



Town & Country Kennel Club
WCRL Sanctioned Trial
November 4 & 5, 2017
Puppy, Intro, Levels 1, 2, 3, Veteran
Two Trials each day, 130 runs per day



This is a titling event under World Cynosport Rally Limited rules and regulations.
 Open to all dogs of any breed and any ability – including mixed breeds and disabled dogs.
 Go to www.rallydogs.com for more information.

Town & Country Kennel Club

2507 Fox Creek Road
 Bloomington, IL 61704

www.tckc.org

Trial Secretary: Tina Ellis

Contact Email tckcrally@gmail.com

Entries Open: Immediately Entries submitted via FedEx or Express Mail will be accepted only if the signature waiver is signed. No telephone, email, or fax entries will be accepted.	Closing Date: October 25, 2017 Entries must be received no later than October 25, 2017. If the trial is not full, Day of show entries will be accepted. Please check with Trial Secretary to verify available openings for Day of Show entries.
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This is an Indoor trial on ½” rubber matting.

Trial Schedule

Trial 2 will begin after Trial 1 is completed.

November 4, 2017			
Trial # 1 - 8:00 a.m.		Trial # 2 – Follows conclusion of Trial # 1	
Puppy	Pamela Rice	Puppy	Jane Clark
Intro	Pamela Rice	Intro	Jane Clark
Level 1	Pamela Rice	Level 1	Jane Clark
Level 2	Pamela Rice	Level 2	Jane Clark
Veteran	Pamela Rice	Veteran	Jane Clark
Level 3	Pamela Rice	Level 3	Jane Clark

November 5, 2017			
Trial # 1 - 8:00 a.m.		Trial # 2 – Follows conclusion of Trial # 1	
Puppy	Jane Clark	Puppy	Pamela Rice
Intro	Jane Clark	Intro	Pamela Rice
Level 1	Jane Clark	Level 1	Pamela Rice
Level 2	Jane Clark	Level 2	Pamela Rice
Veteran	Jane Clark	Veteran	Pamela Rice
Level 3	Jane Clark	Level 3	Pamela Rice

Trial Committee

Jean Andrew, Diana Krieg, Tina Ellis, Kathy LeBreton, Pamela Morris, Mary Ondeck,
Gail Vlahovich, Barb Woods

Co-Chairs: Barb Woods 309-825-2783 and Gail Vlahovich 309-824-9533 **Trial Secretary:** Tina Ellis 309-378-2314

Committee Contact Email: tckcrally@gmail.com

Facility

Doors Open at 7:00 a.m. Please do not arrive prior to this time.

- Plenty of indoor crating is available.
- Please pick up after your dog.
- Be sure to bring water for your dog.

Check-In

Check-In begins at 7:15 a.m. General briefing, Judge's briefing, and walk-throughs will begin at 7:40 a.m.

Entries limited to 130 runs. Move-ups will be allowed between trials both in Level and in Class. Move-overs from A to B class are mandatory and will be made day-of-trial by Show Secretary.

Food

A complimentary, continental breakfast will be provided. Curbside Grillin', a food truck, will be available on site for lunch. There are also fast food restaurants within 5-10 minutes of the show site.

Awards

Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs with a qualifying score of 170 or above. Rosettes will be awarded for placements, New Titles, Championships, ARCH, ARCHX, ARCHEX, and ARCHMX. Teams achieving an ARCHEX or ARCHMX will also receive a plaque. We will offer a "Rally Rookie" award to the highest scoring dog in Level 1A each day.

Raffle

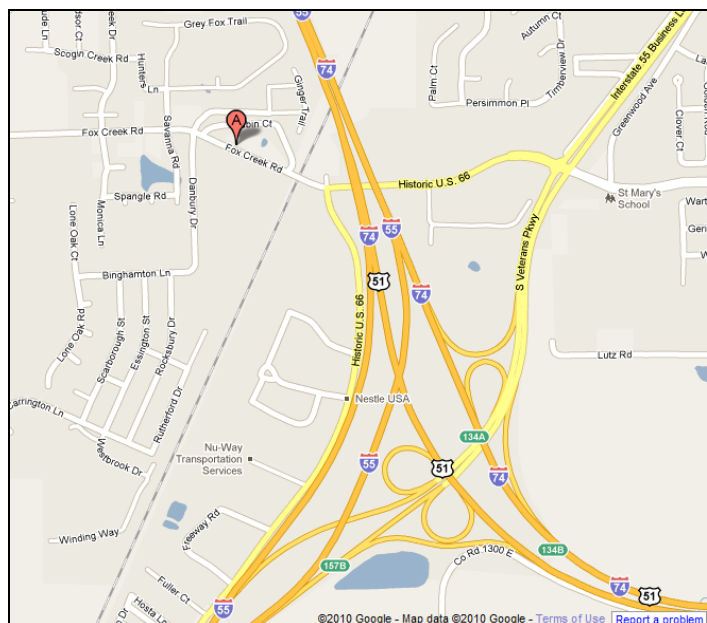
A raffle with Rally items will be held on Saturday only. We will offer an NQ Raffle both days. We will also hold a Poop Raffle. Each time you pick up after your dog (or someone else's) you get a ticket.

