#### **ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Tuesday, March 16, 2021 at 8:00 a.m.** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 6 p.m.** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

# PREMIUM LIST AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS

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

## Salisbury Md. Kennel Club



June 3-4, 2021 #2021027717 / #2021027718

## Talbot Kennel Club



June 5-6, 2021 #2021171310 / #2021171309 held by AKC Member Clubs

Crown Sports Center
28410 Crown Road, Eden, Md, 21826
ENTRY LIMITS – 350 Runs Per Day
Indoors on artificial turf. Ring Sizes 75' x 120'
Trial Hours: 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. each day
Judging will commence at 8:00 a.m. each day

\*\*\*Accepting ONLINE ENTRIES through LabTestedOnline.com\*\*\*



## CERTIFICATION

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

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

#### President......Marian Shaw President.....Georgia Purdue Vice President ......Pam Johnson 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President......Diane Spalding Treasurer ......Chrisy Morgan 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President ......Nancy Martin Recording Secretary......Terri Meserole Treasurer ......Bonnie Garris 400 Kentmoor Rd., Stevensville, MD 21666 Secretary ......April Clyde 30602 Polly Branch Rd., Selbyville, DE 19975 TALBOT KC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SALISBURY MD KC Shirley Bigelow, Ashley Cook, Michael Peggy Bradford, MaryAnn Bruton, Dougherty, Pam Helmer, Sally Kepfer, Jeannine Dennis, Julie Waller Dara Kraitchman, Michael MacLeod, Jo Ann Tolson TALBOT KC **DELEGATE TO THE AKC** SALISBURY MD KC Joann Beavers Karen Cottingham

OFFICERS

SALISBURY MD KC

TRIAL CHAIR	TRIAL SECRETARY	TRIAL CHAIR
TALBOT KC		SALISBURY MD KC
Pam Johnson	Jo Powers	Cheryl Price
11674 Ridgely Road,	7455 Dyer Rd.	4413 Richard Way
Ridgely, Md. 21660	Denton, MD 21629	Hurlock, MD 21643
410-714-2101	443-988-8892	443-521-1637
pjohnson2984@yahoo.com	trialsecjo@yahoo.com	lindy4413@yahoo.com

TALBOT KC EVENT C	OMMITTEE SALISBURY MD KC
Sylvia Brownlee, Pam Johnson,	Cathy Bishop, Elisa Calabrese, Jeanine
Michael MacLeod, Marian Shaw, Linda	Dennis, Linda Furey, Cheryl Price,
Syner, Robin Valliant and Members of	Diane Spalding and Members of the
the Talbot Kennel Club	Salisbury Maryland Kennel Club

JUDGING PANEL				
Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Barbara Bounds	Barbara Bounds	Mary Mullen	Mary Mullen	
West Palm Beach,	West Palm	Evansville, IN	Evansville, IN	
FL	Beach, FL	All Standard, All	All Standard, All JWW,	
All Standard, All	All Standard, All	JWW,	Premier JWW, T2B	
JWW, All FAST,	JWW, T2B,	All FAST, Premier		
Premier JWW	Premier Standard	Standard, T2B		

## **VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

After 6 p.m. on Thursday and Friday and all weekend Pets ER – 410-543-8400 402 Punkin Court Salisbury, MD 21804

TALBOT KC

Friday during the day Johnson McKee Animal Hospital, 410-749-4922 Snow Hill Road, Salisbury Md. 21804

## **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

## **CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES**

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	
Nov JWW Open JWW All FAST Nov Standard Open Standard Ex/Mas Standard Ex/ Mas JWW Premier JWW	Premier Standard Ex/Mas Standard Open Standard Novice Standard T2B Ex/Mas JWW Open JWW Novice JWW	Nov JWW Open JWW T2B All FAST Nov Standard Open Standard Premier Standard Ex/Mas Standard Ex/ Mas JWW	Premier JWW Ex/Mas JWW Ex/Mas Standard Open Standard Novice Standard T2B Open JWW Novice JWW	
Judging Begins at 8:00 a.m.				
Thursday & Saturday: Tall to Small Friday & Sunday: Small to Tall				

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

## **HEIGHT DIVISIONS**

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
24C"	n/a	Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-Choice height division at their owners' discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-Choice

## **MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION**

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

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

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

## **AKC CLASS CHANGES, EFFECTIVE 1/1/2020**

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

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

Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day. Additionally, within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within the same trial day. For example, the same dog may now be entered in 20-inch Master STD/JWW while also entered in 24C-inch Premier STD/JWW on the same trial day.

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

## Fix and Go On (FNG)

Fix and Go On 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 Fix and Go On will result in a non-qualifying score. Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the run.

## Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)

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. 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.

## Titling Requirements Temporarily Amended (Effective July 1, 2020)

Effective July 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021, the two judge requirement for the following adjlity titles has been suspended:

Novice level: NA – NAP – NAJ – NJP – NF – NFP Open level: OA – OAP – OAJ – OJP – OF – OFP Excellent level: AX – AXP – AXJ – AJP – XF – XFP

This means that you can achieve each of these titles even if all three qualifying legs were earned under the same judge.

## DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

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

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

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

#### **OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place indoors on artificial turf surface. Ring sizes will be  $75 \times 120$  feet.

## **ENTRY FEES PER DAY**

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)	<b>\$22</b>
Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)	\$22
Third and fourth entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)	\$15

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

Mail entry forms and fees to: Jo Powers, 7455 Dyer Rd. Denton, MD 21629. Please make checks payable to TKC. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Jo Powers at <a href="mailto:trialsecjo@yahoo.com">trialsecjo@yahoo.com</a>. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks

**Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$25 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

#### **Online Entries:**

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

#### COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

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

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

## RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

TKC and SMKC offer Ribbons in each jump height division in each class as follows:

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

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

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

## **MOVE-UP INFORMATION**

Move-ups must be submitted in writing to the Trial Secretary for the Thursday trial no later than the Monday preceding the trial at 6:00 p.m. (May 31st). These may be mailed, or e-mailed to: Jo Powers, 7455 Dyer Rd., Denton, MD 21629 or <a href="mailed-trial-secjo@yahoo.com">trial-secjo@yahoo.com</a>

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

## **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

## SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

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

All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course. No flexi leashes will be allowed inside the building.

#### **REFUNDS**

**No entry fee** will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

Bitches in season are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials. The club will refund the entry fees less \$10 / day for bitches in season and less \$20 / day for injured (not sick) dogs. A written letter by a licensed veterinarian on office letterhead must be in the hands of the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the FIRST day of the trial or cluster of trials. This may be e-mailed to trialsecjo@yahoo.com if handler is not attending the trial.

#### RINGSIDE

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

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

The clubs do not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

## **ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION**

## TRIAL SPECIFICS:

Doors will open at 7:00 am on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.
Crating space is limited. Please be conservative. Ex-pens allowed for
multiple dog crating only.
Puppies under 4 months are strictly prohibited.
All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring or in the
designated warm-up areas.
NO Flexi-leads allowed inside the building.
Exhibitors are responsible for being at the gate when it is their turn to run.
Electronic Timers will be used.
A warm-up area consisting of a regulation agility jump shall be provided
for all exhibitors.
Exhibitors are responsible for double-checking the accuracy of their entry
form.
RV space is available – no hook ups – no reservations required – please
pay at office upon arrival and display your paid sticker on your windshield

## **COVID-19 REQUIREMENT**

By entering this trial, you agree to follow the COVID-19 Best Practices attached to this premium. By signing your entry form, you acknowledge receipt and understanding of these requirements and agree to adhere to them while at the trial site. Anyone who chooses not to adhere to these practices may be subject to a bench committee hearing.

## **DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE**

**Directions from Baltimore, MD:** Directions from Dover, DE: Follow Highway 13 S. Follow 50 E.-Merge onto 13S Bypass Merge onto 13 S Bypass Follow same directions as Dover.

Exit right on St. Luke's Road. Take the 2<sup>nd</sup> left (on the bend)

St Luke's Road (yes this is correct) Turn left at stop sign (Division Street)

Turn left onto Main Street

Turn right onto South Brown Street

Turn right onto Crown Road

Directions from Norfolk, VA:

Follow Highway 13 N

Take Fruitland exit (Business 13N) Make a right onto Crown Road

## When putting information into GPS – enter Fruitland not Eden

# WATCH SPEED LIMITS ON LOCAL ROADS (25mph, camera monitored)

#### HOTEL INFORMATION

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.

Hampton Inn 121 East Naylor Mill Road 410-334-3080

> Salisbury, Md. 21801 \$120/night plus tax

\$15 pet fee per stay

Mention "Talbot Kennel Club"

Cutoff date: 5/3/21

La Quinta 300 S. Salisbury Blvd 410-546-4400

> Salisbury, Md. 21801 \$94/night plus tax

No pet fee

Mention "Talbot Kennel Club"

Cutoff date: 5/11/21

304 Prosperity Lane 410-548-128 Hampton Inn

Fruitland, MD 21826 & Suites \$94/night – Wed, Th,

\$149/night – Fri, Sat plus tax

No pet fee

Mention "Talbot Kennel Club"

Cutoff date: 5/12/21

## **RV INFORMATION**

Parking is in the front parking lot only. \$10 per night. Checks payable to Crown Sports Center. No hook-ups and NO DUMPING on site.

All RV's must park head in on the exterior of the parking lot. Cars may be parked in the middle. No RV's may park in the center of the lot.

All RV reservations must be reserved in ADVANCE by contacting Diane Spalding (spalding4u@hotmail.com). Pay at the office upon arrival.

# Please include this form with your entry AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM

Send this form or e-mail <u>trialsecjo@yahoo.com</u> with your move-up information

Do not send this form to AKC.

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

Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of the dog qualifying for an agility title. The request for moving up on Thursday / Friday, must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than Monday May 31, 2021 and Saturday and Sunday, within one-half hour of the last run of the day preceding the event. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. It is the option of the club to allow move-ups. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

Name of Club		Date				
		Sex:				
Dog's Call Name		Dog's Armband or AKC #				
Move Entry f	rom					
Class	move from	move to	Jump Height			
Standard						
JWW						
FAST						
Owners Name:	:					
Handlers Name (If applicable)	e:					
Signature of or Duly authorize	wner or agent d to make this entry:					
	Please do no	ot write below this line				
Signature of T	rial Secretary		Date	_		



## OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

ONDED 180							
Talbot Kennel Club and Sa							
Opening Date: Tuesday, March 16, 2021;							
STD JWW	FAST T2	B Prei	m. STD	Prem. JWW			
Thursday, June 3, 2021							
Saturday, June 5, 2021	Friday, June 4, 2021						
Sunday, June 6, 2021							
Entry fees: \$22/\$22/\$15/\$15 Make che	cks pavable (in	US funds) t	o: TKC				
Mail entries to: Jo Powers, Trial Secret							
ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED \$							
•							
Choose Either Regular (	OR Prefer	red Cla	asses				
Circle one jump height, circle class selections : Only one	selection per cl	ass (both N	laster and	Prem allowed)			
REGULAR Classes			RED Cla				
8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 24C"	4" 8		16" 20"				
STD Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master Premier	STD NovP	OpenP E		terP PremierP			
Open Exc Master Fremier		•					
NAME NAME A NAME OF THE AMERICAN DESCRIPTION	JWW NovP	OnenP F	ExcP Mas	terP Premier P			
JWW Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master Premier		Ороли		ton i ronnor i			
	FAST NovP	OnonD	EvoD Mo	ustorD			
FAST Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master	FAST NOVE	Openie	EXCF IVIA	ISIEIF			
	TOD TODE	,					
<b>T2B</b> T2B	<b>T2B</b> T2BF	,					
Non-Regular Classes: Not Offered							
	T						
This Dog Needs To Be Measured  Yes  No	SEX		HEIGHT AT WI	THERS			
This Dog Needs To Be Measured ☐Yes ☐No	VARIETY						
BKEED	VARIETY		CALL NAME				
AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)							
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,							
AKC® NO ☐ Enter Complete Regis	stration # helow	DATE OF BIRT	Н				
, , ,	JUGUOTI # DEIOW						
ILP NO.  PAL NO.		PLACE OF BIRT	TH (LIST COUNTRY	)			
FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY							
BREEDER							
SIRE							
DAM							
<i></i>							
ACTUAL OWNERS							
OWNERS ADDRESS				■ NEW ADDRESS			
CITY STATE 710 . A							
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4							
HANDLER		EI	NTER JR. HAN	DLER # if applicable			

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

ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

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

#### **AGREFMENT**

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

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend, and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

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

#### INSTRUCTIONS

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

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

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

**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 #:	_