

English Cocker Spaniel Club of America National Specialty Spaniel Hunt Tests - April 2024

American Kennel Club Licensed Spaniel Hunt Test

Thursday April 25, 2024 (Event# WD Test)

AND

Friday April 26, 2024 (Event# 2024133248)

AND

Saturday April 27, 2024 (Event# 2024133249)

Event Location:

Lime Rock Spaniel Preserve
East Bend, NC

Date/Time Event OPENS for ALL to enter: 2/21/2024 12:00:00 PM CT (Central Time)

Entries Close: Monday, April 15, 2024 11:59:59 PM Eastern Time(ET)

English Cocker Spaniel Club of America, Inc.
www.ecsca.info

OPEN TO AKC ELIGIBLE BREEDS OF SPANIELS/RETRIEVERS--PREFERENCE TO ENGLISH COCKER SPANIELS
When the limit is reached, a maintained wait list will be available. However, if an ECS wants to enter this event,
ECSCA holds the right to bump the last entered non-English Cocker Spaniel dog to the wait list.

If the event is full, please contact HuntSecretary.com if you would like to put your dog(s) on the waitlist or if you have an ECS you need to enter.

This Spaniel Hunt Test is held under the Rules and Procedures of the American Kennel Club.

Eligible Breeds for Spaniel Hunting Tests: Airedale Terriers, American Water Spaniels, Boykin Spaniels, Chesapeake Bay Retrievers, Clumber Spaniels, Cocker Spaniels, Curly-Coated Retrievers, English Cocker Spaniels, English Springer Spaniels, Field Spaniels, Flat-Coated Retrievers, Golden Retrievers, Irish Water Spaniels, Labrador Retrievers, Nederlandse Kooikerhondje, Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retrievers, Poodles - Standard and Miniature, Sussex Spaniels, and Welsh Springer Spaniels.

All dogs must be six months of age or over on the day of the Hunting Test.

Event Schedule & Entry Fees: Thursday April 25, 2024 (AM)

Stake	Entries	Fee	Start	Judges	*Denotes Apprentice Judge
Working Dog	**see below	\$45	1 PM	Joe Worsham	Joe DeMarkis

Event Schedule & Entry Fees: Friday April 26, 2024 (AM)

Stake	Entries	Fee	Start	Judges	*Denotes Apprentice Judge
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<u>Master</u>	**see below				
--Master A		\$80	8 AM	Kaye Wyn-Givens	Dawn Schuster
--Master B		\$80	8 AM	Frank Martinez	Jeanne Grim
<u>Senior</u>	**see below				
--Senior A		\$80	8 AM	Kaye Wyn-Givens	Dawn Schuster
--Senior B		\$80	8 AM	Frank Martinez	Jeanne Grim
<u>Junior</u>	**see below				
--Junior A		\$80	8 AM	Kaye Wyn-Givens	Dawn Schuster
--Junior B		\$80	8 AM	Frank Martinez	Jeanne Grim

Event Schedule & Entry Fees: Saturday April 27, 2024 (AM)

Stake	Entries	Fee	Start	Judges *Denotes Apprentice Judge	
<u>Master</u>	**see below				
--Master A		\$80	8 AM	Kaye Wyn-Givens	Dawn Schuster
--Master B		\$80	8 AM	Frank Martinez	Jeanne Grim
<u>Senior</u>	**see below				
--Senior A		\$80	8 AM	Kaye Wyn-Givens	Dawn Schuster
--Senior B		\$80	8 AM	Frank Martinez	Jeanne Grim
<u>Junior</u>	**see below				
--Junior A		\$80	8 AM	Kaye Wyn-Givens	Dawn Schuster
--Junior B		\$80	8 AM	Frank Martinez	Jeanne Grim

**EVENT LIMIT INFORMATION

1st Event Day (WD Test) will be considered FULL when the TOTAL number of the entries in ALL Stakes for that day reach 60.

2nd Event Day (2024133248) will be considered FULL when the TOTAL number of the entries in ALL Stakes for that day reach 60.

3rd Event Day (2024133249) will be considered FULL when the TOTAL number of the entries in ALL Stakes for that day reach 60.

Entries Close: Monday, April 15, 2024 at 11:59 P.M. Eastern Time(ET)

ENTER ONLINE AT:**OR****Mail ENTRIES & PAYMENT TO:**

**Hunt Sec LLC
708 CR 3140
Crockett, TX 75835**

CLUB Event Secretary

Ann Cantrell
3805 Summit Lakes Drive
Browns Summit, NC 27214
336-314-2030
eanncantrell@gmail.com

For Mailed entries make checks payable to: **Hunt Sec**
For Mailed entries, please include the \$4.00 Service/Entry Fee per dog/ per entry.

- *\$4.00 fee per dog/ per stake entry below \$100
- *\$4.50 fee per dog/ per stake entry \$100 - \$145
- *\$6.75 fee per dog/ per stake entry \$146 - \$199

WELCOME STATEMENT

Welcome to the English Cocker Spaniel Club of America National Specialty Hunt Test. There will be a limit of 60 dogs each day (2 flights of 30 dogs). All tests are open to all breeds eligible for AKC Spaniel Hunt Tests. Dogs must be six months of age or older on the day of the test. Since these tests are held as part of the 2024 ECSCA National Specialty, preference will be given to English Cocker Spaniels

Entries open Wednesday, Feb 21, 2024 at noon Eastern Time.

The safety of our participants is important to us.

The AKC and the ECSCA require that all people in the field wear BLAZE ORANGE clothing. A cap by itself is not sufficient to meet this requirement.

