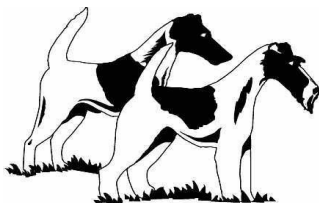


**Premium List**  
**Motor Cities Fox Terrier Club**  
**AKC All Breed Fast CAT (Fast Coursing Ability Tests)**  
**September 18 & 19, 2021**

4 Licensed AKC Fast CAT Tests  
The lure is a Continuous Loop (squawker or plastic)

September 18th, 2021 - Test #1 - Event #2021525109  
September 18th, 2021 - Test #2 - Event #2021525110  
September 19th, 2021 - Test #1 - Event #2021525111  
September 19th, 2021 - Test #2 - Event #2021525112

**Goodells County Park**  
**8345 County Park Drive**  
**Goodells, Michigan 48027**



**Motor Cities Fox Terrier Club**

**All Pre-Entries open at Noon, Monday, July 12, 2021**  
**All Pre-Entries close at Midnight, Monday, September 11, 2021**  
**Day of Test Entries will be accepted (only if not full)**

Pre-Entry - \$20.00 per dog  
Day of Test Entry (if not full) \$25.00 per dog

Entry method: first received. Each test is limited to 100 entries.

Entries received prior to the opening date will be treated as invalid & will be returned to sender.

Entries will be acknowledged by email if legible email is provided on the entry form.

Entries WILL be accepted for All American Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

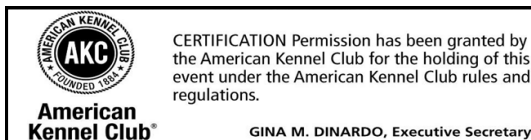
**Make check payable to MCFTC**

Send entries & fees to:

Jenn Walker  
MCFTC Field Secretary  
9741 Cherrywood  
Roscoe, IL 61073

(815) 979-2157

MidwestFastcatTrialSecretary@gmail.com



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Philipa A. Sahiner, 32283 Red Clover, Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334

**Field Committee**

Paula Pavlik-Douglas, Leslie Keys, Beth Widdows, Ann Joondeph,  
Howard Joondeph & Eric Sobocinski & all other club members in attendance.

**Lure Operator**

Bill Walker (Lure Dude)

**Start Times**

The grounds will open at 7:00am on each test day.

All dogs will be inspected (beginning at 7:30am for the AM timeblocks & 12:30pm for the PM timeblocks) for soundness prior to running on that event date.

The AM tests will begin at 8:00am and continue until all runs are completed.

The PM tests will begin at 1:00pm and continue until all runs are completed.

**All tests will run concurrently ~**

**your dog will run both tests either in the AM time slot or the PM time slot.**

The Test Secretary reserves the right to *extend* check-in times or adjust running order, due to unforeseen circumstances, or to facilitate the smooth running of the tests.

***NOTE: In order to accommodate handlers entered in other events at this show, a request for a special run position in an event must accompany the entry form and may not be considered after entries are closed.***

Inspection will *immediately* follow check-in, at the area adjacent to the check-in desk. All dogs must be inspected (prior to each run) for fitness, lameness, or "in season" females, before they will be permitted to run.

Dogs and handlers will then wait in the paddock area for their turn to run.

**Important Information**

You are expected to have complete information for your dog.

Incomplete entries will not be accepted.

Phone, fax & email entries will not be accepted.

Please make checks payable to MCFTC.

Post dated and returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.

A \$20 fee will be added to the amount of any returned check

If entry is sent via Next Day Air (UPS), FedEx, Airborne Express, etc. please indicate that no signature is necessary upon arrival, or entry may not be accepted.

Fast CAT is an outdoor event and there is no shade at the test site

Please plan accordingly with respect to weather, shade/ shelter, food and water.

Wading pools will be available.

A lunch break will be scheduled at the discretion of the Event Committee.

There will be food and refreshments available for purchase at Goodells County Park.

**Prizes and Awards**

The MCFTC will offer a light blue ribbon to each dog that qualifies.

In addition to the ribbon, a rosette will be awarded to each dog earning a title.

