



WELCOME TO THE ABC NATIONAL ALL AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The American Brittany Club will hold the National All Age Championships at Pyramid State Park Pinckneyville, IL

****NEW** All handlers and scouts who reside in the State of Illinois are required to have a valid Illinois hunting license with habitat stamp. Out-of-state participants are exempt from this requirement.**

DNA: All dogs entered in the ABC National Championships must have a DNA profile, either permanent or temporary, on record with the AKC or Field Dog Stud Book. All Dogs born 1/1/24 or after MUST have AKC DNA.

DIRECTIONS GPS Coordinates: 37.997860, -89.506230

From the Intersection of Route 4, Route 150 and County Line Road (between Cutler and Percy)

Travel south on Route 4 approximately 1 mile

Turn left on Pyatt-Cutler Rd

Travel approximately 5.5 miles east on Pyatt-Cutler Rd

Turn left at the black top road entrance – just opposite the Denmark park sign (on right)

Pass through the yellow gate, turning left when you get to the barn road. Parking lot is on the right.

MOTELS: Oxbow Bed & Breakfast (approx. 6 miles)
3967 IL-13
Pinckneyville, IL 62274
618-357-9839

Pinckneyville Inn & Suites (approx. 7.5 miles / pet friendly)
5700 State Route 154
Pinckneyville, IL 62274
833-314-4299

Super 8 by Wyndham (approx. 13 miles)
1010 S Jefferson Ave
DuQuoin, IL 62832
618-542-4335

Holiday Inn Express & Suites (approx. 20 miles)
1301 N. Market St
Sparta, IL 62286
618-443-6020

The Orchid House (bed & breakfast) (approx. 20 miles / no pets)
204 W Main Street
Sparta, IL 62286
305-849-4301

HORSES: All horses must be accompanied by up-to-date Coggins papers which are subject to inspection prior to unloading horses on the grounds. No rental horses provided by ABC.

DOG WAGON: There will be no spectator dog wagon.

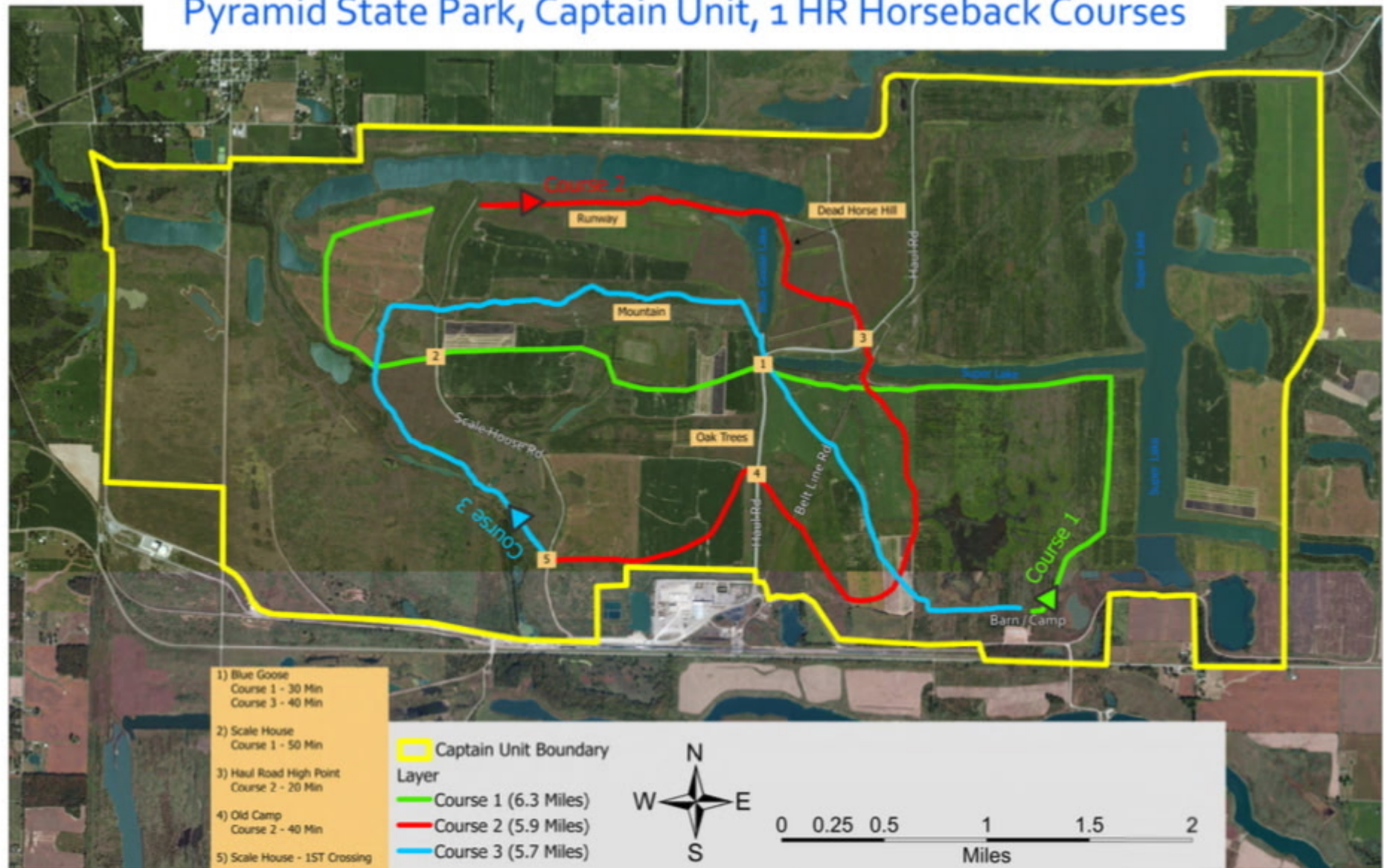
CAMPING/CORRALS: Camping available starting November 21, 2026. Stay in camping areas due to deer season. Camping with electric is available for a daily \$20 fee. Camping without electric is available for a daily fee \$10. Indoor/Outdoor corrals. **Judges corrals will be marked. DO NOT remove labeling.** Camping with electric is available for a daily \$20 fee. Camping without electric is available for a daily fee. Showers & Clubhouse on site.

