

Specialty Information Packet The Australian Cattle Dog Club of America Incorporated®

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<https://www.acdca.org/2021-national-specialty/>

Presents
The 37th & 38th ACDCA National Specialty



Sunday, October 17 -Friday, October 22, 2021

Purina Farms
300 Checkerboard Loop
Gray Summit, MO 63039

These shows are dedicated to the memory of:
Monica Shifflet and Rita Favreau



To All ACD Lovers

Welcome to the 37th and 38th annual ACDCA National Specialty! We are looking forward to a unique and fun-filled week of everything cattle dog, with friends, new and old.

We and our resilient dogs have been presented with many challenges and obstacles from the past two years. The year 2020 had been particularly challenging and cancellations proved to be the new normal. The year 2021 has applied the word adaptation to changes that keep coming our way. However, these changes and adaptations, gives our Club the opportunity to host a unique event over our National Specialty week. Through a special opportunity with AKC, we are able to hold our cancelled 2020 Conformation show & 2020 Cattle Herding trials in addition to our 2021 National Specialty Show event.

These events are scheduled between Sunday, October 17th and Friday, October 22nd (see the schedule on page 5). This year's combined event also features six herding trials, of which 4 are cattle trials. In addition to the trials and 2 Specialty Shows, we have one of our more popular events, Dingo Bingo that will have a "Best Decorated Table" contest.

Our committee members, have spent countless hours to make this National safe and enjoyable. We thank those that offer their help, expertise, assistance and support. Without volunteers, we would not be able to host an event of this quality.

The pandemic continues to create special challenges, but we plan and persevere with new safety protocols, consistent with relevant AKC, Purina Farms, and State and local guidelines. We are looking forward to a fun and friendly event with activities that reflect the range of interests of ACD lovers.

For updated information, please check out our website:

<https://www.acdca.org/2021-nationalspecialty/>.

So we hope that everyone enjoys this year's event and have a Howling Good Time!

Deb Mintzer & Ingrid Rosenquist, Co-Chairs
National Specialty Convention Coordinators

AUSTRALIAN CATTLE DOG CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.

Officers

President	Deb Mintzer
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South Central	Pam Pruett

AKC Delegate	Joyce Rowland
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2021 SPECIALTY COMMITTEES

2021 Show Committee

Nat'l Convention Coordinators	Deb Mintzer/Ingrid Rosenquist
Conformation Show Chair	Louanne Brooks-Ludwig
Obedience & Rally Trials	Kris Read
Herding Trials Chair	Rebecca Elder & Erin Eckert
Agility Chair	Marcia Malcomb
RV/Camping Reservations	Glenn & Robin Norton
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CHIC DNA Draw	Dr Randall Hitesman/Tom McCarthy
Conformation Ring Steward	Sondra Davis
Dingo Bingo	Ingrid Rosenquist/Joyce Rowland
Decorations & Signage	Karen Smith
Hospitality	Amelia Brooks
Judges Education	Patti Salladay
Juniors	Jennifer O'Dell
Properties	Jolyn Owen/Julie Pulliam/International Committee
Registration	Jennifer O'Dell
Rescue Versatility & Title Holders	ACDRI
Souvenirs	Deb Mintzer/Pat Pim
Trophies and Rosettes	Alexis Kurowski
Vendors	Ingrid Rosenquist
Versatility Tabulation	Dawn Limehouse
Specialty Shop, Website, On-line Forms	Deb Mintzer



2020 & 2021 SPECIALTY JUDGES

2020 Conformation ~ Jon Cole

2021 Conformation ~ Michael Faulkner

Junior Showmanship ~ Michael Faulkner

Sweepstakes ~ Amy Turner

Obedience ~ Carole Lynn Evans

Rally ~ Jamie Jo Sieveking

Agility ~ Carole Lynn Evans

Herding ~ Lynn Leach/Cathy Sumeracki

Properties ~ TBD

Obedience, Rally, Sweepstakes/ Conformation & Herding Show/Trial Secretary

Susan Gordon

4 Seminole Path, Wildwood, FL 34785

Phone: 407-421-1588

Fax: 877-667-4304

Email: gordonshowsec@earthlink.net www.gordonshowsec.info

These Shows and Trials Close September 22nd

Agility

ACDCA, Inc National Specialty AKC Agility Trials

Agility Judge: Carole Lynn Evans

Trial Secretary: Michelle Frasca

Email to: michelle@mickys-secretary-service.com

805 Nancy Lane, Weldon Spring, MO 63304 636-734-4634

<http://www.mickys-secretary-service.com>

See Separate Agility Premium for More Information

These Shows and Trials Close September 22nd

SHOW/TRIAL PHOTOGRAPHER

The Team In Focus

804-396-0730

Buy your photos at the show or online at

www.theinfocusdogzone.com

No other photographer or person may take photos with professional equipment at these events with the purpose of selling or distribution of any kind including but not limited to official wins, conformation, and performance ringside photos.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF ACDCA, Inc EVENTS

