

AgileDogs Agility Training
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EVENTS

SANCTIONED AGILITY
TRIAL

PREMIUM LIST

Event Date: March 17-18, 2007

Classes Offered:

Saturday, March 17th: Standard, Jackpot, Wildcard, Colors

Sunday, March 18th: Standard, Snooker, FullHouse, Jumpers

Location:

ASCO Farms, 75 Harris Rd, Chatham Center, NY

This event will be held indoors on dirt in 2 enclosed rings

Judges:

Dorris Wigglesworth, Pollock Pines, CA

Trisha Stall, New Lebanon, NY

Opening Date:

Tuesday, February 6th, 2007 (POSTMARK DATE)

(Entries postmarked before 2/6 will be held until Day 1 & 2 entries have been processed)
NOTE: if trial fills on first postmark date, volunteers get first preference; if it still is full, we will wait 7 days for all 1st day postmarked entries to arrive and then will do a random draw

Closing Date:

March 5, 2007; deadline for move-ups: 6 PM March 12th, 2007

Show Entry Limits:

650 runs per day

AGILITY TRIAL COMMITTEE

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CONTACT CPE FOR MEMBERSHIP INFO:

www.k9cpe.com

TRIAL WEBSITE:

www.agiledogs.net/trials.htm

**JUDGES: Dorris Wigglesworth, Pollock Pines, CA
Trisha Stall, New Lebanon, NY**

NOTE: Class order and judge's assigned classes
subject to change

MEASURING & CHECK IN

Saturday: 7:00 am; General Briefing at 7:45 am

Sunday: 7:15am to 7:30am

THERE WILL BE NO MEASURING OF DOGS AFTER
JUDGE'S BRIEFING BEGINS– ALL DOGS WITHOUT A PERMANENT CARD MUST BE MEASURED BEFORE THE JUDGE'S
BRIEFING TO SHOW THAT DAY – THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS

Saturday, March 17 (Heights 4"–24")	
Ring 1 - Dorris Levels C-1 Standard Wildcard	Ring 2 – Trisha Levels 1-C Jackpot Colors
Sunday, March 18 (Heights 24"–4")	
Ring 1 - Dorris Levels C-1 Snooker Jumpers	Ring 2 – Trisha Levels 1-C FullHouse Standard

ENTRY ELIGIBILITY

Any trained, healthy dog 15 months or older may compete in a CPE agility trial. All purebred and mixed-breeds are equally eligible for entry. Bitches in season or any dogs who are blind, lame or aggressive towards people or other animals are not eligible to compete.

OBSTACLES: The following obstacles shall be used. Obstacle specifications shall meet the current CPE obstacle requirements.

A-Frame	Closed Tunnel	Tire Jump	Seesaw	Table (in Games)
Dog Walk (8' planks)	Open Tunnel	Weave Poles	Other Jumps/Hurdles	

PRIZES AND AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th place for all classes. Rosettes will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score, and Jr. Handlers in Standard. Dogs with a NT (no time) are not eligible for any ribbons. Dogs getting a new title will receive a title rosette.

We will be awarding a special prize to each team having a perfect weekend (all Q's). This is to recognize those teams who embody the CPE philosophy of consistency. Good luck to all!

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- ✓ The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.
- ✓ Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the show committee. A refund of all but \$5 will be given for bitches in season. A letter from your veterinarian is required.
- ✓ It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dog(s) and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dog(s) and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the show committee, be asked to leave the show site. In that case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.
- ✓ No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- ✓ Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials.
- ✓ Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show.
- ✓ There will probably be a food vendor and photographer on site; we will provide more information in the trial confirmation letter.
- ✓ Both rings will be enclosed with 4' high snow fencing.
- ✓ The show site is a horse farm – please respect the privacy of the owners and of the horses on site. Do not let your dog off-leash except in designated areas.
- ✓ All indoor crating will be in the small arena. Competitors may setup crating after 6:45 AM on Saturday, March 17, 2007.
- ✓ Emergency Veterinary Services: Chatham Small Animal Hospital, 4042 Route 203, North Chatham, (518) 766-4600; Wood Hill Veterinary Clinic, 650 Route 295, Old Chatham, (518) 392-6224.

HOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS

SOME HOTEL COURTESIES TO OBSERVE: We want to keep all of these wonderful hotels for future trials, so please use care with your dogs in these motels! Mention the Agility Show for the special rates listed below.

