

VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA
2026 National Events

American Kennel Club Member



**VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA
NATIONAL EVENTS**

2026

TEMECULA • CALIFORNIA

Premium List

April 6-11, 2026

Galway Downs

38801 Los Corralitos
Temecula, CA 92592



Conformation: Outdoors • Obedience & Rally: Outdoor Under Cover
Unbenched • Show Hours: 7:00AM-10:00PM Each Day

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS – ALL EVENTS



The American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations will govern this Show and Exhibitors must make themselves familiar with the agreement of the American Kennel Club, referred to on the reverse side of the entry blanks that accompany this Show Premium List. The

American Kennel Club will collect the following at every Licensed or Member club event: An AKC Recording and Service Fee of \$4.50 for each entry. An AKC Event Service Fee of \$3.00 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any 4 & Under 6 Months Puppy and Open Show. All Recording and Event Service Fees are paid to the American Kennel Club. (There is no Recording Fee or Event Service Fee for Junior Showmanship, Sweepstakes, Futurities, Brace/Team, Multi-Dog Classes, or Special Attractions.)

- No Entry will be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Telegraph, e-mail and unsigned entries cannot be accepted and will be returned. Entries not on Official AKC Entry Forms and Photocopies of Entry Forms without Agreement and Rules on reverse side are NOT ACCEPTABLE. The Club and/or Baray Events assumes no responsibility for wrong or incomplete information given on the entry blank by the owner or the owner's agent. RESPONSIBILITY FOR COMPLETENESS OF ENTRY RESTS SOLELY WITH ENTRANT.
- RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY FEE. BaRay Events will add a \$30.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. We will not re-process checks. The exhibitor will be contacted & required to send a money order for the original amount PLUS the \$30.00 NSF fee. Subsequent returned checks from same person may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY BASIS.
- REFUNDS for cancellations due to judge change or cancellations made prior to entries closing will be mailed by the Club to said Exhibitor or Agent AFTER THE SHOW. An administrative fee of \$5.00 will be withheld from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.
- Females in season are not permitted to compete in Obedience or Rally Trials. If a female is withdrawn from competition because it came into season and the Superintendent is notified no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class in the trial, the Club is required to refund the entry fee. The Clubs may retain a processing fee and must publish this information in the premium. Clubs may determine the documentation, if any that is required to confirm the female is in season. This shall be stated in the premium. Note: No fee is paid to the AKC for females in season who are withdrawn.
- FAX ENTRIES – Fax entries will not be accepted.
- Entry fees shall NOT be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by the Judge or Veterinarian, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee, or because it has been entered incorrectly. There is no refund for DUPLICATE ENTRIES or OVERPAYMENTS. If, because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open, or to complete the Show NO REFUND will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Event Cancellation Hotline 877-252-3229.
- Please note: Any hotel or motel listed in the premium list is subject to Event Committee Rules. We expect our exhibitors to be responsible guests. A report that an exhibitor at this show has abused hotel or motel property during this weekend may result in disciplinary action. Clubs reserve the right to decline future entries from the offending party in accordance with the provisions of Ch. 11, Sec. 15 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.
- Dogs need be present only for scheduled judging and will be released if not needed for further judging. Dogs must be ready for judging. Neither the club nor its Superintendent will be responsible or obligated to furnish any service for notifying exhibitors or their agents of Breed or Class Judging. Judges need not wait for any dog holding up a class. Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the rings.
- Only dogs eligible for these shows will be admitted into show area. There is no provision for unentered dogs.
- LOSS OR DAMAGE – The Show Committee will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume any liability in the event of any accident or misfortune, to either dogs or exhibitors participating in these Shows. The welfare of an Exhibitor's child is assumed to be the responsibility of the Exhibitor. It is distinctly understood that Exhibitors will exercise control and restraint over their children.
- 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. Additionally, clubs should include any specific local health requirements; for example proof of rabies vaccination.
- PUBLICATION RIGHTS – By entering this show, all owners, handlers, breeders and kennels agree that all rights to televise, videotape, photograph, advertise, promote and publicize or otherwise exploit this show, or the persons or animals participating in it or the results of the competition before, during or after the event, shall belong solely to The American Kennel Club and their respective assigns, including the use of the names, likenesses or biographical matter of all dogs, owners, handlers, breeders and kennels participating in the show and no such owner, handler, breeder or kennel shall allow any other party to make commercial use of any videotape or photograph of any person or animal participating in this competition.

ENTER ONLINE: <http://www.BaRayEvents.com>

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES & REGULATIONS GOVERN THESE EVENTS.

