



**UKC Licensed Obedience and Rally Trials  
Friday, Saturday, and Sunday November – 3, 4 and 5, 2023**

Trials to be held indoors on a fully matted ring.

4RK9s Training Building  
910 Second Avenue SW  
Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

Iowa Animal Welfare License #9437

**Friday, November 3 – One Obedience Trial and One Rally Obedience Trial  
Saturday, November 4 – One Obedience Trial and One Rally Obedience Trial  
Sunday, November 5 – One Obedience Trial and One Rally Obedience Trial**

Show Hours: Friday, Saturday & Sunday 7:30 AM until end of trial.

Pre-entries will be accepted on a “first received” basis.

Pre-entries will close Friday, **October 27th at 6:00pm.**

**Judging begins at 9:00 AM on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.**

**Entry Fees**

Separate fee for each dog, each trial

First Entry of each dog.....	\$25.00
Additional entry of same dog in the same trial.....	\$17.00
Junior handler pre-entry.....	\$22.00

**Payment made out to:**

**Entry and payment sent to:**

Payment may also be sent via PayPal to  
[Treasurer@4rk9s.com](mailto:Treasurer@4rk9s.com) with emailed entry to  
Karen Abben, starchaser24gld@yahoo.com

4RK9s Dog Training Club  
Karen Abben, Trial Secretary  
5500 Mayfair St SW,  
Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

A fee of \$25.00 will be levied for a returned check. All entries must be submitted on Official UKC entry forms, one dog per entry form. Unsigned, incomplete, or illegible entries are not acceptable and will not be entered in the trial. FAX'd entries and/or credit card payments cannot be accepted. Entries sent by overnight mail must not require a signature. Full refund if entry is cancelled before entries close. After closing, entry fees will not be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by judge or veterinarian, barred from competition by action of the show committee or UKC. No 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, Iowa governor Public Health Disaster proclamation or any other cause beyond the control of the show committee. Refunds will be given for bitches that come in season after the closing date of the trial minus a \$5.00 handling fee with a veterinarian's certificate prior to the start of the trial.

United Kennel Club Certification

Permission has been granted by the United Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the United Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

**Judges**

**Friday**

Obedience Trial – Anna Arndt #7033 (backup judge Lorelle Jones #6590)

Rally Trial – Lorelle Jones #6590

**Saturday**

Obedience Trial – Lorelle Jones #6590 (backup judge Anna Arndt #7033)

Rally Trial - Dawn Fisher #7239

**Sunday**

Obedience Trial - Anna Arndt #7033 (backup judge Lorelle Jones #6590)

Rally Trial - Dawn Fisher #7239

Classes Offered

Obedience: Pre-Novice, Beginner Novice, Novice A, B & C,  
Advanced Novice, Open A & B, Advanced Open, Utility A & B,  
(Master and Elite are NOT offered)

Rally Obedience: Rally Obedience 1,2 & 3, Rally Master  
Electronic timing will be used for all Rally Obedience Classes.

**Rent-A-Ring**

**On Friday, following the conclusion of the Rally Obedience Trial we will be holding a rent-a-ring. You will be able to rent 7 minutes of “ring time” for \$5.**

**This will be limited to 10 teams.**

### **Trial Committee**

Trial Chair – Michele Hartzler, 4715 Montclair Drive, N.W., Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52405

Email: [mmhartzler@aol.com](mailto:mmhartzler@aol.com) (319) 560-4752

Trial Secretary - Karen Abben, 5500 Mayfair St SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

Email: [starchaser24gld@yahoo.com](mailto:starchaser24gld@yahoo.com) (319) 389-1358

Ribbons: Johnnette Ulch and Michele Hartzler

Raffle: Sandy Miller, Lou Ann O'Malley, and Kathy Davidson

Grounds: Beth Karr

### **Officers of the Club**

President: Allie Perry	Membership Secretary: Gary Warner
Vice President: Helen Venneman	Obedience Coordinator: Marie Appel
Treasurer: Kathy Stepp	Agility Coordinator: Lou Ann O'Malley
Recording Secretary: Liz Drexler	Nosework Coordinator: Paige Junge

### **Judging Schedule**

Please check in approximately 30 minutes before your class.

