

THESE EVENTS WILL BE HELD UNDER THE RULES AND REGULATIONS  
OF THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

## Judging Program



### NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC.

Member of the American Kennel Club

**NEAA Specialty Show**  
with Sweepstakes, Generations, Junior Showmanship, Obedience Trials & Rally Trial  
(unbenched . . . outdoors . . . for Norwegian Elkhounds only)  
SHOW HOURS: 7:30 am - 7:00 pm . . . each day

Sunday September 19, 2021 (Rally and Obedience trials are indoors)	
<b>Rally Trial</b> AKC Event # 2021193001	<b>Obedience Trial</b> AKC Event # 2021193012
<b>Animal Inn Training School, 8633 N 34th Street North, Stillwater, MN</b>	
Tuesday, September 21, 2021	
<b>Veteran Sweepstakes</b> AKC Event # 2021193018	<b>Junior &amp; Senior Sweepstakes</b> AKC Event # 2021193018
Wednesday, September 22, 2021	
<b>Best of the Best Contest</b>	
<b>Futurity / Maturity Sweepstakes</b> AKC Event # 2021193014	<b>Specialty Generations Class</b> AKC Event # 2021193010
Thursday, September 23, 2021	
<b>NEAA Conformation Classes</b> AKC Event # 2021193010	<b>NEAA Junior Showmanship</b> AKC Event # 2021193010
Friday September 24, 2021	
<b>NEAA Conformation Classes</b> AKC Event # 2021193010 (continued)	

### NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA, INC.

Licensed by the American Kennel Club



**NEAM Specialty Show**  
with Junior Showmanship, Junior & Senior Sweepstakes & Veterans Sweeps  
(unbenched . . . outdoors . . . for Norwegian Elkhounds only . . . no obedience or rally classes)  
SHOW HOURS: 7:30 am - 7:00 pm . . . each day

Monday, September 20, 2021
<b>Junior Showmanship, NEAM Conformation Classes, Junior &amp; Senior Sweepstakes &amp; Veteran Sweepstakes</b> AKC Event # 2021005608

All Conformation Classes will be held at:  
Washington County Fairgrounds MN  
12300 North 40th St., Hwy 5 & Cty Rd 15, Stillwater, MN

#### AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION



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KENNEL CLUB<sup>SM</sup>

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.  
Gina DiNardo, Secretary

## ***SCHEDULE OF EVENTS***

### **Sunday, September 19, 2021 – NEAA Events**

Animal Inn Training Center  
Obedience, Rally, Agility  
Canine Good Citizen (CGC) test

### **Monday, September 20, 2021 – NEAM Event**

NEAM Regional Specialty, Sweeps, Jr. Show, Conformation  
NEAM welcome party

### **Tuesday, September 21, 2021 – NEAA Events**

Puppy Sweepstakes  
Veteran Sweepstakes  
Health Seminar  
Trick testing  
General Meeting

### **Wednesday, September 22, 2021 – NEAA Events**

Futurity/Maturity  
Generations  
Best of the Best  
Block Party

### **Thursday, September 23, 2021 – NEAA Events**

Judge Education  
National Conformation  
Best Feature judging

### **Friday, September 24, 2021 – NEAA Events**

National Conformation  
Judge Critiques  
Awards banquet – Lake Elmo Inn Event Center

## ***JUDGES***

### **NEAA**

**Ms. Pat Cunningham** (56262) ..... Canine Good Citizen Testing (9/19/21)  
Trick Dog Testing (9/21/21)  
7915 County Rd 127, Brainerd MN 56404

**Ms. Glenda Haggerty** ..... Futurity, & Maturity Sweepstakes(9/22/21)  
2018 Rosette Court, Grand Junction, CO 81507

**Ms. Victoria Lawton** ..... Junior, Senior & Veteran Sweepstakes (9/21/21)  
Specialty Generations Class (9/22/21)  
691 Lowe Road, Madison, NC 27025

**Mrs. Laura Hall Lewis** (0882) ..... Jr. Showmanship (9/23/21)  
12 Hall Ave., Merrimack, NH 03054-4636

**Mr. David Samuelson** (39541) ..... Best of the Best Contest—Judge #1 (9/22/21)  
1645—300th Street Way, Cannon Falls, MN 55009

