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Obedience # 2010074703 • Rally # 2010074707 • Agility # 2010074706 , 2010074608  
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## Premium List

**ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY NOON (PST), MARCH 17, 2010**

After which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted  
except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.



2010 Tucson, Arizona

## American Whippet Club 24th National Specialty

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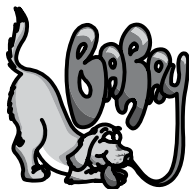


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### THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION

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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## **JUDGES**

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### **All Specialty Classes and Junior Showmanship**

Mr. Russell McFadden, HSE49 CR118, Espanola, NM 87532

### **Obedience and Rally**

Mrs. Linda Scanlon, P.O. Box 4559, Eagle, CO 81631

### **Agility**

Alan Arthur, 1361 Woods Drive, Roanoke, TX 76262  
Robert Long, 9628 Upland Street, Spring Valley, CA 91977

### **Futurity**

Ms. Linda Johnson, PO Box 1227, Loganville, GA 30249-1227

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Mrs. Janet VanWormer, 4551 S Sauk Avenue, Sierra Vista, AZ 85650

### **Altered Classes**

Mrs. Patience Renzulli, 803 Madison Street, Paducah, KY 42001

### **Triathlon Conformation**

Mrs. Phoebe Booth, P.O. Box 707, West Redding, CT 06896

## **VETERINARIAN**

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### **Veterinary Specialty Center of Tucson**

4905 N. La Canada Dr., Tucson, AZ 85704 520-795-9955

## **ENTRY FEES – INCLUDES AKC FEES, WHERE APPLICABLE**

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First entry of each dog in Breed, Obedience or Rally.....	\$25.00
Additional entry of same dog, unless otherwise specified.....	\$20.00
Puppy Class (6-9 Months & 9-12 Month Only).....	\$22.00
Junior Showmanship Only.....	\$10.00
Junior Showmanship as an additional class.....	NO CHARGE
Stud Dog/Brood Bitch per Unit (Get/Produce must be entered in a regular class).....	\$25.00
Extended Generations Stud Dog/Brood Bitch per Unit.....	\$25.00
Brace or Team per Unit.....	\$25.00
Altered Class.....	\$16.00
Veteran Sweepstakes (need not be entered in another class).....	\$16.00
Futurity (must also be entered in a regular class).....	\$16.00

**NOTE!! Per a vote by the General Membership in 2006: If entering the Futurity, entry is also required in the specialty regular classes.** On the entry form put Futurity as an additional class, noting the different Futurity age division in the Additional Class blank.

**USE OF RAMPS:** At the sole discretion of the judge, Whippets may be examined on the ground, on a table or on a ramp

### **AWC INSUFFICIENT FUNDS POLICY**

Any checks to the AWC and/or Show Superintendent returned for Insufficient Funds, must be paid by Money Order for the NSF amount plus bank fees. If the debt is not paid in full within 60 days of bank processing, the check writer will be unable to enter any AWC events until the debt is cleared.

## **VETERINARY ASSISTANCE FROM AWC MEMBERS**

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**If your dog or dogs have an injury or illness and you receive help from an exhibitor at the National Specialty who also happens to be a veterinarian, please be sure to offer that person payment for their service. The medications and supplies they bring with them, out of their concern for our dogs, are not free!**



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### – NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS – ALL EVENTS

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.

- Effective for all events held on and after January 1, 2008, The American Kennel Club will collect a \$3.00 Event Service Fee for the first entry of a dog and 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. The current 50 cent recording fee will continue to be collected where applicable. 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.
- CANADIAN EXHIBITORS MUST SUBMIT ENTRIES WITH CHECKS DRAWN ON U.S. ACCOUNTS OR WITH INTERNATIONAL MONEY ORDERS IN U.S. FUNDS
- 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 \$20.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor or agent 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 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. There is no refund for bitches in season in Obedience.
- 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) 683-6654. 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](http://www.BaRayEvents.com). NOTE: Fax Entries will not be accepted for Agility
- 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) 683-1507 or email [dogshows@barayevents.com](mailto: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. BaRay Events will make every effort to find all duplicate entries, but if entry has been processed, no refund will be made. 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.
- 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.
- TROPHIES & PRIZES will be awarded in the ring to person exhibiting the dog. No awards will be mailed.
- 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.

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## **CLASSIFICATION**

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### **REGULAR CLASSES**

The following classes are divided by sex.

Puppy (6 months & under 9 months)	Puppy (9 months & under 12 months)
12 months & under 18 Months	Novice
Amateur-Owner-Handler	Bred-By Exhibitor
American Bred	Open
Winners	Best Of Breed Competition

### **NON REGULAR CLASSES INVOLVING SINGLE ENTRIES**

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*Because WINNERS of these classes will compete for Best of Breed, all entrants MUST also meet ALL American Kennel Club requirements for Non-Regular Classes involving single dog entries. The following classes are divided by sex.*

**VETERAN CLASS:** Classes divided, 7-10 years, 10-12 years, 12 years and older. Veteran class entrants at an independent specialty may be altered.

**RACING CLASS:** Must have achieved one of the following titles: ARX, R.CH, WRCH, ORC

**LURE COURSING CLASS:** Must have earned ASFA FCh or AKC FCh.

### **NON-REGULAR CLASSES, INVOLVING MULTIPLE ENTRIES**

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*As the judge's decision in the following classes is based on the merits of more than one dog or bitch, no one of the dogs or bitches judged first in these classes will be eligible to compete for Best of Breed by virtue of having won in these classes.*

**STUD DOG CLASS:** For Stud Dogs and two of their get. Entry Fee: \$25.00 for the Unit, in addition to any regular class entry fees. Stud Dogs must be entered in the Stud Dog Class and must be shown in the ring with their Get. The owner of the Stud Dog need not necessarily be owner of the Get. While the merits of the Stud Dog are not to be considered in the placement of the entry, the Stud Dog must be examined to determine if it has a condition that would require its disqualification or excusal under the Dog Show Rules, AKC policy, or the standard for its breed. Get must be entered in a regular class, Best of Breed competition, or some other non-regular class. **The Stud Dog MUST BE PRESENT IN THE RING.**

**BROOD BITCH CLASS:** For Brood Bitches and two of their Produce. Entry Fee: \$25.00 for the Unit, in addition to any regular class entry fee. Brood Bitches must be entered in the Brood Bitch Class and must be shown in the ring with their Produce. The owner of the Brood Bitch need not necessarily be owner of the Produce. While the merits of the Brood Bitch are not to be considered in the placement of the entry, the Brood Bitch must be examined to determine if it has a condition that would require its disqualification or excusal under the Dog Show Rules, AKC policy, or the standard for its breed. Produce must be entered in a regular class, Best of Breed competition, or some other non-regular class. **The Brood Bitch MUST BE PRESENT IN THE RING.**

**EXTENDED GENERATIONS STUD DOG CLASS:** Their Get, one of their Get's Get, and if desired, one of their Get's Get's Get. Class must be comprised of a minimum of three successive generations and a maximum of four successive generations with a total entry of no more than three (3) get. Owner of the Stud Dog need not necessarily be the owner of the Get. **The Stud Dog and Get MUST BE PRESENT IN THE RING.**

**EXTENDED GENERATIONS BROOD BITCH CLASS:** Same as Extended Generations Stud Dog Class except substitute (Brood Bitch for Stud Dog and Produce for Get.)

**BRACE CLASS:** Two dogs that are similar in appearance, performing in unison, and presented by a maximum of two handlers. Both dogs competing in brace competition must have at least one common owner. The Dogs comprising a Brace MUST be named at the time of entry. Entry fee for Brace Class as a UNIT is \$25.00. In making entries for "Brace Class Only" full particulars MUST be given for each dog on individual entry forms. An entry form for a dog entered in a Regular Class or for "Best of Breed Competition" and entered as part of a Brace MUST be marked accordingly in the space provided for Additional Classes, "Brace Class." If more than one Brace is entered by same owner, dogs comprising EACH BRACE must be designated "Brace No. 1," "Brace No. 2," etc.

**TEAM CLASS:** Same rules as Brace, except a Team is comprised of FOUR dogs. Entry fee for Team Class as a UNIT is \$25.00.

