

APDT Sanctioned Rally Obedience Trials *

Open to all dogs of any breed (including mixed!)



Hosted by
Oakes K9 Training, Inc.



Happy Halloween Trial
Sunday, October 31, 2010
Two Trials



Trial Location
K9 JYM
252 Bethlehem Pike
Route 309
Colmar, PA 18915

Limited Entry: 80 Teams per trial

Accepting Entries as of: Friday, July 31, 2010
Entries close: Monday, October 18, 2010 or when trial fills

Classes offered: Level 1, Level 2, Level 3 & Veterans

Judges
Sue Oakes
Annette Murphy-Wales
Joan Klingler

*This is a titling event under APDT Rally-O rules and regulations. Go to <http://www.apdt.com/po/rally/default.aspx> for more information.

Entry /Trial Information

Organizing Committee

Trial Secretaries: Marie Morris & Kathy Gardosh
 Rally Representative: Kathy Gardosh

Contact Information

Marie Morris
 215-345-5167
mariemorris@randomwalkfarm.com

Kathy Gardosh
 215-646-2835
k.gardosh@verizon.net

Entry Fees: \$25.00 per entry, \$22.00 each additional entry with same dog
Day of Entries: \$28.00 per entry (if available after closing date)

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Entries submitted via Federal Express or Express Mail will be accepted only if the signature waiver is signed. No telephone, email, or fax entries will be accepted. Any changes to entries, including cancellations, will be accepted until **October 18, 2010**. Changes must be made to the Secretary by e-mail, or in writing. Cancellations received after **October 18, 2010** will not be eligible for a refund of fees.

Facility, Check-In, Briefings and Walk-Throughs

The training building opens at 7:30 a.m. Check in at any time prior to Trial. **Start time 8:00 a.m. – judge classes, general & judge briefing and walk-through; judging to begin at 8:30 am**

AM Trial # 1 - 10/31/2010					
Ring 1			Ring 2		
Start Time	Level	Judge	Start Time	Level	Judge
8:30 AM	Level 2	Joan Klingler	8:30 AM	Veterans	Sue Oakes
To follow	Level 3	Annette Murphy-Wales	To follow	Level 1	Sue Oakes



We will be hosting a Halloween Parade during the lunch break. Prizes will be awarded in several categories so start dreaming up those costumes for you and your pups. Trial 2 will begin after the break (minimum 45 minutes) after the conclusion of Trial 1.

PM Trial # 2 - 10/31/2010					
Ring 1			Ring 2		
Start Time	Level	Judge	Start Time	Level	Judge
To follow	Level 2	Joan Klingler	To follow	Veterans	Annette Murphy-Wales
To follow	Level 3	Sue Oakes	To follow	Level 1	Annette Murphy-Wales

General Information



- **APDT Registration numbers:** Entries will **not** be accepted without an APDT Rally registration number. To obtain a registration number, please fill out the registration form on page 6 of this premium and mail directly to APDT Rally.
- **Trial conditions:** These trials will be held indoors on ¾" rubber mat flooring. The building is heated but please dress warmly. Running water is available.
- **Food:** Coffee and donuts will be available in the AM and water, soda & snacks throughout the day. Please bring your own lunch. There is a WaWa, Chinese restaurant, Pizzeria to the right and Burger King, McDonald's, and Pizzeria etc. to the left.
- **Move-ups** will be allowed through **October 25th** (no exceptions). All move-up requests must be sent via email by the deadline to the trial secretary.
- **Entries** accepted on a first-come-first served basis. Initial confirmations will be sent out as they are received. All final confirmations and final judging program will be sent by e-mail. If you would prefer your final confirmation mailed, please enclose a self-address envelope for this purpose.
- **Refunds:** There will be no refunds for absent entries. Refunds will be made for withdrawn entries only if request is made prior to closing date. Refunds will be made if the trials must be cancelled by the host organization due to severe weather. Refunds will be made for bitches in season if request is accompanied by a note from the exhibitor's veterinarian.

Please note: If you are entering Level 2, 3, or Veteran and will be requesting a jump height modification, please indicate the actual jump height on the entry form. This will allow us to arrange run order according to jump height and will make the day run more smoothly.

Awards



Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to each dog/owner team who achieves a score of 170 or better. Placement rosettes will be awarded to the top 5 high scoring teams in both A & B classes. New title & champion & championship rosettes will be awarded to all teams completing titles.



PLEASE BE SURE TO USE THE K9 JYM'S DESIGNATED POTTY AREAS AND MAKE SURE YOU CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG. DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH AT ALL TIMES, INDOORS AND OUTDOORS.

Hotel/Motel Information



Quality Inn, 969 Bethlehem Pike (309 & Stump Rd) Montgomeryville PA 18936... (215)-699-8800 Dogs permitted w/pet fee

Comfort Inn Suites, 1905 John Fries Hwy. Quakertown, PA 18951...215)538-3000. Dogs permitted w/pet fee

Homestead Studio Suites, 537 Dresher Rd. Horsham PA 19044... (215)956-9966. Dogs permitted w/pet fee

Residence Inn by Marriot Willow Grove, 3 Walnut Grove Drive Horsham PA 19044... 215-443-7330. Dogs permitted w/pet fee

Don't Wait to Make Your Reservations!

