



Sport Aussies of the Sunshine State

4 TRIALS... 2 on SAT, Feb. 11, and 2 on SUN, Feb. 12, 2023

Sat. Feb. 11th – Judge Molly Reyenga # 3446 and Sun. Feb. 12th Renee Watson #4410

****Open to all breeds and mixed breeds****

DOGS NEED AN ASCA# OR TRACKING # TO ENTER... Go to ASCA.ORG

Imperial Polk Obedience Club

3611 Century Blvd, Lakeland, Florida 33811

(Industrial Park off of Drainfield Rd. across from the Airport)

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW:

>>From I-4 Exit 27(Polk expressway-#570) Take exit Airport Rd- Turn right on Airport Rd. Turn left on 2nd light (Drainfield) Turn Left on Century Blvd Before flashing light (across from firehouse) into industrial park. Turn left on 3rd driveway. Bldg is at the end of the road.

>>From 60 go North on County line road to Drainfield_– turn right then follow above directions from Drainfield.

Entries OPEN December 15, 2022 and CLOSE February 4th, 2023

Entries will close automatically if 25 entries per trial is reached even though closing is at a later date.

Novice group exercises will be held before the Novice Individual exercises of each trial.

Trial #1 Sat. Feb 11. 8:30 AM

Novice B/A/C
Open CDX B/A
Open ODX B/A
Utility B/A
Beg Novice B/A

Trial #2 Sat. Feb 11, 10:00 AM

Novice B/A/C
Open CDX B/A
Open ODX B/A
Utility B/A
Beg Novice B/A

Trial #3 Sun. Feb 12, 8:30 AM

Novice B/A /C
Open CDX B/A
Open ODX B/A
Utility B/A
Beg Novice B/A

Trial #4 Sun. Feb 12, 10:00 AM

Novice B/A/C
Open CDX B/A
Open ODX B/A
Utility B/A
Beg Novice B/A

Trial site will open at 8:00am. ~~ Registration for day-of entries 8:00am to 8:15am - (if available)~~

Trial #2 starts at 10:00 am or later depending on when previous classes end. It can start earlier if all competitors are in attendance and in agreement to start earlier.

Pre entry fees \$25.00 per class - Day of entry fees \$35. 00 *Additional class same trial & dog \$15.00*

*****PRE-ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY: Saturday, February 4th.**

Mail entries to: Barbara Layton

<<< Checks payable to: S.A.S.S. >>>

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Obedience entry form linked <https://asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/obedentryform.pdf>

Tracking application linked: <https://asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/qtsvcapp.pdf>

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~Check out our Facebook page to stay current on SASS updates~
“Sport Aussies of the Sunshine State”

Awards: **~Please thank our generous class sponsors!!~**

**Qualifying scores will receive green ribbon and ribbons for 1st to 4th place. Rosettes for HIT Aussies, HIT, High Combined & HIT Jr. Handlers will be awarded. **Special prizes available as well

Club Officers:

President:	Christy Layton	christydvm@doglover.com
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Hotels in area. (Please check with them about pet restrictions)

La Quinta	863-875-0606	3405 S. Florida Ave, Lakeland
Comfort Inn Plant City	863-707-6000	I-4 at 2003 S. Frontage Rd.
Holiday Inn Conference Center	863-707-6000	I-4 at Exit 32 (US Hwy 98)
Jameson Inn	863-858-9070	I-4 at exit 33 (Socrum Loop Rd)
Holiday Inn Express	855-797-6733	I-4 (Park R)d exit 2102 N. Park Rd Plant City
Travelodge by Wyndham	888-838-8307	3425 U S Hwy 98 N Lakeland
Ramada by Wyndham	800-211-3907	3260 U S Hwy 98 N Lakeland

Special Notices to Exhibitors:

1. No training will be allowed in the ring at these trials, no harsh training allowed on grounds.
2. These trials will be held under the current rules and regulations of ASCA. Please read rules for these classes before entering so you understand the ASCA rules & regulations. All Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge they are knowledgeable of ASCA rules and regulation.
3. Entry must be on CURRENT entry forms and must include both sides which can be found on the ASCA website (www.asca.org) under ‘Forms & Rulebooks’
4. No entry shall be accepted if the dog or handler are not in good standing with the ASCA.
5. No entry will be accepted which specifies any conditions as to acceptance.
6. No entry fees will be refunded after the pre-entry deadline. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and will be subject to a \$35.00 charge and also reported to ASCA if restitution is not made within 10 business days.
7. No refunds will be given for dogs absent, disqualified, excused or barred from exhibiting by the show committee.
8. Obedience is open to all breeds, including mixed breeds, with an ASCA Registration or ASCA Q-Tracking number. We will have forms available at the trial (we will forward them to the ASCA office) but encourage you to apply for a Q-Tracking number beforehand. The application can be found on the ASCA website. All dogs must have an ASCA registration number or an ASCA tracking number to compete with the exception of those who submit their application for tracking number at the trial desk prior to the show.
9. Owners are responsible for entering their dogs in classes in which they are eligible to compete.
10. No dogs under the age of 6 months will be permitted at this trial. PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS and keep your dog on a leash when not competing.
11. Emergency cancellation of the trial can be called due to unforeseen circumstances.
12. SASS, their Board of Directors, event committee, agents, officers and committees nor ASCA, its Board of Directors assumes NO RESPONSIBILITY for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs, personal property, and/or children.
13. To promote a safe and pleasant experience for everyone any dog known to display aggressive and/or disruptive behavior shall not be allowed on the show site.
14. Bitches in season permitted. They must be crated at least 50’ from obedience ring, wear pants, and run last after all obedience judging is Finished. If there is two trials in one day they must run after the last trial of the day.
15. Bitches in season will not be eligible for awards and only allowed to compete for legs and scores.

~ADDITIONAL RULES DUE TO COVID~

We have to abide by the rules set forth by IPOC, CDC, Federal State and City Governmental guidelines that are in effect at the time of the trial. This event is being held with the safety of participants and the club exercising all precautions necessary.

****Please stay at home if you show any signs of illness, sneezing, coughing, fever or any other indications of being not well.**

JUDGING SCHEDULE:

- On Saturday trial #1 starting at 8:30 AM with Novice, Open, Utility and Beginner Novice –
- 2nd trial starts at 10:00 or later when judge is available and in same order as Trial #1.
- On Sunday the same as Saturday.

HYGIENE:

- Exhibitors will be expected to use hand sanitizers placed around the building.
- Frequent hand washing is requested.
- Avoid physical contact with others, objects or dogs other than your own.
- SASS will make every effort to make sure shared surfaces are sanitized.

MASKS:

- All exhibitors, judges, and volunteers will abide by CDC and county rules pertaining to masks.
- Exhibitors will follow judge's rules pertaining to masks in ring.

BUILDING:

- Exhibitors will be expected to bring their own crates.
- Chairs should be 6' apart with crates between and not obstruct walkways.

AWARDS:

- Ribbons will be issued after the last dog in each class.
- Ribbons will be handed out in ring.
- HIT ribbons will be given out at the end of the day on Saturday and on Sunday.

FOOD & DRINKS:

- No food or drinks will be available during the trial. Please bring your own.

SPECTATORS:

- We appreciate your cooperation in keeping the building occupancy to a limited number.

SCORE SHEETS:

- Score sheets will be posted in a convenient area.

REGULATORY MODIFICATIONS:

- Figure 8 exercise: Baskets or Cones will be used.
- Novice Group exercise: Dogs & handlers will be placed safely apart for Covid19 rules.
- Exhibitors will be the only ones handling their leashes and dumbbells.
- Stewards may use gloves or tongs to handle utility articles and gloves.