



**Potomac Valley Bernese Mountain Dog Club**  
 AKC Sanctioned B-OB  
**Breed & Obedience Match**  
**Saturday, September 12, 2009**  
 Walkersville Community Park, Walkersville, MD  
**Rain or Shine**



**Entry Fee:** \$6.00 All Classes  
 \$5.00 2nd Entry of Same Dog

**Conformation:** All AKC registered Bernese Mountain Dogs may be entered (except spayed or neutered dogs in regular classes) and those with disqualifying faults as stated in the AKC standard. Champions of Record or dogs with Majors may not be shown in *regular* breed classes. Professional handlers may show only a dog owned by themselves or a member of their family.

**Obedience:** All AKC registered Bernese Mountain Dogs over 6 months of age may be entered.

**Schedule:**

9:00 am	Entries open
10:00 am	Obedience entries close
10:30 am	Obedience judging begins
10:30 am	Conformation & Junior Showmanship entries close
11:00 am	Conformation judging begins



**Ring 1: Conformation  
 Jr. Showmanship**

**Judge: Andy Ritter**

Novice, Open  
*Winners of Novice & Open will compete for Best Jr. Handler in Match*

**Regular Breed Classes  
 Puppy**

(All classes divided by sex)  
 3-6 months, 6-9 months, 9-12 months  
*Winners of Puppy Classes will compete for  
 Best Puppy & Best of Opposite Sex to Best Puppy in Match*

**Adult**

(All classes divided by sex)  
 12-18 months, Novice, Bred-by-Exhibitor, Open  
*Winners of Adult Classes will compete for  
 Best Adult & Best of Opposite Sex to Adult in Match*

**Great Food!  
 available**

**Non Regular Breed Classes** (all classes divided by sex)

**Veterans** 7-9 years, 10 years and older  
 All veteran classes may include neutered or spayed Bernese Mt Dogs and Champions of Record  
*Winners of Veterans will compete for  
 Best Veteran in Match & Best of Opposite Sex to Best Veteran in Match*

**Ring 2: Obedience**

**Judge: Marie Huffman**

**Regular Classes** Novice A&B, Open A&B, Utility A&B

**Non Regular Classes** Pre-Novice, Veterans

**High in Trial will be awarded to the highest scoring dog with a qualifying score in regular classes**

**Prizes:**

**All participants take home a ring favor!**

Ribbons for 1st through 4th place Conformation and Qualifying Obedience Scores  
 Rosettes for Best Puppy in Match and Best of Opposite Sex to Puppy in Match  
 Best Adult in Match and Best of Opposite Sex to Adult in Match  
 Best Veteran and Best of Opposite Veteran in Match  
 High In Trial for Highest Qualifying Score in Regular Classes in Match  
 Best Jr. Handler in Match

**NEW THIS YEAR! BERNESE GOT TALENT! Bring your talented berner and compete for BEST TALENT IN MATCH  
 To be held during the lunch break! Rosette for BEST TALENT IN MATCH**

**Directions:** Take US 15 North of Frederick MD, turn off eastbound onto Biggs Ford Road. Follow for approximately 2 miles, turn right onto Kenneth Drive. The Walkersville Community Park is at the end of Kenneth Drive.

**Special Notice:** All dogs must be leashed or crated, except when judged. No puppies younger than 3 months are permitted on show grounds. Children must be supervised at all times. Please pick up after your dog with equipment provided, so we may continue to use this facility.

**Raffle !**

