

# JUDGING PROGRAM

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES &  
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## Greater Swiss Mountain Dog Club of America, Inc.

*Member of the American Kennel Club*

**October 12 - October 18, 2024**

**National Specialty Show with Junior Showmanship & NOHS  
National Specialty Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes  
Futurity & Maturity**

**NS Obedience and Rally Trials**

**4-6 month Beginner Puppy**

**Hosted by Patriot Greater Swiss Mountain Dog Club**



**Independent Specialty Show with  
NOHS, Sweepstakes & Veteran  
Sweepstakes hosted by  
Greater Swiss Mountain Dog  
Club of America**

## TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Unless otherwise noted, all events will be held at The outdoor field at Basin Harbor Resort 4800 Basin Harbor Road, Vergennes, VT

<b>SATURDAY</b> <b>OCTOBER 12, 2024</b>	<b>8:00AM Farm Dog and ATT Test- Green MTN Meadow K9 Wellness Center Williston, VT</b> <b>11:00AM Pack Hike - Huntington, VT</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b> <b>OCTOBER 13, 2024</b>	<b>8:30AM Pack Hike - Hinesburg, VT</b> <b>9:00 AM Draft Trials Equipment Check, trials to follow</b> <b>2:30PM Obedience and Rally Run Thru</b> <b>6:00PM Smores and Movie Night</b>
<b>MONDAY</b> <b>OCTOBER 14, 2024</b>	<b>8:00AM Obedience Trial</b> <b>9:00AM Rally Trial</b> <b>11:00AM Novice Weight Pull weigh in, start to follow.</b> <b>1:30PM Puppy Match</b> <b>3:30PM GSMDCA Annual Meeting</b> <b>4:00PM Welcome Party</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b> <b>OCTOBER 15, 2024</b>	<b>8:00AM Independent Specialty and Sweeps</b> <b>12:00PM Ben &amp; Jerry's Ice Cream Truck</b> <b>2:00PM National Specialty Weight Pull weigh in, start to follow.</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> <b>OCTOBER 16, 2024</b>	<b>7:30 AM Top 20 Entrant Check-in</b> <b>8:00AM Top 20 Judging</b> <b>8:00AM Judges Education</b> <b>10:00AM Puppy and Veteran Sweepstakes</b> <b>1:30PM 4-6 Month Puppy</b> <b>Followed by Conformation for Class Dogs/Class Bitches/ Veterans</b> <b>6:00PM Top 20 Entrant Check-in</b> <b>6:30PM Top 20 Showcase</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b> <b>October 17, 2024</b>	<b>8:00AM GSMDCA Futurity and Maturity</b> <b>9:30AM Jr Showmanship followed by</b> <b>GSMDCA NS Best of Breed, NOHS, Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Brace, Generations, Breeder Classes</b> <b>6:00PM Awards Banquet</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b> <b>October 18, 2024</b>	<b>9:00AM Independent Specialty Weight Pull weigh in, start to follow</b>

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National Specialty with Junior Showmanship & NOHS, Event #2024491610

National Specialty Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes, Event #2024491616

Futurity & Maturity, Event #2024491613

NS Obedience Trial, Event #2024491611

NS Rally Trial, Event #2024491608

4-6 month Beginner Puppy, Event #2024491609

Independent Specialty with NOHS, Event #2024491612

Independent Specialty Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes, Event #2024491612

All events will be held at the outdoor field at the Basin Harbor Resort  
4800 Basin Harbor Road, Vergennes, VT 05491

Conformation, Obedience and Rally to be held outdoors, unbenched.

