

GAZEHOUNDS OF NEW ENGLAND

Dara Johnson, Field Trial Secretary

P.O. Box 293

Leeds, MA 01053

darajohn@verizon.net

413-586-1145

413-374-0053 (cell –day of trial only)

DIRECTIONS TO THE FIELD

See Insert Inside

ACCOMMODATIONS

See Insert Inside

PLEASE BRING SHADE & WATER FOR YOUR HOUNDS

ASFA CERTS ON SATURDAY ONLY, AFTER TRIAL - \$10

Owners are responsible for finding a hound of the same breed to certify with. With the judge's approval, a hound with similar running style may be used.

There will NOT be a food vendor on site. Please bring your lunch. On Saturday and Sunday there will be an hour lunch break. On Monday, there will be a 15-minute lunch break.

Join us on Sunday evening for our **Pot Luck Supper** held right on the field! Bring your favorite dish to share! Please contact our Pot Luck coordinator **SUE ANN LESLIE** at sueanclay.les@snet.net with what you can bring or for more information.

PREMIUM LIST

EARLY ENTRIES CLOSE 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY AUGUST 31, 2016

at the Field Trial Secretary's Address

**DAY OF TRIAL ENTRIES CLOSE 7:30 a.m. - ½ hour before Roll Call
at the Field Trial Secretary's Desk – entries \$25**



REGION 9

A.S.F.A. ALL BREED LURE COURSING FIELD TRIAL

Saturday, 9/3, Sunday, 9/4 & Monday, 9/5, 2016

381 Elwood Road, Wolfwind Farm

Starkville, NY 13339-5410

Early entry fee: \$22.00 first dog; \$15.00 additional dogs

TRIAL HOURS: 7:00 AM until completed ROLL CALL: 8:00 a.m. all breeds

ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACKNOWLEDGED BY MAIL

ABSOLUTELY NO TELEPHONE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

Permission to hold this event has been granted by the American Sighthound Field Association under American Sighthound Field Association Rules and Regulations.

Audrey Silverstein, Chairperson, A.S.F.A. Scheduling Committee

Go to **www.ASFA.org** for online Rulebook, Policies, Contacts, Clubs, Trial Schedules, Trial Results & much more.

Officers and Directors of Gazeounds of New England:

Pres: Amy Mero, V.P: Sue Ann Leslie, Secty: Celia O'Brien, Treas: Moe Brodeur,
Club Del: Clay Leslie. Directors: Ben Brodeur, Dara Johnson, Marilyn Smith, Danielle Rubin

JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS :

Larry Gahan(LG) 42 Todd St.; Cambridge, ON N1R 1G5
John Arvin (JA) 399 N. Main St.; Barnegat, NJ 08005-2439
Greg Breitbach (GB) 1930 West Galena; Milwaukee, WI 53205
Denise Como (DC) 381 Elwood Rd.; Fort Plain, NY 13339-5410

S = Single Judge **# = Canadian Judge** *** = Provisional Judge**

Saturday, September 3, 2016:

| Jdg | A | Az | Ba | Bo | C | G | Ib | IW | IG | P | R | Sa | SD | Sl | SW | W | Sgl | Ltd |
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Sunday, September 4, 2016:

| Jdg | A | Az | Ba | Bo | C | G | Ib | IW | IG | P | R | Sa | SD | Sl | SW | W | Sgl | Ltd |
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Monday, September 5, 2016:

| Jdg | A | Az | Ba | Bo | C | G | Ib | IW | IG | P | R | Sa | SD | Sl | SW | W | Sgl | Ltd |
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Field Committee:

Chairperson: Ben Brodeur
Field Trial Secretary: Dara Johnson, P.O. Box 293, Leeds, MA 01053
Lure Operators: B. Brodeur, Clay Leslie, Rich Whritenour, L. Gahan, G. Breitbach, J. Arvin
Huntmasters: B. Brodeur, Clay Leslie, Mimi Dygert, L. Gahan, G. Breitbach, J. Arvin
Equipment: Clay Leslie, B. Brodeur
Field Clerks: Marlene Moore, Lisa Buzzell, Jan Miller
Inspection: Moe Brodeur, Sue Ann Leslie, Danielle Rubin, Iva Kimmelman
Paddock: John Plugis, Cheryl Cote, Moe Brodeur, Jan Miller

RIBBONS & TROPHIES

Ribbons & Prizes offered by GONE(Qualifying Score Required for All Prizes)

All finalists competing for BIE on Monday will receive a bath towel with the Iron Dog logo!

