

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON: March 3, 2021, 8AM Central at the Test Secretary's address. **Only Dalmatian entries will be processed until March 31, 2021 11:59PM Central after which all other entries will be processed in the order received.** All entries received before March 3, 2021 will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON: June 2, 2021 5:00PM Central or when the numerical limit has been reached, if reached prior to this date, at the Secretary's Office, 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. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

Entries Limited to 105 Per Test

Day of Test Entries taken unless/until the limit has been reached

Premium List



Incorporated
(Member Club of the American Kennel Club)

Test #1 Thursday, June 24, 2021 8:00AM Central #2021188910
Test #2 Thursday, June 24, 2021 1:00PM Central #2021188909
Test #3 Friday, June 25, 2021 8:00AM Central #2021188911
Test #4 Friday, June 25, 2021 1:00PM Central #2021188912

Test #5 Saturday, June 26, 2021 8:00AM Central #2021188930
Test #6 Saturday, June 26, 2021 1:00PM Central #2021188931
Test #7 Sunday, June 27, 2021 8:00AM Central #2021188932
Test #8 Sunday, June 27, 2021 1:00PM Central #2021188933

Tests will be run CONCURRENTLY

National Equestrian Center

6880 Lake St Louis Blvd., Lake St Louis, MO 63367

FAST CAT TEST SECRETARY

Jennifer Walker
9741 Cherrywood
Roscoe, IL. 61073

Phone: (815)-979-2157 • Email: MidwestFastcatTrialSecretary@gmail.com

Fast CATS operated by Lure Dude Lure Coursing Services

Drag Lure will be used.

Entry Fees - \$25 each run prior to close date/\$30 each run Day of Test

(Fees listed above include a \$3.50 AKC Recording Fee.)



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 DiNardo, Secretary

MAKE CHECKS and MONEY ORDERS payable to DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC (DCA)
FOREIGN EXHIBITORS must make fees payable in U.S. Funds.

By mail, send to

Jennifer Walker, 9741 Cherrywood, Roscoe, IL. 61073

Entry fees may be paid electronically on the DCA site. A \$1 convenience fee will apply to each entry: To make your payment for emailed entries, go to

<https://dalmatianclubofamerica.org/product/fastcat-test-entry-payment/>

Entry Forms may be emailed to MidwestFastcatTrialSecretary@gmail.com

Entries will not be accepted without fees and signatures on the Official AKC Entry Form.

Incomplete or ILLEGIBLE entries WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Entries will NOT be acknowledged. Please email the test secretary if you have a question about your entry.

Checks will not be deposited until after the events.

WAIT LIST: DCA is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 20 entries will be placed on the club's wait list per test. All entries, including waitlisted entries, *must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to closing Wed., 6/2/2021, at 5PM Central.* Any entries wishing to be withdrawn that are requested by Monday, June 14, 2021, 6PM Central will be replaced by a waitlisted entry *if any are available.* If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait-listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any waitlisted entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by 6/23/2021 will receive a full refund. (We will destroy the entry and the check.)

Routes to the Test Site/National Equestrian Center

From I-64, exit 4A to Hwy N. Go west on N for 1.2 miles to Lake Saint Louis Blvd. Turn right, and NEC is on your left.

FAST CAT TEST CHAIRMAN

Mark Leamen

(309) 721-1265 • meleamen@gmail.com

Test Committee

Rosie Branaman, Cynthia Greene, Lindsey Lienhardt, Virginia Simpson

DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.

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DCA COURSING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Cynthia Greene, Virginia Simpson

CDC AND AKC GUIDELINES RELATED TO COVID-19 IN EFFECT JUNE 22-29, 2021 WILL BE ENFORCED AT ALL DCA 2021 EVENTS

OFFICIAL SHOW PHOTOGRAPHER

Phyllis Ensley Photography
1235 Lower Burris Road, Canton, Georgia 30114
770-345-9738 / info@petactionshots.com / <https://phyllisensleyphotography.zenfolio.com>

SHOW VETERINARIAN (24 Hour)

Animal Emergency Clinic • 334 Fort Zumwalt Square, O'Fallon, MO 63366 • (636) 240-5496
Or
Veterinary Specialty Services West • 7770 Winghaven Blvd, O'Fallon, MO 63368 • (636) 392-2200

DIRECTIONS TO Animal Emergency Clinic: (Appx. 7.6 miles and 15 Minutes from NEC) Head south on Lake St. Louis Blvd for .1 mile. Turn left onto HWY N. After 1.2 miles, continue straight onto MO 364 E for 1.9 miles. Take Exit 2 for Bryan Rd using the left two lanes to turn left onto Bryan Rd. After 2.4 miles, turn right onto Veterans Memorial Pkwy. Drive 1.6 miles to Ft. Zumwalt Square on the right.

