

The Basset Hound Club of America, Inc.

2019 National Specialty:

- AKC National Owner Handled Series Event (NOHS)
- Points may be awarded to Reserve Winners Dog & Reserve Winners Bitch
- Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes
- Junior Showmanship
- Parade of Veterans (Non-Competition)
- 2 -- Obedience Trials (Basset Hounds ONLY)
- 2 -- Rally Trials (Basset Hounds ONLY)



Basset Hound Club of America
National Specialty 🍂 Denver 2019

Friday, September 27, 2019 -- Friday, October 4, 2019

Crowne Plaza Denver Airport Convention Center

15500 East 40th Avenue -- I-70 East

Denver Colorado 80239

303 – 371 – 9494

THE BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. NATIONAL SPECIALTY

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2019 -- FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2019

Event # 2019-004414 -- Specialty & Sweepstakes

Event # 2019-004415 -- Obedience Trial #1 10/1/19

Event # 2019-004421 -- Rally Trial #1 10/1/19

Event # 2019-004416 -- Obedience Trial #2 10/2/19

Event # 2019-004420 -- Rally Trial #2 10/2/19



JUDGING SCHEDULE

AKC Member Club

AKC NATIONAL OWNER-HANDLED SERIES EVENT

TUESDAY OCTOBER 1, 2019 1ST OBEDIENCE TRIAL & RALLY TRIAL

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 2, 2019 2ND OBEDIENCE TRIAL & RALLY TRIAL
PUPPY & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

**THURSDAY OCTOBER 3, 2019 ALL DOG CLASSES Including:
Veteran Dog & Field Trial Dog Classes**

• POINTS may be awarded to RWD & RWB at this National Specialty
**ALL BITCH CLASSES: Including:
Veteran Bitch & Field Trial Bitch Classes**

**FRIDAY OCTOBER 4, 2019 PARADE OF VETERANS – Non-Competition
INTERSEX COMPETITIONS: JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP
BEST OF BREED
Stud Dog; Brood Bitch & Brace Classes**

**LOCATION: Crown Plaza Denver Airport Convention Center 303 – 371 -- 9494
15500 East 40th Avenue -- I-70 East -- Denver Colorado 80239**

**SHOW HOURS: 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. MDT -- Conformation; Obedience & Rally Judging
will be **INDOORS** -- Unbenched**

- Dogs are not required to be at the show until scheduled time of judging. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.
- **BASSET HOUNDS ARE A RAMP DESIGNATED BREED AND MAY ONLY BE EXAMINED ON THE RAMP**

SHOW SECRETARY JAN D CURTIS - 2837 W 49th Street -- Evans CO 80620-9516

www.JDCurtis-ShowSecretary.com Ph: (970) 339 3272 NO FAX JDC_ShowSecretary@msn.com

FOR EMERGENCY USE Cell Phone / Show Secretary (970) 396 6701

First Aid Kit for people & First Aid Kit for dogs -- will be available at the Show Secretary Table
Additional First Aid Kit for dogs -- see Sharon Nance

FOR AKC EVENT CANCELLATION HOTLINE CALL: (877) 252 3229 or VISIT akc.org

EMT / EMERGENCY SERVICESwill be **ON-CALL / 911 during Show Hours**



CERTIFICATION

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

Gina M. Dinaro, Executive Secretary

VETERINARY SERVICES:

**24 HOUR EMERGENCY VETERINARY CARE
7 DAYS A WEEK, 365 DAYS A YEAR**

**VCA Alameda East Veterinary Hospital
9770 E. Alameda Ave., Denver, CO 80247**

Phone: (303) 366-2639

DIRECTIONS FROM CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL AND CONVENTION CENTER: 16 Min, 8.2 miles
Head east toward E 40th Ave; Turn left toward E 40th Ave; Turn left onto E 40th Ave; use the 2nd from the left lane to turn left onto Chambers Rd; Turn right onto the ramp to Aurora; Merge onto I-225 S.

Use the right 2 lanes to take Exit 8 for Alameda Ave (0.4 mi). Follow E Alameda Ave to your destination in Denver (7 min, 2.6 mi); Turn right onto E Alameda Ave (2.6 mi); Turn left. Destination will be on the right, 9770 E. Alameda Ave.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. Additionally, clubs should include any specific local or state health requirements; for example, proof of rabies vaccination.

