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ENTRIES CLOSE AT SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE 12:00 NOON, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 2024, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

Premium List

91st National Specialty Show, Veteran Sweepstakes
Obedience Trials & Rally Trial **ALL EVENTS JUDGED ON ARTIFICIAL TURF**
(Unbenched) ~ INDOOR JUDGING



Poodle Club of America, Inc.

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**TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, APRIL 23 - 26, 2024
PURINA FARMS, PURINA EVENT CENTER
300 CHECKERBOARD LOOP, GRAY SUMMIT, MO 63039**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 2024
OBEDIENCE and RALLY TRIALS HOURS: 7:00 A.M. - 9:00 P.M.
POODLES ONLY
PARADE OF RESCUE DOGS,
PARADE OF AKC COMPANION & PERFORMANCE TITLEHOLDERS
SEMINAR ON STRUCTURE, MOVEMENT, AND PEDIGREE ANALYSIS: 2:00 - 5:00 P.M.**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24 - FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2024
SPECIALTY SHOW HOURS: 7:00 A.M. - 9:00 P.M.
A CLASS OF EITHER SEX COULD BE
MOVED TO EITHER DAY IF A JUDGE DRAWS AN OVERLOAD**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 2024
4 & UNDER 6 MONTHS PUPPY COMPETITION
REGULAR DOG CLASSES
JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES
PARADE OF AKC BREED CHAMPION POODLES**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 2024
REGULAR BITCH CLASSES, VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES
ANNUAL DINNER & MEETING**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2024
VETERANS & HUNT CLASS, BEST OF VARIETY, INTERVARIETY
and STUD DOG, BROOD BITCH & BRACE CLASSES**

AKC NATIONAL OWNER-HANDLED SERIES

**2024 PCA NATIONAL HUNT TESTS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2024 ~ TRAINING DAY
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2024 ~ SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2024 ~ TESTS
(Pending AKC Approval)**

**LOCATION: MT. ARARAT FARM, PORT DEPOSIT, MD
To volunteer to help, please contact Helene Huffer, helene@hmdesign.net
or Lin Gelbmann, gelbm002@umn.edu**

For information on these events, see their separate premium lists.

**BUILDING HOURS: 6:00 A.M. TO 11:00 P.M. TUESDAY THROUGH THURSDAY
FRIDAY 6:00 A.M. UNTIL 1 HOUR AFTER SHOW ENDS**

“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.”

This is a Condensed Premium List as authorized by the American Kennel Club, “Rules Applying to Dog Shows,” Chapter 6, Section 2A. A complete list of trophies and prizes is available upon request to the Superintendent (MB-F, Inc., P.O. Box 22107, Greensboro, North Carolina 27420). All trophy donors will be listed in the catalog.

The full policy and list of Table and Ramp eligible/required breeds is available on the AKC website at: https://images.akc.org/pdf/judges/table_breeds.pdf

Judges may request the ramp to judge any breed in emergency situations; if granted, unless the use of a ramp has been indicated in the premium list, an exhibitor has the option of withdrawing their entry and receiving a refund. Junior Showmanship judges should follow the above.



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ONE OR MORE OF THE ABOVE SUPERINTENDENTS WILL SUPERINTEND THIS SHOW

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Accommodations

PLEASE REMEMBER: Hotels are an extension of the show site and all AKC and PCA rules are enforced at all locations. AKC has ruled that clubs do not have to accept entries from irresponsible exhibitors. Exhibitors will be held responsible for any damage to their hotel rooms. Dogs must be crated and not left unattended. Please check pet fee policy when making reservations. The Poodle Club of America, Inc. is not responsible for the quality of these hotels; this listing is provided for exhibitors' convenience only.

The Holiday Inn, St. Louis West at Six Flags, 4901 Six Flags Rd., Eureka, MO 63025 (636) 938-6661
The Wildwood Hotel, 2801 Fountain Pl., Wildwood, MO 63040 (636) 733-9100
Pinemark Inn, 866 S. Outer Rd., St. Clair, MO 63077 (636) 629-1000

WHEREVER YOU STAY, PLEASE BE A CONSIDERATE HOTEL GUEST

By following a few simple rules, you can make sure hotels hang out their "Poodles Welcome!" signs in years to come. Don't bathe a dog in a hotel room. Do crate your dog. Exercise your dog only in designated areas. Pick up after your dog.

Don't disturb others with noise - especially barking! - in hallways or guest rooms.

CAMPGROUNDS THAT WILL ACCEPT DOGS

Pin Oak Creek RV Park, 1302 Hwy. AT, Villa Ridge, MO (4 miles South of Purina)..... (406) 962-1501
KOA Campground, 18475 Old US-Hwy. 66, Eureka, MO (10 miles East of Purina)..... (636) 257-3018

2024 PCA RV PARKING REQUEST ~ SEE PCA BOOKLET PAGE 12

Route to the National Specialty Show

300 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039

Purina Farms is located just 10 minutes west of Six Flags outside of St. Louis on I-44. Take the Gray Summit Exit and go North two blocks on Hwy. 100, turn left on County Rd. MM & proceed less than one mile to Purina Farms (entrance is on the left).

Tentative Schedule of Events

ALL EVENTS JUDGED ON ARTIFICIAL TURF OR OUTDOORS

Monday, April 22 **National Specialty Agility Trial**, The Great Hall, Purina Farms, Purina Event Center
7:00 A.M. **Grooming Competition, Gateway Hall**, 10:00 A.M. - 12:45 P.M.
Followed by **Grooming Awards Presentation**, 1:30 P.M.

Tuesday, April 23 **2024 Fund Raiser Auction Winners Entrance to building at 6:30 A.M.** All other
Conformation exhibitors will be admitted in setup number order shortly after the auction
winners have entered, ten at a time.
Followed by **National Specialty Obedience & National Specialty Rally Trials**, The Great Hall,
Purina Farms, Purina Event Center
PCA Foundation Seminar, Founder's Room, Registration 8:00 A.M., Seminar 8:30
A.M. to 11:30 A.M.
OFA/CERF Eye Clinic, 12:00 Noon to 5:00 P.M., \$50.00 Exam Room, Service Center
(by RV Campsites) Pre-register at twcarneal@gmail.com, Tom Carneal.
Parade of Rescue Dogs at the Lunch Break, The Great Hall, by Invitation only call
Cindy Crawley (410) 963-0070, E-mail: clcrawley@starpower.net
**Following the Lunch Break the CONTINUATION OF OBEDIENCE & RALLY
JUDGING**
PCA Judges' Seminar, Founder's Room, 12:30 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.
Parade of AKC Companion & Performance Title Holders, The Great Hall
**Seminar with Dr. Carmen Battaglia on Structure, Movement, and Pedigree
Analysis**, 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. in Founder's Room. Contact Cathy Catelain, E-mail:
catlin012001@yahoo.com, (847) 875-3527 to pre-register.
PCA Welcome Party, MAIN HALLWAY, 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Wednesday, April 24 **PCA National Specialty Show**, The Great Hall, Purina Farms, Purina Event Center
7:00 A.M. **Purchase/pick up reserved seating, luncheon and dinner tickets**, The Great Hall
Followed by **4 & Under 6 Months Puppy Competition**
Junior Showmanship Competition
Regular Dog Classes
American Kennel Club Outstanding Sportsmanship Award
Welcome Cake for International Visitors, Main Hallway, EVERYONE INVITED
Chuck a Duck Contest to Benefit "Take the Lead"
Fund Raising Auction
Parade of AKC Breed Champions
PCA Affiliate Club Council Meeting, Pro Plan Hospitality Room
Purina Hospitality Party, Founder's Room, 5:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M.

Thursday, April 25 **PCA National Specialty Show**, The Great Hall, Purina Farms, Purina Event Center
7:00 A.M. **Purchase/pick up reserved seating, luncheon and dinner tickets**, The Great Hall
Followed by **Regular Bitch Classes**
Veteran Sweepstakes
Social Hour, Founder's Room Hallway - Blue Ribbon Ticket Required - 5:00 P.M.
Blue Ribbon Dinner, Founder's Room, with pre-purchased ticket 6:00 P.M., - followed
by **The Poodle Club of America, Inc. Annual Meeting**

Friday, April 26 **PCA National Specialty Show**, The Great Hall, Purina Farms, Purina Event Center
7:00 A.M. **Purchase/pick up reserved seating and luncheon tickets**, The Great Hall
Followed by **Veteran & Hunt Class**
Best of Variety (Standard, Miniature and Toy) & Best Owner-Handled
Stud Dog, Brood Bitch & Brace Classes
Intervariety Competition

FOR DETAILS ABOUT JUDGES' EDUCATION
Contact Nancy Hafner
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PCA is pleased to welcome Purina as Official Sponsor

of the Poodle Club of America, Inc. National Specialty Show, Tests and Trials. Purina supports PCA, breeders, exhibitors and Poodles in so many ways! We hope you'll take the chance to say, "Thanks, Purina!" when you stop by Purina's Hospitality Party at the PURINA EVENT CENTER, Founder's Room 5:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M., Wednesday. Purina will provide breakfast sandwiches at the Purina Event Center 6:30 A.M. to 7:30 A.M., Wednesday - Friday.



