

PRE-ENTRIES ARE OPEN NOW AND CLOSE MONDAY, JUNE 26, 2023  
AT 6PM EST or WHEN FULL

Day of Trial Entries Will Be Accepted If Time Allows



*Star Spangled Cresteds*  
ACCC - NATIONAL SPECIALTY WEEK

American Chinese Crested Club  
ALL BREED Fast CAT

Operated by: The Gated Dock

The Roberts Centre

123 Gano Road

Wilmington, OH 45177

June 29—July 2, 2023 EIGHT Tests run concurrently over 4 days

Thursday AM# 202345280, PM #2023452808

Friday AM# 2023452809, PM #2023452810

Saturday AM# 2023452814, PM #2023452815

Sunday AM# 2023452817, PM #2023452816

Entry Fees for Fast CAT: \$27.00 per dog/test

Entry Fees for after closing date / day of entry \$32.00 per dog/test

DAY OF ENTRY IS NOT GUARANTEED / Limited to 200 Entries Per Day

Official American Kennel Club Lure Coursing Entry Form

Club: American Chinese Crested Club		Events (Check all that apply.)	
Location: The Roberts Centre 123 Gano Road Wilmington, OH		Thursday 6/29 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452807 Test 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452808 Test 2	Friday 6/30 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452809 Test 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452810 Test 2
		Saturday 7/1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452814 Test 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452815 Test 2	Sunday 7/2 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452816 Test 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023452817 Test 2
Event: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fast CAT <input type="checkbox"/>	Breed: <input type="text"/>	Amount of entry Fees \$ <input type="text"/>	
Breeder: <input type="text"/>	AKC No. <input type="checkbox"/>	PAL/ILP No. <input type="checkbox"/>	Foreign & List Country <input type="checkbox"/>
Call Name: <input type="text"/>	Date of Birth: <input type="text"/>		Sex: <input type="text"/>
Name of Jr. Handler (if any): <input type="text"/>		Jr. Handler's Numb: <input type="text"/>	
Full Name of Dog: <input type="text"/>	Dog's Height at Withers (Check One)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Under 12"		
	<input type="checkbox"/> 12" to 18"		
	<input type="checkbox"/> 18" and above		
Sire: <input type="text"/>			
Dame: <input type="text"/>			
Actual Owner(s): <input type="text"/>			
Owner's Address: <input type="text"/>			
City: <input type="text"/>	State: <input type="text"/>	Zip: <input type="text"/>	
Name of Owner's Agent /Handler (if any) at Trial: <input type="text"/>			
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: <a href="http://www.akc.org">www.akc.org</a>			
<b>AGREEMENT</b>			
<p>I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the club shall deem sufficient. 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 persons.</p> <p><b>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.</b></p>			
Signature of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry: <input type="text"/>			
Tel: <input type="text"/>	Email: <input type="text"/>		

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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.

GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary

## American Chinese Crested Club Officers

President.....Lara Hill  
Vice President.....Peg Shaw  
Treasurer.....Virginia Dorris  
Recording Secretary.....Liz Keimon  
Corresponding Secretary.....Kathy Nusz

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7251 SR 98  
Shelby, Ohio 44875  
419-961-4711  
thegateddock@gmail.com

*All members of the board and any ACCC Member in Good Standing*

Lure Operator.....Marie Buckingham

### **ONLINE ENTRIES ARE ENCOURAGED**

### **PAPER ENTRIES SHOULD BE MAILED WITH FEES PAYABLE TO:**

Marie Buckingham, 7251 SR 98, Shelby, OH 44875

### **ONLINE ENTRY INFO WILL BE POSTED AT:**

[www.thegateddock.com](http://www.thegateddock.com)

### **SCHEDULE:**

Event hours: 9:00 am until completed

Day-of-test entries will be accepted as time allows.

Roll call & Inspection begins at 8:30 am each day.

**Running times of all the entered dogs will be emailed to participants after entries close.**

(ACCC National Week Participants Will Run Based On Their Availability)

**INSPECTION:** All dogs will be inspected for soundness and measured prior to running each event. All bitches will be checked for being in season prior to running each event. Any entry found during inspection to be unfit to compete, lame, or bitches in season shall be barred from competition and entry fees shall be refunded.

