

LARRY SMITH HEARTLAND OPEN ALL-AGE & OPEN DERBY

Starts Thursday, March 12, 2026 • Smith Farms, Gentry, MO
Hosted by Pony Express Field Trial Club



— **NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFYING STAKE** —

— **PURINA TOP FIELD TRIAL BIRD DOG & PURINA HANDLER OF THE YEAR POINTS TRIAL** —

LARRY SMITH HEARTLAND OPEN ALL-AGE (1 Hour)..... Entry Fee: \$325.00 (plus \$20 NFTCA fee)

Purse: 60% of entry fees (less \$20/dog NFTCA fee) divided 50-30-20.

Judges: Bruce Bryant, Silver City, IA, and Howard Burbach, Pleasant Hill, MO

OPEN DERBY (45 Min.)—60% of entry fees divided 50-30-20 Entry Fee: \$175.00

PURINA TOP DERBY DOG OF THE YEAR POINTS TRIAL

Judges: Bruce Bryant, Silver City, IA, and Howard Burbach, Pleasant Hill, MO

Entries Close: Monday, March 9, 7:00 p.m. (CST). **Dinner/Drawing:** Sponsor provided Social Hour 5:00 p.m.; Dinner 6:00 p.m.; Drawing 7:00 p.m., on grounds evening prior to start of stake(s). **Grounds:** SmithFarms (GPS: 5002 State Hwy. O, Gentry, MO 64453). **From Gentry**—Follow signs 1.2 miles west on State Hwy. O. Meals provided for attendees. **Hay provided.** Corrals available on grounds. Additional corrals available 1/2 mile west on State Hwy. O. Polaris Ranger (enclosed cab) provided for owners, sponsors, visitors, and spectators not wishing to ride horses to view the running. **Lodging:** Countryside Inn, Albany, MO—(660) 726-5633; Countryside Inn, Grant City, MO—(660) 564-2586.

Club Members: Linda Smith, Tommy Smith, Thomas Smith, Colton Carpenter, Scott Carpenter, Terry Doolittle, Howard Burbach, Sheldon Rogers, Tony King, Ethan Kelley, Kirk Swanson, Eddie Berendzen, and Steve Auxier.

Phone or Text Entries (by 7:00 p.m. (CST), Monday, March 9) to: STEVE AUXIER—(402) 730-2711

An entry is accepted as a waiver of any claim or demand for any loss or damage incurred from the sponsoring club or landowners; their employees, agents, and officers. AFTCA approved firearms and blank ammo only! No harassment of the judges or officials will be tolerated!