

Premium List for

Boofest 2008

The Western Regional Silken Windhound Specialty

Sponsored by:



And



Saturday, October 4th ~ Sunday, October 5th

At

Robertson Community Park

3200 Robertson Park Rd. Livermore, CA 94550

<http://www.larpd.dst.ca.us/>

Officers of the SWC

President..... Ann Steele
Vice President..... Joyce Chin
Secretary..... Susan Godfrey
Treasurer Cindy Wolpin

<http://www.casilkenwindhound.com>

Official Photographer

Dave Mills Photographic Art – Dave Mills

Saturday & Sunday

<http://www.pixf.com/>

Show win photos will be taken directly after the conformation shows. As a courtesy to our photographer, no personal photography will be allowed at this time. Dave will set aside time for portraits and candid pictures of your dogs. Contact him directly for an appointment.

Area Veterinarians

Emergency Vet

- Vet Care Emergency Vet Hospital 7660 Amador Valley Blvd. Dublin Ca 94568
Phone (925) 556-1234
- Adobe Animal Hospital 1543 First Street Livermore Ca. 94550
Phone (925) 449-4228

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.

Notice to Exhibitors

The Silken Windhounds of California (SWC) and the International Silken Windhound Society (ISWS), their officers, directors, show secretary, members, agents, employees and volunteers assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury to any dog, whether the result of accident or other causes. In addition the SWC and ISWS, their officers, directors, show secretary, members, agents, employees and volunteers assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by any exhibitor, handler, attendee or spectator, or for any loss, damage or injury to personal property of any exhibitor, handler, attendee or spectator. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this show/race, whether entered or not entered, is in the care, custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog(s) is on the show/race premises.

Entries: Exhibitors are advised to print all unusual words when filling out entry forms. Entries will be printed in the catalogue EXACTLY as they are listed on the entry forms. Owners are responsible for errors in the entry forms. No dog wrongly entered in a class may be transferred to another class after close of entries, except that puppies entered in the wrong age classification may be transferred to their appropriate puppy class, provided this transfer is made by the show secretary at least one-half hour before the start of the earliest conformation judging at the show, and except that dogs which according to their owner's records have completed the requirements for a championship after the closing of entries for the show but whose championships are unconfirmed, may be transferred from one of the regular classes to the Best of Breed competition, provided this transfer is made by the show secretary at least one-half hour before the start of the earliest conformation judging at the show. Otherwise, no entry may be changed or canceled

unless notice of the change or cancellation is received via email by the show secretary as listed in this premium by September 10, 2008. Entries will not be accepted without the proper signature and fees. Entries must be submitted on the approved entry form, unless otherwise approved by the show secretary as listed in this premium. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by veterinarian or judge, barred from competition by action of any member of the SWC Board, the ISWS Board or the show secretary, or because the dog is ineligible to compete due to being entered incorrectly. No entry fees will be refunded if the show cannot open or be completed by reasons beyond the control of the SWC. Riots, civil disturbances, extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to, snow storms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat or cold, 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 fees will be made.

Declination of Entries: The SWC and the ISWS reserve the right to decline any entries for cause or may remove any dog due to disease, viciousness, or other reasonable cause and no one shall have any claim or recourse against the aforementioned club, committee, or any official thereof.

Exhibitor Responsibilities: All dogs present must be held on leash or otherwise confined while on the show/race premises. It is expressly understood that the exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Each Owner and Agent listed on the entry form and/or individual responsible for the dog at a show is bound by the Agreement below as well as by the Livermore Recreation and Park District policies for the use of their facilities regardless of who may have completed and submitted the entry form.

Owners or handlers of dogs are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging ring. This means it is not the responsibility of the ring steward or any other agent of the SWC to locate any dog, its owner or its handler when the dog's presence is needed in the judging ring. It should be understood by every exhibitor and handler that waiting for dogs to be brought into the ring is a courtesy extended to the owner or handler of the dog. There is no rule of the SWC or the ISWS that requires a judge to wait for an owner or handler to bring his dog into the ring.

Practicing is not allowed in the ring at any time.

No grooming tables, crates, ex-pens or exhibitor set ups will be allowed under any show tent.

NO SMOKING will be permitted at any time under any show tent.

Please remember to turn off cell phones and/or pagers before entering the ring.

