



FCRSA - PORTLAND, OR - 2008

**FCRSA
National Specialty
April 4th- 12th 2008
Albany Oregon**

<http://2008.flatcoat.us>

Trophy sponsorship/donation (to ensure mention in the catalog)..... February 15th, 2008
Catalog advertising closes..... February 15th, 2008
Hotel reservations (room block released)..... March 2nd, 2008
Merchandise orders close (for pickup at Specialty)..... March 5th, 2008
Hospitality orders close (meals/ catalog/seminars)..... March 5th, 2008
Triple award sign-up closes..... March 5th, 2008
Field Events..... March 12th, 2008
All other events close..... March 19th, 2008

Education Events

Breeder's Education Seminar

Canine Reproduction for the Breeder

Wednesday, April 9th 2008- 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm

We are pleased to offer this comprehensive program for the Breeder. Topics will include reproductive physiology (understanding you bitch's cycle), ovulation timing (what do those tests really mean), artificial insemination with fresh, chilled, and frozen semen (what you really need to do to get it right), with time at the end for questions.

Our presenter will be Melissa Goodman, DMV, a reproduction specialist, practicing at Veterinary Referral Center, in Malvern, PA.

Refreshments will be provided. Reservations for this outstanding seminar are \$25.00 per person and will close the same day as entries **March 19, 2008**. Please make your checks payable to "FCRSA 2008" and send with your completed form to:

Mary Aykens 1196 SW Harper Road Port Orchard, WA 98367

For any additional information e-mail: Dinah Baggenstos at wyncliffkennel@gorge.net

Please note: no confirmation will be mailed. Location will be at Linn County Fair and Expo Center 3700 Knox Butte Rd, Albany Oregon 97322 in conference rooms of the Willamette Events Center.

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Number of reservations _____ Funds enclosed \$ _____

Junior Handling Workshop

Wednesday April 9th

Workshop will begin one half hour after end of judging

Presenter: Stacy Duncan

All breed Handler and Winner Westminster Kennel Clubs Best Junior 1993

This event is free. Sign up at the hospitality desk the day of the workshop.

Bring your dog.

JUDGES EDUCATION SEMINAR AND WORKSHOP

April 9th, 2008 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Sponsored by: Flat-Coated Retriever Society of America

Presenter: Helen Szostak

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Linn County Fair and Expo Center, Willamette Events Center conference rooms

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Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Number of reservations _____ Funds enclosed \$ _____

International Canine Semen Bank

Will be on site for collection.

Dates have not been set at this time for more information contact Donna Keeter at

wyncrest@elltel.net

2008 Field Events

Friday, April, 4 - Sunday, April, 6

The 2008 FCRSA National Specialty field events are being held at St. Louis Ponds, Gervais, Or. (Approximately 45 minutes from the specialty headquarters hotels). Maps and directions will be on the 2008 web site.

Bitches in season will not be allowed to participate or be on the grounds of any AKC hunt test event.

Ducks will be used in all stakes of test.

Rain gear and boots highly recommended.

Please be generous in your donation to the general trophy fund, this helps to offset the cost of the events and provides us with the means to get you better ribbons and birds.

You may also sign up as a sponsor of a class in the field events that provides trophies. Go to <http://2008.flatcoat.us>

Friday, April 4, 2008

- AKC Junior Hunt Test
- AKC Senior Hunt Test
- AKC Master Hunt Test

Saturday, April 5, 2008

- Completion of Master Test (if needed)
- Working Certificate Test
- Working Certificate Excellent Test

Sunday, April 6, 2008

- Unsteady Singles
- Steady Singles Championship

Field Barbecue will be held at the specialty site

Entries close for all stakes at 11:59pm March, 12, 2008 at Entries Express.

All field events premium list and events forms are online at www.entryexpress.net Entries may be completed online or you may download and mail it to Entry Express at

Entry Express Inc.
PO Box 743
420 East Main St. (UPS or FedEx)
Charleston, AR 72933

FCRSA 2008 HOSPITALITY & RSVP FORM

Name Tag ≈ Meals ≈ Seminars

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Please fill out **one form per person** (including children)

DEADLINE FOR RSVP & ORDERS IS March 15th, 2008

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Kennel Name: _____

Email: _____

Note: Please submit one form per person attending, including children. This will help the committee to sort orders per event and track attendance. Children under four may attend events free of charge. For children between four and ten the charge is \$5.00 per meal.