**Mr. Thomas Slattery** (53137) ..... Specialty Agility Trial (9/19/21)  
Way4490 Neal Avenue South, Afton, MN 55001

**Mrs. Patricia V. Trotter** (6420) ..... Parent Specialty, All Conformation Classes  
..... (9/23/21 & 9/24/21)  
PO Box 222036, Carmel, CA 93922-2036

**Ms. Debra Walker** ..... Best of the Best Contest—Judge #2 (9/22/21)  
208 Grey Road, Pelzer, SC 29669

**Mr. Richard P. Wood** (5118) ..... All Obedience and All Rally Classes (9/19/21)  
859 Bradley Dr, Hudson, WI 54016-7639

**JUDGES**

**CONTINUED**

**NEAM**

**Ms. Sally Wuornos**.....Puppy & Veterans Sweeps (9/20/21)  
32051 Virgo St NE, North Branch, MN 55056  
**Mrs. Shilon Bedford (15789)**..... All Conformation Classes (9/20/21)  
3620 Yancy Ave., New Germany, MN 55367  
**Ms. Holly Lewis (96551)**..... Junior Showmanship (9/20/21)  
12 Hall Ave, Merrimack NH 03054-4636

**NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC.**  
**National Specialty Show**

**PROGRAM OF JUDGING**

**Obedience Trial, Sweepstakes, Conformation, Junior Showmanship**

There are 73 Dogs entered in this show with a total of 238 entries,  
*including 14 obedience entries, 3 junior showmanship entries,*  
*17 puppy sweepstakes entries, & 32 veteran sweepstakes entries,*

**Rally Trial**

There are 17 Dogs entered in this show with a total of 22 entries,

**Sunday, September 19, 2021**

**Ring 2**

JUDGE . . . **Mr. Richard P. Wood** (14)

**Obedience Trial**

**8:00 AM**

1—Open B . . .  
1—Open A . . .  
6—Novice B . . .  
1—Preferred Novice . . .  
3—Beginner Novice **B** . . .  
2—Beginner Novice A . . .

**Ring 2**

JUDGE . . . **Mr. Richard P. Wood** (22)

**Rally Trial**

**10:00 AM**

Briefing & walk-through  
3—Rally Master . . .  
3—Rally Excellent B . . .  
1—Rally Excellent A . . .  
3—Rally Advanced B . . .  
1—Rally Advanced A . . .  
4—Rally Intermediate . . .  
7—Rally Novice B . . .

**Agility will start after Rally but not before 12:00 PM.**

**NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA**  
**Regional Specialty Show**

***PROGRAM OF JUDGING***

**Obedience, Sweepstakes, Conformation, Junior Showmanship**

There are 103 Dogs entered in this show with a total of 143 entries,  
including 16 puppy sweepstakes entries, & 28 veteran sweepstakes entries,

**Monday, September 20, 2021**

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Ms Sally Wuornos (44)**  
**Puppy Sweepstakes (16)**

**8:30 AM**

3—Junior Dog, 9 - 12 months  
1—Junior Bitch, 6 - 9 months  
4—Junior Bitch, 9 - 12 months  
*Best Junior in Puppy Sweepstakes*

2—Senior Dog, 12 - 15 months  
5—Senior Bitch, 12 - 15 months  
1—Senior Bitch, 15 - 18 months  
*Best Senior in Puppy Sweepstakes*

**9:15 AM**

**Veteran Sweepstakes (28)**

5—Veteran Dog, 7 - 8 years  
2—Veteran Dog, 9 - 10 years  
2—Veteran Dog, 10 - 11 years  
5—Veteran Dog, 11 years & older  
*Best Dog in Veteran Sweepstakes*

1—Veteran Bitch, 7 - 8 years  
2—Veteran Bitch, 8 - 9 years  
4—Veteran Bitch, 9 - 10 years  
4—Veteran Bitch, 10 - 11 years  
3—Veteran Bitch, 11 years & older  
*Best Bitch in Veteran Sweepstakes*  
*Break at the judge's discretion . . .*

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Ms. Holly Lewis (3)**  
**Junior Showmanship**

