ENTRIES OPEN: Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at 8:00 a.m.

Entries Received prior to the above date and time will not be accepted

ENTRIES CLOSE: Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

Method of Entry is First Received

Envelopes cannot have entries for more than ten (10) dogs No hand deliveries within the 1st 24 hours of opening

> PREMIUM LIST All BREED AKC AGILITY TRIALS

Suffolk Obedience Training Club, Inc.

Licensed by the American Kennel Club



Saturday & Sunday

April 20 & 21 2024

Event #s 2024002304/2024002305

These Events are Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs Listed In the AKC Canine Partners Program

Doggie U K9 Academy

1515D Fifth Industrial Court, Bay Shore, NY 11706

ENTRIES ARE LIMITED TO 350 runs per day

Show Hours: 7:00 a.m. until 30 minutes after last run of the day. All Judging will be indoors on rubber matting Ring Size: 80' x 102'



CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under AKC Rules and Regulations. Gina Di Nardo, Executive Secretary

Officers of Suffolk Obedience Training Club, Inc.

Judith Duck
Melanie VanderMeer
Kathleen O'Donoghue
Kathi Galotti

Board of Directors

Sylvia Cordero-Skidmore, Caryn Meirs, Beth Moose, Teri Nolan

Trial Chairperson

Kathleen O'Donoghue 108 Clay Pitts Rd Greenlawn, NY 11740 (631) 266-6245 kitodonoghue@yahoo.com

Trial Secretary

Long Island Trial Services – Louise Wetzel C/o Teri Nolan 503 Sylvan Avenue Bayport, N.Y. 11705

Litrialsec@gmail.com

www.litrialsvcs.com

Event Committee

Kathleen O'Donoghue, Kathi Galotti, Caryn Meirs Teri Nolan and the members of Suffolk Obedience Training Club.

Prizes and Awards

ALL PRIZES, AWARDS, AND RIBBONS MUST BE CLAIMED THE DAY OF THE TRIAL NO PRIZES WILL BE MAILED

First Place	Blue Rosette
Second Place	Red Rosette
Third Place	Yellow Rosette
Fourth Place	White Rosette
Qualifying	Dark Green Ribbon

New Title Rosettes and MACH/PACH Bars will be awarded. MX, MXJ, MXF, MACH/PACH Title Rosettes will be provided by Long Island Trial Services.

Tim Pinneri (79704)

Gahanna, Ohio Judging all classes offered

Classes Offered

SATURDAY 24C"-4"

T2B, FAST All Levels, Exc/Mas Std, Open Std, Nov Std, Exc/Mas JWW, Open JWW, Nov JWW,

SUNDAY 4"- 24C"

Exc/Mas JWW, Open JWW, Nov JWW, T2B, FAST All Levels, Exc/Mas Std, Open, Std, Nov Std

A, B, & P classes will run together & ELECTRONIC TIMING WILL BE USED

Please see the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for current class descriptions. Dogs must be entered only in Regular Classes or Preferred Classes with no crossover between them allowed at the same set of trials.

Dogs Eligible to Enter / Participate

- 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) or 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 disfigured as the result of accident or injury but otherwise qualified shall be eligible provided that the disfigurement does not interfere with functional movement. Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf shall not be eligible. Blind means without useful vision and deaf means without useful hearing. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged or in any way has anything attached to it for medical purposes.
- Bitches in season shall not be eligible to participate. Entry fees for bitches in season may be refunded at the Club's option. The premium list must state whether refunds will be issued for bitches in season. Please see **Refund Section.**

Emergency Veterinary Services

VMCLI (Veterinary Medical Center of Long Island) 75 Sunrise Hwy. (Exit 40), West Islip, NY 11795-2033 (631) 587 – 0800 www.vmcli.com

Measuring and Height Card Information

If your dog does not have a Temporary or Permanent Height Card, or if your dog has turned two years of age, since getting your Temporary Height Card, your dog NEEDS to be measured.

All dogs competing in agility must possess an official AKC Jump Height Card. Dogs that do not have a valid Jump Height Card <u>must be</u> measured by a judge of record for that trial and will only be effective for that set of trials, excluding the dogs jumping in the 24-inch height division.

If an official measurer is present, all dogs <u>that have not been issued a Permanent Jump</u> <u>Height Card or Temporary Jump Height Card (yellow form)</u> must be measured for a Jump Height Card regardless of the jump height entered.