***OBEDIENCE TRIAL CLASSES***

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**REGULAR CLASSES**

Novice A • Novice B • Open A • Open B • Utility A • Utility B

**OPTIONAL TITLING CLASSES**

Graduate Novice, Graduate Open, Versatility

**NON-REGULAR CLASSES**

Veterans, Brace

***RALLY TRIAL CLASSES***

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**REGULAR CLASS**

Novice A, Novice B, Advanced A, Advanced B, Excellent A, Excellent B

***RALLY JUMP HEIGHTS***

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Height of Dog at Withers	Height to be Jumped
Less than 10 inches	4"
10" and under 15"	8"
15" and under 20"	12"
20" and over	16"

**OBEDIENCE & RALLY EXHIBITORS: MOVE-UPS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR THESE TRIALS  
ACCORDING TO CH. 1, SEC. 16, OBEDIENCE REGULATIONS.**

***RIBBON PRIZES FOR SPECIALTY***

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**The following Rosettes will be awarded for Regular Classes:**

First Prize ..... Blue Rosette      Third Prize ..... Yellow Rosette  
Second Prize ..... Red Rosette      Fourth Prize ..... White Rosette  
Qualifying Score in a Regular Obedience Class-Dark Green Rosette

**The following Rosette prizes will be awarded for Non-Regular Classes:**

First Prize ..... Rose Rosette      Third Prize ..... Light Green Rosette  
Second Prize ..... Brown Rosette      Fourth ..... Grey Rosette

**Rosettes in the appropriate colors are offered for the following**

- Best of Breed • Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed
- Best of Winners • Winners Dog • Winners Bitch
- Reserve Winners Dog • Reserve Winners Bitch
- Best Puppy • Best Bred By Exhibitor • Best Veteran
- Select Rosettes (10) – Turquoise and Purple
- Best Junior Handler • Best Senior Handler
- Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Obedience Classes
- Second Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Obedience Classes
- Highest Scoring Dog in Non-Regular Obedience Classes
- Highest Qualifying Combined Score from the Regular Obedience Classes
- First through Fourth, each Obedience and Rally Class
- Best Altered • Best of Opposite Sex Altered
- First through Fourth Prize, each Altered Class
- Best In Veteran Sweepstakes • Best of Opposite Sex in Veteran Sweepstakes
- First thru Fourth - Veteran Sweepstakes class
- Best in Triathlon – Turquoise and Purple
- Second thru Tenth in Triathlon – Turquoise and Purple

## **TROPHIES**

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*The following trophies will be Navajo Horsehair pottery unless otherwise specified. A complete list of donors will be listed in the catalog.*

**BEST OF BREED:** Hand sculpted bronze in loving memory of Lila, Grand Prix's Marquee donated by Mike and Linda Johnson.

<b>BEST OF BREED</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery • 10 inch commemorative plate
<b>BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery • 10 inch Commemorative Plate
<b>BEST OF WINNERS</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>WINNERS DOG</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>WINNERS BITCH</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>RESERVE WINNERS DOG</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>RESERVE WINNERS BITCH</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>BEST PUPPY</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>BEST VETERAN</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery
<b>BEST PERFORMANCE DOG</b> .....	Navajo Horsehair pottery

### **ALL REGULAR and NON-REGULAR CLASSES**

First Place: 10 inch Commemorative Plate

Second, Third and Fourth Places: 8 inch Commemorative Plate

**All Veteran Participants Other than First Place receive an 8 inch Commemorative Plate**

### **GENERAL TROPHY DONATIONS**

If you wish to donate to the Trophy Fund please send by March 1, 2010 to:

Donna Lynch, 35 Sisson Farm Lane, Westport, MA 02790

DDLHamrya@aol.com or 508-636-0705.

## **CHALLENGE TROPHIES**

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*The following Challenge Trophies are offered at the AWC National Specialty only and shall remain in the custody of the Club until permanently retired. For permanent possession, all Challenge Trophies must be won three times by the same owner or owners, not necessarily with the same dog.*

### **BEST OF BREED**

THE SPORTING FIELD CHALLENGE TROPHY, offered by Mrs. James E. Butt, in honor of Ch. Sporting Field's Clansman.

BOHEM CHALLENGE TROPHY, 19th century bronze "Whippet With A Ball" by P.J. Mene, mounted on a black walnut base with silver plaque. Donor will provide engraved plaque of winner' names. Donated by Bo Bengtson.

THE COURTENAY FLEETFOOT OF PENNYWORTH MEMORIAL TROPHY, Sterling silver ink well set offered By Margaret P. Newcombe.

THE PATRICK J. PETIT MEMORIAL TROPHY, Sterling silver Whippet sculpture by Damara Bolte mounted on wooden base, offered by Pennyworth Kennels, and friends of Patrick J. Petit.

THE LOCAR CHALLENGE TROPHY, Bronze Whippet sculpture on wooden base offered by Carol Curry in loving memory of Ch. Locar's Royal Doulton.

### **BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST OF BREED**

THE CHELSEA CHALLENGE TROPHY, Statue of running Whippets mounted on a wooden base offered by Lee and Deann Christianson in memory of SBIS Ch Chelsea Drakkar of Oxford, JC, FCh, ROMX

### **BEST OF WINNERS**

THE SHAMASAN CHALLENGE TROPHY, Twelve inch, silver-plated Revere bowl.

THE RAINTREE CHALLENGE TROPHY, Silver-plated champagne cooler, in honor of Ch. Sporting Fields Alexis offered by David Hinton.

## **WINNERS DOG**

THE SNOWFLIGHT CHALLENGE TROPHY, Nine inch Silver-plated Revere bowl, offered in loving memory of Ch. Folquin Snowflight.

## **WINNERS BITCH**

Nine inch silver-plated Revere bowl, in loving memory of Ch. Gold-Dust Twenty Four Karat

## **BEST BRED-BY-EXHIBITOR DOG**

Silver-plated bowl mounted on a walnut base, offered by Isabell Stoffers, in loving memory of Am. Mex.BIS, Ch. Runner's He the Continental. Donor will provide a silver plate for permanent possession by the winner.

## **BEST BRED-BY-EXHIBITOR BITCH**

Silver-plated bowl mounted on a walnut base, offered by Isabell Stoffers, in loving memory of Am. Mex.BIS, Ch. Runner's Our Own Charisma. Donor will provide a silver plate for permanent possession by the winner.

## **BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR**

THE HALSTAN CHALLENGE TROPHY, Bronze whippet sculpture mounted on wooden base, offered by Dee Halley and Rhonda Gifford in loving memory of Stan Halley, Hounds of Halstan.

THE STONEY MEADOWS MEMORIAL TROPHY, Bronze Whippet relief mounted on a plaque, offered by Doris Wear, Stoney Meadows in memory of William Potter Wear.

## **BEST PERFORMANCE DOG**

Winners of the lure coursing and racing classes (dog and bitch) will compete. The Wistwind Memorial - Humane Purse of \$100.00 donated to the dog related charity of the winner's choice in memory of Greg and Carolyn Mountan. A wooden plaque with a montage of Greg, Carolyn and Wistwind dogs will have the winners name engraved on it.

## **BEST VETERAN**

THE WHISPA CHALLENGE TROPHY, Bronze sculpture by Kathleen O'Bryan Hedges of two Whippets playing in honor of Int. Am. and JKC Ch. Bohem Circus Pony offered by Mrs. Fuki Yoshimoto.

## **FIRST PLACE JUNIOR VETERAN DOG 7-10 Years Old**

Six inch silver-plated Revere bowl on a walnut base, offered by Carol Willumsen, in loving memory of Ch. Willcare's Believe You Me, CD

## **FIRST PLACE INTERMEDIATE VETERAN DOG 10-12 Years Old**

MAC CHALLENGE TROPHY, A bronze Whippet head mounted on wooden plaque in memory of Ch. Summit Autumn Fleecewood Mac SC offered by Dr. Todd Miller and Susan Vernon.

## **FIRST PLACE SENIOR VETERAN DOG**

Silver-plated champagne cooler on a wooden base, offered by Barbara L. Henderson, VMD, and Bo Bengtson, in loving memory of Ch. Hardknott Maestro of Bohem, ROMX

## **FIRST PLACE JUNIOR VETERAN BITCH**

Six inch silver-plated Revere bowl on walnut base, offered by Carol Willumsen, in loving memory of Ch. Willcare's Decoupage.

THE WHIPOO MEMORIAL TROPHY, Bronze tone metal vase with embossed Whippet figure mounted on a wooden base offered by Dr. Connie Brunkow in memory of Eugene Jacobs.

## **FIRST PLACE SENIOR VETERAN BITCH**

Silver-plated water pitcher, offered by Carol Willumsen, in loving memory of Ch. Willcare's Collage.

## **FIRST PLACE STUD DOG**

Silver-plated Revere bowl mounted on a wooden base, offered by Dianne T. Bleecker, in loving memory of Ch. Morshor's Whirlaway.

Silver-plated champagne cooler, offered by Dick and Barbara Rupert, in loving memory of Ch. Rollings Viktor.

STARLINE MEMORIAL TROPHY, In memory of Ch. Starline's Reign On, JC, ROMX, offered by Starline, Carey and Lori Lawrence.



### **FIRST PLACE BROOD BITCH**

Silver-plated champagne cooler, offered by Richard and Jane Wallach.

### **AKC LURE COURSING**

THE DREAM TROPHY, In honor of "Sassy" DC TnT's Dream Girl MC, LCX3, LCM2, CR, OTR. Awarded to the Top AKC Lure Coursing Dual Champion Whippet. The winner will receive a traveling plaque to commemorate the win.

### **TRIATHLON CHAMPION**

JACK McMANUS MEMORIAL TROPHY, Whippet relief on wooden plaque with the Triathlon logo. Offered by Charlotte McManus and the American Whippet Club.

THE LOUISE PEGRAM CHALLENGE TROPHY. A whippet statue on a wooden base offered by Ralston Purina Company to honor the Triathlon Champion. Ralston Purina will award a bronze medallion and a \$50 check to the winner of the Triathlon competition.

### **VERSATILITY COMPETITION CHAMPION**

THE TJ CHALLENGE TROPHY, in honor of the first winner of the AWC Versatility Competition (April 2007), DC Can. Ch. Belaya Cirquedusoleil SC AX AXJ RN CGC FCh, Registered Therapy Dog. The trophy is awarded for the overall Winner of the AWC Versatility Competition and is a wooden plaque with a solid brass bas-relief standing Whippet and a brass plate for the engraving of each year's winner. Offered by Belaya Whippets, Carol Chittum and Celeste Carter.

