**Official Premium List** 

# **Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta** TWO ALL BREED OBEDIENCE TRIALS and TWO ALL BREED RALLY OBEDIENCE TRIALS

Saturday March 29, 2025 & Sunday March 30, 2025



# Held at Good As Gold Training 4303 – 11<sup>th</sup> Street SE Calgary, AB Indoor matted rings

# JUDGES

**Eva O'Keefe** Millet, Alberta Tami Marks Sherwood Park, Alberta

Limited to 7 hours of judging per judge per trial



ENTRIES CLOSE: Monday, March 17, 2025 – 10:00 PM MDT

Permission has been granted by the Canadian Kennel Club for the holding of this event under CKC rules & regulations

Unbenched

To be held indoors on a matted surface

# **Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta**

#### **Club Officers**

President: Kim Zippel Vice-President: Debbie Haynes Secretary: Michelle Whistlecraft Treasurer: Michelle Whistlecraft

#### **Trial Committee**

Trial Chairperson: Kim Zippel Trial Superintendent: Shannon Richards Trial Committee: Club Officers

### **EVENT SECRETARY (to whom all entries must be sent):**

Performance Unleashed Canine Services Michelle Whistlecraft 203 Riverwood Circle SE Calgary, AB T2C 4A8

Ph: 403-620-0676 pucsperf@gmail.com

#### 24 Hour Veterinarian Close to the Trial

VCA Canada Calgary Animal Referral & Emergency Centre 7140 12th Street SE Calgary, AB 403-520-8387

#### **Canadian Kennel Club:**

Jeff Cornett, Executive Director, Suite 101, 5397 Eglinton Avenue W, Etobicoke, ON M9C 5K6 416-675-5511

#### **Canadian Kennel Club Director for Alberta:**

Lee Ann Bateman

#### Canadian Kennel Dog Show Representative for Alberta (Obedience and Rally): Eva O'Keefe

The trial precincts are defined as within 20 feet of the designated Obedience and Rally rings.

#### JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS

Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup>

Eva O'Keefe – Obedience Trial Tami Marks – Rally Obedience Trial Sunday, March 30<sup>th</sup>

Eva O'Keefe – Obedience Trial Tami Marks – Rally Obedience Trial

### **ENTRY FEES**

#### Please complete one entry form per dog for the trials (for mail-in entries). For online entries, you can enter multiple classes on the same entry.

The second	400.00
All Regular Classes	\$32.00
Entry Fee for same dog entered in Open B and Utility B for each trial	\$55.00
Entry Fee for same dog entered in Rally Advanced B and Excellent B for each trial or Rally Excellent B and	\$55.00
Rally Master for each trial	
Entry Fee for same dog entered in Rally Advanced B, Excellent B and Masters for each trial	\$85.00
Exhibition Only	\$ 10.00
Veterans Obedience	\$ 20.00
TCN Fee - required for any dog without an Individual CKC Registration Number, Miscellaneous Number or	Ć 10 F0
ERN (except for dogs entered in Exhibition Only), Performance Event Number or Canine Companion Number	\$ 10.50
Day of Entry Fee	\$40.00

(The above fees include CKC recording fees + 5% GST)

#### This event is open to mixed or unrecognized breeds. Move Ups will be allowed 1 hour prior to the start of each trial.

#### CHEQUES SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO

## **Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta**



A service charge of 10% will be assessed. This includes entries sent online or post using a credit card or interac for payment.

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Entries may be mailed to Performance Unleashed Canine Services 203 Riverwood Circle SE, Calgary, AB T2C 4A8 Entries may be paid with Visa, MasterCard or American Express. Online entries can also be paid by Interac, EFT Bank Transfer or Apple Pay. If paying by credit card, each entry form must include a VISA, MasterCard or American Express number expiry date - printed name of card holder and authorized signature.

Cheques dated after close of entries will not be accepted. Returned cheques & declined credit cards will be assessed a \$50.00 service charge (Conformation Show Rules and Regulations - Section 8.8). Please do not send entries by Registered Mail. To comply with instructions issued by the Canadian Kennel Club, we will be unable to accept any entry reaching our Trial Secretary after the closing time and date. Please allow ample time for delays in the mail.

