

**Directions:**

*From I-83 North or South:*

Take Exit 20 A/B - Shawan Road

Go West on Shawan Road 0.7 miles, field will be on your right. There is a large sign for the Maryland Agriculture and Farm Park.

Turn into the long road leading into the park and drive to the end where you will be met by the parking crew and given directions where to park.

*From the Host Hotel:*

Exit parking lot and make the first available U-Turn.

Head West on Shawan Road approximately 1.25 miles. Turn right into the Farm Park entrance road and proceed as above.

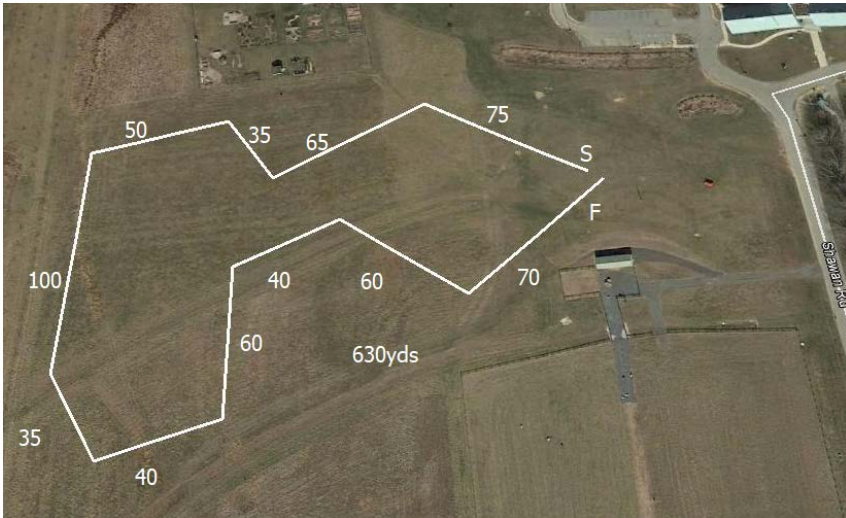
**Day Parking** will be \$5 per car/van to help defray the cost of renting such a nearby field.

**Overnight Parking** for self-contained RVs will be \$20/night. There are no hookups or overnight security. Some handicapped parking areas with closer access to the start/finish line will be provided by prior arrangement with the Field Trial Chairman. THERE MUST BE A VALID HANDICAPPED PLATE OR TAG on the vehicle to qualify.

**Mobile phones at the field:**

484-340-6258 (Karen) 919-308-3722 (Deana)

**COURSE PLAN**



The field is a partially fenced hayfield, set back from the road, with moderate slope and terrain. Shawan Road is heavily trafficked, so be careful about loose dogs or entering Whippets you have difficulty retrieving from the field. All dogs MUST be leashed or contained in pens or crates when not running in competition. Bring fresh water for your dogs.

**Emergency Veterinary Contact: Pet+ER 1209 Cromwell Bridge Rd., Baltimore, MD 21286 410-252-8387 (11 miles from field)**

**Emergency Care for Injuries (Humans!):** Lifebridge Express Care 9832 York Road, Cockeysville, MD 21030 410-628-1861

**PREMIUM LIST**

Pre-Entries Close at 6pm **Wednesday, March 21, 2018**  
**LIMITED ENTRY-NO DAY OF TRIAL ENTRIES ACCEPTED**  
**ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACKNOWLEDGED BY MAIL**

FTS Cell Phone at Trial Site: 919-308-3722

FTS: Deana McNamer, DVM

21 Deerfield Rd. Apex, NC 27523

**The American Whippet Club**

The AWC appreciates the generosity of the Center for Maryland Agriculture and Farm Park for allowing us to rent their field and facility

**AKC Event 2018074705**

**AWC NATIONAL SPECIALTY LURE TRIAL**  
**SANCTIONED BY THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB**



**Sunday April 22, 2018**

Center for Maryland Agriculture and Farm Park

1114 Shawan Road

Cockeysville, MD 21030

Trial Entry fee is \$25.00 for the first hound entered, \$22.00 for subsequent hounds, same household.

