

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Monday, February 1, 2021, 8:00 am (Eastern Daylight time-EDT) at the Trial Secretary's location. Entries close at 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 14, 2021, at the home of the Trial Secretary 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

Indoors – Unbenched

35th and 36th Rally Trials

May 1, 2021 (Saturday)

Rally Trial 1: AKC #2021087705 Rally Trial 2: AKC #2021087706

Each rally trial judge limited to 8 hours judging time

140th and 141st Obedience Trials

May 2, 2021 (Sunday)

Sunday Trial 1: AKC #2021087707 Sunday Trial 2: AKC #2021087708

Each obedience trial judge is limited to 8 hours judging time

These events will accept entries for mixed breed dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners Program and dogs enrolled in the Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) program

Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club, Inc.

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



Dogs that are not entered cannot be crated in the building.

Trial Site:

Merrimac Dog Training Club Building
15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA 23661

Saturday & Sunday

May 1 and 2, 2021

Trial Hours: Sat. & Sun.: 7:00 am to 5:00 pm each day

Additional copies of this premium are available at the HROTC Website: www.HROTC.org

American Kennel Club Certification

Permission is 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



Premium List 3 1/27/2021

OBEDIENCE ENTRY FEES – Each Day

(Entry fee includes \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee per entry & \$.50 AKC Recording fee first entry only).

Note: There is no Recording Fee or Event Service Fee for Brace or Veterans Classes.


	<i>If entering by postal mail/hand delivery with check</i>	<i>If entering by email with PayPal</i>
Obedience Trial Classes as a First Entry of each dog	\$28.00	\$29.50
Each Additional Entry of the Same Dog in the Same Trial <i>The \$26 entry fee only applies if you are entering the <u>same dog</u> in the <u>same trial</u>; for example, entering Open B & Utility B, or entering Beginner Novice & Novice, etc.</i>	\$26.00	\$27.50
Each Entry of a Dog in Non-Regular Classes <i>(Brace class fee includes entry for both dogs, but entry form needed for each dog). Veterans class is for dogs over 7 years old.</i>	\$15.00	\$16.00
Each Entry of a Dog entered by Junior Handler <i>(Anyone aged 9-18 who has an AKC junior showmanship handler number is eligible.</i>	\$15.00	\$16.00

RALLY ENTRY FEES – Each Day

(Entry Fee includes \$3.50 AKC Recording Fee for the first entry of each dog, and a recording fee of \$3.00 for each additional entry of the same dog)

	<i>If entering by postal mail/hand delivery with check</i>	<i>If entering by email with PayPal</i>
Rally Trial Classes as a First Entry of each dog	\$28.00	\$29.50
Each Additional Entry of the Same Dog in the Same Trial <i>The \$26 entry fee only applies if you are entering the <u>same dog</u> in the <u>same trial</u>; for example, entering Rally Adv & Rally Excellent, or Rally Advanced & Rally Excellent & Rally Master, etc.</i>	\$26.00	\$27.50
Each Entry of a Dog entered by Junior Handler <i>(Anyone aged 9-18 who has an AKC junior showmanship handler number is eligible.</i>	\$15.00	\$16.00
Non-Regular Class Entry	\$15.00	\$16.00
Rally Pair class (1 handler with 2 dogs); an entry form must be submitted for each dog	\$15.00 <i>(per pair)</i>	\$16.00 <i>(per pair)</i>
Rally Team class (4 handlers and 4 dogs); an entry form must be submitted for each dog on the team	\$20.00 <i>(per team)</i>	\$21 <i>(per team)</i>

ENTRY SUBMITTAL:

- 1) If entering via a mail service (postal service, UPS, Express Mail, etc.), please mail or deliver your entry with check/money order (made out to HROTC) to Bonnie Boger, HROTC Trial Secretary, 5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23457-1120
- 2)  **PayPal** If entering via PayPal, please email your entry forms and fees to Treasurer@HROTC.org. After receipt of entry and payment, the treasurer will forward entries to Trial Secretary.

Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club

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May Obedience/Rally Trial Committee:

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Trial Secretary

Bonnie Boger, 5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23457-1120
(757) 620-0557 e-mail: agileone@cox.net

Emergency Services: Fire/Ambulance/Police – Hampton City: Call 911

Veterinarian (on call): Animal Emergency Center, 2025 George Washington Memorial Hwy (US 17), Yorktown, VA 23693. Telephone: (757) 234-0461. Directions: From MDTC, take I-664 North to I-64 West to Exit 256B (Victory Boulevard). Continue 1.5 miles to US17 South. Turn right. Continue .5 miles to clinic.

Nearest Urgent Care (Humans) – Sentara Complex Hospital Trauma Center, 3000 Coliseum Drive, Hampton, VA (approx. 5 miles from trial site). Directions: Turn left onto Newsome Rd when leaving MDTC. Turn Right onto Salters Creek. Turn right onto W Queen St. Turn left onto W. Pembroke Avenue. Use left two lanes to turn left onto LaSalle. Left onto N Armistead, go 3.5 miles and turn left at Vernon Stuart Dr. After .3 miles Sentara CarePlex will be on your right.

PLEASE SIGN the COVID-19 WAIVER (page 14)

And turn it in at the trial when picking up your armband(s) –
This is required to participate in these trials

ANTICIPATED / PROBABLE COVID MEASURES

This information is located on pages 15 & 16

(Updated information will be provided in the Judging Program)

Please respect the trial site property.
Pick up all deposits made by your dog and deposit in outside waste container.

Obedience/Rally Run-throughs Merrimac Dog Training Club, 15 Newsome Rd., Hampton, VA

In the past Merrimac Dog Training Club has offered obedience and rally run-through practices at their facility preceding the HROTC trials. If you are interested in the run-through practices, please check their website at www.merrimacdogtrainingclub.org for dates.

Rally Judges and Their Assignments

Mrs. Debra L. Barrows #6998
Annandale, VA 22003-4256

Mrs. Mary Ann Mullen #4366
Carrollton, VA 23314-4304

Saturday, May 1, 2021 #2021087705 – Rally Trial 1 – Judge: Mrs. Debra L. Barrows

Saturday, May 1, 2021 #2021087706 – Rally Trial 2 – Judge: Mrs. Mary Ann Mullen

RALLY CLASSES OFFERED

Rally Novice A	Rally Intermediate	Rally Excellent A	<u>Non-Regular Classes</u>
Rally Novice B	Rally Advanced A	Rally Excellent B	Rally Pairs
	Rally Advanced B	Rally Master	Team Rally

NOTE: Saturday trials will be run in two rings, with Rally Trial 1 starting approximately 1 hour before Rally Trial 2.
Dogs will be run in jump height order (small to tall) within each class

Transfers/Move-Ups in Rally

Transfer forms may be submitted to Trial Secretary by mail or e-mail no later than Monday, April 26, 2020. Transfer forms may be provided to Trial Secretary on day of trial 30 minutes before the start of each trial. Transfer forms resulting from titles earned in Rally Trial 1 may be submitted to Trial Secretary as soon as possible but at least 15 minutes before the start of the desired class.

Wait List

Each judge can judge a maximum of 8 hours. If this limit is reached prior to closing, a Wait List will be maintained for each of these rally trials. If entries are withdrawn prior to the closing date, these slots will be filled from the Wait List.

RIBBON PRIZES - Rally Classes

<i>Regular Classes</i>	
1 st Place <i>Note: 1st Place Rally Novice will receive also receive a tug toy</i>	Blue Rosette
2 nd Place	Red Rosette
3 rd Place	Yellow Rosette
4 th Place	White Rosette
High Combined Score in Advanced B & Excellent B classes	Blue & Green Rosette and \$25
Highest Scoring Triple Qualifying Scoring Score <i>(Advanced B, Excellent B & Master)</i>	Blue & Red Rosette and \$25
• A Dark Green Qualifying Score Ribbon will be given to each dog receiving a qualifying score.	

