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Western Michigan Brittany Club, Inc. Specialty Show Event #2012149301



(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)
Western Michigan Rifle & Pistol Club
2116 W. Lincoln Avenue
Ionia, Michigan March 30, 2012
Show Hours: 5:00 pm – 10:00 pm

ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2012
AFTER WHICH TIME ENTRIES WILL NOT BE AC-
CEPTED, CANCELED, ALTERED OR SUBSTITUTED,
EXCEPT AS PROVIDED FOR IN CHAPTER 11,
SECTION 6 OF THE DOG SHOW
RULES

The American Kennel Club Certification

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

James P Crowley, Secretary

**SHOW SECRETARY:
Cindy Kulig**

21224 Waubascon Rd
Battle Creek, Mi 49017
(269) 962-2363 or (269) 962-6831

**Judge: Ms. Nancy J Gallant
7702 Division Dr
Battle Creek, Mi 49014**

Officers:

President.....Gary Kubitz
Vice President.....Charles Langstaff
Treasurer.....Wayne Warners
Secretary.....Diana Kubitz

**Show Chairman:
Diana Kubitz**

21224 Waubascon Rd
Battle Creek, MI 49017
(269)962-2363
e-mail: renegade@voyager.net

Show Committee:

Diana Kubitz, Dawn Whitcomb, Kathryn Lipski
Gary Kubitz, Wayne Warners

**Veterinarian
Edward Foster, DVM
316 Beech St
Charlotte, MI 48813
On Call**

Photographer Available

Motels:

Super 8 Motel, Ionia, Mi (616)527-2828
Midway Motel, Ionia, MI (616) 527-6570
American Inns & Suites (616)527-2200
Red Roof Inn, Grand Rapids, Mi (616)942-0880
Best Western, Portland, Mi (517)647-2200

What Are Those Letters For?

To better understand your pedigree, here is a list of some of those letters that may appear before or after a dogs name and what those letters signify.

Before the Name you may see...

CH - Show Champion
GCH - Grand Champion
FC - Field Champion
AFC - Amateur Field Champion
DC - Dual Champion (both show and field)

After the name you may see...

JH - Junior Hunter
SH - Senior Hunter
MH - Master Hunger
CD - Companion Dog
CDX - Companion Dog Excellent
US - Utility Dog
TD - Tracking Dog

In today's world there are other events evolving all the time. Agility and Rally are two such events that are fun for the dogs.

For more information on any of this information, you can get booklets from AKC. You can get 1 of each type of booklet for free. You log into their website at AKC.com to place your order.

AKC Code of Sports- manship

PREFACE: The sport of purebred dog competitive events dates prior to 1884, the year of AKC's birth. Shared values of those involved in the sport include principles of sportsmanship. They are practiced in all sectors of our sport: conformation, performance and companion. Many believe that these principles of sportsmanship are the prime reason why our sport has thrived for over one hundred years. With the belief that it is useful to periodically articulate the fundamentals of our sport, this code is presented.

- Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.
- Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behavior.
- The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge's placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.
- The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- The sportsman respects the AKC bylaws, rules, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of their competition and the effort of competitors.
- Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport.
- Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.
- Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.
- Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.
- Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the sport, the American Kennel Club, or themselves while taking part in the sport.

Entry Fees

ENTRY FEE is \$30.00 for the first entry of each dog. Each Additional Entry of the same dog is \$20.00. Puppy class 6 – 9 months and 9 – 12 months will be \$25.00. Fees include the 1.50 AKC Recording Fee and the American Brittany Club Recording Fee on the first entry of a dog.

ENTRIES CLOSE at the Show Secretary's address, WEDNESDAY, NOON, March 14, 2012 after which time entries will not be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

MAKE CHECKS and Money Orders payable to the **Western Michigan Brittany Club**. (Returned Check Charge \$30.00.) THIRD PARTY CHECKS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED ON OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM, one dog per entry form. Photocopies of front & back will be accepted only if legible, and official AKC size. MAIL ENTRIES with fees to **CINDY KULIG**, 21224 Waubascon Rd, Battle Creek, MI 49017. ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT SIGNATURE, FEES AND BACK ON ENTRY FORM WITH AGREEMENT, NOR WILL CREDIT CARDS BE ACCEPTED FOR MAIL-IN ENTRIES.

