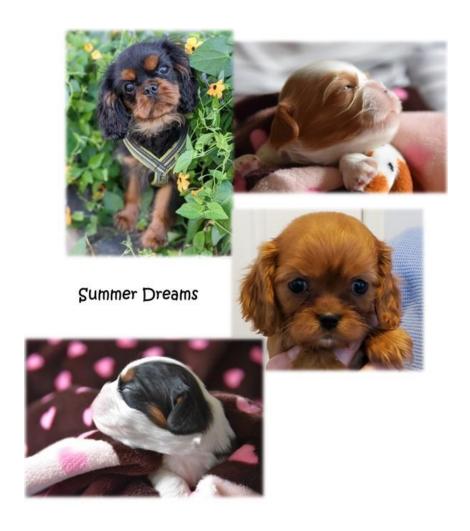
# Cavaliers of the Northeast August Specialty Show



Three Championship Point Shows and Junior Showmanship

Veteran and Puppy Sweepstakes

Pee Wee Competition

Rally, Obedience, and Trick Dog

Friday, August 19 – Sunday, August 22, 2022

Penn Harris Hotel, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania

# **Judging Panel**

## Friday, August 19, 2022

Puppy and Veteran Sweeps: John Goodwin, Intrynzik, USA

**Conformation:** Kirstie McMurray, Merryoth, UK **Junior Showmanship:** Flynn Weeks, Madryn, USA

## Saturday, August 20, 2022

Conformation: Barbara Grimm Curley, Falling Springs, USA

Junior Showmanship: Susan Weeks, Madryn, USA

**Obedience and Rally:** Michael Mooney **Trick Dog Evaluations:** Sabine Gregory

## Sunday, August 21, 2022

Conformation: Caroline Gibson, Toraylac, UK

Junior Showmanship: John Goodwin, Milehigh, USA

Obedience and Rally: Micharl Mooney

## **Show Chairs**

Trisha DePhillip Carla Close Elizabeth Greak Deborah Mitchum
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## **Show Rules Committee**

Elizabeth Greak (same as above)
Trisha DePhillip (same as above)
Carla Close (same as above)
Deborah Mitchum (same as above)

## **Show Secretary**

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# **Show Committee**

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Hospitality: CNE Board of Directors

Announcer: Friday Sweeps and Conformation: Charlie Weidig

Saturday: Deb Mitchum Sunday: Susan Weeks

Table Stewards: Friday: Flynn Weeks

Saturday: Bill Junk

Sunday: Gloria Rubino

Ring Stewards: Friday: Carla Close

Saturday: Flynn Weeks

Sunday: TBA

Gate Stewards: Friday: Deb Mitchum

Saturday: Fran Hellman, Kim Hess

Sunday: Trisha DePhillip

Photographer: Bryan Sirotkin

Grounds: CNE BOD and All Attendees

## **Schedule Of Events**

## Thursday, August 18, 2022

10:00 am CKCSC National Board Meeting

7:00 pm Ballroom Set-Up, All BOD and members requested and welcomed to assist

## Friday, August 19, 20222

9:00 am Veteran and Puppy Sweepstakes Judging, John Goodwin, Milehigh, USA

Conformation Judging, Kirstie McMurray, Merryoth, UK

Dog Classes (through Senior Open Dog)

Junior Showmanship, Flynn Weeks Conformation Judging continues Winners Dog Competitions

Break - Pre-Order Box Lunches served

Pee Wee Puppy Fun Match
Conformation Judging continues

Bitch Classes and Winners Bitch Competition

**Veteran and Unofficial Classes** 

Best In Show Competition and Special Awards

## Saturday, August 21, 2021

9:00am Conformation Judging Barb Curley, Falling Springs, USA

Dog Classes (through Senior Open Dog)

10:00am Obedience and Rally Michael Mooney, AKC

Junior Showmanship, Susan Weeks Conformation Judging continues Winners Dog Competitions

Break - Pre-Order Box Lunches served

Pee Wee Puppy Fun Match

2:00-5:00pm Trick Dog Evaluations, Sabine Gregory

**Conformation Judging continues** 

Bitch Classes and Winners Bitch Competition

Veteran and Unofficial Classes

Best In Show Competition and special Awards

## Sunday, August, 22, 2021

9:00 am Conformation Judging, Caroline Gibson, Toraylac, UK

Dog Classes (through Senior Open Dog)

