



Mid-Atlantic Leonberger Club
2010 Regional Spring Specialty Shows

Sanctioned by The Leonberger Club of America

Saturday AM, March 13, 2010 at 10:00 AM
Judge: Ms. Mary Decher

Sunday AM, March 14, 2010 at 10:00 AM
Judge: Ms. Brenda Santiago

Show Site:
Dude Ranch Pet Resort
11015 Dude Ranch Road
Glen Allen, VA 23059
(804) 798-7900

Welcome To Our Spring 2010 MALC Shows!

The Mid-Atlantic Leonberger Club welcomes all to our Spring Regional Specialty Shows. If you are new to this event you will meet great people, great dogs, and learn more about the Leonberger. If you have joined us in the past, you know you will have a great time seeing old friends and making new friends.

We'd like to wish all the participants in this year's shows the best of luck—and early congratulations to all the winners!

Show Chair: Brenda Frye

Officers and Board Members:

Kathleen Bisbee, Eileen Pevarski, Sandy Beggs, June Campbell,

Agi Hejja, Shannon White, Harry Austin

Raffle

Once again we will have our biannual MALC raffle. This is always a fun event! Donations, be it dog items or dollars, are much appreciated. Please bring any dog raffle items with you. If you choose to make a donation, please include it on the Event Registration form in this Premium.

Specialty Show Overview

- This 2010 LCA Sanctioned Specialty is organized to conform to the FCI format with changes to accommodate LCA regulations.
- All entrant Leonbergers will be evaluated by the judge and will receive a copy of the written commentary. Class placements (first through fourth) will be determined and presented by the Judge at the conclusion of each class.
- After the youth classes are judged, Best Youth Dog/Female will be selected from the winners of each group (6-9 months, 9-12 months, 12-18 months). The Best Youth Dog and the Best Youth Female will go on to compete for the Winner's Dog and Winner's Female against the first place dogs/females of the Novice, Bred by Exhibitor, Foreign Bred and Open categories. Reserve Winner's Dog and Reserve Winner's Female will be selected from the remaining first place dogs in the Winner's Class after the Winner's Dog and Winner's Female has been chosen.
- The Winner's Dog, Winner's Female, Veteran and Champion Class winners all advance to compete in the overall "Best In Show/Best of Breed" competition.
- During the Final Judging the Judge will select Best of Winners, Best in Show and Best of Opposite.
- Following the Best in Show selection judging will begin for the Breeder's Group and Breeder's Line.
- If a dog is owned wholly or in part by the LCA member who is judging at an LCA sanctioned event, that dog shall not be exhibited under said judge.
- Judges are not to fraternize with exhibitors and their dogs immediately prior to a judging assignment.

LCA Safety Policy For Dogs At all LCA Events

- Dogs must be crated or on leash at all times.
- When on leash, the length must not exceed six (6) feet and may NOT be a retractable leash.
- When on leash dogs must be under control at all times.
- Dogs showing uncontrolled or aggressive behavior may be asked by the event chair, a board member, or other official to leave the site promptly or be crated for the duration of the event.
- Current rabies certificates are required.
- There will be occasions when a dog will be allowed off lead when approved by the event chairperson (obedience).
- Failure to meet these conditions may result in a disciplinary hearing.

Specialty Class Descriptions

Conformation Classes

Regular Youth Classes

- **Youth Dogs/Bitches 6-9 months:** Open to all dogs/bitches between 6 and 9 months of age.
- **Youth Dogs/Bitches 9-12 months:** Open to all dogs/bitches between 9 and 12 months of age.
- **Youth Dogs/Bitches 12-18 months:** Open to all dogs/bitches between 12 and 18 months of age.