SHOW SECRETARY WEBSITE www.JDCurtis-ShowSecretary.com

2019 TBHC Specialty / VDSBHC Specialty / BHCA National Specialty:

- PDF Combined TBHC / VDSBHC Judging Schedule – will be posted as soon as possible after closing
- PDF TBHC & VDSBHC Specialty Results – will be posted as soon as possible after the Specialty

2019 BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. OFFICERS OF THE CLUB:

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PHOTOGRAPHER: **PHYLLIS ENSLEY**
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ONLY OFFICIAL SHOW PHOTOGRAPHER MAY TAKE WIN PHOTOS

2019 BHCA NATIONAL SPECIALTY JUDGES

10 / 4 / 2019 ... INTERSEX COMPETITIONS: BEST OF BREED; AKC NOHS B.O.B.;
Stud Dog; Brood Bitch; Brace Classes

DR. JOHAN BECERRA-HERNANDEZ 904 Wimbledon Drive – Melbourne FL 32940

10 / 3 / 2019 ALL DOG CLASSES -- Including: Veteran Dog; Field Trial Dog Classes

MS. MARY ANN CLARK 4782 Turkey Sag Road – Keswick VA 22947

10 / 3 / 2019 ALL BITCH CLASSES -- Including: Veteran Bitch; Field Trial Bitch Classes

10 / 4 / 2019 JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP – ALL CLASSES

MS. CELESTE GONZALEZ 522 Watford Road – Thomasville NC 27360

10 / 2 / 2019 PUPPY & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES – ALL CLASSES:

MS. GAIL ALLEN 527 Patmore Road – Coupeville WA 98239

10 / 1 / 2019 OBEDIENCE TRIAL #1 – ALL CLASSES:

MRS. SUSAN OVIATT-HARRIS 5732 Lennox Court – Castlerock CO 80104

10 / 1 / 2019 RALLY TRIAL #1 – ALL CLASSES:

MR. RONALD V. HORN 5889 South Gilpin Court – Greenwood Village 80121

10 / 2 / 2019 OBEDIENCE TRIAL #2 & RALLY TRIAL #2 – ALL CLASSES:

MS. PATRICIA MAYNARD 1533 Judson Drive – Longmont CO 80501

BHCA SHOW COMMITTEE:

All Officers of the Club, and:

National Specialty Coordinator	Carol Makowski
National Specialty Co-Coordinator	Richard Nance
National Specialty Show Chairman	Richard Nance
National Specialty Treasurer	Melody Fair
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Catalogs / Advertisements	Terri Ralenkottter
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Hunting Performance Tests Secretary	Patti Palmer
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Field Trial Assistant Chairman	Cheryl Long
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Local Information / Hotel Logistics / Local Maps	Malina Dorchak
Table Decorations	Mishka Killgore; Chris Orlikowski; Betty Gene Pearce; Susan Steinway
Welcome Bags	Susan Steinway
Meal Reservations	Sharon Nance
Obedience & Rally Trials Chairman	Debbie Hatt
Raffles	Sukey Shor
RV Parking	Jim Tysseling
Trophies	Mimi Tysseling
Vendors	Shelly Gordon
Tracking Test Chairman	Sue Boyd
Web Site	Chris Orlikowski



Agreement for Videography Services (Page 5 of 5)

Exclusive Video Policy & Release

The professional video services and live streaming at this show are governed by an exclusive video contract with the Club. No other commercial video recording, video recording from a tripod, monopod or other supported camera/device, or any video recording or streaming of large parts or whole classes shall be permitted. The contract terms permit individuals to record small bits of video of their own dogs only, and using handheld devices only (e.g. phone, tablet or small camcorder).

Individuals may post recorded videos of their own dogs to social media (Facebook, YouTube, etc). However, **during show hours LIVE Broadcast Streaming to social media (e.g., Facebook Live) is not permitted.**

Submission of an entry form and/or physical presence on the show grounds shall constitute both implied and real consent for both the handler and the dog to be professionally video recorded and streamed live only by the professional video services as contracted by the Club for this show.

All rights to video record and live stream or otherwise exploit this event and/or the persons or animals participating in it, including the names, likenesses and biographical matter of dogs, owners, handlers, breeders and kennels participating in the event shall belong solely to the show giving Club and/or the American Kennel Club, Inc. No spectator, participant, owner, handler, breeder or kennel shall make commercial use of any video recordings of any person or animal participating in this event without prior written approval from the Club. This event may not be broadcast to social media (e.g. Facebook Live, etc) without prior written approval from the Club.

40 Junction Road - South Berwick, ME 03908 - Telephone: (207) 200-3837
 e-mail: showdogvideopros@gmail.com

BHCA IS OFFERING “ NEW TITLE ROSETTES “ FOR THOSE EARNING TITLES DURING THE BHCA NATIONAL

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS: Judging Schedule contains minor Corrections, Adjustments, Transfers / Move-Ups resulting from final proofing.

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS – FOR ALL EVENTS: Judges are not required to wait for dogs. They will adhere as closely as possible to this Judging Program. Dogs may arrive any time before their judging begins. Dogs not required for further judging will be excused.

Entered in Specialty:	140	dogs	with a total of	208	Specialty Entries
Entered in Obedience Trial #1:	9	dogs/	11	Obedience Trial Entries	
Entered in Rally Trial #1:	17	dogs/	22	Rally Trial Entries	
Entered in Obedience Trial #2:	5	dogs/	7	Obedience Trial Entries	
Entered in Rally Trial #2:	14	dogs/	19	Rally Trial Entries	

- **ALL JUDGING WILL BE HELD IN THE DESIGNATED SPECIALTY / PERFORMANCE RINGS**
- Classes will be judged in the following order. Breaks, in addition to any listed, may be called at the discretion of the BHCA and / or the Judge.

BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

TUESDAY OCTOBER 1, 2019

OBEDIENCE TRIAL #1 & RALLY TRIAL #1 JUDGING PROGRAM

INDOORS -- OBEDIENCE / RALLY (PERFORMANCE) RING

8:00 A.M. OBEDIENCE TRIAL -- JUDGE: MRS. SUSAN OVIATT-HARRIS (11)

Transfers will be allowed at this Obedience Trial per AKC Regulations

Females in season are not permitted to compete. If a female is withdrawn from competition because she came into season and the Event Secretary is notified no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class in the Obedience Trial, the club is required to refund the entry fee, minus a \$5.00 retained processing fee.

WALK-THRUS will be held prior to the start of [Novice A/B; Preferred Novice; Optional Titling Beginner Novice A/B] -- [Open A/B; Preferred Open; Optional Titling Graduate Novice] -- [Utility A/B]

* **AKC RULE CHANGE:** AKC now requires walk-thru's in Obedience only for Novice A and Beginner NA / NB
The judge will be available in the ring during this time period to brief the handlers and answer any questions they might have.

Obedience Classes will be judged in the following order – Judging will begin immediately after each scheduled Walk-Thru:

Regular Obedience Trial Classes:		Armband # -- Followed by Jump Height:			
Walk Thru -- 8:00 a.m.	Utility	B	02 / 10"		
	Utility	A	09 / 10"		
8:25 a.m.	Open	B	02 / 10"	--	09 / 10"
9:00 a.m.	Novice	B	05	--	08
	Novice	A	03 / 10"	--	04

Optional Titling Classes

Walk-Thru 9:50 A.M. Beginner Novice B 01 / 8" -- 06 -- 07

Alternative Titling Classes: NO ENTRIES

- HIGH SCORING DOG IN REGULAR OBEDIENCE CLASSES
- HIGH COMBINED SCORE IN OPEN B & UTILITY B CLASSES
- HIGH SCORING DOG IN ALTERNATIVE TITLING OBEDIENCE CLASSES
- HIGH SCORING DOG IN OPTIONAL TITLING OBEDIENCE CLASSES

10:45 A.M. RALLY TRIAL -- JUDGE: MR. RONALD V HORN (22)
(1st Walk-Thru)

Rally Classes will be judged in the following order. Breaks may be called at the discretion of the TBHC and / or the Judge

Transfers will be allowed at this Rally Trial per AKC Regulations

If a female is withdrawn from competition because she came into season and the Event Secretary is notified no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class in the Obedience Trial, the club is required to refund the entry fee, minus a \$5.00 retained processing fee

10 MINUTE WALK-THRU prior to the start of Excellent B/A; Advanced B/A & Advanced Rally Pairs; Intermediate; Novice B/A & Novice Rally Pairs

The judge will be available in the ring during this time period to brief the handlers and answer any questions they might have. **Judging will begin immediately after each walk-thru.**

		<u>Armband # -- Followed by Jump Height:</u>				
10: 45 A.M.	Rally Master		(2)	R11 / 8"	-- R21 / 8"	
Walk-thru -- 11:00 A.M.	Rally Excellent B	(4)	R10 / 8"	-- R11 / 8"	-- R20 / 8"	
				R21 / 8"		
Walk-thru -- 11:30 A.M.	Rally Excellent A	(1)	R7 / 8"			
	Rally Advanced B	(6)	R-5 (Transfer from Intermediate)			
Walk-thru -- 12:15 P.M.				R8 / 8"	-- R10 / 8"	-- R11 / 8"
				R14 / 8"	-- R21 / 8"	
Walk-thru -- 12:15 P.M.	Rally Advanced A	(1)	R6 / 8"			
	Rally Intermediate	(1)	R9 , / 8"			
Walk-thru – Following Intermediate Class Judging						
	Rally Novice B	(7)	R12 -- R13 -- R15 -- R16 – R17			
			R18 -- R19			

- HIGH COMBINED SCORE IN ADVANCED B & EXCELLENT B
- HIGH COMBINED TRIPLE QUALIFYING SCORE: ADVANCED B, EXCELLENT B, MASTER

BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2019

OBEDIENCE TRIAL #2 & RALLY TRIAL #2 JUDGING PROGRAM

INDOORS -- OBEDIENCE / RALLY (PERFORMANCE) RING

8:00 A.M. OBEDIENCE TRIAL -- JUDGE: MS. PATRICIA MAYNARD (7)

Transfers will be allowed at this Obedience Trial per AKC Regulations

Females in season are not permitted to compete. If a female is withdrawn from competition because she came into season and the Event Secretary is notified no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class in the Obedience Trial, the club is required to refund the entry fee, minus a \$5.00 retained processing fee.

WALK-THRU will be held prior to the start of [Novice A/B; Preferred Novice; Optional Titling Beginner Novice A/B] -- [Open A/B; Preferred Open; Optional Titling Graduate Novice] -- [Utility A/B]

* **AKC RULE CHANGE:** AKC now requires walk-thru's in Obedience only for Novice A and Beginner NA / NB

The judge will be available in the ring during this time period to brief the handlers and answer any questions they might have.

