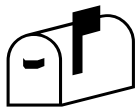


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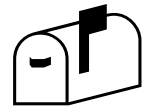
## **RULES AND POLICIES MANUAL**



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# PKC BEAGLE CLUB LICENSE AGREEMENT

*Annual Fee - \$50*

**LICENSE PERIOD: JANUARY UNTIL DECEMBER 31 ANNUALLY**  
*(Club may be licensed for a single event for \$25)*

- Clubs may schedule \$30 and \$60 Beagle Events as Schedule will allow and in the best interest of PKC and the Club.
- Club will provide PKC approved "Certified Hunt Director" for all events.
- Club will provide a qualified Guide for each cast (prefer Hunting Guide).
- Club will provide a qualified non-hunting judge for final cast.
- Club to receive a percentage (see Chart of Awards) of the total proceeds of each event it conducts.
- PKC will provide scorecards, entry labels and other related hunt materials.
- Club will be licensed by PKC to conduct PKC Open Beagle Events.

## **SCHEDULING**

Events will be scheduled upon the clubs reasonable request, based on the schedules of other clubs in the area and the best interest of PKC. Schedule should be made for the entire year. Schedule changes shall be submitted in advance of requested change, and will be based on availability of dates, and the time frame involved with getting the requested change printed in the Schedule in the RABBIT HUNTER. Larger events will take precedence over club schedule. Any club date displaced by a major event will be rescheduled upon the club's reasonable request for a mutually available date. Club or PKC may cancel events within a reasonable time frame before the date of the scheduled event. Additional events may be scheduled based upon club's success and date availability at the sole discretion of PKC. All events will count in standings only if listed in PROHOUND or RABBIT HUNTER before the date of the event or prior approval has been received from PKC. Club will normally schedule \$30 and \$60 events as schedule will permit. Clubs who fail to conduct satisfactory events, fail to provide a qualified Hunt Director or fail to provide qualified judges and qualified guides may, in the sole discretion of PKC, have their total number of events reduced or their license suspended. Clubs who fail to answer a complaint or cooperate with PKC in resolving a complaint may not be considered for a future license. Added Purse events must be scheduled as provided in PKC Events section of PKC Beagle Event Rules and Policies Manual.

## **PKC CLUB REPRESENTATIVE**

Club will select a club member to be its PKC Representative, to be approved by PKC. He will be responsible for scheduling all PKC events. He will also either serve as Hunt Director or designate some other "qualified" PKC member to serve as Hunt Director for all events. He will also insure that all Hunt Reports are submitted to PKC promptly. Hunt Director must be a PKC member and have a history of competing in PKC events in a sportsmanlike manner.

## **LATE HUNT REPORTS**

All Hunt Reports must be postmarked no later than four (4) days after each event. Any Hunt Report that is received postmarked more than four (4) days after an event may cause a late penalty of \$20 to be charged to the Club which must be paid before Club is licensed for future events. Any Hunt Report that is received postmarked more than fifteen (15) days after the date of the event may cause a fine of \$100 to be assessed to the Club and the Club will be placed on probation. Any Hunt Report thirty (30) days or more late will result in immediate suspension of the Club.

Club will be responsible for and furnish all Guides. Club further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless PKC, its Hunt Directors and Judges, from any loss, damage, fine, expense, including attorney fees, action, claim for injury to persons, including death and damage to property which PKC may incur arising out of or in connection with the Club conducting hunts pursuant to this Agreement.

## **CALCUTTA / JACKPOT**

Clubs may only organize, sponsor, and/or conduct calcuttas or jackpots or other similar events in accordance with applicable state gaming laws. Such events shall in no way interfere with or restrict the normal and customary length of hunt times. PKC reserves the right to intervene and cancel or modify any calcutta or jackpot or any other similar event that interferes with the function of a PKC sanctioned event or that may adversely impact or negatively affect the operations, image or reputation of PKC.

## **REVOCATION OF LICENSE**

PKC reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to immediately revoke the license issued to the Club for any conduct that is adverse to the principles of PKC or could reflect in a negative fashion on the integrity of PKC or its events.



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## —SCHEDULE OF FEES AND SERVICES—

Individual Membership Dues (per year) .....	\$25	Litter Registration Fee .....	\$10.00 + \$5.00 per pup
Kennel Membership Dues (per year) .....	\$15	DNA Profile Fee .....	\$50
Youth Membership (with requirements per year) .....	\$20	DNA Sample Kit & Storage Fee .....	\$10
Club Charter - Beagle Events Only (per year) .....	\$50	Registration Transfer of Ownership .....	\$25
Club Charter - Previously Chartered Coon Clubs (per year) .....	NA	Replacement of Lost Registration Papers .....	\$25
Club License Fee – Single Event .....	\$25	Name Changes (Dog).....	\$25
Single Registration Fee (per dog) ..\$25 (Starting 1/1/2023)-\$35		NSF Fee (per check) .....	\$50

# PKC BEAGLE REGISTRATION

### REGISTRATION YEAR

The PKC registration year runs from January 1st until December 31st of the year and the following rules, regulations, and fees are applicable.

### SINGLE REGISTRATION

**Single Registration Fee .....**\$25 (Starting 1/1/2023)-\$35  
 PKC will accept any Beagle for single registration. Dog can be of any origin and registered whether parentage is known or unknown. If dog has been previously registered with another recognized and approved registry, a copy of the dog's pedigree should be attached to the single registration application. If Sire, Dam, date of birth and Breeder are known, but pedigree is unavailable, it should be reported correctly, and dog will be registered; otherwise it should be reported as "unknown". Single registered dogs may compete in any PKC sanctioned Beagle event. It may compete for all State Championships, as well as, the World Championship.

### LITTER REGISTRATION

**Litter Registration Fee.....**\$10 per litter + \$5 per pup.  
 To apply for litter registration of pups, both Sire and Dam must be permanently registered with PKC. Breeder is to submit a Litter Registration form to PKC within 60 days after pups DOB to avoid a \$35 late fee, after 90 days \$75, after 180 days \$150. No dog may be litter registered after one (1) year old. PKC reserves the right to verify litters date of birth.

### TEMPORARY PUP REGISTRATION

All litter registered pups will be issued a temporary registration certificate in the Breeder's name. Each puppy must receive permanent registration to be eligible to compete in PKC sanctioned Beagle events.

### TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

**Transfer of Ownership Fee .....**\$25  
 The fee to transfer from one (1) owner to another is \$25. PKC or a Disciplinary Panel may restrict the right of a member to transfer dog(s) to another owner if under penalty for misconduct.

### LOST CERTIFICATE

**Lost Certificate Fee .....**\$25  
 An application for duplicate registration papers on any PKC registered dog must be completed by the owner on record to obtain duplicate papers. In some cases, a letter signed by the registered owner on record, including the dog's name and PKC number, may be accepted as the duplicate registration application.

### SECONDARY BILL OF SALE

PKC does not accept registration papers submitted for transfer of ownership with the Bill of Sale altered. Member should obtain a Secondary Bill of Sale which should be completed and sent to the PKC Office with the original registration papers. Forms are available from the PKC Office on request or online at the PKC website.

### KENNEL REGISTRATION

Any hound owned by more than one (1) person must be registered as a kennel owner. Any name may be chosen for the kennel provided it has no more than twenty-five (25) letters and spaces. The Kennel (or partnership) will be given a separate PKC number, and must maintain a current PKC membership if dog is to be entered in PKC events. PKC reserves the right to deny any Kennel Registration at its' sole discretion, without exception. **Dogs will not receive credit for any awards earned unless owner(s) and/or handler(s) are a current member and in good standing with the Association.**

## CHAMPIONSHIP DEGREES

### —HOUND AND HUNTER FORMAT—

*A dog earning the following amounts in PKC Awards will qualify for the respective degree:*

- HH - Champion .....
- HH - Silver Champion .....
- HH - Gold Champion.....
- HH - Platinum Champion.....



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## NATIONAL BEAGLE ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS

*The PKC National Beagle Association ("Association") is an unincorporated association formed by the Professional Kennel Club ("PKC") for the purpose of assisting in breeding, promoting and recognizing PKC registered Beagles, their owners, handlers, and breeders. It shall be the official advisory and support organization for PKC.*

### **MEMBERSHIP**

Membership shall be open only to those individuals interested in owning, breeding, or handling a PKC registered Beagles, whom, after review of the proposed membership application by the National Beagle Association Executive Committee and/or PKC, is accepted into membership. All those accepted into membership understand and realize that they must agree to abide by and conform to rigid standards established by the National Association and/or PKC concerning sportsmanship and conduct. Acceptance and renewal of existing membership shall be at the sole discretion of PKC; provided however, membership shall not be denied based on race, religion, sex, natural origin, age or disability. Any person who owns or handles any dog in any PKC sanctioned event must be a member in good standing of this Association.

#### **Individual Membership Dues**

Individual membership dues are \$25 per year, and shall expire one (1) year from date paid. Members are solely responsible for maintaining current membership(s). Membership includes a one (1) year membership in PKC National Beagle Association, and the privilege of handling dogs in PKC events.

#### **Kennel Membership Dues**

Kennel membership dues are \$15 per year, and shall expire one (1) year from date paid. Members are solely responsible for maintaining current membership(s). Any dog owned by more than one (1) person shall be registered to a kennel and shall be assigned a membership number for the kennel, which must be a current member. PKC reserves the right to deny any Kennel Membership at its' sole discretion.

#### **Benefits of Kennel Membership**

Kennel Membership includes a one (1) year membership in the PKC National Beagle Association, as well as, entering dogs in PKC Events.

#### **Youth Membership**

Any person who meets "Youth Hunter" requirements will be allowed to purchase an annual membership for \$20, provided there is an adult paid member living at the same address.

#### **Payment of Membership Dues**

All membership dues shall be paid to PKC, who will process membership and maintain membership rosters. The PKC National Beagle Association shall receive \$1 per member for each paid membership from PKC. The Association must disburse a minimum of sixty (60%) percent of its' total as awards in recognition of PKC registered winners and breeders.

#### **Region of Residency**

A dog will be listed in the standings in the region of the residence of the owner on record in the PKC database. In order for the region of residency of

a specific dog to change during the course of a competition season due to a change of ownership, the dog must earn \$1 more in PKC Open Event awards after the date of the ownership transfer than it had previously earned in the region of the previous owner. In situations involving joint/kennel membership owned dogs, dog will be assigned the region of residency recorded in the PKC database for the joint/kennel membership. In the event more than one (1) dog is owned by a joint/kennel membership, the state of residency of all dogs owned by the respective joint/kennel membership must be the same. Should the region of residency of the owner of any dog change, the same requirements shall apply. The National Association and/or PKC retains the authority to determine the region of competition for all dogs.

### **PURPOSE**

The purposes of the Association include, but are not limited to,

- improving the sport of Beagling;
- promoting conservation within our own ranks;
- promoting sportsmanship within our own ranks;
- establishing and promoting good relationships with our State and National Wildlife Agencies;
- providing advice to PKC regarding Beagle competition rules, registration rules, and administration of all PKC sanctioned events;
- providing a panel to review reports of member misconduct, including unsportsmanlike conduct, as well as member violations of the Association's By-Laws, and member breaches of PKC competition rules and registration regulations, and to render decisions on such misconduct, violations and breaches;
- providing a panel to review reports of Judge or Master of Hounds errors and render decisions concerning Judge or Master of Hounds error.

### **TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP**

Each member by his application for membership in this Associations also understands and agrees that any and all rights and privileges of membership, including, but not limited to, entry, registration, or hunting, may be:

- suspended during the pendency of any litigation brought by a member against the Association, its officers or directors, or;
- terminated for any conduct or action, that shall in the sole opinion of the Executive Committee and PKC, to be considered prejudicial to the best interests of the Association and/or PKC, and/or detrimental to the welfare of the Association or PKC.

Any member receiving three (3) or more legitimate complaints in any one (1) year may be referred to a Disciplinary panel for disposition and/or termination of membership. Members may be notified by letter after the receipt of the second complaint.

### **SUSPENSION OF MEMBERSHIP**

PKC National Directors and PKC Management reserve the right to file misconduct charges or question the conduct of any member of the National Beagle Association while participating in any sanctioned event, or elsewhere, if it is believed that said conduct is adverse to the principals of PKC and/or the PKC National Beagle Association or could reflect in a negative fashion on the integrity, operations, image or reputation of PKC, its' events or the PKC National Beagle Association. This conduct is meant to include, but is not limited to, conduct on the grounds or off the grounds of a sanctioned event, or on the PKC Message Board, that may be deemed not in the best interest of PKC or the PKC National Beagle Association. Any and all rights and privileges of membership in the PKC National Beagle Association may be suspended, revoked, or denied by a disciplinary and/or a membership committee and/or PKC. This includes, but is not limited to, the right to compete, register dogs,



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use the PKC Message Board or be eligible for any sanctioned programs of PKC.

Any Association member may report the alleged misconduct of another Association member or Association Club for misconduct, unsportsmanlike conduct, violation of the Association By-Laws, breaches of PKC's competition rules and registration regulations, as well as, any other conduct or action which adversely effects or reflects upon the Association, PKC and/or the breeding of Beagles, registration by their owners, handlers, or breeders, hunts, or the sport of beagling.

**Handler Misconduct Reports must be received at the PKC Office within three (3) working days of the event.** All other violations may be investigated by PKC at its' sole discretion. However, PKC and the National Beagle Association reserve the right to investigate any report of handler misconduct. All other violations may be investigated by PKC at its' sole discretion. Report must be made in writing to PKC, who will assign an officer to investigate the report. Upon proper investigation, the officer shall dismiss the report if, in his opinion, the report is not supported by sufficient evidence that misconduct has occurred, or the officer shall bring charges not only against the person(s) reported, but also against any member allegedly involved in the misconduct. Those charged will be notified in writing by PKC and have the opportunity to respond in writing.

All members shall be required to cooperate with PKC's investigation, including, but not limited to, presenting written documentation, agreeing to recorded statements, submitting to polygraph examinations, drug tests, or any such reasonable testing or examination that may assist the committee in its' evaluation of innocence or guilt. PKC and the National Association reserve the right to pass any costs of the investigations on to the individual(s) suspected of the violation(s). The committee and/or PKC shall have the right to accept or reject the results of any testing at its' sole discretion. Any testing that may be requested will be done under the supervision of PKC and/or the National Association. Any evidence collected shall remain the property of the PKC National Beagle Association, and shall remain confidential, at the sole discretion of the PKC National Beagle Association and/or PKC.

PKC will assign a three (3) member panel from the National Beagle Association and/or Officers of PKC. This panel shall review the evidence collected by the investigating officer and make a decision concerning what penalties, if any, are to be issued concerning the charges. This decision is final and cannot be appealed, unless member can show just cause in writing to PKC for an appeal.

Any individual member requesting reconsideration of a sentence rendered by a disciplinary panel must submit new evidence in writing to the Disciplinary Committee before any request can be given any consideration. Should a reconsideration of the decision be granted, any expense incurred in collecting the new evidence shall be the responsibility of the member requesting the reconsideration, unless waived by the sole discretion of PKC.

Once all evidence has been evaluated, the National Directors, at their sole discretion and with approval from PKC, may reinstate any past member who has had their membership revoked or denied. Only if the member receives a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote will he/she be granted the privilege of membership reinstatement into the Association.

### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**

A three (3)-member committee will be appointed by PKC to consider matters involving membership suspensions, revocations, or terminations. The com-

mittee's decision and/or recommendation will be referred to PKC. PKC will determine final disposition of the case. Requests for reinstatement of membership must be made in writing to PKC. However, any suspended member may not request reinstatement until a minimum of one-half (1/2) of the original sentence has expired. PKC will be solely responsible for determining if any suspended, revoked, or terminated membership will be considered for reinstatement. That decision is final and cannot be appealed.

### **INFRACTIONS AND PENALTIES**

- Anyone found guilty of accepting credit for a different amount than he actually earned in a PKC event may be subject to disciplinary action.
- Guilt By Association Rule - Any member failing to report known blatant cheating will be subject to suspension or probation.
- Any and/or all rights and privileges of membership may be suspended by PKC for any member delinquent in payments to PKC or who has given PKC a nonnegotiable check. Member will forfeit any and all awards earned after date of suspension.
- Any member failing to respond to a request for information concerning handler misconduct charges may be subject to disciplinary actions.
- No member who has been found guilty of any misconduct may hold office in any PKC association until fully reinstated by that association.
- No member placed on probation by a disciplinary committee shall be permitted to serve as an officer of any PKC association during the probationary period.
- Any member may be granted a lesser sentence if cooperative with the officer investigating a situation in which he was involved.
- Any member found guilty of intentionally giving false information to a PKC officer investigating a handler misconduct or rule violation may be subject to disciplinary action.

### **ASSOCIATION OFFICERS**

#### **—NATIONAL DIRECTORS—**

The National Directors shall be a three (3) member committee and shall be appointed by PKC. The National Directors should meet at PKC major events. The National Directors shall have full authority to conduct any business of the Association. Any two (2) National Directors and PKC shall constitute a quorum to conduct business and affairs of the association.

#### **—SECRETARY—**

The Secretary will be appointed by the National Directors, with approval from PKC, and will serve at their discretion. He will keep minutes of meeting and correspond with members and officers and account to each association for their funds.

#### **—TREASURER—**

PKC shall serve as Treasurer for all associations, shall have custody of association funds and shall make and approve all financial transactions.

Any Association member may propose a rule and/or policy change as follows:

1. Any proposed rule change must be submitted in writing to the Secretary of the National Association.
2. Secretary shall advise PKC and the Rules Committee of the proposed change.
3. **Rules Committee** - The Rules Committee shall consist of the PKC Beagle Program Director, Assistant Director, and each Regional Representative. Each region should be represented on the committee. The Rules Committee shall review the proposed change for all positive and negative effects and shall recommend approval, disapproval, or modify action.



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4. A proposal, either positive or negative, shall be submitted to PKC for its' consideration. PKC may approve the proposal, or return it to the committee for additional modification.
5. After the Rules Committee reaches a **majority** agreement, the proposal shall be sent to the National Directors for discussion and/or approval.
6. In the event a proposed rule or policy is disapproved by the National Directors, it shall return to PKC, who will, after consulting with the Executive Directors, determine the final disposition in the best interest of the association.

### ROLE OF P K C

PKC shall approve Hunt Directors, shall work with each the association in scheduling and conducting championship events, shall approve the Hunt Director of each state championship and added purse event. PKC reserves the right to question any unsatisfactory Hunt Report at its' sole discretion. PKC also reserves the right to observe or appoint an observer to accompany any sanctioned cast it deems necessary.

### PKC REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE

PKC may also appoint a PKC Representative who will work with clubs and Hunt Directors. He may supervise all Hunt Director functions and shall advise PKC of any repeated discrepancies. Representatives may also investigate situations involving suspected handlers misconduct or problem dogs and make recommendations to the Disciplinary Panel. He may also assign pup inspectors to determine age of pups and investigate dogs that may not be registered properly.

### HUNT DIRECTOR

Each club shall elect one (1) qualified person to serve as a "Club Representative." This person must be an Association member and should be a person who is active in PKC events at other clubs. He shall be responsible for scheduling and conducting all PKC events. He may serve as Hunt Director at all events or he may delegate these duties to any other qualified person at his discretion. He should take great care to study PKC rules and policies. He should try to educate other members of his club in PKC rules. PKC shall approve and certify those selected as a "PKC Club Representative". Representative may be required to serve three (3) apprenticeships under three (3) different PKC certified Hunt Directors prior to being certified to become a Hunt Director. Waiver of the certification requirements for current Hunt Directors may be allowed by PKC at its' sole discretion.

### GUEST HUNTERS

Guest hunters shall be permitted to enter \$30 Open Events and "Try One" hunts only. A person may enter only three (3) events as a "Guest Hunter" and awards will not count toward any qualification or standing. A club may refuse the entry of a guest hunter at its discretion. Guest hunters may not vote concerning the question to split or to recast for placement. Indicate "Guest" in places for PKC number of dog and Membership number of owner and/or handler.

### FUNDING

An escrow fund will be generated for the Association consisting of Hunt Escrow, Membership, Hunt Fees, Raffles and other sources. Funds will be generated in current year to be used in the following year. Funds will be maintained by PKC. After January 1st, each association President will be notified of the amount credited to his association. Ten (10%) percent of hunt escrow and membership income will be retained by PKC as an administrative

fee and placed in the general fund to offset expenses incurred in managing association business. Sixty (60%) percent of the remaining balance will be awarded to the association championship winners.

The remainder of the funds will be used by each association in the purchase of caps, jackets, trophies, and officer expenses as determined appropriate by the Executive Committee.

### OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

[Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://pkcbeagledivision.com) is the official publications for the PKC National Beagle Association. Any business of the association must be published on [Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://pkcbeagledivision.com) to be considered official. Changes to rules and by-laws published on [pkcbeagledivision.com](http://pkcbeagledivision.com) shall be binding upon all members as of the date of the publication.

### OHIO CORPORATION

The National Beagle Association is an advisory association to PKC, which is an Ohio Corporation. A person by his membership in this association understands and agrees that any dispute or disagreement must be litigated in Ohio and Ohio law shall apply to such litigation.

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# PKC (Beagle Division)<sup>®</sup> —BEAGLE EVENTS—

## EVENTS

An annual event shall be scheduled known as “**PKC Regional Championship.**” Date and location of the event shall be determined by the PKC Directors. PKC must be notified of the date and location of the event by December 31st of the preceding year.

## FUNDING

Funding for the Association shall be provided from PKC at the rate of \$1.00 per member and through sponsoring events. One dollar for each entry in all Open Events (\$2.50 from each \$60 Open Event entry) licensed in the region will be held in escrow to provide the purse for the Regional Championship the following year. Regional Association and cosponsoring club will equally share club fee from all events held in conjunction with Regional Championship.

## PROMOTION AND RECOGNITION - REGIONAL WINNERS

A minimum of sixty (60%) percent of the Association funds must be spent in the promotion and recognition of dogs and owners. When feasible, it is suggested that sixty (60%) percent of each region's total escrow fund make up the purse for the Regional Championship and this award will be divided as follows:

1st Place.....40% / 2nd Place.....30% / 3rd Place.....20% / 4th Place.....10%

## REGIONAL LEADER AWARD

The Regional Leader will be the dog that has earned the most in PKC Open Event awards from January 1st until December 31st of each Competition Year, provided a minimum of twenty (20%) of its' earnings were earned at events held within its' home region. Each Regional Leader shall receive twenty (20%) of its' regions' championship escrow, to be paid by January 1st following the close of each competition year, when possible, and after its' earnings and eligibility have been verified by PKC.

## REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Regional Champions shall be determined by conducting an elimination event of the top sixteen (16) Open Event winners from the previous year. First Round will use Hunting Judges, and Finals will be conducted with Non-hunting Judges. The National Directors shall determine the date and location of the hunt within each region. All Regional Championships will be scheduled from the beginning of February until the weekend of the World Hunt. The event shall be conducted in conjunction with other events at the Regional Hunt. The entry fee for any Regional Championship shall be \$50. The purse for each PKC Regional Championship will be determined by the amount in the escrow fund from the previous year. Competition year will begin on January 1st and end on December 31st. The top sixteen (16) will be invited to the Regional Championship elimination the following year. In the event one (1) of the top sixteen (16) is unable to compete, places down to 24th place may move up to replace one that cannot compete in the elimination. Regional Champions will be eligible to advance to the National Championship. Awards will be a minimum of sixty (60%) percent of the association escrow fund. This sixty (60%) percent will be divided as follows:

Regional Leader .....20%      Regional Championship .....80%

## Region of Residency

A dog will be listed in the standings in the region of the residence of the owner on record in the PKC database. In order for the region of residency of a specific dog to change during the course of a competition season due to a change of ownership, the dog must earn \$1 more in PKC Open Event awards after the date of the ownership transfer than it had previously earned in the region of the previous owner. In situations involving joint/kennel membership owned dogs, dog will be assigned the region of residency recorded in the PKC database for the joint/kennel membership. In the event more than one (1) dog is owned by a joint/kennel membership, the state of residency of all dogs owned by the respective joint/kennel membership must be the same. Should the region of residency of the owner of any dog change, the same requirements shall apply. The National Association and/or PKC retains the authority to determine the region of competition for all dogs.

## NORTHERN REGION

The states of Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia, and all of the New England shall be combined to form the Northern Region.

## SOUTHERN REGION

The states of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, South Carolina, and Tennessee, Arkansas, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, North Dakota, South Dakota, and all other states west of the Mississippi River shall be combined to form the Southern Region.

## CLASSICS

PKC Classics are Open Events, licensed to the Regional Association, and held in conjunction with one (1) or more clubs. Event will consist of a \$30 and \$60 Open Event Friday AM, Friday PM, Saturday AM and Saturday PM or Saturday AM, Saturday PM, Sunday AM and Sunday PM. Any combination of three events within a two day period will be accepted as a Classic. Classics may not exceed four (4) events. On the date that two (2) hunts are scheduled, either of those two (2) hunts shall be advertised as a **Mandatory Split**. PKC clubs within a region must put forth an added purse of at least \$250. Clubs may also pay entry fee back to cast winners if advertised. A maximum of two classic events per region will be allowed during each competition season. The top four (4) money earning hounds of the entire Classic Event shall receive a minimum of:

1st.....\$100 / 2nd.....\$75 / 3rd.....\$50 / 4th.....\$25

In the event of a tie for a top four (4) placement, point totals of cast wins from the Classic Event will break the tie. Overall Classic Event winners will be eligible to advance to the National Championship. Guests may compete in Classic Events, however, money won will not count towards top dollar hound. A regional sponsor may be solicited, as well as, others from the local area to contribute additional funding. The entry fee for each hunt of a Classic Event must be \$30. Two (2) Bench shows may be held in conjunction of Classic Event. In each event, one handler requesting to run-off will require the final cast to be ran.

## WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

The PKC World Championship will be held at the best location determined by PKC and the National Directors. All Rounds except for the finals will use Hunting Judges. The finals will be conducted with Non-hunting Judges. Awards will be sixty (60%) percent of the total proceeds. Entry fee is \$60 per entry. Entry is open to all PKC Champions. Also, any PKC registered dog that has earned a minimum of \$50 in total PKC awards from March 1st - Feb 28th, and pays the \$60 entry fee is eligible to compete. The World Championship will be held in March. All dogs winning a qualifying round cast on the first day will recast on the second day. Any dog losing a qualifying round may pay another entry fee and compete again on another qual-ifying round.

## NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

The National Championship will be a single elimination event. All Rounds except for the finals will use Hunting Judges. The finals will be conducted with Non-hunting Judges. The purse will be determined by the amount of the escrow fund from the preceding year. The following will be invited to compete in the National Championship:

- The Top four (4) money leaders of each Region from the previous competition year. No dog may move up in the absence of a top four hound unless dog's death is reported to PKC.
- Recent Regional Championship Winners.
- State Championship Winners from the previous competition year.
- Major Event Winners from the previous competition year.
- Classic Event Winners from the previous competition year.
- Any dog that has earned the degree of PKC Champion or better.
- All dogs with minimum earnings of \$300 during the previous competition season.

## —SPECIAL NOTE—

*In the event of a tie for the fourth (4th) position of a region, all dogs tied for the last spot will be invited. Entry fee will be \$60.*

**AWARDS** - Awards will be generated from the amount in the National Association Escrow Fund, the amount received from sponsors (if any is received), and the amount generated from entry fees.

## NATIONAL LEADER AWARD

A National Leader Standings will be published *on Pkcbeagledivision.com* consisting of the top money winning dogs. Only money earned in Open Events will count in the standings. The dog winning the most money during the PKC Competition Season will receive an award of \$500 at the conclusion of the season, and after its' earnings and eligibility have been verified by PKC.

## PRO MALE VS PRO FEMALE SHOOT-OUT

The Pro-Male vs. Pro-Female Shoot-Out will be a single elimination event. First Round will use Hunting Judges, and Finals will be conducted with Non-hunting Judges. The purse of the Pro-Male vs. Pro-Female Shoot-out will be determined by PKC National Directors based on National Escrow from the previous year. The Shoot-Out will be held in Feb of every year and the location will be determined by the National Directors. The top eight (8) males and females of the previous year will cast together.





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## —BEAGLE EVENTS—

### PRO MALE VS PRO FEMALE SHOOT-OUT REPLACEMENTS

*In the event one (1) of the Top eight (8) is unable to compete, the vacancy may be filled by the next available dog of the same sex as the dog unable to compete in the National Male and/or National Female Standings.*

### PRO HUNTS

Pro Hunts will be scheduled by PKC at its' sole discretion. Entry Fee will be either \$100 or \$200; club's choice. Clubs are permitted to use "Hunting" Guides. Entries are to be reserved by calling the PKC Office with the owner's name and account number of the member booking the entry. Entry cannot be canceled. Entries may be transferred to another individual; however, when an entry transfer is handled by the PKC Office, a handling charge of \$25 will be assessed to the member requesting the transfer. PKC must be notified of any entry sold to another individual; however, payment of entry fee remains with the original buyer should the person agreeing to buy the entry not show. If the buyer fails to show, the original buyer will be billed the entry fee amount if the entry is not sold on the grounds. All amounts due must be paid before the owner, handler and/or dog enters another PKC event. PKC will provide the Hunt Director. Co-sponsoring Club will be compensated by PKC and will be responsible for providing all Guides. Club will also be responsible for furnishing qualified Judges.

### SPECIAL NOTE

**PKC reserves the right to cancel any Pro Hunt failing to receive a minimum entry booking of 24 entries as of fourteen (14) days prior to the date of the scheduled event.**

**AWARDS** - Awards to paid according to the Charts of Awards found on page 8 in this publication.

### STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

The purse for each PKC State Championship will be donated by clubs or sponsors within the state. This added purse will be available for any PKC member to compete for, regardless of state residence. These recognized state champions will be eligible to advance to the National Championship. The entry fee for any state championship must be at least \$60 and have an added purse of \$200. Guests and non-PKC registered dogs will not be allowed to compete. **Awards earned from entry fees paid at any State Championship shall be credited to each National and Regional Standings for the respective competition year, according to the respective Chart Of Awards.**

### MAJOR EVENTS

A Major Event must have two qualifying rounds. All qualifying round cast winners will advance. A minimum added purse of \$500 is required to be considered a Major Event. **Guests and non-PKC registered dogs will not be allowed to compete, unless prior approval is given by PKC and the National Directors. Awards earned at Major Events will not count toward Annual Standings.**

### NATIONAL PUP DERBY

Entry Fee.....\$30

**For PKC MEMBERS ONLY**, the **SPRING NATIONAL PUP DERBY** will be held annually in March in conjunction with the World Championship, and the **FALL NATIONAL PUP DERBY** will be held annually in October in conjunction with the Pro-Male vs. Pro-Female Shoot-Out. All PKC registered beagles eighteen (18) months old or younger on the date of the event, will be eligible to compete in these events in fall of 2021 and spring of 2022. After the spring pup derby in 2022, pups participating in these events must be PKC Litter Registered; both parents must be PKC registered. These events will be elimination style events, with cast winners only advancing until a winner is determined.

Pup Derbies may be schedule in conjunction with any major event or championship. The event(s) **must be scheduled as a Pup Derby and must be scheduled far enough in advance to allow for publication on [Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://Pkcbeagledivision.com)**. These events will be elimination style events, with cast winners only advancing until a winner is determined.

- **Pup Derby (PKC Litter Registered Dogs Only)** - All PKC litter registered beagles eighteen (18) months old or younger on the date of the event will be eligible to compete in these events in starting fall of 2022.
- **Pup Derby (PKC Single Registered Dogs)** - Any PKC single registered beagle eighteen (18) months old or younger on the date of the event will be eligible to compete in these events in fall of 2021 and spring 2022. A registration document form another recongnized reg-istry must be presented, if requested, to verify dog's age.
- **Spring Pup Derby** - PKC will conduct a Spring Pup Derby for PKC litter registered pups only with an added purse of \$250 starting spring of 2023
- **Fall Pup Derby** - PKC will conduct a Fall Pup Derby for PKC litter registered pups only with an added purse of \$250 starting fall of 2022

### HOSTING CLUBS

All PKC Clubs wishing to host a Championship, Major Event, Classic or Shoot-Out must notify a National Director by July 31st for the upcoming year. Each bidding club needs to include the event type and requested date. Clubs will not be allowed to schedule hunts on the same day as the World Hunt. Clubs will not be allowed to schedule hunts in the same region, on the same weekend that the Regional Championship takes place.

### OPEN EVENTS

Open Events may be licensed to any PKC chartered club. Event will be open to any PKC registered dog owned by a current member. Clubs may schedule either a \$30 or \$60 Open Event at their option. Clubs who are successful and draw average or better crowds may be approved for a \$60 Open Event. Please see Chart of Awards for each event. Senior Citizens (members over 50 years of age), Youth Hunters, and Pups younger than 24 months may draw separate casts at Open Events large enough to accommodate separate casts, provided entries are separated in increments of four (4), and there is a minimum of four (4) entries per division, and splitting these into separate casts does not create an additional cast at the event. Club is required to furnish adult supervision for youth casts, and Hunt Directors may implement this policy at their discretion. Three (3) dogs must be entered and three (3) members or guests must be in attendance for a sanctioned PKC Hound and Hunter Event to take place.

### SCHEDULING OPEN EVENTS

Open Events will be scheduled upon the club's request, based on the schedule of other clubs in the area and the best interest of PKC. Clubs drawing low entries or receiving complaints may have their schedule reduced or canceled. In areas where there are several clubs, a club may be limited to no more than eight (8) weekend dates per year. Clubs shall be limited to two (2) weekday event per month.

**DOUBLE EVENTS** - Two (2) Open Events may be scheduled in the same day. There must be at least four (4) hours in between scheduled (non-mandatory split) hunts. In scheduling Double Events, clubs may choose to make either the first or second event a mandatory split. There must be at least three (3) hours between these events. Bench Shows may be scheduled at any time throughout the day. Hunt and Show Directors reserve the right to delay Bench Shows and the second Open Event as needed. Hunt Director Reports should be distinguished by the different deadlines.

**TRIPLE EVENTS** - Three (3) Open Events may be scheduled on the same day. There must be at least four (4) hours between the first and second scheduled hunts. Bench Shows may be scheduled at any time throughout the day. There must be at least three (3) hours between the second and third scheduled hunts. Hunt and Show directors reserve the right to delay bench shows and the second and third Open Events as needed. Clubs may advertise the third and final event as a mandatory split [on Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://on Pkcbeagledivision.com). Hunt Director Reports should be distinguished by the different deadlines.

**WEEKDAY EVENTS** - Weekday Events (Monday thru Friday) may be scheduled at a maximum of two(2) per month. Deadline time must not be set before 5 PM. Clubs may advertise the event as a mandatory split [on Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://on Pkcbeagledivision.com).

**ADDED PURSE EVENTS** - Clubs may schedule added purse events at their discretion with approval from PKC. When a final cast votes to recast the finals, members of the Final Cast may vote to split or compete for the Added Purse. Majority vote of final cast shall determine whether added purse will be split or hunted for. In case of a tie vote, the cast will compete for the added purse. Competing for an added purse will be paid to the finalists with the following percentage breakdown:

- Two (2) dog final, first (66.6%), second (33.3);
- Three (3) dog final, first (50%), second (30%) and third (20%);
- Four (4) and Five (5) dog final, first (40%), second (30%), third (20%) and fourth (10%).

Clubs may choose to automatically divide any added purse amount between each member of the Final Cast, whether recasting or not. Should a club choose this option, event should be advertised as "Automatic Split of Added Purse" in the Schedule of Events for the specific event [on Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://on Pkcbeagledivision.com). Other methods for distribution of added purses must be approved by PKC prior to the event and advertised in The Schedule of Events for the specific event [on Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://on Pkcbeagledivision.com) or [our Facebook page PKC \(Beagle Division\) LLC](http://our Facebook page PKC (Beagle Division) LLC).

### BENCH SHOWS

Clubs will be permitted to hold PKC sanctioned Bench Shows at the club level. PKC Bench Shows at the local level must be judged by a minimum of one (1) PKC-approved Bench Show Judge. A three-judge panel may be used should the club choose. Show dates must be approved in advance by PKC and must appear in the Schedule of Events [on Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://on Pkcbeagledivision.com). Contact PKC Directors or Regional Representatives for details concerning approval for Bench Show Judge candidates. There is no fee for the Bench Show Judge's license.



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## —BEAGLE EVENTS—

### PKC YOUTH EVENTS

Clubs may schedule "Youth Only" events in conjunction with other events or hold separately. PKC Youth Events will be conducted under Open Event Rules and the entry fee will be determined by the host club. Clubs must provide qualified non-hunting judges if needed and sufficient hunting and non-hunting guides. For casts not requiring non-hunting judges host club must provide adult supervision. Winners of PKC Youth Events will qualify for the PKC Youth National Championship. Youth Hunters must be PKC members and under the age of 18 as of January 1st of the current competition year. They must also be full time students. Eligible Members must provide proof of age (birth certificate or another acceptable document) and full time student status to compete.

**NOTE:** Please see non-hunting judge requirement below.

### NON-HUNTING JUDGE REQUIREMENTS FOR YOUTH CASTS

Non-hunting Judges for Youth Casts must be provided by the sponsoring club. Judges must be current PKC members in good standing and qualified to judge. No parent or legal guardian of a Youth Handler may judge that youth in a PKC Youth Cast. No full or part owner of a dog being handled by a Youth Handler may judge that youth or dog in a PKC Youth Cast.

### YOUTH REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

A Youth Regional Championship will be conducted in conjunction with all annual Regional Championships. The event will be held on the opposite day or same day following the respective Regional Championship. A PKC Regional Youth Champion will be determined in an elimination event of any eligible Youth Hunters wishing to compete in the event. The following rules and regulations will also apply:

Regional Youth Championships will be conducted under PKC Open Event Rules. The Entry Fee will be \$25. No prior earnings are required for a youth Hunter to compete in a Regional Youth Championship. There shall be a minimum requirement of three (3) entrants and a non-hunting judge in order to conduct a Regional Youth Championship. State Association and/or Cosponsoring Club may provide an Added Purse for the Regional Youth Championship. Championship cast will be required to compete for placement and the title of Regional Youth Champion. Any Youth Handler earning money in a Regional Youth Championship will qualify for the National Championship to be held that same year. Any Youth wishing to compete in the Regional Youth Championship must be able to handle and call his/her own dog without any assistance.

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## PRO HUNT CHARTS OF AWARDS

### \$200 ENTRY FEE EVENTS

<u>Entries</u>	<u>Proceeds</u>	<u>Awards</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>Split</u>
20	4,000	3,000	1,400	700	450	250	200	600
19	3,800	2,800	1,250	680	420	250	200	560
18	3,600	2,600	1,150	620	400	230	200	520
17	3,400	2,400	1,050	560	350	220	200	480
16	3,200	2,200	1,200	500	300	200	0	550
15	3,000	2,000	1,075	475	250	200	0	500
14	2,800	1,800	900	400	300	200	0	450
13	2,600	1,600	800	350	250	200	0	400
12	2,400	1,425	775	450	200	0	0	475

### \$500 ENTRY FEE EVENTS

<u>Entries</u>	<u>Proceeds</u>	<u>Awards</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>Split</u>
20	10,000	8,000	3,000	2,250	1,500	750	500	1,600
19	9,500	7,500	2,800	2,100	1,400	700	500	1,500
18	9,000	7,000	2,600	1,950	1,300	650	500	1,400
17	8,500	6,500	2,400	1,800	1,200	600	500	1,300
16	8,000	6,000	2,750	1,650	1,100	500	0	1,500
15	7,500	5,500	2,500	1,500	1,000	500	0	1,375
14	7,000	5,000	2,250	1,350	900	500	0	1,250
13	6,500	4,500	2,000	1,200	800	500	0	1,125
12	6,000	4,000	1,750	1,050	700	500	0	1,000



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## NATIONAL BEAGLE ASSOCIATION

### *Hunt Director Instructions*

#### **TAKING ENTRIES**

Entries will be taken on peel off labels. Be sure dog's name, and PKC number, are recorded to identify the dog as it is presently registered with PKC (use complete PKC registration number, not just last five (5) digits). Owner's name and account number and Handler's name and account number should also be verified. Owner and Handler must have a current PKC membership. Entries should be taken with ball point pen only. Many other markers will fade when wet and become illegible. It is the handler's responsibility to furnish the Hunt Director the correct dog's Name and PKC number, registered owner's name and account number, handler's name and account number and to insure that both the owner and handler have a current membership. Dogs will not receive credit for awards earned if the owner and handler are not current members. All membership dues must be paid before the cast member leaves for the woods.

#### **ENTRY DEADLINE**

Entries may not close until the advertised deadline. Club will be required to contact PKC and request later entry deadline, and request must be made early enough to allow time for advertisement on [Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://Pkcbeagledivision.com). Hunt Director may take entries after advertised dead-line at his discretion. However, entries may not be taken after drawing of casts for a specific event has started.

#### **MEMBERSHIP AND REGISTRATION**

Membership and registration forms are included in hunt materials. Membership and dog registrations may be taken at the event. These new members and new dogs will be allowed to compete in the event. The word "pending" should be written in the blanks asking for PKC number, Owner's and /or Handler's account number. Completed forms and fees are to be included with the Hunt Report. Membership and Registration applications are in two-part forms. Please sign the form when completed and give the duplicate to the member to be used to enter other events until his papers and/or membership is/are returned.

#### **GUEST HUNTERS**

No person will be allowed to participate in a PKC sanctioned event without becoming a member of the PKC National Beagle Association. Any person who has previously applied for membership and has not received his membership number must present the receipt of membership application to the Hunt Director before being allowed to enter a PKC sanctioned event.

#### **JUDGES**

Judges should be selected from the entrants the Hunt Director feels are most qualified to conduct a cast. If possible, use Judges who are not members of the sponsoring club and do not live in the local area. Club members and members who live in the local area should serve as Guides. After determining number of Judges needed, and selecting Judges, contact each member and ask if they will agree to serve. When they agree to serve, place them on the scorecard first.

#### **NON-HUNTING JUDGE**

A Non-Hunting Judge may be assigned to any cast even after it has been drawn. He will serve in the same capacity and authority as a Hunting Judge. He will be an additional voting member of a cast and shall have the same authority as a Hunting Judge. Judge must be a current PKC member. A qualified Non-Hunting Judge must be assigned to the final cast.

#### **VOTING BY CAST MEMBERS**

Questions should be resolved by a majority vote of the cast members. Any question that cannot be resolved by a majority vote of the cast will be brought to the clubhouse and presented to a panel. Any panel required for question will be selected by the Hunt Director. Panel members should be current PKC members; however, the best qualified personnel available who have no interest in the outcome of the cast, should be used even if they are not PKC members.

#### **NON-HUNTING CAST MEMBER**

A Non-Hunting Cast Member may be assigned to any cast. He will be an additional voting member of a cast in the event of a question. This cast member is not required to be a PKC member. Cast may be assigned a "Hunting Judge" and a "Non-Hunting Cast Member".

#### **GUIDE**

Hunt Director should request a list of persons who will guide a cast from the club officers. Casting area should be close enough to allow the cast to compete for the advertised hunting time and return to clubhouse before the deadline. If possible, hunting territory should be a place where cast can compete safely without calling time and moving. Clubs should provide "hunting guides" if at all possible. If there are not enough hunting guides entered in the event, use non-hunting guides as provided by club officers.

#### **CAST DRAWING PROCEDURE**

- Hunt Director should begin drawing casts immediately following the deadline, but in no event, later than thirty (30) minutes after the advertised deadline.
- determine total number of entries and number of casts needed.
- select required judges from the entry labels and mark "Judge" on the front of the entry label.
- select the required number of guides from the entry labels and mark "Guide" on front and back of entry label.
- prepare required scorecards with information completed at top including deadline. (three-dog casts should be drawn).
- affix judge label to scorecard.
- place all other entry labels in some type container to insure a "blind" draw and allow each Judge to draw his cast, drawing a Guide first if one is required, and then the remainder of cast, checking to be sure that no person owns more than one (1) of the entries. (Be sure that the name of the Judge and Guide is indicated on the scorecard.)
- Dogs sharing common ownership will be allowed to draw separate casts.
- Dogs owned or handled by the same member will be allowed to draw separate casts.

#### **DEADLINE**

Deadline for cast winner and scorecard to be back at the clubhouse for recasting should be announced and written on the scorecard. Allow as much time as possible for completion of the first cast and collecting dogs for recasting. If possible, deadline for recast should not be less than five (5) hours after dogs are drawn out in a two (2) hour hunt and four (4) hours in a one (1) hour hunt.



