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**Make Check payable to Speed Dog Coursing (SDC) Please put TCKC in the memo field of your check**

**PLEASE ENTER YOUR INFORMATION ONLINE EVEN IF YOU ARE SENDING A CHECK!**

**GO TO THE SPEED DOG WEBSITE TO ENTER. Premium List. PayPal and Entry Forms available**

**Speed Dog Coursing website: [www.speeddogcoursing.com](http://www.speeddogcoursing.com)**

**Test Site** - The trial will be held outdoors on grass at St Lucie County Fairgrounds. The track will be fenced.

All dogs present must be on-leash or confined to their crates except running.

Please clean up after your dogs and yourselves. Pooper scoopers and trash bags will be available for clean-up. Please be considerate of others. We would like to be invited back.

**St Lucie County Fairgrounds: 5202 Peacock Rd., Fort Pierce, FL 34945**

**DIRECTIONS:**

**From West:** Take State Road 70 east (Okeechobee Rd), turn right onto Peacock Rd. If you pass under the pedestrian overpass, you have gone too far. Turn left into SLC Fairgrounds rear entrance.

**From I-95:** Take exit #129, State Road 70 (Okeechobee Rd), go west 6.5 miles. Turn left on Peacock Rd. just past the pedestrian overpass. Turn left into SLC Fairgrounds rear entrance.

**From FL Turnpike:** Take Exit #152, State Road 70 (Okeechobee Rd), go west 6 miles. Turn left on Peacock Rd. just past the pedestrian overpass. Turn left into SLC Fairgrounds rear entrance.

There are permanent restrooms on site.

**Special COVID instructions/procedures - NOT required but we are asking that you please wear a mask when at the Trial Secretary's table, getting your dog inspected or in the Release area.**

**Pre-entries close 6 p.m. EDT October 6, 2021  
at the home of the Trial Secretary**

Entries Limited to 125 Per Test  
Day of Trial Entries taken unless/until  
the limit has been reached



**Treasure Coast Kennel Club  
All Breed Fast CAT**

**PLEASE NOTE: Fast CATs will be operated  
by  
Speed Dog Coursing, LLC**

**AKC ALL BREED FAST CAT  
Open to all AKC Registered and  
Mixed Breeds (via AKC Canine Partners)**

**St Lucie County Fairgrounds  
5202 Peacock Rd., Fort Pierce, FL 34945**

**October 14-17, 2021  
Eight Events in One Weekend**

Thursday	2021021320, 2021021321
Friday	2021021309, 2021021310
Saturday	2021021311, 2021021312
Sunday	2021021313, 2021021314

**Parking: Treasure Coast Pirate Cluster collects a  
parking fee upon entering the Fairgrounds.**

**\$5/day or \$10/weekend.**

**No parking fee is collected on Thursday**



**AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB**

**CERTIFICATION**

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

**TRIALS WILL BE HELD CONCURRENTLY**

\*MORNING ROLL CALL: 8:00 a.m.  
AFTERNOON ROLL CALL: 12:45 p.m. Thursday-Saturday  
12:30 p.m. Sunday

**\*Workers will be Roll Called early and will run first**

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

ENTRY FEE\* a \$1 fee will be added to each entry when using PayPal  
Pre-Entry \$20.00 for each entry  
Day of Test Entries \$25.00 per test (Day of Test: Entries accepted as  
space allows.)

**Each Event will be Limited to 100 runs**

**We are using SignUp Genius to schedule runs. A link will be emailed to you AFTER entries close.**

- 1) Make sure you only sign up for the number of runs per day that you entered!
- 2) There are FOUR (4) Tabs. One for each day. You need to make sure you click on EACH tab for the days you entered and sign up for a time slot
- 3) We are limiting the number of people at the field at one time. I will be sending the "Safe Protocols" via email after entries close.
- 4) We are running CONCURRENT events. What this means is that you can run, rest your dog and then run again within the same time block (you would sign up for 2 runs per dog)
- 4) Make sure you go to the BOTTOM of each days' page when you are done and SUBMIT
- 5) There are some time slots already filled - those would be the wonderful volunteers that are there to help make sure we all have a good time and do it safely.
- 6) If you have any questions about getting your dog signed up - email me. speeddogcoursing@gmail.com
- 7) This is for those of you who PRE-entered and paid. This is not for Fun Runs or those people that are doing day of entries.

