



# 2022 MASCUSA

## NATIONAL SPECIALTY

HOSTED BY



# PREMIUM LIST

For ALL CONFORMATION SHOWS & OBEDIENCE/RALLY TRIALS

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## MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF THE USA, INC

*Member of the American Kennel Club*

# 2022 MASCUSA NATIONAL EVENTS



## OBEDIENCE & RALLY TRIALS

**Wednesday, October 12, 2022**

Event# Weds:2022701926 (O), 2022701977 (R)

For Miniature American Shepherds ONLY (No ILP or Pal #'s accepted)

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**Thursday, October 13, 2022**

Event# 2022701930, 2022701931 (BPUP)

Junior Showmanship, 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy

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Sweepstakes, Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Brace, Pee Wee, Most Versatile, Head Type, Movement, Generations, Breeders Showcase, Adult Showmanship, Top 20/Top 10

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**Saturday, October 15, 2022**

Event# 2022701995, 2022701950 (BPUP)

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**Sunday, October 16, 2022**

Event# 2022701993, 2022701994 (BPUP)

Junior Showmanship, 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy

**Entries close at 6:00 PM, Pacific Time, Wednesday, September 21, 2022**

**Wilson County Exhibition Center**

945 E Baddour Pkwy, Lebanon, TN 37087

PLEASE SUBMIT ENTRIES ONLINE at [www.DogZibit.com](http://www.DogZibit.com)

(NO secretary fees added per entry) OR MAIL ENTRIES.

Payment options: Checks made payable to DOGZIBIT (yes! Even if you enter online) or Credit Card, PayPal (fees apply, PayPal account not needed).



PAY



OR



Pay Online  
(fees apply)

DOGZIBIT, EVENT SECRETARY  
P. O. Box 2044, Woodinville, WA 98072-2044  
Lorraine Yu | 425-765-9146 | [Entries@DogZibit.com](mailto:Entries@DogZibit.com)

**NOTE: FedEx and UPS Deliveries NOT accepted at the above P.O Box address**

PLEASE DO NOT SEND ENTRIES WITH A SIGNATURE REQUIRED, NEITHER THE EVENT SECRETARY NOR THE HOSTING CLUB IS RESPONSIBLE FOR RETURNED MAIL REQUIRING A SIGNATURE.

**ALL ENTRIES MUST BE IN POSSESSION OF THE EVENT SECRETARY NO LATER THAN 6:00 PM Pacific Time, ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2022.**

After which time no entries can be accepted, canceled, changed, substituted, corrected, completed or signed and no entry fees refunded. Any change or cancellation must be made in writing and received prior to closing, except as provided in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the American Kennel Club Dog Show Rules and Regulations.

When entering online, you will receive email acknowledgement of entries immediately. Once payment is received and entry is confirmed, you will receive an ENTRY CONFIRMATION email typically by end of closing day. Mail-in entry acknowledgment will be made as soon as possible or after entries have closed. Should such acknowledgments not be received by the exhibitor within a reasonable time, check your junk email box and/or email [Entries@DogZibit.com](mailto:Entries@DogZibit.com) or call 425-765-9146. Judging Programs and armband assignments emailed at least a week prior to show.

## ENTRY FEES

**NOTE:** When a dog is entered in more than one class, the highest price class is considered the first entry (An AKC Recording Fee of 50¢ and an AKC Event Service Fee of \$3.00 per entry is included. Rally fee \$3.50 per entry.)

### CONFORMATION

FIRST ENTRY of each Dog per event (unless otherwise specified) .....	\$35.00
EACH ADDITIONAL ENTRY of the same dog in same event (unless otherwise specified) .....	\$29.00
SWEEPSTAKES (MUST be entered in a Regular class) .....	\$30.00
BRED BY EXHIBITOR SWEEPSTAKES (MUST be entered in a Regular class).....	\$30.00
VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES (As First Entry, need NOT be entered in regular class) .....	\$35.00
VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES (As Additional Entry, need NOT be entered in regular class) .....	\$30.00
JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP .....	FREE
PEE WEE PARTICIPANTS.....	FREE
4-6 MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY .....	\$25.00
MOST VERSATILE CONFORMATION CLASS .....	\$25.00
BRACE CLASS AS A UNIT (Both Dogs must be entered in another class) .....	\$30.00
MOVEMENT, HEAD TYPE, GENERATIONS, BREEDER'S SHOWCASE.....	\$35.00
ADULT SHOWMANSHIP .....	\$20.00

### OBEDIENCE – same fees for Junior Handlers

FIRST OBEDIENCE CLASS of each Dog per event (unless otherwise specified) .....	\$32.00
EACH ADDITIONAL ENTRY of the same dog in SAME OBEDIENCE EVENT .....	\$25.00

### RALLY– same fees for Junior Handlers

FIRST RALLY CLASS of each Dog per event (unless otherwise specified) .....	\$32.00
EACH ADDITIONAL ENTRY of the same dog in SAME RALLY EVENT.....	\$25.00

*Please Note: All dogs competing in Conformation Classes are open to fully registered AKC dogs ONLY. FSS registered dogs are not eligible to participate in conformation. The exception to this is the MV-MAS Versatility Class which is open to FSS registered dogs.*

**ENTRIES OPEN at 12:00 Noon, Central Time, Weds, Aug 17, 2022**

No entries accepted before that time

**\*\*\* NOTE EARLY CLOSING DATE \*\*\***

**ENTRIES CLOSE at 6 PM Pacific Time, Weds, Sep 21, 2022**

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SHOW & TRIAL HOURS - 7:00 a.m. until 30 minutes after all Shows & Trials are completed. Judging will not begin prior to 8:00 a.m. Conformation Shows held OUTDOORS & INDOORS. Obedience/Rally trials held INDOORS.

EVENT SECRETARY, DOGZIBIT, [www.DogZibit.com](http://www.DogZibit.com)

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For information about the Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, please visit <http://mascusa.org/>

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS: The American Kennel Club Rules & Regulations will govern this event and exhibitors must make themselves familiar with the agreement on the reverse side of the official American Kennel Club Entry Form which is a part of this Premium List.



#### AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Regulations.

**GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary**

# 2022 MASCUSA NATIONAL EVENTS SCHEDULE

See bottom for show & trial secretary information & where to enter. Stay tuned for updates.

Friday, October 7, 2022		
Herding Trial - Ranchdog/D Course All Breed	Joyce Norris Judge	Belle Meadow Farms
Saturday, October 8, 2022		
Herding Trial All Breed	Joyce Norris Judge	Belle Meadow Farms
HT, PT and Instinct Classes only open to MAS		
Sunday, October 9, 2022		
Herding Trial All Breed	Sandra Lindenmuth	Belle Meadow Farms
HT, PT and Instinct Classes only open to MAS		
Monday, October 10, 2022		
Mini Only Agility Trial	David Hirsh	Never Go Back Ranch
Tuesday, October 11, 2022		
Mini Only Agility Trial	David Hirsh	Never Go Back Ranch
Wednesday, October 12, 2022		
Fast Cat - 2 trials		See Map for Location
Farm Dog Testing - 2 trials		See Map for Location
Obedience/Rally	Rich Mullen	Expo Center
CGC/Trick Dog Testing	Quinn Webb	Ag Venture Bldg
General Membership Meeting		Ag Venture Bldg
Thursday, October 13, 2022		
Wild West Regional	Walter Sommerfelt	Ag Venture Bldg
Pot Luck Dinner/Entertainment Jeff Dayton		Ag Venture Bldg
Friday, October 14, 2022		
Sweepstakes	Gaye Grant/Kayla Hartlage	Expo Building
Top Ten/Top 20 Meal		Education Building
Top Ten Owner Handler/Top Twenty Breed Presentation		Expo Building
Saturday, October 15, 2022		
Nationals	Dana Cline	Expo Building
Juniors	Jackie Parisek	Expo Building
MASCUSA Awards Banquet		Education Building
Sunday, October 16, 2022		
All Breed Show	Kitty Stiedel	Expo Building
Pacific Northwest Affiliate Concurrent Specialty	Kathryn Madden	Expo Building

\*Registration/Entry forms can be found in this Premium List

## **Entries/Reservations taken by:**

Rally & Obedience – hosted by MASCUSA, entries taken by [www.DogZibit.com](http://www.DogZibit.com)

Agility – entries taken by Brenda Peters at [www.labtestedonline.com](http://www.labtestedonline.com)

Farm Dog – entries taken by Tina Winston, [Tinawinston@hotmail.com](mailto:Tinawinston@hotmail.com)

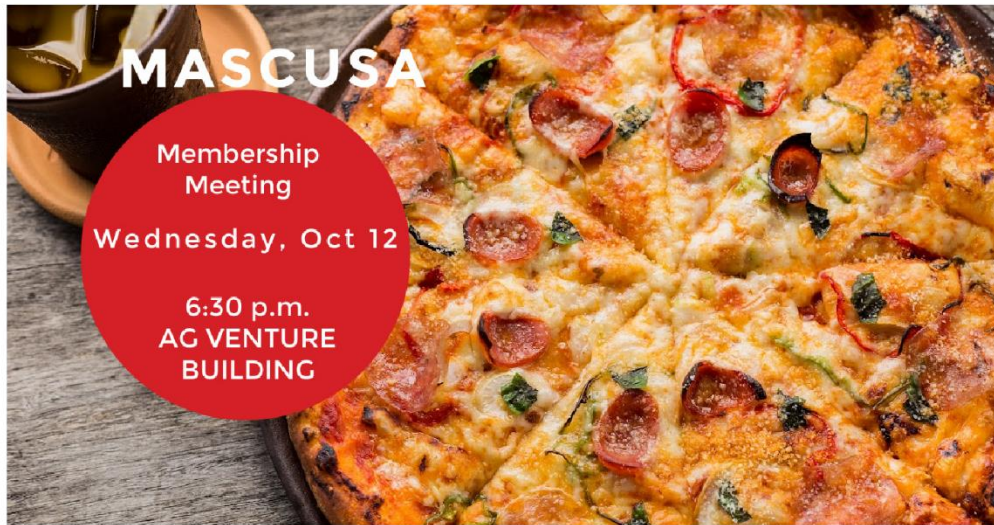
Herding - entries taken by Wendy Eldredge, [wigglywendy@yahoo.com](mailto:wigglywendy@yahoo.com)

FASTCAT – hosted by SEMASC, entries taken by Debbie Hill [dshill04@yahoo.com](mailto:dshill04@yahoo.com)

Visit the [TriStar Kennel Club Site](http://TriStar Kennel Club Site) for more info on Grooming, RV Parking, Hotels, Additional Events, Rules, etc.

Visit [MASCUSA's website](http://MASCUSA's website) for info on additional events, meals, seminars, sponsorship, catalog, and contests.





MASCUSA Board of Directors is excited to invite you to attend the General Membership Meeting which will be held in conjunction with the 2022 NATIONALS in Lebanon, TN.

This meeting will begin at approximately 6:30 p.m. in the AgVenture Building at the Wilson County Fairgrounds. MASCUSA will be ordering pizza for members in attendance.

