

2020 GSDCA NATIONAL FUTURITY and MATURITY SHOW

(A.K.C. Approved)

PREMIUM LIST AND ENTRY FORM



Entries close at 6:00 PM Central time per the enclosed schedule (page 4) after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted, except as provided for in Ch 11, Sec 6 of the Dog Show Rules

Send Entries To:

Foy Trent Dog Shows, P.O. Box C, Sturgeon, MO 65284

Phone: (573) 687-2101, Fax: (888) 685-8989, Email: info@foytrentdogshows.com

Futurity/Maturity Show Participation fee: \$30.00 (1)-see page 4

Submit entries online at <http://foytrentdogshows.com> Mail paper entries to Foy Trent Dog Shows.

FAXED ENTRIES ARE NO LONGER ACCEPTED.

Canadian exhibitors must remit entry fees in US funds.

Rules applying to all Classes:

- Dogs may not be shown unless entries have been received & listed in the show catalog (the only exceptions would be in the event omissions are due to printer's error).
- To be eligible to exhibit in a Futurity, **puppies MUST be at least 6 months of age**, from a properly Nominated litter.
Eligible puppies may be entered and shown in each Regional Futurity provided the puppy has not been awarded Best Dog, Best Bitch, or Reserve in a 2020 Futurity.
- To be eligible to exhibit in the Maturity in 2020, a dog must have been entered, but not necessarily shown in one of the 2019 regional Futurity shows. If not previously entered, the owner may pay a \$150 fee to enter Maturity shows in addition to the regular participation fee. **Eligible dogs/bitches may be entered and shown in each Maturity, provided the dog/bitch has not been awarded Best Dog, Best Bitch, or Reserve in a 2020 Maturity.**
- **Dogs owned by non-GSDCA members may compete in REGIONAL Futurity/Maturity shows only. Dogs/bitches eligible for the National Finals MUST have at least one owner who is a GSDCA member. See National Specialty Finals info page 2.**
- AKC Champions of Record may compete, and professional handlers may participate in the regular classes. (2)-see page 4
- Exhibitors may NOT enter their dogs under the owner or co-owners, or any member of the household of the immediate family of the owner or co-owner of the dam of their entry.
- Exhibitors may NOT enter their dogs under any breeder of their entry.
- Change of judge: Due to a change of the named judge after closing, should an exhibitor wish to pull their entry, he/she can enter next year's Maturity, and is not required to enter a different Futurity this year.
- Exhibitors may NOT enter their dogs under any judge with whom they co-own any dog.
- Judges, handlers, and exhibitors are REQUIRED to abide by the AKC guidelines regarding handlers not showing under a judge for whom they have handled within a 4 month period.
- No cryptorchid dogs (unilateral or bilateral), spayed or neutered dogs, or any dog with a Disqualifying Fault under the GSD Breed Standard may compete in any Futurity. AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows: Chapter 11, Section 8. "When the judge of a sweepstakes or futurity finds that a dog is ineligible to compete under this section, the dog should be excused. A dog may only be disqualified in a sweepstakes or futurity under the provisions of Chapter 11, Section 8-A."

Amateur Classes

Amateur handled classes are part of the Regular event. There will be a Best and Best Opposite Amateur Handled competition at both the Regional and National levels.

- Dogs/bitches that are owned or bred by a professional handler may be entered in the Amateur classes but may not be exhibited by any professional handler. (2)-see page 4
- **Only amateurs may handle in the amateur futurity/maturity classes and in the best amateur competition.**
- **Anyone** can handle an Amateur class winner in the **regular Winner's classes**. (same as Bred-By Exhibitor in a point show)
- **Dogs CANNOT be entered in both the Amateur class and Regular class in the same region.**
- **Best & Best Opposite in Amateur Futurity or Maturity winners may NOT be shown in the Amateur classes in additional regions. They may be shown in the regular classes of additional regions until they are awarded Best Dog, Best Bitch or Reserve.**

Classes effective with 2020 shows

FUTURITY	MATURITY
Junior: Born 7-1-19 thru 9-30-19 Teenage: Born 4-1-19 thru 6-30-19 Amateur Junior/Teen: Born 4-1-19 thru 9-30-19 Intermediate: Born 1-1-19 thru 3-31-19 Senior: Born 10-01-18 thru 12-31-18 Amateur Intermediate/Senior: Born 10-1-18 thru 3-31-19	Junior: Born 4-1-18 thru 9-30-18 Amateur Junior: Born 4-1-18 thru 9-30-18 Senior: Born 10-1-17 thru 03-31-18 Amateur Senior: Born 10-1-17 thru 03-31-18

Winners Classes

- Best in Futurity and Best of Opposite Sex in Futurity will be selected from the first place winners in Junior, Teenage, Junior-Teen Amateur handled, Intermediate, Senior, and Intermediate-Senior Amateur handled classes. Best in Maturity and Best of Opposite in Maturity will be selected from the first place winners in Junior, Junior Amateur Handled, Senior, and Senior Amateur handled classes. Best and Best of Opposite Sex Amateur Handled Futurity and Maturity will be selected from the best male and female amateur handled in Futurity and Maturity.
- A Reserve will be selected only in the Regular Futurity/Maturity winners' classes. No Reserves in the Amateur Handled winners' classes.