Directions to the Show Site

Directions:

From the North: I-55S and I-74S to Bloomington merge. Follow signs for Rt. 51 South to Decatur and I-74S towards Champaign.

All: Exit I-55/I-74 at Veterans Parkway. Stay in the left lane and turn left at the first light onto Fox Creek Road. Follow Fox Creek Road 0.8 miles to TCKC, a large beige and brown steel building on the right; parking lot is just past the building.



Hotel/Motel Information

Note: We have done our best to check current pet policies at these hotels. However, since policies can change without notice, we recommend confirming the pet policy when you make your reservation. Some hotels might have a “pet fee”.

Please do not leave your dogs unattended in rooms, and respect hotel policies regarding pets. Clean up after your dog so exhibitors will be able to use the hotels in the future.

Ramada Limited

919 Maple Hill Rd.
Bloomington, IL 61704
(309) 828-0900

Holiday Inn – Airport

3202 East Empire Street
Bloomington, IL 61704
(309) 662-4700

La Quinta Inn

505 Brock Drive
Bloomington, IL 61701
(309) 828-6000

Country Inn & Suites (West)

923 Maple Hill Road
Bloomington, IL 61704
(309) 828-7177

Quality Inn

1803 East Empire Street
Bloomington, IL 61704
(309) 662-7100

Eastland Suites

1801 Eastland Dr.
Bloomington, IL 61704
(309) 662-0000

Emergency Veterinary Care

Emergency veterinary care may be found at:

Animal Emergency Clinic

Ph: (309) 665-5020

2505 E. Oakland Ave.
Bloomington, IL 61701

Friday 6PM – Sat. 8AM
Sat. Noon - Mon. 8AM

Highland Pet Hospital & Wellness Center

Ph: (309) 828-7722

118 Greenwood Ave.
Bloomington, IL 61704

Sat. 8AM – Noon

Rally Class Description

For a complete description of the Rally rules, regulations, performance guidelines, explanation of exercises, etc. go to www.rallydogs.com. To learn more and get new ideas, you can join the “All Dogs” Rally chat list and talk to other World Cynosport Rally Limited enthusiasts by sending a message to RallyO-All-Dogs-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

You must be familiar with all the Rally exercise signs, as well as the Rally Rules and Guidelines prior to the event. Go to www.rallydogs.com for an explanation of each of the exercise signs and have fun practicing them with your dog.

A and B Classes

“A” classes are for dogs that have NOT earned the base level title for that level (i.e., RL1, RL2, RL3, RLV).

“B” classes are for dogs that have completed that base level title for that level.

Jump Heights (Effective July 1, 2017)

Dogs are not required to be measured the day of the trial or prior to judging. However, judges have the option to measure any dog prior to his/her performance if the dog appears to be entered in a group lower than might be indicated by his/her registered shoulder height. Jump heights may also be modified or the jump exercise excused entirely based on physical challenges (e.g. age, disability such as blindness, or use of a mobility device) that a particular dog may face.

The following table shows the recommended and minimum allowable jump heights based upon the dog's height at the withers. The selected jump height shall be indicated on the Entry Form. The "minimum allowable jump height" for each height category is the minimum height permitted without a Request for Modification being made. A handler may select a higher height at their sole discretion, but must have designated the height on the entry form.

Height at Withers	Minimum Allowable Jump Height	Recommended Jump Height
12" or less	4"	4"
16" or less	4"	8"
20" or less	8"	12"
Over 20"	12"	16"

Veteran Class (Effective July 1, 2017)

Veteran class is open to all dogs over the age of 8; dogs 90 lbs or more may enter Veteran at age 6 years, and dogs 50 lbs or less than 90 lbs may enter at age 7 years. A Veteran Level course will consist of 12 exercises from any Level, plus Start, Finish and a Bonus Exercise from any Level. Please see the Rally Rules and Guidelines on Level Veteran for more details.