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PCA is pleased to welcome ARTERO USA INC. AS Official Sponsor
of the Poodle Club of America, Inc., National Specialty Show, tests, trials and contests.



2024 PCA

WELCOME PARTY

Tuesday, April 23, 2024

6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Purina Farms, Purina Event Center

"Main Hallway"

Open To One and All



Officers of the Poodle Club of America, Inc.

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Committees

Obedience Hospitality.....Susie Osburn
Parades of AKC Champions & AKC Companion & Performance Titleholders Denise Agre-Gill
1655 County Rd., 258, Fulton, MO 65251 E-mail: deagra@me.com
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PCA Rescue Cynthia Crawley
Reserved Seating.....Susan Burge
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Washington Veterinary Clinic
(24 hour Emergency Care)
John Stoltz, DVM
5585 Hwy. 100, Washington, MO 63090
(636) 239-5445

Fox Creek Veterinary Hospital
18962 Hwy. 100, Wildwood, MO 63069
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Veterinary Specialty Services, Manchester, MO

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www.jeffreyhanlin.com

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Show Dog Video Pros
Irvin B. Krukenkamp, MD
2639 Pocolomas Ct.
Las Cruces, NM 88011
(207) 200-3837
website: showdogvideopros.com

(Only the Official Photographer may take win pictures.)

First - Aid

Meramec Ambulance District
(636) 257-3048

Hospital

Mercy Hospital Washington
901 E. Fifth St., Washington, MO 63090
(636) 239-8000

An Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is on the grounds of these events. Location of the AED is on the first floor of the Purina Event Center next to the elevator and the Purina Visitor's Center.

For names of other key volunteers, please see the premium lists for the other National Specialty events.

We regret that space does not allow us to identify by name each of the more than 200 volunteers that make the PCA National Specialty Show, Trials and Tests possible. PCA thanks every one of its many volunteers for contributing to these events and to Poodles.

CONFORMATION ~ JUDGES

- Mr. Timothy Brazier**..... 130 W. Racquet Club Rd., Villa 405, Palm Springs, CA 92262
TOY POODLES - REGULAR, NON-REGULAR CLASSES
& BEST OF VARIETY OWNER-HANDLED
- Mrs. Inge Semenschin**.....29 Sandpoint Dr., Richmond, CA 94804
MINIATURE POODLES - REGULAR, NON-REGULAR CLASSES
& BEST OF VARIETY OWNER-HANDLED
- Mr. Michael Pawasarat**..... 281 Mount Eden Rd., Kirkwood, PA 17536
STANDARD POODLES - REGULAR, NON-REGULAR CLASSES
& BEST OF VARIETY OWNER-HANDLED
- Mr. Dana L. Plonkey**..... 12150 Vail Rd. S.E., Yelm, WA 98597
INTERVARIETY COMPETITION & BEST OF BREED COMPETITION
- Mr. Edmund Dziuk**..... 1906 Rollins Rd., Columbia, MO 65203
JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION
- Mrs. Helen G. Tomb-Taylor** 2434 Ripplewood Dr., Conroe, TX 77384
VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES
- Mrs. Debra Ferguson Jones** P.O. Box 146, Renton, WA 98057
4 & UNDER 6 MONTHS PUPPY COMPETITION

OBEDIENCE #1 ~ JUDGES

- Mr. Darwin Boles**..... 18 Mountain Ash Dr., RR #3, Kemptville, ON, CN K0G 1J0
NOVICE A, NOVICE B, OPEN A, PREFERRED NOVICE, BEGINNER NOVICE A,
BEGINNER NOVICE B & GRADUATE NOVICE
- Ms. Lisa Day** 18 Mountain Ash Dr., RR #3, Kemptville, ON, CN K0G 1J0
OPEN B, UTILITY A, UTILITY B, PREFERRED OPEN, PREFERRED UTILITY,
GRADUATE OPEN & VERSATILITY

NON-REGULAR CLASSES TO BE ASSIGNED VETERAN, BRACE, TEAM 1 & TEAM II

OBEDIENCE #2 ~ JUDGES

- Ms. Lisa Day** 18 Mountain Ash Dr., RR #3, Kemptville, ON, CN K0G 1J0
NOVICE A, NOVICE B, PREFERRED NOVICE, BEGINNER NOVICE A & BEGINNER NOVICE B
- Mr. Darwin Boles**..... 18 Mountain Ash Dr., RR #3, Kemptville, ON, CN K0G 1J0
OPEN A, OPEN B, UTILITY A, UTILITY B, PREFERRED OPEN & PREFERRED UTILITY

RALLY ~ JUDGE

- Dr. Sandy Gould**.....501 Terry Dr., Joliet, IL 60435
ALL RALLY CLASSES

AGILITY ~ JUDGE

- Ms. Mary Mullen**..... 8417 Holly Ct., Evansville, IN 47710
NOVICE A, NOVICE B, OPEN, EXCELLENT, MASTER & T2B

AKC Sanctioned 4 & Under 6 Months Puppy Competition Wednesday ~ Entry Fee: \$25.00 per puppy

This is a recorded event by the AKC for the Certificate of Merit and Puppy of Achievement certificates.

Section 1 - Classifications

The Four-to-Six Month Puppy competition shall be for dogs that are four months of age and over, but under six months on the first day of the event.

Section 2 - Entry and Eligibility

For additional information on entry and eligibility requirement, please see the Sanctioned Four-to-Six Month (Beginner Puppy) Competition Regulations available on the AKC website at:

http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/Sanctioned_Regulations_4-6_Month_POA.pdf

RIBBON COLORS

Best of Breed / Variety Orange

Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed / Variety Lavender

JUDGE ~ Mrs. Debra Ferguson Jones

Entries will be taken through our Superintendent, MB-F, Inc.

**NO PUPPIES UNDER THE AGE OF SIX (6) MONTHS, EXCEPT THOSE PARTICIPATING
IN THE 4-6 MONTH PUPPY COMPETITION, MAY BE ON THE GROUNDS.**

AKC National Owner-Handled Series (Remember to check the box near the bottom of the entry form)

The AKC National Owner-Handled Series is a non-titling competition for dogs that are exhibited by their owners that are not professional handlers.

Exhibitors must declare their dog is Owner-Handled eligible at the time of entry on the entry form.

Dogs entered in the Amateur-Owner-Handler class will automatically be marked as eligible to compete in the NOHS.

Eligible dogs will be identified by an asterisk in the judge's book, steward's book and the catalog. Dogs must be handled throughout the breed level competition for the regular show by an eligible owner.

Professional handlers*, household members and current assistants** to professional handlers may not exhibit the dog in any NOHS competition during the entire show. For a detailed description of the National Owner-Handled Series, please visit the AKC website NOHS pages at:

<https://www.akc.org/sports/conformation/national-owner-handled-series/>

**Professional handlers are defined as any person who belongs or has belonged to a professional handlers' organization, distributed rate cards, or otherwise advertised or represented themselves as handling dogs for pay within the last five years.*

***A current assistant is defined as anyone employed by a professional handler on a full-time basis or assisting a professional handler at the show or any time during the cluster/weekend. Current assistants that are eligible to compete in Junior Showmanship (meet age & amateur status requirements) may participate in NOHS.*

RIBBON COLOR

Best of Variety Maroon

Best of Variety Owner-Handled Judges:

Toy Poodles: Mr. Timothy Brazier

Miniature Poodles: Mrs. Inge Semenschin

Standard Poodles: Mr. Michael Pawasarat



Parade of Rescue Dogs By Invitation Only Tuesday



Please contact Cindy Crawley

(410) 963-0079 E-mail: clcrawley@starpower.net

RIBBON COLORS

All clubs or associations holding dog shows under the rules of The American Kennel Club, except sanctioned matches, shall use the following colors for their prize ribbons or rosettes, in the regular classes of The American Kennel Club and the regular group classes:

Breed Classes

First Prize Blue
 Second Prize Red
 Third Prize Yellow
 Fourth Prize White
 Winners Purple
 Reserve Winners Purple & White
 Best of Winners Blue & White
 Best of Breed Purple & Gold
 Best of Variety Gold & Purple
 Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Breed Red & White
 Best of Opposite Sex to Best of Variety White & Red
 Select Light Blue & White

Obedience & Rally Classes

First Prize Blue
 Second Prize Red
 Third Prize Yellow
 Fourth Prize White

Highest Scoring Dog in Regular Classes Blue & Gold
 Highest Combined Score in
 Open B & Utility Blue & Green
 Highest Combined Score in
 Advanced B & Excellent B Blue & Green
 Highest Combined Triple Qualifying Score in Advanced B,
 Excellent B & Master Blue & Red

Non-Regular Classes

First Prize Rose
 Second Prize Brown
 Third Prize Light Green
 Fourth Prize Gray
 Reserve Best Junior Handler Rose & Gray
 Best Junior Handler Rose & Green

Refer to PRIZES for other prizes that may be offered for the categories above.