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## NATIONAL BEAGLE ASSOCIATION

### *Hunt Director Instructions*

#### RECASTING

The sponsoring club is responsible for providing a qualified non-hunting judge for the final cast. A majority of the Final Four cast members must request recasting for recasting to be required. However, two (2) members requesting to compete for an entire added purse will be necessary for the final cast to compete for the added purse. If the two (2) member requirement is not met, the added purse will be divided between the competing members of the final cast. If recasting is required, recast the cast winners whose scorecard is at the clubhouse at deadline. In the event scorecard is back, but cast winner or his dog is not available, cast winner will be placed on final cast and scratched, placing last in the final cast and will be not be entitled to any portion of any added purse. Hunt Director must request all handlers to present their dogs at hunt deadline. Under no circumstances may a handler advance to the final cast who has not won his first cast, nor can he replace the cast winner who is not available for recasting. **A handler competing in a "guest" status will not be allowed to vote concerning splitting or recasting.** Duration of all final casts shall be one (1) hour. The dog leading the cast at the expiration of hunting time will be declared the winner. If dogs tied, go to tie-breaking rules; if tie cannot be broken, the tied dogs are to split the awards.

#### CERTIFYING SCORECARD

Be sure that at least three (3) cast members have signed the scorecard certifying it to be accurate. No handler can be considered for placement in the event if his scorecard has not been certified by at least three (3) cast members. Should any handler leave the cast for any reason before cast hunting time is completed, he/she shall sign the scorecard and record the name of the dog and/or the scorecard position of said dog with the dog's score at that time, in addition to the amount of hunting time remaining in the cast.

#### QUESTIONS

Hunt Director should first determine if question has been placed at the proper time, and if cast members have considered and voted on the question. If they have not voted, they must do so before a Question Panel can consider it. If they have considered it and reached a majority decision, that decision may be appealed to the Hunt Director by placing a deposit of \$25 with the Judge at the time of the question. Handler may sign an IOU on the back of the scorecard, which must be paid before question is heard or the Handler enters another event. If they have not reached a majority decision (two Handlers for and two against), the question can be brought without a question deposit. (No deposit will be required for questions involving a 2-2 voting situation.) Hunt Director will assemble a panel of three (3) qualified people to hear the question. If the panel finds in favor of the question, deposit will be returned and the scorecard changed to reflect the change. If the panel finds against the question, the deposit will be forfeited to the Sponsoring Club. Panel decision is final, unless appealed by complainant. Any question concerning misconduct by an owner or handler will be considered as provided by the PKC National Association By-Laws. Report should be filed with the Hunt Director before leaving hunt site.

#### CHECK SCORECARDS

Check all scorecards to insure that math is correct, the correct cast winners are indicated, and that all handlers have signed certifying the card to be accurate. PKC reserves the right to correct errors when found.

#### CERTIFICATE OF EARNINGS

Hunt Director will account for and disburse proceeds of event, disburse awards to winners and complete Certificate of Earnings (original to winner, copy to PKC with Hunt Report).

#### HUNT DIRECTOR REPORT

Send Hunt Director Report to PKC along with all scorecards, copies of Certificate of Earnings, new registrations, new memberships, and World Championship nominations along with all fees collected. Hunt Report should be completed and sent to PKC Office as soon as possible, but no later than four (4) days after the event. A late fee of \$20 may be charged for any report postmarked after the four (4) day deadline. Any Hunt Report received with a postmark of fifteen (15) days or more after an event may cause a fine of \$100 to be assessed on the sponsoring club and the club will be placed on probation. Any Hunt Report received with a postmark of thirty (30) or more days after the hunt date, may cause the club to be suspended immediately and all future events will be cancelled.

#### PICTURES

Pictures should be made of event winners, for publication and also for identification. The quality of the picture will determine where, when, and if it will be used in publications. Both handler and dog should be in picture, Dog should be on table or handler kneeling down behind dog. Photographer should be as close to dog and handler as possible. If possible, a group picture of all finalists with their dogs should be made. Have handlers kneel shoulder to shoulder with dogs, facing camera, in front of them. Get in very close with the camera for a clear picture. Good quality group pictures of all finalists will receive priority for publication.

#### PICTURE RELEASE AGREEMENT

Each member, through application to the PKC National Beagle Association, agrees to permit the use of any photographs (pictures), of which he may be a part of, individually and/or jointly, by PKC for promotional and/or recognition purposes without any type compensation for the use of said photographs. Member further agrees to hold PKC harmless in the event of error in the use of said pictures.

#### PICTURE REQUIREMENT

In all Open Events with four (4) entries or less, a picture of the cast members and dogs shall be required. Pictures should be sent with the Hunt Report, or emailed to [Pkcbagledivision@gmail.com](mailto:Pkcbagledivision@gmail.com). If more convenient, photos may be sent via text message to one of the PKC Staff Members. Either way, please include your name, the hunt date and location (city/state) in your text or e-mail.

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# PKC BEAGLE HUNT DIRECTOR

## —Checklist—

1. Welcome to the (NAME OF CLUB) PKC Beagle Event. This event will be a (ONE) or (TWO) hour event.
2. I am (NAME) and I will be your Hunt Director.
3. There are (#) of dogs entered, and the awards are as follows:
  - 1st .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - 2nd .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - 3rd.....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - 4th.....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - Split.....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
4. The time is now (CURRENT TIME), and the Deadline is (DEADLINE TIME).
5. Any question not settled by a majority vote can be brought to the Hunt Director without any question fee. Any question settled by majority vote, but not to the satisfaction of the Handler, can be brought in by placing a \$25 deposit or signing an IOU with the Judge at the time of the question. No exceptions!
6. All casts are to walk at a pace that all Handlers can maintain in order to keep the cast together.
7. Please be sure to sign the scorecard when the cast is finished. Should any handler leave the cast for any reason before cast hunting time is completed, he/she shall sign the scorecard and record the name of the dog and/or the scorecard position of said dog with the dog's score at that time, in addition to the amount of hunting time remaining in the cast. Remember all scorecards must be certified by at least three (3) cast members to be a valid scorecard. Should your cast reach the point of having less than three (3) cast members, you must contact the Hunt Director or a member of PKC Management, who will approve the necessary cast members to complete the cast. If the cast is not judged properly, you have a right to sign the gray area indicating that it is not a valid scorecard and should explain your reason(s) to the Hunt Director upon returning to the Clubhouse. Any scorecard submitted with Handler(s)' signature(s) in the gray area shall automatically subject all Handlers in the cast to possible unsportsmanlike conduct charges.
8. All Handlers are expected to conduct themselves as good sportsmen at all times.
9. The following Handlers have been selected as Judges for this event. If you feel that you would rather not serve as a Judge, please notify me now. (Read list of Judges.) Would each of you please come to the entry table and draw your cast.
10. **All cast winners must be back at deadline.** Top four (4) cast-winning hounds must be presented to the Hunt Director at the deadline to be considered for placement in the event. (Pictures of winning dogs should be made if at all possible.)

# NUMBER OF CASTS CHART

(BASED ON NUMBER OF ENTRIES IN EVENT)

# ENT	TOTAL	4-DOG	3-DOG
3	1	0	1
4	1	1	0
5	2	0	2
6	2	0	2
7	2	1	1
8	2	2	0
9	3	0	3
10	3	1	2
11	3	2	1
12	3	3	0
13	4	1	3
14	4	2	2
15	4	3	1
16	4	4	0
17	5	2	3
18	5	3	2
19	5	4	1
20	5	5	0
21	6	3	3
22	6	4	2
23	6	5	1
24	6	6	0
25	7	4	3
26	7	5	2
27	7	6	1
28	7	7	0
29	8	5	3
30	8	6	2
31	8	7	1
32	8	8	0
33	9	6	3
34	9	7	2
35	9	8	1
36	9	9	0
37	10	7	3
38	10	8	2
39	10	9	1
40	10	10	0
41	11	8	3
42	11	9	2
43	11	10	1
44	11	11	0
45	12	9	3
46	12	10	2
47	12	11	1
48	12	12	0
49	13	10	3
50	13	11	2
51	13	12	1
52	13	13	0
53	14	11	3
54	14	12	2
55	14	13	1
56	14	14	0
57	15	12	3
58	15	13	2
59	15	14	1
60	15	15	0
61	16	13	3
62	16	14	2
63	16	15	1
64	16	16	0



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## OFFICIAL BEAGLE HUNT RULES

### —HOUND AND HUNTER FORMAT—

#### 1. DEFINITIONS

- A. PROFESSIONAL KENNEL CLUB, LLC**, referred to as PKC, will license all events, keep record of winnings, issue championship degrees, and World Championship and Futurity qualification. PKC will have no responsibility for accounting for and disbursing of proceeds, appointing Judges, or determining winners of events. PKC reserves the right to withhold recognition of winners and may decline to license a club for future events at its sole discretion. PKC reserves the right to appoint a member of PKC management to serve as Hunt Director and/or manage any event it deems necessary.
- B. SPONSORING CLUB** – The sponsoring club will be a club, national, breed, or state association licensed by PKC to conduct events. The club will have complete authority to conduct events, determine winners and disburse awards. The club will appoint a certified Hunt Director who will have full authority over the event. The club will rule on all questions concerning an event, including rule interpretation and disciplinary action of members. The National Association and PKC shall have the authority to correct gross errors by clubs at its discretion. A club may be licensed to hold PKC Beagle Events for the annual fee of \$50. The license period is January 1st until December 31st of each calendar year. The club may be licensed for a single "try one" event for \$25.
- C. GUIDE** – The Guide will be a responsible person who is an active rabbit hunter and is able to keep the cast in the best possible hunting grounds. Person shall be able to guide cast without assistance from another individual. Clubs should provide "hunting guides" from the local area if at all possible. If there are not enough hunting guides entered in the event, non-hunting guides will be used. The casting ground should be an area where the cast can compete safely.

#### 2. PARTICIPANTS

- A. MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENT** – Owners and handlers of dogs participating in PKC Licensed Beagle events must be current members (or be a guest of PKC) in good standing. It is the owner and/or handler's responsibility to know the rules contained herein and to abide by them. The owner and/or handler also agree to accept and abide by the decision of the Judge and the Hunt Director. Handlers only will be responsible for bringing formal questions and appeals to the Hunt Director.
- B. GUEST HUNTERS** – Guest hunters shall be permitted to enter \$30 Open Events and "Try One" hunts only. A person may enter only three (3) events per year as a "Guest Hunter" and awards will not count toward any qualification or standing. A club may refuse the entry of a guest hunter at its discretion. Guest hunters may not vote concerning the question to split or to recast for place-

**SPECIAL NOTE**

IN ALL OPEN EVENTS, OWNER AND HANDLER MUST BE CURRENT MEMBERS, AND DOG MUST BE PKC REGISTERED IN ORDER FOR CREDIT TO BE RECEIVED.

- C. SCORECARD CERTIFICATION** – Any cast considered for placement in an event must have the signature of a majority of the cast members certifying it to be accurate. All casts must be completed with at least three (3) members to certify the scorecard. The Hunt Director may sign the card on behalf of a handler if a question is brought before a panel. Hunt Director may also sign on behalf of any handler who has not signed a scorecard due to negligence.

#### 3. HUNT RULES

- A.** All casts must hunt a minimum of sixty (60) minutes. Casts competing for less than sixty (60) minutes will not be considered for placement. All casts must hunt a full sixty (60) minutes. In the event all dogs but one are scratched, the remaining dog will be declared the cast winner and is not required to complete hunting time. Clubs may be permitted to schedule 120 minute cast events at their discretion. Winners Cast will hunt sixty (60) minutes. Final Cast recasting requires a majority vote of those cast members involved for recasting to be required. In the event of a tie vote to recast or split, the cast will be ran off.
- B.** Time deadline for return of scorecards will be posted at the club and on the scorecards before the first cast is drawn. At no time shall more than four (4) hours be allotted to complete a one (1) hour hunt or five (5) hours to complete a two (2) hour hunt. PKC reserves the right to extend the time allotment for the deadline at major events. Clubs requesting 120 minute events must advertise those events as 120 minute events in Beagle Schedules.

- C.** Hunts consist of 4-dog casts.
- D.** Three (3) dog casts will be run in odd number situations only.
- E.** Clubs may run five (5) dog final casts, with the top four (4) scores determining placement. If a club elects not to run a five (5) dog final cast, there will be a cast of three (3) and a cast of two (2). The two (2) dog cast must have a third voting member that signs off on the scorecard.
- F.** After all judges have been posted to the cards, judges will draw their own casts. Casts will be drawn from all remaining entries placed face down on a table. Judge should draw for a Guide (if needed) and check for multiple entries at the time the card is drawn. Casts will be drawn by judges in plain view of all. Judge's authority begins when the card is drawn and ends when it is turned in to the Hunt Director.

#### 4. SCORING SYSTEM

- A. STRIKE** – 100 points to the 1st dog that opens, 75 to the 2nd dog, 50 to the third 3rd dog, 25 to the 4th dog. If all positions are taken on a five (5) dog cast, last dog struck will not receive any points. Dog must open to be declared struck. **Strike points shall be split when positions called by handlers cannot be clearly identified by Judge.**
- B. SPEED AND DRIVE** – 100 points to the 1st dog that crosses the designated line, 75 to the 2nd, 50 to the 3rd, 25 to the 4th. Line should be specified as to placement and width before the dogs cross said line. 1st line of a run can be marked but not scored until after the first minute from the time the first dog has been struck and the first dog has crossed the line. After 1st line is scored or closed ("Scored" is defined as all dogs in the cast score the line. "Closed" is defined as a one (1) minute period after the 1st dog scores the line.) Next line cannot be made until after a period of one (1) minute has elapsed. A line is also declared closed at the moment that the cast chooses to abandon a line that has not yet been scored. No line can be scored after it is declared closed.
- C. SPLIT POINTS** – In all scoring situations where points cannot be positively determined, positions/scores will be split. Split points –
- |                     |                     |                 |
|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| 1+2+3+4 = .....62.5 | 2+3 = .....62.5     | 3+4+5 = .....25 |
| 1+2+3 = .....75     | 3+4 = .....37.5     | 4+5 = .....12.5 |
| 2+3+4 = .....50     | 1+2+3+4+5 = .....50 |                 |
| 1+2 = .....87.5     | 2+3+4+5 = .....37.5 |                 |

#### 5. POINTS WILL BE PLUS

- A. When dogs strike and what is considered to be the "original" rabbit is seen, strike points become plus.** Majority of the cast must be present when dogs are scored on line. Line must be marked. When scoring lines, dogs are allowed five (5) feet on either side of the marked line and must recognize the track. The judge may elect to split the cast into two groups of two(2)handlers to increase chances of marking a line. Majority of cast must be present to score a line. Should a rabbit be seen by one(1) cast member and dogs verify reasonable forward progress by crossing the marked line that has been established, points are to be plussed. **Verification must be made during hunt time Dog must participate in the majority of the chase to be eligible to score the line. Chase begins when reasonable forward progress is established (majority cast decision).**
- B. One set of strike points** – In case of a split track, where a dog or dogs split from the dog that struck first (and the dog that struck first makes reasonable forward progress), the dogs that are split will be caught and released to other running dogs with the original rabbit. The dogs that are declared split off from the original rabbit cannot score speed and drive points until they are in on the original track. Handlers should not call to the dogs in a manner that will interfere with the dogs that are running.
- C. Refuge** – If rabbit is jumped and seen but reaches refuge or dogs can no longer make reasonable forward progress, before line can be scored, strike points will be plus. (Majority cast decision.)
- D. Split Track** – In case of a split track after reasonable forward progress has been made, where one (1) dog is split, that dog will be caught and released to other running dogs. Handlers should not call to the dogs in a manner that will interfere with the dogs that are running. If two (2) dogs split after reasonable forward progress has been made, time out will be called, dogs caught, and recast together.



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#### 6. POINTS WILL BE MINUS

- A. When reasonable forward progress is not made within a three (3) minute period after the first dog has been declared struck. Any dog that is struck in after two minutes has elapsed of the first dog being struck, shall have its points deleted if reasonable forward progress is not made. Actual sighting of the rabbit within three (3) minutes is not required for reasonable forward progress to be established. Reasonable forward progress should be determined by common rabbit hunting sense. **Reasonable forward progress is defined as "for the given conditions of the day, the dog(s) make progress to the point that it is determined that a rabbit was produced" (majority cast decision).**
- B. **CALLING A DOG THAT HAS NOT OPENED** – Should any handler call his dog that has not opened or calls another handler's dog, the Judge will award points called and minus them. These points will then be opened for all handlers. The handler will immediately notify the Judge when he believes his dog has been struck by another handler.
- C. **FAILURE TO CALL DOG** – When Judge has determined that a dog has opened three (3) times after the first minute, he will ask for a call. If Handler fails to call the dog struck on the next bark, Judge will award next available points and minus them. If the dog continues to open he must be struck after the next three (3) barks or minus process repeated. If a handler chooses to call his/her dog on the first or second bark, it must be called directly after the bark. The handler cannot wait to see a desired outcome.

#### 7. CIRCLE POINTS

- A. If trail ends at place of refuge or reasonable forward progress has been made and rabbit has not been seen (majority cast decision).
- B. Dog(s) are trailing, reasonable forward progress has been made, time runs out, and rabbit has not been seen.
- C. If judge calls a time out and dogs are trailing, reasonable forward progress has been made, and rabbit has not been seen.

#### 8. DELETE POINTS

- A. When majority of cast decision cannot be reached. Deleted points may not be used in any way to determine the outcome of a cast (unless ruled by panel).
- B. When dog(s) are declared struck with less than three (3) minutes remaining in cast, hunting time expires, and dogs have not made reasonable forward progress.
- C. When time out has been called and dogs were not allowed the full three (3) minutes to make reasonable forward progress (majority cast decision).
- D. Strike points that have not been scored (plus or circle) will be deleted if time-out is called for any reason. Majority cast decision.

#### 9. GENERAL INFORMATION

- A. **All decisions are to be made by the judge without any pressure from cast members. Once judge has made a decision, the cast may vote, in situations where majority decision is specified. Majority of cast vote overrules decision if it applies. In cast that dictates the scratching of a dog, the judge makes the decision unless otherwise specified.**
- B. If a handler wants to place a question, the handler will ask the judge to question the call at the time the call is made. Before the judge places the question on the card he will, first, have the handler sign the IOU provided on the back of the scorecard. No calls/scores will be allowed to be questioned once dogs are recast. If the IOU is signed, the fee must be paid even if the question is dropped.
- C. Dogs, not hunters/handlers, are to search for rabbits.
- D. **ENTRY REFUSAL** – PKC or sponsoring club has the right to refuse entry to any dog or handler. However, no handler will be barred on the basis of religion, race, color, national origin, sex, or physical impairment. Any handler denied entry must be given a hearing if it is requested in writing in order for entry to be refused.
- E. **SIGNING SCORECARD** – Each Handler is responsible for the honesty of the scorecard and will sign the scorecard certifying it upon completion of the cast. A member who believes that the scoring of a cast is drastically wrong and cannot be corrected by bringing a question must notify the other cast members and sign the scorecard in the gray area at the time the situation is scored to disqualify the cast. In a four-(4) dog cast, two (2) cast members must sign the scorecard in the gray to disqualify the cast. In a three-(3) dog cast, one (1) member must sign the gray area to disqualify the cast. This cast will not be considered for placement,

and the signing in the gray cannot be questioned. However, other cast members who believe the cast member(s) signing the gray to disqualify the cast did not have a legitimate reason for doing so may file misconduct charges against that member(s). If the cast is completed when a cast member signs the scorecard in the gray area, any other cast member(s) may question the signing in the gray. Hunt Director will appoint a panel to hear the reason for disqualification and the panel may reinstate the cast if the handler did not have a justifiable reason for signing the gray. PKC reserves the right to review any scorecard submitted with signature(s) in the gray area, for possible misconduct charges against any and/or all members of the cast.

- F. At least three (3) members of the cast must finish the hunt in order for the cast to be considered valid. In 3-dog casts, all three (3) cast members must finish the cast. Should any cast become less than a three (3) dog cast, the Hunt Director or a member of PKC management must be contacted to determine who can serve as the required voting member(s) of the cast. The recruited member or qualified hunter becomes a voting member of the cast in majority of the cast decisions.

#### 10. TIME-OUTS

Time outs may be called by the Judge for the following reasons:

- A. If new ground is needed to finish the cast.
- B. In case of sickness or accident.
- C. If cast gets lost or separated. It is the hunter's responsibility to return to the clubhouse if he becomes lost or separated from the cast.
- D. When dog(s) are trailing out of hearing or pack splits out of hearing.
- E. If extra dog(s) are picked up by the cast.
- F. If dog(s) trail onto posted land.
- G. Any cast member may call time out if dogs are in danger by running close to a roadway.
- H. When dogs can no longer make reasonable forward progress, track is declared dead, and dogs are handled. Time-out **must** be called in this situation.
- I. Handler calling time out to avoid minus points or to gain a better standing in the cast, will be scratched immediately.

#### 11. DOGS WILL BE SCRATCHED

Dog(s) or handler(s) will be scratched for interfering with another dog's or handler's ability to compete. Dog(s) or handler(s) should be scratched as a last resort. Every effort should be made to allow dogs and handlers to compete. Once a dog has been scratched for any reason, time-out should be called and dog should be taken to the truck. Handler will return as a voting member of the cast, if necessary. Reasons to scratch are as follows:

- A. **FIGHTING WITH OTHER DOG(S) OR BITING HUMANS.** A dog with his or her hackles up, growling and fussing may be scratched. Judge may issue a warning to the handler of a dog he suspects is causing trouble without scratching the dog. In any subsequent altercation where the aggressive dog is not known, the dog under warning shall be scratched with the other dog(s) involved being permitted to remain in the cast under warning. No Handler will be allowed to withdraw his dog to avoid being "scratched for fighting." Any cast member(s) found guilty of allowing another member to withdraw to avoid being scratched for fighting may be subject to disciplinary actions. A dog may be scratched by the Judge and one (1) other cast member or majority of the cast. No dog should be scratched for fighting while under the control of his handler (on leash, in the truck, etc.) or because of another dog previously scratched or withdrawn but not handled.
- B. Any time a dog is scratched for fighting, the scratch shall remain on the dog's record for one (1) year from the date of the scratch. Any dog scratched three (3) times within any fiscal year will be suspended for life. Dogs that have been scratched two (2) times may be published in *PROHOUND*. Handlers with dogs that have been scratched for fighting two (2) times cannot be used as judges. Any handler may report a fighting dog even if the dog is not caught and scratched. These reports will be taken into consideration should there be a hearing. A Handler has the right to request a hearing before a Hunt Director panel to determine which dogs of the cast are charged with a scratch, through the normal question procedure. Owner or handler may request a hearing by the National Association under the normal appeal process only after the normal question procedure at the club level has been exhausted, and the request for an appeal is received within thirty (3) days of the dog being scratched. An appeal deposit of \$100 must be received at the time the written request for the appeal is received. Should the panel rule in favor of the appeal, the deposit will be



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returned and records changed to reflect the panel's decision. However, should the panel not rule in favor of the appeal, the deposit will be forfeited to PKC.

