Official Premium List

4 - AKC All Breed Fast-CAT Test

Open to ALL AKC Registered and Mixed breeds (via AKC Canine Partners)

Hosted by

Okaloosa Kennel Club



Wednesday Feb 19th & Sunday Feb 23nd 2025

2 Events each day

Concurrent runs are allowed with 30 minutes rest between runs.

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

Wednesday 2/19	2025003301, 2025003302
Sunday 2/23	2025003303, 2025003304

North Florida Fairgrounds

441 Paul Russet Rd. Tallahassee, Fl 32301



CERTIFICATION Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary

Pre-Entries Close 12pm - Feb 7, 2025

ENTRY FEE

Pre-Entry are \$25.00 (Per Dog Per Test)
Day of Test entry \$30.00 per test
Fun Runs - \$6.00

Fun runs will be fit in throughout the day

Checkin Opens at 8:30am Day of test entries close at 11:30pm

Break for lunch from 12-1pm

We will open at 1 pm and will close for the Day at 3pm on Wednesday. Desk will Close at 11:30am on Sunday we will run any remainder pre-entered dogs.

*NOTE - This event is being held in conjunction with the North Florida Classic Dog Show, It is your responsibility to plan your runs accordingly.

Online early entry available at:

Http://RunningDogCoursing.com

Mail in Entries accepted

Mail entries with Fees to:

Running Dog Coursing, LLC. 9120 Airport Blvd, Suite N Mobile, Al 36608

Make Checks Payable to -

Running Dog Coursing, LLC.

Entry Confirmations will be sent if provided email address is legible

Mail In Entries must be received by 12pm,

Feburary 7th, 2024

Field Committee			
Field Chair	Elaine McMichael		
Trial Secretary	Jennifer Van Pelt 504-400-1709		
	james@runningdogcoursing.com		
Field Committee	Members of		
	Okaloosa Kennel Club		
OKC Officers			
President	Alan Luthy		
Vice President	Elaine McMichael		
Treasurer	Sean McMichael		
Secretary	Martha Replogle		
	14402 State Highway 20		
	Niceville Fl 32578		
	SnowbankFL@cox.net		

Canine Partner Registration

If your Canine Partner is not registered with AKC, simply fill out the form located at the end of this premium list. Before you begin, ensure your dog is not eligible for AKC Purebred Registration, AKC Foundation Stock Service Program or an AKC Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL). Additionally, your pup must be spayed or neutered, and not a wolf hybrid. Alternatively you can register online and get your canine partner number by visiting:

https://www.akc.org/register/information/caninepartners/enroll/

Course Info

The course is fully enclosed with entry and exit gates. The Start Box is 10ft. The Course is 100 yards from the start timer to the end timer with at least a 60-yard runout. If location\venue safely allows, we will have a longer runout. We use a closed-loop lure system with Electronic curtain type timers. With plastic bag type lures. The course will have an approximate 60yd runout.

Lure Operator(s) – James Van Pelt, Dan Elkes, Jennifer Van Pelt.

Awards

A Light-blue flat ribbon will be awarded to each dog that successfully qualifies. New Title Rosettes will be issued for BCAT / DCAT / FCAT.

How To Enter

Complete an Official Lure Coursing Entry Form (Located at the end of this Premium, or Fill out and print online by going to: https://images.akc.org/pdf/LureCoursing Entry.pdf

INSPECTIONS

For your dog's safety, **EVERY** dog must be inspected at check-in by the inspection committee for lameness, fitness to compete, and females in heat. All dogs to be inspected must be presented <u>without tape, wraps, and or bandages</u>. If, in the opinion of the inspection committee, a dog is unfit for the test, your entry fee(s) will be refunded.

ALL DOGS MUST BE INSPECTED BEFORE EACH RUN, NO EXCEPTIONS

RUNNING YOUR DOG

It is recommended that dogs be handled with a "slip-lead" that gives instantaneous freedom to the dog when the "Tallyho" (release) signal is called by the Hunt master. The Host Club will have slip leads for you to borrow. Please ask.

Dogs may wear any collar except a choker collar, a collar with prongs or an electronic training collar. The collar should be snug to minimize the chances of getting hung up on something during the run. Owners should be aware that tags hanging from the collar could be required to be removed to help prevent them from being entangled on something during the run. Owners may use clips or rubber bands to hold the dog's hair.

The owner assumes responsibility for the safety of the dog regarding the dog's collar and paraphernalia on the dog.

