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## Dear friends of the Mediterranean Sighthounds!

Welcome to the Mediterranean News, the source for information about the prick ears sighthounds. This time as a special edition about the DWZRV Annual Show for the Mediterranean Sighthounds 2024.

## Annual Show Mediterranean Sighthounds 2024 at the Sighthound Festival Donaueschingen 2024 !!

It is with great pleasure to inform you that the annual show 2024 will take place as part of the Sighthound Festival Donaueschingen!

As is well known, this is the largest sighthound festival in Europe with more than 800 sighthounds per day. The Sighthound Festival Donaueschingen is in every aspect an event of superlatives, where the opening ceremony will again be coordinated with the annual show of the Mediterranean breeds. Anyone who still remembers the 2016 annual show knows how extraordinary and fantastic it was. It is also planned in this form for 2024.

We were able to win **Francisco Ruiz Rodriguez** from **Spain** as a special judge. He is not only known for his Podenco Ibicenco kennel "El Gallinero", but also the **author of the breed standards for Podenco Ibicenco (new version), Podenco Canario and Podenco Andaluz.**



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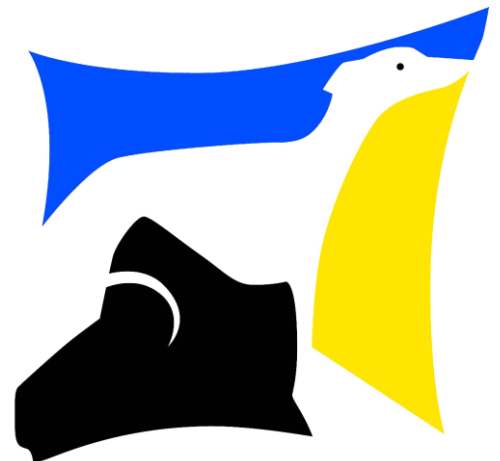
On Saturday the Mediterranean breeds (*Cirneco dell'Etna*, *Kritikos Lagonikos*, *Pharaoh Hound*, *Podenco Andaluz*, *Podenco Canario*, *Podenco Ibicenco* and *Podengo Português*) will be in competition for the titles "**WINNER Donaueschingen 2024**" and "**Annual Winner 2024**". In connection with coursing or racing, the title "**DUAL WINNER Donaueschingen 2024**" can also be obtained.

If you want to get an idea of the opening ceremony in 2016, you can watch a video on YouTube.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WzOABzFcZWw>

## DAY 2: FCI EURO Sighthound 2024

On the second day you have the opportunity to take part in the FCI EURO Sighthound Show. The Mediterranean breeds are judged by the renowned judge **Gabriela Veiga** from **Portugal** (PIZON'S WHIPPETS & PODENGO PORTUGUES kennel).

The title "**FCI EURO Sighthound**" is only in competition for breeds recognized by the FCI and is therefore not valid for *Kritikos Lagonikos*, *Podenco Andaluz*, *Silken Windsprite* and *Taigan*.



### **Best regards**

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