#### **Friday, November 3, 2023, 9:00 AM**

**Obedience Trial – Running Order: Utility B, Utility A, Advanced Open, Open B, Open A, Advanced Novice, Novice C, Novice B, Novice A, Beginner Novice, Pre-Novice**

**Following the conclusion of the Obedience Trial (not before 12:00 pm):**

**Rally Obedience Trial – Running Order: 1C, 1B, 1A, 2B, 2A, 3B, 3A, Master B, Master A**

#### **Saturday, November 4, 2023, 9:00 AM**

**Obedience Trial – Running Order: Utility B, Utility A, Advanced Open, Open B, Open A, Advanced Novice, Novice C, Novice B, Novice A, Beginner Novice, Pre-Novice**

**Following the conclusion of the Obedience Trial (not before 12:00 pm):**

**Rally Obedience Trial – Running Order: 1C, 1B, 1A, 2B, 2A, 3B, 3A, Master B, Master A**

#### **Sunday, November 5, 2023, 9:00 AM**

**Obedience Trial – Running Order: Utility B, Utility A, Advanced Open, Open B, Open A, Advanced Novice, Novice C, Novice B, Novice A, Beginner Novice, Pre-Novice**

**Following the conclusion of the Obedience Trial (not before 12:00 pm):**

**Rally Obedience Trial – Running Order: 1C, 1B, 1A, 2B, 2A, 3B, 3A, Master B, Master A**

Move-up requests must be in writing by mail (to the trial secretary) or email (to starchaser24gld@yahoo.com) and must include all information contained on the entry form. Move-ups for Friday will not be accepted after 5:00 PM on Wednesday, November 1, 2023. Move-ups for Saturday and Sunday will be accepted in person at the trial site before 8:30 AM.

***Sorry, no food will be available at the trial site this year. We will be holding our usual Saturday night dinner. We will have a small raffle.***

### **Awards and Prizes**

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th placements in each titling class. Blue qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score in each titling class. New titlists will receive a rosette. Rosettes and gifts will be awarded for each Obedience Trial for High in Trial, High Combined in Trial and High Scoring Junior Handler. Rosettes and a gift will be awarded for each Rally Obedience Trial for High in Trial, High Combined and High Triple. UOCH, GOCH, UUDX, UROC, URX, UROG, MRX, RMC and RMG titlists will receive rosettes. **Obedience High in Trial will be determined by the January 1, 2021 UKC Rules, chapter 28.**

Exhibitors free with entry. Public admission fee \$1.00 for 12 years and up, 11 and under admitted free. All spectator admission fees will be donated to a dog charity of 4RK9s choice.

### **Directions to show site:**

#### **From I-380 South**

Exit 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW, continue to 3<sup>rd</sup> St. SW to 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue SW. Turn left on 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue SW and stay in the left lane. Continue to 10<sup>th</sup> St. SW, then turn left onto 10<sup>th</sup> St. SW.

#### **From I-380 North**

Exit 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue W. Turn right onto 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue SW and get in the left lane. Continue to 10<sup>th</sup> St. SW and then turn left onto 10<sup>th</sup> St. SW.

Limited parking is available in front of the building. Additional parking is available in the Dollar Store's parking lot behind the 4RK9s building.

The Show Committee reminds you that your entire motel and grounds are considered within trial limits. You will be responsible for all damage to your room and may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of UKC. Any abuse of the motel, motel grounds, trial site or adjoining areas will be brought to the attention of the club sponsoring the show and its Trial Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel facilities.

**Emergency Veterinarians:**  
**Anamosa Veterinary Clinic**  
**10538 Shaw Rd, Anamosa, IA 52205**  
**319-462-4853**

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**Bright Eyes and Bushy Tails**  
**3030 Northgate Dr Ste. B, Iowa City, IA 52245**  
**319-351-4256**

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. Additionally, exhibitors are required by State of Iowa health regulations to maintain proof of rabies vaccination.

**4RK9s May Obedience Trial Dinner returns!**

Join us on Saturday Evening  
For A Dinner Catered By



Beverage and dessert will be provided.

The cost is \$15.00 per person.

Reservations are required and must be received by October 30th, 2023.

Dinner will be served at approximately 6:00pm on Saturday, November 4th, at the 4RK9s trial site.

Your canine partner is welcome to attend.

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**NOTE:** No need to write a separate check. You can include the cost of your dinner with your entry fee.

Please return this form to the Trial Secretary.