

## PREMIUM LIST



## AMERICAN SHETLAND SHEEPDOG ASSOCIATION, INC.

**92<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW**  
Friday - Saturday, April 11-19, 2025

**ISLAND GROVE REGIONAL PARK**  
NORTH 11th AVE. & "D" ST., GREELEY, CO 80631

**ENTRIES OPEN at 12:00 pm PT, WED, FEBRUARY 5, 2025**

No entries accepted before that time.

**ENTRIES CLOSE 12:00 pm PT WED, MARCH 19, 2025**

## **AMERICAN SHETLAND SHEEPDOG ASSOCIATION, INC.**

(Member of the American Kennel Club)

**All events are for SHETLAND SHEEPDOGS ONLY**



### **Obedience & Rally Trials**

Event# 2025140104 (O), 2025140105 (R)

**Saturday, April 12, 2025**

### **92<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW**

**Monday, April 14, 2025**

Event# 2025140107 (FUT), 2025140107 (SW)

Futurity, Veterans Sweepstakes

**Wednesday - Saturday, April 16 - 19, 2025**

Event# 2025140106

Parade of Veterans & Titleholders

Conformation, Junior Showmanship, Parade of Winners

**ISLAND GROVE REGIONAL PARK  
NORTH 11th AVE. & "D" ST., GREELEY, CO 80631**

**SHOW HOURS - 7:00 am to 7:00 pm**

Unbenched Specialty Conformation, Obedience & Rally events held indoors.

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

Lorraine Yu | 425-765-9146 | [Entries@DogZibit.com](mailto:Entries@DogZibit.com)

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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. *The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone, or need help, please call 800.656.HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors.*



#### **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**

SUBMIT ENTRIES ONLINE at [www.DogZibit.com](http://www.DogZibit.com) OR MAIL ENTRIES. Payment options: Checks made payable to DOGZIBIT or PayPal (fees apply, PayPal account not needed). No Secretary fees!



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OR



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.

**TO BE ACCEPTABLE, ALL ENTRIES WITH FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE EVENT SECRETARY NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 2025, at 12:00 PM PT.**

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 emailed at least a week prior to show.

**ENTRY FEES**

**SEPARATE FEE FOR EACH DOG, EACH DAY. RALLY IS A SEPARATE EVENT.**

**NOTE:** When a dog is entered in more than one class, the highest price class is considered the first entry (Entry includes AKC Recording Fee & Event Service Fee \$3.50 per entry. Rally fee \$3.50 per entry)

**CONFORMATION**

FIRST ENTRY of each Dog per event (unless otherwise specified) .....	\$40.00
EACH ADDITIONAL ENTRY of the same dog in same event .....	\$25.00
VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES (NEED NOT be entered in a regular/non-regular class).....	\$15.00
FUTURITY (must have completed the Futurity Nomination process) .....	NO FEE
JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP .....	NO FEE
PARADES .....	NO FEE

**OBEDIENCE**

FIRST ENTRY of each Dog per event (unless otherwise specified) .....	\$40.00
EACH ADDITIONAL ENTRY of the same dog in same event .....	\$25.00

**RALLY**

FIRST ENTRY of each Dog per event (unless otherwise specified) .....	\$40.00
EACH ADDITIONAL ENTRY of the same dog in same event .....	\$25.00

Note: An entry in any of the events is considered a "First Entry." Entering any other event is NOT a "Second Entry," i.e. Rally & Obedience are separate events. For example, if Dog A is entered Open Dog, Stud Dog, Obedience Open A, Rally Novice B, the total entry fee would be \$145 (\$40 + \$25 + \$40 + \$40). Dog A is entered in both Open & Stud Dog in Conformation; therefore Stud Dog is an Additional Entry. The Obedience & Rally classes are each considered First Entries.

**BITCHES IN SEASON** are not permitted to compete in Obedience or Rally classes. If a female is withdrawn from competition for coming into season and the Event Secretary is notified no later than ½ hour prior to the start of the first class, then the entry fee for Obedience and/or Rally will be refunded. **A processing fee of \$5.00 per entry will be retained.**

**DON'T MISS (Separate Premium List)**

Agility Trial - Friday, April 11, 2025, Progressive School for Dogs, Greeley, CO  
Herding Tests & Trials - Sunday, April 13, 2025, Rancho Terre Norte, Wellington, CO  
Herding Instinct Evaluation - Monday, April 14, 2025, Island Grove Regional Park, Greeley

**American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc.**  
**2025 National Specialty Show**  
**APRIL 11 - 18, 2025**  
**Tentative Schedule**

*At time of publication – updates posted: <https://assanational.com/>*

The ASSA 2025 National Specialty will be held at Greeley Fairgrounds. The American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc. will be your host for Conformation, Herding and Performance Events as well as a variety of activities and special events.

**Friday, April 11, 2025**

Agility Trials – Progressive School for Dogs, Greeley, CO

**Saturday, April 12, 2025**

Obedience & Rally Trials – Island Grove Regional Park

ASSA Board of Directors Meeting (evening)

**Sunday, April 13, 2025**

Herding Trial Sheep & Ducks (sheep, goats & ducks) – Rancho Terre Norte, Wellington, CO

Vendor Move-in (Time TBA)

Exhibitor arrival & setup (Time TBA)

ASSA Board of Directors meeting

**Monday, April 14, 2025**

Herding Instinct Evaluation - Island Grove Regional Park (info in Herding Premium)

Futurity Judging

Veteran's Sweepstakes

Parade of Veterans & Titleholders- ½ hour after Futurity judging

Evening Welcome Party – TBA

**Tuesday, April 15, 2025**

Symposium (morning)

Health Clinic

Invitational Showcase Spectacular of Top Winning Conformation Dogs (evening)

**Wednesday, April 16, 2025**

Conformation Judging

ASSA Annual Meeting

**Thursday, April 17, 2025**

Conformation Judging

Fanciers Ringside Education

Judges Education Seminar & Workshop Evening

Visiting Hours (Time TBA)

**Friday, April 18, 2025**

Conformation Judging through Winners Classes

Non-Regular Conformation Class Judging

Fanciers Ringside Education through Open Classes

Junior Handling Clinic & Pizza Party – Evening after judging

**Saturday, April 19, 2025**

Junior Showmanship Judging

Best of Breed Judging

ASSA Breeder Awards at completion of judging

Parade of Winners after Breeder Award

Move out of building

# AMERICAN SHETLAND SHEEPDOG ASSOCIATION, INC

## OFFICERS

President ..... Greg Speeks  
 Vice President ..... Julie Iverson  
 Treasurer ..... Merrylee Malanowski  
 Recording Secretary ..... Sherry Deeds  
 Corresponding Secretary ..... Liz Bianchi

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## REGIONAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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## DIRECTORS AT LARGE

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## EVENT COMMITTEE

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*And Members of the Board of Directors of the Club*

## National Standing Show Committee

Best All Around Sheltie	Kara Kolster
Catalog Advertising (Conformation/Performance)	Carolyn Ing/ Kara Kolster
Chief Ring Steward	Marjorie Tuff
Grooming Area	Keith Kozakiewiz
Health Clinic	Glenda Price
Judges Education	Jennie Hynes
Judges Gifts	Holly Hatcher
Junior Handler Events	Marni Sharoff
Lifetime Membership	Nioma Coen
Parade of Rescued Performance Dogs	Kara Kolster
Parade of Veterans	Julie Iverson
Parade of Winners	Julie Iverson
Preferred Seating	Tammy Riggs
Ringside Education	Lyn Leininger
Show Announcer	Julie Iverson
Show Treasurer	Liz Yoder
Symposium	Lynette Stewart
Showcase Spectacular	Terry Bailey, Jen Milani, Kara Kolster
Trophies & Ribbons	Natalie Hollinger
Trophy Solicitation (Conformation/Performance)	Kathy McFall/ Dianne Krantz
Vendors	Kathy Kozakiewiz
Visiting Hours	Sheryl Kendrick
Webmaster	Jen Milani
Welcome Party	Sheryl Kendrick and Committee

## ASSA National Performance Trials Committee

National Performance Trial Chair.....	Marion Karp
Assistant Performance Trial Chair .....	Kara Kolster
Agility Trial Chair .....	Danielle Toland
Catalog Advertising .....	Kara Kolster
Herding Trial Chair .....	Christa Medaries
Obedience & Rally Trial Chair .....	Jennifer Newman
Parade of Rescued Performance Dogs .....	Kara Kolster
Trophy Solicitation.....	Dianne Krantz

### JUDGES

#### Saturday, April 12, 2025

ELIZABETH BAILY.....	WINDSOR, CO
<i>All Rally Classes</i>	
NANCY CRAIG .....	KINGMAN, AZ
<i>Obedience Classes: Open A &amp; B, Pref Open, Graduate Nov, Beginner Novice A &amp; B, Veteran</i>	
PATRICIA MAYNARD .....	LONGMONT, CO
<i>Obedience Classes: Utility A &amp; B, Pref Util &amp; Novice, Graduate Open, Novice A &amp; B</i>	

#### Monday, April 14, 2025

CADIE PRUSS.....	TORRINGTON, CT
<i>Futurity, Veteran Sweepstakes</i>	

#### Wednesday - Saturday, April 16-19, 2025

BELLA THOMPSON CORWIN.....	DEGRAFF, OH
<i>Best of Breed Competition</i>	
DAVID CALDERWOOD .....	EUGENE, OR
<i>All Regular &amp; Non-Regular Classes - Bitches</i>	
LIZ BIANCHI .....	VIRGINIA BEACH, VA
<i>All Regular &amp; Non-Regular Classes – Dogs, Junior Showmanship</i>	

*\*Provisional/Permit Status at the time of publication*

#### Chief Ring Steward

Marjorie Tuff, 285 Monmouth Rd., Freehold, NJ 07728

#### VETERINARIAN SERVICES

Pet Emergency Treatment Service (PETS), (970) 339-8700  
3629 23 Rd Ave, Evans, CO 80620

**DIRECTIONS TO PET PET EMERGENCY TREATMENT SERVICE:** Go south on 23rd Ave to 36th St. West side of road  
*"Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations."*

#### WEATHER

Generally speaking, weather mid-April in Greeley, CO will be chilly in the mornings to cool afternoons.

**THIS CLUB DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS EVENT.**

## CLASSIFICATIONS

### REGULAR CLASSES

PUPPY DOG, Sable & White, 6-9 mos.	PUPPY BITCH, Sable & White, 6-9 mos.
PUPPY DOG, AOAC, 6-9 mos.	PUPPY BITCH, AOAC, 6-9 mos.
PUPPY DOG, Sable & White, 9-12 mos.	PUPPY BITCH, Sable & White, 9-12 mos.
PUPPY DOG, AOAC, 9-12 mos.	PUPPY BITCH, AOAC, 9-12 mos.
DOG, Sable & White, 12-18 mos.	BITCH, Sable & White, 12-18 mos.
DOG, AOAC, 12-18 mos	BITCH, AOAC, 12-18 mos.
NOVICE DOG	NOVICE 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	OPEN BITCH, Blue
OPEN DOG, Sable & White	OPEN BITCH, Sable & White
WINNERS DOG	WINNERS BITCH

Note: Puppy Dog & Bitch classes for 6 months and under 9 months, 9 months and under 12 months, 12 months and under 18 months will be separated into colors:  
Sable & White, AOAC (Any Other Acceptable Color)

### **NOTE: AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER CLASSES NOT OFFERED**

### NON-REGULAR CLASSES INVOLVING SINGLE DOG ENTRIES

VETERAN DOG, 9 yrs & under 12 yrs	VETERAN BITCH, 9 yrs & under 12 yrs
VETERAN DOG, 12 yrs & older	VETERAN BITCH, 12 yrs & older

*A neutered male may enter or a spayed bitch may enter the Veterans Classes. 1<sup>st</sup> placements in each class may compete for Best of Breed.*

**Best Of Breed Competition:** The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed Competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and Dogs which according to their owners' records have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The entry and showing of dogs whose championships are unconfirmed is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where a dog completed the requirements for a championship according to the owners' records. If, at the end of the 90-day period, the championship of a dog has not been confirmed by AKC, no further entries of the dog for Best of Breed competition are to be made until its championship has been confirmed by AKC. Select Dog and Select Bitch, where applicable, will be awarded following Best of Breed.

**Judge's Award of Merit:** Immediately following the Best of Breed competition, the judge may select, at his discretion, Up to 10% of dogs entered for Best of Breed may, at the judge's discretion, receive an Award of Merit Rosette offered by the American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc., excluding the Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Select Dog, Select Bitch, Winners Dog and Winners Bitch, that by virtue of their placements, have already been recognized.

**Bred-By-Exhibitor Class eligibility:** (BBE Class Eligibility) All dogs entered in the Bred-By-Exhibitor Class must be individually registered with AKC. For dogs that are at least six (6) months of age on the first day of the show, that are not champions of record. Dogs must be handled in the class by the registered owner of the dog. The Person handling the dog must be the person individually registered with American Kennel Club and are owned or co-owned by any of the breeders as of the date of closing entries for this show. The person handling the dog in the class must be both a breeder of record and an owner of record of this dog. Family members must be both a breeder and owner of record to exhibit in the class. In any subsequent classes for which dog from the Bred-by-Exhibitor Class becomes eligible, there are no restrictions as to who may handle.

### POINTS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVE

The American Shetland Sheepdog Association 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 American Shetland Sheepdog Association 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.

## NON-REGULAR CLASSES INVOLVING MULTIPLE DOG ENTRIES

*As the judge's decision in the Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, & Brace classes are based on more than one dog or bitch, 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.*

**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 separately in one of the regular classes or if a Champion of Record, in Best of Breed Competition, but must be entered in the Stud Dog Class. The Stud Dog shall be considered as one entry and requires one entry fee. This being the regular fee plus the additional class fee if the Stud Dog is entered in another class. The Stud Dog must be shown in the ring with the Get. The Class will be judged on the merits of the Get. **Get must be entered in a regular class, best of breed, or some other nonregular class other than stud dog.**

**BROOD BITCH CLASS:** Same as for the Stud Dog except substitute Brood Bitch for Stud Dog and Produce for Get.

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## PHOTOGRAPHERS

### CONFORMATION PHOTOGRAPHER

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2025 ASSA National Specialty  
Performance Event Photographer

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**Only Official Conformation and Performance Photographers may take win photos.**

### OFFICIAL VIDEOGRAPHER

Show Dog Video Pros - Irvin B Krukenkamp, MD

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Contact Videographer directly to purchase online video streaming and PDF of catalog.

**This show will be professionally video recorded. No other commercial video recording, video recording from a tripod or monopod mounted camera, or any video recording or streaming of large segments of the show will be permitted.**

Submission of an entry form and/or physical presence on the show grounds shall constitute both implied and real consent for both the handler and their dog to be video recorded. Online streaming of show video to Facebook, YouTube, FaceTime, U-Stream, Live Stream or other comparable online outlets is strictly forbidden! Violation of these show video policies **may** result in an Event or Bench Committee hearing.

**All rights to TELEVISION, VIDEOTAPE, ADVERTISE, PHOTOGRAPH, PROMOTE** or otherwise exploit these events are vested in the American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc. or in persons to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing by the Association. All persons & animals on the show grounds & anytime while the events are in progress do, by attending these events or participating therein, grant the Association the right to photograph, televise, videotape, audiotape or otherwise use their likeness & voice in any manner without further release or consent.



## FUTURITY

Judge: Cadie Pruss

Eligibility of all dogs entered in these stakes shall be subject to the following rules:

1. The Futurity Stakes are open to litters where the breeder of record is an ASSA member. Each ASSA member/member household may nominate only ten (10) owned or co-owned bitches per Futurity year. The bitch's nomination must be postmarked on the envelope before the litter is born. The Futurity is held on the day before the National and each puppy must be entered in a regular class at the National. Put "Futurity Class" and age division in the box on the entry form for "Additional Class". There is no additional entry fee for the Futurity Class.
2. Starting with the 1995 Futurity, there is no ineligible zone. All litters nominated for bitches that will whelp after the closing date of the prior Futurity & before the beginning 18 month date of the next Futurity will be added to the next Futurity by extending the 12 to 18 month class to include the date in the ineligible zone. If a bitch is due right on the borderline dates, you may keep her eligible in both futurities by entering her in both & paying for both. Based on her actual whelping date, she will then remain eligible in one or the other Futurity. Occasionally, we have the opposite happen when Futurity year dates overlap. The same concept is applied - she may be nominated for both years & the puppies may be nominated for both Futurities also by paying double fees at each level. However, you must chose which Futurity you will show in. You can only show a puppy in one Futurity. If you decide to show the puppy in the 6-9 month class, you may not show that puppy again in the 12-18 month class the following year.
3. Nominations of bitches bred may be made on the ASSA Bulletin Board forms, or a 3 x 5 card, if at all possible. If necessary, you may submit nominations on any piece of paper. You must include Show Location, Show date/year, Dam, Date bred, Breeder(s) and your complete address with phone number. Upon receipt of your bitches nomination, a form will be mailed to you that will include your 3 month and 6 month reminders. This will be your only reminder. The sire must be specified by the 6-month nomination. The fee of \$5.00 per dam must be enclosed with the original nomination and a fee of \$3.00 per puppy is due by 3 months with the exact whelping date and sex of each puppy kept nominated. A \$7.00 fee is due by six months for each puppy you wish to keep nominated, and you must include the pup's full AKC registered name, sex, and new owner (if any). Entries in the 6-9 months class must arrive at least 30 days prior to judging. All six month nominations must include AKC litter number & proposed name, the name can be changed at a later date but must have the same AKC registration number.
4. The Futurity will consist of six classes: dogs and bitches for 6-9 months; 9-12 months; and 12-18 months. Winners of all above classes will compete for Best in Futurity.
5. Fees received for each class, less 30% (25% for expenses & 5% for the Breeder of the Best in Futurity winner) will be used as prize money in that class. If divided by sex, money for that age group will be halved. Prize money will be divided as follows: 1st - 40%; 2nd - 30%; 3rd - 20%; 4th - 10%. Prizes revised if less than four (4) entries in a class. All prizes are paid to the handler in the ring. A special award of 5% of the total prize money will be paid, for each Futurity, to the ASSA member breeder of the Best in Futurity Winner. All nominations, correspondence and checks (payable to ASSA) are to be sent to the Chair: Kathryn Hensley, 1270 W. 137th, Crown Point, IN 46307 (219) 776-9192 E-mail: kathrynhensley@outlook.com
6. All money paid is irrevocable with these exceptions: Overpayment made in error & nominations arriving too early or too late for the age of the class. Money is not returned for "misses". Members recruited to judge Futurity will have their money returned on request. Request must be made 30 days before the Futurity date. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO ASSA.
7. On checks for the original nomination of the bitch, please write the bitch's AKC name. On 3 and 6 month nominations please write the Futurity litter number assigned. Also on 6 month nomination, add COLOR OF PUPPY.
8. Please do not send Certified Mail or Air Express letters. Remember, eligibility is determined by the postmark, not delivery date (except for the Futurity closing date of 1 month prior to judging).
9. Canadian members, please send your Futurity fee by Postal Money Order/US funds.
10. Whenever there is a NSF check, the nomination for a litter will be ineligible until the check is made good and all bank charges incurred by ASSA are reimbursed.
11. If you wish to know that your 3 month and 6 month Futurity nomination arrived safely, please include your e-mail address or a self-addressed, stamped postcard or envelope with those nominations. The initial nomination is acknowledged by the letter returned to you, which contains tear sheets for 3 and 6 month nominations. If you do not receive the letter, the Chair never received your original nomination.

## SWEEPSTAKES COMPETITION

Judge: Cadie Pruss

THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS TO HANDLERS IN SWEEPSTAKES COMPETITION.

Sweepstakes winners do not go on to further placement in the shows as a result of participating.

### VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Veteran Sweepstakes open to Shetland Sheepdogs who on the day of the show will be at least 8 years of age. Dogs entered in Veteran Sweepstakes NEED NOT be entered in any other class. Champions of record are eligible. **Neutered dogs and spayed bitches may be entered in Veteran Sweepstakes.** Indicate your entry in VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES on the entry form in the space provided for Additional Classes. Champions of record are eligible.

#### VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION

Veteran Dog, 8 yrs and under 10 yrs	Veteran Bitch, 8 yrs and under 10 yrs
Veteran Dog, 10 yrs and under 12 yrs	Veteran Bitch, 10 yrs and under 12 yrs
Veteran Dog, 12 yrs and older	Veteran Bitch, 12 yrs and older

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

#### VETERAN 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. Thirty-five percent (35%) of total entry fees will be retained by the Club for expenses. The remaining 65% will be divided as follows:

- Best in Veteran Sweepstakes – 20%
- Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes – 15%
- First – 15%, Second – 7.5%, Third – 5%, Fourth – 2.5%

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### OBEDIENCE CLASSIFICATIONS

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

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

### **OPTIONAL & PREFERRED TITLING CLASSES    NON-REGULAR CLASSES**

BEGINNER NOVICE A & B      VETERANS  
GRADUATE NOVICE & OPEN  
PREFERRED NOVICE, OPEN & UTILITY

### **RALLY CLASSIFICATIONS**

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 CHOICE	RALLY MASTER

Obedience & Rally: Move Ups are allowed. The Show Secretary must be notified 30 minutes prior to the start of the Trial Event. Online transfer form available [here](#).

*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.*

### **This is a SELF-CLEANING SHOW—Both Inside and Out!**

This means Exhibitors/Dog Owners are responsible for picking up after their dogs anywhere on the grounds or at any hotel. Non-compliance will be reported. Consequences may include a Bench Show Committee hearing and/ or hotel expulsion. So PLEASE, be considerate of others and tidy up after your dog. Never leave your room without pickup baggie in your pocket!

## JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION

Junior Handlers who win a third Novice Class with competition present or a first place in Novice without competition leading to a Best Junior award with competition would count as one win towards moving to Open, after the closing of entries for a show, are required to transfer their entry from the Novice Class to the Open Class. Must notify the Superintendent/Show Secretary at least one-half hour prior to the scheduled start of Junior Showmanship judging at the show.

**NOVICE CLASS:** For boys and girls who are at least 9 years and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close have not won three first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class.

**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, at the times entries close, have won three first place awards in a Novice Junior Showmanship Class with competition present at 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 60 days from the date of the show where the Junior completed the requirements according to their records.

**MASTER CLASS:** For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years on the day of the show, and who have won 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. AKC Junior Handler Numbers are now required for entry in Junior Showmanship Competition. Numbers may be obtained from the AKC Phone (919) 233-9767. Entry form must be filled out with the necessary information, otherwise the entry in Junior Showmanship will not be accepted.

Please refer to AKC Rules for Junior Showmanship Conformation, Junior Showmanship Regulations, Guidelines for Judging Juniors in Conformation, Juniors in Performance Event Regulations for the most current Rules and Regulations.

Juniors with a Dog also entered in another class offered at this show who substitute a dog not entered in this show must remit the Difference between junior only and junior who have entered junior showmanship only who then substitute another dog will not be charged a further fee.

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### Attention Owners/Exhibitors of Foreign Registered Dogs

If you are the owner/exhibitor of a dog registered with a foreign registry (not yet dual registered with AKC) please review the eligibility requirements in The Rules Applying to Dog Shows, chapter 11 section 1. The dog show rules are posted on the AKC Web site at: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RREGS3.pdf>

Most important to note are the following:

1. Dogs must be individually registered with the American Kennel Club by the day of the event to be eligible for exhibit in the Bred by Exhibitor class.
2. Dogs are eligible to compete in AKC events using the foreign registration for a period of 30 days. That 30-day period begins with the date of first exhibit, *regardless of whether the dog earned any points or awards*. To continue to compete in AKC events beyond the initial 30-day period the dog must be either individually AKC registered or by the date of the event have been granted an extension to exhibiting the foreign registration. The owner or agent can request an extension using the form found on the AKC Web site at: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/extenap.pdf>

If you have questions or need assistance with registration or obtaining an extension, please contact the AKC Special Services Department at: [awards@akc.org](mailto:awards@akc.org) or (919) 233-9767 (followed by selecting option 4).

**The Club and its Superintendent** caution all persons entering the show site and show grounds against all hazards which may exist, including, but not limited to: Condition of the site/grounds, parking/loading/unloading areas, entrances, floors and stairways, elevators and escalators, floor coverings, walkways, tenting/canopies, electrical appliances, cords and fittings, exercise pens, and the presence of animals. All persons should take into consideration this is a sporting event and dress, act and exercise caution appropriate for the activity involved. All persons entering the show, the grounds, site and show areas for whatever purpose do so entirely at their own risk. By virtue of entering the show, the entrant has indicated their acceptance of the terms listed in this premium list and assumes all risks involved.

**PUBLICATION RIGHTS:** By entering this show, all owners, handlers, breeders and kennels agree that all rights to televise, videotape, photograph, advertise, promote and publicize or otherwise exploit this show, or the persons or animals participating in it or the results of the competition before, during or after the event, shall belong solely to The American Kennel Club and their respective assigns, including the use of the names, likenesses or biographical matter of all dogs, owners, handlers, breeders and kennels participating in the show and no such owner, handler, breeder or kennel shall allow any other party to make commercial use of any videotape or photograph of any person or animal participating in this competition.

Visit the ASSA Website: [www.aasa.org/national](http://www.aasa.org/national) for complete information and to download forms

## BREED PRIZES

The American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc. offers a Rosette for Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Best of Winners, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, Reserve Winners Dog, Reserve Winners Bitch, Select Dog, Select Bitch, First through Fourth in Each Regular & Non-Regular Class. Each Veteran Entrant will receive a Participant Rosette.

The American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc. offers a Rosette for Best Junior Handler, Reserve Best Junior Handler & First through Fourth in Each Class.

## ASSA MEMORIAL TROPHIES

The following Memorial Trophies are funded through their respective ASSA Memorial Trophy Funds.

