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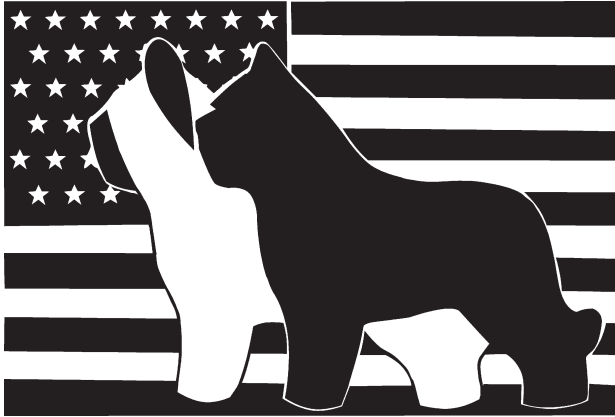


**National
Specialty**

**Portland
Oregon**

2016

PREMIUM LIST – AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES & REGULATIONS GOVERN THESE EVENTS. Entries close at the BaRay Event's Office 12:00PM PDT, Wednesday, August 31, 2016, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted EXCEPT as provided for in Ch. 11, Sec. 6 of the Dog Show Rules or Ch. 1, Sec. 16 of the Obedience Regulations.



Briard Club of America, Inc. 2016 National Specialty

Member Club of the American Kennel Club • Indoors/unbenched

Holiday Inn Portland Airport – 8439 NE Columbia Blvd, Portland, OR

September 21-23, 2016

SHOW HOURS EACH DAY: 7:30AM to 8:00 PM

Wednesday, September 21

REGIONAL BRIARD-ONLY OBEDIENCE TRIAL – #2016196428

REGIONAL BRIARD-ONLY RALLY TRIAL – #2016196418

REGIONAL SWEEPSTAKES & SPECIALTY w/Junior Showmanship – #2016196428

REGIONAL SANCTIONED 4-6 MONTH PUPPY – #2016196429

Thursday, September 22

NATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES – #2016196431

NATIONAL SPECIALTY OBEDIENCE TRIAL – #2016196417

NATIONAL SPECIALTY RALLY TRIAL – #2016196427

Friday, September 23

NATIONAL SPECIALTY CLASSES & BOB w/Junior Showmanship – #2016196419

NATIONAL SANCTIONED 4-6 MONTH PUPPY – #2016196430



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THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary



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CONDENSED PREMIUM LIST

This is a Condensed Premium List as authorized by the American Kennel Club, "Rules Applying to Dog Shows" Chapter 6 Section 2A. A complete list of breed prizes and trophies will be included in the Catalog. A copy of the prize list is available on request by writing to the Show Superintendent.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<p>Saturday & Sunday September 17-18</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two all breed Herding Trials with Briard preference will be held at PackLeader Farm in Gig Harbor, Washington – 2-1/2 hours from the host hotel. These events are hosted by the Pacific Northwest Herding Club. Test & Trial Judge: Laura DeLaCruz • Herding Instinct Tests. Briard-only Herding Instinct Tests will be offered on Sunday at Packleader Farm • All-Breed Shows. Two all-breed Conformation Shows with supported entries for Briards will be held in Chehalis, Washington, 2 hours from the host hotel. These shows are hosted by the Timberland Valley Kennel Club. Breed Judges: Dr. Sophia Kaluzniacki (9/17), Beverly Capstick (9/18). Group Judges: Beverly Capstick (917), Mary Murphy East (9/18)
<p>Monday September 19</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Herding Instinct Tests. Briard-only Herding Instinct Tests will be offered Monday afternoon at Brigands Hideout in Battleground, WA – 1/2 hour from the host hotel
<p>Tuesday September 20</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draft Clinic & Draft Test. A Briard-only Drafting Clinic will be held Tuesday morning at the host hotel, followed by an all-breed BCA Draft Test at 1 PM, at Orchard Park – 15 minutes from the host hotel • CGC Test. Test will be held Tuesday afternoon at the host hotel • Puppy Match. Match will be held Tuesday afternoon at the host hotel
<p>Wednesday September 21</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BCA Regional Specialty Briard-only Rally and Obedience Trials, 8 AM • BCA Regional 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy Competition. Judge: Tami Worley. • BCA Regional Specialty Sweepstakes, Jr. Showmanship and Breed competition to follow in the afternoon. Sweepstakes Judge: Tami Worley. Breed Judge: Pat Putman • Briard Medical Trust Lecture will be held Wednesday evening. • All Wednesday events will be held at the host hotel
<p>Thursday September 22</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BCA National Specialty Briard-only Rally and Obedience Trials, 8 AM • Judges Education Seminar, 9 AM • BCA Annual Meeting & Awards Luncheon • National Specialty Sweepstakes will be held in the afternoon. Sweepstakes Judge: Barbe Lynch • BriArt Reception will be held Thursday evening • All Thursday events will be held at the host hotel
<p>Friday September 23</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BCA National 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy Competition. Judge: Bill Shelton • BCA National Specialty Show, with Junior Showmanship. The BCA National Specialty Show will begin at 10 AM with the regular classes. Best of Breed will be judged after lunch. Breed Judge: Bill Shelton
<p>Saturday & Sunday September 24-25</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All-Breed Agility Trials. Two all breed Agility Trials with supported entries for Briards will be held at Clark County Fairgrounds, Ridgefield, Washington – 20 minutes from the host hotel. These trials are hosted by the Portland Agility Club • All-Breed Shows. Two all-breed Conformation Shows with supported entries for Briards will be held in Bremerton, Washington – 3 hours from the host hotel. These shows are hosted by the Gig Harbor Kennel Club. Breed Judges: Jan Paulk (9/24), Michael Faulkner (9/25). Group Judges: Pat Hastings (9/24), Michael Faulkner (9/25)