Puppy Level Note

Puppy Level (along with RLP and RLPX titles) will be continued until December 31, 2017, after which it will be discontinued and replaced by Intro class. If an RLP is not earned by end of 2017, any Qs earned toward the RLP between July 1 and December 31, 2017, will be converted to Intro Qs in 2018.

Intro Class (Effective July 1, 2017)

Intro class may be offered, at host's discretion, on the same course as Puppy Level. (Puppy Level will be discontinued starting January 1, 2018. See Puppy Level Note above.)

Intro class is open to dogs 6 months or older, but dogs who have earned the RL1 or higher are not eligible for placement awards, if offered, in this class. There is no separation of Intro class into A and B classes. Titles: Any legs earned in Intro class in 2017 will be recorded, but Intro titles will not be issued until 2018.

Exercise Amendments (Effective September 1, 2017)

- Discontinued exercise:
 - #44—Halt, Leave, Call Front While Running

- [Optional] New exercises allowed:
 - Veer 45° Right (174)
 - Veer 45° Left (176)
 - Mini-Spiral Right (182)
 - Mini-Spiral Left (184)
 - Figure 8 (186)

Notice to Competitors

Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of WCRL/APDT rules and regulations (see www.rallydogs.com), including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry:

- This trial is open to a dog at least six months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season or dogs with disabilities, injuries, or illnesses which may cause the dog pain or great discomfort, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression that threaten the safety of other dogs or humans.
- All dogs shall be shown in a flat buckle or snap collar, plain harness, or properly fitted Martingale (limited slip) collar. No choke collar, prong collars, shock collars, no-pull harnesses, Martingale leads, or head collars are allowed.
- All dogs must be registered with World Cynosport Rally Limited (or previously APDT Rally) or United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. on the day of competition. We regret we cannot accept an entry without a valid WCRL/APDT/USDAA registration number. See www.rallydogs.com to register online, or complete the form included in this premium list and submit it to the WCRL office.
- *All WCRL registration numbers are six (6) digits. If you have not logged into your WCRL account to find the WCRL registration number, contact Ann Allums at the WCRL Office (cs@rallydogs.com), or use the following conversion: If your dog's APDT # is R-08-0956, the WCRL # is 800956. If your dog's APDT # is R-13-10956, the WCRL # is 810956.*
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times. Handlers, through entry at this event, accept full responsibility for themselves and the actions of their dogs.
- The organizing committee may refuse any entry for any reason.
- THERE SHALL BE NO REFUND for entries withdrawn after the closing date or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason for such dismissal. A dog or handler who suffers an injury and/or illness or bitches that come into season after the closing date may be eligible for a 50% refund of their total entry fee. Written request for refund must be made to the Trial Secretary BEFORE the end of the event. Please provide documentation from your veterinarian/physician. There will be no refunds if the trial has to be cancelled for any reason.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a **\$35.00** service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark of notice of returned check where notification is received after event date. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is cancelled without recourse by owner/handler.
- No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, Act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers.
- All competitors through entry at this event grant to World Cynosport Rally Limited, their representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia or identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission, or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known and waive any and all rights relative thereto.
- All competitors through entry at this event grant to World Cynosport Rally Limited, their representatives, agents, and assigns, hereby release WCRL, the hosting club, their representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality, or any similar right.
- Competitors shall have the right to videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be videotaped for commercial or other purposes without the express written consent of World Cynosport Rally Limited.
- Upon successful completion of a Stationary exercise, the owner may choose to briefly pet or touch the dog as a reward. The owner may also choose to give the dog food as a reward. Food may NOT be used as a lure to help the dog complete an exercise. Food rewards must be contained in pockets and only be present in the owner's hand at the completion of any Stationary exercise. Any petting, touching, or feeding that significantly interrupts the flow of performance shall be scored accordingly. Veteran and Puppy classes allow food rewards to be used more liberally.
- Dogs must remain under control at all times whether on or off leash while on trial site grounds. Day kenneling only is permitted.
- Please pick up after your dog and yourself.

