

~~ Show Site Location ~~

The Dixon-May Fairgrounds are located in the town of Dixon, California just 28 miles west of Sacramento. The Sacramento International Airport (www.sacairports.org/int) is the closest major airport to the show site. From Interstate 80 (in either direction), take Hwy 113 south (same as N. 1st Street, then becomes S. 1st Street). Continue through the town of Dixon to the fairgrounds.

The Best Western Inn Dixon is located at 1345 Commercial Way in Dixon. From Interstate 80, take the Pitt School Road exit southbound to Stratford Avenue. Make a left on Stratford Avenue and a left on Commercial Way.

<p>Veterinarian (On Call - All Days) Aggie Animal Clinic-Dixon Dr. Romener, Dr. Booth, Dr. Murray 449 N 1st St, Dixon, CA 95620 (707) 678-1643</p>	<p>Veterinarian (Emergency 24/7) University of California Davis Vet School 2nd floor, Davis, CA 95616 530-752-1393</p>
<p>Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.</p>	



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These Shows are held under American Kennel Club Rules

Judging Schedule



Old English Sheepdog Club of America

Incorporated
Member of the American Kennel Club

Dixon-May Fairgrounds
655 South 1st Street, Dixon, California

National Obedience & Rally Trials

Monday, **October 19, 2009** #2009200802 & #2009200804

National Specialty Show & Junior Showmanship

Wednesday, **October 21, 2009** #200900803

National Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes

Wednesday, **October 21, 2009** #2009200806

AKC Licensed and Unbenched
All Conformation Judging will be Indoors.
All Performance Events will be outdoors.

<p>Judy Wilson, Show Secretary 211 Wainwright Court, Sacramento, CA 95838-2941 916-923-6360 Fax: 916-923-6383 E-Mail: judywilson-ss@sbcglobal.net URL: www.jwshows.com</p>
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AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION



Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these two events under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

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James P. Crowley, Secretary

Calendar at a Glance

- Sunday, October 18, 2009 -- Vacaville, California
National Herding Test & Trial 2 Events
Judges: Mr. George "Rusty" Jeffers & Mr. Robert Ewing
- Monday, October 19, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Dixon, California
National Obedience & Rally Trial ~ Judge: Mrs. Mary Lou Just
Monday Afternoon -- OESCA Match ~ Judge: Colton Johnson
- Tuesday, October 20, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Dixon, California
National Agility Trial ~ Judge: Ms. Tamara Domico
OESCA Annual Membership Meeting
OESCA Health Seminar & BAER Hearing Clinic
Top 20 Competition
- Wednesday, October 21, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Dixon, California
Judges Seminar
Puppy & Veteran Sweepstakes ~ Judge: Ron Stinson
Junior Showmanship ~ Judge: Mrs. Anna Jacobson
Conformation Class Dogs & Class Bitches ~ Judge: Mrs. Anna Jacobson
HEROESAWARD PRESENTATION
- Thursday, October 22, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Dixon, California
Conformation --Non-Regular Classes & Best of Breed plus award for
Best Puppy, Best Veteran, Best Bred By Exhibitor & Awards of Merit
Judge: Mrs. Anna Jacobson
Awards Banquet
- ... and there's more at the same great location!!!**
- Friday, October 23, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Dixon, California
Northern California Herding Group Assoc Show -- MB-F, Inc. Superintendent
Conformation Judge: Ray Owen from the UK & Sweepstakes: Angela Stein
OESCA will support the entries at this show and offer Sheep Theme Trophies
sponsored by the OES Friends in California & Oregon!
- Saturday, October 24, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Dixon, California
Sacramento Valley Dog Fanciers ~ The Old English Sheepdog League of
Northern California will consider the OES Classes at this show as
their Specialty -- MB-F, Inc. Superintendent Judge: Ms. Mary Anne
Brocius. OESLNC will offer "Christmas In October" Christmas theme
trophies.
- Sunday, October 25, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Dixon, California
Sacramento Valley Dog Fanciers ~ OESLNC will support the entries at this
show.
MB-F, Inc. Superintendent Judge: Mr. Gary Newton

... and for those arriving early in California

- Sunday, October 18, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Pleasanton, California
Del Valle KC All Breed Show ~ OES Judge: Linda Jordan MB-F, Inc.
- Monday, October 19, 2009 -- Fairgrounds, Pleasanton, California
Del Valle KC All Breed Show ~ OES Judge: Terri Carter (Canada) MB-F, Inc.

Please note: Oct 18th is OESCA Herding & Oct 19th is OESCA Obedience, Agility & Match

2009 OESCA National Specialty

Policies and Rules regarding the Fairgrounds

- *The match will be held OUTDOORS. Grooming will also be outdoors with shade available.
- *There is **NO** access to the building (Madden Hall) until Tuesday at 8 a.m. Vendors **ONLY** will have Monday access to the building AFTER 12 p.m.
- *A site map with allocated grooming spaces will be posted at the entrance to the building on Tuesday. These are CONFIRMED/PAID spaces and were allocated by date received and number of spaces needed. **NO** changes can be made without show chair approval.
- *All grooming areas will be monitored and excessive corn starching is prohibited. Keep your area clean. Additional grooming outdoors.
- ***No** exercise pens in the building. **No** "poop" in waste receptacles in the building. Please place all dog waste in OUTSIDE cans.
- *Bathing tubs will be provided at the show grounds, location to be determined.
- *The building must be vacated on Tuesday by 3:30 p.m. for the Top 20 to set up.
- *The building must be vacated on and Wednesday by 6:00 p.m.
- *Thursday: The building must be VACATED and totally cleaned by 2 p.m. No exceptions.
- *If you can help clean the building it would be appreciated. If you are NOT showing on Thursday please remove your equipment .
- *Outside tenting will be available on Thursday for set up for the Friday, Saturday and Sunday shows (OES are shown outside). Additional grooming area under the Grandstand.
- *Posted areas are OFF limits for driving, exercising dogs, etc. Please adhere to these signs.
- ***NO** alcohol may be brought onto the Fairgrounds.
- *Food will be available onsite starting Monday.
- *Please support our vendors.
- *Please park in designated areas or you will be towed.

Thank you and have a great 2009 OESCA National,

Show Committee

BREEDERS ROUNDTABLE

Further your education or share your knowledge. Join us for a Breeders Roundtable Discussion Group.

Wednesday evening, Oct. 21, 2009 in the Host Hotel during the Nat'l Specialty
Time: 7:30 to 9:00pm. (Approximate)

I hope that all the attendees at the National this year will plan on attending the Breeders Roundtable and will bring their friends and guests.

The format is simply a sharing of information that breeders and owners have found helpful in developing a happy relationship with their dog.

I hope to have a list of the many ideas that I have gathered so far and I will include all the articles and questions sent in ahead of time. Questions and comments from all attendees will be addressed. Since this is a first time event I'm sure we will find many ways to streamline and make the format able to cover more in a shorter time. I have only allowed for an hour or so (may be changed depending on events at the showgrounds).

Questions and suggestions from the floor will also be taken.

Let Dianne know of your special areas of expertise so you can be included as a volunteer Mentor .

Suggested questions might be about:

- Mating mechanics
- Whelping mechanics
- Socializing /birth to 12 weeks
- What to send home with the puppy
- What to buy for your puppy
- Where to go for training
- Who is a Mentor in your area?
- What toys are safe and or most entertaining?
- What to feed your new puppy
- How to travel with your dog
- What should you do to start your puppy off as a well mannered pet?
- What products are safe or helpful for your dog?
 - How to clean ears and what to use
 - How to clip nails and what to use
 - How to dry your dog with time saving tips
 - When to use a different lead or collar
- What did you wish you had asked your breeder?
- What do you wish your breeder had told you?
- How can we, as breeders, make integrating your new dog into your home easier?
 - What to do with a tiny puppy that is in trouble.
- What should be in your first aid kit? A list will be provided by Paula Rellihan and Michelle Redfern, DVM
 - What First Aid is safe to administer at home.
 - What printed material do you think OESCA should provide?

It is OK if you want to be in the audience and not at the table but please do let Dianne know of any area you are willing to be called upon for answers.

This is not a Bible study group and all opinions are just that "opinions" as such they are not intended as end all comments. It is hoped that the Roundtable will be a place for novices and experienced breeders to learn from each other. In the future, if this first one is well accepted, we will try to get speakers on up to date news that will be helpful to all of us. We will also be collecting articles to add to our library. Your help with this is requested. If you have any articles of interest to share please send them to Dianne or bring copies with you.

Everyone will be welcomed and there is no fee attached.

NO inflammatory questions will be entertained and all questions regarding genetic diseases will be forwarded to the OESCA Health Committee. There are no set rules except for good sportsmanship.

RSVP is helpful so we can put out enough goodies.

I hope you will send your list of questions and suggestions in advance to:

Dianne McKee Rowland at: Thomasmr38@aol.com or phone (503) 589-9290

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~~ Judges & Schedules ~~

Mrs. Mary Lou Just, 5240 Ponderex Road, Auburn, CA 95602

Monday, October 19, 2009 -- Ring #1 -- 9:00 AM

All Regular & Non-Regular Obedience Classes & All Rally Classes

All Rally Classes -- 18 Total

Each class with Walk-Through will begin when the course has been approved by the Judge.