- ✓ Cover the motel's bedding with a sheet, whether or not you think your dog will get on the bed.
- ✓ Make every effort to have your dog free of fleas BEFORE arriving
- ✓ Of course, as is standard agility procedure, the dog's handler/owner will pick up all poop. Please bag and dispose of it properly. Remember that your motel is an extension of the show site. You must clean up after your dog.
- ✓ Don't leave your dog(s) unattended. If you must leave, either take them with you, or leave them crated. Even the best dogs(s) can get carried away having fun in a motel room without you present. We WILL request reports from the motels as to the behavior of agility guest and their dogs. Please be respectful of your motel neighbors.

(Columbia County Lodging Assn. Hotline: (518) 822-8218 or (800) 558-8218 reports current availability.)

- ♦ **1805 House:** 775 Snyder Town Rd. (off Taconic), Claverack. Phone: (518) 851-3327. Small dogs. Rates: \$125/couple. . Private bath and jacuzzi. Pastoral setting. Full breakfast. 20 minutes to site. www.1805house.com
- ♦ **Berkshire Spur Motel:** 12703 Route 22, Canaan (I-90 Exit B-3). Phone: (518) 781-4432. \$69/1queen, \$79/2 doubles, \$89/2 queens (single or double occupancy). \$10 each additional person. \$5/dog/day. Microwave, fridge, hair dryer, iron, TV. 20 minutes to site.
- ♦ **Best Value Inn:** 576 Columbia Tpke., East Greenbush. Phone: (518) 477-9352. Rates: \$ 107.99/double; (2 double beds or 1 king). \$5 each additional person. 25 minutes to site. www.bestvalueinn.com
- ♦ **Chatham Travel Lodge:** 598 Route 295, Chatham. Phone: (518) 392-4066. Rates: All queen beds, single or double occupancy: \$79/1bed, \$99/2 beds, \$99/Studio, \$119/Efficiency, \$15/cots. Micro, fridge, coffee makers, hair dryer, full baths, TV, free local phone. Nature trail. 15 minutes to site. www.chathamtravellodge.com
- ♦ **Holiday House:** 2871 Route 23, Hillsdale. Phone: (518) 325-3030. Rates: \$65 for 1 double & 1 single, 1 king, or 2 doubles. \$10/dog/stay. Coffee makers, cable TV. 30 minutes to site. www.holidayhousemotel.com
- ♦ **Kinderhook B&B:** 67 Broad St., Kinderhook (Route 9). Phone: (518) 758-1850. Cottages. Rates: \$89/double occupancy (queen). 15 minutes to site.
- ♦ **Rowdy Garden House:** 545 County Route 26A, Stuyvesant. (0.5 mi. from Rt.9). Phone: (518) 758-6855. Rates: \$79 for 2 twins/queen/queen with jacuzzi; all feather beds and private baths. Rollaway available. Located on a 10 acre horse farm. 15 minutes to site. www.rowdygardenhouse.com
- ♦ **St. Charles:** 16-18 Park Place, Hudson. Phone: (518) 822-9900. Rates for double occupancy: \$ 79/full bed, \$89/queen, \$99/2 full beds, \$109/king. \$10 each additional person. Continental breakfast. Excellent Indian Restaurant. 30 minutes to site. www.stcharleshotel.com
- ♦ **Shaker Meadows B&B:** 14209 Route 22, Canaan. Phone: (518) 794-9385. Rates: Farmhouse with private or shared baths: \$70/single, \$85/double; Suites with LR, full kitchen, TV/VCR, sleeps 4 to 6 in 2 rooms: \$125 for first 2 people, \$15 for each additional person. Continental breakfast. Hiking trails/meadows. 25 minutes to site. www.shakermeadows.com
- ♦ **Shaker Mill Inn:** 40 Cherry Lane, Canaan. (off Rt.22 between Rt.20/295) Phone: (518) 794-9345. Rates (suites): Double occupancy (queen): \$120. Private baths, sauna, fireplace in center of bldg., nature trails. Continental breakfast. 25 minutes to site. www.shakermillinn.com
- ♦ **Spencerhouse B&B:** 466 US Route 20, New Lebanon. Phone: (518) 794-6500. Rates: \$110-\$130 double occupancy. \$25 each additional adult. Private baths. Extended continental breakfast. 20 minutes to site. www.thespencerhouse.com
- ♦ **Yorkshire Motel:** Route 23, Claverack. Phone: (518) 851-7050. Small dogs only. Rates: \$65/single, \$75/2 doubles (up to 3 people). \$5/night/dogs; \$50 security deposit refundable upon checkout. 25 minutes to site.