**THE SELECT AWARD** – Often at a National Specialty the number of quality dogs in competition far exceeds the number of top awards available. The judge must choose only one Best of Breed and one Best of Opposite Sex. The awarding of a Select Rosette acknowledges that the animal was under consideration for Best of Breed or Best of Opposite Sex. The judge is indicating their recognition of an exceptional animal who could, on another day, merit a top award. The American Whippet Club allows for ten Select Awards to be presented in addition to Best of Breed and Best of Opposite Sex. The judge may, at their discretion, award all or none of the rosettes. Receiving a Select Award is indeed a significant honor.

**SELECT AWARDS:** 10 inch Commemorative Plate and Turquoise and Purple Rosette

### **OBEDIENCE CHALLENGE TROPHIES**

*Unless otherwise specified, the Challenge trophies are offered for the highest scoring Whippet from the regular Obedience classes. Challenge trophies are offered under the following conditions: To be won three times by the same exhibitor, not necessarily with the same dog, for outright ownership. Dogs may be owned by the handler or by any other person. Until won permanently, the trophy will remain in the hands of the American Whippet Club.*

THE DODGER CHALLENGE TROPHY: Brass with bronze overlay Whippet statue mounted on a wooden base with a plaque. Offered by Joan Lessor in honor of 3 time AWC High In Trial Winner Ch. U-CDX Deep Woods Light Brigade, UD.

JERSEY RAG RACERS ASSOCIATION Inc. offers a challenge trophy to the highest scoring Whippet competing in an obedience trial regular or non-regular class that ALSO competes in a conformation regular or non-regular class. Whippet statue on wooden base. JRRWA will provide an engraved picture frame for permanent possession by the winner. NOTE: Dog must compete in the classes, not just be entered.

### **OBEDIENCE TROPHIES**

*A complete list of prizes and donors will be listed in the catalog.*

Highest Scoring Dog from the Regular Obedience Classes - Navajo Horsehair Pottery

Highest Combined Score from Open B & Utility: Navajo Horsehair Pottery

Second Highest Scoring Dog from the Regular Obedience Classes: Navajo Horsehair Pottery

Highest Scoring Dog from the Non-Regular Obedience Classes: Navajo Horsehair Pottery

Highest Scoring Dog from the Veterans Class: Navajo Horsehair Pottery

## **ALL REGULAR and NON-REGULAR CLASSES**

First Place: 10 inch Commemorative Plate

Second, Third and Fourth Place: 8 inch Commemorative Plate

*(Placements must have received a qualifying score)*

ALL Entrants receiving a qualifying score of 170 or above will receive a Dark Green Qualifying Rosette.

## **ADDITIONAL OBEDIENCE AND RALLY AWARDS**

*Exhibitors MUST register with the Obedience Chairman to be eligible for these awards. All prizes are Gift Certificates.*

### **HIGHEST SCORING IN THE FOLLOWING:**

High Score AKC Champion

High Score with a Lure Coursing Title

High Score with an Agility Title

High Score with an OFC Title

High Score with a Racing Title

**Commemorative Medallion:** Entrants that finish a title at the National will also receive a commemorative bronze medallion offered by the American Whippet Club. You must notify the National Obedience Chair of your dog's accomplishment to receive this medallion.

## **JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP**

**NOVICE CLASS:** For Boys and Girls who, at the time entries close, have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

**OPEN CLASS:** For Boys and Girls who, at the time entries close, have won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

**NOVICE and OPEN CLASSES DIVIDED BY AGE AS FOLLOWS:** 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) 816-3776. **BE SURE ALL INFORMATION** for Junior Showmanship Classes is entered on front and back of entry form.

### **JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP PRIZES**

Best Junior Handler: Navajo Horsehair Pottery; Pink & Green Rosette

First Place in Each Class: 8-Inch Commemorative Plate and Rosette.

## **RAINBOW BRIDGE TABLE**

Have you lost a special whippet or is there a whippet fancier who has passed that was someone special to you? Celebrate their contributions to the Whippet Community at the AWC's Rainbow Bridge Table. Each year the whippet community loses some very important members, both human and canine. The AWC National Specialty show offers the fancy a chance to pay tribute to those very special members who have gone on to the Rainbow Bridge. You can play a vital role in the success of the Rainbow Bridge Table by bringing a picture, collage or item that will allow the fancy to pay tribute to them. However, to provide proper space for each, you must send us your entry ahead of time. Please provide the following information with your entry:

- For whippets – call name, full registered name and any titles, kennel name and date of birth and death and the names of the person/persons sponsoring them.
- For a human tribute – their full name, kennel name and date of birth and death and the person/persons sponsoring them.

Also, we welcome donations to help support floral arrangements, banner and table setup cost. Please send your entries and donations by March 15th to:

Nancy Billups, 4801 Redding Road, Amarillo, TX 79108

806-381-0601 cloudnnewhippets@gmail.com

## **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

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**RULES:** All entrants must be 7 years of age or older, and NEED NOT be entered in the Specialty. The Veteran Sweepstakes is open to both Champions and Non-Champions. Entries shall be made at the same time and on the same entry form as for Regular Classes. NOTE: Spayed/Neutered Veterans are eligible for entry in the Veteran Sweepstakes.

### **Veteran Sweepstakes Classification – All Classes are divided by Sex**

Over 7 years and Under 10 years • Over 10 years and Under 12 years • Over 12 years

**Money Prizes** – 25% of the entry fees will be retained by the AWC for expenses. The remainder (rounded to the nearest dollar) will be divided as follows: First 40%; Second 30%; Third 20% ; Fourth 10%.

### **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES**

**Best in Veteran Sweepstakes:** Glass Wind Chime by The Mutt Hutt; Green & Pink Rosette.

**Best of Opposite Sex in Veteran Sweepstakes:** Glass Wind Chime by The Mutt Hutt; Lavender Rosette.

**First Place in each class:** Stuffed Whippet Toy by The Mutt Hutt

**First thru Fourth in all classes:** Rosette

## **FUTURITY**

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**Futurity Exhibitors Please Note** There is **NOT** a separate premium list for the Futurity. Enter Futurity as an additional class, noting the different Futurity age division in the Additional Class blank. Futurity class entries close same date as Specialty.

### **FUTURITY AGE DIVISIONS – DIVIDED BY SEX**

6 Months & Under 8 Months • 8 Months & Under 10 Months  
10 Months & Under 12 Months • 12 Months & Under 14 Months  
14 Months & Under 18 Months.

### **PARADE OF PAST FUTURITY AND MATURITY WINNERS**

Tuesday preceding the judging of Best in Futurity, there will be a Past Winners Parade. The following dogs are eligible for exhibition: Any past Futurity or Maturity winner. Each entrant will receive a rosette. This is strictly a "Parade". There will be no judging of past winners. For further information and to register for the Past Winners Parade contact:

**Kathy Slater**

241 Prairietown Rd., Dorsey, IL 62021

618-585-4677

E-mail: [AWCFuturity@aol.com](mailto:AWCFuturity@aol.com)

**NOTE:** Registration deadline for Past Futurity/Maturity Winners is March 1, 2010

### **FUTURITY RIBBON PRIZES**

First Place ..... Rose Rosette  
Second Place ..... Brown Rosette  
Third Place ..... Light Green Rosette  
Fourth Place ..... Gray Rosette  
Best in Futurity ..... Pink and Green Rosette

## FUTURITY NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS & RULES

- The Futurity is sponsored by the American Whippet Club and is exclusively for the competition of puppies and juniors between 6 months and 18 months of age.
- The Futurity is open to all breeders of AKC registered whippets in good standing with the American Kennel Club and the American Whippet Club.
- Puppies eligible for the 2010 Futurity must be out of Futurity nominated bitches and whelped on or before October 20, 2009.
- The bitch must be nominated prior to whelping. The official Bitch Nomination Form, along with the fee of \$20 and copies of current CERF certificates for both the sire and dam, must be sent to the Futurity Chairman and postmarked prior to the whelping date.
- CERF exams for both the sire and dam must have been completed before the breeding date. (This is effective starting with the 2012 Futurity). Copies of CERF Certificates or a copy of the application for a CERF Certificate (the actual exam paperwork marked normal in both eyes) must be submitted for both the sire and dam with the Bitch Nomination Form. CERF examinations are valid for one year.
- If the sire or dam of the litter being nominated is 10 years of age or older, a current CERF exam is not required for that dog. HOWEVER, the dog must have had and passed at least one CERF exam between the ages of 8 and 10 years. A copy of the last CERF Certificate must be submitted with the Bitch Nomination Form.
- Late bitch nominations are accepted if they are postmarked prior to the litter turning 6 weeks old. The fee for a late nomination is \$75. Breeders of late nominated bitches waive their right to nominate and vote for the Futurity Judge.
- The official Litter Nomination Form, along with the fee of \$25 and a four-generation pedigree, must be postmarked prior to the litter turning 3 months old.
- To enter the Futurity, puppies must be entered in a Regular Conformation Class *and* the appropriate Futurity Class as an 'additional' class at the AWC National they were nominated and are eligible for.
- Puppies are only eligible to be shown in one Futurity; the first Futurity that they are at least 6 months of age.
- Futurity Classes will be divided according to age and sex as follows:

Dogs 6-8 months	Bitches 6-8 months
Dogs 8-10 months	Bitches 8-10 months
Dogs 10-12 Months	Bitches 10-12 Months
Dogs 12-14 Months	Bitches 12-14 Months
Dogs 14-18 Months	Bitches 14-18 Months
- The winner of each class will compete for Best In Futurity.
- In the event that the date of the AWC National is later in April than the previous year, the age limit shall be increased and the nominees affected shall be eligible for competition in the 14-18 Month classes.
- The Futurity Judge is chosen by a two-step process by breeders of nominated bitches who are members in good standing of the American Whippet Club.
- Step 1: Ballots are sent to the First AWC Member listed as breeder on the Bitch Nomination Form. For each nominated bitch, the breeder/or breeders may submit one slate of two names. One ballot will be accepted for each bitch nominated. Once those breeders have voted (nominated), they may not vote (nominate) again during the current year. It is up to the breeder(s) to decide which litter they wish to be considered eligible on if they are listed as a breeder or co-breeder on other litters. All eligible breeders must nominate two (2) different names of any person with the qualification of "hands on experience" with the Whippet breed. These people must be in good standing with the AKC.

