
ENTRY METHOD

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Wednesday, April 1 at 8:00 AM EDT at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON Sunday, May 24 at 11:00 CDT after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted. Entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

DAY OF EVENT ENTRIES: Day of event entries **will** be permitted at this Fetch testing.

PREMIUM LIST



Jupiter Tequesta Dog Club

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

Presents

THREE DAYS OF FETCH TESTING!

TWO tests per day!

Levels to be tested: Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Retriever

FRIDAY 5 JUNE 2026 Event # 2026060835 & Event # 2026060836

SATURDAY 6 JUNE 2026 Event # 2026060837 & Event # 2026060838

SUNDAY 7 JUNE 2026 Event # 2026060839 & Event # 2026060840

St Lucie County Fairgrounds

15601 W Midway Road Ft Pierce,
FL 34945

ENTRY LIMITS

30 entries per Fetch event

To be held Outdoors on grass turf

Testing Hours:

Friday – 4:30 to 7:00 PM

Saturday – 4:30 to 7:00 PM

Sunday - 4:30 to 7:00 PM

Check-in at 4 PM



**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.

Sheila H Goffe, Executive Secretary

OFFICERS OF THE JUPITER TEQUESTA DOG CLUB

PresidentMichelle Hugan
 Vice PresidentLisa Root
 Secretary.....Janice McGivney-Keiser
 Treasurer.....Gail Steinmetz

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Lisa Root	Celeste Kitchen-Hornbecker
1150 SE Mendoza Ave, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952	23322 Unicorn Lane, Suite B Pass Christian, MS 39571-8974
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248-467-1396	228-669-4251

EVENT COMMITTEE

Scott Adams, Lisa Root, Bill Keiser, Celeste Kitchen-Hornbecker, Janice McGivney-Keiser, members of Jupiter Tequesta Dog Club, et al. (*Substitutions may be made depending on circumstances.*)

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Martha Alamo, #112790
Fort Pierce, FL

Friday, June 5

Levels being Judged: **ALL 4**

Tricia Boychuk, #113295
West Palm Beach, FL

Saturday, June 6

Levels being judged: **ALL 4**

Sunday, June 7

Levels being judged: **ALL 4**

Maryann Abbott, #118436
Port St Lucie, FL

Friday, June 6

Levels being Judged: **ALL 4**

Jane Craig, #7212
Jupiter, FL

Saturday, June 6

Levels being judged: **ALL 4**

Sunday, June 7

Levels being judged: **ALL 4**

Alternate Judge: **Laurel Getchell** #105356, Pass Christian, MS, ALL 4 Levels, all 3 days

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VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Veterinary Emergency & Referral Center
3984 South US Hwy 1, Fort Pierce, FL 34982
772-466-3441

Directions:

Head North on Shinn Road toward W Midway Rd.
Turn Right at the 1st cross street onto W Miday Rd
After 9.0 miles, use the Left 2 lanes to turn left onto US-1 N/S US HWY 1
After 1.0 miles the clinic will be on the right.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- St. Lucie County
911

HCA Florida Lawnwood Hospital

1700 S 23rd Street, Fort Pierce, FL, 34950 772-461-4000 (~10 miles away)

TEST LEVELS OFFERED & Dates

Friday, June 5, 2026	Saturday, June 6, 2026	Sunday, June 7, 2026
Novice, 1 Hr	Novice, 1 Hr	Novice, 1 Hr
Intermediate, 30 mins	Intermediate, 30 mins	Intermediate, 30 mins
Advanced, 30 mins	Advanced, 30 mins	Advanced, 30 mins
Retriever, 30 mins	Retriever, 30 mins	Retriever, 30 mins
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Novice Testing begins at 4:30 PM.• Intermediate Testing begins at 5:30 PM.• Advanced Testing begins at 6:00 PM• Retriever Testing begins at 6:30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Novice Testing begins at 4:30 PM.• Intermediate Testing begins at 5:30 PM.• Advanced Testing begins at 6:00 PM• Retriever Testing begins at 6:30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Novice Testing begins at 4:30 PM.• Intermediate Testing begins at 5:30 PM.• Advanced Testing begins at 6:00 PM• Retriever Testing begins at 6:30 PM

Move-Ups to the next higher level WILL be offered. The handler must request that the dog be moved up by the club/host at least 30-minutes before the starting time of the event.

DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

Condition of the Dog. Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the Fetch test. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs are allowed to enter so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the test, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

ENTRY FEES

It is up to the club/judge to decide if entries will be accepted at the test.

Early Entries.....	\$25
Same Day/Gate Entries.....	\$30

For pre-entries: **Mail entry forms and fees to:**

Trial Secretary
Celeste Kitchen-Hornbecker
23322 Unicorn Lane
Pass Christian, MS 39571-8974

Please make checks payable to the **Black Knights Coursing**.

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to [Celeste Kitchen-Hornbecker](mailto:Celeste.Kitchen-Hornbecker@trialsecretary@blackknightscoursing.com) at trialsecretary@blackknightscoursing.com address. No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. All entries must be postmarked by **16 MAY 2026**. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after closing on **24 MAY 2026**.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a **\$40.00 collection fee** to the amount of each returned check.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

Jupiter Tequesta Dog Club is **NOT** offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time.