- C. ACCUMULATED MINUS** – Any dog accumulating 300 minus points in any one-hour hunt cast will be scratched from cast. Any dog accumulating 300 minus points in the any final cast will be scratched from cast, and will receive last available place.
- D. FIVE (5) MINUTE RULE** – Dogs failing to go hunting during any five (5) minute period of hunting time will be scratched. At anytime a dog is called struck and the dog in question strikes into the race, the five (5) minute rule will be dropped/stopped/broken. Judge shall be required to advise other cast members when time is started on any dog in the cast. Judge and handlers must remain still until time is broken or dog is scratched.
- E.** Molesting stock.
- F. SEXUAL BEHAVIOR** - Females smelling strong enough to attract male dogs, or any dog exhibiting sexual behavior instead of hunting during the progress of the cast may be scratched. If it is not possible to determine which dog is responsible for the behavior, both may be scratched. Any owner/handler found guilty of altering by any means, the scent of a female may be subject to disciplinary action.
- G.** For **delaying the cast** for twenty (20) minutes after time out is called.
- H. RUNNING OFF GAME ANYTIME DURING THE HUNT - Off Game is defined as any game other than a rabbit. When off game is seen by two (2) or more handlers in the cast, the dogs strike points will be minused by the judge and the dogs will be scratched. The Judge will then calculate the scores and the best score on the card will be the cast winner. In a situation where a dog is chasing off game, but the off game has not been seen, the judge will ask for a cast vote. The vote must be a majority cast decision to scratch the dog(s). If the vote constitutes the scratching of the dog(s), the strike points will be minused and the best final score on the card will be the cast winner. The winner will continue on to the next round. Dog(s) scratched for running off game will be reported to PKC. Any dog(s) scratched three(3) times within a one(1) year period will be barred for one(1) year from any PKC sanctioned events**
- I. Handlers not permitted to provoke or entice any hounds with objects during hunt time.**
- J. TRAINING/TRACKING COLLARS** — A dog may wear an electronic training collar and or tracking collar at any time. No electronic transmitting unit capable of training/shocking and/or tracking may be powered on, or used during hunting time unless ALL cast members vote to leave them on. However, electronic training/shocking and/or tracking transmitters may be utilized during any time-out period or after hunting time has expired.
- K. Stand-alone electronic training transmitters must remain in the vehicle, or may be carried on the cast by another member of the cast, subject to his/her approval. Handlers may not carry their own stand-alone training/shocking transmitter during hunting time unless ALL cast members agree. Judges and handlers will not be liable for loss of another handler's electronic transmitter. All Handlers must agree to allow the Judge to check any electronics for use at any time requested. Checking for use may include powering on a Handler's equipment for verification of use. This rule is to be strictly enforced. Any time a Handler is scratched for training equipment infractions; misconduct charges MUST be filed and sent to PKC.**
- L. RETURNING THE SCORECARD AFTER THE POSTED DEADLINE.** In events where a cast winner returns after deadline and there are five (5) or less casts, the late cast winner will be scratched and assume last place and not advance to the final cast. In Mandatory Split events, all cast winners will be paid, deadline is void. In Multiple Qualifying Round events, dog will only be scratched if they are not present for recasting in the following round.
- M.** Striking another handler's dog (second offense).
- N. Back tracking** (second offense). Dog is to be warned on first offense.
- O.** If handler scolds or discourages dog without permission from the judge.
- P.** Any cast member that will not cast his vote concerning a question will be scratched from the cast.
- Q. HANDLER MISCONDUCT** – Any handler becoming unreasonable, aggressive or presenting his ideas in a forceful manner may be scratched. The decision is final and cannot be questioned. Any handler continuing to be abusive will be reported to a disciplinary committee. Inappropriate actions such as use of profanity and lewd behavior may be reviewed by a disciplinary committee and could result in probation and/or suspension by any participant from any PKC event.

**Handler Misconduct Forms** - All clubs should have Handler Misconduct Forms available at each event. Any type of handler misconduct should be reported to the PKC Office within three (3) working days of the event.

- Q. UNSOLICITED ADVICE** – Any handler offering unsolicited advice to a Judge concerning the scoring of dogs while he is considering his call may be scratched on second offense. Judge must warn handler on first offense, and scratch on second offense. Judge must be free to make his decision concerning scoring of dogs without being under pressure from handler to make a certain call. Any handler is free to question judge's decision after he has made his call according to question rules. He may question a Judge who has not made a call that should have been made.
- R. SIGNING SCORECARD** – All cast members should sign scorecard, however, it is not mandatory. Any handler who feels that the scorecard is not correct should make a note in the appropriate place on the back of the card of the reason, sign his comments, and sign on the shaded side. Any cast considered for placement in an event must have the signature of a majority of the cast members certifying it to be accurate. All casts must be completed with at least three (3) members to certify the scorecard. The Hunt Director may sign the card on behalf of a handler if a question is brought before a Hunt Director's panel. Hunt Director may also sign on behalf of any handler who has not signed a scorecard due to negligence.
- S. SIGNING FRAUDULENT SCORECARD** – Any handler found to have signed a fraudulent scorecard may be suspended from all PKC activities, fined, placed on probation, and/or barred for life from registering dogs.
- T. HANDLER LEAVING CAST** – A handler may not leave the cast for any reason except as directed by the Judge. The Judge may give a handler permission to leave the cast to search for his dog during time-out.

## 12. HANDLERS

It is the handler's responsibility to know his dog, its voice and the PKC Beagle Hunt Rules. Handlers have the right to withdraw their dog anytime during the cast without reason. However, if the dog is withdrawn, the handler forfeits all awards affixed to that cast and will be required to remain with the cast unless permission to leave the cast is granted by all remaining cast members. Handlers are to present themselves in an orderly fashion at all times. Handlers have the right to sign the scorecard in the gray area. It is the handler's responsibility to make sure that the score is correct and that they have signed the scorecard in the correct area.

## 13. JUDGES

The club should pick judges that they feel best represent the PKC Beagling sport. They should be honest and of good reputation. If the judge withdraws his dog, he must continue judging the cast. The judge will always inform the cast members of the following:

- A.** placing time on a dog, when one (1) minute has elapsed after the dogs have been released the first time,
- B.** when track is deemed to be finished after three (3) minutes has elapsed. If dogs have made reasonable forward progress and have lost the track, the entire cast may agree to handle dogs before three (3) minutes has elapsed.
- C.** the score of each handler on strike and line when score is made,
- D.** when giving warning to a handler or dog (warnings should be made with everyone present)
- E.** when time-out is called,
- F.** if the scorecard has been signed in the gray area, and
- G.** of any questions that are placed on the card.
- H.** Judge must declare when strikes are open and closed. Strikes should only be called closed when dog(s) are being called in for re-casting. If rabbit is jumped when strikes are closed, the cast can decide if that track should be run and strike points will be split (majority cast decision). Judge must also declare when a line is declared closed or dead.
- I.** A Non-Hunting Judge may be assigned to any cast even after it has been drawn, A Non-Hunting Judge will serve in the same capacity and authority as a Hunting Judge. He will be an additional voting member of a cast and shall have the same authority as a Hunting Judge. Judge must be a current PKC member. A qualified Non-Hunting Judge must be assigned to the final cast.

## 14. HUNT DIRECTOR

The Hunt Director will be appointed by the local club and will be in charge of the hunt. The responsibilities of the Hunt Director are as follows:

- A.** Post scorecard deadline
- B.** Read Hunt Director's Checklist prior to drawing casts.





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- C. Receive scorecards and record return times.
- D. Select a panel for ruling on questions, prior to sending casts to the field if possible. (Select four.)
- E. Keep official hunt clock in plain view of all.
- F. Measure any dog if challenged by an owner or handler. Dogs must be measured behind the weathers with their feet under them at natural stance. Dogs measuring more than 16 inches will be scratched. Once a dog is measured at an event it can't be measured again that day. Hunt Director's measurement is final.
- G. Make sure entry deadline is observed.
- H. Fill out Hunt Director's Report and send to PKC along with Certificates of Earnings and proper fees.
- I. Verify that dogs are registered and that hunters and judges are current members of PKC in good standing. The Hunt Director may appoint individuals to help with taking entries, posting scores, measuring dogs, etc.
- J. Appoint judges, guides, and an Assistant Hunt Director.
- K. The Hunt Director may enter a dog in the hunt in which he is Hunt Director. If a question should arise in his cast, the Assistant Hunt Director will appoint the panel to hear the question. The Hunt Director's authority ends when a panel hearing begins. The Hunt Director will announce the final decision of the panel.

#### 15. QUESTIONS

- A. **PROPER PROCEDURE FOR QUESTION** – Any handler has the right to question the scoring of any dog in the cast. Questions must be placed on the card at the time the dog is scored or should be scored. Questions must be submitted to the remaining cast members and resolved by a majority vote. If a handler is dissatisfied with the majority decision, that decision may be appealed to the Hunt Director to be heard, after the cast is finished, by placing a deposit of \$25. The deposit must be placed with the Judge in the field at the time of the question. The deposit will not be refunded later in the cast if the handler changes his mind. However, the handler may choose to drop the question and forfeit the deposit at the end of the cast if it is agreeable with all cast members. Handler may sign an IOU on the back of scorecard, which must be paid before question is heard. No deposit is required when cast has voted but does not have a majority. *(No deposit is required for questions involving a 2-2 voting situation.)*
- B. **QUESTION PRESENTATION** – A cast should not return to the clubhouse to have a question heard until hunting time is completed, unless the question pertains to a dog or handler being scratched from the cast.
- C. **PANEL HEARING** – The Hunt Director will assemble a panel of three (3) qualified people to hear the question. If the panel finds in favor of the question, the deposit will be returned and the scorecard changed to reflect the change. If the panel finds against the question, the deposit will be forfeited to the club.
- D. **PANEL APPEAL** – Any cast member that believes a panel has made a gross mis-application of a rule, may request an appeal of the panel's decision, if and only if he can quote the specific rule violation to the Hunt Director or PKC Representative immediately following the rendering of the panel's decision, and by placing a deposit of \$100 with the panel at that time. When, and only when, an appeals panel overturns the original panel's decision will the appeal deposit be returned.

#### 16. STANDARDS

- A. All dogs must be of the Beagle breed.
- B. All dogs must be 16" or less when measured directly behind the withers.
- C. All dogs must be PKC registered to compete in PKC events. However, a hunter may pay an entry fee and compete as a guest in a \$25 Open Event, or a "Try One" hunt only.

#### 17. SCORE

- A. A dog's score is determined by subtracting its total minus points from its total plus points. Dog with the most plus points or least minus points after subtracting, is the cast winner.
- B. Should a cast end in a tie, the tie will be broken to determine the cast winner in the following manner:
  - (1) Dog with least minus points, if still tied, then;
  - (2) Dog with most plus strike points, if still tied, then;
  - (3) Dog with most plus line points, if still tied, then;
  - (4) Dog with most circle points, if still tied, then;
  - (5) Dogs tied will hunt a fifteen (15) minute overtime period, if still tied, then;
  - (6) A coin toss will determine the winner of open events. The finals of any major event or pro hunt, tied dogs will compete in fifteen (15) minute intervals until a winner is determined.

#### 18. WINNERS

Winners will be determined as follows:

- A. All cast winners will advance to the Final Cast to determine placement in events with five (5) casts or less. In events with more than five (5) casts, all cast winners will advance to a Semi-Final Round, with Semi-Final Cast Winners advancing to the Final Cast.
  - **EXAMPLE #1** – Five (5) casts on the first round would comprise a five (5) dog final cast. (This and if there are only five dogs entered in the hunt are the only two scenarios where a five (5) dog final is permitted).
  - **EXAMPLE #2** – Six (6) casts on the first round would create a semi-final round of two (2) three-dog casts, with the two (2) winners advancing to the final cast. Second place dogs in any cast are not permitted to advance to the Final Cast.
- B. Dogs that are scratched from a final will still receive placement. If applicable, dogs scratched from a semifinal will still receive placement. If multiple dogs are scratched, placement order of those dogs will be determined by scratch order. If at anytime multiple dogs are scratched at the same time, those dogs will go through the tie breaking process (17.B) to determine placement. In any situation where payment of a placement is completely forfeited, that money will go to the host club.
- C. Any handler or owner being scratched due to misconduct will not be eligible for any placement in that hunt.
- D. All payments for placements in a PKC event will be paid to the owner of the dog. If the owner is not present the payment will be made to the handler. Any agreement concerning monetary awards between the owner and handler are between them and them alone. PKC will not hear complaints nor be responsible for any part of these agreements.

#### 19. NON-HUNTING JUDGES

Non-hunting judge(s) will be used to judge Winner's Cast.

#### 20. HOLD HARMLESS CLAUSE

BY YOUR ENTRY IN A PKC EVENT YOU AGREE TO HOLD PKC, PKC NATIONAL BEAGLE ASSOCIATION, THE CLUB, THE JUDGE, GUIDE, AND HUNT DIRECTOR HARMLESS IN THE EVENT OF ACCIDENT, ERROR, OR MISAPPLICATION OF THE RULES. ANY OWNER OR HANDLER MAY FILE A WRITTEN COMPLAINT CONCERNING ACTIONS OF THE SPONSORING CLUB. PKC WILL INVESTIGATE THE COMPLAINT AND TAKE NECESSARY ACTION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO WITHHOLDING RECOGNITION OF WINNERS, AND/OR REFUSING TO LICENSE THE CLUB FOR FUTURE EVENTS.

#### 21. GOOD JUDGMENT

*These rules are written and intended to identify and reward the hound that hunts, strikes, jumps, and runs a rabbit better than the other hounds in his cast according to the guidelines within these rules. At times it will be necessary to use good judgment rather than a literal interpretation of these rules toward this end. It is within the scope of these rules for the Judge and/or Master of Hounds (panel) to rule on a situation not specifically covered in detail by these rules.*

**USE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ILLEGAL DRUGS OR ANY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED ON THE GROUNDS OF OR WHILE PARTICIPATING IN A PKC SANCTIONED EVENT. ANYONE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL, ILLEGAL DRUGS OR ANY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE WILL BE REFUSED ENTRY AND SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION.**

#### PICTURE REQUIREMENT

In all Open Events with four (4) entries or less, a picture of the cast members and dogs shall be required. Pictures should be sent with the Hunt Report, or emailed to [pkcbeagledivision@gmail.com](mailto:pkcbeagledivision@gmail.com). If more convenient, photos may be sent via text message to one of the PKC Staff Members. Either way, please include your name, the hunt date and location (city/state) in your text or e-mail.

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# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## \$15 Beagle Event

### —HOUND & HUNTER FORMAT—

Ent	ENTRY FEE DISTRIBUTION					Mandatory Split	AWARDS					Cast Winner Awards	Elimination Split
	Proceeds	Club	PKC	Escrow	Total		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH		
3	45	9.00	5.40	3.60	27.00		27.00						0
4	60	12.00	7.20	4.80	36.00		36.00						0
5	75	15.00	9.00	6.00	45.00	22.50	30.00	15.00					22.50
6	90	18.00	10.80	7.20	54.00	27.00	36.00	18.00					27.00
7	105	21.00	12.60	8.40	63.00	31.50	42.00	21.00					31.50
8	120	24.00	14.40	9.60	72.00	36.00	48.00	24.00					36.00
9	135	27.00	16.20	10.80	81.00	27.00	43.00	22.00	16.00				27.00
10	150	30.00	18.00	12.00	90.00	30.00	48.00	24.00	18.00				30.00
11	165	33.00	19.80	13.20	99.00	33.00	53.00	26.00	20.00				33.00
12	180	36.00	21.60	14.40	108.00	36.00	58.00	28.00	22.00				36.00
13	195	39.00	23.40	15.60	117.00	29.25	56.00	30.00	16.00	15.00			29.25
14	210	42.00	25.20	16.80	126.00	31.50	61.00	31.00	19.00	15.00			31.50
15	225	45.00	27.00	18.00	135.00	33.75	66.00	34.00	20.00	15.00			33.75
16	240	48.00	28.80	19.20	144.00	36.00	71.00	36.00	22.00	15.00			36.00
17	255	51.00	30.60	20.40	153.00	30.60	66.00	34.00	20.00	18.00	15.00		30.60
18	270	54.00	32.40	21.60	162.00	32.40	71.00	36.00	22.00	18.00	15.00		32.40
19	285	57.00	34.20	22.80	171.00	34.20	76.00	39.00	23.00	18.00	15.00		34.20
20	300	60.00	36.00	24.00	180.00	36.00	81.00	41.00	25.00	18.00	15.00		36.00
21	315	63.00	37.80	25.20	189.00	31.50	71.00	38.00				4 @ \$20 EACH = \$80	54.50
22	330	66.00	39.60	26.40	198.00	33.00	77.00	41.00				4 @ \$20 EACH = \$80	59.00
23	345	69.00	41.40	27.60	207.00	34.50	83.00	44.00				4 @ \$20 EACH = \$80	63.50
24	360	72.00	43.20	28.80	216.00	36.00	88.00	48.00				4 @ \$20 EACH = \$80	68.00
25	375	75.00	45.00	30.00	225.00	32.14	81.00	44.00				5 @ \$20 EACH = \$100	62.50
26	390	78.00	46.80	31.20	234.00	33.43	87.00	47.00				5 @ \$20 EACH = \$100	67.00
27	405	81.00	48.60	32.40	243.00	34.71	93.00	50.00				5 @ \$20 EACH = \$100	71.50
28	420	84.00	50.40	33.60	252.00	36.00	99.00	53.00				5 @ \$20 EACH = \$100	76.00
29	435	87.00	52.20	34.80	261.00	32.63	92.00	49.00				6 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	70.50
30	450	90.00	54.00	36.00	270.00	33.75	98.00	52.00				6 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	75.00
31	465	93.00	55.80	37.20	279.00	34.88	103.00	56.00				6 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	79.50
32	480	96.00	57.60	38.40	288.00	36.00	109.00	59.00				6 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	84.00
33	495	99.00	59.40	39.60	297.00	33.00	97.00	50.00	30.00			6 @ \$20 EACH = \$120	59.00
34	510	102.00	61.20	40.80	306.00	34.00	102.00	52.00	32.00			6 @ \$20 EACH = \$120	62.00
35	525	105.00	63.00	42.00	315.00	35.00	107.00	55.00	33.00			6 @ \$20 EACH = \$120	65.00
36	540	108.00	64.80	43.20	324.00	36.00	112.00	57.00	35.00			6 @ \$20 EACH = \$120	68.00
37	555	111.00	66.60	44.40	333.00	33.30	106.00	54.00	33.00			7 @ \$20 EACH = \$140	64.33
38	570	114.00	68.40	45.60	342.00	34.20	111.00	57.00	34.00			7 @ \$20 EACH = \$140	67.33
39	585	117.00	70.20	46.80	351.00	35.10	116.00	60.00	35.00			7 @ \$20 EACH = \$140	70.33
40	600	120.00	72.00	48.00	360.00	36.00	121.00	62.00	37.00			7 @ \$20 EACH = \$140	73.33
41	615	123.00	73.80	49.20	369.00	33.55	115.00	59.00	35.00			8 @ \$20 EACH = \$160	69.67
42	630	126.00	75.60	50.40	378.00	34.36	120.00	61.00	37.00			8 @ \$20 EACH = \$160	72.67
43	645	129.00	77.40	51.60	387.00	35.18	125.00	64.00	38.00			8 @ \$20 EACH = \$160	75.67
44	660	132.00	79.20	52.80	396.00	36.00	130.00	66.00	40.00			8 @ \$20 EACH = \$160	78.67
45	675	135.00	81.00	54.00	405.00	33.75	124.00	63.00	38.00			9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	75.00
46	690	138.00	82.80	55.20	414.00	34.50	129.00	66.00	39.00			9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	78.00
47	705	141.00	84.60	56.40	423.00	35.25	134.00	68.00	41.00			9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	81.00
48	720	144.00	86.40	57.60	432.00	36.00	139.00	71.00	42.00			9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	84.00
49	735	147.00	88.20	58.80	441.00	33.92	131.00	65.00	39.00	26.00		9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	65.25
50	750	150.00	90.00	60.00	450.00	34.62	135.00	68.00	40.00	27.00		9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	67.50
51	765	153.00	91.80	61.20	459.00	35.31	140.00	70.00	41.00	28.00		9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	69.75
52	780	156.00	93.60	62.40	468.00	36.00	144.00	72.00	43.00	29.00		9 @ \$20 EACH = \$180	72.00
53	795	159.00	95.40	63.60	477.00	34.07	139.00	69.00	42.00	27.00		10 @ \$20 EACH = \$200	69.25
54	810	162.00	97.20	64.80	486.00	34.71	143.00	71.00	43.00	29.00		10 @ \$20 EACH = \$200	71.50
55	825	165.00	99.00	66.00	495.00	35.36	148.00	73.00	44.00	30.00		10 @ \$20 EACH = \$200	73.75
56	840	168.00	100.80	67.20	504.00	36.00	152.00	76.00	45.00	31.00		10 @ \$20 EACH = \$200	76.00
57	855	171.00	102.60	68.40	513.00	34.20	147.00	73.00	43.00	30.00		11 @ \$20 EACH = \$220	73.25
58	870	174.00	104.40	69.60	522.00	34.80	151.00	75.00	45.00	31.00		11 @ \$20 EACH = \$220	75.50
59	885	177.00	106.20	70.80	531.00	35.40	156.00	77.00	46.00	32.00		11 @ \$20 EACH = \$220	77.75
60	900	180.00	108.00	72.00	540.00	36.00	160.00	79.00	48.00	33.00		11 @ \$20 EACH = \$220	80.00
61	915	183.00	109.80	73.20	549.00	34.31	155.00	77.00	46.00	31.00		12 @ \$20 EACH = \$240	77.25
62	930	186.00	111.60	74.40	558.00	34.88	159.00	79.00	48.00	32.00		12 @ \$20 EACH = \$240	79.50
63	945	189.00	113.40	75.60	567.00	35.44	164.00	81.00	49.00	33.00		12 @ \$20 EACH = \$240	81.75
64	960	192.00	115.20	76.80	576.00	36.00	168.00	84.00	50.40	33.60		12 @ \$20 EACH = \$240	84.00



# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## \$30 Beagle Event

### —HOUND & HUNTER FORMAT—

ENTRY FEE DISTRIBUTION					Mandatory	AWARDS					Cast Winner	Elimination	
Ent	Proceeds	Club	PKC	Escrow	Split	Total	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	Awards	Split
3	90	16.50	13.50	7.50		52.50	52.50						
4	120	22.00	18.00	10.00		70.00	70						
5	150	27.50	22.50	12.50	43.75	87.50	60	27.50					43.75
6	180	33.00	27.00	15.00	52.50	105.00	70	35					52.50
7	210	38.50	31.50	17.50	61.25	122.50	80	42.50					61.25
8	240	44.00	36.00	20.00	70.00	140.00	90	50					70.00
9	270	49.50	40.50	22.50	52.50	157.50	78.75	47.25	31.50				52.50
10	300	55.00	45.00	25.00	58.33	175.00	87.50	52.50	35				58.33
11	330	60.50	49.50	27.50	64.16	192.50	96.25	57.75	38.50				64.16
12	360	66.00	54.00	30.00	70.00	210.00	105	63	42				70.00
13	390	71.50	58.50	32.50	56.87	227.50	98.70	65.80	33	30			56.87
14	420	77.00	63.00	35.00	61.25	245.00	107.40	71.60	36	30			61.25
15	450	82.50	67.50	37.50	65.62	262.50	116.10	77.40	39	30			65.62
16	480	88.00	72.00	40.00	70.00	280.00	124.80	83.20	42	30			70.00
17	510	93.50	76.50	42.50	59.50	297.50	116.10	77.40	39	35	30		59.50
18	540	99.00	81.00	45.00	63.00	315.00	125.40	83.60	41	35	30		63.00
19	570	104.50	85.50	47.50	66.50	332.50	134.10	89.40	44	35	30		66.50
20	600	110.00	90.00	50.00	70.00	350.00	141	94	48	35	30		70.00
21	630	115.50	94.50	52.50	61.25	367.50	160.88	86.62				4 @ \$30 EACH = \$120	123.75
22	660	121.00	99.00	55.00	64.16	385.00	172.25	92.75				4 @ \$30 EACH = \$120	132.50
23	690	126.50	103.50	57.50	67.00	402.50	183.62	98.88				4 @ \$30 EACH = \$120	141.25
24	720	132.00	108.00	60.00	70.00	420.00	195	105				4 @ \$30 EACH = \$120	150.00
25	750	137.50	112.50	62.50	62.50	437.50	186.87	100.63				5 @ \$30 EACH = \$150	143.75
26	780	143.00	117.00	65.00	65.00	455.00	198.25	106.75				5 @ \$30 EACH = \$150	152.50
27	810	148.50	121.50	67.50	67.50	472.50	209.62	112.88				5 @ \$30 EACH = \$150	161.25
28	840	154.00	126.00	70.00	70.00	490.00	221.00	119.00				5 @ \$30 EACH = \$150	170.00
29	870	159.50	130.50	72.50	63.43	507.50	212.87	114.63				6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	163.75
30	900	165.00	135.00	75.00	65.62	525.00	242.25	120.75				6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	172.50
31	930	170.50	139.50	77.50	67.81	542.50	235.62	126.8				6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	181.25
32	960	176.00	144.00	80.00	70.00	560.00	247.00	133.00				6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	190.00
33	990	181.50	148.50	82.50	64.16	577.50	218.62	119.25	59.63			6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	132.50
34	1,020	187.00	153.00	85.00	66.11	595.00	228.25	124.50	62.25			6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	138.33
35	1,050	192.50	157.50	87.50	68.05	612.50	237.87	129.75	64.88			6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	144.16
36	1,080	198.00	162.00	90.00	70.00	630.00	247.50	135.00	67.50			6 @ \$30 EACH = \$180	150.00
37	1,110	203.50	166.50	92.50	64.75	647.50	240.62	131.25	65.63			7 @ \$30 EACH = \$210	145.83
38	1,140	209.00	171.00	95.00	66.50	665.00	250.25	159.25	68.25			7 @ \$30 EACH = \$210	151.66
39	1,170	214.50	175.50	97.50	68.25	682.50	259.87	141.7	70.88			7 @ \$30 EACH = \$210	157.50
40	1,200	220.00	180.00	100.00	70.00	700.00	269.50	171.50	73.50			7 @ \$30 EACH = \$210	163.33
41	1,230	225.50	184.50	102.50	65.22	717.50	262.62	143.25	71.63			8 @ \$30 EACH = \$240	159.16
42	1,260	231.00	189.00	105.00	66.81	735.00	272.25	148.50	74.2			8 @ \$30 EACH = \$240	165.00
43	1,290	236.50	193.50	107.50	68.40	752.50	281.87	153.75	76.88			8 @ \$30 EACH = \$240	170.83
44	1,320	242.00	198.00	110.00	70.00	770.00	291.50	159.00	79.50			8 @ \$30 EACH = \$240	176.66
45	1,350	247.50	202.50	112.50	65.62	787.50	284.62	155.25	77.63			9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	172.50
46	1,380	253.00	207.00	115.00	67.08	805.00	294.25	157.50	80.25			9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	178.33
47	1,410	258.50	211.50	117.50	68.54	822.50	303.87	165.75	82.88			9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	184.16
48	1,440	264.00	216.00	120.00	70.00	840.00	313.50	171.00	85.50			9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	190.00
49	1,470	269.50	220.50	122.50	65.96	857.50	293.75	146.87	88.13	58.75		9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	146.87
50	1,500	275.00	225.00	125.00	67.30	875.00	302.50	151.25	90.75	60.50		9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	151.25
51	1,530	280.50	229.50	127.50	68.65	892.50	311.25	155.62	93.38	62.25		9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	155.62
52	1,560	286.00	234.00	130.00	70.00	910.00	320	160	96	64		9 @ \$30 EACH = \$270	160.00
53	1,590	291.50	238.50	132.50	66.25	927.50	313.75	156.87	94.13	62.75		10 @ \$30 EACH = \$300	156.87
54	1,620	297.00	243.00	135.00	67.50	945.00	322.50	161.25	96.75	64.50		10 @ \$30 EACH = \$300	127.50
55	1,650	302.50	247.50	137.50	68.75	962.50	331.25	165.62	99.38	66.25		10 @ \$30 EACH = \$300	165.62
56	1,680	308.00	252.00	140.00	70.00	980.00	340	170	102	68		10 @ \$30 EACH = \$300	170.00
57	1,710	313.50	256.50	142.50	66.50	997.50	333.75	166.87	100.13	66.75		11 @ \$30 EACH = \$330	166.87
58	1,740	319.00	261.00	145.00	67.66	1015.00	342.50	171.25	102.75	68.50		11 @ \$30 EACH = \$330	171.25
59	1,770	324.50	265.50	147.50	68.33	1032.50	351.25	175.62	105.38	70.25		11 @ \$30 EACH = \$330	175.62
60	1,800	330.00	270.00	150.00	70.00	1050.00	360	180	108	72		11 @ \$30 EACH = \$330	180.00
61	1,830	335.50	274.50	152.50	66.71	1067.50	353.75	176.87	106.13	70.75		12 @ \$30 EACH = \$360	176.87
62	1,860	341.00	279.00	155.00	67.81	1085.00	362.50	181.25	108.75	72.50		12 @ \$30 EACH = \$360	181.25
63	1,890	346.50	283.50	157.50	68.90	1102.50	371.25	185.62	111.38	74.25		12 @ \$30 EACH = \$360	185.62
64	1,920	352.00	288.00	160.00	70.00	1120.00	380	190	114	76		12 @ \$30 EACH = \$360	190.00



# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## \$60 Beagle Event

### —HOUND & HUNTER FORMAT—

Ent	ENTRY FEE DISTRIBUTION				Mandatory Split	Total	AWARDS					Cast Winner Awards	Elimination Split
	Proceeds	Club	PKC	Escrow			1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH		
3	180	30.00	24.00	13.50		112.50	112.50						
4	240	40.00	32.00	18.00		150.00	150.00						
5	300	50.00	40.00	22.50	93.75	187.50	124.00	63.50					93.75
6	360	60.00	48.00	27.00	112.50	225.00	148.50	76.50					112.50
7	420	70.00	56.00	31.50	131.25	262.50	173.25	89.25					131.25
8	480	80.00	64.00	36.00	150.00	300.00	198.00	102.00					150.00
9	540	90.00	72.00	40.50	112.50	337.50	168.75	101.25	67.50				112.50
10	600	100.00	80.00	45.00	125.00	375.00	187.50	112.50	75.00				125.00
11	660	110.00	88.00	49.50	137.50	412.50	206.25	123.75	82.50				137.50
12	720	120.00	96.00	54.00	150.00	450.00	225.00	135.00	90				150.00
13	780	130.00	104.00	58.50	121.87	487.50	213.75	128.25	85.50	60.00			121.87
14	840	140.00	112.00	63.00	131.25	525.00	232.50	139.50	93.00	60.00			131.25
15	900	150.00	120.00	67.50	140.62	562.50	251.25	150.75	100.50	60.00			140.62
16	960	160.00	128.00	72.00	150.00	600.00	270.00	162.00	108.00	60.00			150.00
17	1,020	170.00	136.00	76.50	127.50	637.50	253.75	152.25	101.50	70.00	60.00		127.50
18	1,080	180.00	144.00	81.00	135.00	675.00	272.50	163.50	109.00	70.00	60.00		135.00
19	1,140	190.00	152.00	85.50	142.50	712.50	291.25	174.50	116.50	70.00	60.00		142.50
20	1,200	200.00	160.00	90.00	150.00	750.00	310.00	186.00	124.00	70.00	60.00		150.00
21	1,260	210.00	168.00	94.50	131.25	787.50	355.87	191.62				4 @ \$60 EACH = \$240	273.75
22	1,320	220.00	176.00	99.00	137.50	825.00	380.25	204.75				4 @ \$60 EACH = \$240	292.50
23	1,380	230.00	184.00	103.50	143.75	862.50	404.62	217.88				4 @ \$60 EACH = \$240	311.25
24	1,440	240.00	192.00	108.00	150.00	900.00	429.00	231.00				4 @ \$60 EACH = \$240	330.00
25	1,500	250.00	200.00	112.50	133.92	937.50	414.37	223.13				5 @ \$60 EACH = \$300	318.75
26	1,560	260.00	208.00	117.00	139.28	975.00	438.75	236.25				5 @ \$60 EACH = \$300	337.50
27	1,620	270.00	216.00	121.50	144.64	1012.50	463.12	249.38				5 @ \$60 EACH = \$300	356.25
28	1,680	280.00	224.00	126.00	150.00	1050.00	487.50	262.50				5 @ \$60 EACH = \$300	375.00
29	1,740	290.00	232.00	130.50	135.93	1087.50	472.87	254.63				6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	363.75
30	1,800	300.00	240.00	135.00	140.62	1125.00	497.25	267.75				6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	382.50
31	1,860	310.00	248.00	139.50	145.31	1162.50	521.62	280.88				6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	401.25
32	1,920	320.00	256.00	144.00	150.00	1200.00	546.00	294.00				6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	420.00
33	1,980	330.00	264.00	148.50	137.50	1237.50	438.75	263.25	175.50			6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	292.50
34	2,040	340.00	272.00	153.00	141.66	1275.00	457.50	274.50	183.00			6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	305.00
35	2,100	350.00	280.00	157.50	145.83	1,312.50	476.25	285.75	190.50			6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	317.50
36	2,160	360.00	288.00	162.00	150.00	1,350.00	495.00	297.00	198.00			6 @ \$60 EACH = \$360	330.00
37	2,220	370.00	296.00	166.50	138.75	1,387.50	483.75	290.25	193.50			7 @ \$60 EACH = \$420	322.50
38	2,280	380.00	304.00	171.00	142.50	1,425.00	502.50	301.50	201.00			7 @ \$60 EACH = \$420	335.00
39	2,340	390.00	312.00	175.50	146.25	1,462.50	521.25	312.50	208.50			7 @ \$60 EACH = \$420	347.50
40	2,400	400.00	320.00	180.00	150.00	1,500.00	540.00	324.00	216.00			7 @ \$60 EACH = \$420	360.00
41	2,460	410.00	328.00	184.50	139.77	1,537.50	528.75	317.25	211.50			8 @ \$60 EACH = \$480	352.50
42	2,520	420.00	336.00	189.00	143.18	1,575.00	547.50	328.50	219.00			8 @ \$60 EACH = \$480	365.00
43	2,580	430.00	344.00	193.50	146.59	1,612.50	566.25	339.75	226.50			8 @ \$60 EACH = \$480	377.50
44	2,640	440.00	352.00	198.00	150.00	1,650.00	585.00	351.00	234.00			8 @ \$60 EACH = \$480	390.00
45	2,700	450.00	360.00	202.50	140.62	1,687.50	573.75	344.25	229.50			9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	382.50
46	2,760	460.00	368.00	207.00	143.75	1,725.00	592.50	355.50	237.00			9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	395.00
47	2,820	470.00	376.00	211.50	146.87	1,762.50	611.25	366.75	244.50			9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	407.50
48	2,880	480.00	384.00	216.00	150.00	1,800.00	630.00	378.00	252.00			9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	420.00
49	2,940	490.00	392.00	220.50	141.34	1,837.50	648.75	324.37	194.63	129.75		9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	324.37
50	3,000	500.00	400.00	225.00	144.23	1,875.00	667.50	333.75	200.25	133.50		9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	333.75
51	3,060	510.00	408.00	229.50	147.11	1,912.50	686.25	343.12	205.88	137.25		9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	343.12
52	3,120	520.00	416.00	234.00	150.00	1,950.00	705.00	352.50	211.50	141.00		9 @ \$60 EACH = \$540	352.50
53	3,180	530.00	424.00	238.50	141.96	1,987.50	693.75	346.87	208.13	138.75		10 @ \$60 EACH = \$600	346.87
54	3,240	540.00	432.00	243.00	144.64	2,025.00	712.50	356.25	213.75	142.50		10 @ \$60 EACH = \$600	356.25
55	3,300	550.00	440.00	247.50	147.32	2,062.50	731.25	365.62	219.38	146.25		10 @ \$60 EACH = \$600	365.62
56	3,360	560.00	448.00	252.00	150.00	2,100.00	750.00	375.00	225.00	150.00		10 @ \$60 EACH = \$600	375.00
57	3,420	570.00	456.00	256.50	142.50	2,137.50	738.75	369.37	221.63	147.75		11 @ \$60 EACH = \$660	369.37
58	3,480	580.00	464.00	261.00	145.00	2,175.00	757.50	378.75	227.25	151.50		11 @ \$60 EACH = \$660	378.75
59	3,540	590.00	472.00	265.50	147.50	2,212.50	776.25	388.12	232.88	155.25		11 @ \$60 EACH = \$660	388.12
60	3,600	600.00	480.00	270.00	150.00	2,250.00	795.00	397.50	238.50	159.00		11 @ \$60 EACH = \$660	397.50
61	3,660	610.00	488.00	274.50	142.96	2,287.50	783.75	391.87	235.13	156.75		12 @ \$60 EACH = \$720	391.87
62	3,720	620.00	496.00	279.00	145.31	2,325.00	802.50	401.25	240.75	160.50		12 @ \$60 EACH = \$720	401.25
63	3,780	630.00	504.00	283.50	147.65	2,362.50	821.25	410.62	246.38	164.25		12 @ \$60 EACH = \$720	410.62
64	3,840	640.00	512.00	288.00	150.00	2,400.00	840.00	420.00	252.00	168.00		12 @ \$60 EACH = \$720	420.00



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## — BENCH SHOW RULES —

*Professional Kennel Club, LLC provides licensed Bench Shows in order to reward excellence in conformation and to provide professional-quality show activities for the owners of PKC registered dogs. It is well established that dogs that are anatomically sound, are better equipped to perform the tasks they were bred to do. PKC is a performance-dog registry. Bench Shows play an important part in attaining and maintaining the high standards of performance required by the rigors of PKC hunting events. PKC Bench Shows shall never preempt hunting events but rather shall serve to support those events by providing more excellent physical specimens for the hunting dog enthusiast to enjoy. The rules contained herein are applicable to PKC Beagle Shows.*

### DEFINITIONS

**PKC (Beagle Division), LLC** — PKC (Beagle Division), LLC, referred to as PKC, will license all show events, keep record of awards, and issue championship degrees. PKC will have no responsibility for accounting for and disbursing of proceeds, appointing judges, or determining winners of events. PKC reserves the right to withhold recognition of winners and may decline to license a club for future events at its sole discretion. PKC reserves the right to appoint a member of PKC management to serve as Show Director and/or manage any event it deems necessary.

**SPONSORING CLUB** — A Club, National Association, Breed Association, or State Association licensed by PKC to conduct events. The club will have complete authority to conduct events, determine winners and disburse awards. The club will appoint a Certified Show Director who will have full authority over the event. The club will rule on all questions concerning an event, including rule interpretation and disciplinary actions of members.

**SHOW DIRECTOR** — The club will appoint a “PKC Certified Show Director” who will have responsibility to select judges and to oversee the following:

- the taking of entries,
- the overall execution of the show,
- the disbursement of awards to the winners,
- the disbursement of proceeds to the club and PKC,
- the proper and accurate completion of the Official Show Report.

The Show Director shall be a PKC Certified Bench Show Judge. In general, the Show Director will be responsible to:

- See that the benches are properly placed and that ballot forms and pens are available for the Judges.
- Gather the Judge’s ballots, tally the scores, and inform the show announcer of the winners.
- Assure that the activities of the entry takers, Judges, show announcer, and the ring steward are in accordance with PKC Bench Show Rules and Policies.
- The Show Director shall not participate in the judging of the dogs except to assist in the measuring of dog(s) at the Judge’s request.

### SHOW JUDGE

Certification of Show Judges shall be granted and withheld at the sole discretion of PKC. Certification shall greatly depend upon the candidate’s general knowledge of canine anatomy, the Official PKC Breed Standards, and the Official PKC Bench Show Rules and is contingent upon final approval by PKC. Once approved, the certification is indefinite, however, PKC Bench Show Judge Certification shall be granted or withheld at the sole discretion of PKC. PKC reserves the right to revoke the Bench Show Judge Certification at any time it deems necessary. PKC Bench Show Judge Certification shall not be denied on the basis of sex, religion, race, or natural origin.

### ORDER OF THE SHOW

The PKC Bench Show shall consist of three (3) divisions as follows:

- Puppy Show \*; ■ Male Show; ■ Female Show
- Best of Show

\* In the event there are not enough pups to make a puppy show, they may be combined with the males and females.

- Dogs will be shown alphabetically by Class.

### PUPPY SHOW

Any PKC registered beagle older than six (6) months or younger than eighteen (18) months old may enter the show without being entered in the hunt. All males and females

more than eighteen (18) months old must be entered in the hunt before they can be entered in the show.

### BEST OF SHOW

Once the Best of each class have been selected from each division, bring the winners back to show for BEST OF SHOW.

### THE SHOW ARENA

Dogs will be shown on individual benches placed on a firm, level surface. The benches must be two (2) feet tall, eighteen (18) inches wide, and at least forty-four (44) inches long. The benches shall be covered with a non-slippery material such as astro-turf or indoor/outdoor carpeting to assure firm footing for the dogs.

The show arena shall be cordoned off in order to provide constant separation between the show ring and the gallery. The show ring shall be of adequate size to permit the gating of dogs and freedom of movement for the handlers and the judges. Dogs may only be permitted in the show arena when their class has been called. Otherwise, all dogs must remain in the staging area or outside the show arena while the show is in progress.

### AWARDS

The Official Chart of Awards shall determine the Awards to winners of PKC licensed Bench Shows based on the number of entries in each division. Awards will be paid to winners of PKC licensed Bench Shows as follows:

1. **BEST OF CLASS WINNERS** will receive seventy-five (75%) percent of awards amount from the Chart of Awards based on the number of entries in the class.
2. **BEST OF SHOW WINNERS** will receive twenty-five (25%) percent of awards amount from the Chart of Awards based on the number of entries in all classes.

### TAKING ENTRIES

The taking of entries must be supervised by the Show Director. The entry taker(s) will be careful to record the dog’s correct name and PKC registration number, owner’s name, owner’s PKC account number, handler’s name, and handler’s PKC account number on the Official PKC Show Entry Form and on the Show Director’s Report to be sent to PKC.

A person may be allowed to enter the Bench Show event without PKC membership and/or PKC registration of the dog as a “Guest” at any “Try One” event, \$10 event and \$15 event. This permit is issued free and is good for one (1) event for membership and/or registration. Indicate “Guest” in places on forms for PKC registration number and member’s account number. A person may enter only three (3) events each year as a “Guest.” Awards will not count toward any qualification or standing. A club may refuse the entry of a “Guest” at its’ discretion.

Entries may not be closed until advertised deadline. Show Director may take entries at his/her discretion after advertised deadline. Entries may not be taken after the calling of classes has begun. Each class must have a minimum of two entries to show.

### JUDGE’S RESPONSIBILITIES

1. A panel of (3) PKC Certified Bench Show Judges shall be used at all Major (Tour) Level PKC licensed Bench Shows. One (1) Judge may be used at Local-level shows. There will be no exceptions to this rule. The Judge(s) shall be willing to work under the direction of the Show Director at all times during the show.
2. All decisions by the Judge(s) concerning placement in the Bench Show are final and may not be appealed. Matters concerning misconduct of Judge(s) or Participants in conjunction with a PKC-licensed Bench Show may be directed to PKC and will be handled in accordance with published PKC Rules and Policies.
3. The Show Director shall instruct the Judge(s) of the following responsibilities. However, it is the Judge’s ultimate responsibility to see that the following steps are strictly adhered to:
  - A. Judge(s) shall not converse with each other while dog(s) are in the show ring.
  - B. Judge(s) shall not converse with anyone inside or outside the show ring concerning the placement of dog(s) while the show is in progress.
  - C. Judge(s) shall indicate their first, second and third choices in each class by secret ballot provided by the Show Director.
  - D. Judge(s) shall place dogs in accordance with the Official PKC Standards for the breed being shown. Showmanship shall not be a determining factor in declaring winners.



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- E. Judge(s) shall evaluate dog(s) on the ground, while gaiting, and on the bench when making their determination of class winners.
- F. Judge(s) shall evaluate dog(s) physically as well as visually with a "hands on" approach. Each Judge shall inspect each dog individually, except that one (1) Judge may inspect the dog's bite, properly descended testicles in males and spay incisions in females while the other two (2) Judges observe.
- G. Judge(s) shall present themselves in a professional manner. Casual attire is acceptable; shirt or blouse and slacks, in warmer weather. Jeans, shorts, or "tee" shirts are permitted but should be clean and in good taste.