Obedience Classes will be judged in the following order – Judging will begin immediately after each scheduled Walk-Thru:

Regular Obedience Trial Classes: Armband # -- Followed by Jump Height:

Walk Thru -- 8:00 a.m.	Utility	B	02 / 10"	
	Utility	A	09 / 10"	
8:25 a.m.	Open	B	02 / 10"	-- 09 / 10"
9:00 a.m.	Novice	B	08	
	Novice	A	03 / 10"	-- 04

Optional Titling Classes NO ENTRIES

Alternative Titling Classes: NO ENTRIES

- HIGH SCORING DOG IN REGULAR OBEDIENCE CLASSES
- HIGH COMBINED SCORE IN OPEN B & UTILITY B CLASSES
- HIGH SCORING DOG IN ALTERNATIVE TITLING OBEDIENCE CLASSES
- HIGH SCORING DOG IN OPTIONAL TITLING OBEDIENCE CLASSES

10:30 A.M. RALLY TRIAL -- JUDGE: MS. PATRICIA MAYNARD (19)
(1st Walk-Thru)

Rally Classes will be judged in the following order. Breaks may be called at the discretion of the TBHC and / or the Judge

Transfers will be allowed at this Rally Trial per AKC Regulations

If a female is withdrawn from competition because she came into season and the Event Secretary is notified no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class in the Obedience Trial, the club is required to refund the entry fee, minus a \$5.00 retained processing fee

10 MINUTE WALK-THRU prior to the start of Excellent B/A; Advanced B/A & Advanced Rally Pairs; Intermediate; Novice B/A & Novice Rally Pairs

The judge will be available in the ring during this time period to brief the handlers and answer any questions they might have. **Judging will begin immediately after each walk-thru.**

Armband # -- Followed by Jump Height:

10: 30 A.M.	Rally	Master	(2)	R11 / 8" -- R21 / 8"
Walk-thru – 10:45 A.M.	Rally	Excellent	B (4)	R10 / 8" -- R11 / 8" -- R20 / 8" R21 / 8"
	Rally	Excellent	A (1)	R7 / 8"

Walk-thru -- 11:15 A.M.	Rally	Advanced	B	(5)	R-5 (Transfer from Intermediate) R10 / 8" -- R11 / 8" -- R14 / 8" R21 / 8"
Walk-thru -- 12:00 P.M.	Rally	Intermediate		(1)	R9 , / 8"
Walk-thru -- Following Intermediate Class Judging	Rally	Novice	B	(6)	R12 -- R13 -- R15 -- R16 -- R17 R18

- HIGH COMBINED SCORE IN ADVANCED B & EXCELLENT B
- HIGH COMBINED TRIPLE QUALIFYING SCORE: ADVANCED B, EXCELLENT B, MASTER

**BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA NATIONAL SPECIALTY
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2019
PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES
JUDGING PROGRAM**

9:00 A.M. JUDGE: MRS. GAIL ALLEN INDOORS -- SPECIALTY RING (55)

PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES (43)

DOGS 17

Junior Dogs, 6- 9 months	9
Junior Dogs, 9-12 months	5
Senior Dogs, 12 months to 15 months	1
Senior Dogs, 15 months to 18 months	2

BITCHES 26

Junior Bitches, 6- 9 months	11
Junior Bitches, 9-12 months	9
Senior Bitches, 12 months to 15 months	1
Senior Bitches, 15 months to 18 months	5

- BEST JUNIOR IN PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES
- BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST JUNIOR IN PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES
- BEST SENIOR IN PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES
- BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST SENIOR IN PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES (12)

DOGS 6

Veteran Dogs, 7 – 9 years	4
Veteran Dogs, 9 years & over	2

BITCHES 6

Veteran Bitches, 7 – 9 years	3
Veteran Bitches, 9 years & over	3

- BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES
- BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2019

**ALL DOG CLASSES -- Including: VETERAN DOGS & FIELD TRIAL DOGS
JUDGING PROGRAM**

8:30 A.M. JUDGE: MS. MARY ANN CLARK INDOORS -- SPECIALTY RING (90)

REGULAR CLASSES _____ (71)

NON-REGULAR DOG / BITCH CLASSES _____ (19)

DOGS 31

Puppy, 6- 9 months	10
Puppy, 9-12 months	6
12 months to 15 months	2
15 months to 18 months	1
Novice	
Bred By Exhibitor	5
American Bred	1
Open	6

- **WINNERS DOG**
- **RESERVE WINNERS DOG** POINTS MAY BE AWARDED for RWD at this National Spec.

