



# Trail Ridge Kennel Club

Licensed by The United Kennel Club

## MOTHER'S DAY CLASSIC

**6 Conformation Shows**

**Friday, Saturday, Sunday**

**May 8, 9, 10, 2026**

Shows begin at 9 am each day.

### **PIONEER PARK**

E Indiana Ave and E 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
BERTHOUD, CO

These shows are held outdoors.  
CONFORMATION ONLY.

**Pre-entry ONLY**

**NO Day of Show Entries**

Entries must be received by  
May 4, 2026 - 9:00 PM

Entry Fees are payable by Check or Money Order.

[www.trailridgekennelclub.org](http://www.trailridgekennelclub.org)

**Please bring a copy of your dog's rabies certificate!**

**TRAIL RIDGE KENNEL CLUB OFFICERS**

President..... Teri Burke  
Vice President..... Carly Stephen  
Treasurer..... Nina Marie Sherrer  
Secretary..... Nina Marie Sherrer  
Director..... Sandy McCrady  
Director..... Kellie Whitton  
Director..... Gay Eckes  
Director..... Craig Gibson



**EVENT COMMITTEE**

Judges Committee..... Nina Marie Sherrer & Members  
Event Promotion..... Club Members  
Advertising..... Club Members  
Ribbons & Awards..... Nina Marie Sherrer  
Hospitality..... Sandy McCrady & Members  
Chief Ring Steward..... Jeri Berg  
Grounds..... Gay Eckes & Adam Burke  
Donations..... Nina Marie Sherrer

*Remember to complete  
and turn in your ticket  
for the Sunday Drawing  
of the  
**MOTHER'S Day  
Surprise!***

**EVENT CHAIRPERSON**

Kellie Whitton  
(530) 737-3251  
[Kellie@TrailRidgeKennelClub.org](mailto:Kellie@TrailRidgeKennelClub.org)

**Exhibitors,  
remember to Vote for the  
BEST JUDGE  
at the TRKC  
Mother's Day Classic!  
Ballot in arm band envelope.**

**EVENT SECRETARY**

Teri Burke  
4623 Foothills Dr  
Berthoud CO 80513  
(425) 269-3679  
[Teri@TrailRidgeKennelClub.org](mailto:Teri@TrailRidgeKennelClub.org)

**EVENT VETERINARIAN**

Emergency Hospital (open 24/7)  
Emergency Pet Clinic of Longmont  
1517 Main Street  
Longmont CO 80501  
(303) 440-7722  
<https://www.longmontemergencyvet.com/site/home>

**Again, this Year!**  
TRAIL RIDGE KC will offer a  
**ULTIMATE JUNIOR  
Best of Best In Shows AWARDS**  
following Show 2 on Sunday.  
Juniors who received a Best Junior Handler  
from any of the 6 separate shows are eligible  
for this ULTIMATE JUNIOR Award.

## IMPORTANT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION for THE UKC TRAIL RIDGE KENNEL CLUB SHOWS

### ENTRY INFORMATION ELIGIBILITY

1. Dogs must be permanently registered with UKC or have a Temporary Listing (TL) number to pre-entry. No exceptions will be made. Entries for ineligible dogs will be returned. **TL NUMBERS are available at: <https://www.ukcdogs.com/tl-numbers>.**

### CLASS CHANGE/CORRECTION OF ENTRY

1. Owners are responsible for the accuracy of information in the entry forms, regardless of who may make such errors. Owners and exhibitors are responsible for correcting any errors in their entry.
2. Dogs that, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a title after the closing of entries, may be transferred from the entered class to another class for which the dog is now eligible, provided that a request for transfer is made in writing to TRKC/UKC not later than one-half hour prior to the start of any regular judging at the show.
3. All other corrections to entries must be made in writing to the Event Secretary not later than one-half hour prior to the start of any regular judging at the show.

### SCHEDULING CONFLICTS FOR DOGS

1. Exhibitors are responsible for being available for judging at the scheduled time.
2. Every possible effort will be made to accommodate exhibitors who have dogs entered in different conformation rings, but judges are not required to wait for dogs. Exhibitors are advised to pick up their armbands as early as possible and to notify stewards in all rings affected by a conflict so that judges may more easily work around any conflicts.

### JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Junior Showmanship shall consist of the following classes:

1. **Pee-Wee.** 2 years and under 4 years of age.
2. **Sub-Junior.** 4 years and under 8 years of age.
3. **Pre-Junior.** 6 years and under 8 years of age.
4. **Junior Classes.** 8 years and under 13 years of age.
  - a. **Novice Junior.** This class is for any Junior member who has never earned a Best Junior Handler award or who has not earned three first place wins from the Novice Junior class.
  - b. **Open Junior.** This class is for any Junior member who has earned a Best Junior Handler award (over an Open Junior or Open Senior) from the Novice Junior class or who has earned three first place wins from the Novice Junior class.
5. **Senior Classes.** 13 years of age and under 19 years of age.
  - a. **Novice Senior.** This class is for any Senior member who has never earned a Best Junior Handler award or who has not earned three first place wins from the Novice Junior or Novice Senior class.
  - b. **Open Senior.** This class is for any Senior member who has earned a Best Junior Handler award (over an Open Junior or Open Senior) from the Junior class or Novice Senior Class, or who has earned three first place wins from the Novice Senior class.
6. **Best Junior Handler.** Best Junior Handler class shall consist of the first-place winner from the Novice Junior class, the Open Junior Class, the Novice Senior Class and the Open Senior Class.

### CONFORMATION

1. Males are judged before Females.
2. Points are awarded to the winners of the following classes offered for UKC recognized breeds that are eligible for conformation: Puppy, Junior, Adult, Open, Breeder/Handler, Best Male of Variety, Best Male, Best Female of Variety, Best Female, and Best of Winners.

### NON-LICENSED CLASSES.

The following non-licensed classes are offered at these events. When non-licensed classes are offered, they must be run in accordance with the procedures outlined in the current Official UKC Rules and Regulations.

1. **Novice Puppy, Veteran, Brace.** (All six shows): Novice Puppy, Veteran, & Brace will be judged immediately following Altered. Altered follows the regular classes. The Best of Breed Novice Puppy, Veteran & Brace will compete in Best In Show. Altered, Novice Puppy, Veteran & Brace Groups are not offered at these shows.
2. **Group Competition:** The following Groups will be offered: Guardian, Scenthound, Sighthound & Pariah Dog, Gun Dog, Northern Breed, Herding Dog, Terrier, and Companion Dog. Each Group shall include the Best of Breed winners from those breeds assigned to that specific Group in the Official UKC Rules and Regulations.
3. **Best In Show:** A Best in Show class will be offered, consisting of the 8 winners of the regular Group classes. A single judge selected by the Event Committee will judge Best in Show.
4. **Reserve Best In Show:** After selecting the Best in Show winner, the judge shall select from the remaining dogs in the class a Reserve Best in Show winner.

See UKC rules for further class descriptions. <https://www.ukcdogs.com/conformation-forms-rules>

## JUDGES, RING ASSIGNMENTS AND SHOW TIMES

Altered, Non-Licensed Puppy, Veteran, & Brace Classes offered at all 6 shows.

All breeds except BSD's at Fri Show 1 are offered. BOB Altered goes into Altered Best In Show (No Groups).

BOB Puppy, BOB Veteran, & BOB Brace go into Best In Show (No Groups).

### Friday May 8, 2028 – Show 1 – 9:00 AM

Ring 1 – NO BSD	Joao Machado	Jr Show - followed by all Groups. See schedule at Ringside.
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### Friday May 8, 2026 – Show 2 – 9:30 AM

Ring 2 NO BSD	Kathy Russell	Jr Show - followed by all Groups. See schedule at Ringside.
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### Saturday May 9, 2026 – Show 1 – 9:00 AM

Ring 1	Katherine Short	Jr Show, Sight, Comp
Ring 2	Nancy Gallant	Guard, Herd
Ring 3	Janet Emery	Scent, North
Ring 4	David Arthur	Gun, Terr

### Saturday May 9, 2026 – Show 2 – begins at Show Committee Discretion

Ring 1	David Arthur	Jr Show, Sight, Comp
Ring 2	Katherine Short	Guard, Herd
Ring 3	Nancy Gallant	Scent, North
Ring 4	Janet Emery	Gun, Terr

