

**Augusta Kennel Club, Inc.**  
c/o Carmen Armstrong  
997 R and B Way  
Aiken, SC 29801

## **2 Obedience Trials**

**Saturday & Sunday  
January 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> 2024**

**COVID PROTOCOLS WILL BE  
OBSERVED**

**ENTRIES CLOSE 6:00 p.m. Wednesday December 27, 2023** at the Trial Secretary's address or when limits are reached after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, substituted EXCEPT as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules. Entries in one or more specified classes will automatically close when certain limits have been reached even if this occurs before the official closing date.

**Obedience entry is limited to 8 hours of judging per day**

### **Premium List**

Entries are welcomed for mixed breed dogs  
enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners Program

## ***Augusta Kennel Club, Inc.***

(Member of the American Kennel Club)

[www.augustakennelclub.org](http://www.augustakennelclub.org)



### **2 Obedience Trials-One Ring**

Unbenched – Indoors - Heated - Fully Matted  
Limited Shade

**Saturday & Sunday**

**January 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

(Event #2024028901) (Event # 2024028902)

**CLOSING DATE DECEMBER 27, 2023**

### **Augusta Kennel Club House**

3970 East White Oak Road, Appling, Georgia 30802



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Gina M DiNardo, Executive Secretary

## **AUGUSTA KENNEL CLUB, INC.**

### **Officers**

PRESIDENT..... Carol Cox  
VICE PRESIDENT .....Debra Metts  
TREASURER.....Carmen Armstrong  
RECORDING SECRETARY.....Amy Jenkins  
CORRESPONDING SECRETARY .....Jennifer Armstrong

### **Board of Directors**

Georgie Blackburn                      Mary Pruitt  
Mary Dee Palmer                      Linda Stoddard

### **Trial Chair**

#### **Carol Cox**

2904 Mayfair Drive, Augusta, GA 30909  
email: rhapsodywhippets@gmail.com  
(706) 726-8017

### **Trial Secretary**

#### **Carmen Armstrong**

997 R and B Way, Aiken SC 29801  
Email: carmenarmstrong456@outlook.com  
(803) 514-2510

## **VETERINARIANS ON CALL**

**Friday & Sunday.....Blue Pearl Pet Hospital (706) 733-7458**  
(Fri 10 am – 8 pm/Sun 2pm to midnight) 410 Top Golf Way, Augusta GA 30909  
**Saturday.....Saint Francis Animal Hospital (706) 860-6617**  
(10 am to 4 pm) 2647 Perimeter Pkwy Augusta GA 30909

## **JUDGES & ASSIGNMENTS**

### **Leslye Pinnell**

2156 Berkshire Ter Lawrenceville, GA 30044-3862

### **Saturday & Sunday Classes will be judged by Mrs. Pinnell**

Beginner Novice A  
Beginner Novice B  
Novice A  
Novice B  
Graduate Novice  
Preferred Novice  
Open B  
Open A  
Graduate Open  
Preferred Open  
Utility A  
Utility B  
Preferred Utility  
Versatility

Transfers will be allowed according to AKC Regulations, provided that the written request is received at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial.

Note: All rings will be gated, fully matted and heated

Jump height order both days will be LOW to HIGH

### **ENTRY LIMITS:**

**ENTRY IS LIMITED TO 8 HOURS OF JUDGING PER DAY**

## ENTRY FEES

First entry of each dog each day.....	\$29.00
<b>NOVICE A &amp; BEGINNER NOVICE A only .....</b>	<b>\$15.00</b>
Each additional entry of the same dog each day .....	\$22.00
Each JUNIOR HANDLER ENTRY .....	\$20.00
Exhibitor must have a valid AKC Junior Handler number	

<p><b>Mail entries and checks payable to Augusta Kennel Club, Inc.</b>  Carmen Armstrong, Trial Secretary  997 R and B Way, Aiken SC 29801</p>
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**Canadian Exhibitors** must submit entries with checks drawn on U.S. accounts or with international money orders in U.S. funds

Note: Entry fee includes \$.50 AKC recording fee and \$3.00 Service Fee for each Regular and Optional Titling Obedience entry

**Bitches in season:** Refund of all but \$5.00 of entry fee will be made if bitches come into season after entries close. Request in writing for refund must be submitted to the show secretary with a certificate from a veterinarian before the start of the show.