Please have your canine companions on their best behavior, so these hotels will want our business again. We recommend dogs be crated in your rooms when you are not there. And, as always, pick-up after your dog!

Directions to Trial Site



From North: Route 78 East to Route 309 South, Go through Quakertown, pass Souderton, you will come to a traffic light with a large shopping center on Left side (Wal-mart, McDonalds) and a strip mall on right side, next light Zoto's diner on right, next light Burger King on Left, 3rd light is a car wash on right side 1st driveway on right (into small strip mall) after carwash. You will also see a sign for Dogtown. Go around back.

From PA Turnpike Willow Grove Exit. Go right to 611 North/Easton Rd. Turn left on Horsham Rd//Route 463 (past where Oakes K9 training center is), follow past left side Hatboro Horsham High School, left side Horsham Police Station, right side Montgomeryville Police Station, right side Home Depot, you come to a five point intersection, make a slight right onto 309 North, (Left side Yum Yum Donuts) cross railroad tracks, pass WAWA right side, turn left into small strip mall (sign there for Dogtown) follow behind building.

Address is: 252 Bethlehem Pike (Southbound 309) Route 309 & Advance Lane Intersection at Traffic Light (Next-door to CAR WASH America) Colmar, PA. You can find directions at K9 JYM's website: www.k9jym.com/index.php/directions

**There is no camping at the trial grounds, and motor homes are not allowed. No Saturday evening setup. No one is allowed on the property after the show and not before 7:30 AM on Sunday.*

Rally Obedience Description

For a complete description of the Rally rules, regulations, performance guidelines, explanation of exercises, etc. go to APDT.com/RallyO/index.htm. To learn more and get new ideas, you can join the "all dogs" Rally chat list and talk to other APDT Rally enthusiasts by sending a message to Rally0-All-Dogs-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

Rally-O is a sport which consists of a sequence of stations, run as a heel-work course by a handler and dog, where a sign at each station indicates an obedience exercise which the team must perform. Rally is designed to be more relaxed than precision competitive Obedience, focusing instead on attitude and enthusiasm, while the variety of exercises and courses allows you to show off your versatility and teamwork.

Rally is intended to promote positive relationships between dogs and owners based on trust and mutual respect. Dogs and handlers should both appear to be enjoying the competition and each other's company.

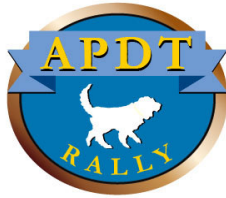
APDT Rally encourages participation by ALL dogs - purebred or mixed breed, pets or titled champions. Handlers are allowed to encourage their dogs in the ring using verbal praise, petting, and even food rewards just as they would in a good training session. The dogs must perform the exercises correctly and there should be a practiced smooth flow to the performance.

Notice to Competitors

Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of APDT Rally Obedience rules and regulations including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry:

- This trial is open to all dogs being at least six months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season or dogs with disabilities, injuries or illnesses which may cause the dog pain or great discomfort, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression that threaten the safety of other dogs or humans.
- All dogs must be registered with APDT Rally to compete. A one time registration form is included and must be submitted DIRECTLY to the APDT Rally office (not to trial hosting organization) in order to obtain an APDT Rally dog registration number. Exhibitors must allow 2-4 weeks for processing
- Dogs must be shown by a member of the owner's immediate family: mother, father, spouse, life partner, sibling, child, grandparent, or grandchild.
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times. Handlers, through entry at this event, accept full responsibility for themselves and the actions of their dogs.
- The organizing committee may refuse any entry for any reason.
- THERE SHALL BE NO REFUND for entries withdrawn after the closing date or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason for such dismissal.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$35.00 service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark of notice of returned check where notification is received after event date. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice result in cancellation of event results for all classes for the registration number(s) of delinquent entry/entries. No reinstatement of results is possible, and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification, or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is canceled without recourse by owner/handler.
- 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, strike or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers.
- All dogs shall be shown in a flat buckle or snap collar, plain harness, or properly fitted martingale (limited slip) collar. No choke collar, prong collars, shock collars, no-pull harnesses, martingale leads, or head collars are allowed. All dogs must remain on leash unless they are in the ring.
- All competitors through entry at this event waive any and all rights relative to video broadcast of this event. Competitors shall have the right to videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be videotaped for commercial or other purposes. All video, broadcast, and telecast rights for this event are the exclusive property of the APDT or the trial host(s).
- Owners with disabilities are encouraged to compete. Any necessary modifications to the exercises must be provided by the handler to the judge and approved by the judge.
- Upon successful completion of an exercise, the owner may choose to briefly pet or touch the dog as a reward. The owner may also choose to give the dog food as a reward. Food may NOT be used as a lure to help the dog complete an exercise. Food rewards must be contained in pockets or hidden treat pouches and only be present in the owner's hand in between exercises. Any petting, touching, or feeding that significantly interrupts the flow of performance shall be scored accordingly.
- All exhibitors have the option of using food as a reward. It is no longer necessary to indicate this on the entry form.
- Dogs must remain under control at all times whether on or off leash while on show grounds.
- Please pick up after your dog and yourself.
- This event will be held indoors on ¾" rubber mat flooring.
- APDT's official Rally-O Rules and Regulations are hereby incorporated by reference, a copy of which may be obtained by going to <http://www.apdt.com/po/rally/default.aspx>

Rally Obedience for All Dogs



DOG Registration Form

Complete a separate registration form for each team you are registering. **Please print clearly or type** – this information will appear on all Rally records.

