



**Mid-Atlantic Italian Greyhound Club of Central Maryland (MAIGC)
Large Gazehound Racing Association (LGRA) - 200 yard sprints
Event # Q146 & Q147**

“The Wedge”, 5100 Hydes Rd., Hydes, MD 21082

Oct. 8 & 9, 2011

NOTICE: THIS IS A COMPLETE FENCED IN FIELD!!! So if you've been leery about trying your dog on the LGRA bunny for fear they'll take off, this is a good field to start on! Gates are shut at all times when a dog is loose.

NOTICE: This field is used for exercising dogs, please do NOT leave any cigarette butts on the grounds.

ELIGIBILITY

- Open to purebred Afghan Hounds, Azawakhs, Basenji, Borzoi, Chart Polski, Cirneco dell'Etna, Greyhounds, Ibizan Hounds, Irish Wolfhounds, Italian Greyhounds, Magyar Agar, Pharaoh Hounds, Rhodesian Ridgebacks, Salukis, Scottish Deerhounds, and Sloughi. Portuguese Podengos (Pequeno only) may run provisionally.
- Hounds must be one year of age or older to be eligible, and must not be lame, sick or in season.
- Each hound must have a completed and signed entry form. ***Those with First Time Entered (FTE) hounds must attach a photocopy of your dog's registration to your entry form, along with a one-time \$2.00 registration fee.***
- If your adopted NGA Greyhound does not have an AKC, ILP, NGA or other registration number, please make sure ***ALL*** other information is filled out on the entry form, including ear tattoo numbers, certificate and volume number.
- ***HOUNDS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER WITHOUT A COMPLETED AND SIGNED ENTRY FORM. A completed entry includes the photocopy of the dog's registration for FTEs!!!***
- The following registries are approved by LGRA: American Kennel Club (AKC), Canadian Kennel Club (CKC), United Kennel Club (UKC), National Greyhound Association (NGA), or any recognized foreign registry for pure-bred progeny of Gazehound breeds. Hounds registered with the AKC under Indefinite Listing Privilege (ILP) or Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL), UKC Limited Privilege (LP) and CKC Performance Event Number (PEN) equivalent may also be registered.

ENTRIES

- Pre-entries: \$12.00 first dog per owner, \$10 additional dogs, same owner. Five or more dogs, same owner, \$50.00.
Pre-entries close **Thursday, Oct. 6 at 9:00 pm.**
Pre-entries may be made by phone, e-mail, or snail mail.
- Same-day entries: \$15 per dog, no multiple entry discount. Entries close 8:30 am on Sat. and 8:00 am on Sun. at the Race Secretary's table.
Make checks payable to MAIGC and mail to **Race Secretary:**
Renee McCartin P.O. Box 1132, Cockeysville MD 21030
Phone: 443-682-1589 Email: pvbclgra@gmail.com
- You may use the entry form attached, or at <http://lgra.org/forms/>
Please make it clear on the form which date(s) you are entering. Don't mix more than one breed on one form.

OTHER INFO

- **Inspection and roll call will begin at 9:00 AM on Saturday and 8:30 AM on Sunday.**
- Race meets will be 3 program, 4 dog races, 200-yard straight sprints.
- **NOTE: All breeds will start from the box except IWs and RRs, which will be hand-slipped.**
- Schooling runs will be required for all FTE dogs before they may compete. Talk to secretary regarding your hound's experience. Box practice and schooling runs will start at 8:30 AM Sat./8:00 AM Sun. for those hounds which are entered that day. The meet will begin after practice ends.
- All breeds must run with muzzles and racing blankets. A limited number of muzzles and blankets will be available for loan. FTE dogs may benefit from muzzle training at home before the meet.
- Ribbons for point winners. Rosettes for High Score in Breed. Turtle awards will be offered for each breed.
- Additional practice sessions for unentered hounds (\$3 for MAIGC members, \$5 for non-members) may be offered after the meet (Saturday only) or between programs, time, weather and equipment permitting.
- At the owner's request because this property contains a working kennel, and for all the dogs' (and human's) safety, please make sure your dogs are up-to-date on all vaccinations, and have had recent flea/tick preventive applied. Because MD is a rabies epidemic state, you should also have with you your dogs' current rabies certificates.
- Children should stay in the field area, not permitted to go exploring unsupervised elsewhere on the property.
- If you're new to LGRA, it is a sport where all participants are expected to lend a hand.

