

Susque-Nango Kennel Club

is an AKC Member club

Fast Coursing Ability Test

AKC All-Breed



June 12, 13, 14th, 2026

Friday 6/12 Event #2026173608 & Event #2026173609

Saturday 6/13 Event #2026173610 & Event #2026173611

Sunday 6/14 Event#2026173612 & Event#2026173613

Entries OPEN April 28th, 8:00am/ CLOSE May 26th, 6:00pm

Limit of 150 per event

Entries must be received no later than the posted closing date and time! Mail in postmark dates is not accepted. When run limits are reached before the closing date, a waitlist will be established.

Entries after closing are accepted as space allows and charged Day

Of pricing. For availability contact the event secretary.

Events will run concurrently each day. Course is grass & Fully Fenced!

*Continuous Loop Lure Operation with bag/pelt & electronic timers.

Location; Veteran's River Park,
311 Main St., Kirkwood, NY 13795

ONLINE ENTRIES AVAILABLE on OPENING Date 4/28 at 8am!

<https://pci.jotform.com/form/260173403538150>

*Electronic entries; processing fees applied and are not refundable

The link will be posted at that time on Facebook at:

www.facebook.com/groups/FASTCATinNEasternUSA

Susque-Nango Kennel Club Officers

President: Ellen Baggerman, Binghamton NY

1st Vice-President: Karen Crowley, Binghamton NY

2nd Vice-President: Sandy Copeland, Binghamton NY

Treasurer: Sara Reiter, Windsor NY

Corres. Secretary: Patty Linaberry Owego, NY/ 200 Woodlawn Ave.
Owego, NY 13872 / p200lina@gmail.com

Rec. Secretary: Karen Zavada, Binghamton NY

AKC Delegate: Laura Trainor, Vestal NY

Board of Directors: Roseanna Davidson, Judy Robb, Joelle Peltz

Event Committee

Ellen Baggerman, Lori Hochdanner, Cindy Schroeder, Sue Tong, Rhonda West, any and all officers/members of Susque-Nango Kennel Club

Event Chair

Sarah Spinler, 20 Paul Nelms Dr., Downingtown, PA 19335
484-432-0593 | spinler@comcast.net

Event Secretary

Allyson Hill, DRMarketing LLC, Manalapan, NJ 07726
DRMarketing89@gmail.com 908-770-9592 for emergencies only

Lure Operator

Diane Bruder, Pa

Fast CAT Photographer

Mark Baer Photography | www.mlbaer.com

FUN RUNS

Fun runs are being offered at the discretion of the Club after the completion of the official runs on Friday & Saturday ONLY. \$10 for the first run, \$5 per each additional run of the same dog, limited to 3 runs per dog.

The Test Committee may limit runs allowed per dog if in their judgment it would be detrimental to the dog to continue. Sign up at the field each day. In the event the fun runs are not held/completed based on the Club's decision, fun run fees will be refunded in full by the club. There are NO refunds for incomplete or missed fun runs

 AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB	CERTIFICATION Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.
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The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone, or need help, please call 800.656.HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors

Entry Fee

\$26.00 per entry per dog per event (Includes \$4.50 AKC recording fee). Closing date is May 26, 2026, 6:00pm EST. Incomplete, **unsigned, or conditional entries will not be accepted.** Entries received after the closing date will be charged the **Day of Entry fee of \$31 per entry.** On site Day of entries **if space allows** with permission. Please email the event secretary.

ABOUT RETURNED CHECKS: DRMarketing will not return checks for entries that are not accepted, or entries cancelled by the competitor before the closing date and before the check has been deposited. We shred all unused checks. All entries must be accompanied with payment to be valid. A returned check is not a valid entry. A Returned Check for insufficient funds will be charged an additional \$30 fee.

Mail entries payable to DRMarketing

SNKC Fast CAT

c/o DRMarketing

4 Argyle Lane, Manalapan, NJ 07726

This will be a CONCURRENT Event using a BLOCK schedule. An hour-time block will be assigned. There is no run order within that hour. An email explaining the process will be sent out prior to the event.