### Sunday May 10, 2026 – Show 1 – 9:00 AM

Ring 1	Janet Emery	Jr Show, Sight, Comp
Ring 2	David Arthur	Guard, Herd
Ring 3	Katherine Short	Scent, North
Ring 4	Nancy Gallant	Gun, Terr

### Sunday May 10, 2026 – Show 2– begins at Show Committee Discretion

Ring 1	Nancy Gallant	Jr Show, Sight, Comp
Ring 2	Janet Emery	Guard, Herd
Ring 3	David Arthur	Scent, North
Ring 4	Katherine Short	Gun, Terr

## Trail Ridge Kennel Club Membership

**YOU can join the fun and be a member of TRKC**

Our Club is progressive, informative, and everyone gets along.

We usually meet once a month except May and December. (And we always have great food!)

**Come to a meeting and get to know us.**

Send an email for upcoming meeting information to: [nina@trailridgekennelclub.org](mailto:nina@trailridgekennelclub.org)

The TRKC application is on our website: [www.TrailRidgeKennelClub.org](http://www.TrailRidgeKennelClub.org)

## **RIBBONS AND AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded to all Conformation and Junior Handler class placements. Rosettes will be awarded to the following classes:

- Best of Best & Reserve Best of Best in BISs, Ultimate Junior Showmanship & Reserve Ultimate Junior Showmanship, Best & Reserve Best In Show, Altered Best & Reserve Best In Show, Best & Reserve Best In Show for Novice Puppy, Veteran & Brace. Group Placements and Best Junior Handler.
- New Title awards. Ask for a NEW TITLE form from the Event Secretary. Fill it out and return it to the Event Secretary for your New Title Award. (No New Title awards will be mailed.)

In addition to a BEAUTIFUL ROSETTE, a cash prize will also be awarded to:

- BEST OF BEST IN SHOWS - \$50
- ULTIMATE JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP - \$25
- EXHIBITOR VOTED BEST JUDGE - \$25

## **Important ENTRY Information. Please Read Carefully**

### **EVENT CLUSTER SPECIAL ENTRY FEES**

The Trail Ridge Kennel Club is offering a special CLUSTER ENTRY:

\$150 for any dog entered in all SIX conformation shows on Fri, Sat & Sun, May 8-10, 2026.  
(For regular classes **except** Grand Championship, Junior Showmanship, Novice Puppy, Veteran & Brace.)

Omissions or illegible information on your entries will cancel the Cluster Special Price.

### **EVENT ENTRY FEES – PRE-ENTRY ONLY**

Make check or money orders payable to

**Trail Ridge Kennel Club**

and mail to:

**Teri Burke, 4623 Foothills DR, Berthoud, CO 80513**

**REMEMBER, your entries must be RECEIVED NO LATER than May 4, 2026 – 9 PM**

Cluster	\$150 per dog- 6 shows
Non-Cluster	\$30 per dog per show
Grand Champion	\$16 per dog per show
Junior Showmanship	\$10 per show

Non-Licensed Puppy	\$16 per pup per show
Veteran	\$16 per dog per show
Brace of 2 dogs	\$16 per Brace

Trail Ridge Kennel Club is not responsible for errors on entry forms. Please double-check your entry information. Entry forms completed on the UKC website must be printed, signed and mailed with payment. *Please PRINT your email address clearly, confirmations will be sent via email.*

Incorrect/incomplete entries will be returned, along with your payment. If the corrected entry and payment is not received by **May 4, 2026 – 9:00 PM**, your entry not be eligible for competition.

No Exceptions. *Entry forms must be signed to be valid!*

***Just In Case:*** If you decide to enter too late to mail your entry

**Email:** [Teri@TrailRidgeKennelClub.org](mailto:Teri@TrailRidgeKennelClub.org) for “drive up” entry hand-off information.

## REMEMBER

**This is an Outdoor Show! This is Colorado! This is Early May!**

### EVENT FACILITIES

There is a building with indoor toilets in the park. Port-a-potties will be provided should the weather remain too cold for the plumbing to be activated.

PARKING is around the perimeter of the park.

NO PARKING allowed on the grass; violators will be ticketed.

NO OVERNIGHT RV parking available onsite.

NO SMOKING in all show areas. Please use designated areas only.

NO ELECTRIC HOOKUPS.