Directions to Veterinary Specialty Services West: (Appx. 4.6 miles and 10 Minutes from NEC) Head south on Lake St. Louis Blvd for .1 mile. Turn left onto HWY N. After 1.2 miles, continue straight onto MO 364 E for 1.9 miles. Take Exit 2 for Bryan Rd using the right two lanes to turn right onto Bryan Rd. Continue onto Winghaven Blvd .8 mile. Turn left onto Phoenix Walk.

EMERGENCY SERVICES – USE 911 FOR ALL EMERGENCIES

Hospital • SSM Health St. Joseph Hospital • (636) 625-5200
Police • Lake Saint Louis Police • (636) 625-8018
Fire • Lake Saint Louis Fire Protection District • (636) 561-9200
Ambulance • St. Charles County Ambulance • (636) 344-7600

VOLUNTEERS

We need your help to make these tests a success.

If you would like to volunteer to work these tests, please sign up by contacting Cindy Greene at yonnobi@aol.com, Lindsey Lienhardt at Lienhardt1769@gmail.com or Mark Leamen at meleamen@gmail.com

Vouchers will be provided to volunteer workers that can be used for food at the NEC Cafe.

Thank you from the DCA Test Committee!

Lure Operator: Bill Walker

Schedule and Test Hours Thursday through Sunday: 8am until all runs are completed or 3pm, whichever comes last. Note in the event of inclement or other conditions or to assist with timely completion of the trial, Trial Committee may elect to start the events earlier than posted. In any event, all entrants present during the posted times will be allowed to run, if conditions are safe."

***The Fast CAT Track will be fully fenced.
A Drag Lure will be used for these events.
Electronic Timers will be used to record run times.***

**Light Blue Qualifying Ribbons and New Title Rosettes
will be offered for all events**

**All those that are planning to finish a FCAT or above need to notify [Cynthia Greene](#) or [Virginia Simpson](#) no later than May 15th so that we may order the appropriate number of FCAT Rosettes. Please include the level of FCAT that you will qualify for.
Important Note: May 15th is prior to the entry closing date.**

TESTS WILL BE HELD CONCURRENTLY

Each Event will be Limited to 105 runs

FAST CAT TESTS ROLL CALL

Roll call is the time by which participants are expected to check-in.

Thursday - Sunday

***MORNING ROLL CALL: 7:45 a.m.**

AFTERNOON ROLL CALL: 12:45 p.m.

***Workers will be Roll Called early and will run first.**

Check-in is followed by inspection for fitness, lameness or "in season" females.

We will also be measuring dogs that need to be measured.

FOR THESE EVENTS WE WILL BE HOLDING A "ROLLING ROLL CALL"

– BASICALLY WHEN YOU ARE READY TO RUN DURING YOUR SCHEDULED BLOCK, YOU COME, AND WE WILL CHECK YOUR DOG AND PUT YOU ON THE ORDER OF GO LIST. WE WILL TRY OUR BEST TO WORK AROUND THE OTHER ACTIVITIES YOU MAY BE ENTERED IN THIS WEEK. PLEASE NOTE – SOMETIMES THE ORDER OF GO IS ALREADY AN HOUR WAIT TIME BY MID MORNING!!!!

We will be running a "block schedule" running order.

You will receive an email with your Block and information when entries close

NOTE: A request for a special run position in an event by breeds other than Dalmatians must accompany the entry form and will not be considered after entries are closed. Again, WE WILL TRY OUR BEST TO WORK AROUND THE OTHER ACTIVITIES YOU MAY BE ENTERED IN THIS WEEK.

Dogs must be inspected before each run.

