



# Short and to the Point

Celebrating 60+ years (1957-2025)

February 2025

## MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS 2025

March 15<sup>th</sup> – 11:00 AM  
**TEQUILA JALISCO**  
583 E Main St  
Canfield, Ohio

June 28<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 AM  
**Annual Picnic & Meeting**  
**Meinke's Lakehouse**  
3471 State Route 46  
Jefferson, Ohio

## UPCOMING EVENTS

April 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>  
**Walking Field Trial**  
Beaver Valley Pointer-Setter Club  
239 Bonzo Road  
Rochester, PA

April 12<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>  
**Dual Hunt Tests**  
Beaver Valley Pointer-Setter Club  
239 Bonzo Road  
Rochester, PA

April 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>  
**NGSPA Ohio Championship**  
Tri- Valley Grounds  
Dresden, Ohio

April 26<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>  
**Horseback Field Trial**  
Tri- Valley Grounds  
Dresden, Ohio

June 28<sup>th</sup> – 11:00 AM  
**AKC Water Test**  
**Meinke's Lakehouse**  
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## 2024 GSPCO Awards for new Titles continued on page 6

**Double K's Little Kash - George Kaschak**  
AKC Advanced Master Hunter & Lifetime Achievement



**FC Countess Ziva Von Haus MH - Robert Mickley**  
AKC Amateur Field Champion, Dock Senior, Versatility Award  
GSPCA Open Gun Dog of the Year



## President – Dennis Meinke

Hello everyone,

As the new year begins, I look back at another successful and rewarding year 2024. You can see the details below. I was concerned in 2024 with the poor economy and how it would impact our entries in events and with expenses up considerably, but with your support we managed to do well. Hopefully 2025 will see an improving economy and even greater success with our events. Club Raffles have contributed greatly to our club finances again this year thanks to the support of our club members. We will be doing raffles again in 2025.

We are planning several new things this year, first a Walking Trial seminar probably in September and second a Club hunting day at Delps Hunting Grounds. Please look for more information and dates in future Newsletters and emails.

I am especially glad to see the return of the Walking Trail held at the Beaver Valley Pointer Setter Club. Special thanks to Donna McMullen, Secretary, Chuck Meadors, Chairman and Sherry Meinke, coordinator. I believe this event is very important to the club and our members as a steppingstone to and from other events.

Our Annual Picnic was held at Meinke's Lakehouse and had a great turnout, good food, and fun. Special thanks to all who provided food and side dishes. Thanks also to Sherry Meinke for coordinating things as well as the AKC Water Test. All who ran or watched the Water test enjoyed.

The GSPCO Specially show was held August 2-4<sup>h</sup>, at the Canfield Cluster in Canfield, Ohio. It was successful but due to the ring location our hospitality tent and raffle were not as well attended as last year but we had great membership support and the raffle made a nice profit. Thank you, Melissa Campbell, for coordinating this event.

We held a training day at Meinke's Lakehouse on September 7 that was so well attended we will probably be doing this again in 2025.

Our Fall Dual Hunt Tests continue to be well attended. Our club has a great reputation for having the best Hunt Tests around. Thanks to our incredible Secretary Sherry and her committee of many members who have worked so hard putting on these tests.

The Fall Horseback Trial at the Brittany Club grounds in Polk, PA was another success. This three-day event was well run and enjoyable. Thanks to Chairman Robert Reynolds and Secretary Jen Goodall and all who helped run this event.

The Winter Banquet was held on January 4, 2025. We had a fine dinner and members whose dogs earned new AKC titles in 2024 received awards. Music and dancing following dinner. Another nice social get together. Special thanks to Izzy Dembowski for coordinating and organizing the event along with Sherry and to Anne Weslow for the Banquet Program.

A final note, please consider attending future events even if you are not participating in those events. It takes a lot of work to put on these events both before and after the event is over. If you can only attend one day or part of a day your help is needed and appreciated. I look forward to seeing you at our future events.

### Website – Info

- Please send pictures of GSPs and events to [anne.weslow@earthlink.net](mailto:anne.weslow@earthlink.net). I could always use more pictures to put in the Photo Gallery carousel and newsletters.
- All event information is on the website calendar.

Find us at: <http://gspcofohio.org/> and check out the new Facebook page.

(<https://www.facebook.com/share/15y9wMZdwd/?mibextid=wwXlfr>).

# GSPCO Summer Events

Annual Picnic/AKC Water Test – June 22<sup>nd</sup> Specialty Show – August 4<sup>th</sup>



Jake doing his water retrieve to Chuck Meaders



## Canfield Steel Cluster Specialty Show

Robert Mickley with Ziva and our helping members which made this a great event!