Please bring a chair



**JOIN US**  
**Thursday,**  
**October 13th**

**6:00 p.m. Potluck 7:00 p.m. Live Music**  
**AG Venture Building - Wilson Co. Fairgrounds**

Nashville artist Jeff Dayton's career is a success story built on hard work, faith and professionalism. From his 15 years as bandleader and guitarist with Hall of Fame legend Glen Campbell to his tours on guitar with Lee Greenwood and megastar Kenny Chesney, He's played shows on guitar with Willie Nelson, Vince Gill, Tanya Tucker, Toby Keith, Buck Owens and Bo Diddley to name a few of the greats.

**MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF THE USA, INC.**

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**NATIONALS EVENT CHAIRPERSON**

TINA WINSTON

**SHOW COMMITTEE**

Conformation Chairperson.....TINA WINSTON  
P.O. BOX 187, PHILPOL, KY 42366, 270-485-3164  
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5542 UNION CHURCH RD, FLOWERY BRANCH, GA, 951-202-6647

And all Officers and Board of Directors

**COMMITTEES**

Sponsorships ..... KAREN PENCE  
Awards..... LANI MORRIS  
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**COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

CONFORMATION

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OBEDIENCE & RALLY

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**WILD WEST MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD CLUB**



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Conformation Chairperson..... PATTI CUTLER  
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**PACIFIC NORTHWEST MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD CLUB**



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# JUDGES

## FRIDAY-SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7-9, 2022

JOYCE NORRIS [58338] ..... 4030 E BONNIE RD . WALTONVILLE, IL 62894  
*Herding Trials*

SANDRA LINDENMUTH [73854]..... PO BOX 118 , JENKINSBURG, GA 30234  
*Herding Trials*

## MONDAY-TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10-11, 2022

DAVID HIRSCH [70508] ..... 2878 ETNA ST, COLUMBUS, OH 43209-1921  
*Agility Classes*

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2022

RICHARD MULLEN [3052]..... 2478 DRINNEN RD, KNOXVILLE, TN 37914-9376  
*All Obedience & Rally Classes*

## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2022

WALTER SOMMERFELT [4787]..... 145 COLUMBUS DR, LENOIR CITY, TN 37771-3802  
*All Regular & Non-Regular Classes, Junior Showmanship, 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy*

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2022

GAYE GRANT [100927]..... 3216 OAK RIDGE RD, CRYSTAL LAKE, IL 60012-1064  
*All Puppy Sweepstakes Classes, Stud Dog & Brood Bitch Classes, Brace, Movement, Head Type, Generations, Breeders Showcase, Most Versatile, Over the Hill Showmanship*

KAYLA HARTLAGE ..... 505 HENRY ST, ELIZABETHTOWN, KY 42701  
*All Bred-By Sweepstakes Classes, All Veteran Sweepstakes Classes*

ALEXIS PARISEK ..... 4769 S QUAILS RD, ADAMS, TN 37010  
*Pee Wee Event*

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022

DANA CLINE [7276] ..... 801 BRANCH RD, ALBANY, GA 31705-5307  
*All Regular & Non-Regular Classes, Junior Showmanship, 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy*

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2022

KATHRYN MADDEN [92226]..... 1010 5TH AVENUE, APT. PHW, NEW YORK, NY 10028-0130  
*All Regular & Non-Regular Classes, 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy*

JERRY PARISEK [97009]..... 2259 BOAT FACTORY RD, PLEASANT VIEW, TN 37146-8159  
*All Junior Showmanship Classes*

### VETERINARIANS

(ON CALL Monday through Saturday)

**Cumberland Animal Hospital** • Charles Allen • (615) 444-1232 • 1975 Lebanon Rd, Lebanon TN 37087

DIRECTIONS TO CUMBERLAND ANIMAL HOSPITAL- Go to Interstate on US 70/TN 26 toward Hartman Dr (1.1 miles). Turn right to stay on US/TN 26/W Main St (1.2 miles). Last intersection you pass is Waters Hill Cir. If you reach Bethlehem Rd, you have gone too far.

*EXHIBITORS SHOULD FOLLOW THEIR VETERINARIANS' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.*

### OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER



Pix 'n Pages Photography, [www.pixnpages.com](http://www.pixnpages.com), 407.536.7297

Pix 'n Pages Photography is the official photographer for these events. No other photographer will be allowed to photograph dogs/people without the express consent of Pix 'n Pages Photography and the Show Chairperson. Anyone observed photographing these events, or any portion thereof, without permission will be asked to leave. Pix 'n Pages Photography will also be photographing portrait sessions on request. All photos will be posted at [www.pixnpages.com](http://www.pixnpages.com).

## RIBBON PRIZES – ALL SHOWS

*Rosettes will be offered for all else unless otherwise specified.*

### Regular & Optional Titling Classes

First Place..... Blue	Best of Winners..... Blue & White
Second Place..... Red	Best of Breed..... Purple & Gold
Third Place..... Yellow	Best Opposite Sex..... Red & White
Fourth Place..... White	Select Awards..... Lt. Blue & White
Winners..... Purple	Judges Award of Merit..... Dark Green
Reserve Winners..... Purple & White	Special Awards..... Dark Green

### Non-Regular Classes & Special Awards

First Place..... Rose	4-6 Mon BPUP Best of Breed..... Orange
Second Place..... Brown	4-6 Mon BPUP Best Opposite..... Lavender
Third Place..... Lt. Green	Best in Sweeps..... Rose & Green
Fourth Place..... Gray	Best Opposite in Sweeps..... Lavender
Best Owner Handled..... Maroon	Best Head Type..... Rose
Best Puppy..... Dark Green	Best Movement..... Rose
Best Bred By..... Dark Green	Best Generations..... Rose
Best Veteran..... Dark Green	Best Brace..... Rose
Best Junior Handler..... Pink & Green	
Reserve Junior Handler..... Pink & Gray	

Note: Sweeps above includes ALL Sweeps, including Puppy, Veteran, BBX, 12+ BBX

Qualifying Score in Regular Obedience & Rally Classes.....	Dark Green Ribbon
New Title Obedience & Rally.....	Rosette
Highest Scoring Dog from the Regular Obedience Classes.....	Blue & Gold Rosette
Highest Scoring Dog from the Preferred Obedience Classes.....	Blue & Gold Rosette
Highest Combined Score from Obedience Open B & Utility B.....	Blue & Green Rosette
Highest Combined Score from Rally Advanced B & Excellent B.....	Blue & Green Rosette
Highest Combined Triple Score (Rally Advanced B, Excellent B, & Master).....	Blue & Red Rosette
OTCH, RACH, RAE.....	Special Rosette

Prizes will be awarded in the judging rings to the person exhibiting the dog, who will be considered to be the owner or agent of the owner. All claims for trophies and other prizes must be made in the judging ring before the completion of the judging of the breed, and the Event Secretary advised at once in the event of any discrepancy. No award will be mailed. If a trophy listed is unavailable, a trophy of equal or greater value will be awarded.

**By entering or attending this trial you are acknowledging that there is an inherent risk of exposure to Covid-19. Covid-19 exists in any public place where people are present. Covid-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and in some cases death. By entering/attending this trial you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to Covid-19 and agree that MASCUSA and any show/trial secretaries associated with this event are not liable for any exposure, risk or illness related to Covid-19.**

**THE CLUB WILL REFUND ALL BUT \$20.00 OF THE ENTRY FEE PER DAY FOR THAT DAY AND THE FOLLOWING TRIAL DAYS FOR HANDLERS WHO THINK THEY MAY HAVE COVID-19. YOU MUST CONTACT THE SHOW/TRIAL SECRETARIES BY EMAIL AT LEAST 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE START OF YOUR FIRST CLASS OF THE DAY. NO DOCTOR'S EXCUSE NEEDED. IF YOU ARE SICK, PLEASE STAY HOME!!!!**

## CLASSIFICATIONS – ALL CONFORMATION SHOWS

### REGULAR CLASSES

PUPPY DOG, 6 mos and under 9 mos.	PUPPY BITCH, 6 mos and under 9 mos.
PUPPY DOG, 9 mos and under 12 mos.	PUPPY BITCH, 9 mos and under 12 mos.
DOG, 12 mos and under 15 mos.	BITCH, 12 mos and under 15 mos.
DOG, 15 mos and under 18 mos.	BITCH, 15 mos and under 18 mos.
AMATUER OWNER HANDLER DOG	AMATUER OWNER HANDLER BITCH
BRED-BY EXHIBITOR PUPPY DOG	BRED-BY EXHIBITOR PUPPY BITCH
BRED-BY EXHIBITOR ADULT DOG	BRED-BY EXHIBITOR ADULT BITCH
AMERICAN BRED DOG	AMERICAN BRED BITCH
OPEN DOG, BLACK	OPEN BITCH, BLACK
OPEN DOG, BLUE MERLE	OPEN BITCH, BLUE MERLE
OPEN DOG, RED	OPEN BITCH, RED
OPEN DOG, RED MERLE	OPEN BITCH, RED MERLE
WINNERS DOG	WINNERS BITCH

### NON-REGULAR CLASSES INVOLVING SINGLE DOG ENTRIES

\*VETERAN DOG, 7 years & older \*VETERAN BITCH, 7 years & older  
\*\*HERDING TITLED DOG \*\*HERDING TITLED BITCH

*\*Dogs and Bitches must be intact to enter Veteran Dog Class or Veteran Bitch Class. Winners from these classes are eligible, if undefeated in another class, for Best of Breed competition.*

*\*\*Herding Titled class for intact dogs or bitches that have earned an AKC herding title. Offered at NATIONAL SPECIALTY ONLY. The following titles do not apply: Instinct test certificate and any other non-AKC title. Entries in this class may NOT be spayed or neutered.*

### BEST OF BREED COMPETITION

The following categories of dogs may be entered in this competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record. Dogs which according to their owners' records have completed the requirements for a championship but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of dogs whose championships are unconfirmed is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of show where a dog completed the requirements for a championship according to the owners' records.

### JUDGES AWARD OF MERIT – NATIONAL SPECIALTY ONLY

The Judge at his/her discretion may select up to 5 per sex based on entries (for Saturday show) of the superior quality Dogs and Bitches in addition to Best of Breed and Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed from the Inter-Sex Competition, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, Veteran Dog, Veteran Bitch and Herding Titled Dog, Herding Titled Bitch.

### BEST BRED-BY EXHIBITOR COMPETITION

**RULES:** During the course of regular judging, the assigned judge will select a Best Bred-By Exhibitor from the Bred-By Exhibitor class winners (Puppy & Adult). This will be done after the Best of Breed/Variety Competition unless the Best Bred-By Exhibitor award is automatic. Example: An entry from the Bred-By Exhibitor class is awarded Best of Winners or Best of Breed. Only dogs and bitches undefeated in a Bred-By Exhibitor class are eligible for the Best Bred-By Exhibitor Competition. If the first-place winner is not present, the second-place winner may not compete. **NO ADDITIONAL FEE IS REQUIRED.**

### BEST PUPPY COMPETITION

**RULES:** During the course of regular judging, the assigned judge will select a Best Puppy from the class winners of the Regular Puppy Classes (6-9 & 9-12 months). This will be done after the Best of Breed/Variety Competition unless the Best Puppy award is automatic. Example: An entry from the Bred-By Exhibitor class is awarded Best of Winners or Best of Breed. If the first-place winner is not present, the second-place winner may not compete. **NO ADDITIONAL FEE IS REQUIRED.**

### BEST OWNER HANDLER, BEST BRED-BY EXHIBITOR, BEST PUPPY, BEST VETERAN – ALL SHOWS

#### NON-REGULAR CLASSES INVOLVING MULTIPLE DOG ENTRIES - NATIONAL SPECIALTY (SATURDAY) ONLY

**Stud Dog Class** – For Stud Dogs and two of their Get. It is not necessary that the Get be under the same ownership as that of the Stud Dog. The Stud Dog may be entered in one of the Regular Classes, Non-Regular Classes or Exhibition Classes or Best of Breed competition (if Champion), but must be entered in the Stud Dog class. The Get must be entered in one of the Regular Classes or, if a Champion of Record, in Best of Breed competition. The Stud Dog cannot be shown as the Get for another Stud Dog. *The Stud Dog* shall be considered one entry and requires one entry fee. The Stud Dog must be shown in the ring with the Get. The class will be judged based on the merits 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 breed standard.

**Brood Bitch Class** - same as for Stud Dog except substitute Brood Bitch for Stud Dog and Produce for Get.

*\*Chapter 11, Section 8 of the "Rules Applying to Dog Shows" provides that a neutered male may be entered as a Stud Dog in the Stud Dog Class and a spayed Bitch may be entered as a Brood Bitch in the Brood Bitch Class.*

**Brace Class.** A brace is defined as two dogs of the same recognized breed or variety that are similar in appearance, performing in unison, and presented by a maximum of two handlers (one or more common owners). Each dog should be on separate leads and will be examined one at a time. The dogs comprising a Brace must be named at the time the entry is made. An entry form for a dog entered in another class and entered as part of a Brace must be marked accordingly in the space provided for "Additional Class" if more than one Brace is entered. Dogs may be evaluated on the floor or table. *As the judge's decision in the Non-Regular Classes involving Multiple Dog Entries is based on the merits of more than one dog or bitch, therefore, none of the dogs or bitches making up the entry judged first in these classes will be eligible to compete for Best of Breed by virtue of having won these classes.*

**SWEEPSTAKES COMPETITION - NATIONAL SPECIALTY (FRIDAY) ONLY**

**Eligibility:** This Sweepstakes is open to Miniature American Shepherds, who, on the day of the show, will be at least six months and under eighteen months of age. Professional handlers are allowed to show in all classes. Champions of record are eligible to compete. Classes to be divided by sex and age. Sweepstake Classes will be judged prior to the regular breed classes. Dogs shown in Sweepstakes **MUST** also be entered in one of the regular classes at the regular entry fee. Indicate "Sweepstake & Age Division" in the Additional Classes space.

**SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES**

Puppy Dogs, 6 mos. & under 9 mos. Puppy Bitches, 6 mos. & under 9 mos.  
 Puppy Dogs, 9 mos. & under 12 mos. Puppy Bitches, 9 mos. & under 12 mos.  
 Dogs, 12 mos. & under 15 mos. Bitches, 12 mos. & under 15 mos.  
 Dogs, 15 mos. & under 18 mos. Bitches, 15 mos. & under 18 mos.

*The eight class winners will compete for Best in Sweepstakes & Best Opposite in Sweepstakes.*

**VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES COMPETITION - NATIONAL SPECIALTY (FRIDAY) ONLY**

**Eligibility:** This Veteran Sweepstakes is open to Miniature American Shepherds, who, on the day of the show, will be at least 7 yrs of age. Neutered males and spayed bitches are eligible for Veteran Sweepstakes. Professional handlers are allowed to show in all classes. Judging will be held prior to regular classes. A dog **DOES NOT** have to be entered in the Regular Classes at this show. Indicate "Sweepstake & Age Division" in the Additional Classes space.

**VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES**

Veteran Dogs, 7 yrs and under 9 yrs Veteran Bitches, 7 yrs and under 9 yrs  
 Veteran Dogs, 9 yrs and older Veteran Bitches, 9 yrs and older

*The class winners will compete for Best in Veteran Sweepstakes & Best Opposite in Veteran Sweepstakes.*

**BRED BY EXHIBITOR SWEEPSTAKES COMPETITION**

**Eligibility:** This Bred By Exhibitor Sweepstakes is open to Miniature American Shepherds who, on the day of the show, will be at least six months. The AKC rule for exhibiting in this Sweepstakes applies. Entries **MUST** be handled by the Breeder/Owner throughout BBE Sweepstakes competition, unless the Breeder/Owner has multiple dogs advancing to the final round. If this happens, the Breeder/Owner can hand off all but one of their dogs to a non-professional handler while they handle one of their entries in the finals. Dogs shown in Sweepstakes **MUST** also be entered in one of the regular classes at the regular entry fee. Indicate your Bred By Exhibitor Sweepstakes Class with the age division in the space provided for "Additional Class."

Puppy Dogs, 6 mos. & under 9 mos. Puppy Bitches, 6 mos. & under 9 mos.  
 Puppy Dogs, 9 mos. & under 12 mos. Puppy Bitches, 9 mos. & under 12 mos.  
 Dogs, 12 mos. & under 15 mos. Bitches, 12 mos. & under 15 mos.  
 Dogs, 15 mos. & under 18 mos. Bitches, 15 mos. & under 18 mos.  
 Dogs, 18+ mos. Bitches, 18+ mos.

The ten class winners will compete for Best in Sweepstakes & Best Opposite in Sweepstakes.

**ALL SWEEPSTAKES MONEY PRIZES**

All entry money in each class will be divided as follows (rounded to the nearest dollar amount). *Any undistributed funds revert to the Club.* 35% of total Sweepstakes fees will be retained by the club for expenses.

- Distribution of the remainder is as follows: 10% to Best in Sweepstakes, 5% to Best Opposite to Best in Sweepstakes
- The balance of the entry fees to be divided in the classes: First – 45%, Second – 30%, Third – 15%, Fourth – 10%.

<u>Award</u>	<u>Puppy Sweeps</u>	<u>Veteran Sweeps</u>	<u>Bred By Exhibitor Sweeps</u>
<b>Best in Sweeps</b>	Toy Box	15" Lantern	15" Lantern
<b>Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps</b>	Toy Box	Fairy Lights Cookie Jar	Fairy Lights Cookie Jar
<b>First Place in Each Class</b>	Engraved Wood Key Fob	Engraved Wood Key Fob	Engraved Wood Key Fob

## JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

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

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

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

### **NOVICE AND OPEN CLASS DIVIDED:**

- **Junior**-9 years old and under 12 years old on the day of the show
- **Intermediate**-12 years old and under 15 years old on the day of the show
- **Senior**-15 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show.

**BEST JUNIOR HANDLER:** Winners from each class will compete for Best Junior Handler.

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

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

## AKC National Owner-Handled Series

*(Remember to check the box at the bottom of the entry form)*

The AKC National Owner-Handled Series is a non-titling competition for dogs that are exhibited by their owners that are not professional handlers.



Exhibitors must declare their dog is Owner-Handled eligible at the time of entry using the check box on the entry form. Eligible dogs will be identified by an asterisk in the judge's book & the catalog. **Dogs must be handled throughout the breed level competition for the regular show by an eligible owner.**

**Professional handlers, household members and current assistants\*\* to professional handlers may not exhibit the dog in this competition.**

Owner-Handled Best of Breed will be selected from the dogs that are eligible to compete in the Best of Breed competition including Winners Dog, Winners Bitch and undefeated winners of the non-regular classes. This excludes all dogs defeated during class and winners competition for the regular show.

- If the Best of Breed/Variety winner is Owner-Handled competition eligible, it will automatically be Owner-Handled Best of Breed/Variety.
- If the Best of Breed/Variety winner is not eligible for Owner-Handled competition and the Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed/Variety is eligible, the Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed/Variety will compete against the eligible exhibits of the other sex to determine Owner-Handled Best of Breed/Variety.
- If neither the Best of Breed/Variety nor the Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed/Variety are Owner-Handled competition eligible and Select Dog & Select Bitch are both eligible, the judge is to choose Best Owner-Handled exhibit from the Selects and eligible Winners Dog or Winners Bitch.
- If one of the Selects is eligible, excuse all Champions and non-regular class winners of the same sex and then choose Best Owner-Handled exhibit from the remaining dogs of the opposite sex including the eligible Winners.
- If Best of Breed/Variety, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed/Variety, Select Dog & Select Bitch are not eligible, the judge may choose any eligible dog who competed in Best of Breed/Variety including Winners Dog or Winners Bitch as the Best of Breed/Variety for the AKC National Owner-Handled Series.
- If the Best of Winners is eligible, the other Winner is ineligible since it was defeated.
- No class dogs other than the Winners Dog & Winners Bitch are eligible to return to the ring.

\* Professional handlers are defined as any person who belongs or has belonged to a professional handlers' organization, distributed rate cards, or otherwise advertised or represented themselves as handling dogs for pay within the last five years.

\*\*A current assistant is defined as anyone employed by a professional handler on a full-time basis, or, assisting a professional handler at the show or any show during the cluster/weekend.

#### 4 – 6 MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION – THURSDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY

Male and female puppies four months and under six months will compete together, with Best of Breed and Best of Opposite Sex only being awarded. Puppies are required to be vaccinated in accordance with their veterinarian's protocol in order to avoid inadvertent transmission of illness by/to puppies not yet fully immunized. AKC Rules in Dealing with Misconduct will be applicable to any person or dog entered at this competition. All applicable rules found in Rules Applying to Dog Shows will govern the conduct of this competition unless these regulations state otherwise. Exhibitors should plan on opening the mouth of their puppy to show dentition for the judge to avoid transmission of illness. Breed standard disqualifications for dentition, and AKC disqualifications for descended testicles shall not be a consideration in this competition.

#### OBEDIENCE CLASSIFICATIONS

*Qualifying Score Required for All Prizes in the Regular & Optional Titling Classes.*

NOVICE A	OPEN A	UTILITY A
NOVICE B	OPEN B	UTILITY B

#### PREFERRED TITLING CLASSES

PREFERRED NOVICE  
PREFERRED OPEN  
PREFERRED UTILITY

#### OPTIONAL TITLING CLASSES

BEGINNER NOVICE A & B  
GRADUATE NOVICE  
GRADUATE OPEN

#### RALLY CLASSIFICATIONS - RALLY RING IS 40'x50'

*Qualifying Score Required for All Prizes in Regular Classes*

RALLY NOVICE A	RALLY ADVANCED A	RALLY EXCELLENT A
RALLY NOVICE B	RALLY ADVANCED B	RALLY EXCELLENT B
RALLY INTERMEDIATE		RALLY MASTER
	NOVICE RALLY PAIRS	

*JUMP HEIGHT MUST BE INDICATED FOR APPLICABLE CLASSES. Entries without Jump Height indicated will be judged at the end of the Class. Jump Heights in Ascending Order.*

**TRANSFERS/MOVE-UPS WILL BE ALLOWED ANY TIME PRIOR TO OCTOBER 5, 2022.**

PLEASE SUBMIT ONLINE [here](#) or contact [Entries@DogZibit.com](mailto:Entries@DogZibit.com).

#### Information on Classes Offered

For more information on the exercises for the different classes offered, visit the AKC Obedience/Rally Regulations [here](#).

#### Which Class Should You Enter?

Please refer to AKC reference [here](#).

#### DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all Miniature American Shepherds six (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club. Dogs with a PAL/ILP number or an AKC Canine Partners listing number are NOT eligible to compete.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf, bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect a dog's physical or mental performance are not eligible to compete. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Rules Applying to Registration and Discipline for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate.

