

PREMIUM LIST
AKC ALL BREED AGILITY TRIALS
 (Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

*This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs
 Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program*

CHARLOTTE DOG TRAINING CLUB, INC.

PKC Showplace
13607 Choate Circle
Charlotte, NC 28217

Friday, Saturday, & Sunday
March 11, 12, & 13, 2016

Outdoors on Grass, Indoor Crating Available

Electronic Timers Will be Used

One Judge, Two Rings - Each 100 x 100

Show Hours: 7:00 am – 6:00 pm

ENTRY METHOD – FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRY LIMITS: 330 Runs Each Day

(no more than 330 runs per judge per day)

***** Also accepting AKC Online Entries *****

OPENING DATE: Wednesday, January 13, 2016 at 8:00 am

Entries received before this time will be returned.

CLOSING DATE: Thursday, February 24, 2016 at 6:00 pm

After which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

*Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the
 holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and
 Regulations*

- James Crowley, Secretary

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Judge: Rebecca Schnulle #96651...607 Hunters Haven Lane, Huger, SC 29450

Classes will run in alternating rings as follows:

Friday & Saturday		Sunday	
Ring One	Ring Two	Ring One	Ring Two
	T2B		T2B
X/M Std		X/M Std	
	X/M JWW		X/M JWW
Open Std		Open Std	
	Open JWW		Open JWW
Nov Std		Nov Std	
	Nov JWW		Novice JWW
E/M FAST			
Open FAST			
Nov FAST			

Dogs will run **TALL TO SMALL** on Friday & Sunday and **SMALL TO TALL** on Saturday. Preferred classes will run with the regular classes and height divisions. Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. We will not wait for exhibitors.

Friday & Saturday, check-in will be at 7:15 each day; judging will commence at 8:00 am. Judge's briefings will begin approximately 15 minutes prior to judging.

Due to Daylight Savings Time change on Sunday, judging will commence at 9:00 am.

CHARLOTTE DOG TRAINING CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

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 (843) 696-2892; karen-w@msn.com

Event Committee Members: Bit Jordan, Debbie Mitchell, Patricia Ray, Lorelei Ross, Rebecca Russell, Jim Saxon, Laura Watts.

Out of respect for the health of our exhibitors and their dogs, no smoking will be allowed on the trial grounds.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Animal Emergency and Trauma Center
 2225 Township Road, Charlotte, NC 28273 (704) 504-9608



MOTELS

When making reservations, **please confirm the motel's pet policy and pet fee policies.** You may find a better rate using the internet. Please be respectful of the motels that still accept dogs so they will continue to do so.

The motels below accept dogs and are within 5-10 minutes of the show site:

- **Comfort Inn – Carowinds**, 3725 Avenue of the Carolinas, Fort Mill, SC 29708 (803) 548-5200.
- **Motel 6**, 3541 Foothills Way, Fort Mill, SC 29708 (803) 548-9656.

The following motels accept dogs and are within 15-20 minutes of the show site:

- **Residence Inn**, 5899 Westpark Dr., Charlotte, NC 28217 (704) 527-8110. \$99 and up.
- **Mainstay Suites**, 7926 Forest Pine Dr., Charlotte, NC 28273. (704) 521-3232.

The following motels in Rock Hill, SC (20 minutes from the show site) indicate on their websites that pets are permitted:

- **Super 8 Motel**, I-77 Exit 82B, 888 Riverview Rd., Rock Hill, SC 29730. (803) 980-0400.
- **Howard Johnson Rock Hill**, I-77 Exit 82B, 911 Riverview Road, Rock Hill, SC 29730 (803) 329-7900.

WE DO NOT RECOMMEND STAYING AT MOTELS AT THE NATIONS FORD ROAD OR CLANTON ROAD EXITS OFF I-77.

CAMPING

Overnight camping and RV's are no longer permitted at the PKC Showplace during our agility trials. You may have your RV on site during trial hours.

