



**ARC Regional Specialty Coordinator
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ARC REGIONAL SPECIALTY APPLICATION: REGION # _____

Please type or print clearly. Application must be completed in its entirety and submitted to the ARC Regional Specialty Coordinator with required documentation **. All attachments should be identified with Host Club's name. Please keep a copy for your records.

Name of Club: _____

Secretary: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

Secretary's Address: _____

President: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

The United States is divided into 8 regions for the purpose of holding ARC Regional Specialties:

- REGION I: Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming.
- REGION II: Indiana, Michigan, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania.
- REGION III: Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas.
- REGION IV: Delaware, Kentucky, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia.
- REGION V: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, Vermont.
- REGION VI: Alaska, California, Hawaii.
- REGION VII: Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin.
- REGION VIII: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi.

Any club listed in the ARC Local Club list is eligible to host an ARC Regional Specialty. Regional Specialties may be held in conjunction with an All-breed Kennel Club Show or a Specialty Cluster or they may be held independently. To host an Independent Regional, each club will be considered individually based on its own merits and the past history of the club and its members of putting on large AKC shows. Regional Specialties will be approved no more than 2 years in advance.

For an Independent Regional Specialty the Show Chairman and at least 2 other Committee Chairmen are required to be members of the American Rottweiler Club; however, it is preferred that all Committee Chairmen be ARC members. For a Regional Specialty, held in conjunction with an All-breed Kennel Club Show or a Specialty Cluster, the Show Chairmen and at least 1 member of the Host Club are required to be members of the American Rottweiler Club.

There will be no limit on how many of each of the following type event may be held in each Region during a calendar year: Conformation; Puppy Sweepstakes; Veteran Sweepstakes; Junior Handling; Obedience; Rally; Agility; Carting; Tracking. Back-to-back events will be considered as a single event. Events of the same type within a region must be at least 2 months apart and/or 500 miles apart, with one exception: any regional event in the same region hosting the National Specialty must be held at least 3 months before or after that National.

AKC only allows ARC to hold 8 Agility and 8 Herding events each year, including those held at the ARC National. Once it is established how many Trials/Tests will be offered at the National, the remaining number of events will be offered on a "first-come first-served basis" to any club wanting to host an ARC Regional Agility Trial and/or Herding Test/Trial. Should requests exceed the number available, preference will be given to a club from a region that has not already hosted one during that particular year.

Sweepstakes Judges must come from the ARC approved list. A Sweepstakes Judge Application is available at www.amrottclub.org.

**** All applications must include a current Host Club membership list; those for Independent Regional Specialties must also include a copy of the judges' contracts the Host Club is intending to use. No Regional Specialty Application will be submitted to the Board by the ARC Regional Specialty Coordinator until it has complete and accurate information.**

ARC will provide \$50 per event (1 in each category) towards trophies: Conformation; Puppy Sweepstakes; Veteran Sweepstakes; Obedience; Rally; Agility; Herding; Carting, Tracking and/or Junior Showmanship. However, back-to-back events will be considered as a single event. (Example: Day 1 Regional: Regular Conformation, Puppy Sweepstakes, Obedience; Day 2 Regional: Puppy Sweepstakes, Carting. Club will receive \$200 toward trophies: \$50 for Conformation; \$50 for back-to-back Puppy Sweepstakes; \$50 for Obedience and \$50 for Carting.) Credit must be given to ARC in both the Premium List and Catalog for this donation. This money will automatically be sent to the Host Club by the ARC Treasurer after the ARC Board approves the Regional. If for some reason the Regional was not held, the Host Club would be required to return the funds to ARC.

Please check one: Independent Event Conjunction with All-Breed Show Conjunction with a Specialty Cluster

Check all that apply: Conformation Puppy Sweepstakes Veteran Sweepstakes Junior Showmanship
Obedience Rally Agility Carting Herding Tracking

Show Chairman: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

Chairman's Address: _____

Date(s) of Show: _____ Indoors Outdoors

Location of Show: _____

Superintendent or Show Secretary: _____

Superintendent's/Secretary's Address: _____

This section must be completed if event is to be held in conjunction with an All-breed Show or as part of a Specialty Cluster.

All-Breed Club Providing Show or Name of Specialty Cluster: _____

All-Breed Club Event Number: _____ Is this show currently being supported by another Rottweiler Club? Yes No

Please complete a section for each venue:

Venue: _____ Date: _____

Judge: _____

Other information if different from Main Show; e.g. location; Superintendent/Secretary: _____

Venue: _____ Date: _____

Judge: _____

Other information if different from Main Show; e.g. location; Superintendent/Secretary: _____

Do you plan to provide any other events; e.g. dinner, health clinics, educational event, demonstrations, etc.? If so, please list: _____

Club President

Date

Club Secretary

Date

Application Approved by ARC BOD: _____

Venue: _____ Date: _____
Judge: _____
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