Dandie Dinmont Terrier Club of America

2025 NATIONAL SPECIALTY WEEK

MAY 29 - JUNE 2, 2025 - PURINA



Welcome to Dandie Week 2025. Your show committee has planned an exciting Dandie experience for everyone from "newbies to the breed" to "veterans". Please take a few minutes to review the schedule of events and pay close attention to deadlines, ordering Instructions and contact information for all questions.

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ACTIVITIES AND DEADLINES		
DEADLINES	ACTIVITIES	
05/15/2025	Trophy Fund Support and Contributions	
05/10/2025	Reservations for Specialty Banquet & Silent Auction on May 31 Order forms in this booklet and in the Store at https://www.ddtca.org	
Deadline in PL	Catalog Advertising - See Premium List for Catalog Advertising Form and submission rules	
Deadline in PL	RV/Camper Reservations - see Premium List for Reservation Form and other details	
05/14/2025	ENTRIES CLOSE - PREMIUM LISTS and Entry Information:	
	Superintendent: Foy Trent Dog Shows, LLC	
	116 N Ogden, Sturgeon, MO 65284	
	Website: www.foytrentdogshows.com	
	Shows:	
	Thursday, May 29 - Gateway Terrier Association	
	Friday, May 30 - Mississippi Valley KC-Lakes Region Specialty	
	Saturday, May 31 - Mississippi Valley KC - National Specialty	
	Sunday, June 1 - Missouri Rhineland KC- MidAmerica Region Specialty	
	Monday, June 2 - Missouri Rhineland KC	
	Location: Purina Farms-Purina Event Center	
	500 William Danforth Way	
	Gray Summit, MO 63039	

NOTE: Grooming Reservations by MAIL only. See Premium List for first date to submit, form and grooming area rules.

05/31/2025	SPECIAL EVENT: Versatile Dandie Recognition Parade! Check with DDTCA Show Committee for details, time and location!	
05/30/2025	EYE CLINIC and Blood Draw - Free to all Dandie Dinmont Terriers!	
	Advanced registration requested - Log into OFA Online to register	
	Questions- D'Arcy Downs-Vollbracht: darcy@dvmlawfirm.com	
	Or 928-716-7191.	

	ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES and DEADLINES	
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05/31/2025	Breeder Education Seminar - Betty-Anne Stenmark	
	Purina Farms Founders Room; 3:00 p.m. Advanced registration not re	
	quired.	

EVENT DETAILS

SHOW BASICS

The 5 dog shows which make up the 2025 National set of shows will be held at the Purina Event Center. In addition to the Designated National Specialty on Saturday, May 31, the Lakes Region will support a Designated Regional Specialty on Friday, May 30, and the Mid America Region will support a Designated Regional Specialty on Sunday, June 1.

Additional information, Premium List and entry information is available at the Foy Trent website: www.foytrentdogshows.com

NOTE: The Thursday Gateway Terrier Association entry is separate from the Missouri Rhineland KC and Mississippi Valley KC entry form.

Judges: Judges are listed in the premium list. For a quick reference, the breed judges by day are:

- Thursday Louise Leone
- Friday Robert Hutton
- Saturday Sweepstakes: Diane Hanowitz; Breed: Mike McBeth (Canada)
 - **NOTE:** Sweepstakes are for puppies aged 6 months to 18 months; Veterans are 7 years and older at the Saturday National Specialty Show
- Sunday Roslind Kramer
- Monday Wood Wornall

EVENT DETAILS, CONTINUED

TROPHY SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



FIVE STAR SUPPORT: \$200.00, \$175.00 or \$150.00 Level

FOUR STAR SUPPORT: \$125.00, \$100.00 or \$75.00 Level

THREE STAR SUPPORT: \$25.00 or more Level

Go to the Store at www.ddtca.org to support the National STARS!

You may also simply support the 2025 National through an undesignated contribution. That option is also available on the website.

If you prefer to not make your purchase online through the DDTCA Store on our website, you may complete the Order Form in this booklet and mail with a check payable to DDTCA with your STARS category or simply a contribution designation.

