

PREMIUM LIST

AKC All-Breed Fast Coursing Ability Test



Kanawha Obedience Training Club

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

October 9-12, 2026

Friday, October 9, 2026 Event #2026114911 and #2026114912
Saturday, October 10, 2026 Event #2026114913 and #2026114914
Sunday, October 11, 2026 Event #2026114915 and #2026114916
Monday, October 12, 2026 Event #2026114917 and #2026114918

**EACH EVENT LIMITED TO 100 ENTRIES PER EVENT
TWO CONCURRENT EVENTS DAILY
PRE-ENTRIES CLOSE ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2026**

Event Location

**Par Four Family Entertainment Center
30 Apollo Lane
Hurricane, WV 25526**



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

Entry Fee

\$23.00 per entry per dog per event
(Includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee)

The closing date is October 2, 2026. Late entries will be \$26.00 per entry after closing. Incomplete, unsigned, or conditional entries will not be accepted. Entries accepted only online at <https://www.sugarloafmountainracing.com> and no other methods of pre-entry will be permitted. Online entries will have an additional \$1.00 processing fee added per entry. **Mailed paper entries with checks will be rejected and destroyed.**

Conditions of Entry

Entries will be limited to 100 dogs per event, two events daily, running concurrently 9:00AM-2:00PM. You may leave all your dog's awards and pick them up on the last day you are entered. **Run your dog with a small break between runs if entered twice, and you are free to leave after both runs. The run order is based on the order of entries received. All refunds are subject to a \$3.00 administrative fee per entry. No refunds after the closing date. No preferences will be granted for dogs to run early. Dogs will run in the order of entries received, except for club members who are volunteering during the events. Those dogs will run in the first hour.**

Dogs must have an AKC registration number and be at least one year of age on the day of the event. Dogs may only run once per event. Entries received by phone, text, or email will not be accepted. Incomplete entries or forms without signature will not be accepted. Fast CAT events are open to all dogs at least 12 months of age that are individually registered with the AKC, recorded in the Foundation Stock Service (FSS) program, individually registered with a foreign or domestic registry organization whose pedigrees are acceptable for AKC registration, dogs granted a Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) number, dogs with AKC Limited or Conditional Registration, or dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners program. Dogs with breed disqualifications and monorchid/cryptorchid dogs are eligible to participate.

Course Information

The entire 100-yard course will be run on a grass turf surface. Length of runout area past the finish line will be 45-50 yards long. Fencing will be portable sheep fencing, 33" tall on the course, and 42" tall in the runout area.

Kanawha Obedience Training Club

Officers

PRESIDENT Cindi Robusto, Hurricane, WV
VICE-PRESIDENT Valarie Hart, Charleston, WV
SECRETARY..... Cindy McKee, Cross Lanes, WV
TREASURER Merilynn Preston, Cross Lanes, WV

Event Chair

Cindy McKee, 107 Majestic Drive, Cross Lanes, WV 25313
(304) 776-8193 kotcdogs@gmail.com

Event Secretary

Ching-Yao Yu, 406 Pamela Drive, Salisbury, MD 21804
(240) 668-4080 ching@cyu.com

Field Committee

Cindi Robusto, Valarie Hart, Cindy McKee
Merilynn Preston, Jane Davies

Lure Operator

Ching-Yao Yu, Sugarloaf Mountain Terrier Racing Company
AKC Judge #101309

Photographer

MLBaer Photography
<https://www.mlbaer.com>

What is Fast CAT?

Fast CAT is a timed straight 100-yard dash for dogs. Dogs are held at the start line, and the coursing lure is activated prompting the dog to follow chasing it to the finish line and into a catch pen. The course is completely fenced, and dogs are run individually. Dogs are timed when they complete the 100-yard dash. The time is converted to Miles Per Hour (MPH).

FORMULA: $204.545 / \text{RUN TIME} = \text{MPH}$
 $\text{MPH} \times \text{HANDICAP} = \text{POINTS (ROUNDED TO NEAREST 0.01)}$

Based on the dog's size at the withers, a handicap is applied, and points are earned:

- 18" or greater = Handicap is 1.0
- 12" up to less than 18" = Handicap is 1.5.
- Below 12" = Handicap is 2.0.

MPH X HANDICAP = POINTS

Titles are earned at specific point levels, and the highest suffix may appear after the dog's name:

BCAT = 150 points

DCAT = 500 points

FCAT = 1,000 points

FCAT# = Each additional 500 points

Coursing is an athletic activity that can tax a dog's physical strength. Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion. The Inspection Committee has the authority to disallow a dog's entry into an event, and in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded. Dogs will be examined for lameness before running. Bitches in season, lame and unfit dogs will be excused with entry refunded. **Please do not bring bitches in season not competing to the event.**

Top 20 by Breed by Year

The AKC Fast CAT website will feature the Top 20 Fastest Dogs by Breed by Year national standings. The standings will be updated as event results are processed at https://www.apps.akc.org/apps/fastcat_ranking

Event Hours

Grounds will be available at 8:00 AM. It is the responsibility of each entrant to make an effort to be ready when their dog is called to the line. Events will begin promptly at 9:00AM until all runs are completed.

Prizes and Rosettes

KOTC will offer a light blue flat ribbon for a passing qualifying run.