- Step 2: Ballots are again sent to the First AWC Member listed as breeder on the Bitch Nomination Form. The breeder/or breeders will select two (2) names from the final list of a minimum of six (6) names. The nominees will be queried as to their willingness to judge the event by the sequence established in the balloting process. The alternate Judge will be selected by the second greatest number of votes. The nominee who accepts this nomination will be assigned as an alternate.
- “Late” bitch nominations forfeit their right to ballot for the Futurity Judge.
- Prize Money – 35% of entry & nomination fees will be retained by the Futurity for expenses. 35% of the remainder will be given to the Best In Futurity winner. The remainder will be divided as follows: 40% for First Place, 30% for Second Place, 20% for Third Place and 10% for Fourth Place. Prize money shall be awarded to the breeder/breeders only. If an owner or exhibitor of the winning dog is not the breeder, and the breeder is not present, a check will be mailed directly to the breeder. It is between the breeders, exhibitors and owners to decide possession of any awards or cash prizes presented for any wins.
- Entry fees will be retained in the event a nominated bitch or puppy is found to be ineligible under any of the above conditions.

### **FUTURITY TROPHIES**

**The Ch. Fenwick of Whippoorwill Memorial Trophy** - The AWC will retain possession of this trophy. The winner of Best In Futurity will be engraved on a wooden base that accompanies the trophy. The owner of Best In Futurity will receive a separate trophy as a memento of the win.

**Best in Futurity:** Navajo Horsehair Pottery offered by the American Whippet Club, Inc.

**Best In Futurity.** Horsehair Pottery offered by Jane Cooney-Waterhouse, Darjeeling Whippets

#### ***Class Trophies Offered by The American Whippet Club***

First in Each Class: American Whippet Club Medallion

Second, Third and Fourth in Each Class: American Whippet Club Charm

### **PRIZE MONEY**

**Money Prizes:** 35% of entry fees will be retained by the Futurity for expenses. Remainder divided as follows: First 40%; Second 30%; Third 20%; Fourth 10%. Prize money shall be awarded to the breeder/breeders only. If an owner or exhibitor of the winning dog is not the breeder, and the breeder is not present, a check will be mailed directly to the breeder. It is between the breeders, exhibitors, and owners to decide possession of any awards or cash prizes presented for any wins.

### **ALTERED DOG AND BITCH COMPETITION**

This competition is open to all altered dogs and bitches over the age of 6 months. All breed and AKC disqualifications apply. Altered dogs over 7 years may be entered in the Veteran Classes. First in each division will compete for Best Altered and Best of Opposite Sex Altered.

Class Divisions: Each class is divided by sex.

6 months to 12 months • 12 months to 18 months • Open

#### **ALTERED COMPETITION PRIZES**

**Best and Best Opposite Trophies offered by Members of Whippet World**

**Best Altered**-Navajo Horsehair Pottery, 10 inch Commemorative Plate and Rosette

**Best of Opposite Sex to Best Altered** - Navajo Horsehair Pottery, 10 inch Commemorative Plate and Rosette

**First Place in Each Class:** Martingale Lead offered by DogWalkers, Patience Renzulli

**First thru Fourth in all classes:** Rosette

**CAUTION: Do not leave dogs in closed vehicles.** A closed vehicle can rapidly overheat with tragic consequences. In the event a vehicle must be entered to rescue a dog from overheating or suffocation due to improper ventilation, all persons hereby waive any claim for damages against the Club, its members or agents. This is a State Law in Arizona under the Cruelty to Animals Act and is a Class 1 Misdemeanor.

## CANINE GOOD CITIZEN TESTING

We are happy to announce that we will be conducting CGC tests during the week of the National. The CGC Test is noncompetitive and dogs are not required to perform with the same precision required in formal obedience.

We are asking that you pre-register so that we may schedule the testing when it is convenient. Owners of dogs that pass all 10 items of the CGC test may order an official CGC certificate from the AKC and will receive a qualifying ribbon from the AWC.

**The cost will be \$5.00 per exam**

**PLEASE USE ENTRY FORM TO ENTER YOUR DOG(S) IN CGC.**

### 2010 AWC National Specialty Canine Good Citizen Testing Reservation Form Deadline: March 17, 2010

The CGC Program is a program that is designed to certify dogs that have the training and behaviors needed to be reliable, well-behaved members of their families and communities. This is not an obedience trial, it is much more relaxed. We are asking that you pre-register so that we may schedule the testing when it is convenient. **Fee: \$5.00**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of dogs to be tested: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **RULES AND INFORMATION FOR ALL OWNERS:**

- There is no age limit for dogs taking the CGC test. The exception to this is that with any AKC event they must be at least 6 months of age.
- All tests must be performed on leash. Dogs should wear well-fitting buckle or slip collars (including martingales) made of leather, fabric, or chain. Special training equipment such as harnesses, pinch collars and head collars are not permitted.
- Dogs with disabilities such as the loss of a leg, deafness, or blindness in one eye are welcome in the Canine Good Citizen Test.

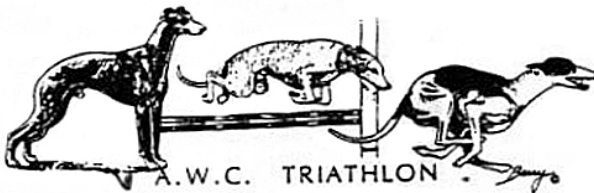
#### **The 10 test items are:**

- ITEM 1: ACCEPTING A FRIENDLY STRANGER
- ITEM 2: SITTING POLITELY FOR PETTING
- ITEM 3: APPEARANCE AND GROOMING
- ITEM 4: OUT FOR A WALK (WALKING ON A LOOSE LEASH)
- ITEM 5: WALKING THROUGH A CROWD
- ITEM 6: SIT AND DOWN ON COMMAND/STAYING IN PLACE
- ITEM 7: COMING WHEN CALLED
- ITEM 8: REACTION TO ANOTHER DOG
- ITEM 9: REACTION TO DISTRACTIONS
- ITEM 10: SUPERVISED SEPARATION

Owners of dogs that pass all 10 items of the CGC test may order an official CGC certificate from the AKC and will receive a qualifying ribbon from the AWC and may order an official CGC certificate from the American Kennel Club. *Please mail this form with Entry Fee to:*

**Irene Mullauer**

**4291 W Beyer Rd., Duluth, MN 55803 / 218-721-4049**



## 16th Annual AWC Triathlon

The AWC Triathlon competition was developed to recognize whippets that excel in three areas of competition: conformation, lure coursing and obedience or agility. The 16th annual competition is open to all whippets entered in eligible Conformation, Obedience/Agility and Lure Coursing Stakes at the 2010 AWC National Specialty in Tucson, Arizona. To acknowledge the dogs that excel in all three areas of competition, there will be 10 placement awards.

### Triathlon Trophies

**First Place in Triathlon:** 10 -inch commemorative plate.

**Second through Tenth Place:** 8-inch commemorative plate.

**First through Tenth Place:** Two-tone martingale collar and lead with a brass plate on the collar with placement engraved. Designed by Bolduc Leather and offered by Cora Miller of Hound Hill Whippets.

**First through Tenth Place:** Rosette.

### 2010 AWC National Triathlon Rules and Scoring

The total raw scores for all three events will be added together. At the completion of all three events, the dog with the highest point total will be declared the 2010 Triathlon Champion.

**Conformation:** The base score for conformation is determined by the judge in the Triathlon conformation class. A numeric score will be given utilizing a Conformation Score Sheet based on the breed standard having a perfect score of 100. The 4 top scoring dogs will be ranked first through fourth place. The high scoring dog will be High Score in Conformation (HCS). This is not an actual award but is utilized in the case of breaking ties as listed below.

**Lure Coursing:** The AKC trial that will be held on Sunday, April 18 is the official AWC trial and should be used in the Triathlon. The base score for lure coursing is the total final perfect score of points.

**Obedience:** The base score for obedience is the highest total points earned in any single-dog entry Obedience trial class. NOTE: Non-qualifying scores are utilized in calculating the total score. The base score for obedience is a perfect score of 200 points. Only one obedience class will count toward the final triathlon score and that class must be declared on the entry form below. For example, if you are entering a dog in the Veteran Class and Novice B class, you can only count one score for your obedience points. You cannot participate in both events and choose the highest score. Rather, you must declare the class to be scored for Triathlon on your entry form and this will be the only scored used for this portion of the triathlon.

### Bonus Points

There will be no Bonus Points awarded for placements. The total of the raw scores will be used. In the case of a tie, placements will be utilized for tie breaker points. Placements will be given points of 4, 3, 2, and 1 for First through Fourth place in a four-dog or more class. Only 1 point will be awarded for a one-dog class, 2 points and 1 point for a two-dog class, and 3 points, 2 points, and 1 point for a three-dog class. BIF, HIT and HCS will be utilized as final tiebreakers in that order, used only after all placement tie-breaker points have been awarded. To qualify for triathlon placements, dogs must compete in all three events. If a dog does not compete in an event or receives a 0 score from an event, then they are automatically disqualified from the Triathlon. The 2010 triathlon competition is designed to reward dogs who compete in all three events and receive scores in all three events. Therefore, the top 10 awards will reflect the spirit of the competition. Upon receipt of your entry form, entry into the Triathlon Conformation class is automatic.