EVENT	COST	OTY	SUBTOTAL
Field Box Lunches – Friday, April 4 Circle your sandwich choice: Roast Beef Ham and Cheese Turkey Veggie (Each includes chips, fruit, dessert and a beverage)	\$9.00		
Field Box Lunches – Saturday, April 5 Circle your sandwich choice or <u>salad</u> : Roast Beef Ham and Cheese Turkey Veggie Chicken Caesar <u>Salad</u> (Each includes chips, fruit, dessert and a beverage)	\$9.00		
Field Box Lunches – Sunday, April 6 Circle your sandwich choice or <u>salad</u> : Roast Beef Ham and Cheese Turkey Veggie Chef's <u>Salad</u> (Each includes chips, fruit, dessert and a beverage)	\$9.00		
Field Banquet - Sunday, April 6 Barbequed Ribs or Chicken, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Rolls, Dessert	\$17.00		
Welcome Party During Veterans Sweeps– Monday Night, April 7 Northwest Favorite Seafood Appetizers, Other Assorted Hot and Cold Appetizers, Assorted Desserts	\$5.00		
Salmon Bake – Tuesday Night Barbequed Salmon or Chicken, Potato Salad, Tossed Salad, Fruit Salad, Corn on the Cob, Garlic Bread, Dessert and Beverage	\$20.00		
FCRSA Annual Meeting – Thursday Night, April 10 Barbequed Beef Brisket with Barbeque Sauce, Barbequed Ham, Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Pasta Salad, Tossed Salad, Broccoli Salad, Assorted Desserts and Beverages	\$18.00		
FCRSA Awards Banquet – Friday Night, April 10 Prime Rib, Pork Loin, Mushroom Lasagna, Twice Baked Potatoes, Roasted Hazelnuts with Mixed Greens, Pasta Salad, Fruit Salad, Dessert and Beverage	\$25.00		
Junior Showmanship Pizza Party – Wednesday, April 9	\$10.00		
Donation to General Trophy Fund - Please be generous			
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED FOR MEALS			

Please send all forms to: **FCRSA 2008**
Attn. Mary Aykens
1196 SW Harper Road
Port Orchard, WA 98367

for questions call or e-mail:
Mary Aykens
(360) 895-6055
mary333@aol.com

Show Site Camping Reservations

RV Parking and camping is available for specialty attendees from *Sunday, April 6th* thru Saturday, April 12th 2008. Sites will not be available on April 6th until late afternoon due to a horse show at the site. Sites have power and water hook-ups and there is a dump station on the grounds.

Cost for camping is \$20.00 per night. Make checks payable to: FCRSA 2008.

Please mail the completed form to: Mary Aykens
1196 SW Harper Road
Port Orchard, WA 98367

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Date of Arrival: _____

Number of Nights: _____

Amount enclosed: _____

For more info contact: Mike Keeter 509-6974679 wyncrest@elltel.net

Other camping Accommodations in the area:

Blue Ox RV Park..... 541-926-2886 or 1-800-326-2881
4000 Blue Ox Dr SE, Albany OR 97321 (3/4 mile from show site)

Knox Butte RV Park..... 541-928-9033
125 Expo Parkway, Albany OR 97321 (1/2 mile from show site)

Vendor Information
Contact Mike Keeter 509-697-4679
wyncrest@elltel.net



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2008 FCRSA Specialty

Paradise Award***

Dedicated to the memory of Andy Gevers of Paradise Kennels

To showcase the accomplishments of our multi-talented Flat-Coats, the 2008 FCRSA National Specialty Committee is offering a beautiful specialty rosette to any dog that places, qualifies, or JAMs in any three of the following areas of competition offered at this year's specialty:

- Conformation – placement in any sweeps or regular/non-regular class or a JAM in BOB
- Field – qualify, place or JAM in the JH, SH, MH, WC, WCX, Steady or Unsteady Singles stake
- Agility – qualify in any standard or JWW class (regular or preferred)
- Obedience – qualify or place in any regular or non-regular class, excluding Team

Rosettes will be presented at the awards banquet on Saturday evening. To be eligible for this award, you must sign up by completing this form (one per dog), and mailing it to:

2008 FCRSA Paradise Award

C/o Patti Skorupa, 1361 Curtner Rd. Fremont, CA 94539 Patti@2008.flatcoat.us

Patti must receive this form no later than Wednesday, March 12, 2008. This form will also be available on the website at <http://2008.flatcoat.us/>.

Dog's registered name: _____

Owner's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

E-Mail: _____

Indicate the events in which this dog will be entered at FCRSA 2008 (circle all that apply):

Field: USS SS WC WCX JH SH MH

Conformation: Sweepstakes class: _____ Regular/non-regular class: _____

Obedience: Novice A Novice B Open A Open B Utility A Utility B Veterans Versatility Brace

Agility: Type: Regular Preferred Standard Class: Novice A Novice B Open Excellent A Excellent B
JWW Class: Novice A Novice B Open Excellent A Excellent B

Live Auction
Thursday April 10th 2008

It's time to start looking for those unique Flat-Coated Retriever collectables and doggie (or not so doggie) desirables that you would like to donate to the 2008 FCRSA Specialty Live Auction!! The Live Auction is always a great hit so you'll want to be a part of it. Winners in past years have gone home with such treasures as Flat-Coated Retriever paintings, quilts, jewelry, baskets stuffed with dog toys, hunting equipment, signs, books, leashes, crates and more. The money raised at this year's Live Auction will go to (to be added) so please be generous.

If you have something to donate, please let Nancy Dyson nancydyson@nas.com and/or Jennifer Stanley fowlplayfcr@gmail.com tell us what you will be donating and how it will be arriving. You may bring your items with you to the specialty or send them ahead to:

Salomeja Garolis
2215 NE 111th Ave
Portland, OR 97220

(Make absolutely certain you put all three "1's" in Salomeja's address or your item will be donated to the dead letter office rather than FCRSA!).