Best in Event: Yellow/Pink/Blue 44” Rosette and Best in Event Directors Chair with the “Iron Dog” logo (To be awarded Monday, 9/7)

Best Veteran in Field: Blue/Green/Gold 29 ½” Rosette

High Scoring Single Veteran: Purple/Teal/White 29 ½” Rosette (To be awarded Saturday, 9/3)

Best of Breed: Purple/Gold Rosette

Ribbons: 1st-Blue, 2nd-Red, 3rd-Yellow, 4th-White, NBQ-Green

Singles High Score: Navy/Gold Rosette

ELIGIBLE BREEDS AND REGISTRY

Only purebred Afghan Hounds, Azawakhs, Basenjis, Borzoi, Cirneco dell'Etna, Greyhounds, Ibizan Hounds, Irish Wolfhounds, Italian Greyhounds, Pharaoh Hounds, Rhodesian Ridgebacks, Salukis, Scottish Deerhounds, Silken Windhounds, Sloughis, and Whippets may be entered in the regular stakes. Limited breeds may be entered in the Limited Stake or the Singles Stake. Limited breeds currently include purebred Chart Polski, Galgo Español, Magyar Agar, Peruvian Inca Orchid, Portuguese Podengo (Pequeno), Portuguese Podengo (Medio & Grande), and must be individually registered with the appropriate registry.

All entries shall be individually registered with the AKC, the NGA, the UKC, the FCI, an ASFA-recognized foreign or ASFA Board approved registry, or possess a CRN from the SPDBS. A photocopy of acceptable registry must be submitted with each hound's first ASFA field trial entry. This requirement is waived for hounds registered with the NGA.

STAKES OFFERED:

OPEN STAKE: Any eligible sighthound, excluding ASFA Field Champions of record.

FIELD CHAMPION STAKE: Any ASFA Field Champion

VETERAN STAKE: Any eligible hound whose age is at least six years, except Irish Wolfhounds whose age shall be at least five years, and Afghan Hounds, Ridgebacks, Salukis & Whippets whose age shall be at least seven years. Points go toward V-FCH and V-LCM titles.

LIMITED STAKE: Any eligible sighthound of a Limited stake breed that has met certification requirements. Not eligible to compete in Best of Breed or Best in Field.

SINGLE STAKE: Any eligible sighthound including those disqualified to run in other stakes. Not eligible for Best of Breed or Best in Field. Hounds are eligible to earn TCP and CPX titles from the Singles stake. Limited breeds are not eligible for these titles.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL:

Herkimer Veterinary Associates
121 Marginal Rd.; Herkimer, NY 13350; (315) 866-9999

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Hounds must be one year or older on the day of the trial and will be examined for breed disqualifications – spayed, neutered, monorchid and cryptorchid hounds without breed disqualifications may be entered • Hounds with breed disqualifications are not eligible to enter except in the Single Stake • Stakes will be split by random draw if the entry in any one stake is 20 or more at the time of the draw • All hounds will run twice, in trios if possible, or braces unless excused, dismissed or disqualified • Bitches in season, hounds with breed disqualifications and lame hounds will be excused • Hounds not present at Roll Call will be scratched • A battery powered, continuous loop machine will be used • The lure will consist of highly visible plastic strips • The course will be reversed for the finals, run-offs, Best of Breed, Best in Field • The Field Committee reserves the right to alter the course plan as required by weather and/or field conditions on the day of the trial • Participants should provide their own shade, water and food • There will be a \$5 fine for any hound loose on the field during another hound's course and for participants not cleaning up after their hounds

Iron Dog – Itinerary & How it works

Saturday, September 3, 2016:

- Best in Field will not be offered. Each Best of Breed winner will be qualified to run in Best in Event to be held on Monday.
- Best Veteran in Field will be offered. The high score qualifying Veteran from each breed will be eligible to run for Best Veteran in Field to be run upon the completion of the trial.
- The High Scoring Veteran from the Singles Stake will also be recognized as the High Scoring Veteran in Singles.