## ***ALL DOGS RUN AT OWNER'S SOLE RISK***

- \* All entries must be 12 months of age or older on the day of the test.
- \* Entries will not be accepted without fees, signatures, or the "Agreement" found on the *Official* AKC Entry Form.
- \* Bitches "in season" and lame dogs will be excused and entry fees will be refunded.
- \* Mixed breeds must be spayed or neutered to be eligible to run. AKC registered dogs with breed disqualifications may be entered.
- \* Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at greater risk for injury and exhaustion. The Inspection Committee has the authority to disallow a dog's entry into the test, and in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded.
- \* A \$5.00 fee may be assessed for any loose dog on the field that is not competing in the course in progress.
- \* Lures consist of white plastic or a squawker.
- \* Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
- \* **The Huntmaster is responsible for field safety and therefore the Huntmaster is in complete charge of all dogs and handlers on the field.** In service to this responsibility, the Huntmaster has the authority to stop the lure in any potentially dangerous situation and signal the handler to retrieve a testing dog.
- \* MCFTC reserves the right to remove any dog in distress in a parked vehicle or crate.
- \* Persons who exhibit conduct detrimental to the AKC, MCFTC or any dog(s) /other person(s) will be asked to leave the test site. In such cases, no refund of any entry fees will be made.
- \* No entry fees will be refunded if the event cannot be started or 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 MCFTC or its members and representatives.
- \* The event-hosting club, its agents, members, representatives, volunteers, etc., assume no liability or responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers or to any of their dogs or property, whether as a result of an accident or any other cause. The above listed further assumes no responsibility for injury to children or spectators before, during, or after this event.

For information regarding *Regulations for Lure Coursing Tests and Trials*, visit [www.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RELURE.pdf](http://www.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/RELURE.pdf) to familiarize yourself with the rules.

### **WHAT IS Fast CAT???**

Fast CAT is a timed 100-yard dash for dogs. Dogs are held at the start line and the coursing lure is activated prompting the dog to follow, chasing it, to the finish line, and "catch area". The course is completely fenced and dogs run individually. Dogs are timed when they complete the 100-yard dash.

First, the time is converted to Miles Per Hour (MPH), using the formula below, rounded to the nearest hundredth of a mile:

Example: The dog's time is 8.14 seconds.  $204.54 / 8.14 = 25.13$  MPH

Then, based on a dog's size at the withers, a handicap is applied and points are earned:

18" or greater = Handicap 1.0

12" up to less than 18" = Handicap 1.5

Below 12" = handicap 2.0

MPH x HANDICAP = POINTS

Dogs will be measured by a wicket to verify handicap.

Titles are earned by accumulating points. The following titles will be awarded: BCAT = 150 Points; DCAT = 500 points; FCAT = 1,000 points; and FCAT followed by a number (e.g. FCAT2) for every additional 500 points.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

Fast CAT events are open to all dogs at least 12 months of age that are individually registered with the AKC, recorded in the Foundation Stock Service (FSS) program, individually registered with a foreign or domestic registry organization whose pedigrees are acceptable for AKC registration, dogs granted a Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL) number, dogs with AKC Limited or Conditional Registration, or dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners program. Dogs with breed disqualifications and monorchid/cryptorchid dogs are eligible to participate. Females in season may not enter. A dog may enter only once per event.

### **AKC RANKING**

The *Fast Cat Top 20 Fastest Dogs* are listed by breed on the AKC website.

Dogs will appear on this list when they have completed 3 Fast CAT runs.

[https://www.apps.akc.org/apps/fastcat\\_ranking/](https://www.apps.akc.org/apps/fastcat_ranking/)

### **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

Coursing is an athletic activity that can tax a dog's physical strength.

Dogs that are overweight and/or out of condition may be at a greater risk for injury and exhaustion. The inspection committee has the authority to disallow a dog's entry into a test, and in such instances, applicable entry fees will be refunded.

A minimum wait time of 30 minutes is required between runs.

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Please help keep the grounds clean by picking up after yourself and your dog. Dispose of "poop" bags in the trash containers provided at the site. Please keep your crating area, the test site and grounds clean so that we may continue to be welcomed at these facilities.

