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of the Carolinas.

Your source for Events, Training Opportunities,

From the editor.....

Welcome back!

I took a short hiatus from the magazine while I tended to work, family visits, travel, and illness. It's been quite a few months! Life is adjusting back to normal, and I am working on your favorite magazine again. This magazine is a labor of love that I enjoy sending out to you as often as possible.



I have a question for you: Do you enjoy your chosen dog sports? Do you want to see them grow and thrive? Then please consider volunteering! Don't wait to be asked because we never know how a club might be struggling. Your help could be the key to their ability to hold the next event. It's fun and rewarding; you will learn a lot by helping. Other ways to make a difference are to join your local clubs, write letters of thanks after attending events, contribute to trophy donations, help a club set up or clean up after a trial..... there are endless things we can do to support our favorite sports.

I've never been one to travel more than I could reasonably drive without getting a hotel room. Fifteen years ago, I could show in obedience over a dozen weekends a year. Now we have less than five weekends, and three of those or within four weeks! (and one of those weekends is in danger) After mid-June, I can reasonably drive to only ONE trial for the rest of the year. Our region keeps losing events. I can see it as I put the newsletter together each month. Many factors contribute to the loss of an event, so please, don't let the lack of volunteers be one of them!

Thank you for reading my little magazine. I hope it's useful to you!

-Susan M Young, Editor, Publisher
Toke & Tyler, assistants

Brags!



Kim DeSio and Bella have big news!

Bella received her AKC Rally Obedience Championship Title on February 24th at the Carolina Irish Setter Clubs Rally Trials held at Happy Dogs Training Center in Wellford, SC.

Bella is now

**RACH MTN HOLLOW SHAWLYNN
BELLA RM5 RAE2 DCAT DJ DS CGC TKI**

Congratulations!



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- 🐾 [Find AKC Rally Rules and Regs Here](#)
- 🐾 [ASCA Obedience & Rally Rules and Forms](#)
- 🐾 [UKC Obedience and Rally Rules & Forms](#)

North Carolina Obedience & Rally

NC / AKC Rally Trial

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB, INC.

7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC

Saturday May 4 - Sunday May 5 2024

Closes April 17, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Rally Trial

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina

May 17th – 18th 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Teamworks Dog Training

195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC

Closing Date: Tuesday - May 07, 2024

NC / Blue Ridge Cluster – 4 DAYS

AKC Obedience & Rally (part of the all-breed conformation shows & agility trials)

Asheville Kennel Club / Hendersonville Kennel Club / Spartanburg Kennel Club

Thursday May 23rd – Sunday May 26th

Western NC Agricultural Center

Western North Carolina Agricultural Center

1301 Fanning Bridge Rd, Fletcher, NC

Closes May 8th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)



NC / AKC Rally Seminar

Sunday, May 26th, 2024

[EVENT FLYER](#)

Durham Kennel Club

taught by Paula Thomason. This seminar is open to anyone who has begun taking classes in Rally or is currently competing at any level of AKC Rally.

We will be covering the following:

- Understanding the signs and how points are lost
- How judges score differently for the same errors
- Feeling confident in the ring and building confidence in your dog
- What muscle memory is and why it's important for you and your dog
- How to focus on your dog while remembering the course and signs
- Key cues your dog needs to know
- When to support your dog in the ring and how too much support can add negative pressure to your dog
- Work on any exercises that you find difficult to perform
- Plus, whatever you can come up with that needs to be addressed

NC / AKC Obedience Trial

June 1st & 2nd 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Piedmont Border Collie Association (open to all)

Durham Kennel Club, 7318 Guess Rd, Durham, NC

Closing Date: Wednesday - May 15, 2024

NC / Obedience Show N' Go

July 7, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

September 21, 2024

Dog Owners Training Club of Durham (DOTC of Durham)

Durham Kennel Club Building,

7318 Guess Road, Durham, NC

Judging begins at - 9:00am

Pre-Registration only. Registration for July opens June 8, 2024 and closes July 5, 2024 at 5pm

NC / AKC Obedience & Rally Trials

Friday June 7th – June 9th, 2024

Tarheel Golden Retriever Club (open to all)

Winston-Salem Dog Training Club

3800 Bethania Station Road, Winston-Salem, NC

Closing Date: May 22, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / UKC Rally Trial

Tarheel Canine Performance

Sat, Jun 15 - 16, 2024

LOCATION: Durham Kennel Club,
7318 Guess Rd, Durham, NC

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Rally Trial

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB, INC.

Friday June 22nd & 23rd, 2024

Durham Kennel Club Building,
7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC
Closes June 26, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / ASCA Rally and Obedience Trials

June 29 & 30, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Durham Kennel Club Building
7318 Guess Rd, Hillsborough, NC 27278,
1 Obedience and 2 Rally trials on Saturday
1 Rally and 2 Obedience trials on Sunday
Entries open: Monday May 25, 2024
Pre-entries close: Sat. June 22, 2024
Pre-entry is highly encouraged. If the show fills
wait list will be maintained.

****Rally trials limited to 30 runs per trial****

****Obedience trials limited to 10 runs per trial****

NC / AKC Obedience & Rally Trial

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB, INC.

Friday July 12 - 14 2024

Durham Kennel Club Building,
7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC
Closes June 26, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / Connie Cleveland Seminar

July 13th & 14th 2024

The Cape Fear Dog Training Club Proudly presents
She's Back!!! Connie Cleveland Contributing Columnist
for GR News Former Owner of Dog Trainer's Workshop
Problem-Solving Obedience Seminar Practical and
Motivational Training for Performance Obedience
Location: Cape Fear DTC Training Building
2463 Companion Ct, Fayetteville, NC

[EVENT FLYER](#)



NC / AKC Rally Trial – 2 trials

Saturday, July 27th 2024

Winston-Salem Dog Training Club, Inc.
3800 Bethania Station Road, Winston-Salem, NC
Closing Date: July 10, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Obedience Trial

Cape Fear Dog Training Club

August 3rd – 4th, 2024

Cape Fear DTC Facility
2463 Companion Court, Fayetteville, NC
Closing Date: July 17, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Rally Trial

Carolina Sporting Dog Association

August 23rd – 25th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Location: Durham Kennel Club
7318 Guess Rd, Hillsborough, NC
Closing Date: Wednesday - August 07, 2024

NC / AKC Obedience Trials

August 24th – 25th, 2024

Winston-Salem Dog Training Club, Inc.
3800 Bethania Station Road, Winston-Salem, NC
Closing Date: August 07, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Rally Trial

Carolina Scent Work Association

October 4th – 6th, 2024

Brylin Obedience Specialty School
416-D W King Street, King, NC
Closing Date: September 25, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Obedience & Rally Trial

Alamance Kennel Club, Inc.

October 5th & 6th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Location: Durham Kennel Club
7318 Guess Rd Hillsborough, NC
Web Site: www.alamancekennelclub.org
Closing Date: Wednesday - September 18, 2024

NC / AKC Rally Trial

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB, INC.

7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC
October 12th – 13th, 2024
Closes September 25, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / 4 AKC Rally Trials

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina

October 12th – 13th 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Teamworks Dog Training

195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC

Closing Date: Tuesday - May 07, 2024



NC / AKC Rally Trial

Cape Fear Dog Training Club

October 26th & 27th, 2024

Cape Fear DTC Facility

2463 Companion Court, Fayetteville, NC

Closing Date: October 09, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKC Rally Trial

Tarheel Canine Performance

October 26th & 27th 2024

LOCATION: Durham Kennel Club

7318 Guess Rd, Durham, NC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Obedience Trial

Triangle Shetland Sheepdog Club of North Carolina

November 9th & 10th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Location: Durham Kennel Club

7318 Guess Rd, Hillsborough, NC

Web Site: www.tsscofnc.com

Closing Date: Wednesday - October 23, 2024

NC / AKC Obedience Trial

DURHAM KENNEL CLUB, INC.

7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC

December 7th & 8th, 2024

Closes November 20, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Memorials & Trophies in Glass by Susan Young

www.ivydogstudios.com



South Carolina Obedience & Rally

SC / Happy Dogs Training Center offers

Drop-In Rally training on Thursdays from 12:00

p.m. – 2:00 p.m. and **Sundays**, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Rally courses are set in two rings with nested courses

for training at all levels, Novice through Masters. Work

on your own or with your friends. Although formal

instruction is not available during drop-in training, there

is always an experienced Rally competitor available to

answer questions. The cost for Rally Drop-in training is:

\$20 (discounted training packages available). Any

changes or cancellations are posted on the Happy Dogs

Facebook page and the Training Calendar on the Happy

Dogs website.

Website: [Drop-in Rally Training – HAPPY DOGS](#)

[TRAINING CENTER](#)

(happydogstc.com) Email: Info@happydogstc.com

SC / “TRAIN LIKE YOU TRIAL”

OBEDIENCE RUN-THRUS

Train Like You Trial” run-thrus provide an opportunity

for you to find out if your dog is ready to compete by

giving them a trial-like experience in a ring.

Happy Dogs has two full-sized working rings so your dog

will be able to practice while another dog is heeling,

jumping, and retrieving in the next ring.

Location: Happy Dogs is located at 24 Carver St.,

Wellford, SC (just off I-85 between Greenville and

Spartanburg.)

[Visit the Website for More Information](#)

www.happydogstc.com Email: Info@happydogstc.com

SC / Obedience & Rally Trials

Palmetto Obedience Training Club Inc

June 7th - 9th 2024

Holy Communion Lutheran Church

1430 John B White Sr Blvd, Spartanburg, SC

Closes May 22nd 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

SC / Matthew Twitty Problem Solving

Workshop & Private Lessons

Hosted by Happy Dogs Training Center, Wellford, SC

Dates: June 29th & 30th

with private lessons on Monday, July 1st

Matt’s techniques are all about developing teamwork

and a happy, motivated obedience dog. [EVENT FLYER](#)

SC / Debbie Quigley Seminar

Hosted by Happy Dogs Training Center, Wellford, SC

Dates: August 31st & September 1st

Registration Opens March 1st

We are excited to be bringing Debby Quigley to Happy Dogs. We are considering several topics and will announce our decision when registration opens on March 1st.

About Debby: Debby's mission is to bring great instruction that is successful and fun for everyone! She wants to help everyone achieve their goals and foster a good relationship with their working teammate.

Her specialties include:

How to build drive in your dog to work using play.

How to motivate your dog through great training mechanics and methods. How to achieve that "perfect" performance.

[EVENT FLYER](#)

SC / Obedience & Rally Trials

October 5th & 6th 2024

Augusta Kennel Club, Inc.

Riverview Park Activities Center,

100 Riverview Park Dr, North Augusta, SC

Web Site: www.augustakennelclub.org

Closing Date: Wed - Sept 18, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / Obedience & Rally Trials

Dog Obedience Club of Greenville, Inc.

October 11th – 13th, 2024

Simpsonville Senior and Activity Center

310 West Curtis Street, Simpsonville, SC

Closing Date: September 25, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / Obedience & Rally Trials

Charleston Dog Training Club

November 1st – 3rd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Charleston Dog Training Club

7644 South Rail Rd, North Charleston, SC

Web Site: www.charlestdogtrainingclub.com

Closing Date: Wednesday - October 16, 2024

SC / Rally Trials

Charlotte Dog Training Club

November 9th & 10th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Charlotte Dog Training Club

2273 Burkette Rd

Rock Hill, SC

Web Site: www.charlottedogtraining.com

Closing Date: Wednesday - October 23, 2024

SC / Obedience & Rally Trials

Part of the Clemson all-breed conformation shows

Clemson Kennel Club

January 4th & 5th, 2025

[EVENT LISTING](#)

T. Ed Garrison Arena, 1101 W. Queen St., Pendleton, SC

Web Site: www.clemsonkennelclub.com

Closing Date: Wednesday - December 18, 2024

Georgia Obedience & Rally

GA / Macon Kennel Club - Obedience / Rally Trials / Conformation

Macon Kennel Club

Friday 05/10/2024 & Saturday 05/11/24

Show Location: Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA 31069-4204

Closing Date: Wednesday 04/24/24

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / Matt Twitty Seminar

June 7th – 9th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

ADOG, 3929 Green Industrial Way, Chamblee, GA

6/8 — Seminar Day 1 – Don't Say the "D" Word

(Drilling)

Matt will break each of the Novice, Open and Utility obedience exercises down and "drill" the pieces using a positive and motivational approach. Workers and auditors will receive Matt's Don't Say the "D" Word workbook.

6/9 — Day 2 – Problem Solving

A day designed for Matt to work with you and your dog on any issues you're experiencing, at any level. As we get closer to the seminar dates, we will ask each of you to submit up to four problems you'd like to work on during the seminar. This will give Matt time to prepare and be ready to help you solve your problems.

GA / AKC Rally Trials

SATURDAY JUNE 8, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

SUNDAY JUNE 9, 2024

Host: 4-Paws Agility Club

Location: Alchemy Dog Training

535 Glover St., Marietta, GA



GA / ASCA Rally

June 14 - June 16

[PREMIUM](#)

Greater Atlanta ASC Trial

VENUE: 3929 Green Industrial Way, Chamblee, GA

GA / Obedience & Rally Trials

Savannah Dog Training Club, Inc.

June 15-16, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Location: Benedictine Military School

6502 Seawright Drive, Savannah, GA

GA / Rally Trial

Augusta Kennel Club, Inc.

July 20th – 21st 2024

Augusta Kennel Club Building

3970 East White Oak Rd, Appling, GA

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / All-Breed Obedience & Rally Trials

Atlanta Golden Retriever Club

August 3rd & 4th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Gwinnett County Fair Grounds

2405 Sugarloaf Pkwy, Lawrenceville, GA

Web Site: www.atlantagoldens.com

Closing Date: Wednesday - July 17, 2024

GA / UKC Obedience

Fri, Aug 30 – Mon, Sep 2, 2024

HOST CLUB: Middle Georgia Kennel Club

EVENTS OFFERED

Conformation (Altered Conformation, Junior

Showmanship, Altered Total Dog, Novice Puppy, Total

Dog/Total Junior, Veteran), Obedience, Weight Pull

LOCATION: Georgia National Fairgrounds

McGill Marketplace Building

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / Rally Trial

October 12, 2024 - October 13, 2024

Hosted by the Atlanta Obedience Club

VENUE: AOC Training Building

1193-D Beaver Ruin Rd, Norcross, GA

[MORE INFO](#)

GA / Rally Trial

Ochlockonee River Kennel Club of Florida

November 8th & 9th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Deep South Fairgrounds

2057 Georgia Highway 122, Thomasville, GA

Web Site: <http://www.orkc.com>

Closing Date: Wednesday - October 23, 2024

GA / Obedience Trial

November 15th – 17th 2024

Hosted by the Atlanta Obedience Club

VENUE: AOC Training Building

1193-D Beaver Ruin Rd, Norcross, GA

[MORE INFO](#)

GA / Obedience Trial

Part of their conformation shows

Kennesaw Kennel Club

November 29th – 30th, 2024

Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA

Closing Date: November 13, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / Rally Trial

December 14th – 15th 2024

Hosted by the Atlanta Obedience Club

VENUE: AOC Training Building

1193-D Beaver Ruin Rd, Norcross, GA

[MORE INFO](#)

GA / Obedience Trial

Augusta Kennel Club, Inc.

January 11th & 12th, 2025

Augusta Kennel Club Building

3970 East White Oak Rd, Appling, GA

Closing Date: December 25, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / All-Breed Obedience & Rally Trials

Chattahoochee English Springer Spaniel Club of

Greater Atlanta

January 18th & 19th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Gwinnett County Fair Grounds

2405 Sugarloaf Pkwy, Lawrenceville, GA

Web Site: www.cesscga.org

Closing Date: Wednesday - January 01, 2025

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E. Tennessee Obedience & Rally

TN / Greater Kingsport Kennel Club Conformation Show Obedience / Rally Trials

Greater Kingsport Kennel Club

Friday 05/17/2024

Show Location: Appalachian Fairgrounds

100 Lakeview St, Gray, TN 37615

Closing Date: Wednesday 05/01/24 [PREMIUM](#)

TN / ASCA Rally Trials

Smoky Mountain Australian Shepherd Club's

"May Madness" **May 24-26, 2023** [PREMIUM](#)

4 All Breed Rally Trials: May 24 & 25

6 ASCA Conformation Shows: May 24-26

Appalachian Fair Grounds

Farm & Home Building, 100 Lakeview St, Gray, TN

TN / AKC All Breed Obedience

September 12th – 14th 2024

Chattanooga Kennel Club / North Georgia Kennel Club

Tri-State Exhibition Center

200 Nature's Trail SW, McDonald, TN

Web Site: www.chattanoogakennelclub.org

Closing Date: Aug 28, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / AKC Obedience & Rally Trials

Tennessee Valley Kennel Club / Oak Ridge Kennel Club

September 26th – 29th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Chilhowee Park

3301 E. Magnolia Ave., Knoxville, TN

Web Site: www.tvkc.org

Closing Date: Wednesday - September 11, 2024

TN / AKC All Breed Obedience & Rally

Doberman Pinscher Club of America

September 28th & - 9th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

MeadowView Conference Resort and Convention

Center, 1901 Meadowview Parkway, Kingsport, TN

Web Site: www.dpca.org

Closing Date: Wednesday - September 11, 2024



TN / UKC Obedience & Rally

Fri, Oct 4 – Sun, Oct 6, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

HOST CLUB: Southeast Schipperke Club

LOCATION: McMinn County Expo Center

2604 Highway 689, Athens, TN

TN / AKC Rally Trial

Obedience Club of Chattanooga, Inc.

