

PREMIUM LIST
Fast Coursing Agility Tests
FAST CAT
Miniature American Shepherd
Club of the USA



(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

Tuesday, May 25, 2021
 Events #2021701926 and # 2021701958
Wednesday, May 26, 2021
 Events #2021701959 and # 2021701960

Purina Farms, 200 Checkerboard Drive
Gray Summit, MO, 63039

Masks must be worn at all times while on Purina Farms property

Field is fenced by Purina
 Lure is a Drag Line (squawker or plastic) – Provided by Don Adams
 Two tests per day – Flexible concurrent format
 Electronic Timers

Entry Method: First Received
 Entries Open **Monday, March 1, 2021 10:00 a.m.**
 Miniature American Shepherd Priority until April 1, 2021
 After April 1 open to all breeds until full
 Pre-Entries close **Friday, May 7, 2021 7:00 p.m.**

Day of Show entries accepted per Test Schedule if not full
 Dogs must be entered in other MASCUSA events to enter Day of Show
 Limited to 120 runs per test, 240 total runs
 Overlimits subject to AKC standby rules after 240 total runs.

Entries close **Friday, May 7, 2021 7:00 p.m.**
 after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted, except as provided for
 in Chapter 11, section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

Entries WILL be accepted for All American Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program



Certification: Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club
 for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and
 Regulations. Gina M. Dinardo, Executive Secretary

Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA Officers

President: Sue Ritter
 Vice President: Karen Keller-Ross
 Corresponding: Lisa Grose
 Secretary: 7315 Goodwill Church Rd, Kernesrsville, NC 27284
 Treasurer: Lisa Wilson
 Recording Secretary: Teresa Hunt
 Board of Directors: Ellen Friedman-Smith, Carol Brinson, Lorri Gordon, Monica Rinehart

Event Committee

Event Chairperson:	Gary Hoskins 29743 Carlinville Cutoff Rd, Girard, IL 62640-7035 charlie425h@outlook.com 217-801-5194
Lure Operator	Don Adams
Committee Members	Karen Pence Andrew Stover Carol Brinson Erin Skoog Teresa Hunt Donna Cary-Johnson

Test Secretary

Robert Olson, 817 Ogden Ave #3549, Lisle, IL 60532-8549
(630) 790-8426, secretary@livetrial.net

TEST FEES: \$25 per test
JUNIOR HANDLERS: Fee is half the standard fee listed above.
 (Fees include \$3.50 AKC recording fee per entry).
 Mail all entries with fees (checks or money orders only; no starter checks please)
payable to MASCUSA to:
 Robert Olson - MASCUSA, 817 Ogden Ave #3549, Lisle, IL 60532-8549.
 Hand delivery address is 22W462 Sycamore Dr. Glen Ellyn, IL 60137-7406 after
 24 hours after the opening time.

Returned checks will incur a \$30 fee

COVID-19 NOTIFICATION:

By entering or attending this trial you are acknowledging that there is an inherent risk of exposure to Covid-19. Covid-19 exists in any public place where people are present. Covid-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and in some cases death. By entering/attending this trial you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to Covid-19 and agree that MASCUSA and/or Purina are not liable for any exposure, risk or illness related to Covid-19.

THE CLUB WILL REFUND ALL BUT \$10.00 OF THE ENTRY FEE PER DAY FOR THAT DAY AND THE FOLLOWING TRIAL DAYS FOR HANDLERS WHO THINK THEY MAY HAVE COVID-19. YOU MUST CONTACT THE TRIAL SECRETARYS BY EMAIL AT LEAST 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE START OF YOUR FIRST CLASS OF THE DAY. NO DOCTORS EXCUSE NEEDED. IF YOU ARE SICK, STAY HOME!!!!

