

**2024
PLANNING BOOK**

“It’s a Formal Affair”



Yorkshire Terrier Club of America 2024 National Specialty

The Yorkshire Terrier Club of America, Inc. invites you to join in the festivities at the 2024 "RUN FOR THE ROSES" Specialty, starting August 8, 2024. The Specialty will be held in conjunction with the OVYTC and offers three shows at the same location featuring three Sweepstake events and three Conformation events at the host hotel. The information in this Planning Booklet will guide you through the scheduled events and provide you with information on all activities of the Specialty

1 YTCA NATIONAL SHOW 1 YTCA REGIONAL SPECIALTY SHOW & 1 OVYTC Regional Show

**AUGUST 8-10, 2024
3 Conformation shows in 3 days**

**HOLIDAY INN EAST – Louisville KY
1325 S Hurstbourne Pkwy
Louisville KY 40222
877.859.5095**



TENTATIVE DAILY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



**All 3 Yorkie Specialties will be held at
Holiday Inn East - Louisville
1325 S Hurstbourne Pkwy
Louisville, KY 40222**

**Wednesday, August 7, 2024
OVYTC Reception/Hospitality 4-5:30 PM**

**Thursday, August 8, 2024
YTCA 2024 Sweepstakes
YTCA 2024 Regular Classes
YTCA JUDGES EDUCATION - DERBY ROOM 8-10 AM AND 3-4 PM
YTCA NEW EXHIBITOR SEMINAR – DERBY ROOM 4-6 PM
YTCA Annual Meeting 6:30 PM Followed by YTCA Awards Ceremony**

**Friday, August 9, 2024
OVYTC Sweepstakes
OVYTC Regular Classes
6:30 PM FIRST EVER YTCA TOP TWENTY AND LIVE AUCTION FOLLOWED BY
BANQUET DINNER**



**Saturday, August 10, 2024
YTCA Regional Specialty Sweepstakes
YTCA Regional Specialty Regular classes**



Yorkie Conformation Superintendent

Postal
Jack Onofrio Dog Shows, LLC
PO Box 25764
Oklahoma City, OK 73125-0764
Overnight Delivery
Jack Onofrio Dog Shows, LLC
3401 NE 23rd St
Oklahoma City, OK 73121-2447

**Indoors * Unbenched * American Kennel Club Member
Show Hours: 7:00AM – 10:00 PM each day**

CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules & regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

Specialty Chairs

YTCA Roving Chair –Mr. Dave King, Dmking60@att.net
662.643.5888

OVYTC Chair – Ms. Kathy Vance kathleenvance25@icloud.com
502.316.5765

Entry Deadlines

Conformation July 24, 2024

Dates to Remember

Pre-Registration/Dinner reservation July 10, 2024
Hotel Reservations (Group Rate) July 1, 2024

RV Parking Reservations **RV Options**



RV PARKING - There are no electric hook ups. There are no water hook ups.

****There will be no additional charge to park your RV in Hotels Parking Lot if guest has a room in their name & staying in the hotel.** At check in, guests should convey to the Front Desk they have their RV in the lot. They will be given a Parking Permit to put on the inside of their windshield when they check into their room. The Permit will list the days of the stay.

****If staying in an RV in the Hotels Parking Lot; but you have no room; the charge is \$129.00 per day.** Guests would go to the Front Desk & pay the per day fee. They would then be given a Parking Permit listing the days of the stay. This Permit should be displayed on the inside of the windshield.