October 26th & 27th, 2024

Play Dog Excellent

4113 Dayton Blvd., Chattanooga, TN

Closing Date: October 08, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / AKC Obedience & Rally Trials

Oak Ridge Kennel Club

November 9th – 10th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Ultimutt Knoxville

11225 Threadstone Ln., Knoxville, TN

Web Site: www.orkc.org

Closing Date: Wednesday - October 23, 2024



Susan Young is proud of her Golden girl **Tyler** who went Preferred High in Trial at the recent DOCG Trials! Tyler started her dog showing career last year at age 7, proving it's never too late to have fun with your favorite pups!

Virginia Obedience & Rally

VA / Obedience & Rally Trial

Greater Washington Bouvier des Flandres Club

May 3rd – 5th, 2024

Dude Ranch Pet Resort

11015 Dude Ranch Rd., Glen Allen, VA

All AKC-Recognized Breeds & All American Dogs

Closing Date: April 17, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Trials

May 11th & 12th 2024

James River Kennel Club, Inc.

Boonsboro Ruritan Youth Association

1499 Coffee Road, Lynchburg, VA

Closing Date: Wed - April 24, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Run-Through @ Merrimac Dog Training Club

For your planning purposes, currently planned dates are:

- **Saturday 11 May 2024**
- **Sunday 2 June 2024**
- **Saturday 6 July 2024**
- **Sunday 11 August 2024**
- **Saturday 14 September 2024**
- **Saturday 12 October 2024**

To sign up, PLEASE include all information requested in paragraph "A" below in submitting email.

A. Registration

All registration MUST be submitted by e-mail by 5 PM the Tuesday before the Run-through to provide time for processing (i.e. 5 PM Tuesday 12 March). You should get email confirmation from Jim Swimme.

Submit the following for each dog you wish to run by Email to Jim Swimme vestra@verizon.net at the earliest practicable date:

Handler's name

Handler's phone number

Dog's name

Breed

Each Obedience and/or rally class entered (and number of times you wish to run in each class.

Whether you want to run A or B for Open and Utility Obedience

Contact Diane Sparks dssparks@yahoo.com or Jim Swimme vestra@verizon.net for full details

VA / Obedience & Rally Trials

May 31st – June 2nd 2024

Mid-Atlantic Basenji Club of Maryland and the Shawnee Kennel Club, Inc.

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club

221 Commonwealth Ct, Winchester, VA

Closing Date: May 15, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Trials

Skyline Kennel Club, Inc.

June 8th – 9th 2024

Augusta Expoland, Rt 608 & I-64, Fishersville, VA

Closing Date: May 22, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Trial

Merrimac Dog Training Club

June 14th – 16th, 2024

Merrimac Dog Training Club Inc

15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA

Closing Date: May 22, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Trial

Richmond Dog Obedience Club, Inc.

June 22nd – 23rd, 2024

Richmond Dog Obedience Club Building

2004 Tomlynn St., Richmond, VA

Closing Date: June 05, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Trial

Mattaponi Kennel Club

July 6th – 7th, 2024

Colonial K9 Facility, 30 Big Spring Lane, Stafford, VA

Closing Date: June 21, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / All Breed Obedience & Rally Trial

Metropolitan Washington Dachshund Club

July 13th & 14th, 2024

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club

221 Commonwealth Ct, Winchester, VA

Closing Date: June 26, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / All Breed Obedience & Rally Trail

Cavalier Doberman Pinscher Club (open to all breeds)

July 20th – 21st, 2024

Merrimac Dog Training Club Inc

15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA

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VA / Obedience & Rally Trial

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club

August 2nd – 4th, 2024

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club

221 Commonwealth Ct, Winchester, VA

Closing Date: July 17, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Trial

Tidelands Poodle Club of Virginia

August 16th – 18th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Merrimac Dog Training Club Inc

15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA

Closing Date: Wednesday - July 31, 2024

VA / Obedience / Rally Trials

Greater Fredericksburg Kennel Club

Saturday 08/24/24 & Sunday 08/24/24

Show Location: Meadow Event Park

13191 Dawn Blvd, Doswell, VA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / Rally Trial

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club

August 31st – September 1st, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club bldg

221 Commonwealth Ct, Winchester, VA

Closing Date: Wednesday - August 14, 2024

VA / Obedience & Rally Trials

Dog Owners Training Club of Lynchburg, Inc.

September 14th & 15th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Boonsboro Ruritan Club Building

1499 Coffee Rd, Lynchburg, VA

Closing Date: Wednesday - August 28, 2024

VA / Obedience & Rally Trials

October 26th – 27th 2024

Portsmouth Chesapeake Obedience Training Club

Merrimac Dog Training Club Inc

15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA

Closing Date: Thur - Oct 10, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / Obedience & Rally Trial

Star City Canine Training Club of Roanoke

November 2nd & 3rd, 2024

Star City Canine Training Club of Roanoke

1860 Apperson Drive, Salem, VA

Closing Date: October 16, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)



SewMiscTreasures

by Ruth Hoffman

sewmisc treasures.etsy.com

Decorative Kitchen Towels,

Hot pads & Aprons

Custom Article Bags for Dog

Obedience



Gemini Dog Works in Lakeland, FL **makes *displaceable*** **pvc-vinyl Training Jump Sets!**

Any size can be available but my best set is 48" wide:
High Jump, Broad Jump and Bar Jump.

- High Jump will have three 8" panels that overlap and provide heights to 26"
- Bar Jump with a round striped bar that adjusts to 26"
- Three 8" Broad Jump Boards that nest inside one another for easy handling.

The jumps break down to posts, panels, and ground bar for transporting.

Priced currently at \$325, I can make the set less than 48" to fit a space constraint, but price will be the same.

I can also build a High Jump to the new AKC standards for displaceable panels, or even a full set of three jumps with full Jump requirements.

Shipping by UPS or USPS is expensive but I am often able to make relay hauling arrangements with dog people travelling to other states, especially in the Central Eastern States.

Find pictures and videos on my Facebook pages – [Gemini Dog Works](#) or Barbara Craig. Contact me by Messenger from either page!



Agility Trials

- 🐾 [Find the AKC Agility Rule Book Here](#)
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- 🐾 [NADAC Rules & Regs](#)
- 🐾 [UKC Agility Forms & Regs](#)
- 🐾 [UKI Rules & Regs](#)
- 🐾 [USDAA Rules & Regs](#)

AKC Agility

All SEMINARS, Workshops & SHOW N GOs

North Carolina AKC Agility

NC / AKC Agility

Winston-Salem Dog Training Club, Inc.

May 2nd – 5th 2024

Held at: Rising Star Canine Ranch
8342 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC
Entries Close: Friday, April 19, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Agility

Triangle Agility Group of North Carolina

May 4th & 5th, 2024

Held at: NC State Fairgrounds
4285 Trinity Rd, Raleigh, NC
Entries Close: April 26, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Agility Course Tests 1 & 2

Saturday May 11th, 2024

[EVENT FLYER](#)

Durham Kennel Club

The ACT program is for dogs that have not yet titled in AKC Agility

NC / AKC Agility

Blue Ridge Agility Club

Same date and location: Blue Ridge Cluster
Conformation, Obedience and Rally trials

May 24th – 27th 2024

Western North Carolina Agricultural Center
1301 Fanning Bridge Rd, Fletcher, NC
Closes Monday, May 13, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Agility Trial

June 6th – 9th 2024

Moore County Kennel Club of North Carolina
Held at: Rising Star Canine Ranch
8342 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC
Entries Close: May 28, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC All Breed Agility

Vizsla Club of the Carolinas

June 14th – 16th, 2024

Held at: Rising Star Canine Ranch
8342 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC
Entries Close: June 4, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC All Breed Agility

Yorkshire Terrier Club of America, Inc.

July 5th – 7th, 2024

Held at: Rising Star Canine Ranch
8342 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC
Entries Close: Tuesday, June 25, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Agility

Agility Club of the Central Carolinas

July 12th – 14th, 2024

Held at: Quicksilver Canine Arena
5600 Clarence Rd, Julian, NC
Entries Close: Friday, July 5, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Agility

American Hairless Terrier Club of America

July 19th – 21st 2024

Held at: Bon-Clyde Learning Center
3030 Lee Avenue, Sanford, NC
Entries Close: July 5, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Agility

Greater Monroe Kennel Club

August 8-11, 2024

Held at: Cabarrus Arena and Events Center
4751 Highway 49 North, Concord, NC
Entries Close: Tuesday, July 23, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Agility

Triangle Agility Group of North Carolina

August 10th & 11th, 2024

Held at: Rising Star Canine Ranch
8342 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC
Entries Close: Saturday, July 27, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC All Breed Agility

Tarheel Golden Retriever Club

August 23rd – 25th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Rising Star Canine Ranch

8342 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC

Entries Close: Tuesday, August 13, 2024

NC / AKC Agility

Durham Kennel Club Inc

September 27th – 29th 2024

Held at: Durham Kennel Club Agility Field

7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Agility

Carolina Piedmont Agility Club

August 30th – September 1st, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Bon-Clyde Learning Center

3030 Lee Avenue, Sanford, NC

Entries Close: Friday, August 23, 2024

NC / AKC Agility

Western Carolina Dog Fanciers Association

September 20th – 22nd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Smoky Mountain Event Center

758 Crabtree Rd. Waynesville, NC

****formerly know as- Haywood County Fairgrounds

Entries Close: Monday, September 9, 2024

NC / AKC Agility

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina

October 3rd – 6th 2024

Held at: Teamworks Dog Training

195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC

Closes September 24, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Agility

Moore County Kennel Club of North Carolina

October 11th – 13th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Rising Star Canine Ranch

8342 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC

Entries Close: Tuesday, October 1, 2024

NC / AKC Agility

Blue Ridge Agility Club

November 9th & 10th 2024

Held at: Chinquapin Arena, FENCE

Foothills Equestrian Nature Center

500 Hunting Country Road, Tryon, NC

Closes Monday, October 28, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / DUDLEY SHUMATE AGILITY SEMINARS

Nov 13-14, 2024

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

Teamworks Dog Training, LLC

Topic include: Young Dogs Sequencing

Putting the pieces together in 8-12 obstacle sequences, making sure foundation is strong and cues are consistent and timely! We'll be using jumps and tunnels only as the primary focus of this seminar is communication skills.

Handler Mental Management: Included with sequence analysis, this session offers opportunities to play some situational awareness games. Handlers who can respond quickly to the unexpected are able to maintain connection and keep runs on track. Like any other skill, awareness and responsiveness grow when we practice Finding & Running Lines

Longer Novice/Open sequences, deciding on how to decide lines/turns, Timing of handling, choices of cues.

Masters/International Handling

Course analysis and appropriate handling technique selection and execution to reach your goals!

NC / AKC Agility

Nov 14-17, 2024

Greater Monroe Kennel Club

Cabarrus Arena, Concord, NC

[MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW](#)

NC / Anna Eifert AGILITY SEMINARS

November 26th – 27th, 2024

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

Teamworks Dog Training, LLC, Youngsville, NC

The color of your ribbons say
very little about your capabilities
as a dog handler, but the
happiness of your dog says
everything. *Susan M. Young*



South Carolina AKC Agility

SC / AKC Agility

May 16-19, 2024

Cannan Dog Club of America

T. Ed Garrison Arena, Pendleton, SC

Closes April 30, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

SC / Daisy Peel Agility Seminar

June 5th – 6th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Morningstar's Clever K9s

1626 Bees Creek Road, Ridgeland, SC

Daisy Peel will return to Morningstar for the 5th year (2012, 2014, 2022, 2023) to teach some agility workshops before judging the weekends UKI evening trial. Daisy is a multi national champion, world team member and top competitor. Daisy's thinking that "advanced handling is merely more precise application of the fundamentals" means that she is dedicated to the improvement of handlers at all levels, regardless of their current level or goals and aspirations. Daisy teaches students of all ages and stages around the globe, in person and through her online classes, and is dedicated to helping people further their self-improvement through better training, better handling, and better mastery of their mental game. If you are interested in working with Daisy, please drop us an email with her name in the subject line to K9Agility@outlook.com.

[Daisy's website](#) -

SC / AKC Agility

Greater Columbia Obedience Club Inc.

September 27th – 29th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: South Congaree Horse Arena

301 Oak St, West Columbia, SC

Entries Close: Monday, September 16, 2024

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SC / Tracy Sklenar Agility Seminar

September 27th – 29th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Morningstar's Clever K9s

1626 Bees Creek Road, Ridgeland, SC

Tracy Sklenar has been training dogs and competing in dog agility for almost 25 years, and is likely the only handler in the world who has won medals in international Finals as a coach for 2 different countries AND as a handler with her own dog in both team and individual events. She is on the faculty of Agility University (www.agility-u.com) and Agility MasterClass (www.agilitymasterclass.com), and also travels extensively to teach seminars and compete. Her "Feet Forward" approach to handling, and emphasis on connection and reinforcement have helped handlers excel at every level and with every type of dog!

SC / Courtney Moore Agility Seminar

October 16th – 18th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Morningstar's Clever K9s

1626 Bees Creek Road, Ridgeland, SC

Courtney Moore has been competing in agility for almost 30 years. She started as a junior handler in 1995 with her Toy Poodle Jazz. Her mom competed in obedience so she grew up as a dog show kid. Her mom was competing at the Astrodome, and there was a USDAA Dam tournament happening at the same time. Once Courtney witnessed that, the rest was history. She joined her local agility club Bexar Regional Agility Team started by Tim Laubach and Dave Hanson.

SC / AKC Agility

Nov 29-Dec 1, 2024 [MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW](#)

Canaan Dog Club of America

T. Ed Garrison Arena, Pendleton, SC

SC / AKC Agility

Blue Ridge Agility Club

December 6th – 8th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: T. Ed Garrison Arena

1101 W. Queen St., Pendleton, SC

Entries Close: Monday, November 25, 2024

SC / Dudley Shumate Agility Seminar

January 10 – 12, 2025

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Morningstar's Clever K9s

1626 Bees Creek Road, Ridgeland, SC

Dudley is back for the 8th year to teach us, the dogs, and maybe a squirrel or two!

Georgia AKC Agility

GA / AKC Agility

Valdosta Kennel Club, Inc.

May 3rd – 5th 2024

Held at: Reed Bingham State Park

542 Reed Bingham Rd, Adel, GA

Entries Close: Friday, April 19, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / AKC Agility

Oconee River Kennel Club

Saturday 05/04/24 & Sunday 5/5/24

Show Location: Oconee Heritage Park

Hwy 441 S., Watkinsville, GA 30677

Closes April 22nd 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / Spring Classic Agility

May 10, 2024 - May 12, 2024

Atlanta Obedience Club, Inc.

Held at: Radda's K9 Campus

49 Tilly Rd, Talking Rock, GA

Entries Close: April 26, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / AKC Agility

Four Paw Agility Club Of North Georgia

Friday 05/31/24 – Sunday 06/2/24

Show Location: Radda's K9 Campus

49 Tilly Rd, Talking Rock, GA

Closes May 14th 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / All Breed AKC Agility

Pembroke Welsh Corgi Club of Greater Atlanta, Inc

June 14th – 16th 2024

Held at: Radda's K9 Campus,

49 Tilly Rd, Talking Rock, GA

Closes Friday, May 31, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / All Breed AKC Agility

Dalmatian Club of America, Inc.