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 SWC, ISWS, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, event secretaries and committee members, as well as the owner/lessee of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, including judges, secretaries, and stewards, 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; 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 SWC, the ISWS 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 SWC and ISWS bylaws, rules, regulations and procedures must first be followed.**

I also agree to abide by the Livermore Recreation and Park District policies for the use of their facilities.

Your signature on the Entry Form (page 12) and/or the ISWS Quick Entry and FTE Racing Form (page 17) indicates your agreement to abide by all the statements set forth in both the "Agreement" and the "Notice to Exhibitors," as well as the Livermore Recreation and Park District policies. If you are submitting electronically, your X on the signature line stands in lieu of your written signature. Show or Race Entry Forms without a signature will not be considered valid entries.

Robertson Community Park Information

Parking: Parking is permitted on the dirt lot adjacent to the riding ring. This area is located between the show site and the racing site. No overnight parking is permitted.

Waste Containers are placed throughout the grounds. PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET.

Directions to Robertson Park

From the Bay Area – Take CA-580 East and exit at Livermore Ave. Turn right on First St. and left on North L St. Note that L St. will change to Arroyo Rd. Turn left on Robertson Park Rd. and go straight past the horse riding ring and into the dirt parking lot.

From Sacramento / Stockton – Take CA-580 West and exit at First St. Turn and left on L St. Note that L St. will change to Arroyo Rd. Turn left on Robertson Park Rd. and go straight past the horse riding ring and into the dirt parking lot.



EZ-Up canopies and other shade structures are recommended as there is a limited amount of shade at the show and race locations. Rest rooms and drinking fountains are adjacent to the show ring and race course.

Accommodation Information

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to contact the hotels/RV Sites/KOAs directly for reservations, pet policies, fees, and restrictions. **PLEASE clean up after your dog and be courteous to other hotel guests so that we may use these facilities for future events.**

Hotels

The following hotel is located near the Robertson Community Park. We have negotiated a special rate for this event including the pet deposit. Mention the Silken Windhounds of California to obtain the rate.

The hotel will only hold this block of rooms for us through September 19, 2008. After that date, the rooms will be released. Although it may still be possible to get the special rate after that date, it is not guaranteed.

La Quinta Inn
925-373-9600
7700 Southfront Rd
Livermore, Ca. 94451

www.livermorelodging.com

Contract rate is \$82.00 per night (single/double room)
\$99.00 per night for Standard Jacuzzi Suite
\$5 non refundable pet deposit

The hotel is located just off the Greenville exit of CA-580.

From Robertson Park – Take Arroyo Rd. back towards downtown Livermore and turn right on First St. Take CA-580 East and exit at Greenville Rd. Turn left off of the freeway and the hotel will on your left.

RV Parking

RV Parking is available on a limited basis in the parking lot next to the hotel. No hook ups are available at this location.

Local Campgrounds

The closest campground is approximately 20 minutes away at:

Lake Del Valle SRS
7000 Del Valle Rd.
Livermore, Ca 94450

http://www.ebparks.org/parks/del_valle

Catalog Advertising

Full page	\$ 50.00
Half page	\$ 25.00
Business Card (print only)	\$ 15.00
Inside cover, front or back, including one photo – \$75.00 Front and back inside covers subject to availability. Extra photos – \$10.00 each	
Kennel Biography – This can be a short history of your kennel, your goals, breeding ethics, etc. and may contain one picture or logo. It must be no longer than half a page or approximately 300 words. Kennel Biographies are due September 10, 2008. This is a firm deadline. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS. Cost for a Kennel Biography is \$15.00	
Please submit your ads in Word, PDF or Photoshop format. Ads are due September 10, 2008. This is a firm deadline, THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.	

Please send all ads and bios to tangaloor@yahoo.com. Payment should be included with the premium. Ads will be held until payment is received. If payment is not received by midnight on September 10, 2008, the ad will NOT be included in the catalogue. No refund will be given.

Size of Ad #1:	Cost:
Size of Ad #2:	Cost:
Size of Ad #3:	Cost:

Please submit your ads in Word, PDF or Photoshop format. Ads are due September 10, 2008. This is a firm deadline, **THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.**

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 (Please indicate total fees enclosed on the Official Order and Payment Form page 16)

Tentative Agenda

A final agenda will be forthcoming.

