AKC CODE OF SPORTSMANSHIP

PREFACE: The sport of purebred dog competitive events dates prior to 1884, the year of AKC's birth. Shared values of those involved in the sport include principles of sportsmanship. They are practiced in all sectors of our sport: conformation, performance and companion. Many believe that these principles of sportsmanship are the prime reason why our sport has thrived for over one hundred years. With the belief that it is useful to periodically articulate the fundamentals of our sport, this code is presented

- Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.
- Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behavior.
- The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge's placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.
- The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- The sportsman respects the AKC bylaws, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of their competition and the effort of competitors.
- Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport
- Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.
- Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.
- Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.
- Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the sport, the American Kennel Club, or themselves while taking part in the sport.



Event Numbers: 2024161903, 2024161904

Obedience and Rally Limited: 8 Hours per Judge

Entries Open at 8 a.m., Tuesday March 19th, 2024 Entries Close at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 1st, 2024

after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules

PREMIUM LIST

All BREED AKC Obedience and Rally Trials

(unbenched)

One Obedience and One Rally Trial on Saturday

Ladies Kennel Association of America

(AKC Member Club)



Saturday May 18th, 2024

These Events are Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs Listed
In the AKC Canine Partners Program

Doggie U K9 Academy

1515D Fifth Industrial Court, Bay Shore, NY 11706

Saturday Show Hours: 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. All Judging will be Indoors on rubber matting Judging will not start before 8:00 am on Saturday

Certification



Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for holding of this event under AKC Rules and Regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary

Host Club – Ladies Kennel Association of America 150 Minrol Street, Port Jefferson Station, N.Y. 11776 Officers and Council of Ladies Kennel Association of America

President	Evelyn Reichler
Vice President	Marge Silverthorn
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Ladies of the Council

Catherine Farrel, Teri Nolan

Trial Chairperson

Teri Nolan (516) 769-1450 tnol@aol.com

Trial Secretary

Long Island Trial Services Louise Wetzel (516) 220-3727 tnol@hotmail.com

Trial Committee

Viola Burgos, Teri Nolan, Kathy O'Connor, Linda Ozelis, Mary Nigro and all the members of the Ladies Kennel Association of America

Judges and Classes Offered

Judges: Mrs. Betsy Horn Humer - Pungoteague, Virginia

Jean Nocilly - Cheswold, Delaware

Obedience: Nov A, Nov B, Preferred Novice, Open A, Open B, Preferred Open,

Utility A, Utility B, Preferred Utility,

Beginner Nov A, Beginner Nov B, Versatility

Rally: Nov A, Nov B, Intermediate, Adv A, Adv B, Exc A, Exc B, Master,

Choice

Please see the AKC Regulations for Obedience/Rally Trials for current class descriptions.

For More Information about Classes, Rules, etc., Go To:

http://www.akc.org/sports/obedience

http://www.akc.org/sports/rally

Judges and Assignments – Saturday, May 18 th , 2024	
Betsy Horn Humer	Open A, Open B, Preferred Open, Utility A, Utility B, Preferred Utility, Versatility
Jean Nocilly	Beginner Novice A, Beginner Novice B, Novice A, Novice B, Preferred Novice, Rally Novice A, Rally Novice B, Rally Intermediate, Rally Advanced A, Rally Advanced B, Rally Excellent A, Rally Excellent B, Rally Master, Rally Choice

Prizes and Awards

First Place	Blue Rosette
Second Place	Red Rosette
Third Place	Yellow Rosette
Fourth Place	White Rosette
Qualifying	Green Ribbon
Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Classes	Blue & Gold Rosette
Highest Combined Score in Open B	
and Utility B Classes	Blue & Green Rosette
High Combined Rally Score in Excellent A/B and	
Advanced B with lowest combined run time	Blue & Green Rosette
Highest Combined Triple Qualifying Rally Score in	n Advanced B, Excellent
B and Master	Blue & Red Rosette

New Title Ribbbons will be offered by Ladies Kennel Association of America.

Prizes:

Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Classes will receive an award of \$25. Highest Combined Score in Open B and Utility B Classes will receive an award of \$25.

Highest Combined Rally Score in Excellent A/B and Advanced B with lowest combined run time will receive an award of \$25.

Highest Combined Triple Rally Qualifying Score in Advanced B, Excellent

B and Master with lowest combined run time will receive an award of \$25.

Dogs Eligible to Enter / Participate

This trial is open to all dogs over the age of six (6) months that are registered with the American Kennel Club (including mixed breeds) or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or are an approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breed.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs disfigured as the result of accident or injury but otherwise qualified shall be eligible provided that the disfigurement does not interfere with functional movement. Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible. Blind means without useful vision. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged or in any way has anything attached to it for medical purposes.

Bitches in season shall not be eligible to participate. Entry fees for bitches in season may be refunded at the club's option. The premium list must state whether refunds will be issued for bitches in season. Please see **Refund Section.**

Move - Ups

Move-ups are due to the trial secretary **before the published closing date for this trial (May 1st, 2024)**. Move-ups should be sent through regular mail or e-mail and should include the following information:

Owner's Name, Dog's Registered Name, Dog's Registration Number, Dog's Jump Height Class moving from: (include Obedience or Rally)

Class moving to: (include Obedience or Rally

Due to judging limits, we cannot guarantee that all requested move-ups in Obedience can be accommodated.

Notes From the Trial Secretary

- Mixed Breeds Remember to mark your breed as All American Dog.
- For overnight delivery, please remember to sign the signature waiver.
- Double and triple check your entry form, and your payment. Any entry received with the improper funds constitutes an invalid entry.
- Do not make checks out to me, Please make checks out to Long Island Trial Services.
- Please make sure you enter your dog in the proper class.

Entries and Fees Information

OPENING DATE: These trials have an opening date of Tuesday, March 19th, 2024 at 8:00 a.m. Please Note: Any Entries Received Prior to this time WILL NOT be accepted.

ENTRY FEE: \$33.00 for the first Obedience entry of a dog; \$27.00 for the second Obedience entry of the same dog, same day. \$33.00 for the first Rally entry of a dog; \$27.00 for the second Rally entry of the same dog, same trial. **MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:** Long Island Trial Services.

CLOSING DATE: Wednesday, May 1st, 2024 at 6:00 p.m., after which entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

MAIL ALL ENTRIES to LKAA c/o Long Island Trial Services, 503 Sylvan Ave., Bayport, NY 11705. If you send overnight delivery, please remember to sign the signature waiver.

ENTRY FEES shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of Trial Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management, it is impossible to open or to complete the trial, no refund of entry fees will be made.

REFUNDS: There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn in the event a dog and/or handler are absent or dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of management it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refund of entry fee will be made.

BITCHES IN SEASON are not eligible to participate. Entry fees will be refunded subject to a \$5.00 processing fee. Written verification from a veterinarian is required. Notification for refund of bitches in season must be RECEIVED in writing no later than 48 hrs. after end of the trial. A Veterinarian's note must accompany any such refund.

ERRORS ON ENTRY BLANKS-Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after trial has closed.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ENTRIES will be made by as soon as the trial closes.

Confirmations will be via email either as an attachment or in the body of an email to all exhibitors who provide their email address. If you do not have an email address and want a confirmation, please send a stamped self-addressed envelope. Final confirmations will be emailed. Consult final confirmation for the judging schedule.

INVALID ENTRIES: (the following are considered invalid and will not be accepted)

- ENTRIES NOT ON OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORMS OR PHOTOCOPIES OF ENTRY FORMS without the Agreement and Rules attached.
- UNSIGNED ENTRIES
- ENTRIES RECEIVED WITHOUT FEES
- . ANY ENTRY WHICH SPECIFIES ANY CONDITIONS AS TO ITS ACCEPTANCE.
- RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY FEE. A CHARGE OF \$35 WILL BE MADE FOR EACH RETURNED CHECK.

**** IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING 3RD PARTY ENTRY SERVICES **** Please be aware, if you enter through a 3rd party service. Your confirmation from them does NOT confirm you are entered in the trial. It only confirms that they received your entry and will forward it to us. Also be aware that with limited entry trials, using a 3rd party service may actually prevent your entry from getting into the trial.

Trial Regulations Notice to Exhibitors

THE Trial site will be open from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, May 18th, 2024.

Trial COMMITTEE will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or misfortune to either dogs or exhibitors participating in this show.

THE SAFETY OF THE DOGS is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport.

JUDGES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WAIT FOR DOGS. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

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

According to New York State Law, Rabies vaccination and dog license are mandatory.

ALL EXHIBITORS MUST PICK UP AFTER THEIR DOGS!!

Accommodations

All hotels are within 30 minutes of the site. Rates and pet policies change. Please call for current availability, rates and pet policy of the hotel. Hotels that accept pets are few and far between on Long Island. Please be on your best behavior so we can continue to use the few hotels that are available to us.

Hampton Inn Long Island/Commack 680 Commack Road, Commack, NY 11725

631-462-5700 – Call to check current fee

Holiday Inn Hauppauge 2050 Express Drive South, Hauppauge, NY 11788

631-348-1400 – Call to check weight limits and current fee

La Quinta 10 Aero Rd, Bohemia, NY 11716

631-881-7700

Residence Inn – 850 Veterans Memorial Hwy, Hauppauge, NY 11780

(631) 724 - 4188 – Check current fee

Residence Inn – 7 Court House Drive, Central Islip, NY 11722

(631) 231-0025 – Check current fee

Show Site Information

Doggie U is a heated / air conditioned building. Crating space is limited; **Crates only. NO X-pens will be allowed.** You will receive detailed information about crating with your final confirmation. **Please be considerate if trial officials ask you to consolidate to allow us to provide crating space for all exhibitors.**

There is no parking for oversized vehicles, or overnight parking on site. You will receive detailed information about parking with your final confirmation.

There will be NO set up prior to the show hours. The building will be open at 7:00 A.M. on Saturday May 18th, 2024.

Please park in the designated parking areas next to the building and in the adjacent parking lots.

There is a designated "potty" area. Please clean up after your dog and place waste in the receptacles provided by Doggie U. **Do NOT** use any dumpster or allow dogs to urinate on the buildings. **DO NOT** walk your dogs on the grass lawns across the street from Doggie U. These lawns are on private property and the owners have requested that dogs not be allowed on them. Doggie U is trying to maintain good relationships with their neighbors and exhibitors need to respect this. **Please be on your best behavior so we can continue to use this site.**

Exhibitors are expected to clean up after their dogs at the trial site.

FOOD

There will be no hospitality provided at this trial. Exhibitors are advised to bring their own food and drinks. There are food establishments nearby. Snacks and drinks will be provided for all volunteers.

DIRECTIONS TO DOGGIE "U"

From the West: Southern State Pkwy East to Exit 42N, North Fifth Avenue, left onto Spur Drive North, right on Fifth Industrial Court, building is on the left, 1515D. **From the East:** Sunrise Hwy Rt27W to Exit 46, Southern State Parkway West. Southern State Pkwy West to Exit 42N, North Fifth Avenue, left onto Spur Drive North, right on Fifth Industrial Court, building is on the left, 1515D.

If using a GPS, you may need to enter the Doggie U address as 1515 Fifth Industrial Court.

Emergency Veterinary Services

VMCLI (Veterinary Medical Center of Long Island)
75 Sunrise Hwy (Exit 40), West Islip, NY 11795-2033
(631) 587 – 0800 www.ymcli.com



OFFICIAL OBEDIENCE ENTRY FORM

LKAA
Doggie U K9 Academy, BayShore, N.Y.
_____ Obedience
____ Rally

IMPORTANT Read Instructions on reve instructions relevant to the information no No 1	eded in that box (PLEASE	ing out. Numbers in the box PRINT). Next, be sure to re sed without your sig	ad the Agreement and sig	gn on the reverse	
Breed ⁴	Variety ¹		Sex	·	
Obedience Class ^{2,3}	Jump Height	Additional Obec	lience Class ^{2,3}		
Rally Class and Jump Height ^{2,3}		Additional Rally Class an	d Jump Height ^{2,3}		
Name of Junior Handler (If Any)		Junior Handler Number			
Full Name of Dog					
☐AKC® No. ⁴ ☐ Foreigner number here		Place of Birth (Enter Country below Do not print the country in cata			
Breeder					
Sire					
Dam					
Actual Owner(s) (Please Print)					
Owner's Address					
City	Stat	ze/Prov Zip/Postal Code	Country (if not U	SA)	
Telephone #		Are you a new	exhibitor?	es No	
Email Address (An acknowledgement or recei	pt of entry may be sent to this ema	ail address)			

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. (Variety) if you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
- 2. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e, A or B division.
- 3. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
- 4. Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners[™] Program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC Obedience trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC Number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box. Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

■ Signature of	fowner or his	agent
duly authorized	I to make this	entry:

duly authorized to make this entry:
Telephone

Email