

# PREMIUM LIST

Pre-entries open Monday, August 2, 2021 at 8:00 AM

Pre-entries close Friday, October 1, 2021 at 5:00 PM

Day of event entries will be permitted provided the tests do not fill prior to closing date. Please enter early as these events tend to fill and day of entries are not guaranteed.



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## Fast Coursing Ability Tests (Fast CATs)

Open to all dogs at least 12 months of age – even mixed breeds!

See the ELIGIBILITY section for details.

**Saturday, October 16, 2021 (AM): Event # 2021527412**

**Saturday, October 16, 2021 (PM): Event # 2021527411**

**Sunday, October 17, 2021 (AM): Event # 2021527413**

**Sunday, October 17, 2021 (PM): Event # 2021527414**

Day of entries for AM tests will close at 10:00am

Day of entries for PM tests will close at 2:00pm

A limit of 100 dogs per Event has been set for this test.

## Chalco Hills Recreation Area – Soccer fields

8901 South 154<sup>th</sup> Street

Omaha, NE

This event is being held in conjunction with the GoDogs AKC agility trial held at the Omaha Soccer Center. Please let us know if you are entering both events as we will work with you around your agility runs. Event locations are very close but does require driving between sites.

# GO DOGS OMAHA CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

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Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under The American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.



## FIELD COMMITTEE

**Test Chairman:**

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**Test Secretary:**

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**Test Committee:** Marci Lundhigh, Sharee Newman, Jenny Vincent, Jen Howell, Kris Woodke, Mary Ruhe, Jane Pirnat, Janice Lee, Candy Henley, John Henley

**Lure Operator:** John Henley

Due to unforeseen circumstances, committee members may be substituted as necessary.

## FIELD HOURS:

Sat./Sun. October 16-17, 8:00 AM until completion of runs

## HOW TO ENTER

- Pre-entry: mail completed entry form (1 form per dog) and payment to the Test Secretary.  
Jen Howell  
5852 William Street  
Omaha, NE 68106

### ***No email entry will be accepted.***

- Day of entries – Bring completed entry form with you. (One form per dog) along with payment. (We will have some blank entries available, but it is best to bring your own.) Entry must be submitted prior to closing time listed on the front of this premium.
- Checks should be made payable to: Go Dogs.
- If you have questions about how to enter, contact the Test Secretary.
- Pre-entries will be acknowledged by e-mail provided a legible e-mail address is included on the entry form.

## ENTRY FEES

Pre-entry: \$20 per dog per test.

Day of entry: \$25 per dog per test

## DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE:

From the East or West on I-80: take exit 440 (NE-50/144th St). Go North on NE-50 N/S 144th St. Turn left onto Giles Road. The main entrance to Chalco park is on your left. There will be signs directing you where to go once you are in the park.

From the North on I-29: merge onto I-680 W via Exit 61B toward N. Omaha. Merge onto I-80W via Exit 446 toward Lincoln. Follow directions above from East or West on I-80.

From the South on I-29: Keep left to take I-80 W towards Omaha. Follow directions above from East or West on I-80

## EMERGENCY VETERINARIANS

The Pet Clinic 2509 S 140th Circle Omaha, NE 68144 402-330-3096

Animal Emergency Clinic 9664 Mockingbird Drive Omaha, NE 68144  
402-339-6232

## THE FAST COURSING ABILITY TEST (Fast CAT)

This is a brief run down of FCAT. As with any game you should always read the rules prior to participating. Rules and Regulations can be found on the AKC website.

The purpose of the AKC Fast Coursing Ability Test (Fast CAT) event is to provide all dogs and their owners an enjoyable, healthy activity in which they can participate. The Fast CAT is a pass/fail event. Dogs run singularly. The dog's time to complete the 100 yard dash is converted into MPH. Dogs earn points based on their handicapped speed. Handicap system is applied to a dog's MPH to determine number of points earned. The system is based on the dog's height at the withers: below 12" = handicap is 2.0 12" up to less than 18" = handicap is 1.5 18" or greater = handicap is 1.0

Titles are awarded when a dog has accumulated a given number of points.

A dog that relieves itself on course shall fail the test. Handlers may not run down the 100 yard course with the dog; this includes inside and outside the fence. Handlers may not run with the dog in the starting box. Handlers may run within the catch area as their dog is running the course but may not cross the finish line. Handlers must remain at either the start or the end of the course. Cheering, clapping, calling your dog's name, whistling and waving your arms from the end of the course or the start area is allowed. Noise making devices such as whistles, duck calls, electronic calls or other items of this nature are not permitted. 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. Should a situation arise where the application of this Regulation is open for interpretation, the event committee shall decide how it will be handled. An explanation shall be submitted to the AKC along with the event results.