Regular Adult Classes (Non-Champion):

- **Novice Dog/Bitch:** Open to any Dog or Bitch 18 months or older who has NOT won 3 first place awards in Novice, or won 1 first place award in any other adult class (Bred by Exhibitor, Foreign Bred, Open, or Veterans), AND who has earned NO points toward an LCA Championship.
- **Bred By Exhibitor Dog/Bitch:** Open to any Dog or Bitch 18 months or older who is exhibited by his or her breeder where the breeder is either the sole or part owner of the Leonberger being shown.
- **Foreign Bred Dog/Bitch:** Open to any Dog or Bitch 18 months or older who is from a kennel domiciled outside of the United States.
- **Open Dog/Bitch:** Open to any Dog or Bitch 18 months or older. Dogs or Bitches that are eligible for the Novice, Bred by Exhibitor, or Foreign Bred classes may be entered in this class instead, at the owner's discretion.

Specials Adult Classes: *These classes do not compete for LCA Championship points, but the winners of both champion classes and veteran classes compete for Best of Breed and Top Leo points.*

- **LCA Champion Dog/Bitch:** Open to any Dog or Bitch who has attained an LCA Championship.
- **Veteran Dog/Bitch:** Open to any Dog or Bitch who is 7 years of age or older, including LCA Champions, and who is either intact or has produced offspring.
- **Non-Regular Classes:** *Non-regular classes compete in conformation-type exhibition events, but no championship points are awarded for placement in these classes.*
- **Puppy Dog/Bitch 3-6 months:** Open to all puppies between 3 and 6 months of age.
- **Spay/Neuter:** Open to any Neutered Dog or Spayed Bitch who is 6 months of age or older.
- **Leolettes and Jr. Handlers:** Leolettes are children under the age of 7 who wish to walk their dog around the ring. Parents are encouraged to stay close to the ring, in the event the child needs assistance. Jr. Handlers are children aged 8-15 and are divided into two groups. The Open Group is for those handlers who have yet to take first place. There is no "Best Junior Handler" competition between these two groups. **There is no charge for Leolettes or Jr. Handlers.**

Show Site Information

**The Dude Ranch Pet Resort
11015 Dude Ranch Road
Glen Allen, VA 23059
(804) 798-7900**

www.duderanchpetresort.com

The Dude Ranch Pet Resort offers some unique options, including:

- Overnight Crating---You may leave your dogs in your own wire crates overnight at the facility as someone is on the premises 24 hours per day.
- Regular Boarding---The Dude Ranch offers a variety of deluxe accommodations with your choice of villas or suites, so you can leave your Leo at the show site with no worries of finding a pet friendly hotel. Your Leo will be pampered with raised platform beds, dog level windows, couches, TVs, designer beds, and much more! Then you will be free to find a luxury hotel of your own!
- Raw Food---Raw food can be purchased at The Dude Ranch, so no need for you to carry extra coolers. They also offer a variety of super premium dog food including Bravo, Primal, Nature's Variety, Taste of The Wild and Canidae. Special requests for other types of food may be accommodated with sufficient notice.
- Motor Home Parking---Motor homes can be parked on The Dude Ranch grounds but there are no electrical hook-ups or dumping stations provided.
- Swimming Your Dog--The Dude Ranch has 2 ponds on grounds, and you are welcome to swim your dogs. Please be advised that after dogs have been swimming they are not welcome back into the building.

Please visit The Dude Ranch Pet Resort website for more information or call them at (804) 798-7900. Mention that you are participating in the Mid-Atlantic Leonberger Specialty Shows.

Please note that tarps are required to be placed under all dog crates during the show. Don't forget to bring yours!

Directions To Show Site

From Interstate 95 North/Richmond:

Merge onto I-64 via Exit 90 toward Powhite Parkway/Charlottesville.
Merge onto US-33W via Exit 185. (10.3 mi)
Turn left onto Gordons Lane (.1mi)
Turn left onto Dude Ranch Road (1.5 mi)

From Interstate 95 South/Fredericksburg:

Merge onto VA-54 W England St via Exit 92 toward Ashland. (0.8 miles)
Turn left onto US-1/S Washington Hwy. (0.9 miles)
Turn right onto Ashcake Road. (4.1 miles)
Ashcake Rd becomes Ashland Road. (2.7 miles)
Turn left onto US-33/Mountain Road. (0.7 miles)
Turn right onto Gordons Lane. (0.1 miles)
Turn left onto Dude Ranch Rd. (1.5 miles)

From Interstate 64 East/Charlottesville:

Take I-64 East towards Richmond. (49.1 mi)
Take the VA-623 Exit, Exit 173 towards Rockville/Manakin. (.2 mi)
Turn left onto Ashland Road. (6.2 mi)
Turn right onto US-33 Mountain Road. (.7 mi)
Turn right onto Gordons Lane. (.1 mi)
Turn left onto Dude Ranch Road. (1.5 mi)

These directions were furnished by MapQuest and are not certified to be correct. Visit the Dude Ranch's website for directions from other locations.

