

**Agility Test Schedule**  
**USDAA® Sanctioned Tournament Event and Agility Test**  
**Grand Prix of Dog Agility® Championships - Local Qualifier**  
**Performance National Standard<sup>SM</sup> Championships - Local Qualifier**

**Hosted by**  
**Willamette Agility Group**  
**August 8-10, 2008**

**Show Site**  
Pioneer Park, 200 W. Park Street, Brownsville, OR 97327  
Electronic Timing will be used  
Two rings outdoors on grass will be run simultaneously

<p><b>Entries Close Monday, July 21</b> Secondary closing for advancement in level only is Noon, Thursday, July 31</p>
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**Judges:**  
Karen Gloor, Chandler, AZ  
Daniel McDonald, Tampa, FL  
Carole Shlaes, Albany, OR (JHP Classes)

**Classes Offered**  
**Friday afternoon/evening, August 8, 2008**  
**Junior Handler Classes** (Two Rounds - All Levels)

**Saturday, August 9, 2008**  
**Standard • Gamblers • Jumpers • Snooker**  
(Championship/Performance - All Levels)  
**Grand Prix of Dog Agility®**  
**Performance National Standard<sup>SM</sup>**  
(You may enter either the  
Grand Prix/Performance National Standard OR  
Saturday's extra Gamblers and/or Snooker Runs.)

**Sunday, August 10, 2008**  
**Standard • Gamblers • Pairs Relay • Snooker**  
(Championship/Performance - All Levels)



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**SHOW SECRETARY**  
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**ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

Chair	Carole Shlaes, CShlaes@aol.com
Secretaries	Julia DeWitt and Mary Moore
Chief Ring Steward	Nancy Ballerstedt and Joan Hagar
Equipment Manager	Judy Stromquist
Awards	Lori Westling
Chief Scorekeeper	Deanna Lyons and Barb Watrous
Chief Course Builders	Don Lyons and Sharon Gakstatter
Site Manager	Carl Widell
Hospitality	Melissa Johnson

**ENTRIES and CLOSING DATES**

- **Entries must be received by Monday, July 21.** Entries will be accepted by Federal Express or other express mail only if the Signature Waiver is signed. No telephone entries will be accepted. There is no limit to the number of dogs that can participate in this agility trial. You may request a change in class or cancel your entry in writing (letter or email) any time prior to the closing date of July 21.
- The secondary closing for advancement in level, only for entries received by the closing date, Noon, Thursday, July 31, by postal mail or express courier with the signature requirement waived. Only changes in class level will be accepted, no changes in jump height or program selected apply to the secondary closing.
- If your dog has a permanent (yellow plastic) height card, a copy may be submitted with your entry to expedite check-in. Copies of the blue paper cards cannot be accepted.

**CHECK-IN AND MEASURING**

- **You must present your USDAA card during check-in.** Those who cannot present their permanent or completed temporary USDAA card or USDAA issued check-in letter will be required to "measure in". Dogs that measure up will be placed first in the running order. Should a dog be unprepared for the higher height, it may run For Exhibition Only at a lower height, but no awards or qualifying scores may be earned and no change in program is allowed.
- Check-in and measuring will be from 7:15 to 7:45 a.m. Saturday and Sunday mornings. We will also offer early check-in and measuring Friday evening; see confirmation letter for details. Dogs and handlers who have checked in on Friday or Saturday do not need to check in on Sunday.
- All handlers for a given class should be present ringside at least one-half hour prior to the start of scheduled classes for walk-throughs and briefings.
- **First class will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday.** Any dog and handler not present when they are called will be ineligible to run, unless prior arrangements are made with the gate steward.
- **For the Junior Handler Program,** check-in and first class start time will be in the very late afternoon or early evening on Friday. See confirmation letter for details.