Entries close at the BaRay Event's Office 12:00PM PDT, **Wednesday, March 11, 2026**. No entries can be accepted, canceled or substituted after the entry is closed except as provided for in Ch. 11, Sec. 6 of the Dog Show Rules or Ch. 1, Sec. 16 of the Obedience Regulations.



the **VIZSLA CLUB of AMERICA, Inc.**

NATIONAL SPECIALTY

WITH NOHS & JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

APRIL 9-10, 2026 • 2026080407

4-6 MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION

APRIL 9, 2026 • 2026080409

SWEEPSTAKES & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

APRIL 8, 2026 • 2026080410

ONE OBEDIENCE & ONE RALLY TRIAL

NATIONAL OBEDIENCE • APRIL 7, 2026 • 2026080404

NATIONAL RALLY • APRIL 7, 2026 • 2026080405

SOUTH COAST VIZSLA CLUB SPECIALTY

WITH NOHS & JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

APRIL 11, 2026 • 2026223914

GALWAY DOWNS - 38801 Los Corralitos, Temecula, CA 92592

DNA NUMBER REQUIRED ON ENTRY FORM. ILP/PALS ENTRANTS MAY USE THEIR ILP/PAL NUMBER IN PLACE OF A DNA NUMBER.



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

SHEILA H. GOFFE, Executive Secretary



ON-SITE EVENT SECRETARY – KAREN BURGESS

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Tentative Schedule of Events

NATIONAL SPECIALTY & COMPANION EVENTS

GALWAY DOWNS
38801 Los Corralitos, Temecula, CA 92592

FRIDAY APRIL 3	• NADD All-Breed Dock diving
SAT & SUN APRIL 4-5	• All-Breed Agility • South Coast Vizsla Club All-Breed Fast CAT • NADD All-Breed Dock diving
MONDAY, APRIL 6	• VCA National Agility • Welcome Party
TUESDAY, APRIL 7	• VCA National Obedience & Rally • Special Event – An Evening with “Sam the No Snob Somm” • AKC Fetch (Nov, Int & Adv Offered - Limit to 25 – Two Trials)
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8	• VCA National Scentwork • Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes • Iron Dog/Bitch Classes • Parade of Title Holders • South Coast Vizsla Club 50th Anniversary Celebration • Dog of the Year Awards
THURSDAY, APRIL 9	• 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy • Regular & Single Entry Non-Regular Classes • Lunch Break & Membership Meeting • Hall of Fame Presentation • Luminary walk – Cocktail hour (Sunset is 7:30 PM.) • All Star Review
FRIDAY, APRIL 10	• Balance of Regular, Single Entry Non-Regular Classes & Brace • Junior Showmanship • Best of Breed Check-in • Best of Breed • Stud Dog & Brood Bitch
SATURDAY, APRIL 11	• SCVC Specialty Show

More detailed information will be in the judging program.

JUDGES EDUCATION

SEE VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION

<https://vcaweb.org/event/2026-national-specialty-events/>

OFFICERS OF VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA (VCA)

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Rally Chair: Susan Barrow

Rally Committee: Nancy Fenoglio • Mary Grant • Dixie Hambrick • Jeri Muntis

Other VCA Event Chairs: Agility - Carol Keller • Scent Work - Jamie Walton • Fetch - Kathy Rust

Bench Committee: Officers, Members of the Board of Directors and Committees as listed above
for the appropriate club, event & date

VETERINARIAN - 24-HOUR EMERGENCY CARE - ON-CALL

EPIC Vets 951-695-5044 • 27727 Jefferson Ave, Temecula, CA 92590
See the club table for directions & Emergency Plan.

OFFICIAL SHOW PHOTOGRAPHERS

Podium Photographer

Earthdawn Photography - Jennifer Milosavljevic
<https://www.earthdawn.com/>

Ring Side Candid Photographer

NorCal Bulldogger - Diana Han
<https://www.norcalbulldogger.com/>

ROUTES TO THE SHOW

Galway Downs, 38801 Los Corralitos, Temecula, CA

To Temecula Pkwy From the South:

Take ramp and merge onto I-15 N.

Take exit 58 toward Indio onto CA-79 (Temecula Pkwy).

To Temecula Pkwy From the North:

Merge onto I-15 S

Take exit 58 toward Temecula Pkwy onto CA-79 (Temecula Pkwy). Go for 6.7 mi.

From: Temecula Pkwy

Turn left on Los Caballos Road then turn right on Los Caballos Road

Follow signs to Equestrian Entrance – Gate code #9999

ENTRY FEES

Highest Priced Class Considered First Entry – Includes all AKC fees where applicable
Obedience & Rally entries must include dog's jump height.