## TRIATHLON ENTRY FORM

The Triathlon Chairman will handle the automatic entry in the Triathlon Conformation Class. Entries in any regular Conformation, Obedience or Lure trial stake are the responsibility of the owner.

**NOTE:** There will be a \$10 entry fee required for the Triathlon. Please send this entry with the entry form below and this must be received by the entry deadline or your dog will not be eligible to compete in the 2010 AWC Triathlon.

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Registered Name (please be sure to include *all* titles):

\_\_\_\_\_

AKC #: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone [\_\_\_\_\_] \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Obedience Classes(es) Entered: \_\_\_\_\_

Lure Coursing Stake Entered: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail entries to:

Rachel Gongre • 1975 Pimucua Trail • Middleburg, FL 32068

Contact Information: Todd Miller • 217-304-6120 (c) • jomyrwhipt@aol.com

E-mail entries are acceptable but a check and entry must be received (not just postmarked) on the date of closing for your dog to be eligible for competition.

**ENTRIES CLOSE** Wednesday, March 17, 2010 (same day as regular class entry closing date)

### **SEMEN COLLECTION AND FREEZING**

Kansas City K-9 Reproduction Services, Inc will be on site for semen collection and freezing during the 2010 AWC National Specialty. Collections will be made by appointment only. We will be offering this service at a "show special" price of 285.00 a collection plus storage fees.

For questions, or to schedule an appointment, please contact Kathy Rasmussen 913-634-8141  
KCK9Reproduction@aol.com • www.KCK-9Reproduction.com



## ***AWC VERSATILITY COMPETITION***

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The AWC Versatility Competition was developed to recognize whippets that excel in four areas of competition: conformation, lure coursing, rally, and agility. The competition is open to all whippets entered in eligible conformation, rally, agility classes, and lure trial stakes offered at the 2010 AWC National Specialty in Tucson, Arizona. Teams may enter both the Triathlon and the Versatility Competition.

### **2010 AWC National Versatility Competition Rules and Scoring**

Teams will be given ranks based on their scores in the respective competitions. The ranks will be averaged with the lowest total average winning.

**Conformation:** The raw score for conformation is determined by the judge in the Versatility conformation class. A raw score will be given utilizing a Conformation Score Sheet based on the breed standard having a perfect score of 100. Dogs will be ranked according to the raw score received. This year's conformation judge will be Phoebe Booth. Handlers with multiple dogs will need to find helpers to bring their dog into the ring and for a final go around. ILP dogs may compete in this class.

**Lure Coursing:** Dogs will be ranked based on their total raw score regardless of stake entered with the versatility competition dog getting the highest score receiving a rank of 1, the second highest score receiving a rank of 2, and so on until all competitors are ranked.

**Rally:** Dogs that qualify will be ranked according to their class and then their raw score. Qualifying dogs competing in Rally Excellent A and B will be ranked first, then qualifying dogs in Rally Advanced A and B, and finally dogs in Rally Novice A and B. Non-qualifying dogs will be ranked by class with all NQ dogs in the same class receiving the same rank. Dogs that compete in both Rally Advanced and Rally Excellent must declare which class they want scored on their entry form; only ONE class is allowed for scoring and must be declared at the time of entry.

**Agility:** Dogs must enter both the Standard and Jumpers classes. Qualifying dogs will be ranked in the same manner as rally according to class (Excellent, Open, Novice in that order) and then raw score. Non-qualifying dogs will also be ranked as in rally. Dogs entering preferred classes will be scored in the corresponding class (Excellent, Open, Novice.) However, dogs that normally run in regular classes may not enter a preferred class solely for the purposes of this competition. The raw scores from the Standard and JWW classes will be added together and divided by 2 to get a final agility ranking.

**Ties:** For tie scores, each dog will receive the same rank with the next highest scoring dog receiving a lower rank depending on how many dogs tie. For example, if dog A and dog B receive a score of 285 and dog C receives a 283, dog A and B would receive a rank of 1 and dog C would receive a rank of 3.

**Overall Placement:** The ranks from lure coursing, rally, agility, and conformation will be added together and divided by 4 to receive the final score for overall placements. In the case of ties, raw scores will be used in this order: Lure Coursing, Conformation, Agility, and Rally. All dogs must be handled by their owner in all sports (including conformation).

### **VERSATILITY COMPETITION AWARDS AND TROPHIES**

First Place: Large Rosette and Silver Photo Album (The Calvin Prize)

Second through Tenth Place: Rosette

The Calvin Prize is awarded annually to the winner of the Versatility Competition in honor of BIF, DC, UGRCH, UAGII, UCD Appraxis Callaban Kristobel, CD, MC, LCM3, V-FCH, NA, NAJ, OJP, NAP, CGC, CAVX by Fred and Bobbie Lutz. It is a silver photo album with space for the winner to engrave their dog's name.

## VERSATILITY COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

The Versatility Competition Chairman will handle the automatic entry in the Versatility Competition Class. Entries in any regular conformation, rally and agility class and lure coursing stakes are the responsibility of the owner. There is \$10 entry fee required for the Versatility competition. Dogs must compete in all their events. Dogs must also compete in the Versatility Competition Conformation class, which is for Versatility Competition entrants only. Upon receipt of this entry form, entry into the Versatility Competition Class is automatic.

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC # \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Registered Name (include all titles including non-AKC titles):  
\_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Agility Classes Entered: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Rally Class Entered: \_\_\_\_\_

Lure Coursing Stake Entered: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail entries to:

**John Heffernan**, 99 North Hill Drive, Conway, MA 01341  
413-369-4399, johnheffernan@verizon.net

**ENTRIES CLOSE: Monday, March 17, 2010**

### ***GROOMING AREA***

There will be a grooming area for crating and grooming dogs that are being exhibited on the day. No exercise pens. All dogs **must be removed** from the crating area **immediately after the conclusion of judging each day.**

### ***AKC LURE COURSING***

**Saturday, April 17 — AKC qualifying tests and JC tests**

**Sunday April 18 — AKC Field Trial**

For more info go to [www.awc2010.com](http://www.awc2010.com)

or contact Kellee Livingston, Test and Trial Secretary at:

[Kelleelivingston@balancedanimal.com](mailto:Kelleelivingston@balancedanimal.com) or call 650-368-3145

## **NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW HOTEL RULES**

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The following rules have been established for the good of all exhibitors concerned.

1. Plastic sheeting to be placed under every crate in your hotel rooms. This will keep carpets clean and dry. Plastic sheeting for each crate will be made available upon check in.
2. DOGS MUST BE CRATED WHEN THE OWNER/HANDLER IS OUT OF THE ROOM!! NO EXCEPTIONS.
3. Dogs must be kept on a leash at all times while in the hotel or on the hotel grounds. Rooms must be kept clean of dog debris. NO DOGS ALLOWED IN LOBBY AREA.
4. Dogs should be exercised in designated areas on the hotel premises. EVERY DOG OWNER is expected to pick up after his/her own dog(s) and dispose of the waste in nearby trashcans.
5. NO DOG MAY BE BATHED IN THE HOTEL.
6. Rooms will be inspected **daily** by members of the hotel staff and observed violations or damages will be reported to the hotel management and/or the Investigating Committee. Do not Disturb signs will not be honored for the entire day by the hotel staff.
7. The Investigating Committee, working with a fair and equitable system, is in charge of investigating complaints.
8. Each dog owner/registant is expected to cooperate with the Investigating Committee, hopefully settling damage claims on the spot, or must be willing to furnish information such as insurance policy numbers and other pertinent information required.
9. Should the hotel, for cause, deem it necessary to cancel room privileges, the registrant agrees to forego legal action against the AWC and it's committees, the host club, and or the hotel. This is a condition of entry to the National Specialty.
10. As an exhibitor, be aware that violations may also be referred to the Bench Show Committee if written charges are preferred. If the Bench Show Committee upholds such charges, it may lead to suspension from future show privileges. Charges may also be filed with the AWC, which may lead to expulsion from the Club unless fair and equitable claims are satisfied.
11. Exercise pens will be allowed only in designated areas.
12. If you are leaving the hotel property and are leaving dogs crated in your room, please arrange with another exhibitor who is remaining at the show site to be responsible for your dogs during your absence in case of a problem or emergency. When leaving, provide the front desk with the name and room number (or which RV) where the person who is responsible for your dogs during your absence can be contacted. (Leaving your cell phone number is advisable)

When moving into your hotel room, check it carefully. If you find that there are problems or damage from a prior guest, call the front desk. This could save you any problems should this damage have gone undetected before you check in.