June 14th – 16th 2024

Held at: Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA

Closes Wednesday, May 22, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)



GA / AKC Agility

Tallahassee Dog Obedience Club

July 26th – 28th, 2024

Held at: Cloud Livestock Facility

1300 E. River Rd, Bainbridge, GA

Entries Close: Friday, July 12, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / AKC Agility

August 16, 2024 - August 18, 2024

Atlanta Obedience Club, Inc.

Held at: Radda's K9 Campus

49 Tilly Rd, Talking Rock, GA

Entries Close: August 2, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / AKC Agility

Canine Capers Agility Club of Greater Atlanta

September 6th – 8th, 2024

Held at: Wills Park Equestrian Center

11915 Wills Road, Alpharetta, GA

Entries Close: August 27, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / AKC Agility

Ochlocknee River Kennel Club of Florida

November 9th & 10th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Deep South Fairgrounds

2057 Georgia Highway 122, Thomasville, GA

Entries Close: Saturday, October 26, 2024

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E. Tennessee AKC Agility

TN / All Breed AKC Agility

Doberman Pinscher Club of America

September 28th & 29th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Ron Ramsey Agricultural Center

140 Spurgeon Lane, Blountville, TN

Entries Close: Wednesday, September 11, 2024

TN / AKC Agility

Greater Kingsport Kennel Club

October 11th – 13th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Three Bulls Farm

625 Beech Grove Rd, Bulls Gap, TN

Entries Close: Monday, September 30, 2024

TN / AKC Agility

Chattanooga Dog Agility Club

December 14th & 15th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Play Dog Excellent

Play Dog Excellent

4113 Dayton Blvd., Chattanooga, TN

Entries Close: Saturday, November 30, 2024

Virginia AKC Agility

VA / AKC Agility

May 4 - 5, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Reva Agility Club Enthusiasts of Virginia

* Opens: February 28, 2024 * Closes: April 17, 2024

Walnut Hill Farm, 5634 Ridgeview Rd, Reva, VA

VA / AKC Agility

May 10th – 12th, 2024

Greater Washington Dalmatian Club / Belroi Agility Club

Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes Friday April 26th 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC All-Breed Agility TRIALS

The Capitol Bulldog Club

May 17, 2024 – May 19, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Rd, Mechanicsville, VA

VA / AKC All Breed Agility

American Belgian Malinois Club

May 17th – 19th, 2024

Held at: Horizons Edge Sports Campus

325 Cornerstone Lane, Harrisonburg, VA

Entries Close: May 1, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Agility

May 24-26, 2024

Central Virginia Shetland Sheepdog Club

& Level Up Dog Sports

Level Up Dog Sports, Mechanicsville, VA

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Greater Washington Dalmatian Club

May 30th – June 2nd, 2024

Trial Location: Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Rd, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes: May 15, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Agility

June 14-16, 2024

Mattaponi Kennel Club

That Soccer Place, Harrisonburg, VA

Closes May 31, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Agility

June 21-23, 2024

Danville KC

Olde Dominion Agricultural Complex

19783 US Hwy 29 South, Chatham, VA

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Potomac Valley Golden Retriever Club

June 21st – 23rd 2024

* Opens: April 9, 2024 * Closes: June 9, 2024*

Trial Location: Carroll Indoor Sports Center

515 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster, MD

Judge: Blair Kelly

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Greater Washington Dalmatian Club

June 21st – 23rd 2024

Trial Location: Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Rd, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes: June 7, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Central Virginia Agility Club

June 22nd – 23rd 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

VA / AKC Agility

July 26-28, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Greater Washington Dalmatian Club

Level Up Dog Sports, Mechanicsville,

Closes: Tues. June 9 @ 6 pm



VA / AKC Agility

Dog Owners Training Club of Lynchburg, Inc.

June 28th – 30th 2024

Held at: Boonsboro Ruritan Youth Association

1499 Coffee Road, Lynchburg, VA

Entries Close: Tuesday, June 11, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

VA / Ashley Castro Seminars

June 29th, 2024

[EVENT FLYER](#)

Merrimac Dog Training Club

Session I – 9:00am – 12:00pm

- Puppy Party! - A dog sport foundation workshop that is appropriate for any future superstar that's 12 months and under! This features foundation games for distraction proofing your puppy as well as body awareness exercises and foundation agility exercises.

Session II – 1:00pm – 4:00pm

- Efficiency Skills and Drills - Learn how to find and execute the most efficient turns and lines for your dog! Get back every lost second and gain speed on course for both the handler and the dog

VA / AKC Agility

Gloucester Kennel Club

July 5th – 7th, 2024

Trial Location: Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Rd, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes: June 19, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club

July 5th – 7th, 2024

Held at: Horizons Edge Sports Campus

325 Cornerstone Lane, Harrisonburg, VA

Closes June 19, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

July 18th -21st 2024

Shenandoah Valley Kennel Club, Inc.

Held at: Horizons Edge Sports Campus

325 Cornerstone Lane, Harrisonburg, VA

Entries Close: July 3, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC All Breed Agility

July 26-28, 2024

Greater Washington Dalmatian Club

Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes July 9, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Merrimac Dog Training Club

August 3rd & 4th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Merrimac Dog Training Club Inc

15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA

Entries Close: Saturday, July 20, 2024

VA / AKC Agility

Aug 16-18, 2024

Gloucester Kennel Club

Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes July 30, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Aug 23-25, 2024

Bulldog Club of America

Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes August 6, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Greater Fredericksburg Kennel Club

August 30th – September 1st, 2024

Trial Location: Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Rd, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes: August 14, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Central Virginia Agility Club

September 7th & 8th, 2024

Held at: Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

Entries Close: August 27, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Potomac Valley Golden Retriever Club

September 7th – 8th 2024

Trial Location: Carroll Indoor Sports Center
515 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster, MD

Closes: August 21, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Potomac Valley Belgian Sheepdog Club

September 14th – 15th 2024

Trial Location: **Carroll Indoor Sports Center**
515 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster, MD

Closes: August 28, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Bulldog Club of America

Sept 13-15, 2024

Level Up Dog Sports
8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA
Entries Close: August 27, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

September 21st – 22nd 2024

Richmond Dog Obedience Club, Inc.
Held at: Level Up Dog Sports,
8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA
Entries Close: Wed, September 4, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Gloucester Kennel Club

September 27th – 29th, 2024

Trial Location: Level Up Dog Sports
8438 Old Richfood Rd, Mechanicsville, VA
Closes: September 11, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

October 5th – 6th 2024

Shenandoah Valley Kennel Club, Inc.
Held at: Walnut Hill Farm
5634 Ridgeview Road, Reva, VA
Entries Close: September 18, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Reva Agility Club Enthusiasts of Virginia

October 11th – 13th, 2024

* Opens: August 7, 2024 * Closes: September 25, 2024 *

Trial Location: Walnut Hill Farm
5634 Ridgeview Rd, Reva, VA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Mattaponi Kennel Club

Oct 18-20, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Winchester Sportsplex
221 Commonwealth Ct., Winchester, VA
Entries Close: Tuesday, October 1, 2024

VA / AKC Agility

Oct 25 - 27, 2024

Belroi Agility Club of VA
& Greater Washington Dalmatian Club
Level Up Dog Sports
8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA
Entries Close: October 8, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)



VA / AKC Agility

Central Virginia Agility Club

November 2nd – 3rd, 2024

Trial Location: Level Up Dog Sports
8438 Old Richfood Rd, Mechanicsville, VA
Closes: October 16, 2024

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VA / AKC Agility

Reva Agility Club Enthusiasts of Virginia

November 9th – 10th 2024

Trial Location: **Walnut Hill Farm**
5634 Ridgeview Rd, Reva, VA
Closes: October 23, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC All-Breed Agility

Greater Washington Dalmatian Club

November 15th – 17th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Held at: Level Up Dog Sports
8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA
Entries Close: Friday, November 1, 2024

VA / AKC Agility

Reva Agility Club Enthusiasts of Virginia

Nov 22 - 24, 2024

Closes: November 6, 2024
Trial Location: Walnut Hill Farm
5634 Ridgeview Rd, Reva, VA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Nov 22-24, 2024

Danville KC, Olde Dominion Ag Center, Chatham, VA

[MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Dec 6-8, 2024

Bulldog Club of America

Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

Entries Close: November 19, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Charlottesville - Albemarle Kennel Club

December 14th – 15th 2024

Opens: October 9, 2024 * Closes: November 27, 2024 *

Trial Location: Walnut Hill Farm

5634 Ridgeview Rd, Reva, VA [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Agility

Shenandoah Valley Kennel Club, Inc.

January 3rd – 5th, 2025

Held at: Horizons Edge Sports Campus

325 Cornerstone Lane Harrisonburg, VA

Entries Close: December 18, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

ASCA - Agility

North Carolina ASCA Agility

NC / ASCA – All Breed Agility

Agility- July 13 & 14 [PREMIUM](#)

Rising Star Canine Ranch,

8342 W Harrell Road, Oak Ridge NC

Judge: Kay Stimson

Pre entries open Friday May 31, 2024

Pre entries close on Friday July 5, 2024

NC / ASCA – All Breed Agility

Agility- November 23 & 24

Quicksilver Canine, Julian NC

MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW

Georgia ASCA Agility

GA / ASCA Agility

May 24th – 26th, 2024

Dog Agility of West Georgia

585 McClure Drive, Cumming, GA [PREMIUM](#)

E. Tennessee ASCA Agility

TN / ASCA Agility

July 13, 2024 - July 15, 2024

Tennessee ASC

4113 DAYTON BOULEVARD,

CHATTANOOGA, TN

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

Virginia ASCA Agility

VA / ASCA Agility

August 10th – 11th, 2024

Mid-Atlantic ASC Agility

19277 EVERGREEN MILLS ROAD

LEESBURG, VA

[PREMIUM](#)



Carolyn Pearson and her crew had a good time in agility at the recent Tennessee Australian Shepherd Club trials! Little **Fog** got himself toned down enough for a HIT out of Open! (honestly think it was the smooth black matting!). Both **Fog & Splash**, cleaned up their Open Qs & then some. Congratulations on such an awesome weekend!

CPE - Agility

North Carolina CPE Agility

NC / UPCOMING CPE Agility Trials @ Teamworks

Hosted by Teamworks Dog Training, LLC
195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, North Carolina

May 3 - May 5 [PREMIUM](#)
Sept 13 - 15, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Sept 27 - 29, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
November 1 - November 3 [EVENT LISTING](#)
November 22 - November 24 [EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / CPE Agility Trials @ Bon-Clyde Learning Center

July 5-7, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
August 2nd - 4th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
Bon-Clyde Learning Center
3030 Lee Ave, Sanford, North Carolina

NC / UPCOMING CPE Agility Trials @ Quicksilver Canine

Quicksilver Canine, 5600 Clarence Rd, Julian NC
June 14th - 16th 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
July 19th - 21st 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
August 16th - 18th 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

South Carolina CPE Agility

SC / UPCOMING CPE Agility Trials @ A Way To Play Agility Club

HOSTED BY: A Way To Play Agility Club
LOCATION: A Dog's Way Inn, 761 Pendergrass Ave.,
Murrells Inlet, SC

September 6th - 8th 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
October 11 -13, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
November 8th - 10th 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Georgia CPE Agility

GA / UPCOMING CPE Agility Trials @ Run Your Tail off Agility

HOSTED BY: Run Your Tail off Agility
49 Tilley Road, Talking Rock, GA

July 12th - 14th 2024 Harry Potter Themed! [PREMIUM](#)
September 14 - 15, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
December 13th - 15th 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

E. Tennessee CPE Agility

TN / UPCOMING CPE Agility Trials @ Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

HOSTED BY: Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility
125 Clarence Lee Rd, Lansing, TN

June 13th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
June 14 - 16, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
June 28 - July 1, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
September 27th - 29th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

NADAC - Agility

North Carolina NADAC Agility

NC / NADAC Agility

Aug. 2-4 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Club: Leaps and Bounds Agility, Oak Ridge, NC
Judge(s): Becky Umberger
Show Contact: [Becky Parker](#)

NC / NADAC Agility

October 18-20 2024
Club: Leaps and Bounds Agility, Yadkinville, NC
Show Contact: [Becky Parker](#) [EVENT LISTING](#)

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Georgia NADAC Agility

GA / NADAC Agility

May 24-26 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Circle of Friends Dog Agility, LLC, Conyers, GA

Judge(s): Nick Sparks

Show Contact: [Diane Driscoll](#)

GA / NADAC Agility

Sept. 27-29 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Circle of Friends Dog Agility, LLC, Conyers, GA

Show Contact: [Diane Driscoll](#)

E. Tennessee NADAC Agility

TN / NADAC Agility

May 3rd – 5th 2024

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

Lancing, TN

Show Contact: [Colleen Flam](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

May 10 – 12 2024

Canines By Karen

6474 Morganton Rd, Greenback, TN 37742

Show Contact: [Karen Echternacht](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

May 31st – June 2nd 2024

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

Lancing, TN

Show Contact: [Colleen Flam](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

June 7 – 9 2024

Canines By Karen

6474 Morganton Rd, Greenback, TN 37742

Show Contact: [Karen Echternacht](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

July 12 – 14 2024

Canines By Karen

6474 Morganton Rd, Greenback, TN 37742

Show Contact: [Karen Echternacht](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

July 26th – 28th 2024

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

Lancing, TN

Show Contact: [Colleen Flam](#)



[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

August 2nd – 4th 2024

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

Lancing, TN

Show Contact: [Colleen Flam](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

August 16 – 18 2024

Canines By Karen

6474 Morganton Rd, Greenback, TN 37742

Show Contact: [Karen Echternacht](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

August 30th – September 2nd 2024

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

Lancing, TN

Show Contact: [Colleen Flam](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

September 6 - 8 2024

Canines By Karen

6474 Morganton Rd, Greenback, TN 37742

Show Contact: [Karen Echternacht](#)

[EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

October 11th – 13th 2024

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

Lancing, TN

Show Contact: [Colleen Flam](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

November 8-10, 2024

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

Lancing, TN

Show Contact: [Colleen Flam](#)

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / NADAC Agility

November 15 – 17 2024

Canines By Karen

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[PREMIUM](#)

Virginia NADAC Agility

VA / NADAC Agility

Sept. 13-15 2024

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Star City Canine Training Club , Fincastle, VA

Judge(s): Heather Cline

Show Contact: [Diane Conant](#)

VA / 2024 NADAC Agility

at Tails Up Agility

Location: Family Dog Club

1847 Centerville Turnpike S., Chesapeake, VA

- September 28-29, 2024 NADAC trial (pending)
- November 1-3, 2024 NADAC trial (pending)
- February 22 – 23, 2025

[MORE INFORMATION TO COME](#)

VA / NADAC Agility

All-American Dog Sports

October 25th – 27th 2024

Blacksburg, VA

Show Contact: [Andrea Lengi](#)

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / NADAC Agility

All-American Dog Sports

December 27th – 29th, 2024

Blacksburg, VA

Show Contact: [Andrea Lengi](#)

[EVENT LISTING](#)

UKC – Agility

no events were found

UKI - Agility

North Carolina UKI Agility

NC / UKI Agility Trial

CAROLINA PIEDMONT AGILITY CLUB

May 3, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Gov. James B. Hunt Jr. Horse Complex

4285 Trinity Rd, Raleigh NC

Entries Close: April 29, 2024



Mardi McGuire-Closson is proud of her agility triple crown girl! Plenty earned her UKI International Champion title on April 20th. She now has championships in AKC, USDAA and UKI. Best girl. Thanks to Kat Brown for the picture. And, thanks to VIP Dog Sports for the beautiful ribbon!