**PRIZES AND AWARDS**

**Standard/NonStandard – Championship and Performance**

- **Starters and Performance I, and Y Classes:** Separate 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place ribbons will be awarded for placement in each jump height and class with pairs being awarded to mini and open divisions
- **Advanced, Masters, Performance II and Performance III:** Separate 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> place ribbons will be awarded for placement in each jump height and class. Pairs will be awarded to mini and open divisions.
- **Maroon rosettes will be awarded for each qualifying run.**

**Junior Handler Program**

Junior Handlers will receive awards at three levels: Gold, for performances yielding 5 or fewer faults; silver, for those with 15 or fewer, but more than 5 faults; bronze, for those with more than 15 faults. Maroon qualifying rosettes will be awarded for zero fault rounds.

## TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER

Rings to be run simultaneously

Tall to Small on Saturday (Championship/Performance) and Small to Tall on Sunday (Performance/Championship)

Masters/P/III Snooker Running Order will be random

Friday August 8, 2008  Ring 2 Carole Shlaes	Saturday August 9, 2008  Ring 1 Karen Gloor	Saturday August 9, 2008  Ring 2 Daniel McDonald	Sunday August 10, 2008  Ring 1 Karen Gloor	Sunday August 10, 2008  Ring 2 Daniel McDonald
Junior Handler Classes (two rounds, all levels)	Masters/P/III Gamblers**	Advanced/P/II Standard	P/III/Masters Standard	P/II/Advanced Gamblers
	Masters/P/III Standard	Starters/P/II/Y Standard	P/III/Masters Gamblers	P/II/Y/Starters Gamblers
	Grand Prix**	Advanced/P/II Gamblers**	P/II/Advanced Standard	P/II/Y/Starters Standard
	Performance National Standard**	Starters/P/II Gamblers**	P/III/Masters Pairs Relay	P/II/Starters Pairs Relay
	Masters/P/III Jumpers	Advanced/P/II Snooker**	P/III/Masters Snooker	P/II/Advanced Pairs Relay
	Masters/P/III Snooker**	Starters/P/II Snooker**		P/II/Starters Snooker
		Advanced/P/II Jumpers		P/II/Advanced Snooker
		Starters/P/II/Y Jumpers		

**\*\*Note: You may enter either the Grand Prix/Performance National Standard OR Saturday's extra Gamblers and/or Snooker Runs.**

## NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of USDAA Rules and Regulations, as amended March 30, 2007, including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry. USDAA's official Rules and Regulations are hereby incorporated by reference, a copy of which may be obtained online at [www.usdaa.com](http://www.usdaa.com).

- This test is open to all dogs being at least 18 months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness that may affect the dog's ability to perform safely, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression.
- All dogs must be registered with USDAA in order to compete in USDAA sanctioned events. To obtain a registration number immediately and a height card prior to the show go online to [www.usdaa.com](http://www.usdaa.com), General Information, Dog Registration. Registration may be made concurrently with entry to this show, a form for which is included in this Agility Test Schedule. Additionally, all junior handlers must be separately registered in order to compete in the Junior Handler Program classes. Registration number has a "J" prefix.
- No leads, collars, food, toys or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course except as provided for in the USDAA Rules and Regulations for the Junior Handler Program. No training, pinch or shock collars will be permitted on or around the course at any time.
- Safety shall be of foremost consideration at all times. Handlers, through entry at this event, accept full responsibility for themselves, their guests and the actions of their dogs.
- The Organizing Committee of an event may refuse the entry of any competitor or dog for just cause should the committee view that participation by competitor would be prejudicial to the sport. However, any committee so doing must notify the competitor in writing (with a copy to the USDAA office) in anticipation of or upon receipt of entry. The notice must include the reason for refusing entry and a brief explanation of the basis for the committee's decision. The burden of responsibility for appropriateness of such action rests solely with the host group and its Organizing Committee.
- No entries shall be accepted, changed, or altered after the closing date (7/21/08), except as outlined under ENTRIES and CLOSING DATES.
- THERE SHALL BE NO REFUNDS in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason for such dismissal.
- 100% of entry fees will be refunded if requested before the closing date (7/21/08). Refunds after closing only for injured or ill handlers or injured, ill or in-season dogs. Owner/handler will receive a refund less a \$10 handling fee. Verification from a doctor or vet may be requested.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$20.00 service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark notice of returned check where notification is received after event date. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice result in cancellation of event results for all classes for the registration number(s) of delinquent entry/entries. No reinstatement of results is possible, and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification, or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is canceled without recourse by owner/handler.
- Dogs must remain on leash at all times, except when competing in the ring or in the warm-up jump area.
- No dogs may be left unattended except when properly kenneled in designated kennel areas. Day kenneling only is permitted, unless otherwise posted at the show site. USDAA and Willamette Agility Group cannot and do not assume any liability for loss of any items left unattended.
- No entry fees will be refunded if the Test cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, Act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strike or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers.
- Agility obstacles shall meet the requirements of USDAA Rules and Regulations.
- Dogs must be exercised only in designated areas. Please pick up after your dog.