We give each dog a run ticket for each event.

You MUST present your run ticket at the field gate in order to run.

"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."

Exhibitors are also expected to make sure their dogs are in good physical condition before attempting to run the Fast CAT events.



CONCESSIONS available on the show grounds.

Please pick-up after yourselves.

FAST CAT

The FAST CAT is a timed straight race of 100 yards where a dog chases a lure. Dogs are run singularly and earn points based on their handicapped speed. There are no placements. Titles are issued at designated benchmarks. The dog's time to complete the 100-yard dash is converted into MPH. Dogs earn points based on their handicapped speed. 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

$$204.545 / \text{time} = \text{MPH}$$

Example: The dog's time is 8.14 seconds.

$$204.545 / 8.14 = 25.13 \text{ MPH}$$

Points = MPH multiplied by the dog's handicap

Titles are earned by accumulating points. The following titles will be awarded:

BCAT = 150 points

DCAT = 500 points

FCAT = 1,000 points

FCAT# = every additional 500 points.

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.

Fast CAT is open to all dogs 12 months of age or older that are individually registered/ listed with the AKC registration as purebreds, Foundation Stock Service (FSS) dogs, Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) dogs and AKC Canine Partner Program.

Special Performance Award – The Triathlete Challenge

If you and your dog are a multi-tasking team, set your sights on the SPECIALTY TRIATHLETE CHALLENGE, a special award given to EACH Dalmatian/handler team that earns a qualifying leg or passing score in three (3) or more performance/companion venues during the National Specialty. The eligible events are: Road Trial – CC, RD, RDX classes; Agility – all titling classes; Obedience – all titling classes; Rally – all titling classes; Barn Hunt – all titling classes; Scent Work and FAST CATS – all titling classes during the Thursday and Friday tests only. Only one score or performance in each venue will count towards this award, and the performance must be at the titling level, although the dog/handler team may already have earned the relevant title. If your dog can hock, heel, sniff, run, or jump, just pick your venues and go for the challenge!

HOST HOTEL

Hilton Garden Inn – O’Fallon, MO

Address: 2310 Technology Drive, O’Fallon, MO 63368

Phone:(636) 625-2700

Directions: The hotel is located at Exit 6/Winghaven Blvd. on I-64.

All hotel & motel sites are considered a part of the show site. All AKC Rules & Regulations apply. Complaints lodged against any exhibitor or exhibitors will be under the auspices of the DCA Show Event Committee. Exhibitors must maintain these facilities in a clean & orderly fashion. The Show Event Committee will take disciplinary action against an exhibitor for any infringement of AKC Rules & Regulations regarding show sites & sportsmanship.

DCA HOTEL POLICY: Any exhibitor who allows his/her dogs to be loose & unattended in a room or to damage hotel property & does not immediately contact the hotel management to make proper restitution will be subject to a Show Event Committee action which could result in the loss of AKC privileges. If it is determined by the Committee hearing that rules are being neglected & destruction and/or misuse of property is taking place, the Committee has the authority to correct the problem or seek AKC suspension.

ONLY DOGS THAT ARE ELIGIBLE to be shown under the American Kennel Club Rules shall be allowed within the Show Precincts. PUPPIES UNDER FOUR (4) MONTHS ARE NOT ALLOWED on the Show Precincts or at any events associated with or held in conjunction with the DCA Specialty Show. The Show Event Committee has the authority to correct a violation of this AKC Rule.

RV Parking

RV spots at the show site are sold out.

Policies: All campers are expected to keep their campsites clean and orderly and leave them in as good of shape as they found them. Absolutely no dumping of gray or black water tanks under penalty of state and local laws and an AKC bench show action. Honey Wagon service may be pre-arranged through the DCA website at the link below. For additional information, go to

