

**THREE TRIALS IN 3 DAYS PLUS 3 MATCHES!!!**

**ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY 5pm, FEB 7, 2018**

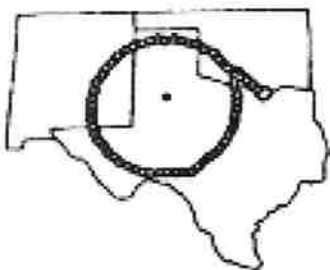
After which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 14, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

**PREMIUM LIST**

All Breed Obedience Trials (Indoors on fully-matted rings)  
Rally Ring 35 X 50 ft.

**SOUTH PLAINS OBEDIENCE TRAINING  
CLUB OF LUBBOCK, INC.**

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



**Entries are open to All-American Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2018**

Obed. Event #2018269102 Rally Event #2018269101

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2018**

Obed. Event #2018269105 Rally Event #2018269103

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2018**

Obed. Event #2018269106 Rally Event #2018269104

Trial Hours 7am-5pm

Merchants Building-South Plains Fairgrounds  
Broadway & Avenue A  
Lubbock, TX



**CERTIFICATION**

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina M. Dinardo, Executive Secretary

**TRIAL CHAIRMAN**

Joann Neal, 3003 Manioca Rd., Lubbock, TX 79403

**TRIAL SECRETARY**

Cheryl Nichols, 5814 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Lubbock, TX 79416-4106  
(806) 797-3089 email: CHERYL88@suddenlink.net  
Please waive signature requirement for overnight mail.

**OFFICERS OF THE CLUB**

Kathy Harth	President
Dana Brown	Vice-President
Jodi Pritchard	Secretary
Cheryl Birdwell	Treasurer

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Joann Neal  
Laura Smith  
Sherell Guichard-Thomas  
JoAnn Phillips  
Ruth Ann Parsley

**TRIAL COMMITTEE**

Joann Neal	Chairman
Cheryl Nichols	Trial Secretary/Printed Materials
Vernon Brown	Chief Ring Steward
Sherell Guichard-Thomas	Publicity
Margaret Freeman	Hospitality/Concessions
Joann Phillips	Event Setup
Laura Smith	Trophy

**VETERINARIAN (ON CALL)**

Live Oak Animal Hospital  
5214 98<sup>th</sup> St, Ste. 100 Lubbock, TX, (806) 794-9000  
From the trial site, go south on I-27 to 98<sup>th</sup> St.  
Turn west on 98<sup>th</sup> St. to the clinic

**CATALOG ADVERTISING**

Contact the Trial Secretary—ads and payment due by February 7<sup>th</sup>

## OBEDIENCE ENTRY FEES

(Fees listed below include 50 cent AKC Recording Fee and \$3.00 AKC Event Service Fee per entry)

### Separate fee for each dog, each day

First entry of each dog-----	\$28.00
Additional same day entry of same dog-----	\$23.00

When a dog is entered in more than one class, the highest priced class is considered the first entry.

### RALLY FEES

(Fees listed below include \$3.00 AKC Recording Fee)

### RALLY ENTRIES MUST INCLUDE DOG'S JUMP HEIGHT

First entry of each dog-----	\$28.00
Additional same day entry of same dog-----	\$23.00

## USE OF JUMP HEIGHT ORDER

Entries in Open and Utility will be arranged according to jump height order, beginning at 4" and going to 36" in ascending order on Friday, Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> and Sunday, Feb.25<sup>th</sup>, and in descending order from 36" to 4" on Sat. Feb 24<sup>th</sup>. Handlers with multiple entries in the same class will be accommodated to the extent possible.

## HOTELS INFORMATION

**NOTE:** South Plains Obedience Training Club cannot guarantee that the hotels/motels listed below accept dogs. Please check regarding rates and dog acceptance policy when making reservations.