10:00am **Obedience and Rally** Michael Mooney, AKC

Junior Showmanship, John Goodwin, Milehigh, USA

Conformation Judging continues
Winners Dog Competitions

Break- Pre-Order Box Lunches served

**Pee Wee Puppy Fun Match Conformation Judging** *continues* 

**Bitch Classes and Winners Birch Competitions** 

**Veteran Classe and Unofficial Classes** 

Best in Show Competition and Special Awards

# **Hotel Information**

## Penn Harris Hotel

Address: 1150 Camp Hill Bypass, Camp Hill, PA 17011

Phone: (717) 763-7117

Room Rate: \$109.00 plus taxes, and fees.

Check-in is at 3:00 PM; check out is at 11AM.

Maximum of 4 dogs per room. There is a non-refundable pet fee of \$50 for 1-2 dogs and \$75 for 2-4 dogs per room for the entire weekend.

Reservations for this show close on July 25, 2022. As a courtesy to the hotel, please make your reservations well inadvance of this date. To ensure this room rate, identify yourself as part of the Cavaliers of the Northeast to get one of our blocked rooms. Box lunches will be available. Please indicate your choices on the entry form.

## **Hotel and Ground Rules**

Everyone must comply with the request that <u>ALL DOGS</u> must be **crated** at <u>all times</u> when not under the direct supervision of a wide awake, responsible adult person. This is for your protection, for the protection of the dog, and the Hotel's protection.

Please cover furnishings and bed with your OWN SHEETS and TOWELS if dogs will get on the furniture.

**No** bathing of dogs. If feet need touch-up, use your <u>OWN TOWELS</u>. **CLEAN HAIR FROM SINKS AND TUBS. NO WET DOGS ON THE FURNITURE.** 

Bring with you the necessary equipment for <u>immediate</u> clean-up -- plenty of baggies, paper towels, sponge, pooper-scooper, trash bags, etc.

Inform hotel of any serious damage to your room. This is **your** responsibility.

Report barking dogs, catch any running loose, carry extra baggies, etc. for emergencies and a helping hand.

Pick up all litter -- including paper cups, cigarette butts, soft drink cans -- and place them in a trash bag.

Future Shows at this site/hotel depend on how well you control your dog, your children, and yourself. Please make this one a success and future shows a possibility.

<u>NOTE</u>: As of Thursday night, we will have clean up baskets in the lobby. Our poop clean up stations will not be set up until Thursday night, August 18th. If you are planning to arrive early, please bring your own supplies as you will still be expected to clean up after your dogs.

## SHOW RULES ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Show Rules** last changed 12/5/19 effective 1/1/20.

**Definition of Classes** last changed 5/12/22 effective 8/1/22.

Performance Show Rules last changed 3/12/20 effective 4/12/20.

Performance Class Definitions last changed 3/12/20 effective 4/12/20.

The CKCSC-USA Show Rules are available on the Club's website www.ckcsc.org. Please review the updated Show Rules carefully. The effective date appears at the top of each set of rules.

for Show Rules, select Events - Conformation Info - Show Rules.

for Performance Show Rules, select **Events – Performance Info – Show Rules**.

To print, use the Print function of your browser.

NOTE: New Scent Work Title program is effective 1/1/21. Rules, Class Definitions, and Title Requirements posted on the website.

	SHOW RULES CHANGE	
3/12/20	Scent Dog Trial Rules: Added effective 1/1/2021.	
	DEFINITION OF CLASSES CHANGE	
3/12/20	Scent Dog Class Definitions: Added Scent Work Classes effective 1/1/2021.	
5/12/22	Added new classes for Junior Showmanship and changed age eligibility for the Junior and	
Senior Class.		

#### **IMPORTANT!**

<u>Supplemental Entry Form</u> and proof of foreign registration are <u>required</u> if you need to enter a dog using its Foreign Registry Number while you are waiting on a CKCSC number. Proof of foreign registration is any document that shows the foreign number is assigned to that dog. The application to register the individual dog or the litter <u>must have been received by the Registration Office</u> by late closing or the <u>entry will not be</u> <u>accepted</u>. If you have any questions or cannot download the form, please contact Beth Bales. (Refer to Show Rules Section II. Rule 1.)