October 17 Sunday	<p>8am-National Specialty Obedience and Rally 8am Herding Instinct Testing 2pm-Properties 2:30pm-CHIC Draws 6pm-Welcome BBQ Rescue & Parade of Titleholders 7pm—ACDCA Annual Meeting</p>
October 18 Monday	<p>7:30am Agility Walk Thrus 8am-National Specialty Agility 1:30pm-Conformation Grooming Set Up 1:30pm-2020 National Specialty Dogs,Vets,Herding Title Bitches,Vets,Herding Title Judge’s Option-Break Best of Breed Photography till 9:30pm</p>
October 19 Tuesday	<p>8am-2021 National Specialty Sweepstakes Puppy and Veteran Versatility Conformation Class 2pm-2021 National Specialty Conformation Dog Classes, Herding Titled 7pm-Judges Education/Breeder Education</p>
October 20 Wednesday	<p>8am-2021 Natl Specialty Conformation Con’t Junior Showmanship, PeeWee Competitions Bitch Classes, Herding Titled Veterans Best of Breed Non-regular, Multiple entry classes Photography</p>
October 21 Thursday	<p>7:30am-Herding Trials & Test: Sheep/Cattle 7pm-Dingo Bingo</p>
October 22 Friday	<p>7:30am-Herding Trials & Test: Sheep/Cattle 7pm -Awards Banquet</p>

COVID 19 PRECAUTIONS

The ACDCA is concerned with the health and safety of our members, participants, exhibitors, guests, and pets during this year's National Specialty event. We will encourage and enforce all recommended and necessary steps to ensure everyone's wellbeing at our Event.

Purina Farms will be reinstating a mask requirement, effective Monday, July 26. In alignment with local, state, and CDC guidance, all individuals will be required to wear a mask while indoors including those who have been vaccinated against COVID-19 due to the increased spread of the delta variant of the coronavirus. Masks will be strongly encouraged outdoors, especially in group settings, but not required.

The ACDCA will follow state, local, AKC and Purina guidelines that apply to our event site and we will update requirements as needed.

These precautions may include:

- Practicing social distancing consistent with guidelines in effect at the time of the event.
- Spacing out seating and grooming areas and prohibiting forced air blowers indoors.
- Enlarging our rings to accommodate social distancing.
- Requiring face coverings/masks for unvaccinated & vaccinated individuals, when in proximity to others.
- Providing face coverings/masks for officials, judges, and volunteers.
- Encouraging frequent hand washing and providing hand sanitizer
- Encouraging "virtual" greetings and discouraging unnecessary physical contact.
- Recommending that attendees avoid touching dogs that are not their responsibility.
- Minimizing common use items unless disinfected or hand covering are provided.

**Please be supportive of safety efforts! AND...please be kind!
Thank you in advance!**

Important!

Purina Farms is not allowing spectators on site. We will need to maintain a list of members, exhibitors, workers, and support individuals. This information needs to be provided on the attendee list. Please fill in the form on page 26

REGISTER AND PAY ON-LINE!

Except as noted, you may now register and pay for all ACDCA specialty events (other than the AKC shows and trials) at our new National Specialty SHOP!

<https://www.acdca.org/2021-national-specialty/>

In the SHOP you may also select and pay for trophy donations! Thanks for your support!!

- On-line payments are through PayPal OR
- You may register on-line but then mail in a check or credit card information.
- If you opt to mail in payment, please use page 27 of this booklet.

You may also mail/email the forms in this booklet to register and mail checks or credit card payment info. See each form for instructions and use the summary form on page 27.

On-line SHOP Tips:

- When using PayPal, please indicate what you are purchasing in the PayPal "Add a Note" section.
- We are not able to accept non-U.S. checks. Please use U.S. money orders or PayPal.
- Property Class entries and payments continue to be sent to Jolyn Owen jolynowen@aol.com (see pages 12-13).
- Ads go to Stephanie Govin-Matzat (see pages 24)
- On registration forms, include a phone number where you can be reached during the specialty.

AKC Events

Enter sweepstakes, conformation, herding, obedience, rally, versatility at: <https://www.gordonshowsec.info/>; closes September 22nd

Enter agility at: <http://www.mickys-secretary-service.com> ; closes September 22nd

Use the premium lists mailed or emailed to you or found on the specialty website

<https://www.acdca.org/2021-nationalspecialty/>

ROUTES TO THE SHOW

Airport to Fairgrounds

Lambert-St Louis International Airport 314-426-8000

10701 Lambert International Blvd, St Louis, MO 63145

Approximately one hour drive from site

From Lambert Airport:

Northwest on Lambert International Blvd toward Garage Parking

Turn Left merge onto I-70W, Take exit 232A-232B to merge onto I-270S toward Memphis, Take exit 5B to merge onto I-44W/US 50W toward US-50W, Tulsa, Take exit 253 for I-44Bus/MO-100E toward Gray Summit, Turn right onto MO-100E, toward Gray Summit, Turn right onto MO-100E, Take the 1st left onto HWY MM/State Hwy MM, Turn left at Purina's Main Entrance.