- **Fault limits may be applied** in all classes for which faults are assessed. Limits shall be announced during the judges' briefings.
- Mismatched or incomplete pairs shall be accepted as draw entries only.
- There will be no equipment familiarization at this event.
- There shall be **No Smoking** in the boundary of the show site, which shall include the building and the entries to the buildings.
- All Competitors, through entry at this event, waive any and all rights relative to video broadcast of this event. Competitors shall have the right to videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be videotaped for commercial or other purposes. All video, broadcast and telecast rights for this event are the exclusive property of United States Dog Agility Association, Inc.
- Portions of this event may be taped for television. Through entry at this event, ALL COMPETITORS and HANDLERS HEREBY GRANT to USDAA and its representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known. All competitors and handlers hereby release USDAA and its representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

### **USDAA AGILITY TITLING PROGRAM**

Two certification programs will be offered at this event – Championship & Performance. Competitors may enter both Championship and Performance Program classes for which they are eligible; however, under NO circumstance may a dog be entered in the same Championship and Performance class at this agility test (i.e. Standard at any level in both programs). Classes include Standard agility, Gamblers, Jumpers, Pairs Relay and Snooker agility as set forth in Chapters 3–7 of USDAA Rules and Regulations, each of which are conducted at three competitive levels.

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP DOG AGILITY PROGRAM**

The Starters Standard classes shall be for dogs that have not earned the *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title or a Starters Standard title. Starters non-standard classes shall be for dogs that have not earned a title in the class being entered (Starters Gamblers, Starters Jumpers, Starters Relay-3 different partners required-or Starters Snooker) or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard class at the Advanced or Masters level. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the nonstandard classes is required to earn the *Agility Dog* title.

The Advanced Standard classes shall be for dogs that have earned the *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title or a Starters Standard title. Advanced non-standard classes shall be for dogs that have earned the *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title or that have earned a title in the equivalent non-standard class at the Starters level, but have not earned the equivalent Advanced non-standard title or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard class at the Masters level. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the nonstandard classes is required to earn the *Advanced Agility Dog* title.

The Masters Standard classes shall be for dogs that have earned the Advanced *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title or the Advanced Standard title. Masters non-standard classes shall be for dogs that have earned the Advanced *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title, the equivalent non-standard title at the Advanced level, or that had previously qualified for entry into the equivalent Masters non-standard class prior to January 1, 2004.

#### **PERFORMANCE DOG AGILITY PROGRAM**

Generally, Performance Level I, Level II and Level III are run on courses used for Starters, Advanced and Masters classes in the Championship Program, with the following exceptions: the A-frame is set at 5'6", jump heights are one height class lower as set forth in Notes to Competitors, no spread hurdles are utilized and time standards in the Standard, Jumpers classes are extended by 3 seconds beyond that utilized in the Championship Program. Eligibility is determined as follows:

The Performance I Standard classes shall be for any dog that has not earned the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title, the Performance Standard I title, or a qualifying score in the Performance II or Performance III Standard classes. Performance I non-standard classes shall be for any dog that has not earned a title in the class being entered (Performance I Gamblers, Performance I Jumpers, or Performance I Snooker) or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard class at the Performance II or Performance III level. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the non-standard classes is required to earn the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title.

