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Oak Ridge Kennel Club, Inc.

February 2026

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www.orkc.org

Club News

March/April 2026. Class Schedule is posted

Member registration begins February 22nd

Non-member registration begins March 1st

Registration closes March 8th

Payment due upon receipt of invoice

Classes start Monday March 23rd end April 18th

All classes are 4 weeks unless noted in schedule

Please register at: [https://form.jotform.com/](https://form.jotform.com/83284436145156)

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Payment must be received by March 13th

or your spot will be forfeited



Up Coming Events

Obedience and Rally Trial

When: Mar 28, 2026 8:00 am

Where:

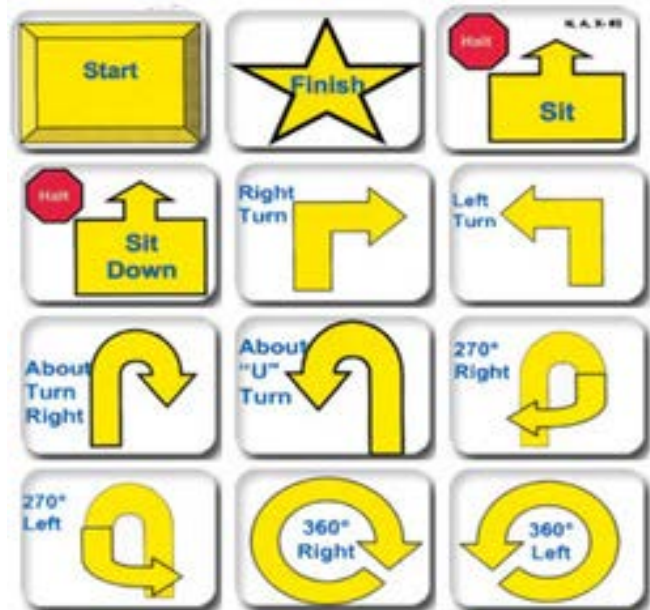
Ultimutt Knoxville

11225 Threadstone Ln

Knoxville, TN

Trial runs March 28 – 29, 2026.

2 Rally trials and 1 Obedience trial on both Saturday and Sunday.



ENTRIES OPEN AT 8:00 am, Wednesday, February 11, 2026.

[Premium](#)

[Entry Form](#) (enter online with no surcharge) link will become active at 8am ET on February 11, 2026.

Sniff & Go

Apr 4, 2026 10:00 am

Where:

ORKC Campus

Containers and Buried –

Novice through Excellent
More details to come.



Up Coming Events

Agility Trials

When: Apr 10, 2026 7:00 am

Where:

East Tennessee Agricultural
Exposition Center

276 Patton Lane, Harriman,
Tennessee 37748

Trials run April 10 – 12, 2026

Friday – Std, JWW, Premier JWW, & FAST

Saturday – Std, JWW, Premier Std & T2B

Sunday – Std, JWW, & Premier (both)



ENTRIES OPEN AT 8:00 am, Wednesday, February 4,
2026

Premium



Scent Work Trials

When: May 2, 2026 8:00 am

Where:

Ultimutt Knoxville

11225 Threadstone Ln

Knoxville, TN

Trials run May 2 – May 3, 2026.

2 trials per day.

Containers – Novice through Master.

Buried – Novice through Master.

Interiors – Novice and Advanced
only.

Exteriors – Novice and Advanced
only.

Premium to come.

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Prince did great at November Winston Salem show earning a G2 placement. Shown by Crystal Brooks and owned by Mac McFadden and Debbie Echols.

We had an amazing show at the Clemson KC shows. Princess won her Novice Obedience B class to complete her requirements for her CD, which also completes her VGS (Versatility Greater Swiss).



Prince won the breed both days and was awarded a Working Group 2 placement.