Show hours each day 6:00AM to 10:00PM EDT

## **VETERINARIAN**

Peak Veterinary Referral Center(Urgent Care) 158 Hurricane Lane Williston, VT 05495  
802-878-2022

Burlington Emergency Veterinary Services(ER) 1417 Marshall Ave Williston, VT 05495  
802-863-2387

## **EMERGENCY & URGENT CARE (HUMAN):**

ExpressCare (Urgent Care) 115 Porter Dr Middlebury, VT 05753 802-388-5678

## **HOST HOTEL**

Basin Harbor Resort 4800 Basin Harbor Rd Vergennes, VT 05491

For more information visit the NS website, [www.gsmdcans.com](http://www.gsmdcans.com)



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GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary



**NATIONAL SHOW COMMITTEE (POINT PEOPLE)**

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Awards Banquet.....	Deanna Never/Jessie Bell
Welcome Party.....	Deanna Never/Jessie Bell
Raffle.....	Chloe Conrad
GSMD Rescue Foundation Auction.....	Cheryl Gerzaback
GSMDCA Health Foundation Auction.....	Sarah Jensen
Judges' Ed Coordinator.....	Jennie Chen
GSMDCA Annual Meeting.....	Elizabeth Coit, Anna Wallace
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Obed & Rally Chair.....	Leslie Nelson
Chief Ring Steward.....	Lorna Fortune
Bench Committee.....	Liz Coit, Deanna Never, Jessie Bell, Chloe Conrad, and Sarah Jensen

**INDEPENDENT SHOW COMMITTEE**

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Vice Chair.....	Deanna Never
Coordinator, Website.....	Allison Allen
Trophies.....	Allison Allen/Mary Jo Rasmussen
Decorations.....	Deanna Never
Members .....	Mary Jo Rasmussen, Martha Tubman

**JUDGES**

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Elizabeth (Tibby) Chase [5330] Obedience Trial .....	Belchertown, MA
Jennie Chen IS Sweepstakes .....	Maple Grove, MN
Steve Likevich Futurity & Maturity ( <i>Judge Change</i> ).....	Spencer, OH
Mrs. Karen S McFarlane [4835] IS Conformation.....	Kearney, MO
Ms. Kimberly Anne Meredith [5978] NS Conformation, BP, Jr Show.....	Grants Pass, OR
Ms. Laraine (Lori) Moffa [15487] Rally Trial, Team Rally.....	Plattsburgh, NY
Ms. Patricia (Pattie) Proctor NS Sweepstakes .....	Yarmouth, MA

**OFFICIAL SHOW PHOTOGRAPHER**

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# GREATER SWISS MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB OF AMERICA

**Monday, October 14, 2024 - 115 Dogs, 129 Entries**

44 Obedience, 85 Rally

**Tuesday, October 15, 2024 - 228 Dogs, 233 Entries**

39 Sweepstakes, 23 Veteran Sweepstakes, 171 Conformation

**Wednesday & Thursday, October 16-17, 2024 - 299 Dogs, 373 Entries**

**Plus 37 Individual Entries in Breeder's Class**

Wed: 43 Sweepstakes, 32 Veteran Sweepstakes, 9 Beginner Puppy 4-6 Mos., 132 Conformation

Thurs: 15 Futurity, 15 Maturity, 5 Junior Showmanship, 122 Conformation

## SCHEDULE OF JUDGING

### MONDAY – OCTOBER 14, 2024

#### RING 1 - JUDGE: ELIZABETH (TIBBY) CHASE

*All Breaks, including lunch break, at the discretion of the judge*

##### **8:00AM - 44 OBEDIENCE**

17 Beginner Novice B - [1203, 1205, 1209, 1211, 1213, 1216], 1741-1751

2 Beginner Novice A - 1701-1702

16 Novice B - 1201-1216

7 Novice A - 1101-1107

2 Veteran - 3501-3502

#### RING 2 - JUDGE: LORAIN (LORI) MOFFA

*All Breaks, including lunch break, at the discretion of the judge*

##### **9:00AM - 85 RALLY**

1 Rally Choice - 2901

2 Rally Master - [2503, 2512]

9 Rally Excellent B - [2210, 2502-2506, 2512], 2701-2702

14 Rally Advanced B - [2210, 2304], 2501-2512

1 Rally Advanced A - [2102]

11 Rally Intermediate - 2301-2311

23 Rally Novice B - 2201-2223

15 Rally Novice A - 2101-2115

##### **At the Conclusion of the Obedience Trial, but no sooner than 2:00 PM**

9 Rally Team Novice Units

Team #1: Edelweiss - [2104, 2301], 2974, 2981, Alt. [2512]

