Hill Country Agility Club Shelby Fitch - Trial Secretary 235 State Hwy 46 W, Boerne, TX 78006 210 273 8083

#### **EMERGENCY INFORMATION:**

Mission Vet Specialty & Emergency 8202 TX 1604 Loop San Antonio, TX 78249 210 737 7373

Town & Country Veterinary Hospital 10350 Bandera Rd San Antonio, TX 78250 210 796 1027

## Directions to trial site:

Top Dog Training Center – 18612 Bandera Rd, Helotes, TX 78023

FROM THE WEST: Loop 1604 East, exit Bandera Rd., Hwy 16. Turn left onto Bandera Rd. Go 7 miles. Turn right into driveway, and enter into the left gate. Go approximately 1 mile, turn left and go over the bridge, follow the road up to Top Dog Training Center.

Contact us at **Top Dog Training Center** Facebook Page or info@topdogtrainingcenter.org for any additional questions.

## **Premium List**

Pre-entries close 6 PM Friday, March 8, 2024 at the home of the Test Secretary.

# **Hill Country Agility Club**

March 16-17, 2024

AKC ALL BREED FAST CAT

**Fast CAT Premium List** 

Open to all AKC Registered and Mixed Breeds (via AKC Canine Partners)

AKC FAST CAT Saturday Event #
AKC FASTY CAT Sunday Event #

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Top Dog Training Center

18612 Bandera Rd., Helotes TX, 78254



135 YEARS

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club forthe holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

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## **HCAC Officers**

President......Margo Harding

Vice President ...... Rene Fitch

Secretary...... Cindy Murray

Treasurer ...... Connie Hinton

Board Members: Mechelle Kwader, Shannon Grimes, Shelby Fitch

### **ENTRY FEE**

\$25.00 for each entry (per dog / per test)

Day-of test entries \$30.00 (per dog / per test). Dayof test entries time will be announced 3/11/24

Make checks payable to:

**Top Dog Training Center** 

Mail entries with fees to:

Shelby Fitch, Test Secretary 235 State Hwy 46 W, Boerne, TX 78006 Cell: 210 273 8083 rfitchecs@yahoo.com

Electronic entries may be emailed to the trial secretary with payment made through Venmo(a secure and free service owned by Pay Pay) to:Rene Fitch, Top Dog Training Center. Entries are not valid unless accompanied by payment. You will not get a confirmation unless payment is made.

Pictures of entry forms are not acceptable, it must be a saved document attached to an email to be a valid entry.

Entries will be acknowledged by email IF legible e-mail address is provided after fees are received.

#### Field committee

Chairman: Jerald Keif, 235 State Hwy 46 W, Boerne, Tx 78006

Test Secretary: Shelby Fitch, 235 State Hwy 46 W, Boerne, Tx 78006

210 273 8083 rfitchecs@yahoo.com

Inspection: Susan Kenkle, Shannon Grimes, Rene Fitch, CindyMurray

Lure Operators: Jerald Keif

#### FAST CAT TESTS ROLL CALL

Roll call is the time when participants are expected to check-in by. check-in is followed by inspection for fitness, lameness or "in season" females

TEST HOURS ..... 8:00 am Central Time until completed.

ROLL CALL....15 minutes before your assigned running time block.

You are expected to have complete info for your dog. Incomplete entries WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

#### **Fast CAT**

The Fast CAT is a timed straight race of 100 yards where a dog chases a lure in a course enclosed with fencing. Dogs are run singularly and earn points based on their handicapped speed. There are no placements. Titles are issued at designated benchmarks. The dog's time to complete the 100 yard dash is converted into MPH. Dogs earn points based on their handicapped speed. 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 the dog's handicap

Titles are earned by accumulating points. The following titles will be awarded:

BCAT = 150 points

DCAT = 500 points

FCAT = 1,000 points

FCAT# = every 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. To appear in the standings you must complete three qualifying runs. Your posted speed from that point on will be the average of your top 3 runs.

**Pick up after yourselves.** We will provide trash cans.

## ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNERS SOLE RISK

- All entries must be 12 months of age or older on the day of the test.
- Each dog requires an entry form.
- Entries will not be accepted without fees, signatures, or the "Agreement" found on the Official AKC Entry Form.
- Bitches in season and lame dogs will be excused.
- AKC registered dogs with breed disqualifications may be entered.
- 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 not be refunded.

