

CAJUN COWBOY CLUSTER
c/o Mark Tilly
528 Pershing Hwy.
Sunset, LA 70584

REMINDER!!! CLOSING DATE IS WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 5, 2016.

The Cajun Cowboy Cluster Premium List

AKC All Breed Obedience & Rally Trials

FIVE Trials in ONE WEEKEND!!!

Obedience and Rally entries close Wednesday October 5, 2016 or when the hourly limit (4 hours per judge, per trial) has been reached, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11 of the AKC Dog Show Rules.

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

Friday, October 21, 2016 – Acadiana Kennel Club

Obedience Event #2016059606 Rally Event #2016059607

Saturday, October 22, 2016 – Acadiana Kennel Club

Obedience Event #2106059608 Rally Event #2016059610

Saturday, October 22, 2016 – Calcasieu Kennel Club, Inc.

Obedience Event #2016098106 Rally Event #2016098108

Sunday, October 23, 2016 – Calcasieu Kennel Club, Inc.

Obedience Event #2016098107 Rally Event #2016098109

Sunday, October 23, 2016 – Acadiana Kennel Club

Obedience Event #2016059609 Rally Event #2016059611

These events are accepting entries for mixed breed dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners Program

Separate fee for each dog, each trial

First Entry of Each Dog each Trial -- \$28.00 (includes all applicable AKC fees)

Second Entry of Same Dog for Same Trial -- \$22.00 (includes all applicable AKC fees)

Rayne Civic Center

300 Frog Festival Drive, Rayne, LA 70578

All events will be held in a climate-controlled facility.



Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for holding of these events under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.
 James P. Crowley, Secretary



Calcasieu Kennel Club, Inc. Officers

PO Box 5471, Lake Charles, LA 70606-5471

Milford ColePresident
Gene Bouquet.....Vice President
Jane Allums.....Treasurer
Sallie Shepherd....PO Box 5471, Lake Charles LA 70606-5471.....Secretary
Mandi Richard, Sharon Bacon, Nancy Pearson.....Board Members



Acadiana Kennel Club, Inc. Officers

Mark Tilly.....President
Cynthia Tilly.....Vice-President
Kim Murphy.....Treasurer
Margaret Tauzin.....Secretary
Lee Ann Stagg, Claude Martin, Rachel Girior..... Board Members

Calcasieu Kennel Club Trial Committee

Darrell Cormier...Chairperson.....(337) 515-0718, **08cosada1989@gmail.com**
PO Box 5471, Lake Charles, LA 70606-5471
Judy Krall, Glenn Krall and Sallie Shepherd

Acadiana Kennel Club Trial Committee

Cynthia Tilly.....(337) 257-5987, **woodcreekymar@gmail.com**
PO Box 80326, Lafayette, LA 70598-0326
Lee Ann Stagg, Mark Tilly and Kim Murphy

Trial Secretary

Mark Tilly, 528 Pershing Hwy., Sunset, LA 70584
(337) 257-5988 woodcreek@outlook.com, woodcreekymar@gmail.com,
woodcreek@atvci.net

Entries will be accepted by the first received method. **DO NOT** send entries via Express Mail, Federal Express or UPS that **require a signature**. There are no online entries. No Credit Card or Paypal payments accepted.

All lunches will include a salad, bread, beverage and dessert.

I am requesting _____ large portion sausage jambalaya lunch(es) for Saturday @ \$7.00 each.

I am requesting _____ large portion chili and fruit cocktail lunch(es) for Sunday @ \$7.00 each.

Name(s)

Include this form and separate check **made out to** Calcasieu Kennel Club to Calcasieu Kennel Club, PO Box 5471, Lake Charles, LA 70606.

Lunches must be paid for by Wednesday, October 1st . **A very limited** number of lunches **may** be available on site for an \$8 donation.

We have **reserved 10 full service RV hook-ups for \$20.00 per calendar day**. Payment for RV parking may be pre-paid (appreciated) or paid when you arrive. Make checks payable to Acadiana Kennel Club and **send as separate check with your Obedience & Rally entry fees**.

I will need an RV hook-up for _____ days @ \$20.00 per calendar day.