Regional Prizes

Prize Money

The club will retain 50% of entry fees for expenses. (1)-see page 4 Distribution of the remainder depends upon the number of entries in each, Futurity & Maturity and will be by the following schedule of the percent of the entry fees in each division:

50% of the entry fees for each region will be returned as prizes. The allocation is as follows:

- 60% of the Futurity entries for Best in Futurity
- 40% of the Futurity entries for the Best of Opposite Sex in Futurity
- 60% of the Maturity entries for Best in Maturity
- 40% of the Maturity entries for the Best of Opposite Sex in Maturity

Prize money checks are made out to the first owner on the entry form and mailed to the address listed on the entry form. The responsibility of division of the prize money is up to the co-owners in accordance with their co-ownership agreement. The responsibility of providing the correct address on the entry form is that of the person making the entry.

GSDCA Member Breeder Trophy

In any region where at least twenty-five (25) dogs/bitches are shown, (excluding dogs excused or disqualified) the Breeder of the Best in Futurity at that regional show will receive a bronze GSD statue on a walnut base. If there are additional persons listed as Breeders on the AKC Registration Certificate, they may purchase a bronze GSD Statue on a walnut base from the GSDCA for cost plus shipping. Breeders must be a GSDCA member to receive this award.

Ribbons and Plaques

- First place through Fourth place – Ribbon
- First place through Fourth place - Plaque
- Plaques and Rosettes will be awarded to the Best in Futurity & Best Opposite Sex to Best In Futurity and to the Best In Maturity & Best Opposite Sex to Best In Maturity in each region.
- Rosettes will be awarded to the Reserve winners in Futurity and Maturity
- Rosettes will be awarded to Best and Best Opposite in Amateur handled Futurity and Maturity. No reserves.

GSDCA National Specialty Finals Competition

Best in, Best of Opposite Sex and the Reserve winners from each region shall be eligible to compete at the GSDCA National Specialty Show for the title of GSDCA Futurity Victor & Victrix and Maturity Victor & Victrix as determined by sex. **THESE DOGS MUST BE OWNED OR CO-OWNED BY A GSDCA MEMBER. NON-MEMBER OWNERS MUST APPLY AND PAY FOR GSDCA MEMBERSHIP PRIOR TO JULY 31, 2020 IN ORDER FOR THEIR DOGS TO BE ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE IN THE NATIONAL SPECIALTY FINALS COMPETITION.**

The German Shepherd Dog Club of America, Inc. will award a Silver Medal to the Best in Futurity and Maturity and the Best Opposite Sex to Best in Futurity and Maturity at the National Specialty Show.

Three ROM points will be given to the sires & dams of the Best in Futurity, Best of Opposite Sex in Futurity, Best in Maturity & Best Opposite Sex to Best in Maturity at the National Specialty Show. Futurity and Maturity Victor & Victrix each will be featured on a cover page of The German Shepherd Dog Review.

Best In & Best Opposite Sex Amateur handled winners from each region shall be eligible to compete at the GSDCA National Specialty Show for the title of GSDCA Amateur handled Futurity Victor & Victrix and Maturity Victor & Victrix as determined by sex. **ABOVE RULES FOR GSDCA MEMBERSHIP ALSO APPLY FOR AMATEUR FINALS.** Amateur winners MUST be handled by amateurs in the National Finals.

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Entries close in all regions at **6:00 PM Central time** per schedule (page 4) after which time, entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted except as provided in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules. **Participation Fee: \$30.00⁽¹⁾**

A limited number of catalogs will be available at the show. Prepaid catalogs are \$8.00 each.

Catalogs can also be prepaid on-line at <https://store.gsdca.org/>

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES MADE OUT TO: Foy Trent Dog Shows, PO Box C, Sturgeon, MO 65284

Entries are also accepted online at www.foytrentdogshows.com

Canadians remit in U.S. Funds.

