



North American Dog Agility Council
SPRING into AGILITY TRIAL
April 24-25, 2010



Second Annual Willamette Cup
(See Page 5 for Cup Rules)

Hosted by



Larry Paulus Hay Barn, Monmouth, OR
INDOOR ARENA ON DIRT

JUDGE

Arlene Courtney, Monmouth, OR

CLASSES OFFERED (inTentative Class Order)

SAT: 2 runs each Tunnelers, Weavers, Touch-N-Go,

SUN: 2 runs each Touch-N-Go, Weavers; 1 run Tunnelers, 1 run Hoopers

Limited to 500 runs each day

Opening Postmark Date: Mon., March 22, 2010

Closing Postmark Date: Mon., April 12, 2010 or when limit is met

Move-ups will not be accepted at this trial.

TRIAL COMMITTEE

Trial Chairs: Pati Craven and Dana Stillinger
Trial Secretary: Lynda King
Chief Course Builder: Don Lyons
Chief Scorekeeper: Deanna Lyons
Chief Ring Steward: Terry Church
Hospitality: Dana Stillinger
Raffle: Sylvia Moore and Pat Templeton

MAIL ENTRIES TO: WAG, c/o Lynda King
2040 NW Elder St., Corvallis OR 97330

E-mail questions and changes to Lynda:
fiasheltiemom@gmail.com

There is no check-in: Verifying your dog's NADAC registration number is your responsibility. You may pick up your dog's entry toy any time during the day. Please, one toy per dog.

Measurement: Dogs 18" or under **entered in proficient without a permanent height card must be measured before they run. The trial secretary will contact you and arrange for measurement if your dog falls into this category.** Dogs entered in skilled DO NOT have to be measured. Permanent height card measurements will be available during the weekend.

First dog on the line will be at 8 AM each day.

Entry Rules: We will accept entries postmarked on March 22, 2010, or later, until either the maximum number of runs per day is reached or the closing date of April 12, 2010, whichever comes first. Spaces in this trial will be allotted in postmark order, not in the order of receipt by the Trial Secretary. If more entries with the opening date postmark are received than the total number of slots available, priority entry will be given to a limited number of exhibitors who volunteer to help at the trial. The remaining slots will be drawn from randomly selected entries. If the trial fills on a subsequent date, the drawing will be made from all entries. Any entry that is not accompanied by payment in full will be considered invalid. We have the right to refuse any entry. Anyone who is not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed entry into the trial.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR DOG'S NADAC REGISTRATION NUMBER IS CORRECT

Donation: A percentage of the trial proceeds will be donated to a charity of the Trial Committee's choice.

Prizes and Awards: Purple rosettes will be awarded for all qualifying runs. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 6th place in each jump height in Novice classes. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th place for each jump height and class for all other levels.

Crating Space: Crating space is very limited in this arena. Please do not plan on setting up a large crating area; consider crating in your vehicle.

Food Vendor: There will be a food vendor on site. Hospitality will be provided for workers.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM NADAC: Please check your dog's NADAC registration number on your trial confirmation as soon as you receive it; also, please check the copy of the results posted at the trial. You should report any errors to the Trial Secretary immediately.

NADAC records trial results as they are submitted by the host clubs/groups. The individual trial results submitted by the club are uploaded to the files section of the NADACAgility@yahoogroups.com list within two weeks after the NADAC office receives them from the club. The trial results will remain on the list for at least thirty (30) days. Please accept the responsibility to review those results, and check that your registration number and qualifying points, as reported by the club, are correct. You can join the www.NADACAgility@yahoogroups.com list and set your settings to "no mail". You will be able to view trial results and check for any possible discrepancies, without receiving list mail. If you find an error in the reporting of your dog's qualifying points or registration number, please contact the host club. The host club is responsible for correcting any errors and informing NADAC.

Levels. Points earned at a higher level of a class, prior to the completion of the lower level title, will not be banked by NADAC for future use. If a dog earns points in a level of a class that they are not eligible to title in, those points will not be added to the dog's records.

SKILLED AND PROFICIENT CATEGORIES

Dogs must be entered in either the Skilled or the Proficient category. A dog may not be entered in Skilled one day and Proficient on another day. Dogs may enter the Skilled or Proficient category in the Standard, Veteran, or Junior Handler Division.