It is safest for dogs to run "naked" which means they do not wear a collar. However, dogs may wear any collar except a choker collar, a collar with prongs or an electronic training collar. The collar should be snug to minimize the chances of getting hung up on something during the run. Owners should be aware that there is a chance that tags hanging from the collar could become entangled on something during the run. *The test committee may, at its discretion, require hanging collar tags to be secured to the collar with tape or in some other manner.* Owners may use clips or rubber bands to hold the dog's hair. The owner assumes responsibility for the safety of the dog with regard to the dog's collar and paraphernalia on the dog. **Head halters, such as the Gentle Leader or Halti, may be used on the grounds, but must not be worn while running the course.**

**Participating in Fast CAT requires two people. One person releases the dog and another person catches the dog. For the safety of the dog and as a courtesy to other exhibitors, your dog should have a reliable recall.**

## CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Separate entry forms and entry fees are required for each dog entered.
2. You must include your dog's height at the withers on your entry form. Failure to include this information may result in delays processing your entry.
3. A fee of \$50.00 will be assessed for any returned checks.
4. Incomplete, unsigned, conditional, or unpaid entries will not be accepted.
5. Pre-entries must be received by the Test Secretary by the pre-entry deadline listed on the front cover of this premium list.
6. Day of entries will be accepted if the entry limit listed on the front of this premium is not reached with pre-entries and the day of entry is received by the deadline listed on the front of this premium.
7. The Club and/or Test Secretary assume no responsibility for wrong or incomplete information given on the entry form.
8. The Club and/or the Test Secretary assume no responsibility for injury or a dog's failure to recall.
9. At the discretion of the Test Chairman, there may be a \$5.00 fine assessed for any loose dog on the field not taking part in the course in progress.
10. Any person, upon reasonable complaint, may be asked to leave the grounds by the field committee. Children must be under the control of their parents or guardian at all times.
11. At their discretion, test workers may break periodically during the day to accommodate a lunch break and running of test committee dogs.
12. Please note that special training devices that are used to control and train dogs, including but not limited to collars with prongs and electronic collars used with transmitters, may not be used on dogs at AKC events. **Do not bring your dog to inspection wearing a prong collar.**

## INSPECTION & ROLL CALL

Being inspected satisfies roll call. Dogs must be inspected before each test. If you enter both AM & PM tests, you will go through inspection twice, once during each time frame listed below. Runs will start at approximately 9:00 am each day.

### Saturday and Sunday

For AM Test, inspection will be 8:30 AM – 11:00 AM  
For PM Test, inspection will be at 12:30 PM– 3:00 PM

Each dog will be inspected for lameness, fitness to compete, and females in season. If in the opinion of the inspection committee, any entry found to be lame, unfit to safely compete, or a female in season, that dog shall not be allowed to enter and entry fees shall be refunded; bitches in season shall be removed from the test site.

Measuring will be available during inspection to determine their height at the withers if height is unknown or if there are any questions as to dog's height..

## COVID PROTOCOL

The club will adopt and follow Covid Precautions suggested by the AKC. If you are ill, have been exposed, or are having symptoms of Covid 19 please call the secretary or trial chair for guidance. All participants may be asked to sign a waiver and release of Go Dogs. All participants and spectators are strongly encouraged to abide by social distancing.

## PRE-COURSE BRIEFING

Because these tests are being held in conjunction with an Agility trial, there will be a short briefing at the beginning of each day. Those new to the sport are encouraged to ask test officials questions prior to running. Those who are not able to attend the briefing are encouraged to ask questions and clarifications prior to running.

## ELIGIBILITY

Fast CATs are open to all dogs at least 12 months of age that are registered/enrolled with the AKC in one of the following ways:

- individually registered with the AKC
- recorded in the Foundation Stock Service (FSS) program
- individually registered with a foreign or domestic registry organization whose pedigrees are acceptable for AKC registration
- dogs granted a Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) number
  - Information on getting your dog a PAL number can be found here: [www.akc.org/register/purebred-alternative-listing](http://www.akc.org/register/purebred-alternative-listing)
- dogs with AKC Limited or Conditional Registration
- mixed breed dogs or breeds not recognized by the AKC enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners (CP) program.
  - Information about getting your dog a CP number can be found here: [www.apps.akc.org/classic/mixbreeds/listing\\_info.cfm](http://www.apps.akc.org/classic/mixbreeds/listing_info.cfm)
- 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 (test).

## AWARDS

Each dog that passes the test will receive a ribbon that is light blue in color. Each dog that earns a new title will receive a new title rosette.

**\* \* Please let the Test Secretary know if your dog could possibly earn a new title at our event so we have enough rosettes on hand.\* \***

## TITLES

Dogs can earn three titles by passing accumulating points. These are suffix titles that will appear on a dog's pedigree with a higher level title superseding a lower level title.

- BCAT – awarded to a dog that accumulates 150 points
- DCAT – awarded to a dog that accumulates 500 points
- FCAT – awarded to a dog that accumulates 1,000 points. For every 500 points over 1,000 the dog earns FCAT followed by a number (ec: FCAT2, FCAT3, etc.)

