National Event Bid Form

The National Events Committee is seeking applications to co-host our future National Events. Please complete the following form and enclose photos and descriptions of stadium, practice facilities, tracking fields, and practice tracking facilities if applicable. Also, be prepared to present your bid to the General Board Meeting.

| USCA-GSD National Championship, <u>USCA's Working Dog Championship</u> , | |
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| USCA Sieger Show and USCA National Show | |
| Proposed Dates | 9-11 May 2025 |
| Co-Host club(s) | Flint Hills Working Dogs with cooperation from all clubs in Mid Central Region |
| Officers of Co-Host club(s) | President-Paige Ayling V President - Danny Petersen Secretary - Peggy Shaver Treasure - Scott Weddle Training Director - Robin Ayling SGT of Arms - Michael Blair |
| Location (City, State, and Region) | Louisbuirg Kansas Mid Central Region |
| Closest Airport (does it accept 500 size crates?) | MCI - Kansas International, yes 68 miles |
| Past experience in Co-hosting regional and national events | Mid Central Regionals 2022 Mid Central Region Confirmation Show 8 Regional Training Days |
| Approximate weather conditions (average daily temperatures) for the trial dates | 73 degrees to 50 degrees |
| Host Hotel options | Drury Inn plus 18 name brands 25 min Overland Park,Ks |
| Contact Information for Applicant Please include e-mail address | Robin Ayling - 910 257 7885 Robin.M.Ayling@Gmail.com |
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Please add photo and description of stadium, practice facilities, description of tracking fields and practice tracking. Photos are a plus.

Submit your bid package to:

National Events Committee (emails are on the USCA website)

Louisburg, KS, is the symbol of American values and hometown feelings located in the heartlands with an old time feel to the town and people, though close enough to a major metropolitan that all modern day conveniences, restaurants, shopping ect.. are only a skip away (25 minutes). Local Timber Creek Event Center can accommodate over 500 people for draw night or numerous wineries in the area that also hold large events plus a brewery all within 15 minutes of stadium area.

Louisburg is a city in Miami County, Kansas, United States and is part of the Kansas City metropolitan area. [5] As of the 2010 census, the city population was 4,315.[6]

The closest international airport is Kansas City (MCI) located 62 miles away or 58 minutes Other major airports

Wichita, KS - 160 miles or 2hr 05 minutes

Omaha, NE - 205 miles or 3hr 15 minutes

St Louis, MO - 281 miles or 4hrs 25 minutes

Overland Park, Kansas - a major city is 22 miles away 25 minutes by car



Numerous name brand hotels located in Overland Park – Drury Inn & Suites (potential host hotel) – Hilton, Comfort Inn and Suites, Best Western, Marriott, plus Motel 6, Motel 8 Red Roof etc.. all located in same area approx 25 minutes. Plus numerous other hotels within 18-22 minutes of venue in smaller adjacent towns

Proposed site for USCA WORKING DOGS COMPETITION & FH CHAMPIONSHIP is the youth soccer complex or flag football field (more conducive for the WDC due to privacy)— multi sport area,

Lewis-Young Park is a 200+ acre expansive parkland with soccer, baseball, softball and flag football fields with wooded trails, shelters, BBQ grills, a fishing lake, playground, restrooms and open field areas that can accommodate the smallest or largest of events.

The park has primitive trails although some are more easily defined than others

The park is also home to the spectacular Powell Observatory that is operated with national acclaim by the Astronomical Society of Kansas City. The main entrance of the park is located at 26600 Jingo Road, one mile north of 271st Street

Tracking will be approx. 15 minutes away (town of Paola) from soccer complex fescue approx 6-8 long sod managed farm 310 acres for WDC (same fields at Mid Central 2019 Regionals)

FH Championship will be Brome Hay 125 acres, approximately 20-25 minutes away from Stadium









Parking lot 500 plus vehicles



Soccer Fields w lights





Restrooms (will need additional)



Practice fields





Google Earth Snapshot of Flag Football field





Grilling/Play area



Bleachers Parks & Rec will move at no charge to where needed



Fescue tracking fields in Oct