

# Rally National Championship

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Dogs' current full names with AKC titles and owners' names are provided below the list.



Top Bulldog 2013 – Pugsly

Top Bulldog 2019 – Bella

Top Bulldog 2022 – Oakley

In 2013, AKC added Rally to their Extravaganza show at which the nineteenth National Obedience Championship (NOC) and the second National Agility Championship (NAC) also took place. This was the first time that AKC provided an all-breed Rally competition at the national level. It drew 168 Rally teams (dog & handler) comprised of 50 Breeds (to include the Bulldog) plus All-American dogs that were entered in one of four classes: Rally Novice, Rally Advanced, Rally Excellent or Rally Advanced Excellent. Each dog and handler's combined scores & times for their runs determined placements in each class by highest combined score & then shortest time. Breed history was made by the first to represent their breed at the National level in a Rally competition. The following year AKC turned that Rally event into an annual competition designated as the Rally National Championship. Although official awards are not provided at this event for Top Dog in each breed, an opportunity exists for one dog of each breed to achieve that honor each year by either being the only dog in that breed present or by earning the highest combined score of the dogs of that breed that participate. AKC expanded its Rally titling program to include Intermediate and Master classes/titles and a Championship title in 2017. Beginning with the 2019 RNC, the classes offered at the RNC became Rally Novice, Rally Intermediate, Rally Advanced, Rally Excellent, Rally Master and Rally Championship. This event is not an Invitational, but rather, all dogs that meet the criteria are eligible to submit an entry. This is a prestigious and popular event. In recent years when the number of entries submitted have exceeded the number that can be accommodated at the show, entries received by the deadline have gone into a Random Draw to determine the final list of dogs that may participate.

## 2013

### First year for an AKC All-Breed Rally National Competition

Tulsa, OK – 3/15/2013

#### ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS

##### NOVICE CLASS

**Emac's Pretty Little Angel Eye'S**  
**Sabastian Ignacious Mugwump**

ADVANCED CLASS  
**Paradox Seal Of Approval**  
**Patchworks Simply Incredibull**

ADVANCED EXCELLENT CLASS  
**Mister Smushyface**

**2 BULLDOG ENTRIES 2013**

Novice

**Sabastian Ignacious Mugwump**

Armband #321

Score: Combined score of 198 out of 200

Finished 6<sup>th</sup> out of 82 Novice Class entries

Congratulations to Jessica & Pugsly!

Advanced Excellent

**Mister Smushyface**

Armband # 420

Score: (Absent)

**2014**

Second year for this National Competition - now renamed Rally National Championship  
Inaugural Year as AKC's official, annual Rally National Championship

Harrisburg, PA 3/28/2014

**ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS**

NOVICE CLASS

**Chelsea'S Super Hero Volt**

**Emerald Northern Star**

**Hoya**

**Majestic Li'L Miss Sassy Pants Of Kelrob**

**Miss Arden Elizabeth**

**Paradox Hr In His Father's Footsteps**

**Sandy's Bodacious Lance**

**Sittingbullies Just Ducky!**

**Weslins Hillbilly Twang**

**0 BULLDOGS ENTRIES 2014**

**2015 RNC**

St. Louis, MO – 3/13/2015

**ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS**

NOVICE CLASS

**Betzbulls Glitz N' Glamour**

**Sweet Bailey's Irish Creame**

**United's Bulldoze My Troubles Away**

ADVANCED CLASS

**Sittingbullies Just Ducky!**

EXCELLENT CLASS  
Sabastian Ignacious Mugwump

0 BULLDOG ENTRIES 2015

2016 RNC

Tulsa, OK – 3/18/2016

ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS

NOVICE CLASS

Elite's Bulldozer

Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot

ADVANCED CLASS

Clemmons Buddy

On The Road Again Mercedes

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EXCELLENT CLASS

Sittingbullies Just Ducky!

0 BULLDOG ENTRIES 2016

2017 RNC

Perry, GA – 3/24/2017

ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS

NOVICE

Sittingbullies Sealed With A Kiss

Sittingbullies Signed Sealed & Delivered

ADVANCED

Sittingbullies Wildwood Mockingbird

Kaler's Sin-Derlicious

ADVANCED EXCELLENT

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Sidus Lucida Adriana Lima

CH Sittingbullies Glad Tidings

Sittingbullies Just Ducky!