Red Roof Inn	6624 I-27	(806) 745-2208
La Quinta Civic Center	601 Ave. Q	(806) 763-9441
La Quinta West/Med Center	4115 Marsha Sharp Frwy	(806) 749-1600
La Quinta Lubbock North	5006 Auburn	(806) 412-3035
Motel 6	909 66 <sup>th</sup> Street	(806) 745-5541
Loop 289 RV Park	3436 West Loop 289	(806) 792-4348
Super 8 Civic Center	501 Ave Q.	(806) 762-8726
Days Inn	6025 Avenue A.	(806) 745-5111
Comfort Inn	5828 I-27	(806) 763-6500
Best Western Lbk Windsor Inn	5410 I-27	(806) 762-8400
KOA Campground	5502 CR 6300	(806) 762-8653

(KOA Campground is located 2.5 mi. west of Loop 289 on HWY. 84)

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs immediately on hotel/motel and show grounds. Motels/hotels require that dogs be crated when unattended; no bathing or grooming of dogs in guest rooms. Exhibitors/handlers are responsible for any damages to motels/hotels or the event site and may result in disciplinary action by the Trial Committee. Entries may be refused in the future for previous misuse of the motel facilities. This is an AKC-supported measure.

### DIRECTIONS TO THE SHOW SITE

From I-27, Exit east at exit #4 (4<sup>th</sup> Street). Turn right on Ave. A to Broadway.

Turn left on Broadway. Entrance to the fairgrounds will be on the left across from Mrs. Baird's Bakery. At the gate, go straight past the caretaker's house and follow this road around until you see the Merchant's Building on your left.

## JUDGES

Jeanne L Ramirez DVM, 11130 W 247<sup>th</sup> St., Bucyrus KS 66013-9164  
Nancy J Watson, 3045 Ranch Place Blvd, Zephyrhills FL 33541-6663

CLASS SUNDAY	CLASSES OFFERED		
	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
Novice A	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Novice B	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Open A	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Open B	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Utility A	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Utility B	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Preferred Novice	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Preferred Open	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Preferred Utility	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Beginner Nov A/B	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Graduate Novice	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Graduate Open	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Versatility	Watson	Ramirez	Watson
Rally Nov A & B	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Rally Adv A & B	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Rally Exc A & B	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Rally Intermediate	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez
Rally Master	Ramirez	Watson	Ramirez

## TRANSFERS

Transfers will be allowed from an obedience class to an obedience class, or a rally class to a rally class as permitted in the AKC Obedience Regulations Section 16a. A transfer may be requested if, according to the owner's records the handler and dog are eligible. A request for transfer must be in writing and presented to the trial secretary as soon as possible after it is determined that the dog and handler are eligible but no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of each trial. Transfers may be approved provided the class and judge are available.

## Lunch Order Form

### AWARDS

A Qualifying score is required for all ribbons and prizes in all classes offered.  
 A Qualifying score from the Regular Classes is required for all Breed and Special Awards.  
 A Dark Green Qualifying ribbon will be given to each dog attaining a Qualifying score.  
 All prizes must be claimed the day of the trial. None will be mailed.

<p><b>FRIDAY, SATURDAY &amp; SUNDAY PRIZES</b>          Rosettes will be offered for all placements, High in Trial, and High Combined In Regular &amp; Preferred Open &amp; Utility Classes.          High Combined in Rally Adv. B &amp; Ex B          High Combined Triple Qualifying Score in Rally Adv. B, Ex B. and Master</p> <p><b>HIGHEST SCORING DOG IN REGULAR CLASSES</b>          \$40 Cash</p> <p><b>HIGHEST COMBINED SCORE IN OPEN B AND UTILITY CLASSES</b>          \$30 Cash</p> <p><b>ALL REGULAR/OT/RALLY CLASS PLACEMENTS</b>          Plush Dog Toy</p>	<p><b>ADDITIONAL PRIZES (SATURDAY ONLY)</b></p> <p><b>HIGHEST SCORING DOG IN EACH BREED</b>          \$10 Cash</p> <p><b>HIGHEST SCORING DOG IN EACH GROUP</b>          \$20 Cash</p> <p><b>ALL REGULAR/OT/RALLY CLASS PLACEMENTS</b>          Plush Dog Toy</p>
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There will be no food vendors at the show. If you would like to order a box lunch (sandwich, chips, cookie, soft drink or bottled water), prepared by Jason's Deli, to be delivered to the show, complete and return the enclosed form with your check payable to SPOTC.