ATTENTION FOREIGN EXHIBITORS: Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars ONLY. Due to consistently fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal Cheques will be accepted, however, they are to be payable in Canadian funds. If you send a cheque in US funds, it must be made out for the full amount of the entry and no exchange will be refunded to the exhibitor. Please do not mark cheques "Payable in Canadian Funds" or "At Par" as they will not be cleared by the banks. To simplify the process, we urge that you purchase bank drafts or money orders payable in Canadian funds. Your understanding and cooperation is appreciated. Thank you.

NO ENTRY WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT PAYMENT IN FULL. Tendering of an NSF cheque in payment of entry fees will be considered non-payment of entry fees and is an offence punishable by CKC disciplinary action and cancellation of awards.

The owner of a dog entered in this trial is entirely responsible for any error in the entering of his dog, regardless of how, or by whom the entry was made. All particulars called for on the entry form must be complete. No refunds are given due to an error in entries. The club reserves the right to refuse any entry, subject to CKC rules.

Overpayments and duplicate entries will be considered a donation to our trophy fund. Thank you!

#### WITHDRAWAL OF ENTRIES

<u>Please note</u>: An exhibitor has the right to withdraw an entry up to the closing date and time as published in the premium list. This may be done by telephone <u>but written or electronic notification must be received by</u> the Trial Secretary no later than the official closing date and time. If written notification is not received by that time, the dog will remain entered in the trial.

### **OBEDIENCE PRIZE LIST**

#### A Rosette and Prize will be offered for the following in each trial:

High In Trial

High Combined (Open B & Utility B)

#### A Rosette and Prize will be offered for the following in Trial #1 on Saturday, March 29th:

High Scoring Working Dog	High Combined (Open B & Utility B) Working Dog
High Scoring Herding Dog	High Combined (Open B & Utility B) Herding Dog

# A Rosette will be offered for High in Class in each Obedience class. Qualifying Score ribbons will be offered for all qualifying scores.

#### RALLY PRIZE LIST

#### A Rosette and Prize will be offered for the following in each trial:

High Combined (Advanced B / Excellent B or Excellent B / Masters)

#### A Rosette and Prize will be offered for the following in Trial #1 on Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup>:

High Combined (Advanced B / Excellent B or Excellent B / Masters) Working Dog High Combined (Advanced B / Excellent B or Excellent B / Masters) Herding Dog

# A Rosette will be offered for High in Class in each Rally class. Qualifying Score ribbons will be offered for all qualifying scores.

#### MOTCH / GMOTCH Rosettes and RCH / RGCH Rosettes

The Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta is pleased to award a special rosette for any dog earning their MOTCH or GMOTCH at this set of obedience trials.

The Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta is pleased to award a special rosette for any dog earning their RCH or RGCH at this set of rally trials.

# If you are close to earning any of these awards, please email Debbie at <u>habfan2@icloud.com</u> by March 17, 2025, so we are prepared to celebrate with you!

#### Benching

FREE on-site limited benching. Please be respectful of the space and only use what you need.

#### Concession

There will NOT be a concession at these trials. Please bring your own food and drink, or there are lots of options within a 10-minute drive from the venue.

#### **Parking**

There is plenty of free parking, the North Lot is the closest to the training area.

#### **Obedience Fun Match**

10 Minute Ring Rental Time Slots on Friday, March 28, 2025. Registration starts at 5:00 pm. The match begins at 6:00 pm. Entry Fee \$15.00 per time slot. Limit two dogs per person/time slot. Limited Entry. Please pay, in cash or e-transfer, at the match.

#### **Rally Obedience Fun Match**

 10 Minute Ring Rental Time Slots on a set course on Friday, March 28, 2025. Registration starts at 5:00 pm. The match begins at 6:00 pm.
Entry Fee \$15.00 per time slot. Limit two dogs per person/time slot. Limited Entry. Please pay, in cash or e-transfer, at the match.

#### Accommodation (please view websites for each individual Pet Policy)

Hotel Blackfoot Travelodge by Wyndham Calgary South Sandman Hotel & Suites Calgary South Holiday Inn & Suites Calgary South Super 8 by Wyndham Macleod Trail Calgary 5940 Blackfoot Trl SE, Calgary 7012 Macleod Trail South, Calgary 8001 11 St SE, Calgary 8360 Blackfoot Trl SE, Calgary 7505 Macleod Trail SW, Calgary

#### Photographer

A trial photographer will not be available at this show. A photo area will be set up for you to take pictures of your wins.

