



Steady On Point

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NAVHDA is a nonprofit corporation whose purpose is to foster, promote, and improve the versatile hunting dog breeds in North America; to conserve game by using well trained reliable hunting dogs before and after the shot; and to aid in the prevention of cruelty to animals by discouraging nonselective and uncontrolled breeding, which produces unwanted and uncared for dogs.

From the training table of Brent Catura, NCW Chapter President:

Well we survived another test weekend even with the weather only fit for ducks. I reviewed the test results and all the utility dogs passed. A prize one went to Joe Aumann and his young Duetsch Drathaar and also to John McKenzie with his female Brittany. They had a great run in the rain and received a 204 maximum score. So now we have 2 that I know of for next year's Invitational. I wonder if we'll get over 10 dogs for next year like we did for this year's Invitational, which is being held in MN over Labor Day weekend.

Our August test is full with a waiting list. The officers and test secretary are working hard to add more test days somehow, so all the dogs that want to run can.

The next training day is fast approaching on Sunday, June 22nd. I hope you have got your birds ordered! We are planning on taking the young dogs on a minnie duck chase/search on a small pond off the snowmobile trail. So I've ordered a few extra ducks for those people that will need them.

Also, I should have the new trailer ready to bring out on the next training day.

Well till next time, keep those dogs pointing steady.

Brent Catura
NCW Pres.

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Membership Information

NAVHDA International dues:

New Member \$50

Special Value Package \$73.50 (not \$72.50 as earlier listed)

Renewal \$45

Spouse and Jr. \$22.50

The time period for all International membership dues runs for 12 months from date paid.

NCWNAVHDA Dues:

\$20 for first family member, \$5 per additional family member. Check the North Central Wisconsin NAVHDA (ncwnavhda.com) web site for the application and instructions, or contact Dave Spang for more information.

2008 Important Dates

- January 5th Annual Meeting 3pm Sky Club, 2202 Post Road, Plover, WI
- January 18-19-20 Pheasant Fest Minn MN
- January 31-February 2 International NAVDA Meeting Orlando FL
- March 30 Mead Training Day
- April 18 Wolf Population meeting
- April 19 Wolf Stakeholders meeting
- April XX MGA Work Day
- April 27 Mead Training Day
- May 25th Mead Training Day
- June 7th-8th Mead Test Days
- June 14th Public Dog Training Seminar
- June 22th Mead Training Day
- July 12-13 Judges Workshop Conn
- July 20nd Mead Training Day
- August 10th Mead Training Day
- August 23rd-24th Mead Test Days
- August 28th-September 1st Invitational Minneapolis MN

Club Business

AKC/Breed Accomplishments

I will run a feature column for those people who campaign their dogs outside of NAVHDA. If you have something you would like included in this column I will need the following information:

- Organization
- Specific accomplishment (i.e. 2nd leg of the AKC junior hunt test)
- Age/sex/breed of dog
- Registered name of dog/owners name/handlers name

Other events

In addition to the NAVDA events that will be covered in our newsletter I will include any information you care to include regarding other key events, including AKC tests/shows in WI and the surrounding area, and any breed specific events/dates you would like to include.

AKC Hunt Tests for this fall:

Other NAVHDA Tests in WI

- 6/28 & 29 WR Chapter
- 7/11-13 KM Chapter
- 8/2 & 3 KM Chapter

Accomplishments (see last page for NCW test results from June test)

April 27th, 2008; Ionia Michigan

Vizsla Club of Michigan, Inc – Field Trial

Ariel of Bush Farm NAIII – placed “3rd” in the Open Gun Dog Stake under the guidance of handler Jerry Jordan, with a field of 15 contestants! *Respectively submitted, owner Ryan Rice.*

LUNCH SIGN UP: We already have about 1/2 of the lunches arranged for - thank you to the volunteers! We always appreciate a solid meal on the training and test days. It would be good to see some new faces put on a lunch - please consider it! There is a bit of work that is required to put on a main dish, but the contributor is compensated for the main dish and drinks. The rest of the chapter contributes thorough donating dishes, and there are lots of hands helping to set up and clean up at the end. If you are willing - contact Sheryle Tepp for more info by email or phone (715) 345 - 0443.

Lunch Sign Up

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Main Dish</u>
March 30	Carstroms & Brunis	
April 27	Gannon	
May 22	Florian Wroblewski	
June 7 (test - Mead double)	Peeters	
June 8 (test - Mead double)	Huntrods	
June 14 Public training day	Tepp	
June 22	McKenzie	
July 20	Schaeffer	
August 10		
August 23 (test - Mead double)		
August 24 (test - Mead double)		

June 7/8 Test Results

Thank you to all of the Judges and volunteers that helped us put on a very busy, very wet, but very nice test last weekend. Please find the official results below.

Owner/Handler	Test	Registered Name	Sex	Breed	Score	Prize
Adam Delude	NA	Echo vom Otterbach	F	GS	108	II
Brent Catura	NA	Drumming Woods Buddy	M	BS	87	III
Cheryl Brimmer	NA	Remark's Akasha Wind	F	VI	110	I
Craig Holmes	NA	Granite Peak Brandy	F	GR	76	NP
Dale Kufalk	NA	Firebirds Bud	M	GR	79	NP
Frank Switalski	NA	Drumming Woods A' Ginger	F	BS	93	NP
Greg Geurts	NA	Willows Edge Cody	M	LM	101	II
Jim Rupno	NA	Grouse Points Sooper Cooper	M	GS	112	I
Joe Aumann	NA	Bibbi VD Westmark	F	GW	112	I
John Adams	NA	Dogwood's Annie	F	LM	85	NP
Julie Carlstrom	NA	De Jac's Que Sera Sera	F	GR	103	II
Karl Malcolm	NA	Willows Edge Charlotte	F	LM	108	I
Kathy Ruenger	NA	Willows Edge Casey	F	LM	86	III
Kent Jakusz	NA	Drumming Woods A'Dingus	M	BS	102	III
Kevin LaPorte	NA	Granite Peak Briar	M	GR	99	II
Mike Crosby	NA	Jazzed-Up Jake	F	VI	107	II
Mikki Olson	NA	Sleepy Creek's Texas Hula Girl	F	GS	112	I
Paul Gleason	NA	Granite Peak Brazen	M	GR	103	II
Scott Schaefer	NA	Gera Hubertus	F	GL	92	III
Sheryle Tepp	NA	Barons Raising Havoc from Comynara	M	VI	103	II
Steve Pudroski	NA	Northern Star	F	GS	112	I
Tim Curtis	NA	Granite Peak Bogart	M	GR	87	III
Timothy Peeters	NA	Sharp Shooters Special Blend	F	GS	112	I
Corey Siegler	UPT	Rockwood's Kivalo Gunsmoke	M	VI	161	III
Chris Zupo	UT	Iron Points Ruff Ruger	M	ES	190	III
Dan Gannon	UT	Feldjaeger's Berit Gore	F	GS	177	II
Dan Snider	UT	Isadora Vom Enzstrand	F	GS	167	II
Dean Wells	UT	Tolka Belle Marcos A Buckshot	M	BS	172	III
Joanna Zupo	UT	Iron Points Tekoa Cutter	M	ES	192	II
Joe Aumann	UT	Ginny Vom Wendigjager	F	GW	193	I
John McKenzie	UT	Soco's Mystic Lady	F	BS	204	I
Sheryle Tepp	UT	Rockwood's Kivalo Super Tramp	F	VI	183	II