Test Schedule*

Event	Hours	Entry Close	Inspection	Start of Runs
Tues 5/25/21 FCAT 1	9 AM to finish	4 PM or at limit	8:30 AM to end of test	9 AM
Tues 5/25/21 FCAT 2	To follow 30 min after the first dog has run in test 1	4 PM or at limit	Any time after dog's 1st run and before 2 nd run	9 AM
Weds 5/26/21 FCAT 1	9 AM to finish	4 PM or at limit	8:30 AM to end of test	9 AM
Weds 5/26/21 FCAT 2	To follow 30 min after the first dog has run in test 1	4 PM or at limit	Any time after dog's 1st run and before 2 nd run	9 AM

*In concurrent format, dogs take both runs within approximately 30 minutes.

- Volunteer's dogs will be run first as to get volunteers into their assigned working area for the rest of the test.
- All handlers must have dogs inspected prior to each run.
- A handlers' meeting will be held at the start of each event
- Dogs are assigned a running order after entries are received. If late for your run time, we will try to run your dog as soon as practical after your arrival.
- Any dog not present by the time the test ends will be considered absent
- Any dog/handler competing in the Ultimate MAS Competition will have priority in the running order

Note: The speed of the Top 20 fastest dogs of each breed will be posted on the AKC website. Please check the AKC website to see how your dog compares with other dogs in your breed.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

Ribbons and Prizes

- A Light Blue Ribbon will be awarded to qualifiers.
- Title Ribbons will be awarded for new titles.
- Special awards for Miniature American Shepherds:
 - Fastest MAS – Combined Trials
 - Fastest Junior Handler Team – Combined Trials

**See our website for further information:
<http://MASCUSA.org/>**

Attention Exhibitors

These trials may be canceled in the event of extreme weather conditions. No refunds will be given if the trial cannot be held or completed due to riots, civil disturbances, an act of God, extreme or dangerous weather conditions, public emergency, or any other reason beyond the control of MASCUSA.

Acknowledgment of entries will be made as soon as practical after the closing date with the Event Program and directions to the trial site. Should such acknowledgment not be received by the exhibitor within a reasonable time, please contact the Field Secretary.

REFUNDS AND FEES: Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Test Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the test-giving club it is impossible to open or to complete the trial, no refund of entry fees will be made. Postdated and returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The test-giving Club will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check (\$30). Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a cash only basis.

Refunds for bitches in season will be refunded less \$3.50 per run, if requests are submitted to the Field Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of judging for the day and are accompanied by a veterinarian certification.

MASCUSA CLUB RULES: No smoking is permitted on the grounds. No flexi retracting leads on the trial site, Exercise your dogs only in posted areas and clean up after them! Exhibitors must exercise control over their children at all times while on the trial grounds. No gasoline or diesel generators are permitted inside of any building or within 100 feet of any tent or the test run.

MASCUSA assumes no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, their dogs or property, children or guests.

Neither the test committees nor the test-giving club will be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog on the trial grounds, whether as a result of an accident or any other cause. It is clearly understood that every dog entered in the trial is in the care, custody and control of its owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the test premises.

Exhibitors, Owners & Agents assume all responsibility for dogs & equipment on the show site.

Open to all dogs at least 1 year of age by the day of the test that are individually registered with the American Kennel Club, recorded in the FSS program, dogs with PAL numbers, and dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners program. A dog may enter only once per event. Each event has an individual event number.

Mixed breed dogs that have been listed with AKC Canine Partners may participate provided their listing number has been recorded on the entry form. Breed should be marked as "All American Dog."

Field Conditions, Fencing, and Facilities:

- Mowed grass field, mostly flat.
- The Test run lane is completely fenced in for safety.
- Field is 20' wide by 470' long
Fences are 4' in height

VETERINARIAN: (on call)

Pacific Animal Hospital, 450 West Flier Drive, Pacific, MO, (636) 257-2100
Head northwest on Checkerboard Dr; Take the 1st right onto 4 Square Dr
Turn right onto Hwy Mm/State Hwy Mm; Turn right onto MO-100 W
Turn left onto W Osage St; Turn right onto W Flier Dr; Destination will be on the left.

OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER

Pix 'n Pages Photography, www.pixnpages.com, 407.536.7297

Pix 'n Pages Photography is the official photographer for these events. No other photographer will be allowed to photograph dogs/people without the express consent of Pix 'n Pages Photography and the Show Chairperson. Anyone observed photographing these events, or any portion thereof, without permission will be asked to leave.

