

THE IRISH WOLFHOUND ASSOCIATION
OF THE WEST COAST, INC



INVITES YOU TO THE

HOLIDAY GATHERING OF THE CU

Saturday, December 9, 2017

Sanctioned B Match, Special Classes, Workshops, Lure Course
Practice, Raffle and Auction

TORO PARK, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA

Buckeye Picnic Area

Directions to Toro Regional Park: From 101 at Salinas, take Monterey Peninsula off-ramp (Sanborn). Go west on Sanborn until it becomes East Blanco. Continue on Blanco to South Main. Left on South Main (Highway 68) approximately 3-4 miles. Exit Portola Drive and follow signs to the park.

Note: The \$8.00 gate fee has been pre-paid by the club. For further information, see the Toro Park section in the Premium List.

You must pre-enter in order to be included in the Catalog.
Pre-entries must be received by Monday, November 30, 2017.

HOLIDAY GATHERING OF THE CU

**DATE: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2017
RAIN OR SHINE!**

**LOCATION: TORO PARK, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA,
in the BUCKEYE PICNIC AREA**

JUDGE: SYLVAN URFER

RING STEWARDS: ROBIN BURCHETT & KAREN CORRIEA

MATCH CHAIR: LORI WALKER, Franjo IWs

**MATCH SECRETARY: PATRICIA COBB, Dunmadadh IWs
2397 N. Altadena Drive, Altadena, CA 91001
(626) 797-7620**

AKC SANCTIONED B MATCH

Puppy Classes

3-6 month Puppy Dog
6-9 month Puppy Dog
9-12 month Puppy Dog

3-6 month Puppy Bitch
6-9 month Puppy Bitch
9-12 month Puppy Bitch

Best Puppy
Best Opposite Puppy

Adult Classes

12-15 month Dog
15-18 month Dog
Bred by Exhibitor Dog
Open Dog

12-15 month Bitch
15-18 month Bitch
Bred by Exhibitor Bitch
Open Bitch

Best Adult
Best Opposite Adult

Awards: Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th placements in the classes listed above. Additionally, 1st place winners will receive an award donated by Carol Gabriel. **Best Puppy, Best Opposite Puppy, Best Adult, and Best Opposite Adult will receive awards donated by Carol Gabriel.**

Special Classes

Best Head Dog Best Head Bitch
Best Movement Best Type

Awards: A ribbon will be awarded to the first place winner of each of the above special classes.

Light of My Life Class

This class is open to any Irish Wolfhound not presently competing in conformation, including spayed and neutered hounds, veterans, title holders, and all other beloved companions. **Owners are requested to send a typewritten or printed paragraph of 50 or fewer words describing the special attributes of their special hounds.** This will be read as the hound is presented in the ring.

Awards: This class is not a competition. All entered hounds will receive a rosette as a memento of the occasion.

Fees

PRE-ENTRY: Pre-enter by Nov. 30 for price breaks!

Match and special classes:

First entry of a dog:	\$10.00
Parking fee: (required once only)	\$8.00
Workshops, either or all:	\$10.00
Special classes:	\$ 5.00 for each
Light of My Life:	\$10.00
Lunch:	\$12.00

DAY OF MATCH ENTRIES: 9:00 am to 11:00 am

Match and special classes:

First entry of a dog:	\$12.00
Parking fee: (required once only)	\$8.00
Workshops, either or all:	\$10.00
Special classes:	\$10.00 for each
Light of My Life:	\$15.00
Lunch:(Subject to availability)	\$15.00

TORO PARK: Gate fee procedure.....

Toro Park requires a fee of \$8.00 from each driver entering the park. This year, the club had to pre-pay this fee for thirty (30) vehicles when reserving the Buckeye area. The cost of the gate fee has been added to the event fees for exhibitors. The kiosk attendant will keep a tally of arriving vehicles. Persons arriving after the 30th vehicle will be required to pay Monterey County at the kiosk. If you pre-paid, but arrive after the 30th car, IWAWC will reimburse you.

A donation of \$8.00 will be appreciated from persons coming as spectators rather than as exhibitors. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we adjust to this new requirement.

WORKSHOPS: Attend either or all... .. **\$10.00**

Handling *Lynne Rosebrock*

Part of the skill of handling is knowing what to do to help the judge see the good qualities of your dog, and (hopefully) help him/her miss the less desirable ones. Lynne Rosebrock will teach you the tricks that will make you a great handler. Learn to work together with your hound in today's match classes. Limber them up, settle them down, and get ready to compete like a pro!

Rally Readiness..... *Cindy Steele*

Rally is a fun and interactive sport which promotes teamwork between handler and dog at all levels of competition. A Rally course includes 10 to 20 stations, depending on the level. Scoring is not as rigorous as traditional obedience. Communication between handler and dog is encouraged and perfect heel position is not required! Learn what is involved and how to get started training for this fun and enjoyable sport. **\$12.00**

Puppy Lure Practice *Terry Burchett*

Your youngster has been good all day; now is the time to reward him/her with some fun! Learn about lure coursing and give your puppy a chance to develop his/her instinct for the chase under the expert guidance of Terry Burchett. Course designed to be safe for puppies and handler-friendly!

ACTIVITIES

Lunch:

Lunch will be available on the grounds. An assortment of sandwiches, salads, dessert and beverage will be offered for \$12.00. **Pre-order and prepayment is required.** Pre-ordered lunches will be served first, then if there are extras, day of match orders will be available at \$15.00 until the food runs out!

Raffle:

Win something new! A chance to help the club and snag something really wonderful—all for the price of a raffle ticket! The combined talents of Kay Paz and Lois Thomasson are sure to make this a great event! **All raffle donations will be greatly appreciated and acknowledged. Bring your donations to the match.** Call Kay Paz, (831) 385-3148 and tell her what you'll be bringing to donate! If you aren't attending, but want to donate an item, send it to Kay at her new address, 324 East Earl Way, Hanford, CA 93230.

Silent Auction:

The Raffle team will be identifying a few really splendid items to offer to the highest bidders, so bring your competitive spirit with you. Are you artsy? Crafty? We'd love to have original items to tempt the high rollers!. **All donated items will be gratefully acknowledged.** Bring them to Kay Paz at the match, or send them (see above) if you can't make it in person.

Schedule of Events: (Times are approximate)

9:00-11:00	Day of Match entries
10:30-11:15	Handling workshop
11:15-12:00	Rally workshop
12:00- 12:45	Lunch
12:45-2:00	Match Judging
2:00-2:40	Special Classes
2:40-3:00	Light of My Life
3:00- 4:00	Lure Practice Workshop
4:00	Clean-up/Pack-up

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TORO REGIONAL PARK, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2017

Pre-Entry Form

MATCH & SPECIAL CLASSES (\$10 first entry of a dog):

Match Class: _____

Special Classes: (\$5 each)

Head (dog)

Type

Head (bitch)

Movement

WORKSHOPS (\$ 10 for all) _____ **LIGHT OF MY LIFE** (\$10)_____

PARKING FEE (required 1 time only): \$8.00_____

FULL NAME OF DOG _____ Sex _____

AKC # _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

Breeder _____

Sire _____

Dam _____

Owner _____

Total for entries: \$ _____ Number lunches (\$12 each): _____

I enclose \$ _____ for entry fees and lunches.

Mail entries and checks payable to IWAWC to:

Patricia W. Cobb, Match Secretary, 2397 No. Altadena Drive,
Altadena, CA 91001, (626) 797-7620

Pre-entries close Monday, November 30, 2017. Day of match entry fees will increase as specified in the Premium List.

Agreement

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such injuries death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons.