

Pre-Entries Close Friday March 15, 2024 @ 12 Noon at the trial secretaries home, Unless the limit of 120 entries per test has been reached. Day of entries will be taken until the limit has been reached per trial. PLEASE NOTE: If an entry is sent special delivery, please indicate that no signature is necessary upon arrival or entry may be refused.

Premium List

AKC All-Breed and Mixed Breed Fast CAT

Each day's event's run's concurrently
ENTRIES LIMITED TO 120 PER TEST



Two Fast CAT Tests on Saturday March 23, 2024

Test #1 Event #2024282715

Test #2 Event #2024282716

Two Fast CAT Tests on Sunday March 24, 2024

Test #1 Event # 2024282714

Test #2 Event # 2024282717

Location of Event:

The Nassivera's Residence
2250 N.E. 70th St
Ocala, FL 34479

Online Entries

are available only at

Madta.org

*** Entries received after the closing date, the day of entries fee applies. ***

Test Property Hours: 8:00am – 4:00pm

Lunch Break 12:00pm – 1:00pm



Permission has been granted by the AKC for the holding of these events under the American Kennel Club Rules and regulations.

Officers of MADTA

President.....Kevin Barbagallo Treasurer.....Lisa Forbes
Vice President.....Eric Stratmann Secretary.....Sara Hurst

Test Committee

Event Chairperson
Tammy Goughan
P.O. Box 612
Tavares, FL 32778
Tame0663@yahoo.com
321-436-7401

**NEW
INFO**

Trial Secretary
Lisa Forbes
7825 SW 12th St
Ocala, FL 34474
RotnRott@aol.com
352-875-1354

Event Committee:

Eric Stratmann, Becky Stewart, Betsy Powers,
Lisa Forbes, Tammy Goughan,

Lure Operator: TBD

Hunt Master: Eric Stratmann

Entering:

PLEASE PRINT your EMAIL clearly, entries will be acknowledged by email only. YOU MUST MARK YOUR DOG'S HANDICAP # or HEIGHT OF DOG ON ENTRY FORM.

Fee's

Pre-entry fee \$25.00 per test

Entries received after the closing date; day of entry fee applies.

Day of test entry \$30.00 per test (if space is available)

Practice/Fun runs are \$10.00 a run when time allows

There will be an additional charge of \$25 for any checks returned by the bank

The Event Secretary cannot accept conditional, unsigned, incomplete, or unpaid entries; please check your entry carefully. Entries by e-mail will NOT be accepted

NOW AVAILABLE Online Entries available @ MADTA.org
Online Entries will be assessed a processing fee of \$4.00

We will be excepting Credit Cards (CC) for day of entries.

There will be a service charge of \$1.00 added to each run cost when a CC is used.

Entries are NOT Valid until paid in FULL and processed by the trial secretary.

Please mark your preferred time block you want your dog to run in on your entry form.

This is NOT a GUARANTEED time until you receive an emailed confirmation from Sign-Up genius or from the trial secretary that the time is available.

Make checks payable to "MADTA"

Mail to: Lisa Forbes 7825 SW 12th St. Ocala, FL 34474

Worker Dogs will run prior to 9:00am.

Pre-entered dogs can begin checking in at 8:30am

Pre-entries start to run at - 9:00 am

Day of Entries start to run when time is available.

Saturday last day of entry taken at 3:30pm last run @ 4:00pm

Sunday last day of entry taken at 2:30pm last run will be @ 3:00pm

LUNCH BREAK – 12:00 to 1:00

If needed, we reserve the right to put a cut off time before lunch.

Eligibility to Enter for AKC Points:

- Open to all dogs at least 12 months of age that are individually registered with AKC, or any of the following
- recorded in the Foundation Stock Services (FSS) program,
- individually registered with a foreign or domestic registry organization whose pedigrees are acceptable for AKC registration,
- dogs granted a Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) number,
- Information on getting your dog a PAL number can be found here www.akc.org/register/purebred-alternative-listing
- mixed breed dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners (CP) program. Information about getting your dog a CP number can be found here: www.akc.org/register/information/caninepartners/why-join/
- Dogs with breed disqualifications and monorchid/cryptorchid dogs are eligible to participate
- Females in season may NOT enter.
- A dog may enter only once per event number.
- These events will be held outdoors rain or shine unless dangerous conditions are present (such as lightning or flooding).