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COMMITTEES

Trophies.....	Carol Wolfram	Hospitality.....	TBD
Grounds.....	TBD	Catalog Sales.....	Denise Clark
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VETERINARIAN – ON CALL – OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY – 503-255-8139

VCA SOUTHEAST PORTLAND ANIMAL HOSPITAL – 13830 SE Stark St, Portland, OR 97233

Directions from the Holiday Inn: 6 miles (12 minutes). From hotel to I-205 southbound. Exit east on Gleason. Proceed east to 122nd. Turn right (south) on 122nd. Turn left (east) on Stark. Proceed 16 short blocks to VCA Animal Hospital on right at 13830 SE Stark.

VIDEOGRAPHER

Show Dog Video Pros – Irvin B. Krukenkamp

40 Junction Road, South Berwick, ME 03908

207-200-3837 – showdogvideopros@gmail.com

This show will be professionally video recorded. No other commercial video recording, video recording from a tripod mounted camera, or any video recording of large segments of the show will be permitted.

PHOTOGRAPHER

Nina's Photography – Nina Sage

PO Box 220405, Milwaukie, OR 97222

itzmeagain@gmail.com <http://www.ninasage.com>

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NOTICE

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JUDGES

REGIONAL SPECIALTY – SEPTEMBER 21

Ms. Pat Putman (34310)	1934 Sunset Hwy E., Wenatchee, WA 98802
<i>Conformation, Jr Showmanship</i>	
Ms. Tami Worley	17700 SW Kramien Rd, Newberg, OR 97132
<i>Sweepstakes, Sanctioned 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy</i>	
Mrs. Chris A Primmer (48167)	12511 NE 36th Ave, Vancouver, WA 98686
<i>Obedience Trial & Rally Trial</i>	

NATIONAL SPECIALTY – SEPTEMBER 22 & 23

Mr. William (Bill) P Shelton (6125)	165 E Columbia Ave, Pomona, CA 91767
<i>Conformation, Jr Showmanship, Sanctioned 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy</i>	
Mrs. Barbe Lynch	7480 Big Tree Road, Livonia, NY 14487
<i>Sweepstakes</i>	
Mrs. Chris A Primmer (48167)	12511 NE 36th Ave, Vancouver, WA 98686
<i>Obedience Trial & Rally Trial</i>	

ENTRY FEES

Highest priced class considered first entry. Separate fee for each dog. Includes AKC Fees where applicable. *NOTE: Rally Trial is a separate event, and requires a First Entry Fee, regardless of whether the dog is entered in conformation or obedience.*