Sunday, September 4, 2016:

- Best in Field will not be offered. Each Best of Breed winner will be qualified to run in Best in Event to be held on Monday.
- Pot Luck dinner will be held following the completion of the trial.

Monday, September 5, 2016:

- Best in Field will not be offered. Each Best of Breed winner will be qualified to run in Best in Event to be held after the trial on this day.
- Best in Event will be offered to all Best of Breed winners from 9/3, 9/4 and 9/5. To be eligible to run, each Best of Breed winner must have competed all three days of the trial (9/3, 9/4 and 9/5) AND received a qualifying score
- Limited Breeds ARE eligible to run.
- All Best of Breed winners, including those who earned their BOB with no competition, are eligible to run

OFFICIAL AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM

GAZEHOUSES OF NEW ENGLAND

SATURDAY, September 3, 2016

Dara Johnson, Field Trial Secretary, P.O. Box 293, Leeds, MA 01053

Make Checks payable to: **GONE**

Early entries: \$22.00 first dog; \$15.00 additional dogs. Day of Trial Entries: \$25 each hound

EARLY ENTRIES CLOSE 6 PM, WEDNESDAY, AUG 31, 2016

Day of Trial Entries Close 7:30 a.m. - ½ hr prior to Roll Call

Fee Paid _____ The Field Secretary cannot accept conditional, unsigned, incomplete or unpaid entries; please check your completed entry carefully.

| | | | |
|--|----------------|--|------|
| Breed: | Call Name: | | |
| Registered Name of Hound: | | | |
| Stake: <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> FCH <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Limited | | Additional Stakes <input type="checkbox"/> Kennel <input type="checkbox"/> Breeder <input type="checkbox"/> Bench | |
| Registration Number: Please write in registering body before the number | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> If possible, please separate my hounds | Date of Birth: | Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Bitch | |
| Name of actual owner(s): | | | |
| Address: | | Phone: | |
| City: | | State: | Zip: |
| E-mail (Optional) | | (Optional) Region of Residence: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is the first ASFA trial for this hound. Attach a Hound Certification or waiver if entered in Open, Veterans, Limited. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a first-time entry, a copy of the official Registration of this hound must accompany this entry unless NGA. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if any information has changed since the last ASFA trial entry. Regarding _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this hound has been dismissed within the last 6 trials entered. Must be marked in order to qualify for a "clean" trial requirement. | | | |

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 and the opportunity to have this dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Sighthound Field Association in effect at the time of this lure field trial, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this lure field trial. I (we) agree that the club holding this lure field trial has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the club shall deem to be sufficient. I (we) agree to hold this club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents or other functionaries, any employees of the aforementioned parties and the owner(s) of the trial premises or grounds 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 upon the lure field trial 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 loss of this dog by disappearance, theft damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the aforementioned parties or by the negligence of any person or any other cause or causes. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to person or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance of the forgoing representations and agreements.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent
duly authorized to make this entry _____

COURSE PLANS

Each course will be reversed for the finals, run-offs, and best of breed, or at the discretion of the judges. The club reserves the right to alter the course plan as required by weather and/or field conditions on the day of the trial. The field is off the road, but not fenced. Terrain is a mowed rolling hill field.

Saturday, September 3, 2016*:



Sunday, September 4, 2016:



Monday, September 5, 2016:



Monday, September 5, 2016, Best in Event (if time permits)**:



*On Saturday, Veteran winners will run for Best Veteran in Field and the direction of the course will be determined by the judge(s). **On Monday, after BOB winners have been determined there will be a short break to re-set the course for the Best in Event course plan.

