

Erie Kennel Club
(AKC Member Club)

**6 AKC All-Breed Fast CAT Events
Premium List**



August 7, 8, and 9, 2026

Entries OPEN June 24, 2026, at 8:00 am.
Entries CLOSE July 31, 2026, at 6:00 pm.

- Two concurrent events on Friday, August 7, 2026: 3 - 6 pm,
20 runs/hour, limit of 80 runs/day
Event 1 #2026101823
Event 2 #2026101824
- Two concurrent events on Saturday, August 8, 2026: 8 am - 3 pm,
20 runs/hour, limit of 140 runs/day (no runs 12 - 1 pm)
Event 1 #2026101815
Event 2 #2026101816
- Two concurrent events on Sunday, August 9, 2026: 8 am - 3 pm,
20 runs/hour, limit of 140 runs/day (no runs 12 - 1 pm)
Event 1 #2026101813
Event 2 #2026101814

Location

Harborcreek Community Park, 5601 Buffalo Rd, Erie, 16510
Do not use Clark or Firman Roads.

Lure Operator

Hudson Valley Coursing Club

Event Chair

Cindy Stubenhofer, 814-873-5404, funpupcls@outlook.com
164 Locust St, Girard, PA 16417

Event Secretary

Jeanne Fullerton, 814-566-2730, jeswana12@gmail.com
9210 Edinboro Rd, McKean, PA 16426

Event Committee

Roberta Cutshall, Ross Fonticella, Jeanne Fullerton, Bruce Kendt,
Barbara Schuchman, John Schuchman, Jeanne Stiner, Cindy
Stubenhofer

EKC Officers

President, Janet Norman, Erie, PA
Vice President, Marilyn Flower, Erie, PA
Secretary, Lou Norman, Erie, PA
Corresponding Secretary, Esther Kostelnik, Cambridge Springs, PA
Treasurer, Bonnie Kotyuk, Fairview, PA

Persons exhibiting conduct detrimental to the AKC, dogs, or people will be asked to leave the event site by the Event Committee. They may be disciplined by the AKC, and entry fees will not be refunded.

The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone, or need help, please call 800. 656.HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors.



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CERTIFICATION Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

SHEILA H. GOFFE, Executive Secretary

Ribbons and Rosettes

- Light blue ribbons will be given for qualifying runs.
- If you expect to earn a new Fast CAT title at these events, a rosette will be awarded if noted on your entry form.

Photographer

Cindy Noland, cindy@cindynolandphotography.com

For AKC Fast CAT rules go to

<https://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/AKC1812-REFCAT.pdf>.

What is Fast CAT?

- Fast CAT is a timed, straight 100-yard dash for dogs to run individually within a fenced track. The releaser holds the dog at the start line, and when the lure moves and the huntmaster says "Tallyho," releases the dog to chase the lure to the finish line. The catcher then leashes the dog and they exit the track.

- Electronic timers at the start and finish lines record the time (in seconds) for the dog to complete the 100 yards.

- To determine the dog's mph, the number 204.545 is divided by the dog's time.

Ex: a dog ran 8.14 seconds, so $204.545/8.14 = 25.13$ mph.

Next, determine the points earned toward a title by multiplying the mph by a handicap, which is based on the dog's size at the withers:

- 18" or greater, the handicap is 1.0.
- 12" up to less than 18", the handicap is 1.5.
- Under 12", the handicap is 2.0.

Ex: a 15" dog ran 21.53 mph, so $21.53 \times 1.5 = 32.29$ points.

- Titles are earned at specific levels: BCAT = 150 points, DCAT = 500 points, FCAT = 1,000 points, FCAT2 = 1,500 points, etc.

Track

Enclosed track on grass with continuous running lure and electronic timers. Catch pen depth will be a minimum of 50 yards.

Entry Details

- Both mail-in and online entries (at <https://pci.jotform.com/form/261175213638052>) are \$27 (includes \$4.50 AKC recording fee) per run until closing date, July 31 at 6:00 pm. After that, the entry fee is \$30 per run. If you think a mailed entry would not be received before the trial, enter via

<https://pci.jotform.com/form/261175213638052>) to be instantly entered.

- Day-of entries accepted as space allows for \$30 per run. Email the event secretary beforehand to check availability. **Cash only.**
- \$10 Fun Runs (no points toward a title) available as time permits on Saturday. **Cash only.**
- For a junior handler (releaser or catcher) with a Junior Handler Number, the entry fee is \$20 per run and must be mailed in; no increase after July 31.
- Events will be closed when the event limit has been reached.
- Dogs must be inspected before each run.
- Workers' dogs may run one-half hour before or after event hours.