NC / UKI Agility

May 24 - 26, 2024

Rising Star Canine Ranch Agility

Oak Ridge, NC

Closes: May 14, 24

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / UKI Agility

May 31, 24 - Jun 02, 2024

Bon Clyde Learning Center

Sanford, NC

Closes: May 21, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Jun 21 - 23, 2024

Rising Star Canine Ranch Agility
Oak Ridge, NC
Closes: Jun 11, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Jun 29 - 30, 2024

Carolina Piedmont Agility
Durham, NC
Closes: Jun 19, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)



NC / UKI Agility

Jul 19 - 21, 2024

Rising Star Canine Ranch Agility
Oak Ridge, NC
Closes: Jul 09, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Jul 26 - 28, 2024

Blue Ridge Agility Club, Tryon, NC
Closes: Jul 16, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Aug 16 - 18, 2024

Bon Clyde Learning Center, Sanford, NC
Closes: Aug 06, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Aug 31, 24 - Sep 02, 2024

Carolina Piedmont, NC
Closes: Aug 21, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Sep 13 - 15, 2024

Rising Star Canine Ranch Agility, Oak Ridge, NC
Closes: Sep 03, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Oct 04 - 06, 2024

Rising Star Canine Ranch Agility
Oak Ridge, NC
Closes: Sep 25, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

October 18th – 20th, 2024

Carolina Piedmont Agility, Durham, NC
Closes: October 8th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Dec 13, 2024

Carolina Piedmont, Raleigh, NC
Closes: Dec 03, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Dec 20 - 22, 2024

Bon Clyde Learning Center, Sanford, NC
Closes: Dec 10, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UKI Agility

Dec 27 - 29, 2024

Rising Star Canine Ranch Agility
Oak Ridge, NC
Closes: Dec 17, 24

[EVENT LISTING](#)

South Carolina UKI Agility

SC / UKI Agility

May 11 - 12, 2024

Carolina Performance K9s, Gilbert, SC
Closes: May 01, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

SC / UKI Agility

Jun 01 - 02, 2024

VIP Dog Sports, Central, SC
Closes: May 20, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

SC / UKI Agility

Jun 07 - 08, 2024

Morningstar's Clever K9s, Ridgeland, SC
Closes: May 28, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / UKI Agility

Sep 28 - 29, 2024

VIP Dog Sports, Central, SC
Closes: Sep 18, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / UKI Agility

October 19 – 20, 2024

Morningstar's Clever K9s, Ridgeland, SC
Closes: October 9, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / UKI Agility

Nov 01 - 03, 2024

Paws Pack Dog Sports & OCA, Wagener, SC
Closes: Oct 25, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / UKI Agility

November 8, 2024

Low Country Dog Training Field
1981 Ashley River Rd., Charleston, SC
Closes October 30, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / UKI Agility

December 7th – 8th, 2024

Carolina Performance K9s, Gilbert, SC
Closes: Nov 28, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / UKI Agility

December 14 – 15, 2024

Low Country Dog Training Field
1981 Ashley River Rd., Charleston, SC
Closes December 4, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Georgia UKI Agility

GA / UKI Agility

June 14 – 16, 2024

Full Speed Ahead, Tiger, GA
Closes: June 4, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / UKI Agility

August 16 – 18, 2024

Full Speed Ahead, Tiger, GA
Closes: August 6, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / UKI Agility

November 1 – 3, 2024

Full Speed Ahead, Tiger, GA
Closes: October 22, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / UKI Agility

November 9 – 10, 2024

Canine Capers Dog Agility Club
Norcross, GA
Closes: October 29, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)



Virginia UKI Agility

VA / UKI Agility

May 04 - 05, 2024

Level Up Dog Sports, Mechanicsville, VA
Closes: Apr 29, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / UKI Agility

May 08, 2024

Just Jump It, Reva, VA
Closes: May 01, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / UKI Agility

May 22, 2024

Just Jump It, Reva, VA
Closes: May 12, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / UKI Agility

Jun 08 - 09, 2024

Level Up Dog Sports, Mechanicsville, VA
Closes: May 28, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKI Agility

Jun 15 - 16, 2024

Close Enough Farm, Louisa, VA
Closes: Jun 09, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKI Agility

Jun 19, 2024

Just Jump It, Reva, VA
Closes: Jun 09, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKI Agility

Jun 26, 2024

Just Jump It, Reva, VA
Closes: Jun 16, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKI Agility

Jul 13 - 14, 2024

Close Enough Farm, Louisa, VA
Closes: Jul 03, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKI Agility

Jul 27 - 28, 2024

Flying Dogs, Leesburg, VA
Closes: Jul 17, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKI Agility

Aug 03 - 04, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Level Up Dog Sports, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes: Jul 23, 2024

VA / UKI Agility

Sep 14 - 15, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Flying Dogs, Leesburg, VA

Closes: Sep 04, 2024

VA / UKI Agility

Oct 19 - 20, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Close Enough Farm, Louisa, VA

Closes: Oct 09, 2024

VA / UKI Agility

Nov 09 - 10, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Level Up Dog Sports, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes: Oct 29, 2024

VA / UKI Agility

Dec 07 - 08, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Flying Dogs, Leesburg, VA

Closes: Nov 27, 2024

VA / UKI Agility

Dec 14 - 15, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Level Up Dog Sports, Mechanicsville, VA

Closes: Dec 04, 2024

USDAA - Agility

North Carolina USDAA Agility

NC / USDAA

Quicksilver Canine - Julian, NC

July 5 - 7, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

5600 Clarence Rd, Julian, NC

Closing Date: 06/21/2024

Move-Up Date: 06/28/2024

NC / USDAA

Quicksilver Canine - Julian, NC

August 31st – September 2nd 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

South Carolina USDAA Agility

SC / USDAA Night Trial

Low Country Dog Agility

May 24 – 26, 2024

Low Country Dog Training Field

1981 Ashley River Rd., Charleston, SC

[PREMIUM](#)

SC / USDAA

Low Country Dog Agility

September 13th – 14th 2024

Low Country Dog Training Field

1981 Ashley River Rd., Charleston, SC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / USDAA Night Trial

Low Country Dog Agility

October 4th – 6th 2024

Low Country Dog Training Field

1981 Ashley River Rd., Charleston, SC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Georgia USDAA Agility

GA / USDAA S.E. Regional Championship

August 9 - 11, 2024

Sirius Dog Agility Training Center, Perry, GA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Virginia USDAA Agility

VA / USDAA

MAD CO, LLC

May 3-5, 2024

Being Held At: Close Enough Farm Louisa, VA

Closes April 24, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / USDAA

MAD CO, LLC

August 2 – 4, 2024

Being Held At: TBD

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / USDAA

MAD CO, LLC

September 13 – 15 2024

Being Held At: TBD

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Barn Hunt Trials

- 🐾 [Find AKC Barn Hunt Information Here](#)
- 🐾 [Find Barn Hunt Association Rule Books Here](#)
- 🐾 [The Happy Ratters Rulebook can be found at www.happyratters.com](#)

North Carolina Barn Hunt

NC / Hat Trick Caos Barn Hunt

Friday, Saturday & Sunday May 17-19, 2024

3 days, 2 trials each day

[PREMIUM](#)

Registration Opens March 20, 2024

Registration Closes May 7, 2024 @ 6:00pm Late entries accepted but NO DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES

All information and premiums will be available at

www.HTCDogSports.com

Trial Location: Teamworks Dog Training 195 Robbins Rd
Youngsville, NC 27596

NC / Barn Hunt Trial - Positive K9

With Hat Trick Caos www.HTCDogSports.com

Venue: Positive K9, 364 Welshie Way Ln, Henderson NC

Friday, May 31 - Sunday, June 2, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

NC / Barn Hunt at Jam-Min' Dog Sports

Venue: Jam-Min' Rattos, Barn

1140 Matthews Rd, Pilot Mountain NC

Friday, May 31st through Sunday 2nd, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 04/01/2024,

Closes Wed 05/22/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

September 27th – 29th, 2024

Registration Opens Thu 08/01/2024,

Closes Wed 09/18/2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

December 21st – 22nd, 2024

Registration Opens November 1, 2024

Closes Wed 12/11/2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)



NC / Barn Hunts at Teamworks!

AKC * BHA * Happy Ratters * CPE

Barn Hunt Barns (West Ring)

195 Robbins Road, Youngsville, NC

May 11th – 12, 2024

AKC

[PREMIUM](#)

Opens March 11th, 2024

Closes May 3rd, 2024

July 19th – 21st, 2024 *Happy Ratters*

[PREMIUM](#)

Registration opens 4/19/24

Closes 7/12/24

August 18th, 2024 *CPE*

[PREMIUM](#)

Closes August 11th, 2024

Friday, September 13th - Sunday 15th, 2024 *BHA*

Registration Opens Sat 07/13/2024,

Closes Fri 09/06/2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

Friday, October 18th - Sunday 20th, 2024 *BHA*

Registration Opens Sun 08/18/2024,

Closes Fri 10/11/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Friday, November 15th - Sunday 17th, 2024 *BHA*

Registration Opens Sun 09/15/2024,

Closes Fri 11/08/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Friday, December 6th - Sunday 8th, 2024 *BHA*

Registration Opens Tue 10/01/2024,

Closes Tue 11/26/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / Barn Hunt Trial – Aiken Barn Hunt

Venue: Fayetteville Kennel Club

Small Building, 2473 Companion Ct., Fayetteville NC

September 20th - Saturday 21st 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

South Carolina Barn Hunt

SC / Aiken Barn Hunt

Aiken Barn Hunt Training Facility

174 Mossy Tree Ln. Aiken, SC 29803

FUN TEST - May 18 & 19 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Opening Date: May 18-19 2024

Closing Date: March 26, 2022 S

SC / Barn Hunt - The Red Barn

Friday, July 19th - Sunday 21st, 2024

Registration Opens Sat 06/01/2024,

Closes Sat 07/06/2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

Friday, December 13th - Sunday 15th, 2024

Registration Opens Fri 11/01/2024,

Closes Sat 11/30/2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

Venue: The New Barn Hunt Building

3416A Delree St, West Columbia SC

Georgia Barn Hunt

GA / Barn Hunt Trial

Saturday May 4, 2024 (Two trials)

[PREMIUM](#)

Sunday, May 5, 2024 (One trial)

Champion Canine Barn Hunt

35 Bethany Church Road, Pine Mountain, GA 31822

Preregistration open 03/15/2024, close 04/24/2024

GA / Barn Hunt Trial

June 7, 8 & 9, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Georgia Barn Hunt

Gwinnett County Fairgrounds, Entertainment Building

2405 Sugarloaf Parkway, Lawrenceville, GA 30045

Two Trials each day - Two rings, run concurrently

Registration opens April 2, 2024

GA / Barn Hunt Trial

Saturday, June 15

K9RatPack! www.k9ratpack.com

Registration Opens Wed 03/06/2024

Closes Wed 05/15/2024

Venue: Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agri-Center

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry GA

[PREMIUM](#)

GA / Barn Hunt Trial

November 29 - December 1, 2021

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Georgia Barn Hunt

Registration Opens Mon 09/23/2024,

Closes Sat 11/16/2024

Venue: Covered Horse Arena Georgia National

Fairgrounds, Covered Horse Arena/East Gate

401 Larry Walker Pkwy, Perry GA 31069

Training a puppy is like trying to teach a toddler with the attention span of a goldfish and the athletic ability of a pingpong ball how to do advanced calculus

@thingadoghandersany

E. Tennessee Barn Hunt

TN / BARN HUNT TRIAL @

Rocky Top Mountain K9 Agility

125 Clarence Lee Rd, Lancing, TN

Friday, June 21st - Sunday 23rd, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 03/04/2024,

Closes Tue 06/11/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Friday, September 13th - Sunday 15th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 06/03/2024,

Closes Tue 09/03/2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Thursday, October 24th - Sunday 27th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 08/12/2024,

Closes Mon 10/14/2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Friday, November 22nd - Sunday 24th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 09/02/2024,

Closes Tue 11/12/2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / BARN HUNT at Never A Dull Moment

131 CW Galloway Road, Jonesborough TN

Friday, May 10th - Sunday 12th, 2024

Registration Opens Thu 02/01/2024,

Closes Tue 04/30/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Friday, September 20th - Sunday 22nd

Registration Opens Sat 06/01/2024,

Closes Tue 09/10/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Friday, October 18th - Sunday 20th,

Registration Opens Mon 07/01/2024,

Closes Tue 10/08/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Friday, November 8th - Sunday 10th,

Registration Opens Thu 08/01/2024,

Closes Tue 10/29/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Friday, December 6th - Sunday 8th

Registration Opens Sun 09/01/2024,

Closes Tue 11/26/2024

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / BHA Barn Hunt Trial

Friday, August 9th - Sunday 11th, 2024

Oh Rats!

Oak Ridge Kennel Club

1790 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge TN

Registration Opens Mon 06/10/2024,

Closes Fri 07/26/2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)



Virginia Barn Hunt

VA / Barn Hunt Trial - Happy Ratters of Harrisonburg

Venue: Happy Hounds Doggie Daycare
220 Waterman Drive, Harrisonburg VA
www.happyratters.blogspot.com

May 25th – 26th, 2024

Registration Opens Sat 04/06/2024,
Closes Tue 05/14/2024 [PREMIUM](#)

Saturday, December 28th - Sunday 29th, 2024

Registration Opens Sat 11/02/2024,
Closes Wed 12/18/2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / Barn Hunt Trial With Merrimac Dog Training Club

Venue: Merrimac Dog Training Club
15 Newsome Place, Hampton VA
www.merrimacdogtrainingclub.org

Saturday, May 25th - Sunday 26th, 2024

Registration Opens Sat 04/06/2024,
Closes Tue 05/14/2024 [EVENT DETAILS](#)

Friday, June 7th - Sunday 9th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 04/29/2024,
Closes Tue 05/28/2024 [PREMIUM](#)

Friday, November 8th - Sunday 10th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 09/23/2024,
Closes Mon 10/28/2024 [EVENT DETAILS](#)

December 6th - Sunday 8th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 10/28/2024,
Closes Mon 11/25/2024 [EVENT DETAILS](#)

VA / Barn Hunt Trial - Mattaponi KC

Venue: Animal Friends' Pampered Paws Training Center
Training Building, 10401 Green Rd, Bealeton VA
www.mattaponikennelclub.com

Saturday, September 21st - Sunday 22nd, 2024

Registration Opens Fri 07/26/2024,
Closes Fri 09/06/2024 [EVENT DETAILS](#)

VA / 2024 Barn Hunt - Liberty Hill Barn Hunt

Venue: Mountain Tails Training
2393 Rock Cliff Rd, Bedford VA
www.mountaintailstraining.com

Saturday, August 17th - Sunday 18th, 2024

Venue: Liberty Hill Pet Resort, Training Building
10401 Green Rd, Bealeton VA
Registration Opens Mon 07/01/2024,
Closes Wed 08/07/2024 [EVENT DETAILS](#)

VA / Barn Hunt Trial - 4 the Dogs

Venue: Isle of Calais Healthy Outdoors
19393 Spring Lake Dr, Smithfield VA
www.4thedogstraining.com

Friday, May 3rd - Sunday 5th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 03/18/2024,
Closes Mon 04/22/2024 [PREMIUM](#)

Friday, July 12th - Sunday 14th, 2024

Registration Opens Mon 06/03/2024,
Closes Mon 07/01/2024 [PREMIUM](#)

Friday, September 13th - Sunday 15th

Registration opens 7/29/2024
Closes 9/2/2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Deep thoughts

from Toke...



Wow! What a couple of months! Ma Person and Da Person went away and left the ditzzy girl and I with our friend Jeff. We thought they were never coming home! Then Ma and Pa called me on my tablet and I got to see them and talk to them and Oh! Boy! Did I talk buckets! I was soooo happy to see them that when they finally got home, I just laid on their bed and smiled at them all night. I think they went to that place with the funny accents where my favorite kids live. Lucky them! - **Toke**



CGC Tests

- 🐾 [*Find information on the AKC CGC & STAR Puppy Programs Here*](#)
- 🐾 [*UKC SPOT Program*](#)

Search by City in the Resources Section of this magazine for more locations *

NC / CGC Training (and obedience classes)

BAUERMEISTER'S K-9 TRAINING www.bk9t.com

89 Waterwood Lane, **Hendersonville, NC 28739**
OVER 40 YEARS TRAINING/INSTRUCTING/JUDGING
EXPERIENCE

Registration for the Beginning Novice/Novice class and Graduate Novice/Open class

see Hendersonville Kennel Club web site. Classes start 3-14-2024.

Registration for the Private Combined Beginning Novice thru Open Practice and/or the

Advanced Rally Classes contact via email bauermeisterk9training@hotmail.com.

NC / Positive K9 LLC

Welshie Way Lane, **Henderson, NC 27537**

CGC classes and testing

Contact Dorthea Hand at 252-432-2001

PostiveK9LLC@gmail.com www.poistivek9llc.com

NC / GCG / Community Canine Trick Dog Testing

Sponsored by Durham Kennel Club

DKC Building 7318 Guess Rd Durham NC

Check their [Website](#) for more information

SC / Greater Columbia Obedience Club

GCOC Building Trial Location:

947 S. Stadium Rd. Columbia, SC

Offering CGC Testing and all levels Trick Dog Testing

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

SC / Palmetto Obedience Training Club

Holy Communion Lutheran Church

1430 John B. White Sr. Blvd, Spartanburg SC

We offer CGC classes in the spring and fall. Specific dates TBD. CGCA and CGCU are also offered occasionally to anyone who has passed the CGC.