Name: _____

Email and/or Cell phone #: _____



The members of Acadiana and Calcasieu Kennel Clubs cordially invite you to our Obedience and Rally Events. The Cajun Cowboy Cluster is unique. Where else in this vicinity are you able to compete in five trials in just three days? That's a great potential for a lot of titles in three short days. Check out the very generous cash prizes too.

Please join us for this memorable event.

Obedience & Rally judging starts at 1pm on Friday and at 8am and 1pm on Saturday and Sunday trials.



Obedience/Rally Classes Offered

Acadiana Kennel Club

Obedience – Novice A & B, Open A & B, Utility A&B, UDX
Pre-Novice, Pre-Open, Pre-Utility,

Rally – Novice, Advanced, Excellent

Calcasieu Kennel Club, Inc.

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Obedience/Rally Ribbons/Awards

Ribbons will be awarded as follows in each class: 1st—Blue, 2nd—Red, 3rd—Yellow, 4th—White. A Dark Green ribbon will be awarded for all dogs receiving a qualifying score. A New Title rosette will be awarded for all dogs receiving a new title. All ribbons/awards will be forfeited if not picked up by 30 minutes after the end of the last event of the trial.

Number of Rings

There will be three (3) rings 40' x 50' running simultaneously.
There will also be a warm-up ring indoors available during trial hours.

Judges

Mr. Curt Allen Curtis #5317.....7255 Bates Road S., Salem, OR 97306
 Mr. Carl P. Lentz #7594.....7162 SW 180th, Aloha, OR 97007
 Mr. Robert M. Margolis #5214.....13324 Sutton Street, Cerritos, CA 90703

	Friday AKC	Saturday AKC	Saturday CKC	Sunday CKC	Sunday AKC
OBEDIENCE	#2016059606	#2106059608	#2016098106	#2016098107	#2016059609
Novice A	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz
Novice B	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz
Open A	Margolis	Lentz	Margolis	Lentz	Curtis
Open B	Lentz	Curtis	Lentz	Curtis	Margolis
Utility A	Lentz	Curtis	Lentz	Curtis	Margolis
Utility B	Margolis	Lentz	Margolis	Lentz	Curtis
Pre Novice	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz
Pre Open	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz
Pre Utility	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz
RALLY	#2016059607	#2016059610	#2016098108	#2016098109	#2016059611
Novice A&B	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz
Advanced A&B	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz
Excellent A&B	Curtis	Margolis	Curtis	Margolis	Lentz

(In case of a tie for Highest Scoring in Trial, High Combined, etc., the run-off will be judged by the judge from Utility B for that trial.)

If entering Rally Advanced or Rally Excellent, be sure to **include your jump height** in the appropriate box on the entry form.

Obedience/Rally Move-ups

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner provided the time limit for the judge has not been reached. The request must be made to the Trial Secretary no later than noon, Monday, October 17, 2016 to be included in the Judging Schedule. Dogs qualifying for a title on October 21, 22, or 23 may be moved up to a higher class for the following trials provided the request is made to the Trial Secretary in writing at the trial site at least one hour prior to the start of judging at each trial and provided that the time limit for the judges has not been reached.

Obedience/Rally AKC Fee Notice

Entry Fees for Obedience/Rally include a \$3.50 Event Service Fee for each entry of each dog each trial and a \$0.50 Recording Fee for each dog entered in obedience. These fees are included in the entry fee.

***Directions to Rayne Civic Center
 300 Frog Festival Drive, Rayne, LA 70578***

Traveling east on I-10: Take Exit 87 (LA 35 S/LA 98 E) onto Hwy 98. Take a right onto W. Oak Street at the light and veer right onto Gossen Memorial Drive.

Traveling west on I-10: Take Exit 87 (LA 35 S/LA 98 E) and go under the overpass. Take a right onto W. Oak Street at the light and veer right onto Gossen Memorial Drive.