HELP AT THE FIELD IS ALWAYS NEEDED – WE DO “ON THE JOB” TRAINING and YOU EARN “BUNNY BUCKS” – GOOD TOWARDS ENTRY FEES

**PLEASE USE THE ONLINE ENTRY SYSTEM**

**Even if you are paying by check**

[www.speeddogcoursing.com](http://www.speeddogcoursing.com)

**Treasure Coast Kennel Club Officers and Directors**

**Kaaran Koroly**..... President  
**Bob Vence** ..... 1st Vice President  
**Barbara “Slim” Barker**.....Secretary  
**Bob Young**..... Treasurer

**Trial Committee**

**Ashley Fennell**..... Trial Chairman  
3147 SW Seaboard Ave., Palm City, FL

**Event Committee Members:**

**Ashley Fennell, Christine Segedin, Slim Barker, Jen Young,  
Kimberlee Levee**

**Inspection:** Linda Hurst, Andrea Ferguson

TREASURE COAST KENNEL CLUB DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE  
CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS  
EVENT.

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Please put your dogs name and Event (TCKC) on your check

**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

**TRIAL HOURS: Thursday – Saturday 7:30 a.m. EDT until 5 pm  
Sunday until 3 pm**

***The Fast CAT Track will be fully fenced  
Electronic Timers will be used to record run times***

**OFFICIAL FAST CAT PHOTOGRAPHER\***

Pix ‘n Pages is the official photographer for these events. No other photographer will be allowed to photograph dogs/people without their express consent. Anyone caught photographing these events, or any portion thereof, without permission will be asked to leave the field. An AKC Event Committee hearing may also be called if unsportsmanlike behavior is evident. Photographs may be purchased by contacting Pix ‘n Pages [www.pixnpages.com](http://www.pixnpages.com)

### Ribbons and Rosettes

A Qualifying Run Is Required For All Prizes

A Light Blue Qualifying Ribbon will be given to each dog attaining a Qualifying Run.

New Title Rosettes will be awarded to dogs attaining a BCAT, DCAT, FCAT or FCAT#.

We request that you notify us prior to the event if you feel that your dog may earn a new title.

### VETERINARIAN

Veterinary Emergency & Referral Center  
3984 South US Hwy 1, Fort Pierce, FL 34982  
772-466-3441

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

- FIRST AND FOREMOST:
- As an exhibitor, be aware that violations may be referred to the Event Committee if written charges are preferred. If such charges are upheld by the Event Committee, it may lead to suspension from future show privileges.

### Hotel Policies

- NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS/EXHIBITORS

WHEN YOU SIGN THE ENTRY FORM, YOU AUTOMATICALLY AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS CONCERNING MOTELS EXTENDING THEIR PLACE TO YOU. THE FOLLOWING RULES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR THE GOOD OF ALL EXHIBITORS CONCERNED.

- All exhibitors read the regulations on hotel/motel accommodations.
- All motels accepting dogs require plastic under crates  
Plastic sheeting is to be placed under every crate in motel rooms. This will keep carpets clean & dry. It will be the responsibility of each exhibitor to provide his/her own plastic sheeting for each crate.
- Dogs must be crated when owner is out of the room. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- Dogs must be kept on a leash at all times while in the hotel, lobbies or on hotel grounds. Rooms & lobby must be kept clean of dog debris.
- Dogs should be “exercised” in designated areas on motel premises. Every dog owner/handler is expected to pick up after his/her dog & dispose of waste in designated trash cans. It is the responsibility of the dog owner to find out from the innkeeper where these areas & cans are located.
- Due to severe clogging problems with the drain pipes, no dog may be bathed in the hotel.

