

PREMIUM LIST

ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY 7:30 PM EST, APRIL 18, 2018 or when the numerical limits have been reached, if reached prior to this date at the Trial Secretary's office. LIMITED ENTRY: Entries will be limited to a maximum of 5 RDX teams, 15 RD teams, and 8 CC teams or the availability of rental horses. The number of entries shall be limited according to Chapter 1, Section 13 of the DCA Road Trial Regulations. Rental horses are limited, and reservations will be taken on a first come, first served basis.

2018 DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. DCA Sanctioned Road Trial



Incorporated
Member of the American Kennel Club

Friday, May 4, 2018

TRIAL HOURS 8:30 AM to 6:00 PM

Trial will be held rain or shine. Judging will commence at 9:00 AM

Suitable for mounted riders

Carriage drivers will have to make individual decisions on driving course

THIS TRIAL WILL BE HELD OUTDOORS

AKC APPROVED GPS TRACKING COLLARS MAY BE USED



AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER

7067 Cottonwood Dr, Colorado Springs, CO 80919

ROAD TRIAL SECRETARY

Lynn Luikart, 10130 Atchison Rd., Centerville, OH 45458

(937) 885-0780 ~ koiradals@att.net (email contact preferred) Express mail entries **must** include signature permitting them to be left at the Secretary's address without the recipient's signature.

DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the Board of Governors of the Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. for the holding of this event under the Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. Road Trial Rules & Regulations. Titles earned at this event can be counted towards the DCA Performance Ability Certificate and/or Conformation Performance Certificate.

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DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.

NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW COMMITTEE

Kristy Wilson, Kevin O'Connell, Kevin West, Rebecca Montgomery, and Carey Moreschini

SHOW COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Kristy Wilson..... Show Chair

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ROAD TRIAL CHAIRPERSON

Ronna Hill Road Trial Chair

5831 Aylesworth Avenue, Lincoln, NE 68505 • (402) 450-3773 • ronnalhill@gmail.com •

JUDGE

All Road Trial Classes

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OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER

Steve Surfman • (410) 392-3544 • steve@stevesurfman.com

TRIAL VETERINARIAN

Dr. Kimberly Palgrave • Cell phone 210-335-8449 • email: Kimberly.palgrave@vca.com (dogs)

VETERINARIAN (On Call & 24 hour Emergency)

Powers Pet Emergency

• 5886 Tutt Blvd. Colorado Springs, CO 80923 • (719) 473-0482 •

DIRECTIONS TO POWERS PET EMERGENCY FROM TRIAL

FROM AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER (TRIAL) - Directions to Emergency Vet (approx. 25 minutes): Turn left on W. Dogwood • turn right onto E Pine Loop • turn left onto Carlton Dr • turn right on Pine Dr • 1 mile turn right onto S. Gate Blvd • 3 miles turn left onto Voyager Pkwy • ½ mile turn right onto Research Pkwy • 4 miles turn right onto Powers Blvd • 2 miles turn left onto Dublin Blvd • turn right onto Tutt Blvd • ½ mile and the clinic will be on your right.

FROM HOST HOTEL - Directions to Emergency Vet (approx. 20 minutes): • Turn right onto I-25 N toward Denver • Take exit 139 to merge onto US-24 E toward Limon • Turn left onto Powers

Blvd · Turn right onto Stetson Hills · Turn left onto Tutt Blvd · Turn left onto Mount Yale Dr; Clinic will be on your right.

ROUTES TO THE TRIAL FROM HOTEL ELEGANTE

Take I-25 N to exit 150 onto Academy Blvd · turn left on N Academy Blvd · 2 ½ miles turn left on Pine Dr. · 1 mile turn left onto Carlton Dr, · immediately turn right onto E Pine Loop · ½ mile turn left onto Dogwood Dr, · turn right on Cottonwood Dr · it will be on the right.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER - 7067 Cottonwood Dr, Colorado Springs, CO 80919

Thursday, May 3, 2018

Horse/Dog & Course Familiarization

Friday, May 4, 2018

DCA Road Trial

8:30 AM - Exhibitor check in begins

9:00 AM - First team begins, RDX cart, then RDX mounted competitors will ride first

Air Force Academy Equestrian is Located on more than 1000 acres of trails on rolling hills which will offer moderate terrain for the Road Trial.

See the main DCA National Specialty 2018 Premium List for:

Host Hotel – Page 6

RV Parking – Page 7

Attention Exhibitors, which also apply to Road Trial Participants – Page 7



**Dalmatian Club of America
National Specialty
May 4-12, 2018**

PRIZES OFFERED BY PURINA

High in Road Trial

- Pro Plan Duffle Bag offered by Purina

All prizes, if not awarded in the ring, must be picked up during the event at the Purina booth. Presentation of the winning ribbon is required. Purina reserves the right to make prize substitutions of equal or greater value in the event a specific listed prize is not available.

The Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. offers a special Thank You to Purina for their very generous support of the 2018 National Specialty!

ROAD TRIAL PRIZES & AWARDS

Unless otherwise indicated, all prizes are hand-crafted custom metal art by Ramworks offered by the Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. through the generosity of donors to the Trophy Fund. Also to be awarded are Rosettes/Ribbons for High in Road Trial, Qualifying Scores & Class Placements. Trophies not awarded become the property of the Dalmatian Club of America, Inc.

SPECIAL PRIZES (Open to All)

HIGH SCORE IN ROAD TRIAL– 20" Oval Metal Wall Art Piece offered by Ronna Hill, Whirlwind, in honor of Ch Whirlwind's Walk This Way CD RD

FIRST, SECOND, THIRD & FOURTH IN EACH CLASS:

First Place – DCA Crested Queen Anne Charger Plate

Second Place – DCA Crested Queen Anne Dinner Plate

Third Place – DCA Crested Queen Anne Salad Plate

Fourth Place – DCA Crested Queen Anne Dessert Plate

Special Performance Award – The Triathlete Challenge

If you and your dog are a multi-tasking team, set your sights on the SPECIALTY TRIATHLETE CHALLENGE, a special award given to EACH Dalmatian/handler team that earns a qualifying leg or passing score in three or more performance venues during the National Specialty. The eligible events are Road Trial May 4th – CD, RD, RDX classes, Coursing Ability Test May 5th, Tracking Tests May 6th, Agility May 6th – all titling classes, Obedience May 7th – all titling classes, Rally May 8th – all titling classes, and Barn Hunt May 9th – all titling classes. Only one score or performance in each venue will count towards this award, and the performance must be at the titling level, although the dog/handler team may already have earned the relevant title. If your dog can hock, heel, sniff, run, and jump, just pick your venues and go for the challenge!

TRIAL INFORMATION DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

As used in these Regulations, the word "dog" refers to either sex but only to Dalmatians that are purebred and eligible for registration in the American Kennel Club studbook or an AKC limited registration. An eligible unregistered dog for which the American Kennel Club has issued a PAL (ILP) number may also be entered. Any dog that is registered in the official registry of another country as a purebred Dalmatian or that holds a United Kennel Club registration may also be entered in a Dalmatian Club of America Road Trial. All Dalmatians entered in a Dalmatian Club of America Road Trial as described in these Regulations will be eligible for any prizes or titles offered at said trial.

CLASSES OFFERED

Coaching Certificate Test: Open to purebred Dalmatians not less than six months of age, regardless of previous titles earned, as described in the Road Trial Regulations, Chapter 7, Section 1.

12.5 MILE ROAD DOG CLASS:

ROAD DOG - A: Open to any Dalmatian not less than 12 months of age on the day of the Trial that has not yet earned the Road Dog Title & is being handled by an exhibitor who has not previously qualified any dog for the RD title at any Road Trial.

ROAD DOG - B: Open to any Dalmatian not less than 12 months of age on the day of the Trial that: 1) has already earned the title RD or RDX, and/or 2) is being handled by an exhibitor who has previously qualified a dog for the RD or RDX title. A dog that has previously earned an RD or RDX may continue to compete in this class, but only if all available time slots have not already been filled with dogs that have not yet earned an RD title.

25 MILE ROAD DOG EXCELLENT CLASS:

ROAD DOG EXCELLENT - A: Open to any Dalmatian not less than 18 months of age on the day of the Trial that has earned the title RD, but has not yet earned the title RDX, and is being handled by an exhibitor who has not previously qualified any dog for the RDX title.

ROAD DOG EXCELLENT - B: Open to any Dalmatian not less than 18 months of age on the day of the Trial that has earned the title RD and 1) has already earned the title RDX and/or 2) is being handled by an exhibitor who has previously qualified a dog for the RDX title. A dog that has previously earned an RDX may continue to compete in this class, but only if all available time slots have not already been filled with dogs that have not yet earned an RDX.

ROAD TRIAL ENTRY FEES (make checks payable to DCA)

First Dog per team entered in either class	\$50.00
Each additional dog entered on the same team in either class	\$40.00
(Maximum 6 dogs per team)	
Coaching Certificate class	\$50.00

HORSE RENTAL/BOARDING INFORMATION

Contact AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER • phone: (719) 333-4607

to reserve your horse or your stall for the Road Trial.

Horse rental is \$35 for the 1st hour and \$15 each additional hour or \$75 all day.

Rental horses are available through AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER. To secure a rental horse, exhibitors must sign a liability release form and pay the full rental fee by 12 PM on **April 4, 2018**. Rental horses will be assigned in the order in which payment/release forms are received. In the event of more rentals needed than available horses, those received will be held as alternates in the event of cancellations. Rentals are not refundable after **April 18, 2018** to allow time for alternates to complete entries for the Road Trial.

Horse rental for CC: A pony & buggy will be made available for rental for CC exhibitors at a cost of \$25 per team. Checks or Money Orders issued in US funds made payable to DCA should be mailed to Ronna Hill at 5831 Aylesworth Avenue, Lincoln, NE 68505 for delivery by 12 PM on **April 11, 2018**.

Express mail rental fees/signed releases must include signature permitting them to be left at Ronna's address without the recipient's signature.

RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid rental fee payment and the rental will be forfeited to another participant.

CANCELLATIONS: The rental fee will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by the judge or barred from competition by action of the Show Event Committee.

Please be very honest about your riding experience when you reserve your horse. You owe it to your dog, your horse & yourself to secure a suitable mount. The Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. does not contract with any supplier of rental horses & therefore makes no claim, warranty or assertions as to the safety or suitability of any rental horse. Riders that choose to rent a horse for the purpose of participation at any DCA Road Trial do so at their own risk. Riders are strongly encouraged to clarify & understand any terms of liability required by the supplier prior to the rental of any horse.

**Persons needing to board their horses will need to personally contact
AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER • phone: (719) 333-4607**

NOTE: A current negative Coggins test less than 6 months (on date of arrival to stables) & health certificate less than 20 days old (on date of arrival to stables) is required for all horses. No Exceptions.

CC competitors not providing their own horse may use a pony-drawn cart for the obedience exercises.

No videotaping or photography during the events for resale is permitted without Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. approval.

Please be advised: When exhibitors/handlers bring a dog to the podium for a win/placement photo, they are establishing a de facto contract with the show photographer to purchase that photo.

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES PAYABLE TO: DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. to **Lynn Luikart, 10130 Atchison Rd., Centerville, OH 45458, (937) 885-0780 koiradals@att.net (email contact preferred)**
Express mail entries must include signature permitting them to be left at the Secretary's address without the recipient's signature. Acknowledgements of entries will be made as soon as possible after entries have closed. Should the exhibitor not receive such acknowledgement within a reasonable time, please notify the Road Trial Secretary at the address noted above, or telephone. **TO BE ACCEPTABLE** an entry must be submitted with required entry fee on an official Road Trial Entry Form. **ENTRY FORM CHANGES**, additions, corrections & cancellations must be received in writing prior to the closing of entries. Those received by telephone are not acceptable. **THE ROAD TRIAL-GIVING CLUB**, the Road Trial Secretary, and the landowners assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by the exhibitors, handlers or to any of their dogs or property. **THE ROAD TRIAL-GIVING CLUB** assumes no responsibility for the welfare of children & further expects exhibitors & spectators to keep their children under strict control.

THE ROAD TRIAL COMMITTEE, THE DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. NATIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW COMMITTEE & THE SPECIALTY STEERING COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN may make & enforce any rules they deem necessary to insure the continuity of the Road Trial & the goodwill of the land owner. Any disciplinary event hearing, rule violation, complaint or charges will be resolved by the Dalmatian Club of America, Inc. National Specialty Show Event Committee. **The Show Event Committee members are: Toni Linstedt, Chair, Dr. Charles Garvin, Kevin O'Connell, Paula Olcott, SarahAnne Vancleeve, Sheila Wymore, and Kristy Wilson.**

All hotel & motel sites are considered a part of the show site. All AKC Rules & Regulations apply. Complaints lodged against any exhibitor or exhibitors will be under the auspices of the DCA Show Event Committee. Exhibitors must maintain these facilities in a clean & orderly fashion. The Show Event Committee will take disciplinary action against an exhibitor for any infringement of AKC Rules & Regulations regarding show sites & sportsmanship.

CANADIAN EXHIBITORS MUST SUBMIT ENTRIES WITH CHECKS DRAWN ON U.S. ACCOUNTS OR WITH INTERNATIONAL MONEY ORDERS IN U.S. FUNDS.

There will be no refund for duplicate entries.

The Club reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value.

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.

No entry fees will be refunded if the Show cannot open or be 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 or the Road Trial Secretary.

ROAD TRIAL REGULATIONS All competitors in the Road Trial will be required to read, voluntarily agree & sign a statement of release & waiver of liability prior to participation. Release forms will be available at the registration table at the Road Trial check-in. Exhibitors are responsible for reading & being familiar with them. No entry will be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Entries must be made on an official Road Trial entry form or photocopy. The DCA, the Trial Chairman & the Trial Secretary assume no responsibility for correctness or incomplete information given on the entry form. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, lame, sick, disqualified by the judge, or barred from competition by action of the Road Trial Chairman or Secretary or because it had been entered incorrectly. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Secretary will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Refunds for cancellations due to judge changes, overpayments or cancellations made prior to the close of entries will be processed after the trial.

No dogs will be allowed in the show area except those entered in the Road Trial or being used in an official capacity as designated by the Trial Committee. The DCA & the Trial Chairman are not responsible to furnish any service to notify or summon exhibitors who are late for assigned judging. Exhibitors alone are responsible for the presence of their dogs at the start point at their assigned time. Judges will not wait for an exhibitor holding up a class but may judge the exhibit at a later time at their discretion. Appropriate riding attire, including ASTM Certified Helmets & riding boots or shoes with at least 1/2 inch heel are required. The Trial Committee reserves the right to determine a rider's ability before allowing him/her to compete in the road trial. Should it be determined that a rider might present a safety hazard to himself, his horse or the dogs he/she may be excluded from competition. In this case, the entry fee will be refunded. Maps of the course will be available. This course is suitable for mounted exhibitors. Driving competitors are responsible for assessing the course & making the decision as to whether or not the course is suitable for driving. **THERE IS AN INHERENT RISK TO ANY EQUINE ACTIVITY.** Exhibitors acknowledgement that risk & assume all liability for themselves, their animals & their belongings upon signing the entry form. If you would like to know if your entry fee and entry made it before the deadline, you may call; **Lynn Luikart, 10130 Atchison Rd., Centerville, OH 45458, (937) 885-0780 koirdals@att.net (email contact preferred).** Do not call Air Force Academy Equestrian; they will not be able to give you this information.

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM DALMATIAN ROAD TRIAL

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 2018

DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.

AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER

7067 Cottonwood Dr, Colorado Springs, CO 80919

Entry Fees: \$50.00 for the First Dog per team entered in either class. \$40.00 for each additional dog entered on the same team in either class (Maximum 6 dogs per team).

\$50.00 for Coaching Certificate class. ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY 7:30 PM EST, April 18, 2018 or when the numerical limits have been reached, if reached prior to this date at the Trial Secretary's Office. (See limits on page R-1) MAIL ENTRIES with fees payable to the DALMATIAN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC. to Lynn Luikart, 10130 Atchison Rd., Centerville, OH 45458 • (937) 885-0780 • koiradals@att.net (email contact preferred). Express mail entries must include signature permitting them to be left at the Secretary's address without the recipient's signature

IMPORTANT: Read instructions carefully on reverse side before completing. Please Print.

Road Trial Class (circle one)

Coaching Certificate Road Dog A Road Dog B Road Dog Excellent A Road Dog Excellent B

AKC Registered Name _____

Sex _____ AKC Reg #/PAL/ILP# _____

Date of Birth _____ Breeder _____

Sire _____

Dam _____

Actual Owners _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Horse's Name (if renting, write Rental) _____

Mounted _____ Using a Cart _____

If Renting, Riding Ability: Beginner _____ Intermediate _____ Advanced _____

Escort Rider's Name _____

Horse's Name (if renting, write rental) _____

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am 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 Dalmatian Club of America in effect at the Time of this Dalmatian Road Trial, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the other side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent the dog entered is not a hazard to persons and other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing presentation and agreement.

Signature of Owner or Agent authorized to make this entry

Phone: _____

E-mail address if you would like electronic confirmation of entry:

AIR FORCE ACADEMY EQUESTRIAN CENTER ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Participant Name _____

Date of Birth _____ Driver's License Number/State _____

Spectator Name _____

Date of Birth _____ Driver's License Number/State _____

Spectator Name _____

Date of Birth _____ Driver's License Number/State _____

AGREEMENT I (we) acknowledge that the "Dalmatian Road Trial Regulations" have been made available to me (us) and that I am (we are) familiar with their contents. I (we) waive any and all claims, causes of action, I (we) might otherwise have against DCA and any DCA approved judge, judging at this event, under DCA Rules, Regulations and Guidelines. I (we) agree that the club holding this Dalmatian Road Trial has the right to refuse entry for cause, which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the Dalmatian Road Trial and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons or trophies, I (we) agree to hold this club, its member, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendent or show secretary and the owner or lessor of the show premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly and/or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the Dalmatian Road Trial premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, 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 of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or damage or injury, to be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any 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 expenses (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 therefrom, sustained by a person including myself (ourselves) on or account of damage to property arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this Dalmatian Road Trial, 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 person.

A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time the entries for a show closed. If the registered dog has been acquired by a new owner, it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any show for which entries closed after the date of acquirement regardless of whether or not the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been made to AKC. (For complete rules, refer to Chapter 14, Section 3).

ALL ENTRIES: Please indicate dog's handler if dog is co-owned or handler is different from the owner. List only AKC or DCA titles with the dog's name. Telephoned or faxed entries, conditional entries and/or photocopied entries without the AKC/DCA agreement on the back are not acceptable. Incomplete or illegal entries are not acceptable and cannot be entered in the trial (AKC Rules, Chapter 14, Section 4).