First Entry of a Dog in each Event (Breed, Obedience, Rally)	\$32.00
Each Additional Entry of the same dog in the same event	\$25.00
Puppy Classes (6-9 & 9-12 mos.), and Non-Regular Classes as a First Entry	\$25.00
Non-Regular Classes as an Additional Entry	\$20.00
Sweepstakes (dog must be entered in another conformation class)	\$20.00
Veteran Sweepstakes (dog need not be entered in another conformation class)	\$20.00
Sanctioned 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy Competition	\$20.00
Junior Showmanship Competition Only	\$10.00
Junior Showmanship as an Additional Entry	No Fee
Brace Class as a Unit, if either or both dogs are not entered in another class (9/23 only)	\$32.00
Brace Class as a Unit, if both dogs are entered in another class (9/23 only)	\$20.00

See entry submission guidelines, page 12

ROSETTE PRIZES, EACH EVENT – ALL AWARDS WILL BE ROSETTES

Regular Classes			
First Prize	Blue	Second Prize	Red
Third Prize	Yellow	Fourth Prize	White
Winners	Purple	Reserve Winners	Purple & White
Best of Winners	Blue & White	Best of Breed	Purple & Gold
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed			Red & White
Select Dog & Select Bitch			Light Blue & White
Award of Merit (Regional)	Blue & Cream	Award of Merit (National)	Black & Turquoise
Best Puppy, Best Veteran, or Best Bred by Exhibitor in Show			<i>Regional:</i> Green
Best Puppy, Best Veteran, or Best Bred by Exhibitor in Show			<i>National:</i> Green & Cream
Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Obedience Classes			Blue & Gold
Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility			Blue & Green
Rally Highest Combined Score in Advanced B & Excellent B			Blue & Green
Qualifying Score in Obedience or Rally			Dark Green

Non-Regular Classes, Sweepstakes, Junior Showmanship

First Prize	Rose	Second Prize	Brown
Third Prize	Light Green	Fourth Prize	Grey
Best of Breed, Sanctioned 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy			Orange
Best of Opposite Sex, Sanctioned 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy			Lavender
Best Junior Handler			Rose & Green
Best Junior in Sweepstakes & Best Senior in Sweepstakes			Rose & Light Green
Best of Opposite Sex Junior & Senior in Sweepstakes			Lavender
Best in Veteran Sweepstakes			Rose & Light Green
Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes			Lavender

CLASSIFICATION

Regular Classes

PUPPY DOGS (6 mos. & under 9 mos.) PUPPY BITCHES (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)
PUPPY DOGS (9 mos. & under 12 mos.) PUPPY BITCHES (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)

Winners of each puppy class will return to compete for BPIS

DOGS (12 mos. & under 15 mos.) BITCHES (12 mos. & under 15 mos.)
DOGS (15 mos. & under 18 mos.) BITCHES (15 mos. & under 18 mos.)

(Novice Classes not offered at this specialty)

AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER DOGS AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER BITCHES
BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES

Bred By Exhibitor Class Eligibility: 1) Six months of age or older as of the first day of the show, 2) All dogs entered in the Bred By Exhibitor Class must be individually registered with the AKC as of the date of closing for the show. 3) The person handling the dog must be a breeder of record of the dog and an owner of record of the dog, 4) No Champions of Record on the date of closing entries for the show. Ch. 3, Sec. 7 AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Winners of each BBE class will return to compete for BBE

AMERICAN BRED DOGS AMERICAN BRED BITCHES

OPEN CLASSES DIVIDED, BOTH SEXES:

OPEN DOGS TAWNY OPEN BITCHES TAWNY

OPEN DOGS BLACK OPEN BITCHES BLACK

OPEN DOGS GRAY OPEN BITCHES GRAY

All dogs and bitches entered in Open Class MUST have the color of dog/bitch listed on the entry form in the "Class Division" box. Entries without color listed are not acceptable. Winners of the above classes will compete for:

WINNERS DOG WINNERS BITCH

Non-Regular Classes (Involving Single Dog Entries)

VETERAN DOGS, 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs. VETERAN BITCHES, 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.

VETERAN DOGS, 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs. VETERAN BITCHES, 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.

VETERAN DOGS, 11 Yrs. & Older VETERAN BITCHES, 11 Yrs. & Older

Spayed and neutered animals may be entered and shown in Veteran Classes at specialty shows.