**10:45 AM**

1—Novice Senior  
2—Open Senior  
*Best Junior Handler*

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Mrs. Shilon Bedford (96)**

**Conformation**

**Regular Classes (14)**

**11:00 AM**

4—Puppy Dog, 9 - 12 months  
6—Dog, Bred by Exhibitor  
1—Dog, American Bred  
3—Dog, Open

**Non-Regular Classes (single entry)**

7—Veteran Dog, 7 - 10 years  
3—Veteran Dog, 10 years and older

*Lunch Break . . .*

**Monday, September 20, 2021** *(continued)*

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Mrs. Shilon Bedford (96)**

**Conformation**

**Regular Classes (25)**

**1:00 PM**

- 3—Puppy Bitch, 6 - 9 months
- 3—Puppy Bitch, 9 - 12 months
- 5—Bitch, 12 - 18 months
- 6—Bitch, Bred By Exhibitor
- 2—Bitch, American Bred
- 6—Bitch, Open

**Non-Regular Classes (single entry)**

- 3—Veteran Bitch, 7 - 10 years
- 6—Veteran Bitch, 10 years and older

**There will be a 30 minute break before Best of Breed**

**38—Best of Breed (18, 20)**

**NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC.  
National Specialty Show**

**The American Kennel Club will film this show for AKCTV**

Publication Rights: By entering this show, all owners, handlers, breeders, and kennels agree that all rights to televise, videotape, photograph, advertise, promote, and publicize or otherwise exploit this show, or the persons or animals participating in it or the results of the competition before, during, or after the event, shall belong solely to the American Kennel Club and their respective assigns including the names likeness, or biographical matter of all dogs, owners, handlers, breeders, and kennels participating in the show and no such owner, handler, breeder, or kennel shall allow any other party to make commercial use of any videotape or photograph of any person or animal participating in this competition. NOTE: Entering this show all owners, handlers, breeders, and kennels agree to make themselves available for interviews if requested.



**NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC.**  
**National Specialty Show**

**Tuesday, September 21, 2021**

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Ms. Victoria Lawton (17)**  
**Puppy Sweepstakes**

**8:30 AM**

3—Junior Dog, 9 - 12 months  
3—Junior Bitch, 6 - 9 months  
3—Junior Bitch, 9 - 12 months  
*Best Junior in Puppy Sweepstakes*  
2—Senior Dog, 12 - 15 months  
5—Senior Bitch, 12 - 15 months  
1—Senior Bitch, 15 - 18 months  
*Best Senior in Puppy Sweepstakes*

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Ms. Victoria Lawton (32)**  
**Veteran Sweepstakes**

**9:30 AM**

5—Veteran Dog, 7 - 8 years  
0—Veteran Dog, 8 - 9 years  
3—Veteran Dog, 9 - 10 years  
3—Veteran Dog, 10 - 11 years  
5—Veteran Dog, 11 years & older  
*Best Dog in Veteran Sweepstakes*  
3—Veteran Bitch, 7 - 8 years  
2—Veteran Bitch, 8 - 9 years  
4—Veteran Bitch, 9 - 10 years  
4—Veteran Bitch, 10 - 11 years  
3—Veteran Bitch, 11 years & older  
*Best Bitch in Veteran Sweepstakes*

***SHOW VETERINARIAN***

*ON CALL & EMERGENCY SERVICES*

**On Call Veterinarian:**

**Stillwater Veterinary Clinic**

2020 Curve Crest Blvd., Stillwater, MN 55082, 651-439-3200  
Hours: 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. M- F, 7:20 a.m. – 12 p.m. Saturday  
[www.stillwaterveterinaryclinic.com](http://www.stillwaterveterinaryclinic.com)

Directions from show site . . . turn right on Manning. Go to Curve Crest Blvd and turn right.  
Clinic is on the corner of Curve Crest Blvd. and Washington Ave

**24 Hour Emergency Veterinary Services:**

**Animal Emergency Clinic & Referral Center of MN**

1163 - Helmo Avenue North, Oakdale, MN 55128 (651)-501-3766 [www.aercmn.com](http://www.aercmn.com)

Directions from the Show Site . . . turn left on Manning. . . turn right on 10th Street . . . turn right on  
Helmo Avenue North . . . turn right on 11th Street