HOTEL/LODGING

Budget Lodging (Host Hotel) (13 miles West of Purina Farms)

Interstate 44 at exit 240 and Hwy 47 www.budgetlodging.com

866 S Outer Rd, St Clair, MO Phone: (636) 629-1000

Make your reservations directly with the hotel and mention ACDCA

Specialty

Directions From Purina Farms to Budget Lodging

- Make a Right onto Hwy MM, Turn Right on MO Hwy 100W
- Merge onto I-44 East, Take Exit 240
- Turn left under overpass, Turn Right onto South Outer Rd
- Budget Lodging on Left

Additional Hotels/Motels check Hotel/Motel for their pet prices

Quality Inn Near Six Flags, St Louis.....636-257-8400

1400 W Osage St, Pacifica, MO www.qualityinn.com

Super 8 Eureka/Six Flags.....696-938-4368

1733 W 5th St, Eureka, MO 63025 www.super8.com

Comfort Inn/Six Flags.....636-257-4600

1320 Thornton St, Pacifica, MO 63069

DINGO BINGO!!

Notorious FUN, The One, The Only

Thursday, October 21, 2021 The fun will
begin around 7:00 pm. Check for location!

10 rounds of frivolity with fabulous prizes.

Needed: Donations – dog themes, cow themes, Australian themes.

Coveted: Handcrafted items with dog, cow and/or Australian themes!

BEST DECORATED PARTICIPANTS' TABLE

There will be a "Best Decorated Table" Competition for Dingo Bingo.
Get out your pink flamingos, western décor or any other theme you want!

SPONSOR A ROUND OF DINGO BINGO

Local clubs or groups of individuals can "sponsor" one of the 10 rounds
of Dingo Bingo by collecting enough prizes to pack one table!!

Need shipping info? Ideas? Questions?

Contact: Ingrid Rosenquist ingridnbuck@yahoo.com

Joyce Rowland olliame@aol.com

STATE AND REGIONAL BASKETS!!



Think your state/region makes the best "stuff"?
Perhaps you and your friends are super creative?

Now is the time to prove it!

When collecting for Dingo Bingo, put together a
fantastic basket of items showing off your region!
Work with friends, club members or by yourself!
Doggie favorites? Regional specialties? Limitless ideas!
Silent auction-Sunday Welcome to Annual Meeting.

Need shipping info? Ideas? Questions?

Contact Ingrid Rosenquist: ingridnbuck@yahoo.net

VENDORS

Contact Ingrid Rosenquist for details on being a vendor at the
National Specialty: ingridnbuck@yahoo.com



*MEALS * MEALS*

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Annual Meeting/Welcome Meet & Greet

6pm Sunday, Oct 17th

Menu: Pulled Pork and BBQ Chicken with bacon and provolone sandwiches, Coleslaw, Baked Beans, roll, Chocolate Chip cookies & Iced Tea.

of Adults _____ x \$ \$24.00 = \$ _____

of Children to 18 yrs old _____ x \$ \$15.00 = \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Awards Banquet

7pm Friday, Oct 22nd

Menu: Hand Carved Rib Eye, Blackberry & Arugula Salad, Bourbon Smashed Potato, Haricot Verts (petite green beans), Linguini Aglio E Olio (pasta), New York Style Cheesecake & Iced Tea beverage.

of Adults _____ x \$ \$35.00 = \$ _____

of Children to 18 yrs old _____ x \$ \$20.00 = \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Sign up and Pay Online (preferred): Please follow instructions at <https://www.acdca.org/2021-national-specialty/> to sign-up and pay (online with PayPal or mail check/credit card info)

OR Sign up and Pay by mail: Send this registration form and form on page 27 via scanned email attachment to Jennifer O'Dell at jennodell74@gmail.com or via U.S. mail to Jennifer O'Dell; 11491 Timber Ln; Brooksville, FL 34601. Pay by:

- Check (payable to ACDCA; complete page 28; send with registration form)
- Credit card (Complete page 28 including CC info; send with registration form)
- PayPal to treasurer@acdca.org (Complete page 28; indicate "Using PayPal"; in PayPal use "Add a Note" section to describe purchases)

TROPHY AND ROSETTE FUND

DONATE NOW!

Sponsoring a trophy is a great way to support your specialty!



Sponsor a trophy in memory of a dog, a person or in your name/kennel. It's easy and all on-line! Go to:

<https://www.acdca.org/2021-national-specialty/trophy-sponsorships/>.

On the website there is a link to info showing all the trophies and their sponsors to date. There you can see what Trophies are still available to support!

Just place an order at the National Specialty Shop!

<https://www.acdca.org/2021-national-specialty/> You can pay via PayPal on-line or send in a check or credit card information. Specific awards range from \$10 to \$200. You can also choose to donate to the general fund ANY amount!

Trophy Donations due by September 22, 2021 for inclusion in catalog!

Note: If the National Specialty is cancelled, all trophy donations will be recognized and used for 2021. These are donations and are not refundable.