<https://dalmatianclubofamerica.org/2021-dca-specialty-accomodations/>

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNER’S SOLE RISK

- **THE Fast CAT TEST COMMITTEE, THE DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. SHOW EVENT COMMITTEE AND THE SPECIALTY STEERING COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN** may make and enforce any rules they deem necessary to ensure the continuity of the Fast CAT Tests and the goodwill of the landowner. Any disciplinary event hearing, rule violation, complaint, or charges will be resolved by the Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. National Specialty Show Event Committee. The Show Event Committee members are Toni Linstedt, Chair, Dr. Charles Garvin, Paula Olcott, SarahAnne Vancleeve, Meg Hennessey and John Cramer.
 - Entry fee will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by the judge, or barred from competition by action of the Show Event Committee.
 - No entries will be accepted by phone or fax
 - Changes, additions, or corrections to entry forms must be received in writing prior to the close of entries. Those received by telephone are not acceptable.
 - Please notify Secretary of any change of address.
 - No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance.
 - Returned/Re-deposited/Post-dated checks do not constitute a valid entry.
 - All dogs must be kept on leash except when on the course.
 - **The show-giving club, the Show Secretary, the landowners, or National Equestrian Center assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by the exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.**
 - The show-giving club assumes no responsibility for the welfare of children and further expects exhibitors and spectators to keep their children under strict control.
 - No dogs allowed in rest rooms, and no washing of animal food containers in rest rooms. Exercise dogs in designated areas only.
 - **No videotaping or photography during the events for resale is permitted without Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. approval.**
 - **Please be advised:** When exhibitors/handlers bring a dog to the podium for a win/placement photo, they are establishing a de facto contract with the show photographer to purchase that photo.
 - **No baby strollers are allowed near the course during show hours.**
 - The Test Secretary will add a \$25 collection fee to the amount of each returned/re-deposited check.
 - **This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC entry form for this event.**
 - **EXHIBITORS & GUESTS: No one is permitted anywhere that is marked “Employees Only” and/or “No Admittance.” No firearms allowed on the National Equestrian Center property. Violators will be reported to the AKC. No Smoking (including electronic cigarettes) in the Building.**
- UNLOADING/PARKING: No driving on grass areas.**

- All entries must be 12 months of age or older on the day of the test.
- Each dog requires an individual entry form for each event in which it is entered.
- Entries will not be accepted without fees, signatures, or the “Agreement” found on the Official AKC Entry Form.
- Bitches in season and lame dogs will be excused. Entries will be refunded less a \$5 admin fee per day of tests.
- Mixed breeds must be spayed or neutered to be eligible to run. AKC registered dogs with breed disqualifications may be entered.
- Coursing 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.

SPECIAL NOTICES TO ALL PARTICIPANTS RELATED TO NEC

Indemnification & Release. All participants are required to sign the NEC’s Release, Waiver, Hold Harmless and Indemnification Agreement. Please visit <https://dalmatianclubofamerica.org/2021-dca-specialty/> to download a copy to print, sign and bring to the event to turn in.

Move-In/Move-Out. The established MOVE-IN for this EVENT may begin no earlier than 3pm on Tues 06.22.2021 and the established MOVE-OUT must be complete no later than 9:00am on Tues 06.29.2021.

Concession Hours. NEC concession services shall be available during pre-determined, scheduled hours each day of the EVENT. Daily hours will be posted in the concession area.

Alcoholic Beverages & Corkage Fees. No beer, wine, spirits, or other alcohol may be served, sold, or given away on the premises without the express permission of NEC. Any violator shall be responsible for and agrees to pay NEC a corkage fee of no less than \$200.00 for any unauthorized distribution of alcoholic beverages. Private individuals are welcome to enjoy privately purchased beverages in the grooming and crating areas and RV lot, but please refrain from bringing outside beverages into the NEC concession and lobby areas.

Food & Catering Fees. Exhibitors, participants, and individual guests at NEC are welcome to enjoy privately purchased food and beverages in the grooming and crating areas and RV lot but please refrain from bringing outside beverages into the NEC concession and lobby areas. All formal, organized catering served to groups of people at NEC must be pre-approved by NEC in writing and may be subject to a fee.

Non-Compete Sales & Services. No entities may make sales or provide services to participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators when the same or similar products and/or services are available from NEC. This may include, but is not limited to food service, golf-cart rentals, and bedding sales.

