2023 NAKP Hosted by the DKGNA

The 2023 North American Kurzhaar Prüfung taking place October 20th and 21st, in Walla Walla, WA. We have a total of fifteen dogs that have entered the NAKP as of the September 14th deadline.

The rules for the NAKP were adopted in 2013 and state to provided dogs from North America that cannot participate in an Internationalen Kurzhaar Prüfung (IKP) for monetary reasons are given the opportunity to show their hunting suitability and aptitude at the NAKP.

There will be three Judging Group for this special event. The judges will include: Francois Aldrich, Eden, MD; Harald Beyer, Ansbach, Germany; Holger Hensel, Georgsmarienhütte, Germany; Joe Kelly, Boise, ID; Birgitta Krause—Hoffstetter, Herbolzheim-Waganstadt, Germany; Dan Myshin, Hummelstown, PA; Ursula Scriba, Gemeinde Münsing, Germany; and Travis Sears, Bellevue, WA.

The judges for the Zuchtschau are all SZR: Francois Aldrich, Eden, MD; Harald Beyer, Ansbach, Germany; Birgitta Krause—Hoffstetter, Herbolzheim-Waganstadt, Germany; and Ursula Scriba, Gemeinde Münsing, Germany.

The test regulations for this test are the same as for the Internationalen Kurzhaar Prüfung (IKP) with identical entry qualifications. The entry qualifications are:

- (1) The test is open to all dogs registered in the Deutsch-Kurzhaar studbook fulfilling the following admission requirements. The dogs must have: a) achieved at least two 1st prize scores at two different of the following tests: Derby, Solms or AZP, VGP, whereby a single repetition for each test is allowed.
- b) received a conformation score of at least "SG" (Sehr Gut = Very Good).

Instead of the Herbstzucht Prüfung Solms (Autumn Breeding Test Solms), the Jagdgebrauchshundver-band's Autumn Breeding Test is also recognized if the performance in all test categories needed for a 1st Prize at the Solms is achieved (very good performance (sehr gute Leistungen) = score of 9 to 11 in the

HZP test categories).

The test rules are basically a Solms, without the drags, and with a feather game retrieve from deep cover. It is the expectation of the judges that the dogs will perform at a higher level than the Solms. *Click here to read the IKP/NAKP regulations*. In addition to the rules for eligibility to enter the following has been added:

- (7) Dogs must be at least eighteen months (18) of age by the entry deadline of September 14, 2023.
- (8) Dogs must have had extensive upland bird hunting experience during the 2022 Hunting season.

The NAKP will take place in conjunction with the DKGNA Annual Meeting. Additional information will be forthcoming.

Click here to see the Itinerary for the NAKP/DKGNA Annual Meeting.

The Host Hotel for the NAKP/DKGNA Annual Meeting is the La Quinta Inn, in Walla Walla. To book a room call 509-394-8815. To receive the group rate use **DKGNA 10/2023 La Quinta Walla Walla Stay**