DNA OR ILP/PALS NUMBER REQUIRED ON ENTRY FORM

\$45.00	• First Class in which a dog is entered for each event* • Brace (Per Dog) Conformation as a first Entry
\$35.00	• Team Obedience (Per Dog) only or as an additional entry
\$30.00	• Each Additional Entry of same dog for each event*, Conformation, Obedience or Rally • Puppy (6-9 and 9-12 Month), and Bred-By Exhibitor (Puppy & Adult) Classes • Non-Regular Conformation (Involving Single Dog Entries) & Iron Dog/Bitch Classes • Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes (Need not be entered in another class.)
\$25.00	• Four-To-Six Month Beginner Puppy • Junior Showmanship only
No Fee	• Junior Showmanship as an additional entry • Brace (Per Dog) Conformation as an additional entry
See VCA Website for the All-Star Review & Iron Dog information & Premium Lists. <i>Only Iron dog conformation class entries accepted via BaRay Event Services, other information can be found at: https://vcaweb.org/event/2026-national-specialty-events/</i>	

*Note: Conformation, Obedience, and Rally are all separate events.

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES to BaRay Event Services, PO Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233
See Entry Submission Guidelines, Page 14.

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.

JUDGES - ALL VCA EVENTS

Mr. Douglas A Johnson [17190].....**BLOOMINGTON, IN**
Conformation: Regular, Non-Regular, 4-6 Beginner Puppy & Junior Showmanship Classes

Ms. Kathy Moore [26196].....**NORCO, CA**
Obedience: Regular, Preferred, Graduate Novice, Graduate Open, Versatility & Team 2 Classes

Ms. Valerie Nunes-Atkinson [91734].....**TEMECULA, CA**
Conformation: Various Sweepstakes & Special Attraction Classes

Ms. Samantha Williams [102089].....**BAKERSFIELD, CA**
Rally: All Classes; Obedience: Beginner Novice A & B, Veteran & Non-Reg, Team 1* Classes*

**Prov/Permit*

JUDGES - ALL SCVC EVENTS

Ms. Shelley S Hennessy [6224].....**TOLEDO, OH**
Conformation: Conformation & Junior Showmanship Classes

Please visit the 2026 VCA NSCE webpage for a link to our online flipbook.

<https://vcaweb.org/event/2026-national-specialty-events/>

And the following for information on the other National Events :

Agility: Lynda Tjarks, Secretary

<https://lyndatjarksagility.com/event/>

Scent Work: Vicky Osborn, Secretary

See VCA Website <https://vcaweb.org/event/2026-national-specialty-events/>

Fetch: Kathy Rust , Secretary

See VCA Website <https://vcaweb.org/event/2026-national-specialty-events/>

CLASSIFICATION - ALL EVENTS

Regular Classes

PUPPY DOGS (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)	PUPPY BITCHES (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)
PUPPY DOGS (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)	PUPPY BITCHES (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)
DOGS (12 mos. & under 15 mos.)	BITCHES (12 mos. & under 15 mos.)
DOGS (15 mos. & under 18 mos.)	BITCHES (15 mos. & under 18 mos.)
NOVICE DOGS	NOVICE BITCHES
AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER DOGS	AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER BITCHES
BRED BY EXHIBITOR PUPPY DOGS, 6-12 Mos	BRED BY EXHIBITOR PUPPY BITCHES, 6-12 Mos
BRED BY EXHIBITOR ADULT DOGS, 12+ Mos	BRED BY EXHIBITOR ADULT BITCHES, 12+ Mos
AMERICAN BRED DOGS	AMERICAN BRED BITCHES
OPEN DOGS	OPEN BITCHES
WINNERS DOG	WINNERS BITCH

Non-Regular Classes (Involving Single Dog Entries)

VETERAN DOGS 1 (7 yrs. & under 9 yrs.)	VETERAN BITCHES 1 (7 yrs. & under 9 yrs.)
VETERAN DOGS 2 (9 yrs. & under 11 yrs.)	VETERAN BITCHES 2 (9 yrs. & under 11 yrs.)
VETERAN DOGS 3 (11 yrs. & under 13 yrs.)	VETERAN BITCHES 3 (11 yrs. & under 13 yrs.)
VETERAN DOGS 4 (13 yrs. & older)	VETERAN BITCHES 4 (13 yrs. & older)
HUNTING DOG	HUNTING BITCH

Open to any dog or bitch with an advanced AKC hunt test title of SH or MH.

