Entries Open: July 22, 2026 8:00am
Entries Close: September 2, 2026 6:00pm

Eastern Time Zone
336 Route 101, Amherst, NH 03031
Entries received prior to the opening date will not be accepted

York County Kennel Club of Maine

Licensed by The American Kennel Club

Premium List

AKC All-Breed Fast CAT

These events are accepting entries for dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

September 19-20, 2026

Fast CAT 2026280021, 2026280022
2026280023 and 2026280024

American K9 Country
336 Route 101, Amherst, NH

Entries Limited to 175/Test (closes when limit is reached)
Day-of Show Entries (paper and electronic) accepted if time allows

Facility opens at 7:00am
First dog on the line at 8:00am
Outdoors on Agility Sprint Turf

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

CERTIFICATION

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

Officers of York County Kennel Club

President…….. Gloria Pasquini, Alfred, ME
Treasurer…….. Walter Cunningham, N Berwick, ME
Secretary…….. Paul Doupe, Wells, ME

Test Chair

Event Chairperson

Karen Norteman
21 Clark Road
Alfred, ME 04002
saltysheepdog@gmail.com

Trial Secretary

American K9 Country
Pam McKinney
336 Route 101
Amherst, NH 03031
AK9CFastCAT@gmail.com

Lure Operator

American K9 Country employees

Event Committee

Gloria Pasquini, Rich Pasquini, Karen Norteman, Valaria Maloney, Paul Doupe



AWARDS

A light blue participation ribbon will be awarded to each dog attaining a qualifying run.
New title rosettes will be awarded for BCAT, DCAT, FCAT

EMERGENCY VET

Veterinary Emergency Center of Manchester
(24-hour Emergency Care)
2743 Brown Ave Manchester NH 603-666-6677



Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

Checks payable to: American K9 Country
Mail to: American K9 Country FastCAT,
336 Route 101, Amherst NH 03031

Entry fee is $30 per dog, per event
Day Of Show entries additional $5 service fee per test/run

Official American Kennel Club Lure Coursing Entry Form

Club:		Date:	Event #:
Location: American K9 Country, Amherst, NH	☐ **Test 1** ☐ **Test 2**	Height: ☐ <12" ☐ 12"-18" ☐ >18"	
Stakes: ~~☐JC~~ ~~☐CAT~~ ~~☐Special~~ **X** FCAT ~~☐QC~~ ~~☐Open~~ ~~☐Veteran~~	Breed:	**Amount of entry fees enclosed: $**	
Breeder:	AKC No. PAL/ILP No. Foreign & List Country: ☐ ☐ ☐		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:			

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: **www.akc.org**

AGREEMENT

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, officers, 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 PURSU- ANT 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.**

Signature of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry:	
Tel:	Email:

Directions to Site

American K9 Country

336 Rt. 101 Amherst NH 03031

(GPS: 336 Horace Greeley Highway)

FROM THE SOUTH (Nashua) - Everett Turnpike North to Manchester / I-293/101 West. Follow signs towards Rt 101 West (Bedford-Milford) / AK9C is located on Rt. 101, approximately 6 miles from the Rt. 114 interchange. *** AK9C is on the right - 2 miles after Murphy's Taproom, across from Camp Road at the blinking yellow light.

FROM THE SOUTH (Boston) - North to Manchester I-293 to 101 West / Follow signs towards 101 West (Bedford-Milford). See *** above.

FROM THE NORTH (Concord) - South to I-293 toward 101 West. Follow signs towards 101 West (Bedford-Milford). See *** above.

FROM THE EAST COAST - West towards Manchester/Bedford / Follow Rt. 101 West (Bedford-Milford) AK9C is located on Rt. 101, approximately 6 miles from the Rt. 114 interchange. See *** above.

FROM THE WEST - 101 East towards Manchester/Bedford. AK9C is approximately 1 mile on left past Salzburg Square, across from Camp Road at blinking yellow light.

ACCOMMODATIONS

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well-mannered dogs.
**** Ask for American K9 Country corporate rate****

Holiday Inn – 2280 Brown Avenue, Manchester, NH 603-641-6466 (use code 100322829)

Towne Place Suites - 686 Huse Road, Manchester, NH 603-641-2288

Homewood Suites - 1000 Perimeter Road, Manchester, NH 603-668-2200

Any exhibitor who allows his/her dogs to be unattended in a room or to do damage to hotel property, and who then does not immediately contact the hotel management to make proper restitution, will be subject to Event Committee action which could result in the loss of AKC privileges. This also applies to cleaning up after your dog at the hotel/motel grounds.



Limited dry RV parking, click on RV Camping for details and reservations.

ONLINE ENTRY SUBMISSION



For **online entries**, go to **My Dog Entry**

Day of Show entries (paper and electronic) accepted until 10:00am
(*additional $5 service fee per test/run*)

SCHEDULE

Tests will begin promptly at 8:00 AM and will continue until all registered runs are completed. Check in is required 30 minutes prior to your time block run time.