Friday, October 3, 2008 – Hospitality and welcome

5:00 – 8:00 Welcome to Boofest at the La Quinta Inn

Inquire at the front desk for the location

Saturday, October 4, 2008 - Show Day

8:00 - 8:30 Check in

9:00 SWC Point Show

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch

1:30 ISWS Specialty Show

Silken Structure Clinic (time permitting)

Sunday, October 5, 2008 - Fun & Race Day

8:00 – 8:30 Race registration and Check In

8:30 – 9:00 Roll call and Inspection

9:00 -10:00 Costume Contest and photo opportunity

Racing will begin after the Costume Contest – Lunch will be served between the first and second race programs – Second and third race programs will be run after lunch – Race Awards after close of racing

Conformation Classifications

Regular Classes for Dogs and Bitches

Puppy 6 months and under 9 months
Puppy 9 months and under 12 months
Puppy 12 months and under 18 months
Novice
Bred-by-Exhibitor
American Bred
Open
Winners

Non-Regular Classes for Dogs and Bitches

Puppy 3 months and under 6 months
Companion
Veteran
Junior Handler (Handlers must be at least 10 years of age and under 18 years of age. The dog handled in this class must be eligible to compete in the breed show. The Junior Handler class does not compete for Championship points. To compete for Championship points, you would also enter the dog in its appropriate Regular class.)

Best of Breed Competition

Dogs eligible to enter Best of Breed competition for the **SWC Points Show**: ISWS Champions of Record, Rarities Champions of Record, Winners Dog and Winners Bitch from this show and Veteran Dog and Veteran Bitch from this show.

Dogs eligible to enter Best of Breed competition for the **ISWS Specialty Show**: ISWS Champions of Record, Winners Dog and Winners Bitch from this show and Veteran Dog and Veteran Bitch from this show.

Dogs which according to their owner's records have completed the requirements for a championship after the closing of entries for the show but whose championships are unconfirmed, may be transferred from one of the regular classes to the Best of Breed competition, provided this transfer is made by the Show Secretary at least one-half hour before the start of the earliest conformation judging at the show.

Best Puppy in Show

Puppy Class winners eligible to compete for this award: Puppy 3 months and under 6 months, Puppy 6 months and under 9 months and Puppy 9 months and under 12 months. After Best Puppy in Show is selected, all remaining eligible puppies of the opposite sex will remain and compete for Best of Opposite Sex Puppy in Show.

Puppies must be within the age requirement on the day of the show. Please make certain you enter the correct puppy class. Puppies entered in the wrong age classification may be transferred to their appropriate puppy class, provided this transfer is made by the Show Secretary at least one-half hour before the start of the earliest conformation judging at the show.

Winners of the 3 month to under 6 month Puppy Classes, the Companion Classes and Junior Handler are not eligible to compete for Championship points; nor will they be counted towards points awarded; nor are they eligible to compete for Best of Breed. If you are uncertain whether your dog qualifies for a particular class, please ask the Show Secretary before sending in your entry.

Other Awards

Best Veteran and Best of Opposite Sex Veteran

Best Bred-by-Exhibitor and Best of Opposite Sex Bred-by-Exhibitor

Best Companion and Best of Opposite Sex Companion

Best Junior Handler

Ribbons will be awarded First through Fourth placements in both the Regular and Non-Regular Classes.

Ribbon Awards

The following prizes will be awarded:

First Prize

Second Prize

Third Prize

Fourth Prize

Winners

Reserve Winners

Best of Winners

Best of Opposite Sex

Best of Breed

Best Puppy in Show

Best of Opposite Sex Puppy

Best Veteran

Best of Opposite Sex Veteran

Best Companion

Best of Opposite Sex Companion

Best Junior Handler

If you would like to sponsor a ribbon, contact Cindy Wolpin at rcwolpin@comcast.net

Dog Show Entry Fees

Silken Windhound of California Point Show		International Silken Windhound Society Specialty Show	
SWC Point Show	\$23 per class (NO DAY OF ENTRY REGISTRATION)	ISWS Specialty Show	\$23 per class (NO DAY OF ENTRY REGISTRATION)

All entries must be postmarked by September 10, 2008. Entries will be listed in the catalog exactly as they are listed on the entry form. Owners are responsible for providing the correct information on their entries. No late entries or day of show entries will be accepted.

MAKE CHECKS AND/OR MONEY ORDERS out to ***Silken Windhounds of California (SWC)***. Returned checks are subject to a \$20 fee. A returned check does not constitute a valid entry.

MAIL PAYMENT TO SHOW SECRETARY: Cindy Wolpin, 5924 Mabie Ct. San Jose, CA 95123. Entries will not be accepted without signature and fees. Entries will be held until fees are received if paying by Pay Pal.

