

**PREMIUM LIST**  
**AKC All-Breed**  
**Fast Coursing Ability Test**



**Mattaponi Kennel Club**  
*AKC Member Club*  
**October 13 - 14, 2018**

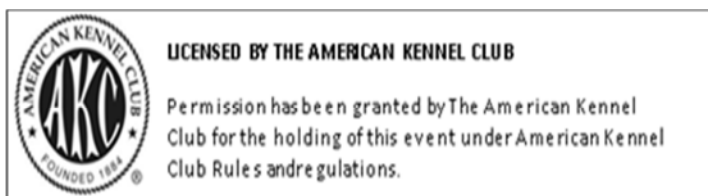
Saturday, October 13, 2018  
AM Event #2018093413  
PM Event #2018093414

Sunday, October 14, 2018  
AM Event #2018093415  
PM Event #2018093416

**EACH TEST LIMITED TO 80 ENTRIES**  
**DAY OF TRIAL ENTRIES ACCEPTED AS SPACE**  
**ALLOWS**

Entries close at 6:00PM, October 6, 2018  
at the Trial Secretary's home or when entries  
are full.

**Prince William County Fairgrounds**  
**10624 Dumfries Rd.**  
**Manassas, VA 20112**



**Mattaponi Kennel Club**

**Officers**

PRESIDENT .....Kristy Smedley  
VICE-PRESIDENT .....Betsy Thompson  
TREASURER .....Katie Knepley  
SECRETARY.....Wendy Minke

**Board of Directors**

Duane Mohr, Kim Wieland, Becky Grant, Jean Kessler

**Trial Chair**

Debra Stafford, 6192 Deer Path Ct.,  
Manassas, VA 20112  
703-801-2010 [stafford@erols.com](mailto:stafford@erols.com)

**Trial Secretary**

Ching-Yao Yu, P.O. Box 305,  
Damascus, MD 20872  
240-668-4080 [ching@cyu.com](mailto:ching@cyu.com)

**Field Committee**

Members of Mattaponi Kennel Club

**Lure Operator**

Ching-Yao Yu

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. At roll call, all dogs will be measured by a wicket to verify handicaps. Bitches in season, lame and unfit dogs will be excused with entry refunded. Please do not bring bitches in season to the test.

### Entry Fee

**\$20.00 per entry per dog per test  
(Includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee)**

Day of Test entries are **\$25.00** for each entry, and will close 30 minutes prior to roll call at the Field Trial Secretary's table. Day of Test entries accepted as space allows. A stand-by list will be created and these dogs will be allowed to run if time permits. Entries will be acknowledged by email if legible email address is provided in entry form. Entries must be received by October 6, 2018.

**Mail entries payable to MKC to:**

Ching-Yao Yu, FTS  
PO Box 305, Damascus, MD 20872

### Conditions of Entry

Dogs must have an AKC registration number and be at least one year of age on the day of the trial. Dogs may only run once per test. One dog per entry form per test. All entries must be accompanied with a check to be valid. A returned check is not a valid entry. There will be a \$35 fee for a returned check. Entries received by phone, text, or email will not be accepted. Incomplete entries or forms without signature will not be accepted.

Fast CAT events are open to all dogs at least 12 months of age that are individually registered with the AKC, recorded in the Foundation Stock Service (FSS) program, individually registered with a foreign or domestic registry organization whose pedigrees are acceptable for AKC registration, dogs granted a Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) number, dogs with AKC Limited or Conditional Registration, or dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners program. Dogs with breed disqualifications and monorchid/cryptorchid dogs are eligible to participate.

At roll call, all dogs will be examined for disqualifications. Bitches known to be in season are not to be brought to the test. At inspection, bitches in season, lame and unfit dogs will be excused with entry refunded.

### Hours

Grounds will be available by 8:00 AM. Roll call and exhibitor briefing begins no later than 8:30AM. MKC will do its best to accommodate exhibitors with conflicts in other venues, if any. However, exhibitors must notify the Field Trial Secretary of possible conflicts and must work their dog into the running order during the regular test schedule. It is also the responsibility of each entrant to make an effort to be ready when their dog is called to the line.

### Trial Hours

9:00AM until all runs are completed.

### Roll Call

Morning Roll Call - 8:30AM  
Afternoon Roll Call – 30 Minutes After Conclusion of Morning Trial

### Prizes

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

MKC 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 any titles, to ensure that the club will have rosettes available.

### What is the Fast CAT?

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

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

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

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

**MPH X HANDICAP = POINTS**

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

BCAT = 150 points

DCAT = 500 points

FCAT = 1,000 points

FCAT# = Each additional 500 points

### Top 20 by Breed by Year

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

### Trial Site Directions

**From the South - I 95 from Richmond.** Exit onto Rt. 234 North toward Manassas. Follow Rt. 234 approximately 10-12 miles Right at light to Rt. 234 Business/Dumfries Rd. Prince William County Fairgrounds is on the left directly after the Armory. Turn left after the large Fairgrounds Sign.

**From the West & East** - If traveling on Rt. 66, Exit 44 - (Rt. 234 South Manassas). THIS IS THE EXIT BETWEEN Rt. 29 (Gainesville) AND RT. 234 BUSINESS. Follow the signs to Fairgrounds Complex. Follow Rt. 234 South for several miles. Turn left at the light to Rt. 234 Business/Dumfries Rd. Prince William County Fairgrounds is on the left directly after the Manassas Armory. Turn left after the large Fairgrounds Sign.

**From the East** - If traveling on I 95/495 from the Woodrow Wilson Bridge. Take I 95 South/Richmond. Follow I 95 for approximately 10 miles to Exit 158B Prince William Pkwy. (Rt. 3000 toward Manassas.) Follow the Pkwy for about 12 miles. (Note in 5 miles the Pkwy. veers to the left.) When you get to the light at the intersection of Prince William Pkwy., Liberia, and Wellington, turn left (still on Pkwy.) Continue on the Prince William Pkwy until you arrive at the light - for Rt. 234. Turn right onto Rt. 234 North, right at next light

onto Rt. 234 Business/Dumfries Rd. Prince William County Fairgrounds is on the left directly after the Manassas Armory. Turn left after the large Fairgrounds Sign.

**From the North** - If traveling on Rt. 15 from Leesburg. Follow Rt. 15 South to Rt. 66 East to Exit 44 (Rt. 234 South). Follow signs to Fairgrounds Complex. Follow Rt. 234 South for several miles. Turn left onto Rt. 234 Business/Dumfries Rd. Prince William County Fairgrounds is on the left directly after the Manassas Armory. Turn left after the large Fairgrounds Sign.

### Veterinarian On Call

#### **Veterinarian On Call & 24 Hour Fido Emergency Clinic**

Prince William Emergency Veterinary Clinic  
8610 Centreville Rd., Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 361-8287

*"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."*

### Motel Information

The following hotels have accepted guests with dogs in the past. Please help create a good impression by leaving your room in good condition.

Best Western Battlefield Inn, 10820 Balls Ford Rd., Manassas  
(703) 361-8000

Candlewood Suites, 11220 Balls Ford Rd., Manassas,(703)  
530-0550

Quality Inn,( Potomac Mills), 1109 Horner Rd., Woodbridge  
(703) 494-0300

Residence Inn, 7345 Williamson Blvd., Manassas,  
(703) 330-8808

Red Roof Inn, 10610 Automotive Dr., Manassas,  
(703) 335-9333

La Quinta Inn & Suites, 6950 Nova Way, Manassas,  
(703) 393-9966

**NOTE: Some motels may charge a pet fee or have limits on size.**

*Please contact individual motels, to verify the information provided above and to be informed about each motel's amenities.*

**No RV parking or overnight camping**

## Notice To All Exhibitors

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



## MKC Trial Information

- Dogs should be warmed up before and cooled down after running.
- **ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNER'S SOLE RISK**
- All entries must be 12 months of age or older on the day of the test.
- All AKC rules regarding sportsmanship and conduct apply.

- This is a rain-or-shine outdoor event. Please plan accordingly. Please bring your own shade, chairs and water.
- An electronic timing system will be used. An electric, continuous loop, plastic strip lure machine will be used.
- The show grounds are not completely fenced. The FAST CAT course will be fenced.
- On site porta potties are available.
- Dogs must be exercised on leash
- Dogs must be on lead or crated unless running.
- **A \$5 fine will be assessed for any loose dog on the field not competing, or an exhibitor caught not picking up after their dog.**
- You are responsible for controlling your dog(s) and children.
- **No dogs or people allowed in any areas not designated as the show site.**
- Each dog requires an individual entry form for each event in which it is entered.
- Bitches in season and lame dogs will be excused. **Entry fees will be refunded.**
- The Huntmaster is responsible for field safety and therefore he/she is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. In service to this responsibility, he/she has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve the dog on the course.
- Persons exhibiting conduct detrimental to the AKC/MKC/any dog(s)/other person(s) will be asked to leave the trial site by the Field Committee, maybe disciplined by the AKC, and **entry fees will not be refunded.**
- **No entry fees will be refunded** if the event cannot be started or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, extreme and/or dangerous weather conditions, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the Club.
- The event-hosting club, Mattaponi Kennel Club, its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc., assume no liability or responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children or spectators before, during, or after this event.