**Best of Breed.** The Page's Hill Trophy, 14" Gallery Tray, in memory of J. Nate and Florence Levine

**Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed.** Memorial Cup, in memory of Joe Molloy

**Best of Winners.** Memorial Cup, in memory of Robert Carpenter. Memorial Cup, in memory of Millie Nichol

**Winners Bitch.** Memorial Cup, in memory of Linda More. Memorial Cup, in memory of Brian Cleveland

**Winners Dog.** Memorial Cup, in memory of Barbara Thompson. Memorial Cup, in memory of Lochlyn Guzman

**Best in Futurity.** Memorial Cup, in memory of Stanley Saltzman

**First Veteran, 9 Years & Under 12 Years Dogs & Bitches.** Rectangle Tray, in memory of Catherine Moore & Elizabeth (Betty) Whelan

**First Veteran, 12 Years & Over Dogs & Bitches.** Rectangle Tray, in memory of Catherine Moore & Elizabeth (Betty) Whelan

## ASSA BREEDER AWARDS

The American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc. offers an Engraved Silver-plated Tray to the Breeder(s) of Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, Reserve Winners Dog, Reserve Winners Bitch, Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Obedience Classes & Highest Scoring Dog in Herding.

The Breeder(s) of Best in Futurity receives a check for 5% of the total Futurity prize money. Breeder awards will be presented at conclusion of Conformation judging on Saturday.

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## RIBBON PRIZES – ALL APPROPRIATE EVENTS

### REGULAR CLASSES

First Place .....	Blue Rosette
Second Place .....	Red Rosette
Third Place .....	Yellow Rosette
Fourth Place .....	White Rosette
Winners .....	Purple Rosette
Reserve Winners.....	Purple & Gold Rosette
Best of Breed .....	Red & White Rosette
Best Opposite Sex to Best of Breed .....	Blue & White Rosette
Best of Winners.....	Lt. Blue & White Rosette
Select Dog & Bitch .....	Green Rosette
Award of Merit .....	Blue & Gold Rosette
New Title .....	Rose & Green Rosette
Best Junior .....	Rose & Gray Rosette
Reserve Best Junior.....	

### NON-REGULAR CLASSES

First Place .....	Rose Rosette
Second Place .....	Brown Rosette
Third Place .....	Lt. Green Rosette
Fourth Place .....	Gray Rosette

### FUTURITY

Best in Futurity .....	Pink & Green Rosette
Runner Up in Futurity.....	Lavender Rosette
Reserve Best Junior.....	Rose & Gray Rosette

### SWEEPSTAKES

Best in Veteran Sweeps.....	Pink & Green Rosette
Best Opp in Veteran Sweeps.....	Lavender Rosette

## OBEDIENCE & RALLY

Qualifying Score in Regular & Obedience & Rally Classes .....	Dark Green Rosette
Obedience Champion or Rally Champion Title .....	Dark & Light Blue Rosette
Obedience or Rally New Title .....	Special Gray & Blue Rosette
Highest Scoring Dog from the Regular Obedience Classes .....	Blue & Gold Rosette
Highest Combined Score from Open B & Utility .....	Blue & Green Rosette
Highest Combined Score from Advanced B & Excellent B .....	Blue & Green Rosette
Highest Combined Triple Qualifying Score from Advanced B, Excellent B, Master).....	Blue & Red 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.

**ALL TROPHIES MUST BE CLAIMED THE DAY OF THE SHOW - NONE WILL BE MAILED.  
ALL CASH ISSUED AS PRIZES ARE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE RECIPIENT.**

## SPECIALTY PRIZES

*The following prizes will be Pewter Items and are offered by the American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc. through the generosity of its members and friends unless otherwise specified.*

Placement	Award
Best of Breed	Three Piece Coffee & Tea Service & 14" Coffee & Tea Serving Tray
Best of Opposite Sex	Soup Tureen with Ladle
Best of Winners	Wine Cooler
Select Dog and Bitch	10" Round Gallery Tray
Winners Dog and Bitch	Tear Drop Pitcher & Sterling Silver & Enamel Medallion with ASSA Seal
Reserve Winners Dog and Bitch	King's Goblet
First through Fourth in each class	ASSA Classic Round Tray
Best Junior Handler	Paul Revere Bowl
Reserve Best Junior	Paul Revere Bowl
First in Each Juniors Class	ASSA Handbook
First through Fourth in Each Juniors Class	ASSA Pewter Classic Round Tray
Futurity	
Best in Futurity	The June Korenko Award, Pewter Ice Bucket offered by the American Shetland Sheepdog Association
Runner-Up to Best in Futurity	Pewter Rose Border Plate offered by the American Shetland Sheepdog Association, Inc.
Sweepstakes	
Best Veteran in Sweeps	Wide Border Picture Frame
Best Opp Sex in Sweeps	Wide Border Picture Frame
Obedience	
Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Classes	(Offered by ASSA) 5 piece Coffee & Tea Service along with Sterling Silver & Enamel Medallion with ASSA Seal.
Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility	3 Quart Covered Footed Casserole
1st through 4th placements	ASSA Engraved plates in graduated sizes
Rally	
Highest Combined Score in Adv. B & Exc. B	Silver Platter
Highest Triple Score	Silver Platter
1st through 4th placements	ASSA Engraved plates in graduated sizes



## Features for 2025

### MASTER RESERVATION FORM

The Master Reservation Form has moved to ONLINE ONLY to register for the Welcome Party Symposium, Health Clinic and to order catalogs. <https://assanational.com/>.

### WELCOME PARTY

ASSA will again host a Welcome Party at the 2025 National. This fun and informal event will be held on Monday, April 14, 2025, starting one hour after completion of judging. A full buffet dinner will be served. ASSA hopes you will attend the Welcome Party. What a great way to kick off the National Week. Reserve your space at the Welcome Party on the Master Reservation Form. **Deadline for reservations is March 19, 2025.** No refunds will be made after March 19, 2025. Ticket confirmation will be sent via email.

### PARADE OF VETERANS

There is no entry fee for the Parade of Veterans, but a completed AKC entry form and a short history (100 words or less) of the dog must be submitted. This event will be held on Monday, April 14, 2025, ½ hour after the completion of Futurity judging. This is a noncompetitive exhibition open to any TITLED SHETLAND SHEEPDOG over the age of 10 years and not adopted from rescue. Registration for the Parade closes on March 19, 2025. To register, send a completed AKC entry form and history of the dog Liz Bianchi, 2012 Inland Cove, Virginia Beach, VA 23454 or email [chelifz@cox.net](mailto:chelifz@cox.net). Note: If sending "overnight", please indicate "signature not required".

**DO NOT SEND TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OR TRIAL SECRETARY.**

### INVITATIONAL TOP CONFORMATION DOG SHOWCASE

This is an invitational event to showcase the Top Winning Shelties in conformation events based on year-end rankings for the number of dogs defeated by Best of Breed wins at specialty and all-breed shows during 2024. The event will be held Tuesday evening, April 15, 2025, in the main conformation ring. Contact the Showcase Chairperson, Terry Jennings Bailey at [clearskyvashelties@gmail.com](mailto:clearskyvashelties@gmail.com) with questions.

### CONTEST FOR BEST DECORATED GROOMING SPACE, AND PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

The grooming space decorating competition is a fun way to help bring the energy and enthusiasm of past Nationals back to Visiting Hours. We're excited to offer the competition again in 2023. There will be a PEOPLE'S CHOICE/WINNER'S AWARD in which the winner gets a free grooming space at the 2026 National, a beautiful rosette AND they get to choose where within the ASSA the funds raised are donated. So the incentives to go all out with your decorations are greater than ever.

**GAMBLERS:** (No charge to enter). Come to the Welcome table and tell them you are participating in the grooming space competition. You will be given an ID card with your space number on it to display at your grooming space. Put in a visible place for voters to see on Friday.

**BETTERS:** Tickets will be sold all day Friday (\$1.00 per ticket, \$5.00 for 6 tickets, \$10.00 for 15 tickets, \$20.00 for 30 tickets). Beginning at 6:00 PM, write the grooming space number of your choice on your ticket(s) – one grooming space per ticket. Place your wages (your completed tickets) into the jar set up on the Welcome Table. Judging will conclude at 9:00 PM. The winner, total amount raised and the winner's fund designation will be announced Saturday in the ring at the conclusion of Winners Dog.

### BEST ALL-AROUND SHELTY

The 2025 Best All Around Sheltie will be determined for Shelties that enter and compete in at least 4 of 5 National events: Breed, Obedience, Rally, Agility, and Herding. Points are awarded for participation and placement or score in each event. There is no fee for the competition, but advanced registration is required. See the "ASSA Best All Around Sheltie" form for competition rules, point values, and Registration Form. To register, send the completed Registration Form to Kara Kolster, 2705 Maurice Walk Court, Glen Allen, VA 23060 or email to [karakolster@gmail.com](mailto:karakolster@gmail.com).

**DO NOT SEND TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OR TRIAL SECRETARY.**

## VISITING HOURS

The grooming area will be the showplace for visiting hours, which will be held on Thursday, April 17, 2025. Layouts, pedigrees, photos, business cards, and displays are encouraged. Please remember, no puppies under 6 months of age and no "For Sale" signs allowed. The 2025 event will be fun and festive with a cash bar and refreshments.

