



You are invited to the GSPCI Chukar-O-Rama! 2010

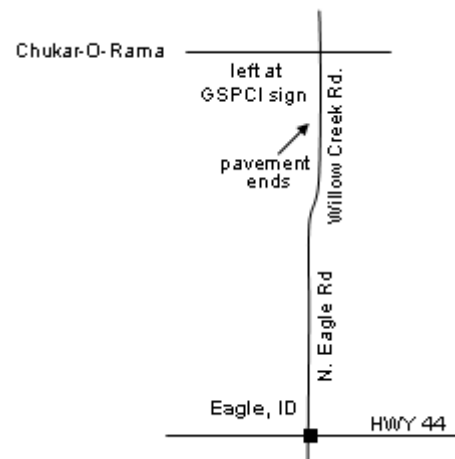
This could be the year you and your dog
win the Chukar-O-Rama!

The **CHUKAR-O-RAMA 2010** is coming **Saturday, May 15, 2010!** A real hunt situation with plenty of Chukar. Basically, it works like this: you and your dog have 5 shells and 10 minutes to bag (point, shoot & retrieve) 3 Chukar. Sound like fun? It is a **FUN CLUB EVENT** for all GSPCI members. This friendly competition is open to all pointing breeds (non-registered dogs are welcome). The birds are released prior to each brace and you can use all the training aides (leads, electric collars, etc.) you want. **DERBY AND OPEN STAKES** will be run. For this event, a derby dog is 24 months and younger. Open entry can be any age.

There will be **RIBBONS AWARDED TO FOUR PLACES** in each of the two stakes. Traveling trophies will be awarded to the winners of the two stakes at the 2010 annual Holiday Party. There will be separate courses for a **DERBY** and **OPEN STAKES**. The cost will be \$40 per entry. The event is affordable and will be a great time. Please see enclosed entry form and information, rules and map.

Come join all your club friends. You can sharpen your dog on the real thing for hunting season, add just that final touch to its training for the up coming Hunt Tests and or Field Trials or practice what you and "Fido" learned at Thursday night training sessions. What a great way to let the training group know how much their hard work and yours has paid off!

Shade and lunch will be provided. Please bring plenty of water for you and your dog and lawn chairs for observers. We hope you will join us as a contestant, volunteer or just to observe - it is a whole lot of friendly competition.



Location: Spring Valley Ranch off Willow Creek Rd. (N. Eagle Rd.). Please see attached entry form.

First brace starts 8:00 AM sharp!

Entry fee: \$40 per entry (checks made payable to GSPCI).

Drawing for the braces to be held at 5095 N. Blue Ash Avenue Boise ID 83713 on Wednesday May 12, 2010. Mail entries to:

Kevin Keyt at this same address.

Checks must accompany the entry form. Contestants are encouraged to call or attend to receive bracing information. Any late entries will be added to the end of the running order.

Questions can be directed to Kevin Keyt, Event Chairman, at 939-2510 or 869-6029 or trikeyt@cableone.net.



Chukar-O-Rama Rules:

1. Contestants must carry a valid Idaho state hunting license (Idaho F&G rule).

2. EQUIPMENT:

*OK to use dog training devices (check cords, electric collars, etc.).

*The handler may appoint a gunner who may also flush the bird if needed.

*12 gauge shotgun maximum.

*5 shells with pellets no larger than 7 ½.

*2 shells in the chamber maximum.

3. **BIRDS:** Three chukars will be released prior to each contestant entering the bird field except that five birds will be released prior to the first contestant entering into the bird field.

4. **TIME LIMIT:** 10 minutes maximum in the bird field. Contestant's time stops when the third bird (retrieved or not) is in the handler's hand. Dogs must be leashed immediately after time is called.

5. **SCORING:** 3-bird limit. Highest score wins!

***20 points** for each **pointed** bird. A **maximum of three pointed** birds will be scored even though more pointed birds may occur to obtain three birds in hand. The dog must hold point for three seconds minimum for a score.

Thereafter, a dog can move in for the flush (not preferred, but acceptable).

***10 points** per bird **shot on the wing** over a dog's point, even if the point is not scored. Dog may not "scoop" the bird up before or after the "point" to receive this credit. If the bird does not fly on its own, the gunner may catch it, throw it, and shoot it. A wild flushed bird under a dog's point can be shot and the handler will be credited with 10 points.

***5 points** for each **shot** bird retrieved close to hand. The dog may drop the bird up to three steps away from the gunner to receive a retrieving score.

***1 point** for each shell not used. One remaining shell will be deducted for each "**Safety**" called (see below).

*Minutes and seconds remaining within 10 regulation minutes will be used for breaking scoring ties. All other placement ties will be determined by a runoff. The runoff will be a timed event of each contending dog **pointing** only 1 bird within a reasonable maximum time to be determined by the committee at the event.

6. **SAFETY:** Any contestant disregarding these important safety precautions shall be disqualified and shall forfeit his or her entry fee(s).

***ABSOLUTELY NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** or **RUNNING IN THE FIELD** while competing.

***Any competing gunner SHALL CALL OUT THE WORD "SAFETY" and shall refrain from firing the shotgun IN THE EVENT A CLEARLY SAFE LINE OF FIRE IS NOT APPARENT to the gunner.**

The handler will then be awarded full points for "safety" equivalent to both a shot and retrieved bird, if the bird was properly pointed. A "safety" award of points shall not be given if the bird is deliberately flushed toward the gallery.

*Non-competing dogs must be under total confinement at all times during the competition.

CHUKAR-O-RAMA ENTRY FORM

Handler's
Name

Gunner's Name
(if other than handler)

Dog's Name(s): *(circle stake to be entered for each dog)*

Dog #1 _____ Derby Dog (24 months or less)
Open Dog (any age)

Dog #3 _____ Derby Dog
Open Dog

Dog #2 _____ Derby Dog
Open Dog

Dog #4 _____ Derby Dog
Open Dog

I understand the rules for above event. I agree that the dog(s) and I will be entering this event at our own risk. Also, I will hold GSPC of Idaho, its members and agents, and Spring Valley Ranch free from liability for any claims arising out of the entry of the dog(s) or its presence at the competition.

Signed:

_____ Handler

_____ Gunner

_____ Date

Please mail entry to:

**Kevin Keyt
5095 N. Blue Ash Avenue
Boise, ID 83713**