**Important Reminders:** It is **very important** that we all do our best to maintain cleanliness with our dogs at our hotel. There will be designated areas for exercising your dog(s). Don't wait too long to get them out. Go to the shortest route; take baggies with you in case of an accident. Do not walk away from your dog's mess. *Demand* others to clean up after their dogs. Please report someone who is not observing the rules. You may help us in the future to get another hotel! **Bench Show Committee Meeting and Hearing** will be called on anyone who abuses our hotel. The AKC will back us if we have a problem. Inform any of the following people: Cindy Scott, Rhonda Gifford or Connie Boulton if you notice a problem. Please remember to use the plastic sheeting under your crates. Bedspreads will be removed from rooms where dogs are to be kept. **Please leave all other pets at home as they will not be allowed on hotel property – yes that includes being kept in your vehicle. Thank you!**

**NOTE: PLEASE BRING A SHEET FROM HOME TO COVER YOUR BED!!**



## 2010 NATIONAL SPECIALTY CATALOG PRE-ORDER

The 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Specialty Catalogs will be spiral bound with indexed sections. Catalogs will be available one-half hour before Obedience judging on Monday, April 19, 2010. Pre-Order catalogs will be \$20.00. Shipping will be an additional \$7.50. At the show, catalogs will be \$25.00 and quantity will be limited.

**Pre-Orders must be received by April 1, 2010**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Show Pickup \_\_\_\_\_ Please Ship \_\_\_\_\_ Qty: \_\_\_\_\_

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to "AWC" and mail to:

Connie Boulton

11470 E. Escalante Road, Tucson, AZ 85730

(520) 241-0354 Oohlalabouton@q.com

### A SPECIAL PRESENTATION AT THE 2010 AWC NATIONAL SPECIALTY

At the 2009 National Specialty in Atlanta, Bo Bengston's PowerPoint presentation "**100 YEARS-100 WHIPPETS**" attracted so much attention that he has agreed to present it again at this year's national. It was originally prepared for the 2008 Whippet World Conference in Sweden and was considered one of the highlights there. It is based on Bo's older slide shows but has been considerably updated to illustrate how the Whippet has changed (improved?) from its early days at the turn of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century to the dog we know today. The presentation features both famous and not-so-famous dogs from England, USA and many other countries and included some historical illustrations which have never been featured anywhere else.

It has been scheduled to be after breed judging on Friday, April 23 before the Top Twenty Competition. This is something you do not want to miss!

### NAWRA RACING – SATURDAY, APRIL 17th

At the conclusion of the AKC qualifying runs, the River City Racing Association will host a NAWRA race meet. For further information contact Kellee Livingston at:

Kelleelivingston@balancedanimal.com or call 650-368-3145

***2010 AWC NATIONAL SPECIALTY CATALOG ADVERTISING***

The ads for the National Specialty catalog will be a finished size of 4.5" x 7.5". The cost will be **\$60.00** per page with one photo. Additional photos will be **\$10.00** per photo. All photos must be identified on the back – DO NOT use ball point pen. Type or print all information clearly on a sheet of paper that you wish to have in your ad. Please use high quality photos; these will be scanned before sending on to the Superintendent. Photos printed on plain paper will not be accepted. NO ads will be accepted without payment in full. Please include a stamped, self addressed envelope if you would like your photo returned.

**Make all checks payable to the American Whippet Club**

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**Catalog Advertising**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone/Email \_\_\_\_\_

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**Breeders Directory**

We will also offer a Breeder's Directory that will appear in the catalog. The listing fee is **\$15.00**. No photos or logos.

Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone/Email \_\_\_\_\_

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Please send ads, payment and any special instructions to:

Rhonda Gifford

AWC 2010 Catalog Advertising

P.O. Box 1464, Queen Creek, AZ 85142

Phone: (602) 459-9032 awc2010@gmail.com

**DEADLINE FOR ADVERTISING IS MARCH 1, 2010  
ADS RECEIVED AFTER THIS DATE WILL BE RETURNED**

**AWC 2010 NATIONAL SPECIALTY  
RV PARKING RESERVATION FORM**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ License. Plate # \_\_\_\_\_

Type of unit: \_\_\_ Motor home \_\_\_ Trailer Length of Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Tow vehicle \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

Slide outs \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No If yes: \_\_\_ Drivers side \_\_\_ Passengers side

\*Note: Units may not exceed 45' in length. Towed/ towing vehicles must be unhitched & parked in designated area.

Date of arrival \_\_\_\_\_ Please park with\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*We will make every effort to accommodate your request; however we cannot guarantee it.

All parking spaces will be assigned. Units must be parked as directed by the RV Chairperson. No electrical hookups available. No generators may be used without exhaust diversion extension directing exhaust away from your neighbor. Generators cannot be used between the hours of 12 midnight and 6:00 am. Parking is on a gravel lot in front of the hotel.

**Absolutely no fires or grills will be allowed**

Fee: \$175.00 covers all or part of the week – no pro-rations. No reservations will be accepted unless accompanied by full payment. Requirements as outlined in this letter shall be considered a part of the contract for RV Parking space. Applications must be received by **March 1, 2010**.

Number of spaces \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$175.00 each Total \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed with this application \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Return form with check made payable to American Whippet Club and mail to:

Dianne Bowen-RV Parking Chairperson  
470 Oxford Street  
Chula Vista, CA 91911-2807  
619-427-2982  
oxfordwip@sbcglobal.net

## SPECIAL DINNERS AND WRAP-IT-UP PARTY

**Tuesday, April 20, 2010 – Cowboy Cook-Out-** Tossed garden greens with Ranch dressing, 10 oz. New York Steak with Herb Butter, Marinated and Grilled Chicken Breast, Baked Potatoes, Corn on the Cob, Baked Beans, Rolls and Cornbread Muffins, Warm Cherry Cobbler and Apple Pie. **CASH BAR**

**Thursday, April 22, 2010 – Mexican Fiesta –** Ensalada Verde, Tomatoe, Cucumber and Cilantro salad, Cheese Enchiladas, Fajita Bar, Sliced Marinated Steak and Chicken Breast with Pepper and Onions, Flour tortillas and all the condiments, Spanish Rice and Refried Beans, Crisпитos and Churros. **CASH BAR**

**Saturday, April 24, 2010 – Wrap-It-Up Closing Party –** Instead of a buffet-type dinner, we will be having Hors D'oeuvres (hot and cold) along with fruits, cheeses, veggies, dips, desserts, Margarita and Champagne Stations.

### CASH BAR

**Please Note:** There are no refunds or cancellations after April 1, 2010. If you find that you cannot attend after this deadline, please find someone to take your spot. No reservations without payment in full.

Total Number of Cowboy Cook-Out ONLY \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25.00 each                      \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total

Total Number of Mexican Fiesta ONLY \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25.00 each                      \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total

Total Number of Wrap It Up Party ONLY \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25.00 each                      \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total

### Meal Package

#### Cowboy Cook-Out, Mexican Fiesta and Wrap-It-Up Party

Total Number of Package Dinner \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$70.00 each                      \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

#### DEADLINE FOR DINNERS IS MARCH 15, 2010

Make Checks Payable to **AWC** and Mail to:

Connie Boulton

11470 E. Escalante Road

Tucson, AZ 85730

(520) 241-0354

Oohlalabouton@q.com

## 2010 AWC NATIONAL SPECIALTY LOGO SHIRTS

All of the shirts are embroidered designs; full color on upper left front of all shirts. Payment in full must be received by March 15, 2010. Shipping is available for those who will not be at the show. A very limited number of items will be for sale at the National. No returns or exchanges.

**T-Shirts:** Hanes Beefy-T 6.1 oz. 100% Ring Spun Cotton

Colors: White, Ash, Black, Daffodil Yellow, Lavender, Stonewashed Blue

Sizes: Small, Medium, Large, XL, 2XL, 3XL \_\_\_\_\_ **Price: \$20.00**

**Long Sleeve T-Shirts:** Hanes Beefy-T 6.1 oz; 100% Ring Spun Cotton

Colors: White, Black, Dark Chocolate

Sizes: Small, Medium, Large, XL, 2XL, 3XL \_\_\_\_\_ **Price: \$23.00**

**Sweatshirts:** Hanes Ultimate Cotton; 90% cotton/10% poly

Colors: White, Black, Charcoal Heather, Deep Forest

Sizes: Small, Medium, Large, XL, 2XL, 3XL \_\_\_\_\_ **Price: \$30.00**

**Polo Shirts:** PA Silk Touch Sport Shirt; 65/35 Poly/Cotton pique

Colors: White, Light Stone, Hibiscus, Lime, Tropical Pink, Black Ultramarine Blue

Sizes: Small, Medium, Large, XL, 2XL, 3XL \_\_\_\_\_ **Price: \$25.00**

**Ladies L500, Mens K500 - Please list this number when ordering**

ITEM	QTY	COLOR	SIZE	PRICE	TOTAL
			Shipping Charge \$		
			Total Amount Enclosed \$		

Show Pickup \_\_\_\_\_ Please Ship \_\_\_\_\_ (Check One)

Shipping – Items will be shipped USPS Priority Flat Rate Box

1-2 tee/polo shirts or 1 sweatshirt -- \$9.85

2-4 tee/polo shirts or 2 sweatshirts-- \$13.50

Over these quantities-please inquire for shipping costs before sending order

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to **AWC** and mail to:

Connie Boulton

11470 E. Escalante Road, Tucson, AZ 85730

(520) 241-0354 Oohlalaboulton@q.com

**DEADLINE FOR SHIRT ORDERS IS MARCH 15, 2010**



## **WHIPPET HEALTH FOUNDATION HEALTH CLINICS - 2010**

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Once again the Whippet Health Foundation will be conducting health clinics in conjunction with the AWC National in Tucson, Arizona. The following testing will be available: CERF, BAER, Cardiac Echocardiogram, AKC DNA profile testing and Myostatin Deficiency DNA tests from DDC. As we did last year, the WHF will subsidize a portion of the per dog cost for BAER, cardiac and myostatin testing for those owners willing to enter their dogs and test results into the WHF database. While test results from all clinics are confidential, test results released to the WHF Database will be public record (open database).