## Workshops and Educational Events

### RINGSIDE EDUCATION

This year we are pleased that our most popular program will be returning. This educational program is a prime opportunity you will not want to miss. At no fee on a first-come, first-serve basis, sit at ringside and be mentored by experienced breeders and breeder judges. No seating is available during **Futurity, Puppy, Winners Dog, Winners Bitch, and Best of Breed** classes. We are most grateful to these mentors in this program for giving their experienced counsel to all who pre-register. To select your preferred class and reserve your seat in this event, **sign up on the Sign-Up Sheets**.

### SYMPOSIUM

The cost of the Symposium is \$30 per person. This year's Symposium is presented by Dr. Greg Burns DVM, DACT and will be on Reproduction and Neonate Care. Use the Online Master Reservation Form to reserve your seat for this exceptional opportunity.

### JUDGES EDUCATION SEMINAR & WORKSHOP

The Judges Education Seminar and Workshop will be Thursday, April 17, 2025 at time TBA. The workshop will include classroom time to view a slide presentation, followed by hands-on activities. The workshop is open to Sheltie breeders who are planning to submit an application to AKC within a year or so, and to judges who are already approved for other breeds. Meeting room will be announced at a later date. Attendance will be limited. The cost is \$35 and includes video, instructional pamphlets, and "hands on" experience. Ringside mentoring will be available Thursday, April 17, 2025 and Friday, April 18, 2025 for those enrolled in the workshop. An application form is available on the ASSA website [www.assa.org](http://www.assa.org) under Judges Education.

### JUNIOR HANDLING CLINIC

All Junior Handlers ages 9 through 18 are welcome and encouraged to participate in the annual handling clinic on Friday evening, April 18, 2025. Professional handlers and breeders will be on hand to guide you through the basics and the fine points to help you show your dog to the best of your ability. Please see the schedule below for details:

- One hour after conformation judging, all handlers (ages 9 - 18, novice, intermediate, and open levels) will gather in the main ring. Junior aged handlers (ages 9 - 11) will work together as one group while intermediate and open aged juniors (ages 12 - 18) will work as a separate group. Both groups will work on handling skills for one hour.
- After handling practice, we'll gather again as a whole group to enjoy a pizza party and "mentor summit." You and your mentors can share your mentoring experiences. If someone mentors you, tell us what helps and why. If you mentor somebody else, let us know why you mentor and specifically what you're doing to help others. There is no fee for the handling clinic or pizza party but advanced registration is required. The pre-registration form can be found on the ASSA website under National Specialty in the Junior Showmanship tab.



The full policy and list of Table and Ramp eligible/required breeds is available on the AKC website at: [https://images.akc.org/pdf/judges/table\\_breeds.pdf](https://images.akc.org/pdf/judges/table_breeds.pdf)

Judges may request the ramp to judge any breed in emergency situations; if granted, unless the use of a ramp has been indicated in the premium list, an exhibitor has the option of withdrawing their entry and receiving a refund. Junior Showmanship judges should follow the above.

## Invitational Shelties Spectacular Showcase

An exciting, non-competitive event, showcasing the top winning Shelties in conformation events (specialty and all breed) based on the number of Shelties defeated in BEST OF BREED COMPETITION ONLY during 2024. Invitations to participate will be emailed after all stats are figured. (stats come from Canine Chronicle BOB wins and Bob Miller's statistics) **PLEASE NOTE: \$25.00 ENTRY FEE REQUIRED.** (covers the cost of the rosette)

Due to requests in prior years from those that will not be exhibited due to distance, bitches that blew coat, or those that have unfortunately passed prior to the showcase, everyone will be awarded a rosette. Duplicates can be ordered as well but all awarded rosettes must be paid for in advance and no later than closing date. If you will not be there and want the rosette to be mailed, there is an additional \$10.00 charge. You do not need to be present to have this spectacular rosette awarded for all your hard work and devotion to Shelties in Conformation for the year 2024. The invitation is sent to the owners of the top winning shelties who earned Best of Breed in Specialty and All Breed competition only. To participate, owners will receive an invitation welcoming you to take part in the showcase event and will explain how this year's event will work. Fill out the info and send it to Terry Jennings Bailey at [clearskyva@gmail.com](mailto:clearskyva@gmail.com). Email is preferred. Use an old entry form or just provide the following information: breeder, owner, handler, DOB, Sire, Dam. Attach a short bio about the dog. All of this will be printed in a program to be distributed the night of the showcase. **BIOS TO BE LIMITED TO 75 words or less.** If more, it will be edited. All titles are NOT included in the count of words for the bios or placed on the rosette, and neither is pertinent information required above. Programs will include all information. Firm closing date for all information is **March 19, 2025**. If you do not want a rosette, send no money. Rosette will NOT be provided if fee is not included. There will be People's Choice awarded. Ballots must be received that night. Late ballots will not be counted!

## Catalog Advertising

**The deadline for catalog advertising is March 5, 2025.**

Rates for full page (4½" x 7¼"), half page (4½" x 35/8") and quarter page (4½" x 113/16") are as follows:

Full page with one photo.....	\$80.00
Full page with text/logo only.....	\$65.00
Half page with one photo.....	\$60.00
Half page with text/logo only.....	\$45.00
Quarter page with text only.....	\$35.00
Business Cards.....	\$35.00
Each Additional Photo.....	\$15.00

Ads must be submitted camera-ready copy. Send ad copy and full payment to Carolyn Ing, 493 Westford Street, Carlisle, MA 01741. For further information, email [carolyning@mac.com](mailto:carolyning@mac.com). ASSA reserves the right to accept or reject any advertisement requests.

## Pre-Paid Catalogs

You may order prepaid catalogs for Conformation to be picked up at show on the Master Reservation Form. Pre-ordering guarantees you will receive a catalog. **Conformation catalogs are \$20.00.** All Master reservations will be online only at <http://www.assanational.com/downloads.html>

## ASSA Member Club Banners

Banners must be received by **March 19, 2025**, or brought to show by club member. All banners MUST be taken home by club member at the end of National. No banners will be mailed back to clubs.

**Banners must be mailed to Sheryl Kendrick at 3496 Wolf Lane, Valley Mills, TX 76689 and received by March 19, 2025.**



## American Shetland Sheepdog Association Best All Around Sheltie Competition

\*To be eligible for this award, dogs must compete in at least **FOUR OF FIVE** events

\*One bonus point is awarded to dogs that compete in all five events

\*The dog with the highest cumulative score will be awarded as the Best All Around Sheltie

\*Runner-Up Best All Around Sheltie will be awarded to the dog receiving the second highest cumulative score

\*Advance registration is required.

**To register, complete the online form on the National website. Email [karakolster@gmail.com](mailto:karakolster@gmail.com) with questions.**

\*Dogs receiving qualifying scores in performance events will be awarded 2, 3, or 4 points as appropriate for their class, but do not receive the participation point as well. The participation point in performance events is awarded if the dog competes but does not qualify in the event.

\*Dogs competing in multiple classes at the same event (for example, Standard & JWW agility, Master & Premier agility, Open & Utility obedience) will be awarded points for the highest-level class in which they receive a qualifying score. Dogs will not receive points for qualifying in more than one class in any event.

\*Dogs that make a cut or earn placements and awards in breed competition will be awarded 2, 3, or 4 points as applicable, but do not receive the participation point as well. Dogs who make multiple cuts in a class will receive the same two points as dogs that make one cut.

\*Dogs excused from the breed ring will still be awarded a point for participation. Dogs disqualified from the breed ring will not be awarded a point for participation.

\*Preferred agility classes are scored equally to the corresponding regular agility class.

\*Non-regular obedience classes are scored as the regular class with similar or next lower difficulty level. For example, a Veterans obedience qualifying score is worth two points because Novice exercises are used. A Beginner Novice qualifying score is worth only one point for participation because exercises are less difficult than Novice. A Graduate Novice qualifying score is worth two points because it is similar to Novice and less difficult than Open. A Graduate Open qualifying score is worth three points.

\*Herding Instinct evaluation and Farm Dog certificate are not included in this competition and will not be awarded points.

\*Partial points will not be awarded

\*In the event of a tie, event scores will be used to break the tie. The dog with the highest total score will receive the award. HT & PT qualifiers do not receive a numerical score, so a score of zero will be used in calculating their total score.

\*The official catalog markings from the judges' books for each event will be used to determine eligibility, participation, placements, and official scores.

