

ASFA NATIONAL BREED SPECIALTY PREMIUM LIST PROTOCOLS

[same protocols for single breed trials, other than the BOB ASFA plaque, which is not awarded]

National Breed Specialties: ASFA provides a BOB plaque to the winner of the ASFA trial with ASFA logo, club name, year, and space for the winner's name. This award must be mentioned in the premium (at the minimum):

Best of Breed: ASFA provides a plaque to the winner of the ASFA trial with ASFA logo, club, year and space for the winner's name.

(For further info, please contact Awards Chairperson **Evelyn Jones** at greathound1@verizon.net).

Please make sure your Specialty Premium List includes the following items & wording where appropriate:

The entry for each hound entering the Open Stake, Veteran Stake, or Limited Stake for the first time MUST include a completed & signed ASFA Certification Form or Waiver Form (with proof of title) and a copy of the hound's registration certificate (certification waived for Singles Stake entries only).

ELIGIBLE BREEDS & REGISTRIES:

Only purebred **[fill in breed]** may be entered. All entries shall be individually registered with the **[appropriate ASFA-approved registry]**. A photocopy of acceptable registry must be submitted with each hound's first ASFA field trial entry.

REGULAR STAKES OFFERED:

OPEN STAKE: Any eligible **[fill in breed]** excluding ASFA Field Champions of record.

FIELD CHAMPION STAKE: Any ASFA Field Champion **[fill in breed]**.

VETERAN STAKE: Any eligible **[fill in breed]** whose age is at least **[choose correct age, either 5, 6 or 7]** years. Points & placements go to a V-FCh. or V-LCM title.

[The Single Stake below is optional; if offered, no entry limit can be put on the stake.]

SINGLE STAKE: Any eligible **[fill in breed]** including those disqualified to run in other stakes. Each hound runs alone. 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.

[Use Limited Stake where appropriate]

LIMITED STAKE: Any eligible sighthound of a Limited breed **[or specify breed if this is a single-breed event]** that has met certification requirements. Not eligible to compete in Best of Breed or Best in Field.

[Non-Regular Stakes include Kennel & Breeder stakes, and are usually offered for special events like Invitationals.]

KENNEL STAKE: For **[fill in breed]**; an entry shall consist of two hounds, designated at time of entry, in one of the regular stakes being owned and kenneled by the same person.

BREEDER STAKE: For **[fill in breed]**, which shall have, designated at time of entry, two hounds bred by the same individual.

BENCH STAKE: For a **[fill in breed]** that is a show champion of record. A copy of the hound's show championship certificate must accompany the entry.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY: **[the first 8 items must be included, in any format]:**

- All entries must be one year or older on the day of the trial.
- Stakes will be split into flights by public random draw if the entry in any regular stake is 20 or more.
- Bitches in season, lame hounds and hounds with breed disqualifications will be excused at roll call.
- Spayed, neutered, monorchid or cryptorchid hounds without breed disqualifications may be entered.
- Hounds with breed disqualifications are not eligible to enter except in the Single Stake.
- Hounds not present at the time of roll call will be scratched.
- All hounds will run twice, in trios if possible or braces (except in the Single Stake), unless excused, dismissed or disqualified.
- Hound certification runs will **[or will not]** be offered and when **[Examples: 1 hour prior to roll call, following the trial, etc.]**.
- **[additional club info may be added after the ASFA requirements, as in fines for loose dogs, returned checks, club policies, refund policies, etc.]**

EQUIPMENT:

Type of lure machine **[Examples: battery-powered take-up reel (drag lure); or battery-powered continuous-loop system]**.

Type of lures **[Examples: highly-visible plastic strips; or combination of highly-visible plastic strips and fur]**. Back-up equipment will **[or will not]** be available.