HERDING TITLE DOG CLASS HERDING TITLE BITCH CLASS

A Class for Dogs/Bitches that have achieved an AKC Herding Trial title (HS, HI, HX, HCH).

Entrants in the Herding classes must be intact. Spayed and neutered animals are not eligible.

Winners of the above non-regular classes may also compete for Best of Breed, provided they are undefeated in any other class at this show.

BEST OF BREED COMPETITION (no defeated dogs will be allowed to compete)

The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record. Dogs which according to their owners records have completed the requirements for a championship but whose championships are unconfirmed. The entry and showing of dogs whose championships are unconfirmed is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where a dog completed the requirements for a championship according to the owner's records. If, at the end of the 90 day period, the championship of a dog has not been confirmed by AKC, no further entries of the dog for Best of Breed competition are to be made until its championship has been confirmed by AKC....(Ch. 3, Sec. 13 AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows)

SELECT DOG SELECT BITCH

AWARD OF MERIT: The maximum number of Award of Merit prizes will be one per ten Briards competing in the Best of Breed Competition, with a maximum of 6 prizes awarded at the Regional Specialty and a maximum of 10 prizes awarded at the National Specialty. BOB, BOS, Select Dog and Select Bitch are not eligible for Awards of Merit, but do count when calculating the number of Awards of Merit available.

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW: Will be awarded by the conformation judge immediately following the Award of Merit presentation. The winner of each of the four puppy classes (6-9 & 9-12, each sex) will compete for this Award. Puppies MUST be entered in one of those puppy classes to be eligible for this award. Should a puppy class winner go Best of Breed or Best of Winners it would be automatically awarded Best Puppy in Show. If a winner of a puppy class should go Winners Dog or Winners Bitch, only that puppy of its sex would compete against the puppies of the other sex.

BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR IN SHOW: Award will also be given by the conformation Judge immediately following the awarding of Best Puppy in Show. The winner of each of the two BBE classes will compete

REGIONAL & NATIONAL SPECIALTY SWEEPSTAKES

JUNIOR & SENIOR SWEEPSTAKES

Sweepstakes will be held in conjunction with both the Regional and National Specialty Shows. Regional Sweepstakes will be judged Wednesday, September 21, 2016. National Specialty Sweepstakes will be judged on Thursday, September 22, 2016. All dogs and bitches entered in the Regional Sweepstakes **MUST ALSO** be entered in a Regular Class at the Regional Specialty, at the regular entry fee. Likewise, all dogs and bitches entered in the National Specialty Sweepstakes must be entered in a Regular Class at the National Specialty at the regular entry fee. Sweepstakes is open to all Briard dogs/bitches who are at least 6 months of age and under 18 months of age on the day of the Sweepstakes. Entries must be made at the same time and on the same entry form as the regular classes, indicating in the space for "Additional Classes" your entry in Sweepstakes. **Sweepstakes Entries must be handled by an owner of record (by closing date), breeder, member of the owner's or breeder's immediate family, or BCA member (by closing date). "Immediate Family" as defined by AKC includes: husband, wife, father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter in-law, brother-in-law or sister-in-law.**

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Veteran Sweepstakes will be held in conjunction with both the Regional and National Specialty Shows. Regional Veteran Sweepstakes will be judged Wednesday, September 21, 2016. National Specialty Veteran Sweepstakes will be judged on Thursday, September 22, 2016. Dogs and bitches entered in Veteran Sweepstakes need not be entered in a Regular Class at this Specialty. The Veteran Sweepstakes is open to all Briard dogs/bitches who are at least 7 years of age on the day of the Veteran Sweepstakes. Entries must be made at the same time and on the same entry form as any regular classes for the same dog/bitch, indicating in the space for "Additional Classes" your entry in Veteran Sweepstakes. **Veteran Sweepstakes Entries must be handled by an owner of record (by closing date), breeder, member of the owner's or breeder's immediate family, or BCA member (by closing date). "Immediate Family" as defined by AKC includes: husband, wife, father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter in-law, brother-in-law or sister-in-law.**

JUNIOR SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION

Classes are divided by age and sex as follows:

Junior Puppy Dogs (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)	Junior Puppy Bitches (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)
Junior Puppy Dogs (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)	Junior Puppy Bitches (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)

SENIOR SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION

Senior Dogs (12 mos. & under 15 mos.)	Senior Bitches (12 mos. & under 15 mos.)
Senior Dogs (15 mos. & under 18 mos.)	Senior Bitches (15 mos. & under 18 mos.)