If you enter the Skilled category, you MUST run your dog at one jump height lower than its Proficient standard jump height. (Four inches will remain the minimum jump height.) Dogs are allotted the standard course time for, and are scored and placed, in the jump height entered.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

This trial is sanctioned by the North American Dog Agility Council (NADAC). **Exhibitors, through submission of their entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations and relevant WAG policies, including the following rules regarding entry, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial.**

Dogs must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted. NADAC registration forms can be obtained at the NADAC website, or dogs can be registered online to immediately receive a permanent registration number. Go to www.nadac.com (click on "Dogs" on the home page), or contact the Trial Secretary.

Current Jump Height Table, Breed Exemption List, description of classes, levels, and divisions are included in the current NADAC Exhibitor's Handbook. A copy of the current Exhibitor's Handbook may be downloaded for free from the NADAC website. Or Exhibitors may request a hard copy of the current Exhibitor's Handbook by sending \$5.00 to: North American Dog Agility Council, P.O. Box 1206, Colbert, OK 74733-1206.

Exhibitors may contact NADAC at info@nadac.com with general questions or for information.

- All dogs must be on leash when not competing in the ring.
- No leads, collars, food, toys, or other aids or devices will be permitted on the course at any time.
- Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee.
- There will be a \$20.00 service charge for bank returned checks. There will be no refunds in the event that a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for dismissal. Checks will be held until closing date.
- 100% of entry fees will be refunded if requested before the closing date. After the closing date, injured or ill handlers or injured, ill or in-heat dogs will receive a refund, less a \$20.00 handling fee (per dog). Verification from a doctor or vet may be requested.
- There shall be no refunds for withdrawals requested on or after the first competition date listed in this premium, regardless of the reason.
- Running order will be determined at the club's discretion. An attempt will be made to separate runs for handlers with more than one dog in a class.

THE MANAGEMENT will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor, whether the result was by accident or any other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances 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 fees paid will be made.

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE (Larry Paulus Hay Barn)

From I-5 (North or South) take Hwy 22 West (from Salem) approx. 10 miles to Hwy 99W (Pacific Hwy). Head South (toward Rickreal and Monmouth) on 99W/Pacific Hwy and go approx. 6 miles to Monmouth. Travel 2.6 miles from the signal at Hwy 99 and Main St. in Monmouth. The arena is on the left (East) across from the white fencing.

Coming from the South on 99W, the driveway is just past milepost #66.

To help you find the arena: Just South of the driveway, on both sides of the road, are "Adopt-A-Highway" signs.

MOTELS ACCEPTING WELL-BEHAVED PETS

CORVALLIS		
Days Inn	1113 NW 9 th St.	(541) 754-7474 or 1-800-432-1233
Rodeway Inn	345 NW 2 nd St.	(541) 752-9601
Holiday Inn Express	781 NW 2 nd St.	(541) 752-0800 or 1-800-HOLIDAY
Motel 6	937 NW Garfield	(541) 758-9125
Super 8	407 NW 2 nd St.	(541) 758-8088 or 1-800-800-8000
Towne House	350 SW 4 th St.	(541) 753-4496 or 1-800-898-4496
ALBANY		
Best Western Albany	315 Airport Rd. SE	(541) 928-6322
Days Inn	1100 Price Rd. SE	(541) 928-5050
La Quinta Inn	251 Airport Rd. SE	(541) 928-0921
Monmouth		
		(503) 838-4438 – mention WAG when reserving room! LIMIT OF 2 DOGS PER ROOM
Courtesy Inn	270 Pacific Ave. N	

CAMPING

There is limited RV camping on site, for no fee. No hookups!

The closest camping with hookups is approximately 8 miles north at the Polk County Fairgrounds. \$12/night for sites with water and electricity. Showers and dump station available. Pay at the office or pay the caretaker on site.

Polk County Fairgrounds,
520 S. Pacific Highway West,
Rickreall, OR., 97371.

Office: 503-623-3048 or 888-229-6818.
Email: Andersen.Tina@co.polk.or.us

AGREEMENT

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

1.1 As used here NADAC means North American Dog Agility Council, its members, officers, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.