Wherever the word "dog" is used, it includes both sexes.

Unless otherwise indicated, all prizes are offered by the Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, Inc. through the generosity of members & friends whose names will be gratefully acknowledged in the catalog. MASCUSA reserves the right to substitute a trophy of equal or greater value, if a trophy should become unavailable.

### **Breed Prizes – National Specialty ONLY**

**Offered by The Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, Inc.**

Best of Breed • Best of Winners • Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed • Select Dog/Select Bitch  
Winners Dog/Winners Bitch • Reserve Winners Dog/Reserve Winners Bitch  
Best Owner-Handled • Best Bred-By-Exhibitor • Best Puppy  
First, Second, Third & Fourth in Each Class Rosette

Best of Breed – 24” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Best of Winners – 18” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Best of Opposite Sex - 18” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Select Dog – Fairy Lights Cookie Jar  
Select Bitch - Fairy Lights Cookie Jar  
Award of Merit – Small Fairy Lights Cookie Jar  
Winners Dog - 15” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Reserve Winners Dog - Crystal Trophy

Winners Bitch - 15” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Reserve Winners Bitch - Fairy Lights Cookie Jar  
Best Owner-Handled - 18” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Best Bred-By-Exhibitor - 18” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Best Puppy - 18” Lantern & Primo Pad  
Best Veteran – 18” Lantern & Primo Pad  
First in Each Regular Class – Engraved Wood Key Fob

First in Each Non-Regular (Single Dog Entry) Class – Engraved Wood Key Fob

First Place Stud Dog/Brood Bitch/Brace: Engraved Wood Key Fob

### **4-6 Month Beginner Puppy Competition Prizes**

Best of Breed – Toy Box

Best of Breed - Rosette Offered by The Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, Inc.

Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed – Toy Box

Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed - Rosette Offered by The Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, Inc.

### **Junior Showmanship Prizes**

Best Junior Handler - Custom Chris Christenson Flight Travel Tack Box

Best Junior Handler - Custom Lead offered by Barb Beyer

Reserve Best Junior Handler - Directors Chair

Reserve Best Junior Handler - Rosette Offered by The Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, Inc.

First in Each Class – Engraved Wood Key Fob

### **Other Prizes**

Best Brood Bitch • Best Stud Dog • Brace • Breeders Showcase • Generations • Best Movement • Best Head Type  
First, Second, Third & Fourth in Each Class Rosette  
First Place – 15” Lantern

Most Versatile - First place – custom Jacket donated by North Star Miniature American Shepherd Club; First through Fourth - Rosette & Trophy, Qualifiers – Medal

Most Versatile Junior Handler Team – Rosette, Brilliant K9 Harness & Matching Leash & Directors Chair

Ultimate – First Place – Brilliant K9 Harness & Matching Leash

Ultimate - First through Fourth - Rosette & Trophy, Qualifiers – Medal

Ultimate Veteran – Rosette - – Brilliant K9 Harness

Ultimate Junior Handler Team – Rosette, Brilliant K9 Harness & Matching Leash & Directors Chair

Adult Showmanship – First place – Chicken Cookie Jar, First through Fourth in Each Class – Rosette

Best Adult Showmanship – 15” Chicken Lantern & Rosette

Reserve Best Adult Showmanship - Rosette

### **\*\*Points Available for Reserve on Saturday, October 15, 2022 Show ONLY\*\***

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

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



## NATIONAL SPECIALTY AWARDS for OBEDIENCE & RALLY

The following MASCUSA Performance Awards will be presented at the MASCUSA Nationals.

### **Obedience**

MASCUSA Nationals Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined – REGULAR CLASSES OVERALL - Gift (\$50 value), leash  
JUNIOR HANDLER - Gift (\$50 value)

MASCUSA National Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined—PREFERRED CLASSES OVERALL - GIFT (\$50 value), leash

MASCUSA Nationals Obedience Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined - UTILITY Level - Gift (\$30 value)

MASCUSA Nationals Obedience Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined - OPEN Level - Gift (\$30 value)

MASCUSA Nationals Obedience Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined - NOVICE Level - Gift (\$30 value)

(A & B classes compete for same level. Only qualifying runs will be used. OVERALL includes: Novice, Open and Utility. Beginner Novice, Preferred Novice and Grad Novice are not eligible for Novice level or Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd. Grad Open is not eligible for Open level or Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd.)

Formula for calculating High in Levels will be:

Novice: Score Trial 1 + Score Trial 2

Open: (Score Trial 1 + 10 bonus points) + (Score Trial 2 + 10 bonus points)

Utility: (Score Trial 1 + 20 bonus points) + (Score Trial 2 + 20 bonus points)

The formula for calculating Overall will be: Highest total Score Both Trials (including bonus points).

Note: If a Dog is in both Open & Utility, only the two highest scores (including bonus), will be used.

1<sup>st</sup> tie-breaker – Highest level attained, 2<sup>nd</sup> tie-breaker—most Qualifications, 3<sup>rd</sup> tie-breaker—highest score for Heel Free (Novice), Heel Free and Figure Eight (Open), Signal Exercise (Utility).

### **Rally**

MASCUSA Nationals Rally Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined – OVERALL – Gift (\$50 value), braided leash  
JUNIOR HANDLER - Gift (\$50 value)

MASCUSA National Rally Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined — MASTERS LEVEL (GIFT (\$30 value)

MASCUSA Nationals Rally Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined – EXCELLENT LEVEL- Gift (\$30 value)

MASCUSA Nationals Rally Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined – ADVANCED LEVEL – Gift (\$30 value)

MASCUSA Nationals Rally Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined — INTERMEDIATE LEVEL — (Gift (\$30 value)

MASCUSA Nationals Rally Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd

All Trials Combined – NOVICE LEVEL – Gift (\$30 value)

A & B classes compete for same level. Only qualifying runs will be used. Overall includes Novice/Intermediate/Advanced/Excellent/Masters.

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The formula for calculating Levels will be:

Novice: Score Trial 1 + Score Trial 2

Intermediate: (Score Trial 1 + 5 bonus points) + (Score Trial 2 + 5 bonus points)

Advanced: (Score Trial 1 + 10 bonus points) + (Score Trial 2 + 10 bonus points)

Excellent: (Score Trial 1 + 15 bonus points) + (Score Trial 2 + 15 bonus points)

Masters: (Score Trial 1 + 20 bonus points) + (Score Trial 2 + 20 bonus points)

The formula for calculating Overall will be: Highest Total Score, both trials combined (including bonus points). Note: If the dog is in Advanced and Excellent or Advanced, Excellent and Masters only the two highest scores (including bonus) will be used. In the case of a tie, time will be used within the same class.

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**THURSDAY REGIONAL SPECIALLY PRIZES**  
Offered by Wild West Miniature American Shepherd Club

- Best of Breed - Rosette, cup and grooming table cover
- Best Opposite Sex- Rosette with cup
- Best of Winners - Rosette with cup
- Best Owner Handler- Rosette
- Winners Dog/Winners Bitch - Rosette and cup
- Reserve Winners Dog/Winners Bitch - Rosette and cup
- First place each class - potty bag holder
- Best Veteran -Rosette
- Best Puppy - Rosette
- Best Bred-By Exhibitor - Rosette
- Best Junior - Rosette and cup
- Reserve Best Junior- Rosette and cup
- 1st place each Junior Showmanship class - potty bag holder
- Best 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy - Rosette potty bag holder
- Best Opposite Sex 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy - Rosette and potty bag holder



**SUNDAY REGIONAL SPECIALLY PRIZES**  
Offered by Pacific Northwest American Shepherd Club

- Best of Breed - Rosette & breed related item
- Best Opposite Sex - Rosette & breed related item
- Best Of Winners - Rosette & breed related item
- Winners Dog/Winners Bitch - Rosette & breed related item
- Reserve Winners Dog/Winners Bitch - Rosette & breed related item
- First place in each class - breed related item
- Best Veteran - Rosette
- Best Puppy - Rosette
- Best Bred-By Exhibitor - Rosette
- Best Junior - Rosette & breed related item
- Reserve Best Junior - Rosette & breed related item
- 1st place each Junior Showmanship class - Rosette & breed related item
- Best 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy - Rosette & breed related item
- Best Opposite Sex 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy - Rosette & breed related item





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## 2022 MASCUSA National Specialty

### OCTOBER 7-16, 2022

#### **Catalog Order Form**

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#### **2022 NATIONAL CATALOG:**

3-RING BINDER WITH CATALOG FOR CONFORMATION AND ALL PERFORMANCE EVENTS.

\_\_\_\_\_ CATALOG COST: **\$30** **Orders Due by September 15, 2022**

\_\_\_\_\_ Electronic Version of Catalog: **\$20** (*will be Emailed after nationals are over*)

**RESERVE ONLINE** at [www.DogZibit.com](http://www.DogZibit.com).

#### **Advertising in The 2022 Catalog    Advertising Deadline AUGUST 15, 2022**

- FULL PAGE – COLOR – \$125 (8 ½ x11)
- HALF PAGE – COLOR – \$70
- INSIDE BACK COVER – \$300
- BUSINESS CARD – \$25

Please Email Graphics to: Erin Skoog (Catalog Chair) at [hellostudioflight@gmail.com](mailto:hellostudioflight@gmail.com).

**NOTICE:** MASCUSA maintains a "Truth in Advertising" policy.

Make checks payable to **SEMASC** and mail with the completed form to: (all advertising must be paid with a check)

Tina Winston  
Attn: MASCUSA Catalog  
P. O. Box 187, Philpot, KY 42366



# MASCUSA Nationals

## Top 20 and Top 10 Owner Handled Competition Entry Form

Friday, October 14, 2022 – 1 hour after conclusion of Sweepstakes.

\_\_\_ Top 20 \$100 \_\_\_  
\_\_\_ Top 10 Owner Handled \$100

\_\_\_ Catalog upgrade to color \$25 for Owner Handled Showcase

\_\_\_ Catalog upgrade to color \$25 for the Top 20 Showcase

Dog Name with titles \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ AKC Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_

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

Co-Owners \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Owners address \_\_\_\_\_

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

Sire \_\_\_\_\_

Dam \_\_\_\_\_

Handler \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Submission Deadline: August 31, 2022** Payments must be received by this date.

**Catalog deadline August 31, 2022:** Submit your camera ready 1/2 page add to Tina Winston, [twinston@mascusa.org](mailto:twinston@mascusa.org) 1 picture with no more than 50 words, not including owners' names and address.

Make checks payable to SEMASC

Please submit your completed registration form and payment to:

Tina Winston, 2022 National Show Chair

PO Box 130

Philpot, KY 42366

**[twinston@mascusa.org](mailto:twinston@mascusa.org)**

This address can accept overnight delivery – signature must be waived



MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD  
- CLUB OF THE USA, INC. -

2022 TOP TEN/TOP TWENTY  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2022  
Education Building Facility  
Wilson County Fairgrounds  
945 E. Baddour, Lebanon, TN

Meal will be served buffet style before Top Ten/Top Twenty which will begin at 5:30 p.m. This will be served in the Education Building across from the Expo Center prior to Top 10/Top20. Top 10/Top 20 will commence at 6:30 p.m. in the Expo Center.