Pix 'n Pages Photography will also be photographing portrait sessions on request. All photos will be posted at www.pixnpages.com.



ERRORS ON ENTRIES: Owners are responsible for the accuracy of the information required on the entry form. **Changes, additions, or corrections to an entry, entry substitutions, or cancellations by the owner must be received in writing (email accepted) by the Field Secretary prior to the closing date of the trial.** Other means of notification will not be accepted.

CONDUCT: It is expressly understood that all owners/agents/exhibitors are solely responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any person(s) whose dog and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such cases no refund of any fees/monies paid will be made.

All owners/agents/exhibitors and other persons attending these trials hereby waive any claim against the club or its agents, for any losses, damages, or injuries affecting self, dogs, children, or personal property.

TEST SITE: All dogs must be held on a leash or confined to a crate except when in the ring for judging. Dogs must be on a leash when being exercised, trained or when warming up. Please maximize available crating space but do not crate within 10 feet of the ring gates. Dogs must be removed from the test grounds immediately following the end of the Test. Please be respectful and do not let your dogs eliminate by the flag poles.

MASCUSA reserves the right to remove any dog in distress in a parked vehicle or crate.

Please keep the grounds clean by picking up after yourself and your dog. Dispose of 'poop' bags in the trash containers provided there. Please keep your crating area, the test site, grounds, and motel rooms and grounds clean so we may continue to be welcomed at these facilities.

WARM-UPS and training should be conducted in a sportsman-like manner to your dog, other dogs and competitors.

VACCINATIONS: Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccines.

Basic Information about AKC Fast Cat

- 1) Fast CAT Test is a timed straight 100 yard dash for dogs. It is meant to be a fun and healthy activity of interest to any dog owner.
- 2) **Dogs run singularly.**

How are Fast CAT Points and Titles Awarded?

- 1) The dog's time to complete the 100 yard dash is converted into MPS.
- 2) A handicap system is applied to a dog's MPS to determine the number of points earned. The handicap system is based on the height of the dog at its withers.
 - a) 18 inches or greater = handicap of 1.0
 - b) 12 inches to less than 18 inches = handicap of 1.5
 - c) Below 12 inches = handicap of 2.0
- 3) Points = MPS multiplied by the dog's handicap
- 4) Fast CAT titles are suffix titles earned at designated milestones. BCAT = 150 points
DCAT = 500 points
FCAT = 1,000 points
FCAT = every additional 500 points
- 5) The top 20 fastest dogs by breeds are published on the AKC website.

Course and Equipment

- 1) **Safety:** Safety is of utmost importance. It is the responsibility of the event committee to insure the safety of the course, equipment and conduct of those involved with the event. It is recommended that the event committee run a test dog prior to the start of the event to ensure that the equipment functions properly and all personnel understand their jobs. Prior to moving the lure to position it for the start, the lure operator shall announce "hold your dogs" in order to caution owners.
- 2) **The Finish:** The club must provide enough room for a safe run-out area. MASCUSA will attempt to use a minimum of 50 yards. It is recommended an owner or someone familiar with the dog be at the finish in order to catch the dog once the course is completed. MASCUSA will attempt to provide assistance at the end of the course to collect the dogs if the owner requests it.
- 3) **Timing Devices:** MASCUSA will use electronic timers. The time to complete the 100 yard dash is recorded to the nearest 1/100th of a second. The time starts when any part of the dog breaks the electronic beam at the start line. The time stops when any part of the dog crosses the finish line. Stop watches will be used as a backup if the electronic timers don't function.
- 4) **Lure Equipment:** MASCUSA uses a drag line system with a separate mechanical lure retrieval system back to the start.
- 5) **Lure:** A white plastic bag or a squawker may be used for the lure.

The **huntmaster** has control of the course. The huntmaster is in charge of all dogs and handlers on the field, shall ensure handlers understand safe release and retrieval procedures, shall ensure the lure is properly positioned, shall ensure the lure operator, timers and starting line signal person are ready, shall signal the lure operator to start the lure and shall give the verbal signal "tallyho" to release the dog.

