



English Springer Spaniel Field Trial Association, Inc.

MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB/PARENT CLUB OF THE BREED

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Dear Sir or Madam:

The English Springer Spaniel Field Trial Association will be holding their National Open Field Trial Championship at the beautiful Hillendale Hunt Club in Tyrone, PA and the surrounding lands located in historic Sinking Valley in Central Pennsylvania starting on November 12, 2006 until conclusion. The Mid-East InterClub and Mid-Penn ESSC are the hosts for this year's event. Our headquarters will be the Ramada Inn and Conference Center in Altoona, Pennsylvania.

We are expecting around 160 dogs to participate in this event, coming from coast to coast. The Judges, Tom Meyer and Paul McGagh, will have the job to assess the game-finding, steadiness, and retrieving abilities of the dogs in order to determine this year's National Open Champion. At the National level, you will see performances of the dogs under typical hunting conditions and witness the important part the dog plays in the field. They will be tested in five land series and one water series over several days of competition.

After the first day of competition, there is a banquet and a silent auction table at the headquarters hotel. This year, we invite your company to send us a donation for the silent auction. In exchange for your generous donation, we will display your product with any literature or other promotional information that you send along. We will also provide your name and donation information on the auction sheet, as well as a verbal mention at the conclusion of the auction. Additionally, the owners of ESSFT.com, Mary Kemper and Nadine Kohn, have graciously offered to list all National Open Championship sponsors/donators on their website.

Please don't miss out on this important opportunity to expose your product to dedicated english springer spaniel enthusiasts involved in many aspects of hunting and shooting

Thank you in advance for your support in helping us have a successful event. If you have any questions or would like to donate a door prize please contact me at 625-2233 or trbutler@ptd.net. In the case of large items, please contact me to confirm where the item should be shipped. You can send your donation to:

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Sincerely,

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