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ATFA Newsletter

2021-2022 Hunt Schedule

January 15, 2022

Herschel Coxwell Winter Classic
Dublin, Georgia

January 29, 2022

Arkansas Regional Hunts
Magnolia, Arkansas

February 19, 2022

Winter Rally Hunt
Montrose, Mississippi

March 11, 2022

Kentucky Regional Hunt
Land Between the Lakes, Kentucky

March 12, 2022

Bob Wallace Memorial Rally Hunt
Land Between the Lakes, Kentucky



Red Hot Runt
ATFA Squirrel Champion



Crossfire Squirrly
ATFA Gr Squirrel Champion

Missouri Regional Hunts

The Missouri Regional Hunts were held on October 9, 2021 near Doniphan Missouri in the Mark Twain National Forest. Toles Coles was our host.

Missouri Regional Hunt AM Results

Place	Dog	Owner	Handler	Score
1	Sand Mtn Timber	Hoyt Gilbert	Marty Brown	825
2	Reedy Creek Thunder	Mike Powell		550
3	H Buck Ridge Raylan	Kelly Essary		500
4	Twix	Randy Raper		400
5	Berner Creek Roxy	Cody Wise		350

Missouri Regional Hunt PM Results

Place	Dog	Owner	Handler	Score
1	Lathan's So Shiloh	Johnny Lathan		300
2	C. Blazn' Copper	Jeff Cauble		300
3	Ruark's JR	Spencer Ruark		250
4	H.Buck Ridge Raylan	Kelly Essery		250
5	Coles' Banjo	Todd Coles	Ryan Coles	250



AM Winner
Sand Mtn Timber
Hoyt Gilbert
Marty Brown-Handler



PM Winner
Lathan's Southern Shiloh
Johnny Lathan

Tennessee Regional Hunts

Two ATFA Regional Hunts were held near Whitwell, Tennessee on November 20, 2021. Marty Brown, Mark Gouger and Loren Slatton were our hosts.

Tennessee Regional Hunt AM Results

Place	Dog	Owner	Handler	Score
1	Reedy Creek Thunder	Mike Powell		525
2	Sand Mtn Timber	Hoyt Gilbert	Marty Brown	425
3	JD's Bourbon	James Day		425
4	H.Buck Ridge Raylan	Kelly Essery		375
5	Berner Creek Roxy	Cody Wise		375

Tennessee Regional Hunt PM Results

Place	Dog	Owner	Handler	Score
1	Sand Mtn Timber	Hoyt Gilbert	Marty Brown	750
2	Crossfire Scooter	Marty Brown	Dusty Hill	600
3	Landrum's Hank	Keith Landrum	Chris Phillips	500
4	Crossfire Bonnie	John Watts	Mark Gouger	500
5	Berner Creek Roxy	Cody Wise		375



AM Winner
Reedy Creek Thunder
Mike Powell



PM Winner
Sand Mtn Timber
Hoyt Gilbert

Arkansas Regional Hunts

Two Regional Hunts will be held on **January 29, 2022** near Magnolia, AR.

The hunts will be hosted by Chad West and headquartered at the Calhoun Volunteer Fire Department. The Address is 5141 Co Rd 11E, Magnolia AR 71753.

Inspectors will be available on Friday to weigh and measure dogs for registration.

There will be a championship Hunt on Friday. Please contact Chad (870-312-4007) if you plan to hunt. The hunts will be conducted entirely on private lands.

Morning check in deadline is 5:30 am with a 6:00 am draw-out. Afternoon check in deadline is 1:30 pm with a 2:00 pm draw-out.

All times are Central Standard time.

Nearby Motels (about 7 miles from the hunt):

Hampton Inn **870-234-1800**

Holiday Inn Express **870-234-5161**

Both hotels are close to great restaurants.