General:

1. Entries must be at least one year of age on the day of the test.
2. Dogs not present by the end of the test will be scratched.
3. Each entry will be examined at inspection. Inspection shall take place prior to any form of wrapping being applied to the dog. In the opinion of the inspection committee, any entry found to be lame, unfit to compete or a female in season shall not be allowed to enter and entry fees shall be refunded.
4. Dogs will be inspected before each Event.
5. Run order will be based on order set by the field committee. We will separate the running of multiple dogs handled by a single handler. If a dog is late for their run time they will run at the end of the running order.
6. 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. 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.
7. Drag line system will be used. Lure is a white plastic bag or a squawker.
8. The field committee reserves the right to bar known aggressive dogs from the event site.
9. There will be a \$5 fine assessed for any loose dog not taking part in the course in progress, or for anybody caught not picking up after their dog, or leaving garbage on the field.
10. No one will be allowed on the field without the express permission of the field chairman, except the appointed field committee.
11. Anybody exhibiting unsportsmanlike behavior will be excused from the field and may be subject to further disciplinary action.
12. Control of dogs strictly enforced, on leash at all times except when running.
13. Clean up and carry out all trash.
14. Please pick up after your dog and put in receptacles provided at site.

2021 Nationals Schedule -- Purina Farms

22-May Saturday	All breed Herding - 1 trial/test	9:00 AM Herding Complex
23-May Sunday	Mini Only Herding - 1 trial/test Farm Dog - 2 tests	9:00 AM Herding Complex
24-May Monday	All Breed Agility ACT 1 & 2 Testing Dock Diving	9:00 AM Great Hall immediately following agility Portable Dock
25-May Tuesday	2 mini only agility trials Agility Sweeps Class Fast Cat - 2 trials Regional Specialty All Regular classes, Juniors and 4-6 Beginner Puppy	8:00 AM Great Hall 9:00 AM Working Dog Field 4:00 PM Great Hall
26-May Wednesday	Scent Work - 2 trials Fast Cat - 2 trials ATT Testing - 2 tests Regional Specialty All Regular classes, Juniors and 4-6 Beginner Puppy Frisbee Throwing Seminar	8:00 AM Service Center 9:00 AM Working dog field 10:00 AM Main Show field 4:00 PM Main Show field Hosted by Wild West Evening Location TBD
27-May Thursday	2 Obedience trials 2 Rally trials UP Dog (Frisbee) Handling Seminar Top 20/Top 10	8:00 AM Great Hall 8:00 AM Great Hall 9:00 AM Working Dog Field 2:00 PM Great Hall 5:30 PM Great Hall
28-May Friday	Sweeps PeeWee Most Versatile Just For Fun Classes Annual Membership Meeting	9:00 AM 1 hour after sweeps conclusion following Most Versatile 1 hour after all classes conclude Founders room
29-May Saturday	Conformation - National Specialty	9:00 AM
All Week CGC and Trick Dog testing By Appointment		

Events, times and locations are subject to change, check final event confirmations for start times

ACCOMMODATIONS:

- **Budget Lodging**, 866 S Outer Road, St Clair, MO 63077 (I-44, Exit 240) 636-629-1000
Inform the Front Desk – “**MASCUSA Block**”
No Pet Fee – No limit of pets; Breakfast included; Fenced dog exercise area
- **Comfort Inn**, 1320 Thornton St, Pacific, MO 63069 (I-44, Exit 257) 636-257-4600
Limit 4 dogs per room
- **Eureka EconoLodge**, 1725 West Fifth St, Eureka, MO 63025 (I-44, Exit 261) 800-553-2666, 636-938-5348
- **Eureka Super 8**, 1744 West Fifth St, Eureka, MO 63025 (I-44, Exit 261) 636-938-4368
- **Quality Inn**, 1400 West Osage St, Pacific, MO 63069 (I-44, Exit 257) 636-257-8400
- **Drury Inn**, I-44 and Hwy 141, Valley Park, MO 63088 (I-44, Exit 272) 800-378-7946, 636-861-8300
- **Super 8 St Clair**, 1010 S Outer Road St, St Clair, MO 63077 (I-44, Exit 240) 800-800-8000, 636-629-8080

NOTE: Some motels may charge a pet fee or have limits on size.