### HANDLER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

1. It is the Handler's responsibility to ensure that his/her dog is shown in the proper class. Should a dog's name not be called for the proper class, the Handler shall go immediately to the Show Director or show announcer to advise them of the mistake. Once judging of the class has begun, no interruption may be made and the dog may not be shown. In such case, Handler forfeits the entry fee.
2. Handlers not presenting themselves and their dogs professionally in a clean and respectable manner, will be excused from the ring.
3. Handlers guilty of misconduct in the show ring or on the grounds during the show, will be excused and may be subject to disciplinary action on behalf of PKC. Decision to excuse a show participant for misconduct or dress violations to be made jointly between the Show Director and the Panel of Judges.
4. Handlers may not physically alter a dog's appearance beyond normal grooming practices. Handlers found guilty of altering dog's appearance through surgery, dyeing hair color, etc. will be subject to disciplinary action by PKC.
5. It is the handler's responsibility to see that proper PKC registration number of the dog, and proper PKC account number of the owner and handler are entered on the Bench Show Entry form.
6. It is the handler's responsibility to see that proper award amount is received and that proper numbers are on the Certificate of Earnings presented by the Show Director following the show.

### RING STEWARD'S RESPONSIBILITIES

1. The Ring Steward shall be appointed by the Show Director.
2. The Ring Steward shall be familiar with PKC Bench Show Rules and Policies and in particular with the portion titled "The Order of the Show."
3. The Ring Steward shall be in charge of the staging area and shall have each class prepared to enter the ring as the class is called by the show announcer.
4. The Ring Steward answers to the Show Director and shall remain alert to instructions given by the Show Director throughout the duration of the show.
5. The Ring Steward is not responsible to see that dog is entered in the proper class. This is the sole responsibility of the handler.
6. The Ring Steward is responsible to see that only dogs in the class being shown are in the show arena.
7. The Ring Steward shall report any incidence of misconduct or other violation of PKC Rules and Policies to the Show Director.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

1. In Major (Tour) Level shows, Judge(s) shall indicate first, second and third choices on the ballot. Scoring system will consist of a value of ten (10) points for a first choice, nine (9) points for a second choice, and eight (8) points for a third choice. Points will be tallied and winner announced.
2. In case of tie in scoring by Judge(s), only dogs involved will show again to break tie.
3. Females in heat will be disqualified and should not be brought into the show arena.
4. Dogs guilty of growling, snapping, or of biting other dogs or persons shall be disqualified and reported to PKC.
5. Grooming is restricted to areas outside the show arena and may not be done while participating in a class.
6. Artificial or edible lures or baits may not be utilized while the dog is being shown.
7. Coaching or "double handling" whereby an individual outside the ring instructs the handler, shall not be tolerated. Show Director shall warn handler on first offense.
8. No unprescribed drugs may be administered to any dog entered in a PKC Bench Show. PKC reserves the right to test any dog entered in the show, before, during or after the show in question. Violations will subject the owner/handler to disciplinary action by PKC.

### COMPLAINTS

All decisions by the Judge(s) concerning placement in the Bench Show are final and may not be appealed. Matters concerning misconduct of Judge(s) or Participants in conjunction with a PKC licensed Bench Show may be directed to PKC and will be handled in accordance with published Rules and Policies.

**HOLD HARMLESS CLAUSE** - *By entry in a PKC licensed event, an owner or handler agrees to hold PKC, the PKC National Association, the Club, the Judge(s), the Ring Steward, the Show Announcer, and the Show Director harmless in the event of accident, error, or misapplication of the rules. Any owner or handler may file a written complaint concerning actions of the sponsoring club. PKC will investigate the complaint and take necessary action, including but not limited to withholding recognition of winners and/or refusal to license the club for future events.*

### MEMBERSHIP AND REGISTRATION

Dogs must be PKC registered and the owners and handlers must be current PKC members in order to receive credit for awards earned. Dogs may be Single Registered and memberships taken at the PKC Hunt and Bench Show. Forms are included in the packet of show materials. These new members and newly registered dogs may participate in the show.

The Show Director will enclose the completed Membership and Registration forms, and appropriate fees with the Official Show Report to PKC. The word "pending" should be written in the blanks requiring PKC number and account number. (See Taking Entries for individuals wishing to compete in a "Guest" status.)

The Show Director will sign the forms and give copies to the member. This copy may be used by the new member to enter events until his papers are returned from PKC.

### LOCAL LEVEL BENCH SHOWS

**CHARTER FEES** - Clubs will be allowed to sanction Bench Shows on the local level provided they are a chartered club for no additional charter fees.

**ENTRY FEES** - Clubs may choose to hold \$25 or \$50 Bench Shows according to their preference and awards will be according to the Chart of Awards for each respective entry fee.

### CLUB RESPONSIBILITIES

1. **JUDGE** - Club will be responsible for obtaining the services on a PKC licensed Bench Show Judge, and any compensation of the Judge will be by private treaty between the Sponsoring Club and the Judge.
2. **CONDUCTING SHOW** - Club must appoint a certified Show Director, subject to approval of PKC. The individual will be responsible for:
  - A. taking entries for the Show, all Male and Female Class entrants must also be entered in and compete in the field.
  - B. conducting the show according to PKC policies;
  - C. issuing awards and earnings receipts to the winners,
  - D. submitting completed Bench Show Report to the PKC Office along with the appropriate fees.

### COMPETITION YEAR

The PKC Bench Show Competition Year begins on January 1st of each year and concludes on December 31st.

### QUALIFICATION PERIOD

Qualification period for the PKC Beagle World Championship begins on March 1st of each year and concludes on the last day of February of the following year.

### PKC WORLD SHOW CHAMPIONSHIP

All dogs earning \$50 in the field during the competition season will be eligible to participate in the PKC World Bench Show Championship to be held each year in March in conjunction with the PKC World Beagle Championship.

### WORLD SHOW FORMAT

- All dogs that have qualified in the field by earning \$50 in the qualification year are eligible to compete for the title, PKC World Show Champion. PKC Rabbit Champions will also be allowed to compete for the title, even if not entered in the field.
- Dogs will compete within the guidelines of a PKC Open Show as outlined in the PKC Bench Show Rules.
- PKC earnings from the chart will be paid.
- The entry fee will be determined and announced by PKC.
- Each Best Male, Best Female and Best Puppy will earn a cash prize.



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## — BENCH SHOW RULES —

### PKC HUNTING BEAGLE GENERAL APPEARANCE

*PKC Hunting Beagles should excel as a hunter while possessing excellent conformation.*

*The Beagle has a close hard hound coat of medium hair. Ears lay close to the head. Usually tri-color (black, white and tan), but all typical hound color combinations are acceptable.*

*Because the Beagle is first and foremost a hunting hound, scars (the result of honorable wounds) shall not be considered faults nor shall those faults be penalized by Judges. This includes cuts, nicks, notches on the ears, and/or ears that are frayed at the edges from working in brush, tall grass, etc.*

### —BEAGLE CONFIRMATION GUIDELINES—

#### —HEAD & SKULL—

The skull is fairly long. It is slightly domed at the occiput. The cranium is broad and full. The muzzle is of medium length. It is straight, and square cut, with the stop moderately defined.

#### —TEETH—

A full complement of strong, white teeth meet in a scissors or level bite.

#### —EYES—

The large eyes are set well apart. They have a soft, hound-like expression; gentle and pleading. They are brown or hazel in color.

#### —EARS—

The ears are set moderately low, setting close to the head. The forward edge turns slightly into the cheek. They are long reaching when drawn out, extending nearly to the end of the nose. They are fine in texture. The ears are fairly broad and rounded at the tip; with almost no erectile power.

#### —NECK—

The medium-length neck rises free and light from the shoulders. It is strong in substance, yet not loaded. The throat is clean and free of folds of skin. A slight wrinkle below the angle of the jaw is acceptable.

**Faults:** *A thick, short neck carried on a line with the top of the shoulder. Throat showing dewlap and folds of skin, termed "throatiness."*

#### —FORE-QUARTERS—

The clean, muscular, sloping shoulders convey the idea of freedom of action with activity and strength. They are not heavy nor loaded.

#### —FORE-LEGS—

The straight fore-legs have plenty of bone in proportion to the size of the hound. The pasterns are short and straight.

**Faults:** *Straight, upright shoulder. Out at the elbows. Knees buckled or bent backwards. Crooked or bowed fore-legs.*

#### —BODY—

The chest is deep and broad, but not so much as to interfere with the free play of the shoulders. The back is muscular and strong. The broad loins are slightly arched. The well-sprung ribs provide an abundance of lung room.

**Faults:** *Disproportionately wide chest. Lack of chest depth. Very long, swayed, or roached back. Flat, narrow loins. Flat, narrow ribs.*

#### —HINDQUARTERS—

The strong, well-muscled hips and thighs provide an abundance of propelling power.

#### —HIND LEGS—

The stifles are strong and well let down. The firm, symmetrical hocks are moderately bent.

#### —FEET—

The feet are close, round, and firm. The pads are full and hard.

**Faults:** *Long feet. Open, spreading feet.*

#### —TAIL—

The tail is set moderately high. It is carried gaily over the back with a slight curve, not turned forward. It is short as compared with the size of the hound, and has a brush. Faults: A long tail. Excessive curve. Inclined forward from the root. Rat tail with absence of brush.

#### —COLOR—

All typical hound color combinations. No solid colors are acceptable.

#### —DISQUALIFICATIONS—

Dog measured over 16" tall in the field. Viciousness or extreme shyness. Undershot bite. Overshot bite (Undershot or Overshot is defined as having a visible gap between the upper and lower teeth.) Albinism. Deaf. Blind.

— BEAGLE BENCH SHOW —	
<i>Championship Degree Requirements</i>	
Champion .....	\$250.00 - \$999.99
Silver Champion .....	\$1,000.00 - \$2,499.99
Gold Champion .....	\$2,500.00 - \$4,999.99
Platinum Champion .....	\$5,000.00 and above





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**BEAGLE BENCH SHOW**

*Charts Of Awards*

**—\$10 ENTRY FEE—**

# ENTRIES	PROCEEDS	AWARDS	CLUB FEE	PKC FEE	ESCROW	CLASS	SHOW
2	20.00	12.00	4.00	2.50	1.50	9.00	3.00
3	30.00	18.00	6.00	4.00	2.00	13.50	4.50
4	40.00	24.00	8.00	5.00	3.00	18.00	6.00
5	50.00	30.00	10.00	6.00	4.00	22.50	7.50
6	60.00	36.00	12.00	7.00	5.00	27.00	9.00
7	70.00	42.00	14.00	8.00	6.00	31.50	10.50
8	80.00	48.00	16.00	9.50	6.50	36.00	12.00

**—\$15 ENTRY FEE—**

# ENTRIES	PROCEEDS	AWARDS	CLUB FEE	PKC FEE	ESCROW	CLASS	SHOW
2	30.00	18.00	6.00	3.60	2.40	13.50	4.50
3	45.00	27.00	9.00	5.40	3.60	20.25	6.75
4	60.00	36.00	12.00	7.20	4.80	27.00	9.00
5	75.00	45.00	15.00	9.00	6.00	33.75	11.25
6	90.00	54.00	18.00	10.80	7.20	40.50	13.50
7	105.00	63.00	21.00	12.60	8.40	47.25	15.75
8	120.00	72.00	24.00	14.40	9.60	54.00	18.00

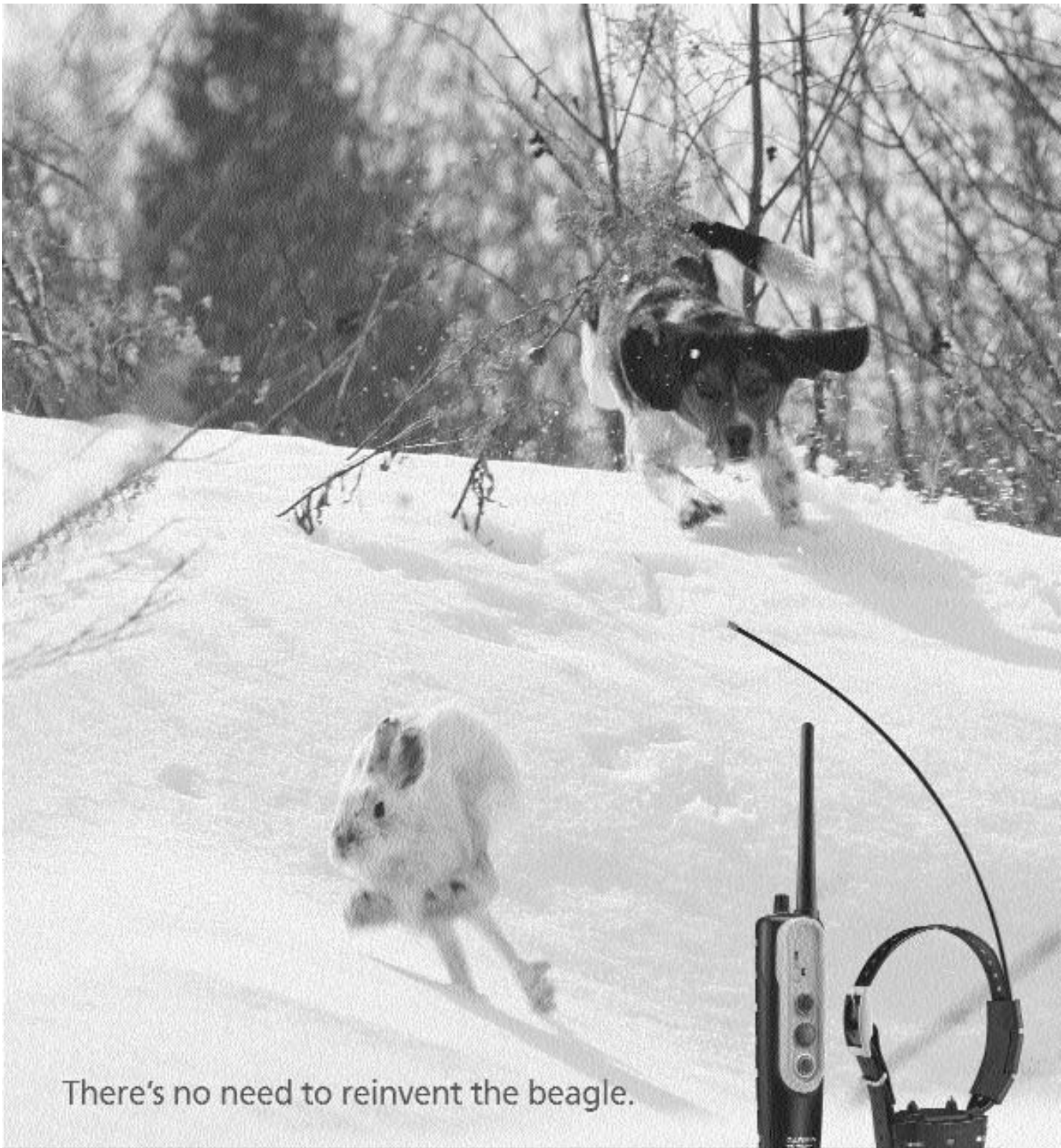
**—\$25 ENTRY FEE—**

# ENTRIES	PROCEEDS	AWARDS	CLUB FEE	PKC FEE	ESCROW	CLASS	SHOW
2	50.00	30.00	10.00	6.00	4.00	22.50	7.50
3	75.00	45.00	15.00	9.00	6.00	33.75	11.25
4	100.00	60.00	20.00	12.00	8.00	45.00	15.00
5	125.00	75.00	25.00	15.00	10.00	56.25	18.75
6	150.00	90.00	30.00	18.00	12.00	67.50	22.50
7	175.00	105.00	35.00	21.00	14.00	78.75	26.25
8	200.00	120.00	40.00	24.00	16.00	90.00	30.00

**—\$50 ENTRY FEE—**

# ENTRIES	PROCEEDS	AWARDS	CLUB FEE	PKC FEE	ESCROW	CLASS	SHOW
2	100.00	60.00	20.00	12.00	8.00	45.00	15.00
3	150.00	90.00	30.00	18.00	12.00	67.50	22.50
4	200.00	120.00	40.00	24.00	16.00	90.00	30.00
5	250.00	150.00	50.00	30.00	20.00	112.50	37.50
6	300.00	180.00	60.00	36.00	24.00	135.00	45.00
7	350.00	210.00	70.00	42.00	28.00	157.50	52.50
8	400.00	240.00	80.00	48.00	32.00	180.00	60.00





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### 1. DEFINITIONS

**A. PKC (Beagle Division), LLC**, referred to as PKC, will license all events, and keep record of winnings, issue championship degrees, and World Championship qualification. PKC will have no responsibility for accounting for and disbursing of proceeds, appointing Judges, or determining winners of events. PKC reserves the right to withhold recognition of winners and may decline to license a club for future events at its sole discretion. PKC reserves the right to appoint a member of PKC management to serve as Hunt Director and/or manage any event it deems necessary.

**B. SPONSORING CLUB** - The sponsoring club will be a club licensed by PKC to conduct events. The club will have complete authority to conduct events, determine winners and disburse awards. The club will appoint a certified Hunt Director who will have full authority over the event. The club will rule on all questions concerning an event, including rule interpretation and disciplinary action of members. The National Association and PKC shall have the authority to correct gross errors by clubs at its discretion. A club may be licensed to hold PKC Beagle Events for an annual fee of \$50. The license period is January 1st until December 31st of each calendar year. The club may be licensed for a single "try one" event for \$25.

**C. SCHEDULING EVENTS** - Events will be scheduled upon the club's reasonable request, based on the schedules of other clubs in the area and the best interest of PKC. However, no event will be scheduled within one-hundred fifty (150) miles of another previously scheduled event. Schedule should be made for the entire year. Schedule changes shall be submitted in advance of requested change, and will be based on availability of dates, and the time frame involved with getting the requested change printed on [Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://Pkcbeagledivision.com). Larger events will take precedence over club's schedule. Any club date displaced by a major event will be rescheduled upon the club's reasonable request for a mutually available date. Club or PKC may cancel events within a reasonable time frame before the date of the scheduled event. Additional events may be scheduled based upon club's success and date availability at the sole discretion of PKC. All events will count in standings only if listed on [Pkcbeagledivision.com](http://Pkcbeagledivision.com) before the date of the event or prior approval has been received from PKC. Club will normally schedule \$25 and/or \$50 events as schedule will permit. Clubs that fail to conduct satisfactory events, fail to provide a qualified Hunt Director, or fail to provide qualified judges, in the sole discretion of PKC, have their total number of events reduced or their license suspended. Clubs who fail to answer a complaint or cooperate with PKC in resolving a complaint may not be considered for a future license. Added Purse events must be scheduled as provided in PKC Events section of PKC Beagle Event Rules and Policies Manual.

**D. ADDED PURSE EVENTS** - Added Purse events must be scheduled at least sixty (60) days in advance and must be at least one hundred fifty (150) miles from any other added purse event. PKC's recommendation is that added purse funds be distributed to the dogs with the best scores in the event, OR to the dog with the best score in each category. However, disbursement of the total added purse will be at the discretion of the Host Club, provided distribution formula is announced and posted in plain view of all contestants, prior to the beginning of the event.

- (1) ADDED PURSE DISTRIBUTION TO TOP (4) DOGS IN TRIAL** - Should the Host Club choose to disburse funds to the best four (4) scores in the event, said funds should be distributed as follows:
- 1st Place - Forty (40%) percent of Total Added Purse
  - 2nd Place - Thirty (30%) of Total Added Purse
  - 3rd Place - Twenty (20%) percent of Total Added Purse
  - 4th Place - Ten (10%) percent of Total Added Purse

**(2) ADDED PURSE DISTRIBUTION TO BEST SCORE IN EACH CATEGORY** - Should the Host Club choose to disburse added purse funds to the dog with the best score in each category, said funds should be distributed as follows:

- Best Score (Hunting Category) -  
Twenty-five (25%) percent of Total Added Purse
- Best Score (Trailing Category) -  
Twenty-five (25%) percent of Total Added Purse
- Best Score (Speed and Drive Category) -  
Twenty-five (25%) percent of Total Added Purse
- Best Score (Endurance Category) -  
Twenty-five (25%) percent of Total Added Purse

### E. ELECTRONIC TRAINING/TRACKING DEVICES

- (1) Tracking devices may be used.
- (2) Shock collars may be used to stop an off game chase, or to retrieve a dog should the dog venture in to an undesirable area. Abuse of this policy shall result in the dog being scratched from the event.

**F. COMPLAINTS** - The Handler of any dog entered in a sanctioned event may file a complaint with the Hunt Director, provided complaint is filed within thirty (30) minutes of the score sheet posting. The Handler will be required to file the complaint in writing. A complaint deposit of \$50 (fifty dollars) shall be required to accompany the written complaint. A three (3) member panel will be selected by a PKC Beagle Director or Regional Representative to determine the disposition of the complaint. If the panel rules in favor of the complainant, deposit shall be returned. If the panel's ruling does not favor the complainant, deposit fee will be forfeited to PKC.

### 2. PARTICIPANTS

**A. MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENT** - Owners and handlers of dogs participating in PKC Licensed Beagle events must be current members (or be a guest of PKC) in good standing. It is the owner and/or handler's responsibility to know the rules contained herein and to abide by them. The owner and/or handler also agree to accept and abide by the decision of the Judge and the Hunt Director. Handlers only will be responsible for bringing formal questions and appeals to the Hunt Director.

**B. GUEST HUNTERS** - Guest hunters shall be permitted to enter \$25 events and "Try One" hunts only. A person may enter only three (3) events per year as a "Guest Hunter" and awards will not count toward any qualification or standing. A club may refuse the entry of a guest hunter at its discretion. Indicate "Guest" in places for PKC number of dog and Membership number of owner and/or handler.

**SPECIAL NOTE** - *In all events, owner and handler must be current members, and dog must be PKC registered in order for credit to be received.*

### 3. ENTRY REQUIREMENT

There must be a minimum of five (5) entries to hold a PKC sanctioned hunt.

### 4. MEASUREMENT REQUIREMENT

No dog may be over 16" to be eligible to compete in a PKC sanctioned event.

### 5. IDENTIFICATION OF DOGS IN THE TRIAL

- A. All dogs must wear numbers corresponding with those numbers issued at the entry desk. Numbers must be plainly visible on either side, and must be painted, bleached, or dyed on sides of dogs.
- B. A representative of the Host Club will issue numbers. Acceptable numbers are 0 (zero) through 999 (nine hundred ninety-nine).

