



Spanish Water Dog Club, Inc.
and
Spanish Water Dog Association of America, Inc.
2010 Jamboree Events

Friday, August 6, 2010

At Ames Hollow Farm

*157 Ames Hollow Road
Portland, CT 06480*

4:30pm.

AGILITY WORKSHOP: [90 minutes] up at the house with instructor Jeff Abel

6pm.

DINNER: up at the house: Valley family "catering"

All homemade gazpacho, arroz con pollo [saffron rice with chicken, turkey sausage and veggies] +bread, beverage coffee and ice cream/sorbet

Following dinner:

2 Board meetings

Saturday, August 7, 2010

At Ames Hollow Farm

8:00am.

HERDING: down at the field with instructor and AKC judge Lynnette Milleville

12:00pm.

LUNCH: up at the house: Valley family "catering"

Turkey cold cuts or Nita's duck egg salad and fixins' on a hard roll or a wrap with chips, watermelon and beverage

RAFFLE

Following lunch:

HERDING continues: down at the field

MINI WORKSHOPS: *[each runs 15-30 minutes at various times: sign up day of event]:*

Conformation handling for newbies: Sheryl Gaines as instructor

Agility two by two weaves and contacts practice: Nancy Valley as instructor

Rally workshop: up at the house: Marnie Harrison as instructor

4:30pm.

AGILITY TRIAL: [course levels beginner-advanced] w/ Andrea Valley as scorekeeper/judge

5:30pm.

DINNER: Valley family "catering"

All homemade gazpacho, Churrasco [Brazilian Shish-kabob], rice, beverage, coffee and cake

RAFFLE PRIZES AWARDED

Following dinner:

2 MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

SWD PRESENTATION: by Lisa Harper and Marnie Harrison [with discussion to follow]

Sunday, August 8, 2010

At Ames Hollow Farm

8:30am.

CONFORMATION SHOW: up at the house with judge Sulie Greendale-Paveza [with written evaluations of your dog or puppy]

Followed by

PARADE OF VETERANS

10am.

BRUNCH: up at the house: Valley family "catering"

STRUCTURE/STANDARD SEMINAR: with judge Richard L. Reynolds

Sunday Water Events

At Site TBD

11:30am.

WATER WORKSHOP: with instructor Lisa Harper

Followed by:

WATER TEST

Followed by:

SUPERDOG AWARD CEREMONY



SWD Club/SWDAA 2010 Jamboree Events Form

DOG EVENT FORM

Please fill out one Dog Event Form PER dog entered

Participant(s) name(s): _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Country: _____ Zip: _____
 Telephone: (H) _____ (C) _____
 Email: _____
 Dog's Pedigree Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____
 Registered Owner's Name: _____ Dog's Call Name: _____

Agility Workshop..... **\$15** [no fee to audit]
 Agility experience: _____

Herding Clinic [each dog gets 2 sessions on stock]..... **\$40** [no fee to audit]
 Herding experience: _____

Conformation Show and Judge's Written Evaluation *plus* the Parade of Veterans
 Reg.#: _____ (**male / female**) *Please circle one*

Your dog needs to be registered with one of the following to participate:

FCI, UKC, CKC, ARBA or FSS/AKC

We will be featuring the following classes/awards check one [or more where applicable]:

___ Baby Puppy 3-6 months *with written evaluation* (non-regular class)

___ Junior Puppy 6-12 months *with written evaluation* (dog and bitch)

___ Bred by Exhibitor *with written evaluation* (dog and bitch)

___ Open *with written evaluation* (dog and bitch)

___ Altered *with written evaluation* (all ages/non-regular class)

Number of classes with written evaluations: _____ X \$20= \$ _____

___ Stud Dog (non-regular class)

___ Brood Bitch (non-regular class)

___ Brace (non-regular class) *fee includes both dogs entered*

Number of non-regular classes: _____ X \$10= \$ _____

___ **Parade of Veterans** [not a formal part of conformation] X \$25= \$ _____

Water Demonstration and Workshop..... **\$15** [no fee to audit]

Super Dog Competition..... **\$10** [no fee to audit]