The Performance II Standard classes shall be for any dog that has earned the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title, the Performance Standard I title, the *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title or the Veteran *Agility Dog*<sup>SM</sup> title, but has not earned the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title or Performance Standard II title, or a qualifying score in the Performance III standard class. Performance II non-standard classes shall be for dogs having earned the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title, the *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title or a title in the equivalent Starters or Performance I non-standard class, but not having earned a title in the equivalent non-standard Performance II class or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard Performance III class. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the nonstandard classes is required to earn the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title.

The Performance III Standard classes shall be for any dog that has earned the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title, the Performance Standard II title, the Advanced *Agility Dog*<sup>SM</sup> title, or the Veteran Advanced *Agility Dog*<sup>SM</sup> title. Performance III non-standard classes shall be for dogs having earned the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title, the Advanced *Agility Dog*<sup>®</sup> title, the equivalent non-standard title at the Advanced or Performance II level, or that had previously qualified for entry into the equivalent Performance non-standard class prior to January 1, 2004.

#### **CLASS DESCRIPTIONS**

Competitors may enter both Championship and Performance programs at this event. A dog may be entered in any program for which it is eligible and may enter a championship program class and performance program class at the same level (e.g. Masters Gamblers and PIII Standard); however a dog may not be entered in the same or similar CLASS in both Championship and Performance (e.g. Masters Gamblers and PII or PIII Gamblers). In each of the following descriptions, it can be assumed that the Performance Program parallels the Championship program unless otherwise noted.

- Standard Agility: A standard agility course consists of a numbered sequence of obstacles. It demonstrates a dog/handler team's speed, accuracy, and teamwork. All non-standard classes are scored pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 3-5 of USDAA Rules and Regulations.

Non-standard Class Descriptions - These non-standard classes are scored pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 6 & 7 of USDAA Rules and Regulations.

- **Gamblers Class:** consists of a course with no pre-determined route and each obstacle is assigned a point value. In the 'opening' period the handler seeks to accumulate points by performing the obstacles of his / her choice in the time allotted. At the conclusion of the 'opening' the handler attempts the 'gamble', as a sequence designated by the judge to be handled from a distance, for additional points.
- **Jumpers Class:** consists of a course of jumps and may include a tire and tunnels.
- **Snooker Class:** has an 'opening sequence of point collection similar to the Gamblers followed by a closing sequence of a set pattern. Roughly parallels the billiards game of 'Snooker', requiring the dog to successfully complete a 'red' jump prior to attempting an obstacle designated as any other color.
- **Pairs Relay:** consists of a standard course with one dog and handler running a portion of the course, followed by a baton exchange to a second handler and dog who run the second portion of the course. Partners must be from the same level and height division, mini (Ch12/16", Perf 8/12") or open (Ch22/26", Perf 16/22"). In the event only one dog is entered in a program/level, un-entered dogs or dogs from another program/level may not be recruited to form a qualifying pair. Relay is required for all levels of Performance titling beginning January 1, 2009.

### **AGILITY "Y" CLASS DESCRIPTIONS**

The Agility Y classes will be open to any dog registered with USDAA, 18 months old, BUT NOT ENTERED IN ANY OTHER CLASS at the event. No qualifying scores are available from these classes.

**Agility Y Standard** – This class will be judged under Starters Standard rules. There will be a set of 12 weave poles, A-frame set at 5'6" and other obstacles as in the Starters Standard class. There will be no spread hurdles. Dogs may jump 2 heights lower than their Championship height with the lowest jump height being 4". The class will be scored on faults then time, including time faults based on the course time set by the judge.

**Agility Y Jumpers** (Saturday only) – This class will be judged under Starters Jumpers rules. The obstacles will be the same as in the Starters Jumpers class except that there will be no spread hurdles. Dogs may jump 2 heights lower than their Championship height with the lowest jump height being 4". The class will be scored on faults then time, including time faults based on the course time set by the judge.

**Agility Y Gamblers** (Sunday only) – This class will be judged under Starters Gamblers rules. The obstacles will be the same as in the Starters Gamblers class except that there will be no spread hurdles. Dogs may jump 2 heights lower than their Championship height with the lowest jump height being 4". The class will be scored on points, then time.