CLASSIFICATION

The class numbers in *italic type* are for an exhibitor computer entry-inquiry system. These numbers SHOULD NOT be used on the entry form.

Regular Classes for Poodles

<i>57000</i> . Toy	<i>63800</i> . Miniature	<i>64100</i> . Standard
<i>00300</i> . Puppy Dogs, <i>10900</i> . 6 & under 9 months	<i>00450</i> . Amateur-Owner-Handler Dogs	
<i>00300</i> . Puppy Dogs, <i>11000</i> . 9 & under 12 months	<i>00500</i> . Bred by Exhibitor Dogs	
<i>00300</i> . Dogs, <i>11100</i> . 12 & under 18 months	<i>00600</i> . American-Bred Dogs	
<i>00400</i> . Novice Dogs	<i>00700</i> . Open Dogs	
Winners Dog (Same Classes for Bitches)		

For specific class eligibility please visit the Rules Applying to Dog Shows, Chapter 3:
<http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RREGS3.pdf>

RESERVE WINNERS DOG/BITCH

CHAPTER 16: SECTION 1

Each AKC Breed Parent Specialty Club shall have one designated Parent Club National Specialty show per year. All others shall be termed a Parent Club Specialty show.
 Unless the Parent Club, in its Application to the AKC to hold its National Specialty, chooses to exclude the following award: At the National Specialty the dog designated Reserve Winners Dog and the bitch designated Reserve Winners Bitch will be awarded a three-point major, provided that the number of dogs competing in the regular classes of the Reserve Winner's sex totals at least twice the number required for a five point major, in the region in which the event is held.
 No major for Reserve Winners shall be given based upon an award of Best of Winners. In counting the number of eligible dogs in competition, a dog that is disqualified, or that is dismissed, excused or ordered from the ring by the judge, or from which all awards are withheld, shall not be included.

Non-Regular Classes Involving Single Dog Entries
NR1.08100.15000. Veteran Classes - For AKC Champion Dogs and Champion Bitches only, 7 years & over.
NR1.08200. Hunting Classes - FOR MINIATURE & STANDARD POODLES - Class for dogs and class for bitches that have earned an AKC Junior, Senior or Master Hunting Title. Hunting Classes will be judged after Veteran Classes and before Best of Variety. Hunting Class winners will be eligible to compete for Best of Variety if otherwise undefeated at this event. Dogs and bitches entered in this class must meet the requirements of the breed standard including traditional trims: Puppy (if under a year of age), English Saddle or Continental. Hip pompons are optional in the Continental trim. The mane coat may be shortened and the topknot scissored. No entry will be allowed to compete if not in correct trim.

00900. BEST OF BREED COMPETITION 01000. BEST OF VARIETY COMPETITION

NR2.09802. Parade of AKC Breed Champions - COAT CLIPS MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BREED STANDARD (SEE "CLIP" PARAGRAPH ON NEXT PAGE). Hunting Entrants may be in short Hunting Trim. Any AKC Conformation Champion is eligible for the Parade of AKC Breed Champions. **The entry blank must have "Parade of AKC Breed Champions" on it and mailed with entry fee to MB-F, Inc.** Each entrant in the Parade will receive a Rosette with the dog's name imprinted. Dogs entered in the Parade may NOT be entered in any REGULAR OR NON-REGULAR BREED CLASSES at this show. **THIS DOES NOT APPLY TO ANY OTHER AKC TITLES.**

Parade Resume: By April 1, 2024, send up to a 50-word resume (typed) to: Denise Agre-Gill, 1655 County Rd. 258, Fulton, MO 65251 or deagra@me.com. Please indicate "Conformation Parade" & Variety of your dog when submitting your resume.

NR2.19502. Parade of AKC Companion & Performance Titleholders - COAT CLIPS MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BREED STANDARD (SEE "CLIP" PARAGRAPH BELOW). Dogs with an AKC Hunting Title may be exhibited in short hunting trim. Any Poodle with an AKC Obedience, Tracking, Agility, Hunting or Rally Title is eligible for this Parade. **The entry blank must have "Companion & Performance Parade" on it and MAILED with entry fee to MB-F, Inc.** Each entrant in the Parade will receive a Rosette with the dog's name imprinted. **Parade Resume:** By April 1, 2024, send up to a 50-word resume (typed) to: Denise Agre-Gill, 1655 County Rd. 258, Fulton, MO 65251 or deagra@me.com. Please indicate which "Companion & Performance Parade" & Variety when submitting your resume.

RESUMES FOR PARADES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AT THE SHOW GROUNDS.

Non-Regular Classes Involving Multiple Dog Entries

NR2.09100. Stud Dog Class - For Stud Dogs and two of their Get. Stud Dogs must be entered in the Stud Dog Class and must be shown in the ring with their Get. Get MUST be entered in a Regular Class, another Non-Regular Class or for Best of Variety Competition. Stud Dogs may not be shown in the Conformation Parade. Owner of the Stud Dog need not be the owner of the Get. Get only to be judged, based on the merits of the Get. While the merits of the Stud Dog are not to be considered in the placement of the entry, the Stud Dog must be examined to determine if it has a condition that would require its disqualification or excusal under the Dog Show Rules, AKC policy, or the Standard for its breed. Stud Dogs need not be in show trim.

NR2.09200. Brood Bitch Class - Same as Stud Dog Class except substitute Brood Bitch for Stud Dog and Produce for Get. Brood Bitches may not be shown in the Conformation Parade.

As the judge's decision in the Stud Dog and Brood Bitch Classes will be based on the merits of more than one dog or bitch, no one of the dogs or bitches judged first in the class will be eligible for Best of Variety by virtue of having won these classes.

NR2.09300. Brace Class - Two Dogs of the same variety and must have at least one common owner and presented by a maximum of two handlers. - The dogs comprising a Brace MUST be named at time of entry. If a dog which is to be part of a Brace is not entered in any of the Regular Classes or for Best of Variety Competition, it must be entered for "Brace Class Only." In making entries for "Brace Class Only," full particulars must be given for each dog on individual regular entry forms. An entry form for a dog entered in a Regular Class or for Best of Variety Competition and entered as a part of a Brace MUST be marked accordingly in the space provided for Additional Classes - "Brace Class." If more than one Brace is entered by the same owner, the dogs comprising each Brace must be so designated, "Brace No. 1," "Brace No. 2," etc.

NR2.09400. Team Class - Four Dogs of the same variety and must have at least one common owner and presented by a maximum of four handlers. - The dogs comprising a Team MUST be named at time of entry. If a dog which is to be part of a Team is not entered in any of the Regular Classes or for Best of Variety Competition, it must be entered for "Team Class Only." In making entries for "Team Class Only," full particulars must be given for each dog on individual regular entry forms. An entry form for a dog entered in a Regular Class or for Best of Variety Competition and entered as a part of a Team MUST be marked accordingly in the space provided for Additional Classes - "Team Class." If more than one Team is entered by the same owner, the dogs comprising each Team must be so designated, "Team No. 1," "Team No. 2," etc.

"Clip" - A Poodle under 12 months may be shown in the "Puppy" clip. In all regular classes, Poodles 12 months or over must be shown in the "English Saddle" or "Continental" clip. In the Stud Dog and Brood Bitch classes and in a non-competitive Parades of Champions, Poodles may be shown in the "Sporting" clip. A Poodle shown in any other type of clip shall be disqualified.

57000.

00100. VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES

Judge: Mrs. Helen G. Tomb-Taylor

Veteran Sweepstakes entry fee is \$35.00. AKC Breed Champions seven years or older only. May be spayed or neutered. Entry in a Regular Class is NOT required. Veteran Sweepstakes Classes will be judged on **Thursday** following regular breed judging.

Classification - Each Variety

76000- Veteran Sweepstakes Dogs, 24000- 7 years & under 9 years

76000- Veteran Sweepstakes Dogs, 36900- 9 years & under 11 years

76000- Veteran Sweepstakes Dogs, 37200- 11 years & over

(Same Classes for Bitches)

Clip for Veteran Sweepstakes ONLY

Any Clip **WITH THE EXCEPTION OF DESIGNER OR GROOMING CONTEST CLIPS.** Face and Feet shaved. Ears may be tasseled, feathered or shaved. Tail may have pompon or short blanket of hair. **NO FANCY ADORNMENTS** (e.g., collars, bows, bandanas). No clip that would let the Poodle resemble any other breed.