Cheryl Nichols  
 Trial Secretary  
 5814 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
 Lubbock, TX 79416-4106

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**LUNCH ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY FEB 7, 2018.**  
*(Lunch orders may be submitted with your entries.)*

<b>LUNCH ORDER FORM</b>											
<b>Name:</b> _____											
<b>Friday Lunch</b>	<b>Saturday Lunch</b>										
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<b>AMOUNT DUE: \$</b> _____ <i>(Number of lunches X \$11.00 each)</i>											



# AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

## OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

SOUTH PLAINS OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB

\*\*\*\*\*Appropriate Boxes Must Be Checked\*\*\*\*\*

Friday, Feb. 23, 2018 Saturday, Feb. 24, 2018 Sunday, Feb. 25, 2018  
CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: Wednesday, February 7, 2018 at the Show Secretary's home

After which entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted except as provided in Chapter 8 of "Rules Applying to Dog Shows". See Page 3 for entry fees.

MAKE CHECKS OR MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO: SPOTC  
MAIL ALL ENTRIES AND FEES TO: CHERYL NICHOLS, SHOW SECRETARY  
5814 7<sup>th</sup> St., Lubbock TX 79416

I ENCLOSE \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for entry fees All signatures for overnight deliveries for entries MUST be waived.

IMPORTANT-Read Carefully Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out. Numbers in the boxes indicate sections of the instructions relevant to the information needed in that box (PLEASE PRINT)

BREED <sup>5</sup>		VARIETY <sup>1</sup>		SEX
DOG <sup>2,3</sup> SHOW CLASS		CLASS <sup>3</sup> DIVISION Weight, color, etc		
ADDITIONAL CLASSES	OBEDIENCE CLASS (Jump Height)	RALLY CLASS (Jump Height)	JR SHOWMANSHIP CLASS	
NAME OF (See Back) JUNIOR HANDLER (if any)			JR. HANDLER NUMBER	
FULL NAME OF DOG				
Enter number here		DATE OF BIRTH		
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC® NO		PLACE OF BIRTH (list country)		
<input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP NO.		Do not print the above in catalog.		
<input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG NO & COUNTRY				
BREEDER				
SIRE				
DAM				

ACTUAL OWNER(S) <sup>4</sup>		
(Please Print)		
OWNER'S ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP

NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT  
(IF ANY) AT THE SHOW

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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his/her agent  
duly authorized to make this entry \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a new exhibitor? Yes  No  Owner/Handler Eligible? Yes  No

E-MAIL Address (An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this e-mail address): \_\_\_\_\_

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

### AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. 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 persons. 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 ITS 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.

### INSTRUCTIONS

- (Variety) If you are entering a dog of breed in which there are varieties for show purposes, please designate the particular variety you are entering, i.e., Cocker Spaniel (solid color black, ASCOB, parti-color), Beagles (not exceeding 13 in., over 13 in. but not exceeding 15 in.), Dachshunds (longhaired, smooth, wirehaired), Collies (rough, smooth), Bull Terriers (colored, white), Manchester Terriers (standard, toy), Chihuahuas (smooth coat, long coat), English Toy Spaniels (King Charles and Ruby, Blenheim and Prince Charles), Poodles (toy, miniature, standard).
- The following categories of dogs may be entered and shown in Best of Breed competition: Dogs that are Champions of Record and dogs which, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a championship, but whose championships are unconfirmed. The showing of unconfirmed Champions in Best of Breed competition is limited to a period of 90 days from the date of the show where the dog completed the requirements for a championship.
- (Event Class) Consult the classification in this premium list. If the event class in which you are entering your dog is divided, then, in addition to designating the class, specify the particular division of the class in which you are entering your dog, i.e. age division, color division, weight division.
- A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for an event closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any event for which entries closed after the date of acquisition, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his/her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to the AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 11, Section 3.)
- Mixed Breed dogs entering classes for Agility, Obedience, and Rally trials should mark Breed as "All-American Dog/Mixed Breed." Sire and Dam information shall remain blank for mixed breed entrants.

