

**ENTRIES OPEN THURSDAY, JULY 16, 12:00 NOON PDT**

**PREMIUM LIST - AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES & REGULATIONS GOVERN THESE EVENTS. ENTRIES CLOSE** at the Superintendent's office 12:00 Noon PDT Wednesday, August 19, 2026, or after which time no entry will be accepted, cancelled or substituted except as provided for in Ch. 11, Sec. 6 of the Dog Show Rules or Ch. 1, Sec. 16 of the Obedience Regulations.

## PREMIUM LIST



### 2026 NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2026**

*Conformation with NOHS, Sweepstakes & Junior Showmanship*

Event #2026689002

4-6 Month Beginner Puppy - #2026689003

THESE SHOWS ARE CONCURRENT WITH UMQUA KENNEL CLUB

**DOUGLAS COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS**

**2110 SW FREAR ST • ROSEBURG, OR 97471**

**SHOW HOURS • 7:00 AM TO 8:00 PM**

**THESE SHOWS WILL BE HELD INDOORS/OUTDOORS, UNBENCHED**

Licensed by the American Kennel Club.

*The location of the rings (indoors or outdoors) may change up to the day of the event. Refunds will not be granted based on the final location.*



**AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB**

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**



### **BaRay Event Services, Inc.**

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## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

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## **EVENT COMMITTEE**

**Show Chair:** Denise Crites • 139 Creekside Dr., Dayton, NV 89403 • denisecrites7@yahoo.com

**Day of Show Phone:** 775-443-1900

**Assistant Show Chair:** Randi Garske

Officers of the Club & Members of the Board of Directors

*Bench Committee: All Officers, Members of the Board of Directors & Any Other Members Present*

### **COMMITTEES.**

Trophies.....Randi Garske      Catalog Advertising.....Denise Crites  
Top 20.....Erin McDaniel      Hospitality .....Charles Harrison, Suzy Bond  
Banquet.....Sue Swan, Bayly Carmean

## **VETERINARIAN**

**Bailey Vet Clinic will be available to see animals from the dogs show during their normal hours. 2700 NW Stewart Parkway • Roseburg, OR 97470 • 541-673-4403**

*Services to all dogs are triaged according to the evaluation of the animal by the vet staff.*

Monday - Friday: 8:00am - 4:29pm (Normal hours & fees)

Monday - Friday: 4:30pm - 10:00pm (Emergency hours & fees)

Saturday: 9:00am - 2:29pm (Normal hours & fees); 3:00pm - 10:00pm (Emergency hours & fees)

Sunday: 10:00am - 10:00pm (Emergency hours & fees)

*Payment for service is the responsibility of the owners.*

*Directions from the show grounds. Go north on I-5. Take exit 125. At the stop off the ramp, turn right on Garden Valley Blvd. The clinic is about 3 blocks on the left. About 2 1/2 miles from the fairgrounds.*

## **EMERGENCY AFTER HOURS VETERINARIAN**

Emergency Vet Hospital • 1821 Pioneer Parkway, Springfield, OR • Phone 541-746-0112

Wilvet South Emergency Clinic • 444 B Street, Springfield, OR • Phone 541-838-0577

## **JUDGES**

Mr. Harold "Red" Tatro III [31708].....CROWLEY, TX

*Conformation, Junior Showmanship & 4-6 Month Beginner Puppy*

Ms. Elizabeth Crisp Blake [109212].....DAVIS, CA

*Sweepstakes*

## **ENTRY INFORMATION - PER DOG**

*Includes AKC Fees where applicable. Highest priced entry considered first entry*

First Entry of each Dog in each event .....\$35.00

Each Additional entry of the same dog in same event .....\$25.00

Sweepstakes (must be entered in a regular class) .....\$25.00

Veteran Sweepstakes (need not be entered in a regular class) .....\$25.00

4-6 Month Beginner Puppy .....\$25.00

Junior Showmanship only or as an additional class .....Free

**MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES** to BaRay Event Services, PO Box 508, Burlington, WA 98233

*See Entry Submission Guidelines, Page 10*



## **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>**

## AKC SANCTIONED 4-6 MONTHS PUPPY

**Entries will close Wednesday Noon, August 19, 2026 at Superintendent's office.**

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.
- 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**

### **RIBBON PRIZES**

Best of Breed/Variety ..... Orange  
Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed/Variety ..... Lavender

**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.**

**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.

## CLASSIFICATION

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### 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 18 mos.)                                            | BITCHES (12 mos. & under 18 mos.)      |
| <b>Note: 12-18 month class is an adult class. You must pay adult fee.</b> |                                        |
| NOVICE DOGS                                                               | NOVICE BITCHES                         |
| AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER DOGS                                                | AMATEUR-OWNER-HANDLER BITCHES          |
| BRED BY EXHIBITOR DOGS                                                    | BRED BY EXHIBITOR BITCHES              |
| AMERICAN BRED DOGS                                                        | AMERICAN BRED BITCHES                  |
| OPEN DOGS                                                                 | OPEN BITCHES                           |
| WINNERS DOG                                                               | WINNERS BITCH                          |

### Non-Regular Classes (Involving Single Dog Entries)

VETERAN DOGS    VETERAN BITCHES

*For Dogs and Bitches 7 yrs. & older*

Neutered dogs and spayed bitches may be entered in the veterans classes.