ALL ATTENDEES: PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELF AND YOUR DOGS.

FACILITIES

- Please bring your own shade, food and water.
- A port-a-potty will be provided.
- Reservations for dog boarding may be made if you wish to go touring during your stay. Contact the event chair, Celeste Mulcrone, at celesteigs@aol.com, or call 240-405-7899, to inquire.
- there is an organic creamery 3 miles away which harvests the grass in the coursing field at the Wedge. These people produce a VERY HIGH QUALITY TASTY ice cream and the fact that they take the grass immensely reduces the cost of keeping the field mowed which reduces what clubs pay to use the field. Address:

Prigel Family Creamery
4852 Long Green Rd
Glen Arm, MD 21057

CAMPING

LARGE RVs can NOT be accommodated. No camping overnight on the field. There are two Wal-Marts, each about 7.5 mi. away.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Veterinarian on Call.....Animal Emergency Hospital (410) 420-7297
807 Belair Rd., Bel Air, MD

Directions to Animal Emergency Hospital from field

Start out going LEFT out of the driveway onto Hydes Rd. (1.1 miles)

Turn LEFT onto Long Green Pike. (1.1 miles)

Turn RIGHT onto Countryside Ln./Fork Rd. Continue to follow Fork Rd. (2.7 miles)

Turn LEFT onto Harford Rd./MD 147 (4.5 miles)

Harford Rd./MD 147 becomes Belair Rd./US 1 (1.3 miles)

End at 807 Belair Rd. (on the right, near the top of the hill, past the Auto Auction but before the strip mall with the big Salvation Army store)

Total Estimated Time: 21 minutes Total Distance: 10.67 miles

Medical Emergencies.....DIAL 911

PARKING

Parking area will depend on wetness, so watch for posted signs. In any case, please park at a right angle to the fence, to allow other vehicles to have room to do the same.

DIRECTIONS

From York – Harrisburg:

Go south on I-83 to the Shawan Road exit.

Go east on Shawan approximately 1 mile to the light at the intersection with York Road. Turn right onto York, go about 1/3 mile and turn left at the light at the Shell station.

Stay on this road about 6 miles to the light in Jacksonville at Rt. 146.

Continue straight another 1.5 miles to the next light, Manor Road. Turn right onto Manor.

In about 2.5 miles there is a stop sign. 200 yards later, turn left onto Hydes Road. The Wedge is at 5100 Hydes Rd. Once in the driveway, make an immediate right turn through the gate onto the field unless the weather is very wet - look for signs directing you to parking.

From the Delaware, New Jersey and points North via I-95:

Take I-95 south through Maryland to the exit for Maryland Rt. 24 west (about 15 miles after the bridge over the Susquehanna River).

Take Rt. 24 N through Bel Air to US 1 south (Cross business Rt. 1 in Bel Air and continue to "real" US 1. Rt. 24 splits after

"downtown" Bel Air; stay to the left). Go south (left) on Rt. 1 to the light at Maryland Rt. 147 (Harford Road), and turn right onto 147. Go straight at the first light on 147 (this is Rt. 152), go down into the river valley and up again, to the second light, at Fork Road. Turn right onto Fork. About 2.5 miles down Fork is a sharp leftward bend; about 0.5 mile later turn left at the stop sign onto Long Green Pike. Just over 1 mile down Long Green, turn right (after the horse farm with the board fence) onto Hydes Road.

Stay on Hydes Rd for around a mile. Rd splits, stay left at split. Our house is first house on right after split in road.