Fast CAT events are open to all dogs one yr. of age and older and are registered with the AKC. Dogs granted a Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) number, dogs enrolled in the Canine Partners program are also eligible. Dogs with breed disqualifications & monorchid/cryptorchid dogs are also eligible.

If your mix-breed dog needs an AKC Canine Partner number information is below, pay by credit card and receive your registration number instantly. Your dog MUST BE spayed or neutered to receive a Canine Partner number!



Enroll online at

<https://www.akc.org/register/information/canine-partners/enroll/>

Hours

Grounds are available a half hour prior to event hours. Event hours are usually 8:00AM-5:00PM or until all runs are completed. **It is the responsibility of each entrant to be ready with catcher & releaser when they are called to the line.**

Collar Rules: Dogs may run without a collar or wear any type of collar except choker collars, electronic training collars, or head collars. Collars should be snug. **Hanging tags pose a safety concern and it is suggested they be taped or removed.** Dogs may run muzzled if desired. Clips or rubber bands may be used to keep long hair from falling across the dog's field of vision.

No Open toe shoes or bare feet allowed anywhere on the course!

Check in & Inspection.

Check in/Inspection starts 15 minutes prior to the beginning of the event and each time block or throughout the event. Every dog must pass through inspection before each run. Dogs who miss their time block will be skipped. If you do not check in within one hour prior to the end of the event closing, we will assume you are absent. No refunds for absent dogs. At inspection, all dogs will be examined for disqualifications. Bitches known to be in season are not to be brought to the test. **At inspection, bitches in season, lame and unfit dogs will be excused with entry refunded by the policy listed in refunds.**

Refunds!

You may pull out of the event prior to closing date/time for a refund for any reason but if entry was paid online a \$3.50 service fee per refunded entry run will be charged. Mail in checks will be shredded or if deposited, a check will be mailed to you minus a \$5 processing fee. After closing only Bitches in season and Lame dogs will be given the same refund policy. There will be no refund after closing for any other reason, including illness to humans.

Prizes

A flat blue ribbon for a passing qualifying run.

Rosettes for completing titles BCAT, DCAT or FCAT, as available.

Please notify the Event Secretary in advance if you anticipate completing a title by saying so on the entry form.

What is the Fast CAT?

1. Fast CAT is a timed straight 100-yard dash for dogs.
2. Dogs are held at the start line, and the coursing lure is activated, prompting the dog to follow chasing it to the finish line and into a catch pen. The course is completely fenced, and dogs are run individually.
3. Dogs are timed when they complete the 100-yard dash. The time is converted to Miles Per Hour (MPH).
4. Based on the dog's size 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.
- Under 12" = Handicap is 2.0.

5. FORMULA: MPH X HANDICAP = POINTS

6. Titles are earned at specific point levels.

BCAT = 150 points, DCAT = 500 points, FCAT = 1,000 points

FCAT# = Each additional 500 points

***AKC RULES; Handlers are not allowed to run on course with a dog or prior to their run. Handlers are not to entice the dog through the course with items other than the lure. NO mechanical devices, including whistles, horns, etc., NO toys including the waving of objects to lure the dog to the finish line. You MAY CHEER and use the dog's name. Food or toys can only be shown after the dog crosses the finish line to help catch the dog.**