**Wednesday, September 22, 2021**

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Ms. Glenda Haggerty (20)**

**Futurity and Maturity**

9:30 AM

**Futurity (4, 9)**

3— Dog, 9 months & under 12 months

1— Bitch, 6 months & under 9 months

4— Bitch, 9 months & under 12 months

2—12 months & under 18 months

*Best in Futurity – Best of opposite in Futurity*

10—Total Entries

**Maturity**

1—Dog., 18 months & under 24 months

4—Dog, 30 months & under 46 months

1—Bitch, 18 months & under 24 months

1— Bitch, 24 months & under 30 months

3—Bitch, 30 months & under 46 months

*Best in Maturity – Best of Opposite in Maturity*

10 Total Entries

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Ms. Victoria Lawton (3)**

**Generations**

10:30 AM

3 of 3—Generations

**SHOW PHOTOGRAPHER**

*BOTH SHOWS*

**Mandy Smithers Photography**

2215 Crestmeadow, • Denton, TX 76207 • (940) 206-6256  
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**Wednesday, September 22, 2021 . . (continued)**

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Mr. David Samuelson Judge #1**  
**Ms. Debra Walker Judge #2**  
**Best of the Best (19)**

**2:00 PM**

13,6—Best of the Best

*Break at the judge's discretion . . .*

**Thursday, September 23, 2021**

JUDGE . . . **Mrs. Laura Hall Lewis (3)**  
**Junior Showmanship**

**10:30 AM**

1—Novice Senior  
2—Open Senior

JUDGE . . . **Mrs. Patricia V. Trotter (72)**  
**Conformation**

**Regular Classes (13, 29)**

**11:00 AM**

0—Puppy Dog, 6 - 9 months  
4—Puppy Dog, 9 - 12 months  
0—Dog, 12 - 18 months  
0—Dog, Novice  
6—Dog, Bred by Exhibitor  
1—Dog, American Bred  
2—Dog, Open

**Non-Regular Classes (single entry)**

9—Veteran Dog, 7 - 10 years  
3—Veteran Dog, 10 years and older

Lunch break

**1:00 PM**

4—Puppy Bitch, 6 - 9 months  
2—Puppy Bitch, 9 - 12 months  
5—Bitch, 12 - 18 months  
0—Bitch, Novice  
7—Bitch, Bred By Exhibitor  
3—Bitch, American Bred  
6—Bitch, Open

**Non-Regular Classes (single entry)**

8—Veteran Bitch, 7 - 10 years  
6—Veteran Bitch, 10 years and older

**COVID-19: It is recommended that masks be worn by everyone inside of buildings and outside if not vaccinated.**



**Friday, September 24, 2021**

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Mrs. Patricia V. Trotter (41)**  
**Conformation**

**1:00 PM**

19—**Best of Breed Dogs**  
22—**Best of Breed Bitches**

**Ring 1**

JUDGE . . . **Mrs. Patricia V. Trotter (8)**

**Non-Regular Classes (multiple entry)**

2—Brace  
3—Stud Dog  
3—Brood Bitch

*Break at the judge's discretion . . .*

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***ACCOMMODATIONS***

**The La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham St. Paul-Woodbury** is the host hotel for NEAA Nationals 2021. Group rates are \$94 (double or king) and \$115 (suite) per night. There are 4 available suites. Our group code is: NEAA Group. Group rates are available beginning Friday, Sept. 17th, 2021 through Sunday Sept. 26th, 2021. Rooms must be booked before Friday, Aug. 20th, 2021 to secure the group rate. The hotel has easy access to the interstate, is 10 miles from the show site, and there are restaurants within walking distance.

You can make reservations now to secure your room, however, there may be a bug with our reservations code saying the requested rate is not available. Ignore the message and continue with your reservation. Make reservation online at: [www.tinyurl.com/NEAA-LaQuinta-2021](http://www.tinyurl.com/NEAA-LaQuinta-2021)

There will be a one-time pet cleaning fee to have dogs in the room with you. The fee is \$20 for 1 night and \$40 total for 2 or more nights. This does not apply to any damages to the room.