Volunteers

Help guarantee another successful specialty by volunteering! Volunteers are needed in many ways such as selling catalogs, staffing the hospitality table, running score sheets, etc. To Volunteer Please Contact: Ingrid Rosenquist at ingridnbuck@yahoo.com .



Hey All, Wanna Help? Support our Juniors at the Nationals. Please bring silent auction items purchase items at show. Contact Jennifer O'Dell at jennodell74@gmail.com

PROPERTY CLASSES-SIGN-UP INFO

Judge: TBD

Judging: Sunday, October 17, 2021, time 2pm

Please use one (1) entry form per dog (pg. 13)

Property Classes: Entry Fee **\$5.00/class**
Enter as many classes as you want!! All ACDs may compete.

Special Classes: Entry Fee **\$8.00/Class**
Herding tested (include copy of certificate that qualifies dog for this class and Ancestral Classes (PAL and rescue dogs).

Puppy & Altered: Entry Fee **\$8.00/class**
All dogs in Puppy and Altered classes **MUST** be eligible for AKC registration. Dogs must be intact (not neutered or spayed) **EXCEPT** for Altered classes. **Altered classes are for "show quality" spayed/ neutered, AKC registered adult Australian Cattle Dogs.**

Proceeds from the Property/Special class competition go to the ACDCA International Committee fund to benefit health/genetic testing and research for Australian Cattle Dogs.

Pre-entries must be received by **September 22, 2021.** Fill out forms completely. Entries must include payment--check or US money order.

No "day-of" entries

Checks or U.S. Money Orders only! Make payable to ACDCA, Inc.

Mail Official Pre-Entries (page 13) with Payment to:

Jolyn Owen, 2021 Properties
5624 S. 27th PL, Phoenix, AZ 85040

Questions? Email: jolynowen@aol.com
Phone: 602-276-5110

All Property Class Forms go to Jolyn Owen!

PROPERTY CLASS ENTRY FORM

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Dog's Call Name _____

Registered Name _____

Use a separate form for each dog—Payment must accompany form. See page 12 for payment information. ** These items are needed only if entering Puppy Competition or Altered Class

Property Classes Entry fee 5.00/class

Classes are unisex except Headed class. All ACDs including puppies may compete (ILP, Rescue, etc.) Circle each class you are entering with the above dog.

Best Footed	Best Coated	Best Gaited
Best Headed Dog	Best Tail	Best Ear
Best Headed Bitch	Best Eye	Best Top Line

Special Classes Entry Fee \$8.00/Class

Circle each class you are entering with the above dog.

Herding Tested* (unisex)

All dogs must be herding tested and include a copy of a certificate which qualifies the dog for this class. ALL ACDs welcome (ILP, Rescue, etc.).

Ancestral Class

Any dog that looks like a Dingo (except color) may compete in this class. PAL dogs and Rescue dogs welcome. NO REGISTRATION

Puppy & Altered Entry Fee 8.00/Class

All dogs in these classes MUST be eligible for AKC registration. Dogs must be intact males and females EXCEPT for Altered classes. Altered classes are for "show quality" spayed/neutered AKC registered adult Australian Cattle Dogs. Circle class you wish to enter.

Dogs		Bitches	
Baby 3-6 mos.	Minor 6-9 mos.	Baby 3-6 mos.	Minor 6-9 mos.
Juniors 9-12 mos.	Senior 12-18 mos.	Juniors 9-12 mos.	Senior 12-18 mos.
Altered Dog		Altered Bitch	

Please be sure you have filled in a form for EACH dog entered and have attached the necessary certification for *Herding Tested class entries.

Note: Proceeds from the Property/Special class competition goes to the ACDCA International Committee fund to benefit health/genetic testing and research for Australian Cattle Dogs.

Fees must be paid with check or U.S. money order, submitted with this entry form:

Mail to: Jolyn Owen, 5624 South 27th Place, Phoenix, AZ 85040
 Questions email: Jolyn at JolynOwen@aol.com

HERDING INSTINCT TESTS

Sunday, October 17, 2021

Testing begins at 8 am. LIMITED TO (20) DOGS.

Entry fee \$35.00 per dog

Have you ever wondered what kind of herding instinct your ACD has? Find out through a short, simple exposure to livestock (sheep) conducted by an experienced ACD handler. No herding experience necessary! Sign up multiple dogs!! All dogs passing will receive a handsome ACDCA certificate. Sign up for order of runs at arena "day of". Release of Liability Form required-see pages 16 & 17.