Beef tips Vitaliano  
Baked Chicken and dressing  
House salad  
Fresh vegetable melody  
Scalloped potatoes  
Creamy house corn casserole  
Hawaiian crème dream  
Apple caramel crisp  
Beverages will be choice of sweet tea, unsweet tea, coffee, or water

(Please print clearly)

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

No of Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost is \$25 per person

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send paypal invoice \_\_\_\_\_

Check/Money Order payable to SEMASC with this form – forward to: If paying via paypal you can email to [tinawinston@hotmail.com](mailto:tinawinston@hotmail.com). **Deadline to RSVP is 9/21/22.**

SEMASC  
Tina Winston  
PO Box 130  
Philpot, KY 42366



## 2022 MASCUSA AWARDS BANQUET SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022

Education Building Facility  
Wilson County Fairgrounds  
945 E. Baddour, Lebanon, TN

You are invited to attend the 2022 MASCUSA AWARDS BANQUET which will be held on Saturday, October 15, 2022 beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Our banquet will be served buffet style.

Pulled Pork

Pulled Chicken

Buttery garlic green beans

Home style baked mac & cheese

Signature Potato Salad

Sweet buttermilk cornbread

Apple crisp with ice cream

Peach cobbler with ice cream

Beverages will be coffee, sweet tea, unsweet tea and water.

(Please print clearly)

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

No of Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost is \$25 per person

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Most Versatile Miniature American Shepherd 2022 MVMAS Rules

**PURPOSE:** The Most Versatile Miniature American Shepherd (MVMAS) Competition offered at a MASCUSA National Specialty recognizes those dogs that exemplify the true meaning of the word versatility by successfully competing in herding and companion competitions while meeting the AKC Miniature American Shepherd Breed Standard in the Versatility Conformation class.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all AKC registered Miniature American Shepherds, including altered dogs and bitches. AKC PAL/ILP dogs are ineligible. Bitches in season will be allowed to compete as dictated by AKC Rules and Regulations. Bitches in Season are not eligible to compete in Agility, Obedience or Rally according to AKC Rules and Regulations. They are eligible to compete in Herding and Versatility Conformation. Refer to the premiums for additional information.

**REQUIREMENTS:** To qualify in the Most Versatile Miniature American Shepherd Competition, a dog must:

- Earn a qualifying score in the Versatility Conformation class of 50 or greater.
- Earn a score in one of the Herding Test or Trial classes as set forth below.
- Earn a qualifying score in at least one of the Companion classes (obedience, rally or agility).

Although one qualifying companion score is required to qualify, a dog may receive up to 3 scores, one qualifying score from each of the 3 companion categories.

**Only scores from events designated as MVMAS qualifying events in the Nationals Premium will count.**

**SCORING:** Only qualifying scores in Conformation, Herding, Obedience, Rally and Agility will be counted (with the exception of Herding Test/Trial classes as noted in the rules).

**All dogs must compete at their most recent competitive level.**

**There will be an entry fee of \$25.00 for the Most Versatile MAS Conformation Evaluation.** This entry fee for the MVMAS Class will be paid with any other conformation entries that you may have. In addition, the MVMAS Entry Form and fee of \$25 must be filled out and submitted by the deadline to ensure being listed as entered in MVMAS in the catalog. The Form is used to gather information for the catalog and to prepare scoring sheets. All other entries will be processed according to the event premiums.

**CONFORMATION:** This class will be held at a time and place designated by the National Specialty Show Committee. All dogs competing for the versatility awards will be judged against the AKC Miniature American Shepherd Breed Standard. One judge, who is eligible to judge or who has judged conformation, will judge the class. Details on ring procedure will be included in the premium each year.

MVMAS Score will be computed as follows for a qualifying score:

- The conformation raw score given by the judge – maximum 110 points
- Minimum score of 50 to qualify

MVMAS Conformation Ring Procedure

At the beginning of the MVMAS conformation evaluation, all entrants will enter the ring together in catalog order. (at judge's discretion) The judge will ask them to go around the ring and then each dog will be evaluated individually. There may be more than one handler allowed for each dog if needed. Each entrant will receive a Conformation Class Score Sheet signed by the Judge. You will be instructed as to the final ring procedures by the judge at the briefing.

HERDING TESTS & TRIALS: (Instinct, Herding and Pre-Trial Tested, and/or Herding Trials, including Started/Intermediate/Advanced, Stock Sheep/Cattle/Duck, and Course A/B/C/D).

If a dog is entered in both Trial and Tested classes, only the highest of either tested points or regular trial score (including bonus) will be used. If a dog qualifies on more than one type of stock, only the highest score (including bonus) will apply.

MVMAS Tested Scores will be computed as follows for dogs PASSING the test:

- Instinct Test: 30 points
- Herding Test: 40 points
- Pre-Trial Test: 50 points

MVMAS Trial Scores will be computed as follows:

- Started raw score
- Intermediate raw score + 5 points
- Advanced raw score + 10 points

Non-Qualifying scores from the "Trial" classes will be used for a dog not retired or removed. If a dog is retired or removed from a class and has proof of an existing AKC Herding title or certificate from the class immediately below that in which it is participating, on the same type of stock, the dog will be given credit for its herding capability by receiving points as outlined below.

MVMAS who are existing AKC Herding Title/Certificate holders, who are retired or removed, will be computed as follow: Please submit proof of prior herding titles/certificates with your MVMAS entry.

- Herding Test Participant with Instinct Certificate: 35 points
- Pre-Trial Test Participant with Herding Tested Title: 45 points
- Started Participant with Herding Pre-Trial Title: 55 points
- Intermediate Participant with Started Title: 55 points
- Advanced Participant with Intermediate Title: 55 points

When there are separate trials or courses for the different types of stock, (sheep, duck and cattle) these will be treated as 1 trial for MVMAS purposes. If a dog qualifies on more than one type of stock, the highest score will apply, with additional points awarded for the additional qualifying score(s). Only the highest score from the combined trials will count for MVMAS with the additional bonus points for qualifying on a second (2<sup>nd</sup>) type of stock.

Additional qualifying score points will be computed as follows:

- Started 5 Bonus points
- Intermediate: 7.5 bonus points
- Advanced: 10 bonus points

**Dogs may not repeat the instinct test just to qualify for MVMAS.**

**Note: If there is an injury to stock, it will result in a 0 score regardless of title,** unless the stock handler and the facility, Do NOT deem it to be the dog's fault.



**OBEDIENCE**: 50% of highest qualifying score, including bonus, from a Regular or Preferred class. (Beginner Novice, Novice A/B & Preferred Novice, Open A/B & Preferred Open, Utility A/B & Preferred Utility).

MVMAS Scores will be computed as follows (only qualifying scores will be used):

- Beginner Novice: 50% of raw score
- Novice and Preferred Novice: 50% of raw score + 4 points
- Graduate Novice: 50% of raw score + 6 points
- Open and Preferred Open: 50% of raw score + 8 points
- Graduate Open: 50% of raw score + 10 points
- Utility and Preferred Utility: 50% of raw score + 12 points

**RALLY**: Highest Qualifying score, including bonus, from a regular class (Novice A/B, Intermediate, Advanced A/B, Excellent A/B or Master).

MVMAS Scores will be computed as follows (only qualifying scores will be used):

- Novice: Raw score
- Intermediate: Raw score + 3 points
- Advanced: Raw score + 6 points
- Excellent: Raw score + 9 points
- Master: Raw score + 12 points

**AGILITY**: Highest qualifying score, including bonus, from a Standard (STD) or Jumpers with Weaves (JWW) class, Regular or Preferred.

MVMAS Scores will be computed as follows (only qualifying scores will be used):

- Novice: raw score
- Open: raw score + 4 points
- Excellent: raw score + 8 points
- Master: raw score + 12 points

**TIES**: If there is a tie, the highest herding score will be used. If there is still a tie, the highest movement score from the conformation evaluation will be used. If a third tie breaker is required, the highest number of classes qualified in shall be used.



# Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, Inc

## Most Versatile Miniature American Shepherd Conformation Scoring

(Approved by Board 10/01/2020)

Armband Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle as applicable ► Dog Bitch Altered

Each category is scored on a scale with the highest number being the ideal for the breed.

### Scale for Total Points

Conformation	Points
Poor (Disqualification for MV-MAS)	0-49
Fair	50-64
Average	65-79
Excellent	80-94
Superior	95-110

### CATEGORY: APPEARANCE

**General Appearance:** The Miniature American Shepherd is a small size herding dog that originated in the United States. He is slightly longer than tall with bone that is moderate and in proportion to body size and height without extremes. Movement is smooth, easy, and balanced. Exceptional agility combined with strength and stamina allows for working over a variety of terrain. This highly versatile, energetic dog makes an excellent athlete with superior intelligence and a willingness to please those to whom he is devoted. He is both a loyal companion and a biddable worker, which is evident in his watchful expression. The double coat of medium length and coarseness may be solid in color or merled, with or without white and/or tan (copper) markings. He traditionally has a docked or natural bobtail.

**Size, Proportion and Substance:** Size: Height for dogs is 14 inches up to and including 18 inches at the top of the withers. Height for bitches is 13 inches up to and including 17 inches at the top of withers. Deductions (see below): under 14 inches and over 18 inches for dogs; under 13 inches and over 17 inches for bitches. The minimum heights set forth in this breed standard shall not apply to dogs or bitches under six months of age. Proportion: Measuring from the point of the shoulder to the point of the buttocks and from the highest point of the shoulder blade to the ground, he is slightly longer than tall. Substance: Solidly built with moderate bone in proportion to body height and size. Structure in the dog reflects masculinity without coarseness. Bitches appear feminine without being slight of bone.

**Coat:** Moderation is the overall impression of the coat. Hair is of medium texture, straight to wavy, weather resistant, and of medium length. The undercoat varies in quantity with variations in climate. Hair is short and smooth on the head and front of the legs. The backs of forelegs and breeches are moderately feathered. There is a moderate mane and frill, more pronounced in dogs than in bitches. Hair may be trimmed on the ears, feet, back of hocks, pasterns, and tail, otherwise he is to be shown in a natural coat. Untrimmed whiskers are preferred. Severe Fault: Non-typical coats.

**Color:** The coloring offers variety and individuality. With no order of preference, the recognized colors are black, blue merle, red (liver) and red merle. The merle will exhibit in any amount, marbling, flecks or blotches. Undercoats may be somewhat lighter in color than the topcoat. Asymmetrical markings are not to be faulted. Tan Markings: Tan markings are not required but when present are acceptable in any or all of the following areas; around the eyes, on the feet, legs, chest, muzzle, underside of neck, face, underside of ear, underline of body, under the base of the tail and the breeches. Tan markings vary in shades from creamy beige to dark rust, with no preference. Blending with the base color or merle pattern may be present on the face, legs, feet, and breeches. White Markings: White markings are not required but when present do not dominate. Ticking may be present in white markings. White on the head does not predominate, and the eyes are fully surrounded by color and pigment. Red merles and reds have red (liver) pigmentation on the eye rims. Blue merles and blacks have black pigmentation on the eye rims. Ears fully covered by color are preferred. Severe Fault: White markings covering over 25% of an ear. White markings may be in any combination and are restricted to: the muzzle, cheeks, crown, blaze on head, the neck in a partial or full collar, chest, belly, front legs, hind legs up the hock and may extend in a thin outline of the stifle. A small amount of white extending from the underline may be visible from the side, not to exceed one inch above the elbow. The hairline of a white collar does not exceed the withers at the skin. If a natural undocked tail is present, the tip of the tail may have white. Deductions (see below): Other than recognized colors. White body splashes, which means any conspicuous, isolated spot or patch of white on the area between withers and tail, on back, or sides between elbows and back of hindquarters.

