

ENTRIES **OPEN** 8:00 A.M., WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2023
ENTRIES **CLOSE** 6:00 P.M., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 2023

Premium List: Event # 2023029320 and # 2023029321

Two All-Breed Agility Trials

held under AKC Rules and Regulations

Saturday, July 8, 2023 (Fast, standard, JWW)

Sunday, July 9, 2023 (T2B, standard, JWW)

SPOKANE DOG TRAINING CLUB, INC.

(licensed by the American Kennel Club)



SPOKANE DOG TRAINING CLUB
2620 N LOCUST RD, SPOKANE VALLEY WA 99206
Outdoors on grass, ring size 100' by 90'

Judge: Ann McQuillen, Somerset, CA

Entry limits: 300 runs per day

Entry method First Received.

****This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs**

Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program**

Trial Hours: 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM Saturday and Sunday



CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina M. DiNardo, Secretary

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES (PAYABLE TO SDTC) TO:

Laurie Pechous Clark, Trial Secretary

4705 W South Oval Rd, Spokane, WA 99224

Phone: (509) 991-1199

E-mail: ljclark@comcast.net

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JudgeAnn McQuillen (17426) 8200 Dorado Canyon Rd, Somerset, CA

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Pet Emergency Clinic, 21 E. Mission (Mission and Division Sts.), Spokane, WA 99202
(509) 326-6670

Animal Emergency Clinic, 6522 E 1st, Unit 101, Spokane, Spokane Valley, WA
(509) 535-8743

The judge at this trial is a VMO. All dogs age 2 or over without a valid height card, and all dogs under age 2 without a temporary measurement, must be measured. You will need to fill out a form (available at the trial) with your dog's identifying information prior to measurement.

Entry Fees

First entry is \$20.00 per day; 2nd entry of same dog, same day is \$15.00; 3rd and 4th entry \$12.00.
Junior Handlers receive a \$5.00 discount for each class entered. Entry fees include AKC recording fee of \$3.50 first entry/\$3.00 additional entry.

A full refund of entry fees will be given for any bitch that comes into season, and a refund of entry fees, less \$5.00 per run, will be given for any dog or handler that is injured or ill, **if written notification is provided to the Trial Secretary prior to the beginning of judging for the day.** Bitches in season are not allowed on the show grounds.

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) or AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds. Bitches in season, aggressive dogs, blind dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance are ineligible to participate.

Mixed breed dogs that have been listed with AKC Canine Partners may participate, provided their listing number has been recorded on the entry form. Please designate the dog's breed as "All American" on the entry form.

Important Information for Exhibitors -- PLEASE READ!

Conditional, unsigned, incomplete, illegible, telephone, fax, e-mail or telegraph entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on official AKC forms, or photocopies of AKC forms without the agreement and rules on the reverse side of the official AKC entry form, are not acceptable. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry.

Owners are responsible for errors on entry blanks, for entering the same dog twice, or for entering a dog in a class for which it is not eligible, regardless of who makes such errors.

Dogs wrongly entered in a class may not be transferred to another class after closing, EXCEPT as provided for in the Regulations for Agility Trials, Chapter 1, Section 21. Be sure to check your entry form carefully and make certain you have entered the correct class(es). Contact the Trial Secretary if you have questions!

Entries sent by express mailing services MUST have the delivery signature requirement waived; otherwise receipt may be delayed. Entries will not be considered as being received until they are delivered to the address given on the entry form. Please note the opening date of May 17, 2023; no entries will be accepted before that date. Entries for a maximum of ten (10) dogs are allowed in one envelope; envelopes containing entries for more than ten dogs will be considered invalid, and will be returned to the sender.