Owner's Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone _____ Email: _____

Dog #1

Call Name: _____

Registered Name for Certificate: _____

Dog #2

Call Name: _____

Registered Name for Certificate: _____

Dog #3

Call Name: _____

Registered Name for Certificate _____

Number of entries: _____ X \$35.00 = \$ _____ (Total amount)

Sign up and Pay Online (preferred): Please follow instructions at

<https://www.acdca.org/2020-national-specialty/> to sign-up and pay (online with PayPal or mail check/credit card info) OR

Sign up and Pay by mail: Send this registration form and form on page 27 via scanned email attachment to Deb Mintzer at bdcattlekennel@aol.com or via U.S. mail to Deb Mintzer; 6551 CR 561; Bushnell, FL 33513. Pay by:

- Check (payable to ACDCA; complete page 27; send with registration form)
- Credit card (Complete page 27 including CC info; send with registration form)
- PayPal to treasurer@acdca.org (Complete page 27; indicate "Using PayPal"; in PayPal use "Add a Note" section to describe purchases)

Due September 22, 2021

AUSTRALIAN CATTLE DOG CLUB OF AMERICA, INC
(A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION)
HERDING INSTINCT CERTIFICATION (HERDING ACTIVITIES) AGREEMENT AND
RELEASE FROM LIABILITY (RELEASE)

Voluntary Participation

I, the undersigned, acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America, Inc. for Herding Activities.

Assumption of Risk

2. I am aware that herding activities may be a hazardous activity. I am voluntarily participating in this activity with full knowledge of the potential danger involved. I hereby agree to accept any and all risks of injury to myself, my dog(s), or any dog(s) under my care, custody, or control and verify this statement by placing my initials here: _____
(Parent or Guardian if handler is under 18 years of age)

Release

3. As consideration for being permitted by the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America, Inc. ® to participate in these Herding Activities, I hereby agree that I, my assignees, heirs, distributes, guardians, and legal representatives will not make a claim against, sue, or attach the property of the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America, Inc., its officers, directors, members, employees, lessors, agents, affiliates, testers, judges, livestock suppliers, livestock setters, or independent contractors, for injury or damage resulting from the negligence, howsoever caused, by the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America, Inc., its officers, directors, members, employees, lessors, agents, affiliates, testers, judges, livestock suppliers, livestock setters, or independent contractors as a result of my participation in these Herding Activities. I hereby forever release the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America, Inc. , its officers, directors, members, employees, lessors, agents, affiliates, testers, judges, livestock suppliers, livestock setters, or independent contractors, from all actions, claims, or demands that I, my assignees, heirs, distributes, guardians, and legal representatives now have or may hereafter have for injury or damage to myself, my dog(s), or any dog(s) under my care, custody, or control resulting from my participation in these Herding Activities.

Media

4. All rights to televise, video tape, audio tape, advertise, photograph, or otherwise promote the Herding Activities are vested in the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America, Inc., or in entities to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing. By participating in the Herding Activities I forever grant to the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America, Inc. the right to televise, video tape, audio tape, advertise, photograph, or otherwise promote the Herding Activities and use my likeness, my dog(s) under my care, custody, or control in my manner whatsoever without further release, consent, or compensation.

Livestock

5. I will pay for any livestock injuries or replacement value in the event or death of any livestock injured or killed by my dog(s), or any dog(s) under my care, custody, or control. I agree to pay the full market value of the injured livestock in case of serious injury, or the veterinarian bill if the injury is not serious.

Attorney's Fees/Choice of Law/Forum Selection

6. The prevailing party shall be entitled to costs and attorney's fees in any or proceeding arising out of this Release and/or in any action or proceeding to enforce a judgment based on a cause of action arising out of this Release. This Release will be governed by, and construed in accordance with, California Law. All causes of action arising directly or indirectly from this

Release shall be filed and prosecuted in the Los Angeles Judicial District.

**AUSTRALIAN CATTLE DOG CLUB OF AMERICA, INC
(A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION)
HERDING INSTINCT CERTIFICATION (HERDING
ACTIVITIES) AGREEMENT AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY (RELEASE)
Continued**

Full and Complete Agreement

7. This Release supersedes all agreements previously made between the parties relating to its subject matter. There are no other understandings or agreements between them.

8. I have carefully read this release and fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a release of liability and contract between myself, The Australian Cattle Dog Club Of America, Inc., and others, and sign it of my own free will.

Executed at _____ on _____, 2021

City and State: _____

RELEASOR

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

CONSENT OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN IF RELEASOR IS UNDER 18

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____

Print Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

**EVENTS CLOSING DATE
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2021**

SOUVENIRS—BUY ONLINE!!



New items and old favorites!

T-shirts, V-necks, hoodies,
chairs, hats, totes, aprons ...
And more!



Order now! Items will be mailed to you or picked up at the Specialty at Patswork Designs' vendor booth.



Some colors and sizes will be also available at Specialty!

For best ordering results, visit the website.

Order at

<https://www.acdca.org/2021-national-specialty/>

or

<https://patsworkdesigns.com/acdca-national-specialty>

VERSATILITY COMPETITION 2021

Enter the Versatility Conformation Class using the ACDCA specialty premium list and compete in designated performance events.

\$1,000 in prize money.



Versatility rules are available in the AKC Specialty Premium and at the ACDCA web site.

Five entries are required for prize money to be awarded.

Dollar prizes include the return of fees as described in the Versatility Rules.

NEW VERSATILITY RULES

Check Specialty Premium List for Current Rules

Remember!!

Participants must bring all score sheets (including Agility) to Dawn Limehouse at the end of each day.