All entries must be submitted on official AKC entry forms, one dog per entry form. Photocopies of entry forms without AKC Agreement are not acceptable. Unsigned, incomplete or illegible entries are not acceptable.

If you would like confirmation that your entry was received before the trial has closed, please include your email address or enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Entries cannot be changed once the trial has closed. Please check your entries.



## PRIZES-SATURDAY & SUNDAY

**A qualifying score is required for all awards**

### **Ribbons/Rosettes-Regular & Optional Titling Classes**

1st place.....	Blue Rosette
2nd place .....	Red Rosette
3rd place .....	Yellow Rosette
4th place .....	White Rosette

Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Obedience Classes .Blue & Gold Rosette  
Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility ..... Blue & Green Rosette

A dark green ribbon will be given to each dogs receiving a qualifying score

**The Augusta Kennel Club, Inc. offers a Rosette to any dog receiving a new Obedience Title at this trial.**

**A new OTCH champion will receive a special rosette**

### **Prizes**

**Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Classes....** offered by Augusta Kennel Club  
Saturday & Sunday     Pewter Plate with Paw Logos

**Highest Combined Score in Open B & Utility** offered by Augusta Kennel Club

Saturday-                    Armatale Flutes & Pearls Oval Tray  
Sunday                        Armatale Boston Cracker Tray

1st -4th place in class ..... Plush dog toy

All prizes must be claimed the day of the trial. None will be mailed.

### DIRECTIONS

#### FROM I 20- Take Exit 183

Turn at top of exit ramp onto **221 South** Go 1.1. miles to roundabout- turn right onto **223 West** Go 3.7 miles-building is on the left

### ACCOMMODATIONS

*These establishments have graciously agreed to accept guests with well mannered dogs. Please return the trust and assume full responsibility for your dog's behavior. Policies do change. **Be sure to verify that your pet is welcome when making reservations.***

**Hampton Inn 1702 Washington Rd Thomson GA ..... ((706) 595-5300**  
**Hampton Inn 4081 Jimmie Dyess Pkw Augusta GA .....(706)860-1610**  
Quality Inn 4073 Jimmie Dyess Pky Augusta .....(706)855-2088  
Quality Inn, 1052 Claussen Rd., Augusta .....(706) 737-5550  
Super 8 456 Parkwest Dr Grovetown.....(706) 396-1000  
Jameson Suites, 1062 Claussen Rd, Augusta.....(706) 733-4656  
Red Roof Inn, 4328 Frontage Rd, Augusta.....(706) 228-3031  
Red Roof Inn... 3030 Washington Rd, Augusta GA 30907 (706)737-1122  
Double Tree -, 2651 Perimeter Pkwy, Augusta.....(706) 855-8100  
Sheraton Augusta, 1069 Stevens Creek Rd, Augusta .....(706) 396-1000  
La Quinta, 3020 Washington Ave, Augusta .....(706)733-2660

#### FOR RV Parking:

**Mistletoe State Park**, 3725 Mistletoe Rd, Appling, GA 30802. Is 13.4 miles from the building and is 17 min travel time. Dogs are allowed. They have water and electrical hook ups, (not sewer hook up)

Limited restaurants close by  
Coffee and donuts will be available in the morning

### Attention Exhibitors

**CRATING in designated areas only.** CRATE SPACE IS LIMITED. X-pens will not be allowed in the building. Dogs must be removed from the Trial site immediately following the conclusion of the judging every night. No dogs may be left in building overnight. There will be no space for un-entered dogs

#### PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS

ALL DOGS PRESENT MUST BE HELD ON LEASH BY THE HANDLER OR CONFINED TO THEIR CRATES except when being judged.

Dogs may not be on Flexi-Leads or long leads while in the building. No prong collars.

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.

**No RV or Overnight parking available at the Trial Site.** See list of accommodations for details on RV parking

**THE TRIAL SITE** will be available at 7:45 am.

**ENTRY FORMS MUST BE SIGNED** at the bottom by the owner or the owner's duly authorized agent, otherwise entry cannot be accepted.

**CHANGES, ADDITIONS OR CORRECTIONS** to entry forms must be received in writing or by e-mail prior to the close of entries. Those received by telephone are not acceptable.

**ERRORS ON ENTRY BLANKS.** Owners and handlers are responsible for errors in making out entry forms and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such error or cancellation of entries after the published closing date. Please print plainly or type all information on your entry to help avoid errors.

