

#### **FAST CAT PREMIUM LIST**

# Gavilan Kennel Club, AKC Licensed AKC All-Breed Fast CAT Tests

Event Secretary/Lure Operator: Yosemite Kennel Club, AKC Licensed

Fast Cat 1: Friday, October 3, 2025 Fast Cat 2: Friday, October 3, 2025 Fast Cat 3: Saturday, October 4, 2025 Fast Cat 4: Saturday, October 4, 2025 Fast Cat 5: Sunday, October 5, 2025 Fast Cat 6: Sunday, October 5, 2025 Event #: 2025455009 Event #: 2025455010 Event #: 2025455011 Event #: 2025455012 Event #: 2025455013 Event #: 2025455014

Discounted Pre-Entries Close 11:59 pm, Pacific Daylight Time, September 17, 2025. Regular Price Pre-Entries Close 11:59 pm, Pacific Daylight Time, September 26, 2025.

Day of test entries will be accepted until each test is filled. Each Test Limited to 150 entries.

Exhibitors who pre-enter will receive a special gift, while supplies last. Early entries highly encouraged

Tests held outdoors, on grass. Course is fully-fenced, with a run-out area of 30 yards, or greater. Lure will be continuous loop. Electronic timers with manual backup. 2 Tests per day, run concurrently.

#### **Event Location**

Turlock Fairgrounds, 900 N. Broadway, Turlock, CA 95380

#### **Test Hours**

Roll Call starts at 7:30 am each day. At discretion of the committee, runs may start 30 minutes prior to roll call for event committee members' dogs, or due to heat /other factors for any entered dog.

Must be present to run by 3:00 pm Friday and Saturday and 2:00 pm Sunday.

We do not schedule run times. Please see Event Details on page 3.

#### **Additional Test Information**

www.yosemitekennelclub.org

EMT In Attendance, Will have an AED. Emergency Contact: Stacey Borrmann (650) 208-3384

#### **Veterinary Service On Call**

Community Veterinary Clinic 310 Crane Ave., Turlock, CA 95380 (209) 634-5851 Mon-Fri 7:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.

#### **After-hours Emergency Veterinary Clinic**

Taylor ER Veterinary Emergency Hospital 1231 W. Taylor Rd., Turlock, CA 95382 (209) 669-8600 24 Hours Mon-Sun

Held in conjunction with the 2025 Gavilan Kennel Club Conformation Annual Dog Shows on the same dates. See separate premium for those events for lodging, camping, parking information, etc.



### Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations

## **Gavilan Kennel Club, AKC Licensed**

#### Club Officers & Directors

President: Kathie Dettmer Vice President: Del Richards Treasurer: **Bob Weseloh** Secretary: Karin Weseloh PO Box 2290 Morgan Hill 95038

Melissa Bernetsky

Recording Secretary: Directors: Shelli Bettencourt, Charles Walrafen,

Stacey Borrmann, Kathy Nedberge

#### **Test Field Committee**

Stacey Borrmann Field Chairperson Megan Rice **Test Secretary** 2086 5th St, Atwater CA 95301

Adam Rice **Lure Operator** All GKC Officers & Directors **Committee Members** 

Field committee may change. Substitutions of members with other available club members may occur

#### **Eligible Dogs**

For ALL dogs at least 12 months of age, and individually registered with the AKC. This includes all AKC registered purebreds, Foundation Stock Service (FSS), Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL), and AKC Canine Partners. Spayed or neutered dogs, and/or dogs with breed disqualifications may enter.

- No bitches in season may run
- All dogs must run on a limited slip or flat collar, harness or naked
  - No choke, pinch or electronic collars allowed
  - Tags to be removed or taped flat to collar.
    - Each dog may run only once per test
  - Dogs must be inspected before each run

#### **Awards**

Light blue ribbon awarded for each qualifying run. New Title Rosettes for BCAT/DCAT/FCAT will be awarded. All awards must be picked up at event; awards will not be mailed.

#### **Penalties**

A penalty of \$10.00 will be assessed for any loose dog not competing while the test is in progress, or for dogs causing excessive delay to retrieve from the field. Dogs and/or handlers responsible for more than one offense will pay both fines and may be prohibited from further competing in the remaining events. No refunds will be offered for dogs/handlers disqualified from further participation.