You may pay via Pay Pal to casilkentreasurer@yahoo.com. Please add a \$5.00 fee when paying by Pay Pal.



Official ISWS Entry Form

Boofest 2008, October 4th – 5th
Robertson Park, Livermore, CA

Entry Fees: [See previous page \(11\)](#) Entries must be mailed to the Show Secretary, Cindy Wolpin, and postmarked no later than **Saturday, September 10, 2008 at midnight (Pacific Standard Time.)**

Important: Please read the [“Notice to Exhibitors”](#) and the [“Agreement”](#) before completing this form. Registration is not valid without signature below.

Your Name:	Conformation show Y N	ISWS Specialty Show Y N
Address:	City, State, Zip:	
Phone Number:	Email :	
Kennel Name:	Website :	
Registered Name of Dog:		
Call Name:	ISWS Registration #:	
Gender:	Tattoo or Microchip # (if any):	
Date/Country of Birth:	Name of Junior Handler (if any):	
Dog Show Class:	Additional Class:	
Breeder:		
Sire and ISWS Reg. #:		
Dam and ISWS Reg. #:		
Actual Owner(s):		
Owner's Address:		
Name of Owner's Agent (if any):		
<p>I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the 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 set forth in this premium in the “Notice to Exhibitor” and the “Agreement,” at the time of these shows and meet. I(we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to any persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and agreement. SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry. If entered online, your "X" below stands in lieu of your signature.</p> <p>X _____</p> <p>Date: _____</p>		

(Please indicate total fees enclosed on the Official Order and Payment Form page 16)

BOOFEST 2008

ISWS Sanctioned Race Meet

October 5, 2008

Robertson Park

Livermore, CA

3 Programs -- 200 Yards – Drag Lure Meet will be Hand Slipped

Entries will be accepted until registration closes the morning of the race.

Pre-entries must be mailed to and received by Cindy Wolpin before midnight Saturday, September 27, 2008 and must include a signed entry form and payment.

Make checks and/or money orders out to Silken Windhounds of California (SWC). Returned checks are subject to a \$20.00 fee. A returned check does not constitute a valid entry.

Mail payment to: Cindy Wolpin, 5924 Mabie Ct., San Jose, CA 95123.

Entries may also be paid via Pay Pal to casilkentreasurer@yahoo.com. Please add a \$5.00 fee when paying by Pay Pal. Entries will be held until fees are received if payment is made via Pay Pal.

Late entries will be accepted by email (forteviot@gmail.com) until 9:00 PM on October 3, 2008. Include the ISWS racing number, the registered name, the call name and the owner/s name/s in your email.

Late entries will also be accepted at Boofest on October 4, 2008 (see Terri Campbell) and the morning of the meet.

All entry forms must be signed and entry fees paid at the registration table before roll call on the date of the meet.

Please help us streamline race morning by pre-entering your hounds. Use the race entry form on page 17 of this premium.

Entry Fees: Pre-Entry \$12.00 / Late Entry \$15.00

(Please indicate total fees enclosed for Pre-Entries on the Official Order and Payment Form on page 16 and include a signed ISWS Racing Quick Entry and FTE Racing Entry Form in your order)

Day-of-Race Information:

Registration: 8:00 - 8:30 am

Roll Call and Inspection: 8:30 - 9:00 am.

The costume contest will be held after roll call and inspection. The board will be drawn for the first program during this time.

Any hound not present at roll call will be marked absent and the entry fee will not be refunded. In the event a hound does not pass Inspection because of lameness or signs of in season, the entry fee will be

refunded. All owners must be present for the owners' meeting held just prior to the first race. All FTE hounds must be certified prior to roll call. Although we will try to certify your hounds prior to roll call, we cannot guarantee that time will allow for any certification runs. For that reason, please make every effort to certify your dogs before the race meet. We will accept CQ dogs, but please bring proof of your CQ. A CIC is not an acceptable qualification

Racing will begin at approximately 10:00 AM after the costume contest is judged.

This meet will be hand slipped and all hounds will run muzzled and jacketed. ISWS Racing Rules and Regulations will be followed and a copy of the racing rules will be available at the race secretary's table.

Eligible Hounds:

Only purebred Silken Windhounds are eligible to participate in this meet. Hounds must be registered with both the International Silken Windhound Society and with ISWS Racing and be one year of age or older. Hounds not properly registered or lacking an ISWS race number will be unable to compete.