There will be no on-site event briefing. It is the responsibility of each entrant to be ready when their dog is called to the line. Be sure that you have a catcher and your catcher has a leash. Approximately 25 dogs will be scheduled to run each hour. Once all your runs are completed, PLEASE leave the grounds to allow adequate parking for the next hour competitors.

CHECK IN AND INSPECTION

Check In will occur on a rolling basis throughout the day. The two Fast CAT Tests each day will be run CONCURRENTLY, so a dog entered in both Tests will run twice within your time block. Exhibitors will select their time slot, please arrive approximately 30 minutes before the run time. Check In is then immediately followed by Inspection for fitness, lameness, or "in season" females. The dog owner of each female will be required to wipe the dog with tissue to show the dog is not in season.

Coursing is an athletic activity that can tax a dog's physical strength. Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion. The Inspection Committee has the authority to disallow a dog's entry into a test and, in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded.

Bitches in season, lame and/or unfit dogs will be excused with entry refunded. Please do not bring bitches in season to the test.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

ELIGIBLE DOGS: Fast CAT is open to dogs 12 months of age or older. All dogs must be individually registered with the AKC including purebreds, Foundation Stock Service (FSS), Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL), and AKC Canine Partners. Spayed or neutered dogs, or dogs with breed disqualifications may be entered.

WITHDRAWING ENTRIES: No entry fee will be refunded if a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or banned from competition by the action of the event committee. Any entries pulled in writing (email/mail) prior to entry closing will be refunded. Any entries pulled after closing will not be refunded.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS:

1. Entries will NOT be accepted without fees and signature on the Official AKC Entry Form.
2. Coursing is an athletic activity that can tax a dog's physical strength. All dogs will be inspected. Bitches in season, lame, overweight, or out of condition dogs will be refused entry at inspection. A refund will be given for dogs refused entry. An owner can substitute another of their own dogs if a dog is not allowed due to BIS, injury, or being unfit.
3. This is a rain-or-shine outdoor event. Please bring your own shade, chairs and water.
4. Outdoors on Agility Sprint Turf, track fully fenced. Runout/catchpit 93 feet long.
5. Electronic, continuous loop lure machines will be used. The lure will consist of a white plastic bag. Backup equipment will be available.
6. Run order will be based on pre-signup order set by the field committee.
7. **Effective November 2022, there are no boomerang/recalls. A handler cannot recall their dog from the startline.**
8. No flexi leads, pinch collars, electronic training collars or devices allowed. A plain buckle collar and lead is recommended. Dogs are allowed to run with no collar.
9. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to ensure their dogs are free of parasites, communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
10. The Huntmaster is responsible for field safety and therefore he/she is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. In service to this responsibility, he/she has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve a testing dog.
11. Any decisions made by the event's officials regarding the performance of an entered dog shall be final. Full discretionary power is given to the event officials to withhold any and all qualifications.
12. Persons exhibiting un-sportsman like conduct or conduct detrimental to the club or any dog(s)/other person(s) will be asked to leave the event site.
13. Dogs engaged with the lure but not completing the 100-yard course will be excused for that test.
14. Dogs not on course must be on leash and under control at all times.
15. There will be a minimum $35 returned check charge.
16. Children must be accompanied by an adult and under supervision at all times.
17. Only the Lure Operator, Huntmaster and AK9C staff permitted near the lure machine.
18. The event-hosting club and its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, and property owners assume no liability or responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children or spectators before, during, or after this event.
19. Any dog that eliminates on the track will receive a non-qualifying (NQ) score.

EVENT DISCLAIMER: By entering the event premises, you consent to photography and its/their release, publication, exhibition, or reproduction to be used for promotional purposes, advertising and inclusion on websites.



HOW DOES MY DOG EARN AN AKC TITLE FOR Fast CAT?

The time of the dog's run is converted to miles per hour (MPH) and then multiplied by a handicap based on the dog's height at the withers to award points.

FORMULA: 204.545 / RUN TIME = MPH
- 18" or greater = Handicap is 1.0
- 12" up to less than 18" = Handicap is 1.5.
- Under 12" = Handicap is 2.0

FORMULA: MPH X HANDICAP = POINTS



Titles are earned by accumulating points. The following titles will be awarded: BCAT =150 points; DCAT = 500 points; FCAT = 1,000 points; and FCAT followed by a number (e.g. FCAT2) for every additional 500 points. These suffix titles will appear on a dog's pedigree, with a higher-level title superseding a lower-level title.

Top 20 by Breed by Year

The AKC Fast CAT website features the Top 20 fastest dogs by breed for each year. Dogs must complete at least 3 qualifying runs in each calendar year to qualify for the Top 20. The standings will be updated as event results are processed at https://www.apps.akc.org/apps/fastcat_ranking.