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MEETING NOTICE

The next General Membership Meeting is
Wednesday, December 7th at 7:00 p.m., at Sonny's
Bar-B-Q located on North Courtney Parkway,
Merritt Island., **at 7:00 pm.** Members wanting
dinner please arrive at 6:00.

2022/23 CLUB OFFICERS

President	Edna Corney
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Alan & Paula Weber

Traditionally our December meeting includes goodies brought by the members to share. It is more party with a little bit of meeting thrown in. Hope as many of you can make it as possible.

President's message

Back to our normal routine of having everyone bring some sort of dessert to our Dec. Meeting.
Come to find last minute show information and bring a goodie to share.
Merry Christmas and Happy Hanukkah to all. May you have a very blessed holiday.

Edna

The Orlando Cluster is December 13, 14 & 15 2022

Orange County Convention Center
North/South Building

AKC National Championship Presented by Royal Canin Draws Entry Of More Than 5,300 Dogs In Its 22nd
Year

December 17 & 18, 2022



Canine Athletes from the 50 States, Washington, D.C. and more than 20 Countries Will Vie for Best In Show

The AKC National Championship presented by Royal Canin has a new record-breaking entry. Five thousand three hundred eighty-five (5,385) dogs will compete for the title of America's National Champion on December 17 and 18, 2022 in Orlando, Florida. Combined with the other weekend events, including the AKC/Royal Canin National All-Breed Puppy and Junior Stakes, the [AKC Agility Invitational](#), the [AKC Obedience Classic](#), the [AKC National Owner-Handled Series Finals](#), the AKC Fast CAT Invitational, the Junior events, and special attraction North America Diving Dogs' (NADD) Santa Splash, the **overall show entry totals top a staggering 9,404 entries**, remaining the largest dog show in North America.

"The AKC National Championship presented by Royal Canin continues to be one of the world's premier dog events, and we feel very fortunate to host the knowledgeable breeders, exhibitors and judges who are the heart and soul of the National Championship," said Dennis B. Sprung, AKC President and Show Chairman. "We look forward to an exciting week in December, including our important AKC Fast CAT Invitational, Agility, Obedience, NOHS and Junior competitions."

2022 Highlights:

Best In Show: Judge **Mr. Desmond Murphy** of Monroe, NY will select the AKC National Championship Best in Show (BIS) winner. The owner(s) of the BIS winner will receive \$50,000.

Best Bred-by-Exhibitor in Show: **Mr. Carl Gene Liepmann** of Flushing, MI will judge Best Bred-by-Exhibitor in Show from 1,187 entries and the owner(s) of the winner will receive \$15,000.

Best In Stakes at the AKC/Royal Canin National All-Breed Puppy and Junior Stakes will be judged by an elite panel: **Mr. Desmond Murphy**, **Mr. Carl Gene Liepmann**, and **Mr. Dominic Palleschi Carota** These esteemed judges will determine the winner from 1,617 entries to be crowned the AKC/Royal Canin National All-Breed (Puppy/Junior) of the Year.

AKC National Owner-Handled Series Finals: The AKC NOHS Finals Best in Show competition will be judged by **Mr. Dominic Palleschi Carota** on Saturday, December 17. This invitation-only competition is open to the top ten ranked dogs in the AKC National Owner-Handled Series in each breed/variety from the 2022 qualifying year and drew an entry of 827 dogs. The NOHS Group Finals will also be streamed live on [AKC.tv](#).

Viewing Coverage: There will be extensive live coverage on [AKC.tv](#) throughout the Championship week starting on Tuesday, December 13th with the first of three All-Breed dog shows. Also streamed live on AKC.tv will be the AKC Obedience Classic, the AKC Agility Invitational presented by YuMOVE, the AKC National Owner-Handled Series finals, the AKC/Royal Canin National All-Breed Puppy and Junior Stakes, the Best Bred-by-Exhibitor groups, Best in Miscellaneous, Junior Showmanship, and the evening group

competitions. [AKC.tv](#) is available online, on the [AKC.tv](#) app which is on the Apple Store and Google Play and Roku, Apple TV, and Amazon Fire TV.

AKC NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP BY THE NUMBERS

- **All 200** AKC-recognized breeds are entered to compete
- **5,385** entries in the AKC National Championship
- The largest entries include:
 - 123 Golden Retrievers
 - 120 Labrador Retrievers
 - 118 Australian Shepherds
 - 111 French Bulldogs
 - 75 Cavalier King Charles Spaniels
 - 75 Whippets
 - 62 Pugs
 - 59 Chinese Cresteds
 - 58 Pomeranians
- **827** dogs are entered in the AKC National Owner-Handled Series (NOHS) Finals
- **142** juniors, ages 9-17, who have met high academic standards and qualification criteria based on year-round competition, will compete in Junior Showmanship
- **1,617** puppies and junior dogs are entered in the AKC/Royal Canin National All-Breed Puppy and Junior Stakes
- **1,187** Bred-by-Exhibitors in competition
- **389** dogs entered in the AKC Fast CAT Invitational

OBEDIENCE CLASSIC AND AGILITY INVITATIONAL BY THE NUMBERS

- **240** teams in the two-day [AKC Obedience Classic](#), including 60 breeds and 9 All-American dogs from 40 states.
- **10** Junior Obedience entries and **10** Junior Rally entries in the [AKC Juniors Classic](#), including 13 breeds and 2 All-American dogs from 11 states.
- **695** entries in the [AKC Agility Invitational Presented by YuMOVE](#), including 168 breeds and 6 All-American dogs from 45 states.
- **78 entries** in the [AKC Junior Agility Competition](#) (Friday, Dec. 16th).

To get more information about the show, visit us at <https://www.akc.org/sports/akc-national-championship/> or on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

The FDA is alerting ! pet owners & veterinarians of the potential for neurologic adverse events in dogs and cats when treated with Flea & Tick drugs that are in the isoxazoline class.

**Bravecto (fluralaner) tablets for dogs
Bravecto (fluralaner) topical solution for cats and dogs**

**Bravecto Plus (fluralaner and moxidectin) topical solution for cats
Bravecto 1-month (fluralaner) tablets for dogs**

Credelio (lotilaner) tablets for dogs and cats

Nexgard (afoxolaner) tablets for dogs

Simparica (sarolaner) tablets for dogs

Simparica Trio (sarolaner, moxidectin and pyrantel) tablets for dogs

Revolution Plus (selamectin and sarolaner) topical solution for cats

