

Judging Program



American Pomeranian Club Inc
Member of the American Kennel Club

Saturday, September 12, 2026
Conformation with Junior Showmanship and Sweepstakes
#2026058826

Points For Reserve Available

Tri-State Exhibition Center
200 Nature Trail S.W., McDonald, TN 37353
Show hours: 7:00am to 6:00pm each day.

All Judging Will Be Outdoors Under Cover

(except Toy breeds and Non-Sporting breeds will be judged indoors with air-conditioning).
If you are in an RV or have breeds that are showing in the building (Toys & Non-Sporting) in addition to other breeds showing in main arena you might want to consider renting a golf cart.
Golf Carts of Chattanooga 706-891-8888



FREE EXHIBITOR PARKING



See separate Judging Program for All-Breed shows
See Premium List for all things happening at the show!

AKC Weekend Club Hotline: (919) 816-3955 or visit the AKC Event Cancellations page at:
<https://www.akc.org/sports/event-cancellations/event-cancellation-information>.



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This Show is being held under
American Kennel Club Rules
and Regulations

Veterinarian On Site
Ringside Mobile Veterinary Services
Dr. Randy Hitesman

Veterinarian On Call & 24 Hour Emergency Clinic
Veterinary Care & Specialty Group
3201 Broad St., Chattanooga, TN
Phone 423-591-0270

"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."

An Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is on the grounds of these events.
Location is at the Club Table.

Show Chair

The Show Chair has the authority to change rules for the safety & comfort of dogs & exhibitors. All exhibitors are expected to display good sportsmanship. The Event Committee will deal with violations in this area.

Chief Ring Steward
Gail Swails • United Dog Show Association
207 Country Club Rd., LaFollette, TN 37766 • shageybark@aol.com

Official Photographer
Bryan McNabb, P.O. Box 1000, Oak Island, NC 28465
704-223-0398 • mcnabbphotos@gmail.com
Website: www.mcnabbphotos.com
(Only the Official Photographer may take win pictures.)

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.



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Continental Breakfast Each Morning for Show Exhibitors



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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.

RAMP OPTIONAL BREEDS

At the discretion of the judge through all levels of competition including group and Best in Show judging.

AMERICAN WATER SPANIEL	GERMAN PINSCHER	FINNISH LAPPHUND
BOYKIN SPANIEL	PORTUGUESE WATER DOG	ICELANDIC SHEEPDOG
FIELD SPANIEL	STANDARD SCHNAUZER	MUDI (or Table)
NS DUCK TOLLING RETRIEVER	AMERICAN STAFFORDSHIRE TERRIER	NORWEGIAN BUHUND
WELSH SPRINGER SPANIEL	IRISH TERRIER	POLISH LOWLAND SHEEPDOG
BASENJI (or Table)	MINIATURE BULL TERRIER (Ground/Table)	PULI (or Table)
BASSET FAUVE DE BRETAGNE	STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER	NORRBOTTENSPET (Misc.)
GRAND BASSET GRIFFON VENDEEN	FINNISH SPITZ	
NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND	AUSTRALIAN CATTLE DOG	
WHIPPET	ENTLEBUCHER MOUNTAIN DOG	

BREEDS THAT MUST BE JUDGED ON RAMP

Applies to all conformation competition associated with AKC conformation dog shows or at any event at which an AKC conformation title may be earned.

CLUMBER SPANIEL	BASSET HOUND	S.C. WHEATEN TERR.	CHOW CHOW
ENGLISH SPRINGER SPANIEL	CIRNECO DELL'ETNA	BULLDOGS	KEESHOND
LAGOTTO ROMAGNOLO	KERRY BLUE TERRIER	CHINESE SHAR-PEI	SPANISH WATER DOG
SUSSEX SPANIEL			

NOTE: Ramps can be used in emergency situations to judge any breed.

Please Check www.AKC.org for updates to this list.

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Show Committee

Carlene Gilstrap.....	Show Chair
5100 Candies Creek Ridge Road, NW., Cleveland, TN 37312	
423-987-0265 • dcgilstrao@aol.com	

Judges

Friday, September 11, 2026 Concurrent Specialty

Regular Conformation

Mrs. Jan Ritchie Gladstone (96299) 630 Carlton Rd, Stokesdale, NC 27357

Junior Showmanship

Dr. Jennie Chen(*) (114233)..... 13570 Grove Dr. #246, Maple Grove, MN 55311

Sweepstakes

Corie Haylett..... 495 Country Place Dr., Boone, NC 28607

~Schedule of Judging~

Saturday, September 12, 2026

There are 46 dogs entered in this Specialty show with a total of 59 entries.