Address is 5100. Once in the driveway, make an immediate right turn through the gate onto the field unless the weather is very wet - look for signs directing you to parking.

From points southwest (as in coming from Frederick, MD):

From I-70E, take the Baltimore beltway (I-695) north to exit 27 north, Maryland Rt. 146, Dulaney Valley Road (due north of Baltimore). Go north on 146 for 4 miles.

Immediately after crossing the Loch Raven reservoir the road forks, with 146 bending left. You bear right on Dulaney Valley. In 1.5 miles the road makes a hairpin left bend (at a restaurant); 2 miles later it ends at a stop sign at Manor Road. Turn right onto Manor, then left in 200 yards onto Hydes. The Wedge is 1 mile down the road on left at 5100. Once in the driveway, turn right through the gate onto the field unless the weather is very wet - look for signs directing you to parking.

From points due south of Baltimore (as in No. VA):

Depending on traffic and time of day you will have to get around DC. The shortest route is to stay on I-95 and go around DC to the east, I 95 then continues north to the Baltimore Beltway. Stay on I-95 the FIRST time you see the signs for the Baltimore Beltway (I-695) and go through the Fort McHenry tunnel. After the tunnel you will encounter I-695 for the SECOND time. The exit you want is a LEFT exit onto I-695 going west. Travel west a couple of exits to exit 31 - Harford Rd. Go North (first ramp). You will travel through a commercial area, then a residential areal, then the Gunpowder Park. The road runs along a stream in the park then comes up out of the stream canyon into farm land. Around 1/2 a mile after the farmland starts you will see a Historical marker for "Belair Pike". Just after this marker there is a country store-deli on the left. This is at the corner of Long Green Pike (on the left only). Go left, go several miles to the stop sign in Glen Arm. Go straight at the stop sign and over the next ridge. Pass the winery (Boordy winery) and turn left in around 1/4 mile onto Hydes Rd (again on the left only). Go one mile and there is a fork in the road. Stay to the left. Our driveway is the first one on the right. There is a sign that says 5100 and it is 300 yards from the fork. Once in the driveway, turn right through the gate onto the field unless the weather is very wet - look for signs directing you to parking.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Please contact the individual hotel for complete information (some restrictions may apply). All these accept large dogs. We appreciate your cooperation in assuring that the hotel rooms and grounds are left in neat condition, and all pet policies followed. If you find a better hotels than these, please let us know.

La Quinta, 4 Philadelphia Ct., Baltimore, MD 21237.....(410) 574-8100
(10 mi. from site, no pet fee)

Microtel Inn & Suites, 1170 Winterson Rd., Baltimore, MD 21090.....(410) 865-7500
(\$75 pet fee)

Motel 6, Baltimore West, 1654 Whitehead Ct., Baltimore, MD.....(410) 265-7660
(no pet fee, only 1 pet per room)



Club: MAIGC

Breed: [REDACTED]

Date: [REDACTED], 2011

Location: Hydes, MD

QUICK ENTRY (For dogs that have previously raced in LGRA events):

LGRA NO: _____ CALL NAME: _____

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FTE (First Time Entered Dogs):

CALL NAME: _____ SEX: _____

REGISTERED NAME (Include titles):

SIRE:

DAM:

REGISTRATION PAPERS ATTACHED: AKC _____ NGA _____ AKC ILP _____ OTHER _____

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I and my heirs, legal representatives and assigns shall hold harmless and defend from any claim for personal injury, illness or property damage arising out of participation in this race meet, Boarding at the Wedge, Mid-Atlantic Italian Greyhound Club of Central Maryland, its officers, directors, committees, agents and members, and the Large Gazehound Racing Association, its officers, directors, committees, agents, and members. I agree to abide by the Official Rules and Regulations of LGRA and its code of conduct during this race meeting.

Signature of Owner _____ Date _____

Owner's Name (please print) _____

Address _____ Phone or

_____ E-mail _____