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GAZEHOUNDS OF NEW ENGLAND

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2016

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Day of Trial Entries Close 7:30 a.m. - ½ hr prior to Roll Call

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| Breed: | Call Name: | | |
| Registered Name of Hound: | | | |
| Stake: <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> FCH <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Limited | | Additional Stakes <input type="checkbox"/> Kennel <input type="checkbox"/> Breeder <input type="checkbox"/> Bench | |
| Registration Number: Please write in registering body before the number | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> If possible, please separate my hounds | Date of Birth: | Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Bitch | |
| Name of actual owner(s): | | | |
| Address: | | Phone: | |
| City: | | State: | Zip: |
| E-mail (Optional) | | (Optional) Region of Residence: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is the first ASFA trial for this hound. Attach a Hound Certification or waiver if entered in Open, Veterans, Limited. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a first-time entry, a copy of the official Registration of this hound must accompany this entry unless NGA. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if any information has changed since the last ASFA trial entry. Regarding _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this 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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SIGNATURE of owner or his agent
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OFFICIAL AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2016

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| Breed: | Call Name: | | |
| Registered Name of Hound: | | | |
| Stake: <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> FCH <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Limited | | Additional Stakes <input type="checkbox"/> Kennel <input type="checkbox"/> Breeder <input type="checkbox"/> Bench | |
| Registration Number: Please write in registering body before the number | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> If possible, please separate my hounds | Date of Birth: | Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Bitch | |
| Name of actual owner(s): | | | |
| Address: | | Phone: | |
| City: | | State: | Zip: |
| E-mail (Optional) | | (Optional) Region of Residence: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is the first ASFA trial for this hound. Attach a Hound Certification or waiver if entered in Open, Veterans, Limited. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a first-time entry, a copy of the official Registration of this hound must accompany this entry unless NGA. | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check if any information has changed since the last ASFA trial entry. Regarding _____ | | | |
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SIGNATURE of owner or his agent
duly authorized to make this entry _____

**AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION
HOUND CERTIFICATION FORM**

Rule effective October 1, 1994: Ch. V, Sec. 4 (a) OPEN STAKE: To be eligible to enter the open stake, a hound must have been certified by a licensed judge within the year preceding the closing date for the entry or have previously competed in the Open Stake. This eligibility requirement also applies to a hound entered in the Limited or Veteran Stake, which has not competed in Open previously. Please complete this portion of this form and attach it to the entry form for the hound's first entry, including an entry for a Fun Trial.

Registered Name of Hound: _____
Registration Number: _____ Breed: _____
Registered Owner's Name: _____
I hereby certify that on (date) _____, the above named hound completed a lure course of at least 500 yards, running with another hound of the same breed (or another breed with a similar running style). During the course the above named hound showed no inclination to interfere with the other hound. I further certify that I am a licensed judge for the ASFA.

Name of Licensed Judge: _____
Signature: _____ Date: _____
I hereby certify that the hound running in the certification course is the hound identified above and that information provided on this form is true and correct.
Signature: _____ Date: _____

Owner or Authorized Agent of Hound

This certification form must be attached to the entry form the first time this hound is entered in an open, limited, or veteran stake. Any hound entered in open, limited, or veteran (as a first time entered hound), which has not been certified, shall be declared ineligible by the records coordinator and shall forfeit any points and placements awarded.

PLEASE RETAIN A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS.

**AMERICAN SIGHTHOUND FIELD ASSOCIATION
HOUND CERTIFICATION WAIVER**

Waiver of Requirement: This requirement will be waived for a hound that has earned a lure coursing or racing title from another recognized organization, if such title requires competition, and if a waiver for such title has been approved by the ASFA, or a KKC Hound Certification Form. If your hound qualifies for a waiver, complete this portion of this form and attach it to your entry form. Proof of waivers must accompany this certification form.

Registered Name of Hound: _____
Registration Number: _____ Breed: _____
Registered Owner's Name: _____
CKC: FCH FCHX **CWA:** ARX TRP SRA DPC
AKC: FC SC QC **LGRA:** GRC **NAWRA:** RCH SR
WRA: CR WRCH **NOTRA:** ORC OTR SORC SOR

Hound Certification previously submitted.
I hereby certify that the hound identified above has completed the requirements for the title indicated above (or that the required Certification was previously submitted) and that the information provided on this form is true and correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
Owner or Authorized Agent of Hound

Whether or not you are a GONE member, please consider volunteering at this trial weekend.

If you have **experience** and are willing to work a job or want to learn a job, please fill out the form below and return it with your entry to the Field Trial Secretary.

1. I will **work** on: _____ Saturday _____ Sunday _____ Monday

I will **apprentice** on: _____ Saturday _____ Sunday _____ Monday

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

2. I am running dogs of these breeds on **Saturday:** _____

I am running dogs of these breeds on **Sunday:** _____

I am running dogs of these breeds on **Monday:** _____

3. Check jobs you have *experience* with and are willing to do the day of the trial.

If you are willing to **apprentice**, check jobs you would like to learn. You will be paired with a person who knows the job, and you will get one-on-one attention..

| | EXPERIENCED | APPRENTICE |
|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Lure OP | _____ | _____ |
| Hunt master | _____ | _____ |
| Roll Call | _____ | _____ |
| Paddock | _____ | _____ |
| Field Clerk | _____ | _____ |
| Field Set up | _____ | _____ |
| Field Tear Down | _____ | _____ |

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING.

Everyone will appreciate your efforts, and the trial will run more smoothly

ACCOMMODATIONS

****Overnight camping on our field is permitted (no hook-ups) – tents, trailers, motor homes, & RVs are welcomed****

Remember that this is a heavy tourist area – summer rates can be substantially higher, motels and hotels around the Cooperstown vicinity fill up very quickly.

KC's Corner Restaurant & Motel [12 miles from the field on 20 W to 80 N, 9 miles back roads]

5705 US Hwy 20, East Springfield NY 13333 • (607) 264-9392 • www.kcscornermotel.com

During the spring, summer and fall, the restaurant is open 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Friday & Saturday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Sunday (we usually congregate in the banquet room on Saturday night for dinner. Beer is available; bring your own liquor bottle if you wish).

For reservations, call (607) 264-9392. MENTION THAT YOU ARE ATTENDING THE FIELD TRIALS AT RICH & DENISE'S FARM IN STARKVILLE FOR REDUCED RATES.

Kelly's Deli is about 2 miles west of KC's: gas station, propane tank exchange & convenience store, for early a.m. coffee. Hours: 7 a.m. – 8 p.m. until Labor Day, then 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Kellys-Corner/143794375654353>

4964 US Hwy 20 (intersection of Rts 20 & 80) • Springfield Center, NY 13468-2000 • (315) 858-1630

To reach the field from Kelly's, continue on Rt 80 North for 10 miles, then turn right onto Elwood Rd.]

Cooperstown KOA Campground – [about 9 miles from the field] • coopkoa@hughes.net

565 Ostrander Rd, Richfield Springs NY 13439 • (315) 858-0236 or (800) 562-3402

Lake N' Pines Motel – [about 15 miles from the field] – ask about pet rates.

7102 State Hwy 80, Cooperstown NY 13326 • (800) 615-5253 • reservations@lakenpinesmotel.com

At Exit 28: Although the newly refurbished Econolodge was taken out in the recent flood, the **Dunkin' Donuts** survived – it is directly ahead after you pay the toll; a **TA Travel Center** truck stop (with a Buckhorn Restaurant) is to the left, an **AmBest** truck stop and restaurant is to the immediate right (also gas & diesel), also to the left are gas stations (NOT open 24 hrs) and a **McDonald's**.

Using Exit 28: Microtel Inn & Suites Johnstown [about 30 miles from the field] www.microtelinn-johnstown.hotelsone.com, 136 Comrie Ave (Rt 30A), Johnstown NY 12095 (518) 762-5425 (ask about pets).

Using Exit 29 Rodeway Inn [about 15 miles from the field]

93 E Grand St (Rt 5), Palatine Bridge NY 13428 • (518) 673-3233

Using Exit 30 Herkimer Motel & Suites [about 17 miles from the field] NYS Thruway / I-90 – Exit 30

Herkimer NY 13350 • (315) 866-0490 • (877) 656-6835 • e-mail: herkmotl@mybizz.net

Turn right off the Thruway exit, behind Denny's restaurant (which is open 24 hours).

Also at Exit 30: All sorts of shopping within the town of Herkimer (Super Walmart open 24 hours, restaurants, diners, various fast food places, McDonald's open 24 hours, gas stations, convenience stores, Dunkin Donuts open 24 hours, automotive, Verizon, Herb's Sporting, feed store, hardware stores, etc.).

Rich Whritenour & Denise Como • Wolfwind Farm

381 Elwood Road • Starkville NY 13339 (mailing address: Fort Plain NY 13339)

House (518) 993-3724 • Rich's cell (732) 644-5689 • Denise's cell (732) 597-3769

DIRECTIONS

READ FIRST: do not totally depend on your GPS device or you may end up in a cow field.