The class is 9 weeks long and meets on Wednesdays at 6:30PM.

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

NC / Cape Fear Dog Training Club

Canine Good Citizen (CGC):

The purpose of Canine Good Citizen program sponsored by the American Kennel Club, is to ensure your dog can be a respected member of the community. Dogs pass the test by demonstrating that they can act mannerly at home, in public and in the presence of other dogs. This is a six week class that is open to all dogs. We give the canine good citizenship test at the end of our classes.

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

VA / CGC & Trick Dog Testing

Charleston Dog Training Club

June 1st, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Evaluators will be on hand and ready to administer a CGC & Trick Dog test so you can earn AKC titles.

First come first serve for testing.

When: Saturday, June 1, 2024, 10:30 AM until 12:30 PM

Where: Charleston Dog Training Center

charlestdogtrainingclub@gmail.com

7644 Southrail Road, Suite 300A, North Charleston, SC

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Disc Dogs

- 🐾 [Find AKC Disc Dog Resources Here](#)
- 🐾 [UpDog Challenge Website](#)
- 🐾 [Tar Heel Toss and Fetch Club](#)

North Carolina Disc Dogs

NC / Tarheel Toss & Fetch League

Eli Whitney Recreation Center
4110 E Greensboro Chapel Hill Rd, Graham, NC
Come out with your dog and learn how to play Toss and Fetch with your dog with the #3 Power Ranked Club in the World! This league is friendly for all skill levels: First Timers to Club Pros! This Worldwide League has over 120+ clubs from around the world competing against each other for the ultimate glory of top Toss and Fetch Club! A great way to play with your pup and get your throws in

For the full list of league dates, visit their [Facebook Page](#)

NC / UpDog Challenge

May 4th – 5th 2024

At Quicksilver Canine
5600 Clarence Rd, Julian, NC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UpDog at Jam-Min' Disc Dogs

May 25th – 26th, 2024

Jam'Min Dog Sports Field
1140 Matthews Rd - Pilot Mountain, NC [EVENT DETAILS](#)

NEW NC / Tarheel Air Dogs

Sliding G Ranch
2713 Orange Chapel Clover Garden Rd, NC

May 25-26, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

June 22 – 23, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

July 20 – 21, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UpDog Challenge

June 2nd, 2024

At Quicksilver Canine
5600 Clarence Rd, Julian, NC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UpDog at Jam-Min' Disc Dogs

July 6th & 7th 2024

Jam'Min Dog Sports Field
1140 Matthews Rd - Pilot Mountain, NC

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

NC / UpDog Challenge

Aug 3rd & 4th

At Quicksilver Canine
5600 Clarence Rd, Julian, NC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UpDog Challenge

Aug 24th & 25th

At Quicksilver Canine
5600 Clarence Rd, Julian, NC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / UpDog Challenge

Sept 7th & 8th

At Quicksilver Canine
5600 Clarence Rd, Julian, NC

[EVENT LISTING](#)

South Carolina Disc Dogs

Unable to located any Disc Dog tournaments in SC

Georgia Disc Dogs

GA / Bite Club – DISCtinctive Dogs of MKC

05/04/2024 - 05/05/2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

07/13/2024 - 07/27/2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

10/19/2024 - 11/02/2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

DISCtinctive Dogs of MKC

Location: Perry, Georgia

132 Hicks Drive, Perry, GA 31069, United States

GA / It's Gonna Be May – Crossroads Cluster Walk – Up Dog Challenge!

Forest City Sport Dogs

05/11/2024 - 05/12/2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Georgia National Fairgrounds

401 Larry Walker Pkwy – Perry, GA



VA / UpDog Event

Oct 19th & 20th

Leesville Lake Campground - Gretna, VA
3129 Gallows Road, Gretna, VA

[EVENT DETAILS](#)



Cover Story.....

Cold Wet Noses and Warm Hearts

A cold wet nose nudges a wrinkled and still hand. Aged eyes open and a smile of memories widens. In that simple interaction between a therapy dog and a man who has marked many years, the glow of a well lived life is kindled. The magic of such an occasion is common when following my four-legged angel on his rounds.

Baxter is an impressive and noble looking English Springer Spaniel. However, it is what his heart is like that makes him so important to the people he visits each week. Each of his friends get the special care they need that he senses on that visit. He leaves in his wake, serenity and reassurance that his friends have a compassionate friend that will be back the next week.

Therapy dogs have a different perspective about their relationship with people. They seem to have an innate sense of what someone needs at the moment and a drive to provide just that. Baxter's paw on a knee gives reassurance. His steady gaze expresses interest in the story being told. His nuzzle on a hand holds the power of a kiss and a hug from someone dear.

Therapy dogs work hard at their job and on the way home, often take a snooze from the effort. Yes, it is work for them but not in the sense we humans think of it. Therapy dogs revel in their work. When Baxter is asked, "Ready for work?" He heads to the back door, ears up, eyes bright and tail wagging.

It has been said that all dogs need a job. Bringing comfort and joy to someone in need of just that is more than a therapy dog's job, it is their passion. They meet everyone with an air of confidence that they can ease a troubled soul, bring about a smile and make the day better. They are the happy soldiers in worlds that often are not so happy. A therapy dog visit is frequently described as the best few minutes of the week.

Therapy dogs are unique individuals possessed of great character, poise and intelligence. There is no breed or hybrid that is the ideal. It is the individual dog, without regard to pedigree (or not) or size that separates itself from the pack for therapy work. An abiding love of humans and a strong driving spirit to please are the common denominators in therapy dogs.

Man and canine have been together for thousands of years. The relationship between species has grown beyond simple symbiosis. Both care for the other as companions in life. Therapy dogs fill the voids of life with little miracles of compassion and comfort flowing freely from a four-footed angel with a cold wet nose.

If you would like more information on therapy dogs or therapy dog team certification, contact Canine Therapy Partners – WNC Caninetherappypartners@gmail.com

Dock Diving

- 🐾 [Find AKC Diving Dog Information Here](#)
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North Carolina Dock Diving

Kabler School for Dogs

Asheville, NC

Dock Diving & Swim Center

[WEBSITE](#)

Brylin Obedience School

BOSS Dog Training Center

416-D W King Street, King, NC

[Check for Splash Zone Times!](#)

Sliding G Canine Ranch

2713 Orange Chapel Clover Garden Rd, NC

sgrdogs@gmail.com 919-448-5083 [WEBSITE](#)

Indian Creek K9 Aquatics

96 Indian Creek Est. Goldstrom, NC

[Find them on Facebook](#)

NC / Ultimate Air Dogs

- DOG DAY AFTERNOON

PRESENTED BY INGLES at LAKE JULIAN PARK

37 Lake Julian Rd, Arden, NC 28704

May 4th and September 14th, 2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

NC / Dock Diving @ Sliding G Canine Ranch

2713 Orange Chapel Clover Garden Rd, NC

Get details for all Dock Diving Events [HERE](#)

UKC Match	May 5 th , 2024	EVENT LISTING
IDS Event	May 11 th – 12 th , 2024	
UAD Event	May 25 th – 26 th , 2024	
IDS Event	June 8 th – 9 th , 2024	
UAD Event	June 22 nd – 23 rd , 2024	
IDS Event	July 6 th – 7 th , 2024	
UAD Event	*Regional Qualifier*	
	July 20 th – 21 st , 2024	
IDS Event	August 10 th – 11 th , 2024	

NC / NADD at Teamworks

Dock Diving Events in Youngsville, NC

Dock Diving Private Lessons are Available!

Teamworks Dog Training, 195 Robbins Rd,

Youngsville, NC

[CHECK FOR ALL EVENTS HERE](#)

Season Opener

May 24, 2024 - May 27, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Qualifier Event

June 7, 2024 - June 9, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

June Splashdown

June 28, 2024 - June 30, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Battle of the Breeds

July 28-29, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Season Finale

Aug 9-11, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / NADD at Carolina Training Center

Carolina Training Center

1754 Midway Road Stony Point, Stony Point, NC

Mutt Madness

May 24, 2024 - May 26, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

ROCK THE DOCK

June 21, 2024 - June 23, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

DOG DAZE DASH AND SPLASH

July 20, 2024 - July 21, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

MIDSUMMER MAYHEM

August 10 - 11, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / Dock Diving @ Brylin Obedience Specialty School

416 D W. Kind St, King, NC

UKC Dock Jumping & Precision Coursing

June 8th & 9th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

South Carolina Dock Diving

SC / NADD at Inlet Flyers

A Dog's Way Inlet Flyers

761 Pendergrass Av, Murrells Inlet, SC

Inlet Flyers May Play

May 2nd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

June Jubilation

June 13 – 16, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

July Fly Qualifier

July 11, 2024 - July 14, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

August Awesomeness

August 1 – 4, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Georgia Dock Diving

GA / NADD at Mugu's! 2024

Mugu's Pet Resort

10573 Colerain Rd, St Marys, GA 31558

Beat the Heat

May 16, 2024 - May 19, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Floating into Summer

May 31, 2024 - June 2, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Sparks will Fly at Mugu's 2024

June 27, 2024 - June 30, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Game Weekend – AR/HD Specialty

August 3rd & 4th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Mugu's Jump into the New Season (2025 season)

September 27th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Mugu's Halloweenie Weekend (2025 Season)

October 18th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / NADD at 24K DIVING DOGS

24K DIVING DOGS, 165 Tobacco Circle, Cairo, GA

SOME GAVE ALL 2024

May 24, 2024 - May 27, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Diving Dogs FREEDOM SPLASH 2024

June 20, 2024 - June 23, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

REMEMBRANCE SPLASH 2024

July 18, 2024 - July 21, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Dog Days of Summer

August 10 – 11, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Never Forget

Sept. 12 – 15, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

24K DIVING DOGS HOWLOWEEN

EXTRAVAGANZA (2025 Season)

October 31st, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / NADD at The Brightside's

The Brightside Dog Training

2032 Jones Phillips Rd, Dacula, GA

Mini Maytime Splash

May 11 – 12, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Hello Summer!

June 1, 2024 - June 2, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

June-tastic Mini Splash

June 21, 2024 - June 23, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Dog Days of Summer Mini Splash

August 23 – 25, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Goodbye Summer

September 21 – 22, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / NADD Crossroads Cluster

May 9, 2024 - May 12, 2024 (Thursday - Sunday)

LOCATION: SouthEast Mobile Dock

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Georgia National

Fairgrounds and Agricenter, Perry, GA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / NADD at Chestnut Hill Canine Sports

Chestnut Hill Canine Sports

165 Doug Smith Lane, Canton, GA

Memorial Day Weekend 2024

May 24, 2024 - May 26, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

4th of July Qualifier 2024

July 4, 2024 - July 7, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Christmas in July 2024

July 20, 2024 - July 21, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Back to School

August 3rd – 4th 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Labor Day Weekend

August 31 – Sept. 2, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / 2024 NADD Southeast Regionals

August 15, 2024 - August 18, 2024 (Thursday - Sunday)

SouthEast Mobile Dock

2405 sugarloaf pkwy, Lawrenceville, GA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

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E Tennessee Dock Diving

TN / NADD at Never A Dull Moment

Never a Dull Moment Dock Diving
131 CW Galloway Road, Jonesborough, TN

Splash Into Spring

May 3, 2024 - May 5, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Qualifier

May 31st – June 2nd 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Let Freedom Ring

July 5, 2024 - July 7, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Hot Dogs of Summer

August 2 – 4, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / NADD at Southern Kingdom

Diving Dogs

Southern Kingdom Diving Dogs
10205 Miller Rd, Soddy Daisy, TN

Splash Into Spring

May 17, 2024 - May 19, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Jump into June

June 21, 2024 - June 23, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Splash into Summer

July 12, 2024 - July 14, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Blast into August

August 9 – 11, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

2024 Southern Kingdom Diving Dogs Soar into September (2025 Season)

September 20th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / NADD TN Barkweek

June 5, 2024 - June 9, 2024 (Wednesday - Sunday)
LOCATION: SouthEast Mobile Dock [EVENT LISTING](#)
6736 Morganton Road Greenback Depot, Greenback,
TN

TN / 2024 NADD Mountain Comfort Cluster (2025 Season)

September 12, 2024 - September 15, 2024
LOCATION: SouthEast Mobile Dock
200 Natures Trail Sw, Tri State Exhibition Center
McDonald, TN [EVENT LISTING](#)

Virginia Dock Diving

VA / NADD at Shipps Corner

Shipps Corner
1515 Kesmile Road, Virginia Beach, VA

Guac on the Dock

May 4, 2024 - May 5, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Splash For Pride

May 31, 2024 - June 2, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Pirates Plunder Qualifier

June 28, 2024 - June 30, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

We Need a Bigger Boat

July 20th – 21st, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Aloha Luau

August 10 – 11, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / NADD at Walnut Hill Farm

5634 Ridgeview Road, Reva, VA

Circus! Circus!

May 31 – June 2, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

AR/HD Specialty

June 15 – 16, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Peace, Love and Dogs!

July 5 – 7, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Shark Week

July 12 – 14, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Mystic Dragons

August 2 – 4, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

Flipping Flamingos!

August 30th – Sept 1st, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / 2024 NADD Virginia Adventure

June 6, 2024 - June 9, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

This is a qualifier event for NADD Regionals.
LOCATION: Great Lakes Mobile Dock
Augusta Expo, 277 Expo Rd, Fishersville, Va

VA / 2024 NADD Virginia Dog Show Cluster

August 22, 2024 - August 25, 2024 (Thursday - Sunday)

This is a qualifier event for NADD Regionals.
LOCATION: SouthEast Mobile Dock
13191 dawn blvd, Doswell, Virginia [EVENT LISTING](#)



Fast Cat / CABT Lure Coursing Trials

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- 🐾 [American Sight Hound Field Association](#)
- 🐾 [UKC Lure Coursing Regs & Forms](#)
- 🐾 [UKC Precision Coursing Rules & Regs](#)
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North Carolina

NC / AKC FCAT

Fayetteville Kennel Club, Inc.

May 18th & 19th, 2024

Fayetteville Kennel Club Grounds
2400 Companion Ct., Fayetteville, NC
Closing Date: May 14, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC All-Breed FCAT

Biewer Terrier Club of America

May 31st – June 2nd, 2024

Brylin Obedience Specialty School
416-D W King Street, King, NC
Closing Date: Friday - May 17, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC FCAT

Carolina Scent Work Association

June 1st – 2nd, 2024

Brylin Obedience Specialty School
416-D W King Street, King, NC
Closing Date: May 22, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / UKC Precision Coursing

June 8th & 9th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Brylin Obedience Specialty School

416 D W. Kind St, King, NC

UKC Dock Jumping & Precision Coursing

NC / AKC FCAT

Raleigh Kennel Club, Inc.

August 30th – September 1st, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC State Fairgrounds

4285 Trinity Rd, Raleigh, NC

Closing Date: Wednesday - August 14, 2024

NC / AKC All- Breed CABT & FCAT

Dalmatian Club of the Piedmont

September 20th – 22nd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Frank Liske Park

4001 Stough Rd., Concord, NC

Closing Date: Tuesday - September 10, 2024

NC / AKC FCAT

Fayetteville Kennel Club, Inc.

