

Columbia Canine Sports Center

4506 I-70 Dr SE
Columbia, MO 65201

APDT Sanctioned Rally Obedience Trial



Saturday May 5 and Sunday May 6, 2012

<p>Open to all dogs of any breed (including mixed!)</p> <p>Levels 1 through 3, Veteran</p> <p>Four trials over two days. Earn a title in a weekend.*</p> <p><i>*There will be only one L3 judge, so you will not be able to attain an L3 title start to finish.</i></p>	<p>Trial begins at 8:00 a.m. each day</p> <p>Trial 1: Level 1, Level 2, Level 3, Veterans</p> <p>Trial 2: Veterans, Level 3, Level 2, Level 1</p> <p>A judge's briefing and walk-through will precede each trial.</p>
<p>Hosted By:</p> <p>Columbia Canine Sports Center</p> <p>Indoors, on 3/4" recycled rubber matting, 50' x 80' ring</p>  <p>COLUMBIA CANINE SPORTS CENTER</p> <p><i>* This is a titling event under APDT Rally-O rules and regulations. Go to www.apdt.com/rallyo/index.htm for more information.</i></p>	<p>Judges:</p> <p>Dawn Antoniak-Mitchell Saturday T1: all classes Sunday T2: L3 only</p> <p>Jeff Mitchell Saturday T2: L1, L2 and Vets Sunday T1: L1, L2 and Vets</p> <p>Limited to 120 entries per day</p> <p>Entries Close:</p> <p>April 20, 2011, 5:00 p.m.</p>

About APDT Rally

This Rally-O titling event will allow competitors a chance to earn legs or points toward Rally-O titles. Our feedback has been extremely positive for this relatively new competition obedience venue – especially from traditional obedience trainers. APDT Rally allows all breeds and mixed breeds to compete and is committed to encouraging positive training methods. The APDT is an organization for professional dog trainers with 2500 members currently. It was founded in 1993 with the mission of enhancing the human-dog relationship by educating trainers, other animal professionals and the public and advocating dog-friendly training. Go to www.APDT.com for more information.

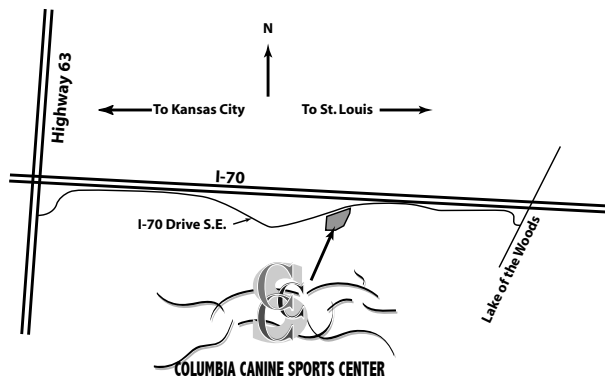
Hotel/Motel Information

Some of the Hotels/Motels that will accept dogs. Owners must assume full responsibility. Some hotels have pet fees, mention this show and some may reduce/eliminate fees. As rules may change, please check with hotels before registering. HELP US KEEP OUR HOTELS. Make sure your dog is a clean, quiet guest. Do not leave dogs unattended in rooms.

1. Holiday Inn Express, 801 Keene St, Columbia, MO 65201 573-449-4422
2. Staybridge Suites, 805 Keene St, Columbia, MO 65201 573-442-8600
3. Travelodge, 900 Vandiver Dr, Columbia, MO 65203 573-449-1065
4. Ramada Inn, 901 Conley Rd, Columbia, MO 65201 573-443-4141
5. Super 8 Clark Lane, 3216 Clark Ln, Columbia, MO 65201 573-474-8488
6. LaQuinta Inn & Suites Columbia, 2500 I-70 Drive SW, Columbia, MO 65203 573-445-1899 800-753-3757
7. Super 8 East, 5700 Freedom Dr, Columbia, MO 65202 573-474-8307

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

From East or West: Take I-70 to the I-63 exit (#128A). Turn South on Hwy 63, then left at the first light (get in the leftmost right turn lane on the exit ramp, which is I-70 Drive SE. CCSC is 1.3 miles on the right. FROM EAST, take I-70 to the Lake of the Woods exit. Turn Left (South) over I-70 then immediately Right on the access Road (before the gas station, do not go to the light), I-70 Drive SE CCSC is 1 mile on your left.