Dog Events total = \$ _____



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HOSPITALITY EVENTS FORM

- Friday Dinner catered by the Valleys!!!
 _____ - person(s) for Friday dinner!.....\$15 per person = \$ _____
 {Veggie main dish available upon special request: _____ needed}
- Saturday Lunch catered by the Valleys!!!
 _____ - person(s) for Saturday lunch!.....\$10 per person = \$ _____
 {Veggie sandwich available upon special request: _____ needed}
- Saturday Dinner catered by the Valleys!!!
 _____ - person(s) for Saturday dinner!.....\$15 per person = \$ _____
 {Veggie main dish available upon special request: _____ needed}
- Sunday Brunch catered by the Valleys!!!
 _____ - person(s) for breakfast.....\$10 per person = \$ _____

Hospitality Events total = \$ _____

- Non-Member fee (for entries not currently a member of either the SWD Club or SWDAA).....\$ 20

Total of All Events = \$ _____
 (Hospitality Events Form total plus any and all Dog Events Forms totals)

Make Checks out to:

Spanish Water Dog Association of America

[Please make sure all payments are in USA dollars via money order or checks drawn from USA banks]

**Deadline for the Parade of Veterans entries is July 15th.
 Day of show entries will be charged an additional \$10 per dog.**

Mail to: *Spanish Water Dog Association of America Inc.*

*c/o Nancy P. Valley
 Treasurer
 308 Granite Rd.
 Guilford, CT 06437
 203-453-0606
 {cell} 203-980-0169*



SWD Club/SWDAA 2010 Jamboree Events Form GENERAL DISCLAIMER FORM

The SWD Club or The SWDAA may decline any entries for cause and may refuse to receive or may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness or other causes and no one shall have any claim or recourse against either club or any official thereof.

AGREEMENT

I, _____, CERTIFY that I (we) am the registered owner of the dog(s) entered in this event, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the registered owner whose name I have entered on the Dog Events Form. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the SWD Club and SWDAA, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event and entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog(s) 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 that the clubs holding these events has the right to refuse this entry for such cause(s) as the clubs shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of these events and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the event-giving clubs, their agents, and members harmless from any claim for loss, injury, or other liability which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or property by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises, grounds or nearby any entrance thereto. I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless for any claim for loss, injury or damage to my (our) dog(s). I (we) will pay for any injuries or the replacement value in the event of serious injury to anyone or anything caused by my (our) dog(s). I (we) hereby agree that the determination of whether an injury is serious shall be made by the boards of the SWD Club and SWDAA upon receipt of documentation from a licensed medical practitioner or veterinarian and agree that this determination is binding on me (us).

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 expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time resulting there from; 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 agents or members.

BY SIGNING, I (WE) AGREE TO FOLLOW THE POLICIES AND GUIDELINES RELATED TO SPANISH WATER DOG CLUB AND THE SPANISH WATER DOG ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA EVENTS (INCLUDING DEALING WITH MISCONDUCT) AS WELL AS THE POLICIES OF OTHER SPONSORING CLUBS OR FACILITIES.

Name (printed) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Directions + map to Ames Hollow Farm from Interstate Highway I-91