**A RECORDING FEE** of 50 cents and \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee are required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Show, Obedience Trial or Tracking Test.

This Recording Fee is to be collected by the show-giving club and paid to the American Kennel Club. If a dog is entered in more than one class in the show, the recording fee is to be collected on the first entry only (AKC Dog Show Rules, Chapter 11, Section 2).

**NO ENTRY SHALL BE MADE AND NO ENTRY SHALL BE ACCEPTED WHICH SPECIFIES ANY CONDITIONS AS TO ITS ACCEPTANCE.**

**ENTRY FEES** shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by the action of the Event Committee.

If because of riots, wars, strikes, civil disturbances, national emergencies, health emergencies and the dictates of law enforcement or the owners of the grounds and/or facilities or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the event, no refund of entry fee will be made. Extreme weather conditions, such as, but not

limited to snowstorms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, heavy rains or other circumstances including, but not limited to, the condition of the facility or grounds and/or the ingress and egress from the grounds, must be considered for the health and safety of the dogs, exhibitors, and spectators. The well-being of dogs, exhibitors and spectators is of paramount importance and, in the event it is necessary to cancel or stop the event before completion, no refund will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Cancellation Hotline (877) 252-03229

**POST DATED CHECKS AND RETURNED CHECKS** do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Secretary will add a \$30 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitors may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY basis.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ENTRIES** will be made as soon as practicable after entries close with confirmation and judging programs. Should such acknowledgement not be received by exhibitor within a reasonable amount of time, please notify Trial Secretary.

**JUDGES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WAIT FOR DOGS.** Owners or agents alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the ring at their scheduled time. Judges will adhere as closely as possible to the judging schedule.

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

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal & external parasites, communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations

#### **WAIVER OF RIGHTS-ANIMALS IN DISTRESS**

Augusta Kennel Club, Inc. reserves the right to remove any animal in distress from a parked vehicle or crate. All persons attending these dog events hereby waive any claim for damages against the club for such removal. The club regards the health, safety and life of any dog on the show grounds to be paramount to other property or privacy rights.

Augusta Kennel Club, Inc. and its members assume no 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 not under the control of their parents or guardians.

#### **HARSH CORRECTIONS NOT ACCEPTABLE AT TRIAL, IN BUILDING OR PROPERTY PREMISES**

**THIS CLUB DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THESE EVENTS.**

All participants must leave the building 30 minutes after the end of the event

**No person with covid or  
Recently exposed to covid  
will be allowed in the building**



AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB®

## OFFICIAL OBEDIENCE ENTRY FORM

AUGUSTA KENNEL CLUB INC 3970 EAST WHITE OAK RD APLING GA 30802  
( ) SATURDAY JANUARY 13 2024 #2024028901  
( ) SUNDAY JANUARY 14 2024 #2024028902

MAIL CHECKS PAYABLE TO AUGUSTA KENNEL CLUB INC TO:  
CARMEN ARMSTRONG 997 R & B WAY AIKEN SC 29801

I have enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_ for my total entry fees

**IMPORTANT** Read Instructions on reverse side carefully before filling out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT). Next, be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse.

**No form will be processed without your signature!**

Breed <sup>4</sup>	Variety <sup>1</sup>	Sex
Obedience Class <sup>2,3</sup>	Jump Height	Additional Obedience Class <sup>2,3</sup>
Additional Obedience Class <sup>2,3</sup>	Additional Obedience Class <sup>2,3</sup>	
Name of Junior Handler (If Any)	Junior Handler Number	
Full Name of Dog		
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC* No. <sup>4</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Reg No.	Place of Birth (Enter Country below) Do not print the country in catalog
Enter number here		Date of Birth
Breeder		
Sire		
Dam		
Actual Owner(s) (Please Print)		
Owner's Address		
City	State/Prov	Zip/Postal Code
Country (If not USA)		
Telephone #	Are you a new exhibitor? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Email Address (An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this email address)		
Name of Agent/Handler at the Show (If any)		

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## INSTRUCTIONS

- (Variety) If you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
- (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e. A or B division.
- A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
- Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners™ Program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC Obedience trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC Number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box. Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org)

## AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

**Signature of owner or his agent**  
duly authorized to make this entry:

Telephone	Email
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