

**Premium List
THREE DAYS
FIVE ALL-BREED OBEDIENCE & RALLY TRIALS**

**A.K.C. Licensed*

This event is Accepting Entries for All American Dogs Enrolled in the
AKC Canine Partners Program



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2026

OBEDIENCE TRIAL #1 & #2 - 2026246416 & 2026246417

RALLY TRIAL #1 & #2 - 2026246418 & 2026246419 **(limit 55 each trial)**

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2026

OBEDIENCE TRIAL #1 & #2 - 2026246422 & 2026246423

RALLY TRIAL #1 & #2 - 2026246420 & 2026246421 **(limit 55 each trial)**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2026

OBEDIENCE TRIAL # 2026246425 AND RALLY TRIAL #2026246424 **(limit 55)**

Judge cannot exceed 8 hr judging assignment in any trial.

Northwest Arkansas District Fairgrounds

62 Business 1400 Fair Ground Rd

Harrison, AR 72601

ENTRIES CLOSE: 6:00 p.m Friday November 20, 2026 CDT, after which time
entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for
in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

Opens September 14, 2026

Indoors climate controlled and fully matted



AKC CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for
the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and
Regulations. Sheila H. Goffe, Executive Secretary

North Arkansas Kennel Club, Inc.

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**Sherry Gibbany, Lila Bauwens, DeLynn Young, Helen Elsner and Wendy Ethier
and/or any NAKC members present at trial**

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Trial Veterinarian (on call)

Boone County Veterinary Clinic :
1410 Hwy 63-65 North, Harrison, AR.
(870) 741-9475

DIRECTIONS TO BOONE COUNTY VETERINARIAN CLINIC –

From the Fairgrounds, turn left onto Main St. At stop sign, turn left onto Hwy
62/65/412 E Bypass. Go 3.5 miles to Hwy 65 N, turn right. Go approximately
one mile (through 2 stoplights) to the clinic. The clinic is on the left next to
Remax Realty.

JUDGES

James Comunale (27181).....Ballwin, MO 63011
 Kathleen Galotti (17184).....Northfield, MN 55057
 Cheryl Pratt (42791)..... Virgilina, VA 24591

Obedience classes will be run SMALL to TALL all days

	FRIDAY #1	FRIDAY #2	SATURDAY #1	SATURDAY #2	SUNDAY
Obedience					
Novice A & B	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti
Open A	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti
Open B	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti
Utility A	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale
Utility B	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale
Optional Titling					
Beginner Novice A & B	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti
Graduate Novice	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti
Graduate Open	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale
Alternative Titling					
Preferred Novice	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti
Preferred Open	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti
Preferred Utility	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale
Versatility	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale
Rally					
Rally Novice A & B	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt
Rally Intermediate	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt
Rally Advanced A & B	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt
Rally Excellent A & B	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt
Rally Master	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt
Rally Choice	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt	Kathleen Galotti	Jim Comunale	Cheryl Pratt

Classes Offered

Obedience: Novice A & B, Open A & B, Utility A & B, Beginner Novice A & B, Graduate Novice, Graduate Open, Versatility, Preferred Novice, Preferred Open, Preferred Utility, UDX

Rally: Novice A & B, Intermediate, Advanced A & B, Excellent A & B, Master, Choice, RAE, RACH

TRANSFERS

Transfers will be allowed at this trial per AKC Obedience Regulations, Chapter 1, Section 16. Transfer closes one-half hour prior to judging each day. Request must be in writing prior to the event. It is recommended that transfer requests be sent by email to the Trial Secretary prior to the day of the show. If an email address is provided with your request, an email confirmation will be sent.

ENTRY FEES

² AKC Event & Recording Fees

A AKC Recording Fee of \$4.50 shall be required for the first entry of each dog and Event Service Fee of \$4.50 shall be required for each additional entry of the same dog. (Chapter 11, Section 2 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows). Recorded Fees and Event Service Fees are to be collected by the show-giving club and paid to the American Kennel Club.

Make checks payable to: NAKC

First Entry Each Dog/Each Day \$31.00
 Each Additional Entry of Same Dog/Same Day..... \$24.00
 Junior Handlers – with AKC JH Number \$15.00

Rally Classes

First Entry Each Dog/Each Day \$31.00
 Each Additional Entry of Same Dog/Same Day..... \$24.00
 Junior Handlers – with AKC JH Number \$15.00

Obedience and Rally are two SEPARATE EVENTS. Obedience and Rally on the same day are required to pay two (2) “First Entry” fees.

The “additional entry” fee is only applicable within each event.

Trial #1 and Trial #2 are separate events. Obedience and Rally are separate events.