If this entry is for Junior Showmanship, please give the following information:

JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ JR.'S DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

AKC JUNIOR HANDLER NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

The above number MUST be included. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, this may be obtained from the American Kennel Club. Phone: (919) 233-9767.

By signing the entry form I (we) certify that the Junior Showman does not now, and will not at any time, act as an agent/handler for pay while continuing to compete in Junior Showmanship.

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

If Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner? \_\_\_\_\_

### THREE OC MATCHES

Thursday, Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> from 4 pm. until 7 pm. (Sign-up sheets will be available at the show site beginning at 3 pm. The deadline to sign up for the Thursday match will be 5 pm.)

Friday, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> & Saturday, Feb. 24<sup>th</sup> beginning 30 minutes after the completion of judging. Sign-up sheets will be available at the show site beginning 30 minutes before the start of judging each day.

Match Rules: \$5 per run for 5 minutes of ring time in novice or open, or 7 minutes in utility. Maximum: 2 runs per dog per match. (Anyone wanting a second run with the same dog must wait until all dogs have had their turn before returning for a 2<sup>nd</sup> turn.)

Participants will be needed to assist other handlers with their runs.

### NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

**-There are NO CONCESSIONS available at this trial. (See the LUNCH ORDER FORM included in this premium list.)**

-Members and Officers of SPOTC will show dogs at this trial.

-The building will be open Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> from 3:00 pm until 7:00 pm. The building will open Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> one hour prior to start of judging. Dogs and equipment must be removed from the trial site immediately following competition and the awarding of prizes for the last class on Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>. No dogs will be allowed to remain in the building overnight.

-Entry fees for bitches that come in season after entries close will be refunded in full upon written request by the owner to the trial secretary no later than 30 min. prior to the start of judging. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. 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, strikes, extreme weather conditions, or any cause beyond the control of the club or the Trial Secretary.

-Errors on Entry blanks. Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded in the event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date.

-Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

-All entries are to be mailed with fees to the Trial Secretary. Entries will not be accepted by fax. Entries will not be accepted without fees or signatures. Acknowledgment of entries will be made as soon as possible after the closing date. Should such acknowledgment not be received by the exhibitor within a reasonable time, please contact the Trial Secretary.

-A Recording fee of \$.50 and an event service fee of \$3.00 will be required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Obedience Trial. A Recording fee of \$3.00 per dog is required for each dog in Rally. This Recording fee is to be collected by the Trial giving club and paid to the American Kennel Club. If a dog is entered in more than one class in the Trial, the Recording fee is to be collected on the first entry only. (American Kennel Club Rule, Chapter 11, Section 2)

-SPOTC, its members, agents, and officers assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.

-Dogs and Exhibitors must be ready for judging. Neither the Club nor its Trial Secretary will be responsible or obligated to furnish any service for notifying exhibitors of class judging. Judges need not wait for any dog holding up a class. Owners or agents are responsible for the presence of their dogs in the judging ring. -The Club reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value.

-RV Water and Elec. Hook-ups are located behind the Coliseum on the Fairgrounds. Please verify nightly rates by emailing [info@southplainsfair.com](mailto:info@southplainsfair.com) or calling (806) 763-2833. Electricity only hook-ups are available outside the Merchants building. Fairgrounds personnel will collect applicable fees.

-Crating space is limited. Please stack crates when possible. No X-pens, rugs or mats in the building. No roping off or reserving of space. Space will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Due to the proximity of crates to the rings, please cover the crates of any noisy dogs.

-All Exhibitors are expected to clean up after their dogs in all areas of the Trial grounds. Those who fail to do so will be subject to official action.

-The trial site is a Non-smoking Facility per city ordinances.

**-Mail entries to:**

**Cheryl Nichols, 5814 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Lubbock, TX 79416-4106.**

Please waive signature requirement on overnight mail.

Cheryl Nichols  
Trial Secretary SPOTC  
5814 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
Lubbock, TX 79416

FIRST CLASS  
Address Correction Requested