Cell: 352-239-9992. Or check with Deb Mintzer's RV Fifth-Wheel on Grounds

This Year's Event is Dedicated to the
Memory of Long Time Breeders,
Enthusiasts, and Dedicated Club Members
Who are Missed every day.

Enjoy your reunion with all who greet
you upon the Rainbow Bridge.

Monica Shifflet

Rita Favreau



PURINA FARMS RV PARKING AND CAMPING

This year Purina Farms has implemented new policies for RV Parking during the Events. All reservations must be made with Purina Farms directly and paid with a credit card only. The following is the form Purina Farms needs to be filled out completely and follow Purina's instructions for email submission.

Overnight Camping Reservation Request Form Thank you for your interest in reserving an RV space at Purina Farms. • Check-in time is 3p.m. on the arrival date shown on your reservation confirmation • Check-out time is 12p.m. on the departure date shown on your reservation confirmation. Please note that after 12p.m., all RVs that do not have a reservation for the next day will be contacted and requested to please move their RV immediately. At 3p.m., if RVs are still in place exhibitors the opportunity to move-in to their designated spots at the scheduled time. Purina Farms offers 2 different RV lots on property. The Full-Service Purina Event Center RV lot offers water and sewer as well as 30 and 50amp electric*. The Electric only Main Show Field RV lot offers 30 and 50amp electric. See the Purina Farms map featuring the locations of the 2 RV lots on property - <https://www.purina.com/purina-farms-property-map-rv>. Quiet time in the RV area is from 11:00PM to 6:00AM. Any RVs arriving between these hours will be placed in a holding lot until after 6:00AM when they can then move to their designated spots or after 3:00PM depending on the designated arrival date on the reservation. Day camping is available in 3 different designated lots on property. Spaces are limited and are available on a first-come; first-served basis while there is still availability. Day campers must vacate the lots by 11p.m. on the same day of arrival. Day campers do not need a reservation, but they must be represented on a Club guest list, abide by all guidelines and be entered/participating in an event on property.

RVs for the Australian Cattle Dog Club of America may begin arriving no earlier than October 16, 2021 and must depart by October 23, 2021. Please email this request form to rvparking@purina.nestle.com by October 2, 2021. All requests must be RECEIVED by October 2, 2021 in order to be considered. There is a nightly charge of \$40 in the Full-Service Purina Event Center Lot* and \$25 in the Electric Only Main Show Field RV Lot. Reservations need to be paid in full within 2 days of receiving a confirmation email. Full payment by credit card must be received before the space can be confirmed and finalized. Credit cards only.**

PURINA FARMS-RV PARKING continued

**Emailed requests are preferred. If mailing, send the request to "Purina Event Center, ATT: RV engagement specialist, 300 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039" Contact us at rvparking@purina.nestle.com or (866) 979-2488 with any questions about overnight camping in the Purina Farms RV lots.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Cell Phone _____

Event Affiliation _____ ACDCA National Specialty _____

Type of Vehicle (motorhome, travel trailer, fifth wheel) _____

Length of Vehicle/Equipment (unhooked) _____

Rental or Owned _____ If rented, name of the supplier(reservation must be Mon-Fri night/Sat a.m. No Sunday pick ups or drop offs)

Requested date of arrival _____ (can arrive starting at 3p.m. on this

day) Requested date of departure _____ (must vacate by 12p.m. on

this day) # of nights requested _____

Lot requested (please put an X next to your preference below) Full Service Purina Event

Center Lot _____ Electric Only Main Show Field Lot _____ Open to Either _____

Please note anyone traveling with you who is/are essential to the showing or handling of your dogs or considered an event organizer, information needs to be given to the Club Show Chair for the attendee list. Spectators are not allowed.

Overnight Camper Information Thank you for requesting an overnight camping space in one of the Purina Farms designated RV lots. Our RV Engagement Specialist will respond back to your reservation request within 3-5 business days to let you know whether your reservation is confirmed. Reservations are taken on a first-come; first-served basis and are assigned based on length of equipment (rig) and space availability. If confirmed, you will receive an emailed confirmation that must be shown upon arriving at the front security gate at Purina Farms. You will also receive instructions on how to pay for your space. Full payment by credit card must be received before the space can be confirmed and finalized. **Credit cards only**. Check-in time is 3p.m. on the arrival date shown on your reservation confirmation and check out time is 12p.m. on the departure date shown on your reservation confirmation. Any RVs bigger than 50' must reserve a spot in the full-service Purina Event Center lot. Max size of RV on property is 55'. Tow vehicles are not factored into the length of the spaces as they must be unhooked. Spaces are refundable if cancelled more than 3 days out from the arrival date listed on the reservation confirmation. Otherwise, no refunds will be given. Spaces are non-transferable. as of 6-8-21 Please note that RV reservations are only accepted for those entered (or those who have dogs/cats entered) in an event that has contracted space which includes the overnight camping lots. Upon request, participants must be prepared to show proof of event entry upon arrival at Purina Farms.