September 22, 2024

Fayetteville Kennel Club Grounds

2400 Companion Ct., Fayetteville, NC

Closing Date: September 22, 2024

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South Carolina

SC / AKC FCAT

May 3rd – 5th 2024

Palmetto Obedience Training Club
Union County Fairgrounds, 120 Kirby Street, Union, SC
Closing Date: April 23rd, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

SC / AKC ALL-Breed Fast CAT

Spartanburg Kennel Club
May 10-12th, 2024 6Fast CAT

Union County Fairgrounds
120 Kirby Street, Union, SC
Early entry closes April 30th, 2024. [PREMIUM](#)

SC / AKC All-Breed Fast CAT & CABT

Savannah Kennel Club
March 22-24th, 2024
Guy Minick Youth Sports Complex
7200 Sally Mood Drive, Savannah GA.
Early entry closes March 12th, 2024. [PREMIUM](#)

SC / AKC FCAT

March 23rd – 24th 2024
Charlotte Dog Training Club
2273 Burkette Rd, Rock Hill, SC
Closing Date: March 23, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / AKC ALL-Breed Fast CAT

Vizsla Club of the Carolinas
September 20th – 22nd, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
South Congaree Horse Arena
301 Oak St, West Columbia, SC
Closing Date: Sunday - September 08, 2024

SC / AKC ALL-Breed Fast CAT

Hosted by: Piedmont Collie Club
Sept 27-29th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
Union County Fairgrounds
120 Kirby Street, Union, SC 29379
Early entry closes Sept 17th, 2024

SC / AKC FCAT

Spartanburg Kennel Club, Inc.
October 25th – 27th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Union County Fairgrounds
120 Kirby Street, Union, SC
Closing Date: Tuesday - October 15, 2024

SC / AKC FCAT & CABT

Greater Columbia Obedience Club Inc.
November 15th – 17th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Camden Polo Field
160 Polo Lane, Camden, SC
Closing Date: Tuesday - November 05, 2024

Georgia

GA / AKC FCAT - CABT

May 9th -12th 2024 2024
Macon Kennel Club
Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter
401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA
Closing Date: April 24, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / AKC All-Breed Fast CAT & CABT

Oconee River Kennel Club
May 17-19th, 2024
6 Fast CAT & 6 CABT [PREMIUM](#)
Knotty Branch Farm, 1232 Virginia Lane, Hull, GA

GA / AKC Lure Coursing

Greyhound Association of North Georgia
May 25th & 26th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Dale & Kasey Parks
1636 Airline Goldmine Road, Canon, GA
Closing Date: Saturday - May 25, 2024

GA / AKC Fast Cat

Greyhound Association of North Georgia
June 1st – 3rd, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
Dale & Kasey Parks
1636 Airline Goldmine Road, Canon, GA
Closing Date: Saturday – June 1, 2024

GA / AKC All-Breed Fast CAT

Dalmatian Club of America, Inc.
June 14th – 16th 2024
Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter
401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA
Web Site: www.dalmatianclubofamerica.org
Closes June 05, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)



GA / AKC Fast Cat

North Georgia Kennel Club

June 22nd & 23rd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

RiverGait farms

2408 Owens gin road NE, Calhoun, GA

Closing Date: Saturday - June 15, 2024

GA / AKC Fast CAT & CABT

Oconee River Kennel Club

Berger Picard Club of America

September 27th – 29th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Knotty Branch Farm, 1232 Virginia Lane, Hull, GA

GA / AKC Fast Cat

Ochlockonee River Kennel Club of Florida

November 8th – 10th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Deep South Fairgrounds

2057 Georgia Highway 122, Thomasville, GA

E. Tennessee

TN / AKC Sighthound Lure Coursing

Carolina Afghan Hound Club

June 8th – 9th, 2024

Kominek Farm, 123 Glendale Rd., Limestone, TN

Closing Date: June 08, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / AKC Fast Cat

Gazehound Association of the Smoky Mountains

May 11th & 12th, 2024

Kominek Farm

123 Glendale Rd., Limestone, TN

Closing Time: May 11, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / AKC All-Breed Fast Cat

Dogwood Rottweiler Club of Metropolitan Atlanta

May 31st – June 2nd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Sequoyah Birthplace Museum

576 Hwy 360, Vonore, TN

Web Site: <http://www.dogwoodrottweilerclub.com>

Closing Date: Friday - May 31, 2024

TN / AKC Sighthound Lure Coursing

Carolina Afghan Hound Club

June 8th & 9th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Kominek Farm

123 Glendale Rd., Limestone, TN

Closing Date: Saturday - June 08, 2024

TN / AKC Sighthound Lure Coursing

Gazehound Association of the Smoky Mountains

August 31st – September 2nd, 2024

Kominek Farm

123 Glendale Rd., Limestone, TN

Closing Time: No Time Available [EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / AKC All-Breed FCAT & CABT

Chattanooga Dog Agility Club

September 6th – 8th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Camp Jordan

323 camp jordan parkway, East Ridge, TN

Closing Date: Tuesday - August 27, 2024

TN / AKC All-Breed Fast Cat

North Georgia Kennel Club

September 12th – 15th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Tri-State Exhibition Center

200 Nature's Trail SW, McDonald, TN

Closing Date: Wednesday - August 28, 2024

TN / AKC All-Breed Fast Cat

Tennessee Valley Kennel Club

Oak Ridge Kennel Club

September 26th – 29th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Chilhowee Park

3301 E. Magnolia Avenue, Knoxville, TN

Closing Date: Thursday - September 26, 2024

Virginia

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Greater Washington Bouvier des Flandres Club

May 3rd – 5th, 2024

Dude Ranch Pet Resort,

11015 Dude Ranch Rd., Glen Allen, VA

Web Site: <http://dcbouvier.org>

Closing Date: April 28, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Tidewater Kennel Club of Virginia, Inc.

May 17th – 19th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Northwest River Park

1733 Indian Creek Rd, Chesapeake, VA

Closing Date: Monday - May 13, 2024



VA / AKC Lure Coursing

Sighthound Organization of Tidewater

May 18th – 19th, 2024

LA Quest Whippet Haven,
2867 Carsley's Rd, Dendron, VA

Closing Date: May 18, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Chesapeake Siberian Husky Club

Mattaponi Kennel Club

May 23rd – 27th 2024

White Post Restorations, 1 Old Car Dr, White Post, VA

Closes May 24th 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Blue Ridge Dog Training Club / Shawnee Kennel Club, Inc

June 5th – 9th, 2024

White Post Restorations, 1 Old Car Dr, White Post, VA

Web Site: <http://www.brdtc.org>

Closing Date: May 24, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Central Virginia Agility Club

June 22nd – 23rd 2024

Held at: Level Up Dog Sports

8438 Old Richfood Road, Mechanicsville, VA

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Capital Dog Training Club of Washington, D.C., Inc.

June 28th – 30th, 2024

White Post Restorations, 1 Old Car Dr, White Post, VA

Web Site: <http://www.cdtc.org/>

Closing Date: June 19, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Warrenton Kennel Club

Greater Fredericksburg Kennel Club

July 9th – 14th, 2024

Millbrook Farm

12149 Morgansburg Rd., Bealeton, VA

Closing Date: Monday - July 01, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Northern Neck Kennel Club of Virginia

August 23rd – 25th, 2024

Meadow Event Park, 13191 Dawn Blvd, Doswell, VA

Web Site: <http://www.northernneckkennelclub.com/>

Closing Date: August 23, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Virginia Beach Kennel Club

September 20th – 22nd, 2024

Waller Mill Park

901 Airport Rd., Williamsburg, VA

Closing Date: Friday - September 13, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Merrimac Dog Training Club

September 24th – 27th, 2024

Providence Park, 952 Reon Drive, Virginia Beach, VA

Web Site: <https://merrimacdogtrainingclub.org/>

Closing Date: September 19, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Potomac Valley Samoyed Club

Mattaponi Kennel Club

October 24th – 27th, 2024

White Post Restorations, 1 Old Car Dr, White Post, VA

Web Site: <http://www.potomacvalleysams.com/>

Closing Date: October 04, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Gloucester Kennel Club of Virginia

October 26th – 27th 2024

Gloucester Kennel Club of VA -Facility

10360 Woods Cross Roads, Gloucester, VA

Closing Date: October 26, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Lure Coursing

Sighthound Organization of Tidewater

October 26th – 27th, 2024

LA Quest Whippet Haven,

2867 Carsley's Rd, Dendron, VA

Closing Date: October 26, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Merrimac Dog Training Club

November 21st & 22nd, 2024

Waller Mill Park, 901 Airport Rd., Williamsburg, VA

Closing Date: November 18, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Shawnee Kennel Club, Inc.

November 21st – 23rd, 2024

White Post Restorations

1 Old Car Dr, White Post, VA

Closing Date: Thursday - November 21, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Potomac Valley Samoyed Club

Potomac Afghan Hound Club

November 26th – December 1st, 2024

White Post Restorations, 1 Old Car Dr, White Post, VA

Closing Date: November 16, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Langley Kennel Club

November 30th & December 1st, 2024

Waller Mill Park, 901 Airport Rd., Williamsburg, VA

Closing Date: November 30, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Fast Cat

Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club

January 4th & 5th, 2025

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Providence Park

952 Reon Drive, Virginia Beach, VA

Closing Date: Thursday - December 26, 2024

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AKC Fetch

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North Carolina

NC / AKC Fetch Judge Test II

May 23rd & May 26th, 2024

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Western NC Agricultural Center
Western North Carolina Agricultural Center
1301 Fanning Bridge Rd, Fletcher, NC
Closing Date: Thursday - May 23, 2024

NC / AKC Fetch

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina
May 25th – 26th 2024

Teamworks Dog Training
195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC
Closing Date: Saturday - May 25, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Fetch

Cape Fear Dog Training Club
June 1st & 2nd, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
Cape Fear DTC Facility
2463 Companion Court, Fayetteville, NC
Closing Date: Wednesday - May 29, 2024

NC / AKC Fetch

June 1 2024 & June 2 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
DURHAM KENNEL CLUB
7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC 27278
Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Retriever Levels
Tests Will Run Concurrently
Tests Will Run Concurrently in Level Order

NC / AKC Fetch

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina
June 8th & 9th, 2024
Teamworks Dog Training
195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC
Closing Date: June 8th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Fetch

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina
June 29th & 30th 2024
Teamworks Dog Training
195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC
Closing Date: June 29th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Fetch

Fayetteville Kennel Club, Inc.
July 13th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Fayetteville Kennel Club
2473 Companion Court, Fayetteville, NC
Closing Date: Sunday - July 07, 2024

NC / AKC Fetch

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina
July 27th & 28th, 2024
Teamworks Dog Training,
195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC
Closing Date: July 28th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Fetch

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina
August 10th & 11th, 2024
Teamworks Dog Training
195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC
Closing Date: August 11, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)



South Carolina

Unable to locate any events

Georgia

GA / AKC Fetch

AKC Fetch Judge Test
Bliss Pet Services and Crowe Farm Canines, LLC
May 11th – 12th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
Crowe Farm
464 Gray Rd, Roopville, GA
Closing Date: Friday - April 26, 2024

GA / AKC Fetch Judge Test II

June 1st & 2nd, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Crowe Farm
464 Gray Rd, Roopville, GA
Closing Date: Thursday - May 30, 2024

Eastern Tennessee

TN / AKC Fetch

Chattanooga Kennel Club

May 18th & 19th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Greystone Hollow

14618 Birchwood Pike, Birchwood, TN

Closing Date: No Date Available

TN / AKC Fetch Judge Test III

June 7th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Greenback High School

6945 Morganton Road, Greenback, TN

Closing Date: No Date Available

TN / AKC Fetch

Tennessee Valley Kennel Club

June 15th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Jubilee Farms

5946 Jubilee Farms Way, Knoxville, TN

Closing Date: Saturday - June 15, 2024

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competitors, to send in your events, your
training opportunities and your brags!

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the Competitive Canine



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Virginia

VA / AKC Fetch

New River Valley Kennel Club

May 4th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Enli Farms

8840 Newport Rd, Catawba, VA

Closing Date: Saturday - May 04, 2024

VA / AKC Fetch Judge Test II

May 5th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

The Maine Homestead

5095 Sumerduck Rd, Sumerduck, VA

Closing Date: Sunday - May 05, 2024

VA / AKC Fetch

Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club, Inc.

May 25, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Fetch Dog Levels Novice & Intermediate

At Dog Done Good

5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON April 18, 2024

ENTRIES CLOSE ON May 15, 2024

VA / AKC Fetch Judge Test II

May 25th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

White Post Restorations

Closing Date: Saturday - May 25, 2024



Flyball

- 🐾 [What is Flyball?](#)
- 🐾 [Find resources for AKC Flyball Here](#)
- 🐾 [North American Flyball Assoc.](#)
 - [Rule Book](#)

*Flyball is a team sport with competitions run as tournaments. Want to give it a try?
Find a club near you!*

- [NORTH CAROLINA](#)
- [SOUTH CAROLINA](#)
- [GEORGIA](#)
- [TENNESSEE](#)
- [VIRGINIA](#)

NC / Handle Like a Pro with Julie Jenkins

May 25th & 26th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Quicksilver Canine

5600 Clarence Road, Julian, NC

Training your dog to play flyball is just one piece of the puzzle. In the heat of competition, handler skills make the difference between teams that run like a well-oiled machine and teams that don't. Join us for two days of nerdy flyball training and learn to be the best handler you can be, for your dog and your team!

NC / Flyball Bootcamp with Julie Jenkins

June 8, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

July 28th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Quicksilver Canine

5600 Clarence Road, Julian, NC

Flyball Boot Camp is open to all students who have previously trained with Julie. Dogs must be at least 10-months old. Minimal lecture, maximum working time, while still allowing for discussion and Q&A. Get multiple working sessions with your dog(s) in a supportive group setting with personalized instruction. Limited to 10 working spots per day. Working spots are sold to a handler and the handler may split turns between multiple dogs. Please bring your own food and drinks.



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NC / Wagging Tails Massage

Asheville area - Lynn Hurley, the owner of Wagging Tails Massage, had a rescue Pit Bull named Bob with advanced elbow arthritis. She found that massaging him helped him tremendously, and she wanted to provide the same healing to other dogs. In 2023 she received her CCMT certification from Brandenburg Massage Therapy in Ohio. Lynn provides a mobile service in the greater Asheville area as well as working at agility events throughout the Southeast. Lynn goes at a dog's own pace – providing them with whatever they need at that moment. Some dogs need help with stress and anxiety, some need support following an injury or surgery. Other dogs need support for athletic activities, whether that is competition or just everyday play and exercise.

Canine massage provides the following:

- Loosens muscles & connective tissue, improves flexibility & range of motion.
- Increases circulation, flushes toxins & boosts the immune system
- Reduces stress & anxiety
- Aids in recovery by reducing pain & swelling which promotes healing

Website: www.waggingtailsmassage.com

Facebook page: [Wagging Tails Massage](#)

NC / Home Run Pet Clinic and Training in Hurdle Mills , NC

We offer western medical acupuncture and rehab medicine with a competitor's perspective. Training program includes PREHAB - preventing injuries by training and strengthening your sports teammate, reward based methods for foundation classes and privates for obedience, rally and agility.

Contact by text to 317-4429404 [Website](#)

Mona L. Gitter DVM CCRT Certified veterinary acupuncturist.

NC / WagHab, Asheville www.waghab.com

"WagHab's custom programs work wonders for dogs rehabbing from injuries. They also help dogs maintain strength and agility as they get older, while improving their sport performance and general well-being. "

SC / Greenville Kennel Club – Fit Dog

The Greenville KC offers a Fit Dog Program! Find more information [HERE!](#)

GA / Multi-Dog Workshop

Saturday, April 15th AND Sunday, April 16th

Canine Country Academy, Lawrenceville, GA

If you have two or more dogs, you know there are unique challenges that require management and training. You, like us, may not have realized this prior to adding the second or third dog.

In this two-part workshop, we will teach you and your dog how to live together with more skills, less stress, and more enjoyment. [Register HERE](#)

Freestyle

- 🐾 [*Canine Freestyle Federation*](#)
- 🐾 [*World Canine Freestyle Federation*](#)
- 🐾 [*AKC Information on Canine Freestyle*](#)
- 🐾 [*Rally Freestyle Elements*](#)



Herding / Stock Dog Trials / Farm Dog Certification

- 🐾 [Find AKC Herding Regulations Here](#)
- 🐾 [AHBA Information](#)
- 🐾 [ASCA Stock Dog Rules & Forms](#)
- 🐾 [USBCA Forms & Regs](#)
- 🐾 [Find the AKC Farm Dog Certification Guidelines Here and additional resources Here](#)

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Temperament (ATT), Canine Good Citizen (CGC),
Trick Dog(TKN)

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Want more info? Herding Club of the Carolinas
Hcctralsecretary@gmail.com or 805.302.4736
www.Onthelambherding.com

North Carolina

NC / AKC Herding Trial

May 11th - 12th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Piedmont Border Collie Assoc.

Ferrinsong Farm South

1122 Red Lane Rd., Pleasant Garden, NC

Web Site: www.piedmontbordercollie.com

NC / American Herding Breed Association Herding Tests & Trials

Saturday-Sunday, May 18-19, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Hosted by Not Quite Right Farm

1181 Pete Roberson Rd, Pittsboro, NC

NC / American Herding Breed Association Herding Trials

Saturday & Sunday June 8-9, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Back Porch Herding, Inc.