Registration confirmation will be emailed to you. If you do not have email, it will be sent via US mail.

Please allow 2-4 weeks for processing.

Please direct all inquiries to Rally@APDT.com

Dog's Name: _____

Dog's Date of Birth (approximate if unknown): _____

Breed: _____

Owner's/Co-owner's Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ **Email:** _____

Have you previously registered a dog with APDT Rally? _____

Fees:

Rally Registration\$ 35.00

Less Spay/Neuter Discount (enclose proof), <\$10> _____

Less APDT Member Discount
(Member Number/Expiration Date _____), <\$10> _____

TOTAL..... _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check or money order payable to APDT in US funds drawn on U.S. banking institutions _____

Circle one: Visa MasterCard American Express

Account # _____ Expiration Date _____ CSV code _____

Cardholder Name _____

Credit Card Billing Address _____

Signature of Cardholder _____

Mail to:
Association of Pet Dog Trainers
101 N. Main St., Suite 610, Greenville SC 29601



OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Oakes K9 Training, Inc.

Trial date: Sunday, October 31, 2010

Entries Accepted as of: Friday, July 31, 2010

Entries Close: Monday, October 18, 2010

Trial Location: 252 Bethlehem Pike Colmar, PA 18915



- Return completed form(s) with entry and registration fees payable to: **Oakes K9 Training, Inc.**
- Mail To: Marie Morris, 1689 Sugarbottom Rd, Furlong, PA 18925**
- The signed "General Agreement" must be included with your entry or it will be returned to you.

Dog Information

Reg. Name:	
Call Name:	APDT Reg. #
Height at Withers:	Actual Jump Height:
Breed:	
Dog must have APDT registration number / entries will not be accepted and/or considered valid without an APDT registration number	

Owner/Handler Information

Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Day Phone:	Email:	
Evening Phone:		
<i>*Handler's Name (must be owner/co-owner or member of immediate family)</i>		

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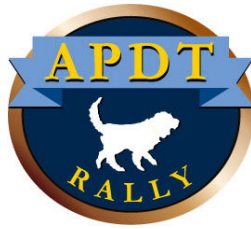
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Entry Fees – you may circle which applies and then list the total to be paid:

AM – Trial #1				PM – Trial #2			
Level 1	A	B	\$	Level 1	A	B	\$
Level 2	A	B	\$	Level 2	A	B	\$
Level 3	A	B	\$	Level 3	A	B	\$
Veterans	A	B	\$	Veterans	A	B	\$
Total AM – Trial #1			\$	Total PM – Trial #2			\$
COMBINED TOTAL				\$			

Please indicate any titles you anticipate earning at this event

Titling:	L1 _____	L2 _____	L3 _____	VL _____
Champion:	L1X _____	L2X _____	L3X _____	VLX _____
Championships:	ARCH _____	ARCHX _____	ARCHEX _____	ARCHMX _____



General Agreement

I (we) agree that **Oakes K9 Training, Inc.** has the right to refuse this entry for any cause, which the organizing committee alone shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, of the holding of the event, and of the opportunity to have the dog participate and/or to be judged, I (we) agree to hold the organizing committee, the hosting club, the Association of Pet Dog Trainers, including their members, officers, directors, agents and employees, sponsors of the event, and owners of the premises upon which the event is held and their employees, harmless from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, appearance, theft, damage, or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify 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 resulting at any time there from, 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, howsoever such injuries, death, or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

I (we) further acknowledge that I (we) have read, understand, and will abide by the Official Rally-O Rules and Regulations of the Association of Pet Dog Trainers and the provisions for entry as set forth in the Rally Test Schedule of which this entry form is a part. I (we) acknowledge and represent that the information supplied by me (us) herein is correct to the best of my (our) knowledge; if any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my (our) entry, such finding shall render my (our) entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid. Further, I (we) represent that I am (we are) the owner(s) of the dog listed hereon, or that I (we) am (are) a family member of the dog's owner as stated and allowed in the APDT Rally rules, and that I (we) shall hold the hosting club and APDT, including their officers, directors, employees and agents and their sponsors, harmless from any liability or claim made by dog's owner.

Further, I (we) hereby grant to the Association of Pet Dog Trainers, **Oakes K9 Training, Inc.**, their representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia or identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission, or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known. I (we) hereby release APDT, the hosting club, their representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality, or any similar right.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Legal Guardian signature for junior or minor entries:

Signature: _____ Date: _____