Prize Money

After 35% has been deducted by the club for expenses, the remainder will be divided as follows:

20%in each age group divided among First Place Winners in Each Variety
20%divided among Best in Veteran Sweepstakes in Each Variety
25%to Best in Veteran Sweepstakes

80000. JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP COMPETITION

*Junior Handlers who win a third Novice Class with competition present or a first place in Novice without competition leading to a Best Junior award with competition would count as one win towards moving to Open, after the closing of entries for a show, **ARE REQUIRED TO TRANSFER** their entry from the Novice Class to the Open Class. **MUST NOTIFY** the Superintendent/Show Secretary prior to the judging of the class at the show.*

AKC Junior Handler Numbers are now required for entry in Junior Showmanship Competition. Numbers may be obtained from the American Kennel Club - PHONE: (919) 233-9767.

For additional information contact American Kennel Club, Junior Showmanship, P.O. Box 900051, Raleigh, NC 27675-9051. Phone (919) 233-9767 or E-mail: juniors@akc.org.

Entry blank MUST be filled out with the necessary information, otherwise the entry in Junior Showmanship will not be accepted.

NOVICE JUNIOR CLASS: For Boys and Girls who are at least 9 years and under 12 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have not won three First Places, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

NOVICE INTERMEDIATE CLASS: For Boys and Girls who are at least 12 years and under 15 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have not won three First Places, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

NOVICE SENIOR CLASS: For Boys and Girls who are at least 15 years and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have not won three First Places, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

OPEN JUNIOR CLASS: For Boys and Girls who are at least 9 years and under 12 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have won three First Places, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

OPEN INTERMEDIATE CLASS: For Boys and Girls who are at least 12 years and under 15 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have won three First Places, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

OPEN SENIOR CLASS: For Boys and Girls who are at least 15 years and under 18 years old on the day of the show and who, at the time entries close, have won three First Places, with competition present, in a Novice Class at a licensed or member show.

MASTER CLASS: This class will be for Boys and Girls who are at least 9 years and under 18 years on the day of the show, and who have 10 Best Junior wins with competition. The calendar for this class will be consistent with the eligibility dates for the AKC National Championship. All Juniors meeting the criteria for this class are required to enter the Master Class and must change their entry the day of the show if entries have already closed. Once the eligibility time frame for that year has passed all participants return to the Open Class to compete for the following year.

NOTICE

JUNIORS WITH A DOG ALSO ENTERED IN ANOTHER CLASS OFFERED AT THIS SHOW WHO SUBSTITUTE A DOG NOT ENTERED IN THIS SHOW MUST REMIT THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP ONLY AND JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP AS AN ADDITIONAL CLASS ENTRY FEE. JUNIORS WHO HAVE ENTERED JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP ONLY WHO THEN SUBSTITUTE ANOTHER DOG WILL NOT BE CHARGED A FURTHER FEE.

90000. OBEDIENCE TRIAL CLASSES

Transfers will be allowed ~ Jump Heights starting at 36" and will be in Descending Order

Qualifying Score Required for All Prizes except Non-Regular Classes

"Dog" means either sex ~ Refund for bitches in season. The club will retain a \$10.00 processing fee.

PLEASE NOTE: Refund of entry fees for bitches entered in Obedience that come in season after closing date of this trial may be obtained by providing a veterinarian's certificate to the show superintendent/event secretary. This certificate must be given to the show superintendent/event secretary no later than 30 minutes before the start of the trial.

A Dark Green Qualifying Score Ribbon will be awarded to each dog receiving a qualifying score.

CLASSIFICATION

Regular Classes

05100. Novice Class A 05500. Novice Class B 05900. Open Class A 06300. Open Class B
06800. Utility Class A 07100. Utility Class B

Optional Titrting Classes

07180. Beginner Novice A Class 07185. Beginner Novice B Class
07190. Graduate Novice Class 07195. Graduate Open Class 07200. Versatility Class

Alternative Titrting Classes

07147. Preferred Novice Class 07155. Preferred Open Class 07165. Preferred Utility Class

Non-Regular Classes (Offered Only For Trial #1)

07400. Brace Class 07700. Veterans Class 07800. Team Class

93600. RALLY TRIAL CLASSES

Ring Size will be a minimum of 40' x 50'
Jump Heights starting at 16" and will be in Descending Order
Transfers will be allowed

Qualifying Score Required for All Prizes

"Dog" means either sex ~ Refund for bitches in season. The club will retain a \$10.00 processing fee.

PLEASE NOTE: Refund of entry fees for bitches entered in Rally that come in season after closing date of this trial may be obtained by providing a veterinarian's certificate to the show superintendent/event secretary. This certificate must be given to the show superintendent/event secretary no later than 30 minutes before the start of the trial.

A Dark Green Qualifying Score Ribbon will be awarded to each dog receiving a qualifying score.

CLASSIFICATION

Regular Classes

47000. Rally Novice Class A 47100. Rally Novice Class B 49590. Rally Intermediate Class
49600. Rally Advanced Class A 49700. Rally Advanced Class B
49800. Rally Excellent Class A 49900. Rally Excellent Class B
49910. Rally Master Class 49920. Rally Choice Class

Non-Regular Classes

54200. Rally Pairs Novice Class 56740. Rally Team Novice Class

Attention Owners/Exhibitors of Foreign Registered Dogs



If you are the owner/exhibitor of a dog registered with a foreign registry (not yet dual registered with AKC) please review the eligibility requirements in The Rules Applying to Dog Shows, chapter 11 section 1. The dog show rules are posted on the AKC Web site at: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RREGS3.pdf> Most important to note are the following:

1. Dogs must be individually registered with the American Kennel Club by the day of the event to be eligible for exhibit in the Bred by Exhibitor class.
2. Dogs are eligible to compete in AKC events using the foreign registration for a period of 30 days. That 30-day period begins with the date of first exhibit, *regardless of whether the dog earned any points or awards*. To continue to compete in AKC events beyond the initial 30-day period the dog must be either individually AKC registered or by the date of the event have been granted an extension to exhibit using the foreign registration. The owner or agent can request an extension using the form found on the AKC Web site at: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/extenap.pdf>

If you have questions or need assistance with registration or obtaining an extension, please contact the AKC Special Services Department at: awards@akc.org or (919) 233-9767 (followed by selecting option 4).

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.

The Club and its 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.

GENERAL INFORMATION & SHOW RULES

An AKC Recording Fee of \$.50 first entry only and an AKC Event Service Fee of \$3.00 for first entry and \$3.50 for each additional entry will be required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Show, Obedience Trial or Tracking Test. An AKC Recording Fee of \$3.50 will be required for each first entry and \$3.50 for each additional entry in any Licensed or Member Club Rally Trial. An AKC Event Service Fee of \$2.00 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Open Show. All Recording and Event Service Fees are paid to the American Kennel Club. (There is no Recording Fee or Event Service Fee for Junior Showmanship, Sweepstakes, Futurities, Brace/Team, Multi-Dog Classes or Special Attractions.) Closing date for Specialty Show, Obedience Trial and Rally Trial entries is 12:00 NOON (EDT), WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 2024, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or changed, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

Mail Specialty Show, Obedience Trial & Rally Trial entries with fees to: MB-F, Inc., Superintendent, P.O. Box 22107, Greensboro, North Carolina 27420. **Entries received without fees will not be accepted.** Acknowledgement of entries will be made as soon as practicable with tickets and/or identification cards. The person accompanying a dog must show tickets of admission and identification before the dog will be received. **Should such acknowledgement not be received by the exhibitor** within a reasonable time, please verify your entry with the MB-F Office in North Carolina.

Street address for hand delivery: 620 Industrial Ave., Greensboro, NC 27406 or 32351 Edward Ave., Madison Heights, MI 48071.

Make all checks and money orders payable to MB-F, Inc. **Make all Canadian/Foreign checks and money orders payable in U.S. Funds.** When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check. Please mail checks or money orders with entries. Superintendent assumes no responsibility for cash sent through the mail. Tabulate carefully. Due to cost of processing, no refunds \$4.00 and under will be made.

To be acceptable an entry must be submitted with required fee on an Official American Kennel Club entry form. Entries submitted in the form of telegrams or by telephone (Except Dial-N-Entry®) cannot be accepted.

Fax Entries, 1-336-272-0864 or 1-800-SHO-FAXS. Both sides of entry form must be transmitted. Entries must be accompanied by a cover sheet stating the number of pages, what shows and how many dogs per show. Visa/Mastercard/Discover/American Express number and expiration date, as well as the printed cardholder's name and address must be included on cover sheet and EACH entry form. Fax entries must be received by the closing hour/date. Fax fee: \$4.95 per entry in addition to entry fee. All credit card entries, regardless of method submitted, are processed through the Fax program and are charged the \$4.95 administrative fee. This Fax Fee is subject to change without notice.