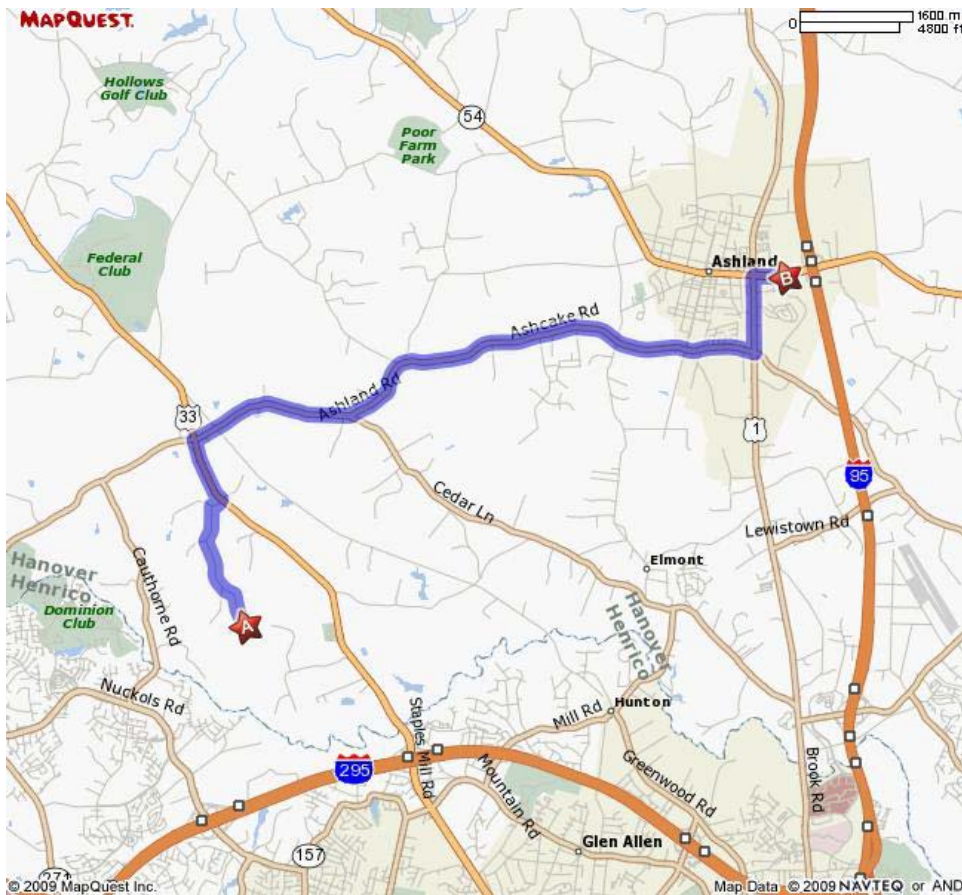
Hotel Information

The hotel for the show is the **Quality Inn, 810 England Street, I-95 and SR 54, Ashland, Virginia. 23005.** (804) 798-4231. This hotel is located approximately 11 miles (18 minutes) from the show site.

Rooms are blocked until February 28, 2010. You must mention the MALC DOG SHOW to get the best rate.

Cost: \$64.39 including dog fee, for 2 people. \$5 more per night for each additional person staying in the room. Included complimentary breakfast buffet for all guests.