Hosted at Middle Tree Farm

340 Old Cedar Rd, Pittsboro, NC

NC / AMERICAN HERDING BREED ASSOCIATION TRIALS

June 21-22, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Sponsored by Maple Grove Farm

1886 Bescher Chapel Rd, Denton, NC

NC / AKC All Herding Breed Herding Trial & Herding Test

Cardigan Welsh Corgi Club of America, Inc.

October 5th & 6th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Maple Grove Farm

1886 Bescher Chapel Road, Denton, NC

Closing Date: Wednesday - September 18, 2024

South Carolina

SC / AKC Herding Trial & Farm Dog Certification

Herding Club of the Carolinas

May 3rd – 5th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Union County Fairgrounds

120 Kirby Street, Union, SC

Closing Date: Friday - May 03, 2024

SC / AKC Herding Trial & Farm Dog Certification

Herding Club of the Carolinas

May 10th – 12th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Union County Fairgrounds

120 Kirby Street, Union, SC

Closing Date: Friday - May 10, 2024

SC / AKC Herding Trial

May 22nd 2024

Swedish Vallhund Club of America

On The Lamb,

1740 Mcknowns Mountain Rd, Gaffney, SC

Web Site: <http://www.swedishvallhund.com/>

Closing Date: May 01, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Georgia

GA / ASCA Stock Dog Trial

Working ASC of Georgia

Hosts Cherokee Rose Stockdog Trial

May 3 - May 5, 2024

Location: Coosawattee Farm,

903 New Town Loop NE, Calhoun, GA

6 Arena Stockdog Arena Trials over 3 days [PREMIUM](#)

GA / AKC Herding Tests/Trials

May 18th - May 19th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

North Georgia All Breed Herding Dog Assn.

Entries open March 21st, 2024 12:00 PM

Entries close May 4th, 2024

All levels Started, Intermediate and Advanced

A and B Course Sheep, A and B Course Ducks

PT and HT Test Classes Sheep

Woods End Farm, 2225 Salem Rd, Watkinsville, GA

GA / Future NGABHDA Events

- Mark Your Calendars!!

Our Fall test trial will be **Oct 26 & 27, 2024** instead of Nov 2nd & 3rd

- We will offer two Instinct tests of Oct 26
- We will offer two HT & PT tests on October 27

Our winter trial will remain December 28 & 29, 2024

We will offer A & B course ducks and sheep both days

The spring trial 2025 will be **April 26 & 27, 2025**

The winter trial will be **January 3 & 4, 2026**

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

Tennessee

TN / AKC Judges Farm Dog Certified Test

May 4th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

BRLEJ Farm LLC

1600 Brown Springs Rd., Greeneville, TN

All AKC-Recognized Breeds

Closing Date: Saturday - April 27, 2024

TN / AKC Farm Dog Test

Tennessee Valley Kennel Club

June 15th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Jubilee Farms

5946 Jubilee Farms Way, Knoxville, TN

Closing Date: Saturday - June 15, 2024

TN / AHBA mixed Stock Trial - Sycamore Creek May The Ewe Be With You

May 4th and May 5th

[PREMIUM](#)

4326 Pleasant Gap Road Powell, TN

TN / AKC Farm Dog Certification Test

May 4th and May 5th

[EVENT LISTING](#)

BRLEJ Farm 1600 Brown Springs Rd Greeneville TN

TN / AKC Judges Farm Dog Certified Test

June 22nd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Putnam County Fairgrounds

155 Fairgrounds St. Cookeville, TN

Closing Date: Saturday - June 22, 2024

TN / AKC Judges Farm Dog Certified Test

September 12th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

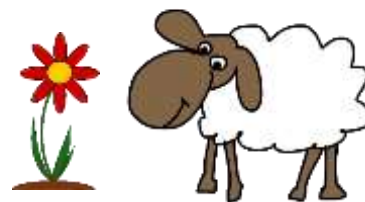
Tri-State Exhibition Center

200 Nature's Trail SW, McDonald, TN

All AKC-Recognized Breeds



Kolter Sheppard's puppy
Mushroom learning to work sheep



Virginia

VA / ASCA Stock Dog Trial

Working Aussies of Virginia ASC

May 10th – 12, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VENUE: 412 Russell Rd, Berryville, VA

VA / All Breed Herding Trials & Farm Dog Certification

American Belgian Malinois Club

May 24th & 25th, 2024

Caisson Farms, 10361 Heddings Rd, Catlett, VA

Web Site: <http://www.malinoisclub.com/abmc/>

Closing Date: April 24, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC All Herding Breed Herding Trial & Herding Test

Blue Ridge Herding Association

July 27th & 28th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Keepstone Farm, 412 Russell Road, Berryville, VA

Closing Date: Wednesday - July 10, 2024

VA / AKC All Herding Breed Herding Trial & Herding Test

Potomac Valley Shetland Sheepdog Club, Inc.

November 9th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Keepstone Farm

412 Russell Road, Berryville, VA

VA / ASCA Stock Dog Trial

Working Aussies of Virginia ASC

November 22 – 24, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

VENUE: 412 Russell Rd, Berryville, VA

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Hunt Test & Field Trials

- 🐾 [Find AKC Retriever Hunt Test Information Here](#)
- 🐾 [Find AKC Pointing Breed Hunt Test Regulations Here](#)
- 🐾 [Find AKC Spaniel Field Trial Information Here](#)
- 🐾 [UKC Hunting Test Information Entry Express](#)
- 🐾 [Cherokee Foothills HRC](#)

This month I removed listings for hunt tests and field trials. This particular sport is a bit removed from the companion events that we all enjoy. I still support them and will happily include your brags! If I was wrong in this decision, please let me know. This is your magazine and if I'm missing something you want or need, I want to know about it.

Register Your Dog With.....

- 🐾 [AKC – American Kennel Club](#)
- 🐾 [ASCA – Australian Shepard Club of America](#)
- 🐾 [IABCA – International All Breed Canine Association](#)
- 🐾 [UKC – United Kennel Club](#)
- 🐾 [LGRA \(Large Gazehound Racing Association\) Number Application](#)
- 🐾 [NOTRA \(National Oval Track Racing\) Number Application](#)
- 🐾 [Barn Hunt Association Registration](#)

Rodear

Rodear is a point and time event wherein the stock savvy and skill of the dog, rider and horse are put to the test. The competition centers around maneuvering a small group of cattle through a number of obstacles in a set amount of time.

- 🐾 [What is Rodear?](#)
- 🐾 [Rules](#)

VA / Rodear Trial

May 17-19, 2024

Sinking Creek Cattle Trial, New Castle, VA

Contact: Anna Smith

Phone: 540-357-2298

Email: rummlerrun@gmail.com

Entry Deadline Date: May 01, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Rodeo Dog Trials

- 🐾 [Rodeo Dog rules, regulations, policies, and guidelines](#)

Rodeo Dog Trials at Bark Week

June 3 - June 5, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

at Canines by Karen at Finny Farm

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Scent Work Nose Work

- 🐾 [Find AKC Scent Work Resources and Regulations Here](#)
- 🐾 [CPE Information](#)
- 🐾 [UKC Nose Work Regs & Forms](#)
- 🐾 [National Assoc of Canine Scent Work \(NACSW\)](#)
- 🐾 [United States Canine Scent Sports](#)

See also "Working Dog Tests" in this magazine for other fun nose games

North Carolina

NC / All Breed AKC Scent Work Trial

English Cocker Spaniel Club of America, Inc.

Wednesday, May 1st 2024

Crowne Plaza Asheville

One Resort Drive, Asheville, NC

Web Site: www.englishcocker.org

Opens February 23, 2024

Closes April 10, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina

May 11th & 12th 2024

Teamworks Dog Training

195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC

Web Site: www.youngsvilleagilityclub.com

Opens March 11th 2024

Closes May 03, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

NC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Moore County Kennel Club of North Carolina

May 18th & 19th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Sandhills Community College

3395 Airport Road, Pinehurst, NC

Application Acceptance: First Received

Closing Date: Wednesday - May 08, 2024



NC / Sniff & Go –

June 23, 2024 | Sept 2, 2024

Teamworks Youngsville Location.

8am-11am. \$5 / 3 minute turn in one element. All 5 elements for \$20. Interior, Exterior, Containers, Buried, & Vehicles. Birch, Anise, Clove & Cypress hides in each element.

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / CPE Scent Sport Trial

Bon-Clyde Learning Center

July 5 - July 6

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Location: Sanford, NC

Closing Date: 06/26/2024

NC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Durham Kennel Club Inc

August 3rd & 4th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Durham Kennel Club

7318 Guess Rd, Hillsborough, NC

Application Acceptance: First Received

Closing Date: Monday - July 22, 2024

NC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Winston-Salem Dog Training Club, Inc.

August 17th – 18th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Winston-Salem Dog Training Club

3800 Bethania Station Road, Winston-Salem, NC

Application Acceptance: First Received

Closing Date: Wednesday - August 07, 2024

NC / Scent Work Seminar with Joanne Kuchinski

August 17, 2024

Teamworks Dog Training, Training Hall, Youngsville, NC

Advanced Scent Work: 9am-noon Working & Auditor

Spots. Intro to Scent Work: 1pm-4pm Working &

Auditor Spots

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

NC / CPE Scent Sport Trial

August 18, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Teamworks Dog Training, Youngsville, NC

195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC

NC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Carolina Piedmont Agility Club

September 2nd, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Bon-Clyde Learning Center

3030 Lee Avenue, Sanford, NC

Closing Date: Friday - August 23, 2024

NC / CPE Scent Sport Trial

Oct 26 - 28, 2024

Teamworks Dog Training, Youngsville, NC
TWO TRIALS EACH DAY! Levels 1,2,3,5 ; Exterior,
Interior, Containers and Vehicles

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina

November 9th – 10th 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Teamworks Dog Training

195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC

Web Site: www.youngsvilleagilityclub.com

Closes November 1st 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Youngsville Agility Club of North Carolina

December 14th – 15th 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Teamworks Dog Training

195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC

Web Site: www.youngsvilleagilityclub.com

South Carolina

SC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Upstate South Carolina Scent Work Club

May 4th & 5th 2024

Piedmont Interstate Fairgrounds

575 Fairground Rd, Spartanburg, SC

Opens March 25th 2024

Closes April 26, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

SC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Upstate South Carolina Scent Work Club

October 5th & 6th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Gray Court-Owings Elementary School

9210 Highway 14, Gray Court, SC

Application Acceptance: Random Draw

Closing Date: Friday - September 27, 2024

SC / AKC Scent Work Trial

Dog Obedience Club of Greenville, Inc.

November 8th – 10th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Renfrew Baptist Church

951 Geer Hwy, Travelers Rest, SC

Application Acceptance: First Received

Closing Date: Tuesday - October 29, 2024

Georgia

GA / April Scent Work Trial

Atlanta Obedience Club

September 21st - 22nd, 2024

[EVENT DETAILS](#)

AOC Training Building

1193-D Beaver Ruin Rd, Norcross, GA

GA / AKC All Breed Scent Work Trial

Dalmatian Club of America, Inc.

June 18th and 19th 2024

Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA

Web Site: www.dalmatianclubofamerica.org

Closes May 01, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Eastern Tennessee

TN / AKC All Breed Scent Work Trial

Oak Ridge Kennel Club

September 14th & 15th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Oak Ridge Kennel Club

1790 Oak Ridge Trnpg, Oak Ridge, TN

Application Acceptance: First Received

Closing Date: Wednesday - August 28, 2024

TN / AKC All Breed Scent Work Trial

Chattanooga Dog Agility Club

September 28th & 29th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Play Dog Excellent

4113 Dayton Blvd., Chattanooga, TN

Application Acceptance: First Received

Closing Date: Wednesday - September 11, 2024

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of the Carolinas?**

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Virginia

VA / AKC Scent Work

Mid-Atlantic Basenji Club of Maryland
May 4th – 5th 2024

Frederick Co Fairgrounds
250 Fairgrounds Road, Clear Brook, VA
Closing Date: Wednesday - April 17, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

VA / UKC Nosework

Sat, May 4, 2024, Sun, May 5, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

HOST CLUB: All Dog Performance Sports Club
Held In Conjunction with Hampton Roads Kennel Club
LOCATION: Southampton Fairgrounds
3537 New Market Rd, Courtland, VA

VA / AKC Scent Work

Star City Canine Training Club of Roanoke
May 17th – 19th 2024
Camp Tuk-A-Way, 2262 Craig Creek Road, Blacksburg, VA
Web Site: <http://www.starcityk9training.com>
Closing Date: Tuesday - April 30, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC All Breed Scent Work

American Belgian Malinois Club
May 22, 2024
Horizons Edge Sports Campus
325 Cornerstone Lane, Harrisonburg, VA
Closing Date: April 24, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Scent Work

July 27th – 28th 2024
Merrimac Dog Training Club
15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA
Web Site: www.merrimacdogtrainingclub.org
Closing Date: July 17th 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Scent Work

Cavalier Doberman Pinscher Club
August 30th – September 1st 2024
VFW Post 10657, 11568 Cedar Ln., Glen Allen, VA
Opens July 24th 2024
Closes August 14th 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

Congratulations

VA / AKC Scent Work

Tidelands Poodle Club of Virginia
September 21st & 22nd, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
YMCA Camp Arrowhead
275 Kenyon Road, Suffolk, VA
Application Acceptance: First Received
Closing Date: Wednesday - September 04, 2024

VA / AKC Scent Work

Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club
October 5th & 6th 2024
YMCA Camp Arrowhead, 275 Kenyon Road, Suffolk, VA
Web Site: <http://www.hrotc.org>
Closing Date: September 18, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)

VA / AKC Scent Work

November 2nd – 3rd 2024
Merrimac Dog Training Club
15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA
Web Site: www.merrimacdogtrainingclub.org
Closing Date: October 23, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)



**Erin Gaughran
and Indy had**

a great time at Indy's first CPE
Canine Scent Sport trial under
judge Joanne Kuchinski. The trial
took place at Bon-Clyde Learning
Center in Sanford, NC. Indy Q'd
in level 1 and 2 interiors!

Schutzhund / IGP / IPO

Schutzhund, currently known competitively as IGP and previously as IPO, is a dog sport that tests a dog's tracking, obedience, and protection skills, and evaluates if a dog has the appropriate traits and characteristics of a good working dog.

- 🐾 [United Schutzhund Club of America](#)
- 🐾 [USCA Rules & Regs](#)
- 🐾 [Schutzhund Training](#)
- 🐾 [LV DVG America](#)

Asheville Working Dog Club

Asheville, NC

[WEBSITE](#)

Fayetteville Schutzhund Club

Dunn, NC

[WEBSITE](#)

Piedmont Schutzhund Club

Claremont, NC

[WEBSITE](#)

Raleigh Schutzhund Association

Roxboro, NC

[WEBSITE](#)

North Beach Schutzhund Club

Longs, SC

[WEBSITE](#)

Carolina Schutzhund Club

Swansea, SC

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Coal Mountain Schutzhund Association

Cummings, GA

[WEBSITE](#)

Greater Atlanta Schutzhund Association

Monroe, GA

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Chattahoochee Schutzhund Club

Winston, GA

[WEBSITE](#)

Central Virginia Schutzhund Club

Glen Allen, VA

[WEBSITE](#)

Search and Rescue (SAR) Resources

- 🐾 [Find resources for the AKC SAR Program Here](#)
- 🐾 [FEMA SAR Information](#)
- 🐾 [North Carolina Canine Search and Response Team](#)
- 🐾 [Search and Rescue Dogs of the United States](#)
- 🐾 [Virginia Search and Rescue Dog Association](#)



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Speedway Trials

🐾 [What is CPE Speedway?](#)

NC / UPCOMING CPE Speedway Trials @ Teamworks

Hosted by Teamworks Dog Training, LLC
195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, North Carolina

May 3 - May 5 [PREMIUM](#)
September 13 – 14, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
September 27 – 28, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
November 1 - November 3 [EVENT LISTING](#)
November 22 - November 24 [EVENT LISTING](#)
November 29 – 30, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / CPE Speedway

Rocky Top K9 Agility
June 13, 2024
125 Clarence Lee Rd, Lancing, TN [EVENT LISTING](#)

SC / UPCOMING CPE Speedway Trials @ A Way to Play Agility Club

Hosted by A Way to Play Agility Club
Location: A Dog's Way Inn,
761 Pendergrass Ave., Murrells Inlet, SC
September 5, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
October 11 – 13, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
November 7, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

NC / CPE Speedway Trials @ Jam-Min' Dog Sports

HOSTED BY: Jam-Min' Dog Sports
1140 Matthews Rd, Pilot Mountain, NC
October 19th – 20th [EVENT LISTING](#)

Temperament Test

🐾 [Find information on the AKC
Temperament Test Program HERE](#)

GA / AKC Temperament Test

Macon Kennel Club
May 10th, 2024
Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter
401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA
Closing Date: No Date Available [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / AKC Temperament Test

Langley Kennel Club
May 11th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
Langley Kennel Club Event Center
106 N Constitution Dr, Yorktown, VA
Closing Date: Monday - May 06, 2024

NC / AKC Temperament Test

Raleigh-Durham Labrador Retriever Club
May 18th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
Durham Kennel Club
7318 Guess Rd, Hillsborough, NC
All AKC-Recognized Breeds
Closing Date: No Date Available

NC / AKC Temperament Test

Hendersonville Kennel Club
May 24th & 25th, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)
WNC Ag Center
NC 280/Airport Rd, Fletcher, NC
Closing Date: Friday - May 24, 2024

TN / AKC Temperament Test

Tennessee Valley Kennel Club
June 15th, 2024 [PREMIUM](#)
Jubilee Farms
5946 Jubilee Farms Way, Knoxville, TN
Closing Date: Saturday - June 15, 2024

VA / AKC Temperament Test

Greater Fredericksburg Kennel Club
August 25th 2024
Meadow Event Park
13191 Dawn Blvd, Doswell, VA
Web Site: <http://www.gfk.org>
Closing Date: August 07, 2024 [EVENT LISTING](#)

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Therapy Dog

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- 🐾 [Alliance of Therapy Dogs](#)
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- 🐾 [Therapy Dogs International](#)

NC / Canine Therapy Partners – WNC

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VA / Star City Canine Training Club

Roanoke area, VA

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[MORE INFORMATION](#)



The idiom “A Dog in a Doublet” paints a quirky and somewhat comical picture, perfectly suited for describing situations that are awkwardly mismatched or overly pretentious.

