intersection.

*Join us for lunch during the break between the shows.*

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Telegraph, Telephone (Except Dial-N-Entry<sup>®</sup>), and Unsigned Entries Cannot Be Accepted. Entries Not On Official AKC Entry Forms, Downloaded and/or Photocopies of Entry Forms without Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Entry Form are **NOT ACCEPTABLE**.

**Mail All Entries With Fees to Ms. Mary Mignogna, Show Secretary 5612 Norquest Boulevard, Austintown OH 44515.**

**Entries received without fees will not be accepted.** Acknowledgement of entries will be made as soon as practicable with tickets and/or identification cards. The person accompanying a dog must show tickets of admission and identification before the dog will be received. **Should such acknowledgement not be received by the exhibitor** within a reasonable time.

**Forhand Delivery**, street address: Ms. Mary Mignogna, Show Secretary 5612 Norquest Boulevard, Austintown OH 44515

**Make All Checks and Money Orders** payable to German Shepherd Dog Club of Northern Ohio, Inc.

**CANADIAN/FOREIGN** exhibitors must make fees payable in U.S. FUNDS. When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check. Please mail checks or money orders with entries. Superintendent assumes no responsibility for cash sent through the mail. Tabulate carefully. Due to cost of processing, no refunds \$4.00 and under will be made.

**An AKC Recording Fee of \$.50 first entry only and an AKC Event Service Fee of \$3.00 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Show, Obedience Trial or Tracking Test. An AKC Recording Fee of \$3.50 will be required for each first entry and \$3.00 for each additional entry in any Licensed or Member Club Rally Trial. An AKC Event Service Fee of \$2.00 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Open Show. All Recording and Event Service Fees are paid to the American Kennel Club. (There is no Recording Fee or Event Service Fee for Junior Showmanship, Sweepstakes, Futurities, Brace/Team, Multi-Dog Classes or Special Attractions.)**

**No Entry** shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

**Entry Fees** shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee. If because of riots, wars, strikes, civil disturbances, national emergencies, health emergencies, and the dictates of law enforcement or of the owner(s) of the grounds and/or facilities or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the event, no refund of entry fee will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snowstorms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, heavy rains, or other circumstances including, but not limited to, the condition of the facilities or grounds and/or the ingress and egress from the grounds, must be considered for the health and safety of the dogs, exhibitors and spectators. The well-being of dogs, exhibitors and spectators is of paramount importance and, in the event it is necessary to cancel or stop the event before completion, no refund of entry fee will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Event Cancellation Hotline (877) 252-3229.

**Post Dated Checks and Returned Checks** do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Superintendent will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check or declined card. Subsequent returned checks or declined cards from the same exhibitors may result in their being put on a **CASH ONLY** basis.

**No Refund for Duplicate Entries.** Every effort to find all duplicate entries will be made; however, if entry has been processed, no refund will be made. **An Administrative Fee of \$2.00 will be charged or withheld from refunds for duplicate entries.**

**An Administrative Fee of \$2.00 will be withheld** from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.

**Errors on Entry Blanks.** Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date.

**Each Owner and Agent** listed on the entry form and/or individual responsible for the dog at a show is bound by the Certification and Agreement on the front and back of the entry form regardless of who may have completed & submitted the entry form.

**As specified in Chapter 12, Section 4** of the AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, information contained on the entry form is required to be published in the club's show catalog. This information is also subject to publication in other media.

**Dogs May Arrive** any time prior to their scheduled time of judging. **Dogs not required for further judging will be excused.**

**Judges Will Not Wait for Any Dog holding Up a Class.** Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging ring when their classes are called to be judged.

**All Dogs Present** must be held on leash or confined to their crates except when being judged or when in the exercising ring.

**Class Cash Prizes** will be paid in the ring to the person showing the dog. Claims for prize money must be made in the ring before the judging of that breed is over, and the Superintendent's Office advised at once. The Superintendents and show-giving Club disclaim any liability for cash prizes after the judging of the breed is over.

**No gasoline or diesel generators** are permitted inside any building or within 100 feet of any tent in which this dog show is conducted.

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### NOTE:

This club accepts entries for AKC events in accordance with the latest Agreement, entry form instructions and Rules Applying to Dog Shows (rules) of the American Kennel Club. From time to time these are subject to change. In the event of a discrepancy in these entry form instructions, Agreement and rules versus the text within the entry form you sign and submit, the AKC Agreement, entry form instructions and rules in effect at the time these entries close will take precedence.