Kennel/Breeder Stakes \$7 per pairing

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO AWC**

**\*DO NOT MAIL ENTRIES WITH SIGNATURE REQUIRED\***

**\*\*\*\*\*NO Day of Trial Entries\*\*\*\*\***

**\*\*\*\*Entries are limited to 200\*\*\*\***

**Same-owner substitutions for lame or in-season Whippets allowed provided notification is received by the FTS by Thursday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

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

## AMERICAN WHIPPET CLUB OFFICERS

**President:** Harold (Red) Tatro **Secretary:** Guinevere Borstel

**Vice-President:** Russell McFadden **Treasurer:** Gail Boyd

**Board of Directors:** Karen Lee, Christy Nelson, Connie Brunkow DVM  
Annie Andrews, Jill Hopfenbeck DVM

## Judges and Assignments

**Shelley Hennessy** 5849 Meteor Ave. Toledo, OH 43623-1150

**Eddie Kominek** 123 Glendale Rd. Limestone, TN 37681

### Trial Judges:

Shelley Hennessy: Whippets

Eddie Kominek: Whippets

### FIELD COMMITTEE

AWC National Lure Coursing Chair: Brad Briscoe 510-326-2305

Field Trial Chairmen: Karen B. Lee Cell: 484-340-6258 [surreyhillwhippets@gmail.com](mailto:surreyhillwhippets@gmail.com)

Field Trial Secretary: Deana McNamer DVM [caliwhippets@gmail.com](mailto:caliwhippets@gmail.com)

Records Desk & Field Clerks: Kristen Fredericks, Mallory Ballard, Judy Lowther

Lure Operators: Tom Smith, John Arvin

Huntmasters: Alice Mark, Paul Obelcz, Hunter Smith, Brad Briscoe

Inspection: Judy Lowther, Karen Lee, Mary Pick, Pat Spinazzola, Steven Klein, Cindy Scott, Jill Hopfenbeck DVM, Connie Brunkow DVM.

Paddock: Annie Andrews, Cindy Scott, Liz Aiello

OFFICIAL Photographers: Steve Surfman & Mark Stumbo (Axis Imaging)

**TRIAL HOURS ARE 6AM – DUSK.**

**Roll Calls: Trials 6:30 am**

### Ribbons

First – Blue, Second - Red, Third - Yellow, Fourth – White, Fifth - Pink. Qualifying JC is Dark green.

Best of Breed - Purple & Gold Rosette, Best in Field - Red, White & Blue Rosette

BOB, Stakes Winners, High AKC Bench Champion, Kennel Stake, and Breeder Stake special trophies donated by members and friends of the American Whippet Club

### Eligibility

Only purebred Whippets, at least one year of age, that have been registered with The American Kennel Club or an AKC recognized foreign registry are eligible to enter. Whippets recorded with the Purebred Alternative Listing Program/Indefinite Listing Privilege (PAL/ILP) are eligible to participate.

### Stakes Offered

**OPEN:** Open to all Whippets that have earned an AKC Qualified Courser certificate, ASFA FCh title, CKC (Canadian Kennel Club FCh title), OR an ASFA Certification. **ALL Hounds entering an AKC trial for the FIRST time MUST provide a copy of one of 3 forms, (1) a completed AKC Qualified Courser Certificate, (2) an ASFA Certification Form or (3) an ASFA or CKC Field Championship Certificate - that form must be submitted with their entries and that form must have been SIGNED & COMPLETED PRIOR to the closing date of Wednesday, March 21st, 2018. No conditional entries will be accepted.**

**VETERAN:** Open to all hounds, which are eligible to enter the Open or Special Stake and are of Veteran age as determined by their Parent Breed Club. Field Championship or LCX points may be awarded from this stake.

**SPECIAL:** Open to all Whippets that have earned their AKC Field Championship titles. LCX points may be awarded from this stake.

Whippets under disqualification from AKC, ASFA or CKC Field Trials may **NOT** be entered.

### NON-REGULAR STAKES OFFERED

**Kennel Stake:** For two Whippets, designated at the time of entry, entered in one of the regular stakes, owned and kenneled by the same person.

**Breeder Stake:** For two Whippets, designated at the time of entry, entered in one of the regular stakes bred by the same individual.

**Note:** An Owner/Breeder may have more than one entry in the Kennel or Breeder Stakes as long as the two Whippets comprising each entry are properly identified at the time of entry.