Severe correction or discipline will not be allowed on any part of the grounds. Handlers and entered dogs are not permitted to train on the grounds. Dogs can be aired or exercised only in designated areas (areas that will not be used during the tests).

Please be thoughtful and clean up after yourself and your dogs; this includes cigarette butts and poop scoop bags. Treat the grounds with the utmost in respect. We extend special thanks to Mary Lou Dunn for generously allowing us the use of Far Meadow Farm.

We are also having an Working Dog test for English Cocker Spaniels. Please read the additional information section for more information.

Kevin Johnson of KJ Photography will be photographing dogs all day, both days in the field, water work, and win photos.

Hope to see you at the hunt tests and Work Dog tests.

CLUB OFFICERS

President: Sally Rosenthal

Vice-President: Joyce Winkels

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EVENT COMMITTEE

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Ann Cantrell

Gun Captain

Tom Matterer

Committee Member

Tiffany Alemany

Committee Member

Linda Blalock

Gun Captain

Joe DeMarkis

BIRDS

Pheasants/Chukar/Hungarian Partridge

PRIZES

Standard AKC Rosettes will be awarded to all dogs earning qualifying scores.

Medallions, generously donated by Scott Perkins, will be given to all English Cockers earning a qualifying score.

ADDITIONAL EVENT INFORMATION

THE ENGLISH COCKER SPANIEL CLUB OF AMERICA WORKING DOG/WORKING DOG EXCELLENT (WD/WDX) CERTIFICATE TEST HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE 2024 ECSCA NATIONAL SPECIALTY OPEN TO ENGLISH COCKER SPANIELS ONLY

Thursday, April 25, 2024, the English Cocker Spaniel Club of America will have a Working Dog Test for English Cocker Spaniels. This is a club event and qualifiers will receive a club title of WD (Working Dog) or WDX (Working Dog Excellent).

Information about the test and an entry form is available on the ECSCA website englishcocker.org or by contacting, Ann Cantrell at: eanncantrell@gmail.com.

Entries open February 1, 2024.
You can enter through the ECSCA website englishcocker.org or

mail to Ann Cantrell, Hunt Test Secretary.

Link to a pdf or mail-in entry form [Entry Form](#)

EVENT EMERGENCY AND VETERINARIAN INFORMATION

ALL EMERGENCIES CALL 911

Emergency Contacts

Police, Fire, Ambulance 911

Emergency Veterinarian

Carolina Veterinary Specialists

1600 Hanes Mall Blvd

Winston-Salem, NC 27103

336-896-0902

Open 24hrs.

Fire Department

Kimberton Fire Company

610-933-4566

DRAWINGS/RUNNING ORDER

Drawings will take place at Huntsecretary.com 8:00 AM ET on 4/16/2024. The Running Order will be electronically randomized and adjusted slightly to accommodate handlers running multiple dogs.

SCRATCHES

Scratches prior to closing date will be refunded by HuntSecretary.com.

After the closing date, all scratches will be handled based on the Club Scratch Policy specified below.

Club Scratch Policy

In case of cancellation of the test, entry fees will be refunded less the HuntSecretary.com fees.

Bitches in Season and injured dogs: The test committee must receive scratches prior to the beginning of the test.

Bitches in season cannot run.

Entry fees (minus AKC fees and HuntSecretary.com fees if canceled after closing) will only be refunded for: (1) a bitch in season—with a letter from a veterinarian; (2) a dog that is injured, ill, or dies—with a letter from a veterinarian or (3) an entry canceled prior to closing who does not run. No other refunds will be given.

EVENT WAITLIST POLICY (After the close)

Wait-listed dogs BEFORE the closing date will be added across all stake levels (For Example: a senior hunter scratch could result in a dog being added to the master level test).

Dogs must be wait-listed BEFORE the closing date. After the closing date, the wait list will be used based on the Club's Wait-list policy below.

Club Waitlist Policy

Upon a scratch, dogs will be added across all test levels (For Example: a senior hunter scratch could result in a dog being added to the master level test).

ACCOMMODATIONS

Quality Inn

1633 NC Highway 67

Jonesville, NC 28642

(336)835-9400

15 minutes from Lime Rock Cocker Preserve
(ask for Dog Club discount to waive pet fee)

Dry RV parking at Lime Rock Cocker Preserve

LUNCH INFORMATION

Lunch will be available for purchase.

A reception for the Hunt Test Judges will be held Saturday after the conclusion of the tests – everyone is welcome.

Event LOCATION / MAP / DIRECTIONS

Lime Rock Spaniel Preserve

East Bend, NC

Physical Address:

3832 Lime Rock Road

East Bend, NC 27018

Directions: Lime Rock Cocker Preserve is located 30 minutes NW of Winston-Salem, NC (north of I-40 and east of I-77). Use 3832 Lime Rock Rd., East Bend, NC for GPS.

Official American Kennel Club ® FIELD TRIAL or HUNT TEST Form

Club:	Date(s):	Event#	
Location:	Event type: (test or trial)	Enter In Stake/test:	
Retriever Trials ONLY this dog is qualified for (check answer):			
Limited All Age Stake: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO Restricted All-Age Stake: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> No Special All Age Stake: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC Number:	<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign & List Country:	I enclose Entry Fees: In Amount of: <small>(please add \$4 per dog/stake for HS Fees)</small>	
Full Name of Dog:			
Reg #	Call Name:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
Breed:		Variety:	
Sire:			
Dam:			
Name of Breeder:			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler			
Agent/Handler's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org			

AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

**Signature of owner or his
agent duly authorized to make this entry:**

Tel:

Email:

Mail Entries and Payment to:***

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**** Please note: All Mailed entries will be opened randomly the morning after an event opens (for everyone).
Please include \$4.00 per dog/entry.**