- Rooms will be inspected daily by members of the hotel staff & observed violations or damages will be reported to the hotel management and/or the investigative committee.
- The investigative committee, working with a fair & equitable system, is charged with investigating complaints.
- Each dog owner/registrant is expected to cooperate with the investigative committee, hopefully settling damage claims on the spot, or else must be willing to furnish information such as insurance policy numbers & other pertinent information as required/requested.

## HOTELS

### NEARBY HOTELS/MOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. **Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.**

HOTEL INFORMATION		
Holiday Inn Express	7151 Okeechobee Rd, Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-464-5000
La Quinta Inn	2655 Crossroads Parkway, Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-828-4199
Quality Inn	2831 Reynolds Dr., Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-460-9855
Fairfield Inn & Suites	6502 Metal Dr., Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-462-2900

**All of the above listed hotels are considered to be part of the show/trial site. An event committee hearing will be held for individuals reported by any of these hotels/motels for not respecting motel property.** Do not let your dogs destroy or foul rooms. No grooming or bathing of dogs in rooms. Clean up after your dog outside, and limit barking and other noise. Hotel quiet time: 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM. Please respect others.

**There are several other dog friendly motels close to I-95 Please check with the motel that they are dog friendly and if so if they have a weight limit or dog # limit.**



## FAST CAT

The FAST CAT is a timed straight race of 100 yards where a dog chases a lure. 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

$204.545 / \text{time} = \text{MPH}$

Example: The dog's time is 8.14 seconds.

$204.545 / 8.14 = 25.13 \text{ MPH}$

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.

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 Program.

Coursing is an athletic activity that can tax a dog's physical strength. Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion. The Inspection Committee has the authority to disallow a dog's entry into a test, and in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded.

Entries will be acknowledged by E-MAIL IF **legible e-mail** address is provided.

### ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNER'S SOLE RISK

- All entries must be 12 months of age or older on the day of the test.
- Each dog requires an individual 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. Entries will be refunded
- Mixed breeds must be spayed or neutered to be eligible to run. AKC registered dogs with breed disqualifications may be entered.
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- **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.**
- **Light Curtain times will be used. Stop watches will be available as back up timers**
- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
- 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/any dog(s)/other person(s) will be asked to leave the trial site.
- Bring your own shade and water.
- 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.

### TIPS FOR HANDLERS

- The field is fenced. 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.
- 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.
- **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.**

### Handlers are allowed to recall their dogs

- Lure coursing is a physically demanding sport so please make sure your dog is in good shape. If you are not sure, make an appointment with a veterinarian to get an opinion.
- Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for about 10 minutes afterwards.
- 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.

Treasure Coast Kennel Club, Speed Dog Coursing, LLC, Members, Directors, Agents, Superintendents & Employees are not Responsible for Loss or Damage to, or Death of Any Dogs at these events or for the Possessions of Any Participant, whether the Result of an Accident or any other cause. It is expressly understood that every dog at this show is in the care, custody and control of the owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB LURE COURSING ENTRY FORM**

Club: <b>TCKC</b>		Date:	
Location: <b>St Lucie, FL</b>		Event type: <input type="checkbox"/> Fast CAT tests	I Enclose Entry fees in the amount of: \$ _____
Class:	<input type="checkbox"/> Fri AM : <input type="checkbox"/> Fri PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Sat AM <input type="checkbox"/> Sat PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Sun AM <input type="checkbox"/> Sun PM
Size/of dog at the withers: <input type="checkbox"/> Under 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Over 12" & less than 18" <input type="checkbox"/> Over 18" <small>Leave blank if unsure</small>			
BREED		Sex:	Date of Birth:
<input type="checkbox"/> Registration #			
AKC Registered Name:		Call Name:	
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any at Trial):			
<p>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: <a href="http://www.akc.org">www.akc.org</a></p> <p align="center"><b>AGREEMENT</b></p> <p>I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of this 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 trial, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this trial, and entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. The entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. 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 prize money, 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 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 for 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 there from, 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. <b>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 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.</b></p>			
Signature of Owner or his Agent duly authorized to make the entry:			
Telephone:	E-mail Address:		

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Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any at Trial):			
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