Prizes - Prizes – Prizes – Prizes
 *\$50.00 and a rosette for High-In-Trial for each Trial
 *\$50.00 and a rosette for High Combined for each Trial

- *1st Place in each class at each trial a rosette and a toy will be provided by the Cajun Cowboy Cluster.
- *2nd, 3rd and 4th Class Placements, at each Acadiana KC Trial, a toy will be provided by the Acadiana Kennel Club.
- *2nd, 3rd and 4th Class Placements, at each Calcasieu KC Trial, a toy will be provided by the Calcasieu Kennel Club.
- *1st Place in Novice A and Open A, at each trial, an Obedience Trial Record Book.
- *High Combined in Rally Advanced B & Excellent B at each trial, \$10 provided by the Cajun Cowboy Cluster
- *A New Title rosette for exhibitors earning a new title

**Cajun Cowboy Cluster will have an OC Match
on Friday, October 21, 2016, and Saturday, October 22, 2016.**

Entry fees: Obedience

Pre Entry: \$5 for 5 minutes, \$10 for 10 minutes (max. 10 minutes)

At Door: \$7 for 5 minutes, \$12 for 10 minutes (max. 10 minutes)

Rule 1: 2nd runs will follow the completion of first runs.

Rule 2: Must be present for your turn, or you will be moved to the end of the list.

Rule 3: No food allowed on any equipment or on mats.

Rule 4: You are not guaranteed to practice in the same ring in which you will be showing.

*(There is a limit of one run per class per dog, but
if time permits after ALL runs are completed, additional minutes may be purchased.)*

Rings: 4 Obedience rings will be available; no callers provided.

Beginning: 30 minutes after the completion of High Combined & High in Trial for the last Trial of the day.

Mail Pre-Entry Forms to:

Darrell Cormier

713 John Stine Rd., Westlake LA 70669

08cosada1989@gmail.com

(Make checks payable to Calcasieu Kennel Club)

[Fill out and mail the Pre-Entry Form/s with payment to the above address,
for each dog]

(If time is still available, entries will be taken at the trial site.)

**PRE-ENTRY FORM IS SEPARATE FROM THIS
DOCUMENT AND WILL BE E-MAILED TO YOU
ALONG WITH THE PREMIUM LIST IF YOU WERE
AN EXHIBITOR IN THE PAST. IF YOU ARE A NEW
EXHIBITOR TO OUR CLUSTER YOU CAN ACCESS
THE FORM ON THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE.**

www.calcasieukc.com

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering these events the exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of the sport and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all exercises safely.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused or barred from competition by the action(s) of the Trial Committee persons for that trial.
- Entries must be made on official AKC entry forms or copies and **MUST** include the AGREEMENT AND RULES, all information filled out correctly, and a valid signature. Entries with missing information will be returned. Make certain to use the **UDX** check box if it is appropriate for your combined Open and Utility entries.
- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites or any communicable disease and have appropriate vaccinations.
- The Cajun Cowboy Cluster may decline entries for just cause. It may refuse to receive entries or may remove any dog on account of aggression, disease, deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No one shall have a claim or recourse against Calcasieu Kennel Club, Inc., Acadiana Kennel Club, or any official thereof.
- Bitches in season are not allowed for any of these events. Entry fees will be returned for bitches coming in season after entries close if written certification from a veterinarian is presented to the Trial Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of judging for the first class of the trial.
- It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and their children. Any exhibitor whose dog or child creates unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engages in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee members, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.
- No entry fees will be refunded if the events can not open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an Act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the Cajun Cowboy Cluster.
- No entries shall be made, and no entries shall be accepted, which specify any conditions as to their acceptance.
- The Cajun Cowboy Cluster does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the official AKC entry form for any of these events.
- All dogs must be on a leash at all times when on the grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing in the ring.
- The Cajun Cowboy Cluster reserves the right to substitute any trophy with one of equal or greater value.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

- Exhibitors are responsible for picking up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the trial grounds.
- There is no bleacher seating. Exhibitors are welcome to bring their own chairs.
- The Cajun Cowboy Cluster and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children.
- Exhibitors are responsible at all events for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to exhibit. Judges are not required to hold up a class for tardiness. No public address system shall be used to notify individual exhibitors that they should be at ringside.
- Obedience/Rally events are open to all pure-bred dogs the age of 6 months or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or are registered breeds that have obtained AKC ILP/PAL or to mixed breeds that have obtained Canine Partner numbers, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. All dogs should be physically sound, and no dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registered breeds that may participate. Puppies under six months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary of the event will add a collection fee of \$25.00 to the amount for each returned check.
- For the safety of children, no strollers will be allowed at the trial site.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP?