NON-REGULAR CLASSES – Single Dog Entries _____ 7

Veteran Dogs	5
Field Trial Dogs	2

**ALL BITCH CLASSES -- Including: VETERAN BITCHES &
FIELD TRIAL BITCHES**

Bitch Judging will begin 45 MINUTES AFTER THE COMPLETION OF DOG JUDGING

JUDGE: MS. CELESTE GONZALEZ INDOORS -- SPECIALTY RING

REGULAR CLASSES

BITCHES 40

Puppy, 6- 9 months	9
Puppy, 9-12 months	6
12 months to 15 months	1
15 months to 18 months	4
Novice	
Bred By Exhibitor	11
American Bred	2
Open	7

- **WINNERS BITCH**
- **RESERVE WINNERS BITCH** POINTS MAY BE AWARDED for RWB at this National Spec.

NON-REGULAR CLASSES – Single BITCH Entries _____ 12

Veteran Bitches	8
Field Trial Bitches	4

BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2019

ALL INTERSEX COMPETITION & PRESENTATIONS

**Parade of Veterans -- Junior Showmanship -- BEST OF BREED --
Stud Dog; Brood Bitch; Brace Classes**

JUDGING PROGRAM

9:45 A.M. Non- competition -- PRESENTATION OF PARADE OF VETERANS ROSETTES

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION:

10:00 A.M. JUDGE: MRS. CELESTE M. GONZALEZ INDOORS -- SPECIALTY RING (2)

OPEN 2

- **BEST JUNIOR HANDLER**
- **RESERVE TO BEST JUNIOR HANDLER**

10:15 A.M. JUDGE: DR. JOHAN BECERRA-HERNANDEZ

INDOORS -- SPECIALTY RING (60)

BEST OF BREED (49)

DOGS 23

BITCHES 26 Includes 1 Transfer from Open Bitches

- **BEST OF BREED**
- **BEST OF WINNERS**
- **BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX**
- **SELECT DOG**
- **SELECT BITCH**
- **AKC NATIONAL OWNER-HANDLED SERIES (NOHS) BEST OF BREED**
- **AWARD(S) OF MERIT -- Maximum 5**

NON-REGULAR CLASSES -- Multiple Dog Entries (11)

Stud Dog Class 5

Brood Bitch Class 2

Brace Class 4



HEIDI MARTIN PORTRAIT RAFFLE

Tickets are still available for the custom 14" x 16" head study by Heidi Martin.

Tickets are \$5 each / 6 for \$25.

This can be for any breed of dog - not limited to Basset Hounds.

Proceeds go directly to support this years Colorado Nationals Here again (left) is a sample of Heidi's work.

Please contact Sukey Shor (sukey.shor@aol.com) or Carol Makowski (bristleconeassets@yahoo.com) if you're interested in tickets.

Thank you!

BHCA NAT'L SPECIALTY WEEK SCHEDULE OF EVENTS **SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

Friday, September 27, 2019

Field Trials -- Dogs, Champions -- 7 am - 5 pm Fox and Hare Farm, Ramah CO

Saturday, September 28, 2019

Field Trials -- Bitches, Absolute -- 7 am - 5 pm Fox and Hare Farm, Ramah CO

Sunday, September 29, 2019

Hunting Performance Test -- 7 am - 5 pm Fox and Hare Farm, Ramah CO

Tracking -- TD, TDU, TDX, VST (All-Breed) -- 8 am Boyd Lake State Park, Loveland CO

Rescue Day Activities / Fun Day -- 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Sponsored by BHCA Rescue Advisory Committee Crowne Plaza Hotel

Monday, September 30, 2019

Timberline BHC Specialty Show -- Conformation, Obed., Rally -- 8 am Crowne Plaza Hotel

Education Event (How to Show Your Basset Hound) -- 3:30 pm - 5 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel

Breckenridge Room

Welcome Party -- 6 pm - 10 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel Atrium

Tuesday, October 1, 2019

BHCA Obedience Trial #1 -- 8 am Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA Rally Trial #1 -- (Following Obedience #1) Crowne Plaza Hotel

Valle del Sol BHC Specialty Show -- Conformation -- 10 am Crowne Plaza Hotel

All Breed Scent Work, Trials #1 & #2 -- 8 am - 5 pm Arapahoe County Fairgrounds, Aurora CO

Evening Hospitality -- 6pm - 9 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel, 6th Floor Boardroom

Wednesday, October 2, 2019

BHCA Obedience Trial #2 -- 8 am Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA Rally Trial #2 -- (Following Obedience #2) Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes -- 9 am Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA Futurity -- 2 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA Agility Trials #1 & #2 --

(Basset Hounds ONLY) -- 8 am - 5 pm Arapahoe County Fairgrounds, Aurora CO

All Breed Scent Work, Trial #3 -- 8 am - 1 pm Arapahoe County Fairgrounds, Aurora CO

Featured Speaker, Dr. Bonnie Abbott

Cocktails 5:30 pm -- Dinner 6 pm - Speaker 6:30 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel, Salon A

Thursday, October 3, 2019

BHCA National Specialty Show -- Dog Classes -- 8 am Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA National Specialty Show -- Bitch Classes -- (Following Dog Classes) Crowne Plaza Hotel

Annual Business Meeting -- 6:30 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel, Vail Room

Evening Hospitality -- 7:30 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel , 6th Floor Boardroom

Friday, October 4, 2019

BHCA National Specialty Show -- Parade of Veterans (Before Jr. Showmanship) Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA National Specialty Show -- Junior Showmanship -- 9:30 am Crowne Plaza Hotel

BHCA National Specialty Show -- Intersex Competition -- (Following Jr. Show) Crowne Plaza Hotel

Annual Meeting & Awards Dinner: Cocktails 5:30 pm -- Dinner 6:30 pm Crowne Plaza Hotel, Salon A

Saturday, October 5, 2019

Board of Directors Meeting Crowne Plaza Hotel

HOSPITALITY FYI / THERE ARE 3 ATM MACHINES IN THE HOTEL AREA !