#### <u>Refunds</u>

Entry fees will **not** be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by the Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee.

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No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, strikes, Federal, Provincial or Local requirements or any other cause beyond the control of the Club.

## **OFFICIAL OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

#### REGULAR CLASSES

The following CKC classes will be provided:

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PRE NOVICE     This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has not earned the title of PCD. Dogs in be handled by the owner or any other person. A dog that has earned the title of CD is not eligible for the title of PCD.					
NOVICE A	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has not earned the title of CD. Only one dog may be entered in this class by any one exhibitor. The dog must be handled by the owner or a member of his immediate family. No person who has previously trained or exhibited a dog through its CDX title shall be allowed to handle a dog in this class.				
NOVICE B	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has not earned the title of CD. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person. No dog may be entered in both the Novice A and Novice B class at any one trial.				
NOVICE C	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of CD or any higher obedience title. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person.				
NOVICE INTERMEDIATE This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of CD or any high title. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person.					
OPEN A	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of CD but has not earned the title of CDX. Only one dog may be entered in this class by any one exhibitor. The dog must be handled by the owner or a member of his immediate family. Any person who has previously trained or exhibited a dog that has earned a UD title may not handle a dog in this class.				
OPEN B	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of CD. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person. No dog may be entered in both Open A and Open B at any one trial. A dog that has earned the title of CDX must compete in Open B. Dogs eligible for entry in the Utility Class are also eligible for entry in this class.				
UTILITY A	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed that has earned the title of CDX but has not earned the title of UD. The dog must be handled by the owner or a member of his immediate family. Any person who has trained or exhibited a dog that has earned a MOTCH title may not handle dogs in this class.				
UTILITY B	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed that has earned the title of CDX or UD. Dogs in this				

#### NON-REGULAR CLASSES

VETERANS	For any dog that has earned the title of CD or higher and is 7 years old or older on the day of the trial. Excercises shall be performed and judged as in the Novice classes. Dogs entered in Veterans must also be entered in any regular class or exhibition only. Owner or any other person may handle dogs in this class.
EXHIBITION ONLY	Dogs entered in this class may not compete in any Regular class.

## **OFFICIAL RALLY OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

#### REGULAR CLASSES

The following CKC classes will be provided:

NOVICE A	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has not earned the title of RN. The dog must be handled by the owner or a member of his immediate family. No person who has previously trained or exhibited a dog through its CDX title shall be allowed to handle a dog in this class. No dog may be entered in both the Novice A and Novice B class at any one trial.
NOVICE B	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has not earned the title of RN. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person.
INTERMEDIATE	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of RN. This class is an elective class and earning the title is not a requirement to enter the Advanced classes.
ADVANCED A	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of RN but has not earned the RA title or any CKC obedience title other than PCD. The dog must be handled by the owner or a member of his immediate family. No person who has previously trained or exhibited a dog through its CDX title shall be allowed to handle a dog in this class.
ADVANCED B	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of RN. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person.
EXCELLENT A	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed that has earned the title of RA but had not earned the re title or any CKC obedience title other than PCD. The dog must be handled by the owner or a member of his immediate family. No person who has previously trained or exhibited a dog through its CDX title shall be allowed to handle a dog in this class.
EXCELLENT B	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed that has earned the title of RA. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person.
MASTERS	This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed that has earned the title of RE. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person.

#### NON-REGULAR CLASSES

EXHIBITION ONLY	Dogs entered in this class may not compete in any Regular class.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- 1. **Obedience Trials & Rally Trials Rules and Regulations** are available from the **Canadian Kennel Club** or can be viewed <u>online</u>.
- 2. The Trial Superintendent will be in full charge of the trial which will be governed by CKC rules.
- 3. Entries will be acknowledged after entry closing, with receipt, judging schedule and exhibitor passes. If such acknowledgement is not received one week before the trial date, please contact the Event Secretary.
- 4. "A judge officiating at a trial held under these rules shall not be subjected to indiginities of any kind during the progress of the trial. It shall be the duty and obligation of the club holding the trial to see that this rule is effectively carreid out" **Obedience Trial Rules and Regulations** Section 3.6.1.
- 5. We welcome all exhibitors, including persons with disabilities. If you require accommodation of a disability, please make your accommodation known to the club in advance. Please contact the trial secretary by entry closing to ensure that we can do our best to accommodate your needs.
- 6. The trial committee will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume any liability in the event of accident, or other misfortune, to either dogs, exhibitors or patrons.
- 7. Exhibitors are solely responsible for the conduct or actions of their animals while they are on the trial grounds.

#### TCN FEES

A CKC TCN fee of \$10.50 (GST Incl.) Canadian or US per dog per show is payable with the entry fee if the entry of the dog does not include a CKC individual Registration number, ERN (Event Registration Number), PEN (Performance Event Number), MCN (Miscellaneous Certificate Number) or Companion Number. The Temporary Competition Number MUST be obtained from the CKC prior to entering any CKC event. TCNs will replace the previous system of entering events with dogs as "listed" and will allow dogs to temporarily participate in CKC events while they pursue permanent registration or an Event Registration Number (ERN). If a CKC registration number is received after the closing date but prior to the date of the show, this number may be added to the entry and noted in the marked catalogue. TCN fees will not be refunded.

#### **ENTRY AGREEMENT**

I (we) acknowledge that I (we), all exhibitors, handlers, and patrons, know and abide by the "CKC Dog Trial Rules" and that I am (we are) familiar with their content. I (we) agree that the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta (RMWHCA) has the right to refuse this entry for just cause, which the Club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of entries made in these trials, and of the holding of these trials and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, or trial secretaries, and the owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties, 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 a dog while in or upon the trial premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of a dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the Club(s) or any 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 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 these trials, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused and whether or not the same may have alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other person.

Kindly note that the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta, and/or its agents, may take candid photos, win photos, or videos of the trial, including but not limited to, images of the exhibitors and their dogs. Such images may be published by the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta in print or on the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta social media sites without your consent. By entering the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta trial, you waive all rights to such images and agree that the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta may use them for its promotional or educational purposes, and without notice or compensation to you.

#### **ATTENTION ALL FOREIGN EXHIBITORS!**

All dogs that are foreign-born and foreign-owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC (Canadian Kennel Club) events will no longer require a CKC registration number <u>but will require an ERN - Event Registration Number</u>. This ERN does not register a dog with CKC for breeding purposes as defined in the Animal Pedigree Act but rather enables a foreign-owned dog to be awarded titles by the Canadian Kennel Club. Each dog must have its own number. To obtain an ERN, mail or fax a photocopy of the dog's registration certificate with certified cheque, money order, VISA or MasterCard number (expiry date, cardholder's name and signature). Provide your complete address for return of the ERN to you. ERN MUST BE APPLIED FOR WITHIN 30 DAYS OF FIRST DAY OF ENTERING A CKC EVENT. A CKC ERN registration form can be downloaded <u>here</u>.

## Information for US Exhibitors on entering Canada

• To enter Canada from the States, US Citizens must show proof of identity; however, to enter back into the United States, all <u>US Citizens age 16 or older must have a valid Passport or Approved Secure Travel Document.</u>

• Please be aware that all dogs must have a valid rabies certificate to cross the border. A valid rabies vaccination that has been given at least 30 days prior to entry into Canada is required. Government regulations require a rabies vaccination certificate be provided for each dog. NOTE: Dogs less than three months of age do not require rabies vaccination.

#### <u>All Judging Schedules</u> will be posted at: <u>www.DogShow.ca</u> and <u>www.CanuckDogs.com</u>

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Sire							
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Owner Address							
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IDs will not be mailed – Please supply email address below for entry confirmation							
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Card Number						Expiry Date	MM / YY
Card Holder Name (please print)							
I CERTIFY that I am the registered owner(s) of the dog or that I am the authorized agent of the owner(s) whose name(s) I have entered above and accept full responsibility for all statements made in this entry. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list.							
Signature of Owner or A	Agent						
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Owner Address							
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Agent/Handler (if any)							
Agent/Handler Address							
		City, Prov/State,	Postal/Zip Code				
IDs will not be mailed – Please supply email address below for entry confirmation							
VISA	MasterCard		American Exp	press			
Card Number					Expiry Date	MM / YY	
Card Holder Name (please print) I CERTIFY that I am the registered owner(s) of the dog or that I am the authorized agent of the owner(s) whose name(s) I have entered above and accept full responsibility for all statements made in this entry. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club and by any additional							
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Signature of Owner or Agent							
Email					Telephone		