For directions to the Quality Inn from your area, visit the hotel's website at:
<http://www.qualityinn.com/hotel-ashland-virginia-VA337?promo=glocal>



Directions from Hotel to Show Site:

Head west on England St/VA-54 toward N. Cottage Green Drive—go 0.3 mi
Turn left at US-1/Washington Highway—go 0.8 mi
Turn right at Ashcake Road—go 4.1 mi
Continue on Ashland Road—go 2.7 mi
Turn left at Mountain Road/US 33—go .7 mi
Turn right onto Gordons's Lane—go .1 mi
Turn left to stay on Dude Ranch Road—go 1.6 mi



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Dude Ranch Pet Resort, Glen Allen, VA
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Show Entry Form**

BREED: Leonberger | SEX: | CALL NAME:

SPECIALTY DOG SHOW CLASS:

- Jr. Handler Spay/Neuter Puppy 3-6 Months Youth 6-9 Months Youth 9-12 Months
 Youth 12-18 Months Novice Bred By Exhibitor Foreign Bred Open
 LCA Champion Veteran

EVENT: (DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS FEBRUARY 27, 2010)

- MALC Specialty Saturday Morning Show (\$25 Entry Fee)
 MALC Specialty Sunday Morning Show (\$25 Entry Fee)

REGISTERED

NAME OF DOG:

NAME OF HANDLER:

FSS NO. Enter Number Here _____

If you do not have your FSS number yet, enter your LCA number below.

LCA NO. _____

DATE OF BIRTH:

PLACE OF BIRTH (list country):

BREEDER:

SIRE:

DAM:

ACTUAL OWNER(S): _____
(please print)

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE #: _____ EMAIL: _____

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT
(IF ANY) AT SHOW: _____

By signing, the below named owner(s) and/or agent agree to provide by the rules of this show and the LCA, and certify that their dog is not a hazard to other dogs and people. Owner(s) and/or agent further agree that they shall be solely responsible for their behavior and that of their dog(s).

SIGNATURE of owner or agent: _____

ENTRY FEES ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Please help support LCA Show Events

by sponsoring a Trophy or Rosette: Trophy (\$25) _____ Rosette (\$10) _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED FOR ENTRY & SPONSORSHIP: \$ _____

Please make checks payable to **Nancy Austin** and mail to Nancy Austin, PO Box 91, Dyke, VA 22935.

Saturday Lunch Order At The Show Site

Box lunches, prepared by FIREHOUSE SUBS, will be available on a reservation basis. **The cost is \$10 per sub and includes your choice of sub-sandwich, a bag of chips, soda and a cookie.** Lunch will be offered on Saturday only. ***All box lunches are by pre-order only.***

	Number of Subs	Cost
Hook and Ladder Smoked turkey breast, Virginia Honey ham, Monterey cheese, lettuce and tomato	_____ @ \$10 ea.	\$ _____
Beef and Cheese Roast beef with Provolone cheese, lettuce and tomato	_____ @ \$10 ea.	\$ _____
Italian Salami, pepperoni, ham with Provolone Cheese, lettuce and tomato	_____ @ \$10 ea.	\$ _____
Beverage		
Cola	_____	
Diet-Cola	_____	
Water	_____	
Total For Meals:		\$ _____

Name: _____

**PLEASE INCLUDE THIS LUNCH ORDER SHEET ALONG
WITH YOUR ENTRY FORM(S) AND REGISTRATION FORM!**

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Event Registration Form

March 13 & 14, 2010

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ **Cell:** _____

E-mail: _____

Total Fees for Show:

Total Number of Specialty Entries _____ x \$25 (enclose entry forms)	\$ _____
Total Amount of Lunches (enclose lunch order form)	\$ _____
Raffle Donation	\$ _____
Rosette Sponsorships _____ x \$10	\$ _____
Trophy Sponsorships _____ x \$25	\$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

******* Please make checks out to Nancy Austin *******

Please send this event registration form, show entry form(s) and lunch order form with your check to arrive no later than February 27, 2010 to Nancy Austin at the address below. *Please note that no changes or refunds will be made after February 27, 2010. There will be no day of show entries at this event.*

Nancy Austin
PO Box 91
Dyke, Virginia 22935

Questions?
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