Team #2: Swiss Sweets - [2107-2108], 2976, 2978

Team #3: Swiss Lightning - [2111, 2201, 2702], 2975

Team #4: Zoomies - [2112, 2213], 2980, 2983, Alt. 2979

Team #5: Rally Rockets - [2114, 2205], 2971-2972

Team #6: [No Name] - [2204, 2216, 2311, 2901], Alt. [2701]

Team #7: [No Name] - [2208, 2215, 2508], 2977, Alt. 2984

Team #8: Tie Dye - [2221, 2305, 2507], 2973, Alt. 2971

Team #9: Birdie And Her Boys - [2302, 2304, 2306], 2979

*No Refund for Bitches Who Come in Season in Obedience*

*No Refund for Bitches Who Come in Season in Rally*

## TUESDAY – OCTOBER 15, 2024

### RING 1 - JUDGE: JENNIE CHEN

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*All Breaks, including lunch break, at the discretion of the judge*

#### **8:00AM - 39 SWEEPSTAKES**

- 7 Sweepstakes Dogs 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.
- 7 Sweepstakes Dogs 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.
- 5 Sweepstakes Dogs 12 Mos. & Under 15 Mos.
- 1 Sweepstakes Dogs 15 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.
- 7 Sweepstakes Bitches 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.
- 4 Sweepstakes Bitches 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.
- 6 Sweepstakes Bitches 12 Mos. & Under 15 Mos.
- 2 Sweepstakes Bitches 15 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.

*Best in Sweepstakes, Best of Opposite Sex*

#### **23 VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

- 9 Veteran Sweepstakes Dogs 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.
- 1 Veteran Sweepstakes Dogs 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.
- 7 Veteran Sweepstakes Bitches 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.
- 5 Veteran Sweepstakes Bitches 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.
- 1 Veteran Sweepstakes Bitches 11 Yrs. & Older

*Best in Veteran Sweepstakes, Best of Opposite Sex*

### RING 1 - JUDGE: KAREN MCFARLANE

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#### **INDEPENDENT SPECIALTY**

*All Breaks, including lunch break, at the discretion of the judge*

#### **11:00AM - 171 CONFORMATION**

#### **171 Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs - 27-41-8vd-14vb-45/35-2**

- 6 Puppy Dogs 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.
- 3 Puppy Dogs 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.
- 3 Dogs 12 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.
- 1 Amateur-Owner-Handler Dogs
- 5 Bred By Exhibitor Puppy Dogs
- 9 Bred By Exhibitor Adult Dogs
- 4 Puppy Bitches 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.
- 3 Puppy Bitches 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.
- 3 Bitches 12 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.
- 7 Amateur-Owner-Handler Bitches
- 6 Bred By Exhibitor Puppy Bitches
- 10 Bred By Exhibitor Adult Bitches
- 3 American Bred Bitches

6 Open Bitches

*Winners Bitch, Reserve Winners Bitch*

- 7 Veteran Dogs 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.
- 1 Veteran Dogs 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.
- 8 Veteran Bitches 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.
- 5 Veteran Bitches 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.
- 1 Veteran Bitches 11 Yrs. & Older

80 Best of Breed Competition 45/35

*Best of Breed, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex,*

*Select Dog, Select Bitch, NOHS, Awards of Merit,*

*Best Puppy, Best Bred by Exhibitor,*

*Best Veteran, Best Opposite Sex Veteran*

**WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16-17, 2024**

**NATIONAL SPECIALTY**

254 Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs Conformation  
29-42-9vd-15vb-48/36-7sd-13bb-11br-7gen-37brdr

**WEDNESDAY – OCTOBER 16, 2024**

**RING 1 - JUDGE: PATRICIA [PATTIE] PROCTOR**

**10:00AM - 43 SWEEPSTAKES**

8 Sweepstakes Dogs 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.  
7 Sweepstakes Dogs 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.  
5 Sweepstakes Dogs 12 Mos. & Under 15 Mos.  
2 Sweepstakes Dogs 15 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.  
7 Sweepstakes Bitches 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.  
6 Sweepstakes Bitches 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.  
6 Sweepstakes Bitches 12 Mos. & Under 15 Mos.  
2 Sweepstakes Bitches 15 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.

