



2013 SHCA National Specialty Midland, MI



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Mid-Michigan Howling Times

Welcome

Welcome to Midland, Michigan, the site of our 2013 Siberian Husky Club of America National Specialty, Great Lakes, Great Dogs, Great Memories.

We have many things planned for you ... world class judging, educational seminars, Presenter Workshops, Continuing Education Clinic, our tenth Top Twenty Invitational, our tenth Rescue Parade, a World Class Auction, annual meeting and of course the Awards Banquet on Saturday night, plan to go to as many as possible so you

leave with new memories!

This year is extra special as it is our club's 75th Anniversary and we will only be celebrating that once! So put on your happy suit and the biggest smile you have and join the fun.

If I can be of any help throughout the week, just ask me or any one of the committee chairs, we want to make this your best National yet!!

Thank you all for coming, thank you for bringing such a wonderful entry, thank you to all the volunteers for

working so hard and thank you to all the generous individuals for their kind donations to Trophies and the Auction!

Nationals do not just happen they are a result of teamwork just like a Siberian team in harness.

Enjoy!

Barb



Move in and show set up will start after the carpet has been covered in grooming & ballroom (but not before 3:30pm).



Announcements

Monday is the Working Pack Dog Hike and Rig Race at City Forest! Meet for Working Pack Dog Hike at 8:30 a.m. in the hotel lobby for a pre-hike meeting. There will be some tail-gating offered at the Rig Race by Romil Limson and Laura Anderson.



Monday at 7:30pm, hospitality will be offered in the Library in the Hotel. Also, Monday Night at the Movies. Come watch Bob and Pam Thomas's historic slide show of our wonderful breed, The Siberian Husky.



If an event is moved or changed, it will be posted at the SHCA Table.



Based on concerns about virus transmission, all judges have confirmed that they will allow the exhibitor/handler to show the bite.

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

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Events Happening

Tuesday:

Check out these events happening today. Note that some of these events require advance registration to participate!

-  Obedience at 8:00 a.m. in the Great Hall
-  Rally starting at 2:35 p.m. in the Great Hall
-  Eye Research with Dr. Keith Montgomery, by appointment, Location TBA
-  SHCA Trust Health Seminar - 5:15 checkin; 6:00 p.m. Italian buffet starts, Great Hall Commo-dore Room
-  Hospitality hosted by Siberian Husky Club of Greater Detroit, 8:00 p.m., Library in Hotel

On Friday, we will be checking in all Best of Breed Exhibitors and making groups of 20 dogs in catalog order for the easiest Best of Breed judging we can have. You will be called in on Saturday in Group Number order .

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The results will be published in this newsletter each day. If you find something missing or incorrect, please notify Brenda Hinkemeyer or Barbara Horsey (see contact info above). We will correct it in the next issue. The final issue will be available Saturday night or Sunday morning, or write to Brenda at brenda@nikosha.net and you can get a copy via postal mail or e-mail.

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Indoor Self Serve Dog Wash Is Available!

Zach's Dog Groomer and Bathhouse
2710 N. Saginaw
Midland, MI. 48640
(989) 839-9333

Password is "Siberian Husky"

Make all appointments with Sonja. Normal business hours are Tuesday - Friday 8am to 5pm; Saturday 9am to 4pm, but Sonja will work with you for other times. She is willing to stay late most evenings just NOT Halloween.

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Dog Exercise Options

This is a self-cleaning show; please be considerate of your fellow exhibitors. The Valley Plaza Resort will be clearly marked where dogs can and cannot be exercised. Dogs cannot enter any beach areas. The SHCA National Committee asks that every exhibitor respects the other exhibitors and ALWAYS cleans up after your dogs. No private exercise pens will be allowed on grass. You will need to have a mat or tarp with chips under all exercise pens.

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If you are interested in participating with the eye research, contact Dr. Keith Montgomery personally to arrange an appointment.
Email: keith_montgomery@ncsu.edu
Phone: 919-515-8117

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No bathing in the rooms, please.

Quiet hours begin at 11 pm.

If you are driving a cube truck or sprinter, please let Barb Horsey know, so that she can get you in the special parking area. There is no overnight sleeping in these vehicles.

We have a wonderful entry so be prepared to utilize the grooming room as laid out and share, share and share.

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At the moment, CGC testing will not be held. Please stop by the SHCA Trust table for more information.

Also stop by the SHCA Trust table to get a pledge form for walking the designated route.

The SHCA is Celebrating its 75th Birthday!!