PLEASE VERIFY CURRENT PET POLICIES WHEN MAKING RESERVATIONS

KOA Campground –(636) 257-3018 18475 Old Highway 66 Eureka, MO
10 miles East of Purina Farms

Jellystone Park Campground - (636) 938-5925 5300 Fox Creek Rd., Eureka MO
10 miles East of Purina Farms

FOR MORE PET FRIENDLY HOTELS and Camping GO TO:

<https://www.purina.com/purina-farms/clubs-and-exhibitors/purina-event-center#/booking-an-event>

DIRECTIONS TO Purina Farms

From St. Louis or Springfield, MO: Take I-44 to the Gray Summit exit (Highway 100). Go north and follow Hwy 100 until you spot Hwy MM and the Purina Farms sign (approximately 1/2 mile). Turn left onto Hwy. MM. Drive about one mile until you reach the Purina Farms Visitor's Center on your left. Turn left into Purina and pass thru the security checkpoint. Follow the signs to the field.

From Kansas City: Take I-70 east to the Warrenton exit at Hwy. 47. Go south on Hwy. 47 for approximately 25 miles until you reach Hwy. 100 in Washington. Turn left onto Hwy. 100 and continue to I-44 (approximately 10 miles). Go east on I-44. Follow the directions above from Springfield.



Official American Kennel Club Lure Coursing Entry Form

Club: MASCUSA	Date: 5/25/2021 <input type="checkbox"/> 5/26/2021 <input type="checkbox"/>	Event #: 2021701926 <input type="checkbox"/> 2021701959 <input type="checkbox"/>	2021701958 <input type="checkbox"/> 2021701960 <input type="checkbox"/>
Location: Gray Summit, MO		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 type="checkbox"/> FCAT <input type="checkbox"/> Q <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran	Breed:	Amount of entry fees enclosed: \$	
Breeder:	AKC No. PAL/ILP No. Foreign & List Country: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Date of Birth:	
Call Name:	AKC No:	Sex:	
Name of Jr. Handler (if any):		Jr Handler #:	
Full Name of Dog:			
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 style="text-align: center;">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:	

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Name of Jr. Handler (if any):		Jr Handler #:	
Full Name of Dog:			
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.	
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Signature of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry:			
Tel:		Email:	

MINIATURE AMERICAN SHEPHERD Club of the USA, National Specialty
May 22-29, 2021



Purina Sponsored Awards

Best of Breed

-Purina Pro Plan Best In Show Grooming Bag offered by Purina

Best of Opposite

-Purina Pro Plan Rolling Cooler Bag offered by Purina

Select Dog & Select Bitch

-Purina Pro Plan Rolling Duffel offered by Purina

Winners Dog & Winners Bitch

-Purina Pro Plan Barrel Bag and Grooming Towel offered by Purina

Best Puppy in Sweepstakes & Best Veteran In Sweepstakes & Best Bred-By-Exhibitor in Sweepstakes-

-Purina Pro Plan Barrel Bag and Grooming Towel offered by Purina

Best Junior Handler

-Purina Pro Plan Grooming Caddy & Grooming Towel offered by Purina

All Junior Handler participants (ALL EVENTS)

-Purina Pro Plan Small Towel offered by Purina

Highest Points – Most Versatile Miniature American Shepherd

-Purina Pro Plan Rolling Overnight bag offered by Purina

Ultimate Highest Points Winner-Miniature American Shepherd

-Purina Pro Plan Rolling Cooler offered by Purina

Ultimate Junior Handler

-Purina Pro Plan Rolling Cooler offered by Purina

Highest In Trial Miniature American Shepherd (Obedience)(2 trials)

Purina Pro Plan Blanket offered by Purina (Trial 2- Barrel Bag and Grooming Towel)

Highest Scoring Triple Q Miniature American Shepherd (Rally)(2 trials)

-Purina Pro Plan Barrel Bag and Grooming Towel offered by Purina (Trial 2 – Blanket)