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***RV/MOTOR HOME PARKING***

- RV parking is a privilege provided by the Washington County Fairgrounds and NEAA/NEAM. This privilege can and will be withdrawn from those who do not follow these rules, regulations, & instructions of the club members, officers, & guards on duty.
- The RV Sites are \$40 per night with electricity, or \$30 a night with no electricity.
- All RVs must display parking permit issued by the NEAA
- Water and sewer hookups are not available
- Water spigots are available to fill your water tank, but you may not stay attached to them.
- A dump station is available on site.
- A 10' space between each RV must be maintained.
- If you are entered in obedience, rally or agility on Sunday you may park your RV at Animal Inn Saturday night – cost \$30.
- There are 28 RV parking spaces located at the Washington County Fairgrounds, with 30- and 50-amp service.
- Arrivals before Sunday September 19 will be assigned sites to the west of the dog show rings due to an event being held that weekend. They can then move on Sunday to their assigned spots with electric. They will be charged \$30/night without electric and \$40/night with electric.
- Please contact the NEAA RV Reservations Coordinator Suzan Johnson with any questions or concerns.
- E-mail: [suzangjohnson@gmail.com](mailto:suzangjohnson@gmail.com)

## **EXHIBITORS . . . PLEASE NOTE**

**THE NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC. DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for these events.**

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**POST DATED CHECKS, RETURNED CHECKS AND DECLINED CREDIT CARDS** do not constitute a valid entry fee. A collection fee of \$20.00 will be added to the amount of each returned check or declined card.

**NO ENTRY SHALL BE MADE AND NO ENTRY SHALL BE ACCEPTED WHICH SPECIFIES ANY CONDITIONS AS TO ITS ACCEPTANCE.**

**ENTRY FEES SHALL NOT BE REFUNDED** in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of Show Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the show, no refund of entry fee will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snow storms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, must be considered for the health and safety of the dogs, exhibitors and spectators. The well-being of dogs, exhibitors and spectators is of paramount importance and, in the event it is necessary to cancel or stop the show before completion, no refund of entry fee will be made.

**REFUND OF ENTRY FEES** minus \$5.00 will be given to the entrants of bitches in the obedience trial & agility trial, upon written certification by a licensed veterinarian to the effect that the bitch in question is in season on the day of the trial, if received before 8:00 AM on the trial date.

**NO REFUND FOR DUPLICATE ENTRIES.** Every effort to find all duplicate entries will be made; however, if the entry has been processed, no refund will be made.

**ERRORS ON ENTRY BLANKS.** Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date.

**DOGS MAY ARRIVE** any time prior to their scheduled time of judging. Dogs not required for further judging will be excused.

**JUDGES WILL NOT WAIT FOR ANY DOG HOLDING UP A CLASS.** Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging ring when their classes are called to be judged.

**ALL DOGS PRESENT MUST BE HELD ON LEASH OR CONFINED TO THEIR CRATES** except when being judged.

**CLASS CASH PRIZES** will be paid in the ring to the person showing the dog. Claims for prize money must be made in the ring before the judging of that Show is over, and the Secretary advised at once. The Secretary and show-giving Club disclaim any liability for cash prizes after the judging of the breed is over.

**ALL TROPHIES** must be claimed at the show . . . If not, they become the property of the Show Giving Club. NO TROPHIES will be mailed.

**THE SHOW SPONSORING CLUBS RESERVE THE RIGHT** to substitute trophies with ones of equal or greater value.

**MANAGEMENT IS NOT RESPONSIBLE** for the loss of, damage to, or death of any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any participant, whether the result of accident or any other cause. It is expressly understood that every dog at the show is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

**THE NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC., THE NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA, THE SHOW SECRETARIES, THEIR AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, ETC.,** assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by spectators, exhibitors, handlers, their employees or children, etc., or to any of their dogs or property. Entrants and spectators to this show do so entirely at their own risk.

**THIS SHOW IS GOVERNED BY THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB.** Exhibitors should read the AKC agreement on the front and back sides of the entry blank in the Premium List.

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE:**

**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.**

**PROOF OF CURRENT RABIES VACCINATION MUST BE IN THE POSSESSION OF EXHIBITORS OR HANDLERS FOR ALL DOGS AT THESE TRIALS.**



