

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 12, 13, & 14, 2021

Outdoors on Grass

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: 350 Runs Each Day

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

OPENING DATE: Wednesday, January 20, 2021 at 8:00 am

Entries received before this time will be returned.

CLOSING DATE: Friday, March 5, 2021 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 is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding
 of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations*

- Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary

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Judge: Brian Brane #96635.....155 Silene, Pittsboro, NC 27312

Classes will run in alternating rings as follows:

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

Dogs will run **SMALL TO TALL** on Friday & Sunday and **TALL TO SMALL** 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.

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 Saving Time change on Sunday, judging will commence at 9:00 am.

CHARLOTTE DOG TRAINING CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

Eric Ross, President, 252 Legend Drive, Rock Hill, SC 29732
 Karen Fekete, Vice President, 2143 Bessbrook Road, Fort Mill, SC 29708
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Trial Chairperson: Bobbie Arnold, 1 Woodvine Lane, Lake Wylie, SC 29710
 803-431-9447; cacheno@comporium.net

Trial Secretary: Karen Wlodarski, 2743 Old Oak Walk, Johns Island, SC 29455
 (843) 696-2892; karen-w@msn.com

Event Committee Members: Stan Hoffman, Bit Jordan, Nan McClure, Patricia Ray, Lorelei Ross, Jim Saxon.

Out of consideration 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:

- **Best Western Motel**, I-77 Exit 82B, 888 Riverview Rd., Rock Hill, SC 29730. (803) 980-0400.
- **Candlewood Suites**, 7926 Forest Pine Dr., Charlotte, NC 28273. (704) 521-3232.
- **Cloverleaf Suites**, 5816 Westpark Dr., Charlotte, NC 28217 (704) 527-8110.
- **Howard Johnson Rock Hill**, I-77 Exit 82B, 911 Riverview Road, Rock Hill, SC 29730 (803) 757-4525.
- **La Quinta**, 1235 Springdale Road., Rock Hill, SC 29730. (803) 817-7500.

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

CAMPING

Overnight RV parking at trial site will not be permitted at this trial.

- **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:** 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.

VENDOR

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

Nan McClure at mcclurenancy@yahoo.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 will NOT be available. Shade is very limited outdoors – please plan on bringing your own if you plan to crate outdoors, otherwise you may crate out of your vehicle. Indoor restrooms will be available with capacity restrictions. In the interest of safety, hospitality will not be offered at this trial; please plan to bring your own food and drinks, or there is a selection of fast food restaurants nearby.

We will be using 24-inch weave poles and rubberized contact equipment. 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

\$20 for the 1st entry of a dog each day and \$15 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: 100 online entries and 250 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 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). Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. CDTC will award ribbons to those dogs finishing an agility title at this trial.

A ribbon, a MACH or PACH bar, and a congratulatory canvas club tote bag will be awarded to those dogs finishing their MACH or PACH titles. Rosettes will be awarded to those achieving the Agility Grand Champion (AGCH) title.

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, illness, 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 8, 2021, 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" 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

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT
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. Regular dogs may not be entered in this height if they are 22 inches and under
24C	N/A	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion if their measurement is 22 inches or under at the withers. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height may not enter 24-choice.

PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP AT THE TRIAL

For each class worked, we will provide a voucher to be used toward 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: _____



COVID-19 Liability Waiver

This waiver must be signed before you may run in our trial.

It will be posted on the club web site and on our trial secretary's web site.

I swear and attest that to the best of my knowledge that I am not infected with COVID-19 virus. I also attest that I have not been in contact or exposed to anyone who has tested positive for COVID-19 within 15 days of the CDTC trial. An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and in some cases death. By entering and attending this trial, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

I agree that I will follow all of the guidelines posted by AKC, CDTC, Piedmont Kennel Club, and with any county, city or state of NC rules to reduce the risk of exposure to Covid-19. I acknowledge that failure to follow the safety rules can result in immediate expulsion from the trial with no refund of fees.

I have carefully read and fully understand all provisions of this release, and fully assume all risk and waive my rights concerning liability as described above:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name: (Printed) _____

I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor above. I have the legal right to consent to and, by signing below, I hereby do consent to the terms and conditions of the Release.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name: (Printed) _____

Trial Instructions and Guidelines

Please read carefully. The covid-19 waiver, included with this premium, must be signed before your dog can run. This waiver is also located on the CDTC's web site or on kwagility.com.

With the safety of exhibitors, volunteers, and staff, and adherence to State and CDC requirements and guidelines, the CDTC has put in place the following procedures for our agility trial at the Piedmont KC on March 12-14, 2021.

1. If you do not feel you can comply with these requirements, please do not enter our trial. You are required to sign the covid-19 waiver included with this premium and enclose it with your entry. You may not run if we do not have a signed waiver.
2. Rules and guidelines here are subject to change. Updates will be provided prior closing.
3. Social distancing of 6 ft will be in practice at all times. There will be no congregating around the rings or ribbons.
4. There will be no indoor crating. Please plan to crate at your tent or vehicle and provide shade for your dogs.
5. There will be no hospitality provided. Please bring your own food and water. Sorry, but no MACH cakes either. We will have a hose to cool your dog down.
6. Masks are required when you can not social distance. We will encourage you to run with a mask, but it is your choice. We will expect you to wear a mask when entering and leaving the rings.
7. Walkthroughs will be limited to less than 25 exhibitors. You **must** wear a mask during the walkthrough.
8. We will have wash stations at each ring.
9. Bathrooms are in the building and you must wear a mask when you use them.
10. Workers **must wear a mask**.
11. The courses will be posted on the trial secretary's website, www.kwagility.com, after 6pm on the evening prior to each day's trial. We will also have the courses posted in several places. Please use your cell phone or camera to take pictures of them. There will be no paper course maps.
12. Please bring your own pen to mark gate sheets or record results.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

CHARLOTTE DOG TRAINING CLUB AGILITY TRIALS – MARCH 12-14, 2021
OPENS JANUARY 20, 2021, AT 8am – CLOSSES MARCH 5, 2021, AT 6pm

DAY 1: FRIDAY, MARCH 12: STD JWW FAST T2B
DAY 2: SATURDAY, MARCH 13: STD JWW FAST T2B
DAY 3: SUNDAY, MARCH 14: STD JWW PREM STD PREM JWW

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.

\$20 for the first run per dog each day; \$15 for each additional run per dog per day.

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)

Table with columns for Regular Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and Preferred Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20"). Rows include STD, JWW, FAST, and T2B with sub-options like Nov A, Nov B, Open, Exc, Master, Premier.

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

This Dog Needs To Be Measured [] Yes [] No
BREED VARIETY CALL NAME
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.

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, including death at any time resulting therefrom...

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.

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.

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.

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 #: _____