

LAST CALL  
We are in the home stretch!!!

2024 BSCBAA AKC Nationals are around the corner. There were a few items omitted from the Premium list including the details for our Boykin Competition with recognition from BSCBAA happening on Saturday, April 13th. Jeff Engleman and his team are looking forward to recognizing those versatile dogs.

We are hosting a Breeders Showcase on Friday evening following Best of Show. We will announce the ring information once Peach Blossom Cluster provides it to us.

Boykins have reserved grooming space in the free area. When requesting this space please note if you would like to be included in our area.

We will have an area onsite at the Fairgrounds with RVs. Swing by and say hello. We will also have a message board here for announcements.

The Perry Dogwood Festival will be happening around town the weekend of April 13-14. 150 local merchants will participate.

Key Dates:

**Wednesday March 27** - Entries (Conformation & Competition) close on Onofrio at 12:00 noon CST

Some of the competition opportunities can be entered on site with limited availability. See page 131 in Premium List.

<http://www.onofrio.com/execpgm/fndindex?show=PL2024032704CB#ATLA1>

**Wednesday, April 10th** - Last day to purchase tickets for our Celebration (no tickets sold at the door). Celebration will be held Saturday, April 13th at Perfect Pear in downtown Perry.

**Wednesday April 10th** - Last day to RSVP to Sue Riegerix for Breeder's Showcase

**April 8 - 14** - Peach Blossom Cluster dates

*We overlap the Masters (April 8 - 14) so some travel services from the Atlanta hub will be limited or expensive due to demand.*



## BSGBAA 2024 NATIONAL SPECIALTY BREEDERS SHOWCASE

FRIDAY - APRIL 12, 2024 - GEORGIA NATIONAL FAIRGROUNDS - LOCATION TBA  
FOLLOWING BEST IN SHOW (Estimated 6:30 PM)

What is Breeders Showcase? It is a personal approach to evaluating a dog, hands-on, learning about his/her structure, breed type and personality.

### **Breed Education:**

*Responsible Breeders should endeavor to gain personal knowledge of the temperament, the health and improve the standard of every dog they breed and breed to.*

As part of the 2024 National Specialty, we'd like to introduce the Breeders/Owners Showcase as a work in-progress. It will be a test to see how to improve down the road. As a test event, we will not charge Breeders/Owners to participate, but you must RSVP. We cannot wait to see everyone.

### **What to do:**

RSVP – So we know who is participating. Please contact Sue Riegerix on Facebook Messenger or text Sue at 314-504-1145. Participants will be advised of the location. We have requested to set up near a show ring in the same building as Best in Show. The showcase can begin after Best in Show is awarded.

### **What to bring:**

- Your dogs – **Max 3 Dogs**, that are your: foundation and their offspring. Dogs that you feel will contribute to building better Temperament, Health, and Structure in the future. Dogs that you want another breeder to put hands on. **Dogs must be entered in either the 2024 National Specialty or the National Sweepstakes.**  
Not a breeder? Fine, bring your registered show dog you would like to showcase that would be a good contribution to the gene pool.
- Grooming Tables with a comfortable mat under the dog.
- Documents – Optional, bring a copy their lineage, OFA/health certifications to hand out (for notes).
- Bring a show lead – we expect to have access to an available ring to show movement.
- Casual - Bring your flip flops or sneakers, comfortable clothes and a cooler/cocktail/snacks.
- Check in - Please check in with Sue prior to set up.

**Rules and Regs:** This event will be short and sweet (not to exceed an hour) and hopefully enjoyed. Bring your manners, great attitude and dogs. We want you to ask questions, but trash talking someone's dog will not be tolerated. No pictures of any dogs participating without the breeder/owner's permission. A Breed Educator will be on hand with her dogs. You need to be a participant, Junior or AKC judge to attend.

**DON'T FORGET: RSVP TO SUE RIEGERIX - 314-504-1145.**

**FUTURE PLANS:** Depending on your feedback from this event, the showcase would evolve in 2025. We are looking for your ideas. For example:

- Charge a nominal fee (\$40) for participants. Provide light refreshments depending on the host venue.
- Provide a catalog of dogs participating and their lineage for other breeders to reference back to and take notes during the showcase.
- Offer a Boykin-themed item (e.g. towel, slip lead) as a gift to all participants.