A hound may only be part of any one Kennel and one Breeder stake entry.

Please send in Breeder/Kennel Stake forms indicating pairs along with properly marked entry forms.

### Special Awards

**High Scoring DC:** For FC Whippets that have been awarded the AKC Bench Championship by the closing date of entries. The championship status of the winner must be verifiable, and the appropriate box must be checked on the entry form to enter this stake. NO ENTRY FEE is required, but DC box MUST be checked.

### Conditions of Entry

- All entries must be at least one year of age on the day of the trial.
- Whippets not present at time of roll call will be scratched after a 5 minute grace period
- Stakes may be split if sufficient entries are present in any one stake at the time of the draw to support more than one 5-point Major.
- Bitches in season and lame Whippets will be excused at roll call. Entries will be refunded.
- Whippets will be checked for breed disqualifications, Whippets with breed disqualifications, as listed in the AKC Breed Standard, are ineligible to enter lure coursing trials and tests.
- Spayed and neutered Whippets are eligible to participate. Uni-and bilateral unaltered cryptorchid Whippets are ineligible to participate. Dogs with Limited Registration are eligible to participate.
- A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any loose hound on the field that is not competing in the course in progress.
- Battery powered, continuous loop equipment will be used. Lures consist of white plastic. Back-up equipment will be available.
- The AWC reserves the right to alter course plans due to field and/or weather conditions on the day of the trial. The course will be reversed for finals, run-offs and BOB.
- Any person may, upon reasonable complaint, be asked to leave the grounds by the Field Committee. Children must be under control of their parents or guardians at all time

**\*\*\*Scanned E-mailed entries are acceptable, however, payment MUST be made at the time of sending using the PAYPAL button on the AWC National Specialty Website. MAILED entries may be paid by either a check in US Funds or by using the PAYPAL button at the AWC National Specialty Website. NO EXCEPTIONS. If you have NOT provided payment at time entry is received, your entry will be considered conditional and it will not be accepted. Instructions on how to Enter and Pay ONLINE can be found on the Lure Coursing Page on the National Specialty Website: <http://americanwhippetclub.net/national/lurecoursing>**

**CALL NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

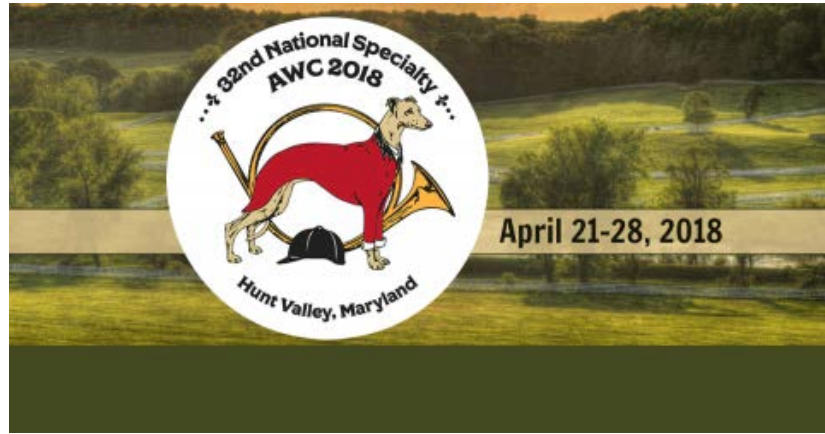
**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM**

Club: AWC c/o Deana McNamer DVM 21 Deerfield Rd. Apex NC 27523		Date: Sunday April 22, 2018	
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Class: <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Open Veteran		Breed: WHIPPET	I Enclose Entry fees in the amount of : \$
Breeder:	Registration No:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
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Full Name of Dog:		Call Name:	
Sire:			
Dam:			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any at Trial):			
<p>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: <a href="http://www.akc.org">www.akc.org</a></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>AGREEMENT</b></p> <p>I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this 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 trial, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this trial, and entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. The entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. 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 prize money, 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 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 there from, 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 persons. 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 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.</p>			
Signature of Owner or his Agent duly authorized to make the entry:			
Telephone:		E-mail Address:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Please separate my hounds		<input type="checkbox"/> Check if hound has been dismissed within the last 6 trials entered. Must be marked in order to qualify for a "clean" trial requirement.	