NOTE: If a judge exceeds 8-hour judging assignments, classes may be reassigned to another judge.

How to Figure Total Entry Fees Owed Per Dog

ENTRY FOR EACH EVENT	FEE	FRI #1	FRI #2	SAT #1	SAT #2	SUN
FIRST OBED CLASS ENTRY	\$31					
ADDITIONAL OBED CLASS ENTRY	\$24 EACH					
FIRST RALLY CLASS ENTRY	\$31					
ADDITIONAL RALLY CLASS ENTRY	\$24 EACH					
TOTAL FOR FRIDAY #1						
TOTAL FOR FRIDAY #2						
TOTAL FOR SATURDAY #1						
TOTAL FOR SATURDAY #2						
TOTAL FOR SUNDAY						
TOTAL OWED FOR ALL ENTRIES						

Entries must be signed and include the full page AGREEMENT on the back of (or attached to) the entry form. Incomplete entries are not valid and WILL BE RETURNED.

Show Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Friday;

7:00 am to 8:00 p.m. Saturday;

7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday

The trial building will be available for setups after 2:00 p.m. Thursday, Dec 3, 2026

Entries will be accepted for dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

Entry Fees Payable to: NAKC

Mail entries and fees to: **Sherry Gibbany, 158 Bland St,
Cotter, AR 72626**

You must waive the signature requirement on all overnight deliveries

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs over the age of 6 months that are registered with the American Kennel Club. Including ILP/PAL registration, AKC Canine Partners listing number, and Approved FSS breeds, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness, which may affect a dog's physical or mental performance. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 14 of the Obedience Regulations for further restrictions. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registrable breeds that may participate.

JUMP HEIGHT DIVISION FOR RALLY

Dog's Measured Height at Withers	Height to be Jumped
Less than 10 inches	4
10 to less than 15 inches	8
15 to less than 20 inches	12
Over 20 inches	16

JUMP HEIGHT DIVISION FOR OBEDIENCE

Dog's Measured Height at Withers	Height to be Jumped
Less than 7 ¼ inches	4/8
7 ¼ to 9 inches	8/16
Greater than 9 to 11 inches	10/20
Greater than 11 to 13 inches	12/24
Greater than 13 to 15 inches	14/28
Greater than 15 to 17 inches	16/32
Greater than 17 to 19 inches	18/36
Greater than 19 to 21 inches	20/40
Greater than 21 to 23 inches	22/44
Greater than 23 to 25 inches	24/48
Greater than 25 to 27 inches	26/52
Greater than 27 to 29 inches	28/56
Greater than 29 to 31 inches	30/60
Greater than 31 to 33 inches	32/64
Greater than 33 to 35 inches	34/68
Greater than 35 to 37 inches	36/72

¾ JUMP HEIGHT DIVISION FOR OBEDIENCE

Dog's Measured Height at Withers	Height to be Jumped
Less than 10 inches	4/8
10 to less than 12 1/2	8/16
12 ½ to less than 15	10/20
15 to less than 17 1/2	12/24
17 ½ to less than 20	14/28
20 to less than 23	16/32
23 to less than 25 1/2	18/36
25 ½ to less than 28	20/40
28 to less than 31	22/24
31 to less than 33 1/2	24/48
33 ½ to less than 36	26/52
36 to less than 39	28/56

REFER TO APPENDIX A OF THE OBEDIENCE REGULATIONS FOR A COMPLETE LIST OF BREEDS APPROVED TO JUMP ¾ OF THEIR MEASURED JUMP HEIGHT

RIBBONS AND AWARDS

A Qualifying score is required for all awards in the Regular and Optional Titling classes.

A Dark Green Qualifying Ribbon will be given to each dog attaining a Qualifying Score.

ALL AWARDS MUST BE CLAIMED THE DAY OF THE TRIAL. NONE WILL BE MAILED.

NEW TITLES: A rosette is offered to any dog finishing an obedience or rally title at these trials.

REGULAR & OPTIONAL/ALTERNATIVE TITLING CLASSES

First Prize.....	Blue Ribbon	Second Prize.....	Red Ribbon
Third Prize.....	Yellow Ribbon	Fourth Prize.....	White Ribbon
Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Obedience Class.....	Blue & Yellow Rosette		
Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility Classes.....	Blue & Green Rosette		
Highest Combined Score in Advanced B & Excellent B.....	Blue & Green Rosette		
Highest Combined Score in Adv B, Exc B & Master.....	Red & Blue Rosette		
Qualifying Score in All Regular & Optional Titling Class including Rally.....	Dark Green Ribbon		

HIGH IN TRIAL

Rosette offered by NAKC

Certificate for one free entry for NAKC obedience/rally/agility each trial

HIGH COMBINED OPEN B AND UTILITY

Rosette offered by NAKC

Certificate for one free entry for NAKC obedience/rally/agility each trial

RALLY HIGH COMBINED TRIPLE ADV B, EXC B AND MASTER

Rosette offered by NAKC

Certificate for one free entry for NAKC obedience/rally/agility each trial

RALLY HIGH COMBINED ADVANCE B AND EXCELLENT B

Rosette offered by NAKC

Certificate for one free entry for NAKC obedience/rally/agility each trial

A NEW TITLE ROSETTE IS OFFERED FOR ANY DOG FINISHING AN OBEDIENCE OR RALLY TITLE AT THESE TRIALS.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/police – Call 911

Hospital

North Arkansas Regional Medical Center
620 North Main St
Harrison, AR 72601
(870) 414-4000

The Trial Committee may require that the crate of any dog creating a disturbance in the crating area, through lunging, barking, growling, or other actions, be

ENTRY INFORMATION

covered with opaque material. Trial Committee members may rearrange crates to maximize space if needed, including restricting placement of chairs in the crating area. Please crate in the specified areas. Your co-operation is appreciated.

ENTRIES CLOSE AT 6 P.M., FRIDAY, November 20, 2026 CDT, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted. Changes, additions, or corrections must be received in writing prior to close of entries. Those entries received by telephone are not acceptable.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE to North Arkansas Kennel Club (NAKC). ALL ENTRIES MUST BE MAILED WITH FEES to **Sherry Gibbany, 158 Bland St, Cotter, AR 72626.**

RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary will add \$25.00 fee to the amount of each returned check.

ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED without fees or a signature. Entries not on Official AKC forms and photocopies of entry forms without the Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC entry form are not acceptable. No entry shall be made, and no entry accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at secretary's address. Entries will NOT be accepted without signature, fees and back of entry form, with agreement signed nor will credit card or faxed entries be accepted with paper entries. All entries, including overnight and express mail are to be mailed with fees payable to "NSGRC" to secretary's address. **NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WHICH REQUIRE A SIGNATURE FOR DELIVERY.**

ENTRY FEE WILL NOT BE REFUNDED for errors on entry blanks or for cancellation of entries after published closing date. **There will be no refund** in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by the Event Committee. **Entry fees will not be refunded** if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, or act of God, public emergency, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the North Arkansas Kennel Club.

THE NORTH ARKANSAS KENNEL CLUB, the Trial Secretary, Trial Chairperson, Event Committee, etc. assume no responsibility for the loss, damage, or injuries sustained by spectators, exhibitors, exhibitors' property and their dogs, and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.

DOGS NEED TO BE PRESENT for scheduled judging. Consult judging program for time of judging. **JUDGES NEED NOT WAIT FOR ANY DOG** holding up a class. Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dog in the ring.

TRANSFERS WILL BE ACCEPTED PER AKC Regulations. Obedience and Rally Transfers must be given to the Trial Secretary by 30 minutes before trial start time.

JUMPS: Please put the jump height on the obedience and/or rally entry (if your dog is entered in a class with jumps). On Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, rally jump heights will be set from lowest to highest.

ALL DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH OR CRATED except when being judged.

BITCHES IN SEASON are not permitted in the trial. Entry fees for bitches that come into season after closing date will be refunded the full entry fee. A written statement from a veterinarian must be provided on or before the day of the trial.

THIS IS A NON-SMOKING FACILITY, which includes vaping.

CHILDREN MUST BE SUPERVISED by an adult at all times. **NO STROLLERS ALLOWED.**

NO EX-PENS ALLOWED.

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

Lunch will be provided for all volunteers and exhibitors, along with snacks and coffee. Donations accepted.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to exhibitor.

Change of Entry: Entry changes emailed to the Trial Secretary are not official until the exhibitor has received a return email confirmation from the Trial Secretary.

OWNERS/HANDLERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR REVIEWING ALL INFORMATION IN THE CONFIRMATION LETTER EACH TIME IT IS SENT AND CONTACTING TRIAL SECRETARY IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING/EMAIL IF A CORRECTION OR CHANGE NEEDS TO BE MADE. Correct AKC Registration #, PAL # or ILP # is crucial.

Any exhibitor who has not received a preliminary confirmation within 10 days of mailing a paper entry, please contact Trial Secretary to confirm receipt of paper entry.

Any exhibitor who does not receive the Judging Program within five (5) days prior to the trial, should contact the Trial Secretary.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning after their own dogs, including the motels and campgrounds, which are considered part of the trial site.

No dogs are allowed to left overnight.

No unentered dogs are allowed.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such a case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

Please abide by the **AKC Code of Sportsmanship and Civility** flyer emphasizing positive exhibitor conduct and adhere to the following principles.