I enclose \$ _____ for Participation Fee	I enclose \$ _____ for # of Catalogs
Region for This Futurity Entry	Region for this Maturity Entry
Futurity Entry <input type="checkbox"/>	Maturity Entry <input type="checkbox"/>
Futurity Litter Number	Region entered last year
Futurity Class (see page 2 for class divisions)	Maturity Class (see page 2 for class divisions)
FULL NAME OF DOG	
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC Reg. No.	Date of Birth
<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Reg. No.	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> USA <input type="checkbox"/> Canada <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Breeder	
Sire	
Dam	
Actual Owner(s)	
Owner's address	
CITY/STATE/ZIP	
NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT if any at the Show	
<p>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 the AKC 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.</p>	
SIGNATURE of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry:	
TELEPHONE	EMAIL <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you would like to receive entry confirmation and judging program by postal mail instead of email

German Shepherd Dog Club of America 2020 Futurity/Maturity Show Schedule

Mid Atlantic- Monday, April 6, 2020, 2020-Host Club: Delaware Valley GSDC	
Event# 2020009354 Closes Wed. March 18 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: Dr. Jose Perez-Gurri Site: Orchard Hills Training Center 45 Bella Vista Lane, Barto, PA 19504	Regional Chair: Linda DeLarso jolingsd@comcast.net 717-201-7284
South Pacific - Sunday, April 12, 2020- Host Club: Grand Canyon GSDC	
Event# 2020009353 Closes Wed. March 25, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: Pat Ayers Site: Windemere Hotel and Conference Center 5750 East Main Street, Mesa, AZ 85203	Regional Chair: Debbie Smith debcvt@gmail.com 480-452-9542
Great Lakes - Friday, May 01, 2020- Host Club: GSDC of Northern Ohio	
Event# 2020009356 Closes Wed. April 15, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: James Moses Site: Metropolitan Polo Field, S Woodland Rd (SR87) & Chagrin River Rd, Moreland Hills, Ohio 44022	Regional Chair: Leslie Beccia Signaturegsd@aol.com 330-441-2122
Midwest - Friday, May 8, 2020 - Host Club: GSDC of St Louis	
Event# 2020009355 Closes Wed. April 22, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: Sandy Anderson Site: Purina Farms 200 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039	Regional Chair: Jayne Faupl Jmfaupl@aol.com 920-988-6505
Southeast - Sunday, May 17, 2020- Host Club: Augusta GSDC	
Event# 2020009360 Closes Wed. April 29, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time:	
Judge: Jeff Pyle Site: Diamond Lakes Park, Field 5 4335 Windsor Springs Road, Hephzibah, GA 30815	Regional Chair: Lynda Bragg Workman falkrigha@aol.com 706-825-6834
Southwest- Friday, May 22, 2020- Host Club: Pikes Peak GSDC	
Event# 2020009361 Closes Wed. May 6, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: Ileana Noguera Site: Arapahoe County Fairgrounds 25690 E. Quincy Ave., Aurora, Colorado 80016	Regional Chair: Diane Mehra Dmehra@aol.com 719-371-8790
Northeast- Sunday, June 07, 2020- Host Club: GSDC of Greater New Haven	
Event# 2020009358 Closes Wed. May 20, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: Lenny Brown Site: Stony Hill Preserve 67-69 Stony Hill Rd., Bethel, CT 06801	Regional Chair: Linda Ciocci lyneagle72@gmail.com 203-268-0265
Mid Pacific - Sunday, June 21, 2020- Golden State GSDC of San Jose	
Event# 2020009357 Closes Wed. June 3, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: Cindy Bartley Site: Fremont Central Park 40000 Paseo Padre Parkway, Fremont CA 94538	Regional Chair: Joan Intersimone gsdmmum@sbcglobal.net 925-286-6976
Northwest - Sunday, July 12, 2020- Host Club: GSDC of Greater Eugene, OR	
Event# 2020009359 Closes Wed. June 24, 2020- 6:00 PM Central Time	
Judge: Bo Vujovich Site: Bryant Park 801 Bryant Way SW, Albany, OR 97321	Regional Chair: Kathy Martin foxtrotgsd@gmail.com 541-760-4978

(1) Participation Fee is comprised of a \$20.00 Registration fee and a \$10.00 Entry fee.

(2) A rule as set forth by AKC in Chapter 2, section 11, allows clubs to limit participation of professional handlers. For the purpose of the Amateur handled Futurity/Maturity the following rules will apply.

- One who has a rate card, or one who has accepted compensation of any kind for handling, or who conditions and/or trains dogs for others, within one (1) year of the scheduled date of the Amateur, will be considered a Professional Handler
- An individual who trains and conditions dogs for others, but who is otherwise not a "Professional Handler" nor has ever been a "Professional Handler" may handle in the Amateur Classes if they are the breeder or in the family of the breeder of record of the dog showed.

• Juniors as defined by AKC will be allowed to handle in the Amateur classes. The rules applying to Junior Handlers as set forth by the American Kennel Club shall also be applicable to the Amateur Futurity classes.

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS: No entry fees will be refunded if the show cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, extreme and or dangerous weather conditions, an Act of God, public emergency, act of public enemy, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the Club of the Superintendent.