<i>Non-Regular Classes</i>	
1st Place	Rose Rosette
2nd Place	Brown Rosette
3rd Place	Light Green Rosette
4th Place	Gray Rosette

Note: For each team that receives a placement, each dog on that team will receive a rosette.

NEW TITLE RIBBONS

Finish a title on a dog? Get a "New Title" Rosette!



Obedience Judges and Their Assignments

Mrs. Debra L. Barrows #6998
Annandale, VA 22003-4256

Mr. Joseph Caputa
Ellendale, DE 19941-2543

Sunday, May 2, 2021 #2021087707 – Obedience Trial 1 Judge: Mrs. Debra L. Barrows

Sunday, May 2, 2021 #2021087708 – Obedience Trial 2 Judge: Mr. Joseph Caputa

OBEDIENCE CLASSES OFFERED

Regular Classes

Novice A & Novice B
Open A & Open B
Utility A & Utility B

Alternative Classes

Preferred Novice
Preferred Open
Preferred Utility

Optional Titling Classes

Beginner Novice A & B
Graduate Novice
Graduate Open
Versatility

NOTE: Sunday trials will be run in two rings with Obedience Trial 1 starting before Obedience Trial 2.
Dogs will be run in jump height order (tall to small) within each class

Transfers/Move-Ups in Obedience

Transfer forms may be submitted to Trial Secretary by mail or e-mail no later than Monday, April 26, 2021. Transfer forms may be provided to Trial Secretary on day of trial 30 minutes before the start of each trial. Transfer forms resulting from titles earned in Obedience Trial 1 may be submitted to Trial Secretary as soon as possible but at least 15 minutes before the start of the desired class.

Wait List

Each judge can judge a maximum of 8 hours. If this limit is reached prior to closing, a Wait List will be maintained for each of these obedience trials. If entries are withdrawn prior to the closing date, these slots will be filled from the Wait List.

OBEDIENCE TRIAL PRIZES

<i>Regular Classes</i>	
1 st Place Note: Novice A Obedience 1 st Place will also receive a tug toy	Blue Rosette
2 nd Place	Red Rosette
3 rd Place	Yellow Rosette
4 th Place	White Rosette
High Scoring Dog in Trial	Blue & Gold Rosette and \$25
High Scoring Dog in Open B & Utility Combined	Blue & Green Rosette and \$25
High Scoring Dog in Preferred Open B & Preferred Utility B Combined	Blue & Green Rosette and \$25
• A Dark Green Qualifying Ribbon will be given to each dog receiving a qualifying score	
<i>Preferred Classes and Optional Classes</i>	
1 st Place Note: Beginner Novice A and Graduate Novice 1 st Place will also receive a tug toy	Blue Rosette
2 nd Place	Red Rosette
3 rd Place	Yellow Rosette
4 th Place	White Rosette
• A Dark Green Qualifying Ribbon will be given to each dog receiving a qualifying score	

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HOW TO USE THE ENTRY BLANK

Please note that Obedience and Rally are separate trials.

Use one entry blank per dog if information is exactly the SAME for each day. Carefully check the block (blocks) for each trial in which you wish to enter your dog.

There are two rally trials on Saturday and two obedience trials on Sunday. The entry fee for the ***first entry in each trial is \$28 (PayPal \$29.50)***. You may only use the \$26 (PayPal \$27.50) second entry fee if you are entering the same dog in the same trial. Example, you are entering Open B and Utility B in same trial; or you are entering Rally Advanced & Rally Excellent &/or Rally Master in same trial. You may not use the \$26 (PayPal \$27.50) second entry fee when entering the same dog in two different trials.

