

THE GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG LEAGUE OF NSW INC

STATE BREED ASSESSMENT



16th & 17th August 2025

GDSL Grounds, Bill Spilstead Complex, Luddenham Road, Orchard Hills, NS

ENTRY FEE: \$35 1st entry (inc Catalogue) \$30 subsequent entries, Babies \$25.00

ASSESSOR: Mrs R Knuckey : Baby, Minor, Puppy, Junior, Intermediate and Open Classes
Dogs & Bitches SC & LSC

ASSESSMENT COMMENCES: SATURDAY 8.30 a.m. Bitch Ring – all SC1a, LSC1a, SC2a, LSC2a, SC3a, LSC3a, SC4a, LSC4a, SC5a, LSC5a,

followed by males SC1, LSC1, SC2, LSC2, SC3, LSC3, SC4, LSC4, SC5, LSC5

Dog Ring at completion of all bitches all LSC Baby Dogs through to Intermediate followed by all SC Baby Dogs through to Intermediate.

Junior Showmanship held during luncheon break

SUNDAY SIRES PROGENY & BREEDERS GROUP will be judged from 8.30am, Groups need to assembled 7.30am

Bitch Ring – Assessing of all LSC Open Bitches followed by SC Open Bitches at the completion of all sires progeny and breeders groups

& LSC Open Dogs followed by Open Dogs will commence in the Dog Ring.

PHOTOGRAPHS will be taken of each placegetter in the designated photography area

BARISTA will be available throughout two days

PRESENTATIONS & SUMMATION will take place in the Club House on the Sunday at completion of assessment.

OFF-LEAD GAITING & GUN TESTING will be conducted during all **Open Bitch & Dog Classes**

SHOW CLASSES & CONDITION OF ENTRY There is no inter-variety or inter-sex assessing.

Age Classes for Stock Coats & Long Stock Coats with no intersex or inter-variety competition:

Baby Puppy

3 months & 1 day under 6 months

Minor Puppy	6 months & 1 day under 9 months
Puppy	9 months & 1 day under 12 months
Junior	12 months & 1 day under 18 months
Intermediate	18 months & 1 day under 24 months
Open	24 months & over

OPEN CLASS: A five generation pedigree **MUST** accompany each entry in the Open Classes

Exhibits will:

- a) be assessed with pedigree, with type, quality, family and progeny taken into consideration for placing and grading.
- b) be subjected to a gun test as prescribed in GSDCA Breed Survey Manual
- c) be subjected to a one on one temperament test
- d) be measured and height and depth recorded in critique
- e) need to complete an off-lead gaiting exercise immediately after their on lead presentation

JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE CLASSES: Exhibits will:

- a) be measured and height and depth recorded in critiques
- b) be subjected to a one on one temperament test

BABY MINOR & PUPPY CLASSES – Exhibits will be critiqued on pegs

JUNIOR – OPEN CLASSES - Exhibits will receive written critiques

SIRE'S PROGENY: The pre-requisite for a sire or dam's progeny group are as follows –

- a) The sire must be successfully Breed Surveyed
- b) There must be a minimum of five (5) progeny, animals from Minor Puppy upwards
- c) The progeny of the sire if exhibited will partake in the Progeny class.
- d) The Sire's progeny must come from a minimum of two different sires or dams for the relevant group
- e) Sire's Progeny groups to be and a final commentary will be provided by the Open Class Judge.
- f) The Sire need not be present
- g) Where practical the resident Breed Surveyors will be invited into the ring and participate in the assessment.

BREEDERS GROUP:

- a) Will be judged by the Open Class Assessor
- b) Animals in this group must carry the Breeders Prefix
- c) Each Breeders Group must consist of five (5) animals from more than one sire or dam and be 9 months or older
- d) All animals in the Breeders Group **must** be entered in the SBA
- e) All entries in the Breeders Group must be handed to the Show

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP: The following age groups will be conducted at SBA

- Junior – 7 years to under 10 years
- Intermediate – 10 years to under 13 years
- Senior – 13 years to under 18 years

TITLES & AWARDS: The title **State Sieger** and **State Siegerin** will be awarded to the winner of the Open Dog and Open Bitch who have been awarded the grading of Excellent Merit at that assessment respectively.

Gradings

Excellent Merit – may only be awarded to animals exhibited in the Open Class and

- Have successfully passed the GSDCA Breed Survey Scheme or a GSDCA recognised breed survey scheme
- Animals that the assessor considers to be of high anatomical worth, type, quality and have a potential for or have demonstrated attributes that will produce animals that are of above, or far above average, in terms of type and quality.

Excellent – may only be awarded in the Open Class and to animals that have successfully passed the GSDCA Breed Survey Scheme or a GSDCA recognised breed survey scheme.

Very Good & Good – may be awarded in the Open, Intermediate and Junior Class

Very Promising and Promising – may be awarded in the Baby Puppy, Minor and Puppy Classes

AWARDS – a trophy and ribbon will be awarded for winners of each class sashes will be awarded for placegetters up to and including 10th place

Animals that are Ungraded in any class do not receive any trophy or sashes

Please show any title, Breed Survey and Hip and Elbow status etc, on the entry form to enable inclusion in the catalogue. **EXHIBITS OVER 2 YEARS OF AGE ENTERED IN THE OPEN CLASS MUST ENCLOSE A COPY OF –**

NOTE:

5 GENERATION PEDIGREE

**Must be sent to HIP & ELBOW CERTIFICATE)
GSDL Show Secretary**

FOR ALL OPEN CLASS

**3 Bimbimie Street
Fletcher NSW 2287**

ENTRIES CLOSE: 1st August 2025 with All cheques made payable to GSDL Inc. On line
entries through Show Manager and Paper entries to P.O. BOX 28 WATERFORD WEST. QLD.4133