There will be NO space for unentered dogs.

Dogs may arrive any time prior to scheduled time of judging. Consult Judging Program for time of judging. **Judges are not required to wait for dogs.** They will adhere as closely as possible to the Judging Schedule. The owner or handler of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when its class is judged. The Show-giving Club and the Superintendent have no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

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 action of the Event Committee. If because of riots, wars, strikes, civil disturbances, national emergencies, health emergencies, and the dictates of law enforcement or of the owner(s) 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 snow storms, hurricanes, lightning, extreme heat, heavy rains, or other circumstances including, but not limited to, the condition of the facilities 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 of entry fee will be made. To find out about any AKC event cancellations call the AKC Event Cancellation Hotline (877) 252-3229.

An Administrative Fee of \$5.00 will be withheld from all refunds for entries cancelled prior to the closing of entries.

Post Dated Checks, Returned Checks and Declined Credit Cards do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Superintendent will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check or declined card. Subsequent returned checks or declined cards from the same exhibitors may result in their being put on a **CASH ONLY** basis.

CHARGEBACKS on Credit Cards are considered a violation of your agreement to pay the required entry fee for entry into a show and the AKC Compliance Dept. will be notified for their disciplinary action. Also, if this remains a bad debt, the club may decline future entries for their shows and the superintendent will decline future entries for ANY show submitted via any method of payment until the debt is paid (Chap. 11, Sec. 15, AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows). Thereafter, the superintendent will refuse all future credit card entries from the exhibitor. All future entries must be paid for in cash or by money order or check.

No Refund for Duplicate Entries. Every effort to find all duplicate entries will be made; however, if entry has been processed, no refund will be made. **An Administrative Fee of \$5.00 will be charged or withheld from refunds for duplicate entries.**

All dogs present must be held on leash except when being judged or in the exercising ring.

NO PRACTICING IN RINGS.

Class cash prizes will be paid to the person showing the dog. Claims for prize money must be made in the ring before the judging is concluded and the Superintendent's Office advised at once. The Superintendents and Show-giving Club disclaim any liability for cash prizes after the judging of the event is over.

Declination of Entries - The Poodle Club of America, Inc. may decline any entries for cause and may refuse to receive or may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness or any other cause and no one shall have any claim or recourse against the Poodle Club of America, Inc. or any official thereof.

As specified in Chapter 12, Section 4 of the AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows, information contained on the entry form is required to be published in the club's show catalog. This information is also subject to publication in other media.

ANY INFRACTION OF HOTEL RULES WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE EXPULSION FROM THE HOTEL.

OBEDIENCE AND RALLY EXHIBITORS may enter the Purina Event Center starting at **6:00 A.M. Wednesday.**

EXERCISE PENS are allowed **only** outdoors in designated area and outside exercise pen mats may be required.

The number of pens per exhibitor will be limited. Please bring adequate cover for pens. **No exercise pens are permitted in the building.** Limited public exercise pens are available Wednesday - Saturday. **Exercising off-lead is allowed only in the Purina Event Center Exercise Areas by the Service Center.**

OBSTRUCTION OF DESIGNATED FIRE CORRIDORS AND/OR FIRE EXITS IS PROHIBITED. DOGS MAY NOT BE CRATED OR GROOMED IN ANY AREAS ADJACENT TO FOOD PREPARATION OR FOOD SERVICE FACILITIES. EXHIBITORS MUST OBSERVE ALL "NO CRATING ALLOWED" NOTICES.

SOFT, MESH CRATES are allowed **only** in the designated Companion & Performance Crating area. **ALL OTHER CRATES MUST BE STACKED.**

GROOMING TABLES larger than 24" x 36" are not allowed in the Purina Event Center.

ALL EXHIBITORS SHALL USE CRATING AND GROOMING SETUP SPACE FOR ITS INTENDED PURPOSES OF CRATING & GROOMING ONLY. PCA reserves the right to assist exhibitors in organizing their crating and/or grooming setup efficiently and to require nonessential items to be removed from the Purina Event Center.

CRATES OF DOGS LEFT OVERNIGHT IN THE EVENT CENTER MUST display a crate tag indicating a local telephone number where the owner/handler can be reached in case of emergency.

A DOG-BATHING FACILITY IS AVAILABLE AT THE PURINA EVENT CENTER.

EXCESSIVE GROOMING, SCISSORING AND SPRAYING are not allowed in the ring. Exhibitors' assistants are permitted in the ring **only** to handle an entered dog.

NO MATTING, BABY STROLLERS, PLAYPENS, GLASS CONTAINERS or ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES are allowed in the Purina Event Center. Only food and beverages purchased on the premises are permitted in the Purina Event Center; all others may be confiscated by Purina Event Center management. **The Purina Event Center is a smoke-free facility.**

RESERVED SEATING IS AVAILABLE. All other seating is available on a first-come basis each day and may not be reserved. No private chairs are allowed; adequate seating is provided.

THESE EVENTS WILL BE COMMERCIALY VIDEOTAPED AND MAY BE BROADCAST OVER THE INTERNET. Entering the show, trials or the show grounds constitutes your consent to the use of your image and/or your dog's image in the videotape and/or on the Internet via Webcam and/or streaming video. In addition, **by entering these events, all participants and spectators agree** that all rights to advertise, promote, publicize, televise or otherwise exploit the show & trials are vested in the Poodle Club of America, Inc. and its assigns, including the use of the names, likenesses, voices or biographical matter of all dogs, handlers and kennels participating in these events. **The Poodle Club of America, Inc.** prohibits the use of video recording devices or photographic equipment at these events for commercial purposes without prior written consent of Event Chairperson.

Gasoline or diesel generators are not permitted inside any building or within 100 feet of any tent in which these events are conducted.

THE POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. is not responsible for the actions or products of the commercial vendors at these events. **No private vending is allowed.**

LIMITED HANDICAPPED PARKING (with display of a valid state permit) is available. These spaces have easy access to the Purina Event Center.

THE POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. will have a raffle each day, Monday-Friday.

Entry Fees ~ Each Event

(There is no Recording Fee or Event Service Fee for Junior Showmanship, Sweepstakes, Futurities, Brace/Team, Multi-Dog Classes or Special Attractions)

Conformation

(Entry Fee Includes \$.50 AKC Recording Fee First Entry Only, \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee

First Entry & \$3.50 AKC Event Service Fee for Each Additional Entry)

First Entry of a Dog Unless Otherwise Specified	\$50.00
Each Additional Entry of the Same Dog Unless Otherwise Specified	\$35.00
Stud Dog & Brood Bitch Class as a First Entry	\$40.00
Stud Dog & Brood Bitch Class as an Additional Entry	\$27.00
Brace Class Per Unit (\$20.00 per dog) as a First Entry	\$40.00
Brace Class Per Unit (\$13.50 per dog) as an Additional Entry	\$27.00
Team Class Per Unit (\$10.00 per dog) as a First Entry	\$40.00
Team Class Per Unit (\$6.75 per dog) as an Additional Entry	\$27.00
Junior Showmanship Only or as an Additional Class	NO FEE
Veteran Sweepstakes	\$35.00
Parade of AKC Breed Champions	\$30.00
Parade of AKC Companion & Performance Titleholders	\$30.00

Obedience

(Entry Fee Includes \$.50 AKC Recording Fee First Entry Only, \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee

First Entry & \$3.50 AKC Event Service Fee for Each Additional Entry)

First Entry of a Dog Unless Otherwise Specified	\$50.00
Each Additional Entry of the Same Dog Unless Otherwise Specified	\$35.00
Non-Regular Obedience Classes as a First or as an Additional Entry	\$20.00
Brace & Team Class as a Unit	\$20.00

(Brace \$10.00 Per Dog; Team \$5.00 Per Dog)

Rally

(Entry Fee Includes \$3.50 AKC Recording Fee First Entry

& \$3.50 AKC Recording Fee Each Additional Entry)

First Entry of a Dog Unless Otherwise Specified	\$50.00
Each Additional Entry of the Same Dog Unless Otherwise Specified	\$35.00
Pairs & Team Class as a Unit (Pairs \$10.00 per dog; Team \$5.00 per dog)	\$20.00

4 & Under 6 Months Puppy Competition

(Entry Fee Includes \$2.00 AKC Event Service Fee Per Entry)

4 & Under 6 Months Puppy Competition	\$25.00
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POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA NATIONAL SPECIALTY OFFERS COMPLIMENTARY ENTRIES FOR JUNIORS IN ALL DISCIPLINES

Post Dated Checks, Returned Checks and Declined Credit Cards do not constitute a valid entry fee. See also "Notice to Exhibitors" page.

CHARGEBACKS on Credit Cards are considered a violation of your agreement to pay the required entry fee. If a chargeback occurs, the AKC Compliance Dept. will be notified for any further disciplinary action. See also "Notice to Exhibitors" page.