### 6. AWARDS

A. Awards shall be determined according to the Chart of Awards for the specific entry fee event, which is based on the number of entries in the event. The awards charts shall be adhered to, without exception.



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B. Calcuttas may or may not be conducted at the discretion of the host club. Clubs may only organize, sponsor, and/or conduct calcuttas or jackpots or other similar events in accordance with applicable state gaming laws. Such events shall in no way interfere with or restrict the normal and customary length of hunt times. PKC reserves the right to intervene and cancel or modify any calcutta or jackpot or any other similar event that interferes with the function of a PKC sanctioned event or that may adversely impact or negatively affect the operations, image or reputation of PKC.

## 7. FIELD TRIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

A. **HUNT OFFICIALS** - The Host Club shall be required to furnish at least four (4) non-hunting field judges and/or groups of three (3) hunting Judges. Judges shall be required to initial all score sheets certifying that the scoring of any dog is accurate. Judges for Major events will be assigned by PKC National Directors.

B. **ENTRY TAKING** - A representative of the host club will record all entries and shall announce when entries are closed. No entries shall be accepted after this announcement has been made. As soon as entries are closed, the representative shall create a numerical list of all entries and present said list to the Hunt Director for roll call.

C. **HUNT DIRECTOR** - The Hunt Director shall be appointed by the President of the Host Club, subject to the approval of the Board of Directors of the respective club. He/she shall call and conduct all meetings of the judges, as well as, act as their Secretary. The Hunt Director's duties and responsibilities shall include, but are not limited to, the following:

- (1) He/she shall give handlers any information needed as to directions to enable them to keep within a reasonable distance of the dogs.
- (2) He/she shall instruct handlers and spectators not to converse with judges. Handlers and spectators are not to discuss with each other the work done, or the merits or demerits of any competing dog while in hearing distance of the judges. It shall be his duty to report any and all infringements of this rule to the President of the Host Club. The offenders will be subject to expulsion from the grounds.
- (3) He/she shall instruct may ride to the dogs and shall direct the handlers and assist the judges in every proper way possible.
- (4) He/she shall instruct shall be responsible to instruct handlers to refrain from discussing any dog's qualities or faults with the judges.
- (5) He/she shall instruct shall be required to post the casting time and starting location for each day at hunt headquarters. This post should be placed in a location that is clearly visible to all participants, and shall be required to be posted the evening before the respective casting day.
- (6) He/she shall instruct announce the end of each day's hunt according to the rules governing it by blowing his/her horn.
- (7) He/she shall have the authority to order removal from the hunting ground, any dog affected with a contagious disease or any females in season.
- (8) He/she shall place the judges to the best advantage at his discretion.
- (9) He/she shall have no input in any question regarding scores or eliminations in the Judges' Meeting. He may be consulted on all questions in general but shall not offer any suggestions in any particular case, and shall not cause the changing of any scores.
- (10) He/she must not allow judges or Judging groups to compare notes one to another at any time. Any discussion of dogs must be after the Hunt Director calls the dog's number in the Judges' Meeting, and no dog shall be discussed by the judges before this meeting.

(11) He/she must be as accurate as possible in presenting scores at the meetings.

(12) He/she shall require that these rules are strictly enforced and trials shall be judged according to these rules without exception. Hunt Director and Judges' personal preference shall not interfere. Hunt Director must review the running rules and regulations at a Judges' Meeting prior to the beginning of a field trial.

(13) In case of extreme emergency, such as dogs on dangerous highways or irate landowners, which endangers the safety of a large number of dogs or the safety of the general public, the Hunt Director and the Host Club President may jointly order the dogs picked up under the supervision of the Hunt Director and recast at that day's casting grounds under the Hunt Director's supervision.

(14) He/she may order that a scratched dog be "crated" should said dog be in the immediate area of major highways, railroads or a population center that could endanger the lives of other dogs or people.

(15) **HOME PLATE JUDGE** - The Hunt Director shall select, from the list of proposed judges, a Home Plate Judge. This judge is to record the entry number of any dog returning to the casting grounds, the time it came, and how long it stayed. He should take notes on the actions of such dog(s) and report it to the judges in their meeting.

a. **DOGS RETURNING TO CASTING GROUND** - Should a dog return to the casting ground before the hunt expires, it should be the duty of the Home Plate judge to urge such dog to continue hunting. The judge should, in all fairness to the dog and handler, call the dog away from the crowd and give it every opportunity to recast. If the dog then refuses to hunt, it is the duty of the Home Plate Judge to recommend to the judges that the dog be scratched.

b. **LOAFING** - Once the Home Plate Judge has been firmly convinced that a dog(s) is loafing, he shall kennel said dog(s) in a truck provided for that purpose or present said dog(s) to their handlers. Said dog(s) shall be scratched for loafing and eliminated from the event.

## 8. ROLL CALL

A. On each day of the hunt, all dogs must answer roll call. Failure to answer roll call will result in elimination from the event. The daily score sheets are to show "Failed to Answer".

B. Casting from trucks and trailers (commonly known as "tailgating") shall be permitted at all PKC Large Pack Events.

## 9. DOG OWNERS/HANDLERS/SPECTATORS

A. **HANDLER** - A handler is defined as any person who takes the dog into the field to compete, after the dog has been entered in the event. The owner or handler hunting a dog must not speak to or urge said dog on in any manner. Should any owner or handler be found guilty of injuring or purposely interfering with an opponent's dog, said owner or handler will be suspended from the association and all of his entries cancelled by the PKC Directors for a period of time.

B. **SPECTATOR** - A spectator is defined as any person going into the field to observe the hunt, shall be recognized as such, and is not considered as a participant in the hunt. Spectators are not permitted to touch a dog, talk to a dog, or encourage a dog in any way while in the field.

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### 11. JUDGING THE FIELD

A. **BABBLING** - Dogs will be allowed five (5) minutes after being cast before any may be reported by the judges for babbling. A dog shall be scratched for babbling. Babbling is defined as giving false tongue to the extent of interfering with the chase. Dog(s) babbling to the extent of interfering with dogs or the chase and seen by two (2) or more judges who agree that such is the case may be ordered tied up or crated by such judges.

B. **FAILURE TO HUNT ("HARK")** - A dog "thrown out" or "coming in" and refusing to hunt or "hark" to others shall be reported for failing to hark by judges during their meeting. Judges shall attempt to determine what game the dog is failing to hark to. Dogs failing to hark to a known rabbit race may be scratched at the discretion of a judge, as to whether the dog is in reasonable vicinity of such race.

C. **RUNNING OFF GAME** - All dogs that run any game other than rabbit or hare shall not receive any points for running this "off game". Dogs running deer, fox or coyote may not be scratched but cannot be scored. Judges should make every effort possible to break up a deer, fox, or coyote chase. Dogs must be given reasonable time to hunt on after being scolded when spectators or judges are breaking up a deer, fox or coyote race. All scores and/or scratched dogs must be by majority decision of hunting group. Dogs guilty of such actions as running stock, stock paths, dogs or horse tracks, backtracking, running a covered track, babbling at a fence, stream or indiscriminate babbling, shall be scratched.

D. **LOAFING** - A dog that shows no inclination to hunt may be reported for loafing by the judges at their meeting and be disqualified.

E. **REASONABLE DOUBT** - Judges shall use their own discretion in scoring or scratching dogs. Where reasonable doubt arises regarding the good work or faults of dogs, judges shall question the scoring of said dogs until such time as they may become convinced of the value, either positive or negative, of the work.

F. **HUNTING TIME** - A minimum of four (4) hours of hunting time is allocated for each event. Hunting time may be extended or shortened by majority vote of the Hunt Director and a majority of the judges. At any point prior to the expiration of the required four (4) hours of hunting time, should the Hunt Director determine that, due to unfavorable conditions, that dogs cannot trail or run a rabbit or hare, he will contact a majority of the judges and suspend the hunt.

G. **TIME KEEPING** - Judges' watches must be synchronized with that of the Hunt Director each day, preferably at time of casting.

H. **SCORE KEEPING** - When positive work or faults are observed in the field by a judge, the exact time must be recorded along with his recommendations based on said observations. It is imperative that both the exact time and the quality of the work observed be recorded correctly; this requirement cannot be over stressed. Judges shall be required to initial all score sheets certifying that the scoring of any dog is accurate.

I. **DIVIDED PACKS** - Should a pack become divided, the judges must separate and carefully note and record the work of each pack.

J. **FOLLOWING DOGS** - Judges should follow dogs after each casting as closely as possible, but must not carry the dogs off or out of the territory they wish to hunt.

K. **SCORED FOR HUNTING** - When a dog cries a cold track, other dogs that cast wide, hunting for the warmer scent of the rabbit may be scored for Hunting. The judge must record the time when recording a dog's work.

L. **CRATED DOGS** - Any dog that is crated by its owner, handler or by a Judge shall be scratched, regardless of the amount of time it is in the box, and is eliminated from that specific event.

M. **RETURNING DOG(S) TO HOME PLATE JUDGE** - Any dog deemed, by a hunt official, to be in danger or out of the hunting area, and picked up by a handler or official, must be immediately returned to the casting area and reported to the Home Plate Judge(s). The Home Plate Judge(s) will instruct the handler on how to proceed.

### 12. FOUR (4) CATEGORIES

A. The four (4) categories for scoring dogs may be defined as follows:  
(1) Hunting | (2) Trailing |  
(3) Speed and Drive | (4) Endurance

### 13. JUDGES' MEETING

A. **DAILY MEETINGS** - Judges shall hold a daily meeting as soon as possible after each round. Judges and the Hunt Director shall be the only personnel permitted to attend these meetings. No owners, handlers, spectators, or others will be allowed.

B. **MAJORITY RULE** - Majority Rule shall apply in all cases. The Hunt Director shall preside as the secretary at the Judges' Meetings. He shall keep in his possession, the score sheet, one other than the one that is posted. His private score sheet should be scored with indelible pencil. The Hunt Director shall request scores and record said scores on the tally sheet according to the majority vote of the judges. There shall be an individual daily score sheet kept on suitable forms provided by the Host Club. This form shall include the number of dogs, name(s) of the judge(s) that scored or scratched the dog, the various times the dog was scored, its total possible score, and the final score voted by the judges. These sheets shall be kept remain in the confidential possession of the Hunt Director. Provided no formal protests are filed within ten (10) days from the posting time of the final score sheet, said score sheets shall be destroyed. Should a formal protest be filed and accepted, score sheets shall be retained pending disposition by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall render its decision in writing to the Hunt Director; he/she shall announce the result and issue awards.

C. **POSTING DAILY SCORE SHEETS** - After the conclusion of the Judges' Meeting each day, the Hunt Director shall publicly post the daily score sheet at hunt headquarters, inclusive of each dog's score at that point in the event.

D. **JUDGE'S DECISIONS** - Judge's decisions shall be made in the following four (4) categories: Hunting, Trailing, Speed and Drive, and Endurance. Ten (10) places shall be awarded in each of these four (4) categories.

E. **SCORING** - Scoring shall begin with a minimum of ten (10) points and shall be increased consistently in multiples of five (5). No one judge shall give a merit or demerit to any dog in any category. It takes the majority vote of the judges to score positive or negative. Scores shall be requested by the Hunt Director in the order of roll call.

F. **ELIMINATION** - Hunt Director shall ask the following question: "Is there any reason why this dog should be eliminated?" If the majority of the judges vote to eliminate #1, the Hunt Director draws a line across said dog's score sheet and the reason for elimination is recorded in the respective column. If not scratched, proceed to Scoring Categories.

### 14. SCORING CATEGORIES

A. **HUNTING CATEGORY** - Majority vote of the judges shall determine the number of points received for Hunting. A single judge's vote is not necessarily added to other judge's votes. Each judge having observed the dog shall recommend the highest score he thinks the respective dog should have. The highest score agreed upon by the majority of judges will be the dog's score in the Hunting category for the respective heat.



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*During the first hour of competition in any one day's event, a dog can receive no more than ten (10) points for work done within the respective hour; a maximum of fifteen (15) points during the respective second hour; a maximum of twenty (20) points during the respective third hour; and a maximum of twenty-five (25) points during the respective fourth hour.*

**B. TRAILING CATEGORY** - Majority vote of the judges shall determine the number of points received for Trailing. A single judges' vote is not necessarily added to other judge's votes. Each judge having observed the dog shall recommend the highest score he thinks the respective dog should have. The highest score agreed upon by the majority of judges will be the dog's score in the Trailing category for the respective heat.

- (1) Dogs can only be scored for producing "jumping" a rabbit or making a check; scoring decisions are determined by the majority of the scoring group.
- (2) Dogs can score no more than thirty (30) points during any twenty (20) minute interval. A dog may only receive a maximum of thirty (30) points during any one (1) interval by producing a rabbit or hare. Dogs can only receive their best Trailing score during each twenty (20) minute interval.
- (3) A trailing dog that produces a rabbit or hare automatically receives thirty (30) points. Any dog awarded a "check" by the judges shall receive twenty (20) points for said check.

**C. SPEED AND DRIVE CATEGORY** - Majority vote of the judges shall determine the number of points received for Speed and Drive. A single judges' vote is not necessarily added to other judge's votes. Each judge having observed the dog shall recommend the highest score he thinks the respective dog should have. The highest score agreed upon by the majority of judges will be the dog's score in the Speed and Drive category for the respective heat according to the following procedure:

- (1) The dog leading the pack shall receive thirty-five (35) points;
- (2) The second dog shall receive thirty (30) points;
- (3) The third dog shall receive twenty-five (25) points;
- (4) The fourth dog shall receive twenty (20) points.
- (5) Other dogs in the pack shall receive fifteen (15) points each.
- (6) No dog shall receive more than thirty-five (35) points in any one (1) ten (10) minute interval.
- (7) During any ten (10) minute period, dogs shall only receive their best score.
- (8) If observed by a judge, a dog running a rabbit alone may receive a maximum of twenty (20) points.
- (9) At any time a judge fails to score the first dog running a rabbit at a crossing, no points shall be awarded to any dogs at that crossing.
- (10) Should a judge fail to view the number of any dog in the order of said dog's position at a specific crossing, he/she shall stop scoring that crossing and resume scoring at another crossing.

**D. ENDURANCE CATEGORY** - Majority vote of the judges shall determine the number of points received for Endurance. A single judges' vote is not necessarily added to other judge's votes. Each judge having observed the dog shall recommend the highest score he thinks the respective dog should have. The highest score agreed upon by the majority of judges will be the dog's score in the Endurance category for the respective heat.

- (1) All dogs scoring in Hunting or Trailing categories AND the Speed and Drive category with a combined total of forty (40) or more points during a field trial shall automatically earn a score of one-fourth (¼) of its total combined score beginning with a minimum of ten (10) points. This formula is to be in multiples of five (5) points when possible, and shall be calculated only on the final day for dogs finishing

the trial. Each day's score shall count, but shall be tabulated only on the last day of the trial. Endurance scores will be tabulated on the last day of a trial and that total will be posted in the Endurance column on the Daily Sheets before beginning the calculations for the Highest General Average.

- (2) To receive an Endurance score, a dog must have scored in either Hunting or Trailing, as well as, also having scored in Speed and Drive, during the entire trial. Therefore, no dog can have an Endurance score which he/she has not earned.

#### EXAMPLE #1

*Dog #5 has ten (10) points in Hunting, ten (10) points in Trailing, fifteen (15) points in Speed and Drive. This dog has scored across the board but has less than a sum total of forty (40) points; dog is not eligible for an Endurance score.*

#### EXAMPLE #2

*Dog #20 has no points in Hunting, no points in Trailing, two hundred (200) points in Speed and Drive; therefore, it would not be eligible for an Endurance score.*

#### EXAMPLE #3

*Dog #30 has ten (10) in Hunting, twenty (20) in Trailing, fifteen (15) in Speed and Drive; a total of 45 points for the entire trial. This dog would receive one-fourth (¼) of his entire score; ten (10) points for Endurance.*

#### EXAMPLE #4

*Dog #40 has sixty (60) points in Hunting; no Trailing points, and ninety (90) Speed and Drive points for the entire trial. Its' endurance score would be thirty-five (35) points.*

#### EXAMPLE #5

*Dog #50 has no points in Hunting; fifty (50) points in trailing; one hundred twenty-five (125) points in Speed and Drive; a total of one hundred seventy-five points for the entire trial. This dog would receive the closest one-quarter (¼) rounded score; forty (40) Endurance points.*

#### EXAMPLE #5

*Dog #60 has ninety-five (95) Hunting points; 65 Trailing points; 200 Speed and Drive points; for a total score of 360 points for the entire event. All dogs receive Endurance points earned and each must earn its' own scores (to be figured on the last day of the trial).*

## 15. SCORING METHOD

The same scoring procedure shall be used throughout the trial. After final decision of judges, the highest scoring dog in Hunting is the winner of the Hunting Category; the highest scoring dog in Trailing is winner of the Trailing Category; the highest scoring dog in Speed and Drive is the winner of the respective category; and the highest scoring dog in Endurance is the winner of the Endurance Category. Hunting Category shall be finished first; Trailing next; Speed and Drive next; followed by Endurance in the respective order as one (1) category has no bearing on the other.

## 16. TIE BREAKING PROCEDURE

- A. Ties shall be broken through the ten (10) places in each of the four (4) categories. Should two (2) or more dogs be tied with the same score in any one category, the dog having the largest total daily score in all categories shall be declared the winner of that category; the dog having the next largest total score shall be second, and process repeated.



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Should a tie exist between two (2) or more dogs with the same score in any one category and are also tied in the total daily score in all categories, it shall be broken in the manner set forth for tie-breaking in the Highest General Average.

- B. No ties shall be broken by a judges' vote except in the case of a tie where two (2) or more dogs are tied in all four (4) categories. Should this tie occur, the tie shall be broken by a judges' vote.

#### 17. HIGHEST GENERAL AVERAGE

Each dog's general average total shall be a combination of all points earned in all categories. After completion of all four (4) categories for each dog, the Highest General Average shall be calculated. The Highest General Average of each dog for the first ten (10) places shall be determined as follows:

- (1) The highest scoring dog in each category shall receive one hundred (100) points.
- (2) The second highest scoring dog in each category shall receive ninety (90) points.
- (3) The third highest scoring dog in each category shall receive eighty (80) points.
- (4) The fourth highest scoring dog in each category shall receive seventy (70) points.
- (5) The fifth highest scoring dog in each category shall receive sixty (60) points.
- (6) The sixth highest scoring dog in each category shall receive fifty (50) points.
- (7) The seventh highest scoring dog in each category shall receive forty (40) points.
- (8) The eighth highest scoring dog in each category shall receive thirty (30) points.
- (9) The ninth highest scoring dog in each category shall receive twenty (20) points.
- (10) The tenth highest scoring dog in each category shall receive ten (10) points.

*For example, consider the first dog on your daily score sheet. If he won Hunting, he begins with one hundred (100) points, placed second in Trailing, he receives ninety (90) additional points; third in Speed and Drive, he receives eighty (80) additional points; and second place in Endurance, he receives ninety (90) additional points. Therefore, Dog #1 has a Highest General Average score of three hundred sixty (360) points. Dog #2 places second in Hunting and receives ninety (90) points; he fails to score in Trailing, but is second in Speed and Drive and fourth in Endurance, for a total of two hundred fifty (250) points for its' Highest General Average score. Dog #3 placed fourth in Hunting, fourth in Trailing, first in Speed and Drive, and third in Endurance. Its' Highest General Average score is three hundred twenty (320) points. The scores for Highest General Average are calculated through tenth place. The dog with the highest point total is awarded first (1st) place; next highest point total is awarded second (2nd) place, and the same process repeated through tenth (10th) place. Refer to Daily Score Sheets for scores in breaking all ties.*

#### 18. HIGHEST GENERAL AVERAGE TIE BREAKING PROCEDURE

- A. In the event of a tie, the highest scoring dog in the Hunting category of dogs tied shall be the winner. If still tied, the highest scoring dog in the Trailing category shall break the tie. If dogs remain tied, the highest scoring dog in Speed and Drive shall be declared the winner. In the event a dog has no Speed and Drive score, there will be no Endurance

score, but in the event dogs remain tied in Speed and Drive, the Endurance shall break the tie. In the event dogs remain tied in Endurance, the latest dog scored in Hunting shall break the tie. If a tie remains, the latest Trailing score shall break the tie. If still tied, the latest Speed and Drive score shall untie the tie.

- B. A perfect score is four hundred (400) points, and requires placing first (1st) in each of the four (4) categories.

#### 19. HOLD HARMLESS CLAUSE

BY YOUR ENTRY IN A PKC EVENT YOU AGREE TO HOLD PKC, PKC NATIONAL BEAGLE ASSOCIATION, THE CLUB, THE JUDGE, GUIDE, AND HUNT DIRECTOR HARMLESS IN THE EVENT OF ACCIDENT, ERROR, OR MISAPPLICATION OF THE RULES. ANY OWNER OR HANDLER MAY FILE A WRITTEN COMPLAINT CONCERNING ACTIONS OF THE SPONSORING CLUB. PKC WILL INVESTIGATE THE COMPLAINT AND TAKE NECESSARY ACTION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, WITHHOLDING RECOGNITION OF WINNERS, AND/OR REFUSING TO LICENSE THE CLUB FOR FUTURE EVENTS.

#### 21. GOOD JUDGMENT

These rules are written and intended to identify and reward the dog that hunts, strikes, jumps, and runs a rabbit better than the other dogs in his cast according to the guidelines within these rules. At times it will be necessary to use good judgment rather than a literal interpretation of these rules toward this end. It is within the scope of these rules for the Judge and/or Hunt Director (panel) to rule on a situation not specifically covered in detail by these rules.