When submitting entries do not use any delivery method that requires a signature. Doing so may delay receipt of your entry. All entries should be mailed or delivered to Bonnie Boger, 5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA 2357-1120.

SUBMITTAL OF ENTRIES & PAYMENT OF ENTRY FEES

- **Entries via U.S. Mail:** Payment by check/money order made out to Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club or HROTC. Submit paper entry(ies) with check or money order to Trial Secretary Bonnie Boger, 5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23457-1120, no later than closing date & time. Do not use any delivery method that requires a signature; doing so may delay receipt of your entry.
- **E-mail entries with PayPal:** E-mail entry forms and PayPal payments to treasurer@hrotc.org.

Entries without fees will not be accepted. Acknowledgement of entries will be made as soon as practical. Should such acknowledgement not be received by the exhibitor within a reasonable time (over five days), please notify the Bonnie Boger, Trial Secretary.

Entries not on official AKC entry forms or photocopies of entry forms without the agreement and rules on the reverse side of the official AKC entry form are not acceptable. Entry forms must contain an original signature. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. A \$25.00 service fee will be added for all returned checks.

Express entries: Please use "release signature" or the entry will be delayed.

No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY. The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children.

The Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club HROTC and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors/handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. HROTC reserves the right remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against HROTC or any official thereof. The competitor expressly agrees that AKC and HROTC and its assignees or any other person(s), of said groups, shall not be held liable personally, or collectively, under any circumstances, for injury and/or damage to her/himself, for loss or injury to property, whether due to uncontrolled dogs or negligence of any member of said groups, or any other cause, or causes. The competitor also agrees to assume all financial liability that may be incurred by the HROTC due to the actions of themselves or their dogs regardless of the cause.

- Please be respectful of the property and pick up all deposits made by your dog!
- Dogs must be on a leash at all times while on the property.

REFUNDS

- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. it is impossible to open or to complete the show, no refund of entry fee will be made..
- No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.
- Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical conditions are eligible to a 50% refund by supplying the Trial Secretary with a certificate from your veterinarian dated the day of the trial(s).
- **Females In Season:** All but \$5.00 of the entry fee may be refunded for bitches who come in season after the

closing date by supplying Trial Secretary with a certificate from your veterinarian dated on or before the day of the trial.

- **Medical:** Dogs pulled after the closing date due to injury/medical condition are eligible for a refund of all but a \$10 administrative fee by supplying the Trial Secretary with a certificate from a veterinarian

Please be respectful of the property and pick up all deposits made by your dog!
Dogs must be on a leash at all times while on the property.

ANTICIPATED / POSSIBLE COVID MEASURES – See pages 15 & 16
(Updated information will be provided in the Judging Program)

ADVERTISING

**At the Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club's Obedience and Rally Trials
May 1 & 2, 2021**

Full Page – 8 ½ x 11" - Color	\$10.00
Full Page – 8 ½ x 11" - Black & White (gray scale)	\$5.00

Deadline for submission is April 15th

Please note that in addition to the hard copy catalog, we are now ALSO posting flyers (8 ½ x 11") containing your advertisement at the event site in a prominent location for the duration of the event.

Print plainly or type all ad copy to avoid typographical errors, giving special emphasis to the dog and owner's name. Photos/illustrations/logos, etc., may be used; however, bear in mind that they must be clear and sharp for photocopying. May submit via email in JPG or PDF format.

Please return all ad copy with the check made payable to HROTC and send to:

Beverly McGhghy email bevmc8@verizon.net or call (757) 490-1555 (landline/no texts)
185 Herndon Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23462

PRE-ORDER of CATALOGS

Trial catalog (prepaid with entry fees) = \$3

Trial catalog (at trial, subject to availability) = \$5

If you would like to pre-pay and reserve your Catalog, please return check the box on the entry form and include the \$3 with your entry fees addressed to Bonnie Boger, 5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23457-1120. Your catalog with your name on it will be available for pick-up at the Trial Secretary's table on the trial date(s).

