
GERMAN SHORTHAIRED POINTER CLUB OF
NORTHERN SAC VALLEY

NEWSLETTER

WINTER FIELD TRIAL ROUND UP



The soggy and mud covered Fall WFT for the GSPC of NSV is in the books!!! To say I have the very best group of volunteers to pull off an event like this in these conditions would be the understatement of the year!!!!!! Our hard working Secretary (and Club President) Cindy Smullen did an amazing job keeping running paperwork in order and judges books dry...while running 3 of her own dogs Jim Simmons did a great job getting club trailer to grounds and setting up courses for trial!!! My deepest thanks to judges Derrick Mullin , David Nelson , Sarah Hayes and Dave Michels for surviving very rainy condition and still patiently helping all the new handlers with their first time puppies!!!

The hard working team includes Dina Walls as our line Marshall, Ricardo Vyhmeister back field bird planter extraordinaire, Sarah Riensche , Alex Cristiani and Michele Brown who planted birds for Derby during some serious downpours and had almost every dog find birds. A million thanks to Ray Solander for good food and lots of hot coffee all weekend and to our BFF Lydia Barrett for holding down the food service fort for Ray on Saturday!!!

TEAM WORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK!

Thanks to Karen Robison for manning the gate on Puppy course to keep the young dogs safe from the road!!! Kudos to our gunners who also had challenging weather to contend with all day both days and still brought down the birds!! Wade Hayes, David Riensche and William Nitto ...you guys ROCK!!! Special thanks to Annika Pelascini and Cindy Smullen for event photos. Rebekah Riensche , John and Karen Robison , et al for win photos!! Extra kudos to everyone who stayed to pull out all of us who got stuck in the mud trying to leave the grounds on Sunday. It reminds me of what a great dog community of friends we have in each other and that we always have each other's backs

To each and everyone who supports our events, we are so grateful for you. Thank you and have a wonderful Holiday season. -From the desk of Carol Chadwick, WFT Chairperson



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FEATURED MEMBER

Meet Dina Walls - I got my first GSP in 2001. Actually my son did chores and saved his allowance so that he could buy it. And then as other interests took my sons attention away I took over Rube and bought his sister Dolly! No experience with the breed or how to train them and it showed haha! So they became my horseback riding buddies on the trails in the hills for the rest of their years. After they were gone I decided I wanted a pup again and got Rainy from NMK Mountain kennels and was encouraged to bring her out to training with this club. What I discovered here has changed everything! Rainy trained for and entered the various hunt tests and derbys and actually passed junior hunter. So I decided that it was so much fun that I got Rudy this year and are working towards his Junior hunter title now! All of this to say, if you want to get some focus with your dog, meet some of the most genuine, like minded people and have the BEST time., this is the place to be!

In my "spare" time I work as a realtor as much as I can to support my growing hobby!!



COMPANIONS



FUN TIMES



RIBBONS

UPCOMING EVENTS!

March 11-12, 2023

Hunt Test
Zamora, CA

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DID YOU KNOW?

If you are a breeder and a member of the GSPCA, you can give your new owners a free one year membership to the club? That includes a magazine that comes out 6 times per year. Also, if you have a litter as a member, you can pay to advertise your litter on the GSPCA social media page.



2023 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



- HUNT TEST MARCH 11-12, 2023, QUAIL POINT
- WALKING FIELD TRIAL MARCH 25-26, 2023, QUAIL POINT
- WOOFSTOCK JUNE 9-10, 2023, SOLANO COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
- FUN DAYS JULY 8-9, 2023, HASTINGS ISLAND
- FALL SPECIALTY LATE OCTOBER, 2023, DIXON MAY COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
- WALKING FIELD TRIAL DECEMBER 2-3, 2023, QUAIL POINT

SHARING IS CARING

Do you have something you would like to share? A brag? A photo? An upcoming breeding? A new puppy? Recipes? Please send them to us at DLPettinato@surewest.net and we will get them in the next edition of the newsletter. We are trying to do newsletters every other month.



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