NOTE:

MB-F accepts entries for AKC events in accordance with the latest Agreement, entry form instructions and Rules Applying to Dog Shows (rules) of the American Kennel Club. From time to time these are subject to change. In the event of a discrepancy in these entry form instructions, Agreement and rules versus the text within the entry form you sign and submit, the AKC Agreement, entry form instructions and rules in effect at the time these entries close will take precedence.



PCA Raffle

“Poodles Roll Out The Red Carpet”



Spread the News to Poodle People around the World that the best raffle ever will be at PCA 2024. Start putting together your Club's “Red Carpet Ready” Raffle Baskets. The affiliate club basket with the most tickets win \$100.00! Anyone may donate a basket or an item to raffle. The individual basket with the most tickets also wins \$100.00.

Items may be mailed to **Raffle Chair, Debby DuBay** at 97 Old Ponsett Rd., Haddam, CT 06438. The deadline to mail items is April 1, 2024. Items may also be dropped off at the Raffle Booth, located in the vendor area from 4:00 - 6:00 P.M. on Sunday, April 21, 2024 and any time during the week.

The PCA Raffle is a fundraiser for PCA and every penny goes to us! The Raffle is so much fun & successful because of all of you! Thank you in advance for your Red Carpet Baskets & Items.



E-mail: ddlimoges@gmail.com

or call

Debby at (781) 254-3707



PCA 2024 Junior Education Program ***PCA Anne Rogers Clark - Junior Stipend***

A \$500.00 stipend is available by the PCA Junior Education Program (monies offered by PCA and generous contributors) to be applied to travel costs for a deserving Junior that has successfully gained an invitation to, and competes in the Junior Showmanship Competition, or any discipline of the sport that is offered at the following shows:

(APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE DEADLINES SHOWN BELOW)

Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show.... *April 1st

AKC National Championship Dog Show.... *November 1st

Poodle Club of America, Inc. National.... *March 1st

Please submit your PCA-ARC Stipend application via E-mail to:

Judy Cooksey via adamscooksey@gmail.com

Application & additional information can be found at: www.poodleclubofamerica.org or contact Judy Cooksey via adamscooksey@gmail.com

POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA NATIONAL SPECIALTY OFFERS COMPLIMENTARY ENTRIES FOR JUNIORS IN ALL DISCIPLINES

Junior Education Annual 50/50 Raffle & Silent Auction Benefitting Junior Education Fund

Tickets available at the Junior Education Booth during the show.

Drawing will be held Friday

following the Standard Variety, you need not be present to win.

PCA 2024 Junior Education Program

Monday

Juniors wishing to assist with Agility please check in on arrival
with Susanne Nash: E-mail: susien@prodigy.net

(Agility premium available at www.poodleclubofamerica.org)

Booth Setup noon start, junior volunteers welcome.

Tuesday

Juniors wishing to assist/Steward with Obedience and Rally

Please contact: Jan Hopper: E-mail: janbhopper@live.com

Please check in at least 45 mins. prior to the start of judging.

Junior Volunteers for PCA Basket Raffle meet with Debby DuBay at the PCA Basket Table.

Wednesday

Juniors Showmanship Competition

Juniors Educational Luncheon in PCA Hospitality Room

Guest Speaker Edmund Dziuk

Hands On Education

Mission Statement: Foster and reward youth participation, teach ethics in animal care, handling, and training practices, encourage young people to become actively involved in the sport, instill good sportsmanship, generate pride in accomplishments earned.

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Purina Farms, Purina Event Center, 300 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039
5907 POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. (OBED #1) - TUES., APRIL 23, 2024 - 2024070206
1182 POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. (OBED #2) - TUES., APRIL 23, 2024 - 2024070208
1406 POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. (RALLY) - TUES., APRIL 23, 2024 - 2024070207
139 POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. (BREED) - WED. - FRI., APRIL 24 - 26, 2024 - 2024070205
5207 POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. (4 - 6 MOS PUPPY) - WED., APRIL 24, 2024 - 2024070204

ENTRY FEES EACH EVENT: SEE PAGE 16.

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Make Checks or Money Orders Payable To: MB-F, Inc. Canadian/Foreign Exhibitors must make fees payable in U.S. Funds. When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check.

CONFORMATION PARADE AKC COMPANION & PERFORMANCE PARADE

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BREED 5 Poodle VARIETY 1 SEX

DOG 2,3 SHOW CLASS CLASS 3 DIVISION Weight, color, etc.

ADDITIONAL CLASSES OBEDIENCE CLASS (Jump Height) RALLY CLASS (Jump Height) JR. SHOWMANSHIP CLASS

NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (If any) JR. HANDLER NUMBER

FULL NAME OF DOG

AKC NO. PAL/ILP NO. FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY DATE OF BIRTH PLACE OF BIRTH (list country) Do not print the above in catalog.

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNER(S) 4 (Please Print)

OWNER'S ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (IF ANY) AT THE SHOW

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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his/her agent duly authorized to make this entry

TELEPHONE #

E-MAIL Address : (An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address)

Are you a new exhibitor? Yes No Owner/Handled Eligible? Yes No

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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 persons. **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 ITS 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.**

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OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Purina Farms, Purina Event Center, 300 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039
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1406 POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. (RALLY) - TUES., APRIL 23, 2024 - 2024070207
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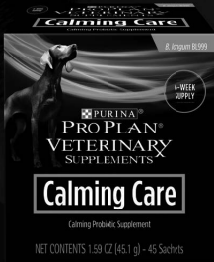
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 or changes in routine and location

*Data was collected by Relevation Research via an online survey from August 15-19, 2018. A total of 826 nationally-representative dog owners qualified and completed the survey. Qualified participants were men and women age 18 and older, owned one or more adult dogs, were household members most responsible for taking the dog(s) to a veterinarian, and had taken the dog(s) to a veterinarian in the past 12 months.

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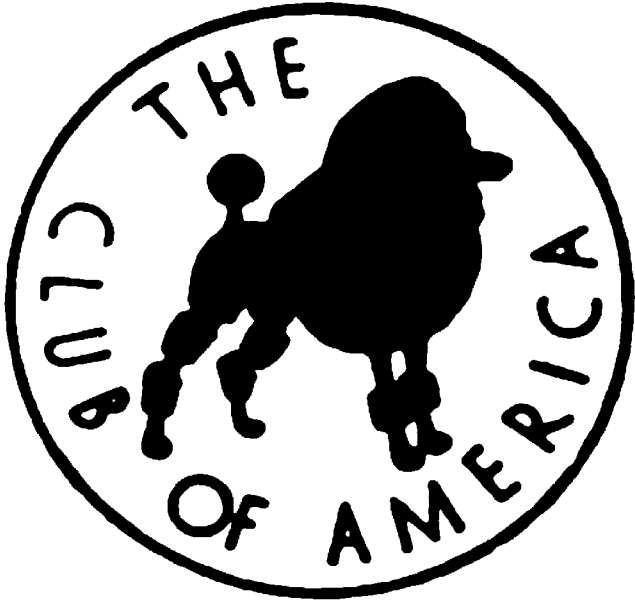
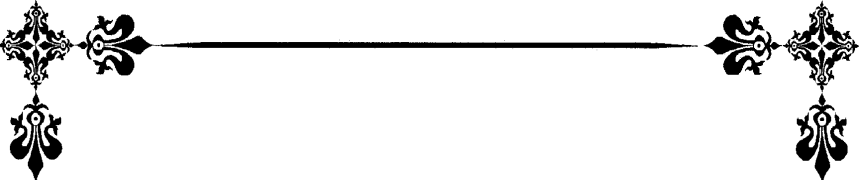
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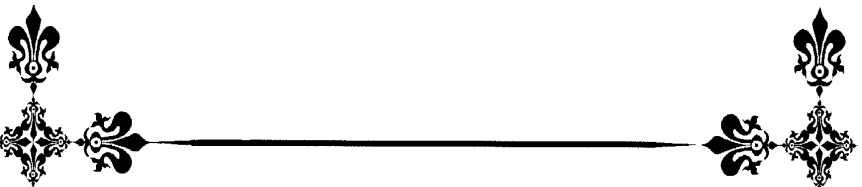
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2024
***National Specialty
Reservations &
Additional Information***



**FOOD SERVICE CONSULTANTS CATERING
of St. Louis, MO, will cater
The PCA Lunches and the Blue Ribbon Dinner.**



We invite you to join us for the 2024 Poodle Club of America, Inc. National Specialty Lunches, Dinners and Special Events by reservation only. To make reservations, please use the reservation form or visit the store at www.poodleclubofamerica.org where you can make and pay for reservations. Space limits the number that can attend some functions, so please make reservations early.