Please be aware that Hunt Master has control of the course; they may ask you to remove any non-flat collars, restrictive collars, or tags. They will also ask you to secure any handles for safety reasons.

Fast CAT – Summary Description

The Fast CAT Test is a timed 100-yard dash for dogs. It is meant to be a fun and healthy activity of interest to any dog owner.

The following is a summary of how the event is structured.

How Does Fast CAT Work?

- **1**. Fast CAT is a timed straight race of 100 yards.
- 2. Dogs run singularly.
- **3**. The dog's time to complete the 100-yard dash is converted into MPHs.
- 4. A handicap system is applied to a dog's MPH to determine the number of points earned. The handicap system is based on the height of the dog at its withers:
 - 18" or greater = handicap is 1.0
 - 12" up to less than 18" = handicap is 1.5
 - Below 12" = handicap is 2.0

- 5. Points = MPH multiplied by the dog's handicap
- **6.** Fast CAT titles suffix titles are earned at designated milestones:
 - BCAT = 150 points
 - DCAT = 500 points
 - FCAT = 1,000 points
 - FCAT# = every additional 500 points
- **7**. Top 20 by Breed by Year: The AKC Fast CAT website will feature the Top 20

Fastest Dogs by Breed by Year national standings. The standings will be updated as event results are processed by AKC.

Eligibility to Participate

FastCAT is open to all dogs at least 12 months of age that are individually registered/listed with the AKC. This includes dogs recorded in the FSS program, dogs with PAL numbers or dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners program. Females in season may not enter. A dog may enter only once per event. (An event number defines an event.)

An inspection committee shall inspect each entry for lameness, fitness to compete, and females in season. If necessary, the inspection committee is responsible for measuring dogs to determine their height at the withers.

Safety

Safety is of utmost importance. It is the responsibility of the event committee to insure the safety of the course, the equipment and the conduct of those involved with the event. It is recommended that the event committee run a test dog prior to the start of the event to ensure that the equipment functions properly and all personnel understand their jobs. Prior to moving the lure to position it for the start, the lure operator shall announce, "hold your dogs" in order to caution owners.

The Start: Dogs may start up to 10 feet behind the starting line. Clubs must clearly mark the 10 feet start box on the ground. A dog may be released from anywhere within the start box, however, at a minimum, a dog's front paws must be inside the start box when it is released. Enough space must be

provided behind the back of the start box to accommodate the dog's body to be aligned straight down the course.

The Finish: The club must provide enough room for a safe run-out area. It is suggested this be a minimum of 30 yards, **Running Dog Coursing strives to have a minimum if 60yards or better.** however this is up to the decision of the club given the specifics of the setting. The club should consider fencing at the end of the course in order to help collect the dogs. **It is recommended that an owner or someone familiar with the dog stand at the finish to catch the dog once the course has been completed.**

Timing Devices: The time to complete the 100-yard dash is recorded to the nearest 1/100th of a second (e.g. 9.11). The club may use stopwatches or break- the-beam equipment to obtain the time. If stopwatches are used, there shall be two timers positioned at the finish line. An individual at the start line shall signal with an arm drop the moment the nose of the dog crosses the start line. The timers shall start their stopwatches at the bottom of the arm drop. The timers shall stop their watches when the nose of the dog crosses the finish line. The times from the two stopwatches shall be averaged to determine the recorded time.

Lure Equipment: Clubs may use either a drag or continuous loop system. If a continuous loop system is used the "return" string must be set outside of the running course. The lure operator and the lure equipment shall be safely positioned in a manner that does not interfere with the retrieval of the dog at the end of the course.

Lure: A white plastic bag or a squawker may be used for the lure.

Course/Fencing: The course must be essentially flat. The club should consider fencing the course area; however, this is up to the decision of the club given the specifics of the setting. The premium should state if the location of the event is enclosed with fencing.

The Huntmaster has control of the Course

In summary, the Huntmaster is in charge of all dogs and handlers on the field, shall ensure handlers understand safe release and retrieval procedures, shall ensure the lure is properly positioned, shall ensure the lure operator, timers and starting line signal person are ready, shall signal the lure operator to start the lure and shall give the verbal signal "tallyho" to release the dog.

Hosting Fast CAT Events/Entering

All AKC clubs licensed for Lure Coursing or the Coursing Ability Test will be automatically licensed for Fast CAT. All other AKC member or licensed clubs may apply to the Performance Events Department (PerformanceEvents@akc.org) to become licensed to hold Fast CAT provided they have the experience, equipment, and location to hold a safe event. Clubs will be limited to twelve Fast CAT events per calendar year. A club may not hold more than two Fast CAT events on the same day. A test must start and conclude on the same day.