Thank you in advance!
Nancy Dyson & Jennifer Stanley Live Auction Co-Chairs

Volunteers

To make this event a success, we need your help! We'll need stewards, agility ring crew, field throwers and marshals, and help with hospitality. Volunteering is a great way to give back to your national breed club and a wonderful way to meet new people and dogs. Please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Keli Martin and let her know where you can help out. Fill out this form and send to:

Keli Martin
1253 Washoe Dr
San Jose CA 95120

Name: _____

Email _____

Phone # _____

Circle the areas you would like to help in.

Field (Friday – Sunday 4/4-6) Rally and Agility (Monday 4/7) Obedience (Tuesday 4/8)

Conformation (Veteran Sweepstakes Monday evening 4/7, Regular classes Wednesday- Friday 4/8-11)

Tracking (Saturday 4/12) Hospitality (ongoing all week)

When do you plan to be arriving? _____

Agility Trial

Monday, April 7, 2008

The 2008 agility trial will be held in the Calapooia arena at the Linn County Fair and Expo Center Fairgrounds, 3700 Knox Butte Road, Albany Oregon 97322. This is across from the conformation/grooming building. The building is an indoor horse arena with a dirt floor. We will set up two 100' x 90' rings. Our agility judge is Dan Butcher.

Premiums will be available on line at <http://2008.flatcoat.us> and will be included in the entries from Onofrio that will be mailed to you. Entries open on February 1, 2008. Please contact the trial secretary if you would like an agility premium mailed to you. You may also enter on www.Dogeventsonline.com

We will run Standard, Jumpers with Weaves and FAST. The trial is limited to 330 runs.

The trial will close on March 19, 2008 at 6 pm Pacific Standard time. Trial secretary:

Pat Boydston
2804 Cordelia Way
Medford, Oregon, 97501
541-772-4452
mickeymo2@earthlink.net

There will be wonderful ribbons and prizes for placements as well as a hospitality gift for everyone. We will award QQ pins for double Qs in Excellent B.

We need volunteers so please fill out your worker form when you send in your entry.

Be sure to support Specialty Agility by making donations to the general trophy fund or by sponsoring a class in honor of, or in memory of, your favorite agility flat-coat.

Specialty Lodging Host Hotels

Holiday Inn Express541-928-8820
“Flat-Coated Retriever Club”
100 Opal Court, Albany Or 97322

Comfort Suites ...541-928-2053
Group 101420
105 Opal Court, Albany Or 97322

Other motels in the area which accept dog: Please state that you have a dog(s)

La Quinta541 928-0921
Albany Inn, Best Western1-800-890-0519
Motel 6541-926-4233
Budget Inn541-926-4246
Relax Inn541-926-0170

Travel

Portland International Airport (PDX) is 82 miles form the show site.
Portland traffic can be heavy during commuter traffic. It is strongly suggested that you plan to arrive after 8 am and before 4pm or after 7pm to avoid this problem.



********Reserved Ringside Seating********



Reserved ringside seating will be available for the Conformation ring. A marker will be provided for your chair reserving your place at ringside for all five days. With the order you may reserve up to two spaces at \$15.00 per space and will include a catalog. If you wish seating for a group, please send your requests together in the same envelope. Spaces are on a first come bases. Must be reserved by March 5th 2008. For additional information please e-mail Linda Monroe at tamturifcr@verzion.net

Name _____

I wish to reserve _____ seats X \$15.00 = _____ includes 1 catalog.

Please send your request and check to: FCRSA 2008

Mary Aykens
1196 SW Harper RD
Port Orchard, WA 98367

State Baskets

Bring your state baskets for raffle.

This year we are going to sell tickets. There will be a ticket drawn each day for each basket. One or more baskets may be drawn per day, depending on how many there are. If you don't win on one day you might the next. Drawings will start on Tuesday and end on Friday. So come on and shown the North what you can do. For more Information contact Donna Keeter
wyncrest@elltel.net

Conformation, Obedience and Rally

Monday April 7th thru Friday April 11th

All rings are indoors in the Willamette Events Center building. Conformation will be cross matted and Rally/ Obedience there will be one Rally ring and two Obedience rings fully matted.

Sweepstakes: Veteran, Monday, Evening April 7th and Puppy, Tuesday, April 8th
Judge: Ms Kate Barton

Rally: Monday, April 7th regular classes only
Judge: Carl Lentz

Obedience: Tuesday 8th regular classes plus veterans, brace versatility and team.
Judges: Ms Jill Jones and Carl Lentz

Conformation: Tuesday, April 8th thru Friday April 11th
Judge: Ms Shirley Fippin

Junior Showmanship: Thursday, April 10th
Judge: Luke Baggenstos

Bathing areas will be provided, Sponsored by First in Line. Shampoo and conditioner will be available.

Grooming will be next to the rings with power. No ex-pens will be allowed in the Events Center.