



Currently The Adelaide Lure Coursing & Racing Club Inc. is the only club holding ANKC Lure Coursing trials and are supporting the canine sport of Lure Coursing in South Australia. The club has been running regular trials from the start of the passing of lure coursing in the ANKC and generally in the season hold them on a monthly basis except for the summer months.

Adelaide Lure Coursing & Racing Club Inc. established 8 official ANKC Lure coursing trials and 2 training and fun days for 2018.

#### ALCRC 2018 Calendar

- 18th March — Training/Fun Day
- 8th April — ANKC LC Trial
- 6th May — ANKC LC Trial
- 17th June — ANKC LC Trial
- 8th July — ANKC LC Trial
- 5th August — ANKC LC Trial
- 8th & 9th September — ANKC LC Trial
- 14th October — ANKC LC Trial
- 11th November — Training/Fun Day & End of Season

Unfortunately due to hot weather the heat restrictions for the safety of the dogs came into effect for the 8th April and the trial had to be cancelled.

In support of lure coursing for the health of the dogs the ALCRC have also gained new sponsorship in 2018 with Noah's Crossing Hydrotherapy Centre. As part of the sponsorship an information seminar was held on 11th March, 2018 to provide a highly qualified presentation on conditioning and mobility concerns for highly active dogs. Within the talk it addressed areas of concern and correct conditioning using hydrotherapy.

To also help bring new interest and encourage dogs to try them on the lure the ALCRC participate with other canine clubs over Australia in a Non-Official fun day of sprint racing. The 100 metre sprint race "Battle of the States" will be held on 14th July and although not under the ANKC Banner does encourage many new prospects into the sport as all breeds are encouraged to race against the clock. It is a short run and once owners witness the thrill of chasing after a lure, many of them become interested in finding out more about official lure coursing trials.

The Adelaide Lure coursing & Racing Club Inc. currently have 47 financial members and slowly are gaining more support over time. In South Australia the sport is only successful from the support of all breeds and until they get a better backing from sighthounds it would not survive.

As to date with the current lure coursing rules in place achieving titles is a long process, in South Australia we have only 2 Sighthounds that have gained Single Field Champion Titles and 3 others breeds gaining their Coursing Ability Title, all of which have been trialling since the sport was passed by the ANKC (over 2 ½ years).

At present we have one person (Adrianna Matusicova) currently involved in the Lure Coursing training program and is being mentored in all the facets and positions required in the sport from here!

Anyone interested in trying their dog in the sport can contact Karen Pratt, club Secretary, on 0404 06453

John Lewington

**ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY, 3rd SEPTEMBER, 2018**

## **DOGS SA OBEDIENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

# **STATE OBEDIENCE & RALLY CHAMPIONSHIPS**

*To be held under the Constitution and Rules of the S.A.C.A. Inc.*

**SATURDAY 22nd AND SUNDAY 23rd  
SEPTEMBER, 2018**

**OBEDIENCE commencing at 9.00 a.m.**

**RALLY not before 12.30 p.m.**

**SAODOC GROUNDS, BEAUMONT ROAD, ADELAIDE**

**OPEN TO ALL COMPETITORS. QUALIFICATIONS COUNT  
TOWARDS TITLES.**

#### **JUDGES:**

**SATURDAY 22nd**

**SUNDAY 23rd**

#### **OBEDIENCE**

|         |                 |                 |
|---------|-----------------|-----------------|
| CCD     | Lynne Stapylton | Tony Brennan    |
| Novice  | Jan Branham     | Lynne Stapylton |
| Open    | Damian Bourne   | Jan Brabham     |
| Utility | Tony Brennan    | Neil MacDonald  |
| UDX     | Lynne Stapylton | Tony Brennan    |

#### **RALLY**

|                 |                |                |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Novice          | Peter Dynan    | Michelle Vigor |
| Advanced A & B  | Neil MacDonald | Peter Dynan    |
| Excellent A & B | Peter Dynan    | Michael Vigor  |
| Master          | Neil MacDonald | Peter Dynan    |

*The OAC reserves the right to appoint a Reserve Judge if necessary.*

**S.A.C.A. REP.:** Rae Hedger.

**TRIAL MANAGER:** Brian Fielder.

**VETERINARY:** By Committee.

**VETTING TIMES:** OBEDIENCE — 8.00 a.m. to 8.30 a.m.

RALLY — 12.00 noon to 12.15 p.m. both days. Bitches without desexing paperwork only. All dogs must pass through check points by close of vetting. Dogs vetted for Obedience do not need to be vetted again for Rally.

**ENTRY FEES:** \$10.00 per entry.

**CATALOGUES:** Hard copy \$2.00, to be ordered and paid with entry. Catalogue will be posted on the website:

[www.dogobediencesa.com](http://www.dogobediencesa.com) 2 days prior to the event. Cheques/Money Orders to be made payable to Dogs SA.

**ORDER OF JUDGING:** As per catalogue.

**TROPHIES:** Prize for 1st place in each class each day (qualifying only). Trophy for State Champion in each class to be presented on Sunday, 23rd.

**SASHES:** To all qualifying competitors.

**ENTRIES TO:** Trial Secretary, 98 Murray Road,  
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Phone: 8522 6251

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SSAE to be enclosed with entries for return of  
acknowledgement of entry.