- **Paramount's Camp Wilderness Resort**, 14523 Carowinds Blvd., Charlotte, NC 28273. 1-800-888-4386. www.carowinds.com/campground
- **Charlotte/Fort Mill KOA**, 940 Gold Hill Road, Fort Mill, SC 29708. (803) 548-1148 email – charlottekoa@gmail.com

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

- **From Greenville, SC:** NOTE NEW DIRECTIONS: Take I-85 North to South I-485 (Exit 30) towards Pineville. Take I-77/21 South (Exit 67) towards Columbia. *Note: on I-485 the exit numbers will decline to 0 and then start at 67 at the I-77 exit.* From I-77 South, take exit 90 (Rt. 21, Carowinds Blvd). Turn right onto Carowinds Blvd and go .8 miles to Choate Circle (3rd stoplight). Turn left onto Choate Circle and go 1.7 miles to the show site on the right.
- **From Virginia/Raleigh:** Take I-85 South to I-77 South; take I-77 to Exit 90 (Rt. 21, Carowinds Blvd. Proceed as directed in Greenville directions above.
- **From Columbia, SC:** Take I-77 North to Exit 90 (Rt. 21, Carowinds Blvd.). Turn left from the exit ramp onto Carowinds Blvd. Go 1.1 miles to Choate Circle (4th stoplight); turn left on Choate Circle and go 1.7 miles to the show site on the right.

VENDORS

Interested parties wishing to be vendors at this trial should contact:

AgilityTrial.Vendors@CharlotteDogTraining.com

SHOW SITE & EQUIPMENT INFORMATION

There are plenty of parking spaces on the show grounds as well as a large grassy area for dog walking. Indoor crating is available, but shade is very limited outdoors – plan on bringing your own if you wish to crate outdoors. Food will be available for purchase on-site, and a selection of fast food restaurants are nearby. Vouchers which can be used towards lunch or future entries will be provided for workers.

We will be using 24-inch weave poles. All contact equipment is rubberized. A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for all exhibitors. All obstacles and equipment used in this trial meet the specifications stated in the American Kennel Club's current [Regulations for Agility Trials](#). Single copies of this publication may be obtained from the AKC, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 or from the AKC website at <http://www.akc.org>.

ENTRY FEES

\$18 for the 1st entry of a dog each day and \$13 for each additional entry of the same dog on the same day. Fees include \$3.50 AKC recording fee for the first run and \$3 for each additional run per dog per day.

SUBMITTING ENTRIES

You do not need to send a copy of your dog's height card. Just remember to check the appropriate box on the entry form regarding your dog's measurement status. You may submit a paper entry or enter online and pay by credit card.

ELECTRONIC ENTRIES: We will be accepting online entries through the AKC Online Entry System. To enter online go to the AKC Agility Online Entry Services home page at www.akc.org/AgilityEntry. Follow the instructions there to use your My AKC account to enter this event online. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows: 160 online entries and 500 paper entries. If either form of entry (paper or online) has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either one accordingly.

NOTE: hand deliveries AND ONLINE ENTRIES will not be accepted during the first 24 hours following the trial's opening. Envelopes containing entries for more than 10 dogs will be returned. All express mail must be able to be left at the Secretary's address with no acceptance signature required. Please do not staple your check to the entry form.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

- Rosettes will be awarded for all 1st through 4th placers in each jump height in each class (dogs must qualify to receive a placement). Each dog entered will be awarded one dog toy or accessory, such as a bowl or treats (value of \$1-\$3).
- Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score.
- CDTC will award title pins or ribbons to those dogs finishing an agility title at this trial.
- A ribbon and MACH or PACH bar will be awarded to those dogs finishing their MACH or PACH titles.
- All ribbons and prizes must be claimed the day of the trial; **none will be mailed.**

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER: These trials are open to all dogs 15 months of age or older, that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have obtained AKC ILP, PAL, or AKC Canine Partners Listing numbers, or are approved FSS breeds. Dogs with a PAL/ILP or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to

compete. Bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance are not eligible to participate.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge 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.
- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal/external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.
- All dogs **MUST** be on leash, crated, securely penned, or otherwise under physical control at all times when not competing or at the practice jump. **This requirement is also mandated by the venue. It will be strictly enforced.**
- Pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars, and special training collars are prohibited on the trial grounds.
- No dogs under the age of four (4) months are allowed on the show site.
- All handlers must pick up after their dogs. Anyone witnessed not doing so will be requested to leave and no refund will be made of any fees paid.
- The Charlotte Dog Training Club and Piedmont Kennel Club assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, spectators, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assume no responsibility for injury to any child not under the control of his or her parents or guardians.
- The Charlotte Dog Training Club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC entry form for this event.
- 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 engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund will be made of any fees paid.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused or barred from competition by action of the judge or event committee.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed because of riot, civil disturbance, fire, or an act of God, emergency, act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- No refunds will be given for overpayment of fees if the error is less than \$10.
- Bitches in season and ill or injured dogs are not eligible to compete. Such dogs may be withdrawn after closing and no later than one-half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial, and entry fees (less \$4 per run for BIS and \$6 per run for injuries – our direct costs) will be returned. All competitors' requests must be accompanied by a Veterinarian's statement.
- A fee of \$25 will be charged for all returned checks. Repeated returned checks will result in the exhibitor being placed on a cash basis for payment of entry fees.