### **JUNIOR HANDLER TITLING PROGRAM – Use separate entry form!**

The Junior Handler Program is for children 18 years of age and younger. Four progressive levels of competition are offered. Each Junior Handler must separately register with their dog (see registration form) to be eligible for entry in the following classes. A dog may not compete with two different handlers in the same class level on the same day. Since the 2 runs per class per level are being offered on the same day, back to back, there will be no move-ups allowed as per USDAA® rules. Jump heights are the same as for the Performance Program: 8", 12", 16", 22". As described in Section 8.2 of the current USDAA rule book, classes offered are:

- **Beginners Agility Class:** The JH - Beginners Agility<sup>SM</sup> certificate requires completion of one round of competition with no penalties. Entrants must complete an eight to ten question examination, and items missed on the exam must be reviewed prior to or during the judge's briefing. Completion of the course within the designated time without fault shall result in the award of USDAA's JH - Beginners Agility certificate of accomplishment. The obstacle course shall be comprised of ten (10) obstacles set in a simple horse shoe or simple "M" design, including an A-Frame (apex at 4'6"), Table at 12" for all dogs (to be performed in the down position for five cumulative seconds), Pipe Tunnel, Collapsed Tunnel and Six Hurdles (wings, if any, should be no more than 18" in width). The standard course time shall be 60 seconds. Dogs may compete on leash using a buckle collar. Election to do so must be designated on the entry form.
- **Elementary Agility Class:** The JH - Elementary Agility<sup>SM</sup> certificate requires completion of two rounds of competition with no penalties. Successful completion of the two rounds will earn the JR - Elementary Agility certificate of accomplishment. The obstacle course shall be comprised of ten obstacles set in a simple horseshoe or simple "M" design. The same agility obstacles and related modifications shall be used as in the Beginners class, except that the A-frame shall measure five (5) feet at the apex. The standard course time shall be the same as in the Beginners class, set at 60 seconds. Dogs may wear a buckle collar, but must compete off leash.
- **Intermediate Agility Class:** The JH - Elementary Agility<sup>SM</sup> class requires three rounds of competition with no penalties. Dogs completing three clear rounds in this class shall be awarded the JH - Intermediate Agility certificate of accomplishment. The courses shall be of simple design, being slightly more challenging than a figure of "8", and shall include twelve (12) to fourteen (14) obstacles, including an A-Frame (apex at 5'6"), Dog Walk (elevation at no more than 3'0" and planks of no less than 7'0" in length), Pipe Tunnel, Collapsed Tunnel, Short set of weave poles (five or six), Table at 12" for dogs jumping in the lower two height classes and at 16" for dogs jumping in the two higher jump height classes (to be performed in the down position for five consecutive seconds), Long Jump, Tire Jump and four to six hurdles. The standard course time shall be 75 seconds. Dogs must compete off leash without a collar.
- **Senior Agility Class:** The JH - Senior Agility<sup>SM</sup> class requires three rounds of competition with no penalties. Dogs completing three rounds without fault in this class level shall be awarded the JR - Senior Agility certificate of accomplishment. The courses shall be of simple design, being slightly more challenging than a figure of "8", and shall include thirteen (13) to fifteen (15) obstacles, including the same obstacles as in the JH - Intermediate class with the following modifications: A-frame apex at 6'0" (5'6" for the 8" height class) and the addition of a see-saw. The standard course time shall be computed at the rate of two yards per second not to exceed 75 seconds. Dogs must compete off lease without a collar.

### **CHAMPIONSHIP AND PERFORMANCE JUMP HEIGHTS**

Following are the jump heights for the Championship Program with Performance Program and Junior Handler heights in parentheses:

<u>Dog Height</u>	<u>Jump Height</u>	<u>Long Jump</u>	<u>Table*</u>
Over 21"	26" (22")	60" (48")	24" (16")
21" or less	22" (16")	48" (36")	24" (16")
16" or less	16" (12")	36" (24")	16" (12")
12" or less	12" (8")	20" (12")	12" (12")

\* See Junior Handler Program class descriptions for table heights used at each level.