### Best All Around Sheltie Competition Point Schedule

<b>Breed:</b>		<b>Agility:</b>	
1 pt.	Participation	1 pt.	Participation
2 pts.	Make a cut	2 pts.	Qualifying Novice Score
3 pts.	Place 1-4	3 pts.	Qualifying Open Score
4 pts.	RW, Winners, BOB, BOS, AOM	4 pts.	Qualifying Excellent / Master / Premier Score
<b>Obedience:</b>		<b>Rally:</b>	
1 pt.	Participation / Qualifying Beginner Novice Score	1 pt.	Participation
2pts.	Qualifying Novice / Grad Novice / Veteran Score	2 pts.	Qualifying Novice Score
3 pts.	Qualifying Open / Graduate Open Score	3 pts.	Qualifying Intermediate / Advanced Score
4 pts.	Qualifying Utility Score	4 pts.	Qualifying Excellent / Master Score
<b>Herding:</b>			
1 pt.	Participation		
2 pts.	HT / PT		
3 pts.	Qualifying Started / Intermediate Score		
4 pts.	Qualifying Advanced Score		

Bonus Point: 1 pt. – Dog competes in ALL FIVE events

Optional / Alternative titling / Non-regular classes may or may not be offered in any given year.

## Special Notice to Exhibitors and Attendees

When you enter or register for any event at this show or are on the defined show grounds of Island Grove, you automatically agree to the following rules that have been established for the benefit and pleasant enjoyment of the event by all parties. Rules also apply to hotels.

- No puppies under 6 months of age are allowed in any area of the hotels or events grounds.
- No grooming or bathing of dogs in hotel rooms. There will be bathing facilities at this show site.
- No unentered dogs in the show area.
- No breeding of dogs or whelping of bitches at the show site or in the hotels.
- No dogs left in exercise pens overnight.
- For Sale signs are prohibited.
- One dog per crate.
- All crates must be stackable. No soft-sided crates permitted at the conformation show site.
- Plastic sheeting must be placed under all crates in hotel rooms.
- Dogs must be crated whenever left unattended in hotel rooms.
- Dogs must be kept on lead at all times when walking in the hotels, grounds, or show site.
- Exercise dogs in designated area only. PLEASE clean up after your dog.
- No exercise pens permitted in grass areas of hotels.
- Flash photography is not permitted ringside.
- Cell phones must be turned off or on vibrate at ringside or ringside areas. Please leave the area to use your cell phone.
- No smoking indoors or within 25 feet of any door or performance trial ring.
- No tripods located ringside.
- No saving seats at ringside.

## Attendees and Guest Behavior

There occasionally arises a situation where an attendee's behavior in the hotel or at an event site becomes a cause for an unhappy situation that compels the club to take action in order to maintain good relations with the hotels and/or the show site. Common sense and courtesy should dictate your actions to avoid such situations. To assist us in rectifying any problems with individuals or their dogs promptly, the hotel staff will inspect all rooms daily and shall report to the event committee any observed violations or damages. The event committee and security will be observing conduct at the show sites as well. Complaints will be investigated, and the parties involved will be asked to comply with required corrective actions immediately. Each dog owner, guest or registrant is expected to cooperate; cease and desist offensive actions; settle damage claims on the spot; and provide insurance or other pertinent information as required or requested. Infractions of any rule or failure to comply may be cause for an official event committee hearing and possible suspension of AKC privileges. It is no fun for anyone having to deal with misconduct, but we will, if necessary, so please don't force this issue.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** As an attendee, I (we) agree to hold the ASSA, Island Grove, Event Committees & any of their sub-contractors, members, directors, officers, agents, superintendents or the owner and/or lessor of the premises & any provider of service that is necessary to hold these events & any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties or judges, harmless from any claim or loss of injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing, while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto & I (we) personally assume all responsibility & liability for any such claim.

## Vendors

Anyone wishing to sell goods or services at the ASSA National Specialty Show (with the exception of handling & grooming) needs to purchase vendor space or photographer pass.

**VENDOR SPACES:** The rental fee for a 10' x 10' space is \$350.00 for the first space; additional spaces are \$300.00 each. Electricity is included. We are limited to 17 spaces so please contact the Chair early. If you are a first time vendor, contact Kathy Kozakiewicz and provide her with your company information, items you will vend, your website, and your e-mail address for show advertising. There will be one space available on a first-call basis for one day rental Monday through Saturday at a cost of \$60.00 per day to allow smaller artisans and individuals to market their goods

**PHOTOGRAPHER PASS:** Photographer Passes are \$100.00 for the entire week limited to four passes. When you purchase a pass, you will receive a lanyard identifying you as a vendor. A table will be available to photographers to display samples of their work & book appointments.

For more information, contact Amy Massey at [amy@kellshelties.com](mailto:amy@kellshelties.com)

## Attention Vendors & Conformation Exhibitors

Vendors move-in is noon on Sunday, April 13, 2025 and exhibitors is 3pm. Dogs must be removed 2 hours after closing of show on Saturday, April 19, 2025.

## Accommodations

**THE FUTURE OF OUR SPORT IS IN YOUR HANDS. PLEASE DO NOT DAMAGE HOTEL ROOMS OR THE GROUNDS!!! Exhibitors will be subject to disciplinary action by GKC Show Committee for any reported damages!**

*City of Greeley Ordinance - Dogs are not allowed in any city park, except Island Grove Regional Park, Rover Run Dog Park at 5207 F St & Waggin Tail Dog Park at Balsam Ave between 22nd & 24th St. VIOLATORS MAY BE TICKETED. Freedom Park at 2095 42nd St in Evans also allows dogs.*

**Numbers next to hotel name denote location on the map on next page.**

- (5) **Country Inn & Suites - Greeley**  
(970) 330-3404 • 2501 W 29th St  
www.countryinns.com/greeleyco  
\$40 pet fee • No more than 3 pets per room
- (8) **Rodeway Inn - Evans**  
(970) 351-6482 • 3015 8th Ave  
www.rodewayinn.com • \$10 per pet per night  
If more than 2 pets \$20 per night
- (9) **Select Stay - Evans**  
(970) 356-2180 • 3025 8th Ave  
\$15 non-refundable charge per stay for 1-2 dogs \$25  
for 3-4 dogs
- (13) **Embassy Suites - Loveland**  
(970) 593-6200 • 4705 Clydesdale Pkwy  
embassysuitesloveland.com  
\$75 non-refundable fee for entire stay  
No limit on number of dogs
- (6) **Days Inn - Greeley**  
(970) 392-1530 • 5630 W 10th St • daysinn.com \$25  
per dog per night for rooms • Limit 2 dogs
- (11) **AmericInn - Windsor**  
(970) 226-1232 • 7645 Westgate Dr  
\$15 daily charge per pet • Limit 2 dogs  
Limited number of pet rooms
- (14) **Residence Inn by Marriott - Loveland**  
(970) 622-7000 • 5450 McWhinney Blvd  
marriott.com/ftccr • \$75 pet fee • Limit 2 dogs
- (7) **Heritage Inn - Evans**  
(970) 395-7400 • 3301 W Service Road  
heritageinn.info • \$25 for 1 dog  
\$10 each additional dog for entire stay
- (4) **Comfort Inn - Greeley**  
(970) 330-6380 • 2467 W 29th St  
www.comfortinn.com/hotel/co182  
Special dog show rate; Register at check-in  
1-2 pets \$30 non-refundable charge  
3-5 pets \$50 non-refundable charge
- (12) **Best Western Plus Crossroads Inn  
& Conference Center - Loveland**  
(970) 667-7810 • 5542 E US Hwy 34 bwloveland.com  
• \$25 per pet per night
- (17) **Doubletree by Hilton - Greeley**  
(970) 304-0000 • 919 7th St  
guestreservations.com/doubletree-by-hilton  
\$75 non-refundable pet fee per stay
- (18) **Cobblestone Inn & Suites**  
(970) 351-9411 • 309 Hill St, Kersey  
\$25 per dog per night  
No limit on number of dogs per room
- (2) **Candlewood Suites - Greeley**  
(970) 330-2333 • 3530 W 29th St  
candlewoodsuites.com/greeleyco  
\$75 one time pet fee (1-6 day stay) Non-refundable  
• Limit 4 dogs
- (3) **Clarion Hotel - Greeley**  
(970) 353-8444 • 701 8th St • clariongreeley.org  
\$25.00 deposit per pet per night, limit 2 dogs
- (15) **Super 8 - Windsor**  
(970) 686-5996 • 1265 Main Str • super8.com  
\$15 Non-refundable charge per pet per night Limit 4  
dogs
- (10) **Super 8 - Greeley**  
(970) 330-8880 • 2423 W 29th S • super8.com  
\$15 per pet per night • 2 dog limit
- (19) **Homewood Suites by Hilton**  
(970) 330-1706 • 2510 46th Avenue Greeley  
\$50 non-refundable 1-4 dog pet fee, \$75 4+ dogs
- (20) **Rainbow Hotel**  
(970) 356-9672 • 105 N 8th Street Greeley  
No upfront pet fee, if damages flat fee \$250.00
- (21) **WoodSpring Suites Greeley (open Mar 2024)**  
(970) 438-4493 • 7009 9th St  
Pets Allowed