Canadian Exhibitors: Make fee payable in U.S. Funds.

Routes to Show

I-96 to Ionia Exit. To M-66 North through town to M21 West. Proceed out of town to Lincoln Ave. Turn right on Lincoln; go past the prison, show site on the right as you go up the hill. Western Michigan Rifle & Pistol Club, 2116 W Lincoln Avenue.

**Dinner will be served at the show grounds at
6:00!**

Dual Dog Award Point System

Trophies

Best of Breed.....Box With Etched Brittany
 Best of Opposite Sex.....Box with Etched Brittany
 Best of Winners.....Calculator w/ Etched Brittany
 Winners Dog & Winners Bitch.....Travel Mug w/ Brittany
 Reserve Winners Dog & Bitch.....Mug w./Brittany
 1st in Each Class..... Dog Toy

Dual Dog Award.....\$100.00
 (To qualify for the Dual Award, dog must be entered in the show and Western Michigan Brittany Club trial March 31 and April 1, 2012. (Point System Enclosed.)

All trophies are given by Western Michigan Brittany Club and Friends:

Dual Dog Award - \$100

Renegade Kennels

WMBC

Gary & Diana Kubitz

Ribbon Prizes

First Prize.....Blue Ribbon
 Second Prize.....Red Ribbon
 Third Prize.....Yellow Ribbon
 Fourth Prize.....White Ribbon
 Winners.....Purple Ribbon
 Reserve.....Purple & White Ribbon
 Best of Winners.....Blue & White Ribbon
 Best of Breed.....Purple & Gold Ribbon

Non Regular Classes

First Prize.....Rose Ribbon
 Second Prize.....Brown Ribbon
 Third Prize.....Lt Green Ribbon
 Fourth Prize.....Grey Ribbon

Classification for Dogs & Bitches

Puppy (6mos. & Under 9 mos.)	Puppy (12 mos. & Under 18 mos.)
Puppy (9 mos. & under 12 Mos.)	Novice
Bred by Exhibitor	American Bred
Open	Winner

Non-Regular Classes

Veteran Dog or Veteran Bitch – Dogs & Bitches entered in this class must be eight years of age or older.

Field Trial Dog or Field Trial Bitch – Dogs & Bitches entered in this class must have obtained a Field placement in the last calendar year or be a Field Champion or Amateur Field Champion.

Judges Education Seminar: There will be an ABC Judge's Education Seminar at 4:00 p.m. at the show site. For more information, please contact Diana Kubitz. Mentoring will be available at the show.

The Western Michigan Brittany Club may designate **DUAL Dog** of its Specialty Show and Trial to any dog that has amassed the most points for his or her performance in the Specialty Show and Field Trial. Field performances and high stake being given preference in the event of a tie. The points upon which the award is to be chosen shall be based on the following scales for field trials and show performance and the points obtained in each shall be totaled. Dogs must win points from both the show and field. Only the higher show placements will be considered, but all field placements shall be allowed in the final tabulation.

Field Trial Placements	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Open & Amateur All Age	6	5	4	3
Open & Amateur Gun Dog	5	4	3	2
Open Derby, Open Puppy	4	3	2	1

Specialty Show:

Best of Breed	6	1 st in any class	2
Best of Opposite Sex	5	2 nd in any class	1
Best of Winners	4	3 rd in any class	1/2
Winners	3	4 th in any class	1/4
Reserve Winners			2
Champions Entered			3

If there is a single entry in a class	0 Points
If there are 2 entries in a class 1 st will receive	¼ Point
If there are 3 entries in a class 1 st will receive	½ Point
2 nd will receive	¼ Point
If there are 4 entries in a class 1 st will receive	1 Point
2 nd will receive	½ Point
3 rd will receive	¼ Point

Show Champions entered and shown in veteran's class or field trial class with a single dog entry, shall receive an automatic 3 points.

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

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 expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, 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 employees, agents, or any other persons.

I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND/OR THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. (Variety) If you are entering a dog of a breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering. i.e. Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color). Beagles (not exceeding 13 in.; over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.) Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired). Collies (rough, smooth). Bull Terriers (colored, white). Manchester Terriers (standard, toy). Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat). English Toy Spaniels (King Charles & Ruby, Blenheim & Prince Charles). Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
2. The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition. Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs, which, according to their owner's records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
3. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog i.e., age division, color division, weight division.
4. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquisition, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to AKC (For complete rule refer to Chapter 11, Section 3).