## 2008 Grand Prix of Dog Agility® World Championships & Performance National Standard<sup>SM</sup> - Local Qualifiers

These tournaments are open to all competitors regardless of titles earned or skill level. Both are a single-round tournament featuring the sport in its basic form. The course includes obstacles as set forth in Chapter 3 of USDAA Rules and Regulations for standard agility, except that no table obstacle shall be used. Standard scoring shall be applied.

Competitors that earn five (5) or fewer faults shall earn a qualifying score for which qualifying ribbons are presented. One qualifying score is required for entry in Round 1 of a Regional Championships. Additionally, the first place competitor in each height class who has earned a qualifying score shall be eligible to enter the final round of a Type 1 Regional Championship without regard to their score in the first round. Such eligibility shall be documented through a "bye" voucher. A competitor may earn more than one voucher, and the voucher is nontransferable, can be used only once and must be submitted with the competitor's entry form for a Type 1 Regional Championship. See complete rules and regulations for Regional Championships, which are hereby incorporated by reference.

The rules may be found on the USDAA web site—General Information—Forms and Documents Library, or may be requested in writing by US mail from the USDAA office. A competitor must have two qualifications from local qualifiers, one of which may be from the first round of a Regional Championship, in order to qualify for entry to the world championship quarterfinals; however, where a competitor may choose to compete in both Grand Prix and Performance National Standard qualifiers during the current tournament season, the competitor is only eligible to compete in the championships of the tournament in which they have earned the most qualifications. Further, 2008 tournament rules stipulate that a competitor must compete all in Championship or all in Performance tournaments at Regional and National/World Championship events.

### DONATION

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

### VENDORS

If you would like to be a vendor at this trial, please contact Carole Shlaes, [CShlaes@aol.com](mailto:CShlaes@aol.com), by August 1, 2008. The "fee" for vendor space is a \$25 donation in goods/services or pay a \$25 fee, payable to WAG, for future trial raffles (there will be no raffle at this trial).

### ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION

#### ***Motels accepting well-behaved pets:***

#### **The closest lodging is at the intersection of I-5 and Highway 228 (Halsey):**

Travelodge Pioneer Villa – 33180 Highway 228 – (541) 369-2801 – *Formerly BW Pioneer Lodge*

#### **Hotels in Albany (approximately 20 miles north):**

Best Western Albany Inn – 315 Airport Rd. SE – (541) 928-6322

La Quinta Inn – 251 Airport Rd. SE – (541) 928-0921

Comfort Suites – 100 Opal Ct. NE – (541) 928-2053

Quality Inn – 1100 Price Rd. SE – (541) 928-5050 (14" and smaller dogs only)

Econo Lodge – 1212 SE Price Rd. – (541) 926-0170

**Camping:** Camping is available in Pioneer Park. No reservations, first come basis. Fees are \$10.00 for tents per night and \$15.00 per night for RV's. There are no hook-ups. There are rest rooms with running water in the park. Campers will make payment to Pioneer Park. They will come around and collect.

### DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

#### **Pioneer Park, 200 W. Park St., Brownsville, OR 97327**

Take I-5 to Exit 216 (Highway 228). Go east on Highway 228 until you reach Brownsville. In Brownsville, turn left (north) on Main Street, then left (west) on Park Street. Park Street dead ends at Pioneer Park.

### FOOD

Dino's Diner will be on-site providing breakfast and lunch items. There are not any fast food vendors in Brownsville, so plan accordingly. Limited hospitality refreshments will be available for workers.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

We depend on the generosity of volunteers to make our trials run smoothly. Volunteers will earn coupons to use with the food vendor. Experience is not needed for any job, we will teach you. We do our best to avoid conflicts; however, if a conflict does happen let the ring stewards know and they will take care of it. Page 10 of this premium is a sign-up sheet for workers to complete and return with their entry form or you can sign-up on the White Boards on the day of the trial.