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION

Classes are divided by age and sex as follows:

Dogs (7 yrs. & under 9 yrs.)	Bitches (7 yrs. & under 9 yrs.)
Dogs (9 yrs. & under 11 yrs.)	Bitches (9 yrs. & under 11 yrs.)
Dogs (11 yrs. & older)	Bitches (11 yrs. & older)

DISTRIBUTION OF SWEEPSTAKES PRIZE MONEY – ALL SWEEPSTAKES

35% of all Sweepstakes monies to be retained by Club for expenses. The remaining 65% (for each sweepstakes: Junior, Senior, and Veteran) will become the total purse for that Sweepstakes and will be awarded as follows:

Best in Sweepstakes	20%	Best of Opposite Sex in Sweepstakes	10%
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The remaining 70% of the total purse for each sweepstakes will be divided based on the entry fees for each class as follows:

First.....	35%	Second.....	30%
Third	20%	Fourth	15%

NATIONAL SPECIALTY SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES

Best Junior Puppy in Sweepstakes, Best of Opposite to Best Junior Puppy in Sweepstakes, Best Senior Puppy In Sweepstakes, and Best of Opposite to Best Senior Puppy in Sweepstakes will receive printed canvas art with a Briard motif.

NATIONAL SPECIALTY VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES

Best Veteran in Sweepstakes and Best of Opposite to Best Veteran in Sweepstakes will receive printed canvas art with a Briard motif.

****POINTS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVE****

The Briard Club of America will award at its National Specialty a three-point major to Reserve Winners Dog if the Regular Class Dog entry is twice the required number for a five-point major in the division where the National Specialty is held.

The Briard Club of America will award at its National Specialty a three-point major to Reserve Winners Bitch if the Regular Class Bitch entry is twice the required number for a five-point major in the division where the National Specialty is held.

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION

NOVICE CLASS: For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class. A first place in Novice without competition leading to a Best Junior award with competition would count as one win towards moving to Open at a licensed or member show.

OPEN CLASS: For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show, and who have won three first place awards in a Novice Class or if a win in Novice leads to a Best Junior with competition present it will count as one win towards moving to Open in a licensed or member show. Juniors which according to their records have completed the requirements to compete in the Open class but whose status is unconfirmed by the American Kennel Club are limited to competing in the Open Class for a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the Junior completed the requirements according to their records.

MASTER CLASS: This class will be for boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years on the day of the show, and who have 10 Best Junior wins with competition. The calendar for this class will be consistent with the eligibility dates for the AKC National Championship. All Juniors meeting the criteria for this class are required to enter the Master Class and may change their entry the day of the show if entries have already closed. Once the eligibility time frame for that year has passed all participants return to the Open Class to compete for the following year.

NOVICE AND OPEN CLASS DIVIDED: **Junior**-9 years old and under 12 years old on the day of the show; **Intermediate**-12 years old and under 15 years old on the day of the show; **Senior**-15 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show.

NOTICE: Junior Handlers must include their AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER on each entry. You may obtain your junior identification number by calling the AKC, Judges Education Department, (919) 233-9767. BE SURE ALL INFORMATION for Junior Showmanship Classes is entered on front and back of entry form.

NOTE: SUBSTITUTION OF DOG IN JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP AT THE SHOW(S): There will be an Administration Fee of \$5.00 charged for any substitution of dog in Junior Showmanship at each show. In addition, if the dog originally entered in Jr. Showmanship was an additional entry, and the dog being substituted is not otherwise entered in the show, the Junior Showmanship Only fee applies.