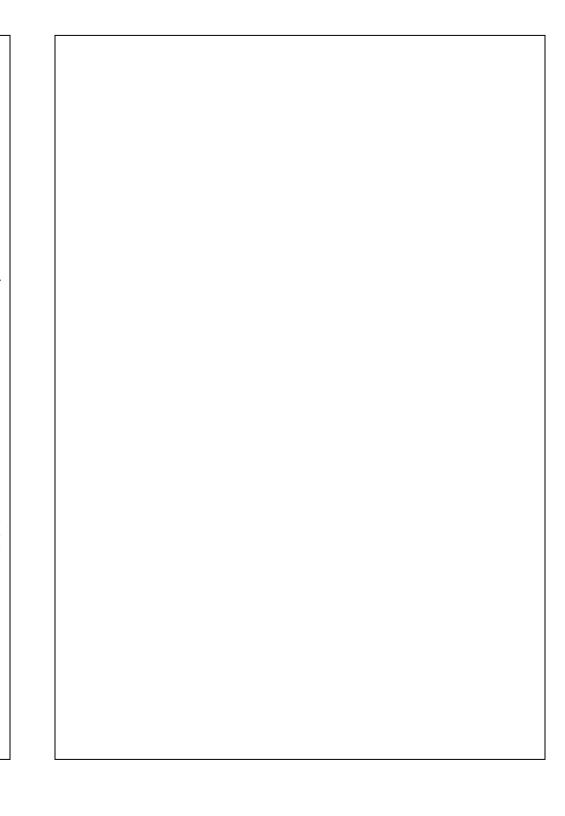
## • A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any loose dog on the field that is not competing in the course in progress.

- Battery powered, continuous loop equipment will be used. Lures consist of white plastic. Electronic timing system will be used with manual timing as a backup.
- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are fee of parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
- The handler may NOT run down the course to entice the dog to run or use toys/treats to get the dog to run. They CAN call their dog from the catch area.
- 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 a testing dog.
- Persons exhibit conduct detrimental to the AKC/JTDFA/any dog(s)/other person(s) will be asked to leave the trial site.

## Bring your own shade

- 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 or its members and representatives.
- The event-hosting 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.

To learn more about AKC's Fast CAT, visit AKC Fast CAT webpage.



## **TIPS FOR HANDLERS**

- The course is fenced and located at Top Dog Training Center.
   However, 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.
- 2. Handlers should wear comfortable shoes and be physically able to hold and release their dogs, as well as catch them.
- 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.
- 4. Handler should have someone familiar with the dog at the end of the course to retrieve the dog or have someone else release their dog at the start line. The handler is expected to promptly secure the dog and leave the field with the dog on leash.
- 5. Lure coursing is a physically demanding sport so make sure your dog is in good shape. If you are not sure, make an appointment with a veterinarian to get an opinion.
- 6. Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for about 10 minutes afterwards.
- 7. Any person, upon reasonable complaint, may be asked to leave the grounds of the test by the Field Committee and may be disciplined by the AKC. Children must be under control of their parents or guardian(s) at all times.

Neither Top Dog Training Center, The Hill Country Agility Club, nor its members, will be responsible for any accidents at this trial.

## **HOTELS & MOTELS THAT WILL ACCEPT DOGS**

NOTE: Ask for pet policies when making reservations Most hotels/motels listed require a pet fee

Candlewood Suites San Antonio NW – 9502 Amelia Pass, SA Tx 78254 210 523 7666

Comfort Inn Fiesta At Six Flags – 6755 N Loop 1604, SA, Tx 78249 210 696 4766

Double Tree by Hilton San Antonio NW – 6809 N Loop 1604W, SA Tx 782 210 690 0300

La Quinta Inn & Suites By Wyndham SA NW – 11155 W Loop 1604N 78254 210 695 8000

Motel 6 SA TX – Sea World North – 11425 W Loop 1604N, SA Tx 78254 210 695 6616

Staybridge Suites NW Near Six Flags – 6919 N Loop 1604W, SA Tx 78249 210 691 3443

#### NOTICE:

These hotels all declare themselves pet friendly. Do your part to ensure the facilities and grounds are left in good condition.

Fast CAT is open to all dogs 12 months of age or older that are individually registered/listed with the AKC registration as purebreds, Foundation Stock Service (FSS) dogs, Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) dogs and AKC Canine Partner.

