

NORTH TEXAS SPORTING SPANIEL CLUB

January, 2010

The North Texas Sporting Spaniel Club would like to invite you to our first Field Trial on January 17, 2010 at the Sellers Homestead Ranch, Hico, Texas. We are hoping to encourage as many as possible for our first event to show our appreciation to all the Texas folks that have encouraged us through out the years.

We would like to especially thank the Heart of Texas Spaniel Club for mentoring these first events to help us achieve 2 day events in the future. Without their "Heart" felt help this process would be much more involved, and we can not thank them enough. We will be having a dinner on the Saturday night with the restaurant location to be sent out with the running order (will be in Hico). We would like for you to let us know **with your entries** if you are interested in joining us for dinner. If you are not sure you will be able to join us & once you get here you change your mind, you are still more than welcome to come along!

Don't forget this is Texas in January, so we will probably have what we refer to as "Stock Show" weather meaning it will either be beautiful or freezing rain, so be prepared for both. The Hico Inn is tiny so early reservations are recommended. Lunch will be available on the grounds for a nominal fee.

Please notice my closing date of **January 9, 2010**. Entries after that date will be returned. I will need separate entries for each dog, and just one check made out to NTSSC. **Don't forget your Blaze Orange!**

We're excited to have this event and seeing all of you here!

Kent McKeever
Field Trial Chairman

Brenda Laing
Field Trial Secretary
817-726-8199 tartanhills@aol.com

MOTELS

Hico Hills Inn, 401 North Railroad Ave., Hico TX	(254) 796-4217
EZ Duz It RV Park, 608 3 rd St, Hico, TX	(254) 796-4009
Poverty Point RV Park & Cabins, 17455 Hwy 281, Hico, TX	(254) 796-1931
Flying P Lodge, Hico, TX (1 mile from event) www.flyingpoutdoors.com Rooms and RV Parking	(254)796-4034
Best Western, The Inn at Circle T, 4021 W. Hwy.36, Hamilton TX	(800) 454-6835
Western Motel, 1208 S. Rice St., Hamilton, TX 76531	(254) 386-3141
Hamilton Inn, 1447 S. US Hwy. 281, Hamilton, TX. 76531	(254) 386-8864

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Ambulance, Fire & Police –

Hamilton County - 911

Hospital –

**Hamilton General Hospital,
400 North Brown St., Hamilton TX 76531**

(254) 386-3151

Veterinary Service –

**Hamilton County Veterinary Clinic
100 S Reagan St., Hamilton, TX 76531**

(254) 382-8195

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(AKC LICENSED/MENTORED)

Sellers Homestead Ranch, Hico, Texas.
Sunday, January 17, 2010

Open to English Springer Spaniels.
This Field Trial is held under Rules and Procedures of the AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB.

Entries for Sun, Jan 17, 2010 are to be sent with check to: **NTSSC, 8109 Amistad Ct, Fort Worth, TX 76137**
Brenda Laing, Field Trial Secretary, 817-726-8199, **Please make check payable to NTSSC.**

Entries will close with the FT Secretary at address above at 6:00 pm Saturday, **Jan 9, 2010.** Drawing will take place at same address and same date at 7:00 p.m.

Bitches in season will not be allowed on the grounds. Entry fees paid for a female withdrawn because of coming in season or for a dog withdrawn because of an injury or illness, or for a dog which dies, shall be refunded less AKC fees with an **appropriate veterinary certificate** and/or as approved by the Field Trial Committee.