SANCTIONED FOUR-TO-SIX MONTH (BEGINNER PUPPY) COMPETITION

The Four-to-Six Month Puppy competition shall be for Briards that are four months of age and over but under six months on the day of the event. Entry fee is \$20.00. You must enter on the official AKC Entry Form, indicating in the space provided for "Classes" your entry in 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy. Entry and eligibility requirements include:

- AKC registration number or an AKC litter number will be required for entries of an AKC recognized breed as listed in Chapter 3, Section 1 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.
- A foreign born dog may enter this class if they are registered in the country of origin.
- All entrants are to be vaccinated (including rabies) in accordance with their veterinarian's protocol.
- Dogs that are owned or co-owned by a professional handler may compete in this class, but must be handled by a non-professional handler. Professional handlers are defined as any person who belongs or has belonged to a professional handlers' organization, distributed rate cards, or otherwise advertised or represented themselves as handling dogs for pay within the last five years. Dogs may not be exhibited by current assistants and household members of a professional handler.

NOTICES

- No grooming, crates, or ex pens allowed at ringside.
- Reserved grooming with power is available. See Specailty website <http://www.2016bcaspecialty.com> for further information
- This show does not permit in-ring observation by judges at any time.
- Vendors by Invitation Only, contact Carol Wolfram, carol@justbijou.com,
- For more information on the Specialty, visit the Specialty website: <http://www.2016bcaspecialty.com> or Facebookpage: <https://www.facebook.com/briardclubofamerica/>
- Bri-Art Tickets can be ordered from Tari Welch, tawelch6@aol.com for \$5 each or 5 for \$20.
- NO GROOMING ALLOWED in hotel rooms.
- DO NOT BATHE YOUR DOG IN THE HOTEL. The hotel staff will report an infraction of this rule immediately to hotel management. Outdoor bathing facilities with warm water will be available.
- Please follow the rules set forth by the hotel and given to you at check-in.
- Please keep dogs on leashes at all times on the event grounds and at the hotel.
- EXERCISE AREAS: Please observe the marked "Exercise Areas" and "No Dogs" areas around the hotel grounds and show site. Handlers are expected to clean up promptly after their dogs. Pooper scoopers and refuse cans will be provided on the hotel grounds and show site.
- Dogs are prohibited in the restaurant, lounge, on the 6th 7th & 8th floors, banquet rooms, and where food is, or will be served, with the exception of grooming and show areas.
- Maximum of (4) dogs are allowed in each guest room. Any additional dogs in each guestroom must be pre-approved by the hotel. All dogs must have their own crate, with plastic under it. Guestrooms must be available for daily house cleaning. Dogs must be crated when unattended in guest rooms.
- Owners/Exhibitors must clean up after their dogs inside and outside the hotel.
- NOTICE: WAIVER OF RIGHTS – Owners and exhibitors maintain full responsibility for the security, supervision and safety of their dog(s). Animal behavior is unpredictable. The Briard Club of America, Inc., the American Kennel Club, BaRay Event Services, Inc., the Hotel and their members or employees shall not be responsible for any loss, injury or damage sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or their children, dogs, or visitors. The Clubs and Hotel shall not be responsible for loss, injury or damage to their parties caused by exhibitors or their dog(s). The Clubs and Hotel shall not be liable for damage to motor vehicles made in any effort to rescue a dog from overheating or suffocation due to inadequate ventilation.

CATALOG ADVERTISING

Inside Front or Back Cover.....	\$100	Outside Back Cover.....	\$150
Full Page (one photo).....	\$60	Two facing pages (same advertiser).....	\$100
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Deadline for Advertising – August 10, 2016

Contact Pam Freund for further information – pam.freund@ferretzrally.net – or visit the 2016 Specialty website, <http://www.2016bcaspecialty.com/>

AWARDS

Regional Specialty Obedience HIT and High Combined, Regional Specialty Rally High Combined, Regional Specialty Conformation BOB, BOS, BOW, WD, WB, Select Dog, Select Bitch and AOM: All trophies will be blankets with a Briard motif. First Prize, each class: Dog Toy.

National Specialty Conformation Trophies for BOB, BOS, BOW, WD, WB, Select Dog, Select Bitch, AOM, Best Veteran, Best Puppy, Best Bred by Exhibitor and First Prize, each class: Metal Art with a Briard motif

National Specialty Obedience trophies for HIT, High Combined, and First Prize, each class: Hand painted ceramics with a Briard motif.