Fun Runs:

Are open to all dogs of any age. No AKC Points can be earned.

Dogs under 1 year in age can only do a half track. Due to Health risks.

Running Your Dog: It is recommended that dogs be handled (released) with a “slip-lead” that gives an instantaneous freedom to the dog when “Tallyho” (release) signal is called by the Hunt Master. Dogs may run with or without a collar. Flat buckle collar preferred. **Unacceptable collars:** are ANY TYPE of Chain choker collar, a collar with prongs or an electronic training collar. NO TAGS hanging off collar Owners may use a rubber band to hold the dog’s hair from their eyes. The owner assumes responsibility for the safety of the dog with regard to the dog’s collar and paraphernalia on the dog.

Inspection:

Each entry will be inspected by an inspection committee member for lameness, injuries, females in season and/or any other signs of distress. ALL dogs must be presented for inspection BEFORE EVERY RUN. WITHOUT TAPE, BANDAGES, WRAPPING, or COVERING of any kind (Coats, blankets, etc.) If in the opinion of the inspection committee any dog found to be lame, unfit in any form or in season they shall not be allowed to run and the applicable entry fees shall be refunded.

Refund Policy: NO Full refunds after closing date will be given. After the closing date a refund can, be given minus a \$8.00 fee. Or if in the opinion of the inspection committee any entry is found to be lame, unfit to compete or in season the applicable entry fees shall be refunded.

Awards: Pass: Light Blue flat ribbon.

Title Completion: Will receive a MADTA New Title Ribbon that reflex's the current title earned. We ask you to notify us prior to the event if you feel that your dog may earn a new title

Artificial Coat Coloring Chapter 16, Section 14. Dogs with Coloring Dogs with artificial coloring in their coats may participate in Fast CAT. The coloring must not cover more than one-third of the dog’s coat. The coloring must NOT disperse (leave a cloud) when the dog is running. Colored markings on a dog must not be in poor taste and cannot contain profanity or conflict with a sponsor of a trial. It is the responsibility of the Trial Chair to decide if the coloring is acceptable

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Exhibitors are reminded to bring their own chairs, shade, water, 2 leashes, etc.

All dogs run at owners' sole risk. The hosting club and property owners, their agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc. assume NO responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors and handlers or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children or spectators before, during or after this event.

By entering the event premises, you consent to photography and video recording and its/their release, publication, exhibition, or reproduction to be used for news, webcast, promotional purposes, advertising and inclusion on websites. You waive all rights you may have to any claims for payment or royalties in connection with any exhibition of photographs or video recording. You also waive the right to inspect or approve any photo or video taken by/or the person or entity designated to do so by Marion-Alachua Dog Training Association or its members.

Tips for handlers & Conditions of entry:

1. The field(Track) is fully 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
2. Handlers should wear comfortable shoes and be physically able to hold and release their dogs, as well as catch them. NO BARE FEET ALLOWED (due to Safety reasons)
3. Dogs will be brought to the start line on leash and released only upon a verbal signal ("Tally-Ho!") from the Hunt master. Dogs may be released by hand, folded leash or using a traditional lure coursing slip lead.
4. Handler should have someone familiar with the dog at the end of the course to retrieve the dog or have someone else release their dog at the start line. Handler needs 2 leashes one for the releaser and one for the catch person. The handler is expected to promptly secure the dog and leave the field with the dog on leash.
5. FastCAT is a physically demanding sport so please make sure your dog is in good shape. Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion If you are not sure, make an appointment with a veterinarian to get an opinion.
6. Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for about 5 minutes afterwards. Remember they are an athlete so please don't just throw them in a crate right after running this can cause health problems

Additional Guidelines and helpful information

~ Fun/practice runs are just that fun. They are for any age dog. But dogs under 1 year old can only run a half track.

~Each dog must have two leashes for the dog. One for the releaser and one for the catcher to use.

~ No flexi leashes to be used anywhere near the event itself or around other people's dogs.

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

~ Once your dog enters the field there will be no refunds, even if your dog does not want to run.

~A \$5.00 fine will be assessed for any handler not cleaning up after their dog.

~ Any dog displaying aggression towards people or other dogs, will be asked to leave without refund.

~ Any dog that eliminates on the course will receive a non-qualifying (NQ) score.

~ The equipment used will be a Lure machine which is battery powered with a large white bag attached on a continuous loop .