A Fast CAT event can be either a stand-alone event or may be held in conjunction with other AKC events. In all cases the Fast CAT must be applied for as a separate event with its own event number.

Entries: All participants must fill out an entry form as provided in the event's premium list. A club may accept entries prior to the event and/or a club may accept day-of-event entries. The specifics of how entries will be accepted must be explained in the premium. A club may limit the number of entries it will accept in a Fast CAT event. Additional "stand-by" entries above the limit may be taken at the discretion of the event committee, and these dogs will be allowed to run if time permits. Owners of stand-by dogs must be informed that they are on the stand-by list and may choose not to participate.

Complete regulations governing Fast CAT can be found on AKC Fast CAT website.

https://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/AKC1812-REFCAT.pdf

****NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS****

This is an open area with plenty of available parking

Please ensure the comfort of you and your dogs by bringing your own portable shade, shelter and water.

Portable restrooms will be made available.

Feel free to bring your own food and drinks.

For the safety of the dog and as a courtesy to other entrants, a testing dog should have a reliable recall. A penalty of \$10.00 may be assessed for any dog causing an excessive delay of the event because it cannot be recalled or retrieved from the field. Dogs that delay the event because their owners cannot recall them may be refused entry at future events.

The Huntmaster is responsible for field safety and therefore they are in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. In service to this responsibility, s/he has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve a testing dog. Listen to the Huntmaster and follow all instructions promptly and swiftly.

Any decisions made by the event's officiating judge(s) regarding the performance of an entered dog shall be final. Full discretionary power is given to the judge(s) to withhold any and all qualifications for lack of merit. The Judge(s) is responsible for ensuring compliance with the AKC Regulations on the field.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.

Coursing\Fast CATS is an athletic activity that can tax a dog's physical strength. Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion. The Inspection Committee has the authority to disallow a dog's entry into a test, and in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded.

PLEASE ALLOW PLENTY OF TIME BETWEEN YOUR RUNS OUR RECOMMENDATION IS AT LEAST 30 MINUTES BETWEEN RUNS

FOR THE SAFETY OF EXHIBITORS AND DOGS:

PLEASE HAVE A RELEASER AND CATCHER IN PLACE BEFORE RUNNING DOG.

NO RECALL FROM THE STARTING LINE COURSE AREA IS FENCED.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PICKUP AFTER YOUR DOG.

DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE

North Florida Fairgrounds

441 Paul Russell Rd. Tallahassee, Fl 32301

Heading East on I10

Take Exit 199 US-27S/Monroe St toward state capitol, merge onto US-27S. Continue straight for 6.3 miles. Turn left onto Mock Dr.

Heading West on I10

Take Exit 209A for US-90 W/Mahan Dr for 4.8 miles. Use the left two lanes to turn left onto US 319S/ Capital Cir. NE for 4.2 miles, turn right onto S. Blair Stone Rd. for .9 miles Left onto Paul Russell Rd for 2 miles then a left onto S. Monroe St. and a left onto Mock Dr.

EMERGENCY VET (On call)

Northwood Animal Hospital

1881 N. Martin Luther King Blvd., Suite B Daytime: (850) 385-8181, After hours emergency: (850) 385-7387

LODGING \ CAMPING

HOTELS THAT HAVE ACCEPTED DOGS IN THE PAST Call for prices and availability and Pet Fees

Econo Lodge, 2681 N Monroe St, Tallahassee, FL 32303 (850) 385-6155 (Ask for large dogs)

Motel 6 (West), 2738 N Monroe St (at I-10), Tallahassee, FL 32303 (850) 386-7878

Howard Johnson, 2726 N Monroe St, Tallahassee, FL 32303 (850) 386-5000

Red Roof Inn, 2930 Hospitality St, Tallahassee, FL 32303 (850) 385-7884 (Near I-10 and North Monroe Street)

La Quinta, 2905 N Monroe St, Tallahassee, FL 32303 (850) 385-7173

Motel 6 (North), 1481 Timberlane Rd, Tallahassee, FL 32303 (850) 668-2600 (Near I-10 and Thomasville Road)

Please verify with motels for their current rates and pet policies.

Please clean up after your dogs at the motels and at the trial site.

RV parking available at Trial site 30/50amp hookups with Sewage.

For RV PARKING REGISTRATION

Please see form at end of premium.