If there is not an AKC Field Rep or VMO in attendance, all dogs that have not been issued a Permanent Jump Height Card or Temporary Jump Height Card (yellow form) may still compete; however, they must be measured by a judge of record for the trial, prior to running at each trial. The judge's measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only.

If a dog is measured by an AKC Field Rep or VMO and is now eligible to jump in a lower height class, the measurement is effective <u>immediately</u> for any <u>future runs</u>. <u>This</u> <u>does not apply to a challenged measurement for a Permanent Jump Height Card</u>.

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.

It is the sole responsibility of the Exhibitor to have their original, official Jump Height Card or Temporary Jump Height Card (yellow form) at each trial to present upon request. Additionally, if a measurement is necessary, it is the Exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running. *Regulations for Agility Trials, Chapter 2, Section 4.*

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt	Handlers must run	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the
to run their dog in	their dog in their	proper height division.
a higher height	proper eligible	
division.	height.	
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 ONLY
		Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular
		jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice
24C"	<mark>n/a</mark>	height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who
		measure into the 24" regular jump height division
		may not enter 24-choice.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

Entries and Fees Information

ENTRY FEE: \$27.00 for the first entry of a dog; \$20.00 for the second entry of a dog; \$17.00 for each additional entry of the same dog. (This includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee for each run plus \$.50 fee for each dog)

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SUFFOLK OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB, INC.

OPENING DATE: Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at 8:00 a.m. at the Trial Secretary's address, see below for where to mail to. Each trial is LIMITED to 350 runs.

CLOSING DATE: Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at 6:00 p.m., after which entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules and in Chapter 1, Section 13 of the AKC Agility Trial Rules and Regulations.

MAIL ALL ENTRIES to SOTC, C/O Long Island Trial Services, 503 Sylvan Avenue, Bayport, NY 11705. If you send overnight delivery, please remember to sign the signature waiver. Envelopes/transactions cannot have entries for more than ten (10) dogs maximum. ENTRY FEES shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge or barred from competition by action of Trial Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management, it is impossible to open or to complete the trial, no refund of entry fees will be made.

REFUNDS: There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn in the event a dog and/or handler is absent or dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refund of entry fees will be made.

- Withdrawals after the closing date due to change in judge will receive a full refund per Chapter 1, Section 9 in the Regulations for Agility Trials
- BITCHES IN SEASON are not eligible to participate. Entry fees will be refunded subject to a \$5.00 processing fee. Written verification from a Veterinarian is required. Notification for refund of bitches in season must be RECEIVED no later than 48 hrs. after end of the trial. A Veterinarian's note <u>AND</u> final trial confirmation for dog must accompany any such refund.
- **Refunds after closing date** are permitted if the club is offering a waitlist. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a waitlisted entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. If the withdrawn entry after closing cannot be replaced, no refund will be due.
- **ERRORS ON ENTRY FORMS:** Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms and no entry fee will be refunded in the event of such errors or cancellation of entries after trial has closed.
- ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ENTRIES will be made as soon as all entries are processed and entered into the computer. This could take up to two weeks after opening date. Preliminary confirmations will be via email either as an attachment or in the body of an email to all Exhibitors who provide their email address. If you do not have an email address and want a preliminary confirmation, please send a stamped self-addressed envelope. Final confirmations will be emailed out about one week before the trial. Consult final confirmation for the judging schedule.

INVALID ENTRIES: the following are considered invalid and will not be accepted

- ENTRIES NOT ON OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORMS OR PHOTOCOPIES OF ENTRY FORMS without the Agreement and Rules attached.
- ENTRIES RECEIVED PRIOR TO OPENING DATE AND TIME
- UNSIGNED ENTRIES
- ENTRIES RECEIVED WITHOUT FEES
- Envelopes/transactions that have entries for more than ten (10) dogs
- ANY ENTRY WHICH SPECIFIES ANY CONDITION AS TO ITS ACCEPTANCE.
- RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY FEE. A CHARGE OF\$35 WILL BE MADE FOR EACH RETURNED CHECK.

Trial Regulations Notice to Exhibitors

THE TRIAL will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 30 minutes after the last run of the day. **TRIAL COMMITTEE** will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and

Exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or misfortune to either dogs or Exhibitors participating in this show.

- **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 the obstacles safely.
- **DOGS MAY ARRIVE** any time prior to judging, if the dog does not need to be measured. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring before their class begins.
- 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.

Practice Jump: A practice jump may be provided for Exhibitors to warm up

Course Walk Throughs: 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. Umbrellas are not permitted during the walk-through

Exhibitors should follow their Veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

According to New York State Law, Rabies vaccination and dog license are mandatory.