Combined High In Trial Miniature American Shepherd (Herding)(2-Trials)

Purina Pro Plan Rolling Cooler Bag offered by Purina

Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd all Trials Combined (Agility)

-Purina Pro Plan Rolling Cooler Bag offered by Purina

Highest Scoring Preferred Miniature American Shepherd all Trials Combined (Agility)

-Purina Pro Plan Rolling Cooler Bag offered by Purina

High in Level Combined Trial Miniature American Shepherd (Agility- Novice, Open, Master, Excellent)

-Purina Pro Plan Barrel Bag and Grooming Towel offered by Purina

Fastest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd (Fast CAT)

-Purina Pro Plan Duffel Bag offered by Purina

Longest Jump Miniature American Shepherd (Dock Diving) – (both divisions)

-Purina Pro Plan Duffel Bag offered by Purina

Highest Scoring Miniature American Shepherd (Disc Dog-Combined events)

-Purina Pro Plan Duffel Bag offered by Purina

Miniature American Shepherd (Scent Work) – Novice, Advance, Excellent, Masters & Detective

-Purina Pro Plan Thermal Tote offered by Purina (5 total)

ALL PRIZES, IF NOT AWARDED IN THE RING, MUST BE PICKED UP DURING THE EVENT AT THE PRO PLAN BOOTH. PRESENTATION OF THE WINNING RIBBON IS REQUIRED. PRO PLAN RESERVES THE RIGHT TO MAKE PRIZE SUBSTITUTIONS OF EQUAL OR GREATER VALUE IN THE EVENT A SPECIFIC LISTED PRIZE IS NOT AVAILABLE. **



2021 MASCUSA Nationals

Seminar Registration

MASCUSA is pleased to offer the following Seminars for you to attend.

Frisbee Throwing Seminar

Practice your throwing skills, with our frisbee experts. Get ready to maximize the throws your dog can catch. This will be a fun evening with your fellow Miniature American Shepherd Friends. The UpDog event is on Thursday. Much of this seminar will work on your throwing skills without your dog.

Wednesday 6 PM – Camping area

_____ \$25 Pre Entry

_____ \$30 Day of Seminar

_____ Juniors Free

Conformation Handling Seminar

Do you want to improve your handling skills? Then this is the seminar for you. Our Sweeps Judge Stanley Matsumoto will work with you to improve your confidence in the ring. Do you have a new puppy that needs to get some additional ring time around other dogs? The only restriction here, is that you cannot be a professional handler to attend.

Thursday at 2 PM – Great Hall

_____ \$25 Pre Entry

_____ \$30 Day of Seminar

_____ Juniors Free

Name _____ Email _____

Junior Handler _____

Signature _____ (parent or guardian if junior handler)

Please send a Check payable to MASCUSA to:

Karen Pence

MASCUSA Seminar Registration

4100 N Greenview Ave, Chicago, IL 60618



RV PARKING RESERVATION FORM
Miniature American Shepherd National Specialty
May 22-30, 2021, Purina Farms, Gray Summit, MO

Miniature American Shepherd reservations for RV Parking are now open.

Reservation deadline May 1, 2021 – Sorry NO Exceptions.

RV Parking reservations, are 1st received!

Fee of \$40 Per Night for the Upper Full service Lot

\$25 per night for the Overflow lot (20 & 50 amp electric only)

Upper Full service Lot _____ Overflow lot _____

Name _____

Phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email: _____

Arrival Date _____ Departure Date _____

Number of Nights Reserving _____

Length of RV or Motor Home _____ License plate _____

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Names of all people Camping with you (required by Purina)

NO Refunds will be made after May 15, 2021.

If you wish to be placed together, please mail forms and payments in the same envelope.

Make checks payable to MASCUSA

Mail Reservations to:

Carol Brinson, MASCUSA RV Coordinator

3061 High Point Rd

Owenville, MO 65066

(573) 259-0500 dryforkranch1@gmail.com

Covid Disclaimer: All Covid restrictions must be followed, as put in place at the start of the event by Federal, State, local, club and Purina. Purina will require a daily health check for all people staying in the camping area

MASCUSA BOD Approved 01/19/2021



Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA, Inc.