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

The dog designated Reserve Winners Dog and the bitch designated Reserve Winners Bitch will be awarded a three- point major, provided that the number of dogs competing in the regular classes of the Reserve Winner's sex totals at least twice the number required for a five point major, in the region in which the event is held.

### BEST OF BREED COMPETITION

SELECT DOG/BITCH • AWARDS OF MERIT • NOHS BEST OF BREED

BEST PUPPY • BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR • BEST VETERAN

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 owner's 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.

Selects, if applicable, will be chosen following Best of Breed.

### Non-Regular Classes, Involving Multiple 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. 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 that forms the basis for the judge's decision. All get 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 must be entered in a regular 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 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."

*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.*

**SWEEPSTAKES & VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES - ENTRY FEE: \$25.00**

**SWEEPSTAKES REQUIREMENTS**

Sweepstakes classes are open to all Rat Terriers who, on the day of the show, will be 6 months of age and under 24 months of age. Sweepstakes will be judged before regular classes. Rat Terriers shown in Sweepstakes must also be entered in one of the regular classes with the regular entry fee and on the official entry form. Indicate "Puppy Sweeps" under "Additional Classes" on the entry form.

**CLASSIFICATION**

The following classes will be offered for both dogs and bitches:

- Puppy, 6 months and under 9 months
- Puppy, 9 months and under 12 months
- Junior, 12 months and under 18 months
- Senior 18 Months and under 24 months
- Best in Sweepstakes

Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes.

**DIVISION OF SWEEPSTAKES PRIZE MONEY**

After 35% is retained by the club to defray expenses, the remaining 65% will be distributed as follows:

|                 |     |                |     |
|-----------------|-----|----------------|-----|
| 1st Place ..... | 35% | 2nd Place..... | 30% |
| 3rd Place ..... | 25% | 4th Place..... | 10% |

Any Sweepstakes money not awarded will revert to the club.

**VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES REQUIREMENTS**

Veteran Sweepstakes classes are open to all Rat Terriers who, on the day of the show, will be 7 years of age and over. Dogs and Bitches which have been altered (castrated or spayed) may be entered. Any wins in this sweepstakes does not qualify the winner to compete for Best of Breed competition. Rat Terriers shown in the Veteran Sweepstakes need not be entered in one of the regular classes at this show. Indicate "Veteran Sweeps" under "Dog Show Class," or under "Additional Classes" if the dog is also entered in a regular class.

**VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSIFICATION**

The following classes will be offered for both dogs and bitches:

- Veteran, 7 years and under 9 years
- Veteran, 9 years and under 10 years
- Veteran, 10 years and older
- Best In Veteran Sweepstakes

Best Of Opposite Sex To Best in Veteran Sweepstakes

After 35% is retained by the club to defray expenses, the remaining 65% will be distributed and divided among dogs and bitches in each age class based upon the proportion of the particular class to the total entry as follows:

|                                   |      |                |       |
|-----------------------------------|------|----------------|-------|
| Best in Veteran Sweepstakes ..... | 10%  |                |       |
| Best of Opposite Sex.....         | 10%  |                |       |
| 1st Place .....                   | 20%  | 2nd Place..... | 12.5% |
| 3rd Place .....                   | 7.5% | 4th Place..... | 5%    |

Any Veteran Sweepstakes money not awarded will revert to the club.

## RIBBON & ROSETTE PRIZES

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### 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        |
| Select Dog, Select Bitch.....              |              |                      | Light Blue & White |
| Awards of Merit.....                       |              |                      | Dark Green         |
| NOHS Best of Breed.....                    |              |                      | Maroon             |

### Non-Regular Classes

|                                                                        |                     |                             |              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|
| First Prize.....                                                       | Rose Rosette        | Second Prize.....           | Brown        |
| Third Prize.....                                                       | Light Green Rosette | Fourth Prize.....           | Gray         |
| Best Junior Handler.....                                               | Pink & Green        | Reserve Junior Handler..... | Pink & Gray  |
| Best from the Regular Puppy Classes.....                               |                     |                             | Dark Green   |
| Best from the Bred By Exhibitor Classes.....                           |                     |                             | Dark Green   |
| Best Veteran.....                                                      |                     |                             | Dark Green   |
| Best in Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes.....                         |                     |                             | Pink & Green |
| Best of Opposite Sex to Best in Sweepstakes & Veteran Sweepstakes..... |                     |                             | Lavender     |
| Best Stud dog/Brood Bitch.....                                         |                     |                             | Dark Green   |

### 4-6 MONTH BEGINNER PUPPY

|                        |             |                           |          |
|------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|----------|
| Best of Breed.....     | Orange      | Best of Opposite Sex..... | Lavender |
| First Prize Group..... | Rose        | Second Prize Group.....   | Brown    |
| Third Prize Group..... | Light Green | Fourth Prize Group.....   | Gray     |

## SPECIAL RECOGNITION

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**AWARD OF MERIT** - Ten percent (10%) of total entry in Best of Breed competition, rounded up.

**BEST FROM THE REGULAR PUPPY CLASSES:** Best Puppy From The Regular Puppy Classes First place winners in Puppy Classes, 6 mos. and under 9 mos. and 9 mos. and under 12 mos., both sexes will compete together and will be judged after Best of Breed.

**BEST FROM THE BRED BY EXHIBITOR CLASSES:** After Best of Breed, Selects and Awards of Merit are chosen, the winners of Bred By Exhibitor Dog and Bred By Exhibitor Bitch compete for Best Bred by Exhibitor. If Best of Winners is from the Bred by Exhibitor class, that entry is automatically Best Bred by Exhibitor.

**BEST VETERAN:** First place winners of the Veteran Dog and Veteran Bitch Classes will compete for Best Veteran after Best of Breed.

### Points For Reserve Available

Reserve Winners Dog and Reserve Winners Bitch will be awarded a three-point major, provided the criteria set forth in Chapter 16, Section 1 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows is met.



## **SPECIALTY PRIZES**

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The Rat Terrier Club of America reserves the right to substitute prizes of equal or greater value should a prize become unavailable. Trophies must be claimed the day of the event. None will be mailed. The following prizes are offered by the Rat Terrier Club of America unless otherwise specified. complete list of trophy donors/Sponsors will be listed in the show catalog as well as any changes to prizes.

BEST OF BREED 4-6 MO BEGINNER PUPPY – Custom-Designed Resin Bowl; Handmade Pouch

BEST OF OPPOSITE TO BEST OF BREED 4-6 MO BEGINNER PUPPY – Custom-Designed Resin Bowl; Handmade Pouch

BEST IN PUPPY SWEEPS – Custom-Designed Resin Clock; Handmade Pouch

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN PUPPY SWEEPS - Custom-Designed Resin Clock; Handmade Pouch

BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPS – Custom-Designed Resin Clock; Handmade Pouch

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO BEST IN VETERAN SWEEPS - Custom-Designed Resin Clock; Handmade Pouch

BEST JUNIOR HANDLER – Ruffland Kennel (donated by VT Customs), Custom-Designed Resin Bling Clock

RESERVE BEST JUNIOR HANDLER - Ruffland Waterhole (donated by VT Customs), custom-Designed Resin Medium Platter

BEST OF BREED IN SPECIALTY SHOW – Custom-Designed Resin Bling Clock; Handmade Pouch

BEST OF WINNERS - Custom-Designed Resin Clock; Handmade Pouch

BEST OF OPPOSITE SEX - Custom-Designed Resin Bling Clock; Handmade Pouch

SELECT DOG/BITCH - Custom-Designed Resin Medium Platter

WINNERS DOG/BITCH -Custom-Designed Resin Medium Platter

RESERVE WINNERS DOG/BITCH - Custom-Designed Resin Bowl

AWARDS OF MERIT - Custom-Designed Resin Medium Platter

NOHS - Custom-Designed Resin Clock; Handmade Pouch

BEST VETERAN - Custom-Designed Resin Medium Platter; Handmade Pouch

BEST PUPPY - Custom-Designed Resin Medium Platter; Handmade Pouch

BEST BRED BY EXHIBITOR - Custom-Designed Resin Medium Platter; Handmade Pouch

STUD DOG/BROOD BITCH - Custom-Designed Resin Bowl

*Thank you to the following donors: Denise Crites, Sue Swan, Bayly Carmean, Angela Mecham Smith, Randi Garske, Charles Harrison, Felicity Trammell, Erin McDaniel, Suzy Fremming Bond, Susan Mulligan, Mecham's Rat Pack, Jana Elizalde, Jane Engemann, Adams Acres Rat Terriers, Joanna Little, King Pen Soquel (Raymond Draper and Gail Harlamoff), Allie Stone, Handmade pouches donated by BettieBorn Rat Terriers (Denise Crites)*







AMERICAN  
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# AKC® Code of Sportsmanship and Civility

Preface: The tradition of competitive purebred dog events predates 1884—the year the American Kennel Club (AKC®) was founded. Those involved in these sports share core values, including a strong commitment to sportsmanship and a welcoming, respectful culture that embraces the diverse community united by a love of dogs.

These values are evident across all aspects of the sport: conformation, performance, companion, and family dog activities. Many believe that the enduring principles of sportsmanship and civility are key reasons the sport has thrived for over 140 years.

Recognizing that periodically reaffirming our shared values strengthens our community, the revised code will be shared widely to highlight the foundational values and principles that define the sport.

- Sportspeople always place the welfare of their dog above all else.
- Sportspeople prioritize the long-term health and preservation of their breed, making decisions that reflect a deep commitment to responsible breeding and ownership.
- Sportspeople respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportspeople conduct themselves in a manner that reflects positively on the sport, the American Kennel Club, and themselves.
- Sportspeople appreciate, encourage and support all who associate with and participate in the sports by fostering an environment where respect, equity, inclusion, and courtesy are foundational.
- Sportspeople understand, uphold and abide by all AKC bylaws, rules, regulations and policies.
- Sportspeople contribute to a positive atmosphere at events by avoiding negative gossip, disparagement, or unsportsmanlike behavior.
- Sportspeople extend their values of civility, fairness, and respect to all digital and social media platforms.
- Sportspeople actively support the education and mentorship of newcomers, helping them learn the rules, values, and traditions of the sport in a respectful way.
- Sportspeople recognize that they are role models in the sport, and strive to lead by example through humility, kindness, and ethical conduct.
- Sportspeople treat fellow exhibitors, judges, officials, volunteers, spectators, and AKC staff with dignity and respect, regardless of experience, background, or differences in opinion.
- Sportspeople are committed to fair play, honesty, courtesy, and competition, approaching both winning and losing with grace.
- Sportspeople understand that strong competition and civility can—and should—coexist. They appreciate the quality of their competitors, and the effort put forth by others.
- Sportspeople uphold their responsibilities to the sport of purebred dogs and refuse to let personal gain or self-interest influence their decisions or behavior.
- The sportsperson judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsperson judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsperson 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 sportsperson exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- Sportspeople are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportspeople decline to exploit any positions of authority or recognition for personal advantage.
- Sportspeople appreciate those that have gone before them and realize they are responsible for maintaining and enhancing the sport for future generations.



**Everything We Do,  
We Do for Dogs.**

7/2025

## **ATTENTION EXHIBITORS**

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**VENDORS** – All vendors will be located inside Douglas Hall. If interested in vending please contact: **Elaine Zech 541-680-2127 Call or Text. Please list:**

- 1 - What you are vending
- 2 - Size of space needed
- 3 - Please specify power need. If needed please bring an extension cord.

Vending space is \$150 per every 10 feet for all four days. Parking space in the Museum Parking lot is included in your fee.

### **DAY PARKING**

- Day parking will be located across the street from the Fairgrounds in the Museum Parking lot. Parking fee is \$5.00. The Douglas County Search and Rescue and the Friends of the Umpqua K-9 Programs will be doing our day parking.
- No overnight parking in day parking lot unless assigned by RV Parking Chairperson, Pat Oiler.
- Oversized vehicles will be charged for 2 spaces if greater than the standard length or width of a normal vehicle
- Day parking is open at 6:00 am and vehicles must be removed by 9:00 pm  
No exercise pens, setups or grooming will be in the day lot.
- Parking is at your own risk, the Umpqua Kennel Club, Douglas County Fairgrounds or Show Superintendent assumes no responsibility for theft or damage to any vehicle or cargo within the vehicle.
- Illegally parked vehicles may be towed at the owner's expense
- Day parking will direct Handicapped permitted cars to the assigned spaces.

### **UNLOADING**

- Unloading will be at the Exhibit building (Grooming) and day parking personnel will be directing cars to the unloading area. Please complete unloading within 15 minutes to the unloading area. Turn off vehicle but leave emergency light flashing during unloading.
- Fire lanes must be kept open
- There is a Day Care in the Girls Dorm on Thursday and Friday. The Boundary for the day care is clearly marked. The day care area is off limits for the dog show.

**ONSITE PARKING IS A PRIVILEGE EXTENDED BY THE UMPQUA KENNEL CLUB AND THE DOUGLAS COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS. ANY ARGUING, ABUSIVE LANGUAGE OR FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE RULES WILL NOT BE TOLERATED, THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.**

### **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](http://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)