

2021203202 AM Session

2021203203 PM Session

ENTRIES CLOSE: 5:00 PM, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 2021
At Show Secretary's Office, After Which Time Entries Cannot Be Accepted, Cancelled,
Or Substituted EXCEPT as Provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules
ENTRIES ARE LIMITED TO 100 ENTRIES EACH SESSION

PREMIUM LIST
Our 94th & 95th Specialties in our 74th year!



**THE GREAT DANE CLUB
OF WESTERN NEW YORK**

Sunday, May 9th, 2021
AM & PM ~ 2 SHOWS IN ONE DAY
**** SWEEPSTAKES AM SHOW****

(Unbenched- Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

The Pavilion @ North Branch Park

355 Milltown Rd

Bridgewater Twp., NJ 08807

Hours: 7AM – 5PM

DON'T MISS GDCRV SPECIALTIES MAY 7th & 8th, 2021

DON'T MISS GDCPA COMPANION EVENTS MAY 8th & 9th, 2021

OFFICERS OF THE GREAT DANE CLUB OF WESTERN NEW YORK

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5710 Oak Lane, Lockport, NY 14094

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ANIMERGE
 21 US Highway 206 S
 Raritan, NJ 08869

RIBBON PRIZES FOR ALL SHOWS

Regular Classes

1st PrizeBlue Ribbon
 2nd Prize..... Red Ribbon
 3rd Prize..... Yellow Ribbon
 4th Prize..... White Ribbon
 Winners..... Purple Rosette
 Reserve Winners.....Purple & White Rosette
 Best of Winners..... Blue & White Rosette
 Best of Breed..... Purple & Gold Rosette
 Best of Opposite Sex..... Red & White Rosette
 Select Dog & Bitch..... Light Blue Rosette
 Award of Merit (if applicable).....Green Rosette

REGULAR CLASSES (Same Classes for both Dogs and Bitches)

Puppy 6-9 months	Bred-by-Exhibitor	Open - Fawn
Puppy 9-12 months	American Bred	Open - Harlequin
Junior 12-15 months	Open - Black	Open - Mantle
Junior 15-18 months	Open - Blue	Open - Merle
	Open - Brindle	

**BEST OF BREED COMPETITION
 NOHS COMPETITION**

GREAT DANE EMERGENCIES

The Great Dane Club of Western New York sincerely hopes that you have an enjoyable day with no problems. However, if you need prompt medical treatment for your dog(s), then please refer to the service below:

All Emergencies: ANIMERGE, 21 US Highway 206 S, Raritan, NJ 08869
Hours: Mon - Fri 24/7 Sat & Sun: 24/7 **(908) 707-9077**

Right out of park to Route 202 North. Left on 202 North for .3 miles to Route 206 South exit. ANIMERGE is .3 miles down 206 S on the right before the railroad overpass.

ENTRY FEES – EACH SESSION

First Entry.....	\$31.00
Each Additional Entry of Same Dog.....	\$25.00
Sweepstakes (AM Show Only).....	\$15.00

Mail All Entries With Fees To:
LYDIA STRAUSS, SHOW SECRETARY
134 BARD AVE
STATEN ISLAND, NY 10310
917-941-2223

The Great Dane Club of Western New York would like to thank the members of the Great Dane Club of Raritan Valley and the Great Dane Club of Pennsylvania, and particularly Camille Durocher and Carmella Jichetti, for their assistance with our Specialty shows.



American Kennel Club Certification

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Gina M. DiNardo, Secretary

JUDGES – AM SHOW

ANGELA KUSMIESZ.....44 Gwynwood Dr Pittsgrove NJ 08318

Sweepstakes

NORVEL ALEXANDER BENOITP.O. Box 640488 Kenner, LA 70064

Regular Classes

JUDGE – PM SHOW

JULIE NARZISI.....5355 Bassett Rd Atwater, OH 44201

Regular Classes

****BRED-BY-EXHIBITOR (BBE) CLASS ELIGIBILITY (Revised 9/2002)**

All dogs entered in the Bred-By-Exhibitor Class must be individually registered with the AKC. The person handling the dog must be a breeder of record and owner of record of the dog. To exhibit in this class, family members must be breeder and owner of Record.