**Temperament:** The Miniature American Shepherd is intelligent, primarily a working dog of strong herding and guardian instincts. An exceptional companion, he is versatile and easily trained, performing his assigned tasks with great style and enthusiasm. Although reserved with strangers, he does not exhibit shyness. He is a resilient and persistent worker, who adjusts his demeanor and arousal appropriately to the task at hand. With his family he is protective, good natured, devoted and loyal.

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**CATEGORY: STRUCTURE**

**Head:** The head is clean-cut, dry, and in proportion to the body. Expression: Alert, attentive and intelligent. May express a reserved look and/or be watchful of strangers. Eyes: The eyes are set obliquely, almond shaped, neither protruding nor sunken and in proportion to the head. Acceptable in all coat colors, one or both eyes may be brown, blue, hazel, amber or any color combination thereof, including flecks and marbling. The eye rims of the reds and red merles have full red (liver) pigmentation. The eye rims of the blacks and blue merles have full black pigmentation. Ears: Are triangular, of moderate size, set high on the head. At full attention they break forward and over, or to the side as a rose ear. Severe Fault: Prick ears and ears that hang with no lift. Skull: The crown is flat to slightly round and may show a slight occipital protuberance. The width and the length of the crown are equal. Stop: The stop is moderate but defined. Muzzle: The muzzle is of medium width and depth and tapers gradually to a rounded tip without appearing heavy, square, snippy, or loose. Length is equal to the length of the crown. Planes: Viewed from the side, the muzzle and the top line of the crown are slightly oblique to each other, with the front of the crown on a slight angle downward toward the nose. Nose: Red merles and reds have red (liver) pigmentation on the nose leather. Blue merles and blacks have black pigmentation on the nose leather. Fully pigmented noses are preferred. Noses that are less than fully pigmented will be faulted. Severe Fault: 25-50% un-pigmented nose leather. Deductions (see below): Over 50% un-pigmented nose leather. Bite: A full complement of teeth meet in a scissor bite. Teeth broken, missing or discolored by accident are not penalized. Deductions (see below): Undershot or overshot bite.

**Neck, Topline and Body:** The overall structure gives an impression of depth and strength without bulkiness. Neck: The neck is firm, clean, and in proportion to the body. It is of medium length and slightly arched at the crest, fitting well into the shoulders. Topline: The back is firm and level from the withers to the hip joint when standing or moving. Loin: The loin is strong and broad when viewed from the top. Croup: The croup is moderately sloped. Body: The body is firm and well-conditioned. Chest and Ribs: The chest is full and deep, reaching to the elbow, with well sprung ribs. Underline: The underline shows a moderate tuck-up. Tail: A docked or natural bobtail is preferred. A docked tail is straight, not to exceed three (3) inches. The undocked tail when at rest may hang in a slight curve. When excited or in motion the tail may be carried raised with the curve accentuated.

**Forequarters:** The forequarters are well conditioned and balanced with the hindquarters. Shoulders: Shoulder blades (scapula) are long, flat, fairly close set at the withers, and well laid back. Upper arm: The upper arm (humerus) is equal in length to the shoulder blade and meets the shoulder blade at an approximate right angle. The forelegs drop straight and perpendicular to the ground. Elbow: The elbow joint is equidistant from the ground to the withers. Viewed from the side, the elbow should be directly under the withers. The elbows should be close to the ribs without looseness. Legs: The legs are straight and strong. The bone is oval rather than round. Pasterns: Short, thick and strong, but still flexible, showing a slight angle when viewed from the side. Feet: Oval shaped, compact, with close-knit, well-arched toes. Pads are thick and resilient; nails are short and strong. The nails may be any color combination. Dewclaws should be removed.

**Hindquarters:** Width of hindquarters is approximately equal to the width of the forequarters at the shoulders. Angulation: The angulation of the pelvis and upper thigh (femur) mirrors the angulation of the shoulder blade and upper arm, forming an approximate right angle. Stifle: Stifles are clearly defined. Hock: The hocks are short, perpendicular to the ground and parallel to each other when viewed from the rear. Feet: Feet are oval, compact, with close knit, well arched toes. Pads are thick and resilient; nails are short and strong. The nails may be any color combination. Rear dewclaws should be removed.

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**CATEGORY: MOVEMENT**

**Gait:** Smooth, free, and easy; exhibiting agility of movement with a well-balanced, ground-covering stride. Fore and hind legs move straight and parallel with the center line of the body; as speed increases, the feet, both front and rear, converge toward the center line of gravity of the dog, while the back remains firm and level. When traveling at a trot the head is carried in a natural position with neck extended forward and head nearly level or slightly above the topline. He must be agile and able to turn direction or alter gait instantly.

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Penalties for Breed Standard Disqualifications – circle all penalties that apply and subtract from score	Penalty
Under 14 inches and over 18 inches for dogs; under 13 inches and over 17 inches for bitches.	-10
Over 50% un-pigmented nose leather.	-10
Undershot or overshot bite.	-10
Other than recognized colors. White body splashes, which means any conspicuous, isolated spot or patch of white on the area between withers and tail, on back, or sides between elbows and back of hindquarters.	-10
Undescended testicles or testicles not present (unless altered)	-10
Blindness or Deafness	Does Not Qualify
Changed by artificial means	Does Not Qualify
Attacks or vicious behavior	Does Not Qualify
<b>Total Penalties</b>	

Total Score

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## 2022 MASCUSA Nationals

### Most Versatile MAS Entry Form

Cost \$25 per dog MV-MAS entry only

**Pre-Entry Only – Due September 21, 2022**

KC Registered Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Call Name \_\_\_\_\_ Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Sire \_\_\_\_\_ Jr Handler Number \_\_\_\_\_

Dam \_\_\_\_\_

ACTUAL OWNER(S): \_\_\_\_\_

Owners Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

You must enter the conformation Non-Regular “Versatility Class” via AKC Show Superintendent – see premium for details. You must also enter Herding and a minimum of at least one performance event (Obedience, Rally, Agility). See the premiums for Conformation, Herding, Obedience/Rally and Agility for more information and entry forms.

#### MVA CLASSES: CIRCLE ALL CLASSES ENTERED

##### Herding

**Sheep** Course A or Tested      **Ducks** Course A or Course B

Instinct      Herding Tested      Pre-Trial      Started      Intermediate      Advanced

##### CONFORMATION – Must enter Non-Regular MV-MAS

MVA Conformation Ring Procedure: At the beginning of the MVA conformation evaluation, all entrants will enter the ring together in catalog order. The judge will ask them to go around the ring and stack their dogs. The judge will then excuse all dogs, and then call in one dog at a time to be evaluated individually.

##### OBEDIENCE

BegNov    PrefNov    NoviceA    NoviceB    Graduate Novice    PrefOpen    OpenA    OpenB    Graduate Open    PrefUtility    UtilityA    UtilityB

##### RALLY

NoviceA    NoviceB    Intermediate    AdvancedA    AdvancedB    ExcellentA    ExcellentB    Master

##### AGILITY

**Standard(STD):** NoviceA    NoviceB    NovicePref    Open    OpenPref    Excellent    ExcellentPref    Masters    MastersPref  
**Jumpers(JWW):** NoviceA    NoviceB    NovicePref    Open    OpenPref    Excellent    ExcellentPref    Masters    MastersPref

**Make check payable to “MASCUSA” and mail check with entry form to:**

Teresa Hunt: 1098 State Rd E, Montreal, MO 65591

[crimsonmas@gmail.com](mailto:crimsonmas@gmail.com)    573-480-0161



# 2022 UPMAS Rules

## Ultimate Performance Miniature American Shepherd

### Ultimate Performance Miniature American Shepherd

The Ultimate Performance MAS competition is offered to showcase the amazing abilities of the Miniature American Shepherd. Unlike the traditional MVMAS program, Ultimate Performance Miniature American Shepherd changes from year to year, depending on which events are offered. A Miniature American Shepherd is attentive and animated, showing strength and stamina combined with unusual agility, which allows for working over a variety of terrain. This highly versatile, energetic dog makes an excellent athlete with superior intelligence and a willingness to please those to whom he is devoted. Dogs must be AKC registered Miniature American Shepherds to participate.

New dog sports may be added in the future to further demonstrate the amazing abilities of the Miniature American Shepherd. Hosting clubs must offer at least 3 events.

### ULTIMATE PERFORMANCE Miniature American Shepherd SCORING

To qualify for the Ultimate Performance MAS (UPMAS) in 2021, one must qualify in at least 3 of the following categories (any level including instinct) at Nationals: AKC Herding Instinct/Test/Trial, AKC Agility, AKC Obedience, AKC Rally, AKC Scent Work, NADD Dock Diving, UpDog, and AKC Fast Cat. If you your dog has a herding instinct test, you may not repeat Herding Instinct for the purposes of this competition.

Placements will be awarded for 1st – 4<sup>th</sup>, and all UPMAS qualifiers will receive a special award. The 1st Place winner will earn the title “Ultimate Performance Miniature American Shepherd”. If the 1st place Ultimate Performance MAS is also the 1st place dog for MVMAS, they will be given the Iron Dog award. Iron Dog prize to be sent after Nationals, as there may or may not be a winner each year.

Point Calculation: Points are totaled from all event categories offered.

If there is a tie, the 1st tiebreaker is to take the most categories with a Q, 2nd tiebreaker is to take the highest Herding score, 3rd tiebreaker is to take the fastest Herding time and 4th tie breaker is the number of classes entered.

A scorekeeper/chairperson will be assigned by MASCUSA or the Hosting Club. Scores will be available for exhibitors to double check as soon as practicable after

each eligible competition is completed. It is the owner/handler's responsibility to check the scores as posted, and report to the UPMAS chairperson any discrepancy no later than Thursday October 13, 2022 8:00 PM. Discrepancies may only be filed by the handler for the event where there is a discrepancy. The UPMAS awards will be presented at the Award Ceremony. Judges placements/decisions for all events are final. Awards for UPMAS are final once presented. The UPMAS Chairperson will keep records for at least 1 year after the event.

## **ULTIMATE PERFORMANCE Miniature American Shepherd ENTRANTS**

Ultimate Performance MAS entrants must be AKC registered, and 6 months of age as of the 1st day of the competition. Individual events may have additional age criteria.

Event Categories – only the highest score for each category will be used. Dogs must compete at their most recent competitive levels, in each event. Dogs may not repeat herding instinct, for a herding score to count.

## **SPECIAL ULTIMATE PERFORMANCE MAS RECOGNITION**

Participating in the Ultimate Performance MAS is an adventure in itself. A certificate will be awarded to recognize and encourage the following participants/dogs in addition to regular awards listed above:

Junior Handler Awards - The handler must show the dog in all events in order to be eligible for Junior Handler awards. Multiple handlers may handle the dog for Veteran.

Best Junior UPMAS

Best Veteran Dog UPMAS – Highest Score (Veteran - Dog Age 7+)

## Ultimate Performance Miniature American Shepherd Points Schedule

EVENT	CLASS	POINT VALUE	POINTS ALLOWED
HERDING	INSTINCT	1	6
HERDING	HERDING TESTED	2	
HERDING	PRE-TRIAL	3	
HERDING	STARTED (Sheep or Ducks)	4	
HERDING	INTERMEDIATE (Sheep or Ducks)	5	
HERDING	ADVANCED (Sheep or Ducks)	6	
OBEDIENCE	BEGINNER NOVICE OBEDIENCE	1	6
OBEDIENCE	NOVICE OBEDIENCE (Regular & Preferred)	2	
OBEDIENCE	GRADUATE NOVICE OBEDIENCE	3	
OBEDIENCE	OPEN OBEDIENCE (Regular & Preferred)	4	
OBEDIENCE	GRADUATE OPEN OBEDIENCE	5	
OBEDIENCE	UTILITY (Regular & Preferred)	6	
RALLY	NOVICE RALLY	1	5
RALLY	INTERMEDIATE RALLY	2	
RALLY	ADVANCED RALLY	3	
RALLY	EXCELLENT RALLY	4	
RALLY	MASTER RALLY	5	
AGILITY	NOVICE STANDARD (Regular & Preferred)	2	6
AGILITY	OPEN STANDARD (Regular & Preferred)	4	
AGILITY	EXCELLENT STANDARD (Regular & Preferred)	5	
AGILITY	MASTER STANDARD (Regular & Preferred)	6	
AGILITY	NOVICE JWW (Regular & Preferred)	2	
AGILITY	OPEN JWW (Regular & Preferred)	4	
AGILITY	EXCELLENT JWW (Regular & Preferred)	5	
AGILITY	MASTER JWW (Regular & Preferred)	6	
FAST CAT	MPH <15	1	5
FAST CAT	MPH => 15 and <20	2	
FAST CAT	MPH => 20 and <25	3	
FAST CAT	MPH => 25 and <30	4	
FAST CAT	MPH => 30+	5	
SCENT WORK	NOVICE (Containers, Interior, Exterior, Buried, HD)	1	5
SCENT WORK	ADVANCED (Containers, Interior, Exterior, Buried, HD)	2	
SCENT WORK	EXCELLENT (Containers, Interior, Exterior, Buried, HD)	3	
SCENT WORK	MASTERS (Containers, Interior, Exterior, Buried, HD)	4	
SCENT WORK	DETECTIVE	5	
DOCK DIVING	Less than 5'	1	5
DOCK DIVING	Equal to or greater than 5' and < 10'	2	
DOCK DIVING	Equal to or greater than 10' and < 15'	3	
DOCK DIVING	Equal to or greater than 15' and < 20'	4	
DOCK DIVING	Equal to or greater than 20'	5	
DISC DOG	THROW 'N GO - Less Than 10 Points	1	5
DISC DOG	THROW 'N GO - 10 Points to < 20 Points	3	
DISC DOG	THROW 'N GO - 20 Points or Greater	5	
DISC DOG	FRIZGILITY - Less than 40 Points	1	
DISC DOG	FRIZGILITY - 40 Points to < 60 Points	3	
DISC DOG	FRIZGILITY - 60 points or Greater	5	
DISC DOG	4WAYPLAY - Less than 5 points	1	
DISC DOG	4WAYPLAY - 5 points to < 10 points	3	
DISC DOG	4WAYPLAY - 10 Points or Greater	5	

- Notes:
- 1) Only the Highest Q per "color" counts. If there are 2 trials, the Highest Q overall will count.
  - 2) This is a master point schedule for the Ultimate Competition. Not every event will be held every year.

MASCUSA Board of Directors Approved 11/5/2020



## 2022 MASCUSA Nationals

### Ultimate Performance Miniature American Shepherd Entry Form

#### ULTIMATE PERFORMANCE MAS ENTRANTS

Ultimate Performance MAS entrants must be 6 months of age as of the first day of the competition, and AKC registered. Individual events may have additional age criteria.

- Ultimate Performance Miniature American Shepherd Competition (UPMAS)

ENTRY FEE PER DOG: \$32.00

or \$25.00 each when entering both UPMAS & MVMAS.

Pre-Entry Only - Due September 21, 2022

Name of Dog: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Reg. #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Handler Number \_\_\_\_\_

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

Owner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

#### SPECIAL ULTIMATE PERFORMANCE MAS RECOGNITION

Participating in the Ultimate Performance MAS is an adventure in itself. An award will be presented to recognize and encourage the following participants/dogs in addition to regular awards: Junior Handler Awards - The same junior handler must show dog in all events in order to be eligible for Junior Handler awards.

Check if applies to your Entry below...

Best Junior UPMAS - Highest Score (Handler Age 9-11)

Best Junior UPMAS - Highest Score (Handler Age 12-14)

Best Junior UPMAS - Highest Score (Handler Age 15-18)

Best Veteran Dog UPMAS – Highest Score (Veteran - Dog Age 7+)

Make check out to **MASCUSA** and mail check and entry form to:

Teresa Hunt: 1098 State Rd E, Montreal, MO 65591

[crimsonmas@gmail.com](mailto:crimsonmas@gmail.com) 573-480-0161





# 2022 MASCUSA Nationals

## Miniature American Shepherd Special Attractions

Judge: Gaye Grant

Time: 1 hour after conclusion of Sweeps

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY at [www.DOGZIBIT.com](http://www.DOGZIBIT.com). **DUE SEPT 21, 2022.** Show Secretary: [Entries@DogZibit.com](mailto:Entries@DogZibit.com).

DAY OF SHOW ENTRY FEE PER DOG: **\$40.00. DUE 12 PM DAY OF SHOW.**

Event	Pre-Entry Fees	Day of Show Fees
<p><b>BEST MOVEMENT CLASS</b> Split by sex. Placing will be 1st – 4th. Movement is open to any dog six months of age or older and is judged as correct according to the MASCUSA breed standard.</p>	\$35	\$40
<p><b>BEST HEAD TYPE CLASS</b> Split by sex. Placing will be 1st – 4<sup>th</sup>. The Head Type class is open to any dog six months of age or older. Head Type is judged as correct according to the MASCUSA breed standard.</p>	\$35	\$40
<p><b>GENERATIONS CLASS RULES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Each entry shall consist of 3 dogs. All dogs must be related, and consecutive generations. (Example: grandmother, mother, daughter) They may be any combination of male and female. Each dog must be a minimum of 6 months of age at the time of show. They will be judged against the Breed Standard, for consistency within the group.</li> <li>• Each dog must be entered elsewhere, in any sweeps, non-regular or regular class.</li> <li>• An entry may be handled in the ring by anyone, i.e., breeder, owner or handler. If the breeder is not able to show themselves, they must be ringside for a valid entry.</li> <li>• Each breeder may only be represented by one entry.</li> <li>• All entries must be registered in accordance with AKC rules for entering an AKC sanctioned show.</li> </ul>	\$35	\$40
<p><b>BREEDER'S SHOWCASE RULES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Each entry shall consist of 3 dogs. They may be any combination of male and female. Each dog must be a minimum of 6 months of age at the time of show.</li> <li>• The entry will be judged against the breed standard, and consistency within the group.</li> <li>• Each dog must be entered elsewhere, in any sweeps, non-regular or regular class.</li> <li>• Each entry shall have at least one breeder in common. The name of this breeder must be exactly the same but may fall in any order on the registration.</li> <li>• An entry may be handled in the ring by anyone, i.e., breeder, owner or handler. If the breeder is not able to show themselves, they must be ringside for a valid entry.</li> <li>• Each breeder may only be represented by one entry.</li> <li>• All entries must be registered in accordance with AKC rules for entering an AKC sanctioned show.</li> </ul>	\$35	\$40
<p><b>WE ARE NOT HATCHLINGS ANYMORE ADULT SHOWMANSHIP</b> Open to any dog six months of age or older. The dog Must be owner-Handled. Handler may not have ever shown dogs as a professional handler. Open only to Miniature American Shepherds. The winners from each age group will come back into the ring to compete for the Ultimate Toasty Chicken Award.</p> <p>___ 18-34 Spring Chicken Class          ___ 35-49 Broiled Chicken Class          ___ 50-64 Crispy Chicken Class          ___ 65-74 Well Done Chicken Class          ___ 75 and Over Burnt Chicken Class</p>	\$20	\$25



# Grooming Space Reservation Form

## 2022 MASCUSA National Specialty

### OCTOBER 8-16, 2022

Grooming Spaces Open October 12, 2022.

Grooming will be in the Ag Venture Building which will be the National's Main Hub for the week. The building is open side with concrete floor. RV's Reservations will also be able to be made to be adjacent to the Ag Venture Building.

Reservation deadline **September 21, 2022.**

If you would like grooming space together, please submit your requests in the same envelope or put a note when checking out online.

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

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

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

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Space: 10 x 10  
\_\_\_\_ Wednesday - Sunday **\$100**    \_\_\_\_ Friday - Sunday **\$75**

NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE AFTER **September 21, 2022.**

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send Check made payable to DOGZIBIT to: DogZibit, P. O. Box 2044, Woodinville, WA 98072-2044 or RESERVE ONLINE at [www.DogZibit.com](http://www.DogZibit.com)**

Covid Disclaimer: Grooming may be moved to tented areas outside, depending on Covid restrictions.

# Tri Star Kennel Club of Williamson County, TN Overnight Parking Reservation Form

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

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

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

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

Email address (for notification): \_\_\_\_\_

Specific person or breed group you would like to be near \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date \_\_\_\_\_

RV Length: \_\_\_\_\_ State/License Tag \_\_\_\_\_

RV Type:

Class A Motor Home \_\_\_\_\_

Class C Motor Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Van \_\_\_\_\_

Pop Up: \_\_\_\_\_

Travel Trailer: \_\_\_\_\_

Fifth Wheeler: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost of parking will be **\$40.00 per night**, which includes electricity and water. The fairgrounds have four dumping stations. There will be **"NO REFUNDS!!!"** There will be a designated place to park for anyone arriving after 11:00 PM until 6:00 AM each day. **Please do not try to find a spot without permission.**

Total Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Cost of parking will be **\$40.00 per night**. There will be **"NO REFUNDS!!!"**

The RV committee will try, not guaranteed, to accommodate any request if in reason and possible.

**Reservations** will need to be made **before September 29, 2022.**

Please indicate if you would like to be near a specific person's or group's set-up.

Reservations made after September 29, 2022, **NO CHECKS** will be accepted, therefore, any payment will need to be made in either cash, cashier check or PayPal.

You may go to [tristarkennelclub.org](http://tristarkennelclub.org) and click on the Harvest Cluster icon to pay.

Make Checks out to *TSKCW*

*1559 Old Dotsville Rd, Clarksville TN, 37042*

Kathy Lyon cell: (931)220-1278 Linda Winford cell: (931) 216-3600

Email: [soridge@aol.com](mailto:soridge@aol.com)

If there is no payment with mailed reservations,  
the RV Application will be considered incomplete until paid.

**There will be a \$35 charge for returned checks.**

# Accommodations

Confirm with Hotels on specific pet policy. Some facilities have fees & size limitations.

**HOTEL GROUNDS ARE CONSIDERED PART OF THE SHOW GROUNDS**

Please make your reservations as soon as possible due to multiple events in the area.

Anyone who abuses privileges of a hotel will be subject to an Event Committee hearing.