**Willamette Agility Group – Junior Handler Program Official Entry Form**  
**United States Dog Agility Association, Inc.**  
**Sanctioned Agility Test**

Pioneer Park, Friday, August 8, 2008

Judge: Carole Shlaes

Since the 2 runs/class per level are being offered on the same day, back to back, there will be no move-ups allowed, as per the JH USDAA® rules. Check-in and first class start time will be in the very late afternoon or early evening on Friday. See confirmation letter for details.

Return this completed form with entry fees payable to: WAG, c/o Julia DeWitt, 2090 19<sup>th</sup> St. N.E., Salem, OR 97301. SIGNED ENTRIES AND APPROPRIATE FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY **Monday, July 21, 2008**, IN ORDER TO BE VALID. View Notice to Competitors section about terms of entry.

**OWNER / HANDLER INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Handler, if other than registered owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**DOG'S IDENTIFICATION** - If available, attach a copy of dog's permanent height card

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

USDAA JHP#: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Actual Height at Withers (to next highest ¼"): \_\_\_\_\_ Jr. Handler Class Height Entered (circle one): 8" 12" 16" 22"

Class Information: (events will be run in the order listed below). A dog may not be entered in the same level with two different handlers. All dogs will be run off-leash, except in Beginners, where it is optional. Rounds 1 and 2 of each class will be run back to back. Fees include 50% Junior Handler Discount.

TOTAL	FEE PER ROUND	CLASS LEVEL	
		ROUND 1	ROUND 2
	\$5.00	Beginners On leash	Beginners On leash
	\$5.00	Beginners Off Leash	Beginners Off Leash
	\$5.00	Elementary	Elementary
	\$5.00	Intermediate	Intermediate
	\$5.00	Senior	Senior
	SUBTOTAL		
	\$17.00	JH Registration – Attach registration form if not previously registered.	
	<b>TOTAL FEES</b>		

Please note: Beginners must indicate ON or OFF leash.

**GENERAL AGREEMENT**

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ *Parent or Legal guardian for Junior Handlers/ Minors:* Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Willamette Agility Group – Official Entry Form**

**United States Dog Agility Association, Inc.  
Sanctioned Agility Test**

Pioneer Park, Brownsville, OR  
August 9-10, 2008

Return this completed form with entry fees payable to: WAG, c/o Julia DeWitt, 2090 19<sup>th</sup> St. N.E., Salem, OR 97301, **ENTRIES AND APPROPRIATE FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY MONDAY, JULY 21, IN ORDER TO BE VALID.** View Notice to Competitors section about terms of entry.

**OWNER / HANDLER INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Handler, if other than registered owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**DOG'S IDENTIFICATION** – If available, attach a copy of dog's permanent height card

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

USDA #: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's actual height at withers (to next highest ¼"): \_\_\_\_\_

A dog may NOT be entered in the same Performance and Championship class on the same weekend. One jump height per program per entry form.

Jump Height (circle)		Championship 12" 16" 22" 26"				Performance 8" 12" 16" 22"				
Amount	Fee	Level (check one per class)				Level (check one per class)				
<b>SAT</b>										
	\$16	Standard	S	A	M	Standard	Y	PI	PII	PIII
	\$10	Jumpers	S	A	M	Jumpers	Y	PI	PII	PIII
	\$10	Gamblers**	S	A	M	Gamblers**		PI	PII	PIII
	\$10	Snooker**	S	A	M	Snooker**		PI	PII	PIII
	\$18	Grand Prix**				Performance National Standard**				
<b>SUN</b>										
	\$16	Standard	S	A	M	Standard	Y	PI	PII	PIII
	\$10	Gamblers	S	A	M	Gamblers	Y	PI	PII	PIII
	\$10	Snooker	S	A	M	Snooker		PI	PII	PIII
	\$10	Pairs Relay	S	A	M	Pairs Relay		PI	PII	PIII
		*See below to designate partner or draw								
	\$65	Weekend Package: 2 Standard + 4 non-Standard classes (excludes all tournaments)								
		Subtract 10% WAG Member Discount (for current WAG members only). Discount applies to Weekend Package, and individual Standard and non-Standard classes only, excludes tournaments.								
		<b>SUBTOTAL FOR ENTRY FEES</b>								
	\$20	USDA registration fee, if applicable				Application form available in test schedule				
		<b>TOTAL ENCLOSED</b>								