Take Exit **18**: I-691/Rte 66 East Bound

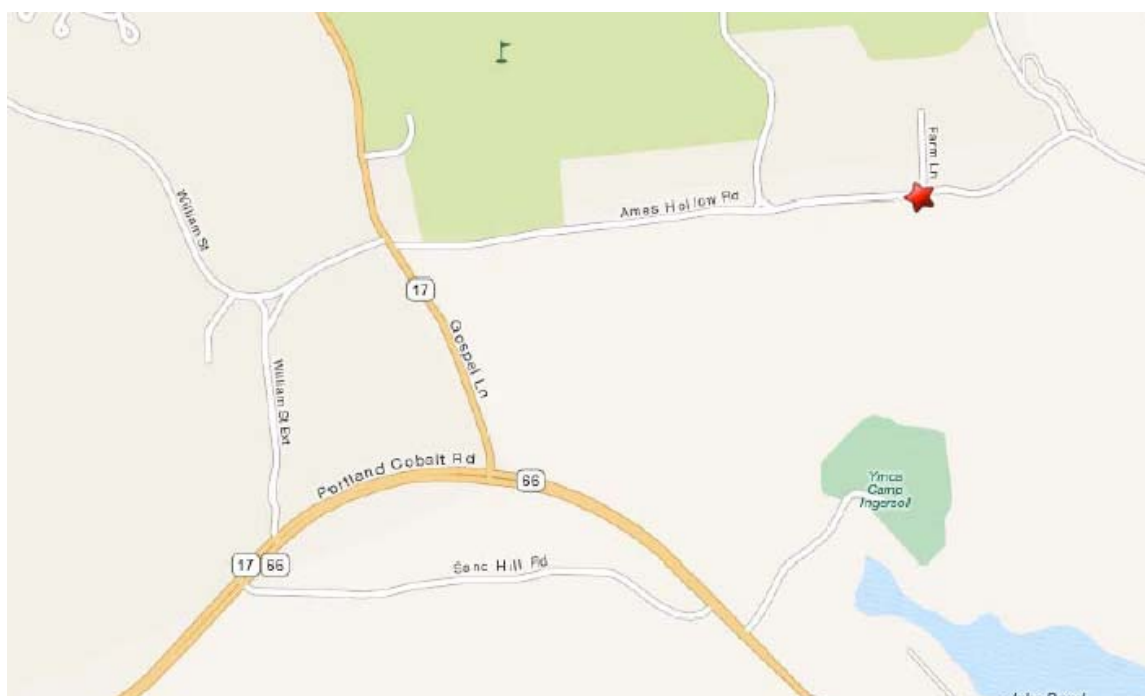
Follow **Rte 66** through Middletown *[you will merge with Rte 17 and go over the Conn. River toward Portland]*

Keep following **Rte 66/17** until **Rte 17 divides off** from Rte 66 *[it will be a left hand turn: at a Dunkin' Donuts-it is called Gospel Lane]*

Turn **Left** [Rte 17] onto Gospel Lane

Turn **Right** onto Ames Hollow Road

The Farm is on the right on the second hill where it flattens out *[you will have passed the stock field in the hollow between hills]* **House # 157**



Accommodations

Host hotel for the 2010 Jamboree:

The Super 8 Hartford South
Exit 24 off I-91
1499 Silas Dean Highway
Rocky Hill, CT 06067
860-372-4636

Call them directly and tell them you want the Spanish Water Dog Association of America special rate. **Justin Fazio**, the general manager, was very enthusiastic about our business and you may use his name as a reference if the person on the phone is misinformed

We have 10 rooms set aside for us [Friday August 6th + Saturday August 7th] at a rate of \$62.99 per night [\$70.55 after hotel tax] plus a \$10 per night per pet fee.

Amenities include:

- *Alarm Clock Radios w/MP3 Player*
- *Microfridge available*
- *32-Inch LCD Flat Panel TVs*
- *Free Continental Breakfast*
- *Coffee Maker, Iron and Board in all Rooms*
- *Two Full-Service Restaurants on Premises*
- *DVD Rental available - in Suites only*
- *Pet Boarding/Grooming - on premises*

You must not leave your dog alone in your room. And please exercise your dogs in the area the hotel offers and pickup after your dog! We do not want to spoil the privilege for other clubs to offer their members the use of this hotel!!

Getting To The Hotel

From North

91 South to Exit 24 Wethersfield/Rocky Hill (Rte. 99). Take a left off the ramp and proceed to the first right into "On The Border" Parking Lot. The Host Hotel is behind the restaurant and shares the parking lot.

From South

91 North to Exit 24 Wethersfield/Rocky Hill (Rte. 99). Go straight off the ramp into "On The Border" Parking Lot. The Host Hotel is behind the restaurant and shares the parking lot.