**COVID-19 RELEASE**

I attest that to the best of my knowledge, I do not have the novel coronavirus ("COVID-19") at the time of attending the event being held by the German Shepherd Dog Club of Northern Ohio, Inc. ("GSDCNO") or the German Shepherd Dog Club of America ("GSDCA") at the Cleveland Metroparks (collectively, the "Entities") and understand the risks of unknowing exposure to this and other illnesses by or to myself, my family, other participants, and third parties. I have not been tested and found positive; am not waiting for test results; and do not currently have symptoms or have had symptoms during the past 14 days.

I have not been in contact with or exposed to any known carrier of COVID-19 within the past 14 days. If I have previously tested positive for COVID-19, I certify that I have been released by government officials and/or health care providers to resume normal activity without limit.

I agree that I will not knowingly expose others to any illness I may have or be at risk to have. I will follow all of the Entities' rules & requirements to help reduce exposure & possibility of contracting or spreading the virus. I will also fully cooperate with & follow any City, County or State (including applicable health department) guidelines that have jurisdiction in the location of the Cleveland Metroparks and/or GSDCNO and GSDCA sponsored events. If any of the above should change prior to my arrival at the show(s) or during my visit to the show(s) that is the subject of this consent, I will inform a Clubs' designated volunteer &/or the Clubs' office & proceed accordingly.

I agree that I am attending this event, class or training entirely at my own risk & assume all risk and full responsibility for my own health, well-being, and safety during this class or event. I understand that the circumstances regarding COVID-19 are changing from day to day and that, accordingly, guidelines are regularly modified and updated and I accept full responsibility for familiarizing myself with the most recent updates.

I fully agree that GSDCNO, GSDCA, its members, directors, officers, committees &/or members thereof, employees, volunteers & any & all persons connected with or associated with GSDCNO, GSDCA or the Cleveland Metroparks (the "Released Parties") are in no way liable for any present or future COVID-19 exposure incurred at any time by any person, in attendance or not in attendance, during or after this event. I hereby waive and release the Released Parties on behalf of myself, my heirs, successors and assigns, from any and all liability for damages or personal injury to me (including but not limited to claims for bodily injury, illness, disability, death, medical treatment), my dogs or my property arising from or out of, or relating to, directly or indirectly, the infection of COVID-19.

Further, I hereby indemnify & hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all claims by or liability to any third party arising out of my participation at the show(s), including reasonable attorney's fees, arising from or out of, or relating to, directly or indirectly, the infection of COVID-19 Any liability to anyone for any incident involving myself, the location, or those pets or actions of other participants & spectators will be my sole responsibility and I assume all financial liability and& will also assume all & any financial costs associated with my actions.

Please print, sign and return this form with your entry.

Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name



OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

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116 and 117th Semi-Annual  
Specialty Shows

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GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF NORTHERN OHIO, INC.

Chestnut River Grove Shelter, Willoughby, Ohio 444094

Saturday May 8, 2021

\_\_\_\_\_ AM SHOW- Mr. Jerry Guzman; \_\_\_\_\_ PM SHOW- Ms. Lynda Bragg-Workman

**Entry Fees:** \$30.00 for the first entry except Puppy Classes and Veteran Classes which are \$28.00 and \$28.00 for each additional entry of the same dog (including \$3.00 AKC event service fee per entry & \$.50 AKC recording fee first entry only). **LIMITED TO 100 ENTRIES.**

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**Mail Entries With Fees To: Ms. Mary Mignogna, Show Secretary 5612 Norquest Boulevard, Austintown OH 44515. Make Checks or Money Orders Payable To: "German Shepherd Dog Club of Northern Ohio, Inc." Canadian/Foreign Exhibitors must make fees payable in U.S. Funds.**

**When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check.**

I ENCLOSE \$\_\_\_\_\_ for entry fees

IMPORTANT-Read Carefully Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT)

BREED <sup>5</sup> German Shepherd Dog	VARIETY <sup>1</sup>	SEX
DOG <sup>2,3</sup> SHOW CLASS	CLASS <sup>3</sup> DIVISION Weight, color, etc.	
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEEDIENCE 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

<input type="checkbox"/> AKC® NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY	Enter number here	DATE OF BIRTH
		PLACE OF BIRTH (list country) Do not print the above in catalog.

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

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ACTUAL OWNER(S) \_\_\_\_\_

(Please Print)

OWNER'S ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his/her agent  
duly authorized to make this entry \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a new exhibitor? Yes  No  Owner/Handled Eligible? Yes  No

E-MAIL Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address)

Emergency contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Green Option: Check this box to receive ID/Judging Program information by E-Mail only, in lieu of a printed copy through the US Postal Mail.

**AGREEMENT**

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend 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 therefrom, 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 event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. (Variety) if you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).

2. 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.

3. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e, age division, color division, weight division.

4. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)

5. Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 233-9767.

**By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.**

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

■ If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

\_\_\_\_\_