#### **Entries**

\$25.00 discounted fee per entry, per event through 11:59 pm, Pacific Daylight Time, September 17, 2025. Regular Entry fee: \$30.00 per entry, per event. All entry fees include \$3.50 AKC recording fee.

Online: Online entries will be accepted from test opening until event is full, or until 11:59 pm Pacific Daylight Time, September 26, 2025. If test reaches capacity, online entries will be turned off for that test. Wait list entries must be made by paper mail. All credit card entries, including online and day of test entries, incur \$1.00 per entry convenience fee.

Online Entry available at: www.yosemitekennelclub.org

By Mail: Paper mail entries will be accepted from test opening until event is full, or until 11:59 pm Pacific Daylight Time, September 26, 2025. Complete an official AKC entry form for each dog. An entry form is at the end of the premium. ONE ENTRY FORM PER DOG. A dog may only enter once per test. Mail completed form(s) with fees. A returned check fee of \$35.00 will be assessed for any check returned for insufficient funds.

Entries Payable to: YKC (Yosemite Kennel Club)

Mail Entries to: Megan Rice, Test Secretary

2086 5<sup>th</sup> St

Atwater, CA 95301

Email: yosemitekennelclub@gmail.com

Day of Test Entries: Space permitting, day of test entries will be accepted. Payment for Day of Test Entries is Cash or Credit only (no checks).

Withdrawal of entries: No entry fees may be refunded if the test cannot be held or completed for any reason beyond the control of the host club. No entry fee will be refunded if a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or banned by action of the Field test committee, except for dogs not passing initial inspection as provided for in this premium. Any entries pulled in writing (email/mail) prior to September 26, 2025 entry closing will be refunded, minus \$5.00 per entry retained for processing. Credit card convenience fees are not refunded.

Bitches in season: Bitches known to be in season are NOT allowed on the site. Refunds for bitches in season may be requested if requests are submitted in writing to the Field Secretary with veterinary documentation up to one day prior to October 3, 2025, if by email or paper mail, or if provided at the test location, prior to 12:00 noon on the test date. Entry fees will be refunded, minus \$5.00 per entry retained for processing. Credit Card convenience fees are not refunded.

Fun Runs (time permitting): \$10.00 per run. Sign up at check-in table on day of event. Fun runs will be run on a first come, first serve basis, subject to time availability. Official runs have priority.

#### **Event Details**

Roll Call starts at 7:30 am each day. At discretion of the committee, runs may start 30 minutes prior to roll call for event committee members' dogs, or due to heat/other factors for any entered dog. You may check in for your run(s) between 7:30 am and 3:00 pm. (2:00 pm on Sunday), and run as you are ready, as opposed to scheduled run times. Please check in as early as you are able. We cannot guarantee you can run after 3:00 pm (Friday and Saturday) or 2:00 pm (Sunday).

#### **Inspection**

Prior to each run, each dog will be inspected for lameness, fitness to compete, and females in season. All dogs to be inspected must be presented without tape, bandages, or wrappings/coverings of any kind. If any entrant is found to be lame, unfit to compete, or in season, they shall not be allowed to test. If a dog fails an initial inspection, applicable entry fees shall be refunded, less \$5.00 per entry fee retained for processing. Credit card convenience fees are not refunded. If a dog is cleared for running by the inspection committee, and later is excused, injured, disqualified, etc., no refunds are issued.

#### **Running Your Dog**

It is recommended dogs be handled with a "slip-lead" that gives instantaneous freedom to the dog when the "Tallyho" (release) signal is called by the Huntmaster.

Dogs may wear any collar except a choker collar, a collar with prongs or an electronic training collar. The collar should be snug to minimize the chances of getting hung up on something during the run. Owner assumes responsibility for the safety of the dog regarding the dog's collar and paraphernalia on the dog.

#### **Test, Titles and Timing**

FastCAT Test is a timed straight 100-yard dash for dogs. Dogs are held at the start line and a coursing lure is activated, prompting the dog to follow chasing it to the finish line and a catch pen. The course is fully fenced and dogs are run individually.

Dogs are timed when they complete the 100-yard dash. The time is converted to Miles Per Hour (MPH).