*Spayed/Neutered animals are eligible.**

FIELD TRIAL DOG	FIELD TRIAL BITCH
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*Open to any dog or bitch who have placed in an AKC-licensed Field Trial in an Open or Amateur Adult major, including Gun Dog and All-Age stakes. Spayed/Neutered animals are eligible.**

DUAL DOG	DUAL BITCH
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*Open to any dog or bitch that are AKC Dual Champions or are both AKC conformation and Amateur Field Champions. Spayed/Neutered animals are eligible.**

Winners of the above Non-Regular Classes, if otherwise undefeated, compete for Best of Breed.

BEST OF BREED (VARIETY) COMPETITION

SELECT DOG	SELECT BITCH
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The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed (Variety) Competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which according to their owner's records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The entry and showing of dogs whose championships are unconfirmed is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where a dog completed the requirements for a championship according to the owners' records. If at the end of the 90 day period the championship of a dog has not been confirmed by the American Kennel Club, no further entries of the dog for Best of Breed competition are to be made until its championship has been confirmed by AKC.

NOHS and Awards of Merit will be chosen immediately following Best of Breed competition. This will be followed by Best Veteran, Best Puppy & Best Bred-by Exhibitor. (See Pages 8 & 9)

** Per AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, effective June 28, 2023, neutered dogs and spayed bitches are allowed to compete in Veterans and all other single entry non-regular classes only at independent specialties which do not offer any competitive classes beyond Best of Breed.*

IRON DOG/BITCH SPECIAL ATTRACTION - NATIONAL SPECIALTY ONLY

IRON DOG	IRON BITCH
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Open to AKC registered Vizslas of all ages, who are entered in the Iron Dog event (only). Entrants may be spayed or neutered. Dog entered in Iron Dog/Bitch may not be eligible to compete in any other conformation class competition. (Not eligible to compete for Best of Breed)

CLASSIFICATION - NATIONAL SPECIALTY ONLY

Non-Regular Classes (Involving multiple dog entries)

Note: Non-regular classes involving multiple entries may be judged before or after Best of Breed. As the judge's decision in these classes will be based on the merits of more than one dog, no one of the dogs making up the entry judged first in the class will be eligible to compete for Best of Breed or Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed by virtue of having won the class.

Stud Dog Class and Brood Bitch Class: Each entry is allowed two get/produce. The merits of the Stud Dog or Brood Bitch are not considered in the placement of the entry. It is the quality of the get/produce that forms the basis for the judge's decision. All get/produce must be examined and gaited. The Stud Dog or Brood Bitch must also be examined to determine if there is a condition that would require disqualification or excusal under the Rules, AKC policy or the breed standard. All get/produce must be entered in another class in order to be eligible to compete in the Stud Dog or Brood Bitch Class. Handlers of the Stud Dog or Brood Bitch, and all get/produce being exhibited, must wear armbands. Ch. 11, Sec. 8 of the "Rules Applying to Dog Shows" provides that "a castrated male may be entered as a Stud Dog in the Stud Dog Class and a spayed bitch may be entered as a Brood Bitch in the Brood Bitch Class."

Brace Class: Two Dogs, performing in unison, and presented by a maximum of two handlers. Both dogs competing in the brace class must have at least one common owner. Both dogs do not need to be entered in any other class. Dogs comprising a Brace Class must be named at the time of entry, and full particulars must be given for each dog on individual entry forms. An entry form for a dog entered in another class and entered as part of a Brace must be marked accordingly in the space provided for additional classes as "Brace Class." If more than one brace is entered by the same owner, it must be so designated "Brace #1," "Brace #2," etc.

**For information regarding Regulations, Entry and Eligibility
for the AKC National Owner-Handled Series**

Please See www.AKC.org

(Remember to check the box near the bottom of the entry form)



OBEDIENCE & RALLY TRIALS

OBEDIENCE CLASSES

REGULAR CLASSES

Novice A • Novice B • Open A • Open B • Utility A • Utility B

PREFERRED CLASSES

Preferred Novice • Preferred Open • Preferred Utility

OPTIONAL TITLING CLASSES

Beginner Novice A • Beginner Novice B • Graduate Novice • Graduate Open • Versatility

NON-REGULAR CLASSES

Veterans • Team

RALLY CLASSES

RALLY RING SIZE 40' x 60'

Novice A • Novice B • Intermediate • Advanced A • Advanced B
Excellent A • Excellent B • Master • Choice

OBEDIENCE & RALLY: INCLUDE JUMP HEIGHT FOR ALL APPLICABLE CLASSES.