Any misconduct or unsportsmanlike behavior may result in event committee meeting.

Trial Committee members may rearrange crates to maximize space if needed, including restricting the placement of chairs in the crating area. Please crate in the specified areas. Your co-operation is appreciated.

Bring your own chairs and water for your dog.

All dogs are to be kept on leash in compliance with the AKC rules.

The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone or need help, please call 800. 656.HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors. "

WAITLIST AND REFUND POLICY

North Arkansas Kennel Club is offering a waitlist for rally entries, which will automatically close when limits have been reached, even if it occurs before the official closing date.

A wait list will be maintained in the event the limit is reached in any trial. If there are any entries withdrawn prior to the closing date, the next entry on the list shall be contacted.

Entries that are withdrawn prior to closing shall be reimbursed in full.

All entries, including wait-listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to Friday, November 20, 2026 at 6:00 pm. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on Friday, November 27, 2026 at 6:00 pm. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait-listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait-listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund for the wait-listed entries. Waitlisted entries will have until Friday, November 27, 2026, 6:00 pm to move off the wait list.

MOTEL AND RV CAMPGROUND INFORMATION

Please confirm dog policies when making your reservations. Do not leave dogs unattended or loose in rooms. All motel/hotels are considered part of the show site. All AKC rules and regulations apply. Exhibitors are expected to clean up after their dogs and respect motel property and rules. **NO** grooming or bathing of dogs in rooms. Do not let dogs destroy or foul the rooms. Put plastic under crates. Exercise dogs in designated areas only. An Event Committee hearing will be held for individuals reported for any motel complaints. Any offenses may result in an Event Committee hearing. It is your responsibility to confirm details when making reservations.

Check with motel to confirm prices and pet fees.

There may be a change in policies so please check with the motel first as pet policies may have changed. Prices are subject to change so please confirm with motels. Also, pet fees may be different. There are multiple VRBOs and AirBNB's in the area. This is peak fishing and tourism season so get your reservations in early.

Hampton Inn – 121 Highway 43 E, Harrison, AR 72601,..... (870) 365-0505
Super 8 Motel...1330 Hwy 62-65, Harrison, AR 72601(870) 741-1741
Family Budget Inn – 401 S. Main Hwy 65, Harrison, AR 72601.....(870) 743-1000
Quality Inn – 1210 Hwy 62-65 N, Harrison, AR 72601.....(870) 741-7676

RV Parking on site at Northwest Arkansas District Fairgrounds – dry camping. There are showers on premises.

KOA campgrounds north of town

Check with motels to confirm prices and pet fees.

THREE “C” MATCHES!

Rent-a-Ring

**Three rings will be available for rental on
Thursday at 2:30 pm**

**& Friday and Saturday afternoon will start 15 minutes after the
trial.**

Novice – Open – Utility-Rally

\$5 for 5 Minutes

Please sign up by 5:00 p.m. for Thursday's Match

**Sign up on Friday & Saturday by 2:00 p.m.
Sign up for the matches near the secretary's table.**

Entries will be taken ONLY on the day of the match

Only 25 dogs per ring will be signed up.

Workers will get an opportunity to go first.

First Come – First Served!

Be courteous and help set up rings for next person to expedite the match.

Only AKC approved collars will be allowed.

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Any questions call

Sherry Gibbany – 870-416-7062

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

From the South: Turn left off of Highway 65 N onto Highway 65 B (this is also South Main). Go 4/10 of a mile to entrance of Fairgrounds, turn right at entrance, go up the hill and turn right through the gates into the Fairgrounds.

From the North: Off of Highway 65 S turn left onto Highway 65 S, 62/412 E at the light (Taco Bell on corner) Go 3.5 miles to Highway 65B (this is also South Main) turn right (gas station on corner). Go 4/10 of a mile to entrance of Fairgrounds, turn right at entrance, go up the hill and turn right through the gates into the Fairgrounds.

**BEAUTIFUL SHADOW BOXES FOR
FIRST RACH, RAE, OTCH AND UDX
WILL BE GIVEN OUT – MADE BY LISA
THOMPSON.**

CHRISTMAS IN THE OZARKS

**Join us in Harrison, AR for North Arkansas
Kennel Club's Annual Obedience/Rally trials on
Dec 4, Dec 5, and 6, 2026 for a Christmas
gathering.**

PUT ON YOUR UGLY CHRISTMAS SWEATER!!

**Exhibitors are encouraged to dress in a Christmas theme on
Saturday! All participants will receive a raffle ticket for a
special basket!**

Decorate your crate area, too!!

**COME AND HAVE FUN IN THE OZARKS
DURING THE CLUB'S THREE DAY TRIAL!!**

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