## RINGSIDE READY REMINDER!

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to have their dog ringside for all competitions for which they are eligible, including dogs that are eligible to return to the ring for Reserve and Award of Merit competitions. The grooming area and hotel rooms are not ringside. Dogs that are not ringside and ready to enter when called to join the competition may not be allowed to enter the ring. Because Awards of Merit (AOM) are awarded at this show, it is possible that third and even fourth place winners could return to compete for an AOM. (Refer to Show Rules Section I. Rule 21.)

## **NEW JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES!**

Effective 8/1/22, Junior Showmanship now offers four (4) classes for our young handlers that allows them to compete with others closer to their age. Participants can select to participate in only one class. (Refer to Class Definitions – Junior Showmanship for detail definitions.)

To implement this change, the age ranges for the Junior and Senior Classes have been changed and two new classes are offered – Intermediate and Pee Wee Classes.

Pee Wee Class participants can be 5 years of age and not yet 11 years of age and are allowed to have an adult in the ring.

Wins in the Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Classes count towards the Top Junior Showmanship Awards presented at the Annual Awards Banquet.

Regardless of the class entered, a young handler can switch between Pee Wee and age eligible classes on a given day but can participate in only one of the four classes on any given day.

# **CORONAVIRUS ANNOUNCEMENT**

All National and Regional Clubs, officials and participants are required to follow state, local, Federal and facility guidelines that apply to the area and site where the event is held. Each event will follow the current guidelines in effect at the time of the event.

With a situation that is continually evolving, it is up to the host club to determine the guidelines required at the venue for our event and to inform you of any specific guidelines in the premium, show catalog or Club website, if available prior to the event. Any emergent guidelines will be posted on signage/flyers at the venue.

If you have tested positive for Coronavirus or were in close contact with someone that has tested positive, please follow the most recent CDC guidelines, as to quarantine and social distancing to protect other attendees

## **General Announcements**

Ballroom Fee: There will be a one-time fee per participant (\$25) to offset the rising cost of the ballroom.

<u>Pee-Wee Puppy:</u> Event Offered immediately after lunch break and before start of bitch classes all three days. This is a chance to bring out your baby puppies! **Sign up ON THE DAY ONLY**. All you need is Call Name, Date of birth and sex of each puppy entered! Each entry is \$5.00. Puppies should be accustomed to a collar and lead, or they may use a harness. This event is meant tobe a good experience for all the puppies rather than highly competitive.

<u>Puppy/Veteran Sweeps:</u> Please preregister for Sweeps if possible. Late entries are double the fee. While late entrants are eligible to win the pot, late prize money is not included in the puppy sweeps envelopes which are assemble at the close of entries. Registration will be at 6:30 at the hospitality table.

<u>Hospitality Table</u>: If in doubt and if all else fails, stop by the hospitality table and ask your questions. Our CNE members will be able to courteously help you about any problem you may have. We offer all sorts of hand-outs and information. Pick up yourarmbands and your catalog or buy a catalog from the hospitality table.

**Sponsorships:** Due to overall rising costs we are asking our members to please consider sponsoring this show in one or more of the following categories. Adding a sponsorship to the **SUMMARY OF AMOUNTS DUE** generously helps to defray the expense of putting on a show. Sponsors names are printed in the catalog.

Morning Beverage Sponsorship: \$35 sponsors morning coffee & tea in the ballroom. We will display your name (andkennel if desired) with the morning beverages.

<u>Class Sponsorship</u>: \$15.00 per class. This greatly helps defray the costs of the lovely prizes awarded in each class.

Miscellaneous Sponsorship: Any amount is greatly appreciated.

<u>Sales Tables</u>: \$50.00 per 6-foot table. To reserve space, please send your requirements and a check payable to CNE to Show Secretary Joan Parker 302 Pine Ridge Circle, Winterville, GA 30683-2431.

<u>Catalog Advertising</u>: \$50 All ads will be published in black and white. Please email your advertising to Joan Parker. Showcase your dogs. Wish everyone good luck. Share a snapshot. Preview an idea. A great opportunity for all! Ads should be as close to ready as possible.