## ***TIPS & INFORMATION FOR HANDLERS***

- \* The test field and 50 yard run-out at Goodells County Park is fully fenced.
- \* It is **strongly** recommended that, prior to running your dog, you have good “recall” control over you dog, as the dogs will be off leash. All other dogs must be leashed and under control.
- \* Handlers should wear comfortable clothing & shoes and be physically able to hold and release their dogs or be able to catch them.
- \* Dogs may run without a collar or wear any type of collar except choker collars, electronic training collars or head collar. Collars should be snug. Hanging tags pose a safety concern and it is suggested that tags be secured to the collar with tape. Dogs may run muzzled if desired. Clips or rubber bands may be used to keep long hair from falling across the dog’s field of vision.
- \* Dogs will be brought to the start line on leash and released only upon a verbal signal (“Tally-Ho”) from the Huntmaster. Dogs may be released by hand, folded leash or using a traditional lure coursing slip lead.
- \* Handlers are not permitted to run with a dog during an official run but must remain either at the start or finish area of the course. Handlers are not to allow dogs to be enticed through the course with anything other than the lure during its official run.
- \* Handler should have someone familiar with the dog at the end of the course to retrieve the dog or have someone else release their dog at the start line. The handler is expected to promptly secure the dog and leave the course area, with the dog on leash.
- \* Lure coursing is a physically demanding sport, so please make sure your dog is in good shape. If you are not sure, make an appointment with a veterinarian to get an opinion.
- \* Handlers are advised to warm up their dogs prior to their run and walk them for several minutes afterwards.
- \* All dogs must be held on a leash or confined to a crate except when on the course for testing. Dogs must be on a leash when being exercise, trained or warming up. Dogs must be removed from the test area immediately after their run.
- \* Any person, upon reasonable complaint, may be asked to leave the grounds of the test by the field committee and may be disciplined by the AKC. Children must be under control of their parents or guardian(s) at all times.
- \* Not AKC registered? Visit the American Kennel Club website and enroll your dog online at [www.akc.org/dog-owners/canine-partners/enroll/](http://www.akc.org/dog-owners/canine-partners/enroll/)

**Neither Motor Cities Fox Terrier Club, its members, agents, or volunteers will be responsible for any accidents at this test.**

## **Veterinarian On Call 24 Hours**

(maps available at the SCKC & MCFTC tables)  
Wilson Veterinary Hospital  
12000 Durham Road  
Washington, Michigan 48095  
(586) 752-6217

## **Directions to Goodells County Park**

**From West:** East on I-69 to Exit 189 (Wales Center Road)  
left to Lapeer Road (Old State Highway 21)  
right on Lapeer Road (Old State Highway 21)  
to entrance off Lapeer Road (Old State Highway 21)

**From East:** West on I-69 to Exit 194 (Taylor Road)  
right to Lapeer Road (Old State Highway 21)  
left on Lapeer Road (Old State Highway 21)  
to entrance off Lapeer Road (Old State Highway 21)

## **Accommodations**

Dogs ALLOWED, please check with hotel for specifics.  
Special rates may be available, mention St. Clair Kennel Club

Baymont Inn  
1611 Range Road, Port Huron, MI (810)364-8000

Comfort Inn  
1700 Yeager Street, Port Huron, MI (810) 392-5500

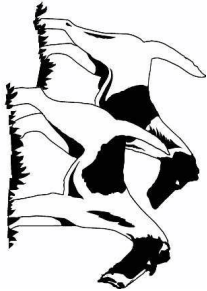
Super 8 Imlay City  
6951 Newark Road, Imlay City, MI (810) 724-8700

Days Inn Imlay City  
6692 Newark Road, Imlay City, MI (810) 724-8005

Best Western  
2282 Water Street, Port Huron, MI (810) 987-1600

Main Street Lodge Suites  
514 Huron Avenue, Port Huron, MI (810) 824-4042

For Overnight Camping or Parking,  
Please refer to the St. Clair Kennel Club Premium List  
for their All-Breed Dog Shows



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**FAST CAT  
EXTRA GANZA  
4 TESTS IN 2 DAYS!**

**Scheduling of Runs**  
**Concurrent Procedure**

AKC is strongly recommending that all FastCAT events be scheduled to avoid crowds at the event site because of the Covid-19 virus. In response to that recommendation, we are going to schedule dogs to run both runs for each day either in the AM timeblock or the PM timeblock. In this scenario, if you have one dog entered and you are scheduled in the AM timeblock to do both runs, your two runs will be scheduled approximately 30 dogs apart to give your dog sufficient time to rest. If you have multiple dogs entered, we will space your run times to allow switching dogs. Please note, entrants with 3 or more dogs *may* be placed in the AM & PM timeblocks.

Any dog not present by the time the test ends will be considered absent.

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