NOHS ELIGIBILITY

Professional handler, household members and current assistants to professional handlers in conformation are not eligible to exhibit in this competition. A current assistant is defined as anyone employed by a professional handler on a full-time basis, or assisting a professional handler at the show or any show during the Cluster/ weekend. Current assistants that are eligible to compete in Junior Showmanship (meet age and amateur status requirements) may participate in NOHS.

Professional handler is defined as any person who belongs or has belonged to a professional handlers' organization, distributed rate cards, or otherwise advertised or represented themselves as handling dogs for pay within the last five years.

Dogs must be handled by an eligible owner/handler for the AKC NOHS throughout the breed level (all classes, Winners, and Best of Breed) competition. Additionally, dogs must be handled by an eligible owner/handler for all AKC National Owner-Handled Series competition (Group and Best in Show). Any person may exhibit the dog in the regular Group and Best in Show competitions.

Eligibility restrictions apply to all members of the same household.

**MAY 9, 2021 AM BREED PRIZES
JUDGE: NORVEL ALEXANDER BENOIT**

The following prizes are offered by the Great Dane Club of Western New York:

Best of Breed: Coat
First Place in Each Regular Class: Toy

**MAY 9, 2021 PM BREED PRIZES
JUDGE: JULIE NARZISI**

The following prizes are offered by the Great Dane Club of Western New York:

Best of Breed: Coat
First Place in Each Regular Class: Toy

SWEEPSTAKES-AM SHOW

Open to all Great Danes six months of age and under eighteen months of age. All dogs entered in the Sweepstakes must be entered in a regular class of the Great Dane Club of Western New York Specialty. THERE ARE NO POINT RESTRICTIONS in the Sweepstakes; however, Champions of record are not eligible to enter the Sweepstakes. The entry fee for the Sweepstakes is \$15.00 and must be included with the regular entry fee, with 'Sweepstakes' and Age Class Indicated on the entry form submitted to the Show Secretary.

SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES (Same Classes for both Dogs and Bitches)

Puppy, 6 mos. & under 9 mos.	Junior, 12 mos. & under 15 mos.
Puppy, 9 mos. & under 12 mos.	Junior, 15 mos. & under 18 mos.

Best Puppy

Best Junior

Best in Sweepstakes

DIVISION OF ENTRY MONEY AS PRIZES

35% of entry to be retained by club for expenses. Remainder to be divided as follows:

1st Prize=40% 2nd Prize=30% 3rd Prize=20% 4th Prize =10%

**SUNDAY, MAY 9, 2021 SWEEPSTAKES - AM SHOW ONLY
JUDGE: ANGELA KUSMIESZ**

The following prizes are offered by the Great Dane Club of Western New York through the Generosity of its members:

First Place in Class: Toy

Best In Sweepstakes: Coat

GDCWNY Distancing Protocols and COVID Guidelines

1. If you are not comfortable with the protocols - **Do Not Come.**
If you are sick in any way - **Do Not Come.**
2. Signs for Social Distancing will be posted as reminders, so pay attention.
3. Parking: Park with sufficient distance between vehicles if possible.
4. **FACE MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.** Face Masks are to be the exhibitor's responsibility. PLEASE BE PREPARED TO BE SELF-SUFFICIENT AND RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR FACE COVERING.
5. Practice Social Distancing. Wash or sanitize hands frequently. Avoid shaking hands, hugging or any physical contact. Hand sanitizing stations will be around the outside of the ring. Please visit frequently.
6. Avoid touching dogs that are not your responsibility. Hand sanitizing stations will be around the outside of the ring. Please visit frequently.
7. Show Area: The ring will be increased in size to accommodate social distancing within the ring. Please follow all instructions from the Judge and the Steward to maintain that distance.
8. The ready ring will also be expanded to accommodate social distancing. Only one class at a time will be allowed in the ready ring. Once that class has entered the show ring, the next class in may enter the ready ring. This will be strictly adhered to.
9. Exhibitors will be asked to show the bite of their dog.
10. There will be two openings to the show ring; one for an entrance coming in and one for an exit going out. Please adhere to this.

**~~Let's have an awesome day with awesome Danes and friends~~
~~Please Cooperate with the COVID protocols~~**

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

ENTRY FEE: \$31.00 for the first entry of each dog and \$25.00 for each additional entry of the same Dog. Sweepstakes entry fee is \$15.00.

RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Show Secretary will add a \$35.00 collection fee to the amount of the returned check.

MAKE ALL CHECKS AND MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO: GDCWNY

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES TO: LYDIA STRAUSS, 134 Bard Ave, Staten Island, NY 10310

CLOSING DATE for entries 5:00 PM, Wednesday, April 21, 2021 (at Show Secretary's Office) after which entries cannot be accepted, canceled or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

A RECORDING FEE of \$.50 and an **AKC EVENT SERVICE FEE** of \$3.00 will be required for each Dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Show, Obedience Trial or Tracking Test. These Fees are to be collected by the Show-giving Club and paid to the American Kennel Club. If a Dog is entered in more than one class in the show, the Fees are to be collected on the first entry only. (American Kennel Club Rule, Chapter 11, Section 2).

ENTRIES NOT ON OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORMS AND PHOTOCOPIES OF ENTRY Forms without the Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Entry Form and NOT acceptable.

ENTRIES RECEIVED WITHOUT FEES will not be accepted.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ENTRIES will be made as soon as practicable. SHOULD SUCH ACKNOWLEDGMENT NOT BE RECEIVED BY THE EXHIBITOR within a reasonable time, notify LYDIA STRAUSS, Show Sect., 917-941-2223.

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 riot, civil disturbance 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.

ERRORS ON ENTRY BLANKS. Owners are responsible for any errors made on entry forms. No entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or of the cancellation of entries after the published closing.

NO REFUND FOR DUPLICATE ENTRIES. We will make every effort to find all duplicate entries, but if a Dog has been processed, no refund will be made.

DOGS MAY ARRIVE any time prior to their scheduled judging times. Dogs not required for further judging will be excused. All dogs present **MUST** be held on leash or confined to their crates, except when being judged.

JUDGES WILL NOT WAIT FOR ANY DOG HOLDING UP A CLASS. Owners or agents are responsible for the presence of their Dogs in the judging ring when their classes are called to be judged. The Show-giving Club has no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

THE SHOW COMMITTEE will use due care and diligence for the welfare of Dogs and Exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or misfortune to either Dogs or Exhibitors participating in this Show.

Effective May 1st, 2006, an administrative fee of \$2.00 will be withheld from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing date.

DIRECTIONS TO NORTH BRANCH PARK
355 Milltown Rd., Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Any vehicle over 9 feet tall must come into park from the Rt. 202 as directed below.
DO NOT ATTEMPT TO COME IN FROM RT. 22 !!

From South via NJ Turnpike – Take Tpk. North to **Exit 10** and follow signs for I-287 North. Follow I-287 N to Exit 14B for Route 22 West. Go west 2.5 miles to exit for Route 202 / 206 South. Follow signs for Route 202 South -Flemington, which takes you over the Somerville traffic circle. About 2 miles past circle after you go under a RR bridge turn right onto Milltown Road. North Branch Park is about 0.4 miles up road on your left.

From East or South via I-287 North – Exit at 14-B for Route 22 West. Go west 2.5 miles to exit for Route 202/206 South. Follow signs for Route 202 South-Flemington, which takes you over the Somerville traffic circle. About 2 miles past circle after you go under a RR bridge turn right onto Milltown Road. North Branch Park is about 0.4 miles up road on left.

From North via Route I-287 South - Take I-287 South to **Exit 17** - Routes 202/206 South Somerville / Flemington. Follow signs for Route 202 South / Flemington, which takes you over the Somerville traffic circle. About 2 miles past this circle after you go under a RR bridge turn right onto Milltown Road. North Branch Park is about 0.4 miles up the road on your left.

From West or East via I-78–Follow signs for I-287 South and then follow as above.

From West via Route 202 North/South – About 10 miles past the Flemington traffic circle look for a right jug-handle exit to go left onto Milltown Road. Cross over Route 202 and continue for about 0.4 miles to North Branch Park, which will be on your left.

***WE WILL HAVE A FOOD VENDOR PRESENT FOR
BREAKFAST ~~ LUNCH ~~ SNACKS
~~ PLEASE SUPPORT THEM ~~***

ACCOMODATIONS

The following motels and hotels state that they allow pets. As this can always change, confirm their policy when making your reservation and ask about any pet restrictions or additional charges.