<u>Photographer</u>: Bryan Sirotkin of BS Photography, 1200 Sandy Spring Road, Laurel, MD 20707. He looks forward to capturingour "Win Shots" & portraits. Portraits of your cavalier can be scheduled throughout the weekend with Bryan. Web site: http://www.bsphotography.net. Contact information: phone: (410) 491-8374; email: bryansirotkinphotography@yahoo.com.

<u>Box Lunches:</u> Although there will be a cash bar, there will be no restaurant service at the hotel. Box lunches will be available on Friday, Saturday and Sunday for \$18 (each meal). Sandwich choices are Roast

Beef and Cheese on a Kaiser roll, Turkey and Cheese on a Kaiser Roll, or Roasted Veggie wrap. Please indicate your choice on the entry form. A bottle of water and a bag of chips are included with the box lunch.

**Emergency Veterinary Clinics:** Shores Emergency Veterinary Service (open 24/7)

865 St. Thomas Ct Harrisburg, PA 17109

717-798-8500

Class eligibility by birthdate (Aug 19 – 21, 2022): Please refer to the following chart to ensure your dog's age is within the eligible age range (inclusive) for the class.

Class Name	Friday 8/19/2022	Saturday (8/20/2022)	Sunday (8/21/2022)
Junior Puppy	11/20/21 - 3/19/22	11/21/21 - 3/20/22	11/122/21 - 3/21/22
Senior Puppy	8/20/21 - 11/19/21	8/21/21 - 11/20/21	8/22/21 - 11/21/21
Graduate Puppy	3/20/21 - 8/19/21	3/21/21 - 8//20/21	3/22/21 - 8/21/21
Novice	before 3/20/22	before 3/21/22	before 3/22/22
Bred By	before 3/20/22	before 3/21/22	before 3/22/22
Junior American Bred	3/20/21 - 4/20/21	3/21/21 - 4/21/21	3/22/21-4/22/21
American Bred	before 3/20/21	before 3/21/21	before 3/22/21

Puppy Sweeps	Friday (8/19/2022)	Veteran Sweeps	Friday (8/19/2022)
Junior Puppy	11/19/21 – 4/19/22	Bronze	8/20/13 - 8/19/15
Senior Puppy	8/19/21 - 11/19/21	Silver	8/20/11 - 8/20/13
Graduate Puppy	3/19/21 - 8/19/21	Gold	before 8/19/11

## CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL CLUB, USA DEFINITION OF CLASSES

As of 8/1/22

The term "Dog" applies to both sexes unless otherwise specified.

## **CONFORMATION**

As of 2/21/19

#### OFFICIAL CONFORMATION CLASSES

(Championship Points awarded if entry justifies.)

Junior Puppy: Puppies 5 months but not yet 9 months.

Senior Puppy: Puppies 9 months but not yet 12 months.

Graduate Puppy: Dogs 12 months but not yet 18 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title.

Novice: Dogs 5 months and older, never to have won any points at a CKCSC, USA, or CKCSC Regional Championship Show, nor a major win, nor a championship in any Registry in which the Breed is recognized.

Bred By Exhibitor: Dogs 5 months and older, owned by the breeder and handled in the ring by the breeder or his/her spouse or domestic partner. The breeder is the registered owner of the dam at the time of mating.

Junior American Bred: Dogs 5 months but not yet 18 months, whelped in the USA of a mating that took place in the USA, and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship if over 12 months of age.

American Bred: Dogs 18 months and older, whelped in the USA of a mating that took place in the USA and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title.

Second Generation American Bred: Dogs 5 months and older which are American Bred and of which both sire and dam are American Bred, and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title. (Offered at the National Specialty, Members Club Show, and Trudy Brown Memorial Rally only.)

Health & Conformation: Dogs 5 years of age and older with an OFA certificate that shows and OFA registry number and states that the dog has no evidence of hip dysplasia after 2 years of age and is certified clear within 1 year of the postmark closing date for that show of the following diseases: 1) Heart - by a board certified cardiologist; 2) Patellar Luxation - by a licensed veterinarian or via an OFA patella certificate; 3) Eyes - by CERF or by a board certified veterinary ophthalmologist's exam sheet indicating that eyes are "normal". Copies of the 4 certificates must accompany the entry form for any dog entering this class.