2024 PCA Lunches ~ \$25.00 per day

Wednesday, April 24, 2024 ~ Founder's Room ~ 11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

Harvest Green Salad - Mixed Greens, Heirloom Tomatoes, Petite Cucumbers, Shaved Parmesan and Garlic Croutons with Red Wine Vinaigrette - Artisan Rolls and Butter - Smoked Brisket of Beef with Caramelized Onion and Natural Jus - Rosemary Red Potatoes with Olive Oil and Fresh Parsley - Oven Roasted Vegetable Medley with Zucchini, Yellow Squash Mushroom, Pearl Onion and Sweet Tomatoes - Brownie and Blondie Assortment. Beverage Station - Fresh Brewed Ice Tea, Coffee, Lemonade and Bottled Water.

Thursday, April 25, 2024 ~ Founder's Room ~ 11:30 - 1:00 P.M.

Cranberry Feta Salad - Baby Spring Greens, Cranberries, Feta Cheese, Sliced Red Onion, served with Sweet Poppy Seed Vinaigrette - Assorted Rolls and Butter - Roasted Pork Loin - with Peach and Cherry Mustard - Classic Rice Pilaf - Toasted with Orzo and Brown Butter - Roasted Broccoli - Blanched, then Tossed in Olive Oil and Sea Salt - Sweets - Gourmet Chocolate Chunk Cookie. Beverage Station - Fresh Brewed Iced Tea, Coffee, Lemonade and Bottled Water.

Friday, April 26, 2024 ~ Founder's Room ~ 11:30 - 1:00 P.M.

Classic Caesar - Romaine Hearts, House Made Croutons, Shaved Parmesan and Roman Caesar Dressing - Garlic Toast Classic - Italian Lasagna - Filled with Ground Beef and Italian Sausage, Ricotta, Red Sauce and Italian Herbs and Spices - Lemon Garlic Chicken - Seared Chicken Breast Served with Creamy Herb Sauce and Garnished with Charred Lemon - Green Beans - with Sundried Tomatoes and Onions - Italian Cannoli - with Chocolate Chips and Crushed Pistachios. Beverage Station - Fresh Brewed Iced Tea, Coffee, Lemonade and Bottled Water.

AFTER THE SHOW

TICKET REQUIRED

PCA SOCIAL HOUR & BLUE RIBBON BUFFET

It's time to kick back, relax and remember PCA 2024!

Thursday, April 25, 2024 ~ Casual Dress

5:00 P.M. ~ Hors d'oeuvres Reception - Blue Ribbon Ticket Required

Chicken Pot Stickers, Korean Beef Spring Roll, Boursin Stuffed Mushrooms,
Traditional Meatballs

6:00 P.M. ~ PCA's Blue Ribbon Buffet Dinner ~ \$50.00

with pre-purchased ticket, **Founder's Room**

Classic Caesar Salad - Crisp Romaine Hearts, Shaved Parmesan, Garlic Croutons, Served with Mayfair Dressing - Assorted Rolls and Butter - Hand Carved Ribeye - Slow Roasted Ribeye of Beef, Served with Au Jus and Horseradish Cream - Chicken Puttanesca - Seared Chicken Breast served with Spicy Tomato and Olive Ragout - Whole Roasted Petite Potatoes - Petite Potatoes with Garlic and Fresh Herbs - Roasted Vegetables - Carrots, Cauliflower and Broccoli - Sweets - Flourless Chocolate Cake, New York Cheesecake, Cheesecake Served with Assorted Sauces, Italian Lemon Cream Cake. Beverage Station - Fresh Brewed Iced Tea, Coffee, Lemonade and Bottled Water.

**FOLLOWED BY THE POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA INC. ANNUAL MEETING
~~ ALL ARE WELCOME ~~**

RESERVATION FORM FOR LUNCHESES & DINNER

Wednesday ~ Friday

Please Make Reservations Early

www.poodleclubofamerica.org

Space limits the number that can attend some events.

Number of Reserved Lunches for Each Day:

Wednesday _____ Thursday _____ Friday _____ @ **\$25.00 each**

Total Amount for Lunches Only.....\$ _____

Tickets for Hors d'oeuvres Reception and

Blue Ribbon Buffet Dinner ~ Thursday _____ \$50.00 each

Total Amount for Dinners \$ _____

Total Amount for Lunches \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Name.....

Kennel Name.....

Address

City/State/Zip

Phone# ().....

E-mail.....

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE IN U.S. FUNDS TO: THE POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.

Payment must accompany orders. Please write ONE check for all meals. Telephone orders accepted. Reservations must be received by **April 12, 2024**. Tickets will **NOT** be mailed. Pre-paid tickets for all lunches & dinners may be picked up Wednesday - Friday at the Ticket Table in The Great Hall. A limited number of lunch and dinner tickets will be available at the Show for an additional fee.

MAIL TO:

USA

Luann Wilkinson
3601 Turtle Creek Blvd. T-3
Dallas, TX 75219-5504

CANADA

Dr. Elly Holowaychuk
501 Estate Dr., Sherwood Park
Alberta, Canada T8B 1M2



***PCA Fundraising Live Auction
in the Great Hall, Purina Event Center on
Wednesday, April 24, 2024***

***The 2025 Auction will take place
immediately following the
Regular Dog Classes
for the
first thirty-four people to
enter the building
and the
first two rows of the
RV Parking Spaces***



Grooming Area Information

GROOMING AREA SETUP FOR CONFORMATION “ONLY” EXHIBITORS

Tuesday, April 23, 2024

The Setup Committee is responsible for managing all setup activities in the grooming area designated for conformation exhibitors. Please help the Committee make your move-in as easy and efficient as possible by reading this insert.

Admission to the Purina Event Center for conformation exhibitors begins on Tuesday, April 23, with the WINNERS OF THE 2024 AUCTION entering first at 6:30 A.M. in setup number order. Any auction winner not present at 6:30 A.M. will lose his/her setup number selection. ALL OTHER CONFORMATION EXHIBITORS will be admitted in setup number order **SHORTLY AFTER THE AUCTION WINNERS HAVE ENTERED**. Those exhibitors arriving at the show without a setup number can obtain one at The Great Hall from 6:30 A.M. to 9:00 A.M. Tuesday. Late arrivals will be accommodated.

TO RECEIVE SETUP NUMBER BY **MAIL**, COMPLETE THE ATTACHED SETUP FORM.

All Setup Forms received by April 1, 2024 will be assigned setup numbers as they are received. **No setup number will be available by mail after April 7, 2024.** PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

- Names submitted on Setup Forms must be those of exhibitors/agents exhibiting in this show.
- No duplicate names, please. The Setup Committee will assign only one setup number per exhibitor.
- SEND NO MORE THAN “**THREE**” IN A REGULAR BUSINESS OR LETTER SIZE ENVELOPE.
- Setup Forms sent in envelopes of other sizes will be assigned after all others!
- Setup Forms cannot be E-mailed.

Grooming Setup Committee: Terri Meyers (Chair).

Prizes for clean grooming area are piggy drawings and best grooming area setup representing the PCA 2024 Theme “POODLES ROLL OUT THE RED CARPET” Drawing will be held on Friday following the Standard Variety. Place your cards in the drawing box ring side on Friday.

If you wish to receive your Setup Number by “**MAIL**”, include a self addressed & stamped envelope with your completed Setup Form. If you wish to receive your Setup Number by “**E-Mail**”, include your E-mail address. **Mail to:**

2024 PCA Conformation Grooming Setup
1741 85th Street N.E., Monticello, MN 55362-3108
For Questions contact Terri Meyers at swag04@tds.net



Exhibitor's Name

Number of dogs entered.....

Name of Agent, if any.....

Which Variety will you be showing.....

Address

City/State/Zip

E-Mail

(Please include your E-mail address if you wish to receive your setup number via E-mail - WRITE CLEARLY)

Date Received (For PCA Use Only) Date Returned (For PCA Use Only)

THREE-DAY RESERVED SEATING ADVANCE PURCHASE

**Same low price! All three days for just \$75.00!
All reserved seats are front-row at ringside!**

Seats for fewer than three days cannot be reserved in advance. Unsold seats, if any, will be available for purchase at the show for a slightly higher price.

Reserved ringside seating is \$75.00 per seat for Wednesday through Friday only. Reservations must be received by Friday, March 29, 2024. Payments for confirmed reservations are NOT refundable. Payment must be made with reservations. All seat tickets must be picked up at the show; none will be mailed.

**PLEASE NOTE:
ALL RESERVATIONS FOR RESERVED SEATING FOR THE
2024 POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA
WILL BE MAIL-IN ONLY.**

PLEASE COMPLETE THE ATTACHED FORM AND MAIL WITH CHECK/
MONEY ORDER IN U.S. FUNDS ONLY TO:

Poodle Club of America, Inc.
c/o Susan Burge
6581 Thorntree Dr., Brecksville, OH 44141
E-mail: msstb@aol.com



Reserved Seating Order Form

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____ Phone _____

Please indicate your seat choice(s) by section A,B,C or D. (See seating diagram.) You may reserve up to two adjacent seats. Because all seat reservations are made on a first-come, first-served basis, please indicate your 1st, 2nd and 3rd choices for each seat requested. Your reservation will be confirmed by E-mail or phone.