North Florida Classic Cluster





RV RESERVATION PRICING & PROCEDURES

RV Parking is available Saturday, February 15th - Sunday, February 23rd \$45.00 per night - All paper reservations & payments must be received by February 9, 2025.

Online reservations & payments must be received by February 14, 2025.

Reservations can be made online at:

HTTPS://EMERALDCOASTDOGSHOWS.COM

IMPORTANT RV PARKING NOTICE!!!

Gates for RV parking will be open starting Saturday, February 15, 2025 at 12:00 Noon. RV parking will stop each evening of the show at 6:30 PM. All RVs will be escorted to their assigned spaces. RVs arriving later than 6:30 PM will be required to dry camp until the next morning. There are no exceptions to this policy. PLEASE plan accordingly. NOTICE: WE WILL NOT SAVE SPACES!

PLEASE NOTE: CASH PAYMENTS ONLY AT THE GATE!

NAME:	CELI	PH:	
EMAIL:			
ARRIVAL DATE:		_AMT ENCLOSED:	
RV LENGTH & WIDTH WITH SLIDES	S EXTENDED:		
Power Needed: 50-amp 30-a	mp		

- RESERVATIONS WILL BE TAKEN AND ASSIGNED ON FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS.
- No overnight parking in the park without a paid fee Arrangements need to be made to stay overnight on Sunday
- No parking refunds after closing date.
- No refunds will be made until AFTER the show completion.
- All units must be self-contained. Exhibitors will be responsible for clean-up of their areas. Trash dumpsters are provided throughout the park.
- No discharge of greywater or sanitary tanks is permitted. An RV dump site is available on the show grounds
- All set-ups must be contained within your assigned space.
- You will be parked at the direction of the NFCC Parking Staffs & Security Committees.
- You will receive confirmation of your reservation via email provided.

I, the undersigned, understand that ALL parking assignments are done on a first come, first served basis. This parking is a privilege extended by the NFCC and this privilege can and will be withdrawn from those who do not follow these rules, regulations and instructions of the club members, officers and security guards. Any breach of these terms will be reported to the Show Committee

Signature:	
Print and mail this form and payment via check to:	Emerald Coast Dog Shows
Checks Payable to Emerald Coast Dog Shows	3513 Patrick Rd
	Panama City, FL
	39409





Canine Partners Enrollment Instructions for Clubs

Coursing Ability Test

Who should enroll in Canine Partners?

Dogs who wish to compete in the Coursing Ability Test must be either an AKC-registered dog or a part of the AKC Canine Partners program. Canine Partners is for mixed breeds or dogs who are otherwise ineligible for AKC registration.

Owners who enroll their dogs using the Coursing Ability Enrollment Form will receive the following Canine Partners benefits for their \$19.00 enrollment fee:

- > Eligibility to participate in Agility, AKC Rally® and Obedience Events
- > One year subscription to AKC Family Dog magazine
- ➤ Complimentary 60-day Trial AKC Pet Healthcare Plan *
- > AKC Canine Partners Program Official Certificate
- > AKC Canine Partners decal

How should clubs enroll these dogs in Canine Partners?

- 1. Have the dog owners complete the Canine Partners Enrollment Application.
- 2. Collect payment. (Payment for Canine Partners enrollment must be separate from event fees.)
- 3. Assign the dog a Canine Partner's Enrollment Application Number (E1, E2, etc.) in box located in the upper right hand corner of the application. This number will be used to coordinate the results with the enrollment forms.
- 4. Have the Judge and Event Secretary complete the Coursing Ability Test Results for each dog indicating the Canine Partner's Enrollment Application Number in the space provided for the registration/listing number.
- 5. Submit the enrollment forms and separate payment(s) along with the Event Secretary's Report and results.

^{*} Activation required. Administered by PetPartners, Inc. Underwritten by Markel Insurance Company, 4600 Cox Road, Glen Allen, VA 23060, rated A "Excellent" by A.M. Best Company. Contact Pet Partners, Inc. for terms and conditions. Eligibility restrictions apply. Available to US residents. Not available in New York. Must be activated within 28 days of AKC Certificate Issued date. Visit www.akcphp.com/trial or call toll free at 1-866-725-2747.