Special Limit Blenheim: Blenheim dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.

Special Limit Tricolor: Tricolor dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.

Special Limit Ruby: Ruby dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.

Special Limit Black & Tan: Black & Tan dogs 5 months and older and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title if over 12 months of age.

Open: Dogs 5 months and older.

Senior Open: Dogs 7 years and older.

#### **UNOFFICIAL CONFORMATION CLASSES**

(No championship points awarded.)

Veteran: Dogs 7 years and older. Class to be judged on overall quality and conformation of the dogs, regardless of their age.

Stud Dog: Stud dogs to parade with 2 or more of their get from at least 2 different litters, not necessarily in the same ownership. Get must be entered in an Official or Unofficial Conformation Class at this Show. Class to be judged on quality and consistency of get only.

Brood Bitch: Brood bitches to parade with two or more of their produce from at least two different litters, not necessarily in the same ownership. Produce must be entered in an Official or Unofficial Conformation Class at this Show. Class to be judged on quality and consistency of produce

Brace: Two dogs 5 months or older, of the same color and in the same ownership but not necessarily of the same sex. Class to be judged on similarity and quality.

#### **FINAL AND SPECIAL AWARDS**

#### **AWARDS**

All official conformation classes are judged for dogs, then bitches. Winners/Reserve Winners/Best Puppy competitions take place after judging concludes for that sex. Initial competition for Special Awards Best American Bred, Bred By Exhibitor, Blenheim, Tricolor, Ruby, and Black-and-Tan In Show is held after Best Puppy for that sex is awarded. Unofficial conformation classes, including Best Veteran In Show, are judged after the competition for Winners/Reserve Winners/Best Puppy Bitch. The remaining Final and Special Awards follow the unofficial conformation classes.

## **FINAL AWARDS**

(Championship points awarded if entry justifies.)

Winners (WD, WB) is awarded from the Class Winners.

Reserve Winners (RWD, RWB) is awarded from the remaining Class Winners and the second place dog to Winners.

Best Puppy (BPD, BPB) is awarded from all undefeated puppies under one year of age after Reserve Winners and AOM's are awarded.

Best In Show (BIS) is awarded from Winners Dog and Winners Bitch.

Reserved Best In Show (RBIS) is awarded from the Opposite Sex Winners and the Reserve Winners to Best In Show.

Best Puppy In Show (BPIS) is awarded from the winners of Best Puppy Dog and Best Puppy Bitch after Best In Show is awarded.

Award of Merit (AOM) is awarded after Reserve Winners from the remaining Class Winners and next placing dog to Reserve Winners or the first AOM winner. (Up to two AOM's are awarded to each sex at all National shows and every championship show during the Regional Annual General Meeting (AGM) weekend.)

#### **SPECIAL AWARDS**

(No championship points awarded.)

Best Veteran In Show is awarded from the winners of the Veteran Classes immediately following the Veteran Class competition.

Best Health and Conformation In Show is awarded from the winners of the Health and Conformation Classes immediately following the Best Black-and Tan In Show competition.

Special Awards: Awarded from eligible dogs from all of the classes. The definition for the Special Award is the same as the associated class definition. They must include:

- Best American Bred in Show
- Best Bred By Exhibitor In Show
- Best Blenheim In Show
- Best Tricolor In Show
- **Best Ruby In Show**
- Best Black-and-Tan In Show

#### PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES

(No Championship Points awarded.)

<u>Junior Puppy</u>: Puppies 5 months but not yet 9 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA, championship title. <u>Senior Puppy</u>: Puppies 9 months but not yet 12 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA, championship title. <u>Graduate Puppy</u>: Dogs 12 months but not yet 18 months and not holding a CKCSC, USA championship title.

#### ADULT SWEEPSTAKES

As of 2/21/19

(No Championship Points awarded.)

Adult: Dogs 18 months but not yet 7 years and not holding a CKCSC, USA, championship title.

#### **VETERAN SWEEPSTAKES**

As of 2/21/19

(No Championship Points awarded.)

<u>Bronze Veteran:</u> Dogs 7 years but not yet 9 years. <u>Silver Veteran:</u> Dogs 9 years but not yet 11 years.