CASH LUNCH CONCESSION in Crowne Plaza Hotel, Salon A each day from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

RINGSIDE: Timberline BHC, Monday is providing Continental Breakfast, Coffee & Tea
2 p.m. Monday, TBHC will be serving Hot Cider & Cinnamon Donuts

Valle del Sol BHC, Tuesday is providing Breakfast Sweet Rolls & Coffee

BHCA, Tuesday is providing 2 p.m. Snack

BHCA: Wednesday; Thursday; Friday is providing Breakfast

**2019 BASSET HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA INC. NATIONAL SPECIALTY
HOST HOTEL & SHOW SITE**

Crowne Plaza Denver Airport Hotel & Convention Center
15500 East 40th Avenue -- I-70 East
(Located on the southeast corner of 40th Avenue and Chambers Road)
Denver Colorado 80239

Phone: 303 – 371 – 9494

Call Direct for Reservations: 866 – 378 – 1583 -- Ask for BHCA Rate

DIRECTIONS TO THE CROWNE PLAZA SHOW SITE:

FROM THE NORTH:

Interstate 25 to **Exit 217** / Interstate 270 East
I-270 onto Interstate 70 -- EAST to **Exit 283** / Chambers Road
Turn LEFT (North) onto Chambers Road to 40th Avenue
Turn RIGHT on 40th Avenue -- the hotel will be on your right

FROM THE SOUTH:

Interstate 25 to Interstate 70 East (**Exit 214**) / 274 towards Limon
Interstate 70 -- EAST to **Exit 283** / Chambers Road
and Turn LEFT (North) onto Chambers Road
Turn RIGHT on 40th Avenue -- the hotel will be on your right

FROM DENVER INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT:

Take Pena Boulevard towards Denver
Exit RIGHT (West) at 40th Avenue -- Hotel will be on your left

FROM THE EAST OR WEST:

From Interstate 70 -- **Exit 283** / Chambers Road -- Go NORTH on Chambers Road
To 40th Avenue and Turn RIGHT -- Hotel will be on your right

BHCA HOSPITALITY RULES

1. Members will be financially responsible for damage to hotel rooms caused by their dogs and themselves.
2. All persons should make a thorough inspection of their rooms when checking in. Report any pre-existing damage to the Hospitality Chairperson and to the hotel management.
3. Dogs in rooms should be crated at all times.
4. Crates MUST be placed on plastic sheets provided by the owner or at check-in.
5. Dogs should NOT BE BATHED in hotel bathrooms.
6. Use designated exercise areas and clean up after your own dogs.
7. You are responsible for cleaning the areas in and around your own exercise pens.
8. Leftover dog food should be disposed of in plastic bags.
9. No less than three (3) members of the Hospitality Committee will be responsible for determining who has violated any of the preceding rules. Should the Committee find a member in violation of the rules, they shall proceed as follows:
 - A. Notify violators at time of check out if possible, otherwise, they must be informed within ten (10) days following last day of Nationals.
 - B. Violators will have thirty (30) days to make restitution to the hotel. Violators who refuse to make restitution shall be refused a room reservation through the Basset Hound Club of America for a period of five (5) years, and the Nationals' headquarters hotel will be so informed, unless hearing is requested before the Board of Directors at a mutually agreeable site within 30 days. Three (3) members of the Board must be in attendance and may reverse the findings of the Hospitality Committee.

- C. Violators who make restitution to the hotel will have their names placed on a list for a period of five (5) years, to be kept by the Corresponding Secretary of the Basset Hound Club of America. Should no other violation occur during this time, the violator's name shall be removed from the list. Violators who break Hospitality Rules a second time within the five (5) years shall be refused a room reservation through BHCA for a period of five (5) years, and the Nationals' Headquarters will be so informed.

BHCA Hospitality Rules

Approved by the Basset Hound Club of America, Inc. Board of Directors

GROOMING SPACE: Dogs will be allowed to stay overnight in the Grooming Area. Security will be provided.

SHUTTLE SERVICES / TO & FROM DIA & CROWNE PLAZA:

FREE SHUTTLE to and from Denver International Airport for those persons with **NO DOGS!**
The Crowne Plaza shuttle does not take dogs.

Transportation to and from the airport WITH DOGS can be reserved through Super Shuttle. The price depends on how many passengers are on board, but they suggested asking for a direct route if animals are on board.