Imagine a dog dressed in a doublet—a stylish, snug-fitting jacket from the Renaissance period often adorned with elaborate details and worn by the nobility. This unlikely sight captures the essence of the idiom, which highlights the absurdity of someone or something trying to fit into a role or appearance that is clearly unsuitable or far too grandiose. It’s about the awkwardness of forced fits or pretensions, much like a common mutt masquerading as a courtly noble.

This expression is a colorful way to critique pretensions or mismatches in life. Whether it’s a novice acting like an expert, a casual startup trying too hard with corporate formalities, or simply an over-the-top outfit at a laid-back gathering, calling it “a dog in a doublet” deftly conveys the awkwardness and inappropriateness of the situation. This idiom reminds us of the importance of authenticity and the awkwardness that can result when someone steps too far outside their genuine self or situation. It’s a humorous nudge to stay true to one’s roots and avoid the folly of overreaching in attempts to impress.

Want more dog idioms? Visit Linguaholic.com

Tracking

- 🐾 [Find the AKC Tracking Regulations Here](#)
- 🐾 [ASCA Tracking Rules & Forms](#)

VA / All Breed AKC TD/TDX Tracking Test

American Belgian Malinois Club

May 17, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Oatlands Plantation

20850 Oatlands Plantation Lane,

Route 15 South, Leesburg, VA

Closing Date: Wednesday - April 24, 2024

GA / All Breed Tracking Test

Dalmatian Club of America, Inc.

June 15th 2024

Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA

www.dalmatianclubofamerica.org

[PREMIUM](#)

TN / AKC TD/TDU Tracking Test

Oak Ridge Kennel Club

October 27th, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Roane State Community College

276 Patton Lane, Harriman, TN

Closing Date: Wednesday - October 09, 2024

Treibball

- 🐾 [Learn about Treibball](#)
- 🐾 [National Assoc of Treibball Enthusiasts](#)

NC / Treibball Classes

Brylin Obedience Specialty School

Treibball, or driving ball, is a competitive sport for dogs of all ages, and sizes, who love to play chase games or who just love to herd. Invented in Germany a dozen years ago by Dutchman Jan Nijboer, the first competitive match was held in 2007. It's great fun for any energetic dog who works well off-leash and needs a job, or one who doesn't have sheep!

Find Class Information [HERE](#)

NC / Treibball Seminars with Lisa Triggs

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May 25 / Jun 23 / Jul 28 / Oct 20 / Nov 16 / Dec 7

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All Levels – From Intro to Advanced Welcome –

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[MORE INFORMATION](#)

Trick Dog

- 🐾 [Find AKC Trick Dog Resources Here](#)

NC / GCG / Community Canine Trick Dog Testing

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Check their [Website](#) for more information

SC / Greater Columbia Obedience Club

GCOC Building Trial Location:

947 S. Stadium Rd. Columbia, SC

Offering CGC Testing and all levels Trick Dog Testing

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

VA / CGC & Trick Dog Testing

Charleston Dog Training Club

June 1st, 2024

[EVENT LISTING](#)

Evaluators will be on hand and ready to administer a CGC & Trick Dog test so you can earn AKC titles.

First come first serve for testing.

When: Saturday, June 1, 2024, 10:30 AM until 12:30 PM

Where: Charleston Dog Training Center

charlestdogtrainingclub@gmail.com

7644 Southrail Road, Suite 300A, North Charleston, SC

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Weight Pull

🐾 [UKC Weight Pull Rules & Forms](#)

VA / UKC Weight Pull

Fri, May 3 – Sun, May 5, 2024

Hampton Roads Kennel Club

EVENTS OFFERED: Conformation, Weight Pull

LOCATION: Southampton Fairgrounds

3537 New Market Rd, Courtland, VA [EVENT LISTING](#)

GA / UKC Weight Pull

Fri, Aug 30 – Mon, Sep 2, 2024

HOST CLUB: Middle Georgia Kennel Club

EVENTS OFFERED

Conformation), Obedience, Weight Pull

LOCATION: Georgia National Fairgrounds

McGill Marketplace Building

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKC Weight Pull

Fri, Oct 4 – Sun, Oct 6, 2024

Hampton Roads Kennel Club

EVENTS OFFERED: Conformation, Weight Pull

LOCATION: Southampton Fairgrounds

3537 New Market Rd, Courtland, VA [EVENT LISTING](#)

VA / UKC Weight Pull

Fri, Dec 6 – Sun, Dec 8, 2024

Hampton Roads Kennel Club

EVENTS OFFERED: Conformation, Weight Pull

LOCATION: Southampton Fairgrounds

3537 New Market Rd, Courtland, VA [EVENT LISTING](#)

i love when vets knock before they
come into the room. like yes my dog
is naked but she also arrived that
way



Working Dog Tests

🐾 [What is NASDA?](#)

🐾 [NASDA Rules & Regs](#)

*See also "Scent Work" in this magazine
for other fun nose games*

GA / NASDA Working Dog Trials

May 4th and 5th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

Hosted by Canine Country Academy

Open to All Breed and Mixed Breeds

6 Trials, 2 Days

The Ranch - Boarding & Daycare

6150 W. Dixie Highway, Rutledge, GA 30663

TN / NASDA Working Dog Trial

June 3 – 6, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

12 Trials, 4 days

Hosted by Canines By Karen

Location: Greenback Community Center

6889 Morganton Road, Greenback TN

And Greenback Public School

6945 Morganton Road, Greenback TN

TN / NASDA Working Dog Trial

August 2nd – 4th, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

9 Trials, 3 days

Hosted by Canines By Karen

Location: Greenback Community Center

6889 Morganton Road, Greenback TN

And Greenback Public School

6945 Morganton Road, Greenback TN

GA / NASDA Working Dog Trials

August 10 - 11, 2024

[PREMIUM](#)

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GA / Macon Kennel Club - Conformation Show & Obedience / Rally Trials

Macon Kennel Club

Friday 05/10/2024 & Saturday 05/11/24

Show Location: Georgia Ntl Fairgrounds & Agricenter

401 Larry Walker Parkway, Perry, GA 31069-4204

Closing Date: Wednesday 04/24/24 [EVENT LISTING](#)

TN / Greater Kingsport Kennel Club Conformation Show

Obedience / Rally Trials

Greater Kingsport Kennel Club

Friday 05/17/2024

Show Location: Appalachian Fairgrounds

100 Lakeview St, Gray, TN 37615

Closing Date: Wednesday 05/01/24 [PREMIUM](#)

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Fletcher, NC 28732

www.BlueRidgeClassicDogShows.org

VA / Greater Fredericksburg KC Conformation / Obedience / Rally Trials

Saturday 08/24/24 & Sunday 08/24/24

Show Location: Meadow Event Park

13191 Dawn Blvd, Doswell, VA

[EVENT LISTING](#)



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sports too!*



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Conformation Classes Conformation Matches

*because sometimes our working dogs
are also pretty*

- 🐾 [Find the AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows Here](#)
- 🐾 [UKC Rules & Forms](#)
- 🐾 [IABCA Information](#)

NC / Asheville KC Handling Classes

The next session will start on Monday April 29th, 2024, will run for 8 weeks of classes, and will end on June 24. (No class will be held on Monday, May 27 as this is our all breeds dog show long weekend.) You will have 4 weeks to work with your dog/s before our shows! We will take a break during the hot months of the summer; no classes will be held during the months of July and August.

Classes will be **held at the Companion Dog Training Center, 31 Monticello Rd., Weaverville, NC.** As this is a new year ALL will be asked to fill in and sign paperwork. You must bring a current Rabies Vaccination certificate, NOT just the tag. A picture of the Rabies vaccination certificate on your cell phone will be accepted. Also, bring a lead and training treats. Only one dog per person at a time.

For your convenience all paperwork is available on the Asheville K.C website. Please download, print, fill in and bring paperwork with you, along with your Rabies Vaccination certificate.

The fee per class is \$5 for non club members, and \$3 for club members.

Supervised children of any age are welcome to Handling Class, but only children 12 or older can take part in the class.

Thanks for your interest and we look forward to seeing all of you and your dogs! [MORE INFORMATION](#)

NC / Canton Handling Classes

Dog Show Conformation / HANDLING CLASSES

Weekly May 3-June 21 on Tuesday evenings

Handling for Beginners

Promptly at 5:00. Come early to exercise your dog.

This is an 8-week intensive class, covering all aspects of handling. Learn stacking, gaiting, ring procedures, and tips. Ideal for anyone new to the sport of dogs or children interested in Junior Showmanship/4-H.

*Must be pre-registered. Class size is limited.

\$100/handler

Ring Time: Immediately following the Beginner Class @ 6:00. This is for those who are just looking for ring prep/practice, table time, and exams.

Ideal for the experienced handler with puppies or inexperienced dogs in need of some hands-on exposure.

Drop-in basis. \$5/dog

Classes are held outdoors at Far Flung Farm in Canton. We'll still hold class in inclement weather (just like dog shows). In case of drastic weather, Beginners will come inside without dogs. In drastic weather, Ring Time will be cancelled.

Instructor is a licensed AKC judge and former Junior Handler.

Contact Kelly Lovejoy at 803-237-4948 to register or get more information.

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NC / Forsyth Kennel Club

Handling Class

Tuesdays, 7:30 PM 8:30 PM

Just Dogs Academy

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Professional dog handling classes. Beginners welcome at Just Dogs Academy (to the left of the parking lot for Countryside Veterinary),

Pay as you go: \$5 per class for Forsyth Kennel Club members; \$10 for Non-Kennel Club members.

Check the website for their [schedule](#)

The confidence that you need is belief in your potential. If you see world class potential in yourself and your dog, you'll put forth the effort. If you don't see the potential, then you won't put forth the effort and you'll wait for the performance and the performance always follows the belief in self.

SC / Greenville Kennel Club

Handling classes at both Speedy Paws and Happy Dogs Weekly Show-N-Go Classes Start:

Wednesday, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM at Happy Dogs, 24 Carver Street, Wellford, SC

Thursday, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM at Speedy Paws, 630 Keith Dr, Greenville, SC

MORE INFORMATION

Classes run for Six weeks

Dogs must be a minimum of 4 mos old, and also be fully vaccinated. Cost is \$35 for members, \$65 for non members. [Full information here](#)

NC / Hendersonville Kennel Club

Learn tips and tricks to handle your dog in the breed ring! Our instructors are all experienced handlers willing to help you achieve your goals! Puppies are welcome as are junior handlers! You must bring your dog's vaccination records to the first class. Cost is \$5 for non-members, \$3 for members.

Contact Corliss at corliss9617@att.net
<https://www.hendersonvillekc.org/>

NC / Greater Hickory Kennel Club

HANDLING CLASS

Where: City of Newton Southside Community Building
1771 S. US. 321 Business, **Newton, NC**

Turn at the Connections sign and keep going straight back to the end of the road. Do not turn into driveway before... go to the end of the road. There are parking spaces by the low building.

Time: 3-4pm

Must bring proof of vaccinations/rabies and sign paperwork before class starts.

Cost: \$10 per dog, per class

No more than 2 dogs. Will need to crate if you are not working the dog. [MORE INFORMATION](#)

NC / Piedmont Kennel Club

13607 Choate Cir, **Charlotte, NC** 28273

Instructor: [Mary Dolde](#)

Mary has offered weekly handling classes at PKC for 25+ years. She can assist the beginner to the experience handler in presenting their dogs. She takes much pride in seeing her students show and finish their own dogs.

Wednesday Evenings

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

Drop-in class – 6:30PM / Beginner class – 7:30PM

NC / Positive K9 LLC

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NC / Heather Rife is offering small class conformation instruction.

Not your routine handling class! Heather Rife is holding a conformation handling class on Wednesdays at 2:00-3:30 at the Companion Dog Training school in **Weaverville, NC** and Mondays in **Landrum, SC**. It will be 4 weeks of in depth training and will include one hour of work with the dogs and 30 minutes of theory....including tips and tricks, what classes to enter and how to evaluate your judge and ring procedure before you step in the ring. This class is limited to 6-7 handlers to allow for individual attention and problem solving for you and your dog. It is open to brand new novice handlers, experienced handlers with new dogs, or those that need to brush up their skills. 100.00/4 week session, starting Jan 10th. There are 4 spaces available for this session. Email Heather with questions or to reserve your space. dogvetdvm@gmail.com

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🐾 Central, SC

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[WEBSITE](#)

🐾 Charleston, SC

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[WEBSITE](#)

🐾 N. Charleston, SC

CGC, Obedience, Scentwork, Therapy Dogs Family Fido LLC

[Website](#) or by phone: (440) 865-0822.

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[WEBSITE](#)

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CGC, Obedience

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🐾 Columbia, SC

Agility

Carolina Performance K9s

Columbia and Aiken, SC

Instruction by Alison Carter. Agility - Private lessons & classes for all levels of training. www.cpk9s.com

Agility, Barn Hunt, Obedience/Rally, Tricks Greater Columbia Obedience Club

membership is open to dog enthusiasts interested in learning more about training dogs, competing, and socializing with other dog lovers in the community. We promote positive training methods for all purebreds and mixed breed dogs.

The club holds various trials, classes and workshops throughout the year to help raise money, educate the community and provide a venue to show off the talents of dogs in the region.

[WEBSITE](#)



🐾 Conway, SC

Separation Anxiety, Dogs with Big Feelings, Obedience, Rally, Scentwork, and Therapy Dogs.

Side By Side Dog Training

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CDC, Obedience/Rally, Conformation Handling, Barn Hunt, Scent Work, Pullers Fayetteville Kennel Club

The Fayetteville Kennel Club is dedicated to the advancement of purebred dogs. Our backgrounds and experience vary, but all of us share one common trait – we love our dogs.

Starting 3/11:

- Monday Rally Novice 6:30-7:15 Advance 7:15 to 8:00
- Tues 6:30-7:15 puppy/young adult 7:30-8:15 CGC
- Wed Pullers (free) 5-6 6:15-7 Mash up 7:15-8:00 scent work
- Thur 5:30-6:15 private/small class for reactive dogs private lessons 6:30-7 junior conformation 7-8 conformation/handling class
- Friday 4-6 Barn Hunt practice/skills

6 weeks class members \$50 non members \$100 except Barn Hunt \$10 for drop in training

[WEBSITE](#) / [FACE BOOK](#)

Durham, NC

Agility, Conformation, Freestyle, Obedience/Rally Durham Kennel Club

Durham Kennel Club offers to its members and to the general public classes in obedience, agility and conformation show handling.

Classes in Agility, Conformation, Freestyle, and Obedience/Rally

[Club Website](#)

Greenville, SC

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