~ The use of toys, treats, flags, or other items of this nature are NOT permitted while the dog is running the 100- yard course.

However, they may be used after the dog has crossed the finish line to assist in catching the dog NO NOISE devices (duck calls, whistles, squeaky toys etc.) Are allowed

~ The hunt master 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.

~ MADTA reserves the right to alter course due to field and/or weather conditions on the day of the test.

~ At its discretion, MADTA may break periodically during the day to accommodate worker runs, machine adjustments and lunch.

~ PINCH collars are prohibited on the event site.

~ Children must be under control of their parents or guardians at all times or may be ask to leave the grounds.

~ Only the Lure operator, hunt master and handler of the dog running on the course in progress will be permitted near the lure equipment.

~ If because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond the control of MADTA, it is impossible to hold or complete the tests a refund of entry fees will NOT be made.

~ Exhibitors are requested to bring another person with them for catching or releasing, or the club can provide, if necessary, but reserves the right to deny service for safety reasons.

~ This course is fenced. Tests will run concurrently. Electric timers are used.

FastCAT 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 dogs' 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

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

MPH multiplied by the dog's handicap = points. 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

Please visit the AKC web site at AKC.org to see [the Top 20 Fastest Dogs by Breed and/or by Year for national standings](#). The standings will be updated as event results are processed thru AKC

UF Pet Emergency Treatment Services After-Hours Emergency Veterinary Clinic 352-512-0886

Location of Vet Clinic: 3200 SW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL

Direction to Vet Clinic; Turn left out of driveway, go 0.4 miles turn left onto old Jacksonville Rd (CR200A), Go approx. 3.9 miles turn left on NW Pine St (US-301/441), Go approx. 2 miles and turn right onto Hwy 40 go approx. 3 miles turn left onto SW 27th Avenue, Go approx. 1.5 mile and UF Pet Emergency Treatment Services will be on the right.

CAMPING: Not available on the grounds themselves. But may be available at Wandering Oaks RV Park, 1860 W. Hwy 326, Ocala, FL 34475

LODGING: Please remember to check pet policies when making reservations.

Red Roof Inn NW 40th Ave. Ocala, FL 855-352-7611

La Quinta Inn 3530 SW 36th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474 352-861-1137

Howard Johnson Inn 3951 NW Blitchton Rd. Ocala, FL 34482 352-629-7021

Directions to Event:

Directions From I-75: take exit 358, State Rd 326, Head East approximately 5 miles to the Nassivera's Grounds. The Show Site will be on the right, there should be a FastCAT Flag by the road along with a Large wooden sign reading Nassivera Car Show.

American Kennel Club FastCAT Entry Form

Please fill out
one form per day

Club: Marion-Alachua Dog Training Association		Please check the box for the test you want to Run: <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Test 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Test 2		Please check the box for the test you want to Run: <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday Test 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday Test 2	
Location: The Nassavaries Residence 2250 NE 70th St Ocala, FL		<input type="checkbox"/> AKC No: <input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP No: <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign No. Please list Reg. No. _____			
Call Name:		Dog's Height: YOU MUST CHECK ONE BOX <input type="checkbox"/> under 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Handicap is 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 12" to under 18" <input type="checkbox"/> Handicap is 1.5 <input type="checkbox"/> Over 18" <input type="checkbox"/> Handicap is 1		Amount of entry fees enclosed: \$	
Breed:		Pre-Entries Only - Pick time block you hope to run in, we will confirm with you if available <input type="checkbox"/> 9-10am <input type="checkbox"/> 1-2pm <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3pm <input type="checkbox"/> 10-11am <input type="checkbox"/> 11-12am <input type="checkbox"/> 3-4pm <small>If entering twice in 1 day please check Twice the same time block? _____ Two different time blocks? _____</small>		Are you new to FastCAT? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Date of Birth:		Sex of dog:			
Name of Jr. Handler (if any):				Jr Handler #:	
Print Full AKC name of dog: (no Titles)					
Actual Owner(s):					
Owner's Address:					
City:		State:		Zip:	
Sire: Info not needed					
Dam: Info not needed					
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Trial:				Phone number of Agent/Handler	
<p>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org</p> <p style="text-align: center;">AGREEMENT</p> <p>I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officials, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim 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 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 person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). 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 THIS 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.</p>					
Signature of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry:					
Tel:			Email: MUST PRINT		