

Requirements to Host the SW Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey

1. Full-member regional clubs within the SW Region and that are in good standing may bid to host the Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey. Bids are to be submitted for the following year at the annual regional meeting held in conjunction with the Regional SchH Championship. Bids shall be presented in writing and shall include the proposed dates, judge, and location, as well as any other pertinent information that will assist member clubs in determining which bid to accept. In the event there is more than one bid to host the Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey, there shall be a vote to determine the winning bid at the regional meeting where the bids are submitted. In the event that no bids are presented at the Regional meeting the Regional Director may declare a reasonable time period to recruit host clubs for the event. A regional vote will be conducted at the end of the set time period. This vote may be conducted either by e-mail ballot or USPS.
2. Any full member regional club who has never hosted a conformation show must first do a practice conformation show before being able to host any club show or Regional Conformation Show and a Breed Survey. The practice show must be organized and run like an actual show with all the necessary paperwork, a minimum of 15 dogs shall be entered, etc. The Regional Breed Warden, Regional Director or USA Conformation Judge appointed by the Regional Director should officiate the practice show so that the club can be evaluated as to its understanding and ability of hosting the actual event and they are the ones who give the go ahead to set up an actual event.
3. Conflicting Events. No other USA events may be scheduled within our Region for the weekend of, as well as the weekends immediately prior to and following, the Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey. No trial, conformation show, breed survey, or seminar may be scheduled the weekend of the Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey within our Region. An exception may be granted for a trial or seminar to be held in conjunction with the Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey.
4. The date of the Regional Conformation Show is to be chosen by the Region sponsoring the show and the Regional Breed Warden.
5. The Judge or Judges selected for the event will be recommended by the Host Club but must receive final approval from the Regional Breed Warden.
6. The Helpers for the Breed Survey should reside within the SW Region. Helpers for this event will be recommended by the Host Club but must receive final approval from the Regional Breed Warden. Helpers must be available for a practice session for all dogs that are being Breed Surveyed. At all times helpers selected for the Breed Survey must display the safety, skill, and intensity indicative of a Regional Breed Survey.
7. A stadium is recommended for the event, but in lieu of a stadium an adequate size club field may be used with the approval of the Regional Breed Warden and voted on by the Regional Executive Board.

8. If the Regional Conformation Show is held in a stadium, the SW Region will support this event with a \$ 500.00 donation. This money may be used by the Host Club as they see fit, i.e. stadium rental, Helper reimbursement, Judges Fees etc.
9. Final review of the flyers, entry forms, catalogs, set up, show grounds, helpers, judges, equipment and all other aspects of the Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey must be approved by the Regional Breed Warden. The Regional Breed Warden will assist the Host Club of the Regional Conformation Show and Breed Survey and serve as the Regional Conformation Show Chairperson.