DIRECTIONS TO TEST SITE

From the North - I-87 (The Northway) South to I-90 East to Exit 12. Turn right onto NY Route 9 South. *Proceed to the traffic light at the intersection of NY Route 9 & NY Route 9H. Bear left onto Route 9 South. Turn left onto Main St.; follow Main St. (it will become County Route 28A). Follow Route 28A approximately 5 miles. Turn left onto Harris Road. ASCO Farms is the second place on the left.

From the South - I-87 NYS Thruway North to Exit 21A toward Boston, to Exit B-1.** After the toll booth bear right and proceed to Exit 12. Bear left on the ramp; turn left onto NYS Route 9 South. Follow above from *.

OR: From the Taconic Parkway turn left on Route 295 to Chatham. Turn right on Route 66 approximately 5 miles then turn left on Harris Rd. ASCO Farms is the second place on the right.

From the East - I-90 (Mass Pike) to NYS Thruway, Exit B-1. Follow above from**.

From the West - I-90 NYS Thruway to Exit 24. After the toll booth proceed east on I-90 to Exit 12. Turn right onto Route 9 South. Follow above from *.

PLEASE READ BEFORE FILLING OUT YOUR ENTRY FORM

Effective February 1, 2007 – Directions on entering CPE trials

Each dog must be entered in **ONE** of the following four height categories for a trial (a trial may be one day or two or more consecutive days):

Regular – the dog will run at its P-card height or higher in the regular level classes.

Veterans – the dog will run at 4" lower than its P-card height, and will run in the regular level classes. The armband number will have a "V" after the number. Veterans will continue to place with their regular P-card height peers in the regular class results postings.

- Any dog that begins showing in CPE on or after February 1, 2007, cannot enter Veterans. The dog MUST enter Enthusiast to jump 4" lower.
- If a dog has been showing in Regular prior to February 1, 2007, that dog may move to Veterans before OR after February 1, 2007.

A veteran dog is one of the following:

- Any dog 6 years or older the day of the trial.
- Any breed exception (see www.k9cpe.com rules page for a list of breeds), 3 years or older the day of the trial.
- Any dog that measures over 24" at any age over 15 months.

Enthusiast – the dog will run at 4" lower than its P-card height (any age over 15 months), and will run in the Enthusiast level classes. The armband number will have a "T" after the number. Will place separately from the other height categories.

Specialist – the dog will run at 8" lower than its P-card height (any age over 15 months), and will run in the Specialist level classes OR level "S". The armband number will have an "S" after the number. Will place separately from the other height categories. Level "S" will place separately from the Specialist - individual level dogs.

- Any dog that begins showing in Specialist on or after February 1, 2007 cannot enter Level "S" Specialist. The dog MUST be entered in the Specialist - individual class levels to jump 8" lower.

P-card: Permanent Card. The height card shows the lowest allowable height a dog may jump in the regular height category. A dog may jump higher than its P-card height in the regular height category only.

- ANY dog without a P-card MUST be measured (including 24" dogs). ANY dog that has turned 2 years old since its last measure MUST be measured.
- If you have a P-card for 8" and your dog's actual measurement is 8" or less, have your dog remeasured at the next show for the regular 4" jump height.
- **If a premium requests you send a copy of your P-card with your entry: PLEASE DO SO!** The club may be using their own trial secretary program, not CPE's, and MUST have your CPE card to ensure your legs are credited to the verified CPE ID number.

Jump heights – no dog will jump lower than 4"

Measurement	Regular (P-card or higher)	Veterans	Enthusiast	Specialist
8" or less	4"	4"	4"	4"
over 8", 12" or less	8"	4"	4"	4"
over 12", 16" or less	12"	8"	8"	4"
over 16", 20" or less	16"	12"	12"	8"
over 20", 24" or less	20"	16"	16"	12"
over 24"	24"	20"	20"	16"

Just starting in CPE? Changing jump height categories? Which level to enter:

When a dog first begins showing in CPE, the handler must decide what level to begin at: Level 1, 2, or 3 in Regular, Enthusiast or Specialist. No dog is allowed to begin higher than level 3.

NOTE: If a dog is entered in one height category at a higher level, and the handler moves the dog to another height category, the dog may begin that height category at a different level. EX: dog is entered in Regular level 3, earns a Q, handler wishes to move to Specialist, the dog is again allowed to begin at level 1, 2, or 3.

Once a dog shows in a specific level within a height category in CPE, the dog cannot be moved to the next higher level for a respective class within that height category, until the requirements have been met for that class. If a dog does NOT receive a Q, at the next show, the handler may choose to restart within that height category at a lower level.