Waitlist Information

A waitlist is being offered to fill openings created by withdrawn entries, either before or after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 30 entries per day will be accepted for the waitlist. All entries, including waitlisted entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to the closing date. Any entries withdrawn by 6:00 p.m., Friday April 12th, 2024, will be replaced by a waitlisted entry if any are available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a waitlisted entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. If the withdrawn entry after closing cannot be replaced, no refund will be due. Any waitlisted entry that does not move off the waitlist into the trial, checks will be shredded

Notes From the Trial Secretary

PLEASE USE EITHER THE ENTRY FORM FROM THIS PREMIUM OR THE AKC WEBSITE!

- Remember to check the box if your dog needs to be measured. If you forget this will default to "no", does NOT need to be measured.
- Reminder, please DO NOT send me your height card
- Mixed Breeds Remember to mark your breed as All American Dog
- For overnight delivery please remember to sign the signature waiver.
- Double and triple check your entry form and your payment. Any entry received with the improper funds constitutes an invalid entry.
- Do not make checks out to me. Please make checks out to Suffolk Obedience Training Club, Inc.
- Please make sure you enter your dog in the proper height class.

DATA ENTRY AND CHANGES TO YOUR INFORMATION

Data entry mistakes happen. That is why we ask everyone to READ their preliminary confirmation and final confirmation. For the majority of entries, dog and owner/handler information remains the same. However, if you have a new email address, new titles, new handler, new address and phone, new jump height (including jump height changes from trial to trial. For example, dog jumps 24" at one trial, then 20" in the next trial.) Highlighting <u>ANY</u> of these changes on entry forms would be especially helpful so that these changes can be updated in our database. Then, please review your confirmations carefully to ensure that your requested changes have been made.

For overnight delivery, signature waiver - Please remember to check the No Signature Required box <u>AND</u> sign that spot where you authorize them to deliver.

Move-Up Deadline: Remember that the move-up deadline for your first day of a weekend trial is ALWAYS <u>Monday at 6:00 pm</u>. Please send those move-ups in right away.

Novice Exhibitors: Please read the section on the move-up form or under move- ups about when you need to change from Novice A to Novice B and also read the section under classes to determine whether you should enter Novice A or Novice B level classes.

Email Correspondence

We ALWAYS acknowledge all entries with an email. You will either get a preliminary confirmation or waitlist email. If you do NOT receive an email from me DO NOT assume you got into the trial. You NEED to assume I didn't get your entry.

Suffolk Obedience Training Club COULD USE YOUR HELP!

It takes a lot of people to run an agility trial. The club would appreciate your help in making this an efficient and successful trial. If you have never worked at a trial, we will gladly train you.

We also give our volunteers raffle tickets for every class you work for a chance to win a really nice raffle!

There will be a Google Doc spreadsheet posted to my website <u>www.longislandtrialservices.com</u> the week before the trial for you to be able to sign up for your preferred job and time slot.

I will send out a notification as soon as this Google Doc is available.

We appreciate any help you can provide!

Thank You for Volunteering!

Show Site Information

Doggie U is a heated / air conditioned building. Crating space is VERY limited; NO Ex-Pens allowed, crates must be stacked, un-entered dogs may not take up any space of entered dogs. No spectators will be permitted at this trial.

There is no parking for oversized vehicles or overnight parking on site. You will receive detailed information about parking with your final confirmation.

Exhibitors are expected to clean up after their dogs at the trial site and follow ALL of the Doggie U house rules.

FOOD

There will be no hospitality provided at this trial – only light snacks and drinks for workers. Exhibitors are advised to bring their own food and drinks. There are food establishments nearby.

ACCOMMODATIONS

All hotels are within 30 minutes of the site. Rates and pet policies change. Please call for current availability, rates and pet policy of the hotel. Hotels that accept pets are few and far between on Long Island. Please be on your best behavior so we can continue to use the few hotels that are available to us.

La Quinta - 10 Aero Rd, Bohemia, NY 11716, (631) 881-7700

Residence Inn – 850 Veterans Memorial Hwy, Hauppauge, NY 11780 (631) 724 - 4188 – Check current fee

Wyndham Wind Watch Hotel - 1717 Vanderbilt Motor Parkway, Hauppauge, NY 11780, (631) 232-9800

Holiday Inn MacArthur Airport - 3845 Veterans Memorial Highway, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779, (631) 585–9500

DIRECTIONS

From Southern State Pkwy: Take Exit 42 North (5th Ave. Bay Shore). Turn left onto Spur Dr. North. Cross over 5th Avenue. *After McDonalds take first right onto 5th Industrial Court. Doggie U is on the left. You'll see a sign for "Master Concepts" which is in the same building.