For a complete list of rules go to

<https://www.akc.org/sports/coursing/fast-cat/regulations/>

Event Site Directions

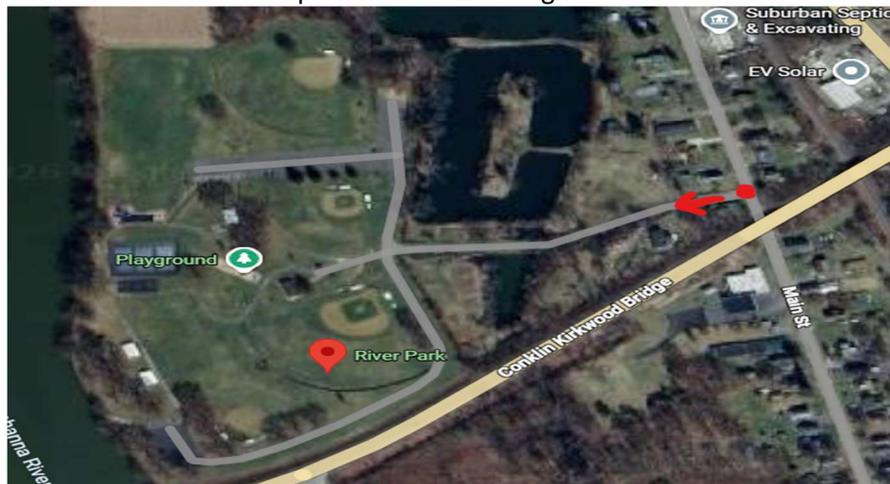
Veteran's River Park, 311 Main St., Kirkwood, NY 13795

From the North:

Take I-81 South to Exit 4 toward US-11/NY-7/Kirkwood Conklin.
Continue on Kirkwood Conklin Rd for 1.2 miles.

From the South:

Take I-81 North entering NY to Exit 1 toward US-11/NY-7/Kirkwood Conklin.
Turn left on to Cedarhurst Rd/Kirkwood Conklin Rd.
Continue to follow Kirkwood Conklin Rd 0.6 mile.
Continue 0.3 mile and turn left on to Bridge St.
Continue 0.3 mile and turn left on to Main St.
Turn left in 0.2 mile and park will be on the right.



Please, park in the parking lot & walk up to the sign-in table. Please have your catcher with you so that you can go directly to the line to run while your catcher goes directly to the catch pen area.

PET FRIENDLY HOTELS and LODGING

The lodgings listed below are everything from basic to fancy. Check reviews and pet policy before staying anywhere. They are listed as a courtesy. They are listed in order from highest rate to lowest rates. Pet fee if known is listed and may not be the rate in effect at booking.

DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Binghamton

225 Water St, Binghamton, NY 13901 (607) 722-7575
Pet Fee: \$50 one-time fee

Homewood Suites by Hilton Binghamton/Vestal

3603 Vestal Pkwy E, Vestal, NY 13850 (607) 296-4800
Pet Fee \$75 one-time fee

Residence Inn by Marriott Binghamton

4610 Vestal Pkwy E, Vestal, NY 13850 (607) 770-8500
Pet Fee \$100 one-time fee

Tru by Hilton Binghamton Vestal

3512 Vestal Pkwy E, Vestal, NY 13850 (607) 644-9111
Pet Fee \$75 one-time fee | 2 pets per room

Quality Inn & Suites Vestal Binghamton near University

4105 Vestal Pkwy E, Vestal, NY 13850 (607) 583-0592
Pet Fee \$15 per pet per week, maximum 2 pets, select rooms

Holiday Inn Binghamton Downtown, an IHG Hotel

2-8 Hawley St, Binghamton NY 13901 (607) 722-1212
Pet Fee \$50 one-time | 2 pets per room

La Quinta Inn by Wyndham Binghamton - Johnson City

581 Harry L Dr, Johnson City, NY 13790 (607) 770-9333
Pet Fee \$10 per pet/night

Binghamton - Johnson City RED ROOF INN

590 Fairview Street, Johnson City, NY, 13790 (937) 328-1559
1 pet per room limit (pets stay free) | 2 pets
max per room | 2nd pet \$15 | 80lb limit

Binghamton North RED ROOF INN

650 Old Front Street, Binghamton, NY, 13905 (937) 328-1852
1 pet per room limit (pets stay free)
2 pets max per room | 2nd pet \$15 | 80lb limit

Motel 6

1012 Front St, Binghamton, NY 13905 (607) 771-0400
NO PET FEE BUT \$75 DEPOSIT REQUIRED –
refundable at check-out

Quality Inn & Suites Binghamton

1156 Upper, Front St, Binghamton, NY 13905 (607) 722-5353
Pet Fee \$25

Econolodge Inn and Suites

690 Old Front St, Binghamton, NY 13905 (607) 724-1341
Pet Fee \$10

RV Information

No RV Accommodations at Veterans River Park

Campsites – Search HIPCAMP for local availability or
<https://www.campspot.com/c/camping-in-new-york/near-binghamton>