0 BULLDOG ENTRIES 2017

2018 RNC

Wilmington, OH – 6/29/2018

388 teams/82 breeds

ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS

EXCELLENT CLASS

Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot

ADVANCED EXCELLENT CLASS

Sidus Lucida Adriana Lima  
David Anger

**0 BULLDOG ENTRIES 2018**

**2019 RNC**

Tulsa, OK – 3/15/2019

**ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS**

**NOVICE CLASS**

**Loriaux' Rosie**

**Shz'Z A Sweet Bella Trix**

**Chelsea's Champagne And Diamonds**

**INTERMEDIATE CLASS**

**Hammer Of Thor God Of Thunder**

**ADVANCED CLASS**

**Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot  
Sittingbullies Signed Sealed & Delivered**

**EXCELLENT CLASS**

**Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot**

**MASTER CLASS**

**Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot**

**CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS**

**Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot**

**1 BULLDOG ENTRY 2019**

**Novice**

**Shz'Z A Sweet Bella Trix RN**

Mary Bilina

Armband #351

Score: Combined score of 189 out of 200

Finished 64<sup>th</sup> out of 104 Novice Class entries

Congratulations to Mary & Bella!

**2020 RNC**

Originally scheduled to be held in Wilmington, OH – 6/26/2020  
Rescheduled for 12/11/2020 in Orlando, FL because of Pandemic

**ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS**

**NOVICE CLASS**

**Showbiz The Apple Doesn'T Fall Far From The Tree  
Greenville's Rain For Rent**

**EXCELLENT CLASS**

**Showbiz Ampirion Start Spreading The News**

CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS  
Sidus Lucida Adriana Lima  
Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot

0 BULLDOGS ENTERED 2020

**2021 RNC**

Wilmington, OH – 7/9/2021  
500 dogs/105 breeds

ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS

NOVICE CLASS

Showbiz The Apple Doesn'T Fall Far From The Tree  
Wildwood Sweet Treat  
Greenville's Rain For Rent  
Sittingbullies XoXoXo

EXCELLENT

Showbiz Ampirion Start Spreading The News  
Sittingbullies Just Ducky!

CHAMPIONSHIP

Sidus Lucida Adriana Lima  
Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot

0 BULLDOGS ENTERED 2021

**2022 RNC**

Wilmington, OH – 7/8/2022  
Entries: 500 dogs/90 breeds

ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS

NOVICE CLASS

Snow Angel III

EXCELLENT CLASS

Sittingbullies Xo Xo Xo

CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS

Sittingbullies Just Ducky!  
Sidus Lucida Adriana Lima  
Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot

1 ENTERED BULLDOG 2022

Championship

**Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot**

Armband #904

Score: Combined score of 344 out of 400

Finished 128<sup>th</sup> out of 149 Championship Class entries

Congratulations to Bea & Oakley!

## **2023 RNC**

Held in Wilmington, OH – June 16-17/2023

### **ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS**

#### **NOVICE CLASS**

Sittingbullies Butterfly Kisses  
Be The Mountain  
Third Times A Charm Marley

#### **EXCELLENT CLASS**

Sittingbullies He's The One!  
Chelsea's Polar Bear White Fang

#### **MASTER CLASS**

Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS**

Sidus Lucida Adriana Lima

**0 BULLDOGS ENTERED 2023**

## **2024 RNC**

To be held in Wilmington, OH in June

### **ELIGIBLE BULLDOGS**

#### **ADVANCED CLASS**

Sittingbullies He's The One!  
Sittingbullies Xo Xo Xo  
Showbiz Ampirion Bright Lights Whatever Lola Wants

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### **Dogs' Current Full AKC Names & Owners**

Be The Mountain RN BCAT TKN ATT  
Jessica Ingles

Betzbulls Glitz N' Glamour BN RI CGC  
Karen & Stephanie West

Chelsea's Champagne And Diamonds BN RA CGC TKI  
Patricia A Ropp

GCH CH Chelsea'S Super Hero Volt BN RN CGC  
Chris & Diane Gordon/Patricia Ropp

Chelsea's Polar Bear White Fang CD BN RA  
Betty Fisher/Pat Ropp

Clemmon's Buddy BN RE  
Joan Clemmons

Elite's Bulldozer RA

Patricia Ropp/Maxine Murdock

Emac's Pretty Little Angel Eye'S RN  
Elizabeth MacArthur/Cheryl & Sarah Morena

Emerald Northern Star RN  
Amanda & David Bolyard/Nancy Isakson

Greenville's Rain For Rent BN RI CGC TKN  
Claudette Reeves/Nicholas Pickard

Hammer Of Thor God Of Thunder CDX BN RE CAA CGCA  
Mr. Dennis & Adele M Woolem

Hoya BN RN  
Lois Kaufmann

Kaler's Sin-Derlicious CDX BN RE FDC CGC  
Susan W Howard

Loriaux' Rosie RA CGC  
Vicky Gauthier

GCH CH Majestic Li'L Miss Sassy Pants Of Kelrob CD BN RE FDC TT THD CGCA CGCU TKP  
Kelly Foutz/Shalisa Neely/Robin Foutz