Obedience and Rally Classes will be in descending order.

Every effort will be made to accommodate handlers with multiple dogs in the same class.

Transfers will be allowed at this Trial per AKC Regulations.

For class descriptions, refer to AKC Obedience Regulations.

FOUR-TO-SIX MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION - THURSDAY ONLY

The Four-to-Six Month Puppy competition shall be for dogs that are four months of age and over but under six months on the day of the event.

Entry and eligibility requirements include:

- AKC registration number or an AKC litter number will be required for entries of an AKC recognized breed as listed in Chapter 3, Section 1 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.
- A foreign born dog may enter this class if it is registered in the country of origin.
- FSS number or FSS registered litter number will be required for Miscellaneous and FSS breed entries.
- All entrants are to be vaccinated (including rabies) in accordance with their veterinarian's protocol.
- Professional handlers, members of their household and current assistants to professional handlers may personally exhibit a dog they own as "Exhibition Only" in the Four-to-Six Month (Beginner Puppy) Competition. Entries must be marked "Exhibition Only" prior to the close of entries. Exhibition-only entrants will participate in the same BPUP classes as regular entries. Judges will evaluate exhibition-only entrants in the same manner as regular entrants but will not consider them for awards. All Exhibition BPUP entries will receive an armband/catalog number starting with a capital "E."
- To be competitive, dogs that are owned or co-owned by a professional handler may compete in this class, but must be handled by a non-professional handler. Professional handlers are defined as any person who belongs or has belonged to a professional handlers' organization, distributed rate cards, or otherwise advertised or represented themselves as handling dogs for pay within the last five years. Dogs may not be exhibited by current assistants or household members of a professional handler. A current assistant is defined as anyone employed by a professional handler on a full-time basis, or, assisting a professional handler at the show or any show during the cluster/weekend. Minors (under 18) with amateur status who reside with professional handlers and current assistants to professional handlers that are eligible to compete in Junior Showmanship (meet age and amateur status requirements) may personally exhibit dogs in the Four-to-Six Month (Beginner Puppy) Competition.

CLASSIFICATION - CLASSES COMBINED

Puppy, 4 & Under 6 months • Exhibition Only

ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN THROUGH OUR SUPERINTENDENT

No puppies under the age of six (6) months, except those participating in the 4-6 month puppy competition, may be on the grounds.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

AWARDS OF MERIT: The Specialty judge may, at his or her discretion, award Judge's Awards of Merit to a maximum of 10% of the Best of Breed entry, plus Winners Dog and Winners Bitch, along with the winners of the Veteran, Field Trial, Hunting, Iron Dog/Bitch and Dual classes. The Award of Merit winners will be selected after the Best of Breed, Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed, Select Dog, Select Bitch and Best of Winners awards are made. All dogs remaining in competition, including Winners Dog and Winners Bitch, are eligible for an Award of Merit.

BEST BRED-BY EXHIBITOR, BEST PUPPY & BEST VETERAN: Eligibility for Best Bred-by Exhibitor, Best Puppy, Best Veteran competitions is predicated upon entry into the following class(es) and all divisions of:

- Best Bred-By Exhibitor – the Bred-by-Exhibitor class including the Bred-by-Exhibitor Puppy and Bred-by-Exhibitor Adult age divisions
- Best Puppy – any class limited to dogs six months and older and under 12 months of age; 6-9 Puppy, 9-12 Puppy, and Bred-by-Exhibitor Puppy
- Best Veteran – any non-regular Veteran Class

For Best Bred-By Exhibitor, the eligibility criteria involving the individual handling the dog applies only to the original class entered and all competition specific to the special attraction. There are no restrictions as to who may handle the dog in any subsequent classes it may become eligible.

NOTE: Best Veteran, Best Puppy or Best Bred By Exhibitor competition will be forgone if the Best of Breed is one of the above.

SWEEPSTAKES & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES - NATIONAL SPECIALTY ONLY

SWEEPSTAKES

Sweepstakes is open to all Vizsla dogs and bitches 6 months of age and under 18 months of age on the day of the show. Champions of record at the time of entry ARE eligible to compete in Sweepstakes. PROFESSIONAL HANDLERS MAY ONLY HANDLE DOGS THEY OWN. A professional handler (as defined for Sweepstakes entry in AKC's Match Regulations, Chapter 2, Section 11) is any person who distributes rate cards or otherwise advertises himself/herself as handling dogs in the show ring for pay. Vizslas shown in Sweepstakes need not be entered in another class.