Red Roof Inn .....	(615) 872-0735
510 Claridge Dr, Donelson TN 37214 • 22 miles from show site	
Quality Inn .....	(615) 444-7020
641 S Cumberland St, Lebanon TN 37087 • Mention TSKC when making reservations	
Days Inn .....	(615) 449-5781
822 S Cumberland St, Lebanon TN 37090	
Quality Inn .....	(615) 451-4494
1001 Village Green Crossing, Gallatin TN 37066 • approximately 16 miles from show site	
Rodeway Inn .....	(615) 683-1300
479 Gordonsville Hwy, Gordonsville TN 38563	
Sleep Inn .....	(615) 449-7005
150 S Eastgate Ct, Lebanon TN 37090	
Red Roof Inn .....	(615) 893-0104
2282 Armory Dr, Murfreesboro TN 37129 • approximately 34 miles from show site	
Motel 6 .....	(615) 890-8524
148 Chaffin Place, Murfreesboro TN 37129 • approximately 34 miles from show site	
Econo Lodge .....	(615) 444-1001
829 Cumberland Street, Lebanon, TN 37087 • Mention TSKC when making reservations	
Fairfield by Marriott .....	(615) 470-2224
1145 Franklin Rd, Lebanon, TN • Mention Dog Shows	
Resident Inn .....	(615) 622-8001
5004 Crossing Circle, Mount Juliet, TN 37122	

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

1. Entries must reach the Show Secretary, DogZibit, P. O. Box 2044, Woodinville, WA 98072-2044 by the closing date & time specified in the Premium List. After which time no entries can be accepted, canceled, changed, substituted, corrected, completed or signed and no entry fees refunded. Any change or cancellation must be made in writing and received prior to closing, except as provided in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the American Kennel Club Dog Show Rules and Regulations. Fees must accompany entries; DogZibit assumes no responsibility for cash sent through the mail. The Club and/or DogZibit assumes no responsibility for wrong or incomplete information given on the entry blank by the owner or agent of the owner.
2. No Entry will be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Telegraph, FAX email, phone and unsigned entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on Official AKC Entry Forms and photocopies of entry forms without Agreement and Rules on reverse side are **not acceptable**. Exhibitors are admonished to make themselves familiar with this agreement. Rule books may be obtained from the AKC, 5580 Centerview Dr., Raleigh, NC 27606. The Club and/or DogZibit assumes no responsibility for incorrect or incomplete information given on the entry blank by the owner or the owner's agent which includes entering a dog in a class which the dog is not eligible to compete. **Responsibility for completeness of entry rests solely with entrant.**
3. **Returned checks** do not constitute a valid entry fee. DogZibit will add a \$30.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. We will not re-process checks. The exhibitor will be contacted & required to send a money order for the original amount PLUS the \$30.00 NSF fee. Subsequent returned checks from same person may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY BASIS.
4. **Exhibitors' entry acknowledgements** will be made as soon as practicable **by email** to the address given on the entry blank. If not received by a week after the closing date, notify DogZibit. Judging programs will be sent at least a week prior to the show.
5. **No refunds of entry fees** when a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by the Judge or Veterinarian, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee, or because it has been entered incorrectly. There is no refund for duplicate entries or overpayments. If because of riots, wars, strikes, civil disturbances, national emergencies, health emergencies, and the dictates of law enforcement or of the owner(s) of the grounds and/or facilities or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the event, no refund of entry fee will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snow storms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, heavy rains, or other circumstances including, but not limited to, the condition of the facilities or grounds and/or the ingress and egress from the grounds, must be considered for the health and safety of the dogs, exhibitors and spectators. The well-being of dogs, exhibitors and spectators is of paramount importance and, in the event, it is necessary to cancel or stop the event before completion, no refund of entry fee will be made. AKC event cancellations available via AKC Event Cancellation Hotline (877) 252-3229.
6. **Refunds** for cancellations due to judge change or cancellations made prior to entries closing will be mailed by the Club to said Exhibitor or Agent AFTER THE SHOW. An administrative fee of \$5.00 will be withheld from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.
7. **Bitches In Season** are not allowed to compete. A refund of the entry fee, less \$15.00, will be made for a bitch who comes in season provided the Trial Secretary is notified in writing 30 minutes prior to the start of the Trial.
8. **Transfers Will Be Allowed** at this trial per AKC Regulations, provided that written notification is made to the trial secretary at least one-half hour prior to the start of the trial. Transfers will be added to the end of the running order of the class they move up to and every effort will be made to accommodate handlers with multiple dogs in the same class.
9. The Club may **decline any entries** for cause and may refuse to receive or may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness or other causes, & no one shall have any claim or recourse against the Kennel Club or any official thereof.
10. An AKC Recording Fee of \$.50 first entry only and an AKC Event Service Fee of \$3.00 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Show, Obedience Trial or Tracking Test. For Rally Trials the fee is \$3.50 for each first entry and \$3.00 for each additional entry. All Recording and Event Service Fees are paid to the American Kennel Club.
11. Dogs, which according to their owners' records have completed the requirements for a championship after the closing of entries for the show but whose championships are unconfirmed, may be transferred from one of the regular classes to the Best of Breed Competition, provided this transfer is made to the DogZibit at least one half hour prior to the start of the earliest Conformation judging at the Show.
12. 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 DogZibit will be responsible or obligated to furnish any service for notifying exhibitors or their agents when the dog's presence is needed in a judging ring. 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. No practicing in rings at any time.
13. Only dogs eligible for these shows will be admitted into the show area. There is no provision for unentered dogs. All dogs present must be held on leash or confined to their crates except when being judged or when in exercising ring.
14. Trophies and prizes will be awarded in the judging ring before the completion of the judging of the breed and the Show Secretary should be advised at once in the event of any discrepancy. All trophies must be claimed the day of the show. None will be mailed. The Club reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value.
15. The Club, DogZibit, their agents, employees, etc., will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will **assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury** sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property participating in these shows, and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children at these shows. Please do not leave any dogs in closed vehicles. All persons attending this dog show hereby waive any claim for damages against the Club, its members or agents, in the event a motor vehicle must be entered to rescue a dog from overheating or suffocation due to improper ventilation. Parents and/or guardians are responsible for the actions of their children
16. **All rights to televise, 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 the show.
17. Please note: Any hotel or motel listed in the premium list is subject to Event Committee Rules. We expect our exhibitors to be responsible guests. A report that an exhibitor at this show has abused hotel or motel property during this weekend may result in disciplinary action. Clubs reserve the right to decline future entries from the offending party in accordance with the provisions of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

**The Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC entry form for this event.**

# AKC Code of Sportsmanship

**PREFACE:** The sport of purebred dog competitive events dates prior to 1884, the year of AKC's birth. Shared values of those involved in the sport include principles of sportsmanship. They are practiced in all sectors of our sport: conformation, performance and companion. Many believe that these principles of sportsmanship are the prime reason why our sport has thrived for over one hundred years. With the belief that it is useful to periodically articulate the fundamentals of our sport, this code is presented.

- Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.
- Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behavior.
- The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge's placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.
- The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- The sportsman respects the AKC bylaws, rules, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of their competition and the effort of competitors.
- Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport.
- Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.
- Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.
- Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.
- Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the sport, the American Kennel Club, or themselves while taking part in the sport.



**Official American Kennel Club Entry Form**  
**MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF THE USA, INC**

Event# Thurs: 2022701926 (O), 2022701977 (R)  
**Wilson County Exhibition Center, 945 E Baddour Pkwy, Lebanon, TN 37087**

Wednesday:  Rally  Obedience

**Fees:**

\$32	• Obedience – 1 <sup>st</sup> Entry per Trial • Rally – 1 <sup>st</sup> Entry per Trial
\$25	• Obedience – Additional Entry of Same Dog in Same Event • Rally – Additional Entry of Same Dog in Same Event

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I ENCLOSE \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for entry fees: PLEASE PRINT

BREED	<b>MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD</b>	VARIETY (1)	SEX
OBEDIENCE CLASS	1. ADDITIONAL OBEDIENCE CLASS	2. ADDITIONAL OBEDIENCE CLASS	
RALLY CLASS	1. ADDITIONAL RALLY CLASS	2. ADDITIONAL RALLY CLASS	

NAME OF (See Back) JUNIORHANDLER (if any) \_\_\_\_\_ JR's AKC NO \_\_\_\_\_

FULL NAME OF DOG \_\_\_\_\_

Enter number here _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AKC REG NO <input type="checkbox"/> ILP/PAL/MA NO <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO & COUNTRY	DATE OF BIRTH _____ PLACE OF BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> USA <input type="checkbox"/> Canada <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign
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BREEDER \_\_\_\_\_

SIRE \_\_\_\_\_

DAM \_\_\_\_\_

ACTUAL OWNER(S) (4) \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER'S ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (if any) AT THE SHOW \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER/HANDLER ELIGIBLE? Yes  No  ARE YOU A NEW EXHIBITOR? Yes  No

**Signature** of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\* Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse. No form will be processed without your signature! \*\*\***

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). **I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.**

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- A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
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**JUNIOR SHOW MANSHIP**

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Junior Handler' Address			
City	State/Province	Zip/Postal Code	Country (if not USA)

**By signing the entry form, I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship. If this Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?**



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**MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF THE USA, INC**

Event # THU 2022701930 (C), 2022701931 (BPUP); FRI 2022701979; SAT 2022701995 (C), 2022701950 (BPUP); SUN 2022701993 (C), 2022701994 (BPUP)

**Wilson County Exhibition Center, 945 E Baddour Pkwy, Lebanon, TN 37087**

**ENTRIES** must be received by the Secretary not later than **6 PM Pacific Time, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

**THU, OCT 13, 2022**  Specialty  Juniors  4-6 Mo BPUP **FRI, OCT 14, 2022** Sweepstakes:  Puppy/Veteran  Bred By  
**SAT, OCT 15, 2022**  Specialty  Juniors  4-6 Mo BPUP  Movement  Head Type  Brace\*  Generations\*  
**SUN, OCT 16, 2022**  Specialty  Juniors  4-6 Mo BPUP  Breeders Showcase\*  Adult Showmanship  
*\*Dog 1, 2 & 3 (appropriately) info must be provided for valid entry*

Fees:	
\$35	• Conformation – 1 <sup>st</sup> Entry • Veteran Sweepstakes – 1 <sup>st</sup> Entry • Movement, Head Type, Generations, Breeder's Showcase
\$30	• Brace Class (as unit) • Sweepstakes • Bred-By Sweepstakes • Veteran Sweepstakes – as Additional Entry
\$29	• Conformation – Each Additional Entry
\$25	• MVMAS Conformation Class • 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy
\$20	• Adult Showmanship
FREE	• Junior Showmanship • Pee Wee

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DOG (2) (3) SHOW CLASS	CLASS (3) DIVISION Weight, color, etc	<input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Blue Merle <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input type="checkbox"/> Red Merle
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ADDITIONAL CLASS	ADDITIONAL CLASS	ADDITIONAL CLASS
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NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)	JR SHOW MANSHIP CLASS	JR's AKC NO
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FULL NAME OF DOG	DATE OF BIRTH
Enter number here _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AKC REG NO <input type="checkbox"/> ILP/PAL/MA NO <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO & COUNTRY	PLACE OF <input type="checkbox"/> USA <input type="checkbox"/> Canada <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign BIRTH

BREEDER \_\_\_\_\_

SIRE \_\_\_\_\_

DAM \_\_\_\_\_

ACTUAL OWNER(S) (4) \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER'S ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

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