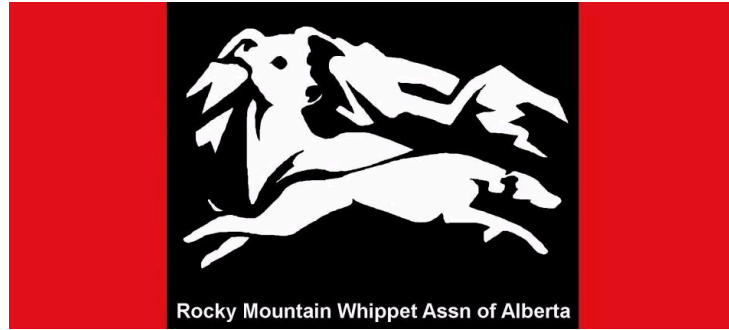


OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST



EIGHT (8) SPRINTER EVENTS

Saturday, May 18th - 4 Sprinters

Sunday, May 19th - 4 Sprinters

Limited to 75 dogs maximum per event

(Outdoors, Grass)

These events are held under the rules of The Canadian Kennel Club

To Be Held At:

Lacombe and District Agricultural Society

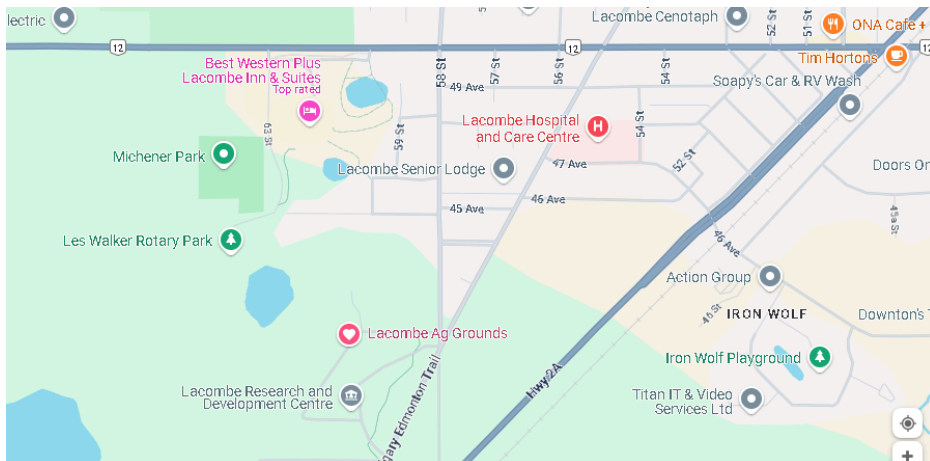
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Opening Date: March 27th 2024

Closing Date: **Until reached limit**

Fees Increase May 16th



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Sprinters Entry

TCN fee for EACH event (dog must be eligible for registration but not yet have been registered)

\$20.00 per event

\$10.50 per event

Fees increase May 16th

\$30.00 per event

Refunds only as per CKC Sprinter rule 2.4.3

Wait list will be available

Schedule of Events

Roll Call/ Inspection	8:30 am
Handlers Meeting	9:15 am
First Dog On The Line	9:30 am

“It shall be the duty and obligation of the trial-giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer or any participant at an event held under these rules is not subject to indignities of any kind. The Field Trial Committee Chair shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the CKC shall have the authority to take such action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this has occurred.”

WHAT IS THE SPRINTER EVENT?

The SPRINTER EVENT was introduced by the Canadian Kennel Club on July 1, 2018. The Sprinter is a fun event open to all dogs to enjoy the challenge of running a 100 meter dash. All dogs entered will receive a handicap score based on their height, and their time to finish will be converted to kilometers per hour. Titles are awarded upon the dog accumulating a given number of points.

ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS SPRINTER EVENT

Participation is open to all purebred and mixed-breed dogs at least 12 months of age that are:

- *individually registered with the CKC, or*
- *have an Event Registration Number (ERN), or*
- *have a Performance Event Number (PEN), or*
- *are eligible for registration with the CKC, or*
- *have a Miscellaneous Certificate Number (MCN) if it belongs to a CKC listed breed, or*
- *have a Canine Companion Number (CCN) if it's a mixed breed.*

The Sprinter is an athletic pursuit that requires your dog to be in very good condition. Your dog relies on you to ensure this. If in the opinion of the Test Committee, any entry is found to be lame, unfit to compete or a female in season, it shall not be allowed to compete, and the entry fees shall be refunded.