(Starkville is 14 miles southwest of the NYS Thruway Exit 29)

➔ (There is a Dunkin' Donuts at Exit 28 (mile marker 182—Fonda, Fultonville), two truck stops with restaurants, a McDonald's, and several gas stations. It's an easy-off, easy-on exit, and 12 miles from Exit 29, which is our exit.) **Off Exit 29, there is a gas station convenience store to the left.**

FROM THE EAST or NORTHEAST: New York State Thruway (I-90) to Exit 29 (mm 194 – Canajoharie, Sharon Springs, Fort Plain, Cooperstown, Oneonta, St. Johnsville). Pay the toll – the big white Beech Nut Foods factory will be on your right, a Betty Beaver's Getty station & small convenience store is on the left. Turn RIGHT at the stop sign onto State Route (SR) 5-S West. Go thru the little traffic light in Canajoharie, and continue on SR 5-S West for about 3 miles to the village of Fort Plain. Drive across a small steel bridge over the canal – turn LEFT at the light onto SR 80 South.

Watch the speed limits, & make sure your seat belts are fastened (heavy fines up here).

Stay on SR 80 South for about 9 miles – then watch for a 'Speed Zone Ahead' sign (35 mph) and a small painted sign Village of Starkville. Please slow down (watch for cats, dogs, kids, tractors & Amish buggies). **Elwood Road (CR 74) is the first road on the LEFT immediately after the sign for SR 168.** (If you reach Rt. 168 on the right, you passed Elwood Rd.)

Turn LEFT onto Elwood, and continue for 1.5 miles – the road snakes left, then right, then straightens out. Continue up the hill (the road snakes again at the top). We're the first farm on the RIGHT after the fields. (Amish farm is on the left). **Access to the field is via the gravel driveway – signs will be posted.** Our farm house is on the other side of the line of tall evergreen trees – white house, green trim and roofs, black mailbox #381, small circular drive. [About 13 miles from Exit 29.]

FROM THE WEST or NORTHWEST: New York State Thruway (I-90) East to Exit 30 (Herkimer). Pay the toll, turn LEFT at the traffic light, cross over the Mohawk River & Erie Canal bridge. Continue through that traffic light, turn LEFT at the next traffic light onto SR 28 South (**Fastrac gas station/convenience store will be on your right after you make the turn – it's the last store & gas station before the house from that direction**). Continue south on SR 28 for about ¾ mile, then turn LEFT onto Rt. 168 (**before the big hill**). Continue on Rt. 168 for about 15.3 miles (curvy, hilly road) – at the end, turn LEFT onto State Rt. 80, and immediately RIGHT onto Elwood Road. Follow Elwood Rd 1.5 miles around and up the hill, our place is the first farm on the right past the fields. [About 17 miles from Exit 30.]

FROM THE SOUTH (Binghamton area): Take Rt. 88 EAST to Exit 13 (Oneonta). Turn LEFT onto Rt. 205 NORTH – follow to State Route 80 NORTH. Continue on SR 80 North through historic Cooperstown, continue for 10 miles, cross through the intersection at State Rt. 20 (Springfield Center) (**Kelly's gas station & convenience store is on the right**). Continue on SR 80 North for about 9 miles (very curvy, hilly road) - **Elwood Rd is the first RIGHT past Rt. 168.** Follow Elwood Rd 1.5 miles around and up the hill, our place is the first farm on the right past the fields. [About 55 miles from Exit 13.]

ALTERNATE FROM THE SOUTH (Binghamton area): Continue on Rt 205 NORTH onto NY-80/NY-205, stay LEFT at fork to follow NY-205, then make a slight LEFT onto NY-28 for about 9 miles (Richfield Springs). Make a RIGHT onto US-20 EAST, continue for about 6.3 mile to the traffic light at the intersection of NY-80 (Springfield Center) (**Kelly's gas station & convenience store is on the right diagonal**). Make a LEFT at the light onto NY-80 NORTH, continue for about 9 miles (very curvy, hilly road) - **Elwood Road is the first RIGHT past Rt. 168.** Follow as above.