MOVE-UPS

Move-up requests for Friday must be made in writing and must be received by the Trial Secretary no later than **Monday, March 7, 2016 at 6:00pm**. They may be e-mailed to karen-w@msn.com. Provide dog's call name, owner's name, original class entered and new class requested. Move-ups for Saturday and Sunday must include the above information and be delivered to the Trial Secretary at the trial site no later than 15 minutes

after the final dog has run. Dogs moved up will generally be placed at the end of the running order. Per section 21 of the Agility Regulations, if notification has been received in writing from the American Kennel Club after the close of entries that the dog is not eligible for the class(es) entered, the dog may be moved to the correct class(es). The request for the move to the class for which the dog is eligible must be in writing, accompanied by the letter from the AKC, and submitted to the trial secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial.

CONFIRMATIONS

If you have provided a legible, valid, unblocked email address on your entry, you will receive an initial confirmation after your entry has been processed. Please allow approximately one week after opening date for your initial confirmation. **Please review this confirmation carefully and notify the Trial Secretary of any errors.** If you do not receive your initial confirmation within a week, please call or email the Trial Secretary to confirm receipt of your entry. After closing date, final confirmation of your entry and a schedule of judging will be sent to the email address on your entry form. Final confirmations will be sent via US mail only if you did not provide an email address. If you have not received a final confirmation within five days of the trial, please contact the Trial Secretary.

MEASURING

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. Dogs without a valid jump height card/form may still compete, but they must be measured by the **Judge of Record PRIOR** to running in their class. This measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. Dogs entered in the 24" or 26" height division are excepted from this requirement. 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 measured by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure before the dog's first run of the trial. **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. Judging will not be held up or interrupted for measuring!** Owners are responsible for entering the proper height divisions. Handlers of dogs in Regular Classes may opt to run in a higher height division, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred Classes **MUST** jump in their measured division and are not allowed to jump higher or lower.

JUMP HEIGHT DIVISIONS

STANDARD	PREFERRED	
8 inches	4 inches	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12 inches	8 inches	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16 inches	12 inches	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20 inches	16 inches	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24 inches	20 inches	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
26 inches		For any dogs, at owners discretion

PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP AT THE TRIAL

For each class worked, we will provide a voucher to be used either towards lunch or towards entry fees for a future CDTC agility trial.

Name: _____

I will volunteer to help at the trial: Friday _____ Saturday _____ Sunday _____

(Work will not conflict with your walk-throughs or runs)

Preferred Jobs: _____



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

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

CHARLOTTE DOG TRAINING CLUB AGILITY TRIALS – MARCH 11 - 13, 2016
OPENS JANUARY 13, 2016, AT 8am – CLOSSES February 24, 2016, AT 6pm

DAY 1: FRIDAY, MARCH 11: STD JWW FAST T2B
DAY 2: SATURDAY, MARCH 12: STD JWW FAST T2B
DAY 3: SUNDAY, MARCH 13: STD JWW T2B

Mail form with appropriate fees payable to CDTC or Charlotte Dog Training Club to:
Karen Wlodarski, Trial Secretary, 2743 Old Oak Walk, Johns Island, SC 29455. All entries
must be able to be left at Trial Secretary's address without recipient's signature required.

\$18 for the first run per dog each day; \$13 for each additional run per dog per day.
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)

Table with 2 columns: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes. Rows include height options (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 26") and class options (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B) with sub-classifications like Nov A, Nov B, Open, Exc, Master.

AGREEMENT

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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 PartnersSM 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

In Case of Emergency - Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Form fields for dog information: This Dog Needs To Be Measured, BREED, AKC NAME, AKC NO, ILP NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER, SIRE, DAM, ACTUAL OWNERS, OWNERS ADDRESS, CITY, STATE ZIP + 4, HANDLER.

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