SIGN-IN and CRATING Areas

- There will be a secretary table for check-ins and information.
- Dogs will be crated out of view of the Fetch test area, or far enough away as to not cause a distraction to the dog being tested.

ADDITIONAL EVENT INFORMATION

SEMINAR

A seminar and practice will be offered on **Thursday, 4 June 2026**, from 4:00 PM to 7:30 with practice from 5:30 to 7:30.

Seminar includes 2 practices.....\$30
Open Practice from 6:30 to 7:30, per practice.....\$10

SITE INFORMATION

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Qualifying Score.....*Green Flat Ribbon*
New Title.....*New Title Rosette*

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all searches safely. **It is expressly understood** that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Jupiter Tequesta Dog Club and Black Knights Coursing and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The Jupiter Tequesta Dog Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Jupiter Tequesta Dog Club or Black Knights Coursing or any official thereof.

Collars, Leashes, and Harnesses. Dogs must wear a collar. Dogs may wear slip collars, buckle collars, and Martingales in the AKC Fetch test. They may not wear prong collars, e-collars, head collars, muzzles, or body harnesses. Leashes should be 4 ft. to 6 ft. long and should be made of fabric, leather, or biothane.

REFUNDS

As per the AKC Fetch Judges Guide, when a Fetch test is cancelled, the club/organizer will contact any preregistered entrants. The club/organizer will communicate the change to any potential entrants by the method in which they originally advertised to those potential entrants.

If the club/organizer cancels the Fetch test, preregistered entrants will be given a refund for their entry fees. The cancellation should be reported to fetchinfo@akc.org

No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. **Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are not eligible for a refund.**

Bitches in season will be refunded the full entry fee. Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial.

RINGSIDE

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

Exhibitors MUST check-in EACH day they are entered.

Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

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, clubs should include any specific local or state health requirements; for example, proof of rabies vaccination.

RV/CAMPING INFORMATION

Please reach out to the Fairgrounds for more information.

HOTEL INFORMATION

All hotels/motels in this area that accept dogs are part of the test site. An event committee hearing will be held for individuals reported by any of the hotels/motels for not respecting motel property. Unattended dogs must be crated. Do not let your dog(s) destroy or foul the rooms. No grooming or bathing dogs in rooms. Clean up after your dog outside, too! Limit barking and other noise. Hotel quiet time 10pm – 6am. Please respect others. For your protection, thoroughly check your room for previous damage.

NEARBY HOTELS/MOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. **Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.**

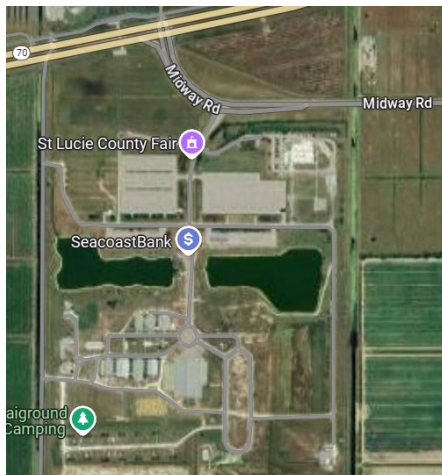
HOTEL INFORMATION

Holiday Inn Express	7151 Okeechobee Rd, Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-464-5000
La Quinta Inn	2655 Crossroads Parkway, Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-828-4199
Quality Inn	2831 Reynolds Dr., Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-460-9855
Fairfield Inn & Suites	6502 Metal Dr., Fort Pierce, FL 34945	772-462-2900

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

- From West: Take State Road 70 east (Okeechobee Rd), turn right onto Peacock Rd. If you pass under the pedestrian overpass, you have gone too far. Turn left into SLC Fairgrounds rear entrance.
- From I-95: Take exit #129, State Road 70 (Okeechobee Rd), go west 6.5 miles. Turn left on Peacock Rd. just past the pedestrian overpass. Turn left into SLC Fairgrounds rear entrance.
- From FL Turnpike: Take Exit #152, State Road 70 (Okeechobee Rd), go west 6 miles. Turn left on Peacock Rd. just past the pedestrian overpass. Turn left into SLC Fairgrounds rear entrance.

MAP



AKC Official Entry Form

Day of week Friday Test 1 Date 6/5/2026	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Day of week Friday Test 2 Date 6/5/2026	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Day of week Saturday Test 1 Date 6/6/2026	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Day of week Saturday Test 2 Date 6/6/2026	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Day of week Sunday Test 1 Date 6/7/2026	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever
Day of week Sunday Test 2 Date 6/7/2026	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Retriever

Pre-Entry fees: \$25 per class

Make checks payable to the **Black Knights Coursing**

of classes entered: _____ X **\$25** = \$ _____
Total due

Trial Secretary will add a \$40.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

AKC Registered Name		Registration Number	
		<input type="checkbox"/> AKC/PAL/ILP/CP <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign	
Call name	Date of birth	Sex	
Breed			
Owner			
Owner's Address			
City	State	Zip	
Telephone	Email		
Handler name (if different from owner):	Junior Handler # (if applicable):		

Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED.

Fields marked in gray must be completed if the information is known.

*****Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the below. No form will be processed without your signature!**

Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site at:

www.akc.org/fetch

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. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (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 sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration 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, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor 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 may be 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 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 of loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby 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 therefrom, 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, 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 other 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 CLAIM ARISING 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) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE

X: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

In case of Emergency – Name: _____ **Phone #:** _____