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## OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM

CLUB	Date:		Event: Sat #1					
Hill Country Agility Club	March 16-172024:		Sat #2 Sun #1					
Location:			Sun #2 Event Type:					
Size/Type Dog: Under 12"	Over 12" less than 1	8"	FAST CAT  Over 18"					
	Breed:	<u> </u>	I enclose entry fees in the amount of \$					
Breeder:			Sex:	Date of birth:				
AKC No: AKC Canine Partner								
PAL/ILP No	Fo	reign # (	list Country) _					
Full Name of Dog								
Sire								
Dame	Dame							
Actual Owner(s)								
Owner's Address								
City, State, Zip								
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Trial								
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidel	ines are available on the A		ennel Club website	:: www.akc.org				
I certify that I am the actual owner of the dabove. In consideration of the acceptance in effect at the time of this event, and any and any decision made in accord with then which the club shall deem sufficient. In cor opportunity to have the dog judged and to members, directors, governors, officers, ag any provider of services that are necessary AKC approved judge, judging at this event, or indirectly to any person or thing by the and I (we) personally assume all responsibly parties harmless from any claim or loss, inj agree to indemnify, defend and save the al reason of the liability imposed by law upor any time resulting therefrom, sustained by arising out of or in consequence of my (our caused, and whether or not the same may aforementioned parties or any of their em; CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT O. AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLES CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND E APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARI BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PRORULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIE.  Signature of owner or his	og, or that I am the duly a of this entry, I (we) agree the diditional rules and regula. I. I (we) agree that the clu sideration of the acceptar win prizes, ribbons, or troents, superintendents or to hold this event and any harmless from any claim fct of this dog while in or a litry and liability for any surry or damage to this dog orementioned parties har any of the aforementione any person or persons, in in participation in this ever have been caused or may olloyees, agents, or any other of RELATED TO THE ENTITY OF THIS AGREEMEN SITRATION ASSOCIATION.	authorized to abide by attions appe b holding to the property of the property	the rules and regu- caring in the premii his event has the ri- entry and of the ho e) agree to hold th- etary and the owne so or volunteers of njury which may be event premises or g nd I (we) further ag illy, I (we) hereby a: n any and all loss ar or damage becaus- self (ourselves), or r such, injuries, de- to have been caus- self (ourselves), or r Such, injuries, de- to have been caus- to have been caus- to have been caus- self (ourselves), or r Such, injuries, de- to have been caus- self (ourselves), or r Such, injuries, de- rouse, injuries, de- injuries, de- i	llations of The American Kennel Club um list of this event and entry form light to refuse this entry for cause liding of this event and of the e AKC, the event-giving club, their r and/or lessor of the premises and the aforementioned parties, and any e alleged to have been caused directly grounds or near any entrance thereto, gree to hold the aforementioned issume the sole responsibility for and and expense (including legal fees) by e of bodily injuries , including death at on account of damage to property , ath or property damage may be ed by the negligence of the AT ANY CASUE OF ACTION, ANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE YSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE ITRATION PURSUANT TO THE RATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS,				
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Location:			Event Type: FAST CAT			
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Breeder:			Sex:	Date of birth:		
AKC No:	AKC	Canin	e Partner			
PAL/ILP No	Forei	ign # (	list Country) _			
Full Name of Dog						
Sire						
Dame						
Actual Owner(s)						
Owner's Address						
City, State, Zip						
Name of Owner's Agent/Hand	ler (if any) at Trial					
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guid	delines are available on the Amo		ennel Club website	e: www.akc.org		
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 or 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 conse						
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## Official American Kennel Club Lure Coursing Entry Form

Club: Hill Country Agility Club	Saturday,3/16/24T	Saturday,3/16/24Trial1			Amount of Entry:					
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<b>Location:</b> Top Dog Training Center 18612 Bandera Rd.,	Sunday, 3/17/24 Ti	ial 1		Fee Enclosed: \$						
Helotes, TX 78023	Sunday, 3/17/24 Trial									
FASTCAT	Breed:		Date of E	Birth:	Sex:					
Height	2									
Breeder:		Call Nam	e:							
AKC PAL/ILP	Foreign 8	List Country								
Number:										
Name of Jr. Handler (if any)				Jr Handler #:						
Full Name of Dog:										
Sire:	Dam:									
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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										
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Signature of owner or agent										
Duly authorized to make this entry:	т									
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