Sweepstakes Classification

PUPPY DOGS (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)	PUPPY BITCHES (6 mos. & under 9 mos.)
PUPPY DOGS (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)	PUPPY BITCHES (9 mos. & under 12 mos.)
DOGS (12 mos. & under 15 mos.)	BITCHES (12 mos. & under 15 mos.)
DOGS (15 mos. & under 18 mos.)	BITCHES (15 mos. & under 18 mos.)
Best in Sweepstakes • Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes	

VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Veteran Sweepstakes is open to all Vizsla dogs and bitches 7 years old or over on the day of the show. Neutered dogs and spayed bitches are allowed to compete in these classes. PROFESSIONAL HANDLERS MAY ONLY HANDLE DOGS THEY OWN. A professional handler (as defined for Sweepstakes entry in AKC's Match Regulations, Chapter 2, Section 11) is any person who distributes rate cards or otherwise advertises himself/herself as handling dogs in the show ring for pay. Vizslas shown in Veteran Sweepstakes need not be entered in another class.

Veteran Sweepstakes Classification

VETERAN DOGS (7 yrs. & under 9 yrs.)	VETERAN BITCHES (7 yrs. & under 9 yrs.)
VETERAN DOGS (9 yrs. & under 11 yrs.)	VETERAN BITCHES (9 yrs. & under 11 yrs.)
VETERAN DOGS (11 yrs. & under 13 yrs.)	VETERAN BITCHES (11 yrs. & under 13 yrs.)
VETERAN DOGS (13 yrs. & older)	VETERAN BITCHES (13 yrs. & older)

Best Dog in Veteran Sweepstakes • Best Bitch in Veteran Sweepstakes

DIVISION OF MONEY - SWEEPSTAKES & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Thirty percent of the entry fee is retained by The VCA to defray expenses. Seventy percent is allocated toward cash prizes.

	First	Second	Third	Fourth	
4 or more entries	25%	20%	15%	10%	of entry fees for that class
3 or more entries	30%	23%	17%		of entry fees for that class
2 or more entries	40%	30%			of entry fees for that class
1 entry	70%				of entry fees for that class

Parade of Rescues and Parade of Title Holders:

To enter see the VCA Website

<https://vcaweb.org/event/2026-national-specialty-events/>



JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION

NOVICE CLASS: For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who at the time entries close have not won three (3) first place awards, with competition present, in a Novice Class. A first place in Novice without competition leading to a Best Junior award with competition would count as one win towards moving to Open at a licensed or member show.

OPEN CLASS: For boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show, and who have won three first place awards in a Novice Class or if a win in Novice leads to a Best Junior with competition present it will count as one win towards moving to Open in a licensed or member show. Juniors which according to their records have completed the requirements to compete in the Open class but whose status is unconfirmed by the American Kennel Club are limited to competing in the Open Class for a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the Junior completed the requirements according to their records.

MASTER CLASS: This class will be for boys and girls who are at least 9 years old and under 18 years on the day of the show, and who have 10 Best Junior wins with competition. The calendar for this class will be consistent with the eligibility dates for the AKC National Championship. All Juniors meeting the criteria for this class are required to enter the Master Class and may change their entry the day of the show if entries have already closed. Once the eligibility time frame for that year has passed all participants return to the Open Class to compete for the following year.

NOVICE AND OPEN CLASS DIVIDED: Junior-9 years old and under 12 years old on the day of the show; Intermediate-12 years old and under 15 years old on the day of the show; Senior-15 years old and under 18 years old on the day of the show.

After the judge has awarded the Best Junior Handler, the second place winner from the class that the Junior was awarded Best Junior Handler is to return to the ring to compete for Reserve Best Jr. Handler.

NOTICE: Junior Handlers must include their AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER on each entry. You may obtain your junior identification number by calling the AKC, Judges Education Department, 919-233-9767. BE SURE ALL INFORMATION for Junior Showmanship Classes is entered on front and back of entry form.

NOTE: SUBSTITUTION OF DOG IN JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP AT THE SHOW(S): There will be an Administration Fee of \$5.00 charged for any substitution of dog in Junior Showmanship at each show. In addition, if the dog originally entered in Jr. Showmanship was an additional entry, and the dog being substituted is not otherwise entered in the show, the Junior Showmanship Only fee applies.

MEMORIALS

The **OSBORN MEMORIAL** honors the breeder of the Best of Breed Vizsla at each VCA National Specialty Show in memory of Dr. I.S. Osborn of Minnesota for competition at the VCA National Specialty Show. The memorial is a Dannyquest bronze statue mounted on a walnut base, offered by the Twin Cities Vizsla Club, Inc.