RV PARKING / CROWNE PLAZA:

Water, by hose, will be available throughout the week

Honey Wagon Pump will be available -- cost of a pump-out is \$50.00

Nearest Full Service RV Park -- Cherry Creek State Park

**11 miles from Crowne Plaza
Ph: (303) 690 1166**

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS – THE FOLLOWING APPLIES EQUALLY TO TBHC; VDSBHC AS WELL AS BHCA, INC. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH RULES & REGULATIONS OF THE AKC; BHCA; TBHC; VDSBHC; STATE OF COLORADO, COUNTY, CITY AND / OR CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL / HOTEL STAFF AND / OR BHCA, INC.; TBHC; VDSBHC SHOW COMMITTEE PERSONNEL – COULD RESULT IN EXPULSION FROM FACILITIES AND / OR DISCIPLINARY SHOW COMMITTEE HEARING AND ACTION.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS:

The event site will be available to exhibitors after 3:00 PM on Sunday, September 29, 2019. No one will be allowed in the grooming area until that time.

Private x-pens will be allowed outside in marked areas only. The show giving club, the show superintendent, their agents, employees, etc. assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers or to any of their dogs or property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.

No entries will be accepted with an indebtedness to the BHCA until such indebtedness is resolved.

All rights to televise, videotape, advertise, photograph, promote or otherwise exploit these events 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 event grounds at any time while these events are in progress, do by attending these events or participating therein, grant to the club the right to televise, photograph, videotape or audiotape or otherwise use the likeness and voice in any manner without further release or consent.

CRATING SPACE:

will be available on a limited basis. Crates may be left overnight; however, the BHCA will not be responsible for any loss or damaged items left at the show site.

EXHIBITORS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CLEANING UP AFTER THEIR DOG(S):

Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

ABSOLUTELY NO X-PENS ALLOWED ON ANY GRASS:

If you use straw, sawdust or any bedding material, you are responsible for cleaning up before leaving the show site.

ATTENTION OWNERS / EXHIBITORS OF FOREIGN REGISTERED DOGS:

If you are the owner / exhibitor of a dog registered with a foreign registry (not yet dual registered with AKC) please review the eligibility requirements in *Rules Applying to Dog Shows, Chapter 11 Section 1.*

Dog Show Rules are posted on the AKC Web site at <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RREGS3.pdf>.

Most important to note are the following:

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

THE SHOW SECRETARY MAY NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE OR LIABLE FOR THE DELAY OR FAILURE OF ENTRIES TO ARRIVE PRIOR TO THE DESIGNATED CLOSING DATE & TIME FOR THESE EVENTS

- The club may decline any entries for cause and may refuse to receive or may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness or any other cause, and no person shall have any claim or recourse against the club or any official thereof.
- There will be no drilling or intensive or corrective training of dogs on the show grounds or premises. NO DOUBLE HANDLING will be permitted at this show. Individuals who attempt to double handle from outside the ring will be subject to action by the Show Committee.
- Dogs need be present only for scheduled judging and will be released if not needed for further judging. **There is no provision for unentered dogs at this show.** Dogs must be ready for judging.
- Neither the club nor its 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.**
- The club reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value. All trophies must be picked up at the show, none will be mailed.
- All awards will be made in the judging ring before the completion of judging, to the person exhibiting the dog and that person shall be considered the rightful winner of the award. The Show Secretary should be advised of any award discrepancies
- **Effective January 1, 2015 -- USE OF RAMPS:** A Judge requesting the use of a ramp must give notice to the Show Superintendent / Show Secretary prior to judging. The entire entry in a breed is to be examined in the same manner (ground, table, or ramp).

BASSET HOUNDS ARE A RAMP DESIGNATED BREED AND MAY ONLY BE EXAMINED ON THE RAMP

- **THE SHOW GIVING CLUB, THE SHOW SECRETARY, THEIR AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, ETC. ASSUME NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY LOSS, DAMAGE, OR INJURY SUSTAINED BY EXHIBITORS, HANDLERS, THE GENERAL PUBLIC OR TO ANY OF THEIR DOGS OR PROPERTY AND FURTHER ASSUME NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR INJURY TO CHILDREN WHILE AT OR ON THE SHOW GROUNDS, OR IN TRANSIT TO OR FROM THE SHOWS.**
- **IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT EVERY DOG AT THIS SHOW IS IN THE CARE, CUSTODY AND CONTROL OF THE OWNER OR HANDLER DURING THE ENTIRE TIME THE DOG IS ON THE SHOW PREMISES. ALL DOGS PRESENT MUST BE HELD ON LEASH OR CRATED EXCEPT WHEN BEING JUDGED.**
- **THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN IS ASSUMED TO BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CHILD'S PARENT OR GUARDIAN. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT ALL PARENTS AND GUARDIANS WILL EXERCISE CONTROL AND RESTRAINT OVER THEIR CHILDREN AT THIS SHOW.**
- **NOTICE – WAIVER OF RIGHTS:** ALL PERSONS ATTENDING THIS DOG SHOW HEREBY WAIVE ANY CLAIM FOR DAMAGES AGAINST THE CLUB, ITS MEMBERS OR SHOW SECRETARY, IN THE EVENT A MOTOR VEHICLE OR CRATE HAS TO BE ENTERED TO RESCUE A DOG FROM OVERHEATING OR IMPROPERLY VENTED CONDITIONS.
- The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering these events, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all entered events safely. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and / or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and / or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Show Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The American Kennel Club reserves the right to authorize decline of entries for cause and may authorize removal any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Show Committee or the American Kennel Club or any official thereof.
- **Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.**