FORMULA: 204.545 / RUN TIME = MPH

MPH X HANDICAP = POINTS (ROUNDED TO NEAREST 0.01)

Based on the dog's height at the withers, a handicap is applied and points are earned:

- 18" or greater = Handicap is 1.0
- 12" up to less than 18" = Handicap is 1.5.
  - Below 12" = Handicap is 2.0.
     MPH X HANDICAP = POINTS

AKC Titles are earned at specific point levels and the highest suffix may appear after the dog's name: BCAT = 150 points DCAT = 500 points FCAT = 1,000 points FCAT# = Each additional 500 points

The AKC Fast CAT website features the Top 20 fastest dogs by breed and by year. These national standings are based on a dog's three fastest times averaged and are updated as event results are processed.

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.

# ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNERS' SOLE RISK

#### **Notice To All Exhibitors**

Please ensure the comfort of you and your dogs by bringing your own portable shade/shelter and water.

For the safety of the dog and as a courtesy to other entrants, a testing dog should have a reliable recall.

The Huntmaster is responsible for field safety and therefore s/he is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. In service to this responsibility, s/he has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve a testing dog. Listen to the Huntmaster and follow all instructions promptly and swiftly.

Any decisions made by the event's officiating judge(s) regarding the performance of an entered dog shall be final. Full discretionary power is given to the judge(s) to withhold any and all qualifications for lack of merit. The Judge(s) is responsible for ensuring compliance with the AKC Regulations on the field.

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

Persons exhibiting conduct detrimental to AKC/any dogs(s) and/or other person(s) will be asked to leave with no refunds.

The event-hosting club, its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc., assume no 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.

All rights to televise, videotape, advertise, photograph, promote or otherwise exploit this event are vested in the club, or in persons to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing by the club. All persons and animals attending these shows grant the club the right to use their likeness and voice in any matter without further consent.

Late, incomplete, unsigned, unpaid or conditional entries, or entries not containing the "Agreement" found on the Official AKC Entry Form will not be accepted.

Substitution of dogs will be accepted at the time of roll call/inspection. Once inspection is complete, no further substitution will be allowable.

#### **Directions to the Event**

From The North: Take Hwy. 99 South to Turlock, exit Fulkerth (East on Fulkerth). The third traffic light will be Golden State, make a right on Golden State and then an immediate right onto North Front. Go approximately two blocks and make a right, cross the RR tracks, right on Broadway, enter through back gate. From The South: Take Hwy. 99 North to Turlock. Exit Fulkerth (East on Fulkerth). Then follow the above directions.



E-MAIL Address:

# \*\*\*\*\*Please use one form per dog\*\*\*\*\* OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM Fast CAT

Test Dates: October 3, 4, 5, 2025

GAVILAN KENNEL CLUB I ENCLOSE \$ for entry fees PRE ENTRY FEE: \$25 per test (includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee). After Sept 17,2025 through Day of Entry Fee \$30.00 per test. Checks payable to: YKC. COMPLETE SEPARATE ENTRY FORM FOR EACH DOG. ENTRIES CLOSE WHEN LIMITS ARE REACHED. \*\*NOTE\*\* 150 entries maximum per test. Pre-entries close Sept 26, 2024, at 11:59 PM Pacific Daylight Savings Time. Send completed entry forms with fees to: Megan Rice, Test Secretary, 2086 5th St, Atwater CA 95301, or enter online at: www.yosemitekennelclub.org □ Event 1: #2025455009 – Friday, Oct 3, 2025 □ Event 2: #2025455010 – Friday, Oct 3, 2025 □ Event 3: #2025455011− Saturday, Oct 4, 2025 ☐ Event 4: #2025455012 – Saturday, Oct 4, 2025 □ Event 5: #2025455013− Sunday, Oct 5, 2025 ☐ Event 6: #2025455014— Sunday, Oct 5, 2025 All Events Held at: Turlock Fairgrounds, 900 N. Broadway, Turlock, CA 95380 Breed: AKC, PAL, ILP, FSS Number: Sex: Full Name of Dog (Please Omit all Titles): Indicate Dog's Height: Call Name: □ 12 Inches & Under □ 12 Inches to 18 Inches Date of Birth: □ 18 Inches & Above Place of Birth (list country): ACTUAL OWNER(S): OWNERS ADDRESS: STATE ZIP CITY NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT (IF ANY) AT THE EVENT: 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:

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_\_TELEPHONE #:\_\_\_\_\_

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