The **GELSE MEMORIAL** honors the breeder of the High in Trial Vizsla at the VCA National Obedience Trial in memory of Gelse Von Schloss Loosdorf CD (the first Vizsla to receive an obedience title in the U.S.), and William and Lee Olson of Minnesota for competition at the VCA National Obedience Trial. The memorial is a Dannyquest bronze statue mounted on a walnut base, offered by the children and grandchildren of Jan Bouman; Linda Kelly; Diane and Lee Felicetta; and Beth and Mike Nash.

The **DEZSO MEMORIAL** honors the sire of the Best of Breed Vizsla at each VCA National Specialty Show in memory of BIS/BISS CH Debreceny Dezso ROM; and Art, May, and Gary Carpenter for competition at the VCA National Specialty Show. The memorial is a Dannyquest bronze statue mounted on a walnut base, offered by Karen Coffee, Art and Sandy Kimmerle, and Kathy Rust.

The **STUD DOG COMMEMORATIVE** honors the winner of the Stud Dog class. This commemorative is a Dannyquest bronze sculpture, Standing Vizsla, mounted on a wooden base, generously donated by Kathy Lormis to the Vizsla Club of America in 2014 as a national events commemorative.

The **BROOD BITCH COMMEMORATIVE** honors the winner of the Brood Bitch class. This commemorative is a Dannyquest bronze sculpture, A Rosey Future #138/350 Limited Edition, mounted on a wooden base, generously donated by Kathy Lormis to the Vizsla Club of America in 2014 as a national events commemorative.

RIBBON PRIZES - ALL EVENTS

REGULAR CLASSES

First Prize.....	Blue	Second Prize.....	Red
Third Prize.....	Yellow	Fourth Prize.....	White
Winners.....	Purple	Reserve Winners.....	Purple & White
Best of Winners.....	Blue & White	Best of Breed.....	Purple & Gold
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed.....			Red & White
NOHS Best of Breed.....	Maroon	Select Dog/Bitch.....	Light Blue & White
Best Junior Handler.....	Rose & Green	Reserve Best Jr Handler.....	Rose & Gray
Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Obedience Classes.....			Blue & Gold
Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility.....			Blue & Green
Highest Combined Score in Advanced B & Excellent B.....			Blue & Green
Highest Combined Triple Score.....			Blue & Red
Qualifying Score in the Obedience & Rally Classes.....			Dark Green

AKC SANCTIONED 4-6 MONTHS BEGINNER PUPPY COMPETITION

Best 4-6 months Puppy of Breed	Orange
Best of Opposite Sex to Best 4-6 months Puppy of Breed	Lavender

NON-REGULAR CLASSES

First Place.....	Rose	Second Place.....	Brown
Third Place.....	Light Green	Fourth Place.....	Grey
Best in Sweepstakes & Best Dog/Bitch in Veteran Sweepstakes.....			Pink & Green
Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes.....			Lavender
VCA Awards of Merit			Teal, Antique & Lilac
SCVC Awards of Merit.....			Dark Blue, Light Blue & Rust
Special Recognition (pg 9).....			Rosette
New Title			Rosette

ADDITIONAL RULES

Owners/handlers MUST clean up after their dogs. No exceptions. Please be respectful at your hotel/motel and pick up after your dogs at those locations as well!

CRATING: There will be limited crating space. Reserved crating may be purchased via the 2026 NSCE Store. Dogs may NOT be left in the crating area after posted show hours. Hours of access will be 6:00AM to 10:00PM Monday-Saturday. Crating area MUST be completely vacated within 1 hour of the Specialty awards. All crates must have an ID with cell phone number clearly marked. Owners/handlers will be responsible for their dogs and will be asked to relocate them if they cause a nuisance by barking or disturbing other exhibitors regardless if they are in reserved or general crating. Be advised there will be no security in the crating area. Crates may be left in the reserved crating area over night. General crating should be prepared to stack crates and consolidate space.

FOOD AND ENTERTAINMENT: Food and beverage will be available for purchase onsite.

DOG ACCESS & EXERCISE AREA: There are ample areas to exercise dogs onsite. Please follow all signs of where you are allowed to exercise your animals. This is a working equestrian facility - please do not approach any animals and keep your dogs under control, especially when horses are present.

CANDID PHOTOGRAPHY: Owners, breeders, handlers, spectators, and club members are allowed to take photographs of their own dogs from handheld devices only. The Official Show Photographers are the only photographers who have permission to take win or candid photographs to be sold.

