

ASC of Michigan 2025 Overall Versatility Circuit

** This is the Versatility competition for those that are eligible for ASCA Conformation events.

**Stock scores count for the final tally of scores but is not required for qualification or eligibility for awards.

Cumulative conformation, performance & stockdog qualifying scores will be collected and tallied from ASC of MI stand-alone event weekends.

February Scentwork/Rally 4th of July Labor Day Farm Trial Memorial Day

Qualifying events:

Conformation: Regular classes (Altered/Intact) Junior Showmanship

Obedience Rally Scent Detection

Farm Trials Arena Trials***

***Stockdog arena trial scores only accepted from the 3 Sheep's to the Wind stock trial.

Entry Fees:

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ASC of Michigan Members: \$40 Non-Members: \$50

Juniors Entry fee: \$15

**Entry Fees are a one-time expense

**** Competitors are allowed to enter and compete for both the Overall Performance and the Overall Versatility Circuit categories (but if entering both, entry fee must be paid for both)**

Definitions:

Q Points- Static number of points awarded for a "qualifying score

Score Points- A variable number of points based on the actual score received by the dog compared to the score necessary to qualify in that event, at that level.

Ties- ties for awarding the 2025 Versatility Circuit winner and placements will be broken using the highest combined Stockdog score.

Bitches in Season: Will be accommodated according to regular ASCA program rules. No special provision provided.

Awards:

Rosettes will be given for each participant.

Qualifying tab will be given to each qualifying participant.

Special awards: Overall Versatility Dog, Reserve Overall Versatility Dog, Overall Versatility Junior

**No placements will be given

"Conformation" Evals

*Performed by at least 3 separate judges and will require a separate entry form.

(1 Conformation judge, 1 Performance judge & 1 Stockdog judge), scheduled at pre-selected ASC of Michigan shows/trials.

**Evaluation scores will be cumulative (limit 3 evaluation scores will be used- 1 from each judge "type". Should more than 3 evaluations per dog be completed, the the score will be taken according to the highest eval score of each "programs judge" will be used in the figuring of the cumulative score)

**Only 1 Eval total needs to be completed to be eligible for Versatility Circuit Qualification

***Evaluations will not be placed and no awards given.

Obedience & Rally Performance Scores

Qualifying scores will only be tallied from Obedience & Rally A & B classes only.

**Qualifying scores from C classes will only be awarded a total of 10 points. No Q or Score points will be awarded.

Obedience:

*Q points will be awarded for Qualifying scores.

** Qualifying scores from C classes will only be awarded 10 pt scores. No Q or Score points will be awarded.

*Score points will be awarded by subtracting 170 from the actual score the dog received in competition.

The difference will be the score awarded to the dog.

Utility= 70 Q points + actual score – 170 points

Open (CDX/ODX)= 55 Q points + Actual Score – 170 points

Novice= 40 Q points + Actual score – 170 points

Rally

*Scores from the A or B classes will be awarded.

** Qualifying scores from C classes will only be awarded 10 pt scores. No Q or Score points will be awarded.

*Q points will be awarded to the dog for a qualifying score.

*Score points will be awarded by subtracting 170 points from the actual score the dog received in competition. The difference will be the score points awarded to the dog.

Masters= 50 Q points + actual score – 170 points

Excellent= 35 Q points + actual score – 170 points

Advanced=20 Q points + actual score - 170 points

Novice= 10 Q points + actual score – 170 points

***If a dog is competing in Utility/Open or Masters/Excellent the second qualifying score will only be awarded score points only.

Bitches in Season: Will be accommodated according to regular ASCA program rules. No special provision provided.

Scent Detection

Pass = 50 points for each class "Pass"

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Conformation

While conformation evals are required to qualify, Conformation class entry & major wins will also earn points towards the final tally of a team's score.

Entry in a regular conformation class = 40 points.

Winners Dog/Winners Bitch/Reserve Best Junior=75 points

Best of Winners=80 points

Best of Breed/Best Opposite Sex/Best Junior= 100 points

*Points from the highest level attained (not accumulating) will be used in scoring.

Stock

The dog will receive Q points for all qualifying scores received in stock.

Score points will be tabulated by taking the dogs actual score and subtracting either 69 (Started) points or 88 (Open/Advanced) points to arrive at the number of points earned above the necessary Q level.

Points will be computed as follows:

Arena Trials:

Advanced Q= 50 points + Score – 88

Open Q= 35 points + Score - 88

Started Q= 20 points + Score – 69

Farm Trials:

Advanced= 100 points + Actual score – 91 points

Open= 75 points + Actual score – 91 points

Awards ceremony will be held at the ASC of Michigan's Labor Day show weekend on Sunday late afternoon/evening after all events have been completed.

**Shipping of awards will be available for those not present, at the competitors expense.

The following ASCA events will not count towards point accumulation for the 2025 competition year: Agility, Dock Diving, Tracking

**ASC of Michigan is a small club that historically has not frequently hosted these events. This may change in the future, but for the sake of the 2025 competition year, these events will not be included.