**TRKC Trailer is for Judges & Staff use ONLY.**

### BRING YOUR OWN SHADE

There is very limited shade throughout the park.

It is suggested you bring your own shade or canopy.

### BRING YOUR OWN WATER

While there is water on site, it is suggested that you bring drinking water for your dog and yourself

### PACK IT IN – PACK IT OUT

Please clean your crating and grooming areas before leaving. *Including dog hair!*

**PLEASE Take your personal trash with you!**

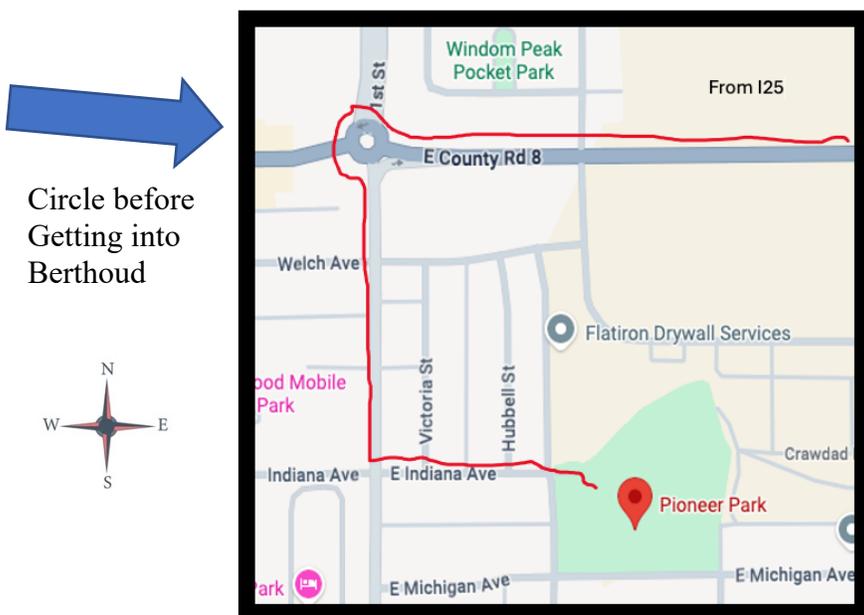
Lined buckets and “poop” bags provided for animal waste.

**PLEASE USE THEM.**

### SHOW LOCATION

## PIONEER PARK

E Indiana Ave and E 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Berthoud, CO 80513



### DRIVING DIRECTIONS

**From the North & South on I-25:** Take Exit 250. Go west on E State Hwy 56, to Berthoud (toward the mountains). Love's Travel Stop will be on your left. Travel approximately 5 miles. At the circle just before getting into Berthoud, take the 3rd exit onto 1st St. Turn left onto E Indiana Ave.

There is plenty of parking on NE 2nd St, E Michigan Ave, and 3rd St. around the park. There is a small parking lot with limited parking space. NO RV's in this parking area.

**Please do not move signs for Judge's, Staff, or Emergency Parking.**

## SHOW TIMES

### Friday – Show 1

Junior Showmanship 9:00am  
Confirmation Judging follows Juniors

### Friday – Show 2

Junior Showmanship 9:30am  
Confirmation Judging follows Juniors

NOTE: For Friday Show 1 & 2 only:  
No BSD's.

### Saturday – Show 1

Junior Showmanship 9:00am  
Confirmation Judging 9:00am

### Saturday – Show 2

Junior Showmanship Show Committee Discretion  
Confirmation Judging Show Committee Discretion

### Sunday – Show 1

Junior Showmanship 9:00am  
Confirmation Judging 9:00am

### Sunday – Show 2

Junior Showmanship Show Committee Discretion  
Confirmation Judging Show Committee Discretion

## SUPPORT BERTHOUD

Please support Berthoud businesses. There are several eateries and coffee shops and other businesses.

