



# ALBERTA OBEDIENCE GROUP

## Official Premium List

### March 2-3, 2024

Four Licensed CKC Approved All-Breed Obedience Trials

Hosted indoors at:

Parkland Kennels West  
53119 Range Road 280, Parkland County, AB T7Z 1Y2  
West of Edmonton, Alberta

*This event is open to mixed and/or unrecognized breeds.*

Judges:

Saturday Trial #2 and Sunday Trial #3 All Regular Classes <b>Gwen Roswell</b> Kelowna, British Columbia	Saturday Trial #1 and Sunday Trial #4 All Regular Classes <b>Lionel Whittaker</b> Edmonton, Alberta
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**\*\*LIMITED ENTRY\*\***

**Entries open 9:00 AM MST, Thursday, January 18th, 2024**

**Online Entries Only**



**Entries close 10:00 PM MST, Friday, February 16th, 2024**

**(Or When the Entry Limit is Reached.)**

To be held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club (CKC).

**We would like to thank Parkland Kennels for allowing us to use their training facility for our Trials.**

The show precincts are defined as: Parkland Kennels, and includes the indoor training building, as well as the outdoor dog exercise and parking areas.

**Show Secretary**

**Lee Kozicki**

157 Norwich Crescent, Sherwood Park, Alberta T8A 5S1

Email: [alnlee@shaw.ca](mailto:alnlee@shaw.ca) Phone: (780) 467-1227

Contact information is provided for any questions pertaining to the event.

**Online entries only through [DogShow.ca](http://DogShow.ca)**

**No mail, e-mail, or phone entries will be accepted.**

**Day of Trial Entries will be accepted ONLY if the judging limit has NOT been reached.**

## Alberta Obedience Group - Club Officials

President	Lee Kozicki
Vice-President	Caraley Scott
Secretary	Karen Bentley
Treasurer	Carol Williams

## Alberta Obedience Group - Show Committee

Show Chairperson / Show Secretary	Lee Kozicki
Chief Ring Steward	Karen Bentley
Show Treasurer	Carol Williams
Trial Complaints Committee	Lee Kozicki, Heike Juergens, Caraley Scott, Susan Warner

<b>Canadian Kennel Club, Director for Alberta:</b> Lee Anne Bateman <a href="mailto:zone10director@ckc.ca">zone10director@ckc.ca</a>	<b>Canadian Kennel Club, Executive Director:</b> Jeff Cornett 5397 Eglinton Avenue W., Suite 101 Etobicoke ON, M9C 5K6 Phone: (416) 675-5511
<b>Canadian Kennel Club, Obedience &amp; Rally Representative for Alberta:</b> Lee Kozicki Email: <a href="mailto:alnlee@shaw.ca">alnlee@shaw.ca</a> Phone: (780) 467-1227	<b>Official Veterinarian:</b> Stony Plain Veterinary Clinic Dr. Paige Wark, DVM 4920 - 44 Ave Stony Plain, AB T7Z 1V5 (780)963-2258

## Entry Fees

Entry Fee for each dog for each trial	\$35
*Entry Fee for same dog entered in Open HB/18B & Utility B for each trial	\$60
*Entry Fee for same dog entered in same class for all four trials	\$120
Exhibition Only	\$20
**Day of Trial Entry	\$50 (Cash only)
***TCN Fee per entry.	\$10.50

**\*One or the other discount may be taken (not both).**

\*\*Day of Trial Entries will be accepted on March 2nd and March 3rd ONLY if the judging limit for the trial has NOT been reached. Entries must be made at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the Trial, and payment is Cash only.

\*\*\*Required for any dog without an individual CKC Registration number, Miscellaneous Number or ERN, except for dogs entered in Exhibition Only.

Fees will not be refunded after the closing date for any reason other than a bitch being in season. If, for any reason, the club cancels the trials prior to the closing date, all entry fees will be refunded, minus expenses including bank fees, credit card fees and/or DogShow.ca service fees.

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

Overpayment of entry fees will be considered a donation to the club.

Attention Foreign Exhibitors: Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars.

All entries must contain complete information as required by the CKC rules. All entries must be accompanied by the entry fee, in full, and all listing fees where applicable. A listing fee as established by the CKC must accompany the entry of a dog for which a CKC individual registration number is not shown on the entry form or ERN notice.