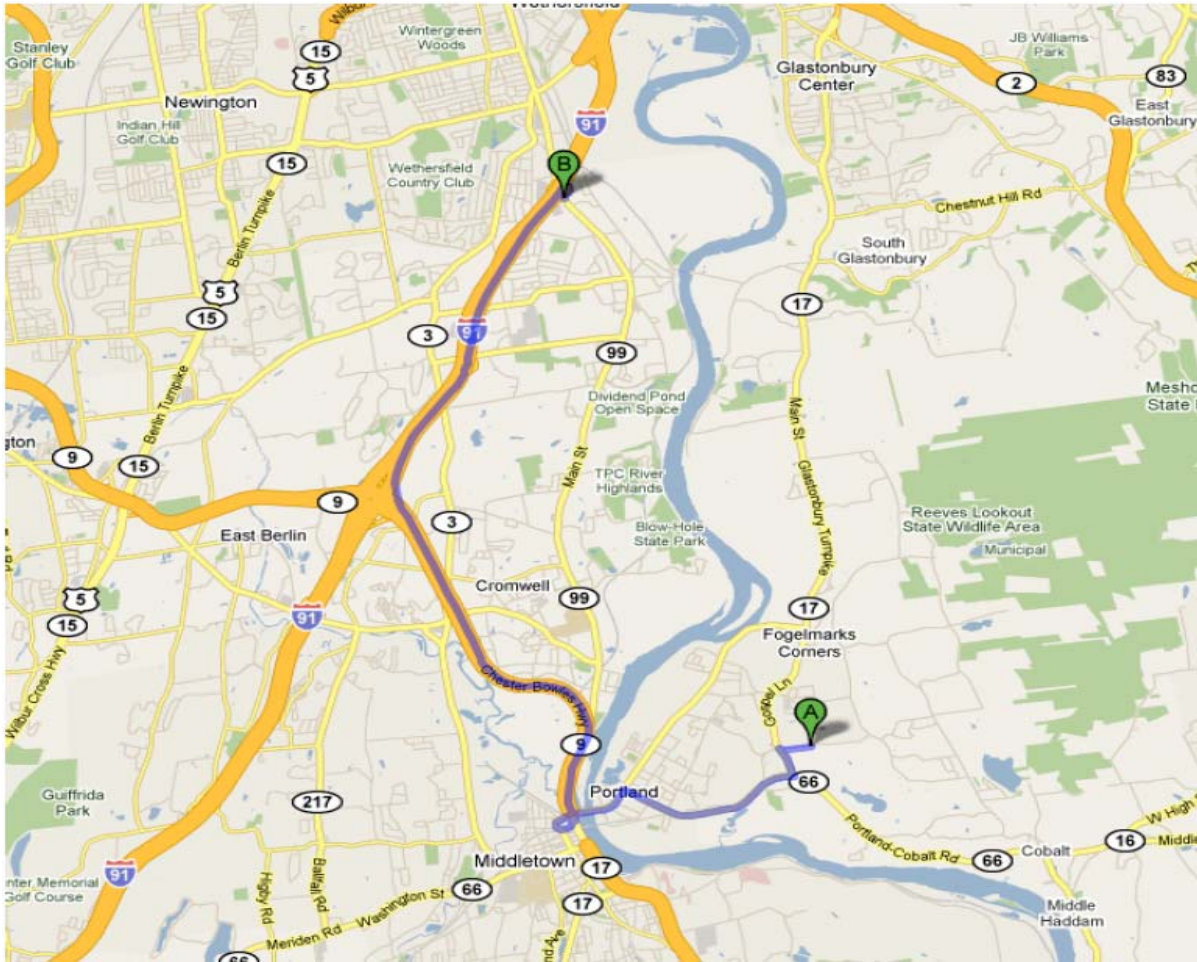
From East

84-E to 91 South to Exit 24 Wethersfield/Rocky Hill (Rte. 99). Take a left off the ramp and proceed to the first right into "On The Border" Parking Lot. The Host Hotel is behind the restaurant and shares the parking lot.

From West

84-E to 91 South to Exit 24 Wethersfield/Rocky Hill (Rte. 99). Take a left off the ramp and proceed to the first right into "On The Border" Parking Lot. The Host Hotel is behind the restaurant and shares the parking lot.

Map From Ames Hollow Farm To the Super 8 Hartford South [Rocky Hill] Host Hotel:



A 157 Ames Hollow Rd, Portland, CT 06480

1. Head **west** on **Ames Hollow Rd** toward **Gospel Ln** go 0.3 mi
total 0.3 mi
2. Sharp **left** at **Gospel Ln** go 0.4 mi
total 0.7 mi
3. Take the 1st **right** onto **CT-17 S/CT-66 W/Portland-Cobalt Rd**
Continue to follow **CT-17 S/CT-66 W** go 2.0 mi
total 2.7 mi
4. Turn **left** at **Main St**
About 2 mins go 1.0 mi
total 3.7 mi
5. Turn **left** at **Hartford Ave/St Johns Square** go 0.2 mi
total 3.9 mi
6. Turn **left** at **CT-9 N**
About 5 mins go 4.8 mi
total 8.7 mi
7. Take exit **20N** to merge onto **I-91 N** toward **Hartford/Springfield** go 4.4 mi
total 13.1 mi
8. Take exit **24** for **CT-99 S** go 0.3 mi
total 13.4 mi
9. Turn **left** at **CT-99 S/Silas Deane Hwy**
Destination will be on the right
About 1 min go 200 ft
total 13.4 mi