****The hotel is comfortable, allowing up to TEN RVs.**

****The parking area for the RVs would be on the Convention side of the Hotel along the grassy area. That grassy area is a designated walking area for dogs.**

****There is also a grassy area that is a designated walking area for dogs in front of the hotel.**

Yorkshire Terrier Club of America 2024 National Specialty

Judging Panel

YTCA 2024 National Sweepstakes
YTCA 2024 National Regular Classes
OYTC 2024 Regional Sweepstakes
OYTC 2024 Regional Regular Classes
YTCA 2024 Specialty Sweepstakes
YTCA 2024 Specialty Regular Classes

Ms. Molly Speckhardt
Mr. Rodney R Merry
Ms. Jody Paquette
Mr. David J Johnson
Ms. Teresa Bell
Mr. Mark Lucas



Host Hotel

Holiday Inn East Louisville
1325 S Hurstbourne Pkwy
Louisville, KY 40222
502.426.2600



Guest Room Rates

Hotel confirms the following rates:

Single Occupancy \$129
Double Occupancy \$129

Triple Occupancy \$129
Quadruple Occupancy \$129

Room rates are quoted exclusive of applicable state and local taxes. Premium and suite upgrades may be available for an additional fee, based on availability. One time pet fee for up to 4 dogs per guest room is \$80.

Reservation Method:

Hotel recommends Holiday Inn's customized web link. This link is provided below.

Master Block:

[Yorkshire Terrier Club of America](#)

Cut – Off Date:

The Cut-Off Date is 7/1/24. After the Cut Off Date, all rooms within our contracted Block that have not been reserved will be returned to the Hotel's general inventory. Reservation requests received after the cut—off Date will be based on availability at hotel's prevailing rates. Rooms at the discounted rate after Monday July 1, 2024 are not available.

THIS IS A NON-SMOKING HOTEL!

PLEASE PLAN TO STAY AT OUR HOST HOTEL TO HELP DEFER SOME OF THE COST OF THE BALLROOM. Each Night Counts!

YOU ARE CORDIALLY
INVITED TO
THE
2024 YORKSHIRE TERRIER CLUB OF AMERICA

Top 20

IT'S A
Formal Affair

THE EVENING OF
FRIDAY AUG 9

PLEASE JOIN US AT THE
BANQUET DINNER
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE EVENT

DONATE NOW

DONATIONS ARE ACCEPTED THRU PAYPAL
OR MAILED TO GLORIA LYON, ARLINGTON, WA

ENTRY FEE IS *\$125* EXHIBITION ONLY
CUT DOWN CLASS *\$100*

Entry info ytcatoptwenty@gmail.com

For More Information: mollyspeckhardt@gmail.com

Housekeeping

We ask all exhibitors to be diligent in keeping their rooms neat and clean and to be gracious to hotel staff and management. The show committee will be in daily contact with the housekeeping staff to monitor situations which require intervention. Participants who do not comply with hotel and show site rules will be required to leave the premises. The Board of Directors of the Yorkshire Terrier Club of America will act as liaison for the hotel and be called upon to investigate any complaints. A report that an exhibitor at this show has abused ANY hotel OR off-site property during the week may result in disciplinary action.



Airport

SDF (Louisville Muhammed Ali International Airport) www.flylouisville.com is the closest airport. Allegiant, American, Breeze, Delta, Southwest, Spirit, Sun Country and United currently offer flights to this airport. SDF Airport is 12 miles from the Holiday Inn (host hotel). Complimentary Shuttle is not offered to and from the hotel and airport!

Breakfast/Lunch

The Holiday Inn has a full-service restaurant which has a breakfast buffet daily. In addition, they will provide a cook to order quick lunch with basic items such as burgers, hot dogs, salads, etc. at very reasonable prices.



YTCA Annual Membership Meeting Notice

The YTCA annual membership meeting will be held at 6:30 PM on Thursday, August 8 in the Holiday Inn Atrium.

After Hours Emergency Veterinarian

Metropolitan Veterinarian Clinic and Emergency Service

11800 Capital Way
Louisville, KY 40299

502.266.7007 24 HOURS DAILY



Medical Emergency

These steps are to be followed in the event a guest is taken ill or injured:

1. Guests should be directed to University of Louisville Hospital, 530 South Jackson St, Louisville, KY 40202. Phone is 502.562.3000.
2. In an emergency situation, such as a heart attack, drowning or fall, the victim should be responded to in an appropriate manner administer CPR (if certified) and an ambulance should be called by dialing 911.