Gold Veteran: Dogs 11 years and over.

## **JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP**

(To be judged on how well the dogs are handled, NOT on the dogs themselves.)

As of 8/1/22

<u>Pee Wee Class:</u> Handlers 5 years but not yet 11 years. Dogs not to be placed upon the examining table. Handler is allowed to have an adult accompany them in the ring. All participants are awarded first place ribbons. Wins are not eligible for yearend awards

<u>Junior Class</u>: Handlers 6 years but not yet 10 years. Dogs not to be placed upon the examining table. <u>Intermediate Class</u>: Handlers 10 years but not yet 14 years. Dogs to be placed on the examining table.

Senior Class: Handlers 14 years but not yet 18 years. Dogs to be placed upon examining table.

#### **PERFORMANCE**

As of 1/1/21

(Dogs must be 5 months or older.)

All terms referring to Obedience, Rally, Agility, Trick Dog, and Scent Work titles refer to those titles awarded by the CKCSC, USA, unless preceded by the designation of another recognized kennel club.

#### **OBEDIENCE**

As of 1/1/18

#### **OFFICIAL OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

(Qualifying scores may earn legs toward obedience titles.)

Utility B: Dogs holding a CCDX or CUD.

Utility A: Dogs holding a CCDX and not holding a CUD title.

Open B: Dogs holding a CCD, CCDX or CUD.

Open A: Dogs holding a CCD and not holding a CCDX title.

Novice B: Dogs not holding the CCD, shown by a handler who has completed an obedience title with a Cavalier or a dog of any other breed in any country in which the breed is recognized. A CCD dog may continue to compete in this class until it receives a qualifying score in an Open Class or until it has received one (1) High In Trial award prior to the closing date of the trial. This one (1) High in Trial award is in addition to any obtained before or during the 60 day period after receiving the CCD title.

Novice A: Dogs not holding the CCD, shown by a handler who has not completed an obedience title with a Cavalier or a dog of any other breed in any country in which the breed is recognized. The handler must be the owner or a member of the owner's immediate family and may enter more than one dog in this class. No dog may be entered in both Novice A and Novice B at any trial.

#### **OPTIONAL TITLING CLASSES**

(Qualifying scores may earn legs toward obedience titles.)

Preferred Utility: Dogs that have completed a CCDX or CPDX title. A Cavalier may continue to compete in this class indefinitely.

<u>Preferred Open</u>: Dogs that have completed a CCD or CPCD or higher Regular or Preferred titles. A Cavalier may continue to compete in this class indefinitely.

<u>Preferred Novice</u>: Dogs that have not earned a qualifying score in any of the CKCSCUSA Open, Preferred Open, Graduate Novice, or Graduate Open classes.

Graduate Open: Dogs that have not earned a CGO.

Graduate Novice: Dogs that have not earned a CGN.

Beginner Novice B: Dogs that have not earned any obedience title OR who have earned a CBN, C\_CD, and/or CPCD title, but no other additional CKCSCUSA obedience titles or any obedience titles higher than novice in any country in which the breed is recognized. Owners may enter more than one dog in this class. No dog may be entered in both Beginner Novice A and Beginner Novice B at any trial.

Beginner Novice A: Dogs not holding a CBN title, shown by a handler who has not completed an obedience title with a Cavalier or a dog of any other breed in any country in which the breed is recognized. The handler must be the owner or a member of the owner's immediate family and may enter more than one dog in this class. No dog may be entered in both Beginner Novice A and Beginner Novice B at any trial.

#### **UNOFFICIAL OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

(Qualifying scores do not earn leas toward obedience titles.)

<u>Sub-Novice</u>: Dogs may compete in Sub-Novice until the third leg of the CCD is earned. All Novice exercises on lead: Heel (including the figure 8), Stand for Examination, Recall, Sit-Stay and Down-Stay.

<u>Versatility</u>: This class is for dogs that are capable of performing the Open and Utility exercises.

Brace: Two Cavaliers to perform the Novice exercises in unison. The dogs need not be in the same ownership or the same color, but must be handled by only one handler. Dogs may be shown unattached or coupled, the coupling device to be not less than 6 inches overall length. Whichever method is used, it must be continued throughout all exercises. Either or both dogs in a brace may be entered in another class(es) at the same trial. Veteran: Cavaliers 7 years and older to perform the Novice exercises.