B 1499 Silas Deane Hwy, Rocky Hill, CT 06067

Other Hotels that allow dogs are below:

But, It is **your** responsibility to reconfirm at the time of booking whether any of the Non-host hotels still accept pets!

Comfort Inn Cromwell – 111 Berlin Rd, Cromwell, CT 06416 (15min) \$70 (\$15 pet charge/night) 1-860-635-4100

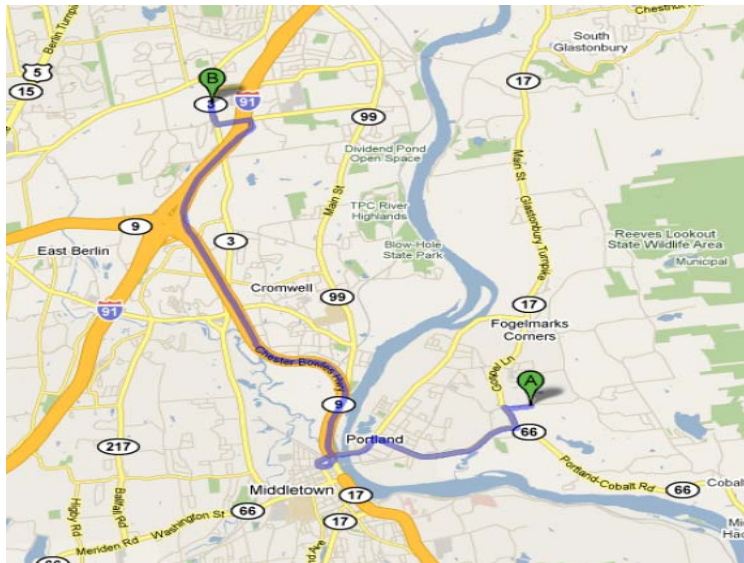
Inn place Suites Meriden –390 Bee St. Meriden, CT 06450 (10 min) \$99 (fee?)

Crown Plaza Cromwell- 100 Berlin Rd. Cromwell, CT \$99
(pets \$50 per stay no more than 2 dogs per room) 860-635-2000

Candlewood suites Meriden 1151 E Main St, Meriden, CT, 06450 United States \$55 (\$75 pet fee) 866-538-0187

Rocky Hill Residence Inn 680 Cromwell Ave, Rocky Hill, CT 06067 \$120 (\$100 pet fee)
1-860-257-7500

Limited on site no hook-up camping- is available by special permission from Lisa Harper: for more information contact her directly: lisa@ariosa-swds.com



**The event's 24 hour Veterinarian Hospital is:
The Animal Emergency Hospital
588 Cromwell Ave. Rocky Hill, CT
06067**

157 Ames Hollow Rd, Portland, CT 06480

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| 1. Head west on Ames Hollow Rd toward Gospel Ln
About 1 min | go 0.3 mi
total 0.3 mi |
| 2. Sharp left at Gospel Ln
About 2 mins | go 0.4 mi
total 0.7 mi |
| 3. Take the 1st right onto CT-17 S/CT-66 W/Portland-Cobalt Rd
Continue to follow CT-17 S/CT-66 W
About 3 mins | go 2.0 mi
total 2.7 mi |
| 4. Turn left at Main St
About 2 mins | go 1.0 mi
total 3.7 mi |
| 5. Turn left at Hartford Ave/St Johns Square
About 2 mins | go 0.2 mi
total 3.9 mi |
| 6. Turn left at CT-9 N
About 5 mins | go 4.8 mi
total 8.7 mi |
| 7. Take exit 20N to merge onto I-91 N toward Hartford/Springfield
About 2 mins | go 1.7 mi
total 10.4 mi |
| 8. Take exit 23 for West St toward State Route 3/Rocky Hill
About 1 min | go 0.4 mi
total 10.9 mi |
| 9. Turn left at West St
About 2 mins | go 0.4 mi
total 11.3 mi |
| 10. Turn right at CT-3 N/Cromwell Ave
Destination will be on the right
About 1 min | go 0.4 mi
total 11.7 mi |

588 Cromwell Ave, Rocky Hill, CT 06067

Suggested things to remember to bring

High level tasty treats and treat bag [fanny pack will do]
Show lead [if you have one]
Dog crate or X-pen
Shade for you and your dogs: we have lots of shady areas but you may be in the sun at times.
Doggie poop bags
Folding chairs
Any new toys or doggie things **for donation to the raffle**
Registration numbers for your dogs
Dollars for raffle
Beer or Wine **{Please drink responsibly and use a non-drinking “designated” driver}**

It is suggested that you bring USA cash for the following:

Raffle to be held Saturday night: tickets= \$1ea. *or* 6 for \$5 *or* 15 for \$10!!

All raffle proceeds go to SWDAA rescue

Jamboree 2010 Awards

The Parade of Veterans honors dogs that have entered their golden years. Many of these dogs helped establish the Spanish Water Dog breed in North America and abroad.

Veterans are dogs that are over seven years of age. All participants in the parade will receive a special honorary ribbon as they are presented to our members.

Super Dog Competition is a very special honor awarded at the end of the Jamboree. This honor recognizes the overall versatility of the Spanish Water Dog, rewarding the capabilities and efforts of the individual SWD who competes in two or more events and accumulates the most overall points at the Jamboree.

To be eligible for Super Dog, dogs must be entered and compete in at least two of the four areas of competition:

Herding, Agility, Conformation and Water Work.

Scoring of Super Dog is as follows:

Herding: The placements are determined by AKC Herding Judge Lynnette Milleville

First Place: 4 points
Second Place: 3 points
Third Place: 2 points
Participation: 0.5 points

Agility: The placements are determined by timed agility course. Dogs at higher levels of competition will have more difficult courses.

First Place: 4 points
Second Place: 3 points
Third Place: 2 points
Participation: 0.5 points

Conformation under AKC Judge Mrs. Sulie Greendale-Paveza:

Best of Breed: 4 points
Best Opposite Sex: 3 points
Best Altered: 2 points
Participation: 0.5 points

Water Work: The placements are determined by a five-part Junior Water Dog test

First Place: 4 points
Second Place: 3 points
Third Place: 2 points
Participation: 0.5 points

Dogs used for demonstrations who cannot compete for Super Dog points in their demo events are awarded honorary First Placements and four Super Dog points. In the event of a tie in timed events, first place will be determined by a "run off". In the event of a tie in the Super Dog title, the dog that shows the most versatility by placing higher in more events will be awarded Super Dog or if that also is equal, a coin toss will determine the winner.

The Super Dog competition benefits the SWD Club's Health and Wellness efforts. Entry is \$10 per dog, with entries closing Saturday morning. Half of the purse benefits Health and Wellness. The other half of the purse goes to the owner. The winner also receives the Super Dog perpetual trophy for one year. The trophy must be returned prior to the 2011 Jamboree, inscribed (at owner's expense) with the winning dog's name.

Other special awards

The Don Quixote de La Mancha award

*Following the agility workshop this award will be given to the somewhat tentative dog for running ".....where the brave dare not go...." *This award is not always given out.**

The Capt. Nemo award

For timed single retrieve classes in Water work

Puppy= less than 1.5 years

Dog=over 1.5 years

-----Additional information-----

Target Training for Agility

Agility trainers use it to help train a dog to position itself properly at the bottom of ramps and seesaws. It's easy! Try it one week every evening for 10 minutes and your dog will catch on fast!

The easiest way to teach agility is to use a target: hand or lid. The goal of target training is to teach the dog to find the lid and touch it whenever he is told to do so. To use a target, choose a plastic lid that is not too small or too large for the dog's nose.

- You can begin by tapping on the lid or waving it near or on the floor. Reward any movement towards the lid.
- If the dog touches the lid give him a bigger reward.
- Repeat this until the dog can reliably touch the lid.
- Add a cue word; "touch" and "target" are common cues.
- Now repeat this until the dog will reliably search the local area to find the lid and touch it.

