

Test Schedule and Entry Fees

SATURDAY

Amateur Walking Puppy	7:30 am	\$60.00*
Junior	To follow AWP	\$60.00*
Senior	To follow Junior	\$60.00*
Master	To follow Senior	\$60.00*

SUNDAY

Amateur Walking Puppy	7:30 am	\$60.00*
Master	To follow AWP	\$60.00*
Senior	To follow Master	\$60.00*
Junior	To follow Senior	\$60.00*

*Junior Handlers (less than 18 years of age the first day of the test) \$30.00

All participants, spectators and judges are required to wear a blaze orange vest, coat or shirt and a blaze orange hat in the field.

IDNR requires that **ALL IL RESIDENTS** participating in AKC Field Trials/Hunt Tests in Illinois as **handlers, scouts and/or gunners MUST** have a valid hunting license & habitat stamp. Non-residents are exempt and covered by a waiver issued by IDNR for our event.

Course and Birds

Master, Senior and Junior level tests will be a single course with a bird field.

Quail will be released in all levels of Hunt Test. No birds will be released in Amateur Walking Puppy stake. Native birds also on course. A blank cartridge will not be fired in the Amateur Walking Puppy stake.

**AKC approved tracking collars are permitted.
Bitches in season will NOT be allowed.**

Prizes

Standard AKC rosettes to all dogs receiving a qualifying score.

Officers

President: Ron Fitzpatrick, 15258 W. 3000 N. Road, Essex, IL 60935-6095
Vice President: Al Brady 13204 AB Drive, Granville, IL 61326
Secretary/Treasurer: Sharon Fitzpatrick, 15258 W. 3000 N. Road, Essex, IL 60935-6095

Hunt Test Committee

Chairman: Al Brady 13204 AB Drive, Granville, IL 61326
Secretary: Marty Kyes 307 Ash Grove Lane Oswego, IL 60543
Committee: Frank Susi, Sharon Fitzpatrick, Ron Fitzpatrick, Al Baque, Robert Campbell, Michelle Deleo

AKC & GSPCA Water Tests will be held on Saturday.

Entry Fee \$30.00

Fort Dearborn German Shorthaired Pointer Club

DES PLAINES CONSERVATION AREA,
24621 N RIVER ROAD, WILMINGTON, IL 60481
WEST GROUNDS

HUNTING TEST/AWP FOR ALL REGISTERABLE POINTING BREEDS

Saturday, September 19, 2026

AKC Licensed Event # 2026149706

Sunday, September 20, 2026

AKC Licensed Event # 2026149707

Entries are limited to the number of dogs which can be run during all available daylight hours, and entries will close when the limit is reached if this occurs prior to the specified closing time.

This hunt test is held under the rules and procedures of the
American Kennel Club.

**We are now using Bird Dog Stakes as our online entry service.
NO email entries will be accepted.**

<https://www.birddogstakes.net>

Mail Entries with checks to:

**Marty Kyes 307 Ash Grove Lane Oswego, IL 60543
630-842-8646
mkyes@comcast.net**

Entries will close at 7:00 PM Central, Wednesday, September 16, 2026
The drawing will take place at 6:00 PM Central, Thursday, September 17, 2026

Judges will be utilizing Golf Carts

Judges: Master, Senior, Junior, AWP – Saturday

- Tom Mathis #105677
- Dennis Nowak #15572

Judges: Water Test – Saturday

- Tom Mathis #105677
- Dennis Nowak #15572

Judges: Master, Senior, Junior, AWP – Sunday

- Joe Delaney #48198
- James England #117220

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB FIELD TRIAL OR HUNT TEST ENTRY FORM

Club: Fort Dearborn GSP Club		Date(s): Sat., September 19, 2026		Event: 2026149706	
Location: Des Plaines Conservation Area - West		Event type (test or trial): Hunt Test/AWP/Water Test		Enter in Stake/Test:	
DNA #:		I enclose entry fees in the amount of:		AKC No.:	
AKC Litter No.:		ILP No.:		Foreign & List Country:	
Full Name of Dog:					
Breed:	Reg. #:	Call Name:	Sex:	Date of Birth:	
Sire:					
Dam:					
Name of Breeder:					
Actual Owner(s):					
Address					
City:		State:		Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:					
Agent/Handler's Address:					
City:		State:		Zip:	
<p>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org</p> <p align="center">AGREEMENT</p> <p>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 his 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. 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 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 there from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND 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.</p>					
Signature of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry:					
Cell phone:		E-Mail address:			

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB FIELD TRIAL OR HUNT TEST ENTRY FORM

Club: Fort Dearborn GSP Club		Date(s): Sunday, September 20, 2026		Event: 2026149707	
Location: Des Plaines Conservation Area - West		Event type (test or trial): Hunt Test/AWP/Water Test		Enter in Stake/Test:	
DNA #:		I enclose entry fees in the amount of:		AKC No.:	
AKC Litter No.:		ILP No.:		Foreign & List Country:	
Full Name of Dog:					
Breed:	Reg. #:	Call Name:	Sex:	Date of Birth:	
Sire:					
Dam:					
Name of Breeder:					
Actual Owner(s):					
Address					
City:		State:		Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:					
Agent/Handler's Address:					
City:		State:		Zip:	
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