From Sunrise Hwy: Take Exit 43 North, 5th Ave., cross over Southern State Pkwy, make left at light then follow from *. (This is an alternate route for commercial or large vehicles)

From the LIE: Take Exit 53, Sagtikos Pkwy south, to Southern State Pkwy East, exit 42 North, then follow from *. Alternate route for commercial or large vehicles, LIE Exit 53 to Wicks Rd (do not get onto Sagtikos Pkwy). Travel for 3.8 miles south on Wicks Rd., which becomes 5th Ave, then right on Spur Dr. North, then follow from *.

As per Chapter 1

Section 20. Move-ups. Move-ups prior to a set of trials: Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for an agility title, provided that the request is made in writing to the Trial Secretary not later than 6:00 p.m. on the Monday preceding the set of trials for trials starting on a Thursday-Sunday.

Day-to-Day Move-ups: Move-ups from day-to-day at a set of back-to-back agility trials shall be at the discretion of the club. The request for moving up must be made in writing at the trial site to the Trial Secretary not later than the day preceding the event.

Novice Information: Dogs having attained their first AKC Agility title (STD, JWW, <u>T2B</u>, or FAST) must be moved to the Novice B class (STD, JWW, or FAST) for all trials for which entries have not closed. If entries have already closed on the date the dog obtained its title, the dog shall remain in the class in which it was originally entered or be moved up in level (i.e., Novice to Open) at the request of the owner; subject to the move-up criteria, except as stated in Chapter 1, Section 21 regarding Novice A entries.

Section 21. Entry of Ineligible Dog. A dog which has been entered in a Novice "A" class for which it is not eligible to be entered in due to class restrictions on the dog or handler may be moved to the Novice "B" class under the following conditions: The request for the move must be in writing and presented to the superintendent or trial secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of each trial. The request must state the reason and justification for the move from a Novice "A" class to the Novice "B" class.

Day-To-Day Move-Ups: The club is accepting Day-to Day Move-ups

for this Trial. The request for moving up must be made in writing at the trial site to the Trial Secretary not later than the day preceding the event.

EMAILED MOVE-UPS: When emailing a move-up, please provide the following information. **TRIAL NAME**, Owner Name. Dog Call Name, Move up for what days (from – to etc.), Move up for what classes, (from- to) (PLEASE include STD, JWW)

Deadline for Pre-Trial Move Ups for this trial is Monday, April 15, 2024.

Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes

Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within 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. 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, thenNO 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 nowbe 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

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.

For Exhibition Only

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 dogis 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, may not leave the handler's hand, and 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.



CAN OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Suffolk Obedience Training Club, Inc.

Opens: February 20, 2024 Closes: April 3, 2024

Day 1: April 20, 2024	🗆 STD 🗆 JWW	□ FAST	□ T2B	
Day 2: April 21, 2024		□ FAST	□ T2B	

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$27; 2nd run \$20; \$17 each additional run Daily Entry Fees: 1 Class: \$27, 2 Classes: \$47, 3 Classes: \$64, All 4 Classes: \$81 Make checks payable to: SOTC

Mail to SOTC c/o Long Island Trial Services, 503 Sylvan Avenue, Bayport, NY 11705

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height, and circle class selections: Only one selection per class (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B)

REGULAR Classes	PREFERRED Classes		
8″ 12″ 16″ 20″ 24″			
STD Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master	STD NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP		
JWW Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master	JWW NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP		
FAST Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master	FAST NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP		
Т2В Т2В	T2B T2BP		

This Dog Needs To Be Measured	□Yes □No	SEX		HEIGHT AT WITH	ERS
BREED		VARIETY		CALL NAME	
AKC [®] NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)				I	
AKC® NO	Enter Complete Registr	ration # below		Ή	
ILP NO. D PAL NO. D		PLACE OF BIR		RTH (LIST COUNTRY)	
FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY					
BREEDER					
SIRE					
DAM					
ACTUAL OWNERS					
OWNERS ADDRESS					
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4					

HANDLER

ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site 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 acceptance 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 ANDGUIDELINES.

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 <u>may not</u> compete in a jump height division <u>higher or lower</u> 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[™] 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?

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

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

In Case of Emergency - Name: