

**ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON 8/17/21 at 8:00 a.m.** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON 10/19/21 at 6:00 p.m.** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

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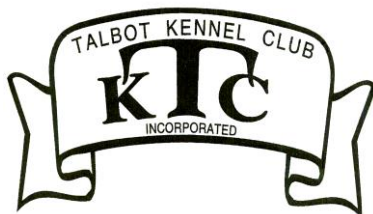
**PREMIUM LIST**

**AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS**

This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs  
Enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners Program <sup>SM</sup>

**TALBOT KENNEL CLUB**

An AKC Member Club



**November 5, 2021** Event # 2021171331

**November 6, 2021** Event # 2021171332

**November 7, 2021** Event # 2021171333

**Heartland Equestrian Center**

**200 Robbins Road**

**Frederica, DE 19946**

**ENTRY LIMITS**

**Friday, Saturday & Sunday** – 350 runs

Indoors on well groomed dirt – not climate controlled: 85 x 106 (2 rings)

**Trial Hours:** Friday, Saturday & Sunday – 7:00am to 7:00pm

Judging will begin at 8:00 a.m.

**\*\*\*Accepting ONLINE ENTRIES through LAB TESTED\*\*\***

**Judge:**

Sherry Jefferson, 671 Locust Avenue, Washington, PA 15301-2860

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**AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB**

**CERTIFICATION**

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary

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**OFFICERS OF THE TALBOT KENNEL CLUB**

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Vice President.....Pam Johnson  
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Recording Secretary.....Sally Kepfer  
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**EVENT COMMITTEE**

Pam Johnson, Marian Shaw, Michael McCloud, Robin Valliant,  
Sylvia Brownlee, Linda Syner, and  
Members of the Talbot Kennel Club

**JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS**

Sherry Jefferson  
671 Locust Avenue  
Washington, PA 15301-2860

Fri.: All Standard, Premier Standard, All JWW, All FAST, and T2B  
Sat: All Standard, All JWW, Premier JWW, ALL FAST, and T2B  
Sun: All Standard, All JWW, All FAST and T2B

**VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

Delmarva Animal Emergency Center, LLC  
1482 E. Lebanon Road  
Dover, DE 19901  
302-697—0850

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

### Fire/Ambulance/Police 911

#### TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER

FRIDAY and SUNDAY <i>(Small to Tall)</i>	SATURDAY <i>(Tall to Small)</i>
MAS / Ex JWW T2B All F.A.S.T. (MAS/Ex, Open, Novice) Mas / Ex Standard Premier Standard (No premier Sunday) Open Standard Novice Stancard Open JWW Novice JWW	MAS / Ex JWW Premier JWW T2B All F.A.S.T. (Ex/Mas, Open, Novice) MAS / Ex Standard Open Standard Novice Standard Open JWW Novice JWW
<b>Briefing at 7:45. Judging begins at 8:00 a.m.</b>	

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

#### HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
26"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion

#### MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

Effective January 1, 2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to Trial Secretaries that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. Furthermore, this change eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with an entry form. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" or 26" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog *before* its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

### **NEW Simplified Jump Height Card Process**

When filling out the entry form, there is a new section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog needs to be officially measured. Please check the appropriate box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include your dog on the *Dogs To Be Measured List*. It is no longer required that you submit a copy of your dog's jump height card with your entry form or show it during day of show check-in.

### **DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER**

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under six months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

### **OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place indoors on well groomed dirt. Ring size will be 85 x 106

Electronic timers will be used in all classes.

### **ENTRY INFORMATION**

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee).....	<b>\$21</b>
Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee).....	<b>\$21</b>
Third entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) .....	<b>\$14</b>
Fourth entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee).....	<b>\$14</b>

If you would like to know the status of your entry prior to the issuance of the judging schedule upon closing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard along with your entry. E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form.

**Mail entry forms and fees to:** Harriett Riter, Trial Secretary, 283 Windsor Avenue, Cape May, NJ 08204. Please make checks payable to Talbot Kennel Club. No entries will be accepted by phone or fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Harriett Riter at [hrriter@gmail.com](mailto:hrriter@gmail.com) . No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. **Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a **\$35** collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

#### **OnLine Entries:**

To enter online, go to [LabTestedOnline.com](http://LabTestedOnline.com). During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries is designated 30% online and 70% paper. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either one accordingly.

## COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, may be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

## RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

<i>First Place</i> .....	<i>Blue</i>
<i>Second Place</i> .....	<i>Red</i>
<i>Third Place</i> .....	<i>Yellow</i>
<i>Fourth Place</i> .....	<i>White</i>
<i>Qualifying Score</i> .....	<i>Dark Green</i>

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. A MACH rosette and decorated MACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH. A PACH rosette and decorated PACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their PACH.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

## MOVE-UP INFORMATION

Move-ups must be submitted in writing to the Trial Secretary for the Friday trial no later than the Monday preceding the trial at 6:00 p.m. (Nov 1). These may be mailed or e-mailed to: Harriett Riter at 7424 Kevin Avenue, Easton, MD 21601 (move-ups only, no entry forms, please to this address), or [hhriter@gmail.com](mailto:hhriter@gmail.com).

Day-to-day move-ups will be allowed between the trial dates and must be submitted in person to the Trial Secretary by the end of each judging day.

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

### SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

**The safety of the dog** 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.

**It is expressly understood** that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Talbot Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The Talbot Kennel Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Talbot Kennel Club or any official thereof.

**All dogs must be on leash** at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

## REFUNDS

**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. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

**Bitches in season** are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials. The club will refund the entry fees less \$5 / day for bitches in season and 50% of the entry fees for injured (not sick) dogs. **A written letter by a licensed veterinarian on office letterhead must be in the hands of the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the FIRST day of the trial or cluster of trials.** This may be e-mailed to [hhriter@gmail.com](mailto:hhriter@gmail.com) if handler is not attending the trial.

## RINGSIDE

**Dogs may arrive** any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

**Judges are not required** to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

## VENDORS

If you would like a vendor space, please contact Linda Syner at [jagman3@verizon.net](mailto:jagman3@verizon.net) or 410-714-2099.

**This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.**

## ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

**Puppies under 4 months** of age are strictly prohibited from the grounds.

**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.

**All dogs must be on leash** at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs. Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Show Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement.

**Flexileads must be locked in the 2' position when in or near the building.**

**There is crating space inside on dirt. Bring a tarp for underneath your crates.**

**RV parking / camping** will be allowed at the trial site for \$20 with electric/night; \$10 no electric/night. RV spaces must be reserved and paid for in advance. For reservations and payment, contact Linda Syner, 11674 Ridgely Road, Ridgely, MD 21660, (410) 714-2099; [jagman3@comcast.net](mailto:jagman3@comcast.net). **All RV's must arrive prior to 10:00 PM.**

**There will not be a food vender available on site. Please be prepared to bring your own food, snacks, and drinks to the trial. Water will be provided to workers.**

## COVID 19 INFORMATION

At this point, we have no restrictions regarding Covid 19. We strongly encourage those who are not vaccinated to wear masks while in the building and during walk throughs. We are following the guidelines set up by the AKC -- <https://www.akc.org/press-center/covid-19-updates-from-the-american-kennel-club/>

This is subject to change, and we will inform you of changes, as they become necessary due to state and county regulations.

## HOTEL INFORMATION

*These hotels have indicated they accept well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.*

**Best Western—Galaxy Inn** – 1700 Lebanon Road, Dover DE 19901 (302) 735-4700

**MainStay Suites**—201 Stoner Road, Dover, DE 19902 (302) 678-8383

**Holiday inn Express Hotel & Suites** – 1780 N. Dupont Highway, Dover, DE 19901 (302) 678-0600

**Sleep Inn & Suites** – 1784 N. Dupont Highway, Dover, DE 19901. (302) 735-7770.

**Red Roof Inn**, 652 N. Dupont Highway, Dover, De 19901. (302) 730-8009. 1 pet / room.

**Quality Inn and Suites – Harrington, DE.** 1259 Corn Crib Road, Harrington, DE 19952 (302) 398-3900.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

**From the North via Route 113S:** Take Rte 113S / Rte 1 South to Frederica. Turn right onto Rte 12 thru Frederica. Rte 12 will turn right in Frederica onto E. Front Street. Follow Rte 12 approximately 2.7 miles. Turn right onto Robbins Road. The site is on the right.

**From the South via Route 113 N:** Take Rte 113N to Frederica. Turn left onto Frederica Road. Turn right to remain on E. Front Street (Rte 12 W) and follow for 2.7 miles. Turn right onto Robbins Road. Site is on the right.

**From the South Via Route 13 N:** Take Rte. 13N to Felton. Turn right onto Midstate (Rte 12). Go approximately 3 miles. Turn left onto Robbins Road. Site is on right.

**From the West (Bay Bridge):** Take Route 50 East to Route 404 East . Exit 404 at MD 313N. Turn right onto MD 317. MD 317 changes to Rte 14 in Delaware. Follow DE 14 through Harrington to Rt. 13N. Follow directions from the South via Route 13 N.

## RV RESERVATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ # nights: \_\_\_\_\_ RV Length: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail form to: Linda Syner, 11674 Ridgely Road, Ridgely, MD 21660; 410-714-2099; [jagman3@comcast.net](mailto:jagman3@comcast.net) \$20 with electric / \$10 no electric per night. RV payment must be received by 5:00 p.m. Saturday night.

## AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM

Send this form or e-mail [hhriter@gmail.com](mailto:hhriter@gmail.com)  
with your move-up information

Do not send this form to AKC.

### USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO A HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY

*Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of the dog qualifying for an agility title. The request for moving up on Friday, must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than Monday, November 1, 2021, and Saturday and Sunday within one hour of the last run of the day preceding the event. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. It is the option of the club to allow move-ups. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.*

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**Name of Club** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Breed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Dog's Call Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Dog's Armband or AKC #** \_\_\_\_\_

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#### Move Entry from

Class	move from	move to	Jump Height
Standard	_____	_____	_____
JWW	_____	_____	_____
FAST	_____	_____	_____

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**Owners Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Handlers Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(If applicable)

**Signature of owner or agent**  
**Duly authorized to make this entry:** \_\_\_\_\_



# **AKC CLASS Changes, Effective January 1, 2020.**

## **Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights With the Same Trial Day**

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. For example, the same dog may now be entered in Regular FAST and/or T2B to finish up those titles while also entered in Preferred Master STD/JWW to start working towards their PACH at the lower height. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed.

Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day.

Additionally, within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within the same trial day. For example, the same dog may now be entered in 20-inch Master STD/JWW while also entered in 24C-inch Premier STD/JWW on the same trial day.

A separate entry form must be submitted when the same dog is being entered in a mixture of Regular and Preferred and/or different jump heights within the same trial weekend thereby clearly indicating which class(es) and/or jump heights belong together for each trial day of the weekend.

## **Fix and Go On (FNG)**

As of January 1, 2020, Fix and Go On will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on course when the dog's performance of an obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using FNG will result in a non-qualifying score.

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run.

## **Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)**

As of January 1, 2020, For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only allowed in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes. FEO will be of value to new exhibitors or exhibitors that are having difficulty with a specific obstacle and/or ring environment. Competitors must enter in T2B and/or FAST. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.
- Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.
- Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.
- The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).

- Toys are allowed in the ring
  - Toys must be non-audible
  - Toys may not leave the handler's hand
  - Toys that roll freely cannot be used
- Food/treats are not allowed in the ring
- FEO should be utilized for the benefit of the dog and not as a punitive correction. Harsh verbal and /or physical corrections shall not be tolerated. Any determination of harshness by the judge shall be immediately whistled and the handler will be dismissed from the ring.
- A judge must monitor the entire run. Judges can stop a run at any time.



**AMERICAN  
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**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM**

Talbot Kennel Club

Opening Date: Tuesday, August 17, 2021. Closing Date: Tuesday, October 19, 2021

	STD	JWW	FAST	T2B	Prem. STD	Prem. JWW
Fri., November 5, 2021						
Sat., November 6, 2021						
Sun., November 7, 2021						

Entry fees: \$21/\$21/\$14/\$14 Make checks payable (in US funds) to: TKC  
 Mail entries to: Harriett Riter, 283 Windsor Avenue, Cape May, NJ 08204

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes**

Circle one jump height, circle class selections : Only one selection per class (both Master and Prem allowed)

REGULAR Classes							PREFERRED Classes					
8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C"		4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
STD	Nov A	Nov B	Open	Exc	Master	Premier	STD	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	PremierP
JWW	Nov A	Nov B	Open	Exc	Master	Premier	JWW	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	Premier P
FAST	Nov A	Nov B	Open	Exc	Master		FAST	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	
T2B	T2B						T2B	T2BP				

Non-Regular Classes : Not Offered

This Dog Needs To Be Measured <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	SEX	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
	BREED	CALL NAME

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

AKC® NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Enter Complete Registration # below	DATE OF BIRTH
ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL NO. <input type="checkbox"/>		PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY)

FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY   
BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS  NEW  
 ADDRESS  
 CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

**Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.**

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org).

## AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for 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 while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend, 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 this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

**I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTREPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.**

## INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher **height division** for all **Regular** titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the **Preferred** classes **must** compete at the required jump height and **may not** compete in a jump height division **higher or lower** than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an **Agility Jump Height Card** may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial *or back-to-back trials* only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the **AKC Canine Partners<sup>SM</sup>** program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

**Junior Handlers** should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the forgoing representation and agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

**SIGNATURE** of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

**SIGN HERE** X \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  *New Email*

In Case of Emergency - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please include this form with your entry**