PURINA FARMS-RV PARKING continued

The Purina Farms RV lots are only open to vehicles specifically designed with overnight sleeping accommodations including motorhomes, fifth wheels and travel trailers. RV rental reservations must terminate Mon-Saturday. Rental providers won't pick up or drop off on Sundays. Rentals may be ONLY be moved by the rental companies. Plan accordingly with the supplier if you have reserved more than one space during your stay. Any false or inaccurate information provided when booking a reservation will result in the reservation being null and void with no refunds given. Contact us at rvparking@purina.nestle.com or (866) 979-2488 with any questions about overnight camping in the Purina Farms RV lots. In case of emergency while on-site at Purina Farms, please call Site Security at 314-982-2222 or 911 and then Site Security depending on the nature of the emergency. For non-emergencies, contact Site Security at 636-221-1428. A blue light call box is located near the South doors of the Purina Event Center if needed. Important Reference Documents Please see overall overnight camping guidelines - <https://www.purina.com/purina-farms-overnightcamping-guidelines> See the Purina Farms map featuring the locations of the 2 RV lots on property - <https://www.purina.com/purina-farms-property-map-rv> See the Full-Service Purina Event Center RV Lot - <https://www.purina.com/sites/g/files/auxxlc196/files/2021-02/Purina-RV.PDF> See the Electric-only Main Show Field RV Lot - <https://www.purina.com/sites/g/files/auxxlc196/files/2017-09/Overflow%20RV%20Lot.pdf>

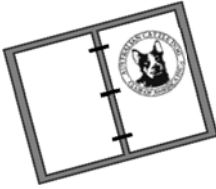
Purina Farms RV Reservation

Emailed requests are preferred.

If mailing, send the request to “Purina Event Center,
ATT: RV engagement specialist, 300 Checkerboard
Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039”

Contact us at rvparking@purina.nestle.com
or (866) 979-2488 with any questions about
overnight camping in the Purina Farms RV lots.

PRE-PAID SPECIALTY CATALOGS



Limited number available! Order in advance!

Catalogs contain paid advertising, interesting ACDCA club information, all show/trial entries, and judge's information.

If you would like your catalog mailed to you, (after show + \$10.00 shipping and handling) or would like to pick it up at the show (prepaid), please fill out and return this form.

This is NOT a marked catalog

Name: _____

Address: _____

...City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

of catalogs to be picked up at show: ___ x \$25.00 = \$ _____

of catalogs to be mailed (after show) ___ x \$35.00 = \$ _____

Total # _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Sign up and Pay Online (preferred): Please follow instructions at <https://www.acdca.org/2021-national-specialty/> to sign-up and pay (online with PayPal or mail check/credit card info) OR

Sign up and Pay by mail: Send this registration form and form on page 27 via email attachment to Deb Mintzer at bdcattlekennel@aol.com or via U.S. mail to Deb Mintzer; 6551 CR 561; Bushnell, FL 33513. Pay by:

- Check (payable to ACDCA; complete page 27; send with registration form)
- Credit card (Complete page 27 including CC info; send with registration form)
- PayPal to treasurer@acdca.org (Complete page 27; indicate "Using PayPal"; in PayPal use "Add a Note" section to describe purchases)

Due September 22, 2021

PARADE OF RESCUE TITLEHOLDERS/ PARADE OF TITLEHOLDERS ENTRY FORM

Rescue Parade: Sunday, October 17—after Welcome BBQ 6pm

No charge for the Rescue Parade

This form required for each dog entered.

Regular Parade of Titleholders \$28.00 per entry

Dog's Name with titles: _____

**PRINT CLEARLY, THIS IS EXACTLY HOW THE NAME AND TITLES
WILL APPEAR ON THE RIBBON!!**

Name of Shelter or Rescue Adopted From (if applicable):

Owner's Name: _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone _____ Email: _____

RESCUE PARADE ONLY: Write a few sentences about your dog to be read aloud during the parade. MUST BE LEGIBLE! A separate sheet is allowed but PLEASE BE BRIEF!

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**Due Date September 15, 2021
in order for the special rosette
to be printed.
NO exceptions!!**

CATALOG ADVERTISING FORM

Deadline: September 15, 2021 for ads

Submit Ads to:

Stephanie Govin-Matzat

3039 N. Bartlett Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53211

[Or email: sgovinmatzat@me.com](mailto:sgovinmatzat@me.com)

(Subject line: ACDCA Specialty)

Phone: (414) 405-2237

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Check One: Ad Size Desired

See next page for ad requirements

All advertising orders are subject to club approval

Full Page-\$45

4 1/4" x 7 1/4"

Half Page-\$30

4 1/4" x 3 5/8"

Quarter Page-\$20

4 1/4" x 1 3/4"

Sign up and Pay Online (preferred): Please follow instructions at <https://www.acdca.org/2020-national-specialty/> to sign-up and pay (online with PayPal or mail check/credit card info) OR

Sign up and Pay by mail: Send this registration form and form on page 27 via email attachment to Deb Mintzer at bdcattlekennel@aol.com or via U.S. mail to Deb Mintzer; 6551 CR 561; Bushnell, FL 33513. Pay by:

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Due September 15, 2021



ATTENTION

Performance Juniors 2021 Specialty Spotlight

This year we will again recognize our Juniors participating at the Specialty in performance and conformation events. What does this mean? In addition to the traditional Junior Showmanship competition, any of our Juniors participating in performance events at this year's Specialty have an additional high point award for each performance event. It is easy to do. Keep all score sheets and provide them for the tally after the event is completed.