**Eye Clinic** Thursday, April 22. This clinic will be conducted by Caroline Betbeze, DVM, MS, ACVO. Cost is \$30 per dog. The CERF (Canine Eye Registration Foundation) exam is a once a year test that examines your dogs eyes for inherited eye disease. The exam will require pupil dilation and takes approximately 15 to 20 minutes. This test is required for all sires and dams of futurity nominated litters. Signup sheets for appointments will be available Monday morning in the ballroom. The clinic will run from 8am until finished.

**BAER Hearing Clinic** Tuesday morning, April 20. This clinic will be conducted by Susanne Hughes, DVM. The cost is \$45 per dog (\$25 for database participants). The BAER (Brainstem Auditory Evoked Response) test is a once per lifetime test to definitively determine if your dog can hear from both ears. The test usually takes 10-15 minutes and sedation is not necessary. It is possible for a dog to be deaf in one ear and appear to have normal hearing so it is important to have all whippets checked, particularly animals used for breeding. Signup sheets for appointments will be available starting Monday morning in the ballroom. We will have additional exam time if we run into a conflict with the Futurity. If you are willing to enter both your dog and the BAER result into the WHF database, we will subsidize \$20 of your cost, so you will only pay \$25. These results will be acquired the day of the test.

**Cardiac Echocardiogram Clinic** Wednesday, April 21. This clinic will be conducted by Dr. Whitney Church, Arizona Veterinary Specialists, LLC, Gilbert, AZ. This exam is for anyone wanting a pre-breeding echocardiogram on their dog. The cost of the exam is \$170. If you are willing to enter both your dog and the echocardiogram result into the WHF database, we will subsidize \$50 of your cost, so you only pay \$120. These results will be acquired the day of the test. Only one whippet will be allowed per owner to pre-register but more will be accommodated if time and space allow. If you have additional dogs you want to examine, please let me know when I contact you to schedule your appointment.

**AKC DNA Profile Test** (DNA cheek swab test): \$30/sample, mailed in with all samples following the national.

**Myostatin Deficiency Test** (DNA test for the double muscle gene): \$48/sample (\$28 for database participants), mailed in with all samples following the national. If you are willing to enter both your dog and the test results into the WHF database, we will subsidize \$20 of your cost, so you only pay \$28. These results will be requested from you when available. Swabs will be available during the national from Dr. Lisa Costello. If you will not be attending the national, you can acquire the swabs from DDC and send them along with payment directly to Dr. Costello and she will submit them with all samples following the national specialty (they must be submitted together). These samples must reach her at 14855 Newark Road, Newark, IL 60541 no later than May 31, 2010. If you will not be attending the AWC national and need to order sample collection kits directly, call 1-800-625-0874, or email [contact@vetdnacenter.com](mailto:contact@vetdnacenter.com).

Do not order them from Dr. Costello!

If you have any questions regarding these clinics, please contact Mary Beth Arthur, [marial@wi.rr.com](mailto:marial@wi.rr.com) or 414-355-4776.

**DEADLINE TO PRE-REGISTER IS APRIL 10, 2010**

# HEALTH CLINIC REGISTRATION FORM

Payment MUST accompany signup sheet or have been processed by PayPal on WHF website: [www.whippethealth.org](http://www.whippethealth.org).

**Deadline to Pre-register is April 10, 2010**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

## **BAER Testing (April 20)**

BAER testing: results released to WHF database \_\_\_\_\_ # of dogs @ \$25 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

BAER testing: results remain confidential \_\_\_\_\_ # of dogs @ \$45 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## **ECHOCARDIOGRAM Cardiac (April 21 )**

Echocardiogram: results released to WHF database \_\_\_\_\_ # of dogs @ \$120 ea. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Echocardiogram: results remain confidential \_\_\_\_\_ # of dogs @ \$170 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## **CERF Testing (April 22)**

Number of dogs for CERF testing \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$30 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## **AKC DNA cheek swab test**

Number of dogs for DNA testing \_\_\_\_\_ # of dogs @ \$30 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## **MYOSTATIN DEFICIENCY DNA test (double muscling or bully)**

Myostatin testing: results released to WHF database \_\_\_\_\_ # of dogs @ \$28 ea. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Myostatin testing: results remain confidential \_\_\_\_\_ # of dogs @ \$48 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Make checks payable to the **Whippet Health Foundation, Inc (or WHF) in US funds,**  
or use PayPal at [www.whippethealth.org](http://www.whippethealth.org).

Mail check along with this form to:

Mary Beth Arthur  
12035 West Brown Deer Road  
Milwaukee, WI 53224



## **WRAP Activities at the 2010 AWC National Specialty**

### **All Week**

- Visit the WRAP Table in the vendors' area and meet some of your WRAP Rescuers
- View the slide show of rescues from all over
- Buy raffle tickets; and view the items to be raffled off.

*If you have items to donate for sale at the WRAP table,  
please contact Ruth Beall, rhbeall@hotmail.com.*

### **Wednesday, April 21, 2010 Parade of Rescues**

We are pleased to announce that there will be a Parade of Rescues on Wednesday, April 21, 2010, at 6:00 pm. If you have a rescue Whippet (ANY rescue Whippet – does not have to be a WRAP rescue) can be from a shelter or other rescue group) and wish to participate in the Parade of Rescues, please send the following information to:

Ruth Beall  
rhbeall@hotmail.com  
no later than March 15, 2010

Owner's name / e-mail address / phone number  
Rescue's name / age  
photo of your rescue Whippet, to be included in the  
slide show at the WRAP table  
Short Bio (about 2 paragraphs) on the rescue

### **Thursday , April 22, 2010 WRAP Annual Meeting**

You need not be a member of WRAP to attend. Raffle winners will be announced during the meeting. Please check the WRAP website, <http://www.whippet-rescue.com>, for more information on WRAP activities at the National, raffle tickets available before the National, and Whippet Whiners' Club t-shirt sales.

***We look forward to seeing you all at the National!***



## *AWC Top Twenty Event*

You are invited to celebrate the 20th year of the **Top Twenty Event** held Friday evening, April 23rd, 2010 at the National in Tucson. Posters featuring the Top Twenty winning Whippets (#1 from 1990-1999 and #2 from 2000-2009) will be available to purchase for \$10 each. This year there will be an admission fee to the Top Twenty. This fee will be \$10.00, which will include a Top Twenty catalog and hors d'oeuvres. You may still purchase a catalog without admission for \$6.00. To reserve your admittance, including catalog, or to purchase a catalog or poster(s) alone, please send your order with correct fees to: Linda Waggoner, 54653 Morrison Road, Bandon, Oregon 97411

*2010 AWC National Art Show*  
*Hotel Tucson City Center Innsuites, Tucson, Arizona*  
*April 19 - 24, 2010*

*You are invited to enter the Third AWC Art Show...*

*Categories:*

*Oils/Acrylic*  
*Watercolor/Pastels*  
*Pen/Pencil/Ink/Charcoal*  
*Sculpture*  
*Pottery/Glass*  
*Handcrafts*  
*Photography*

*Classes:*

*Juniors (ages 10-16)*  
*Amateur*  
*Professional*



*Entries Close March 1, 2010*

*Download your entry form at: <http://www.awc2010.com>*  
*(see website for art show rules)*

*Your entry must be mailed by the closing date. Please mail your entry to:*  
*Linda Waggoner, 54653 Morrison Road*  
*Bandon, Oregon 97411*

*If you need further information, please contact:*  
*Linda Waggoner 541-347-2171, 541-290-9171*  
*or [castlecrest@coosnet.com](mailto:castlecrest@coosnet.com)*

# PARADE OF HONORS

Deadline is March 1, 2010 • ENTRY FEE IS \$50.00

Please submit your information as soon as possible

## Eligibility rules are as follows:

1. BOB or BOS at any AWC Specialty
2. BOB at any Specialty in the US
3. BIS at a Hound Group show
4. AKC All Breed BIS Winner
5. AKC Champion and any one of the following: ORC, SORC, RCH, SRCH, WRCH, WRCHX, ARX, SRA
6. AKC Dual Champion (Breed & Field Championships)
7. AKC Champion & LCM or LCX
8. AKC Obedience Trial Champion (OTCh)
9. AKC Champion & CDX, UD, UDX
10. High in Obedience Trial at any AKC All Breed Show or AWC National Specialty
11. AKC Champion & TDX or VST (Variable Surface Tracking) (new)
12. AKC Champion & MX or AX (Master Agility Excellence or Agility Excellent)
13. AKC Champion & FMCh. or FGDC. (Flyball Master Champion, Flyball Grand Champion)
14. Whippet ranked #1 by a nationally recognized system
15. AWC ROMX

**Please circle the specific accomplishments above that entitle this Whippet to participate in the Parade.**

Entrants will receive:

1. Half page catalog ad
2. Exhibition in Parade
3. Giant Commemorative Rosette
4. Inclusion of Photo in the AWC Library

Name of Whippet: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sire: \_\_\_\_\_

Dam: \_\_\_\_\_

Breeder(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: [\_\_\_\_\_] \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit with your entry: 50 words of copy on another sheet, a 4-generation pedigree and a photo (which will remain in the Parade Library after use in the catalog), and \$50.00 entry check payable to AWC to:

**Alice VandenBussche**

12591 Old Rte. 31, Savannah, NY 13146

315-945-2672 evenings • E-mail [alicevand@usa.net](mailto:alicevand@usa.net)

**NOTE:** Entries received on or before March 1, 2010 will be confirmed either by e-mail or regular mail. Entries received after March 1, 2010 will be returned.