\* Pairs Partner: \_\_\_\_\_ Handler: \_\_\_\_\_ Dog: \_\_\_\_\_ USDA #: \_\_\_\_\_ Jump Height: \_\_\_\_\_

Draw (please do NOT pair me with): \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*SATURDAY: Competitors may enter the Grand Prix/Performance National Standard OR the extra Gambler and/or Snooker runs.**

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent or Legal guardian:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## DOG REGISTRATION APPLICATION

If your dog does not yet have a USDAA registration number, you may obtain a registration number immediately and a measurement card prior to the show online at [www.usdaa.com](http://www.usdaa.com). Click on General Information, Dog Registration. You may also clip out the form below and return it with your entry and include the appropriate amount with your entry fees. A reduced registration fee is available through registration online.

### DOG REGISTRATION APPLICATION - \$20.00

### JUNIOR HANDLER REGISTRATION APPLICATION - \$17.00

Dogs must be registered with USDAA in order to compete in USDAA sanctioned events. A registration card and number with a "U" prefix will be issued to facilitate entry at USDAA events and tracking of show results in the regular classes.

Junior handlers (those 18 years of age and younger) and their dogs must be separately registered for participation in the USDAA's Junior Handler Program (UJHP). A registration number with a "J" prefix will be assigned for use in entering UJHP events. A dog competing in both programs (regular classes and UJHP) must be registered separately for each program, for which the total fee is \$37.00.

#### You must complete ALL information for a valid registration:

#### OWNER/HANDLER INFORMATION:

Primary

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Co-Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Handler: \_\_\_\_\_

(If different from primary owner)

Junior Handler: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

(Day telephone, if possible)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City / State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### DOG INFORMATION:

Formal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Name to appear on certificates; please print clearly or type)

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Height @ Withers: \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify breed or state "All American to denote mix-breed)

(Estimate if unknown)

(To nearest 1/4")

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

We depend on the generosity of volunteers to make our trials run smoothly. Volunteers will earn coupons to use with the food vendor or to buy raffle tickets. Experience is not needed for any job, we will teach you. We do our best to avoid conflicts; however, if a conflict does happen let the ring stewards know and they will take care of it.

### ONE PERSON PER FORM, PLEASE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ I AM AVAILABLE: Friday Saturday Sunday  
 Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

If you can help with the Junior Handler classes on Friday, please email judge Carole Shlaes at [CShlaes@aol.com](mailto:CShlaes@aol.com). We need 5-6 helpers: scribe, timer, ring crew, and scorekeeper. The JH classes will run in the very late afternoon or early evening on Friday. Please check your confirmation letter for the exact time.

Please indicate the dog's height in EACH event box below that your dog(s) is entered in

	Class	Starters	Adv	Masters	Y	PI	PII	PIII
<b>SAT</b>								
Dog 1	Standard							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Jumpers							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Gamblers							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Snooker							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Grand Prix							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Performance National Standard							
Dog 2								
<b>SUN</b>								
Dog 1	Standard							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Gamblers							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Snooker							
Dog 2								
Dog 1	Pairs Relay							
Dog 2								

I can help with anything

Have you had previous experience? Yes No

-OR-

I prefer to do the following:

- |  |   |                                       |
|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| Timer (monitors the electronic timer box)  | Leash Runner                                      | Friday afternoon equipment/ring setup |
| Scorekeeper  | Pole Setter                                       | Saturday AM check-in                  |
| Scribe (records faults)  | Gate Steward                                      | Sunday teardown                       |
| Scribe Runner  | Course Builder                                    |                                       |
| Assistant Scribe (records course time and will operate remote timer for starting snooker/gamblers) | Ring Crew (Pole setter, chute straightened, etc.) |                                       |