- 4-Excellent B, followed by 2-Excellent A
- 5-Advanced B, followed by 1-Advanced A
- 4-Novice B, followed by 2-Novice A

Immediately following Rally and in Ring #2

All Regular & Non-Regular Obedience Classes -- 11 Total

- 1-Utility B, then 1 Utility A
- 2-Open B
- 3-Novice B, then 1-Novice A
- 2-Pre-Novice
- 1-Veterans

Ms. Tamra F. Domico, P.O. Box 3588, Clovis, CA 93613

Tuesday, October 20, 2009 -- Ring #1 -- 8:00 AM

All Agility Classes (OES only) -- 21 Total

Check In/Measure In will begin at 7:30am

(Jump Height Cards mailed with entries will be on file at Steward's table.)

7:45 -- Fast, Novice Briefing/Walk Through

*** Each subsequent class with Walk-Through will begin when the courses have been approved by the Judge.***

8:00am -- Judging Begins with Fast-Novice-Preferred (5 dogs)

Followed by Standard-Open-Preferred (2 dogs)

Followed by Standard-Novice A (1 dog)

Followed by Standard-Novice-Preferred (5 dogs)

Followed by Jumpers With Weaves-Open-Preferred (1 dog)

Followed by Jumpers With Weaves-Novice-Preferred (7 dogs)

Mr. Ron Stinson, 972 Sandoval Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23454

Wednesday, October 21, 2009 -- Ring #3 -- 10:00 AM

All Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes Classes -- 33 Total

30 - Sweepstakes

17 Dogs (6-1-2-8) & 13 Bitches (2-1-0-10)

3 - Veteran Sweepstakes

3 Dogs (1-2-0) & 0 Bitches (0-0-0)

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Mrs. Anna R. Jacobson, 2138 River Ridge Drive, Sarasota, FL 34239

Wednesday, October 21, 2009 -- Ring #3 -- 11:30 AM

All Regular & Non-Regular Conformation Classes & Jr Showmanship - 84
Total

Junior Showmanship -- 1 Open Junior

22 Dogs (6-1-8-0-0-4-0-3)

Lunch Break

1:30 -- Heroes Presentation

1:45 -- Judging Resumes

30 Bitches (1-1-7-0-2-11-2-6)

7 Veterans

4 Dogs (2-2-0)

3 Bitches (1-2-0)

Thursday, October 22, 2009 -- Ring #3 -- 10:00 AM

25 Best of Breed

15 Dogs & 10 Bitches

Best Puppy In Show

Best Bred By Exhibitor In Show

Best Veteran In Show

2-Stud Dogs

1-Brood Bitch

All efforts have been made for an accurate count. However, it is possible that there may be errors. Please consult your catalog for the exact numbers and be sure to check in with your ring steward in plenty of time for your classes. Thank you.



Welcome Reception

Sponsored by the OES League of Northern California

Monday, October 19, 2009 4:30 - 8:30 PM

Location: Host Hotel - Meeting Room

Best Western Inn Dixon 1345 Commercial Way Dixon, CA. 95620

Phones: 707-678-1400

Chairman: Pam Henry, 2300 Linwood Ave., Santa Rosa, Ca. 95404 (707)
579-1848 blumtn@comcast.net

BAER Testing Clinic

Hearing Clinic will follow the BAER Hearing Seminar.

Tuesday Oct. 20, 2009 - Seminar Time: 1:00 PM - Testing to follow.
Location: Madden Hall Dinning/Meeting Room (same building as National Specialty)

This is a great opportunity to have your OES hearing tested. Fee required.

Chairman: Pam Henry, 2300 Linwood Ave., Santa Rosa, Ca. 95404 (707)
579 1848 blumtn@comcast.net

Breeders Roundtable

Location: Host Hotel - Meeting Room

Time: 7:00 PM

Best Western Inn Dixon 1345 Commercial Way Dixon, CA. 95620

Phone: 707-678-1400

Dianne McKee Rowland - 503-589-9290 ThomasR38@aol.com

Awards Banquet Dinner

Oct 22, 2009 6:00 - 10:00 PM

Directions to be provide at the National Specialty.

If you do not have transportation, at the show, please contact
National Dinner Chair, Sally Carr or the Hospitality Chair, Krisi Marshall.

*** We need help with the performance Events.
If you can add your assistance, please contact
Margie Trebino, (209) 772-1694 mtrebino@mac.com**

