



JUDGES

All LSC Dog & Bitch classes minus Babies,
All SC Dog classes minus Babies,
SC Challenge Dog, LSC Challenge Bitch & Dog

All SC Bitch classes, SC Baby Puppy Dog,
LSC Baby Puppy Bitch, LSC Baby Puppy Dog, Challenge Bitch SC

Herr Rainer Mast (SV)
(Dog Ring)

Herr Wolfgang Haßgall (SV)
(Bitch Ring)

CONFORMATION

50th GSDCA NATIONAL GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG SHOW & TRIAL 3rd, 4th, 5th May 2024 Barratt Reserve, West Beach

OBEDIENCE

Utility Dog Excellent (Ring 1)
Utility Dog (Ring 2)
Companion Dog Excellent (Ring 1)
Companion Dog (Ring 2)
Community Companion Dog (Ring 1)

Mr Brian Fielder (SA)
Mrs Jan Brabham (SA)
Mr Peter Dynan (SA)
Mrs Donna Vigor (SA)
Mr Brian Fielder (SA)

Miss Jessica Bird (NSW)

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Conformation "Dogs SA" Rep – Brian Parker

ObEDIENCE "Dogs SA" Rep – Mrs Gillian Smith

*The GSDCSA reserves the right to substitute judges and to alter scheduled judging times as necessary.
This Show & Trial will be held under the constitution & rules of "Dogs SA". No entry fees will be refunded.*

ENTRY FEES (First Entry includes Catalogue)

	First Entry	Subsequent
OBEDIENCE - All classes	\$40-00	\$30-00
CONFORMATION - Baby Puppy	\$30-00	\$20-00
Minor & Puppy	\$40-00	\$30-00
Junior, Intermediate & Open	\$50-00	\$40-00



Show Manager

Online Entries Available
www.showmanager.com.au

ONLINE - available at www.showmanager.com.au Please check all on-line details are up to date.

POSTAL - to The Secretary, GSDC of SA Inc, PO Box 109, Willunga SA 5172.

Please include Breed Survey status (denoted by *), all ANKC titles, full pedigree name, registration numbers and complete details of sire & dam. **No late entries will be accepted.** Bitches in oestrus may be exhibited in the conformation classes only.

BREED SURVEY – If required, will be held on Thursday 2nd May 2024 at 3.00pm at the venue. Entries close 25th April 2024 with The Secretary, GSDC of SA Inc, PO Box 109, Willunga SA 5172. BS4 form required for animals not resident in SA.



To celebrate the 50th National every exhibitor will receive a unique Commemorative Memento

JUDGING TIMES

FRIDAY 3rd May

CONFORMATION – Vest collection from 7.00am.

Order of judging -

Bitch Ring – Commencing at 8.00am with BPD LSC, BPB LSC, BPD SC, BPB SC, MPB SC & JB SC.

Dog Ring – Commencing at 8.15am with MPB LSC, MPD LSC, MPD SC, JB LSC, JD LSC, JD SC.

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP – will be judged during the lunch break. Classes are – 7 to under 10 years of age, 10 to under 13 years of age & 13 to under 19 years of age.

SATURDAY 4th May

CONFORMATION – Sires Progeny assembly from 7.15am in Bitch Ring. Parade to commence at 8.00am **SHARP**. Breeders Group will be judged at conclusion of Sire's Progeny Parade.

Class judging will then commence in

Bitch Ring - PB SC followed by IB SC.

Dog Ring – PB LSC, PD LSC, PD SC, IB LSC, ID LSC, ID SC.

OBEDIENCE – Vetting (by committee) for bitches without proof of desexing from 9.00am to 9.30am. All exhibits to pass through checkpoint by 9.30am. Judging commences at 10.00am in obedience rings with

Ring 1 - UDX followed by CDX followed by CCD

Ring 2 - UD followed by CD.

Judging in all rings to cease at 12.00 noon for the Official Opening ceremony & presentation of GSDCA awards.

SUNDAY 5th May

CONFORMATION –

Commencing at 8.00am with

Bitch Ring - OB SC.

Dog Ring - OB LSC, OD LSC, OD SC.

All individuals to be completed by lunchtime. All run offs will be after lunch in the following order OB LSC, OD LSC, OB SC, OD SC. All Challenges will be at the conclusion of class judging in the Dog Ring.