*Best in Sweepstakes, Best of Opposite Sex*

**32 VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

11 Veteran Sweepstakes Dogs 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.  
2 Veteran Sweepstakes Dogs 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.  
10 Veteran Sweepstakes Bitches 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.  
8 Veteran Sweepstakes Bitches 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.  
1 Veteran Sweepstakes Bitches 11 Yrs. & Older

*Best in Veteran Sweepstakes, Best of Opposite Sex*

**RING 1 - JUDGE: KIMBERLY ANNE MEREDITH**

**1:30PM - 9 BEGINNER PUPPY 4-6 MONTHS**

9 Beginner Puppy 6-3

*Best Beginner Puppy 4-6 Months, Best of Opposite Sex*

**80 CONFORMATION REGULAR CLASSES & VETERANS**

7 Puppy Dogs 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.  
3 Puppy Dogs 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.  
3 Dogs 12 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.  
1 Amateur-Owner-Handler Dogs  
5 Bred By Exhibitor Puppy Dogs  
10 Bred By Exhibitor Adult Dogs  
*Winners Dog, Reserve Winners Dog*  
4 Puppy Bitches 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.  
3 Puppy Bitches 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.  
3 Bitches 12 Mos. & Under 18 Mos.  
7 Amateur-Owner-Handler Bitches  
6 Bred By Exhibitor Puppy Bitches  
10 Bred By Exhibitor Adult Bitches  
3 American Bred Bitches  
7 Open Bitches

*Winners Bitch, Reserve Winners Bitch*

8 Veteran Dogs 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.  
1 Veteran Dogs 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.  
7 Veteran Bitches 7 Yrs. & Under 9 Yrs.  
7 Veteran Bitches 9 Yrs. & Under 11 Yrs.  
1 Veteran Bitches 11 Yrs. & Older

# THURSDAY – OCTOBER 17, 2024

## RING 1 - JUDGE: STEVE LIKEVICH

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### 8:00AM - 15 FUTURITY

- 3 Futurity Dogs 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.
- 3 Futurity Dogs 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.
- 2 Futurity Bitches 6 Mos. & Under 9 Mos.
- 2 Futurity Bitches 9 Mos. & Under 12 Mos.
- Best Puppy in Futurity, Best Opposite Sex Puppy In Futurity*
- 3 Futurity Dogs 12 Mos. & Under 15 Mos.
- 1 Futurity Bitches 12 Mos. & Under 15 Mos.
- 1 Futurity Bitches 15 Mos. & Older
- Best Junior in Futurity, Best Opposite Sex Junior in Futurity*
- Grand Futurity Winner*

### 15 MATURITY

- 2 Maturity Dogs 6 Mos. & Under 24 Mos.
- 2 Maturity Bitches 6 Mos. & Under 24 Mos.
- Best Junior in Maturity, Best Opposite Sex*
- 7 Maturity Dogs 24 Mos. & Older
- 4 Maturity Bitches 24 Mos. & Older
- Best Senior in Maturity, Best Opposite Sex*
- Grand Maturity Winner*

## RING 1 - JUDGE: KIMBERLY ANNE MEREDITH

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*All Breaks, including lunch break, at the discretion of the judge*

### 9:30AM - 5 JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

- 1 Novice Intermediate
- 1 Novice Senior
- 1 Open Junior
- 1 Open Intermediate
- 1 Open Senior
- Best Junior Handler, Reserve Junior Handler*

### INTERSEX COMPETITION

- 84 Best of Breed Competition 48/36
- Best of Breed, Best of Winners, Best of Opposite Sex, Select Dog, Select Bitch, NOHS, Awards of Merit*
- Best Puppy, Best Bred by Exhibitor, Best Veteran, Best Opposite Sex Veteran*
- 7 Stud Dogs
- 13 Brood Bitches
- 11 Brace Units
- 7 Three Generation Units
- 37 Breeder's Class - 37 individual entries