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM – **RALLY**

Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club rally trials to be held at Merrimac Dog Training Club, 15 Newsome Place, Hampton VA 23661

☐ Saturday, May 1, 2021 – RALLY AM / TRIAL 1 – 2021087705 – (Judge Debra Barrows)

☐ \$3 Catalog

☐ Saturday, May 1, 2021 – RALLY PM / TRIAL 2 – 2021087706 – (Judge Mary Ann Mullen)

Entry Fees: \$28.00 (Paypal \$29.50) for the first entry of a dog in each Rally Trial, \$26.00 (Paypal \$27.50) for the second entry of the same dog in the same Trial. \$15 (PayPal \$16) for entries in Junior exhibitor classes. \$10 (PayPal \$11) for Rally Pair. \$20 (PayPal \$21) for Rally Team.

Entries Close at the Trial Secretary's home at **8:00 pm, Wednesday, April 14, 2021** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, or substituted. Mail entries with fees to: Bonnie Boger, 5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23457-1120.

Make checks or money orders payable to: **HROTC or Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club**

I enclose \$ _____ **for entry fees** (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

BREED	VARIETY	SEX
RALLY CLASS(es) <input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced A <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent A <input type="checkbox"/> Master <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced B <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent B		
Non-Regular Rally Class Offered: <input type="checkbox"/> Rally Team (Novice)/Team Name: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Rally Pair		
JUMP HEIGHT: <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16"		
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)	JR. HANDLER NUMBER	
FULL NAME OF DOG		
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC Reg. No.. <i>Enter number here</i> <input type="checkbox"/> PAL number <input type="checkbox"/> AKC Canine Partner No. <input type="checkbox"/> ID No. issued by AKC. <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Reg. No. & Country:	DATE OF BIRTH PLACE OF BIRTH (list country if other than U.S.)	
BREEDER		
SIRE		
DAM		
ACTUAL OWNER(S)		
OWNER'S ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP COUNTRY (if not USA)
TELEPHONE #	Are you a new exhibitor <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Email Address (An acknowledgement of receipt of entry may be sent to this email address)		
Name and telephone # of Agent/Handler at this Trial (if any):		
Name and Telephone # of Emergency Contact:		

Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on page 2 of this entry form.

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 Rally 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 owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM – OBEDIENCE

Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club obedience trials to be held at Merrimac Dog Training Club, 15 Newsome Place, Hampton VA 23661

- ☐ Sunday, May 2, 2021 – Obedience Trial 1 – 2021087707 (Judge Mrs. Debra L. Barrrows ☐ \$3 Catalog
☐ Sunday, May 2, 2021 – Obedience Trial 2 – 2021087708 (Judge Mr. Joseph Caputa)

Entry Fees: \$28.00 for the first entry of a dog in each Obedience Trial, \$26.00 (PayPal \$29.50) for the second entry of the same dog in the same Trial. \$15 (PayPal \$16) for Junior Handler. Non-Regular Classes: Brace: \$15 (PayPal \$16); Veterans: \$15 (PayPal \$16).

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I enclose \$ _____ for entry fees and/or catalog

IMPORTANT Read Instructions on second page of this entry form carefully before filling out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box. Next, be sure to read the Agreement and sign the form. **No form will be processed without your signature!**

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

BREED	VARIETY	SEX
OBEDIENCE CLASS(es) <input type="checkbox"/> Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Open A <input type="checkbox"/> Utility A <i>only</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Preferred Novice <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner Novice A <input type="checkbox"/> Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Open B <input type="checkbox"/> Utility B <i>only</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Preferred Open <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> Utility Dog Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Preferred Utility <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Novice <i>(dogs with UD competing in Open B & Util B) \$56</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Versatility		
JUMP HEIGHT:		
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)		JR. HANDLER NUMBER
FULL NAME OF DOG:		
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC REG NO.: <i>Enter number here:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> PAL NO.: <input type="checkbox"/> AKC Canine Partner No.: <input type="checkbox"/> ID number issued by AKC. <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Reg. No. & Country:		DATE OF BIRTH PLACE OF BIRTH (list country if other than U.S.)
BREEDER		
SIRE		
DAM		
ACTUAL OWNER(S)		
OWNER'S ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP
Telephone:		Name of Owner's Agent (if any) at this trial:
Email Address (An acknowledgement of receipt of entry may be sent to this email address)		
Name and Telephone # of Emergency Contact:		

Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on page 2 of this entry form.
Obedience Entry Form – Page 1

INSTRUCTIONS

1. (Variety) If you are entering a dog of a 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. The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition; Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which according to their owners records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
3. (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the dog show 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., age division, color division, weight division.
4. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for a show 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 show 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 name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to AKC. (For complete rule refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
5. Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

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 owner or his/her agent duly authorized to make this entry:

AKC Junior Showmanship exhibitors must also submit the Junior Showmanship information requested on the form on the next page.

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Please submit this form with AKC Junior entries for obedience and/or rally trials

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please provide the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER: _____

JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH _____

The above number **MUST** be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. (Phone) (919) 816-3776.

By signing the entry form we certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showing Showmanship.

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____STATE _____ZIP _____

If Jr. Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Jr. Handler to the Owner?

To be submitted with AKC Junior Entries



Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club
Wishes the Best of Luck To All Entered

Directions to Trial Site

From Monitor-Merrimac Tunnel on I-664 - take Powhatan Parkway/Power Plant exit. Go right at end of exit and take the first left onto Salters Creek Road. Go approximately .6 miles and turn right on Newsome Place. Merrimac Dog Training, 15 Newsome Place, will be on right

From I-64 East or West, take the I-664 exit. Take Exit 2 Powhatan Parkway/Power Plant and go left at end of ramp. Take the 2nd left turn lane onto Salters Creek Road and go approximately .6 mile and turn right on Newsome Place. Merrimac Dog Training will be on the right.

NOTE: Newsome Road cannot be accessed from North Pembroke Road. You will need to access Newsome Road from Salters Creek Road. Your GPS may not show this yet.

Motels and Hotels:

The following places allow pets (with a pet fee), as of the preparation of this Premium List. If you need lodging, please confirm that dogs are still allowed & check pet fees when making reservations.)

Best Western Hampton Coliseum (pet fee/allows multiple pets), 1916 Coliseum Dr., Hampton, VA (757) 827-5052

Extended Stay Hotels, (Pet fee) 1915 Commerce Dr, Hampton, VA (757) 896-3600.

Sonesta Simply Suites (Pet fee/allows multiple pets/has kitchen), 401 Butler Farm Rd., Hampton, VA (757) 766-8976

Red Roof Inn, (Pet fee) 1925 Coliseum Dr. (I-64 Exit 263B) Hampton, VA (757) 838-1870





HROTC/Merrimac Dog Training Club COVID-19 WAIVER

Event: Hampton Roads Obedience Training Club (HROTC)
Rally and/or Obedience Trials

Date: May 1, 2021 (Saturday) and/or May 2, 2021 (Sunday)

Location: Merrimac Dog Training Club, 15 Newsome Place, Hampton, VA

I certify that I do not, to my knowledge, have COVID-19 at the time of attending this Event; nor have I been in contact with or exposed to any known carrier of COVID-19 within the past 14 days.

If I have had this virus, I certify that I have had at least two negative tests 14 or more days prior to the Event or have had a positive antibody test, and have been released by government officials and/or health care providers to resume normal activity without limit.

I understand that I am entering and competing at this Event entirely at my own risk and take full responsibility for my own health and safety during this Event. I pledge to follow all HROTC event rules and requirements to mitigate any possibility of infecting others or becoming infected. I will also cooperate with any health department and/or State/Local guidelines that have jurisdiction in the area in which the event is taking place. HROTC and Merrimac Dog Training Club are in no way liable for any present or future COVID-19 infection incurred at any time in any person, in attendance or not in attendance, before, during or after this Event.