## **OBEDIENCE TRIAL FINAL AND OPTIONAL AWARDS**

#### AWARD9

All official and optional titling classes are judged, then the unofficial obedience classes. Upon conclusion of the judging for the eligible classes, Final Awards are awarded first, followed by the Optional Awards.

#### **FINAL AWARDS**

(Must be offered at every Obedience Trial.)

Obedience High In Trial (OHIT) is awarded to the highest qualifying exhibitor of the Novice A, Novice B, Open A, Open B, Utility A, and Utility B classes. If there is a tie score, a run-off between the exhibitors with the highest score will be performed. Each exhibitor will perform an off-leash heel pattern. The Judge will score the performance and award the Obedience High In Trial to the exhibitor with the best performance.

#### **OPTIONAL AWARDS**

(If the host club offers these awards, they must be listed in the premium.)

**Individual Highest Scoring Class Award** is awarded to the highest qualifying exhibitor in the specified class.

Obedience High Combined is awarded to the exhibitor with the highest combined qualifying scores from the Open B and Utility classes.

#### RALLY

As of 1/1/18

#### **OFFICIAL RALLY CLASSES**

(Qualifying scores earn legs toward rally titles.)

Rally Masters: Dogs holding the CRE title.

Rally Excellent B: Dogs holding the CRA title. A dog completing the Rally Excellent (CRE) title may continue to complete in this class indefinitely.

Rally Excellent A: Dogs holding the CRA title, but not holding any obedience title or any Rally Excellent title in any registry.

Rally Advanced B: Dogs holding the CRN title. A dog completing the Rally Advanced (CRA) title may continue to compete in this class indefinitely.

Rally Advanced A: Dogs holding the CRN title, but not holding any obedience title or any Rally Advanced title in any registry.

Rally Intermediate: Dogs holding the CRN title but not having any qualifying scores in either of the Rally Advanced classes. A dog competing for the Rally Intermediate (CRI) title may continue to compete in this class until they earn a qualifying score in the Rally Advanced A or B class.

Rally Novice B: Any dog may compete in this class until a qualifying score in the Rally Advanced Class is earned.

Rally Novice A: Dogs not holding any obedience title or any Rally title in any registry, shown by a handler who has not completed any obedience title or any Rally title with a Cavalier or a dog of any other breed in any country in which the breed is recognized. After a dog earns the Rally Novice (CRN) title, it may continue to compete in this class for 60 days. The handler must be the owner or a member of the owner's immediate family and may enter more than one dog in this class. No dog may be entered in both Novice A and Novice B at any trial.

## RALLY TRIAL FINAL AND OPTIONAL AWARDS

#### **AWARDS**

To be awarded upon conclusion of the judging for the eligible classes.

#### FINAL AWARDS

(Must be offered at every Rally Trial.)

Rally High In Trial (RHIT) is awarded to the highest qualifying exhibitor of the Novice A, Novice B, Intermediate, Advanced A, Advanced B, Excellent A, Excellent B, and Masters classes. If there is a tie score from the same class level, time is used for a tie breaker. If there is a tie score among class levels, a run-off beween the exhibitors with the high score will be performed. The run-off will have a minimum of 5 rally stations at the lowest level of the exhibitors competing in the run-off. The Judge will score the performance and award the Rally High In Trial to the exhibitor with the best performance.

#### **OPTIONAL AWARDS**

(If the host club offers these awards, they must be listed in the premium.)

Individual Highest Scoring Class Award is awarded to the highest qualifying exhibitor in the specified class.

Rally High Combined is awarded to the exhibitor with the highest combined score from the Rally Advanced B and Rally Excellent B classes.

### TRICK DOG

As of 1/1/18

#### OFFICIAL TRICK DOG CLASSES

(Approved skills earn legs toward trick dog titles.)

**Novice:** Dogs to perform 10 skills from the Novice trick list.

Intermediate: Dogs holding the CTKN title to perform 10 skills from the Intermediate trick list.

Advanced: Dogs holding the CTKI title to perform 5 skills from the Advanced trick list.

Performer: Dogs holding the CTKA title to perform a routine with at least 10 tricks previously learned.