SDTC is using a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 25 entries (runs) will be placed on each trial's wait list. All entries must have been received by the Trial Secretary prior to Wednesday, June 28, 2023 at 6:00 PM. Any entries withdrawn, with notification to the Trial Secretary in writing (e-mail is OK) by **6:00 PM on Monday, July 3, 2023** will be replaced by a wait listed entry, if any are available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry; otherwise no refund will be given for withdrawn entries, except as specified above. Any wait listed entry that does not get into the trial will receive a full refund.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event of errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date, or in the event a dog is absent (other than as specified on page 2), disqualified, excused by the Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by the Show Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

THIS CLUB DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS EVENT.

Confirmation of entry and judging schedule will be e-mailed (or sent by postal mail to the address on the official AKC entry form, if no e-mail is provided) after the closing date; if not received at least 7 days prior to the show, contact the Trial Secretary. **Acknowledgment of receipt of entries prior to closing will be provided if the exhibitor provides a valid e-mail address on the entry form, or includes a stamped, self-addressed postcard with entry.**

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

Spokane Dog Training Club, Inc. assumes no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assumes no responsibility for injury to any child not under the control of his or her parents or guardians. 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 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 and no refund of any fees paid will be made. All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring or designated warm-up area.

The safety of dogs is of 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.

A complete set of rules for all classes is available from the American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390, or from the AKC web site, www.akc.org .

Directions to Show

Take I-90 to exit 287 (Argonne). Go north on Mullan (one-way, becoming Argonne, two-way just

north of the freeway). Turn right on Montgomery. Turn left on Locust Rd (one block past the traffic light at the Yoke's Fresh Market grocery store). There is no light at Locust. Locust ends at the RR tracks; SDTC is on the right at the end of the street.

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 division	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
24C"	n/a	Dogs who measure into 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

The entry form has a box at the top of the form to check if the dog needs to be measured. Please check this box if appropriate, so that the Trial Secretary knows 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, but it is still the exhibitor's responsibility to have their original, official jump height card or temporary jump height 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.***

Move-Up Information

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the handler, as a result of completing an agility title at an earlier event, provided that the request is made to the Trial Secretary, in writing (e-mail is acceptable), by 6:00 PM on **Monday, July 3, 203..** If a dog finishes a title during the trial, the handler may move up for the following days by filling out a move-up form (available at the event) and turning it in to the Trial Secretary within 30 minutes of the end of judging for the day.

If you have questions about what class to enter, moveups, measuring, etc., **DON'T GUESS – PLEASE ASK!** Please contact the Trial Secretary at ljclark@comcast.net.

Equipment

Obstacles will meet the specifications in the Regulations for Agility trials. Contact obstacles and tables have rubberized surfaces. Tunnels are 26" diameter. Jumps are vinyl, with plastic jump cup strips.

Judging

Judging starts no earlier than 8:00 a.m. on both Saturday and Sunday. Judge's briefing and course walk-through will take place prior to that time.

Anticipated Order of Classes (NOTE: subject to change depending on entry numbers!)
Any changes to this order will be specified in the Judging Schedule.

Saturday: FAST, Standard (E, O, N) and JWW (E, O, N)

Sunday: T2B, Standard (E, O, N), JWW (E, O, N)

Saturday will run tall to small. Sunday will run small to tall.

Site Information

These Agility Trials will be held outdoors on grass at the SDTC club property, ring size is 100' x 90'. The property is adjacent to an active railroad track. We will try to make accommodations for runs negatively affected by the passing trains. It will be the judge's discretion on those runs. The ring will be fenced, with entry/exit openings. This leaves no room for personal pop-ups to be placed outside. There will be crating available indoors in our air conditioned building. Please bring a mat to place under your crate or x-pen. X-pens with a mat under them, will be allowed

only for multiple dogs, otherwise crates only. You may be asked to condense your space if needed. There is no grass area for exercising dogs, only graveled area. Outside the property's fenced area is a weedy area – PLEASE be aware that there are weeds with stickers. And of course, we know you will uphold the great reputation of agility exhibitors by cleaning up after your dogs! Set-up time for the trial will in an e-mail prior to the trial.

Volunteer Workers

As you probably know, there are quite a variety of tasks that go along with holding an agility trial, and we greatly appreciate volunteers to help share the work load. If you want to be scheduled for working ahead of time, please fill out the worker form and send it in with your entry. We will also have a white board for worker sign-up at the trials. You will get a coupon usable toward future SDTC agility entries for each class that you work.

Refreshments

We will not be providing refreshments at this trial. There are various food establishments (fast food, restaurants and grocery stores) within a mile of the club.

Vendor Information

Unfortunately, due to the limited amount of space at our facility, we will not be able to accommodate any vendors at this trial.

NEW INFORMATION: Class Changes Effective January 1, 2020

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. 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 [in different classes] 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 classes 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. [EXAMPLE: if you are entering a dog in some Regular classes and some Preferred classes, submit one entry form for the Regular classes, and another entry form for the Preferred classes.] When calculating entry fees, treat multiple entry forms for the same dog as if only one form had been filled out. In other words, the 1st run entry fee is only paid once per day, per dog, even if that dog's runs have been submitted on multiple entry forms.

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 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

Fix and Go On (FNG)

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.

Awards

Ribbons will be awarded to 1st through 4th place in each height division in each Regular and each Preferred class. Green ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving qualifying scores.

Within each Standard Agility class, JWW class and FAST class, the dog earning the highest score will receive a ribbon, and a Certificate good for a \$10 discount on one entry to any Spokane Dog Training Club AKC agility trial in 2023 or 2024. In the case of tied scores, the dog with the fastest **yards per second** running time (in FAST, the fastest time) wins. There will be separate High in Class awards for the Preferred classes. We are not awarding High in Class for Time2Beat or Premier classes.

Any exhibitor whose dog completes a title at these trials will receive a New Title ribbon. A Rosette and jump bar will be awarded to any dog completing a MACH or PACH at these trials. A qualifying score is required for all awards. All awards must be claimed at the show; none will be mailed.

*** If you think that you may complete a MACH or PACH at these trials, please let the trial secretary know ahead of time, so that we can plan to celebrate with you! ***

Accommodations

Although we try to verify motel information, policies and ownerships can change; please check a facility's pet policy and any pet charges when making reservations. Most have nonrefundable pet fee; some allow dogs in designated rooms only.

Park Lane Motel, 4412 E Sprague Spokane, WA 99212	(509) 535-1626
Super 8 Motel, 2020 N Argonne, Spokane, WA 99212	(509) 928-4888
Mirabeau Park Hotel, 1100 N Sullivan, Veradale, WA 99037	(509) 924-9000

Camping/Parking

Some parking is available adjacent to the club building and on the street. We will have 2 spaces reserved for exhibitors to load and unload crates and dogs, but you will be expected to move your vehicle after that. There are two handicap spaces on the club property, so please let us know if you will be needing assistance. Parking is permitted in the lot northeast of Yoke's Fresh Market. Do not park in the Spokane Gymnastics lots; your vehicle may be towed.

There is no overnight camping near the club. Several RV campgrounds are in the area.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

SPOKANE DOG TRAINING CLUB

Opens: 8:00 AM, May 17, 2023 • Closes: 6:00 PM, June 28, 2023 Fees each day

Table with columns for dates (SAT 7/10/21, SUN 7/11/21) and checkboxes for classes (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B).

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$20.00; 2nd run \$15, 3rd run \$12.00 per dog, per day

Checks payable to: SDTC Mail to: Laurie Pechous Clark, 4705 W South Oval Rd, Spokane, WA 99224

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

Table with columns for Regular Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and Preferred Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20") and rows for STD, JWW, FAST, T2B.

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes []STD []JWW

This Dog Needs To Be Measured []Yes []No

Table with columns for BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME and rows for SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS.

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

AKC® NO [] Enter Complete Registration # below DATE OF BIRTH

ILP NO. [] PAL NO. [] 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. Entry form MUST include the Agreement; entries lacking Agreement or signature can not be accepted.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

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. 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...

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...

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division.

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 #: _____