Level 1 – Standard has no teeter or weaves. All games must have teeter and weaves optional if within the design. Games: levels 1 & 2 are always combined. ANY dog AND/OR handler MAY begin in level 1 regardless of training or other agility venue experience.

Level 2 – Standard will have the teeter and weaves. ANY dog AND/OR handler MAY begin in level 2 regardless of training or other agility venue experience.

Level 3 – Games are often combined with the higher levels: level 3 will always receive more time in the faultable classes and is required to obtain fewer points in the point classes. Dogs beginning in CPE level 3 should have other venue trial experience or have earned other agility venue titles.

Levels 4, 5, C – no dog may begin showing in CPE at these levels. For a dog to enter Levels 4, 5 or C in any class, the dog must have completed the previous level's requirements for that class.

Level S – see Specialist above. Dogs entered in level S will run level 3 courses.

There are new tracking forms on the forms page of the website. **It is the handler's responsibility to keep track of records obtained at the shows.** If a leg is missing for any reason, the handler must supply CPE with the details for research. If the details are not known, CPE cannot research the leg.

General CPE rules for entries/show site:

- Dogs must be at least 15 months or older the first day of the trial
- Blind (both eyes), lame, in season or aggressive dogs may not enter the show. The Club may choose to exclude any of the above from the show site.
- Dogs must be registered with CPE prior to the closing date of the trial, or by the trial date for Day Of Show entries. Registration forms are on the Forms page: www.k9cpe.com. Forms MUST be mailed to CPE and are processed 2-3 times per week. CPE ID numbers are emailed to legible email addresses. Forms cannot be emailed or faxed.
- Dogs run without collars.
- Electronic shock collars are not allowed at ANY CPE trial – training or bark.
- Food, toys, training devices (includes fanny packs and leash attachments) are not allowed within 10' feet of the ring. Clickers, training whistles and squeaky toys are not to be used within distraction distance of the ring.
- Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of the class. A warm-up jump shall be provided for all entered dogs. Exhibitors may not use the warm-up area to relieve their dogs.

Questions? See the rules page on the website, www.k9cpe.com or the January 2007 rulebook. If you have further questions, email CPE – cpe@charter.net.

RUN SAFE, HAVE FUN, RUN FAST, RUN CLEAN!

Official CPE Entry Form – Hosted by AgileDogs Agility Training																																	
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DISCLAIMER – MUST BE SENT WITH ENTRY

I / we acknowledge that I am / we are familiar with the current rules applying to CPE Agility Trials. I / we agree that the Host Club holding the Agility Trial has the right to refuse entry for cause which the Host Club shall deem to be sufficient. Upon acceptance of this entry, I / we agree to hold Canine Performance Events, Inc. and its members and officers, this Host Club, its members, directors, officers, agents, show secretary, show chairperson, show committee and the owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties, any sponsors of this event, harmless from any claim or loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog or handler while in or upon the show trial premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I / we further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim or loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether any claim be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the Host Club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I / we hereby assume sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself / ourselves or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my / our participation in the Agility Trial, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

THIS DISCLAIMER MUST BE SIGNED AND INCLUDED FOR A VALID ENTRY

I / we agree to abide by the rules of CPE currently in effect at the time of the trial date. I/we testify that the dog entered is healthy and vaccinated or titered. I/we certify that the dog entered is not dangerous to any person or other dog. By signing below, I/we agree to the disclaimer on this entry form.

Signature – Owner or Parent / Guardian if Minor

Date

Entry form MUST be signed and the Disclaimer MUST be attached for a valid entry

WE'D LOVE YOUR HELP

Sharing your time will help our trial run smoother than ever. We will be having a GREAT RAFFLE to show our appreciation of your help. Each class you work will earn you raffle tickets, and all workers get snacks and lunch—we can use everyone's help—even for a short period. Please volunteer. If you aren't sure how to do a job we'll be happy to train you!

Name: _____

Phone# _____ E-Mail: _____

My dog(s) jump height(s) (circle) 4 8 12 16 20 24

== Circle classes you are competing in Saturday March 17th ==

Standard	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C
Jackpot	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C
Wildcard	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C
Colors	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C

== Circle classes you are competing in Sunday March 18th ==

Standard	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C
Snooker	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C
FullHouse	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C
Jumpers	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3/S	Level 4/5/C



Circle positions for which you would like to volunteer:

Gate Steward	Scribe	Timer	Assistant Scribe	Score/Leash Runner
Bar Setter	Score Table	Course Builder	Setup Friday	Takedown Sunday