Super 8 Motel 119 Route 206 at Somerville Circle Raritan, NJ 08869(908) 722-5400
Summerfield Suites Bridgewater 530 Route 22 E Bridgewater, NJ 08807

(908) 725-0800

Quality Inn 1850 Easton Ave., Somerset, NJ 08873(732) 469-5050

Hillsborough Days Inn 118 US Hwy 206 S Hillsborough, NJ 08876(800) 346-8357

Howard Johnson Express Inn North Plainfield 1011 Rte 22W at West End Ave.

North Plainfield, NJ 07060.....(908) 753-6500

**GREAT DANE CLUB OF WESTERN NEW YORK
COVID – 19 SHOW WAIVER – MAY 9TH, 2021**

****FACE MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES****

I fully attest to the best of my knowledge that I do not have COVID-19 at the time of attending this event. I also attest that I have not been in contact with or exposed to any known carrier of COVID-19 within the past 14 days. I agree that I am attending the GDCWNY Specialty shows entirely at my own risk and take full responsibility for my own health and safety during this event. I will follow all AKC and GDCWNY rules, requirements, and procedures to reduce any exposure and possibility of contracting or spreading the COVID-19 virus. I will also follow CDC, State of New Jersey, and North Branch Park guidelines regarding COVID-19.

I fully submit that the AKC, GDCWNY, North Branch Park, all contracted staff of North Branch Park and their employees, and any workers or volunteers of the aforementioned, are in no way liable for any present or future COVID-19 exposure incurred at any time by any person, in attendance or not in attendance, during or after this event, and hereby waive all rights to file a lawsuit against all listed above if I am exposed to COVID-19.

By signing this waiver below, I hereby agree to, and agree to follow everything contained within this waiver.

Signature

Minor Child Under 18 Signature

Print Name

Print Name of Minor

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

**PLEASE PRINT, FILL OUT & BRING THIS FORM WITH YOU.
YOU MUST HAND IN THE FORM TO GET AN ACCESS BRACELET.
NO FORM → NO BRACELET → NO ACCESS TO SHOW**



**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB®**

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

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

Great Dane Club Of Western New York 94th & 95st Specialty Shows
The Pavilion @ North Branch Park, 355 Milltown Road, Bridgewater, NJ 08807
Sunday, May 9th, 2021: AM Show [] PM Show [] AM Sweeps []
Closing Date: April 21st, 2021 @ 5 PM @ Show Sect. Office after which time entries cannot
Be Accepted, Canceled, or Substituted as provided in Ch11, Sect 6 of Dog Show Rules.

I ENCLOSE \$ _____ for entry fees **Mail Entries with Fees (listed on pg 3) to GDCWNY, Show Sect.,
LYDIA STRAUSS, 134 Bard Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10310**

IMPORTANT-Read Carefully Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT)

BREED ⁵ GREAT DANE		VARIETY ¹	SEX
DOG ^{2,3} SHOW CLASS		CLASS ³ DIVISION Weight, color, etc.	
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEDIENCE CLASS (Jump Height)	RALLY CLASS (Jump Height)	JR. SHOWMANSHIP CLASS
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (If any)			JR. HANDLER NUMBER
FULL NAME OF DOG		DATE OF BIRTH	
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC® NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY		PLACE OF BIRTH (list country) <small>Do not print the above in catalog.</small>	
BREEDER			
SIRE			
DAM			
ACTUAL OWNER(S) ⁴ _____ <small>(Please Print)</small> OWNER'S ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____			
NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (IF ANY) AT THE SHOW _____			

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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his/her agent
duly authorized to make this entry _____

TELEPHONE # _____ E-MAIL Address _____

Are you a new exhibitor? Yes No Owner/Handled Eligible? Yes No

E-MAIL Address (An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address): _____

Emergency contact: _____ Telephone _____

AGREEMENT

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, agents, 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 therefrom, 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 ITS 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.**

INSTRUCTIONS

- (Variety) If you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
- The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
- (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e. age division, color division, weight division.
- A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
- Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP _____ JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH _____

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER _____

The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 233-9767.

By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner? _____



LYDIA STRAUSS, Show Secretary
134 Bard Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10310