**USE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ILLEGAL DRUGS OR ANY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED ON THE GROUNDS OF OR WHILE PARTICIPATING IN A PKC SANCTIONED EVENT. ANYONE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL, ILLEGAL DRUGS OR ANY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE WILL BE REFUSED ENTRY AND SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION.**



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**PKC MAJOR EVENT SPONSORS**



# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## *\$10 Beagle Event*

### —LARGE PACK FORMAT—

# Ent	Proceeds	Awards	Club	PKC	Escrow	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
5	50	30	8	7	5	30									
6	60	36	9	9	6	36									
7	70	42	11	10	7	42									
8	80	48	12	12	8	48									
9	90	54	14	13	9	54									
10	100	60	15	15	10	60									
11	110	66	17	16	11	46	20								
12	120	72	18	18	12	50	22								
13	130	78	20	19	13	55	23								
14	140	84	21	21	14	59	25								
15	150	90	23	22	15	63	27								
16	160	96	24	24	16	67	29								
17	170	102	26	25	17	71	31								
18	180	108	27	27	18	76	32								
19	190	114	29	28	19	80	34								
20	200	120	30	30	20	84	36								
21	210	126	32	31	21	75	31	20							
22	220	132	33	33	22	78	34	20							
23	230	138	35	34	23	83	35	20							
24	240	144	36	36	24	87	37	20							
25	250	150	38	37	25	91	39	20							
26	260	156	39	39	26	95	41	20							
27	270	162	41	40	27	99	43	20							
28	280	168	42	42	28	103	45	20							
29	290	174	44	43	29	106	48	20							
30	300	180	45	45	30	110	43	20							
31	310	186	47	46	31	100	46	25	15						
32	320	192	48	48	32	104	47	26	15						
33	330	198	50	49	33	108	48	27	15						
34	340	204	51	51	34	112	49	28	15						
35	350	210	53	52	35	116	50	29	15						
36	360	216	54	54	36	120	51	30	15						
37	370	222	56	55	37	124	52	31	15						
38	380	228	57	57	38	128	53	32	15						
39	390	234	59	58	39	132	54	33	15						
40	400	240	60	60	40	136	55	34	15						
41	410	246	62	61	41	126	53	32	20	15					
42	420	252	63	63	42	130	54	33	20	15					
43	430	258	65	64	43	134	55	34	20	15					
44	440	264	66	66	44	138	56	35	20	15					
45	450	270	68	67	45	142	57	36	20	15					
46	460	276	69	69	46	145	58	37	21	15					
47	470	282	71	70	47	148	59	38	22	15					
48	480	288	72	72	48	151	60	39	23	15					
49	490	294	74	73	49	154	61	40	24	15					
50	500	300	75	75	50	157	62	41	25	15					
51	510	306	77	76	51	149	59	38	25	20	15				
52	520	312	78	78	52	152	61	39	25	20	15				





# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## *\$10 Beagle Event*

### —LARGE PACK FORMAT—

# Ent	Proceeds	Awards	Club	PKC	Escrow	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
53	530	318	80	79	53	155	63	40	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
54	540	324	81	81	54	159	64	41	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
55	550	330	83	82	55	161	65	44	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
56	560	336	84	84	56	165	66	45	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
57	570	342	86	85	57	169	67	46	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
58	580	348	87	87	58	173	68	47	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
59	590	354	89	88	59	177	69	48	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
60	600	360	90	90	60	168	69	48	25	20	15	—	—	—	—
61	610	366	92	91	61	164	68	44	30	25	20	15	—	—	—
62	620	372	93	93	62	166	70	44	32	25	20	15	—	—	—
63	630	378	95	94	63	168	72	46	32	25	20	15	—	—	—
64	640	384	96	96	64	170	74	48	32	25	20	15	—	—	—
65	650	390	98	97	65	172	76	49	32	25	21	15	—	—	—
66	660	396	99	99	66	174	78	50	33	25	21	15	—	—	—
67	670	402	101	100	67	176	80	51	34	25	21	15	—	—	—
68	680	408	102	102	68	178	82	52	35	25	21	15	—	—	—
69	690	414	104	103	69	181	83	53	36	25	21	15	—	—	—
70	700	420	105	105	70	184	84	54	37	25	21	15	—	—	—
71	710	426	107	106	71	174	80	49	33	30	25	20	15	—	—
72	720	432	108	108	72	176	81	50	35	30	25	20	15	—	—
73	730	438	110	109	73	179	82	51	36	30	25	20	15	—	—
74	740	444	111	111	74	182	83	52	37	30	25	20	15	—	—
75	750	450	113	112	75	185	84	53	38	30	25	20	15	—	—
76	760	456	114	114	76	188	85	54	39	30	25	20	15	—	—
77	770	462	116	115	77	191	86	55	40	30	25	20	15	—	—
78	780	468	117	117	78	194	87	56	41	30	25	20	15	—	—
79	790	474	119	118	79	197	88	57	42	30	25	20	15	—	—
80	800	480	120	120	80	200	89	58	43	30	25	20	15	—	—
81	810	486	122	121	81	193	85	59	39	28	25	22	20	15	—
82	820	492	123	123	82	198	86	59	39	28	25	22	20	15	—
83	830	498	125	124	83	201	87	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
84	840	504	126	126	84	206	88	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
85	850	510	128	127	85	211	89	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
86	860	516	129	129	86	216	90	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
87	870	522	131	130	87	221	91	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
88	880	528	132	132	88	226	92	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
89	890	534	134	133	89	231	93	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
90	900	540	135	135	90	236	94	60	40	28	25	22	20	15	—
91	910	546	137	136	91	225	90	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
92	920	552	138	138	92	230	91	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
93	930	558	140	139	93	235	92	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
94	940	564	141	141	94	240	93	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
95	950	570	143	142	95	245	94	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
96	960	576	144	144	96	250	95	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
97	970	582	146	145	97	255	96	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
98	980	588	147	147	98	260	97	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
99	990	594	149	148	99	265	98	53	35	33	28	25	22	20	15
100	1,000	600	150	150	100	270	99	53	35	30	27	25	18	20	15



# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## *\$15 Beagle Event*

### —LARGE PACK FORMAT—

# Ent	Proceeds	Awards	Club	PKC	Escrow	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
5	75	45	11	11	8	45.00									
6	90	54	14	14	9	54.00									
7	105	63	16	16	11	63.00									
8	120	72	18	18	12	72.00									
9	135	81	20	20	14	81.00									
10	150	90	23	23	15	90.00									
11	165	99	25	25	17	70.00	29.00								
12	180	108	27	27	18	76.00	32.00								
13	195	117	29	29	20	82.00	35.00								
14	210	126	32	32	21	88.00	38.00								
15	225	135	34	34	23	95.00	40.00								
16	240	144	36	36	24	101.00	43.00								
17	255	153	38	38	26	107.00	46.00								
18	270	162	41	41	27	113.00	49.00								
19	285	171	43	43	29	120.00	51.00								
20	300	180	45	45	30	126.00	54.00								
21	315	189	47	47	32	114.00	47.00	28.00							
22	330	198	50	50	33	119.00	50.00	29.00							
23	345	207	52	52	35	124.00	52.00	31.00							
24	360	216	54	54	36	130.00	54.00	32.00							
25	375	225	56	56	38	135.00	56.00	34.00							
26	390	234	59	59	39	140.00	59.00	35.00							
27	405	243	61	61	41	146.00	61.00	36.00							
28	420	252	63	63	42	151.00	63.00	38.00							
29	435	261	65	65	44	157.00	65.00	39.00							
30	450	270	68	68	45	162.00	67.00	41.00							
31	465	279	70	70	47	140.00	70.00	42.00	27.00						
32	480	288	72	72	48	144.00	72.00	43.00	29.00						
33	495	297	74	74	50	149.00	74.00	44.00	30.00						
34	510	306	77	77	51	153.00	77.00	45.00	31.00						
35	525	315	79	79	53	158.00	79.00	46.00	32.00						
36	540	324	81	81	54	163.00	81.00	47.00	33.00						
37	555	333	83	83	56	167.00	83.00	49.00	34.00						
38	570	342	86	86	57	171.00	85.00	51.00	35.00						
39	585	351	88	88	59	176.00	87.00	52.00	36.00						
40	600	360	90	90	60	180.00	90.00	54.00	36.00						
41	615	369	92	92	62	173.00	88.00	53.00	35.00	20.00					
42	630	378	95	95	63	175.00	89.00	54.00	40.00	20.00					
43	645	387	97	97	65	180.00	92.00	55.00	40.00	20.00					
44	660	396	99	99	66	185.00	94.00	57.00	40.00	20.00					
45	675	405	101	101	68	190.00	96.00	59.00	40.00	20.00					
46	690	414	104	104	69	195.00	99.00	60.00	40.00	20.00					
47	705	423	106	106	71	200.00	102.00	61.00	40.00	20.00					
48	720	432	108	108	72	205.00	104.00	63.00	40.00	20.00					
49	735	441	110	110	74	210.00	107.00	64.00	40.00	20.00					
50	750	450	113	113	75	215.00	109.00	66.00	40.00	20.00					
51	765	459	115	115	77	192.00	98.00	59.00	50.00	40.00	20.00				
52	780	468	117	117	78	197.00	100.00	61.00	50.00	40.00	20.00				



# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## *\$15 Beagle Event*

### —LARGE PACK FORMAT—

# Ent	Proceeds	Awards	Club	PKC	Escrow	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
53	795	477	119	119	80	202.00	103.00	62.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
54	810	486	122	122	81	207.00	105.00	64.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
55	825	495	124	124	83	212.00	108.00	65.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
56	840	504	126	126	84	217.00	110.00	67.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
57	855	513	128	128	86	222.00	113.00	68.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
58	870	522	131	131	87	227.00	115.00	70.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
59	885	531	133	133	89	232.00	117.00	72.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
60	900	540	135	135	90	237.00	120.00	73.00	50.00	40.00	20.00	—	—	—	—
61	915	549	137	137	92	230.00	115.00	68.00	46.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
62	930	558	140	140	93	234.00	117.00	70.00	47.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
63	945	567	142	142	95	239.00	119.00	71.00	48.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
64	960	576	144	144	96	243.00	122.00	72.00	49.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
65	975	585	146	146	98	249.00	123.00	73.00	50.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
66	990	594	149	149	99	252.00	126.00	76.00	50.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
67	1,005	603	151	151	101	257.00	128.00	77.00	51.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
68	1,020	612	153	153	102	261.00	131.00	78.00	52.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
69	1,035	621	155	155	104	266.00	133.00	79.00	53.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
70	1,050	630	158	158	105	270.00	135.00	81.00	54.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—	—	—
71	1,065	639	160	160	107	255.00	128.00	76.00	60.00	45.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
72	1,080	648	162	162	108	260.00	130.00	78.00	60.00	45.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
73	1,095	657	164	164	110	265.00	133.00	79.00	60.00	45.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
74	1,110	666	167	167	111	270.00	135.00	81.00	60.00	45.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
75	1,125	675	169	169	113	275.00	138.00	82.00	60.00	45.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
76	1,140	684	171	171	114	279.00	138.00	82.00	60.00	50.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
77	1,155	693	173	173	116	285.00	140.00	83.00	60.00	50.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
78	1,170	702	176	176	117	290.00	143.00	84.00	60.00	50.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
79	1,185	711	178	178	119	295.00	145.00	86.00	60.00	50.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
80	1,200	720	180	180	120	300.00	148.00	87.00	60.00	50.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	—	—
81	1,215	729	182	182	122	272.00	136.00	81.60	54.40	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
82	1,230	738	185	185	123	276.50	138.25	82.95	55.30	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
83	1,245	747	187	187	125	281.00	140.50	84.30	56.20	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
84	1,260	756	189	189	126	285.50	142.75	85.65	57.10	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
85	1,275	765	191	191	128	290.00	145.00	87.00	58.00	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
86	1,290	774	194	194	129	294.50	147.25	88.35	58.90	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
87	1,305	783	196	196	131	299.00	149.50	89.70	59.80	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
88	1,320	792	198	198	132	303.50	151.75	91.05	60.70	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
89	1,335	801	200	200	134	308.00	154.00	92.40	61.60	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
90	1,350	810	203	203	135	312.50	156.25	93.75	62.50	50.00	45.00	40.00	30.00	20.00	—
91	1,365	819	205	205	137	306.00	153.00	91.80	61.20	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
92	1,380	828	207	207	138	310.50	155.25	93.15	62.10	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
93	1,395	837	209	209	140	315.00	157.50	94.50	63.00	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
94	1,410	846	212	212	141	319.50	159.75	95.85	63.90	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
95	1,425	855	214	214	143	324.00	162.00	97.20	64.80	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
96	1,440	864	216	216	144	328.50	164.25	98.55	65.70	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
97	1,455	873	218	218	146	333.00	166.50	99.90	66.60	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
98	1,470	882	221	221	147	337.50	168.75	101.25	67.50	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
99	1,485	891	223	223	149	342.00	171.00	102.60	68.40	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00
100	1,500	900	225	225	150	346.50	173.25	103.95	69.30	45.00	40.00	37.00	35.00	30.00	20.00



# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

## \$25 Beagle Event

—LARGE PACK FORMAT—

# Ent	Proceeds	Awards	Club	PKC	Escrow	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
5	125	75	19	19	13	75									
6	150	90	23	23	15	90									
7	175	105	26	26	18	105									
8	200	120	30	30	20	120									
9	225	135	34	34	23	135									
10	250	150	38	38	25	150									
11	275	165	41	41	28	116	49								
12	300	180	45	45	30	126	54								
13	325	195	49	49	33	137	58								
14	350	210	53	53	35	147	63								
15	375	225	56	56	38	158	67								
16	400	240	60	60	40	168	72								
17	425	255	64	64	43	179	76								
18	450	270	68	68	45	189	81								
19	475	285	71	71	48	200	85								
20	500	300	75	75	50	210	90								
21	525	315	79	79	53	189	79	47							
22	550	330	83	83	55	198	83	49							
23	575	345	86	86	58	207	86	52							
24	600	360	90	90	60	216	90	54							
25	625	375	94	94	63	225	94	56							
26	650	390	98	98	65	234	98	58							
27	675	405	101	101	68	243	101	61							
28	700	420	105	105	70	252	105	63							
29	725	435	109	109	73	261	109	65							
30	750	450	113	113	75	270	113	67							
31	775	465	116	116	78	233	116	70	46						
32	800	480	120	120	80	240	120	72	48						
33	825	495	124	124	83	248	124	74	49						
34	850	510	128	128	85	255	128	76	51						
35	875	525	131	131	88	263	131	79	52						
36	900	540	135	135	90	270	135	81	54						
37	925	555	139	139	93	278	139	83	55						
38	950	570	143	143	95	285	143	85	57						
39	975	585	146	146	98	293	146	88	58						
40	1,000	600	150	150	100	300	150	90	60						
41	1,025	615	154	154	103	289	147	89	60	30					
42	1,050	630	158	158	105	297	151	92	60	30					
43	1,075	645	161	161	108	305	155	95	60	30					
44	1,100	660	165	165	110	314	160	96	60	30					
45	1,125	675	169	169	113	322	164	99	60	30					
46	1,150	690	173	173	115	330	168	102	60	30					
47	1,175	705	176	176	118	338	172	105	60	30					
48	1,200	720	180	180	120	347	176	107	60	30					
49	1,225	735	184	184	123	355	181	109	60	30					
50	1,250	750	188	188	125	363	185	112	60	30					
51	1,275	765	191	191	128	343	171	103	68	50	30				
52	1,300	780	195	195	130	350	175	105	70	50	30				



# PKC CHART OF AWARDS

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# Ent	Proceeds	Awards	Club	PKC	Escrow	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
53	1,325	795	199	199	133	358	179	107	71	50	30	—	—	—	—
54	1,350	810	203	203	135	365	183	109	73	50	30	—	—	—	—
55	1,375	825	206	206	138	373	186	112	74	50	30	—	—	—	—
56	1,400	840	210	210	140	380	190	114	76	50	30	—	—	—	—
57	1,425	855	214	214	143	388	194	116	77	50	30	—	—	—	—
58	1,450	870	218	218	145	395	198	119	78	50	30	—	—	—	—
59	1,475	885	221	221	148	403	201	121	80	50	30	—	—	—	—
60	1,500	900	225	225	150	410	205	123	82	50	30	—	—	—	—
61	1,525	915	229	229	153	383	191	115	76	70	50	30	—	—	—
62	1,550	930	233	233	155	390	195	117	78	70	50	30	—	—	—
63	1,575	945	236	236	158	398	199	119	79	70	50	30	—	—	—
64	1,600	960	240	240	160	405	203	121	81	70	50	30	—	—	—
65	1,625	975	244	244	163	413	206	124	82	70	50	30	—	—	—
66	1,650	990	248	248	165	420	210	126	84	70	50	30	—	—	—
67	1,675	1,005	251	251	168	428	214	128	85	70	50	30	—	—	—
68	1,700	1,020	255	255	170	435	218	130	87	70	50	30	—	—	—
69	1,725	1,035	259	259	173	443	221	133	88	70	50	30	—	—	—
70	1,750	1,050	263	263	175	454	227	136	91	70	42	30	—	—	—
71	1,775	1,065	266	266	178	418	209	125	83	80	70	50	30	—	—
72	1,800	1,080	270	270	180	425	213	127	85	80	70	50	30	—	—
73	1,825	1,095	274	274	183	433	216	130	86	80	70	50	30	—	—
74	1,850	1,110	278	278	185	440	220	132	88	80	70	50	30	—	—
75	1,875	1,125	281	281	188	448	224	134	89	80	70	50	30	—	—
76	1,900	1,140	285	285	190	455	228	136	91	80	70	50	30	—	—
77	1,925	1,155	289	289	193	463	231	139	92	80	70	50	30	—	—
78	1,950	1,170	293	293	195	470	235	141	94	80	70	50	30	—	—
79	1,975	1,185	296	296	198	478	238	143	96	80	70	50	30	—	—
80	2,000	1,200	300	300	200	485	243	145	97	80	70	50	30	—	—
81	2,025	1,215	304	304	203	478	239	143	95	75	65	50	40	30	—
82	2,050	1,230	308	308	205	485	243	145	97	75	65	50	40	30	—
83	2,075	1,245	311	311	208	493	246	148	98	75	65	50	40	30	—
84	2,100	1,260	315	315	210	500	250	150	100	75	65	50	40	30	—
85	2,125	1,275	319	319	213	508	254	152	101	75	65	50	40	30	—
86	2,150	1,290	323	323	215	515	258	154	103	75	65	50	40	30	—
87	2,175	1,305	326	326	218	523	261	157	104	75	65	50	40	30	—
88	2,200	1,320	330	330	220	530	265	159	106	75	65	50	40	30	—
89	2,225	1,335	334	334	223	538	269	161	107	75	65	50	40	30	—
90	2,250	1,350	338	338	225	545	273	163	109	75	65	50	40	30	—
91	2,275	1,365	341	341	228	527	263	157	103	70	65	60	50	40	30
92	2,300	1,380	345	345	230	534	266	159	106	70	65	60	50	40	30
93	2,325	1,395	349	349	233	541	269	162	108	70	65	60	50	40	30
94	2,350	1,410	353	353	235	548	274	164	109	70	65	60	50	40	30
95	2,375	1,425	356	356	238	555	277	167	111	70	65	60	50	40	30
96	2,400	1,440	360	360	240	562	281	169	113	70	65	60	50	40	30
97	2,425	1,455	364	364	243	569	285	171	115	70	65	60	50	40	30
98	2,450	1,470	368	368	245	576	289	174	116	70	65	60	50	40	30
99	2,475	1,485	371	371	248	585	292	176	117	70	65	60	50	40	30
100	2,500	1,500	375	375	250	591	296	179	119	70	65	60	50	40	30

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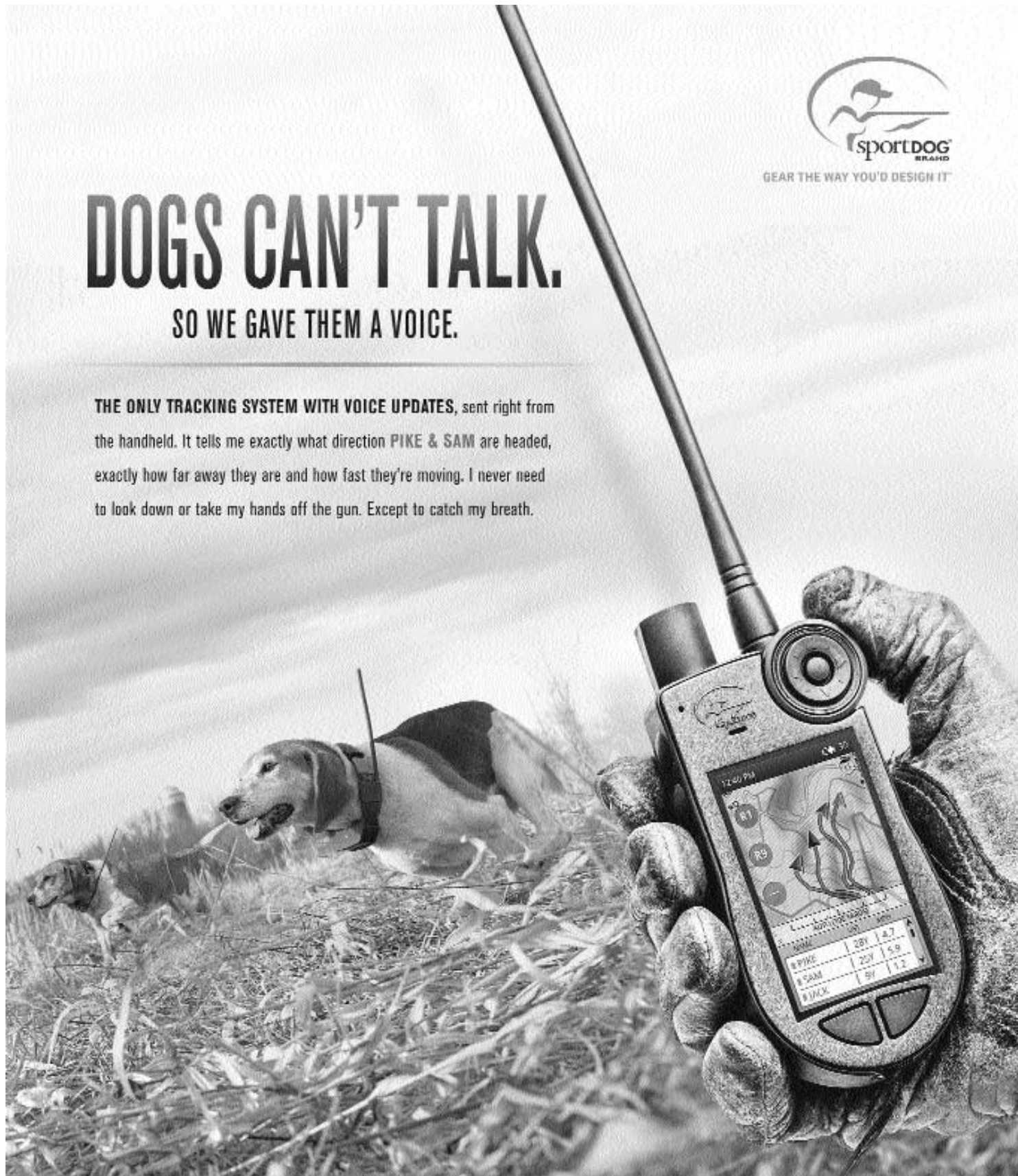


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