Open class exhibits may be gun tested.

OBEDIENCE – Winner of Winners will be judged during the lunch break in the Dog Ring. All class winners with a qualifying score are required. All obedience awards, certificates & medallions will be presented on Sunday at the official trophy presentation.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

All class ages taken as at 3/5/24.

OBEDIENCE – UDX, UD, CDX, CD & CCD.

CONFORMATION -

(ANKC classes : Dogs - 1,2,3,4,5,11;

Bitches – 1a,2a,3a,4a,5a,11a)

Baby Puppy - 3 months & under 6 months;

Minor Puppy - 6 months & under 9 months;

Puppy - 6 months & under 12 months;

Junior - 9 months & under 18 months;

Intermediate - 18 months & under 36 months;

Open - 6 months & over.

RETIRING ANIMALS – Animals eligible to retire at the National GSD Show & Trial are Gold, Silver & Bronze medal winners; National Challenge & Reserve Challenge winners & National show & trial class winners (full details available in the National Show & Trial Manual on the GSDCA website). Please supply animal's resume to the Show Manager by 11.00am on Friday 3/5/24.

SPECIAL CLASSES

SIRE'S PROGENY PARADE – Entry is automatic. A minimum of 5 progeny aged 9 months or over and entered in the conformation classes (both SC & LSC) will be automatically catalogued with the Sire's name. The Sire need not be present or entered in the show. This is a Parade and is non-competitive but will receive commentary. Only Sires classified under the GSDCA Breed Survey Scheme are eligible. Judges may be present for the parade.

BREEDER'S GROUP – Breeders may enter as many teams as desired. All animals must carry the breeder's prefix and be of one coat variety. Each team must consist of 5 animals over 9 months of age from at least 2 sires and 2 dams. A separate entry form for each team must be received by the closing date of entries - no entry fee. Details of animals competing must be handed to the Show Secretary by close of judging on Friday 3rd May 2024. All animals listed in a Breeder's Group must be entered in the show.

GSDCA MEMBER CLUBS OBEDIENCE

CHALLENGE – Teams must consist of 4 exhibits and may come from any class. Names of teams, handlers and exhibits must be handed to the Trial Secretary by close of vetting (9-30am) on Saturday 4th May. At least 3 of the exhibits must qualify. If an exhibit is entered in more than one class the class to be scored must be nominated. Team members must be financial members of a GSD Club.

MEMORABILIA

Only a few selected items will be available for sale at the event. Please refer to the SA website www.gsdcsa.org.au for details of the 50th National memorabilia available.

Items must be ordered and paid for by Wednesday 20th March 2024 to ensure they will be available for collection after 3pm on Thursday 2nd May 2024.

CATALOGUE ADVERTISING

Advertising in the catalogue will be available at \$100-00 per page (black & white), and \$150-00 (colour). All advertising is to be emailed to arkahla@gmail.com in Microsoft Word format (A4 size) together with any photographs in *jpg* format by Wednesday 20th March 2024. There will be no loose leaf advertising & the animals advertised must comply with GSDCA rules. Payment to be sent with entries to the Show Secretary.

NO PAYMENT – NO ADVERTISING

GRADINGS

CONFORMATION – Gradings may be awarded at the Judge's discretion in all classes. "Very Promising" and "Promising" in the Baby, Minor & Puppy Classes. "Very Good" and "Good" in the Junior, Intermediate & Open classes. The "Excellent" grading and National Excellent medallion may only be awarded in the Open classes to exhibits that are 2 years of age or older and are Breed Survey classified under the GSDCA Breed Survey Scheme (or other approved GSDCA scheme).

OBEDIENCE – Gradings (in the UDX, UD, CDX & CD classes) will be awarded to exhibits achieving the following scores. "Good" 170–179; "Very Good" 180–189; "Excellent" 190+. Gradings for CCD class "Good" 85–89; "Very Good" 90–94 & "Excellent" 95+. The National Obedience Excellent medallion will be awarded to qualifying "Excellent" graded exhibits (as per GSDCA rules).

AWARDS & PRIZES

OBEDIENCE – The **Rick Richardson** memorial plaque and a trophy & sash will be awarded to the Winner of Winners. Gold, Silver & Bronze medallions awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd in Winner of Winners run off. Plaque & sash for all class winners with a qualifying score. Sash & memento for 2nd to 5th places in each class with qualifying score.