Looking forward to hearing your ideas on how to make it a successful and informative Showcase.

**GA Bobs BBQ** - across from Red Lobster – 4 star rated – smaller dining but a cute place  
107 Perimeter Rd, Perry GA 31069 | 478-224-1227  
<https://georgiabobs.com> 11 am – 8 PM

**The Oil Lamp** – just 2 minutes from Ag Ctr – 4-1/2 \*  
Mennonite family style meals and fabulous Desserts – no liquor - very friendly service and popular with the dog people  
Cafeteria style service reasonably priced – not open all days – they close early on Wed and closed Sat & Sun  
401 Courtney Hodges Blvd – Perry 31069 478-988-2643 [www.Theoilamprestaurant.com](http://www.Theoilamprestaurant.com)

**The Swanson House** – in downtown area – Antebellum home with homestyle Southern meals  
Excellent food and good for parties – judges' dinners – has liquor – catering delivered or pick up  
933 Carroll St, Perry GA 31069 478-987-1938  
[info@theswansonhouse.com](mailto:info@theswansonhouse.com)

**Red Lobster** – good location with great drinks – good for parties  
1359 Sam Nunn Blvd Perry GA 31069 478-988-8612  
[www.redlobster.com](http://www.redlobster.com)

**Skipper John's** – 4 stars but a hole in the wall with little seating (outdoor tables) but good food - Good for lunches, fried chicken & Fish – 11to 7:15  
1210 Macon Rd. in downtown  
478-987-3192

**The Perfect Pear** – Lunch Brunch and Catering – good for groups - 4 ½ stars  
Awesome menu – call for catering – menu online – sandwiches and a lot more but a full menu  
For catering including dinner etc.  
922 Carroll St., Perry GA 31069 - closed Thurs Fri Sat - 11-2 Mon Tues Wed and Sun  
478-224-7327  
[www.theprecfectpear.com](http://www.theprecfectpear.com)

**Longhorn's** – off Sam Nunn Blvd at next exit next door to the Hampton Inn - Popular with the judges  
100 Hampton Ct, Perry 31069  
478-988-1500

**Lickin' Good Donuts & Kolaches** – 5 stars – off Courtney Hodges Blvd and turn left on Ball St  
Call ahead for ordering by the dozen – offers variety of Kolaches, eclairs, donuts and more  
1307 Ball St, Suite 7, Perry 478-229-2912 5 AM – 6 PM

**Bodega Brew** - in downtown Perry –  
Local craft kitchen that serves coffee, tea, wine, and yummy bites from producers in Georgia  
525 Ball St. Perry GA – in downtown Perry – live music on weekend and Trivia Thurs  
478-224-3499  
[www.bodegabrew.com](http://www.bodegabrew.com)

**Yoder's Sandwich Shoppe**  
Deli Sandwiches – nice variety – great prices  
1209 Sunset Ave, Perry, GA 31069 – in downtown area (478) 987-2428  
open tj 4

**Cracker Barrel** – now serving beer and wine  
At the Ag Ctr exit off I-75  
101 Left Dr. Perry GA 31069  
478-987-2242

**S Deli & Wings** - 4 stars  
420 General Courtney Hodges Blvd – just down the street from the Ag Ctr on the way into Perry  
Wings and MORE – Salads, Teriyaki Rice, Fried Rice, Fish, Shrimp, lots of sides too  
Delivers via Grub Hub  
478-218-0400

**Schultz's Old Fashioned Soda Shop**  
Home of the Chrome Plated Burger. Outstanding milk shakes, malts, floats, and sundaes. All the old favorites like eggs creams, strawberry blondes, and brown cows.  
ALSO Beer, wine and hard floats!  
11 AM to 8 PM & Fri Sat tj 10  
757 Carroll St  
Perry, GA 31069  
(478) 244-7427

**Patio 901** – 5 stars  
Open air upscale patio style bar and dining with craft beer and small plates – Looks like a lot of fun  
Wed thru Sat 5 pm to 10 pm - Open Mic night 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Wednesdays – live music on Fri – pizza, salad, nachos,  
901 Carroll St Perry, GA 31069  
478-313-5079

**Oliver Perry's** – upscale fine dining restaurant and bar in downtown Perry  
Great ambiance – good for judges dinner  
905 Carroll St, Perry 31069  
478-313-5909