## **Paddock**

- It is the intention of the test committee to begin running courses as soon as roll call and inspection begin.
- When you are ready to run your dog, bring them to the paddock, the assembly area for dogs that have passed inspection and are prepared to run.
- Dogs may run wearing a close fitting buckle collar. Choke collars and collars with dangling decoration will not be allowed. Hanging collar tags may be permitted if they are secured tight to the collar, such as by tape. Slip leads can be used if the owner desires. No harnesses, clothes, or other types of collars are allowed.
- The Paddock Master determines the order in which dogs run.
- After passing inspection, you must check in with the Paddock Master to ensure that your dog has been placed in the running order. If you must leave the area to pursue another activity, please inform the Paddock Master and then be sure to check in with the Paddock Master again when you return.
- Chinese Crested Conformation Exhibitors—we are planning to run blocks of time but if there is a conflict, let the admin know and you will be worked in when you're available.



## HOW TO ENTER

- Complete an official AKC entry form for each dog for each test and turn your entries in at the Event Secretary's desk on the field, along with the entry fees before the close of entries for that test.
- Entry forms are located at the end of this premium list. Each dog may only enter once per test.
- Entering early is advised, as each day is limited to 200 entries. Make checks payable to "The Gated Dock".
- Application that is located at the end of this premium list. You may enter by mailing all of the forms and fees to the Event Secretary, so that it is received by the closing date and time for early entries.
- Pre-entering will guarantee that your dog is entered. You MUST run during the time assigned to you. If your dog becomes lame, sick, or in season prior to the test, do not bring them to the test. Instead, contact the Event Secretary to cancel your entry, and your entry fee will be destroyed or otherwise refunded.

## ROLL CALL & INSPECTION

- All dogs must be presented for inspection without tape, bandages, wrapping, or coverings of any kind (e.g., coats and blankets), and may be measured with a wicket to determine height at the withers.
- Owners may use clips or rubber bands to hold the dog's hair. The owner assumes responsibility for the safety of the dog with regard to the dog's collar and paraphernalia on the dog.
- At least two persons from the Test Committee will inspect each entered dog for lameness, fitness to compete, and female estrus (in season). In their opinion, any entered dog that is found to be lame, unfit to compete, or in season will not be allowed to run.
- Roll call and inspection will run continuously for the period of time listed.
- Bring your dog at any time during that period. Any dog that fails to present for inspection prior to the close of roll call and inspection will be marked absent. No refund will be given for an absent dog.

## TIPS FOR HANDLERS

- The entire grounds are not fenced. The entire FAST CAT course is fenced. For the safety of the dog and as a courtesy to other exhibitors, it is strongly recommended that prior to running your dog, you have good "recall" control over your dog, as the dogs will be off leash.
- Dogs will be brought to the start line on leash and released only upon a verbal signal ("Tally-Ho!") from the Huntmaster. Dogs may be released by hand, folded leash or using a traditional lure coursing slip lead.
- ABSOLUTELY NO toys or treats may be used to encourage your dog before it crosses the finish line but can be used after the dog has crossed the finished line to assist in catching the dog. No whistles or other noise devices, such as duck calls, may be used. Cheering, clapping, calling your dog's name, whistling and/or waving arms from the end of the course or the start is allowed.
- Should a situation arise where the application of this Regulation is open for interpretation, the event committee shall decide how it will be handled and an explanation shall be submitted to AKC along with the event results.
- Handlers are NOT permitted to run down the 100-yard course with the dog during its official run. This includes BOTH inside and outside the fence. Handlers must simply release the dog.
- As per the regulations, a 30 to 50-yard catch pen will be located at the end of the 100-yard run and will be fully fenced.
- Handlers should wear comfortable shoes and be physically able to hold and release their dogs. Handler MUST have someone familiar with the dog at the end of the course to retrieve the dog or have someone else release his or her dog at the start line. The handler is expected to promptly secure the dog and leave the field with the dog on leash. ***Two leashes are needed!***
- Lure coursing is a physically demanding sport so please make sure your dog is in good shape. If you are not sure, make an appointment with a veterinarian to get an opinion.
- Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for about 10 minutes afterwards. Handlers should bring water and shade for their dogs. This is a rain-or shine outdoor event, please plan accordingly. Dogs must be on lead or crated unless running. You are responsible for controlling your dog(s).