### Release of Liability

By entering this event you agree to assume all risk to yourself and your dog related to participation in these trials, and agree to release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the Alberta Obedience Group, its members, agents, representatives and volunteers, of any claims: including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating to participation in this event.

## Prizes

### Official Prizes (Trials #1-4)

<b>High in Trial</b>	Rosette and \$50 in each Trial. Cash prizes donated by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Gwen Haynes (Trials #1 and #2)</li> <li>● Heike Juergens (Trial #3)</li> <li>● Charwick Hill Animal Hospital (Trial #4)</li> </ul>
<b>High in Class</b> (Novice A&B, Open 18A&18B, Open HA & HB, Utility A&B)	Rosette and Prize, donated by the Alberta Obedience Group (AOG)
<b>Qualifying Score</b> (Novice A&B, Open 18A&18B, Open HA & HB, Utility A&B)	Ribbon
<b>Pre-Novice Qualifying Score*</b>	Ribbon
<b>Novice C Qualifying Score*</b>	Ribbon
<b>Novice Intermediate Qualifying Score*</b>	Ribbon

\*Qualifying Scores Earned in Pre-Novice/Novice C/Novice Intermediate are not eligible for High in Trial or High Aggregate.

### Additional Prizes

<b>High Combined</b> , for each Trial (Highest Combined qualifying score for the same dog entered in Open18B/HB and Utility B)	Rosette and \$25 in each Trial. Cash prizes donated by Heather Box.
<b>New Title</b>	Rosette Applies to Pre-Novice through to Utility (PCD, CD, NI, CDX, UD)
<b>High Aggregate*</b> This prize is for the highest combined qualifying score earned by the same dog in the same class in all four trials.	Rosette and \$50 Cash Prize. Donated by the Alberta Obedience Group.

**We would like to thank the following for their donations of prizes to the trials:**

Heather Box  
Gwen Haynes  
Heike Juergens  
Charwick Hill Animal Hospital



**We would like to thank all of our Club members and volunteers who make these trials possible.**

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**ENTRANTS are responsible for familiarizing themselves with any changes to the Official CKC Obedience Trials Rules and Regulations as outlined in the new January 2024 rule book, and/or with any additional amendments made prior to these trials.**

- ENTRY FEES SHALL NOT BE REFUNDED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of Trial Committee, or because it has been entered incorrectly. If because of riot, civil disturbance, or other acts beyond the control of the Club, it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refund of entry will be made. Overpayments will not be refunded.
- ENTRY FEES WILL BE REFUNDED WHEN A BITCH ENTERED IN OBEDIENCE COMES INTO SEASON after entry of the bitch has been submitted if a veterinarian certificate, (certifying that the bitch was in season within the ten-day period preceding the trial), is delivered to the Trial Secretary on or before the date of the trial.
- Entries are to be completed and submitted online. Owners are responsible for errors on entry forms. The Alberta Obedience Group does not assume any responsibility for incorrect information/errors on entry forms.
- ENTRIES WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED AFTER CLOSING DATE. Receipts and judging schedule will be emailed. Please ensure the email address is correct on your entry form (on your DogShow.ca account). Armband numbers and catalogues will be available one hour before the trials begin. There will not be any hard copy catalogues for sale at the show; only reference copies at the show secretary desk. The same will be posted on [www.dogshow.ca](http://www.dogshow.ca) for download by the participants the day of the trial.
- (Chapter 3, Section 3.6.1 CKC Obedience Trial Rules & Regulations). "A judge officiating at a trial held under these Rules shall not be subjected to indignities 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 carried out.
- ALL DOGS MUST BE KEPT UNDER CONTROL AT ALL TIMES. If not in competition, the dog must wear a collar and be on a leash a maximum length of six (6) feet or appropriately confined in the benching area.
- Dogs must be exercised in designated areas ONLY, and pick-up requirements will be strictly enforced.
- All empty rings are to be kept free of dogs.
- An exhibitor has the right to withdraw an entry. This Notice of Withdrawal must be in writing and received by the Show Secretary on or before the official closing date and time as published in the Premium List.
- All Miscellaneous Class Dogs who do not have a Certification Number can only compete at the Novice level in Obedience Trials and must pay a listing fee of \$10.50. Those dogs with a certification number may proceed through all levels. Titles will only be awarded to those dogs that have been certified.
- There will be **NO "In Transit"** area. No dog will be allowed in the building unless entered in the Trials.
- Performance Event Number (PEN) allows an unregistrable dog of a CKC recognized breed to participate in competitive events that are appropriate for the breed. For more information regarding applying for a PEN visit [www.ckc.ca](http://www.ckc.ca).
- The Alberta Obedience Group, its members and volunteers will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, BUT will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or other misfortune to either dogs, exhibitors or patrons.
- The Trial Chairperson has the authority to expel any dogs deemed to be a danger to other dogs or people. There will be no refund for dogs that are expelled.
- BENCHING INDOORS IS LIMITED. There will be no overnight benching, and we request that you leave the trial building and remove all your belongings from the benching area when your class(es) are finished.
- PARKING IS LIMITED AND WILL BE IN DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY. Absolutely NO PARKING in front of the Main Office Kennel Building.
- **PLEASE NOTE: There is no concession at the Trial Venue.** However, there are several fast food restaurants nearby in Stony Plain. We will offer a small snack table with limited items for purchase (chips, water, chocolate bars, etc.).