**ALL HOTELS REQUIRE THAT DOGS MUST BE CRATED WHEN THE OWNER IS NOT IN THE ROOM. OWNERS MUST CLEAN UP AFTER THEIR DOGS. OWNERS MAY BE REQUIRED TO SIGN A PET CONTRACT**

Hotel policies regarding dogs are subject to change. Please verify policy when making reservations. Do not bathe dogs in hotel room or use towels for grooming/clean-up purposes. Use heavy plastic under crates. No dogs may be left unattended in room unless crated. Non-Refundable pet fees must be paid at check-in. **Treat hotel staff courteously.**

**MAKE RESERVATIONS EARLY DUE TO CONFLICTING EVENTS.**

**GREELEY DOG PARKS:** Let your dog exercise in a large area off leash  
Rover Run Park 5207 "F" St • Freedom Park, 2095 42nd St in Evans  
Waggin Tail Park Balsam Ave between 22nd St & 24th St

## ROUTES TO ISLAND GROVE REGIONAL PARK

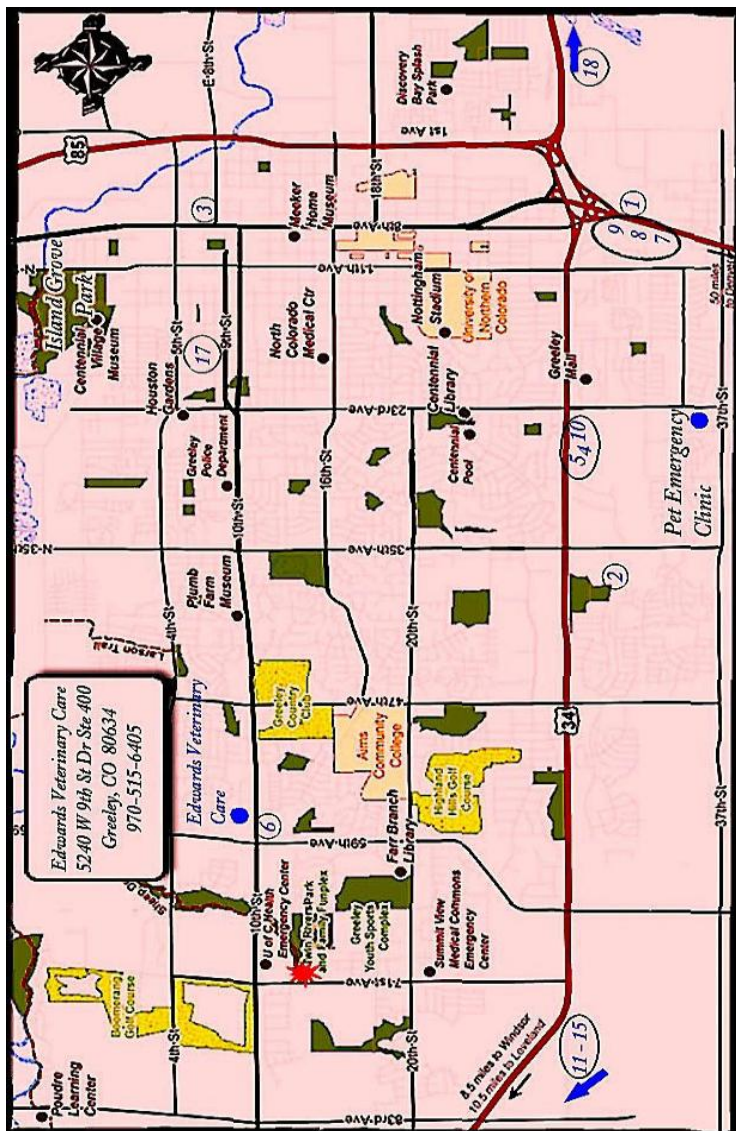
### USE 11TH AVE

**FROM THE NORTH** - From Hwy 85 take the 11th Ave exit. Proceed South to park entrance.

**FROM THE SOUTH** - From Hwy 85 take the 5th St exit & go west to 11th Ave. Proceed north on 11th Ave to park entrance.

**FROM THE EAST OR WEST** - From Hwy 34 Business Route take 11th Ave north to park entrance.

**FROM INTERSTATE 25 NORTH OR SOUTH** - Take Hwy 34 East to Business Hwy 34 exit, continue east to 11th Ave. Proceed north on 11th Ave to park entrance.



**American Shetland Sheepdog Association Presents:  
OFA Eye Exam Clinic**



**ANIMAL EYE CENTER, PC**

**Dr. Steven Roberts, DVM, MS, DACVO** from Animal Eye Center in Loveland, CO will be performing CAER eye exams Tuesday, April 15, 2025 from 9:30 AM to 6:00 PM. The check in table for exams will be located in the event center building.

PLEASE NOTE: If you are attending the symposium, be sure to tell the clinic when you make your reservation so that they schedule you after noon.

Also, this clinic is registering and doing all transactions electronically. The ASSA Health Committee is not involved in the registration or payment of the eye examinations.

ASSA WILL BE PAYING THE FEE FOR OFA SUBMISSION. SIMPLY SUBMIT YOUR FORM TO OFA WITHOUT THE FEE AND IT WILL BE PROCESSED WHEN THE PAYMENT IS RECEIVED FROM ASSA TO OFA.

Please call (970) 461-0909 for an appointment time PRIOR to registering online at <https://online.ofa.org/>

Walk-ins will be accepted; however, pre-scheduled appointments will be given priority.

**Special Show Pricing: \$45.00 / Dog**

Thank you for your cooperation - We look forward to seeing you!

Animal Eye Center staff

Office phone: 970-461-0909

Website: [www.animaleyecenter.com](http://www.animaleyecenter.com)

E-mail: [aecloveland@gmail.com](mailto:aecloveland@gmail.com)



## **GROOMING SPACE**

Grooming spaces will be allocated on a first-come, first-serve basis. Grooming reservations will be taken beginning **January 2, 2025**. **Cancellations or changes should be received by February 21, 2025. NO REFUNDS after February 21, 2025.**

**\*\*\*\*\* PLEASE do not mail prior to 12/30/24, mail received with an earlier postmark will be returned! \*\*\*\*\***

The grooming spaces this year **are 8' x 8'**. The cost for each space is \$75. For planning purposes, the spaces are intended for exhibitors requiring space to accommodate 1 to 4 dogs, crates, grooming tables, and **ONE 4'x4'ex-pen**. If you wish to be assigned to spaces next to other exhibitors as a group, you may do so by sending one Grooming Space Reservation Form, with appropriate payment for each individual reservation request, together, in one mailing envelope. **THE TOTAL NUMBER OF ADJOINING SPACES THAT MAY BE RESERVED IN THIS GROUP REQUEST IS LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF 8 SPACES FOR THE GROUP.**

**\*\*\*\*\*ONE GROUP REQUEST PER MAILING ENVELOPE\*\*\*\*\***

Payment in full must accompany the reservation request. **Make checks and money orders payable to ASSA in US funds.**

Any reservations received at other than the following address will be returned to the sender.

**Keith E Kozakiewicz  
ASSA Grooming Space Reservations  
P O Box 33876  
Phoenix, AZ 85067-3876**

### **Special Notes for Grooming Area**

- (1) Grooming spaces are a **"PRIVILEGE"** extended by ASSA, **Failure to comply with the following rules will result in revocation of this privilege indefinitely. This will apply to all exhibitors named on the reservation form.**
- (2) ASSA also reserves the right to reduce any exhibitor's grooming area allocation and relocate the space(s) assignment if the space requirements for the number of dogs indicated for the entry at the time of reservation, acceptance is not consistent with the number of dogs entered or present at the show in order to accommodate any emergency space requirements.
- (3) **Exhibitors are REQUIRED to remove shavings/pellets at the end of the week.** Failure to remove the shavings/Pellets will result in indefinite revocation of the privilege to all named exhibitors on the reservation form.
- (4) **Ex-pens must be arranged to conform to a reduced size 4'x4' to 4' x8" format. NO MORE THAN TWO (2) PENS may be ganged together in any space or adjoining spaces. (ex-pens must be minimum 32" tall)**
- (5) The grooming area will not be available until 1PM on Sunday to allow for ring and vendor set up first. Please plan your arrival accordingly. **(IF we have the room ready earlier, move in will be adjusted. All help in setting up the room is appreciated!)**
- (6) Plastic sheeting, shavings, and water will be provided. **ALL EX-PENS** must have plastic on the floor and up the sides to contain the shavings. **\*\*\*\*NO PAPER, TOWELS, SHEETS, ETC ALLOWED . . . IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH SHAVINGS, YOU, AT YOUR OWN EXPENSE, CAN GET A PELLET-TYPE BEDDING. \*\*\*\*** You are expected to keep your ex-pens clean. PLEASE be considerate of those next to you.
- (7) Security will be provided inside the building each night of the show. The grooming area will be cleared and locked down from 10:00PM until 6AM each day. EXCEPT IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, NO ADMITTANCE WILL BE ALLOWED.
- (8) DECORATIONS/REFRESHMENTS — "REASONABLE decorations" will be allowed. Please keep the individual banners and any other decorations to 7 feet tall or less. ABSOLUTELY NO CANOPIES, (FIRE MARSHALL REQUIREMENT) or electrical plug-in decorations, self-contained battery lights are allowed. The National is a special event and folks want to see the dogs, so please be responsible with refreshments - simple snacks and beverages only. This is a grooming area and not a wine and cheese tasting event.
- (9) Grooming spaces are not to be used for display areas. If you want a vendor spot, please see the Vendor Chairman. Anyone found using a grooming space for such activity will forfeit the space and be responsible for any actions ASSA deems necessary.
- (10) There is NO acknowledgement of your reservation being received! If you are concerned about tracking the receipt of your reservation, you have 2 options; 1. Use Priority Mail with Delivery Confirmation services offered by the US Postal Service or, 2. Send a self-address stamped postcard with your reservation.
- (11). NO power is permitted in the grooming area. Power for blow drying entries will be near the bathing area.