**DIRECTIONS:**

**Driving Directions from Dayton, Ohio:**

- Take State Route 33 and follow the By-Pass around Xenia
- Continue on State Route 35 East by following the signs to Washington Court House
- Take the Home Avenue/State Route 68 Exit
- Turn right off the exit ramp and onto State Route 68 South
- Continue on State Route 68 South for about 10 miles
- Turn left onto Gano Road (the intersection just before you come to I-71)
- Take Gano Road about 1/3 of a mile. Track is on the right & parking is on the left.

**Driving Directions from Cincinnati, Ohio:**

- I-71 North to Exit #50
- Turn left off the exit ramp and onto State Route 68
- Turn right at the first intersection and onto Gano Road
- Take Gano Road about 1/3 of a mile. Track is on the right & parking is on the left.

**Driving Directions from Columbus, Ohio:**

- Take I-71 South to Exit #50
- Turn right off the exit ramp and onto State Route 68
- Turn right at the first intersection and onto Gano Road
- Take Gano Road about 1/3 of a mile. Track is on the right & parking on the left.

**Nearby Hotels:**

**Holiday Inn (onsite)** .....(800) 654-7036

**Hampton Inn & Suites Wilmington** .....(800) 544-9484

201 Holiday Dr., Wilmington, OH 45177

**Deerfield Inn** .....(800) 524-1357

600 Little Main Street, Xenia, OH 45385

**CONCESSIONS:**

Restrooms and food venue is located in the Roberts Centre.

*Please bring your own chairs, shade and water for your dogs.*

13. Person’s exhibiting conduct detrimental to AKC/ACCC/The Gated Dock /Trial Volunteers or any dog(s) or other person(s) will be asked to leave the trial site.
14. There will be a minimum \$30 returned check charge.
15. A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any loose dog on the field that is not competing in the course in progress.
16. A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any handler not cleaning up after their dog.
17. ACCC reserves the right to alter the course due to field and/or weather conditions the day of the test. The entire course and run area will be fenced. Areas outside of the course are not fenced. Exhibitors must contain and control their dogs at all times.
18. Children MUST be under control of their parents or guardians at all times.
19. Any dog that eliminates on the course or in the run-out area will receive a non-qualifying (NQ) score.
20. Only the Lure Operator, Huntmaster, and handler of the dog running in the course in process will be permitted near the lure operating machine.
21. Everyone should stay back at least 20’ from the course and the lure line to avoid interfering with the lure line and from distracting the participants.
22. By entering the event premises, you consent to photography and video recording and its/their release, publication, exhibition, or reproduction to be used for news, webcast, promotional purposed, advertising and inclusion on websites. You waive all rights you may have to any claims for payment or royalties in connection with any exhibition of photographs or video recording.

**WHAT IF MY DOG IS SICK THAT DAY?**

Please do not bring a sick, or lame dog, or a female in season, to this event. Email the secretary and send a vet letter certifying the illness or injury to cancel your entry. Your entry fees will be refunded.

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## NEW RULE AS OF NOVEMBER 1, 2022:

This communication is to inform all clubs licensed for Fast CAT of changes to the Fast CAT® Regulations regarding; 1) handlers are not permitted to travel down the course during or just prior to a dog being released for its run, 2) a handler cannot recall their dog from the start line. The exact wording is to appear in the Fast CAT® Regulations as noted in bold and underlined below.

### ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNERS SOLE RISK

#### NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

1. Coursing Ability & Fast CAT tests are open to all dogs 12 mos of age or older that are individually registered with AKC, recognized foreign registries, possesses an FSS number, pal#, ILP 3 or Canine Partner Program number, open to all sighthounds as well as those will breed disqualifications.
2. Mixed breeds must be spayed or neutered to be eligible to run, AKC registered with AKC breed disqualifications may be entered.
3. Not AKC registered? You can register your Canine Partner with AKC. You can download the registration form at: <https://www.akc.org/register/information/canine-partners/enroll/>
4. Entries will not be accepted without fees, signatures or the "Agreement" found on the official AKC entry form.
5. Refunds: Bitches in season and lame dogs will be refused entry and, if presented at inspection, will be refunded entry fees. Refunds for other absences or withdrawals made after the event entry closing date will not be made.
6. 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 a test, and in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded.
7. A gas or battery operated continuous loop lure machines will be used. The lure will consist of white plastic bags. Backup equipment will be available.
8. Muzzles are allowed. No pinch collars, and no electronic training collars or devices are allowed. The club recommends using a plain buckle collar and lead. No flexi leads will be allowed for safety reasons.
9. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
10. 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 testing dog.
11. Any decisions made by the event's officials regarding the performance of an entered dog shall be final. Full discretionary power is given to the event officials to withhold any and all qualifications for lack of merit. The event officials are responsible for ensuring compliance with AKC regulations on the field.
12. Entries will not 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 public enemy, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the Club or its members and representatives.

## Roberts Centre Site Map



## TESTS, TITLES & TIMING

### How does a Fast CAT work?

1. Fast CAT is a timed straight race of 100 yards.
2. Dogs run singularly. Dogs may start a MAXIMUM of 10 feet behind the start line
3. The dog's time to compete the 100 yard dash is converted into MPH.
4. A handicap system is applied to a dog's MPH to determine the number of points earned. The handicap system is based on the height of the dog at its withers:

- 18" or greater—handicap is 1.0
- 12" up to less than 18" - handicap is 1.5
- Below 12" - handicap is 2.0
- Points = MPH multiplied by dog's handicap
- Fast CAT suffix titles are earned at designated milestones:
  - BCAT = 150 points
  - DCAT = 500 points
  - FCAT = 1000 points
  - FCAT # = every additional 500 points

5. Timing Devices: The time to compete the 100-yard dash is recorded to the nearest 1/100th of a second (e.g. 9.12).
6. Electronic Timing will be used for this event. In the event of a malfunction of the timing equipment or inclement weather, 2 stop watches may be substituted for timing.
7. Area of the course will be fenced with a fenced-in recovery area of 30 yards or larger. To learn more about AKC's Fast CAT, please visit the AKC Fast CAT webpage: <https://www.akc.org/sports/coursing/fast-cat/regulations/>

### AWARDS:

A light blue strip ribbon will be awarded for each completed run. A New Title rosette will be given for each new Fast CAT title earned at this event.

**ACCC will have a limited number of title rosettes available. Please notify the trial secretary via email or include with your entry form if you will be earning a new title to ensure that the club will have enough rosettes available to celebrate your success.**

## Veterinarian (closest to show site)

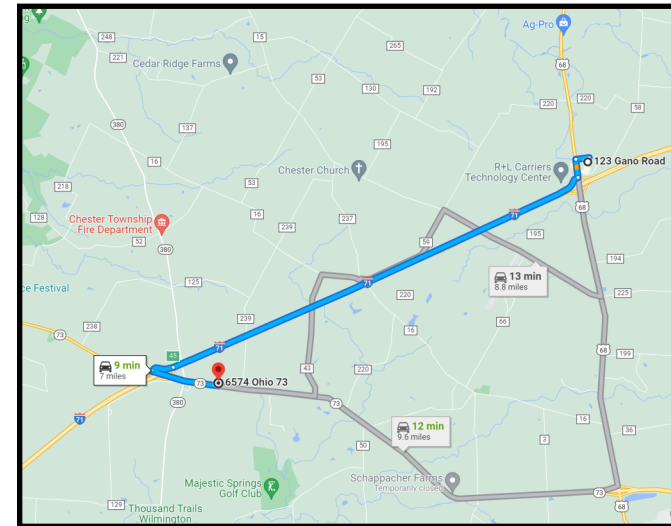
*Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.*

### Country View Animal Hospital

6609 W. State Route 73, Wilmington, OH 45177

(817) 405-2198

countryviewpethospital@frontier.com



## Photographer

website: [wonderfurphotography.com](http://wonderfurphotography.com)