1st choice: _____ 2nd choice: _____ 3rd choice: _____

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Section A

Section B

Section C

Section D

Standard Ring

Miniature/Toy Ring

THE GREAT HALL

POODLE CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. - 2024 NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW

**All Reserved Seating is Front Row - All Reserved Seats are \$75.00 for All Three Days!
Wednesday, April 24 - Thursday, April 25 - Friday, April 26**

Wheelchair seating will be accommodated.
Ringside access points will be available to registered photographers.



**The Poodle
Club of America
Foundation, Inc.**

**You are invited to the
ANNUAL PCA FOUNDATION SEMINAR
Tuesday, April 23, 2024
Founder's Room, Purina Farms Event Center
Gray Summit, Missouri**

8:00 A.M. **Registration**

8:30 A.M. to 9:30 A.M. **Dr. Stephen Friedeberg** report on the Addison Study and update.

9:45 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. **Dr. Gustave Aquirre, DVM** on eye problems and polymicrogeria.

Health Testing Offered during PCA Week

Tuesday, April 23: OFA (CERF) Eye Clinic, \$50.00, 12:00 Noon to 5:00 P.M. in Service Center (by RV Campsites). To pre-register, contact Tom Carneal at E-mail: twcarneal@gmail.com or register Monday at the PCA Foundation Table. Walk-ins are welcome if clinic slots are still available.



*Parade of AKC
Breed Champions
and/or
Parade of AKC Companion
and Performance Titleholders
Entry fee is \$30.00*

By March 31, 2024, send up to a 50-word Parade Resume (typed) to: Denise Agre-Gill, 1655 County Rd. 258, Fulton, MO 65251 or deagra@me.com. Include the Variety of your poodle on your resume and indicate which Parade you are entering. Conformation or Companion and Performance Parade.

Coat clips must be in accordance with the Breed Standard. Dogs with an AKC Hunting Title may be exhibited in short hunting trim. Any poodle with an AKC Obedience, Tracking, Agility, Hunting or Rally Title is eligible for the Companion & Performance Parade. The entry blank must have "Companion & Performance Parade" on it and mailed with entry fee to MB-F, Inc. Each entrant in the Parade will receive a Rosette with dog's name imprinted.

**The entry form must indicate
"Conformation Parade" or Companion & Performance Parade"
AND MAILED WITH ENTRY FEE TO MB-F, INC.**

**Resumes for Parades will not be accepted
at the show grounds.**

Official Mailed Catalogs* for 2024!



Even if you can't attend in April, you can still have your own 2024 Official Catalog!!!

The Official Catalog includes the following events:

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| The National Specialty Show | Junior Showmanship |
| Veteran Sweepstakes 2024 | Parade of Breed Champions |
| Obedience/Rally | Parade of Companion Title Holders |
| 4-6 Months Puppy Class | Parade of Performance Title Holders |

Plus, Kennel, Affiliate Club and Vendor Ads with great photos!

*Results from the Show will be available on the MB-F, Inc. website:

www.infodog.com and/or Poodle Club of America, Inc. website:

www.poodleclubofamerica.org

Price includes shipping.

PLEASE NOTE: Catalogs paid in advance, by check or online, are NOT available for pickup at the show. If you want to have a catalog available during the show, please purchase one from our rinside staff. Thank you in advance for your understanding.

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2024 PCA RV Parking Request Form

**RV Parking begins on Sunday, April 21 at 11:00 A.M.
All RVs must be out of the Purina RV Sites
on Saturday, April 27 by 10:00 A.M.**

The 2024 RV Parking Sites A1 through B17 were auctioned off at the 2023 PCA Specialty Show. The 2025 Live Auction will take place following the Regular Dog Classes on Wednesday, April 24. The remainder of the 2025 RV Parking Site Requests will be selected by random draw. Parking sites, C1 through D21, will be assigned for a six night stay followed by multiple nights, then a single night stay.

RV Parking Forms received by March 24, will be assigned a site number by random draw. Forms received after March 24 will be assigned a site number as they are received. You will be notified of your site number via **"E-mail"**. PLEASE WRITE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS CLEARLY. Please include your payment of \$40.00 per night in the form of a check or money order, payable to PCA in U.S. funds – **NO CREDIT CARDS**. All sites on the ground will be charged a parking fee and will be assigned a parking site number. Additional RV Parking information will be available on the PCA Website at www.poodleclubofamerica.org

2024 RV Auction Winners complete the RV Request Form and mail with your payment of \$40.00 per night stay by March 24. Please write 2024 Auction Winner on the outside of the envelope.

For questions, please contact the 2024 PCA RV Parking Chair, Wallace Davis at E-mail: wallacedavis@me.com or call/text (256) 710-6009.

All vendors are required to move out on the last day even if they are attending the next show.

Anyone renting a RV is required to provide a signed agreement from rental company stating they will pick up rental by 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, April 27. Purina has agreements with the following RV companies that will honor the PCA Move-In/Out dates. Please contact one of the companies for your RV Rentals. Country Campers at <https://www.countrycamperrentals.com> and MB Thomas at <https://mbthomasrvsales.com>



RV PARKING RESERVATION FORM

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-Mail _____

Cell Phone _____ # of Dogs _____

RV Type _____ Length _____ Plate Number _____ State _____

First Night _____ Last Night _____ Total # of Nights _____ @ \$40.00 per night

If renting rental company name _____

**Mail RV Parking Request To:
2024 PCA RV Parking
811 Jabo Drive, Killen, AL 35645**



Just Groom a Poodle!

9th Annual Grooming Competition & Fundraiser

Monday, April 22, 2024

Gateway Hall, Purina Farms, Purina Event Center
300 Checkerboard Loop, Gray Summit, MO 63039

Enter our grooming competition & help us raise funds for the breed club.
Entry fee is \$50.00 and will be donated in its entirety to the Poodle Club of America, Inc.

ENTRIES CLOSE, Monday, April 15, 2024

***Entry payment can be made online at
<http://www.poodleclubofamerica.org>***

Entries will be accepted at the door for an additional \$10.00 fee.

How Does It Work

There will be one class for all three varieties (Toy, Miniature & Standard)

Divided into two Divisions: Amateur & Professional

Professionals (Handlers & Open Level Grooming Competitors)

Amateurs (Owner/Handlers, Assistants, Novice Groomers)

Grooming Competition Hours: 10:00 A.M. - 12:45 P.M.

Awards Presentation at 1:30 P.M.

Groom any poodle variety in any of the following clips:

Continental, HCC, English Saddle, Puppy Clip, Scandinavian,

Secondary Puppy Clip, German Clip or Sporting Trim.

Poodle feet & faces can be clipped prior to the competition.

You will be allotted the following times: Toy ~ 1 hour 45 minutes,

Miniature - 2 hours, Standard - 2 hours 30 minutes

Trims with spray up will be allotted an additional 15 minutes.

An assistant can help hold your dog for spray up
during that 15 minute time slot.

**Competitors will be judged by nationally renowned
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Show Chair Persons:

Michael Lamb & Irina (Pina) Pinkusevich

Prizes will be awarded for the
first, second & third placement in each division.



**JUDGES' EDUCATION
AND PRE-REGISTRATION:**
Contact Nancy Hafner at (256) 627-8822
or nancyshafner@gmail.com

Tuesday: Judges Education 12:30 P.M. in the Founder's Room (open to all with pre-registration) Seminar, Q & A, followed by hands on evaluations

Wednesday: Ring Side Mentoring (for Judges Only) - For All Dog Classes

Thursday: Ring Side Mentoring (for Judges Only) - For All Bitch Classes

**The Poodle Club of America, Inc.
is excited to announce a seminar on:
“BREEDING BETTER DOGS”**

**On Tuesday, April 23, 2024 from 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.
in the Founder's Room**

The Poodle Club of America, Inc. invites everyone to a seminar on Structure, Movement, and Pedigree Analysis. Our lecturer is Dr. Carmen Battaglia. He is the author of many articles and books, AKC Judge, researcher, and leader in the promotion of “Breeding Better Dogs”. Please pre-register for the seminar so we can make sure you receive program handouts.

**Contact Cathy Catelin
(847) 875-3527
or
E-mail: catlin012001@yahoo.com
To Register**





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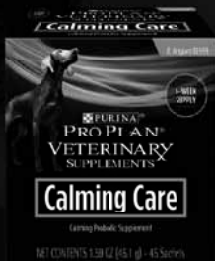
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