YOUR TEAM

CKC rules state that 'It is recommended that an owner or someone familiar with the dog stand at the finish in order to catch the dog once the course has been completed.'

Competing Dogs

5.2.1 Dogs must complete the entire distance in less than 60 seconds.

5.2.2 Dogs shall run as singles ONLY.

5.2.3 Dogs may wear a collar except choker collars, a collar with prongs or an electronic training collar. The collar should be snug to minimize the chances of catching on something during the run. Clubs may, at their option, require that tags hanging from the collar be taped up. Owners may have their dog wear.

AWARDS

A qualifying ribbon will be awarded to each dog that achieves a score. A rosette will be awarded to each dog that achieves a CKC Sprinter title.

Earning Points

The dog's time to complete the 100 m (328 ft) dash is converted into KPHs.

The formula to complete this calculation is 360 divided by the dog's time over 100 m (328 ft). This calculation should be rounded to two decimal places.

A handicap system is applied to a dog's KPH to determine the number of points earned. The handicap system is based on the height of the dog at its withers:

(a) 46 cm (18 in) or greater = handicap is 1.25.

(b) 30 cm (12 in) up to less than 46 cm (18 in) = handicap is 1.5.

(c) Below 30 cm (12 in) = handicap is 2.0.

Points = KPH multiplied by the dog's handicap. For example 20 KPH x 1.5 = 30 points. Round off points to the nearest whole number.

Titles

Titles are earned by accumulating points. The following titles will be awarded:

- *Novice Sprinter (NS) = 150 points;*
- *Sprinter (S) = 500 points;*
- *Advanced Sprinter (AS) = 1,000 points;*
- *Sprinter Excellent (SX) = 1,500 points; and SX followed by a number (e.g. SX2) for every additional 500 points. These suffix titles will appear on a dog's pedigree, with a higher level title superseding a lower level title.*
- *Veteran Novice Sprinter (VNS) = 75 points*
- *Veteran Sprinter (VS) = 250 points*
- *Veteran Sprinter Excellent (VSX) = 750 points*
- *Veteran SX followed by a number for every additional 250 points*

The entry form must identify a dog being entered as a veteran. A veteran must be clearly identified when the results are submitted to the CKC. A dog may only be entered once in the same event.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- *ALL RULES GOVERNING THESE TESTS ARE AVAILABLE ON LINE*
<https://www.ckc.ca/en/Files/Forms/Shows-Trials/Event-Rules-Regulations/Sprinter-Rules-and-RegulationsEffective-January-1.aspx>
- *A continuous loop system will be used for all the events.*
- *There will be a \$10.00 fine for dogs loose on the field or in the area of the event other than the dog running the course.*
- *Retractable (Flexi type) leads and/shock collars are not permitted on trial grounds.*

- Dogs may wear muzzles and/or catch collars at the owner/agent's discretion. All tags must be secured or removed.
- Please pick up after your dog.
- Please be prepared to bench in your car, no indoor benching available.
- Indoor bathrooms available.
- Please adhere to dedicated parking for the Sprinters event.

Disqualification

5.3.1 Any dog disqualified at any CKC event shall automatically be disqualified from entering in any other event in any other discipline until such time as the dog is officially reinstated.

5.3.2 A dog that bites or attempts to bite another dog or a person may be removed from the venue by the event Chairman. The event chairman must send a report of the incident to the CKC within 14 days after the event for their action.

UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT

- *It shall be deemed unsportsmanlike conduct if a person, during the running of, or in connection with an event, abuses or harasses a trial official or any other person present in any capacity at the event.*
- *Any handler who displays unsportsmanlike conduct or who is seen to kick, strike or otherwise roughly manhandle a dog while on the grounds of a Sprinter event at any time during the holding of the event, may be expelled from the event by the event Committee.*
- *The event chair shall also have the authority to expel a handler from an event if they observe unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of the handler or see the handler kicking, striking or otherwise roughly manhandling a dog while the event is in progress. It will be the duty of the Event Chair to report promptly to the event Committee the expulsion of a handler.*
- *8.4 The event chair shall investigate, at once, any instance of alleged unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of the handler, or any report that a handler has been observed kicking, striking or otherwise roughly manhandling a dog. If the event Committee, after investigation, determines that a handler is in violation of this section, and that the incident, if proven, would constitute conduct prejudicial to the sport or the CKC, it shall exercise its authority in accordance with the Complaints section of these rules.*
- *8.5 The Event Secretary shall submit to the CKC a complete report of any hearing action taken under this section within 21 days.*

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