Be prepared to set up a secure and shaded enclosure for your dogs. It takes at least seven people in addition to those slipping and catching dogs for each race. Your help will be expected and will be invaluable in running the meet.

Please pick up after your dog!

Race Secretary:	Terri Campbell
Race Committee:	Susan Godfrey, Ann Steele, Terri Campbell
Head Finish Line Judge:	Woody Godfrey
Head Foul Judge:	Cyndi Dell
Co-Starters:	Rick Steele and Cindy Wolpin
Paddock Master:	Joyce Chin
Lure Operators:	Rick Wolpin and Michael Silvestri

Lori and Michael Silvestri have generously donated the use of their lure machine and other equipment for this meet.

We expect to have practice runs between programs, as time and manpower permit. Practice runs will be \$3.00 per dog.

Food Orders

Saturday Night Dinner and RSVP

Please fill out the information below to RSVP for our dinner, Saturday, October 4th. Dinner will follow the day's activities, an exact time to be determined. We have selected a wonderful local Italian restaurant that is about 10 minutes from both the hotel and the park. RSVPs MUST be received with this premium. The dinner will be no-host, but we need an approximate number to make a reservation for large party. If you are not sure whether you will attend, contact Cindy or Rick at rcwolpin@comcast.net.

Total People: _____

Saturday Lunch

\$11.00 per person

Tri-Tip Sandwich with BBQ sauce, baked beans, and green salad. Scrumptious cookies will be served for desert. Water and soft drinks are included.

Total Saturday Lunch Cost: _____

Sunday Lunch

\$9.00 per person

Ham and turkey deli sandwiches will be brought in between the first and second racing program. Side dishes of potato salad and green salad will accompany the sandwich. Cookies or cakes will be served for desert.

Total Sunday Lunch Cost: _____

Cold water and soft drinks will be available throughout the day for \$ 1.00 each

Costume Contest and parade

It can't be a Boofest without a costume contest! No registration is required to come join the fun. All you have to do is have your dog's (and your) costume ready to go. Prizes will be awarded.

Catalog Orders

\$5.00 each

Limited numbers of the catalogue will be printed. To ensure you receive a catalogue, please pre-order. Extra catalogues will be sold at the event on a first come, first served basis.

Total Catalog Cost: _____

This page total: _____



Official order and payment form

The Western Specialty "Boofest" 2008.
 October 4th and 5th
 Robertson Park Livermore, Ca.

Please enclose a separate signed show entry for each dog entered and be certain to mark whether the dog is being entered in one show or both shows. If the dog is being entered in only one show, be certain to specify which show.

Please enclose a signed racing entry along with your pre-entry fee.

<u>Number of Entries/Items:</u>	<u>Cost per Entry/Item:</u>
SWC Point Show _____	@ \$23.00 per class entered _____
ISWS Specialty Show _____	@ \$23.00 per class entered _____
ISWS Race Meet Pre-Entry _____	@ \$12.00 per entry _____
Catalogue Advertising from page 7 _____	transfer total from page 7 _____
Saturday tri-tip lunch _____	transfer total from page 15 _____
Sunday deli sandwich lunch _____	transfer total from page 15 _____
Catalog Orders (from page 15) _____	transfer total from page 15 _____
Ribbon Sponsorship _____	@ \$12.00 per class _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____

Saturday evening dinner will be at Terra Mia Italian Restaurant. Number of people attending _____



ISWS Racing Quick Entry and FTE Racing Form

Quick Entry form for Silken Windhounds who
have already participated in ISWS racing events.

FTE's See below.

ISWS Racing Number: _____ Call Name _____

ISWS Racing Number: _____ Call Name _____

ISWS Racing Number: _____ Call Name _____

FTE (First Time Entered Dogs):

Call Name: _____ Sex: _____ DOB: _____

Registered Name _____
(Please include titles)

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

ISWS Registration Number: _____

I and my heirs, legal representatives, and assigns shall hold harmless and defend from any claim for personal injury, illness or property damage arising out of participation in this race meet the Silken Windhounds of California, its officers, directors, committees, agents, and members, and the International Silken Windhound Society, its officers, directors, committees, agents and members. I agree to abide by the Official Rules and Regulations of the ISWS Racing Program and its code of conduct during this race meet. Your signature on this form indicates acceptance of the ["Notice to Exhibitors"](#) (page 2 – 3) and the ["Agreement"](#) (page 4) in this premium.

Signature of Owner: X _____ Date: _____

Owner's Name (Please Print): _____

Address: _____