PO Box 722, Santa Maria, CA 93456 | info@mascusa.org | mascusa.org

Membership Application

New Memberships are for the current calendar year (or three/five years), regardless of when the application is submitted, and **Renewals** are due by January 1.

NEW MEMBERS: Required to print, sign and return the form with payment to MASCUSA for approval.

RENEWALS ONLY: Electronic signatures may be submitted by returning completed PDF via email to info@mascusa.org.

- New Membership Membership Renewal Junior Membership (complete page 2)

Member Name: _____

Joint Member Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Country: _____ Phone: _____

Member Email: _____

Joint Member Email*: _____

* Two email addresses are required for both parties of a joint membership to participate in online surveys.

Members will receive the bi-weekly e-newsletter, Tuesday Talk. Visit the MASCUSA website at mascusa.org for club information and forms. MASCUSA encourages all members to get involved by serving on a committee: mascusa.org/club/committees. MASCUSA encourages all members to join or start a local affiliate club: mascusa.org/club/affiliates.

Please indicate your interests and activities with your Miniature American Shepherd:

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|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Breeding | <input type="checkbox"/> Service Dog | <input type="checkbox"/> Disc Dog | <input type="checkbox"/> Obedience/Rally |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ranch Dog | <input type="checkbox"/> Conformation | <input type="checkbox"/> Tracking | <input type="checkbox"/> Therapy Dog |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flyball | <input type="checkbox"/> Agility | <input type="checkbox"/> Herding | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

I/we agree to abide by the Constitution, Bylaws, and the Code of Ethics of the Miniature American Shepherd Club of the USA and I am in good standing with the American Kennel Club. I/we agree to receive club communications, surveys, and ballots, electronically. I understand that membership is not granted automatically and will be published before being approved in accordance with the Bylaws.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Membership Types & Dues

- Individual: \$25 1 yr / \$65 3 yrs / \$100 5 yrs (circle one)
 Joint: \$40 1 yr / \$100 3 yrs / \$160 5 yrs (circle one)
 Associate: \$20 1 yr / \$50 3 yrs / \$80 5 yrs (circle one)

Individual: Open to all persons eighteen years of age or older, residing in the United States. Individual memberships are entitled to one (1) vote and are eligible to hold office.
Joint: Open to persons eighteen years of age or older residing in the United States and residing in the same household. Joint memberships are entitled to two (2) votes and are each eligible to hold office, but not simultaneously.
Associate: Open to all persons 18 years of age or older, residing in the United States or in a foreign country. These members are non-voting/non-office holding memberships.

Make check or money order for USD payable to: MASCUSA. Mail application and fee to: MASCUSA Secretary, PO Box 722, Santa Maria, CA 93456. Registration fee must accompany the application unless paying by PayPal. If making payment by PayPal, please check the box below and initial. PayPal invoices will include a 6% charge for domestic applications and a 8% charge for International applications. A \$25.00 fee will be charged for all returned checks.

I request a PayPal invoice be sent to email: _____

I understand there are charges added for this service. (Please check the box and initial here _____)



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Junior Membership Application

Open to children under 18 years of age and must be sponsored by at least one member in good standing. Junior memberships are non-voting/non-office holding memberships. Junior membership may automatically convert to regular at the age of 18.

Junior memberships require an adult member to sponsor and a parent or guardian's signature. Adult sponsors may apply for membership at the same time as the Junior Member using the application on the previous page. The adult sponsor must pay for their membership. Junior memberships are free and do not have voting privileges, but they may participate in membership surveys. Junior members may participate in the Championship and Merit programs and will receive discounts on special events hosted by MASCUSA.

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP IS FREE!

Junior Member Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Country: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Please indicate your interests and activities with your Miniature American Shepherd:

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|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ranch Dog | <input type="checkbox"/> Conformation | <input type="checkbox"/> Tracking | <input type="checkbox"/> Therapy Dog |
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Junior Signature: _____ Date: _____

Sponsor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Membership Dues: FREE for Junior Membership