A director's chair is awarded for each event category.

- 2021 ACDCA Nationals High Point Junior Herder
- 2021 ACDCA Nationals Winner Junior Showmanship
- 2021 ACDCA Nationals High Point Junior Agility Handler
- 2021 ACDCA Nationals High Point Junior Obedience/Rally Handler

Fill out the form below and return it to Jennifer O'Dell,
jennodell74@gmail.com or via U.S. mail to Jennifer O'Dell

11491 Timber Ln; Brooksville, FL 34601



2021 ACDCA "Howling Good Time"

Name of Junior: _____

Call Name of ACD: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Event(s) Participating:

- Agility Herding Obedience Rally

Important!

Purina Farms is not allowing spectators on site. We will need to maintain a list of members, exhibitors, workers, and support individuals. This information needs to be provided to the Club Show Chair for the attendee list.

Registration Form

We will have name tags/wrist bands at the Registration/Specialty Welcome Table. These tags/bands will have to be on your person during show or trials.

#1 Name _____

Cell Phone _____

#2 Name _____

Cell Phone _____

#3 Name _____

Cell Phone _____

#4 Name _____

Cell Phone _____

#5 Name _____

Cell Phone _____

Mail or Email form to:

Deb Mintzer bdcattlekennel@aol.com

6551 CR 561, Bushnell, FL 33513

PAYMENT SUMMARY FOR MAIL IN FORMS

Only use if you are not signing up on-line

Make checks payable to ACDCA; for credit card/PayPal see below
DEADLINE Wednesday, September 22, 2021 except where noted.

*Advertising (p. 24)\$ _____
Specialty Catalogs (p. 22)\$ _____
**Herding Instinct Testing (p. 14)\$ _____
Welcome BBQ Meal (p. 10)\$ _____
Annual Banquet (p 10)\$ _____
*Regular Parade of Titleholders (p. 23)\$ _____

*Indicates September 15, 2021 deadline.

**Must return Release Form on pgs. 15-16

Grand Total\$ _____

Please indicate if you have Junior(s) coming:

of Jr. _____

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Billing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Check Payment Type (**RETURN THIS FORM EVEN IF USING PayPal**)

PayPal VISA Mastercard American Express Credit Card #:

Expiration Date: _____ Security Code: (CSV #) _____

All information **required** for credit card usage.

Please be sure your card is still active—not expired.

If not using the online registration, send this form and other registrations (except Ads, Trophies, & Property classes) via scanned email attachments or U.S. mail to:

Deb Mintzer; 6551 CR 561; Bushnell, FL 33513 or
bdcattlekennel@aol.com

RESCUE VERSATILITY AWARD REQUIREMENTS & FORM

NO FEE FOR ENTERING!

Eligible dogs must have been adopted either from an animal shelter or a verifiable rescue group. Proof of adoption must be submitted along with your intent to compete form.

Dogs must earn a qualifying/passing score in 3 of the 5 following events at the ACDCA National Specialty. In addition, they must compete in one herding event.

Sheep Herding Cattle Herding Obedience Agility Rally

Dogs may compete in as many additional events as the owner wishes with versatility points being calculated (excluding conformation) in the same manner as the ACD VersatILITY Award (see National Specialty Premium or specialty website).

Owners are responsible for checking in with show secretary, Rita Favreau, to make sure scores are posted correctly.

Intent to Compete Form

Registration/ILP #: _____

Registered Name: _____

Call Name: _____

Adopted From: _____

(must submit proof of adoption)

Adoption Date: _____

Owner Name: _____

Owner Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone/Cell #: _____ E-mail: _____

If we need to contact you during the specialty, what will be the best way to do so? Email **OR** Cell

Mail or email form to Deb Mintzer;

6551 CR 561, Bushnell, FL 33513 or bdcattlekennel@aol.com

Due Wednesday, September 22, 2021

Howling Good Time!

CHIC DNA Repository Blood Sample Draw

**This year the ACDCA is offering free sample
submission for DNA Repository**

**Submission for CHIC DNA Repository and for
Research purposes**

**Sunday, October 17, 2021 (2pm-4pm)
Location TBA**

Collections by Dr Randall Hitesman & Tom McCarthy

**Please pre-register to insure that we have enough collection
samples, health survey's and labels on hand. Permanent
identification will be verified.**

Name_____

Address_____

City, State, Zip_____

Cell Phone_____

#1 Dog's Name_____

#2 Dog's Name_____

#3 Dog's Name_____

#4 Dog's Name_____

Mail or Email form to:

Deb Mintzer bdcattlekennel@aol.com

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