## TIPS FOR HANDLERS

1. Please familiarize yourself with the rules & regulations for Fast CAT events. Regulations can be found here starting on page 37: <https://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RELURE.pdf>
2. You may either release your dog or catch your dog. Please plan on finding or bringing someone with you to be either the releaser or catcher for your dog.
3. Bring at least 2 leashes/collars; one for the releaser and one for the catcher.
4. The running lane is fenced, however the rest of the area is not. It is strongly recommended that prior to running your dog, you have good recall control over your dog, as the dogs will run off leash.
5. Handlers should wear comfortable, sturdy shoes (no sandals or flip flops) and be physically able to hold and release their dogs, as well as catch them.
6. 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 traditional lure coursing lead.
7. Upon completion of the run, the catcher is expected to promptly secure the dog and leave the field with the dog on leash.
8. Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for 10 minutes afterwards.
9. Coursing is a physically demanding sport and can tax a dog's physical strength. Dogs that are old, have breathing or heart problems, are overweight, or are out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion. Consult your veterinarian if you have concerns
10. Muzzles are not required but are permitted at the handler's discretion.
11. These Fast CATs are being held in conjunction with AKC agility trials hosted by GoDogs. We will work with you if you foresee a conflict with your agility run and your Fast CAT run. Communication is key to make this work. Please discuss potential conflicts with the Paddock master.

## COURSE PLANS

- The test will take place on a mowed grass surface.
- The lure will consist of plastic contrasting in color with the immediate field environment.
- The field committee reserves the right to alter the course and equipment depending on the field and other conditions.
- The course will be fenced using snow fencing.
- Timing Devices: The time to complete the 100-yard dash is recorded to the nearest 1/100th of a second (e.g. 9.11). GoDogs uses break-beam equipment to obtain the time but may use stopwatches in the case of equipment failure. If stopwatches are used, there shall be two timers positioned at the finish line. An individual at the start line shall signal with an arm drop the moment the nose of the dog crosses the start line. The timers shall start their stopwatches at the bottom of the arm drop. The timers shall stop their watches when the nose of the dog crosses the finish line. The times from the two stopwatches shall be averaged to determine the recorded time.
- Any participant can request manual timing for their dog. This request must be made to the huntmaster prior to entering the field.

## FACILITIES

Public restrooms are available on the grounds. Since this is at a soccer complex there is very limited shade available. Consider bringing an EZUp for your comfort as well as cooling gear for both you and your dog.

## CAMPING

There is no camping available on site.

## FOOD

There will not be any food offered for purchase at this event.

## MOTEL

\*Owners must assume full responsibility for their pets. Early registrations are recommended. Please pick up after your dog at hotels.

Check with motels/hotels regarding current rates and dog policy when making reservations. Some restrictions may apply.

### Hotels are listed in no particular order:

Holiday Inn Express, 16175 Stevens Point Circle, Gretna 402-504-3716

My Place Hotels, 7823 S 123rd Plaza, La Vista 402-614-8747

Countryside Suites, 9477 S 142nd Street, Omaha 402-884-2644

Red Carpet Inn, 9305 S 145th Street, Omaha 402-895-2555

Econo Lodge Inn & Suites West, 9595 S 145th St, Omaha 402-896-6300

LaQuinta Inn, 3330 N 104th Ave, Omaha 402-493-1900

LaQuinta Inn, 10760 M Street, Omaha 402-592-5200 New

Victorian Inn & Suites, 10728 L Street, Omaha 402-593-2380

Hampton Inn, 12331 Southport Parkway, La Vista 402-895-2900

Hampton Inn, 17606 Arbor Plaza, Omaha 402-330-9500

# FUN RUNS!

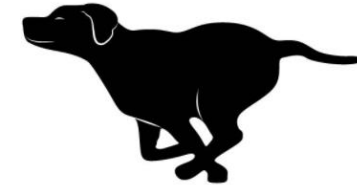
**We will be offering Fun Runs on Friday (10/15).**

Cost: \$7.00/run

First come first serve from 12:30pm until 5:00pm.  
(Must be inspected by 4:45pm to run)

Dog must be 12 months of age or older to participate in the fun run and will be inspected prior to each run.

\*\*\*Dogs do not need to be registered with the AKC for the Fun Run. Purebred and mixes are welcome. \*\*\*



## Official American Kennel Club Lure Coursing Entry Form

Club: Go Dogs Omaha	Date:	Event #: <small>(Please indicate SATISUN and AUMPM below)</small>	
Location: Chalco Hills Recreation Area		Event type (test or trial): <input type="checkbox"/> Test <input type="checkbox"/> Trial	
Stakes: <input type="checkbox"/> JC <input type="checkbox"/> CAT <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FCAT <input type="checkbox"/> QC <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran	Breed:	Amount of entry fees enclosed: \$	
Breeder:	AKC No.    PAL/JLP No.    Foreign & List Country:	Date of Birth:	
<b>Call Name:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sex:
Name of Jr. Handler (if any):		Jr Handler #:	
<b>Full Name of Dog:</b>			
Sire:			
Dam:			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:		State:	Zip:
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Trial:		<input type="checkbox"/> Please Separate My Entries.	
<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><b>AGREEMENT</b></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, club 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 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:	

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Entry for: (Check all test that you are entering for this dog)

Saturday AM     Saturday PM

Sunday AM     Sunday PM

Sunday PM

Dog's Height \_\_\_\_\_