Notice to Competitors

- Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of APDT Rally Obedience rules and regulations including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry:
- This trial is open to all dogs being 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 must be registered with APDT Rally to compete. A one-time registration form is included and must be submitted DIRECTLY to the RallyO Coordinator (NOT to trial hosting organization) on or before the date that a team first competes in a sanctioned trial.
- Dogs must be shown by a member of the owner's immediate family: mother, father, spouse, life partner, sibling, child, grandparent, or grandchild.
- 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.

In addition,

- 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. 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 \$25.00 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 fees not received within 30 days of notice result in cancellation of event results for all classes for the registration number(s) of delinquent entry/entries. No reinstatement of results is possible, and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification, or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is canceled 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 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.
- Owners with disabilities are encouraged to compete. Any necessary modifications to the exercises must be provided by the handler to the judge and approved by the judge.
- Upon successful completion of an 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 or hidden treat pouches and only be present in the owner's hand in between exercises. Any petting, touching, or feeding that significantly interrupts the flow of performance shall be scored accordingly.
- Dogs must remain under control at all times whether on or off leash while on show grounds. Day kenneling only is permitted, unless otherwise posted at the show site. Crates may be left overnight at your own risk.
- Please pick up after your dog and yourself.
- This event will be held indoors on ¾ inch rubber mat flooring.

APDT's official Rally-O Rules and Regulations are hereby incorporated by reference, a copy of which may be obtained by going to APDT.com/RallyO/index.htm.

Food and Beverages

Sandwiches will be available for lunch onsite. There are many restaurants within 1-2 miles of show site.

Breakfast will not be served, BYOC! (Bring Your Own Coffee!)

Awards

Immediately following each trial, qualifying ribbons will be awarded to each dog/owner team who achieves a score of 170 or better. Placement ribbons will be awarded to the top 5 high scoring teams at each level, in both A and B classes. New Title ribbons and special prizes will be offered. **High In Trial** will be offered in each trial for the dog entered in all three levels (L1 through L3) with the highest cumulative score in the least amount of time.

Running Order

Courses will be nested and run in the following order:

Saturday, May 5 and Sunday May 6

Trial 1: L1, L2, L3 veterans, followed by:

Trial 2: Veterans, L3, L2, L1

Dawn Antoniak-Mitchell will judge Trial 1 Saturday, Trial 2 Sunday, and all Level 3 classes. Jeff Mitchell will judge Trial 2 Levels 1 & 2 and Veterans Saturday, Trial 1 Levels 1 & 2 and Veterans Sunday.

Moveups

Moveups WILL be allowed, both between trials/levels and at the end of Saturday. Moveups can be from A to B or from Level to Level. All moveups from Saturday to Sunday must be received by the end of trial Saturday. Classes may be added at \$20 per class.

Volunteers

Please help us run our trial smoothly. We are a small group. If you would like to help, please contact Kathy Echols at krechols@aol.com

CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS! We have talked to some hotels about reducing pet fees. Mention that you are show people and ask for a reduction, but also please help us keep local hotels dog-friendly by making sure your dogs are clean and quiet guests.

Any owner who does not clean up after their dog on CCSC grounds will be immediately excused from the show and forfeit all entry fees.