## OFFICIAL CLASSES

**Pre-Novice** - The Pre-Novice class is an elective class for exhibitors and earning the title is not a requirement for a dog to enter Novice classes. The Pre-Novice class shall be for any dog of any recognized or listed breed, mixed breed or unrecognized breed that has not earned the title of PCD. Dogs in this class may be handled by the owner or any other person. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. The same handler must handle each dog in all five exercises unless he has two or more dogs entered. In such cases, he must have an additional handler for each extra dog when they are judged together in the group exercise. Only dogs that have not earned the title of CD may enter the Pre-Novice class.

**Novice A** - This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has not earned the title of C.D. (Companion Dog). 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 C.D.X. (Companion Dog Excellent) 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 C.D. (Companion Dog). Dogs in this class may be handled by any person. More than one dog may be entered by any handler, but each dog must have a separate handler for the group exercises. No dog may be entered in both the Novice A and Novice B class at any one trial.

**Novice C** - The Novice C class shall be for any dog of any recognized or listed breed, mixed breed or unrecognized breed that has earned the title CD or any higher obedience titles. Dogs in this class may be handled by the owner or any other person. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. The same handler must handle each dog in all six exercises unless he has two or more dogs entered. In such cases, he must have an additional handler for each extra dog when they are judged together in the group exercises. Dogs may compete in the Novice C class indefinitely. Scores earned by dogs entered in the Novice C class are not eligible for High in Trial and do not qualify a dog for any title. Dogs may be entered in the Novice C class in addition to any other official or unofficial classes for which they are eligible.

**Novice Intermediate** - The Novice Intermediate class is an elective class for exhibitors and earning the title is not a requirement for a dog to enter the Open classes. The Novice Intermediate class shall be for any dog of any recognized or listed breed, mixed breed or unrecognized breed that has earned a CD or any higher obedience trial titles. Dogs in this class may be handled by the owner or any other person. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. The same handler must handle each dog in all six exercises. Dogs may compete in the Novice Intermediate class indefinitely. Scores earned by dogs competing in this class are not eligible for High in Trial. Dogs may be entered in the Novice Intermediate class in addition to any other official or unofficial classes for which they are eligible.

**Open HA / 18A** - This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of C.D. but has not earned the title of C.D.X. (Companion Dog Excellent). 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 U.D. title may not handle a dog in this class.

**Open HB / 18B** - This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of C.D. in Canada. Dogs in this class may be handled by any person. More than one dog may be entered by any handler, but each dog must have a separate handler for the group exercises. No dog may be entered in both Open HA/18A and Open HB/18B at any one trial. A dog that has earned the title of C.D.X. 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 C.D.X., but has not earned the title of U.D. 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 M.O.T.C.H title may not handle dogs in this class. Handlers may enter more than one dog in this class.

**Utility B** - This is for any dog of any recognized or listed breed that has earned the title of C.D.X. or U.D. Dogs in this class may be handled by the owner or any other person. Owners may enter more than one dog in this class. No dog may be entered in both Utility A and Utility B at the same trial.