**ASSA National Specialty Grooming Space Reservation Form**

- Payment in full must accompany this reservation form. Checks should be made payable to ASSA and should be in **US funds only**.
- Grooming spaces are **\$75 each for 8' x 8'**.
- Reservations will begin on **January 2, 2025**.
- No changes will be accepted after **February 21, 2025. NO REFUNDS after February 21, 2025.**
- If you wish to be assigned spaces next to other exhibitors as a group, you may do so by sending the form with each person's name on the Reservation Form. Include a note requesting to be next to "x"
- the total number of adjoining spaces, which may be reserved in a group request, is limited to 8. Only one group request per mailing envelope will be accepted.
- ASSA reserves the right to reduce the number of spaces reserved or to reassign space locations, subject to the actual number of dogs entered and present at the show.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone while at the National (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Please reserve \_\_\_ 8' x 8' spaces @ \$75 per space. I have enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the spaces.

**\*\*\* NO POWER is allowed in the grooming area.**

I anticipate having the following number of dogs entered for use in the space. \_\_\_\_\_ (this is for the show committee planning purposes)

**The following exhibitors listed below will be sharing these requested space(s):**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel Name \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*Mail received with a postmark prior to 12/30/24 will be returned unopened. \*\***

**Please send the completed form and payment to:**

Keith Kozakiewicz  
ASSA Grooming Space Reservations  
P O Box 33876  
Phoenix, AZ 85067-3876

## 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 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 the end of 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. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the 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 per entry will be withheld from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.
7. 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.
8. An AKC Recording Fee and AKC Event Service Fee of \$3.50 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Show, Obedience/Rally Trial or Tracking Test. All Recording and Event Service Fees are paid to the American Kennel Club.
9. 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.
10. 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.
11. 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.
12. The Club reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value.
13. **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.**
14. **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.
15. 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.





**AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®**

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**ENTRIES CLOSE 6:00PM PT, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 2025**

**AMERICAN SHETLAND SHEPDOG ASSOCIATION, INC.**

Events # 2025140104 (O), 2025140105 (R)

**Saturday, April 12, 2025**

**ISLAND GROVE REGIONAL PARK, NORTH 11th AVE. & "D" ST., GREELEY, CO 80631**

CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR SHOW(S) YOU WISH TO ENTER. YOU MUST ENCLOSE ALL ENTRY FEES.

OBEDIENCE     RALLY

**ENTRY FEES FOR EACH EVENT**

<b>\$40.00</b>	• First Obedience Class • First Rally Class
<b>\$25.00</b>	• Additional Class (same dog, same event) • Obedience Veterans Classes

**PLEASE CONSIDER ENTERING ONLINE at [WWW.DOGZIBIT.COM](http://WWW.DOGZIBIT.COM). QUICK, EASY, NO SECRETARY FEES.**

**OR MAIL ENTRIES WITH CHECKS PAYABLE TO DOGZIBIT TO: DOGZIBIT, P. O. Box 2044, Woodinville, WA 98072-2044**

BREED [5] <b>SHETLAND SHEPDOG</b>		VARIETY [1]	SEX
<b>OBEDIENCE CLASSES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE A <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN A <input type="checkbox"/> UTILITY A <input type="checkbox"/> PREFERRED OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE B <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN B <input type="checkbox"/> UTILITY B <input type="checkbox"/> PREFERRED UTILITY		<input type="checkbox"/> PREFERRED NOVICE	OBEDIENCE JUMP HEIGHT
<b>OPTIONAL TITLING OBEDIENCE CLASSES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BEG. NOVICE A <input type="checkbox"/> GRAD. NOVICE <input type="checkbox"/> BEG. NOVICE B <input type="checkbox"/> GRAD. OPEN		<b>NON-REGULAR OBEDIENCE CLASSES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> VETERANS	
<b>RALLY CLASSES</b> <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE A <input type="checkbox"/> ADV. A <input type="checkbox"/> EXC. A <input type="checkbox"/> INTERMEDIATE <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE B <input type="checkbox"/> ADV. B <input type="checkbox"/> EXC. B <input type="checkbox"/> MASTER <input type="checkbox"/> CHOICE		<b>NON-REGULAR RALLY CLASSES</b> NA	<b>RALLY JUMP HEIGHT</b> <input type="checkbox"/> 4" (<10") <input type="checkbox"/> 8" (<15") <input type="checkbox"/> 12" (15-20") <input type="checkbox"/> 16" (20"+)
FULL NAME OF DOG (AKC TITLES ONLY)			
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC# <input type="checkbox"/> PAL# <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG# & COUNTRY		PLACE OF BIRTH (list country)	DATE OF BIRTH
<b>ENTER # HERE:</b>			
BREEDER			
SIRE			
DAM			
ACTUAL OWNER(S) [4] Please Print			
OWNER'S ADDRESS			
CITY, STATE, ZIP			
NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT [IF ANY] AT SHOW			
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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agree-ment" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.			
SIGNATURE of the owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry			
PHONE #	Are you a new exhibitor? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Owner-Handled Series Eligible? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
EMAIL ADDRESS (acknowledgment or entry receipt will be sent to this email address):			

## AGREEMENT

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.**

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. (Variety) if you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
2. The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
3. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e., age division, color division, weight division.
4. 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.)
5. Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.



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**ENTRIES CLOSE 12:00PM PT, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 2025**

**AMERICAN SHETLAND SHEEPDOG ASSOCIATION, INC.**

Event# 2025140107 (FUT), 2025140107 (SW), 2025140106

**ISLAND GROVE REGIONAL PARK, NORTH 11th AVE. & "D" ST., GREELEY, CO 80631**

**MON, APRIL 14, 20225**

**WED-SAT, APRIL 16-19, 2025**

Futurity  Veteran Sweepstakes  Specialty  Junior Showmanship  
Indicate age class

**ENTRY FEES FOR EACH EVENT, EACH DAY**

<b>\$40.00</b>	• Conformation-First Class
<b>\$25.00</b>	• Conformation-Each addil entry of same dog, same day, same event
<b>\$15.00</b>	• Veteran Sweepstakes Classes
<b>Free</b>	• Junior Showmanship (as Additional entry) • Futurity Classes

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BREED [5] <b>SHETLAND SHEEPDOG</b>		VARIETY [1]	SEX
DOG SHOW CLASS [2,3]		CLASS DIVISIONS [3] <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Blue Weight, Color, Etc. <input type="checkbox"/> Sable & White <input type="checkbox"/> AOAC	
ADDITIONAL CLASS(ES)		JR SHOWMANSHIP CLASS	JR HANDLER NAME
FULL NAME OF DOG (AKC TITLES ONLY)			
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC# <input type="checkbox"/> PAL# <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG# & COUNTRY <b>ENTER # HERE:</b>		PLACE OF BIRTH (list country)	DATE OF BIRTH
BREEDER			
SIRE			
DAM			
ACTUAL OWNER(S) [4] Please Print			
OWNER'S ADDRESS			
CITY, STATE, ZIP			
NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT [IF ANY] AT SHOW			
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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.			
SIGNATURE of the owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry			
PHONE #	Are you a new exhibitor? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Owner-Handled Series Eligible? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
EMAIL ADDRESS (acknowledgment or entry receipt will be sent to this email address):			

### 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 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 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 THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS 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.**

### INSTRUCTIONS

- (Variety) if you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
- The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
- (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e. age division, color division, weight division.
- 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 name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
- Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as AKC Canine Partners Listed Dog "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Variety, Breeder, Sire, Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

### JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

*If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please enter the following information.*

AKC Junior Handler Number		Junior's Date of Birth	
<i>The Junior Handler number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club, phone (919) 233-9767.</i>			
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.**