National Specialty Rally trophies for High Combined and First Prize, each class: Hand painted ceramics with a Briard motif

Sign up to sponsor a trophy here: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0445afa82bab9-20161>

Your name, kennel name and/or memorial will appear in the Show Catalog if your donation is received no later than August 10, 2016. Only dogs that are no longer living may be listed in connection with a trophy. Contact Elke Kroenung at elkekroenung@mac.com if you have any questions or issues with signing up to sponsor a trophy.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS – ALL EVENTS



**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB®**

The American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations will govern this Show and Exhibitors must make themselves familiar with the agreement of the American Kennel Club, referred to on the reverse side of the entry blanks that accompany this Show Premium List.

- The American Kennel Club will collect: a \$3.00 Event Service Fee and \$.50 Recording Fee where applicable for the first entry of a dog, plus a \$3.00 service fee for each additional entry of the same dog in the regular and non-regular recordable single-entry classes, in all AKC licensed and member club events. At every licensed or member club rally trial, a recording fee of \$3.50 is required for the first entry of each dog and a recording fee of \$3.00 is required for each additional entry of the same dog. The event-giving club shall assume the responsibility of collecting all Event Service Fees for The American Kennel Club. These event service and recording fees shall be forwarded to The American Kennel Club along with all other required event results within seven (7) days of the close of the event.
- No Entry will be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Telegraph, e-mail and unsigned entries cannot be accepted and will be returned. Entries not on Official AKC Entry Forms and Photocopies of Entry Forms without Agreement and Rules on reverse side are NOT ACCEPTABLE. The Club and/or Baray Events assumes no responsibility for wrong or incomplete information given on the entry blank by the owner or the owner's agent. **RESPONSIBILITY FOR COMPLETENESS OF ENTRY RESTS SOLELY WITH ENTRANT.**
- **RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY FEE.** BaRay Events will add a \$30.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. We will not re-process checks. The exhibitor will be contacted & required to send a money order for the original amount PLUS the \$30.00 NSF fee. Subsequent returned checks from same person may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY BASIS.
- **REFUNDS** for cancellations due to judge change or cancellations made prior to entries closing will be mailed by the Club to said Exhibitor or Agent **AFTER THE SHOW.** An administrative fee of \$5.00 will be withheld from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.
- Females in season are not permitted to compete in Obedience or Rally Trials. If a female is withdrawn from competition because it came into season and the Superintendent is notified no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class in the trial, the club is required to refund the entry fee. The club may retain a processing fee and must publish this information in the premium. Clubs may determine the documentation, if any that is required to confirm the female is in season. This shall be stated in the premium. Note: No fee is paid to the AKC for females in season who are withdrawn.
- **FAX ENTRIES** – Fax entries will be accepted up to closing time. Fee is \$4.00 per dog per show. If the credit card charge is denied for any reason, an additional service charge of \$20.00 will be added. **FAX NUMBER:** (360) 755-2248. This is for Fax Machine ONLY. Incomplete or illegible Fax entries are not acceptable as a valid entry in a show. Proof of transmission is not proof of receipt of a legible or complete transmission (under AKC Rule Ch. 11, Sec. 4). A Fax-Friendly entry blank PDF is available for download at www.BarayEvents.com
- Entries will be acknowledged after entries close with entry acknowledgment and judging program to address on entry. Should Exhibitor NOT receive an acknowledgment within a reasonable time, PLEASE notify BaRay Events at (360) 755-7086 or email dogshows@barayevents.com.
- Entry fees shall NOT be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by the Judge or Veterinarian, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee, or because it has been entered incorrectly. There is no refund for **DUPLICATE ENTRIES** or **OVERPAYMENTS**. If, because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open, or to complete the Show **NO REFUND** will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Event Cancellation Hotline 877-252-3229.
- Please note: Any hotel or motel listed in the premium list is subject to Event Committee Rules. We expect our exhibitors to be responsible guests. A report that an exhibitor at this show has abused hotel or motel property during this weekend may result in disciplinary action. Clubs reserve the right to decline future entries from the offending party in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 11, Section 15 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.
- Dogs need be present only for scheduled judging and will be released if not needed for further judging. Dogs must be ready for judging. Neither the club nor its Superintendent/Show Secretary will be responsible or obligated to furnish any service 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.
- Only dogs eligible for these shows will be admitted into the show area. There is no provision for unentered dogs.
- **LOSS OR DAMAGE** – The Show Committee will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume any liability in the event of any accident or misfortune, to either dogs or exhibitors participating in these Shows. The welfare of an Exhibitor's child is assumed to be the responsibility of the Exhibitor. It is distinctly understood that Exhibitors will exercise control and restraint over their children.
- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.
- **ALL RIGHTS TO TELEVISION, VIDEOTAPE, ADVERTISE, PHOTOGRAPH, PROMOTE** or otherwise exploit this event are vested in the Club, or in persons to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing by the Club. All persons and animals on the Show Grounds at any time while the show is in progress, do by attending this show or participating therein, grant to the Club the right to photograph, televise, videotape, audiotape or otherwise use their likeness and voice in any manner without further release or consent. The Club is not responsible for the actions or products of the commercial vendors at this show.