KOTC will have a limited number of title rosettes available. Please notify the event chair, Cindy McKee, via email at kotcdogs@gmail.com and include with your entry form, if you will be earning a new title to ensure that the club will have rosettes available. **Due to ongoing supply chain issues, there may be delays in obtaining additional title rosettes beyond what is on hand.**

Note: KOTC is transitioning to new rosette colors. Some titles will only have orange/black rosettes available, and some will only have blue/yellow rosettes.

There will be several vendors of dog-related goods and services.

Event Site Directions

From the North / South / East on I-79 / I-77 / I-64

Take I-64 West toward Huntington. Take Exit 44 and turn right at the stoplight onto WV 817 for 3 ½ miles. Turn right on US Route 60W/MacCorkle Avenue and drive 5 miles to Par Four Family Entertainment Center on the left.

From West on I-64

Take Hurricane Exit 34 and turn right on County Route 19 toward Hurricane for 0.3 miles. Turn right onto Midland Trail/Teays Valley Road for 1 ½ miles. Turn left onto US Route 60E for 4.2 miles to Par Four Family Entertainment Center on the right.

Mobility

A golf cart shuttle will be available for our mobility-challenged exhibitors.

Motel Information

Wingate by Wyndam, 417 Hurricane Creek Rd. Hurricane WV; 681-233-2230.

Pet Fee: \$50 per accommodation per stay. Limit of 2 dogs.

Hampton Inn/Winfield/Teays Valley, 511 State Route 34, Hurricane WV; 304-760-7292. **Pet Fee:** \$75 for one dog per accommodation and \$125.00 for two dogs per accommodation per stay. Weight limit under 50 lbs.

Motel 6, 419 Hurricane Creek Rd. Hurricane, WV; 304-562-3346. **2 Pets stay free.** The combined weight limit is 165 lbs.

Wyndam Gardens, 102 Racer Drive, Cross Lanes, WV; 304-776-8070. **Pet Fee:** \$35 per accommodation per night. You will need to contact the motel as there is a limited number of pet-friendly rooms.

Red Roof Inn Charleston, West, 500 Putnam Village Drive, Scott Depot, WV; 304-757-6392. **Pet Fee:** 1st pet is free. 2nd pet is \$15 per night. The maximum weight is 80 pounds per dog.

Comfort Inn, 249 Mall Road, Barboursville WV; 304-733-2122. **Pet Fee:** \$ 25 per stay. 2 dogs allowed.

You are **required** to clean up after your dog at these hotels. The future of using these hotels for all dog sports is in your hands. We cannot guarantee availability.

RV Accommodations

Onsite overnight parking for self-contained RVs will be available for \$25 per night. Make reservations by contacting Cindi Robusto at 304-549-4037 or roborottie@gmail.com and please include your RV length in your request.

Huntington/Fox Fire KOA RV Park; 290 Fox Fire Road, Milton, WV; 1-800-562-0898; Pet friendly. No additional fee for pets.

Jim's Camping, 1794 US Route 60W, Milton, WV; 304-743-4560. Pets welcome.

Veterinarian After Hours (ER)

Kanawha Valley Veterinary Emergency Hospital
5305 MacCorkle Avenue SW, South Charleston WV 25309
(304) 768-2911

Notice To All Exhibitors

AVMA Statement: Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to ensure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations. We ask that you have copies of your dog's rabies vaccination certificates with you in case of an incident.

For the safety of our volunteers, we will only be releasing dogs that we know. Please arrange to have someone available to release and to catch your dog.

All exhibitors must be responsible for cleaning up after their dogs on the motel, RV and event grounds. Motels require that dogs be crated when unattended. Any damage to motels, RV sites or the event site can result in disciplinary action by the Event Committee. It is expected that exhibitors will clean up immediately after their own dogs and strongly encourage others to do the same. All owners/exhibitors should be aware that the entire motel grounds and RV sites are considered within the event grounds. You will be responsible for all damage to your room/site and may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of the AKC. Any abuse of the grounds will be brought to the attention of the event-giving club and its Event Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel or RV facilities. This is an AKC supported measure.

Event Information

- Dogs should be warmed up before and cooled down after running.
- **ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNER'S SOLE RISK**
- All dogs must be 12 months old or older on the day of the event.
- All dogs must be leashed on event property. No electronic or prong collars permitted on event grounds.
- All AKC rules regarding sportsmanship and conduct apply.
- **This is a rain-or-shine outdoor event. Please plan accordingly. Please bring your own shade, chairs and water.**
- An electronic timing system will be used. An electric, continuous loop, plastic strip lure machine will be used.
- The show grounds are not completely fenced. The FAST CAT course will be fenced.
- Dogs must be on lead or crated, unless they are running.
- **A \$5 fine will be assessed for any loose dog on the field not competing, or an exhibitor caught not picking up after their dog.**
- You are responsible for controlling your dog(s) and children.
- Bitches in season and lame dogs will be excused.
- The Huntmaster is responsible for field safety and therefore he/she is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. In service to this responsibility, he/she has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve the dog on the course.
- Dog(s) and/or person(s) exhibiting conduct detrimental to the AKC will be asked to leave the event site by the Event Committee and may be disciplined by the AKC. **Entry fees will not be refunded.**
- **No entry fees will be refunded** if the event cannot be started or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, extreme and/or dangerous weather conditions, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the club.
- The event-hosting club, its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc., assume no liability or responsibility 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 or spectators before, during, or after this event.

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.