Further, I agree to notify the Trial Secretary at agileone@cox.net (or mail to Bonnie Boger, Trial Secretary, 5224 Blackwater Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23457-1120) if I test positive for COVID-19 in the 14 days following my attendance at this Event.

Printed Name (Required)

Date

Signature (Required)

E-Mail address

POSSIBLE /ANTICIPATED COVID MEASURES
(Updated information will be provided in the Judging Program)

We are unsure at this time what state, local and CDC recommendations and/or policy will be at the time of these trials. We will be doing our best to ensure the safety of all who are at these trials. The information below is ***subject to change, dependent upon conditions closer to the trial***. The following measures are likely to be followed for these trials; but may change.

Refunds if these trials are cancelled due to COVID: If these trials are cancelled due to COVID restrictions, those entered will be notified regarding the return/destruction of checks and/or PayPal refund.

Number of People in Building. Dependent on the number of individuals allowed in the building at these trials, it may be necessary to:

- If only a very limited number are allowed in the building, we may have to limit the number of exhibitors in the building to 3. One warming up outside each ring, one inside the ring being judged, and one departing the ring after being judged. If requested, it will likely be possible to have one spectator during a specific exhibitor's appearance in the ring.
- If more people are allowed in the building, it may be possible to allow the exhibitors in each class to be in the building during the judging of that class.
- If larger gatherings are allowed, the number of people could be increased.

Anticipated COVID Measures.

- Masks will be worn inside the building.
- Exhibitors are requested to bring their own chairs, food, drinks, pens/pencils, etc., they will need. Sorry, but we cannot have community items available at these trials for exhibitors.
- One doorway to the building marked "ENTER ONLY" and one doorway marked "EXIT ONLY".
- Six foot social distancing. Avoid shaking hands or hugging.
- Dependent on the number of people allowed in the building, the floor of the building may be marked off with crating areas. Family/friends may sit together if they desire, but they may choose to utilize more than one crating "block".

Event Practices:

- Judges, stewards and exhibitors should maintain the required distancing throughout the event.
- A table will be set up so Exhibitors can, one at a time, check themselves in on the board with their own pen and pick up their armband(s) from the table.
- If your class is off leash, be prepared to put your leash in a chair when entering the ring and retrieving your leash after the course is completed. The chair will be disinfected after the leash is removed.
- The Judge will announce the awards in the ring, but Exhibitors will pick up their award ribbons from a specified location.

Rally Practices:

- AKC suggests course maps not be printed for exhibitors and that exhibitors may take photos of rally course maps which will be posted in several locations. There will be a limited number of printed copies available. If you need a printed copy and there is not one available, please let the Trial Secretary know and she can print one for you.

Obedience Practices:

- Rather than using stewards for the Figure 8 exercise, tall pylons will be used.
- Judges may wear gloves or use hand sanitizer between examination exercises. If a judge chooses to use gloves, gloves will be sanitized between exhibitors or a new pair will be used for each dog
- Examination – ensure social distancing requirements are met during examination exercises, for the Utility Moving Stand for Examination, the judge should approach the dog at a slight angle to ensure distancing requirements from handler to judge are met.

- Novice Group Exercise – the distance requirement has been modified to 8 feet between dogs and rows to ensure social distancing guidelines are met
- Directed Retrieve – A grabber will be used by the Steward to pick up the gloves. The grabber will be wiped down between exhibitors.
- Scent Discrimination Exercise – The steward responsible for placing the articles may wear gloves or use hand sanitizer. Tongs, when used, should be wiped down between dogs.

Basic Protection:

- Maintain social distancing
- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- If soap and water not readily available, use hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a cloth face cover when around others – even if you do not feel sick
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces, such as tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, phones, faucets, etc.

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, rules, 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.

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