ENTER ONLINE: <http://www.BaRayEvents.com>

HOST HOTEL – HOLIDAY INN PORTLAND AIRPORT

8439 NE Columbia Blvd, Portland, Oregon 97220 – Phone: (503)256-5000 or (888) 465-4329

Reservation deadline for the BCA block of rooms is August 28, 2016

Room Rate: \$109 per night run-of-the-house (plus lodging tax, currently 15.3%). This rate will be extended from 3 days before the event (September 16th) to 3 days after the event (September 26th). There is a \$35 non-refundable dog deposit per room per stay with dogs with a limit of 4 animals per room. Mention you are with the Briard Club Of America and booking for the event with Group code: Dog. There is ample Day Parking at the hotel.

RV RESERVATIONS

Maximum of 15 RVs. RV Fee is \$35/day without hookups.

Please contact Tracy Thorleifson at tthorleif@aol.com if you need to reserve RV space

AIRPORT SHUTTLE

There is a 24-hour airport shuttle and the shuttle will also take hotel guests to Cascade Station for shopping or dining.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

FROM I-5 SOUTHBOUND: Follow I-5 S and OR-99E S/N Martin Luther King Jr Blvd to NE Columbia Blvd in Portland. Turn left onto NE Columbia Blvd. Slight left to stay on NE Columbia Blvd. Destination will be on the left

FROM I-5 NORTHBOUND: Take exit 300 to merge onto I-84 E/U.S. 30 E toward Portland Airport/The Dalles. Take exit 8 for Interstate 205 N toward Seattle/Portland Airport. Merge onto I-205 N. Take exit 23B for US 30 Bypass W/Killingsworth Street. Keep right at the fork, follow signs for Columbia Boulevard and merge onto NE Killingsworth St. Merge onto NE Killingsworth St. Turn right onto NE Columbia Pkwy N Blvd. Slight left onto NE Columbia Blvd. Destination will be on the right

FROM PORTLAND AIRPORT: Head southwest on NE Airport Way. Slight right to stay on NE Airport Way. Turn right onto NE 82nd Way. Take the Columbia Blvd ramp. Turn left onto NE Columbia Blvd.

ENTRY SUBMISSIONS, CANCELLATIONS, CHANGES, TRANSFERS

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES to PO Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233.

CANADIANS make all entry fees payable in U.S. funds.

FAX ENTRIES: Fax number: 360-755-2248. \$4.00 per dog per show added for FAX-Credit Card entries. Both sides of entry form must be transmitted. Entries must be accompanied by a cover sheet stating the number of pages, what shows and how many dogs per show. Visa, MasterCard, and American Express are accepted for Fax entries. Credit card information (Credit Card number, expiration date, and cardholder name) must be on cover sheet. Note: Visa and MasterCard users – You must include the 3-digit security code that appears above your signature on the back of the card. Proof of fax transmission is not proof of receipt of a legible or complete transmission (under AKC Rule Ch. 11, Sec. 4). A Fax-Friendly entry blank PDF is available for download at www.BarayEvents.com.

ONLINE ENTRIES: Web site is **BaRayEvents.com** Follow instructions on Web site. \$3.00 charge per dog per show.

FEDEX, UPS, AIRBORNE or HAND-DELIVERED: Do NOT require signature. 113 E. Fairhaven Ave., Burlington, WA 98233.

PHONE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

CANCELLATIONS, CHANGES AND TRANSFERS will be accepted according to AKC Rules. Any refunds will be made within three weeks after the show. An administration fee may apply. (01/2016)