DUAL PERFORMANCE – The **David O'Rourke** memorial plaque and a trophy and sash will be awarded to the best Dual Performance exhibit in the Show and Trial. (Rules may be viewed at the Show Secretary's office over the weekend).

CONFORMATION –

The following Memorial plaques will be awarded to the following class winners -

Walter Henry Reimann - Open Dog SC

Roy Brabham - Open Bitch SC

Hans-Jürgen Neddermeyer – Open Dog LSC

Thomas Roger Luxton – Open Bitch LSC

Joylene Neddermeyer – Intermediate Dog SC

James WH Rodger – Intermediate Bitch SC

Barry O'Rourke – Junior Dog SC

Max Stokes - Junior Bitch SC

Sam Bonifacio to the most successful SC kennel.
GSDCA LSC Breeders Trophy to the most successful LSC kennel.

Gold, Silver & Bronze medallions to 1st, 2nd & 3rd place exhibits in the Open classes (LSC & SC) that are graded Excellent. Plaque & sash for all class winners and Breeders Group winner. Sash & memento for 2nd to 10th place in each class where numbers permit. Trophy & sash for all Challenge winners, sash for Reserve Challenge winners.

EXHIBITORS/HANDLERS PLEASE NOTE –

- *It is your responsibility to ensure you are ready when called to enter the ring.*
- *The exhibitor will be held responsible for the return of their allocated vests. Any vests not returned within 7 days of the event will incur a \$50-00 fee per unreturned vest.*
- *Only persons with authorised passes will be permitted to enter the rings.*

ACCOMODATION

A list of available accommodation is available on the GSDCSA website (www.gsdcsa.org.au). Please respect the privilege of these establishments allowing dogs on their premises by keeping noise to a minimum and picking up after your dogs.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ARE DOGS TO BE ALLOWED INTO ROOMS.
THIS IS A CONDITION OF ENTRY.

CORPORATE TENTS

A limited number of pre-erected corporate tents will be available. These must be reserved & paid for prior to the event. Details will be available on the GSDCSA website (www.gsdcsa.org.au) early January 2024. Exhibitors personal tents **CANNOT** be erected until after 3pm on Thursday 2/5/24.

PHOTOGRAPHS & CRITIQUES

Results and critiques will be published in the Quarterly National Review. Official photographers will photograph all conformation placegetters as well as all "Excellent" graded conformation exhibits. **All Obedience competitors are requested to present themselves and dogs for photos at time of vetting.** Exhibitors may supply their own photograph to the National Review Editor within 15 days of the event. Refer catalogue for requirements.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Thursday 2/5/24 - Meet & Greet at the venue. Free sausage sizzle. Bar facilities available.

Saturday 4/5/24 – BBQ & salads at the conclusion of judging followed by "Golden Oldies" Cocktail Night from 6 to 10pm. Flyer with full details available on GSDCSA website www.gsdcsa.org.au

Sunday 5/5/24 – Trophy Presentation at the conclusion of all judging. Finger food supplied. Bar facilities available.

Please book and/or advise numbers for **ALL** social events on booking slip or show manager.

Booking Slip also available for download on the GSDCSA website (www.gsdcsa.org.au)

CONTACTS (No Calls After 9PM CST Please)

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BOOKING SHEET

Name **Phone**

Email

Entry (Conformation)		Number	Total
Baby Puppy First Entry (includes catalogue)	\$30
Subsequent	\$20	.....	.....
Minor & Puppy First Entry (includes catalogue)	\$40	.....	.....
Subsequent	\$30	.....	.....
Junior, Intermediate & Open First Entry (includes catalogue)	\$50	.....	.....
Subsequent	\$40	.....	.....

Entry (Obedience)		Number	Total
First Entry (includes catalogue)	\$40	.....	.....
Subsequent	\$30	.....	.....

	Number	Total
Extra Catalogue (\$20-00 ea)
Marked Catalogue (\$25-00 ea includes postage)

Social Events			Number	Total
Thursday 2/5/24	Meet & Greet	Free	.....	NIL
Saturday 4/5/24	Golden Oldies Cocktail Night Refer flyer on website (www.gsdcsa.org.au)			
		Adults	\$25	.....
		Children U12	\$10	.....
Sunday 5/5/24	Official Presentation	Free	.....	NIL

TOTALS