All 5, 4 and 3 STAR contributors will receive a special recognition at the Post Show Banquet!

EVENT DETAILS, CONTINUED

HOST HOTEL INFORMATION

Our "home away from home" is the The Holiday Inn at 6 Flags, Allenton Six Flags Road, Eureka, MO. You must call the hotel direct and ask for the DDTCA Group rate.
Tel 636.938.6661

The Board of Governors Meeting on May 29 at 3:00 PM will be held at this hotel. Members are welcome to attend and observe the Board meeting.

Block rate is only available until April 30, 2023.

A list of other area hotels can be found in the cluster Premium LIst

SPECIALTY BANQUET AND SILENT AUCTION

The Specialty Banquet and Silent Auction will be held at the Purina Farms Event Center, Founders Room (second floor) on Saturday, May 31.

Our specialty judges are invited to provide their comments about the entry and the breed in general. If provided, their critiques will be published in M&P. We are planning a relaxing evening of food, drink and conversation with fellow Dandie exhibitors and friends. Best of all, the SILENT AUCTION continues! The cash bar will open at 5:30 p.m. followed by dinner and AUCTION MADNESS at 6:30 p.m. The buffet dinner starts with a Blackberry and Arugula salad, Braised Beef Brisket, Pan Seared Chicken Breast with Classic Mornay sauce, Haricots Vert and Mascarpone Scalloped Potatoes, with a New York Style Cheesecake dessert and coffee or tea. During dinner and the conversations after, the Silent Auction will be in action. Cost is \$50.00 per person.

Questions or special dietary needs, including gluten-free or vegetarian, contact Trisha Smith at 917-595-0662 or profsmith08@gmail.com.

EVENT DETAILS, CONTINUED

SPECIALTY BANQUET AND SILENT AUCTION, CONTINUED

The "Silent Auction" is back! You can help make this event one for the ages! Take inventory-and find treasurers to share with the fancy and help raise funds to support the operations of our club. Donate sale items early and often. To donate, contact Trista Acker, at



<u>Taa0321@gmail.com</u> or telephone 614.203.8522. You may bring your items with you to the Event Center on Saturday after judging, or ship in advance to Trista. If shipping, contact Trista for address information. If bringing items, please notify us! We need to organize the tables' content prior to the auction event!

There may also be a live auction! Come prepared!!

To volunteer to help with set-up and take down of the auction, please contact Trista.

To order dinner and attend this event, complete the order form on the website or mail the order form in this booklet. Note: Reservation deadline is May 15.

BREEDER EDUCATION SEMINAR

Purina Farms Founders Room: 3:00 PM. - Saturday, May 31.

Breeder Education Chair Betty-Anne Stenmark will present the second in a series of in-person discussions for Dandie Dinmont Terrier breeders.

All-Breed OFA/ CAER Eye Clinic hosted by the Dandie Dinmont Terrier Club of America

Friday, May 30, 2025

- Eye exams are performed for NO FEE for Dandie Dinmont Terriers thanks to the Dandie Dinmont Terrier Club of America commitment to Health and Genetics.
- Pre registration and confirmed appointments are strongly advised. Attempts to accommodate Walk-ins will based on arrival time to the clinic and availability of the veterinary Ophthalmologist. Book your exam at www.ofa.org. Questions: Contact D'Arcy Downs-Vollbracht at darcy@dvmlawfirm.com or at 928-716-7191.

ORDER FORM TO MAIL OR GO TO http://www.ddtca.org TO ORDER ONLINE

SHOOT FOR THE STARS SUPPORT LEVEL	AMOUNT: #
Specialty Banquet Buffet and Silent Auction Number of dinners ordered @ \$50.00 per dinner	Amount \$
Summary: Total Enclosed for all items above:	TOTAL: \$
OR order on-line at www.ddtca.org	
Name:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Email:	Tel:

Mail to: Trista Acker, DDTCA Treasurer, 11215 McBride Road, Marysville, OH 43040

We recommend on-line ordering! Save time and postage!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE 2025 DDTCA NATIONAL SPECIALTY

