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2008 ACHA World Championship

Boaz, Al. - March 27, 28 & 29, 2008

Hosted by Coosa Valley CHA & Mountain Top CHA - Hunt Director: Butch Wills (256) 558-6424

Clubs assisting: Arab, Crossville, Lacey Springs, Rainsville, Rome and Southside.

Directions: Hwy 168 west out of Boaz, to Hwy 179, Hwy 179 for 5 miles to Egypt Rd. left on Egypt for 2 miles to club.

*"If your main goal for hunting is the money, **this isn't your hunt!** This Association and World Hunt is about the "coondog", not the money!*

*ACHA is truly the place "where it all started" and we live by the creed of "fair to all and partial to none"! Rich or poor, everyone is treated equal. In the ACHA World Hunt everybody only gets one chance to win the **ACHA World Championship Ring and Title**. When you get eliminated from this hunt, you can't buy your way back in by paying another entry fee.*

This is as tough a World Hunt if not tougher test for the hound and hunter as any in the sport today. 5 rounds in 3 nights and no byes to win it all! A World Hunt that requires plus points to win a cast, you must hunt and tree coons alone and hunt at a time of the year when the leaves are scarce.

*We have redesigned this World Hunt so the working man can afford to participate in a World Hunt and even bring the family if they choose. Our "spectator allowed" rule means the son or daughter doesn't have to be left behind. After all ... this World Hunt and ACHA belongs to you ... the "American Coon Hunter!" ACHA-WCCHR pays NO salaries or expenses for any of our Directors, Officers or Representatives. We are all volunteers ... nominated and elected from the membership. **Hope you come out and support YOUR HUNT!***

***** **PAY ONLY ONE ENTRY FEE FOR THE WHOLE**

HUNT *****

\$100.00 Early Entry Fee - dogs qualified and Entry Fee paid and postmarked by 3/20/08. (WCCHR - PO Box 453 - Grayson, Ky. 41143)

\$125.00 Late Entry Fee - any dog **qualified or not** and entered on the grounds.

Dogs can be registered and entered on the grounds up to 6pm local time on March 27, 2008.

ACHA membership included with each hunt entry fee.

ACHA reserves the right to refuse entry to any individual barred from any other registry.

HUNT FORMAT AND GENERAL INFORMATION:

All dogs must be registered with ACHA-WCCHR to compete in World Hunt.

All casts drawn by the "ball system", with the exception of the hunting guides.

Dogs registered to the same owner can have the dogs split up if possible.

Hunting judges will be used the first two rounds. Non-hunting judges for Top 20 and beyond.

THURSDAY 3/27/08 7pm = All dogs drawn to casts and hunt two hours. 2am deadline

FRIDAY 3/28/08 7pm = All dogs drawn to casts and hunt two hours. **1am deadline.**

Scores from the first two rounds will be combined to determine the Top 20. (Cast Wins /w + points a priority. 2 cast wins place over 1 cast win)

SECOND ROUND FRIDAY 2am = Top 20 go back to the woods to hunt alone for up to 2 hours.

Top 16 with plus points after hunting alone advance to Semi-Finals. Dogs hunting alone may return to the club as soon as a coon is treed. If the card is turned in before two hours, the cast is considered complete. Dogs tied in the hunting alone phase will be placed in the Semi-Finals based on their Top 20 scores.

SATURDAY 3/29/08 7pm = 4 Semi-Final casts drawn. Cast winners with plus points advance to Championship Cast.

SECOND ROUND SATURDAY 2am = Championship Cast. World Champion must win the cast with plus points.

PRIZES: World Champion receives **ACHA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP RING**, 20v belt light, Heritage dog box and Johnson tracking collar - Opp. Sex winner also wins 20v belt light. Final Four cast members will receive personalized jackets - Top 20 will receive plaques and Night Champion title.

Voluntary \$10.00 calcutta on first rounds Thur & Fri 80% payback each night = 40% HS

male and 40% HS female.

******* SPECTATORS ALLOWED ON ALL CASTS *******

ADDITIONAL EVENTS:

Friday 3/28 5pm - Working Dog Bench Show - \$15. entry (dog must be entered in the hunt)

Saturday 3/29 Noon - General Membership meeting.

Saturday 3/29 2pm - ACHA World Championship Bench Show - \$15. entry (open to all dogs)

Saturday 3/29 4pm - ACHA Youth Bench Show - \$5. entry (12 & under / 13-17)

Saturday 3/29 6pm - ACHA Youth Hunt - \$5. entry (12 & under / 13-17)

Saturday 3/29 6pm - Ladies Night Out Hunt - \$5. (18 & older)

ACHA-WCCHR Office - P O Box 453 - Grayson, Ky. 41143 - (606) 474-9740 ask for Sec./Treas.

Sherry Parker

Motels: 7 miles from club - Boaz: Key West Inn 256 593-0800 - Days Inn 256 593-0000 - Econo Lodge 256 593-8410 -

Boaz Inn 256 593-2874 - 12 miles from club - Albertville: Jameson 256 891-2600 - Kings Inn 256 878-6550 - Microtel Inn

256 894-4000 - Royal Inn 256 878-2231

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