JUDGES AND STAKES TO BE JUDGED

Sunday, Jan 17, 2010

John Knowles	11190 116 Rd	Mayetta, KS 66509	Open
Ray Paolucci	515 Smirl Dr.	Heath, TX 75032	Open
Brad Mirth	1117 N 13 th St	Duncan, OK 73533	Puppy
Buck Grabowski	13201 Jacobson Rd	Manor, TX 78653	Puppy

GUN CAPTION – Robert Clayton

STAKES, SCHEDULE AND ENTRY FEE

Open:	8 a.m. Central time Sunday, Jan 17, 2010 to conclusion	\$100.00
Puppy:	After 2 nd series and before third series of the Open	\$ 30.00

BIRDS

Pheasants will be used for the Open stake. Pigeons will be used for the Puppy Stake. The club reserves the right to substitute any game birds, based upon availability, per AKC rules.

PRIZES

Standard AKC Rosettes to all placing dogs.

CLUB OFFICERS

Kent McKeever	President	2312 Mistletoe Dr.	Fort Worth, TX
Kent Rudolph	Vice Pres	1603 Crested Butte	Lewisville, TX
Brenda Laing	Secretary	P.O. Box 301	Keller, TX 76244
Jennifer Sherman	Treasurer	8109 Amistad Ct.	Fort Worth, TX 76137

FIELD TRIAL COMMITTEE: Chairman; Kent McKeever, Robert Clayton, Wayne Tissue, Bob Iversen, Phillip Somers, Kent Rudolph, Brenda Laing.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM

Note: This Entry Form Must Be Completed in Full

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I Submit \$ _____ for entry fees. Enter in Puppy Open

CALL NAME: _____

NAME OF DOG (Print) _____

AKC REG NO: _____

Is it an AKC # AKC Litter # ILP #
Or Foreign # (List Country) _____

BREED: _____ Male Female DATE OF BIRTH: _____

SIRE: _____

DAM: _____

BREEDER: _____

NAME OF OWNER (Print) _____

OWNER'S ADDRESS: _____

NAME OF HANDLER (Print) _____ Email _____

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this 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 trial, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this trial, and entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. The entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and 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 prize money, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents superintendents or show secretary and the owner 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 this 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 and procedures must first be followed as set forth in the AKC Charter and Bylaws, rules, published policies and guidelines. The Rules Applying to Registration and Discipline, as well as other rules, published policies and guidelines are available at www.akc.org.

SIGNATURE of Owner or His Agent

Duly authorized to Make This Entry _____

Phone number and Email address of Agent (If any signs above line for owner) _____

Directions – 87.7 miles South of Fort Worth.

For you GPS Folks the closest street address I could get is 18625 FM1602, but it is 2 miles south of there, look for NTSSC signs, it is on the corner of FM 1602 and CR217.

From Dallas and Ft Worth take I-35 south to Hwy 67 South to Alvarado. Take 67 west through Cleburne and Glen Rose. Eleven miles west of Glen Rose take the split (Y) to the left on Hwy 220 to Hico. The road will end at a "T" in the road, take a right on Hwy 6 west, for 5 blocks to Hwy 281 south. At the flashing light take a left on 281 south and go approximately 7/10 mile, right at the crest of the hill, and take a left on FM #1602. Go 10 miles to Fairy, at the "Y" take a right on FM #219, 50 yds then left again on FM1602 and go aprox 2 miles to hard right turn, entrance is 150 yds on right by Large Live oak tree.

From Austin take Hwy 183 &190 from Austin to Lampassas. In Lampassas take Hwy 281 North to Hamilton. In Hamilton at the first red light take a right on Hwy 36E & 22#. Just past the Dodge dealership on right, take a left on Hwy. 22 east. Go 10 miles on Hwy. 22 and take a left on FM #1602, it is approximately 5 miles to CR #217, it will then be on your left by the Large Live Oak tree looks for signs.

From Houston Brian/College Station area take Hwy 6 North to Clifton, in Clifton you will turn left at the red light which is FM #219 west. Go approximately 18 miles to Cranfills Gap. Take a right at the stop sign on Hwy. #22 E, go 5 blocks to the Shell Station and make a left on FM #219 west. Go approximately 11 miles to FM #1602 South and go aprox 2 miles to hard right turn, entrance is 150 yds on right by Large Live oak tree.