Refunds

- You can cancel an entry before the closing date for a refund for any reason minus a \$5 processing fee per refunded run. Undeposited checks will be shredded. If already deposited, a check will be mailed to you minus a \$5 processing fee per refunded run.
- After the closing date, only bitches in season and lame dogs at day of inspection will be given refunds minus a \$5 processing fee per refunded run. There is no refund after closing for any other reason, including human illness.

Eligibility

- Fast CAT events are open to all dogs at least 12 months old and registered with the AKC as a purebred, Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL), or in the mixed breed Canine Partners program.
- If your mixed breed dog needs an AKC Canine Partner number, you can receive it instantly by enrolling at <https://www.akc.org/register/information/canine-partners/enroll/>. Your dog must be spayed or neutered to receive a Canine Partner number. Dogs with breed disqualifications and monorchid/cryptorchid dogs are eligible to participate.

Event Information

- These events may run in the rain.
- No entry fees will be refunded if the event cannot be started or completed due to riots, civil disturbances, fire, extreme and/or dangerous weather, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public

enemy, strikes, or any other cause beyond the control of the EKC.

- The show grounds will not be completely fenced. The Fast CAT course will be fenced with orange snow fencing or mesh fencing.
- The hunt master is responsible for field safety and is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. The hunt master may stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and to signal the handler to retrieve the dog on the course.
- The EKC, its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc., 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.

Handler Responsibilities

- Before your time block, park in designated areas and check in. When your dog passes inspection, the releaser takes the leashed dog to the release area and the catcher goes with another leash to the catch pen area. The dog must be leashed before entering and leaving the track.
- Dogs should be warmed up before and cooled down after running.
- Handlers (both catcher and releaser) must be ready when they are called to the line.
- Handlers must not be barefoot or wear open-toed shoes.
- Handlers are not allowed to run on the course with a dog or before their run. Handlers are not allowed to entice the dog on the course with food, mechanical devices (including whistles and horns), or toys. You may cheer and call the dog's name. Food and toys can only be shown after the dog crosses the finish line.
- You are responsible for cleaning up after your dog. You are responsible for controlling your dogs and children. All dogs run at the owner's sole risk.
- No shade or drinking water will be provided, however, cool-off pools with non-potable water will be available.
- Dogs must be leashed or crated unless within the track.

Collar Rules

- Dogs can run without a collar or wear any collar except choker collars, prong collars, electronic training collars, and head collars.
- Collars should be snug.

- Hanging tags pose a safety concern and should be removed.
- Dogs may run muzzled.
- Clips or rubber bands can be used to keep long hair from falling across the dog's field of vision.

Veterinarians Available During Event Hours

Twinbrook, 814-899-0694

5065 Buffalo Rd, Erie, PA 16510

Open 8 am - 5 pm Friday, then 8 am - 12 pm Saturday

NW PA Pet Emergency Center, 814-866-5920

429 West 38th St, Erie, PA, 16508

Open 8 pm Friday - 8 am Saturday, 2 pm Saturday - 8 am Monday

Motels (please check the hotel's policy on pets)

Red Roof Inn, 814-868-5246, Discount code is 619039.

I-90 Exit 27, Perry Hwy, Erie, PA 16509.

La Quinta Inn & Suites, 814-864-1812

7820 Perry Hwy, Erie, PA 16509

Motel 6, 814-868-0879, Ask for the agility rate.

7455 Schultz Rd, Erie, PA 16509.

NO CAMPING ON SITE

Upcoming EKC Events

Agility Trials, Sept 25-27 and Oct 16-18. See

<https://www.countrysideagility.com/trial> for the premiums.



EKC Fast CAT
Mail-In Entry Form
August 7-9, 2026



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Trial 1, Event #2026101815 Trial 2, Event #2026101816

Preferred (but not guaranteed) time block:

8-9 9-10 10-11 11-12 1-2 2-3 3-4

Sunday, August 9, 2026, 8 am - 3 pm

Trial 1, Event #2026101813 Trial 2, Event #2026101814

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8-9 9-10 10-11 11-12 1-2 2-3 3-4

Entry fees enclosed, \$27 per event or \$20 per event for Junior Handler: _____

Make checks payable to Erie Kennel Club and mail with completed, signed entry form to Jeanne Fullerton, 9210 Edinboro Rd, McKean, PA 16426.

Call Name	Date of Birth	Sex
Registered Name		
Registration Number	Breed	
Height at withers <input type="checkbox"/> under 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" to less than 18" <input type="checkbox"/> 18" and above <input type="checkbox"/> Please measure	Title expected at this trial <input type="checkbox"/> BCAT <input type="checkbox"/> DCAT <input type="checkbox"/> FCAT	
Owner Address	Email	
Junior Handler	Junior Handler Number	

Additional Entry Information

Incomplete, unsigned, or unpaid entries will not be accepted. EKC will shred undeposited checks. A check with insufficient funds will be charged an additional \$30 fee.

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, office 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 the 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 ARBITRATIONALLY 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 _____

Email address _____