## GSPCO Training Day – September 7th



Tips and field work



## GSPCO Fall Horseback Field Trial September 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>

### German Shorthaired Pointer Club of Ohio

Pennsylvania Brittany Club Grounds..  
Polk, PA  
Sep 27, 2024  
[AKC Results Page](#)

#### Open Puppy

Diane Fazio and Roger Hatch

5 Starters

- 1 - **Tnt's Victoria's Secret** (GSP)
- 2 - Landfall's Storm Ryder (Vizsla)
- 3 - Kt's Cast No Shadow (GSP)
- 4 - Schatze Vom Phennig's Toss (GSP)

#### Amateur Gun Dog (Retrieving)

Robert K Reynolds and Matt Rogers

8 Starters (5 Pntr-GS, 3 Vizs)

- 1 - Withheld
- 2 - Red Oak Windhill Cilarybryn Cwantwm (Vizsla)
- 3 - Withheld
- 4 - Withheld

#### Open Gun Dog (Retrieving)

Jim Wallace and Diane Fazio

12 Starters (8 Pntr-GS, 1 Set-Eng, 3 Vizs)

- 1 - **Trotter Bluff's Poured Neat** (GSP)
- 2 - Woodland Trails Hightailing Jolene (GSP)
- 3 - Red Oak Windhill Cilarybryn Cwantwm (Vizsla)
- 4 - Lc's Woodland Trail Sonny (GSP)

#### Open Derby

Jim Wallace and Roger Hatch

9 Starters

- 1 - **In-Country's Pop Smoke** (GSP)
- 2 - Red Oak's Flight Feather (Vizsla)
- 3 - In-Country's Apache (GSP)
- 4 - Red Oak's Nailed It (Vizsla)

#### Amateur Limited Gun Dog

Roger Hatch and William Davis

4 Starters (3 Pntr-GS, 1 Vizs)

- 1 - **Bristol's Hellacious Hooligan** (GSP)
- 2 - Straitline's All About Josie (GSP)
- 3 - Withheld
- 4 - Withheld

#### Open Limited Gun Dog

Jim Wallace and Matt Rogers

20 Starters (16 Pntr-GS, 2 Pointer, 1 Set-Eng, 1 Vizs)

- 1 - **In-Country's Ain't Misbehavin** (GSP)
- 2 - Wynot Ziggy Stardust (Pointer)
- 3 - Sharp Shooters Cazadora (GSP)
- 4 - In-Country's Taken It To The Limit (GSP)

# GSPCO Fall Dual Hunt Test October 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>

Judges Eileen Murdock & Pete Hollenhorst are honored to present George Kaschak's "Kash" a Lifetime Achievement Award Master Hunter



Mike Thompson & Brian Perry along with Stella for a senior pass  
Vince Retort gets a pass with Jett



Pam Smith with Junior Hunter titles for Bug & Journey.



Jr Handler Benny Perry received a ribbon for Chuck



Nicole Spencer is happy with her win: a Ruff Land Kennel and Training Collar



Les Beaman & Mary finish their dog Lillie



# 2024 Annual Banquet and Awards - January 4th

**Les Beamen & Mary Lerffler**



**Princess Lilie Chagrin**  
AKC Junior Hunter

**Pam Smith**



**Journey River**  
AKC Junior Hunter  
**PJ's June Bug**  
AKC Junior Hunter

**Alex Dunn**



**Vernon's Top Gun DM, CA, AM,  
RATN, CGC**  
AKC DS, FTN  
**Kanonier's Branch Manager**  
AKC DS  
**Kanonier's Catch you Later DS**  
AKC Junior Hunter

**Coleen & Matt McCarthy**



**Kaiser Von Moesgard JH, CA,  
BCAT**  
AKC: FASTEST of the BREED  
2024: GSP  
(at the AKC FastCat Invitational)

## Members Not Present

**Firemark's Strike of Lightning - Nina Biehler**  
AKC Junior Hunter, Tracking Dog, Temperament Test

**CH Shannondale's Special Agent MH - Kristen Julian**  
AKC GCH, AXJ, MX, NF, OF, XF, MXJ, T2B, MXB, VX3

**12xCH In Country's Hurricane Jane - Robert Reynolds**  
NGSPA Open Shooting Dog Pheasant Champion

**CH Berenbach Maid of Mischief CD, RE - Denise & Tony Ross**  
AKC GCH, RACH, RM, RM2-5, RAR, RA2-3, BCAT, ACT1, ACTY1J, NE

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