Another way to teach the dog how to respond to the target:

- Touch the lid to the dog's nose and say the cue word.
- Reward each time.
- After a few repetitions, begin to put the lid close to the dog's nose, but not all the way.
- Give him the cue word and reward him if he touches the lid.
- Continue and pull the lid a little further away each time, until the dog can reliably touch the lid while it's on the ground.

-----Our judges, instructors, and volunteers-----

Jeff Abel began training in agility with his SWD, Tipó, in 2003. Jeff and Tipó quickly became addicted to it. They took classes multiple times a week with different agility clubs, read books, took seminars, and even went to agility training camps as vacations. They decided that they wanted to be the best team in the sport, so they took classes from the best instructors in the country. It has given Jeff diversity and insight on agility training and dog behavior. The result is Jeff and Tipó excelled at agility and are now nationally ranked. Jeff's method of training makes agility fun and exciting for both the student and the dog: Jeff is an instructor at The Pet Campus, Inc.

Sheryl Gaines is president of the SWDAA. She has been showing SWD for 6 years and her dogs have won many high level championships. She is owner of Casa de Rancho Kennels, named for Master Supreme champion Rancholunac de Ubrique.

Sulie Greendale-Paveza is a longtime AKC judge and owner of Sonata Sheltie Kennel.

Lisa Harper is chairperson for the SWD Club. A self-proclaimed dabbler, Lisa and her dogs have trained and competed in a wide variety of canine events over the last twenty years. She has owned the Portland, Oregon-based training facility Pup-A-Razzi for over a decade where she teaches and grooms professionally. She was gifted her first Spanish Water Dog in 2000 from which sprung the Ariosa kennel. Lisa and her family are pleased to offer Ames Hollow Farm to our clubs for our joint Jamboree.

Marnie Harrison started obedience and conformation showing with her Chesapeake Bay Retriever in the late '60's. She got her first SWD in 2004, and then Chase as a puppy in 2007. They have been active in Herding, Obedience, and Rally-O in several venues, as well as CKC conformation shows, and are currently getting a start with agility.

Lynnette Milleville's Nutmeg Farm was established in early 1980's. Many different herding breeds have come through her training facility. She takes an international approach to training herding dogs. She teaches using methods developed in Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand and Central Europe. The first American Kennel Club herding clinic was held at Nutmeg Farm in November 1990. Several herding clubs had their beginnings there: the North East Stock Dog Association and the American Tending Breeds Association. Tim and Lynnette have traveled throughout the United States, Canada and Europe competing, judging and giving clinics and seminars. Lynnette worked closely with the late Lois Russell to develop the A.K.C. herding program. Her first book will be out this year on training tending dogs entitled "Hear My Voice". A second book is also in the works on training arena dogs.

Richard L. Reynolds began his involvement with dogs in 1962. Since then he has bred Beagles, English Foxhounds, Jack Russell Terriers, Norfolk Terriers, Fox Terriers and Wire Haired Dachshunds. He was an AKC all-breed licensed professional handler and is currently approved by AKC to judge all the hound breeds, some terriers and Best in Show. He is also approved to judge all classes of AKC Earthdog tests. Outside of AKC Richard has judged at all major hound shows on the east coast and is an approved judge for the American Working Terrier Association. Reynolds' focus has always been on preserving breed type through concentration on performance ability. He was a Master of Foxhounds and his Old English hounds won a group at Westminster. Most recently Richard has pursued natural earthwork with Dachshunds and Terriers. Friday nights will often find him in the alleys of New York City hunting wild rats with terriers of all breeds and sizes.

David Sang and Rizo have been herding since Rizzo was very young. David is V.P. of the SWDAA. We are pleased to have David volunteer to help Lynnette switch out and care for the stock for our event...thank you and have fun David!!

Nancy Valley is treasurer of the SWDAA and co-chairman of this event. If you have any issues with this event?go talk to the other co-chairman, her daughter Andrea. Nancy and Cookie have been training in agility for about 2 years.

Cindy Clark: registration, welcome packets, and event committee member **Sarah Cole: T-shirts** **Jackie Nazzaro: raffle and event committee member** **Scott Peckford: event committee member** **Andrea Valley: co-chairman and PR**
David "The Chef" Valley **Lynn Ward: raffle and event committee member**

MANY THANKS TO OUR OTHER VOLUNTEERS AND HELPERS!