

Pennsylvania Brittany Club

Fall Field Trial

October 16 & 17, 2010

The fall color in Western Pennsylvania was just past its peak this third weekend in October but the conditions for running a trial could not have been more ideal! Mornings were cool and crisp but the sun quickly had the temperatures climbing into the 60's to provide comfortable conditions for dogs, people and horses. To run 90 dogs on our single course in the fall was a challenge but, with the cooperation of judges, handlers and club members, we were awarding the last ribbons as the sun set on Sunday evening.

The "labor of love" at the PA Brittany Club over the last three years has been the new course. Due to the efforts of many, but particularly those of our grounds chairman, Steve Tubach, the course has gone from looking like the "surface of the moon" to a beautiful stretch of green striped with feed plots. Now, instead of just using about half our property to run dogs, we are using almost all!

Congratulations to the owners of the winning and placing dogs that are listed below. And best wishes to Stanley and Doris Thorpe, owners of Coke's Barton Hollow Bear handled by Chris Rider who won the open gun dog and was second in the amateur gun dog. Doris and Stanley were not able to be with us as Doris is battling cancer. We missed you and hope to see you soon.

It wouldn't be a Pennsylvania Brittany Club trial without a party and we sure had something to celebrate this time! Another winner of the East Central Gun Dog Trophy from the club! DC/AFC Sgt's Smoky Mtn Moonshine owned by Sandy Sargent & Steve Tubach and handled by Sandy was this year's winner. We celebrated with a "hunky" dinner of stuffed cabbage, peirogies, pork, sauerkraut, kielbasa, and dishes prepared by club members and guests. As the temperature dropped after dark many gathered around a campfire and talked and told stories long after some of us "old folks" crawled into bed.

The crew from the Pennsylvania Brittany Club is now hard at work making plans for our spring trial and the Eastern Futurity which we are sponsoring for the first time in 2011. We are making every effort to provide a first class event.....and a GREAT time! Hope to see you then!

OPEN PUPPY (8 starters)

J: Delmar McCallister/Jim Skorik

1. Sharptail's Time Well Wasted by DC/AFC Ru-Jem's Touch of Bourbon X FC Lost Creek Kate, o/h Andre Coulombe
2. Spring Hill's Riqueza Del Prado by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado X CH Spring Hill's Midnight Fame, o Sandy Sargent & Steve Tubach, h Sandy Sargent
3. This Rockets Got Her Jets On by AFC/CH Request Above and Beyond X Wildberry's Experiment 626, o Carl & Kristi Anglen, h Carl Anglen

4. Spring Hill's Salida Del Prado by DC/AFC Cisco Kid Del Prado X Ch Spring Hill's Midnight Fame, o Dan & Allison Riedl, h Dan Riedl

OPEN ALL AGE (18 starters)

J: Brian Hendrickson/Dan Riedl

1. Rockhards Walking on the Moon by FC Cast-a-Britt Noble Jake X Cast-a-Britt Breeze, o Delmar McCallister & Jim Johnson, h Jim Johnson
2. Cast-A-Britt Rip II by FC/AFC RJ's Microtuck X Cast-A-Britt Platinum Mollie, o/h Delmar McCallister
3. Kodachrome by FC/AFC Carolina Ranger X White Diamond, o Bill & Kip Tate, h Jim Winnen
4. Wild Mtn's Shake Ya Tailfeather by DC/AFC Blueridge Major Adventure X Wild Mtn's Chasing the Dream, JH, o Alexandria Rogers, h Brian Riggle

AMATEUR GUN DOG (22 starters)

J: Bob Youngs/Carl Anglen

1. High Hopes Little Ann by DC/AFC Spring Hill's Trouble Free X NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly By Nite, o /h Dan Riedl
2. FC/AFC Coke's Barton Hollow Bear by Coke IV X Coyote Ugly, o Stanley & Doris Thorpe, h Chris Rider
3. Windy Hill's Ike by Blaze County Pike X Pyckn, o/h Delmar McCallister
4. High Hopes Fly'n Fancy Free by DC/AFC Spring Hill's Trouble Free X NAGCD/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly by Nite, o Al & Cindy Cropek, h Al Cropek

OPEN DERBY (12 starters)

J: Jim Skorik/Steve Tubach

1. High Hopes Big Gamble by NGC/DC/AFC Gambler's Ace in the Hole X NAGDC/FC/AFC High Hopes Fly By Nite, o Dan & Allison Riedl, h Allison Riedl
2. Legacy's Pine Smoke by FC Piney Run Art X Maxwell's Southern Hospitality, o/h Jim Johnson
3. Wild Mtn's August Rush by FC King of Pop's X Wild Mtn's Thunderstruck, o Emilio Aguat, h Brian Riggle
4. Maximum Overdrive II by FC Jogger's Reserve X Six Ridge Marmalade o/h Troy Hoverter

OPEN GUN DOG (29 starters)

J: Tony Giovinale/Frank Watters

1. FC/AFC Coke's Barton Hollow Bear (see above)
2. High Hopes Fly'n Fancy Free (see above)
3. High Hopes Little Ann (see above)
4. Sanbar Castle Built on Legends by CH Millete's Fire When Ready X CH Castle's Sweet Scarlet, o Robert, Carolyn & Polly West, h Ned Castillo