- SMOKING IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED INSIDE ANY STRUCTURES by St. Charles County & Lake Saint Louis Ordinances
- NO OPEN FLAMES in barns or indoors at any time
- LEASHED FRIENDLY DOGS are welcome in public areas
- **SCOOP ALL DOG POOP and dispose in provided trash containers**
- KEEP MOTORIZED VEHICLES out of barns and buildings at all times
- KEEP FIRE LANES, MANURE PITS and UN/LOADING ZONES CLEAR of parked vehicles
- PARK Trailers in Trailer Parking, RVs in RV Parking and Cars/Trucks in Vehicle Parking
- NO GREY/BLACK TANK DUMPING; mobile services can be pre-arranged on request
- DEFACING, DAMAGING OR DESTROYING NEC property will incur fines
- FOR SAFETY, USE NO STAPLES, NAILS, SCREWS OR HOOKS inside any covered structures
- ALL ALCOHOL consumed during OPEN CONCESSION HOURS must be purchased from NEC
- REFRAIN from USING DANGEROUS or DISRUPTIVE MATERIALS (such as glass containers, open-flame BBQ’s, space heaters, electric blankets, fireworks, airhorns, etc.)

TIPS FOR HANDLERS

- The course is fenced. However, it is strongly recommended that prior to running your dog, you have good “recall” control over your dog, as the dogs will be off leash.
- Handlers should wear comfortable shoes and be physically able to hold and release their dogs, as well as catch them. Absolutely no sandals, flip flops or open-toed shoes.
- Dogs will be brought to the start line on leash and released only upon a verbal signal (“Tally-Ho!”) from the Huntmaster. Dogs may be released by hand, folded leash or using a traditional lure coursing slip lead.
- **Handler should have someone familiar with the dog at the end of the course to retrieve the dog or have someone else release their dog at the start line. The handler is expected to promptly secure the dog and leave the field with the dog on leash.**

Handlers MAY recall their dogs to them.

- Lure coursing is a physically demanding sport so please make sure your dog is in good shape. If you are not sure, make an appointment with a veterinarian to get an opinion.
- Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for about 10 minutes afterwards.
- Any person, upon reasonable complaint, may be asked to leave the grounds of the test by the Field Committee and may be disciplined by the AKC. Children must be under control of their parents or guardian(s) at all times.
- Dogs may run without a collar or wear any type of collar except choker collars, electronic training collars or head collar. Collars should be snug. Hanging tags pose a safety concern and it is suggested that tags be secured to the collar with tape. Dogs may run muzzled if desired. Clips or rubber bands may be used to keep long hair from falling across the dog’s field of vision. Slip leads can be used if the owner desires and will be provided to borrow. Dogs should have a reliable recall and be retrieved promptly by the owner/ handler at the end of the course.

Dalmatian Club of America, Lure Dude Lure Coursing Services, Members, Directors, Agents, Secretaries & Employees are not Responsible for Loss or Damage to, or Death of Any Dogs at these events or for the Possessions of Any Participant, whether the Result of an Accident or any other cause. It is expressly understood that every dog at this show is in the care, custody and control of the owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises



Performance Fund

Check out all the terrific Performance Fund items available to help underwrite the cost of putting on 8 different companion and performance events during our National including the Fast CAT T-Shirt which comes in short sleeve or long sleeve and a variety of colors!

<https://dalmatianclubofamerica.org/product-category/2021-national-specialty/2021-national-specialty-performance-fund/>

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM

Club: Dalmatian Club of America, Inc		Thur AM ____ Thur PM ____ Fri AM ____ Fri PM ____	
Location: National Equestrian Center Lake Saint Louis, MO		Sat AM ____ Sat PM ____ Sun AM ____ Sun PM ____	
Stakes FCAT	Breed		
Date of Birth	AKC No. ___ PAL/ILP No. ___ Foreign & List Country ___	Sex	I enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$
Call Name	AKC No.	Name of Jr Handler (if any)	
		Height of Dog at Shoulder Under 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Over 18" <input type="checkbox"/> 12"-18" <input type="checkbox"/> Not Sure <input type="checkbox"/>	
Full Name of Dog			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address			
City State Zip			
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Test			
Jr Handler #	<input type="checkbox"/> Please Separate My Entries		
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org			
AGREEMENT			
<p>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,</p> <p>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.</p>			
Signature of owner or his Agent duly authorized to make this entry			
Telephone (IMPORTANT)		Email (IMPORTANT)	

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