BHCA DOG SHOW GUIDELINES

The goal of the Basset Hound Club of America, Inc.; TBHC; VDSBHC and the Crowne Plaza Denver Airport Hotel & Conference Center is to provide a pleasant place for all guests. We want to be successful at hosting BHCA National Specialty Dog Show week of activities, so that we can continue to hold other events in the future. Please help us by following the guidelines listed below. If you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions please contact a member of our BHCA Show Committee or Hotel Management Team. Crowne Plaza hopes that you enjoy your stay with us, and we look forward to serving you !

Dog Show Guidelines provided by the Basset Hound Club of America, Inc. Failure to comply with Guidelines could result in expulsion from the hotel and Event Committee Disciplinary Hearing.

- 1) There will be a maximum of 4 dogs allowed per room.
- 2) The guest will be charged a one-time dog fee of \$55.00 per stay. This fee is also non-refundable. This fee applies to all guests. This fee is fixed and will not change even if the guest stays one night or five nights.
- 3) Dogs left unattended in a guest room must be in a crate. Crates **MUST** be placed on plastic sheets provided at check-in.
- 4) Housekeeping must be allowed to clean a guest room (with dogs) at least every two days.
- 5) Bathing and / or grooming of dogs in or right outside the guest room is not allowed. A daily inventory for missing or damaged towels will be taken. Any necessary charges will be applied to the guest.
- 6) The individual guest will be responsible for any damage to a guest room or any hotel property. This includes, but not limited to, replacement cost for carpeting if odors or stains cannot be removed with traditional cleaning methods.
- 7) Dogs are to be leashed at all times when out of the guest room.
- 8) The hotel and the show committee will investigate any problem areas that are outlined above. Any guest not following the above guidelines will be asked to check out of the hotel without refund.
- 9) Dogs will not be allowed in public areas including, but not limited to, restaurant, bar or lounge areas.
- 10) Extension cords are not allowed to be plugged into any guest rooms from any vehicle, trailer, or camper in the parking lot.
- 11) **ABSOLUTELY NO EXERCISE PENS ALLOWED ON ANY GRASS.** If you use straw, sawdust or any bedding material you are responsible for cleaning up before leaving the show grounds.

Room assignment is at the discretion of the hotel. Special request, such as drive up rooms, will be granted on a first come first serve basis. This basis is in reference to the date the room was reserved, not the date the guest arrives. Our hotel cannot guarantee any special request. We will, however, try our best to meet your wishes and needs.



**PLEASE VISIT THE BHCA WEBSITE FOR A WEALTH OF
CURRENT INFORMATION**

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/>

HOST HOTEL

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-host-hotel/>

2019 NATIONALS FIELD TRIALS

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/2019-bhca-nationals-field-trials/>

2019 NATIONALS TRACKING TEST

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/2019-bhca-nationals-field-trials/>

2019 NATIONALS HUNTING PERFORMANCE TEST

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/2019-nationals-hunting-performance-test/>

2019 NATIONALS RESCUE ACTIVITIES / FUN DAY

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/2019-national-specialty-rescue-activities/>

2019 NATIONALS SCENT WORK

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/2019-nationals-scent-work-trials/>

2019 NATIONALS AGILITY TRIALS

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/2019-nationals-agility-trials/>

2019 NATIONALS FUTURITY

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/2019-nationals-futurity/>

2019 NATIONAL HOSPITALITY

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-hospitality/>

2019 NATIONALS BHCA STORE

<https://basset-bhca.org/product-category/2019-nationals/>

CATALOG ADVERTISING

<https://basset-bhca.org/product-category/2019-nationals/advertisements/>

MEALS RESERVATIONS

<https://basset-bhca.org/product-category/2019-nationals/meals/>

TROPHY DONATIONS

<https://basset-bhca.org/product-category/2019-nationals/donations/>

FUTURITY & MATURITY STAKES

<https://basset-bhca.org/product-category/futurity-maturity-stakes/>

PERSONAL ITEMS

<https://basset-bhca.org/product-category/personal-items/>

2019 TIMBERLINE BASSET HOUND CLUB SPECIALTY

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/7280-2/>

2019 NATIONALS VALLE del SOL BASSET HOUND CLUB SPECIALTY

<https://basset-bhca.org/events-programs/bhca-nationals/2019-nationals-in-colorado-preliminary-schedule/valle-del-sol-basset-hound-club-specialty/>

BHCA NATIONAL SPECIALTY / TBHC SPECIALTY / VDSBHC SPECIALTY

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