Miss Arden Elizabeth RN  
Jodie & John House/Jodie Ward

Mister Smushyface CD BN RAE  
Dan & Jenny Workman

On The Road Again Mercedes RE  
Anna Figueroa/Dell & Susan Rodman

Paradox Hr In His Father's Footsteps CDX PCD BN RN MXP MJP  
Dorothy Wysaski, DVM

Paradox Seal Of Approval VCD1 RA AJP  
Dorothy A Wysaski, DVM

Patchworks Simply Incredibull CD BN RE CGCA  
Marsha Gaydos Daker

Sabastian Ignacious Mugwump CD RE CA RATO  
Jessica Ingles

Sandy's Bodacious Lance BN PCD RE CGCA  
Garry & Sandra Rogers

Showbiz Ampirion Start Spreading The News CDX PCDX BN GN GO RAE2 THDN CGCA  
Anne M Hier

Showbiz Ampirion Bright Lights Whatever Lola Wants CD PCD BN RE  
Anne M Hier/Joan L Fishe/Kara F Gordon

GCH CH Showbiz The Apple Doesn'T Fall Far From The Tree BN RN CGCA  
Joan L Fisher/Anne Hier/Kay Gray

Shz'Z A Sweet Bella Trix RI  
Mary Bilina

RACH3 Sidus Lucida Adriana Lima UD BN GO RM10 RAE8 FDC NAP NJP  
SWA SBE SHDN RATN CGCA TKN  
David Anger

Sittingbullies Butterfly Kisses BN RI CGC TKI  
Kim Gosser/Cheryl Knapp

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Cheryl A Knapp

Sittingbullies He's The One! CD BN RE BCAT CGCA TKE  
Cheryl A Knapp

RACH Sittingbullies Just Ducky! UD BN RM4 RAE3 NAP CA THD RATO CGCA TKE  
Cheryl A Knapp

Sittingbullies Sealed With A Kiss CD BN RE RATN CGC TKE  
Cheryl A Knapp

Sittingbullies Signed Sealed & Delivered CD BN RM FDC RATS CGC TKE  
Ikuko Jones/Cheryl A Knapp

Sittingbullies Wildwood Mockingbird UD VER RE OAP OJP CAX TT CGC TKA  
Beatrice & Clay Page

Sittingbullies Xo Xo Xo CD RE BCAT RATN CGCA CGCU TKE  
Cheryl A Knapp

Snow Angel III BN RN CGC TKN  
Dennis & Adele Woolem

Sweet Bailey's Irish Creame CD BN RE THDN CGC TKN  
Cynthia Anne Lee

Third Times A Charm Marley CD RN  
Patricia A Terrio

United's Bulldoze My Troubles Away BN RN  
Karen & Laura & Donald West

Weslins Hillbilly Twang RN  
Linda Kilgore/Nancy Liskh

RACH2 Wildwood Little Miss Sure Shot CD BN RM7 RAE4 FDC NAP AJP DCAT TT OSD CGCA CGCU TKE  
Beatrice & Clay Page/Tammy & Amanda McAllister

Wildwood Sweet Treat RN CGC TKA  
Beatrice & Clay Page

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**Eligibility Qualifications for the RNC**



The RNC is open to all dogs, which meet the criteria, that are 6 months of age or older that have an AKC number, PAL/ILP enrollment number, AKC Canine Partners listing number, or an identification number issued by AKC. If an entry is submitted for a dog that meets the criteria for more than one class, it may be entered in one class only and that entry must be at the highest level for which it is eligible.

### **2013 AKC Rally National Competition**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2011 to 11/30/2012

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Novice class.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Advanced class.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Excellent class.

#### Rally Advanced Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title. Must have earned three scores of 95 points during the qualifying period. Must have earned at least five double qualifying scores from the Advanced B and Excellent B classes during the qualifying period.

### **2014 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2012 to 11/30/2013

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Novice class.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Advanced class.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Excellent class.

#### Rally Advanced Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 95 or more points during the qualifying period in either Advanced B or Excellent B. Must have earned at least five double qualifying scores from the Advanced B and Excellent B classes during the qualifying period.

### **2015 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2013 – 11/30/2014

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Novice class.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Advanced class.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Excellent class.

#### Rally Advanced Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 95 or more points during the qualifying period in either Advanced B or Excellent B. Must have earned at least five double qualifying scores from the Advanced B and Excellent B classes during the qualifying period.

### **2016 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2014 – 11/30/2015

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Novice class.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Advanced class.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title during the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Excellent class.

#### Rally Advanced Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 95 or more points during the qualifying period in either Advanced B or Excellent B. Must have earned at least five double qualifying scores from the Advanced B and Excellent B classes during the qualifying period.

### **2017 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2015 – 11/30/2016

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Novice class.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Advanced class.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 90 or more points during the qualifying period from the Rally Excellent class.

