

## 2021 American Kennel Club Pointing Breed National Gundog Championship

### Day 4

Camp Robinson near Conway, Arkansas

February 28th 2021

Tom Maneely

The 4<sup>th</sup> day of the 2021 Championship began with temperatures in the lower 50's and by mid afternoon would rise into the lower 70's. The skies were overcast throughout the day and the winds were very light, mainly out of the south west. The hope for the day was to run 7 braces or until the predicted thunderstorms which were to pass through the area around 3 PM caused the running to be suspended. As luck would have it, the rain held off until the running was done and everyone was back in camp. Horses had barely been unsaddled when the rain started. Heavy rains came through the area and lasted for several hours. During the storm tornado watch, a severe thunderstorm warning, and a flash flood warning were issued. By 6:30 PM the storm had passed leaving behind an estimated several inches of rain.

18A "Rio" Handler: David Walker

WFK Rio Grand Nash

Breed: GSP Sex: M DOB: 03/24/2017 AKC #: SR98068002

Owner: Claire Nash

Breeder: David Walker/Lee Pritchett

18B BYE

Rio ran as a single dog due to his brace mate being in season. He ran well with a good forward pattern. Despite his well-directed hunt he was to go birdless today.



19A "Cage" Handler: Diane Vater

2xNFC FC Saga's Major Cage

Breed: Weimaraner Sex: M DOB: 06/02/2014 AKC #: SR86054903

Owner: Mary B & Jeffrey A Brown

Breeder: Mary B/Jeffrey A Brown

19B "Jo" Handler: David Walker

FC Palm Glades Josephine BCF

Breed: GSP Sex: F DOB: 05/18/2016 AKC #: SR93496202

Owner: Daniel Groselle Jr

Breeder: Mark Brent/Cheryl Brent

Cage had a find at 15 and would honor his brace mate at 50 minutes. He made some impressive casts during his tour of the country. He finished the hour. Jo stylishly pointed game at 9 and 50 minutes. She also recorded an honor at 15 minutes. He finished the hour well.

20A "Ted" Handler: Greg Dixon

FC Firefly's Rough Rider

Breed: Irish Setter Sex: M DOB: 02/12/2016 AKC #: SR91687902

Owner: Stephen Salt/Mary Pavelko

Breeder: Mark Johnson

20B "Maddy" Handler: Barry Bollinger

CH Up N'Adams Iron Maiden

Breed: GSP Sex: F DOB: 08/18/2017 AKC #: SS00609202

Owner: Katrin Tazza/Thomas Tazza

Breeder: Katrin Tazza/Thomas Tazza

Ted had a short day. He had a find at 3 minutes and his handler picked him up shortly after. Maddy was running hard when at 15 minutes her gait appeared labored and her handler picked her up out of caution.



21A "Gritty" Handler: Jon Hann  
Circle H's Tru Grit  
Breed: GSP Sex: M DOB: 11/24/2016 AKC #: SR96121405  
Owner: Adam Hamilton  
Breeder: Adam Hamilton

21B "Stormy" Handler: Mike Zimbelman  
FC Snowy River's Prairie Storm  
Breed: GSP Sex: M DOB: 06/05/2017 AKC #: SR99956607  
Owner: Mike Zimbelman  
Breeder: Chase Verdoorn/Mark Verdoorn

Gritty had a nice honor at 25 minutes. His handler elected to end his bid for the title at 30 minutes. Stormy had a nice find at 2 minutes and a second find at 25 minutes, deep in the woods. Late in the hour he was lost to judgement.

22A "Drake" Handler: Jon Hann  
FC Texas Traveler Come and Take It  
Breed: GSP Sex: M DOB: 07/07/2018 AKC #: SS16669403  
Owner: Chris Yancy  
Breeder: Victor Scott

22B "Jewels Brown" Handler: David Walker  
WFK Jewels Brown BCF  
Breed: GSP Sex: F DOB: 03/16/2018 AKC #: SS04287003  
Owner: Kristina Groselle  
Breeder: Tim Zick

Drake had backs at 4 and 7 minutes. His handler picked him up early in the hour. Jewels Brown had nice finds at 4 and 7 minutes. He was also picked up near the 30 minute mark.



23A "Dillon" Handler: Frank Sommer/Diane Vater  
NAFC FC AFC WestWeim's Dodge City's Marshal-Trax von Edelweiss  
Breed: Weimaraner Sex: M DOB: 11/07/2015 AKC #: SR90608203  
Owner: Cydney Hansen/Frank Sommer  
Breeder: Rebecca Fockler/Curtis Fockler/Shirley Nilsson

23B "Bo" Handler: Hank Lewis  
FC AFC Hi-N's Bodacious  
Breed: GSP Sex: M DOB: 07/27/2013 AKC #: SR79917206  
Owner: Hank Lewis  
Breeder: Hank Lewis

Dylan and Bo had a divided find at 7 minutes. Dillon also recorded a non productive stand despite a through relaxation. The handlers decided to end the brace shortly after the mid point.

24A "Beck" Handler: Greg Dixon  
FC Pauncefoot Harley Dee  
Breed: Irish Setter Sex: F DOB: 02/12/2016 AKC #: SR91687905  
Owner: Stephen Salt/Mary Pavelko  
Breeder: Mark Johnson

24B "Gabi" Handler: Chris Corliss  
CH Diamond C's Blast From the Past Gabi  
Breed: Vizsla Sex: F DOB: 04/24/2015 AKC #: SR87552204  
Owner: Chris & Sabrina Corliss  
Breeder: Chris & Sabrina Corliss

Beck had a non productive sand in the first minutes of the brace, a good find at 14 minutes, and a second non productive at 22 minutes where his day ended. Gabi had an indiscreation at 14 to end her bid.