Registration and Trophies

Board Member Mike Powell is our Registration Secretary. You can get your dog measured and registered at any hunt but registration isn't complete until you get the pictures and paperwork to Mike. Labeled pictures can be emailed to Mike but the dog's name must be on the photo.

We are converting all our records to digital media to simplify keeping up with the tremendous amount of paper generated through registrations.

Vice President Marty Brown has stepped up to be responsible for ordering all of our hunt trophies and plaques. If your dog makes Squirrel Champion or Grand Squirrel Champion you need to contact Marty (423-

718-5076) about getting your plaque made. He will give you the information about sending a picture to Dublin Trophy for the plaque. You also need to let him know which hunt you would like to be presented with your award so it can be shipped with the other trophies for that hunt.

It is also time to start collecting pictures for your yearbook ads. Hunting season is now prime and the perfect opportunity to capture your dogs in action. Don't wait...

Herschel Coxwell Winter Classic

The Laurens County Sportsman's Club will be headquarters for the Herschel Coxwell Winter Classic Regionals, named in memory and honor of longtime ATFA Board Member Herschel Coxwell.

The hunt will be held on **January 15, 2022** with a 30 dog limit for each hunt.

Randy Phillips, Larry Upshaw, John Dykes and Mike Powell will serve as our hosts. All casts will have guides and will be conducted on private land.

Lakeside Assembly of God will serve dinner on Friday evening, breakfast and lunch on Saturday.

There will be a squirrel champions hunt on Friday afternoon, anyone wanting to hunt a squirrel champion should contact Randy Phillips (478-290-8259) to let him know that you plan to participate.

Check in deadline is 5:30 am with a 6:00 am draw out. Afternoon check in deadline is 1:30 pm with a 2:00 pm draw out.

A raffle will be held between the morning and afternoon hunts, so please bring something to raffle.

The club is located off I-16 Exit 54 on Hwy 19 South. Turn south off the interstate and go 3 miles. Sportsman's Club Road is on the left. There is a sign for the club also. Turn

left and the club is straight ahead. This is one exit east of the motels.

Motels are located at the I-16/Hwy 441 Interchange (Exit 49).

They include:

Super 8:	478-272-5141
Holiday Inn:	478-272-7862
Quality Inn:	478-274-8000
Days Inn:	478-275-7637
Relax Inn:	478-296-1223

Winter Rally Hunt

The annual Winter Rally Hunt will be held at the Tallahala Wildlife Management Area near Montrose Mississippi on **February 19, 2022**. Headquarters will be the Montrose Community Center. Keith and Carol Landrum, Bill Yawn and Lee Balliet will be our hosts.

There will be a championship cast on Friday afternoon for all ATFA Squirrel Champions. Please contact Keith to let him know you plan to participate.

A light breakfast and a soup lunch will be served on

Saturday. A raffle will be held between the morning and afternoon casts ATFA members are asked to bring items to raffle.

Morning Check in time is 5:30 am with a 6:00 am draw out. Afternoon Check in time is 1:30 pm with a 2:00 pm draw out. All times are CST.

Motels are located in Newton MS:

Days Inn 601-683-3361

Thrifty Inn 601-683-2025

Directions to the Hunt:

From Meridian:

I-20 West 22 miles to Exit 109 and then follow Hwy 15 South 17 miles to Montrose. Turn right at the Montrose Grocery on CR 23. City Hall (hunt headquarters) is 1/4 mile on the right.

From Jackson:

I-20 East to Exit 109 and then follow Hwy 15 South 17 miles to Montrose. Turn right at the Montrose Grocery on CR 23. City Hall is 1/4 mile on the right.

This is our first Rally Hunt of the season so save the date and plan to join us!

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Happy New Year!

AMERICAN TREEING FEIST ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: (Area Code) _____

Membership: \$25.00

Renewal: _____

New: _____

Please make checks payable to: ATFA

Mail to:

c/o Mark Gouger

535 Baily Lane

Whitwell, TN 37397