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All attendees agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Vizsla Club of America and the venue for any acts of negligence committed by their employees or vendors, including but not limited to the serving of alcoholic beverages.

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS OF FOREIGN DOGS - please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/importation/dogs/index.html> for the most recent updates regarding bringing a dog into the U.S.

AWARDS & PRIZES - VCA EVENTS

The Vizsla Club of America, members, and friends offer the following awards.
A complete list of donors will be included in the catalog.

Conformation	
Best of Breed	6-inch Tile box
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed	6-inch Tile leash hook
Best of Winners	Pyrography box
NOHS Best of Breed	Triple framed 4-inch tile
Winners Dog	5-inch Framed tile
Winners Bitch	5-inch Framed tile
Reserve Winners Dog	4-inch Framed tile
Reserve Winners Bitch	4-inch Framed tile
Select Dog	5-inch Framed tile leash hook
Select Bitch	5-inch Framed tile leash hook
Awards of Merit	4-inch Tile
Best Bred-by Exhibitor	Slip lead
Best Puppy	Slip lead
Best Veteran	Slip lead
First Place, Each Single Entry Class	Oak stave coaster set (4)
First Place, Brace Class	Oak stave coaster set (4)
First Place, Stud Dog and Brood Bitch	Pyrography box
4-6 Beginner Puppy	
Best Beginner Puppy of Breed	Note card set & Luggage tag
Best of Opposite Sex to Best Beginner Puppy	Note card set & Luggage tag
Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes	
Best in Sweepstakes	Pyrography box
Best Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes	Pyrography box
Best Veteran Dog/Bitch in Sweepstakes	Pyrography box
Junior Showmanship	
Best & Reserve Best Junior Handler	Pyrography box
First Place, Each Class	Leather zipper pull
Obedience	
Highest Scoring Dog in the Regular Classes	Pyrography box
Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility	6-inch Tile box
First Place, Each Class (unless otherwise noted)	Toiletry bag
First Place, Team Obedience	Luggage tag with airtag holder
Rally	
Highest Combined Score in Advanced B & Excellent B	Pyrography box
Highest Combined Triple Score	6-inch Tile box
First Place, Each Class	Slip lead

AWARDS & PRIZES - SCVC EVENTS

The South Coast Vizsla Club, members, and friends offer the following awards.
A complete list of donors will be included in the catalog.

Conformation	
Best of Breed	Framed Rosette
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed	Framed Rosette
Best of Winners	Framed Rosette
NOHS Best of Breed	Framed Rosette
Winners Dog	Framed Rosette
Winners Bitch	Framed Rosette
Reserve Winners Dog	Framed Rosette
Reserve Winners Bitch	Framed Rosette
Select Dog	Framed Rosette
Select Bitch	Framed Rosette
Awards of Merit	Framed Rosette
Best Bred-by Exhibitor/Puppy/Veteran	Framed Rosette
Junior Showmanship	
Best & Reserve Best Junior Handler	Framed Rosette

ACCOMODATIONS & RV PARKING

There is no designated host hotel, but the following are close to Galway Downs & accept dogs.
Galway Downs.....951-303-0405
<https://www.galwaydowns.com/>

La Quinta Inn & Suites Temecula951-225-4031
<https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/laquinta/temecula-california/la-quinta-temecula/overview>

Home2 Suites by Hilton Temecula.....951-331-3622
<https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/cldteht-home2-suites-temecula/>

Hampton Inn & Suites Temecula.....951-506-2331
<https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/laxhshx-hampton-suites-temecula/>

RV Parking is available on site at Galway Downs for the VCA NSCE event.

Reservations will open on January 1, 2026. Full hookups at all spaces - 30 or 50 amp.

Additional information: <https://vcaweb.org/event/2026-national-specialty-events/>

Or book through [CampSpot.com](https://www.campspot.com).

ENTRY SUBMISSIONS, CANCELLATIONS, CHANGES, TRANSFERS

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES to PO Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233.

CANADIANS make all entry fees payable in U.S. funds.

FAX ENTRIES NOT ACCEPTED. An interactive entry blank PDF that can be filled out and mailed in is available for download at www.BaRayEvents.com.

ONLINE ENTRIES: Web site is **BaRayEvents.com** Follow instructions on Web site. \$3.00 charge per dog per show.

FEDEX, UPS, AIRBORNE or HAND-DELIVERED: Do NOT require signature. 113 E. Fairhaven Ave., Burlington, WA 98233.

PHONE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

CANCELLATIONS, CHANGES AND TRANSFERS will be accepted according to AKC Rules. Any refunds will be made within three weeks after the show. An administration fee may apply. (07/22)