



## Canine Performance Events

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### Canine Performance Events 2020 National Event

Dear CPE Members, Host Clubs and Judges,

It was very difficult that we had to make the determination to cancel the CPE 2020 National Event, August 26-28, 2020.

The CPE National Event is not just a large competition held each year, it is a celebration of all that is CPE and the people and dogs who make up this wonderful organization. Nationals is the comradery, the cheering for every team partnering together when they enter the ring. It is watching those young teams and the veterans all performing amongst friends, some may have just met that day and others that have been known for many years. It is wandering the vendors, the morning briefings, hanging out in the campground with friends or joining a group for dinner at a local establishment.

With all of the current restrictions in place across the world, the CPE Nationals Event would not be what we have come to expect. For these and many other reasons we feel it is best to cancel the 2020 National Event and postpone the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of CPE Nationals until we can gather safely, openly and in a way that we have grown accustomed to at a CPE National Event. We know there will be some disappointed by this news each with their own personal reasons and we do feel for you as we are also.

We feel that we cannot reschedule to the previously considered October 2020 dates. The two earlier weekends were going to be shared with horse shows, and we would not have had the main arena, nor stalls. In looking at weather history, the last weekend in October had a higher rate of whether or not we could comfortably take a chance on the weather.

The exhibitors currently entered for the 2020 CPE National Event will be receiving an email from Krista Anthony, the trial secretary, which will explain your options going forward. The emails will be going out Monday, June 22, 2020. Please do not email Krista until at least Tuesday, June 23, 2020 as she can only send so many emails per hour to avoid being labeled as "spam".

Please email Krista Anthony, [krista@cpe.dog](mailto:krista@cpe.dog), with any CPE National Event questions.

Thank you for your understanding and support, and we hope to see you in Perry Georgia, May 14-16, 2021, which will now be the 20<sup>th</sup> Nationals Anniversary!

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