## The AWC 2010 Host Hotel

Hotel Tucson City Center, 475 N Granada Avenue, Tucson, Arizona 85701

Hotel Tucson City Center InnSuites its on 10 tranquil resort acres in Downtown Tucson with 3 beautiful courtyards, Olympic Pool, Sand Volleyball, Fitness Center, Business Center (all included) and strives to provide our guests with the highest quality of service, exceptional value and complimentary Tucson hotel amenities you expect when you travel – like a Tucson casual boutique hotel. Our friendly staff is available 24 hours a day to assist guests with any request that they may have during their stay at Hotel Tucson. Join us for our Complimentary Arizona morning healthy hot Breakfast Buffet, Nightly Social Hour and Managers Barbeque the first Wednesday of every month, rain or shine! These and many other **FREE hotel amenities** such as Free High Speed Internet access making the Hotel Tucson City Center InnSuites Conference Suite Resort “Your Suite Choice Value”! We appreciate you, and it shows.

### Hotel Tucson City Center Resort Amenities

Free Airport Shuttle 7AM - 10PM, Free Evening Social Hour  
Free Business Center with High Speed Internet Computers,  
Printer plus Limited Free Copies & Faxes, Free Parking  
PJ's Café/Lounge, Olympic-sized Heated Pool  
Walking and Jogging Trails in adjacent historic Tucson City Center  
Walking distance to Presidio Arts District and Tucson Convention Center  
Free Weekday Newspaper, Fitness Facilities/Spa,  
Guest Barbeque Gas Grills, Guest Laundry, Ice Machines, Beverages  
24 hour Front Desk  
Beautiful Southwest Patio Area & Spacious Courtyards  
Safe Deposit Box

The American Whippet Club has negotiated an outstanding room rate of \$89.00 per night for Studio King (1 bed) and Studio Queen (2 beds) rooms. The Executive/Family Suites are 2 room suites and the rate is \$99.00 for King (1 bed) or Queen (2 beds) and includes a convertible sofa in the living area. **PLEASE NOTE: ALL OF THE EXECUTIVE SUITES ARE SOLD OUT!** They were sold out by September 2009. There are rooms called Jacuzzi Suites. If you are reserving one of these, please make note that these are in the Tower Building (4 stories).

There will be a **\$50.00 NON-REFUNDABLE** cleaning fee for each room. A suggested limit of 4 dogs per room will be allowed and guests are responsible for placing plastic on guest room floor. All unattended dogs must be crated when left in guestrooms. If a guest elects, a **MAXIMUM** of 6 dogs per room will be allowed with an additional **\$25.00 PER DOG** cleaning fee to be assessed for each dog over 4. So please make note that the hotel will NOT accept more than 6 dogs per room and you will be charged accordingly.

Reservations can be made by calling the hotel direct at 1-520-622-3000 or on our web site at: [www.awc2010.com](http://www.awc2010.com). You must state that you will be attending the American Whippet Club Specialty and please let them know if you are coming with dogs or without dogs.

### From I-10 North in Tucson, AZ

Take exit 257 for Speedway Boulevard/St. Mary's Road, stay on frontage road heading south and pass Speedway, the next road will be St. Mary's Road, turn LEFT (East) onto West St Mary's Road, Turn RIGHT (South) onto N Granada Ave to Innsuites Hotel.

### From I-10 South in Tucson, AZ

Take exit 257A St. Mary's Road, turn RIGHT(East) onto St Mary's Road, Turn RIGHT (South) onto N Granada Ave. to Innsuites Hotel.

**ATTENTION EXHIBITORS – ALL ENTRIES FOR THE AGILITY TRIAL  
MUST BE SENT TO THE AGILITY TRIAL SECRETARY.  
DO NOT SEND AGILITY ENTRIES TO BARAY EVENTS**

## **AMERICAN WHIPPET CLUB, INC.**

### **ALL BREED AGILITY TRIAL**

SATURDAY, April 17, 2010 (2010074706)

SUNDAY, April 18, 2010 (2010074708)

Gene C Reid Park

22nd & Country Club Rd, Tucson AZ 85716

**FOR COMPLETE PREMIUM LIST, CONTACT TRIAL SECRETARY**

**Entry form can be downloaded at <http://www.awc2010.com>**

**or at <http://www.barayevents.com>**

Trial hours: 7:00AM to 5:00 PM – Judging to start 8:00AM

This Trial will be held outdoors regardless of weather

### **CLASSES OFFERED in Regular and Preferred:**

Standard Agility Class & Jumpers with Weaves – All levels both days

**ENTRY FEE — \$17.00 per class**

(Includes AKC recording fee of \$3.00)

**This trial is limited to 660 runs per day**

**Entries will be accepted on a “First Received” Basis**

**First Entry not accepted before February 18, 2010 8:00 AM**

Entries requiring recipient signature for delivery will NOT be accepted

**Entries accepted via US mail only for first 24 hours after opening (Limit 10 entries per envelope)**

### **ENTRIES CLOSE 8:00 PM, April 1, 2010**

Entries may not be accepted, cancelled or changed after the closing date  
except **move ups before 6 PM on Monday, April 12, 2010**

Mail entries with fees to **Lisa Shubitz, Trial Secretary**

**4211 N. Bear Claw Way, Tucson, AZ 85749-9600**

Make checks payable to **AMERICAN WHIPPET CLUB, INC.**

*All entries are to be received by the Trial Secretary*

**LISA SHUBITZ**

4211 N. Bear Claw Way, Tucson, AZ 85749-9600

(520) 954-2743 e-mail: [Wanderingstardogtrainers@q.com](mailto:Wanderingstardogtrainers@q.com)

### **JUDGES**

**Alan Arthur - 1361 Woods Dr Roanoke, TX 7626**

Sat – ALL JWW Classes Sun – ALL Std classes

**Robert Long – 9628 Upland St Spring Valley CA 91977**

Sat – ALL Std classes Sun – ALL JWW Classes

## **JUDGES EDUCATION**

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Thank you for your interest in our Judges Educational Seminar and  
Ringside Mentoring to be held in conjunction with our  
2010 AWC National Specialty Show at the  
Tucson City Center Innsuites-475 N. Granada Avenue-Tucson, AZ 85701

Specialty Dates: April 19, 2010 through April 24, 2010  
**Ringside mentoring will be available every day beginning Tuesday, April 20  
Judges Education Program (seminars, ringside mentoring during BOB class  
and hands on workshop): Saturday, April 24th**

*If you would like to attend, please fill out this form and return to:*

Mary Dukes

3000 Low Gap Road, Waxhaw, NC 76036

Phone-704/843-7195 or email form to putupyr@aol.com

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you presently an AKC approved judge for other breeds? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

If, so, what breeds? \_\_\_\_\_

How soon do you plan to apply for Whippets? \_\_\_\_\_

Please give us a few brief words as to your background in dogs \_\_\_\_\_

Your reservation needs to be made no later than March 15, 2010.

Additional scheduling information will be sent to your email address, as it becomes available.

We really enjoy presenting this seminar and we are looking forward to meeting you!

### **ENTRIES, CANCELLATIONS, CHANGES, TRANSFERS**

**FAX ENTRIES:** Fax number: 360-683-6654. \$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](http://www.BarayEvents.com).

**ONLINE ENTRIES:** Web site is **BaRayEvents.com** Follow instructions on Web site. \$2.00 charge per dog per show.

**FEDEX, UPS, AIRBORNE or HAND-DELIVERED:** 203 S. 4th Ave., Sequim, WA 98382.

**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.



# ***Tentative Schedule of Events***

<b>SATURDAY, APRIL 17</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AKC Qualifying Test and JC Test</li> <li>• Agility Trial</li> </ul>
<b>SUNDAY, APRIL 18</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AKC Lure Coursing Trial</li> <li>• Agility Trial</li> </ul>
<b>MONDAY, APRIL 19</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Triathlon/Versatility Conformation Competition</li> <li>• Obedience Trial in the Ballroom</li> </ul>
<b>TUESDAY, APRIL 20</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Futurity Judging</li> <li>• Rally Trial</li> <li>• BAER Hearing Clinic</li> <li>• Cowboy Steak Cook-out</li> </ul>
<b>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breed judging begins</li> <li>• Altered Competition</li> <li>• Parade of Honors, Parade of Rescues</li> <li>• Annual Meeting</li> <li>• Cardiac Echocardiogram Clinic</li> </ul>
<b>THURSDAY, APRIL 22</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breed Judging Continues</li> <li>• Veteran Sweepstakes</li> <li>• Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Brace and Team</li> <li>• Stud Dog Extended Generation</li> <li>• Brood Bitch Extended Generation</li> <li>• WRAP Meeting</li> <li>• Eye Clinic</li> <li>• Mexican Fiesta</li> </ul>
<b>FRIDAY, APRIL 23</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breed Judging Continues</li> <li>• Junior Showmanship</li> <li>• A Century of Whippets Presentation by Bo Bengston</li> <li>• Top 20 Competition</li> </ul>
<b>SATURDAY, APRIL 24</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breed Judging concludes</li> <li>• Best Puppy</li> <li>• Best Bred By Exhibitor</li> <li>• Best Veteran</li> <li>• Best Performance Dog</li> </ul>
<b>6:30 PM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cocktails</li> </ul>
<b>7:30 PM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wrap It Up Party</li> </ul>

***More detailed information will be in the judging program.***