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

JR'S DATE OF BIRTH

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER

The above number **MUST** be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. (Phone) (919) 816-3776

ADDRESS					
CITY		STATE		ZIP	

If Jr. Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Jr. Handler to the Owner?	
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Notice to Exhibitors

IF, BECAUSE OF RIOTS, CIVIL DISTURBANCES, OR OTHER ACTS BEYOND THE CONTROL OF THE MANAGEMENT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO OPEN OR TO COMPLETE THIS SHOW, NO REFUND OR ENTRY FEE SHALL BE MADE.

ENTRY FEES shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee.

THE OWNER OR HANDLER of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when its class is to be judged.

WMBC has no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a PA or stewards or runners for the purpose of locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required. ENTRY FORM CHANGES, additions, corrections and cancellations MUST include AKC number. Those received by telephone are not acceptable. Cancellations must be legible and must include AKC number or no refund will be issued!

NO ENTRY shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance.

ENTRIES WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED AFTER ENTRIES CLOSE with the judge's program and armband numbers identified. THE WESTERN MICHIGAN BRITTANY CLUB, the show secretary, agents or employees, etc. assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by the exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property, and further accept no responsibility for injury to children not under the control of their parents or guardians.

PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS AND AROUND YOUR CRATING AREA!

PLEASE BE RESPONSIBLE AND DO NOT GROOM DOGS IN YOUR MOTEL ROOMS!

NO PUPPIES UNDER 6 MOS. OF AGE, NOR UNENTERED DOGS WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE BUILDING. No space provided for unentered dogs. SHOW SITE & RESTROOMS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM

Event #2012149301
 Western Michigan Brittany Club Specialty
 March 30, 2012
 WM Rifle & Pistol Club, Ionia, MI

Trophy Donations

If you would like to support our trophies for this show, you can send a check or money order made out to:
 Western Michigan Brittany Club
 % Diana Kubitz, Chairman
 21224 Waubascon Rd
 Battle Creek, Mi 49017

Catalog Advertising

Full Page Ad—\$20.00
 Half Page Ad—\$15.00

Advertising comes with one photo, Additional photos are \$2.00 each. Send by email if possible so that they do not have to be returned.

Checks payable to:
 Western Michigan Brittany Club
 % Diana Kubitz, Chairman
 21224 Waubascon Rd
 Battle Creek, Mi 49017
 renegade@voyager.net

I ENCLOSE \$ _____ for entry fees.

IMPORTANT: Read Carefully the Instructions on the Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in parenthesis indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed. PLEASE PRINT

BREED		VARIETY (1)		SEX Male Female	
DOG SHOW CLASS (2)/(3)		CLASS DIVISION (3) Weight, Color, etc.			
AGILITY TRIAL STANDARD CLASS (Circle One) Nov A Nov B Open Excellent A Excellent B		JUMP HEIGHT DIVISION 8" 12" 16" 20" 24"		HEIGHT AT WITHERS	
AGILITY TRIAL JUMPERS WITH WEAVES CLASS Nov A Nov B Open Excellent A Excellent B		CALL NAME			
OBEDIENCE TRIAL CLASS (Circle One) Nov A Nov B Open A Open B Utility A Utility B		JR SHOWMANSHIP CLASS			
ADDITIONAL CLASSES		NAME OF JR HANDLER (See Back)			
FULL NAME OF DOG					
AKC REG NO. AKC LITTER NO. ILP NO. FOREIGN REG NO.&		Enter Number Here		DATE OF BIRTH	
		COUNTRY		PLACE OF BIRTH USA CANADA FOREIGN Do not print the above in catalog	
BREEDER					
SIRE					
DAM					

ACTUAL OWNERS (4)		(Please Print)			
OWNERS ADDRESS					
CITY		STATE		ZIP	

NAME OF OWNERS AGENT (if any) AT THE SHOW	
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I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the Agreement printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog 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 to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules & Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.
Written SIGNATURE of owner or his agent
 duly authorized to make this entry _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER (Include Area Code)	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	