Chenango Valley State Park:

<https://parks.ny.gov/parks/chenangovalley/details.aspx>

JellyStone (This is a favorite if you have children):

<https://www.campjellystone.com/park/binghamton-ny/>

24-Hour Veterinarian

Cornell University Hospital for Animals

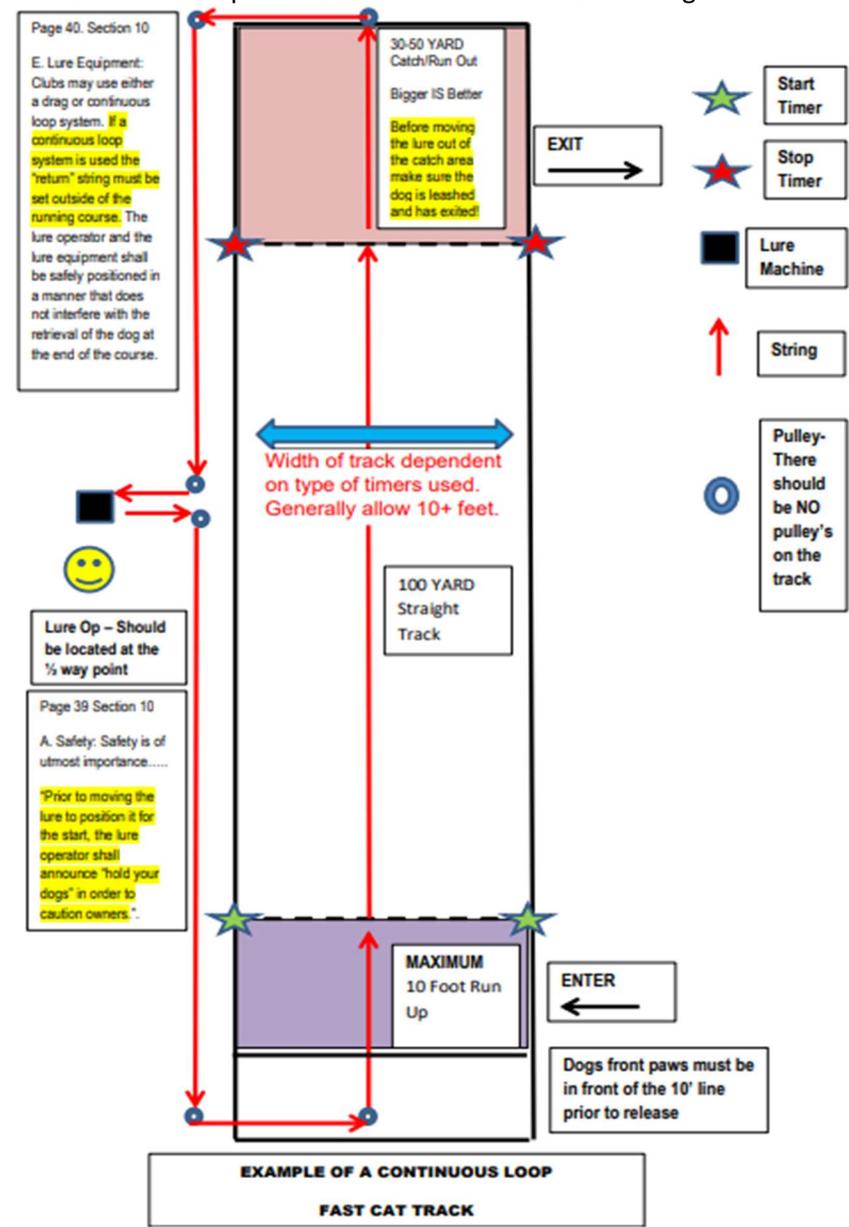
930 Campus Rd, Ithaca, NY 14853 /607-253-3060

Event Information

Dogs should be warmed up before and cooled down after running.

- ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNER'S SOLE RISK
- All dogs entered must be 12 months of age or older on the day of the test.
- All AKC rules regarding sportsmanship and conduct apply.
- These events will be run in the rain. Please plan accordingly.
- **No entry fees will be refunded** if the event cannot be started or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, extreme and/or dangerous weather conditions, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strikes or any other cause beyond the control of the Club.
- It is suggested that any child handling a dog on course must be able to fully control the dog without assistance.
- Junior handlers & any child handling a dog on course must be able to fully control the dog without assistance.
- The show grounds are not completely fenced. The FAST CAT course will be fenced with snow fencing and or mesh fencing material.
- Dogs must be on lead or crated unless they are running.
- You are responsible for controlling your dog(s) and children.
- Each dog requires an individual entry form for each event it is entered.
- The Hunt-master handles field safety and therefore he/she is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field. He/She has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve the dog on the course.
- People exhibiting conduct detrimental to the AKC, dog(s) or person(s) will be asked to leave the event site by the Field Committee. They may be disciplined by the AKC, and **entry fees will not be refunded**.
- The event-hosting club, its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc., assume no liability or 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 before, during, or after this event.
- Chargebacks or Paypal/Credit Card Disputes will be considered a violation of the entry agreement and will be reported to the AKC compliance department for disciplinary action. Outstanding bad debts or a pattern of chargeback/disputes are grounds for rejection of entries by the Secretary
- The Catch pen depth will be determined by the site. A minimum of 50 yds is standard but usually a 60 yd plus measurement is used.

- A continuous loop course will be used as in the AKC diagram below.





AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB FAST CAT ENTRY FORM
ENTRIES RECEIVED EARLY/ INCOMPLETE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Please select one or more events to enter

Fri. 6/12 [] 1 run event #2026173608 [] 1 run event #2026173609

Sat. 6/13 [] 1 run event #2026173610 [] 1 run event #2026173611

Sun. 6/14 [] 1 run event #2026173612 [] 1 run event #2026173613

Entry Fees 1/\$26 2/\$52 3/\$78 4/\$104 5/\$130 6/\$156

After the closing date, 1/\$31 2/\$62 3/\$93 4/\$124 5/\$155 6/\$186

IMPORTANT: FILL OUT ALL BOXES!

Club: Susque-Nango Kennel Club		ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED	\$
Date: June 12, 13, 14, 2026		Event type: DOG HEIGHT at withers	
Location: Veteran's River Park, 311 Main St., Kirkwood, NY 13795		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fast	Check one <input type="checkbox"/> under 12"
Class: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAST CAT		<input type="checkbox"/> CAT Event	<input type="checkbox"/> 12" – 18"
Breed:		Sex:	Date of Birth:
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC Registration # <input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP Registration # <input type="checkbox"/> Canine Partner Registration #		<input type="checkbox"/> 18"& above	
Full Name of Dog:		Call Name:	
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	

***Make All Checks Payable to DRMarketing**

**Mail Entries to;
SNKC FAST CAT**

C/O DRMarketing, 4 Argyle Lane, Manalapan, NJ 07726

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org AGREEMENT 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 ,(we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the Premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them .I(we) agree That the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem Sufi. I(we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. Inconsideration 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, office agents ,superintendents or event secretary and the owner and /or less or 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 maybe 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 there to, 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) here by 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 there from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or inconsequence 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 the person. I(we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me(us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIMARISING 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 THIS PREMIUM LIST) ANDMYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TOTHE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BYARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATIONASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TOARBITRATIONALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONSAND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTERAND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIESANDGUIDELINES.

Signature of Owner or his Agent duly authorized to make the entry:
E-mail Address:
Telephone:
By signing above, I acknowledge that SNKC is not a liable party, including Covid related issues.

Is this your first time entering a Fast CAT? Circle one Yes No

***To request a Title Ribbon you must emailed Sarah Spinler at spinler@comcast.net to reserve.**

Note time requests (AM or PM time block) or to be with another competitor for help reasons HERE!