3. Try to notify next of kin or a friend traveling with the group.

Disaster Evacuation Procedures

1. In the case of a severe weather storm or other instances not including a fire evacuation, leave your room immediately and head for the nearest stairwell. **DO NOT USE THE ELEVATORS.**
2. Go to the lowest level of the hotel and wait for further instructions.
3. Do not stand near any windows.
4. Utilize the same system for removing your dogs from the room (a large pillowcase) unless you are able to carry the crate with you. Take your room key.
5. Follow instructions from hotel management and/or fire and police personnel.

Dog Evacuation Procedures

1. In the case of a fire or other evacuation, have a king size pillowcase nearby. Place as many dogs as possible in the pillowcase and twist the top. This will enable you to carry them out of the building safely. There is no chance of suffocation to the dogs inside the case.
2. It's a good idea to keep a few leads inside the case. When you reach the outside, you have some way to keep control of the animals.
3. Do not endanger your life or the lives of others in your room by spending time searching for your dogs. If they are properly penned or crated, you should be able to gather them quickly and easily.

Public Education

Assorted informational pamphlets and handouts will be available along with AKC brochures. The Illustrated Discussion of the Yorkshire Terrier and Heritage II will also be available for purchase.



Show Photographer

Kris Johnson

502.523.1343

kris@animalartdesign.com

<http://www.picsbykris.com>

Yorkshire Terrier Club of America Officers and Directors

President	Cheryl Rangel
Vice President	Robbe Lyon
Treasurer	Tim Messersmith
Secretary	Matina E Johnson
Directors	R Klein, Peggy Gregson, Lauren Galia, Judy Marksbury, and Neil Feerrar
AKC Delegate	Pamela Langstein

Who's Who at the Louisville, KY Yorkie Specialties

YTCA Show Chairman	Robbe Lyon
YTCA Roving Chairman	Dave King
YTCA Treasurer	Tim Messersmith
YTCA Show Treasurer	Tim Messersmith
OVYTC Show Chair	Bob Owens
YTCA Hospitality	Judy Marksbury and Kristi Jacobs
Official Photographer	Kris Johnson
Vendor Chair	Dave & Barb King
Ring Steward	Carol Pyrkosz
OVYTC Trophies	Anna Stringer
YTCA Trophies	Robbe Lyon
Live Auction at Dinner	Roz May



YTCA Roving Dinner – Friday August 9, 2024
“Run for the Roses”
for a night of food, fun, auction and Yorkie Talk!

Pre-Registration and Order Form
Deadline: 7/10/24

Please **print clearly** when completing this form so your order can be processed without delays.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Where will you be staying?

_____ I will be staying at the Holiday Inn East

_____ I will be staying at another hotel

_____ I will be commuting

“Run for the Roses” Yorkie Dinner Reservations:

	QTY	Amount
YTCA Buffet Dinner Reservations \$ 65 per person	_____	_____

Join us for a night of food, fun, auction and Yorkie Talk –Friday, August 9, 2024
YTCA Top Twenty followed by
YTCA Banquet Dinner and Live Auction

Make check payable to YTCA
Send reservation to Tim Messersmith
261 Tudor Road
Columbia, SC 29210

THINGS TO DO IN LOUISVILLE

Things to do:

Louisville Slugger Field

milb.com/louisville

Louisville Slugger Bat Factory

sluggermuseum.com

The Belle of Louisville

belloflouisville.org

Churchill Downs

Churchilldowns.com

Bourbon tours:

Rabbit Hole Distillery

Rabbitholedistillery.com

Angels Envy Distillery

Angelsenvy.com

Evan Williams Bourbon Experience

Evanwilliams.com

Shopping:

NuLu District

Gotolouisville.com/neighborhoods/nulu

Work the Metal

Workthemetals.com

For More information, please contact Judy Marksbury. 502.609.4483