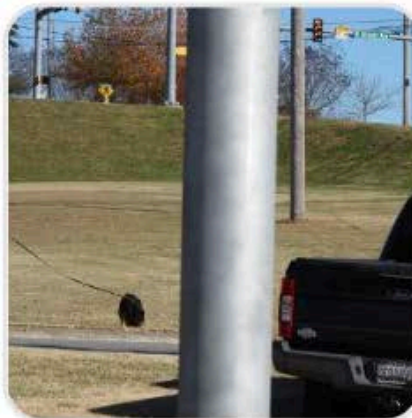
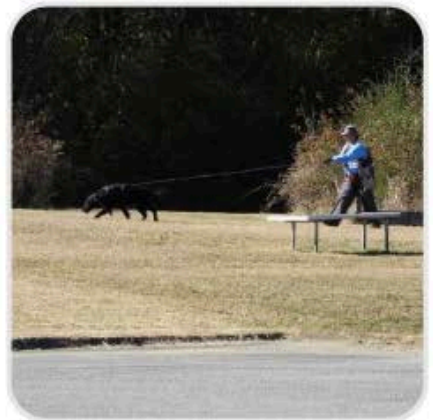
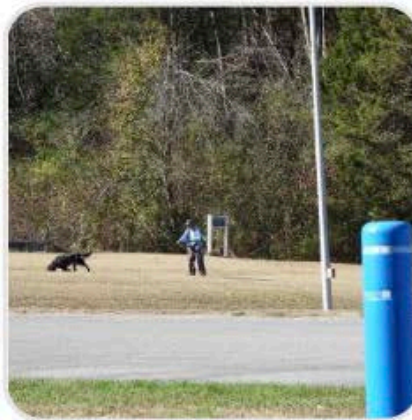
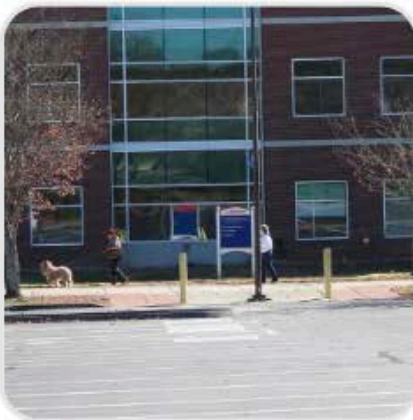
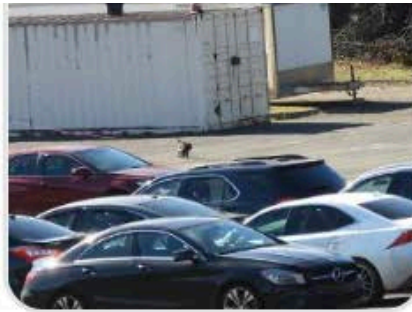
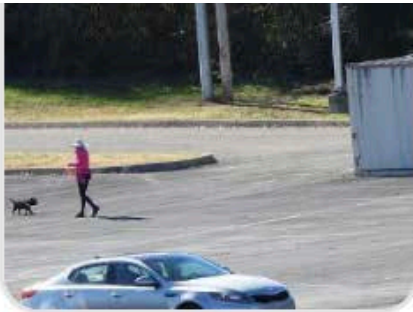
Prince's son Uncle was Select Dog the 1st day with owner Debbie Echols and his son Eiger was Select Dog the 2nd day with Carol & Jimmy Ellis. Both earned 5

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Tracking Test pictures





2026

CANINE BREEDER EDUCATION COURSE

2026 Canine Breeder Education Course

Join the Auburn University College of Veterinary Medicine Theriogenology Service for the 2026 Canine Breeder Education Course. This adult education program offers 5 hours of presentations. Topics will include: reproductive infectious disease concerns, practical genetics, health screenings and tests, progesterone, stud dog, and tips and tricks for neonatal success. Lunch and a certificate of attendance* are provided for each attendee. Pre-registration is required.

**This program has been designed for canine breeders and does not provide continuing education credits for veterinary professionals.*

WHEN:

Saturday, March 21, 2026

8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. (Check-in begins at 8:00 a.m.)

WHERE:

College of Veterinary Medicine

Room 101 Veterinary Education Center

1180 Wire Road, Auburn, AL 36832

PRICE:

\$60 (On or before 2/28/26)

\$75 (3/1/26-3/18/26)

Classified Section

Our board of directors has approved this classified section for our members with the following conditions. Items must be dog related goods, no live animals, and limit of \$500 per item.

Send your sale, wanted or give away listings to 4woofernews@gmail.com

Buy, Sell, Trade, or Give Away

New Members

Please introduce yourself and your dog(s) here on the Woofers. Send me a short bio and photo so that club members can welcome you, and get to know a little about you.

send to me Deanna Leveque, at 4woofernews@gmail.com along with your brags.

The Woofers:

Please send those show brags, volunteer opportunities, upcoming events and other items of interest to share, to me, Deanna, at 4woofernews@gmail.com **for the next newsletter.**

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