#### Rally Advanced Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Must have earned three scores of 95 or more points during the qualifying period in either Advanced B or Excellent B. Must have earned at least five double qualifying scores from the Advanced B and Excellent B classes during the qualifying period.

### **2018 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2016 – 11/30/2017

#### Novice Class Qualifications

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Novice scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Advanced Class Qualifications

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Advanced scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Excellent Class Qualifications

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Excellent scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Rally Advanced Excellent Class Qualifications

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Dogs must have earned three scores of 95 or more during the qualifying period in either Advanced B or Excellent B. Dogs must have earned at least five (5) double qualifying scores from the Advanced B & Excellent B classes during the qualifying period.

### **2019 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2017 – 11/30/2018

The 2019 RNC will consist of five classes: Each Novice, Intermediate, Advanced and Excellent entry will show twice, in two different rings, in the class entered. Each Rally Championship (formerly known as the RAE) entry will show a total of four times in four different rings. The Rally Championship competition will consist of two Master courses, one Advanced course and one Excellent course.

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Novice scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Intermediate Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Intermediate (RI) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Intermediate scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Advanced scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Excellent scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Championship Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Dogs must have earned five scores of 95 or more during the qualifying period in Advanced B. Dogs must have earned five scores of 95 or more during the qualifying period in Excellent B. Dogs must have earned five qualifying scores during the qualifying period in Master.

### **2020 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying period: 12/1/2018 – 11/30/2019

The 2020 RNC will consist of six classes: Each Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Excellent and Master entry will show twice, in two different rings, in the class entered. Each Rally Championship entry will show a total of four times in four different rings. The Rally Championship competition will consist of two Master courses, one Advanced course and one Excellent course.

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Novice scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Intermediate Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Intermediate (RI) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Intermediate scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Advanced scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Excellent scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Master Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Master (RM) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. At least three Master scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Championship Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period. Dogs must have earned three scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Advanced B. Dogs must have earned three scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Excellent B. Dogs must have earned three scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Master. Any of the above-listed qualifying scores may be earned singularly or in any combination.

### **2021 AKC Rally National Championship**

Due to these unprecedented times (Covid considerations) and to make the qualifying process as fair as possible, the following criteria will be in place for the 2021 RNC. The qualifications will remain the same as 2020 (see above). To make qualifying as fair as possible, the "Qualifying Period" for the event will be December 1, 2018 – November 30, 2020. All dogs that were eligible to enter the 2020 RNC will also be eligible to enter the 2021 RNC. To make entry into this event as fair as possible, an opening period (7-days) for entries to arrive will be established. A random draw will be held for those entries received during that opening period. After the opening period, all entries will be accepted on a first-received basis.

### **2022 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying Period: December 1, 2020 – November 30, 2021

The 2022 RNC will consist of six classes. Each Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Excellent and Master entry will show twice, in two different rings, in the class entered. Each Rally Championship entry will show a total of four times in four different rings. The Rally Championship competition will consist of two Master courses, one Advanced course, and one Excellent course.

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Novice scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Intermediate Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Intermediate (RI) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Intermediate scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Advanced scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Excellent scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Master Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Master (RM) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Master scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Championship Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

Dogs must have earned three (3) scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Advanced B.

Dogs must have earned three (3) scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Excellent B.

Dogs must have earned three (3) scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Master.

Any of the above-listed qualifying scores may be earned singularly or in any combination.

### **2023 AKC Rally National Championship**

Qualifying Period: December 1, 2021 – November 30, 2022

The Qualifying Period for the event is December 1, 2021 – November 30, 2022. Dogs may only be entered in one class and must be entered at the highest level for which they are eligible.

The 2023 RNC will consist of six classes. Each Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Excellent and Master entry will show twice, in two different rings, in the class entered. Each Rally Championship entry will show a total of four times in four different rings. The Rally Championship competition will consist of two Master courses, one Advanced course, and one Excellent course.

#### Novice Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Novice (RN) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Novice scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Intermediate Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Intermediate (RI) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Intermediate scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Advanced Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced (RA) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Advanced scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Excellent Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Excellent (RE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Excellent scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Master Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Master (RM) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

At least three (3) Master scores of 93 or more earned during the qualifying period are required.

#### Championship Class Criteria

Dogs must have earned a confirmed Rally Advanced Excellent (RAE) title at any time prior to, or during; but no later than by the end of the qualifying period.

Dogs must have earned three (3) scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Advanced B.

Dogs must have earned three (3) scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Excellent B.

Dogs must have earned three (3) scores of 93 or more during the qualifying period in Master.

Any of the above-listed qualifying scores may be earned singularly or in any combination.