1.2 Exhibitor/owner, agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.

1.3 Exhibitor/owner certify that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.

1.4 Exhibitor/owner acknowledges all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including by not limited to, the condition of the floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fitting, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.

1.5 Exhibitor/owner release NADAC (Including NADAC officers, employees and member), and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, Exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assume sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury or death may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

1.6 I/we acknowledge that by entering this class or event, I am or will be, a Limited Member of the Willamette Agility Group.

In consideration of the acceptance of the entry, I/we agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC in effect at the time of this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations as approved by the board of NADAC for this trial. I/we certify that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. I/we further agree by our signature on page 4 of this premium to be bound by this "agreement".

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SECOND ANNUAL WILLAMETTE CUP ENTRY RULES

WILLAMETTE CUP prizes will be awarded to the handler/dog team achieving the most qualifying runs in each of nine groups: novice small, novice medium, novice large, open small, open medium, open large, elite small, elite medium, and elite large (small = dogs that would jump 4", 8", or 12"; medium = dogs that would jump 16"; large = dogs that would jump 20" [including 20+" dogs]; height groupings may change slightly depending on entry). Qualifying runs in Tunnelers, Weavers, and Touch-N-Go will be counted; Hoopers runs will not be counted. Only dogs entered in all (11) Tunnelers, Weavers, and Touch-N-Go runs will be eligible.

Any ties within a group will be broken on Sunday afternoon by a run-off using a Tunnelers course. The winner of the tie-breaking run-off will be the handler/dog team with the fewest faults, or if a tie still occurs, then that team with the fastest time. Run-offs will NOT be official NADAC runs and thus will NOT be reported.

Cup groups will not be separated by Skilled or Proficient Category nor by Standard, Veteran, or Junior Handler Division; however, qualifying runs will be counted using the criteria for whichever Category and Division a handler/dog team is entered in. If a dog is signed up for different Levels in the different Classes (for example: Novice in Weavers, Elite in Tunnelers, and Open in Touch-N-Go), the dog will be considered for the Cup awards at the highest Level entered (in this example, Elite) and to achieve "qualifying runs" for Cup purposes will have to run at or below standard course time for the higher (e.g., Elite) Level for all Classes. These modified criteria apply only toward consideration for Cup awards, NOT official NADAC results.

VOLUNTEER FORM

Sharing some of your valuable time will help make our trial run smoothly. We appreciate any assistance you can give and promise not to abuse you.

NAME _____

PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

Are you a WAG member?

YES

NO

Sat	Sun	Position – Duties	Do you need training?
		GATE STEWARD – guides people into the rings in the proper order, advises ring crew of height changes, helps with scribe sheets	
		TIMER – oversees automatic timer for each run	
		SCRIBE – ring side, records faults, time and points	
		ASSISTANT SCRIBE – records time	
		SCRIBE RUNNER – takes scribe sheets from scribe to score table	
		LEASH RUNNER – takes leashes from start line to finish line	
		RING EQUIPMENT STEWARD – resets jump bars, straightens chute fabric, etc.	
		COURSE BUILDER – assists in resetting the equipment for each class and level	
		Whatever you need me to do!	

PLEASE INDICATE THE EVENT/S THAT YOUR DOG IS ENTERED IN				ENTER THE HEIGHT YOUR DOG WILL BE GROUPED WITH	
Day – Class	Level (circle one)			Dog 1's Jump Height	Dog 2's Jump Height
Saturday – Tunnelers 1	Novice	Open	Elite		
Saturday – Tunnelers 2	Novice	Open	Elite		
Saturday – Weavers 1	Novice	Open	Elite		
Saturday – Weavers 2	Novice	Open	Elite		
Saturday – Touch N Go 1	Novice	Open	Elite		
Saturday – Touch N Go 2	Novice	Open	Elite		
Sunday – Touch N Go 1	Novice	Open	Elite		
Sunday – Touch N Go 2	Novice	Open	Elite		
Saturday – Weavers 1	Novice	Open	Elite		
Sunday – Weavers 2	Novice	Open	Elite		
Sunday – Tunnelers	Novice	Open	Elite		
Sunday – Hoopers	Novice	Open	Elite		

Thank you for your help!

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR TRIAL ENTRY