SCHEDULE: A full slate of events is planned; the schedule will be published in the American Brittany Magazine and available on the ABC web site www.TheAmericanBrittanyClub.org

FOOD: Lunch and dinner available in the clubhouse unless no activities are planned on the grounds for that day. Check the schedule in the clubhouse for evening meals; **Please sign up for all meals.**

COURSE MAP

Pyramid State Park, Captain Unit, 1 HR Horseback Courses



AMERICAN BRITTANY CLUB, INC.

National Championship: 2026— -November 23- conclusion

National Amateur Championship 2026—November 27- conclusion, 2026

AKC LICENSED FIELD TRIAL

Sponsored by



This Field Trial is Held Under the Rules and Procedures of the
American Kennel Club

Pyramid State Park
1541 Pinckneyville Rd., Pinckneyville IL
Entrances on Pyatt Cutler Rd.
GPS: 997860, -89.506230

Both championships open to Brittanys only.
Bitches in season may compete in both stakes (to be run at end of stake)
All entries must include the dog's DNA number (see qualifications).
*ALL ENTRIES with fees must be received by the Field Trial Secretary
by the official closing hour.*

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Darlene Dow, Field Trial Secretary
116 Reservoir Rd., Fort Edward, NY 12828
(518) 928-5418 boudreaux@roadrunner.com
Include phone number & email address on entry so entries can be
acknowledged.
Entries requiring a signature for delivery will **NOT** be accepted.

ENTRIES CLOSE: Monday, November 2 at 7:00 PM (EST) at
116 Reservoir Rd., Fort Edward, NY 12828

DRAWING: Wednesday, November 4 at 2:00 PM (EST) at
AKC 8051 Arco Corporate Dr. STE.100, Raleigh, NC 27617
Only one alternate handler allowed on entry form. Bracing available after the
drawing

JUDGES AND STAKES TO BE JUDGED

National Championship

Peter Coppens, Collinsville, IL
Todd Meyer, Oak Creek, WI

National Amateur Championship

Rick Axtell, Creswell, OR
Diane Vater, Grand Marais, MI

FIELD TRIAL MARSHALS

Amateur – Scott Johnson or Jim Lawless *Open* – Jim Lawless

STAKES, SCHEDULE & ENTRY FEES

National Championship (Grand Open Limited All Age)	8:00 AM CST, November 24 and each succeeding day	\$225.00
National Amateur Championship (Grand Amateur Limited All Age)	8 AM CST, November 28 and each succeeding day	\$225.00

COURSES & BIRDS

National Championship & National Amateur Championship
Continuous course on Quail and native birds

- **Horseback handling:** Permitted in all stakes.
- **Coggins Test:** Verification required for all horses.
- **Firearms:** Blank Ammo & Solid Barrel Guns Only! 209 Primer or .32 caliber blanks must be used.
- **Tracking Collars:** Permitted in accordance with current approved AKC guidelines.
- **Roading of Dogs:** Not allowed on the course.