Ring 10
Corie Haylett (12)

2:30pm

Puppy Sweepstakes

- 1 Sweepstakes (Puppy 6-9) Dogs
- 1 Sweepstakes (Puppy 9-12) Dogs
- 2 Sweepstakes (Puppy 12-18) Dogs
- 4 Sweepstakes (Puppy 6-9) Bitches
- 2 Sweepstakes (Puppy 9-12) Bitches
- 2 Sweepstakes (Puppy 12-18) Bitches

Best in Sweepstakes

Best Opp in Sweepstakes

Dr. Jennie Chen (2)

3:10pm

- 2 JS Master

Mrs. Jan Ritchie Gladstone (45)

3:15pm

- 4 12-18 Months Dogs 4-2
- 1 Bred-By-Exhibitor (Puppy) Dogs
- 2 Bred-By-Exhibitor (Adult) Dogs
- 2 American Bred Dogs
- 2 Open (Red, Orange, Cream & Sable) Dogs
- 3 Open (AOAC) Dogs

Winners Dog

- 3 Puppy (6-9 Months) Bitches
- 1 Puppy (9-12 Months) Bitches
- 2 12-18 Months Bitches
- 3 Bred-By-Exhibitor (Puppy) Bitches
- 4 Bred-By-Exhibitor (Adult) Bitches
- 1 American Bred Bitches
- 3 Open (Red, Orange, Cream & Sable) Bitches
- 1 Open (AOAC) Bitches

Winners Bitch

- 1 Veteran (7-10 Years) Dogs
- 12 Best of Breed (7-5)

Rings & Ringside

Ringside crating will be permitted during breed judging but must be removed immediately after judging. No x-pens inside the arena floor. Show Chair reserves the right to ask that any or all crates be removed at any time.

Dogs Locked in Vehicles

Action can and will be taken to rescue dogs confined to an overheated vehicle. All vehicle owners on the show premises have waived their right to legal actions or damages regarding dogs confined to improperly vented vehicles. Clubs regards the health, safety and life of any dog on the show grounds to be paramount to other property and privacy rights. We will not page anyone to their vehicle; we will take action!

Dog Wash

There will be a dog wash area on site.
Please use this rather than hotel facilities.

Saturday

A New Exhibitor Briefing will be held during this Show.
The briefing location & time will be posted
in the Judging Program.

Attention Exhibitors

Tri-State Exhibition Center, the North Georgia Kennel Club & the Chattanooga Kennel Club, Inc., have certain rules & restrictions as to the use of this facility & exhibitors are requested to abide by these regulations. The Center, the Clubs, the Superintendents, their agents, employees, etc., assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, injury sustained by exhibitors, their dogs or property & further assume no responsibility for injury to children.

The Clubs and their Superintendent caution all persons entering the show site and show grounds against all hazards which may exist, including, but not limited to: Condition of the site/grounds, parking/loading/unloading areas, entrances, floors and stairways, elevators and escalators, floor coverings, walkways, tenting/canopies, electrical appliances, cords and fittings, exercise pens, and the presence of animals. All persons should take into consideration this is a sporting event and dress, act and exercise caution appropriate for the activity involved. All persons entering the show, the grounds, site and show areas for whatever purpose do so entirely at their own risk. By virtue of entering the show, the entrant has indicated their acceptance of the terms listed in this premium list and assumes all risks involved.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Pet Fees Apply at some Hotels

Please check with the individual hotel for fees

Quality Inn 153 James Asbury Dr., Cleveland, TN (423)-478-5265

Red Roof Inn. 156 James Asbury Dr., Cleveland, TN(423)-472-5566

Clarion Inn, 185 James Asbury Dr., Cleveland, TN(423)-244-0331

Super 8, 163 Bernham Dr., Cleveland, TN(423)-464-6049

LaQuinta Inn & Suites 130 Interstate Dr., Cleveland, TN., (423) 813-7300

Baymont by Wynham, 360 Paul Huff Pkwy., Cleveland, TN(423) 614-5583

Motel 6, 3000 Valley Hills Trail., Cleveland, TN(423) 472-2185

Hampton Inn, 4355 Frontage Rd., Cleveland, TN (423) 458-1222

TRU by Hilton, 4352 Frontage Road., Cleveland, TN(423) 819-8400

Directions to the events

From Chattanooga: North on I-75 to exit 20 turn left off the interstate go approximately half a mile (DO NOT TURN AT STOP SIGN) First entrance past stop sign.

From Knoxville: South on I-75 to exit 20 turn right off interstate go approximately half a mile (DO NOT TURN AT STOP SIGN) First entrance past stop sign.

Optional RV Parking

Chattanooga North/Cleveland KOA
Pleasant Grove Rd., McDonald, TN 37353
(423) 472-8928 or (800) 562-9039
¾ mile from Tri-State

SHOW SITE

Motor homes may arrive Tuesday, September 8th

Selling dogs will not be allowed on the show grounds



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.**

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