Organizing Committee

Chairperson: Kathy Echols

Secretary: Virginia Huxley huxleyv@missouri.edu

Scorer's table: Vicki Miller

Chief Course Builder: Kathy Echols

Awards and Hospitality: Jennifer Riess and Patti Mierzwa

APDT Rally Representative(s): Ginger Huxley

Contact Information

(Do not hesitate to call or e-mail us if you have questions)

Chairperson: Kathy Echols, krechols@aol.com, 573-874-2983

Secretary: Virginia Huxley, 128 Lindell Ave., Columbia, MO 65203,
huxleyv@missouri.edu, 573-239-2839

Entries and Closing Date

Entries for these trials must be received no later than April 20, 2012. Entries submitted via Federal Express or Express Mail will be accepted only if the signature waiver is signed. No telephone, e-mail, or fax entries will be accepted.

Your dog must be APDT Registered before entry! You can register directly online at <https://www.apdt.com/rally/register/dog/default.aspx>

Entry Fees

Entries: First entry per dog, \$20. Second entry (or more) per dog, \$18

Weekend package: Eight (8) runs same dog, \$140

Weekend package: Twelve (12) runs same dog, \$180

Added classes day-of-show: \$20 per class

Check-In, Briefings and Walk-Throughs

Doors open at 7:00 a.m. Check in from 7:00 to 8:00 a.m. Judges briefing occurs at 8:00 a.m. Walk-through will be after judge's briefing, trial will begin after walkthrough.

Facility Information

Dogs may be crated in the facility. Bring a chair. X-pens allowed. Loud/disruptive dogs in may be asked to be moved or removed. Please bring a mat for under your crate/x-pen. Restrooms are in adjacent building. The building is fan cooled, personal fans also allowed.

Columbia has a no-smoking ordinance. There is no smoking allowed on the grounds of CCSC. For this show, smokers may smoke inside their vehicle and extinguish and dispose of their smoking materials in their vehicle. Smokers found discarding cigarette butts on the ground may be asked to leave the trial.

General Agreement

I (we) agree that Columbia Canine Sports Center 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, the Association of Pet Dog Trainers, 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-O Rules and Regulations of the Association of Pet Dog Trainers 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 APDT Rally rules, and that I (we) shall hold the hosting club and APDT, 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 the Association of Pet Dog Trainers, Columbia Canine Sports Center, 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 APDT, 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: _____



OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

COLUMBIA CANINE SPORTS CENTER, 4506 I-70 DR SE, COLUMBIA, MO 65201

RETURN COMPLETED FORM(S) WITH ENTRY AND REGISTRATION FEES PAYABLE TO CCSC. MAIL TO GINGER HUXLEY, 128 LINDELL, COLUMBIA, MO 65203. ENTRIES CLOSE 06/02/10

Dog Information

Reg. Name	Rally Registration#	
Call Name	Date of birth	
Height at withers	Jump height	
APDT titles earned	Breed	
<p><i>Dog must have APDT Rally-O registration number. Entries will not be accepted and/or considered valid without an APDT registration number. You may now register online at https://www.apdt.com/rally/register/dog/default.aspx</i></p>		

Owner Information

Name		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Email	Phone	
<p><i>Entries accepted on a first-come-first served basis. The inclusion of an email address above constitutes an agreement to receive all confirmations and other communication by email. Please write legibly!</i></p>		

Enter Your Dog

Put an X in the appropriate box(es) to enter. Titling (A) classes are for dogs who do not have an APDT title at that level. Championship (B) classes are for dogs with an APDT title at that level.

	Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Veterans	
Saturday 5/5	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2
Titling (A)								
Championship (B)								
Sunday 5/6	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2
Titling (A)								
Championship (B)								

Entry fees per dog: \$20 first class, \$18 2 or more classes. 8 classes per weekend per dog: \$140. 12 classes per weekend per dog: \$180.

Total entry fees: _____

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Championship (B)									
Sunday 5/8	Trial 1	Trial 2		Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 1	Trial 2
Titling (A)									
Championship (B)									

Entry fees: \$20 each class. Four or more entries per household, \$18 each class. Eight or more entries per household, \$16 each class, twelve or more entries per household, \$15 each class. See Premium for "Household" definition. All household entries must be in single envelope.

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