PRIZES

Rosettes and Trophies will be awarded to the owners or authorized representative

Saddle, dog Sood, Garmin to the winning handler
Prizes donated by: *Purina, Garmin, The Saddle Guy*

OFFICERS

President Joe Droel, P.O. Box 320, Oseola, IA 50213
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FIELD TRIAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: Richard Beaver, 915-504-4793, Richard.a.beaver1@gmail.com
Field Trial Secretary: Darlene Dow, 518-928-5418, boudreaux@roadrunner.com

Open: Bob Burchett, Mike Poehler, Scott Johnson, Mo Pollard, Ed Tillson, John Perry, Joanne Perry, Ed Janulis, Darlene Dow
Amateur: Bob Burchett, Scott Johnson, Mike Poehler, Mo Pollard, Ed Tillson, John Perry, Joanne Perry, Ed Janulis, Darlene Dow

AMERICAN BRITTANY CLUB
National Championship Entry Form
Pyramid State Park, Pinckneyville, IL

November 23, 2026-conclusion, National Championship (GOLAA) 2024027622

November 28 N, 2026 – conclusion, National Amateur Championship (GALAA) 2024027621

SELECT ONE ONLY: ☐ National Championship (GOLAA) ☐ National Amateur Championship (GALAA)

Name		Call Name	
AKC Reg. #	DNA #	Entry Fee: \$225.00	
Breed BRITTANY	Sex	Color	Birth Date
Sire			
Dam			
Breeder			

Owners		Email	
Address		Phone#	
City	State	Zip	
Agent/Handler		Email	
Address		Phone#	
City	State	Zip	

I CERTIFY this dog is qualified based upon field trial records on file with the AKC and ABC.

Qualified at _____ Trial Stake ☐ 1-hr
Date _____ Placement _____ # Starters _____

Signature of owner/agent authorized to make this entry _____

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. 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 the acceptance 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, agent, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/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 for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting there from, 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 the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE NATIONAL ALL AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The National Amateur (All Age) Championship

(Effective January 1, 2022)

1. Open to any Brittany six (6) months of age or over which in any preceding year placed first in the National Amateur All Age Championship for Brittans or ;
2. which in the preceding year placed second, third or fourth in the National Amateur All Age Championship for Brittans, or;
3. which during the period from previous year's close of entries and the close of entries for the stake in the current year has placed in an Amateur All Age or Amateur Limited All Age stake or placed in an All Age or Limited All Age Stake, when handled by an Amateur, in the following (or more) dogs started: 1st place with 13 starters, 2nd place with 15 starters, 3rd place with 17 starters, or 4th place with 20 starters, or;
4. has placed in any hour All Age or Limited All Age Stake in an AKC Licensed trial held by a Brittany Club and handled by an Amateur in which 13 or more dogs started, or;
5. has qualified for the current year National Open All Age Championship for Brittans when handled by an Amateur, or;
6. A dog winning first place in the National Open All Age Championship when handled by an Amateur will also be qualified for life in the National Amateur All Age Championship.
7. or has qualified in a preceding year and during the period from the previous year's close of entries to the current year closing of entries has a placement in an All Age or Limited All Age Stake when handled by an Amateur in a 13 or more dog stake in an AKC licensed trial held by a Brittany Club.
8. All dogs entered in the ABC National Championships must have a DNA profile, either permanent or temporary, on record with the AKC or Field Dog Stud Book. The DNA number must be included on all entry forms. All dogs born 1/1/24 or after MUST have AKC DNA.

Any dog trained on the grounds chosen for the National Amateur All Age Championship within 30 days of the start of the National Amateur All Age Championship will be ineligible to compete.

Only persons who, in the judgment of the Field Trial Committee, are qualified as amateurs as defined in Chapter 17, Section 2, of the AKC Field Trial Rules and Standard Procedures for Pointing Breeds, may serve as scouts in the National Amateur All Age Championship Stake.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE NATIONAL ALL AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The National (Open All Age) Championship

(Effective January 1, 2022)

1. Open to any Brittany six (six) months of age or over which in any preceding year, placed first in the National Open All Age Championship for Brittans, or;
2. which in the preceding year placed second, third or fourth in the National Open All Age Championship for Brittans, or;
3. which during the period from the previous year's close of entries to the current year's closing of entries has placed in an Open All Age or Open Limited All Age Stake of 30 minutes in an AKC Licensed trial held by a Brittany Club in which the following (or more) dogs started: 1st place with 13 starters 2nd place with 15 starters, 3rd place with 17 starters or 4th place with 20 starters, or;
4. has placed in an Open All Age or Open Limited All Age Stake of one hour or more in an AKC Licensed trial held by a Brittany Club in which 13 or more dogs started.
5. or has qualified in a preceding year and during the period from the previous years close of entries to the current year closing of entries has a placement in an Open or Open Limited All Age Stake in a 13 or more dog stake in an AKC licensed trial held by a Brittany Club. (2014)
6. All dogs entered in the ABC National Championships must have a DNA profile, either permanent or temporary, on record with the AKC or Field Dog Stud Book. The DNA number must be included on all entry forms. All dogs born 1/1/24 or after MUST have AKC DNA.

Any dog trained on the grounds chosen for the National Open All Age Championship or the National Amateur Championship within 30 days of the start of the National Open All Age Championship will be ineligible to compete.