Official World Cynosport Rally Limited Entry Form

Town & Country Kennel Club • November 4 & 5, 2017

• Entries Close: October 25, 2017 unless trial does not fill

Return completed entry and payment to: Tina Ellis, 19296 Lakewood Dr., Bloomington, IL 61705

Entry forms are per team; please submit a full 2-page entry for each team to be entered.

Dog Information

Call Name:	Height at withers:	*WCRL or USDAA Registration # _____
Breed:	Dog's Date of Birth:	Circle Jump Height (Levels 2 & 3) 4" 8" 12" 16"
<i>*Dogs must have a WCRL or USDAA registration number. Entries will not be accepted or considered valid without a registration number. To register, go to www.rallydogs.com or use the Dog Registration Form in this premium. For dogs with both a WCRL and USDAA number, the WCRL number must be used to enter a WCRL event in order for the scores to be credited to the proper record.</i>		

Owner/Handler Information

Owner's Name:	Handler's Name: <small>(if different from Owner; must be an immediate family member)</small>
Address:	City: State: Zip:
Phone Day: Evening:	E-Mail:

Entries are accepted on a first-come-first-served basis. E-mail confirmations will be sent out as soon as your entry has been received. Please include a valid E-mail address, or self-addressed postcard. Entries received after closing date will be accepted only if limits have not been reached.

Trial Entry Information

Please circle "A" or "B" for each class you would like to enter, for Intro, mark X.

"A" class is for Titling. "B" class is for Championships.

Saturday, November 4, 2017			
Trial 1 – 8:00 a.m.		Trial 2 – Follows Trial 1	
Puppy	A or B	Puppy	A or B
Intro	X See Below	Intro	X See Below
Level 1	A or B	Level 1	A or B
Level 2	A or B	Level 2	A or B
Veteran	A or B	Veteran	A or B
Level 3	A or B	Level 3	A or B

Sunday, November 5, 2017			
Trial 1 – 8:00 a.m.		Trial 2 – Follows Trial 1	
Puppy	A or B	Puppy	A or B
Intro	X See Below	Intro	X See Below
Level 1	A or B	Level 1	A or B
Level 2	A or B	Level 2	A or B
Veteran	A or B	Veteran	A or B
Level 3	A or B	Level 3	A or B

INTRO: Intro class has no A or B split. If entering Intro, indicate highest title earned: _____

Entry Fees

Total Number of Classes Entered: _____ Pre-Entry: \$20 per class Level Special: 4 Classes at one Level - \$75 Weekend Special: 12 Classes - \$210 Day of Show (if show isn't full) - \$23 per class Make checks payable to TCKC	\$
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Please circle the appropriate title(s) you anticipate earning at this trial.

RL1 RL2 RL3 RL1X RL2X RL3X RLP RLPX RLI RLV RLVX ARCH ARCHX ARCHEX
ARCHMX

GENERAL AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that Town & Country Kennel Club has the right to refuse this entry for any cause, which the organizing committee alone shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, of the holding of the event, and of the opportunity to have the dog participate and/or to be judged, I (we) agree to hold the organizing committee, the hosting club, World Cynosport Rally Limited, including their members, officers, directors, agents and employees, sponsors of the event, and owners of the premises upon which the event is held and their employees, harmless from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, appearance, theft, damage, or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify 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 resulting at any time 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, howsoever such injuries, death, or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

I (we) further acknowledge that I (we) have read, understand, and will abide by the Official Rally Rules and Regulations of World Cynosport Rally Limited and the provisions for entry as set forth in the Rally Test Schedule of which this entry form is a part. I (we) acknowledge and represent that the information supplied by me (us) herein is correct to the best of my (our) knowledge; if any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my (our) entry, such finding shall render my (our) entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid. Further, I (we) represent that I am (we are) the owner(s) of the dog listed hereon, or that I (we) am are a family member of the dog's owner as stated and allowed in the World Cynosport Rally Limited rules, and that I (we) shall hold the hosting club and WCRL, including their officers, directors, employees and agents and their sponsors, harmless from any liability or claim made by dog's owner.

Further, I (we) hereby grant to World Cynosport Rally Limited, Town & Country Kennel Club, their representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia or identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission, or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known. I (we) hereby release WCRL, the hosting club, their representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality, or any similar right.

Signature:

Date:

↓Parent or Legal Guardian signature for junior or minor entries:

Signature:

Date:

This signed and dated Agreement must accompany your entry form. Entries must also be received with correct fees by the closing date at the address provided. Entries will be accepted by overnight mail only if the signature requirement has been waived.