[Berthoud Restaurants, Food, & Beverages](#)

## RV PARKING LOCATIONS

### St Vrain State Park

3785 Weld Country Rd 24 ½ (exit 240 off I-25)  
Firestone CO 80504  
(303) 678-9402

<https://cpw.state.co.us/placestogo/parks/StVrain/Pages/default.aspx>

### Loveland RV Resort

4421 E US Highway 34  
Loveland CO 80537  
(970) 667-1204

<https://lovelandrvresort.com>

## MOTELS

Travelodge	1655 E Eisenhower Blvd, Loveland, CO	(970) 663-7000
La Quinta Inn	1450 Cascade Ave, Loveland CO	(970) 622-8600
Residence Inn	5450 McWhinney Blvd, Loveland, CO	(970) 622-7000
Best Western Plus	5542 Highway 34, Loveland, Co	(970) 667-7810

## OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER

for these TRKC Shows

**Brittany McGivney**

[mcgivphotography@gmail.com](mailto:mcgivphotography@gmail.com)

<http://mcgivphotography.com/>

Check Brittany's facebook for  
TRKC Ringside photos sign up sheet.

[Facebook.com/mcgivphotography/](https://www.facebook.com/mcgivphotography/)

## TRKC DIY Photos

Back by popular demand.

TRKC will setting up a spot  
where you can take your own photos.

You are welcome to ask a judge to be in  
your photo and to use the signs provided.

Donations gladly accepted.

Please remember – it is not okay to take  
your own photos at the official  
photographers set up, especially while  
they are working.

## REMEMBER THE

## AGE MATTERS COMPETITION for Elder Dogs

on Saturday after BIS Show 1.

(See separate info & entry.)

**2026 TRKC Age Matters Entry Form**

## ENTRY CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

1. Entry cancellations must be received in writing prior to the closing of pre-entries. Cancellation requests must be mailed or emailed to the Event Secretary. Requests must include the dogs UKC number, breed, name, and event type entered. Cancellations received by telephone will not be accepted.
2. Cancellations submitted before the close of entries will be charged \$5 per entered class.
3. No refund of entry fees will be made for entries cancelled after the pre-entry closing date and time.
4. Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by veterinarian or judge, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee.
5. Every effort will be made to find all duplicate entries before processing. However, if a duplicate entry is processed, no refund will be made.
6. Entry overpayments will be donated to the general trophy fund.
7. If, because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond the control of the host club, it is impossible to open or to complete an event, no refund of entry fees will be made.
8. If, in the opinion of the host club, the well-being of dogs, exhibitors, or spectators is at risk due to extreme weather conditions, such as but not limited to: snowstorms, hurricanes, tornados, lightning, flooding, or extreme heat, the host club may cancel or stop an event before completion. No refunds will be made in such cases.

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

### BRING A COPY OF YOUR DOGS RABIES CERTIFICATE!

- These events are being hosted by the Trail Ridge Kennel Club and are United Kennel Club (UKC) licensed conformation shows. All UKC rules and regulations will apply.
- Entries to all UKC events for both licensed and non-licensed classes must be submitted using the most current official UKC forms. Junior Showmanship has a NEW separate entry form.
- Exhibitors through their submission of entry acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of the UKC rules and regulations.
- The use of alcohol or illegal drugs at a UKC event is prohibited. Violators may be excused from the ring by the judge and from the show or event grounds by the Event Committee or any officer of the host club.
- Dogs must be registered with the UKC to enter and have a permanent registration number, valid Temporary Listing (TL) or a Limited Privilege (LP) number as of the day of the event. [www.ukcdogs.com/tl-numbers](http://www.ukcdogs.com/tl-numbers)
- UKC exhibitors and spectators are expected to display good behavior and good sportsmanship in and out of the ring.
- Exhibitors and handlers will be held responsible for cleaning up after their dogs and maintaining a clean crating and/or grooming area.
- There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closure date or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason for dismissal.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$40 service charge on all returned checks.
- Parents or guardians are solely responsible for their children and are expected to keep them supervised and controlled at all times for their own safety.
- Trail Ridge Kennel Club will not be responsible for loss or damage to any dog exhibited or for the possessions of any exhibitor, whether the result be accident or another cause.
- If, because of riots, civil disturbances, weather or other act beyond the control of the management, it is impossible to open or complete this show, NO refund of entry fees will be made. NO substitutions are allowed.
- For further information on the UKC rules and regulations, please refer to the UKC Website: [www.ukcdogs.com](http://www.ukcdogs.com)  
Rule Link: [www.ukcdogs.com/conformation-forms-rules](http://www.ukcdogs.com/conformation-forms-rules)

***Thank you for supporting the Mother's Day Classic!***