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Full Name of Dog:		Call Name:	
Sire:			
Dam:			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any at Trial):			
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**TROPHY DONATIONS AND CATALOG ADVERTISING**

The AWC ASFA and AKC Specialty lure trials are the start of an entire week of National Specialty activities and events. The AWC welcomes your contributions to our trophy fund and trophy sponsorships. To see what trophies and sponsorships are still available, please visit our national specialty website at: <http://americanwhippetclub.net/national>

\*Deluxe rosettes and trophies will be offered for **BOB, Open, Veteran, and Specials Stakes Winners, Kennel and Breeder Stakes, and High Scoring DC**

\*Smaller rosettes will be offered for **Flight wins and placements**

**Flight winners/placers will receive AWC 2018 National Logo Plates.**

**CATALOG INFORMATION**

There will be a combined catalog for the Saturday AKC and the Sunday ASFA Trial Entrants and Exhibitors. Advertise your Whippets and your kennel in the catalog for your fellow coursing fanciers to see. Catalog Advertising information can be found on the AWC National Specialty Pages and Website:

<http://americanwhippetclub.net/national/lurecoursing>

**\* \* FOOD \* \***

**Breakfast:** Coffee and doughnuts will be offered for a donation in the morning.

**Lunch:** Will be catered and must be purchased in advance.

(Complete the form below and include with your entries).

The cost will be \$10.00 and will be a deluxe catered selection of subs, wraps, pita pocket sandwiches with various meat and cheese fillings, tuna salad, or veggie. Included will be side salads, chips, and a cookie. Lunch tickets will be given out at roll call to those who have reserved a lunch with their entries.

If you prefer not to buy a catered lunch, there are numerous fast food and quick lunch options five minutes away at Hunt Valley Mall.

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**LUNCH ORDER FORM**

NAME(S):

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

# of Lunches \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

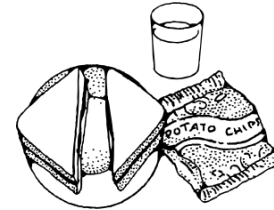
# of Vegetarian sandwiches requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Please include with your entries

Make checks payable to AWC or Reserve your Lunch Online at:

<Http://americanwhippetclub.net/national>

**RESERVATION REQUIRED**



### Kennel & Breeder Stake Entry

One Form per Pair of Whippets per Stake

Circle one or both: Kennel Stake Breeder Stake

Breeder: \_\_\_\_\_

Whippet #1

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

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

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

Whippet #2

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

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

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

Please include \$7 per pair of Whippets for EACH non-regular stake entry. This form MUST accompany entries.

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### Hotel Information:

This is a popular weekend in Hunt Valley and area hotels have raised their prices accordingly. Your BEST deal if you were planning to stay for multiple days is to stay at the Host Hotel for the AWC National, the Hunt Valley Inn in Hunt Valley, Maryland:

<http://www.huntvalleyinn.com>

The AWC room rate is \$125 a night. Please tell them you are with the AWC when you make your reservation to make sure that you get the special rate. **Book through our AWC Reservation Portal and SAVE:**  
**<http://americanwhippetclub.net/national/hotel-information>**

There is a one-time cleaning charge per room for the dogs if you plan to have a dog at any point in your room; this is non-refundable. This applies ONLY to rooms making their reservations using our group code, as the hotel's usual fee is \$75/ one dog ONLY (which is another good reason to book through AWC instead of trying to work a deal outside of the group code). If you plan to attend, and most definitely if you plan to attend with more than one dog, please use our group code and rate so you can take advantage of our special contracted rate and exception to the hotel's usual one dog only policy. If you choose to use another travel service to book a room, please be aware that you will only be able to have one dog under 50 pounds in your room. Please mention when you are making your reservation if you are not using the group code that you are with the American Whippet Club event. No more than SIX dogs per room.

This hotel is a five minute drive from the field. Please note that roll call is at 6:30 am and plan your accommodations and make your travel plans accordingly

If you would prefer not to stay at the host hotel, there are pet-friendly hotels in York, PA which may offer competitive rates. You can also look for deals with **Red Roof Inn Baltimore-Timonium:**

111 West Timonium Road Lutherville-Timonium, MD 21093 US  
410-666-0380