Enrollment Application

Owner Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip	
Phone:	Alternate Phone:		
Email:			
Dogs must be Spay	ved or Neutered		
Dog Name:	Sex: Male	Female	
Dog Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year):	og Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year): Date Dog Joined Your Family		
Breed 1:	Breed 2 (if applicable):		
Color:	Markings:		
Black □ Orange □ Gray □	Brindle M	erle 🗆	
Blue □ Red □ White □	Speckled Speckled	ootted	
Brown □ Tan □ Tri Color □	Parti-color Se	olid 🗆	
Yellow □			
Three ways	s to pay!		
Submit this completed enrollment form, along with your Payment for Canine Partners enrollment must be separately			
☐ Credit Card (be sure to complete the Credit Card authorize	ation below)		
□ Cash □ Check (make checks payable to Ar	merican Kennel Club)		
Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express ☐ Discover ☐ Account Number (no dashes) Exp. Date			
Printed Name of Cardholder:			



JUNIOR HANDLER CERTIFICATION

	Event Number		
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AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®	Club Name	(Spell	out)
Name of Junior		Junior Number _	
Date of Birth		Phone Number _	
Address			
Registered Dog Name			
If Dog Not Owned by Junio Relationship of Dog Owner			
Reg. #			
Breed			
TYPE OF EVENT			
Obedience	Tracking	Rally	Hunt Test
Lure Coursing	Field Trial	☐ Agility	Coursing Ability Test
Coonhound	Herding	Earthdog	Scentwork
Other			Fast Cat
Class/Stake	Score/Placement	;	Jump Height
I certify that the above name received the score and/or p		id compete in the ab	ove-referenced class/stake and
Printed Name of Judge, Trial S	Secretary or AKC® Repr	resentative	Date
Signature of Judge, Trial Secre	tary or AKC Represent	ative	Date

8051 Arco Corporate Drive • Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 For a Junior Handler number, please call (919) 233-9767 or email juniors@akc.org.

Official American Kennel Club Lure Coursing Entry Form

Club:		Date:	Event #:	
Location:		Event type (test or trial):	□Test	Trial
Stakes: DJC DCAT DSpecial DFCAT DQC Dopen DVeteran	Breed:		Amount of entry fees enclosed:	5
Breeder:	AKC No. F	PAL/ILP No. Foreign & List	Country: Da	te of Birth:
Call Name:	AKC No:		Se	X:
Name of Jr. Handler (if any):			Jr Handler #:	
Full Name of Dog:				
Sire:				
Dam:				
Actual Owner(s):				
Owner's Address:				
City:		State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Trial:		☐ Ple	ease Separat	e My Entries.
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Icertify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the ruand regulations appearing in the premium list of this even has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the cludogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry a trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of servi any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, hamle person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about 1 and liability for any such claim: and I (we) further agree I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and ac (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed I time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or permy (our) participation in this event, however such, injurbe alleged to have been caused by the negligence of mination of whether the injury is serious shall be made CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UI) TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION ANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE A APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULAT	AGRE in the duly authorized ager alles and regulations of The A erat and entry form and any us shall deem suffi (was published before the holding of this ever golub, their members, direct ces that are necessary to he sss from any claim for loss o the event premises or grour to hold the aforementioned gree to indemnify, defend an by law upon any of the afore srsons, including myself (our ies, death or property dama he aforementioned parties to by the event veterinarian an F OR RELATED TO THE NLESS OTHERWISE ST AND EFFECT OF THIS MERICAN ARBITRATIC LATIONS AND PROCEL	EMENT It of the actual owner whose name I I whereican Kennel Clubin effect at the decision made in accord with them. we) certify and represent that the doc name of the opportunity to have the ors, governors, offi agents, sugold this event and any employees or injury which may be alleged to have doson rear any entrance thereto, and parties harmless from any claim for disave the aforementioned parties for damage becaselves), or on account of damage to ge may be caused, and whether or ror any of their employees, agents, or dis binding on me (us). I (WE) AGE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTICATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST AGEREMENT SHALL BE STON ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER DURES MUST FIRST BE FOLL.	have entered above. In time of this event, and a 1 (we) agree that the clu gentered is not a hazard dog judged and to win perintendents or events volunteers of the aforem been caused directly o 11 (we) personally assured in the same may have to the same may have to any other person. I (we are THAT ANY CALENDANCE ATTHE CUI) AND MYSELF (OUT) THE DBY ARBITRA, PRIOR TO ARBITR	consideration of the any additional rules be holding this event to persons or other rizes, ribbons, or excretary and the owner tentioned parties, and rindirectly to any me all responsibility of this dog. Additionally, till loss and expense studing death at any or in consequence of seen caused or may agree that the deter-uSE OF ACTION, VENT BETWEEN RSTION PURSUATION PURSUATION PURSUATION PURSUATION ALL
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