If you enjoy helping with trials and would like to help with any of our events, please complete the form below.

Name _____ Phone No. (____) _____

E-MAIL _____

I am willing to help with: (circle one or more)

	Experienced					Willing to learn				
	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
Obedience Inside Steward	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun
Obedience Table Steward	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun
Rally Outside Steward	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun
Rally Timer	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Fri	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun

Friday afternoon I am entered in _____

Saturday morning I am entered in _____

Saturday afternoon I am entered in _____

Sunday morning I am entered in _____

Sunday afternoon I am entered in _____

If you would like to volunteer, contact the Volunteer Coordinator, Sandy Cormier, you may call (337) 532-0046 or contact her at 08cosada1989@gmail.com. Mail this sign-up sheet to CKC, Inc., 713 John Stine Rd., Westlake, LA 70669.

In Case of an Emergency

TRIAL VETERINARIAN

(on-call during normal business hours)

Acadia Animal Medical Center

284 Llama Rd.
Rayne, LA 70578
(337) 334-9631

Lafayette Small Animal Emergency Clinic

(after normal business hours)

206 Winchester Drive
Lafayette, LA 70506
(337) 989-0992

See the Trial Secretary for Directions

Emergency Services

City of Rayne Fire Dept.....911
Acadian Ambulance.....911
City of Rayne Police Dept.....911

**American Legion Hospital, 1305 Crowley Rayne Hwy,
Crowley, LA (337) 783-3222**

HOTELS AND MOTELS THAT *WILL* ACCEPT DOGS

LaQuinta Inn,
2100 NE Evangeline Thwy.
Lafayette, LA
(337) 233-5610

No pet fee – **Cut off date, 9-20-2016**

There are 20 rooms @ \$54.00 (plus tax) a night.

Reservation method: Please instruct your guests to contact the hotel directly or our Group Desk at 1-800-642-4239, Option 1 and ask for the special rate for Acadiana/Calcasieu Kennel Club. Reservations must be made no later than 9/20/2016 in order to guarantee this special rate.

Note to exhibitors: Make your reservations as early as you can because the Crowley Rice Festival is going on the same time as these trials and a lot of the motel rooms are taken during the same weekend.

You must **make reservations by** the dates listed above to be guaranteed a room.

Raffle Table

A raffle table sponsored by Calcasieu Kennel Club and Acadiana Kennel Club will be available, and winning tickets will be drawn about noon on Sunday. Winners will have until 5:00pm Sunday to pick up their items. After 5:00pm Sunday, the items not picked up will become the property of the Cajun Cowboy Cluster.

Tickets will be
1 - \$1.00
6 - \$5.00
13 - \$10.00
30 - \$20.00

At the end of each trial there will be a “NQ Drawing” for those that did not qualify in any class. That winner will receive a bottle of wine.

Rayne Civic Center Information

- Concessions will be available beginning at 11:00am on Friday and 7:30am on Saturday and Sunday. See form on page 15 for lunch info
- Limited electrical outlets will be available. Electrical extension cords will not be provided.
- Ample parking will be available.
- Limited vendor booth space is available. Contact Darrell Cormier for reservations.
(337) 515-0718 – 08cosada1989@gmail.com
- Exhibitors may set up dog crates starting at 10:00am on Friday, October 21, 2016. The building opens at 6:30am on Saturday and Sunday. The building will be locked 30 minutes after the conclusion of the matches on Friday and Saturday and one hour after completion of all judging on Sunday.
- No dogs may be left overnight.
- If necessary, you may be asked to stack your crates.

AGILITY TRIALS NOTICE

Calcasieu Kennel Club based in Lake Charles, LA will hold agility trials on November 25-27, 2016. Judge is Laura English from Evansville, IN. For more information, contact Sallie Shepherd (337) 304-5788, ckcevents@yahoo.com, or www.calcasieukc.com

Acadiana Kennel Club based in Lafayette, LA will hold agility trials on February 24, 25 and 26, 2017. The judge will be Jacqueline O'Neill from Bloomburg, PA. For more information, contact Cindy Tilly at woodcreekymar@gmail.com.