

Recommendation for 2026 ABGA Judges Certification School:

Date: October 23-25, 2026

Location: Horse Cave, Kentucky

Trainer Judges:

Terry Burks (year 2)

Bailey Bergherm (year 2)

Justin Burns (year 2)

Olivia Rush (year 1)

(Alternate) Chris Fleming (year 1)

Potential Schedule:

Friday (after lunch)

- welcome
- overview of certification program
- review of breed standards
- take **written exam**

Saturday

- Practice Classes
- Lunch
- Practice Classes
- Practice DQ's
- DQ Class**
- Potential Judging Classes**

Sunday

- Practice Classes
- Judging Classes**
- Oral Reasons**
- Lunch
- Announcement of Results
- Closing Comments